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Bargains in shirt waist suits-every one at exactly one-half the regular price Bargains in all our fire tallor-made

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Bargains in all kinds of walking skirts. Bargains in colored waists at 50c each. Bargains in petticoats, in silk wash fabrics and black samen. Bargains in house wrappers, matinee house gowns,

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July clearing sale prices on tub linen suitings. These are shown at our

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All 18c madras.

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WEDNESDAY, 10c PER YARD. We Close Saturdays at 1 O'Clock During July and August.

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into the Tai Tse river, which passes tacked and dislodged the Russians from the through Liao Yang and empties into the heights west of Sin Chiau Ku. The Japa-Liao river.

The correspondent of the Associated strong position held by the Russians at Press, who arrived here after a thirty-five- Siutehouik. After a desperate fight the alle ride from Siao Lindji, saw long lines Japanese occupied the position. After ocof infantry and transport trains winding the cupying Kai Chau General Oku's army rough mountains. At Lian Dian Sian a lookout, stationed in a tree top, pointed out the stans have strong defenses at Tapingshan, way to General Keller's headquarters near Niusenthan, Nangmatai, Chinghishan and Niut Kiay. There the Russians' eastern army was found, hidden in the hills. In a plain tent the correspondent saw General Keller living like a simple soldier, his staff being quartered in a native hut near by. lost about 150 men. The general looked cheerful and was bronzed by exposure. He talked enthusiastically of the engagement at Hoi Yan. Around the general's tent were many offiers of the guards, the pride of St. Petersburg. To see them as weather beaten as the Cossack officers one could scarcely believe them to be dashing guardsmen of the Russian capital. They have become har-

dened fighters, for hardly a day passes without collisions between the advance posts of the eastern army. The whole army anxious to fight General Kuroki, whose madquarters are at Vandianudze and ose men are entrenched on the other side of the river. The burning question is, who be the first to cross the dread valley of the Liang river?

ANOTHER CHANCE FOR A RETREAT Japanese Takushan Army Moving on

Russians in Two Columns. TOKIO, July 12.—The Japanese Takushan army is moving porthwest from Siu Yen. It fought a series of small battles with the Russians on July 9 and 10. The army is divided into two columns which advanced against the Russians. When the first column approached Chi Kuan Ching the Russians retreated southwest through the val-Chou Chia Chang.

The Russians were dislodged at dusk, when the second Japanese column advanced along the road toward Tong Chis, repulsing small detachments of the enemy enroute. They attacked the advance line of the Russians near Siu Yang Laku. The Russians were reinforced and compelled the Japanese to withdraw.

At dawn on July 10 the two columns at- nese boats returned undamaged.

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nese pursued them and again attacked a on Sunday moved northward. The Rus-

camped near Kon Chiapao. General Oku probably will attack these positions as soon as his troops are rested. In the fights of July 8 and 9 the Japanese

The Russian losses are believed to have been heavier than the Japanese.

Russian Ships Return. CHE FOO, July 12.-It is reported that five Russian cruisers and several torpedo morning last and shelled the enemy's position on the east coast, returning undamaged at 6 in the evening. It is believed they encountered Admiral Togo's ships and were forced to return. A junk which arrived here this morning reports hearing two terrific explosions at Port Arthur yesterday.

Japanese Tempt Russian Soldiers. LIAO YANG, July 12 .- A box full of Japanese proclamations, offering induce- not expected to last long. nents to Russian soldiers to surrender, has been brought here from Ta Tche Kiao. Many of them were scattered among General Mistchenko's men. The heat is frightful, thermometers registering 104 degrees in

Russians Retire Before Enemy. NEW CHWANG, July 12.-Chinese comng in from the country report the Russlans everywhere retiring before the Japanese, who are soon expected here. Active preparations are being made for defense at ley, but at 5 o'clock in the evening they Ta Tche Kiao. Business at this city, de-

> are in the port. Pires Shots at Port Arthur.

TOKIO, July 12.-Admiral Togo reports hat at midnight July 11 torpedo boats approached the boom which blocks the entrance to Port Arthur harbor and attacked the guardship Diana with torpedoes. The result has not been ascertained. The Japa-

Mrs. J. BENSON.

The lisle lace tan hose, that so many ladies have been asking and waiting for-have come

A fine quality at 50c.

Embroidered quality at 75c. Embroidery and lace combined at \$1.25.

Children's and misses' tan hose, sizes 51 to 9-25c.

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PACKING

Thousands of Employes Drop Work and Walk Out on Strike.

SAY STRIKE IS AGAINST WAGE DECREASE

One of Most Extensive Strikes in Meat Packing Industry, Involving Several Leading Western Cities.

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ers and teamsters. These make in Chicago alone a total of 10,000 additional men, who tween the direct contestants-the packing house proprietors on the one side and the butchers and helpers on the other.

The employes of the Union Stock yards mixed blue and white, brown and white, also helio and white; regular packing house employes, and while, in view of notices sent by commission houses to Heavy linen suitings in cream color, their country customers, shipments may fall off to some extent, it is expected that cattle, hogs and sheep will still continue to arrive from the west and south.

This expectation grows out of the fact that under the recent decision of the Interstate Commerce commission rates shall be equal to small and large shippers and that no rebates are permissible, the little slaughterers in Chicago and the east will require more cattle on account of the decreased killing by the big packers on account of the strike.

Will Help Small Plants.

If the strike continues long it is quite probable that many small slaughterers will resume business again in the large cities throughout the country and that the large part of the cattle, sheep and hogs received at the Union Stock yards will be bought and shipped east. It is stated at the yards today that since the decision of the Interstate Commerce commission the purchases of animals on the hoof for eastern consumption have so largely increased that they are now almost equal to the total bought by the local packers.

It is not likely that the strikers will interfere with the small slaughterers throughout the country, inasmuch as the more work they do the more they will injure the business of the big packers, upon whom alone the strikers have made demands

The Union Stock yards people are taking a calm view of the situation, and while business at the yards will undoubtedly show a falling off, it is believed that recelpts and shipments will by no means come to a standstill at the yards and that the supply will be sufficient to take care of the local and eastern demand.

Out at the Morton Plant,

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 12 .- (Special Telegram.)-The employes of the Morton Gregson Packing company went on a boats left Port Arthur at 8 o'clock Sunday strike this morning, and the plant is practically tied up as a consequence. trouble started some time ago when the employes and one of the company's watchmen. Jack Farely, had some trouble. A strike was threatened at that time, but Farely resigned and no trouble ensued. Farely returned to work this morning and the men went on strike, as threatened, The Mortons are here this morning trying to settle the matter, and the trouble is

Eight Thousand Out at Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, July 12-Eight thousand meat cutters, butchers and others affiliated with the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen's uni ting the entire forces in those departments in the six big packing plants here, struck today in response to President Donnelly's order of yesterday calling the men out. As a result all of the plants are shut down, and 12,000 employes in the various departments are affected.

Those out or affected by the strike of the took up a position on the heights west of spite the situation, is brisk and many ships as follows: Armour, 3,500; Swift, 2,800; meat cutters or butchers are distributed Cudahy, 2,500; Schwarzchild & Sulzberger, 2,000; Fowler, 1,200; Ruddy Brothers, 800. Many of the men went out during the morning, the others following at noon, the hour set by President Donnelly. The men following President Donnelly's order secured their tools and in most instances left for their homes. At one or two places they remained about the plants, but no

> signs of trouble were apparent. The packers in this city were in unusually good condition, having but a small quantity of stock on hand to work up, and all this was cleaned up by noon, the men working until this work had been accomplished. It is believed the plants will remain practically idle for a few deys, the managers making no especial effort to fill the places of the strikers.

None of the packing houses bought at the tock yards today. There are about 2,000 hogs on hand at the yards and these probably will be returned to the country.

Think It Will Not Last Long. "All of our men are out," said Louis Reinhart, who has charge of the strike in Kansas City. "All the men of our unions who were at work came out and there are as many again who were not at the plants today that will not go to work until the strike is settled. All the men have been instructed to stay away from the plants and avoid any violence. We do not expect the strike will last long. but we can stand it all summer if neces-

The packers have less to say. They do not expect the strike to last long and some houses may attempt to kill a few animals tomorrow.

Many of the men were opposed to going Some fived in the district affected by the recent floods and did not feel much like losing time and wages. It is partly on this account that the packers feel reasonably sure that the strikers in Kansas City will not continue the fight long. Up the last moment the strikers hoped. and many were confident, that an agree ment would be reached with the packers, which would prevent the strike.

Many of the men refused to go to work to avoid being classed hereafter as strikers. They simply laid off. All the large packing houses have their own force of watchmen, who have the

same power to arrest as the city_police.

Throat Rest

Tickling in the throat. Constant desire to cough. You know about it. Feels uncomfortable through the day. Keeps you awake at night. Doctors prescribe Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for this tickling. A dose at bedtime puts the throat at rest.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for 40 years. It is a splendid family medicine to keep on hand for all throat and lung troubles."-Mrs. J. K. Norcross, Waltham, Mass. 25c-36c- \$1.64.

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PLANTS EMPTIED After the men went out, many new men

EAST ST. LOUIS, IN., July 11 -Follow ing a lively session of the local union of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers' association it was decided to declare a strike, and at noon today more than 5,000 butchers and cutters employed by the packing houses here stopped work. The strike is general throughout the west and follows a demand for increased wages. Officials of East St. Louis packing houses declare that they are willing to discuss the demands made by the butchers and cutters, and that the bone of contention is the scale demanded for unskilled labor. The men quit work very quietly and there were no disturbances when they left

the stock yards, While the authorities did not anticipate any trouble, precautions were taken, and Murphy of Cudahy's said when he read in part, voluntarily or otherwise, according the sheriff of St. Clair county arrived at to the developments in the struggle be- the stock yards early in the day. The the sheriff of St, Clair county arrived at the item: stock yards are cutside the limits of East' St. Louis and consequently the police department has no jurisdiction there. Several is shut down we will give the machinery additional patroimen were stationed on the here are not affected by the strike of the beat nearest the stock yards, however, to overhauling." thwart possible trouble

St. Joseph Houses Idle. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 12- More than 5.000 employes of Swift and company, Nelson Morris & Co. and the Hammond Packing Co. in South St. Joseph, went out on a strike at noon today and the plants have losed down. The strikers are orderly and here has been no attempt at a demonstraion of any kind. Many of the strikers ingregated about headquarters of the packing trades council and discussed the situation among themselves. About 700 men employed in the yards of the packing houses and many employed by the stock yards company are thrown out by the

strike. Representatives of the packing companies say that at present no attempt will be made to resume killing. They were prepared for the walkout, they say, and have not been advised as to the future course of their companies.

The workmen cleaned up the premises and finished all work in hand before walk-

Will Try Nonunion Help. should they be unsuccessful in securing exmen did not want to quit work and that win their point. many employes have said they would return to work should the strike continue rather more severe in Omaha than in Sloux longer than what might be considered a City or Kansas City, fully 20 per cent. reasonable time for the settlement of dif- of the men going out in Omaha, while ferences with the laborers. The packers about 75 per cent, went out in Sloux City, say there will be no advance in the price and only 80 per cent. in Kansas City. of fresh meats for several days, as they

have a large supply on hand. Sloux City Strikers Orderly. SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 12.-(Special Telegram.)-The striking packing house workers held a big meeting tonight at Krumman's hall. More than 1,000 persons were in attendance, the crowd overflowing into the street. Speeches were made by Charles McGuire, president of the local butchers' union, who had received the strike order from Chicago, and others. They spoke against violence or demonstrations on the part of the strikers. They urged the right of the packers to employ nonunion men if they so desired. The Sloux City strikers have no personal grievance against the packing company. They are satisfied with their wages and the strike here is purely a sympathetic one. About 900 men are out.

Some Firms Reach Settlement. ST. PAUL, July 18 .- Unless notified from Chicago that an agreement has been reached the butchers and meat cutters, in-Company, numbering nearly 1,000 persons, will go on a strike at noon today. Swift and Company is the only packing concern in this district which will be affected by the strike order, as the other and smaller concerns have made satisfactory settlements with their employes.

The strike will mean a suspension of all he live stock business in the northwest. The first step in that direction was a meet. ng of the commission men to agree on plan of action. The only course apparently open was that the commission men notify shippers to hold their stock for the pres-

Such a situation if continued, it is said, would reduce the supply of meat in this city to a vanishing point and run prices up to the top figures.

Out at Fort Worth. FORT WORTH, July 12.-Between 400 and 500 men including butchers, meat cutters and cellar men employed at the packng plants of Armour and Swift, struck today. The men say they know little of the controversy between the union and the packers. They are simply obeying the orders of the union.

CAUSE OF THE PRESENT TROUBLE

Secretary of Meat Cutters' Union Say: It is for Old Contract. SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 12.-Homer D. Call of this city, secretary and treasurer of the International Meat Cutters and Butchers' union, said today:

Butchers' union, said today:

Our contract with the packers, which was for a year, expired in June. "We then met the representatives of the "Big Six" in conference and offered to renew the old contract with its scale of wages in the sixty-eight different departments of the packing business. This the packers refused to do. They wanted to cut down the wages of "common labor," as they called it. This virtually meant that they would reduce the wages of 55 per cent of their employes.

The union refused to accept these terms and the matter was placed before the local unions by a referendum vote. It resulted unanimously against accepting the terms of the packers.

The statements that have been made to the effect that we are fighting for a closed shop and an increase in wages are untrue. We are asking for neither. The standard would mean an increase in wages for some parts, but it would also mean a corresponding decrease in wages in other departmens of the packing houses.

MRS. THORNET KILLS HERSELF Actress Once Resident of Omaha Takes Morphine at New York Hotel.

Yates Attends Reception.

NEW YORK, July 11 .- (Special Telegram.)-Mrs. Minnie Thornet, aged 30 years, formerly of Omaha, where relatives are said to reside, and recently a well known actress in Columbus, and in stock comdied here yesterday at Bellevue hospital of an overdose of morphine taken while at the hotel Momford, July 7. It is not believed the poison was taken with sultidal intent.

Mrs. Frances Warde, stopping at the Metropolitan hotel here, is her nearest friend in this city. No person by the name of Minnie Thornet

s known by any of the theater men of men of North America, said: Omaha. Pony Moore knew of a Minnie Thernton, a singing soubrette, who occasionally appeared on the Omaha boards, but no one of the name Thornet. No such woman is known at the Boyd theater. Mr. Vali said:

ST. LOUIS, July 12 —Governor Richard Tates of Illinois was the guest of honor at a military reception tendered by the second regiment, Illinois National Guard, upon his arrival at the World's fair today. He was met at the main entrance by the entire regiment and escorted to the Illinois state pavilton, where he reviewed the parade. scale at other packing centers." Tuesday, Mr. Vail said that he estimated

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instructions that there be no picketing and above all, no disorder. About 80 per cent of the men leaving the plants yesterday appeared reluctant On the sfdewalk near Armour's several employes of the plant were talking, when one was heard to remark: 'Say,' Bill, what the deuce are we striking for, anyway? We ain't got no kick coming about our pay.'

Bill replied: "Damfino."

A statement was made in another Omaha paper last evening to the effect that the packers were preparing to bring men here from out in the country and open the plants with green hands. General Manager "I wish you would correct that statement

The packers do not propose to do any-thing of the kind. While the Cudahy plant in some of the departments a thorough

Calls Strike Unjustifiable. In taiking with a reporter for The Bee last evening regarding the strike R. Murphy, general manager of the Cudahy plant,

"The men in our employ made no demand whatever upon us, but delegates from their union conferred with us regarding what ouh intentions were and we stated to them that It was our intention to go along and do business as long as we were permitted to on the lines that we were on. They stated to us, however, that it would be necessary for us to sign an agreement to that effect, which we could not see our way clear to do, as we felt that we were not bound to make any promises, as they could not give us any assurance as to whether the men would strike or not, providing we signed same.

"Our laborers at present are receiving minimum of 19 cents per hour, while in Chicago they are fighting to get a minnum of 1814 cents per hour, or, in other words, a half cent an hour less than we have been paying for years to our laborers

here. "There was no justification whatever in The managers of the four packing plants their calling out the employes from the in South St. Joseph, Swift's, Hammond's, Missouri river points, as the men were Nelson Morris and the St. Joseph, said to- perfectly satisfied, but the union evidently night that efforts would at once be made felt that they could not cope with the to operate the plants with nonunion labor packers unless they called them out at all points, compelling those at the Missouri perienced union help. The packers say the river points to help the union in Chicago "Our treatment by the union men was

Meat Shipped Out.

All of the packers shipped out large consignments of meats in refrigerator cars, but no larger than usual. Beef luggers and car loaders worked until the cars billed for shipment yesterday were loaded, and then they quit. No reduction in the office force at any of the plants will be made. The full in business just now will give the clerks a chance to catch up on their work. A few special policemen have been sworn in by the fire and police board. This matter was easily arranged; all that was necessary was for the packers to present a list of men they wanted to employ as deputies to the board and the usual form of application and bond filled out. Only half a dozen specials for each plant were sworn

Superintendent John O'Hern of Armour's yesterday said: "We began paying at 3 o'clock this afternoon and it was nearly 6 o'clock when the paymasters finished. The timekeepers will get up a report for familiar with the northwestern saltuation. me some time today and then I can tell cluding the girls employed by Swift and exactly how many men left this plant. We employ altogether about 2,000 people." Superintendent Patrick Sheehy of Cudahy's said his plant would not pay until Thursday at 10 a. m.

Swift's paid yesterday afternoon, and until the timekeepers' reports are completed the exact number of men leaving this plant will not be known.

Packers Want Saloons Closed. Rumors were current on the streets Tues day afternoon to the effect that the fire and police commissioners proposed ordering all of the saloons closed. Member Nolan of the board said in relation to this

"It is true that the packers have asked us to close the saloons, but as long as there is no disturbance there is no necessity for such action. One thing that the commissioners will do, however, is to put a stop to 'can rushing.' By doing this we think that a great deal of over-indulgence in beer will be done away with. Another order to be issued to saloon men is that liquor. If a drunken man is found in a saloon by the police the place will be This play has been very successful so far. closed.

proprietors.

Everything was quiet at labor headquarters last evening. Vice President Vall was and prettiest plays he has ever staged, in his office most of the time talking with and that means a good deal. The members leaders of the various unions. "While no of the company have been giving it unuopen expressions were made, ft was evident sual attention, and a splendid performance from the tenor of the conversation that may be looked for. the strikers expect to win the fight.

Purely Sympathetic Strike. While discussing the situation and the ause of the strike General Manager Howe of Armour & Co., said:

"Our men here did not make any demand upon us at all, they simply told us that they were going to quit work at noon on Tuesday. We are paying 19 cents an hour for unskilled labor and have been for a long time. The men are striking to force the packers to sign a uniform scale of 181/2 cents an hour for unskilled labor when we are paying them is cents. The strike hero is purely sympathetic. The majority of our men did not want to quit work but did so because the unions to which they belong ordered them to do so. South Omaha is getting the worst of this deal, as the highest per cent of men went out here. "At South St. Paul the laborers, over

whom the fight is being made, did not go out at all, only the butchers quitting. In New York City the butchers declined to obey the order to strike and are still at work.

"Our men certainly had no grievance and they did not make any demand for a readjustment of the scale. They struck out of sympathy in face of the fact that the wages paid to laborers by the packers here is higher than in almost any other industry. The unions in Chicago asked the other packing centers to support them in a movement to secure an increase in pay for unskilled labor and the other unions did not like to refuse Chicago." When asked as to the possible duration

of the strike Mr. Howe said as it had just started he had not the slightest idea. In reply to a question as to what brought about the present strike, Stephen Vail, second vice president of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Work-

"Because the packers refused to sign a scale making 18% cents an hour the minimum price to be paid for unskilled labor. That is all there is to it." Continuing, "We are not asking for an advance is

wages for unskilled labor here; what we want is to bring about this minimum Regarding the number of men at the plants who went out at South Omaha the number at 4,000, but had no complete

DIES AS RESULT OF POISON New York Bair Dresser Believed to

Have Been Killed by Strange Woman.

NEW YORK, July 12 .- Minnie Bardorf. 27 years old, a hair dresser, residing here with her mother, is dying from the effects of poison, alleged to have been administered by a woman whose identity has not yet been learned by the police. Miss Bardorf was brought home yesterday by the mytesrious woman, who left her on the stoop of the house in a state of col-

The woman called some children who were playing nearby and, leaving Miss Bardorf with them, hurrled away. When Miss Bardorf's condition was ascertained by a physician she was hurried to a hospital, where she has not since regained consciousness.

Late today the police found a woman who had been with Miss Bardorf yesterday afternoon and this woman said she believed Miss Bardorf had taken some drug because she was despondent on account of the marriage of a man to whom she was engaged.

FATAL CLOUDBURST IN OREGON

Two Nonogenarians Die in Flood Which Sweeps Over Town of Mitchell.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 12 .- A special the Telegram gives meager particulars of a cloudburst, accompanied by loss of life and great damage to property near Mitchell, in Wheeling county. Mrs. Bethune, aged 90 years, and Martin Smith, 91, were drowned. Twenty-eight houses in Mitchell were destroyed.

A terrific rainstorm occurred in the mountains back of Mitchell, causing Bridge and Mill creeks to become bankfull and overflow the lowlands. The two creeks unite several bundred yards above Mitchell and the converging of the waters created a wall of water twenty feet high, which swept down toward the town in a mad rush, destroying everything before Mitchell has a population of about

During the past ten days eastern Ore gon has been the scene of many cloudbursts. Farms have been flooded and great damage has resulted.

WAITER WANTED FOR MURDER Jess Shields Arrested, Charged with Killing Manager at the Tom-

boy Mine at Telluride. TELLURIDE, Colo., July 12.-Jess W. Shields, a member of the Cooks' and Waiters' union, has been arrested at Silverton on the charge of having murdered Arthur collins, the English manager of the Tomboy mine at Telluride, who was shot from ambush about a year ago. Shields also is accused of having killed J. W. Barney a deputy employed at the Smuggler-Union mine, near Telluride, who disappeared three years ago. Shields was brought to Telluride today.

MILWAUKEE ROAD DENIES RUMOR

Alleges No Truth in Story it Has Pur chased Wisconsin Central. ST. PAUL, July 12.-The Dispatch today says that rumors of the sale of the Wisconsin Central to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, which have been current since the dissolution of the voting trust, are accepted as true by many officials who are It is declared that an official statement will be forthcoming within sixty days which will define the Wisconsin Central as a property either owned outright or controlled and operated as a part of the Milwaukee system. It is stated that the Central's shops have suffered heavy reductions in forces and that many men and

a considerable amount of machinery have

been transferred to the Milwaukee shops at West Milwaukee, Wis. MILWAUKEE, July 12.-There appears o be absolutely no truth in the rumor of the sale of the Wisconsin Central to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. A high official of the Wisconsin, when shown the dispatch, made the following statement: It is absolutely untrue that men and machinery have been transferred from the Fond Du Lac shops to the Milwaukee shops of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul rellway. Anyone who has read the so-called "merger decision" will understand how impossible it is for a competing line to control the Wisconsin Central.

Announcements of the Theaters. This afternoon and evening at the Boye theater the Ferris Stock company will no intoxicated person is to be served with give the closing performances of the pretty southern romance, "The Blue Grass Belle On tomorrow evening the opening per-Today Chief Briggs will make a round of formance of "My Lady's Heart," a new the saloons and read these orders to the play with a strong motive and some most intense situations, will be given. Director Long says that this is one of the s'rongest

At Krug Park.

The opening of a return cugagement o the Kilpatrick Brothers' Novelty Circus at Krug park last night attracted a large crowd to this beautiful resort. The per formances were even better than upon their former engagement. These performance stand in a sphere by thomselves, the quaint originality and novel manger of presentation proves unusually attractive. gagement lasts until and including the two performances on Sunday, July 17, and per formances will be given every afternoon and evening this week.

Osteopaths in Session. ST. LOUIS, July 12.—The second session of the American Osteopathic association was held today in the Missouri state pa-villon. An address was made by the presi-

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dent, Charles Hazzard of New York City. Papers were read by W. J. Conner of Kansas City and Mrs. A. L. Conver of Akron. O. Clinics were conducted by Carl C. McConnell of Chicago and Guy C. Leudon of Burlington, Vt. The discussions were led by B. Webb Grandberry of Orange, N. J., and B. H. Stearns of Washington, D. C.

Labor Statisticians Meet. CONCORD. N. H., July 12.—The twentieth annual convention of the Association of Officials of Bureau of Labor Statistics of America began here today.

HEAD SOLID SORE

Awful Suffering of Baby and Sleepless Nights of Mother.

BY CUTICURA

Skin Fair as a Lily with no Scar to Recall Awful Sore Writes Mother.

"I berewith write out in full the beginning and end of that terrible disease, eczema, which caused my babe untold suffering and mysalf many sleepless

"My babe was born scemingly a fair, healthy child, but when she was three weeks old a swelling appeared on the back of her head, and in course of time broke. It did not heal but grew worse, and the sore spread from the size of a dime to that of a dollar. I used all kinds of remedies that I could think of, but nothing seemed to help; in fact, it grew worse. Her hair feil out where the sore was, and I feared it would never grow again. It continued until my aged father came on a visit, and when he saw the baby he told me to get Cuti-cura Soap and Ointment right away.

To please him I did so, and to my surprise by their use the sore began to heal over, the hair grew over it, and to-day she has a nice head of hair, her skin is as fair as a lily, and she has no scar left to recall that awful sore, and it is over eight months and no sign of

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