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Exhibit hall will soon be in service again. It did valiant service last year and is capable and will do similar service this fall. Those who are making preparation for the fall travel this year state it will be heavier than last year. The hard times in the east are causing many to look toward the golden west.

The cement sidewalk construction is going on in various portions of the city. A good cement sidewalk is a good investment, but one poorly constructed as is the case with several put in in the last two years, is expensive.

The citizens of Polk county have subscribed a $1000 fund to see that the license law is enforced. Polk county went dry and the people propose that it shall be dry.

This is open season for the fool with a gun. He does not know that it is loaded, and when friends mistaken for deer are murdered.

# DAN KELLY AT LONDON

London, July 22.—In sections one and two of the marathon today in today's Olympic games, H. T. Cook, American, won first place, with a record of 22 feet 10¼ inches. In sections three and four, Dan J. Kelly, of Baker City, Ore., representing the Irish-American Athletic club of New York, won first place, jumping 22 feet 3¼ inches. In sections seven and eight, Bricker from Canada, won first, jumping 22 feet 3 inches.

Striking the water six ways, Cane, an English swimmer, was seriously injured today in making the high dive. This is the first serious injury to any of the competing athletes. Cane's foot slipped as he was leaving the platform. He tried to right himself in the air but failed, and struck the water with his face, being rendered unconscious. Spanberg of Sweden, plunged in and saved the drowning Englishman, who was towed to a floating dock and revived.

F. C. Irons, American, made a new Olympic record in the running broad jump, leaping 23 feet 6 inches, competing in combined sections five and six in the preliminaries to the final event. Kerr, a Canadian, won first place in the first heat of the semi-finals in the 200-meter dash. Time, 22 2-5 seconds. Second place was won by Carlmell, the American, in 22 3-5 seconds. Cloughen, American, won the third heat in 2 minutes 22 3-5 seconds; Hawkins, England, won the fourth in 22 3-5 seconds. Dole, an American, made a good showing in the first rounds of the feather weight catch as catch can wrestling bouts. In the first round he defeated Conkings; in the second round he got a decision over Webster of England.

Establishing another new Olympic record, Bacon, American, won the final heat of the 400-meter hurdle race in 55 seconds. Harry Hillman, also an American, took second place, and Treemer of England, third.

America added another gold medal to her collection today when Irons, who broke the record in the preliminary heats, won the final running broad jump by 26 feet 6½ inches; Kelly, of Baker City, Ore., was second, and Bricker, Canada, third.

## Pennsylvania Democrats.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 22.—A meeting of the democratic state committee was called in this city today for the election of a state chairman and of seven division chairmen. It is the first meeting under the new rules prescribing election in July. Party leaders declare that despite recent differences in Denver, the Bryan ticket will receive the hearty support of Pennsylvania democrats.

# A DEEP MYSTERY SOLVED.

## Women Blinded by Science.

The Doctor writes his prescription in Latin and the patient shuts her eyes to what she is swallowing. She takes that much on faith. If it should cure her she doesn't know what cured her. If the prescription injures her she doesn't know what did the injury. The physician is experimenting with different prescriptions all the time. Sometimes his medicine is successful in the case but often not. This mystery of a concealed prescription is intended to mystify and to blind the patient. One physician of wide experience and national reputation does not believe in mystifying the public, nor does he grasp at the stars, but believes that Nature provides that which is necessary for our health and happiness.

When the womanly system is deranged beyond the stage where it will respond to sunshine, good air, cheerfulness and proper rest; when the balance of health is seriously disturbed this doctor believes that Nature has placed at your hand the balance of power for good. Hidden in our American forests are many plants which correct and cure those distressing ailments which cause women to suffer with backache, bearing-down pains, pain in the back or front of the head, nervousness and lassitude. Most all women who love Nature, who like to wander through the woods, have at one time or another picked the beautiful blossom of the Lady's Slipper (Cypripedium). This is not only a beautiful but a very useful plant. The root of this plant when treated properly with glycerine to extract its medicinal virtues is "valuable in all cases of nervous excitability or irritability," says Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D. Another authority, Prof. F. Ellingwood, M. D., says of this plant: "Exercises a decided influence upon nervous conditions depending upon disorders of the female organs." Another plant which is frequently found in our American forests is Helonias, or Unicorn root. The American Dispensatory says of this plant, that it "possesses a decidedly beneficial influence in a debilitated condition of the sexual system, with weakness or dull pain in the renal, or lumbo-sacral (small of the back) region. In diseases of the remaining organs it is one of our most valuable tonics, acting as a uterine tonic, and gradually removing abnormal conditions, while at the same time it imparts tone and vigor to the system." Hence, it is much used in catarrhal pelvic drains, irregularities and painful periods. Prof. King further says, of Unicorn root: "A particular phase removed by it is the irritability and despondency that often attends these troubles, referring to the ailments just mentioned." It has been found especially adapted to those cases in which pelvic fullness, and the aching, bearing-down organs feel as if they would fall out of the body.

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## Maccabee Social.

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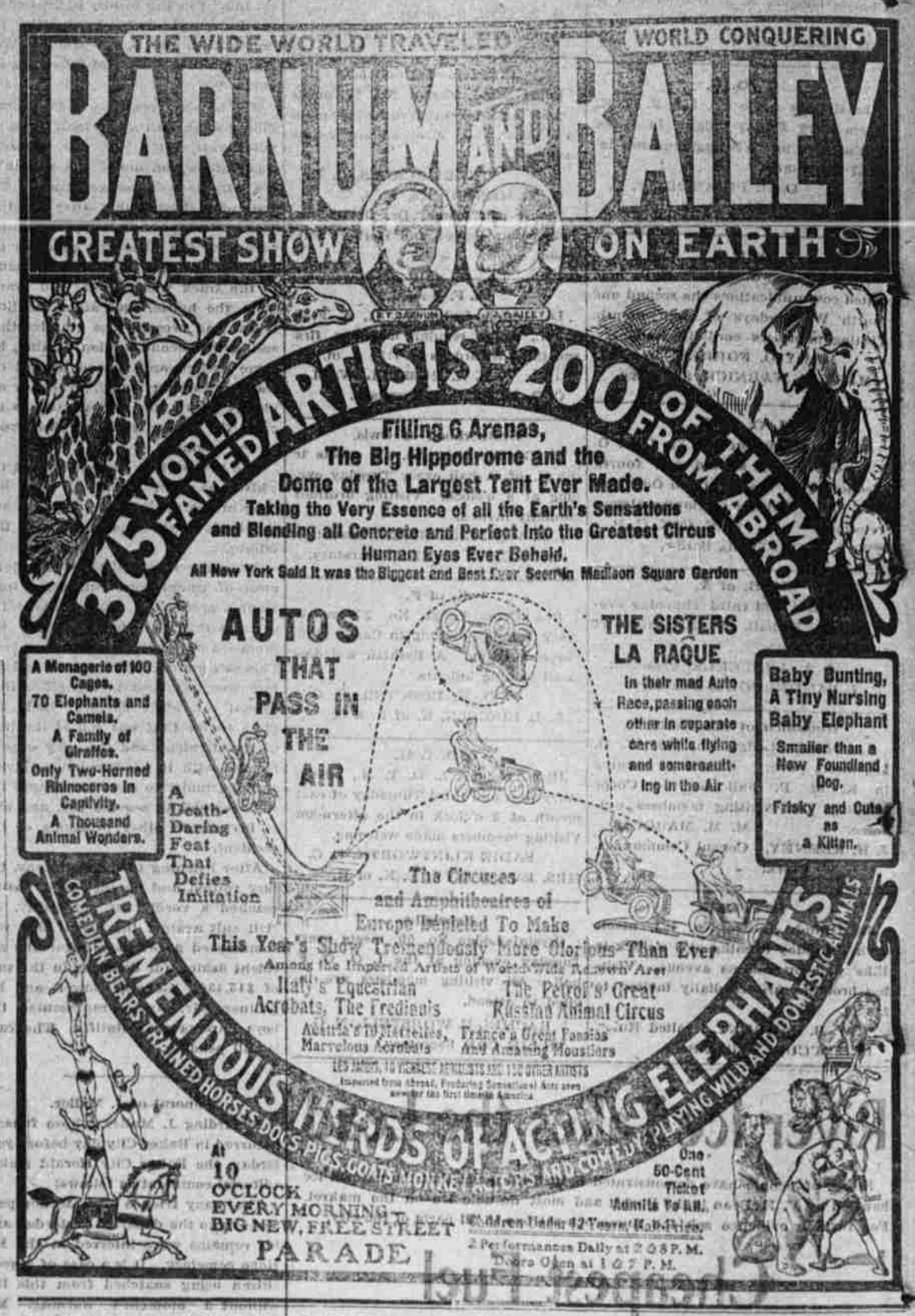


# A PRIZE FOR A NAME

I will give a month's admissions, free, to the boy or girl under 16 years of age, who will submit a name for the new picture show which I am putting in, and which will be opened Thursday night. As only one name can be used, only one prize can be given. The one who submits the name selected by me will receive the prize. Put your choice of names, only one, please, in an envelope, sign your name and deposit envelope at the box office hour. Names can be deposited at the show building any time after tomorrow noon. The winner will be announced Thursday noon.

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