

IN MEDFORD'S SOCIAL REALM

"Greatest Show on Earth" Gives Exhibition in Medford Monday



Desperado who makes "The Dive of Death"

Wonderful Equestrian Exhibitions Given by Barnum and Bailey—Troops of Sixteen Trained Tandem Stallions—Quartette of High Schooled and Saddle Horses.

The Barnum and Bailey circus will show on the Kenwood addition on West Main street, the most convenient location possible.

Miss Jennie Suedor has accepted a position of Supervisor of drawing in the Medford Public schools.

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The free street parade of the Barnum and Bailey circus will start from the show-grounds shortly after eight o'clock tomorrow, Monday morning.

Five special trains of railway equipment carrying the entire circus paraphernalia will reach Medford some time Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Austen, who have been spending the summer on their ranch beyond Central Point, have taken a house on Peach street and will spend the winter in town, moving in Monday.

for the one complete performance and street parade to be given here tomorrow morning.

Interest in the approaching performances of the Barnum & Bailey greatest show on earth is manifest. This particular combination has always given the public a satisfactory circus performance.

Miss L. D. Hull left for Portland Monday, where she will spend several weeks.

Colonel A. F. Ray left last week, on a business trip to Portland.

Mrs. E. E. Gore gave a recital Friday afternoon for the pupils and after the recital an informal reception was given to the mothers of the pupils, and light refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. W. Dunlap and Mrs. Chas. Brown entertained Friday afternoon at Bridge at the attractive home of Mrs. Dunlap, on Siskiyou Heights.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Trapp of Lincoln, Illinois, Dr. and Mrs. Stokes gave a picnic dinner at their country home, Thursday night.

Mrs. Mahlon Purdin entertained at cards most charmingly Thursday afternoon at her home on North Central avenue in honor of her guest, Mrs. Fitch of San Francisco.

Miss Bess Kentner entertained most delightfully last Saturday with a luncheon, in honor of Miss Frisby, a sorority friend who has been her guest.

The Misses Kentner entertained for Miss Frisby, of Oakland by giving an auto party in the Kentner auto truck.

Rec and Mrs. Adrian Holmes, returned last week from a camping trip to Crater Lake.

The friends of Mr. Rene Olin, a former resident of Medford will be very glad to hear of the good work he is now doing in Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Henri Gunson, one of Medford's most popular singers, left last week to accept a position with the National Oper company.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. King and Mrs. Chas. King who have been spending the summer on the Upper Rogue returned to Medford Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Deane, who has been visiting her brother Dr. Deane at Sunny Slope ranch leaves next week for her home in Cincinnati.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 26.—Statistics compiled from reports by growers and handlers indicate that the production of commercial apples in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana will be between 6,500,000 and 6,700,000 boxes this season.

The yield in Washington is estimated at from 3,500,000 to 3,600,000 boxes, as against 2,414,261 boxes in 1909, when the average wholesale price was \$1.40 a box.

in 1908, while Montana should harvest 250,000 boxes, a gain over 1909, when 180,000 boxes were marketed.

Buyers for New York, Boston, Chicago and European houses have been active in various parts of the four states the last two months, and it is probable that 50 per cent of the crop has been sold.

Several growers in north central Washington will send large consignments of select apples to England and Australia this season, while others will try the markets in the Ori-

ent, Hawaii and South America. One grower near Wenatchee has arranged to accompany a shipment of 35,000 boxes of apples to London.

A new system of packing apples for export trade has been adopted by several of the large handlers in Idaho, whereby each apple is carefully wrapped and placed in a pasteboard compartment with double sides.

Many packers believe that this medium of preserving their fruit will give them a ready market. It is likely that the plan will be followed by growers in other northwestern states, though veterans in the industry say there is absolutely no danger of bruising if the boxes are filled with uniform fruit in square and diagonal packs.

One of the big factors in the apple industry in the Pacific country hereafter will be the Northwest Fruit Exchange, organized by growers in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana, for the purpose of centralizing the handling and marketing of fruit grown in the chief districts through one channel.

practically every market center in the United States and Canada and provide a dependable outlet for the products, which are rapidly increasing in the northwest.

The officers and directors of the association are: President, R. H. Parsons, Medford, Or.; vice-presidents, Michael Horan, Wenatchee, and W. N. Irish, North Yakima; secretary, C. R. Dorland; treasurer, W. F. Gwin, Eagle Point, Or.;

Mrs. J. Stilwell Vilas and son George left Thursday for San Jose, where they will spend the winter.

Miss Gladys Heard was a charming hostess at a very pretty luncheon Friday at her home on Siskiyou Heights, given in honor of Miss Evelyn Wilson of Portland.

Miss Ely and Mrs. A. P. Taleat Jr. assisted the hostess in serving. The guests were—Mesdames Daniels, Harmon, Kentner, Vawter, Budge, Carey, Mouldin, Root, Merriek, Boyden, R. A. Holmes, Orr, McTowan, Barneburg, Heard, Foster, O'Brien, Fitch and Miss Week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Geary were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Pickel, last week, before leaving for their home in Portland.

The camping party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Platt, Mr. and Mrs. Goddis and Mrs. and Mrs. Howard returned home last Sunday.

The invited guests were Misses Evelyn Wilson, Bess Kentner, Ida Lee Kentner, Jesse Hale of Grants Pass, Fern Hutchinson, Alice Waring, of Portland, Hazel Davis, Madge Riddell, English Ely, and Miss Homer Rotherthal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Aldenhagen intend building a bungalow on the site of their present home on Orange street.

Miss Clair Gibbony left Friday for Urbana, Illinois, where she will attend the State university of Illinois.

Dr. Martin C. Barber and family of Shellsberg, Wisconsin, arrived in Medford last week.

Mrs. A. G. Buffum who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster returned last week to her home in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hannil, Mr. and Mrs. Conro Fiero, Mrs. Fiero and Miss Emilie Fiero returned Thursday from a pleasant trip to Crater Lake.

The Misses Evelyn and Francis Wilson of Portland, have returned from a trip to Crater Lake and are the guests of their Uncle Mr. Bruce Wilson.

Mrs. E. J. Runyard and family have returned from an extended trip in Iowa.

Mrs. Reinhart, of La Grande, Oregon, worthy matron, will visit the Reames Chapter O. E. F., Friday evening, September 2nd.

Mrs. H. H. Holmes who has been the guest of her daughter Mr. D. H. Diversty, for the past two months, left Tuesday for her home in Portland.

Miss Watt entertained with a luncheon last week in honor of her guests Misses Helen Whitney and Hazel Morow.

Mrs. W. G. Aldenhagen made the trip to Colectin last Sunday to meet Mr. Aldenhagen on his return from San Francisco.

Mrs. B. J. Trowbridge and Miss Mary Trowbridge left last week for a visit to Camas Valley.

Mrs. Eugene V. Foster and young son Gordon of Oak Mount orchard left Saturday for Long Beach, California.

Mrs. Josephine Russell and son and Miss Nanan of Jacksonville returned last Sunday, from Colectin where spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bliton and family returned from Newport, where they have been spending the summer.

Mrs. Helen Haskins and Miss Fannie Haskins returned last week from Newport, where they have been spending a month.

Miss Alice Waring, of Portland who has been the guest of Miss Fern Hutchinson, leaves next week for her home.

Mrs. Glascon, Mr. Sam Glascon and Miss Agnes Isacs will return today from a trip to McAllister Springs Dead Indian.

Mrs. H. P. Hargrave and daughter have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Oakland California.

Mrs. J. M. Smith returned last week from an eastern trip and Miss Gertrude Smith will return at a later date.

Mrs. Cary moved into her new home Friday in Oak Park addition, where she has been making extensive improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Palbert have returned from Crater Lake.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS GROWING ON APPLE TREES IN THE NORTHWEST

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No one familiar with the industry and conditions in northwestern and other districts believes there will ever be an overproduction of apples on this continent, though occasionally the cry is heard.

58,466,000 and 56,860,000 barrels, respectively. There was a drop of 30,000,000 barrels in 1901, while 1902 showed an increase of 20,000,000 barrels, the crop that year being estimated at 46,626,000 barrels.