

# AMUSEMENTS

## Barnum & Bailey's Circus

Exhibition of Jiu Jitsu To Be Seen Tomorrow With Largest Circus in the World



"BATTERED UP" THE REAL GIANTS OF THE BASE BALL WORLD BARNUM & BAILEY CIRCUS.

JIU JITSU EXPERTS.

### THE LIETLE MILLIONAIRE IS CLEAN AND RENINED

M. Cohan's musical farce "The Little Millionaire," interpreted by a fine cast and beauty chorus, will be presented at the Masonic Theatre on October 17, with Bert Leigh and Hazle Burgess as its stars.

Geo. M. Cohan's name has come to stand for all that is best in the amusement world. Any play to which his signature is attached is a guarantee for clean, healthy entertainment presented with the speed that typifies the accelerated pace of young America, yet put forth in an atmosphere of melody and mirth that is distinctly attractive.

"The Little Millionaire" is one of these. It is a musical farce that is absolutely free from vulgarity, yet containing insistent laugh-compelling qualities that have easily made it the most talked about play Mr. Cohan has so far presented to the American stage.

### "THE LEOPARD'S SPOTS" WILL BE SEEN HERE SOON.

Thomas Dixon's dramatization of his novel "The Leopard's Spots," will be seen here at the Masonic Theatre on October 13.

"The Leopard's Spots" in book form was Mr. Dixon's first big success, not even being equalled by his sensational story "The Clansman," which he wrote just afterwards. Although "The Leopard's Spots" preceded "The Clansman," the latter play was the first to reach the stage, while the former was not dramatized by the author until this summer. The reason for this unusual chronological order is because "The Clansman" dealt essentially with the negro problem immediately following the war while "The Leopard's Spots" covered the period of all the years following the war to the present time, and so it presents the modern negro situation. Consequently Mr. Dixon has saved the material for a play which he always knew existed in "The Leopard's Spots" with the result that he is now able to offer a gripping drama which differs in plot and general treatment from his plays "The Clansman" and "The Sins of the Fathers," and which cannot fail to command the interest and support of every Southern man and woman.

"The Leopard's Spots" has been produced under the sole direction and management of the author himself.

### "THE GIRL OF THE UNDERWORLD."

In all homes, in all branches of life,

there is an uncertain feeling of uneasiness, a desire to go away to see the world to go on your own accord; there is not much pity for a girl alone, homeless, hungry and without money. There is only one road open for her, and "The Girl of the Underworld" will show you the folly of that road. A road perhaps which is smooth going, but when the end is reached, and you want to return, you will find the road rough and hard to travel. Every mother, father, brother and sister owes it to themselves to see this beautiful play for the lesson it teaches. Girls who want to go to the city, girls who want to leave home girls who don't know their own mind, see "The Girl of the Underworld" that plays at the Masonic Theatre on October 15. It will show the pitfalls of the big city of New York. The greatest moral lesson ever taught is the verdict of this beautiful four act comedy drama, "The Girl of the Underworld."

### PRESENTS AWAIT SOMEONE AT THE STAR THEATRE.

At the "premium drawing," at the "Star" theatre last night, the following numbers won prizes and were not in the house. If parties holding lucky numbers will call at the "Star" the numbers will be redeemed by the management. 002008, 002010, 002012, 002014, 002015, 002022, 002028, 002038, 002041, 002042, 002051, 002054, 002070, 002073, 002079.

### A TREAT IN STORE FOR PATRONS OF "THE STAR."

In connection with the big Warner feature "Mone Lisa" to be shown at the "Star" theatre Friday night, the management of this popular play house have secured the services of one of the most popular soloists who will render "The Rosary" and other appropriate and beautiful selections during the presentation of this masterpiece of motion pictures, in his own distinctive and appealing manner.

### TENTED CITY BUILT TONIGHT

BARNUM & BAILEY'S BIG CIRCUS WILL ARRIVE ABOUT 1 O'CLOCK.

Tomorrow promises to be the greatest circus day in the history of New Bern. Already visitors are arriving

from all points of the compass. Railroad officials are putting forth every effort to handle the additional crowds. The first section of the circus train is expected in town by 1 o'clock in the morning. It will bring the hotel and kitchen outfit and the horses and men necessary to haul it to the grounds and get breakfast for 1,280 men, women and children. A corps of seventy chefs, cooks waiters and kitchen helpers come with this department.

An entire train is required to carry the thousands of costumes the special scenery the properties and the portable stage used in the production of "Cleopatra." The spectacle begins the performance in the main tent. Its cast of 1,250 characters, grand opera chorus, ballet, of 350 dancing girls, 650 horses and herds of elephants and camels afford an imposing sight that will not soon be forgotten.

The other trains will arrive as soon after the first section as the regulations of the railroads will permit. The performers and the business staff live on the last train. By the time they arrive breakfast will be awaiting on the lot. Breakfast means about 500 pancakes, 500 pounds of pork chops, 150 dozen eggs, 200 gallons of coffee, 100 pounds of butter, 100 gallons of milk, fifteen bushels of potatoes and a few other items in like proportion.

The menagerie will come in on a special train. In it are 2,100 wild and semi-domestic animals which also must be fed and watered. They will consume for tomorrow's breakfast 1,200 pounds of meat and five tons of hay, to say nothing of a ton or two of vegetables.

After the unloading of the mile-long train and the building of the city of tents the next event of interest will be the parade. It will be three miles long. Every mile of it will be a mile of wonder and novelty. The pageant is on a plan entirely different from those of the past. It will leave the grounds at 10 o'clock and follow the route. The performances here will be exactly the same as those presented in Madison Square Garden, New York City, where the circus opened its season last March. The afternoon performance will begin at 2 o'clock. The night show will begin at 8 o'clock. The doors will open an hour earlier to give people an opportunity of visiting the biggest and best menagerie on earth. Here will be found the the only baby giraffe in America. During this preliminary hour there will be a band concert and uniform attendants will show patrons around among the 100 dens and cages.

The downtown ticket office will be conducted in WOOD-LANE DRUG CO. It will open early in the morning. Reserved seats and admissions can be bought there at the same prices charged on the show grounds.

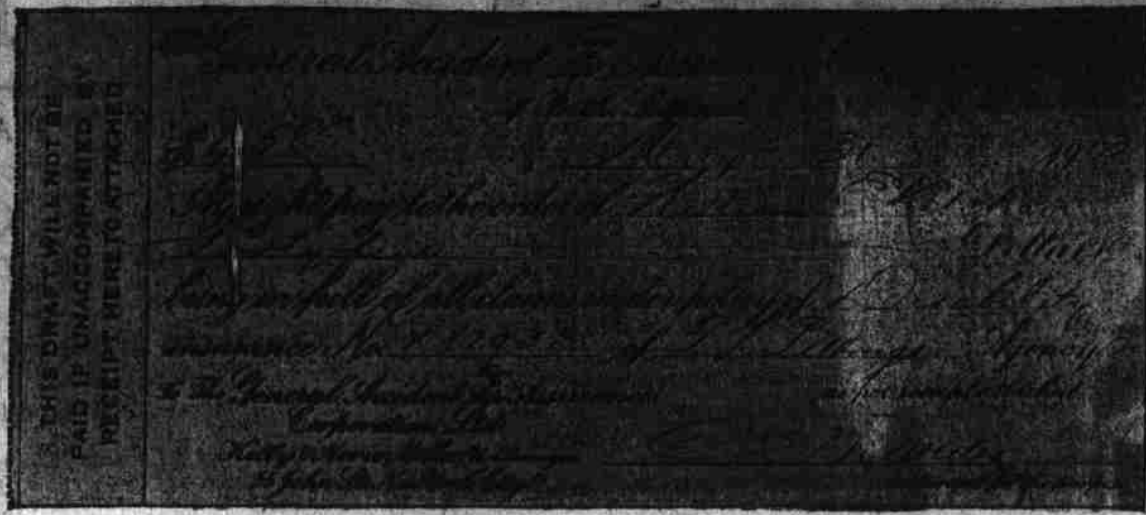
The recollection of a mean act is a shoe that pinches.

Just received a large assortment of 10 cent candy, and also 20 cent. Chocolate, Kafer Bakery.

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## This is a Fac-Simile Check

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### Choate and Depew.

At an annual dinner of the St. Nicholas society Ambassador Joseph H. Choate was down for the toast "The Navy," while Senator Depew was to respond to "The Army."

Depew began by saying: "It's well to have a specialist. That's why Choate is here to speak about the navy. We met at the wharf once, and I never saw him again till we reached Liverpool. When I asked how he felt he said he thought he would have enjoyed the trip over if he had had any ocean air. Yes, you want to hear Choate on the navy."

Choate responded: "I've heard Depew halled as the greatest after dinner speaker. If after dinner speaking, as I have heard it described and as I believe it to be, is the art of saying nothing at all then Dr. Depew is the most marvelous speaker in the universe."

### Two Stories.

Elmer, aged six, accompanied his father to the circus one afternoon. Among the many strange and bewildering things he saw was one man standing on the shoulders of another. "Look papa!" he exclaimed. "There's a two story man!"—Chicago News.

### To Make Sure.

Mrs. Younglove—If I wasn't afraid baby was sick I do believe I should spank him. Younglove—Well, let's make sure. You begin spanking, and I'll go for the doctor.—Puck.

### Mated.

"What do you think? Mayme's affluity is a shoemaker?"  
"The very man to be a sole mate."—Baltimore American.

The first test of a truly great man is his humility.—Ruskin.

### Eating C.

Although the use of the expression "to eat crow" in a metaphorical sense, meaning to eat one's words, may well have dated from the time of Noah, when the bird was first looked upon as unclean and not fit to serve as food for man, it seems to have arisen from the old tale of the officer and the private. A soldier, having shot a tame crow belonging to one of his officers, was discovered by the owner with the bird in his hand. Saying the private, the officer commanded him to eat the bird as a punishment. With the rearward pointed at his head, the soldier fell to, but no sooner had the officer laid aside the gun than the culprit grasped it and compelled his superior to join in the distasteful banquet. The private was soon unharmed the next day, and when he was asked by the examiner what had occurred he replied: "Nothing, except that Captain Bank and I dined together."

## Do You Want the Same Shoe?

Chicago—New York  
Philadelphia—Boston

—in fact all the style centers are raving over the men's new fall

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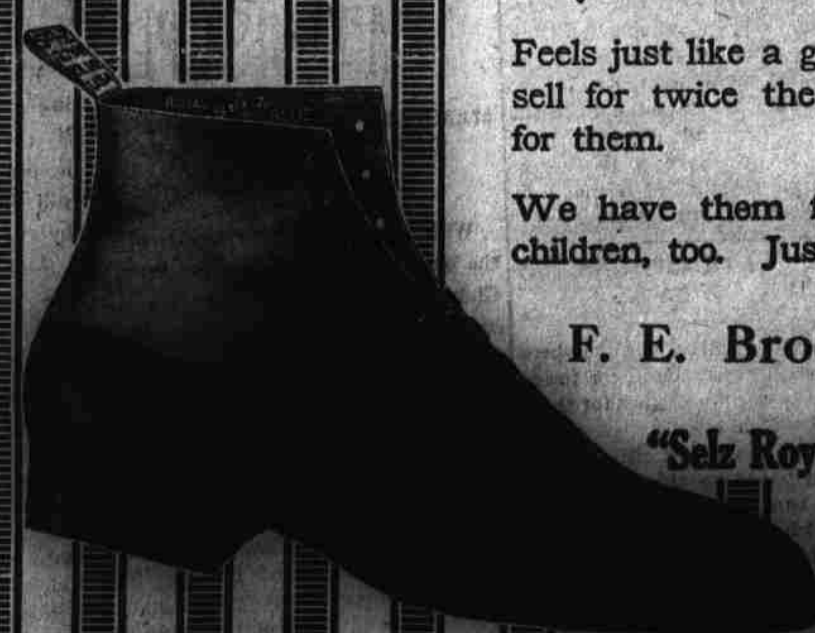
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