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THE CIRCUS IN TOWN—REACHED LONDON AT EARLY MORNING HOUR

Ringling's Big Show Came From Berlin in Five Trains—A Gorgeous Parade.

In five trains, numbering in all 87 cars, Ringling's circus came to town between 4 and 5 o'clock this morning, and after that there wasn't anything else in London. The main in the spangles had the boards all to himself. It was an old-fashioned circus day, such as Ringling's always give London. Animated scenes followed the arrival of the first car, and they kept up without intermission all day.

Spreading the Canvas.



Inspection of Elephant Herd.

The circus came down from Berlin, and as usual, brought good weather with it. It unloaded at East London, and hundreds of early risers went out to see



DRIVING THE STAKES.

to see the rearing of a canvas city of wonders, and to enjoy the big horse show. The procession, the finished system and the total lack of all confusion and disorder, which distinguishes Ring-

ling's handling of his property made everybody wonder. During the early hours an endless procession of big vans, drawn by four, six and even eight horses, trooped to the show grounds at the east end, where the Ringlings exhibited last year. Here another crowd had gathered in the morning, and with a marvellous economy of the strong language that "Rube" is supposed to have in stock.

The Ringlings came to London today with a bigger and better show than that which has pleased the town for the three years past. They have all their old features and a lot of new ones that are delighting circus lovers all along the road. In addition to the big show, with its inevitable concert, there is a side-

show full of wonders and a vioscope representation of the war in the Orient. The spectacle "Jerusalem and the Crusaders" is given twenty minutes of each performance.

The circus made its public bow at 10:20 o'clock with the big parade. It was a vision, some of the Ringlings carry 600 horses, the biggest traveling menagerie in the world, including 37 elephants, 1400 people, and give their big show in a tent 40 by 500 feet in dimensions. He can get a better understanding of the Titanic job of taking down the establishment, transporting it many miles, erecting it and giving two performances and a parade every day. But half-hour of solid joy to the thousands who lined Dundas street and peered its windows that lay between the passing of the elephant herd and the arrival of the circus.

Features were so numerous that nobody could remember half of them. There were animals from everywhere, elephants with lovely Irish maidens, riding on their backs, some of the biggest tigers ever caged hereabouts, and no end of other interesting things. The feature of the day was the particular animal, represented by a novelty. Great Britain had the prettiest girls, and was given its quota of patriotic cheers. There were four bands of music, a pair of Highland pipers and everything known in the way of mechanical music-makers. A real novelty was the floating portable pipe organ that makes music while Jerusalem falls in the background. It's the largest thing of its kind known, and the circus people say it has its cranky spells. Today it was in its good behavior, and turned out some soulful music.

The two performances today occur at 2 and 8 p.m., but the tents are open an hour before to allow visitors to inspect the menagerie. A down town ticket office was established, and will be open until 6 o'clock tonight. Here tickets are sold at the same prices prevailing on the grounds. Crowds fell over one another all morning in the scramble for passes.

ENTERTAINED BOWLERS

Lord Strathcona Dines Canadian Team at London House.

London, June 10.—The Canadian bowlers, except the few engaged in a tournament at the Crystal Palace, called on Lord Strathcona yesterday afternoon. George Anderson expressed the appreciation of the bowlers at Lord Strathcona's being patron. In welcoming the bowlers, his lordship said Canada was sometimes called his adopted country, but he was, he thought, the oldest Canadian, as he had been one for 66 years. Lord Strathcona took the opportunity to say that though a very great admirer of Chamberlain, he had never in any way been connected with Chamberlain's fiscal cru-



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ade, and in his position as representative of Canada, he knew no politics. British or Canadian. He invited the team to his house in Grosvenor Square, when he entertained the Victoria League.

LONDON TOWNSHIP WILL HAVE TO ACCEPT IT'S OWN MISFORTUNES

Such Is the Decision of County Council in a Bridge Matter—Equalization Report.

The Middlesex County Council yesterday refused to assist the London Township Council to repair the bridge over the 5th line, known as the Guest bridge. The matter came up in the form of a resolution from the township council. Reeve Hodgins stated that the bridge was not used much by the residents of his township, and that it had been built in lieu of a town line bridge. A number of others also spoke along the same lines.

County Councilor McLeod said that London Township should accept its own misfortunes. There was no question in his mind, he said, as the delegation had done. He thought it would be a mistake to help the township in this matter, and he gave his report on the request to the effect that no action be taken.

The council later went into committee of the whole to consider the report, and after a long discussion, the report was amended to read that the county grant 50 per cent of the cost of the repairs to the bridge, the work to be done under the county engineer's supervision.

This, however, was declared out of order, and the council again resumed. Councilor Elson brought in his amendment and on a vote it was lost by 10 to 2. The council then passed a resolution that the report be adopted. Another bridge matter that came up related to the Plover Mills bridge in West Nisour. This bridge, it appeared, would have to be lengthened as a result of the washing away of the banks. When it was built, the width it would be 30 feet long, and the law provided that bridges of this

length should be assumed by the county. West Nisour, Mr. Hudson said, was ready to do the right thing, but they would like the county to do the same. In answer to a question he stated that the river was wider in Nisour because the bed was harder and made the water spread. The question of who should pay for the bridge has been given to the judge, and consequently no action will be taken until the decision is given.

The report of the equalization committee was precisely the same as that of several years previous. It was adopted after several minor amendments had been offered. The account of the Children's Aid was presented by Inspector Sanders. The report of the equalization committee was precisely the same as that of several years previous. It was adopted after several minor amendments had been offered.

The resignation of Mr. John Pool as trustee at Glencoe, was accepted. Mary Healey, of Strathroy, wrote stating that she had been appointed by the Women's Institute, to ask for a grant from the council. Referred to finance committee.

The Warrens would do the work. The other members, with the exception of Ald. Gerry, were disposed to settle the matter off hand, and to the council that other companies can lay bitulithic pavements in London, but in deference to Ald. Forristal's vigorous objections, the matter was laid over till the next meeting.

At the council meeting Monday night it was stated that the board of works had let the contract for the paving of Wellington street without knowing that the specifications did not contain a clause compelling the contractor to keep the pavement in repair for a number of years. Last night City Engineer Graydon produced the specifications, and it was shown that the contractor to deposit with the city a bond guaranteeing to leave the pavement in as good condition at the expiration of ten years after the date of its construction as it was when first put down.

The presence of the clause proves that the criticism of the board was unjust. F. X. Korman was given permission to erect a porch over the sidewalk in front of the Grand Opera House, for the purpose of protecting patrons from rain by carrying their carriages after the performance.

In the action threatened by R. L. Hodgins, of the township of Westminster, against his solicitors, Graydon & Graydon, for damages to his horse and buggy, alleged to have been caused by an obstruction placed on the traveled road on York street, between William and Maitland streets, the board instructed the city solicitor to take the suit to the County Court. City Paying Company made co-defendants, as the company had placed



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the obstruction referred to on the road.

The communication of the Civic Improvement Society re the making of a park at the intersection of Horton street and the Hamilton road, was laid over for the chairman and engineer to report upon the cost of the curbing.

BIG TEAMS HAVE A LUCKY INNING

Cincinnati and New York Pull Out Victories—Toronto Blanked.

Yesterday's games in the major baseball leagues had their peculiar features. For instance, take the Cincinnati-Boston game in the National. Cincinnati won by 9 to 3, the strongest part of it being that the Reds secured all their runs in one inning, the sixth.

The Cleveland-New York American League game was won by the Highlanders by 3 to 2. Cleveland scored its runs in the first. The Highlanders were blanked until the ninth, when they scored enough to win.

Montreal and Toronto met in the Eastern series at Toronto, when the Queen City nine were shut out. Montreal scored only one run. Each team had three hits, and Toronto had slightly the best of it in the matter of fielding.

IN THE NATIONAL.
At Boston..... R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....00000000-9 10 2
Boston.....002001000-3 9 5
Batteries—Hahn and Peitz; Fisher, Stewart and Needham and Moran.

Other scheduled games postponed on account of rain.
IN THE AMERICAN.
At Detroit..... R. H. E.
Detroit.....30002001-4 10 1
Boston.....00000000-0 0 0
Batteries—Kilton and Buelow; Tannehill and Farrell. Umpires, O'Loughlin and King. Attendance, 1,600.

At Cleveland.....
Cleveland.....20000000-0 2 4 3
New York.....00000000-3 6 1
Batteries—Moore and Bemis; Chesbro

and McGuire. Umpires, Sheridan and Carpenter. Attendance, 2,801.

IN THE EASTERN.
At Rochester..... R. H. E.
Buffalo.....01140000-0 9 2
Rochester.....00000000-0 3 5
Batteries—Jones and McAllister; Becker and Stanley. Umpire, Haskell.

At Toronto.....
Montreal.....01000000-1 3 2
Toronto.....00000000-0 3 1
Batteries—Leroy and McManne; Falkenberg and Fuller. Umpire, Sullivan.

Wet grounds at Newark and Jersey City.

Quick Time to Saint Louis.

Londoners taking in the St. Louis Exposition will find the excellent service of the Canadian Pacific Railway worthy of more than passing consideration. Not only is the mileage shortest over this road, but, as naturally follows, the Canadian Pacific makes the best time between London and the Exposition City. Sumptuous through sleepers leave here for the Fair twice every day, thus making the trip a pleasure to even the most weary traveler. See W. Fulton, the City Passenger Agent, corner Dundas and Richmond streets, for particulars, tickets, etc.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

Furnished by the Special and Occasional Correspondents of the Advertiser.

HENSALL.

Hensall, June 10.—George McEwen, M.P., returned to Ottawa on Monday evening.

Mr. Carlisle, who is working in the G. T. R. office at Wingham, was home on Tuesday, taking Station Agent Brant's work, while he was up north.

Will Kemp is home from Seaford, as he is working in Mr. A. McBride's harness shop.

The Presbyterian of Huron will meet here today (Friday), in connection with the call to Rev. Mr. Smith, of Milton.

On Friday evening last Mrs. S. T. Hopper and her sister, Miss McDermid, and Dr. Selby, attended the Masonic "at home" at Exeter. An orchestra from London furnished the music.

Alonso Ortwein was home over Sunday on his way to take a situation in Detroit. Mrs. (Rev.) Shaw and her sister, Mrs. Scott, and Mrs. (Rev.) Medd were in London over Sunday.

We were pleased to see that Dr. Medd acquitted himself so creditably at the missionary meeting connected with the Methodist Conference on Monday evening. Dr. Medd and wife returned on Tuesday evening.

On Sunday his work was taken by Rev. Robert Buchanan, who has finished his college course and is visiting at home for a time. His brother and wife, missionaries in South America, are expected home soon on a year's furlough.

Last year a few farmers experimented with sugar beets, and as a result this year about three times as many acres have been planted.

Our junior football team will open the season with a game in Lucan on Monday next.

Our optician, S. T. Hopper, will visit Zurich professionally on Saturday, the 18th inst.

On Monday evening the firemen had the engine at the corner, to the great delight of the small boy.

PORT BURWELL.

Port Burwell, June 10.—Mrs. A. B. Johnson is on the sick list.

William E. Burgar, of Detroit, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Saturday.

On June 1, to Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, a daughter.

Miss Annie Haggaborn and Mr. Norman Jackson, both of this village, were married in Vienna on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. McDermid is ill.

Mrs. (Dr.) Johnson returned home on Saturday from a visit to Toronto.

One of our citizens caught with a pole and line on Wednesday a catfish weighing 185 pounds—so he says.

Miss Augusta McConnell is convalescent.

Mr. Pickersgill, of Wycombe, was the guest of J. Brackenbury on Monday.

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WORKING GIRLS

A Cordial Invitation to Every Sick and Ailing Working Girl.

It is to these girls that Mrs. Pinkham holds out a helping hand and extends a cordial invitation to correspond with her. Her long record of success in treating women's ailments makes her letters of advice of untold value to every ailing working girl, and from her wide experience and skill she quickly points the way to health. Her advice is free, and all letters are held by her in the strictest confidence. Address, Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Don't put off writing her until your health is wrecked.

Girls who work are particularly susceptible to female ills, especially when obliged to stand on their feet from morning until night. Day in and day out, month in and month out, the weary, the working girl toils, she is often the bread winner of the family, and must work that others may live; whether she is sick or well, whether it rains or shines, whether it is warm or cold she must get to her place of employment and perform the duties exacted from her.

Among this class the symptoms of female diseases are early manifest by weak and aching backs, pain in the lower limbs and lower part of the stomach; in consequence of frequent wetting of the feet monthly periods become painful and irregular, and frequently there are fainting of the feet monthly periods, until life is a burden and it is hard work to drag along. All these symptoms point to a derangement of the female organism, and if taken in time can be easily and permanently cured.

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It worked like magic, for I had scarcely finished the second bottle when a great change was noticed in my whole general health, and in the three months time I felt like a new person."—Miss M. E. Paulson, 914 Willow Ave., Hoboken, N.J.

"Seeing so many women and girls being helped by your medicine I thought I would try it. I was very irregular in regard to menstruation, and had had no menses for four months. I obtained a bottle of your medicine just to see if I could cure myself without going to a doctor. One bottle gave me great relief and now I am a different girl altogether. I will never be without Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as I know I won't be working today if I had not used your medicine."—Miss Laura E. Rides, Standard Tea and Grocery Co., 706 Mass. Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

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