

ANTI-THEATRICAL TRUST COMBINE.

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THEY WANT A SQUARE DEAL.

Will Back Such Actors as Bernhardt, Rehan, Jefferson De Angelis, Lillian Russell and Others.

New York, July 14.—Announcement of a new combination of actors in America against what is known as the theatrical trust was made today by Lee Shubert. The leading companies in the new combination are those headed by David Belasco and Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske. Lee Shubert will manage the line of theaters which will be placed at the disposal of Mr. Belasco, Mrs. Fiske and others.

The new combine will back 15 companies on the road and such actors as Sarah Bernhardt, Ada Rehan, Jefferson de Angelis, Henry Miller, Lillian Russell, David Warfield, Blanche Bates, Bertha Gelland, Robert Hilliard, Mrs. Fiske and Mrs. Leslie Carter. The actors under the new management expect within another week to have a separate number of theaters on their own circuit in America to play the year round. Mr. Shubert announced that this company now has 14 playhouses under its control, including theaters in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis and London, England, and that with a week he would be able to open a dozen more to his attractions. Besides these places, the new combination is counting on the

TEA

The soul is let loose by tea; it wanders far and for-gets its prison.

support of independent houses all over the country. The amendment by the theatrical syndicate managers of a contract which Mr. Shubert says he made with them, agreeing to pay them 25 per cent of the profits on all of the syndicate's attractions booked at his theaters, was the cause of his break from the trust ranks. His friendliness toward David Belasco during the last two months, he said, was a further cause of the new combine.

"We signed a contract with the theatrical syndicate which is headed by Klaw & Erlanger, agreeing that the syndicate should book their attractions in our houses for 25 per cent of the profits for a period of five years," said Mr. Shubert. "After we had signed this contract a letter was sent to us by the syndicate asking us to amend the contract by agreeing not to add any more theaters to our own circuit."

Mr. Shubert says that at this point he has only eight theaters in his own circuit and did not feel strong enough to make a fight against the syndicate.

"When I asked," Mr. Shubert continued, "why his new amendment was required," I was told that our company had violated its contract with the syndicate by refusing to accept some of their attractions which they had booked at our houses. They said this was a violation of our contract with them, though that document contained the provision that the syndicate attractions were at all times subject to our order. After this conversation the matter was allowed to rest for a time. Meanwhile the Lyric Theater company was extending its own circuit and acquiring new attractions.

"When our company was building the Garrick theater in St. Louis, the syndicate told us that we would not be allowed to book our own attractions in our own houses if we pursued our policy. And yet at their convenience, they filled their theaters with our attractions."

"On my return from Europe last June I was met by Mr. Erlanger and had a chat with him about putting up our difficulties. He told me that if I did not book Belasco in any of our theaters

OLD PEOPLE AND THEIR TROUBLES

Old People have more of the pains, aches and discomforts of life than do the young. This is perfectly natural, because their blood is not so vigorous, nor their powers of resistance so great, and troubles that a younger, healthy constitution could resist often afflict them.

During the civil war I contracted Catarrh and suffered with its effects for many years. I tried various remedies and doctors, but with no good result. One day I found one of your pamphlets and read it carefully. I decided S. S. S. was the medicine I was in need of and I began its use at once. My health was greatly improved, and as I was getting along in years, I had most of the pains and ailments incident to that time of life; but after taking this great remedy for awhile I began to improve and soon found myself strong, well man. I am now more than 70 years of age, but my health is good, because I take an occasional bottle of S. S. S. Nothing equals it as a tonic and blood purifier, and I recommend it to those needing such a medicine. Fortho, Ark. L. S. LOCKRIDGE.

Rheumatic pains, sleepless nights, fickle appetites, etc., are not imaginary with old people, as is sometimes thought. They need a medicine that will supply their blood with its lost vigor and build up and strengthen their constitutions. S. S. S. is the ideal remedy for Old People. It is made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, and does not injure the system in the least as do those medicines containing mineral ingredients. S. S. S. is gentle in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and relieving old age of its suffering by supplying robust, healthy constitution. It is the greatest of all tonics for increasing the appetite, toning up the stomach, promoting the digestion and building up the entire system.

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I could have anything I wanted. Because I booked Belasco in one of our houses, the Garrick, he said that the terms of the Royal Chef and of Fanny's already booked, were off. "Let me say that in the present move-

WE ARE NOT ATTEMPTING TO FIGHT THE SYNDICATE, BUT MERELY, IN SELF-PROTECTION, TRYING TO FIND A PLACE FOR OUR OWN ATTRIBUTIONS.

Low are interested in the news contained in the above Associated Press dispatch, can be understood when it is known that Salt Lake will be given no chance in the future to hear any of the notables mentioned in the list. Every one is a "head liner" and Sarah Bernhardt especially would have been a rare attraction here. Under the arrangements made between the syndicate governing the first-class houses and the popular priced theaters, it will no longer be possible for any of the opposition attractions even to appear at the Grand, so the only hope now is that the Orpheum, the new theater now going up, whose specialty will be vaudeville, may be induced to open its doors for the occasional visits of the "Independents." Even this is unlikely, as the Orpheum circuit is also run by a syndicate, and all theatrical syndicates are understood to be very close friends.

WILLIAM H. WITHERS DEAD.

Led Orchestra in Ford's Theater When Lincoln Was Shot.

New York, July 15.—William H. Withers of Wakefield, who led the orchestra of Ford's theater, Washington, the night of April 14, 1865, when President Lincoln was shot, is dead at his home in that place at the age of 78. Wilkes Booth stabbed him after leaping from the president's box to the stage and a detective arrested him. In the confusion of the moment many in the theater believed that Withers fired the shot. Hundreds shouted "Kill him! Shoot him!" and he was dragged out of the angry mob to the stage just in time to be saved from being badly hurt.

Urging Reciprocity Treaties.
New York, July 15.—The Merchants' association, through its committee on reciprocity treaties, has sent circular letters to some 8,000 business men and trade organizations urging them to use their influence to obtain the ratification of reciprocal treaties with European nations. The influence of business men is asked to urge upon United States senators the importance of the ratification of the pending reciprocity treaties. Important changes are about to be

made, or have been made, in the tariff systems of nearly all of continental Europe, and unless some favorable agreements can be made between these nations and the United States the port-chants association fears a disastrous effect upon the export trade of the United States.

The circular letters urge the carrying out of the recommendations for reciprocity treaties made by President McKinley in his speech at Buffalo a few days before his assassination.

Starting Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy. Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Plannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at Z. C. M. L. Drug Dept.

BARNUM & BAILEY SHOW.

Some Facts About the Big Amusement Institution.

There is one very important fact connected with the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth that should be mentioned, and that is every purchaser of a ticket, no matter what the price paid for it, is entitled to see all the advertised attractions, myriads of features and wonderful objects which are properly contained in and form part of the show. This means all the performances, giant, midgets and other interesting human beings, two menagerie, herds of elephants, giraffes, as well as the whole of the displays and performances in the hippodrome. And there are a lot of them to be sure—several big ship loads. In other words, the whole mammoth show can be seen by every person, buying a ticket, without extra charge.

This is now and has been the inviolable custom with the management of the show for over half a century, and it has met with such universal approval and satisfaction that the same custom will be preserved.

It must be further known that notwithstanding the gigantic size of the show it never has been, and never will be, divided for any cause whatever, and no matter how impossible it may seem to some persons that so stupendously large an amusement institution can be transported by rail in its entirety, it positively is so traveled. This fact is so well known that it is never necessary to state it, but some people are not aware of it or that the smaller cities where the show exhibits is favored with precisely the same exhibition in every detail as the largest cities were delighted with.

At this vast gathering of men, women, performers, workingmen, animals, tents, cages and paraphernalia can be, and is, conveyed, sometimes every day for weeks, may seem incredible, but it would not look so if you were acquainted with the great facilities and resources and the perfect system in vogue by the management, and the splendid railway equipment belonging to the institution.

During the big show's exhibitions in Europe the greatest triumph known in the history of amusements was achieved. The entire show, with its professional men, nobility and all others, were a unit in praising it, most of them remarking "it was the greatest show ever seen in this city." The attendance exceeded in point of numbers every other exhibition ever given in Europe, and it is safe to say, afforded 10 times as much gratification. The performances are presented under several specially constructed canvas pavilions. The main one of these tents is 600 feet long, seats nearly 15,000 people, and every seat has a foot-rest. It contains three rings, two stages, a race track, the aerial enclosure, and herein the performances are given. The next largest tent, 350 feet long, contains the menagerie, with the living curiosities. When all the canvas pavilions are erected they present a very pretty sight. It is an American institution presented upon purely American lines, and conducted, governed, transported and exhibited in just the same manner and in exactly the same way that has earned for it in Great Britain, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, South America, Germany, France, Switzerland, Holland, Belgium, Java and other countries, the title of The Greatest Show on Earth. It will be here on Aug. 2 and 3, and will appear at the Agricultural Park on those dates.

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INTERNAL REVENUE.

Collections for the Year Show Quite a Handsome Increase.

The report of Internal Revenue Collector Callister for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1905, shows the total receipts of his district, which comprises Montana, Idaho and Utah, to be \$136,370.40, a total increase over the previous year of \$4,550.62. Idaho shows the greatest increase of any of the three states, its gain being \$19,003.50 or 40 per cent over last year. Following are some of the interesting statistics in the report:

Montana	12,505.53
Idaho	19,003.50
Utah	13,441.60
Total	\$44,950.62

The receipts at the four stamp offices of the district were as follows:

Salt Lake	\$188,816.27
Boise	12,241.60
Butte	127,727.25
Helena	156,582.25

The greatest increase was in the sale of beer stamps, the total receipts from that source alone being \$334,525.25, an increase of \$7,550. The increase on cigar stamps was \$3,147.48 and the increase on special taxes was \$8,018.69.

There's a pretty girl in an Alpine hat, A sweeter girl with a sailor brim, But the loveliest girl you'll ever see, Is the smiling girl who uses Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

RIOT AT STATE PRISON.

Board Finds That Prisoners Had No Cause for Complaint.

The state board of corrections met yesterday afternoon at the state prison, to investigate the cause of the recent riot. Quite a number of prisoners were examined, and they, one and all, ascribed their supererogatory friskiness and vocal excesses to dislike of the potatoes and the food furnished by the prison commissariat. The tubers were alleged to be of last season's growth and the gravy was not rich enough for their enfeebled blood. The prisoners asked the best thereof, and Knottford gravy with this season's potatoes were about what they most desired to have.

The board found that the kickers had no just cause for complaint; that they

were decently fed and cared for, and received all they had any right to look for; also, that the convicts who refused to work did so because they were too lazy. The prison administration was upheld in every point. In some extreme cases where prisoners cannot be reasoned with, they are put into a bare cell, and an inch hose is turned on them. Five minutes of this is about all a man can stand—then he is ready to throw up both hands and quit.

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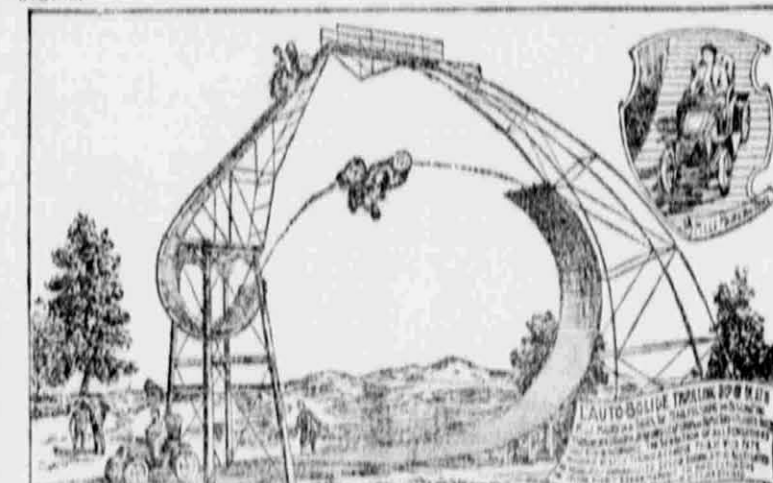
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