

BOSTONIANS ARE HONOURED GUESTS

Mrs. Frederick Eggert Entertains Mrs. W. G. Dillingham and Mrs. Easterbrook.

LUNCHEON FOR 19 COVERS

Prominent Portland Women Asked to Virginia Hill Affair to Meet Eastern Visitors—Miss Cully Cook Given Thimble-Bee.

Honoring Mrs. W. G. Dillingham and Mrs. W. Easterbrook Jones, both of Boston, Mrs. Frederick Eggert entertained yesterday at a luncheon of 19 covers in the apartment at the Virginia Hill. Lady Dillingham roses and maiden hair decorated the table and the place cards bore designs in the same flowers. Besides the hostess and honored guests there were present: Mrs. William Logan Geary, Mrs. Lyell Baker, Mrs. John Archer Bell, Mrs. W. M. Bove, Miss Dillingham, Mrs. E. L. Durbin, Mrs. Luther R. Dyott, Mrs. J. K. Gill, Mrs. Luther H. Hamilton, Mrs. J. L. Hartman, Mrs. C. R. Templeton, Mrs. E. M. Tuttle, Mrs. E. Thomas, Miss Tuttle, Miss Gill, Mrs. A. Stalger.

At a pretty home ceremony yesterday afternoon, G. G. Joyce, assistant manager of the Hazelwood Confectionery and Restaurant, claimed as his bride Miss Esther E. Nordberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Nordberg, of Grays Crossing. Rev. Luther R. Dyott was the officiating clergyman. Only relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. The bride was attended by Mrs. J. H. Joyce as matron of honor and J. H. Joyce was best man. Mr. Joyce is a member of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club and of the A. J. Club, and is popular in business circles. His bride is attractive and is gifted in many ways. Mr. and Mrs. Joyce have gone to California for their wedding trip.

Miss Helen Barnes is entertaining a jolly house party of young people to the Breakers. Among those who are her guests for a fortnight are Miss Verna Barker, Miss Jeanette Wiggins, Miss Beatrice Purcell and Miss Dorothy Eliza. Mrs. Charles Bartel is at Long Beach, where she has an attractive summer home. With her are Mrs. William Landauer, Mrs. Joseph Knapp and Mrs. Christopher Heinrich.

Mrs. J. B. Knapp, with her infant son, Joseph Burke Knapp, Jr., left Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pinkham, at their summer place in Northern Idaho. Miss Ethel Clarke accompanied them for a fortnight's outing, and will visit relatives in Spokane before returning.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard C. Mulholland will return this week from their wedding trip, and will take possession of their attractive new bungalow at 981 Vernon street. Mrs. Mulholland was formerly Miss Anna Cole. She recently came from Chicago to her home in Portland. Her marriage to Dr. Mulholland was solemnized on August 9 at St. Mark's Episcopal Church. Dr. and Mrs. Mulholland will entertain informally at numerous small affairs for their intimate friends during the coming season.

Miss Cully Cook, one of the most charming of the brides-elect, who is being extensively entertained this season, was the inspiration for a thimble bee at which Mrs. Harry W. Sharp was hostess yesterday afternoon at her artistic home in Laurelhurst. Mrs. Frank Butler and Mrs. M. Corcoran presided at the tea table, which was centered with a French basket of yellow blossoms. About 30 of the younger matrons and maids shared Mrs. Sharp's hospitality.

Miss V. Ona Guthrie entertained at a bridge tea yesterday at the tea table. Miss Lillian Buehner, bride-elect. A large number of smartly gowned maids of the exclusive set were guests of the afternoon. The rooms were attractively decorated with roses, palms and lilies. Mrs. Clifton McArthur, Mrs. Walter J. Gearin, Mrs. Guy Standifer and Miss Helen Peters presided at the tea table. Assisting the hostess were Miss Gretchen Klosterman, Miss Janet Noble and Miss Lolla Guthrie.

Miss Hazel Abbott, of Portland, was the house guest of Mrs. W. M. Sprague, of Vancouver, Wash., for a few days. On Monday afternoon, Mrs. M. S. Forsythe and Mrs. Leslie L. Pott and Miss Alice Pott were entertained by Mrs. Sprague at a motor trip to Capas and Washoult. An elaborate luncheon was served in the afternoon at Mrs. Sprague's home in Franklin Court, and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Sprague entertained their guests at a theater party at the Hellig.

Mrs. W. L. Geary, of Berkeley, Cal., was the guest of honor at a luncheon at which Mrs. J. G. Gauld entertained on Tuesday at the Waverly Country Club. Covers were laid for several matrons of the smart set. Mrs. Geary with her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Geary, is visiting in Portland this summer and is being entertained hospitably by her friends.

Mrs. Guy Robert Porter will be honored guest at an informal afternoon at which Miss Alma Haines will entertain today. Mrs. Porter was formerly Miss Olive Fleishman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jackson and sons, Edwin, Francis and Charles, are domiciled in their cottage on the ridge at Sea View, Wash. With them are Miss Flo Delp and W. H. Weed.

Mrs. Lucella Howell, of Lebanon, Or., returned to her home on Saturday after an enjoyable visit with her children and old-time friends in Portland.

Mrs. Harriet McArthur and Miss Genevieve Thompson are planning to leave soon on a trip around the world.

Mrs. J. K. Gamble is visiting at "The Recabella," Victoria, B. C.

Hotel Men to Climb Hood.

A party of officials from the Portland Hotel started on an auto trip to Mount Hood yesterday and will return Saturday. In the party are Edward Boyce, vice-president of the hotel company; N. K. Clarke, assistant manager; E. H. Brown, chief engineer, and E. S. Robe. Their intention is to climb to the summit of the mountain.

Grievances Are Aired.

A fair-sized audience attended the "Word recall" meeting at the Gipsy Smith Tabernacle last night. The speakers were F. E. Coulter, Seneca Potts, H. D. Wagoner and John Jeffrey and the trend of all the talks was a review of alleged grievances against Sheriff Word and the press since the beginning of the recent Oregon Packing Plant strike.

"READY MONEY," A COMEDY OF ROMANCE AND THRILLS, TO APPEAR AT THE HELLIG.



NENA BLAKE.
A refreshing novelty, "Ready Money," the James Montgomery comedy of love, romance and thrills, will be presented by William A. Brady, Ltd., at the Hellig Theater, six nights, beginning Sunday, August 24. There will be matinees Tuesday and Friday. That a man cannot succeed without a woman's help is one of the morals to be drawn from the Montgomery comedy. Had not Stephen Baird, the hero, been in love with the right kind of a girl, he would never have endured hardships and bent his energies as he did, to winning the fortune which brings him happiness and a wife. In the New York company that will be seen in this world-wide success are Frank Mills, Robert Ober, Nena Blake, Clarence Rockefeller, Mary Carlisle, John C. Brownell, Estelle Wynne, Adelaide Hastings and 15 others.

PETITION TO SOUND BRIDGE BOND ISSUE

County Commissioners Favor Calling Special Election in Multnomah.

\$1,225,000 TO BE ASKED

Committee From Commercial Club Encouraged—Mrs. Dunway Wants to See Dream of Life Completed Over Columbia.

Commissioners of Multnomah County favor calling a special election to vote on bonds for the construction of a bridge between Portland and Vancouver, Wash. This was the information gained by Mrs. Abigail Scott Dunway, mother of equal suffrage in Oregon, Edgar R. Pipes, president of the Portland Commercial Club, and Frank H. Riley, E. G. Crawford, J. H. Nolte and M. G. Munly, of the club's Interstate Bridge Committee, who called yesterday on County Commissioners Holman, Hart and Lightner, to discuss a special election for November 4, the date of the state referendum election, but it was decided to proceed by means of petition.

Mrs. Dunway told the county officials that a bridge across the Columbia River has been one of the dreams of her life and that she hoped to live to see it completed.

Members of the Bridge Committee are of the opinion that no difficulty will be encountered in obtaining many more than the 1000 names necessary on the petition. They want the petition as a means of showing the sentiment in favor of the bridge. It will be circulated among voters in all vocations and when filed will be thoroughly representative.

It was decided that a bond issue of \$1,225,000 should be called for. Of this amount \$500,000 will be for permanent roadway approaches, of which there probably will be two, one from Union avenue and the other from Patton avenue, meeting before the 12,000 feet of slough bottom is crossed.

Mrs. Dunway said she had observed with pride the action of the voters of Clark County, Wash., in approving a bond issue of \$500,000 for the bridge.

YOUNG MATRON WILL BE ENTERTAINED ON RETURN FROM HONEYMOON.



Mrs. Harry E. Hobbs will return from her wedding trip in a few days and will take possession of their beautiful new home in Irvington. Mrs. Hobbs was Miss Edith Nordstrom, a popular member of the local musical colony; number of informal musicals and afternoon affairs are being planned in honor of the young bride. Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs will be welcomed by a wide circle of friends on their homecoming.

PENINSULA AND SELLWOOD TO BATTLE FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Series of Contests Arranged for Men, Boys, Women and Girls Friday and Saturday.

Under the supervision of the Portland playgrounds the largest swimming meet ever staged in the city will take place tomorrow and Saturday at the Peninsula and Sellwood tanks, respectively. The meet tomorrow at Peninsula includes a parade which will leave at 10 o'clock and boys will compete at the Sellwood pool Saturday.

AMATEURS WILL SWIM

Gold medals will be given to the winners of several of the events and, as both meets are novice affairs, no entries who have made swimming records in other meets will be allowed to enter. This will give all amateurs of the city a chance.

The feature of the Saturday meet at the Sellwood tank will be a four-man relay race between the Peninsula and Sellwood Park teams for the championship of the city, and the winners will be awarded a handsome pennant with the colors of the winning team.

Ribbons or Portland Playground emblems will be given to first and second places in the dives and swimming races. Friday's meet will be in charge of Robert Krohn, of the Peninsula, while the Sellwood races will be under the supervision of William B. Ryan.

Following is the list of events for tomorrow:

100-foot swimming race for girls under 15 years, winner to receive a gold medal; 200-foot race, open, winner to receive a gold medal; 50-foot race for first and second place in 50-foot race under 12 years; first and second in 75-foot race under 15 years and first and second in dolls' race under 15 years of age.

Dives—Women and Junior girls under 15 years, plain front dive from springboard; plain front from pedestal; plain back from board; front somersault from board; and one choice dive.

Medals to winners of men's and boys' races are as follows: 540-foot open, 150-foot under 16 years, emblems to first and second for 50-foot race under 12 years, 80-foot under 16 years and swimming under water and plunge for distance.

Men's and boys' dives—Same as women's and girls' with the one added, besides one choice dive.

Widows' Pensions Approved.
The following widows' pensions were approved yesterday by the special cases' committee of the Juvenile Court: Mrs. Martha E. Mitchell, 7123 Forty-first avenue southeast, \$16 a month; Mrs. May E. Watkins, Lenox, \$17 50 a month; Mrs. Lizzie Meyer, 4808 Sixth, first avenue southeast, \$17 50 a month; Mrs. Christina Fraust, 850 East Tenth street North, \$17 50 a month; Mrs. Agnes K. Schmitt, 477 Gloucester street, \$32 50 a month; and Mrs. Bessie E. Ruscoe, 4616 Sixty-fourth street Southeast, \$10 a month. The pension of Mrs. Margaret McGowan, 28 Fourth tenth street, was reduced from \$32 50 to \$25 a month.

A Chronological Suggestion.
(Washington Star.)
"I think it might be a great idea to reform the calendar," said the nervous man.

"In what way?"
"So as to get Fourth of July celebrations farther apart than 12 months."

CIRCUS HERE WITH GILT AND GLITTER

Four Long, Yellow Trains Arrive With 1370 Persons and Animals Galore.

IMMENSE TENT IS ADDED

Parade This Morning at 10 o'Clock Promises Something New, as Features Are Changed and Coloring of Costumes is Vivid.

SCHEDULE OF CIRCUS EVENTS TODAY AND TOMORROW.
Duration of stay—Today and Friday.
Circus grounds—Twenty-fifth and Haleigh streets.
Performances at 2 and 8 P. M. daily.
Doors open at 1 and 7 P. M.
Parade leaves show grounds at 10 o'clock this morning and traverses the following route: Twenty-fifth street to Washington; Washington to Nineteenth; Nineteenth to Alder; Alder to Third; Third to Burnside; Burnside to Washington; Washington to Twenty-fifth and back over Twenty-fifth street to the show grounds.

This is circus day. The good old circus with its gleam, its glitter and its gold, due in Portland with all the certainty of August itself, has once more invaded the city and promises to be the meet of all whose hearts are young for two whole joyous days. Widely heralded, it became an absolute certainty when four long yellow trains drew into the Northern Pacific freight yards during the night with sleepers and stock cars bearing the magic caption: "Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows."

As fast as the sections arrived from Centralia, where the circus exhibited yesterday, they were switched to sidings at Front and Front streets. There the detaining took place and the cavalcade of wagons, horses and animals marched to the Twenty-fifth and Haleigh street grounds.

No urging was required to hasten the small boy or even his sister to the railroad yards. They were down at the tracks by the hundreds eager to catch a first glimpse of that cargo of elephants and camels so dear to the hearts of the young.

Young Companies 1300 Persons.
Young or those who greeted the Ringling shows welcomed what railway officials say is the largest amateur enterprise that has ever visited Portland. More than 1300 people slipped out of the trains, 30 elephants and 40 camels lumbered down the gangplanks, 650 horses passed through the streets to say nothing of the 100 tons of wild animals which compose the circus zoo.

But at the show grounds this morning was pitched the greatest stretch of canvas ever built. This is the "big top" which measures 498 feet in length by 234 feet in width. Its bigness is essential to a correct presentation of the spectacle of "Joan of Arc" which is this season's added feature of the Ringling enterprise. One half of this main tent is reserved for the romantic episode in French history and for which the Ringlings carry a heavy burden of responsibility. The tent has been made to accommodate this massive wordless play, and large enough to hold 12,000 spectators besides.

That the other stretches of canvas might not suffer by contrast and since a larger dining and dressing tent were imperative because of the greater number of persons employed, the management decided upon a complete new outfit. All this in its vastness will greet the eyes when patrons go to inspect the 24 tents of Ringlingville to day or tomorrow.

Circus Starts at 10 A. M.
The official programme for the two days which the circus is to be here includes one parade which will leave the show grounds at 10 o'clock this morning, and performances at 2 o'clock and 8 o'clock P. M. today and tomorrow. At each performance the doors to the main tent will open one hour before the commencement of the circus programme, that patrons may have ample opportunity to inspect the menagerie and enjoy the promenade concert by the Ringling military band.

The programme in the main tent will open with the "Joan of Arc" spectacle. This has as its feature, a coronation march depicting the extravagant court life of Charles VII of France, and a monster ballet.

The introduction of the spectacle of "Joan of Arc" has in no way curtailed this season's regular circus programme, for it is but an added feature followed by two hours of arena display. This enlists the skill and daring of 375 performers, of whom over 80 per cent are foreigners making their first appearance in America. Foremost among them is a troupe of native Balkan equestrians whose mode

THE goodness of the foods served at The Portland's noon luncheons will please you mightily; some new and appetizing edible comes to the tables daily.

It's such a luncheon as we like to serve to that appreciative patron—the man of affairs.

11:30 to 2

The afternoon teas take on the appearance of functions these pleasant afternoons; the smart Fall costumes are making their appearance. A delicious, light menu—

3:30 to 6

Music in dining-room and grill during the evening.

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of dress and method of riding are different from anything ever seen in this country. This morning's parade promises to furnish an excellent foretaste of what may be expected in the "big top." It has been described as "two miles of stretched-out rainbow" and will be filled with novelties, one of the best of which will be a team of 16 camels, broken to bit and bridle, and driven like horses. In addition there will be six bands, two callioles, 22 elephants, more than 600 horses and scores of open dens showing some of the finest specimens of the Ringling zoo. For the convenience of patrons the sale of seats will be conducted at Sherman, Clay & Company's store both days, where tickets may be secured at the same prices charged at the show grounds.

LAND DRAWING LURES

OREGON RESIDENTS WILL TRY FOR MONTANA HOMESTEADS.

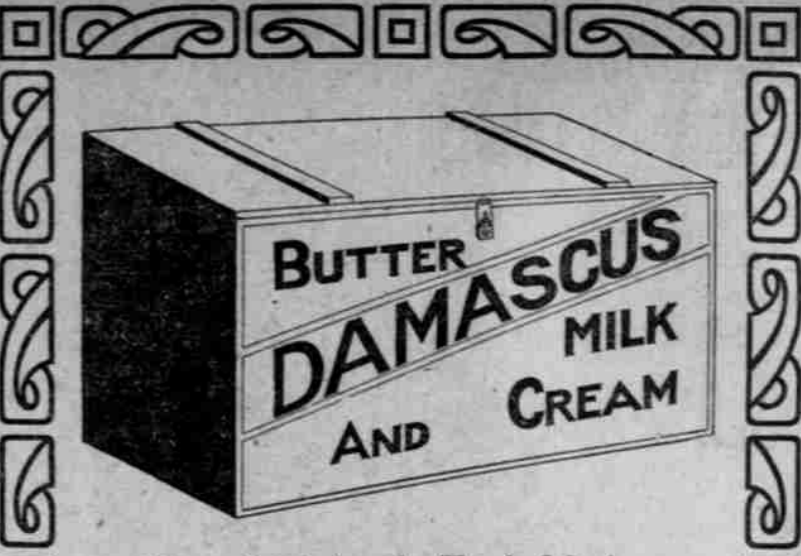
Government to Apportion \$406 Farms of 160 Acres Each in Fort Peck Reservation.

Scores of Oregon residents are preparing to go to Montana on September 1, to participate in the drawing to be conducted by the Federal government for homestead lands in the Fort Peck, Indian reservation. Many applicants have appeared at the local offices of the reclamation service to express their intentions and to make inquiries.

This land consists of approximately 1,245,000 acres, or 8406 farms of 160 acres each, subject to settlement under the United States homestead laws.

Any American citizen, or alien who has declared his intention of becoming such, who has not already exercised his homestead right or who is not already the owner of more than 160 acres of land, is eligible to register for a homestead at this opening. The land located in this reservation is some of the choicest land in Montana. The reservation is located in Sheridan and Valley Counties and the main tract of land in the reservation north from Bainville, Mont., to Plentywood, Mont., parallels the reservation on the east, and in the near future another branch will be built northwest from Plentywood, the agency headquarters, through the heart of the reservation. En route from eastern points to register at Glasgow or Havre an opportunity is afforded to stop off at the reservation and investigate the land. The larger portion of it is a dark brown in color, the top soil being an alluvial deposit capable of producing all kinds of cereals and vegetables. It is underlaid with a clay sub-soil. The larger portion is practically free from stone and may be worked easily.

The opening will be conducted under what is known as the "lottery system" similar to that which has prevailed at other land openings in recent years, such as the Flathead, Spo-



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OFFICIALS ARE CRITICISED

Two Walla Walla County Men Are Charged With Negligence.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Both the present Walla Walla County Treasurer, Alex Mackay, and his predecessor, J. Carter Smith, are sharply criticised in the report of the State Bureau of Inspection on Walla Walla County, just made public. A cash shortage of \$7243, made good on demand, is instanced, and it is charged that the system in force is "antiquated" and that in general unwillingness to install bureau forms has been the attitude of both incumbents.

The bureau finds receipts during the past year of \$785,580.56, as against disbursements of \$875,523.25, a difference of nearly \$100,000. However, the condition of the county is found good, assets totaling \$468,823.21, an excess of \$410,635.55 over liabilities.

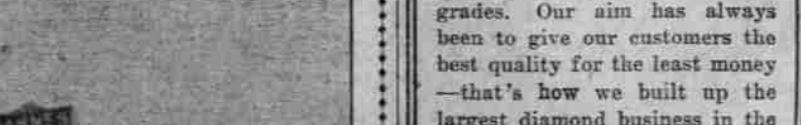
Directors of two school districts, it is charged, have expended money illegally for social entertainment purposes while a director in one district illegally took money for his own services. Other county offices are found to be in a satisfactory condition.

\$85,000 ESTATE INVOLVED
Charges Filed Against A. B. F. Orr by Sister of Late Wife.

Charging that the divorce of Hannah M. Orr from Augustus B. F. Orr, secured in Clackamas County in the summer of 1911, is illegal because secured through fraud and collusion, Margaret Humason has started suit in the Multnomah County Circuit Court to have it set aside and to have Orr's marriage to Mollie Burke Orr, Mrs. Humason's sister, contracted in December, 1911, declared null and void.

Mrs. Mollie Burke Orr died intestate a few months ago and her husband became sole heir to \$85,000 worth of real and personal property. This property is the bone of contention in the present suit. If Orr's divorce and subsequent marriage to Miss Burke, a woman many years his senior, are invalidated, it will go to Mrs. Humason as next of kin and only heir. Mrs. Humason is a resident of Spokane, Wash., and an aunt of Ivan Humason, of this city.

Another thing that makes a fat man mad is the way people laugh when he says he is overworked.



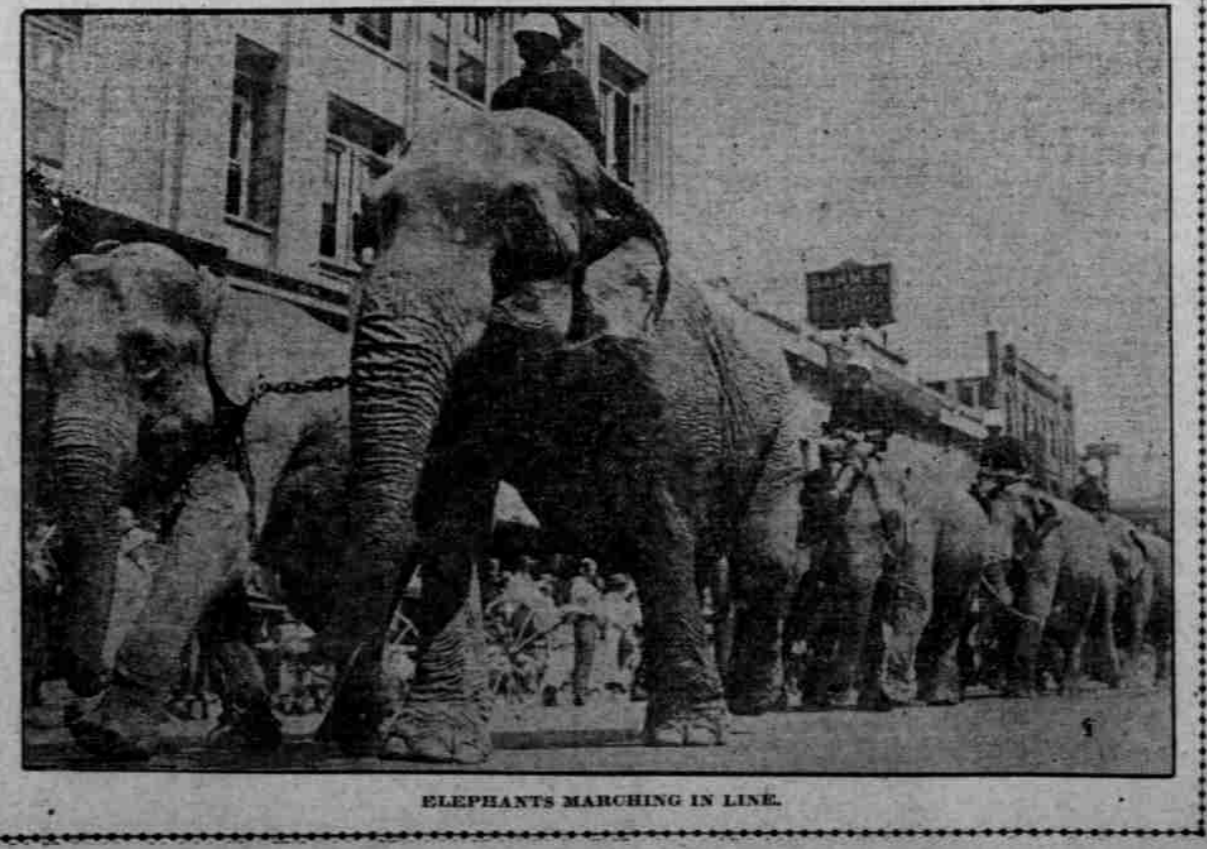
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