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INFANT PACHYDERM TO TAKE PLACE OF "LITTLE HUTCH"

Elks Decline to Reveal from Whence It Came But Declare They Have the Real Thing.

"The only baby elephant in America," is to be one of the crowd-drawing features of the big Elks' Circus, which is to present two separate and distinct programs here on the afternoon and evening of June 28. At least this is the disclosure covertly made this morning by none other than Judge Fitz Gerald and woe unto the man who questions the judge's truth and veracity, for incarceration for three days on bread and water shall be his. The announcement will be received with great manifest pleasure by Umatilla county people inasmuch as "the only baby elephant" advertised by the Sells-Floto circus shuffled off its mortal coil in this city before the curious crowds had an opportunity to dilate their pupils in staring at it.

"You see," said the staid police court official in speaking of the matter this morning, "when the Sells-Floto circus lost its peculiar and proudest distinction with the death of 'Little Hutch' in this city, the local Elks immediately realized that an opportunity was presented to it. Before any other show could secure the monopoly on infant pachyderms held for several months by the Sells-Floto aggregation, the Elks immediately set about to secure one of these precious treasures and sent a written request to congress for protection under the laws framed for the benefit of infant industries. After two weeks of indefatigable labor, our dreams have come to a realization and we take great pleasure in proclaiming to the world that with the Elks Circus is now the only baby elephant in the sovereign states of America."

"Did its mother disown it when it was born?" asked the reporter in an attempt to get a little human interest for his story.

"Alas no, it never had a mother," was the answer, "or if it did we never notified. It was shipped to us in its own trunk."

The reported failed altogether to comprehend this explanation but looked intelligent and sympathetic in an endeavor to conceal his blunt wits and started again.

"Have you any theory as to its origin?" was his next question.

"Some pretend to believe that it is a descendant of the G. O. P. elephant come to succeed its parent in the domination of American politics," quoth the judicial one.

"Is there any truth in the report that the Elks are trying to perpetrate a fraud by disguising Fat Graham as a baby elephant?" was the final query.

"Absurd," said the judge. "The report emanated from some one's deductive imagination. He reasoned that because Graham is not an Elk he must therefore be an elephant."

Whereat the reporter ceased his efforts to learn more of the elephantine wonder with the Elks' Circus and will attempt to get an interview with the creature itself.

CHILDREN LEARN TO BE PRACTICAL

E. B. Conklin, Former School Supt. Here, Introduces Beneficial Methods in Ontario Institutions.

E. B. Conklin, superintendent of the Pendleton public schools before J. S. Landers, the present incumbent, has evolved a new course in the Ontario schools which he has been superintending for the past few years. He is giving credit to the boy and girl who attend to their duties about home and thus secure the co-operation of the parents. The following is a dispatch which appeared in the Portland Journal of yesterday:

Ontario, Or., June 15.—E. B. Conklin, city superintendent of Ontario, has been giving credit at school for work done at home during the past four months and finds the results highly successful. The Ontario school children have thoroughly enjoyed the scheme, and have split wood, swept floors, and washed dishes with an unprecedented vim, while the parents have co-operated by sending reports of their home work to the school once a month.

Mr. Conklin got out a printed home work card to be signed and graded by the parents and returned to him. The grades are the same as those on the regular school cards: E, excellent; G, good; F, fair; P, poor. The parents have graded each child on such duties as sewing, mending, bread making, cooking, setting and serving table, washing and wiping dishes, washing and ironing, sweeping, making beds, mopping and care of kitchen, care of younger children, making fires, getting water, coal, kindling, etc., feeding stock or poultry, milking cows, barn or yard work, garden or field work, errands.

This card also includes character development and asks the parents to grade such qualities as cheerfulness, kindness, order and care of clothes, kind manners, politeness, keeping temper, care of language, courtesy to parents, kindness to animals, ambition to succeed and doing things without being told.

Let the Auto Truck Haul It.

Our specialty is quick work. Phone Main 339 for furniture and piano moving short trips in the city or transferring to the country. We haul anything. Penland Bros.

UNCLE SAM'S MEN NOT WELL PAID

Washington, June 19.—It has long been the comment in Washington that Uncle Sam doesn't pay his scientific experts very well. There are many men of great activity and experience in the government service whose salaries come within the \$2500 mark and many others who do not get over \$2000. All of these are, of course, graduates of colleges many of them have master's and doctor's degrees and many others have spent several years in research work or in study in foreign universities. It is conceded that a good deal of honor attaches to a government position of this kind and there are many persons who think that the surplus dignity and distinction supposed to attach to these positions does not make up for the lack of pecuniary compensation.

Here is a recent case: Dr. George F. Mitchell, expert in tea culture for the United States and an employee of the department of agriculture, has been receiving \$1600 a year. He has charge of the government's tea farm at Summerville, S. C., and his opinion and judgment are relied upon in all matters concerning tea. Recently Dr. Mitchell was assigned by the treasury department to supervise the inspection of all importations of tea. For this responsible work six months in the year he will receive \$1200. The remaining six months he will continue his tea farm experiments and other work for the department of agriculture and will receive for that \$300. A total of \$2000 a year for one of the most responsible tasks in the government service.

TARIFF PROGRAM OF REPUBLICANS

Chicago, June 19.—The tariff will be revised downward, if the republican party is returned to power, no matter whether Taft or Roosevelt controls the national convention.

This was made certain when it was found that the leaders of each faction have determined that they must admit to the people that the tariff issue is dominant. Both of the factions will declare for a scientific downward revision of the tariff. Each will make the point that while American labor must be protected the fact that trust made goods are sold abroad profitably at less than half what is charged in the United States shows that the present rates are too high. But in one respect the platforms will differ.

The Taft platform will insist that the present tariff board is meeting the situation squarely and that its

MOVEMENTS OF ADAMS CITIZENS

(Special Correspondence.) Adams, Ore., June 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Giess and daughter Winifred returned to their home in Adams Saturday after spending the winter months in California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Owens were Pendleton visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison and family and Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Hale and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hale and family spent Sunday at the river.

Miss Celia Simonton returned to her home in Adams Sunday after remaining the guest of Mattie Murphy of Oakdale for the past month.

F. M. Whitley left Monday for Lin, Washington to repair the combined harvester for harvesting the Woodward Brothers grain.

Mr. and Mrs. McCook of Pendleton, passed through Adams Sunday in their new auto.

Dr. Nuron of Athena, was a business visitor in Adams Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hokin and family of the east are the guests of Mrs. Simonton this week.

Bert Kirby of the Inland Mercantile company, was a Pendleton business visitor Monday and Athena visitor Tuesday.

recommendations are the ones to be followed. The Roosevelt platform will insist that the present board be strengthened. There will be no mention of reciprocity, according to present plans. Both platforms will declare for a strong navy and both will take advanced ground on conservation of natural resources. The initiative and referendum will be ignored by the Taft framers. The Taft platform will denounce the recall as "vicious and abhorrent."

If you have the itch, don't scratch. It does not cure the trouble and makes the skin bleed. Apply BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Rub it in gently on the affected parts. It relieves itching instantly and a few applications removes the cause, thus performing a permanent cure. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by A. C. Koeppen & Bros.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hal's Family Pills for constipation.

SEEK DISSOLUTION OF STEEL TRUST

Washington, June 19.—Dissolution of the United States steel corporation as the arch enemy of the anti-trust law and of the independent steel business of the United States was a demand voiced today by progressives of both the republican and democratic parties, as a result of the findings of the Stanley investigating committee.

J. Pierpont Morgan, leading spirit in the steel trust, is alleged with his personal associates to have reaped a profit of \$636,000,000 from the organization of this one company.

The dissolution of the giant monopoly is urged on the ground that it constitutes a monopoly of raw material, and also as a holding company in defiance of a former decision of the supreme court in the case of the Northern Securities company, a railroad combine.

It is declared by Congressman Stanley, chairman of the committee, that

Mr. Morgan fled the country to escape appearance before the committee. It is alleged that the eminent financier organized the National Tube company as the first steel trust, and in order to prevent a war with John D. Rockefeller and Andrew Carnegie, Morgan then organized the consolidation which became the United States Steel Corporation. The International Steel Institute, organized at Brussels about a year ago, is also condemned by the investigators as the nucleus of a world-wide steel trust.

Oregon Hotel Barber Shop.

Don't forget the numbers. They enable you to take a number and go and do your trading. Numbers hold your place, call back before they are called. Call and ask about them. Hours: Week days, 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.; Saturday 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. Two first-class barbers. We will appreciate your patronage. E. J. Hill, prop., Hermiston, Ore.

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Great Shetland Pony Contest

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Two pretty little ponies, with complete outfits for each, to be given away absolutely free to the boys or girls under 15 years of age who are the best hustlers. One will be given in Pendleton and one in Umatilla Co., exclusive of Pendleton

Open to all. Nobody barred. Square Deal Assured to Each Contestant.

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| 1st Prize | Shetland Pony, Silver Mounted "Never-Break" Hamley Saddle, Bridle Martingale | Val. \$250 |
| 2nd Prize | FINE WM. E. HANSCOM GOLD WATCH FOR BOY OR GIRL | Val. \$25 |
| 3rd Prize | A BEAUTIFUL WM. E. HANSCOM GOLD RING SET WITH DIAMOND | Val. \$15 |

Remember, this contest is for the boys and girls of Pendleton and under 15 years of age. You do not have to compete with the boys and girls living outside of Pendleton, yet you can take subscriptions any place in the county.

District 2---Umatilla Co., Exclusive of Pendleton

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| 1st Prize | SHETLAND PONY, CART AND HARNESS—A COMPLETE OUTFIT | Val. \$300 |
| 2nd Prize | FINE WM. E. HANSCOM SOLID GOLD WATCH FOR BOY OR GIRL | Val. \$25 |
| 3rd Prize | A BEAUTIFUL A. L. SCHAEFER GOLD RING SET WITH DIAMOND | Val. \$15 |

Remember, this contest is for the boys and girls of Umatilla County outside of Pendleton and under 15 years of age. You do not have to compete with the Pendleton boys and girls, yet you may solicit subscriptions in Pendleton if you wish.

Get Busy Girls and Boys---

You may win the prize if you get out and hustle for a little while each day. The East Oregonian "Pony Man" will be glad to explain all the conditions and help you to get started. Call and see him at once, or, if you cannot call, telephone or write him—and do it today that you may get started off with the bunch. Contest ends Sept. 21, 1912.

You cannot lose, as we will in addition allow 10% cash to all contestants for new subscriptions