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AMUSEMENTS.

EMPIRE THEATER, Twelfth and Morrison—Vaudeville.

SHIELDS' PARK, Thirteenth and Washington—Vaudeville.

ON GUARD AGAINST ROBBERS.—A young woman from a town in the Willamette Valley, who had come to the city to purchase a wedding outfit, created a sensation yesterday in an establishment where such outfits are sold. She was accompanied by a friend of her mother, with whom she was staying and who, having attended to the outfitting of several daughters, had been requested to give the young woman the benefit of her experience. The young woman carried an ornamented and comfortably-filled purse tucked under or slung across her belt which was rather noticeable, but this did not trouble her. After several hours spent in selecting her outfit, the young woman asked for her bill. It was handed her and, instead of taking the purse from the belt, she asked to be excused for a moment and stepped into an alley. After struggling with her skirts for a moment she raised them some distance from the floor and asked her friend to unclasp her garter, under which was fastened a much plainer purse than the one at her belt, in which neatly and compactly folded were several $100 currency notes. With these she paid her bill and then her astonished friend asked what on earth she meant by carrying her money in such a place. She said that she had been warned when starting for Portland to look out for "hold-up" men and not to lose the money given her to buy her outfit. She had therefore placed her show purse with a little coin in it under her belt, in plain sight, convenient for hold-up men, and had placed her wealth in a place where no one would be likely to look for it. It is hardly possible that this style of carrying money will become fashionable among the ladies.

WHERE FORESIGHT BEATS HINDSIGHT.—If people's foresight was only as powerful as their hindsight, many troubles might be avoided. This is particularly the case in the matter of improving a city. A case in point is the excavation now being made under the north end of the fine four-story brick building of the Y. M. C. A. Fourth street is now a nicely-paved street in perfect condition, clean and neat. Owing to there being necessity for a basement under the north end, half the concrete walk in front of this section has been torn up and loads and loads of earth were piled on the clean pavement to be hauled away and partially distributed over other newly-improved streets. No one is to blame for this and there is no way of stopping it, but there are so many similar cases that it has become a by-word, that as soon as a street is put in good order some one begins an excavation in it. The section of the Y. M. C. A. building under which a basement is now to be put was the first part to be built of brick, and was only two stories in height and as the association had no stock of liquors to take care of, a basement was not deemed necessary. A wooden building occupied the larger part of the quarter block, and this served all purposes for a number of years. Finally it was replaced by a four-story brick and the two-story section, built before, was run up to four stories. Now it is decided necessary to tear up the cement walk in front and dig down for an area and to place better foundations and columns under the section which was built higher. When the end of the excavating and hauling and scattering of earth required, will be done with no one knows.

ARE THE CARP GUILTY?—The sportsmen of this region charge the destruction of the wahpatoes and the disappearance of the canvas-back ducks, which used to feed on them to the useless and mud-wallowing carp. Some who have not so good reasons for despising the carp deny that thye are guilty. Among these is George Otten, who imagines that he has practical proof of the carp's innocence. He has a pond in his grounds in which he several years ago placed several carp and at the bottom of which he planted several wahpato bulbs. He has kept the carp there ever since and says the wapatoes have gone on increasing all the time and now about cover the entire bottom of the pond, and he has never known his carp to molest them. He further says that he has taken pains to keep vegetable food from the carp, so that they might not be deprived of any natural appetite for wapatoes. Many sportsmen tell a different story, and have duck lakes formerly matted with wapatoes and visited by thousands of canvas-back ducks, in which neither are seen any more. Hundreds of farmers and fishermen can testify to the rooting habits of the carp and to their following the rising waters in flood time over the meadows and to their eating off the grass as clean as sheep could, and even pulling it out by the roots. Some pains should be taken to settle this dispute, but after all it could not get rid of the nasty, useless fish, nor would it bring back the canvasbacks, one brace of which is worth a whole school of carp.

APPRAISEMENT OF THE CITY'S PROPERTY.—It having been determined by resolution of the Council, to have an appraisement made of all the property owned by the City of Portland, Mayor Williams has appointed as the committee to make and report such appraisement, Messrs. J. P. O. Lownsdale, Joseph Buchtel and Julius Kraemer. The property, consisting in part of the Bull Run water plant, the City Hall property, the City Park acreage, the several city lots and buildings occupied by the fire and police departments, the several park blocks, plaza block, market block, and quite a number of other valuable lots in the city, will aggregate in value several millions of dollars.

ANOTHER opportunity will be given you on the 18th, 19th, 25th and 26th of this month to purchase very low excursion tickets to points East over the Northern Pacific. These tickets are good on the "North Coast Limited" or on either of the other overland trains. Call on or write A. D. Charlton, Assistant General Passenger Agent of the Northern Pacific Railway, 255 Morrison street, corner of Third, Portland, Or., for full information, maps of routes, sleeping-car reservations, etc. *

JOHN C. CARROLL BOUND OVER.—John C. Carroll, the man who it is alleged passed bogus checks on Bob Patterson, Fred Fritz and other saloonkeepers of the North End, will have to face the grand jury, as he was bound over to appear before that body after a hearing in the Municipal Court yesterday morning. He was held under $1500 bonds.

TAKE VANCOUVER CAR to Columbia River Beach. Something new. Bathing, boating and dancing. Everybody should go to Columbia River Beach tomorrow (Sunday). The Nineteenth Infantry Band of Vancouver will furnish music from 2 to 7 P. M. Go once to Columbia River Beach and you will go again. *

TO BOOST THE CARNIVAL.—Basket picnic under the auspices of the M. A. A. C. and ladies' annex, Sunday, August 16. Steamer Bailey Gatzert leaves Alder-street dock 9 A. M., for Cascade Locks. Round trip $1. Tickets on sale at the club and at the Alder-street dock. Meals can be had on board the boat.

MONUMENT COMMITTEE MEETS TODAY.—A meeting of the Second Oregon monument committee will be held at room 123 Chamber of Commerce building today, Saturday, August 15, at 1:30 P. M. All members are earnestly requested to attend, as the business to be transacted will be important.

TAKE IN Forester's excursion to Magoon Park tomorrow. Numerous games and prizes. Swimming match, boat races. Boat leaves every hour from foot of Taylor street. Fare, round trip, 35 cents. *

THE PORTLAND, Long Beach, is open for guests. Eug. Hanneman, Prop. *

"INNOCENT" MAN FINDS LAW TOO SOLICITOUS

JOHN Wilson found that the law is sometimes very solicitous of the welfare of an innocent man. John is the youth who threw Fourth street into a paroxysm of excitement Thursday evening by sprinting away from some policemen to the accompaniment of a revolver fusillade. When arraigned in Police Court he was charged with having called his sweetheart uncomplimentary names because she refused to give him $2.50. To this charge he pleaded not guilty and demanded a trial. The court found that in order to comply with this demand it would be necessary to put the case over for one day.

Wilson appeared very averse to laying in jail over night. He said he wanted to take the first train out of Portland, and was perfectly willing to plead guilty to the charge, although, in fact, he was not in any way guilty.

"We are willing and anxious to have you leave," said the prosecuting attorney solicitously, "but we would not for the world have you depart with any unjust aspersion over your head. Since you are so innocent, I think, Mr. Wilson, that you had better remain the city's guest until this matter is sifted to the bottom."

"But," muttered Wilson, "I'm sort of guilty anyway—and maybe we had better let it go at that. You see—"

A very sudden and unceremonious tug at the prisoner's collar and the shutting of the door to the prisoners' room behind him smothered the rest of his speech.

SEVEN somber men with beards and penitent features filed slowly and mournfully into the courtroom. They had been drunk the night before. G. Johansen, Harry Boone, S. T. Grant, Thomas McKay, John Johns, Thomas Hollen and Richard Roe, each with a beard, and not one of them denied the charge drunkenness. With one exception they pleaded guilty and become silent. The exception was Johansen, a lumberman.

"Onct a tree fell on me shoulder and every time it pains I take a drink or two to ease it up a bit," he explained, casting a longing look across the street, where a luminous brewery advertisement appears.

He escaped with a sentence of five days, which was the same portion dealt out to his silent companions.

ALFRED Baumgarten's new process of hustling guests for a lodging-house occasioned his appearence in the prisoners' docket. With full realization of the fact that enterprise is a business necessity, the police had refused to fall in with Baumgarten's somewhat bellicose methods. They arrested him after he and Jack Miller, a prospective guest, had sought each to eliminate the other at the Union depot. Miller, too, had been taken along by Patrolman Welch, the arresting officer.

When called to the witness stand Baumgarten proceeded to give a graphic descriptive talk on the manly art, illustrating his remarks with physical gyrations that added the charm of perfect clearness to his remarks and caused the court to suggest that he was on trial and not delivering a lecture on the intricacies and fine points of pugilism.

Miller, in giving his version of the trouble, said he was carrying a friend's valise from the depot, when Baumgarten approached and extended his business card in a very brusque manner. Miller said he declined to take the pasteboard, whereupon Baumgarten expressed an inclination to make him eat some of them. Hostilities then opened and waged fiercely until official interference came. While both men were pronounced guilty of the charge of fighting, the court suspended sentence until today in order that another eye-witness of the fray may give testimony. The men put up $10 apiece for their appearance.

FRED McGrath, captured in an opium den, pleaded that he had gone into the place and partaken of the coma-producing hop merely because his curiosity led him on and not because he has any real love for that sort of thing. Fred was requested by Judge Hogue to spend the next 20 days on the rockpile in an effort to get his insatiable curiosity under control.

JOKE TURNED ON JOKER.—Not every one, even among native-born Americans, can give or take a joke properly or understand where joking ends and something else begins; but one who attempts to joke with foreigners who cannot understand or speak his language well treads on unstable ground. A case of this kind was noticed at noon yesterday when a man who is accustomed to joking everybody came across a dozen laborers, who had been repairing the Southern Pacific track at the head of Fourth street, and were sitting along the curb under a row of trees eating their lunch. Each had a loaf of bread, a good-sized hunk of solid-looking and loud-smelling cheese, and a couple of eggs, with a pinch of salt wrapped up with them. The fact that they all appeared to be Italians did not deter the joker from his favorite amusements. And he remarked to them: "You fellows appear to do nothing but eat. I came along here yesterday at this time and you were all sitting here eating. I fear you eat to much." The men stared at the speaker, and the jaws of most of them stopped wagging, and as they looked from one to another it was evident that they did not understand him. The joker looked confused. At last a man in the end of the line who looked like a cross between Italian and Irish, and had the instinct of the latter for a joke, said: "We have been repairing the railroad track and are having our lunch. A bit of bread, some cheese and two eggs is not too much for a lunch for a hard-working man with a healthy appetite, but it is rather dry, and we have no money to buy a sup of beer to quench our thirst." The joker saw the joke was on him, and tossed a quarter to the youngest of the gang, who, although he knew no English, knew enough to take it and a tin bucket and start for the nearest beer shop. When the joker came back on his way down town the bucket was empty and the men lay stretched on the grass along the curb or braced against the row of trees, oblivious to the honey dew dripping down, each puffing away contentedly at a strong-looking pipe. The hybrid Irish-Italian was particularly comfortable on a board laid on a pile of brick. As the joker passed on puffing at a cigar he quoted from a famous poet:

Sublime tobacco, which from East to West,
Soothes the tar's labor and the Turk'man's rest.
Divine in hookah, glorious in a pipe
With amber mouthpiece, yellow, rich and ripe.

WHY CONTRACTORS DO NOT BID.—An old-time contractor for street work complained yesterday that The Oregonian had voiced a complaint of city officials to the effect that there were not enough contractors in the city to take care of all the immense amount of street repairs and improvements. He said special attention had been called to the fact that for three large contracts, proposals for which had lately been asked for, only three bids had been received and it was intimated that there was collusion among contractors to put up the price of work. He said that so few proposals were received because most of the jobs had been bid on three weeks before, and the bids were not accepted because contractors would not do the work for nothing. They were not doing street improvements for less than the work was worth; they would be foolish to do so and it would also be dishonest, as, if they did, they could not pay their men. In one of the cases mentioned, the improvement was in a thinly settled district where property was cheap, and where a lot of heavy fills were to be made, and the contractors had good reason for believing that the property was not good for the cost. There is no doubt that contractors would take all the work offered if they could get what they deem sufficiently high prices, but just how much is a proper price for the work, is a matter that must be decided between them and the city officials, who wish to protect the interests of property-owners.

DEER IN SOUTHERN OREGON.—A sportsman just returned from a highly-successful hunting trip to Southern Oregon, having killed his limit of deer, says that region is alive with hunters, many being from Portland, and that since his return he has met a number of people preparing to start for different districts in the southern part of the state. They will all be welcomed, as residents of that region have no objection to legitimate hunters sharing in the sport there. They attribute the influx of hunters to several notices in The Oregonian of the increase in the number of deer during the past few years, since hunting for the market and, worse hunting for the skins alone, was stopped. They say there is plenty of deer to allow every decent hunter coming there his limit of five without any danger of destroying the herds. They will, however, use every endeavor to prevent the scandalous work of the skin hunters, of whom there used to be a considerable number all over Southern Oregon. These hunters killed from 100 to 200 every Winter for the skins alone, for which they received $1.50 to $2.25. Had they been allowed to continue their shameful work, the deer in that part of the state would long ago have been practically exterminated.

ASTORIA REGATTA.—For this occasion the A. & A. C. R. R. Co. will sell interchangeable tickets good returning via either boat or rail at rate of $2. Sales to begin for the evening train of August 18, all trains on August 19, 20 and 21, good to return until August 24. The return limit is extended until August 24, to give visitors an opportunity to visit the beaches over Sunday. Corresponding reductions will be made in the rate from intermediate stations. *

LOW EXCURSION rates will again be placed in effect by the Northern Pacific on August 18, 19, 25 and 26 to points East and return. Tickets will be good for stopover and bear limit of three months from date of sale. For full particulars call on or write A. D. Charlton, Assistant General Passenger Agent, 255 Morrison street, corner of Third, Portland, Or. *

COLUMBIA RIVER BEACH.—A new place. Where is it? At the end of Vancouver car line, opposite Vancouver. Most beautiful place for bathing, boating, fishing, an outing. Columbia River Beach can be reached by Vancouver car, by boats and by wagon road. The Nineteenth Infantry Band, U. S. A., of Vancouver, will give music from 2 to 7 P. M. *

LOW RATES—ROUND TRIP TICKETS, Chicago and Eastern points. Call at the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway office, No. 124 Third street, corner of Alder street.

WRONG KIND OF VACATION.—Everybody who can get away is off to the mountains or the Coast, and the only consolation for those who cannot take a vacation is that some who do go find the trip no picnic. There arrived in town early in the morning a day or two ago a lawyer just back from a trip to Coos Bay by sea, whose bedraggled, emaciated and disconsolate appearance indicated that he had not enjoyed himself every moment of his absence. He explained his condition to a friend by saying that he had a pleasant trip down the Coast and he was able to take a seat at the table every meal, but at Coos Bay neuralgia attacked him, sometimes in his head, then in his back and next in his feet, and finally, after wandering all through him like a wireless telegraph message, went out at his finger ends. This interfered slightly with the pleasure of his sojourn at Coos Bay, but he did not know what trouble was till he took passage for home on the Alliance with about 60 other passengers, and was berthed in a stateroom with a preacher. The sea was not smooth and both he and his roommate became seasick. The preacher was able to get out of his berth, and rush on deck night and day to vomit over the side, but for 48 hours he lay wrapped in his overcoat in his berth, retching and vomiting till his heart strings were fairly snapped and his feet swollen so that his shoes could not be taken off. His sufferings were intense and he came near starving, not being able to get to the table or eat anything brought to him till the Alliance had crossed the bar of the Columbia. He lost six pounds weight in the two days and became resigned to fate and rather anxious that the steamer should sink. He says Coos Bay is flourishing and prosperous and every one there has money. He did considerable business during the part of his stay when he was able to get around and he would like to go back, but not by sea.

DEATH OF MISS CECIL GRAY CARNER.—Miss Cecil Gray Carner died at the Good Samaritan Hospital last evening after an illness of two months. Miss Carner was operated upon several weeks ago for peritonitis, but tuberculosis complications arising, her life could not be saved. She was well known among the young people of the city and her quiet and lovable disposition, together with her untiring devotion to her studies, won her many friends among her classmates and teachers. She was graduated from the grammar grades of the Park school in June, 1901, and at the time she was taken ill was a member of the 1904 English class of the Portland High School. She was born at Freeport, Wash., June 20, 1886. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Carner, of Portland and Castle Rock, Wash., and sister of Elona, Hal and Vernon Carner. The funeral will be held from Holman's chapel tomorrow, at 2 P. M.

Watch Wooster sell fat Hanava cigars.

Floral pieces, asters, carnations and roses reasonable, at Burkhardt Bros., 23d & G. *

H. C. BRANDES has opened the Quimby Hotel Restaurant, 33 Fourth street. *

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TO ADVERTISE CARNIVAL

Chairman Chapin Sends Out Stickers by the Thousands.

Chairman Chapin, of the promotion committee of the M. A. A. C. carnival, yesterday sent out several hundred thousand stickers to the smaller towns of Oregon, Washington and Idaho that will not be reached by the poster advertising contemplated by the carnival management. This gives an idea of the scale upon which the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Carnival is to be advertised. The large posters in press will be sent to all the larger towns in the Pacific Northwest States.

Several new features were hit upon by the special attractions committee yesterday, and if there is no break in the energy of this committee the Council will have to be petitioned to set aside a dozen more streets to accommodate all the attractions. Everything contemplated for this carnival is planned upon a scale not hitherto attempted, as it is proposed to make the show this Fall the biggest and best ever given in the Pacific Northwest.

The reports of the phenomenal success with which the Jabour show is meeting in the East is received with much satisfaction by the carnival committee, as this will be one of the central attractions. The Jabour show, according to all newspaper accounts, has undergone such a transformation since it was last on the Pacific Coast that its former friends will not be able to recognize it. It is said that the Jabour show is today the strongest carnival attraction on the road.

PERSONAL MENTION.

O. T. Denison, a banker of Mason City, Ia., is at the Portland.

B. Daly, an attorney and politician of Lakeview, is a guest of the Imperial.

L. J. Simpson, a wealthy sawmill owner of North Bend, is at the Portland. Mrs. Simpson accompanies him.

Eli Torrance, ex-commander of the G. A. R. in Minneapolis, is at the Perkins, on his way to attend the encampment at San Francisco.

John D. Olwell, a fruitgrower of Center Point, is at the Imperial. Mr. Olwell is Horticultural Commissioner to the St. Louis Fair.

H. R. Gilchrist and A. A. Adams, two representatives of the Standard Oil Company, arrived from San Francisco yesterday and registered at the Portland.

L. L. Bush, of Bay Center, Wash., is registered at the Imperial. Mr. Bush owns some extensive oyster beds, and is one of the largest shippers of the bivalves in the Northwest.

Dr. J. F. Ghormley, pastor of the First Christian Church, having returned from his vacation, will fill the pulpit at the First Christian Church Sunday.

Judge L. B. Stearns, who is spending the Summer at Ocean Park, registered at the Portland yesterday, having returned to inspect the building now being erected for him at Sixth and Morrison streets.

Hugh Gully, a crown solicitor, Dr. and Mrs. Albert Martin, and Donald Grant, of Wellington, New Zealand, arrived at the Portland last night. They are on an extensive foreign tour, including Japan and this country, and are traveling for pleasure.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—(Special.)—Northwestern people registered at New York hotels today as follows:

From Portland—J. S. Morgan, at the Park-Avenue.

From Everett, Wash.—W. J. Russell, at the St. Denis.

From Spokane—C. M. Youle, F. G. Youle, at the New Amsterdam.

From Seattle—C. Ross, at the Belvidere; F. W. Smith, at the Bartholdi; H. E. Winters, at the Union Square. H. Fords and wife, at the Metropolitan.

LAST NIGHT OF THE LOOP

"Diavolo" Will Ride and "Jack Spratt" Will Dive.

To-night's performance will close the engagement of the Kilpatrick Loop the Loop Company, at the Multnomah Field.

"Diavolo" will "loop the loop," "Jack Spratt," the world's champion high diver, will dive from the top of the Exposition Building, a height of 115 feet; Charles J. Kilpatrick will make the famous "ride for life," the four world's champion cycle dazzle-riders will give an exhibition; Brown's band will furnish music up to its usual excellence; twenty other great acts will be presented, and the great programme will conclude with a $1000 fireworks display.

"Diavalo's" delirious sensation at the Multnomah Field, this week, has been witnessed by almost every man, woman and child in the city, while many of the lovers of the sensational have visited the grounds every night, to witness the many hair-raising feats performed by the merry bicyclists.

To-night will undoubtedly be the event of the largest of all previous attendances. "Jack Spratt," the world's famous champion high diver, will dive from the roof of the Exposition Building, a height of 115 feet, a feat that has never before been equaled in the city.

This will be the last opportunity of witnessing the wonderful ride through the loop, in this city, for several years, as the Kilpatrick Loop the Loop Company will soon depart for Australia, where "Diavalo" will feature in his death-defying ride.

ESCAPES CRUEL FATHER

Arthur Lucas Works His Way From Nebraska to Portland.

To escape the persecutions of his cruel father, Arthur Lucas, of Fremont, Neb., traveled to Portland, where he was arrested Thursday evening for being on the streets after hours. The boy, who is but 14 years old, faced Judge Hogue yesterday morning in the Municipal Court. After hearing the youngster's tale of woe, the court gave him into the care of Officer H. H. Hawley, of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society. As he says he is willing to work in order to get an education, he was placed in a family where he will be given the opportunity.

The story which the boy told Judge Hogue was that his father was a gambler and speculator, who, whenever he lost, came home and misused his own child. Unable to stand the treatment any longer, Arthur left Fremont three months ago and rode to Portland. Boxcars and brake-beams were his favorite modes of travel, but he declares that he worked for everything he received. As the boy did not look like a professional young tramp, he was given a chance to gain an honest living.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Amateurs Were Great.

The amateurs at Shields' Park last night were about the limit and no mistake. The first to appear was a silly-looking youth, who attempted to do a monologue. He had scarcely opened his mouth to speak when an apple came whizzing down from the balcony, and Mr. Monologuist took to the woods.

The next number on the amateur list was a tall young lady, who wore a blue waist, a short skirt and a determined look that was changed to a most scared expression as soon as the gatling batteries of the audience were turned loose. She first gave an imitation of a child reciting Mary's Lamb, and then she gave an imitation of herself singing. The audience demanded an encore, but she developed symptoms of cold stove in her pedal extremities, and would not make a bow.

There were several other numbers on the aftermath programme.

This week's excellent bill closes tonight, and the new one begins tomorrow.

Julian Rose Another Week.

With an entirely new act, Julian Rose will appear at the Empire Theater for the coming week, commencing on Monday, August 17. "Our Hebrew Friend" will continue his inimitable line of Jewish impersonation, and his new act will bristle with crisp and clever parodies, witty stories, laughable songs and jokes so fresh that the paint on them is not yet dry. Among the many new features of the bill will be Van Fossen & McCauley, singers, dancers and comedians; Zano, the marvelous illusionist, and Olson brothers, who can make the banjo a thing of life. Anderson & Wallace, the travesty stars, will offer a mirthful sketch.

Satire on Social Distinction.

Miss Amelia Bingham's special company will present her production of Clyde Fitch's play, "The Climbers," in this city at the Marquam Grand Theater next Monday and Tuesday nights, August 17 and 18, direct from its run of 200 nights at the Bijou Theater, New York. "The Climbers" is a satire upon the prevailing craze for so-called social distinction, and the demoralizing effect of the mania for the accumulation of wealth, is altogether seasonable and wholesome, and this comprehensive topic is handled with adroitness and force by Mr. Fitch. The advance sale of seats opened yesterday.

At Shields Next Week.

The big programme for next week at Shields' Park begins Sunday night. Moving pictures of a recent Sunday ball crowd will be one of the star attractions. Ten big acts will make up the programme, and it will be a hummer.

Matinee Today at Empire.

It seems doubtful whether the Empire Theater is large enough to accommodate all the people who want to see Julian Rose in his great act, "Our Hebrew Friend." Already 6000 persons have visited this fashionable playhouse this week, and two more nights and two more matinees remain before the programme changes. Matinee this afternoon.

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Minneapolis and return	60.00
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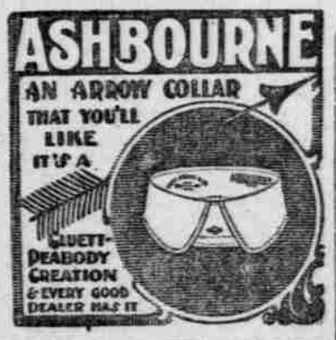

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