

TINY ELEPHANT SEEN JUNE 7

BABY ELEPHANT BORN AT SALINAS, COMING.

Sells-Floto Circus Bringing Fine Specimen of Baby Elephant.

When the Sells-Floto circus arrives here on Friday, June 7th, patrons will be permitted to look for the first time upon a tiny baby elephant that was born at Salinas, California, on Thursday, April 25, of the present year.

This is the first time on record that an elephant was bred and born on American soil. He weighed 180 pounds at the time of his birth, stood 24 inches high, was 36 inches long and his trunk measured 10 inches. His mother is one of the largest elephants living being Alice of the Sells-Floto herd of pachyderms. His father is Jumbo II, also one of the troupe.

It is no exaggeration to say that no circus ever before the public offered such unique or superior attraction. The little fellow is being raised by hand, as from the time of his birth his mother refused to own him, and, in fact, it took the efforts of all the elephant men of the circus to subdue her in order to prevent her from crushing him to death.

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but, be it as it may, this little fellow at the present time of writing is as hale and hearty as anyone would wish. He will be seen here in the menageries when the Sells-Floto circus arrives.

Y.M.C.A. TAKES LASTING SHAPE

MANAGER OF BOYS' ACTIVITIES
EMPLOYED.

Officers Elected for the First Year's
Work of That Line Here.

Y. M. C. A. Officers:—
George H. Currey, president;
Mac Wood, vice president; recording secretary, R. L. Duignan; treasurer, H. L. Underwood; chairman of finance committee, J. E. Stevenson; director of activities, J. H. Rudd.

Definite and final organization of a Y. M. C. A. in La Grande was effected last night as a very fitting climax to a series of formation meetings held in La Grande the past three or four weeks. For a while it was planned to commence a building campaign immediately but this was eventually postponed until fall and this summer the association will confine its activities to out door physical activities, the moral development of boys and instructive phases that go with regular Y. M. C. A. work. Aside from the election of officers of the association, the directors have employed J. H. Rudd of Island City—a man for many years affiliated with the boys' department of Y. M. C. A. work—to conduct the classes that may be organized. Mr. Rudd has not had time to outline and shape his campaign, but he will commence active work about the 15th of June and carry on a campaign of activity that will sharpen the interest of the community for a Y. M. C. A. building. I. B. Rhodes has lent much personal work to the campaign here thus far and went away well pleased with what has been done. He is highly delighted with the plan of employing a manager of activities, and foresees splendid success and speedy consummation of the building plans.

The meeting which resulted in the election of officers was held last night. In addition to the officers enumerated above, ten directors were chosen to look after the general welfare of the association in this city. The men on that board are Mac Wood, H. T. Love, J. E. Stevenson, C. J. Black, J. Wil. Hamson, R. L. Duignan, George H. Currey, Dr. Underwood, A. B. Cherry and W. H. Casey.

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