

BIG CIRCUS HERE ST. PATRICK'S DAY

All of the Wild Beasts of the Forest With Numerous Clowns and Stunts, Will Make an Evening of Fun.

ARE MAKING BIG PLANS

Physical Department of the Y. M. C. A. Has the Affair in Charge, to be Given in the Gymnasium.

There is going to be a circus in town on St. Patrick's night March 17, a real circus, with all of the wild beasts, lions, tigers, bears and frisking clowns to make the day a great success for the old saint.

There will be any number of clowns and comedians to keep the audience in a continuous uproar all during the several hours of the program, from the brilliant entry of the entire circus troop of animals, actors, and actresses until the grand finale.

Do you know that croup can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack.

TIN SOLDIERS ROUTED BY MOB

ginia Howey, whom he met in Southern California last summer. The gross receipts of yesterday's battle amounted to \$37,750. Nelson receives \$12,000.

Nelson Eating Soup. Wolgast is resting today. He said that he had theatrical engagements which would occupy his time for the next year, at the end of which time he will be willing to meet anyone in the lightweight class.

Gans Issues Challenge. BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 23.—Joe Gans, ex-champion lightweight, issued a challenge to Wolgast today for a thirty-round bout.

While it is often impossible to prevent an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared—it is not beyond any one's purse. Invest 25 cents in a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and you are prepared for sprains, bruises and like injuries.

LABOR FEDERATION ACTIVE IN POLITICS

Intention to Take a More Active Part in the Matter Than Ever Before.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The American Federation of Labor will this year take a more active part in politics than ever before. Plans for active political labor campaigns in practically every state were made public by the executive council of the federation, which has adopted a resolution reading in part:

"Resolved, That the American Federation of Labor most firmly and unequivocally favors the independent use of the ballot by trades unionists and workmen united, regardless of party, that we may elect men from our own ranks to make new laws and administer them along lines laid down

In the legislative demands of the American Federation of Labor and at the same time secure an impartial judiciary that will not govern us by arbitrary injunctions of courts nor act as pliant tools of corporate wealth."

A series of questions will be put to every candidate for congress or for legislatures of the various states this year. If the candidate's answers are evasive or unsatisfactory, he will be designated as a target for the opposition of organized labor.

CITY NEWS.

—Phillip Haddock died this morning at his home, three miles from Croton. He was well known in this vicinity. Death was sudden.

—Michael Schwarz, who has been visiting relatives and friends in the city will leave tonight for his home in Ottumwa.

—Miss Nannie Albertson of the postoffice department is taking a two week's vacation.

—Already, building has commenced on the hulls for several new launches which will be placed in the water in the spring time. Several boat-houses will be built and a number of the old ones repaired. Captain A. C. Decker has made arrangements to have entirely new, red cedar barges placed under his large cruiser's "garage", when it is brought out of the canal this spring. Jacob Spring is having new hull made and will replace the engine in his last year's boat in the new frame, when it is completed.

BULGARIANS AND TURKS COME TOGETHER

Serious Clash Which Resulted in Many on Both Sides Being Killed.

SOFIA, Feb. 23.—News reached here today of a serious clash between the Turkish and Bulgarian troops in the Camrush district in which many on both sides were killed. Bulgaria has 40,000 men massed on the frontier and there is great fear that they may commit some overt act that will precipitate a war between Turkey and Bulgaria before Bulgaria is ready.

GUITEAU'S WIDOW DIED IN DENVER

Divorced Wife of the Man Who Assassinated President Garfield and Was Executed.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 23.—Arrangements are being made today for the funeral of Mrs. Mena Given, divorced wife of Charles J. Guiteau, assassin of President Garfield. The woman died of apoplexy at a local hospital here.

BRINGS SUIT FOR SENATOR'S FORTUNE

Mrs. Bradley Wants Her Children to Share in the Estate of Man She Shot.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 23.—A sequel to the sensational killing of former Senator Arthur L. Brown in Washington, D. C., Dec. 8, 1906, began in the district court in an action by which Mrs. Anna M. Bradley seeks to have her two children declared legal and equal heirs in the division of the estate left by Brown. The estate is estimated at about \$100,000.

In the will Brown disavowed the paternity of Mrs. Bradley's children. The will is attacked on the ground that the testator was unduly influenced and mentally incompetent at the time the will was drawn. After an intimate relationship of nine years Brown was shot and mortally wounded by Mrs. Bradley, who, however, was acquitted when the case came to trial.

PLAYING JOKE ON THE SCIENTISTS

Minnesota Joker Sends Long Letter to Copenhagen Telling About North Pole.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 23.—A letter purporting to come from Dr. Frederick A. Cook has been received by the University of Copenhagen, which seems to be intended for a confession that he did not reach the north pole.

The letter is typewritten, bears the postmark of a town in Minnesota and is not signed. The members of the university have been summoned to meet and consider the document.

HELPED ASSASSINATE EMPRESS ELIZABETH

Anarchist Gives Himself Up to the Police and Asks for a Chance.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 23.—Surrendering to the police today in order that he might have a chance to lead a honest life, Christian Keppeler declared that he is an anarchist and that he was implicated in the assassination of Empress Elizabeth of Austria at Geneva, Switzerland, in 1902.

Keppeler is fully acquainted with the details of the assassination and the police will investigate.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

DES MOINES, Feb. 23.—It is practically settled that four Iowa National guard regiments will go this year as a brigade to Sparta, Wis., and maneuver with regiments from Wisconsin and Minnesota, instead of one regiment going to Fort Riley and hold state camps with the others.

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Y. W. C. A. SOCIETY

Those ladies who poured for the guests were: Miss Lucia Pittman and Miss Rhinehart. The guests were received by Regent, Miss Cora Pittman and vice-regent, Mrs. R. M. Lapsley.

The social committee in charge of chairman of the evening Mrs. Harry Blood, was composed of Mesdames: William Brownell, C. A. Bowen, Hazen I. Sawyer, D. Collier and Miss Edmie Hutchinson.

Gossips will Meet. Mrs. A. D. Ayres will entertain the Gossips at her residence on tomorrow afternoon.

Informal Dutch Party. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker will entertain this evening at an Informal Dutch party. The decorations will be in the national colors, red and blue.

A "Washington Social." On the eve of Washington's birthday, the ladies of the Sugar Creek Christian church gave a real "George Washington" social in the church parlors.

Although the weather was not as it is in the "good old summer time," the desire for something good to eat overcame all fears of threatening weather and a large number of people were present.

The refreshments were cherry pies, hatchet cookies and coffee. Made as they were by experienced cooks, these refreshments seemed to suit the taste of all, and especially those who ate a second time.

All that was needed to make this a greater success, was a little cherry tree on which to use the little hatchets which were all made of the very best material.

About the midnight hour, when all were well filled, all started for home, regretting that such enjoyable times do not come more often.

Stag Party. Mrs. B. C. Taber entertained a company of sixteen gentlemen friends last evening at a stag party, in compliment to her brother-in-law, E. Carroll Taber, the event being his birthday anniversary. The parlors were handsomely decorated in the national colors in tribute to Washington's birthday. An elegant course dinner was served, covers being laid for the sixteen gentlemen and their host.

LATE AFTERNOON PRESS BULLETINS [By United Press.]

Two Killed. DENVER, Colo., Feb. 23.—Two people, a man and a woman were killed and several persons injured here this afternoon when a train collided with a stock yards street car.

Million Dollar Loss. PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 23.—Estimates today place the loss of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co. at one million dollars, as the result of the fire which last night destroyed the pattern shops of the plant.

Died of the Snakes. WATERLOO, Feb. 23.—Pascal Skemp, formerly of Dubuque, who has been known here for years as John Morgan and who has been lost from his relatives for twenty years, died at the Presbyterian hospital of delirium tremens and a broken leg.

Criminal Libel. WEBSTER CITY, Feb. 23.—C. W. Arnold, a lecturer, was arrested at Fort Dodge on a charge of criminal libel. Dr. Wilbert Hellenberger is the complainant. Arnold's lecture was entitled "Give the Girl a Chance, or a Devil's Auction."

Died Suddenly. QUINCY, Ill., Feb. 23.—Suddenly rendered unconscious by a stroke of paralysis as she was preparing to sit down to supper at the Unitarian church parlors at 6:30 last evening, Mrs. John L. Bert, an estimable woman who has passed her life in Quincy, where she has an extensive acquaintance, died this morning at 2 o'clock, at the family home, 1457 Hampshire street, without regaining consciousness.

Millions Needed. IOWA CITY, Feb. 23.—Albert Tanner of Milwaukee, a brother of former Postmaster Frank Tanner of Iowa City, will arrive with plans for financing the proposed Iowa City-Ottumwa Interurban Railway company project. He will go back to Philadelphia when he reaches La Cane and will there arrange with an underwriter to go to Europe to secure the \$1,000,000 or \$2,000,000 necessary to swing the big deal.

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Q WILL GET T. P. & W. BUSINESS. A Small Amount of Passenger Business Will be Realized by the Burlington After Sunday's Change. TWO HOURS KNOCKED. A Two Hours Wait is Required in Burlington by the Present Schedule But Denver Train Will Shorten.

HAVE PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED at City Drug Store. The Prescription Druggist. Fine Line of Cologne. BOTH PHONES. SEVENTH AND MAIN ST.

Kenyon Hangwell Trousers. Made in U.S.A. Ask for them at your dealer. C. KENYON COMPANY. 23 Union Square, New York.

Sheriff Nellis at Cairo. Springfield Register: Early dispatches of the riot at Cairo were startling. Cairo is adding materially to Illinois' reputation as a riotous state. Perhaps comment should be withheld until later dispatches tell of the action of Sheriff Nellis, but if all reports are true, he is a real hero. When the mob formed he sent out word that if the rioters attacked the jail, he would defend it to a finish, and that he would shoot into the mob. Despite this warning the would-be lynchers stormed the prison, and the sheriff and his force opened fire.

The spilling of blood is always to be deplored. In such a case as this there is a possibility of the innocent falling through the guilty, yet there is no alternative but to do as Sheriff Nellis did if the law is to be vindicated. Let the sheriffs of Illinois follow the course of Sheriff Nellis in such an emergency—shoot into the mob if an attempt is made to batter down jail doors and remove and lynch prisoners—and lynch-law will soon topple into its self-made, bloody grave in Illinois.

Aches and Pains of rheumatism are not permanently, but only temporarily, relieved by external remedies. Why not use an internal remedy—Hood's Sarsaparilla, which corrects the acidity of the blood on which rheumatism depends and cures the disease?

Woman's Danger Batteries. A hypnotic eye, vulgarly known as the goo-goo, has long been considered one of the most valuable possessions of a woman. In the wise economy of nature it was given her instead of the swelling biceps of the opposite sex. From time immemorial it was considered perfectly ethical for her to exercise this power to the fullest extent, and to it society owes most of its pleasure and probably its very existence.

Working for Oneself. Business is a great educator—working for others often cripples in-born capacity and renders the individual a mere working machine. The man who works for himself unfolds his powers and grows. His faculties are all alert and every resource taxed to the utmost to bring about best results. The struggle to get on develops the best that is in manhood—these are the points in favor of business life, but they are offset by many risks.

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