

# MAN WHO DARES DEATH AT FAIR.

How Charles G. Kilpatrick, the  
One-Legged Trick Bicycle Rider,  
Started in Life.

## TELLS STORY OF HIS TRAVELS

Was Given a Medal by Oom Paul  
Kruger in the Transvaal—The  
Kangaroo Umpire.

The star feature of the free attractions at the State Fair is the trick riding and automobile act of Charles G. Kilpatrick, the one-legged cyclist who possibly has performed in more cities of the world than any other sensational man now before the public.



CHARLES G. KILPATRICK.

Kilpatrick this morning admitted to the "News" that he was 29 years of age. He does not look it. Twenty-five years ago he was working in a coal mine at Danville, Ill., and lived in a cottage across the road from "Uncle" Joe Cannon, now speaker at Washington.

### STORY OF HIS LIFE.

After some coaxing this morning he gave a sketch of his life to the "News." "When I lost my leg as a boy the coal mines had a good coal digger," he said with a laugh. "I got my foot and leg crushed with a loaded car and had to crawl. I then took to printing and for several years took type on the Danville Times. I got kind of tired of that life, however, and took to umpiring baseball games. You see an umpire with one leg stands a better show and the players don't rough-house you when they think they are getting the worst of it. They want to call me the 'Kangaroo Umpire' in the Western Association League and the rosters had lots of fun with me on the way I used to hop around."

### HOW HE STARTED.

In answer to a question as to what induced him to take to bicycle riding as a profession Kilpatrick said: "It was this way. Jack Grimm a catcher in the National league used to ride one of those high wheels in the old days. As he came up one day he said to me as a joke. 'Let's see you ride this thing.' I took the dare and climbed on with my one leg. When they let go of the machine I came near and blinking my eyes. That made me mad and I stayed with that wheel until I mastered it. The next day I was showing Grimm some tricks."

### FIRST TRICK RIDER.

The safety bicycle came in about that time and I got one. To cut a long story short I was the first rider to introduce trick bicycle acts on the vaudeville stage. Hundreds have taken it up since, but I am the only original. I did my act in every vaudeville house in the country. Then I went to Europe and I spent eight months in South Africa. While in Pretoria I gave an exhibition for the school children and old Oom Paul Kruger was so tickled that he gave me a medal, the first that he ever gave to a performer, and I believe the only one."

"How did you come to take to the step act and sensational trick work?" was asked.

### HE TOOK A DARE.

"It happened this way," he continued. "I was with a burlesque show in Washington, D. C., and after the performance some of us were sitting around at the hotel when one of the boys said, 'I see that a fellow has ridden down the east steps of the Capitol building.' Well, I will ride down the west steps,' I said, not thinking. So I went out and nudged up the A-ward. I had a press man and a number of correspondents, or at least the press agent did, and when I got to the place there was all kinds of a crowd there including all the chorus girls. Those steps are in three flights, 30 steps and then a seven foot landing, 20 more and a 14 foot landing and 20 more and a seven foot landing. I took one look at them and then said, 'Not for me thank you.' Then they all started crying me and bawled me out in great shape. I was young and foolish in those days and I said to myself, 'I can only get killed once, here goes' and climbed on my wheel and away I went. I tell you I would not take that ride again for the whole Capitol building."

### TEA

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You must use Royal Baking Powder to get them right.

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## TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

(DO YOU REMEMBER?)

John Robinson's circus was wrecked on the Northern Pacific near St. Paul, Minn. Several persons were killed and more than 100 injured.

Mrs. Dreese, who had killed her husband and burned his body in the cook stove, was found guilty of murder in the first degree, at Little Falls, N. Y.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

John D. McPherson, champion shot putter of the world, fell 46 feet from the look gates at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and was fatally injured.

Near Chattanooga, Tenn., Neal Smith, accused of a crime against a white woman, was cruelly tortured to death by mob. His fingers were pounded to a pulp one by one, his ears were cut off and then, after more than five pounds of lead had been shot into him, the body was burned.

Jack Smith and Harry Gatewood fought a 32-round draw at the Salt Lake Athletic club.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.

A. R. Greenep, formerly secretary to Governor Heber M. Wells, was found dead in a room at the Cliff house.

A furious and destructive storm raged in the region of Redwing, Minn. A 10-pound chunk of ice was thrown at Senator Mark Hanna in a political meeting on Halstead street, Chicago.

ing. It was a splendid advertisement, however, and next year I was getting \$250 a week instead of \$50. From that time on I have been doing the step act. I joined Forepaugh's & Sells' circus in Madison Square Garden and used to ride down the steps from the tower at the top. For weeks I got more space in the newspapers, press syndicates and magazines than you could shake a stick at. I went down into Mexico and did my act in every bull ring in the country and the spectators used to throw cigars, hats and dollars at me until I made the bullfighters jealous. I tell you those Mexicans were the best audiences I have shown before and the way they used to get up and yell was good to hear."

Kilpatrick came to Salt Lake direct from the Portland fair, where he was a feature. He says that he will continue to do his dare-devil act just as long as people will flock to see him. "Lots of people think I am rich," he said, "but I am not. I make big money, but I spend it too. I guess I will have to begin putting some away for a rainy day," he added as he strolled off to the dressing room to get into his show togs.

### PUMPKIN SEEDS.

Horse Show Day comes on Friday, which accordingly will be more or less a society event.

The judges in the Dairy Product department last evening returned the following verdict on the exhibits they were called to pass upon:

A show case containing some excellent engraving work by Paul J. Oullette, although stuck off in a corner, attracting considerable attention from connoisseurs.

The announcement is made by the directors that, so far as nothing must leave the fair grounds before Sunday. This means that all exhibits, including live stock, will be in place all the week.

James King is showing perhaps the most varied assortment of dried fruits that has been collected together in Utah. In the show case are dried and evaporated fruits of all classes including raspberries.

One of the exhibits in the art department consists of a bunch of cactus painted so naturally that the hanging committee skied it to prevent anyone being tricked by the grounds—least that is the excuse given.

Tomorrow the "baby" class of the state institution for the deaf and dumb will be one of the features. It is promised that they will be equally as interesting, entertaining and instructive as the class of larger pupils that has been here all the week.

In cheese the following are the results: Union Creamery company, Richmond, 96½; Faust Creamery & Supply company, Salt Lake, 96; Slaterville Consolidated Creamery company, Ogden, 94½; Cache Valley Creamery company, Logan, 92½.

With the miniature railway going to the left, a trunk and knitting factory in full blast across the gangway, two pianolas, a talking machine and Held's band under full swing in the same building, and the telephone line going at three-minute intervals the office of Supervisor Lester D. Freed is anything but a peaceful spot.

Slaterville Consolidated Creamery company, Ogden, 94½ points; Faust Creamery & Supply company, Salt Lake, 94; Cache Valley Creamery company, Logan, 93½; Union Creamery company, Richmond, 93; Faust Creamery & Supply company, Sigurd, 92½; Faust Creamery & Supply company, Smithfield, 91; Slaterville Consolidated Creamery company, Ogden, 92½.

The checking turnstile for the crowds leaving the grounds was taken out of commission yesterday afternoon. It was found that it took a man just 40 minutes to get out and if he was built on the Al E. Mulvey model he stood a chance of not getting out at all. After some frantic mothers had reached the verge of hysterics the side gates were opened and the visitors surged into the street.

### Gen. Sinclair Dead.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Brig.-Gen. William Sinclair, United States army, retired, died here today of Bright's disease, aged 70 years. He had a brilliant military career, serving in many of the notable engagements of the civil war.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The Beehive house was the scene of a very pleasant reception last night, tendered on what may be designated the eve of the departure of Miss Emma Lucy Gates for New York. The hostesses of the function were Miss Ina Smith and Miss Gates who were children together on the Sandwich Islands. Cooperating with them were their mothers who concluded that it would be an opportune time for the young ladies to give a joint social to their own friends and to the friends of their parents. Accordingly, young, middle-

aged and old to the number of 150 or more were invited. The evening was delightfully spent under conditions that were the most democratic and informal. A fine impromptu musical program was rendered and some excellent readings were given. The participating artists were Miss Gates, Fred McCallan, Willard White, Hugh Douglas, George Piper, Horace Ensign, H. G. Whitney, Fred Graham, Ed. Kimball, Mrs. McDonald and George Margot. Readings were given by Bishop O. F. Whitney and Miss Babcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Dickert have returned from a six week's trip to the coast.

Mrs. Eliza Snow Dunford announces

the engagement of her daughter Estelle to William Kimberley Mordeock of Chicago, the wedding to take place Oct. 12, in San Francisco.

This morning Miss Cora Corso and James Vincent Sadler were married at the bride's home in Ogden, the young couple leaving afterward for this city which is to be their home. Tonight a large reception will be given in their honor at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sadler, on Eleventh East street.

A quiet marriage of yesterday was that of Miss Constance Juvett and Pennell Cherrington, the ceremony being performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Campbell, with Rev. C. L. Perkins officiating. A pretty wedding sup-

per was served, the decorations being in pink carnations, ribbon streamers and shaded candelabrum.

Mrs. Edward Moore was hostess at a pretty luncheon today given in honor of her sister, Miss Oreta Pinkerton, whose marriage takes place in the near future.

Miss Jean Odell has gone to New York to attend school for the winter.

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## GIRLS' DRESSES

OF INTEREST  
to  
VISITORS Who  
Appreciate Bargains



While in New York our buyer picked up a small lot of sample dresses—dresses which traveling men carry and submit to their trade, and from which orders are taken. Samples are always finely made, representing the best output.

The lot includes Buster Brown and Sailors. They are good staple values. Suitable for school wear. Sizes from 8 to 14 years.

Regular selling prices run from \$4.95 to \$10.00. Visitors to Conference and the Fair are offered these bargains at just one-half of the selling prices.

**\$4.95 Reduced \$2.48**  
to.....  
**10.00 Reduced \$5.00**  
to.....  
Other reductions in proportion

## Women's Underwear.

When our buyer was in New York in June, an extraordinary purchase of wool underwear was obtained below market price.

Women's Vests, Drawers and Tights, in Grey, hand finished around the neck and down the front, medium weight, about two thirds wool and one third cotton. Extra value at \$1.00 a garment. Special reduction for the week, each.....**65c**

In this line will be found Women's Union Suits in grey; about two thirds wool and one third cotton, two styles, one open all the way down the front; the other half way; hand crocheted around the neck and down the front. Values at \$1.95 per suit, but will sell them during Conference week.....**95c**

Women's fleeced cotton Union Suits buttoned across the front; extra well made, good fitting; Grey or Cream, garment.....**75c**

Medium weight cotton Union Suits, Cream, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, button down front, 2c quality, each.....**50c**

Women's Fleeced Lined Cotton Vests and Pants at 35c, 50c, 65c and.....**75c**

Misses' fine thread, fast black, one and one ribbed hose, elastic top—regular 25c Value at.....**19c**

Children's fleeced cotton Union Suits all sizes; grey and cream, Special values at.....**35c**

Boys' extra heavy fleeced Vests and Drawers, in Grey, Each.....**35c**

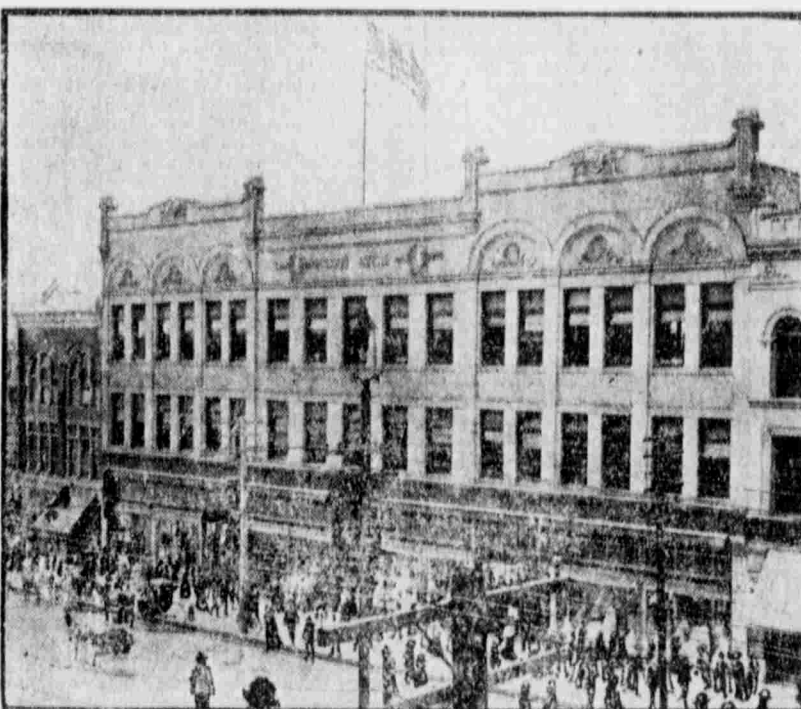
## Leather BELTS

The Glove Fitting Kind, Black and brown only. Sold regularly for \$1.50. Conference price at.....**50c**

## Keith-O'Brien Co.

There is a satisfaction in dealing with an institution which adheres to the simple truth. And that is why Keith-O'Brien Company is so rapidly forging ahead.

## VISITORS GO WHERE THE PEOPLE GO.



Visitors to the City during Conference Week are cordially invited to make this store their headquarters. Many interesting hours can be spent pleasantly and profitably in this Store. Hundreds of Tempting Special Reductions will be made. The Saving in Purchases will materially assist in Lessening the Expense of Your Trip. The Beauty of the Appointments of the Interior of the Store, the Character of the Merchandise, the Air of Style which Prevails will enhance the pleasure of a Visit to this Magnificent Store. Come in Whether you intend to make purchases or not—make yourself at home and partake of our hospitality.

Keith-O'Brien Company.

## LADIES' SUITS

Stylish Suits Reduced For Conference and Fair Visitors. Forty Cloth Suits Are Placed on Sale For the Week.

AN OPPORTUNITY for visitors. It is often a problem to women who delight in neat dressing to procure apparel up-to-date and yet inexpensive in the town in which they reside. The magnitude of this institution affords a wide assortment of prevailing styles. Very often therefore women who contemplate visiting Salt Lake reserve their buying until they reach Keith-O'Brien Company's. Forty cloth suits in sizes from 32 to 42 inches, the values of which are from \$15.00 to \$35.00. In the lot are Eton coat suits; short blouse coat suits, 28 inch jacket suits; 45 inch coat suits and a few box coat suits.

The materials are plain chevrons, herringbone chevrons, Scotch suitings, figured and plain Panama cloths. The colors are black, blue, brown, green and gray mixtures. Alterations Extra.....**\$13.75**

## An Extra Special For All Who Correspond.

EATON HURLBUT'S PAPERS in bulk—the quality that retails for 25c, 35c and 50c for one quire of paper and one package of envelopes, reduced to.....**18c**

Two-tone Highland Linen, Vellum and all the best papers included—all colors and white separate envelopes (per package).....**5c**

### CORSETS.

White Corsets, medium length—white only; sizes 24 to 30; values \$1.50 and \$1.50, for.....**25c**  
Corsets, long or short hips, broken sizes, \$1.50 to \$3.00 values; Conference price.....**95c**  
Children's Perla Waist, white or gray, sizes 21, 22, 23; regular 25c; conference price.....**15c**

## Boys' Clothing.

We pay the manufacturer a little more to have them a little better, a little different than other suits at the same price.



**\$2.45 \$2.95**  
**\$4.50.**

### GLOVES.

Beautiful Display of New Styles—Some Remarkable Bargains.

Our Glove stock is most complete—indeed a more beautiful stock was never carried. Kid Gloves range in price from \$1.00 to \$4.00. The very best in the market for the money.

Special offering for the week: Women's Mocha Gloves, lined and unlined, in Modes, Gray and Black. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 values—on account of broken sizes, \$1.00 a pair. Splendid for Fall and Winter wear.....**1.00**

Ladies' Cashmere Gloves in Grays only.....**55c**  
Special.....

Odds and Ends in small sizes of women's Kid Gloves—5½, 6-1-3 in Black, Gray and Tan, Conference price.....**45c**

Women's Pique 1 elastic, Street Glove—all sizes and shades suitable for street wear. Regular \$1.25 Conference price.....**98c**

## Women's Gowns.

Flannel Gowns, deep yoke, low or high collar, sleeves and neck edged with Broad Pink or Blue stripe, 65c and 50c Values, Conference price.....**50c**

Children's Flannel Gowns—Pink or Blue stripe, Sizes 2 to 12 years, for.....**50c**

Women's Flannel short skirts, deep ruffle, edged with fancy stripe, Pink or Blue. Values 35c and 45c, Conference price.....**25c**

### Walking Skirts

One special lot has been set aside for conference. All wool mixtures, in brown, blue, and gray, plain black Panama cloth, and navy blue serge skirts. Good styles. Values up to \$7.50 for.....**\$3.95**

### Petticoats.

Women's Black Satene Petticoats with two ruffles with cluster of tucks; also with embroidered flounce, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Values—Conference price.....**95c**

## SILK BELTS

No end to the assortment—all shades—sizes up to 32; values up to \$1.50. A special for the Conference visitors.....**35c**