

CIRCUS CROWD IS WATCHED BY COPS

Keokuk is Visited by Very Large Crowds During Day and Police Keep Lookout for Suspicious Characters.

TAKE FURTHER ACTION

Injunction Suits Against Alleged Resorts Are Being Prepared—Hearings May Be Held Monday.

Circus crowds, both at the grounds and along the streets, kept the local police department busy today. There was an unusually large number of people on the streets, both local people and those from out of the city.

Injunction suits are being prepared by County Attorney McManus, against the alleged immoral resorts in the city, which were raided Wednesday by the police.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Hippodrome. "Midnight at Maxims," the spectacular cabaret show, played to four capacity houses at the Hippodrome theatre last night.

Who Pays? Tonight. The second drama of this famous series of dramas, based upon vital questions of life, will be shown to night.

Princes to be Rewarded. [By Carl W. Ackerman, United Press Staff Correspondent.]

Berlin, Aug. 6. (Via The Hague)—Prince Leopold of Bavaria, who led the final assault that led to the capture of Warsaw, in all probability, will be named military governor of the Polish capital.

The Berlin Press today forecasted important results to follow the German victory. The Tagblatt was the most enthusiastic.

President Kept Advised. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] WINDSOR, Vt., Aug. 6.—President Wilson had his finger on the pulse of the Mexican situation today.

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HORLICK'S The Original MALTED MILK Unless you say "HORLICK'S" you may eat a Substitut.

SOCIETY

For Society Editor Call Block 668.

MOTHER. As we grow older and at last are left without the love that seemed so much a part of each day's life that never had we thought.

The infinite pains she took to dress my dolls And make me "parties" with "real things to eat."

My grown up years seem sudden blotting out And all the day and in my dreams at night

I see her doing all the little things That she, when we were children, used to do.

I hear the little words she used to say When I had hurt myself, or some one made me cry.

And bitter are my tears that it's "to say "I do know now, how wonderful you were!"

Bridge at Country Club. Mrs. J. B. Well and Mrs. Charles Kirch will be sponsors for the bridge party tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Country club.

The Civic League Plans. The program committee of the Civic League has had a preliminary meeting and decided that the annual luncheon shall be held this year in the last week of October.

Some Leagues Gone Under. President Justice has received a bulletin which gives some data which shows at a glance that the present year has been a disastrous one for baseball all over the country.

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The Central association will have no trouble in finishing the present season, and by next year it is expected that many of the financial troubles which beset individual clubs will have been regulated and the bright of this season will have all been erased.

AUTO ACCIDENT AT FT. MADISON

Ford Car is Smashed in Collision, but No One is Injured When Cars Crash.

[Special to The Gate City.] FT. MADISON, Ia., Aug. 6.—A Premier car driven by T. G. Hitch ran into a Ford driven by Dale Dinwiddie last night about five o'clock. The Ford was wrecked but no one in either car was seriously hurt.

A peculiar injury was reported last night during a band concert here. The four-year old daughter of William Nichols suffered a burned eye, when she was holding a lit cigar which her father was holding.

Twenty Years in Pen. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] IOWA CITY, Iowa, Aug. 6.—W. H. Smith and W. C. Loomis, the two men who robbed the North Liberty bank last month, of over \$10,000, will spend the next twenty years behind the bars.

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CITY NEWS.

—Born on Thursday, August 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Williams at Fort Stockton, Texas, a daughter, Susan Olivia. Mrs. Williams before her marriage was Miss Olive Strickley.

William B. Barney, state dairy and food commissioner of Iowa, was Wednesday elected president of the National Association of Dairy and Food officials in their national meeting at Berkeley, Cal., according to word received at the department offices this morning.

PERSONALS.

Miss Sadie McGettikan is in Des Moines for a short visit. Mrs. Edward Wilson of Birmingham, Ala., is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. G. Kiser.

DYNAMITE FOUND ON BOARD SHIP

Officials Admit That an Attempt was Made to Wreck the Steamer Arabic.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Officials of the White Star line this afternoon confirmed the story that dynamite was found aboard the White Star liner Arabic before she sailed for Liverpool, July 28.

The explosive was between the hot and cold water pipes and in such a state of deterioration that a slight jar would have set it off.

Blue Book of Fox Trotters. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Forty women members of Chicago's smart set are quaking in their pumps today because of the latest discovery of the police.

McDougal is held here by the police on complaint of Mrs. Mercedes Fullenwider, who charges him with grabbing \$3,600 worth of jewelry from her, when he brought her home from a cabaret.

Roche told the story today on arriving here with the body of Welsh. They with James G. Clark started Monday from Mecca for Brawley. Their automobile became stalled without water. Clark went in search of help, continuing into the night.

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KEOKUK IN FRONT IN ELKS' PICTURE IN WESTERN PAPER

Of course Keokuk is right to the front. Everyone realizes that, even the cartoonist for the Los Angeles Times who drew a composite picture for the Elks convention which was held there last month. This picture shows the Elks at one side of the picture, and guess who leads the whole bunch—why, Keokuk of course.

State Losses First Skirmish. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 6.—Attorney Munro won the first skirmish in the Ferguson injunction suit in the circuit court here today when the state receded from its motions to dismiss as to the omnibus and mileage suits.

Posses After Negro. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 6.—A posse with blood hounds was believed at noon to be close upon the trail of a negro who attacked the wife of Ned Stafford at her home near Liberty yesterday. The dogs kept the trail all night, closely followed by enraged farmers.

A Thrilling Ride. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] IOWA CITY, Iowa, Aug. 6.—With his feet caught in the parachute rope, of a balloon, Charles Rose, twenty, a resident of Riverside, was carried nearly a mile hanging head downward, at a height of 300 feet from the ground, during the home coming celebration at Riverside last yesterday. The aeronaut was able to bring the balloon close to the ground and Rose dropped off with only slight injuries.

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LITTLE TALKS ON THRIFT

By S. W. STRAUS President American Society for Thrift



The men who build up good-sized incomes and accumulate fortunes are not necessarily "brilliant."

out on that line—if it takes a life time. It is always easy for the unthrifty to make excuses, such as, "If I got a decent salary, I might save something."

A watchman earning two dollars a night, a cabman, an umbrella mender and a peddler of wash-tubs were each found getting a wage of only \$1.75 a day each own buildings in this block.

THE LIE OF THE WILD OATS

"Whoever a Man Soweth, That Shall He Also Reap."

The belief is quite general that every youth of stamina "must sow his wild oats." Some go so far as to say that he cannot amount to anything unless he does so now.

That the average young man sows more or less wild oats is indisputable. That the more substantial and many men are often the ones who have made particular attention to their sowing is true.

Picture 7. A brothe! A crowd of "reception" room sits a collection of poor female creatures, many of whom were originally sacrificed in aiding youth to sow its "wild oats."

Picture 8. A beautiful girl is found dead in the river one fine morning. What is she doing there? Washing the "wild oats" out of her life.

Picture 9. A pistol shot rings out in a gambling hell—a man falls dead. The gun was loaded with "wild oats."

Picture 10. A defaulting bank cashier flees to Canada; he is looking for a market for his "wild oats."

Picture 11. A series of deserted babies are found in the snow. Who planted them there? Sowers of "wild oats."

Picture 12. A wife, surrounded by her cold and hungry children is sitting weeping—eating her heart out. The husband and father is in jail, or has deserted her. "Wild oats" have broken hearts; they are poor food for babies; they do not buy coal, nor cover nakedness.

We doctors know the wild oats crop under numerous terms. Crime, inebriety, syphilis, paresis, locomotor ataxia and gonorrhea are chief among them. What the consultation room does not tell us the operating table does. Youths would better look at the specimens of disease taken by the surgeon from innocent wives, and see how they tally with the "wild oats" of some husbands' youth before they begin sowing their own.

There are thousands of syphilitics in every large city in the world. Add to these the other "wild oats" products, crime, pauperism, prostitution, inebriety and insanity—all the conditions of degeneracy—and we can never offset the frightful record with an occasional brand plucked from the burning or with the "burnt child who dreads the fire."

The Lie of the Wild Oats is based upon the misapplication of the theory of a separate standard for men and women. The young man may sow his wild oats, but the young woman must not. The sowing of the wild oats by the one, however, necessitates the co-operation of the other. What made the thousands of prostitutes in every great city? What supports them? What keeps the supply equal to the demand? Largely "wild oats."

Wherever immorality, vice, disease, crime, drunkenness and insanity most thrive, there, if we dig down to the very root of these evils, we find "wild oats" the thickest.

The maimed gray-beards who learned the wild oats lie from society's primer are usually willing to confess that the "wild oats" of yesterday are watered with the tears of today. The vicious roots of the "wild oats" of yesterday when he pines in the ashes of manhood's and womanhood's despair. The crop is garnered with the sickle of regret and threshed with the fall of disease and pain.

Close of the Market. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The stock market closed irregular.

General Tracy is Dead. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—General Ben. F. Tracy, secretary of the navy under President Harrison, died this afternoon.

A Fly in the Ointment. Ironquols Chief: Despite the magnificent crop that South Dakota will soon harvest, a catastrophe overshadows our people and all is not joy in the borders of this great commonwealth. The fly in the ointment is no

Picture 4. A police court, full of drunks, criminals and bums. "Wild oats" again.

Broken Jewelry Repaired Right Odell & Hoar JEWELERS 404 Main Street

Want Column

WANTED. WANTED—Men young and old, from out of city to learn the barber trade and accept positions in small towns. Impossible to get city barbers for these positions although the wages are good. Write for particulars today. Moler Barber College, St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Home boarders in private family. Home cooking. 416 High St.

FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Apartment for house-keeping; also two modern houses on north side, furnished or unfurnished. Inquire 727 North Ninth street.

FOR RENT—No. 610 North Fifth, seven room modern house with garage. John Tumulty.

FOR RENT—No. 512 Exchange, six room frame house, newly papered and city water in the kitchen. John Tumulty.

FOR RENT—No. 906 Times, six room frame house, city water in kitchen; will repair to suit tenant. John Tumulty.

FOR RENT—No. 204 South Ninth, six room house, city water and electric lights. John Tumulty.

FOR RENT—Two six room houses, 709 C St. West Keokuk. Call at 214 Concert.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Five room partly modern house, corner lot, with building site in rear. Edith Miller, 400 North Fifth.

FOR SALE—Barber shop, three chairs and bath; cheap if sold at once. 24 South Fifth.

LOST. LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—Brindle heifer, 3 years old. Phone Black-1452. Reward.

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less than a shortage of automobiles. The dealers cannot get them as fast as our people want to buy them.

Fool Girls and Auto Mashers. The Marshalltown Times-Republican: Trouble at Sloux City with the automobile masher, road houses and the downfall of foolish girls suggests a danger which is present in every town. The police matron at Sloux City says that so many girls are "just crazy" to ride in an automobile that they fall an easy prey to the libertine who drives up and invites them to ride. It seems that there are houses on the outskirts of town to which these parties go for amusement. Liquor, license and a ruined life follow in quick succession.

Sioux City is not alone in its danger to silly girls who will not realize that they are being hunted as prey. It has been said in Marshalltown that a young man has been known to invite girls to ride in his gaudy automobile and then when far out in the country give them the alternative of submitting to insult or walk home alone in the dark over strange roads.

Mothers and parents should warn maidens of the auto masher. People generally witnessing suspicious circumstances should spread the alarm. Officials aware of the masher should not hesitate to warn him to expect the limit of the law when caught in his delirium. In fact so many young girls are fools that they should be treated as such by society.

The auto masher is out to destroy them. They should be kept out of automobile parties unless the young man is well known and thoroughly trusted. Girls who pick up with strangers and go riding upon invitation without the close acquaintance that would justify their acceptance invite the man to attempt anything, because men know that self-respecting girls would not go with them. If girls would only know that men look upon them as fools or immoral when they accept unwarranted advances, they would realize that to ride with an auto masher is the next thing to putting up at a hotel with a strange man.

Our Lack of Thrift. Lincoln Journal: Thrift is not a popular word in the United States. The wastefulness of Americans is notorious. It is frequently declared that enough good food goes into the garbage barrel of the average American family to support another family. This is not true, but it is an exaggeration of a substantial truth. How much could we save if we would?

Overdue. Omaha World-Herald: Can anyone tell what has become of that old question, "Is it hot enough for you?"