

# BLOOMINGTON PROGRESS.

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## The Railroad.

The project of building a line of railway from Greensburg by the way of Columbus, Nashville, Bloomington and Bloomfield, to intersect one of the great thoroughfares to St. Louis, is one whose magnitude and importance can scarcely be realized. Such a route would certainly be the most direct from Cincinnati, and the last to the very heart of the West (St. Louis), forming a successful competing line with the Ohio and Mississippi and the Indianapolis and Terre Haute roads, with decided advantages over either, being the shortest, and passing through some of the largest inland towns and cities, while not affected so much by the cheaper rates of steamboats on the rivers.

In addition to this, the road through this State would, in great part, penetrate a large section of country, now without railroad facilities, and reaching with inexhaustible mines of ore, coal, stone and timber, while at the same time raising as much corn, wheat and other grains for market, as any other belt of equal extent in this, or any other State. Decatur, Bartholomew, and Monroe, with their abundant crops, Brown, Greene, Owen, Clay and Sullivan, with their Stone, Timber, Coal and Iron, would produce a local trade that alone would render the road a profitable one to its managers.

Indeed, no further guarantee would be required than the fact that it would be strictly an East and West line. The experience of all railroads has been, that almost any line of railway extending from East to West proves a profitable investment, though North and South, and frequently diagonal lines end in failures or never pay the first investments. By a glance at the Geography of the country it will be perceived that to carry the line to Vincennes or even to Terre Haute, we have a perfect cut off from the more northern route by the way of Indianapolis, or the Southern one via the O. & M. Road, being at Bloomington about sixty miles from either—by which there will be no competition between them as to local patronage.

We have said this much as to the general advantages and prospects of the project, only that the glance might convey some idea of the importance of the scheme, not only to us as citizens of this particular section of country, but as citizens of a great State, interested in its fullest development.

But it is its local necessity and importance that most strongly demands our attention and commands our efforts, and on this point we can add little that has not heretofore been said in our columns. It will open up to railway facilities a rich portion of Decatur, Bartholomew, Brown, Monroe, and all other counties through which it may pass enhance the value of their land, and the price of their products. I will also cut down the excessive freight and passenger rates of the railways upon which the counties are now dependent, and which, from the absence of competition, charge just what they please, not what they should. These two facts alone will be of invaluable benefit to the country—to its farmers, its merchants, its manufacturers, and its mechanics. Just now, we have not the room to elucidate, nor is it even necessary. Common sense, aided by a little observation teaches us all the truth of these facts.—Columbus Bulletin.

A railroad meeting was held at Nashville, Brown county, on the 28th ult. A communication was received from the Springfield Effingham and Southeastern Railroad, of Illinois, suggesting an extension of their road east from the Wabash at Mermon, via Sullivan, Wortington, Bloomfield, Nashville, Columbus and Greensburg, for the Eastern outlet, and asking a survey from the Wabash, on the above route, and showing that said route was a straight through line from Greensburg, Columbus, Nashville, Bloomington, Wortington and Sullivan, Indiana, through Effingham and Vandalia, Illinois, to St. Louis. Steps were taken to effect an organization, by the appointment of a committee to draft articles of Association. Another meeting will be held on Monday next, at which time the committee will report. Bully for Brown county.—Martinsville Gazette.

Cyrus L. Heffren, well known to most of the readers of this item, fell dead about 1 o'clock p. m., yesterday, near the foot of East Main street, while walking out toward his home. Coroner McClanahan was at once notified of the fact, when he proceeded to summon a jury and hold an inquest. Verdict, in substance, "death from the excessive use of strong drink."—Salem Mercury.

## Awards

Of Premiums by the Monroe Co. Agricultural Society, at their Fair, held Aug. 31, and Sept. 1st, 2d and 3d, 1869:

**STALLIONS**—four years old and over  
1st John Wylie, \$15.00  
2d P. S. Chase, 10.00  
do 3 years old and under 4  
1st C. W. Preston, 12.00  
2d C. F. Snodgrass, 8.00  
do 2 years old and under 3  
1st Wm. Whisenand, 9.00  
2d Henry McCalls, 6.00  
do 1 year old and under 2  
1st Joseph Bunker, 7.00  
2d John W. Johnson, 5.00  
do 1 year old and under 1  
1st Andrew Gordon, 5.00  
2d A. Labertew, 3.00

**MARES**—general purposes  
1st Thomas Dougherty, \$15.00  
2d Jonathan Bailey, 9.00  
do 3 years old and under 4  
1st A. Labertew, 12.00  
2d James Swearingen, 7.00  
do 2 years old and under 3  
1st J. M. Gray, 3.00  
2d Dan Boone, 5.00  
do 1 year old and under 2  
1st Jasper Cox, 4.00  
2d Nac Clay Houston, 4.00  
do 1 year old and under 1  
1st J. B. Cox, 4.00  
2d C. M. Houston, 2.00

**GELDINGS**—general purposes—4 years old and over  
1st Dan Boone, 10.00  
2d McCollough & Worley, 8.00  
do 3 years old and under 2  
1st E. Mitchell, 7.00  
2d 2 years old and under 3  
1st Thos N. Mathers, 5.00

**STALLIONS**—heavy draught—4 years old and over  
1st Samuel Graham, 16.00  
2d J. W. Johnson, 8.00  
do 2 years old and under 3  
1st G. W. Preston, 9.00  
2d 1 year old and under 2  
1st John K. Anderson, 3.00  
2d A. Labertew, 2.00  
do light draught, 4 years old and over  
1st H. R. Stevenson, 12.00  
2d Daniel Jones, 8.00  
do 3 years old and under 4  
1st C. F. Snodgrass, 3.00  
2d Marcellus Headley, 7.00  
do any age under 3 years  
1st Wm. Whisenand, 5.00  
2d Wm. Rogers, 3.00

**MARES**—light draught, 4 years old and over  
1st E. Henderson, 12.00  
2d Simms & Barnard, 8.00  
do 3 years old and under 4  
1st Marcellus Headley, 9.00  
2d Dan Boone, 5.00  
do 1 year old and under 2  
1st Wm. Rogers, 3.00

**GELDINGS**—light draught, 4 years old and over  
1st P. G. Pauley, 10.00  
2d J. C. Worley, 7.00

**LIGHT DRAUGHT GELDINGS**—3 years old and under 4  
1st Edward Mitchell, \$3.00  
(no competition)  
—any age under 3 years old  
1st Thomas N. Mathers, \$3.00

**Pairs of Horses and Mares.**  
Best pair of horses or mares, both the same sex, owned and kept by one person, for general purposes, regardless of color, shown in harness.  
1st Smith & Barnard, \$10.00  
2d Thomas Dougherty, \$7.00  
Best trained driving horses or mares, both the same sex, style, training and gait considered, regardless of color, in harness.  
1st Simms & Barnard, \$10.00  
2d E. Henderson, \$7.00  
Best matched horses or mares, 4.  
1st E. Henderson, \$10.00  
2d F. H. Bryant, \$7.00

**Saddle Horses or Mares.**  
Best trotting horse or mare, any age.  
1st Simms & Barnard, \$5.00  
2d Wm. Ragshide, \$5.00  
Best pacing horse or mare, any age.  
1st Simms & Barnard, \$8.00  
2d Tim Starks, \$5.00  
Best racing horse or mare, any age.  
1st Simms & Barnard, \$5.00  
2d Dan Boone, \$5.00  
Best riding gelding or mare, any age, 3 gait.  
1st W. A. Ragshide, \$8.00  
2d Simms & Barnard, 5.00

**Best Saddle Stallion, 3 gait.**  
1st R. W. Guy, \$8.00  
2d Simms & Barnard, 5.00

**Fast Horses—Time inside 4 minutes.**  
Fastest trotting stallion, 4 years and over.  
1st Cal Simms, \$15.00  
2d B. S. Chase, 8.00  
Fastest pacing stallion, 4 years and over.  
1st Dan Boone, \$15.00  
2d Cal Simms, 3.00

**Fastest trotting gelding or mare 4 years and over.**  
1st Legg & Johnson, \$15.00  
2d Dan Boone, 8.00  
Fastest pacing gelding or mare, 4 years and over.  
1st E. Henderson, \$15.00  
2d B. S. Chase, 8.00  
Fastest pacing gelding or mare, 3 years old and over.  
1st Lowry Brannan, 7.00  
2d no entry

**Brood Mares.**  
Best brood mares  
1st A. Labertew 15.00  
2d John R. Anderson, 8.00

**Steeplechase on Horses.**  
1st Dan Boone, Lawrence co., 10.00

**Best Mare**  
1st Simms & Barnard, Morgan county 10.00

**Best Stallion**  
1st S. Graham, Greene co., 10.00

**Fastest pacing horse, mare or gelding, any age**  
1st Dan Boone, Lawrence co. (Tom Crowder) time 2:34  
2d 00

**Fastest trotting horse, mare or gelding, any age**  
1st Chas. Moore, Ellettsville, time 3:12, 20.00

**Fastest walking horse or mare**  
1st W. A. Legg, Bloomington, 5.00

**Class B—Jacks, Jennets and Mules.**  
Best Jack, 3 years old and over  
1st J. W. Johnson, 10.00  
2d J. J. Alexander, 6.00  
Best Jack 1 year old and under 2 years  
1st J. D. Finley, 5.00  
2d no entry

**Best Jennet, 3 years old and over**  
1st J. A. Smith, 3.00  
2d J. J. Alexander, 2.00  
Best Mule, 3 years old and over  
1st Jas. Campbell, 5.00  
2d Wm. Roddy, 3.00  
Best mule, 1 year old and under 2  
1st Sam Wallingford, 3.00  
2d Wm. Roddy, 6.00

**Sweepstakes on Jacks.**  
1st J. W. Johnson, 10.00  
only one entry

**CLASS C—BREEDING CATTLE—BULLS.**  
only one entry  
do bull calf  
1st A. Labertew, 4.00  
2d Sam Dinsmore, 3.00

**BREEDING CATTLE—COWS.**  
1st A. Labertew, 10.00  
2d A. Labertew, 7.00  
do 2 years old and under

1st Henry Eller, 8.00  
2d Henry Eller, 5.00  
3rd 1 year old and under  
1st Henry Eller, 6.00  
only one entry  
best fattest cow or steer  
1st All 4 Maxwells, 10.00  
best pair, one cattle, 4 years old, only one entry

**SWEETSTAKES ON CATTLE.**  
1st Henry Eller, 8.00  
best bull  
Henry Eller, 10.00  
only one entry  
best cow  
1st A. Labertew, 10.00  
best head of 5 head of cattle, 1  
Lu and 4 heifers or cows  
only one entry  
best thorough bred bull  
1st Henry Eller, 10.00  
only one entry  
best rough bred cow  
1st A. Labertew, 2.00

**CLASS D—HORSES**  
best horse 2 years old and over  
1st Henry Stansfield, 6.00  
only one entry  
best horse, one year old and under  
1st Jas or Cox, 5.00  
2d A. H. Paring, 3.00  
best horse, 3 to 12 months old  
1st Henry Eller, 3.00  
2d Hen R. Dunn, 2.00  
best 6 months and under 6 months old  
1st A. Leuchman, 5.00  
only one entry

**SOWS.**  
best sow, 5 years old and over  
1st Henry Eller, 6.00  
2d Wm R. Curtis, 4.00  
best sow, 3 to 12 months old  
1st Hen R. Dunn, 3.00  
2d Henry Eller, 2.00  
best pig, 3 to 6 months old  
1st H. L. Campbell, 2.00  
2d C. F. Snodgrass, 1.00  
best sow with not less than 5 piglets under 2 months old  
1st Henry Eller, 3.00  
L. E. McKinley, 3.00  
fastest pig  
A. Ketchum, 4.00  
only one entry

**SWEETSTAKES ON HOGS.**  
1st Henry Eller, 5.00  
best sow  
1st H. R. Dunn, 5.00  
2d Samuel A. Smith, 3.00  
best buck, 2 years old and over  
1st Samuel A. Smith, 3.00  
2d Samuel A. Smith, 1.50  
best buck, 1 year old and under 2  
1st Samuel A. Smith, 2.00  
only one entry

**CLASS E—LONG WOOL SHEEP.**  
best ewe, 2 years old and over  
1st Sam I. A. Smith, 3.00  
2d Samuel A. Smith, 1.50  
best ewe, 1 year old and under 2  
1st Samuel A. Smith, 2.00  
only one entry  
1st ewe, 2 years old and over  
1st Sam I. A. Smith, 3.00  
2d Samuel A. Smith, 1.50  
best ewe, 1 year old and under 2  
1st Samuel A. Smith, 2.00  
only one entry

**FINE WOOL SHEEP.**  
best ewe, 2 years old and over  
1st Dan J. Stout, 3.00  
2d Daniel J. Stout, 1.50  
best buck lamb  
1st Daniel J. Stout, 1.00  
2d Daniel J. Stout, .50  
best ewe, two years old and over  
1st Daniel J. Stout, 3.00  
2d Daniel J. Stout, 1.50  
best ewe, 1 year old  
1st Daniel J. Stout, 2.00  
2d Daniel J. Stout, 1.00  
best ewe lamb  
1st Daniel J. Stout, 1.00  
2d Daniel J. Stout, .50  
no competition on any of the above fine Wool Sheep

**CLASS F—POULTRY.**  
best pair chickens  
1st W. H. Bodkins, 2.00  
2d Louis Baker, 1.00  
best pair ducks  
1st James Spring, 2.00  
best collection of poultry  
1st W. H. Bodkins, 3.00

**GREEN RING.**  
fastest piglet, time never made  
1st Cal's piglet, time 3:09, 6.00  
6 entries: made, fees given as premiums  
fastest rucking by horses, that have never made inside 4 min.  
1st Simms & Barnard, time 3:17, 7.00  
7 entries  
fast trotting by horse that have never made inside 4 min.  
1st Legg & Johnson, time 3:25, 7.00

**CLASS A—THOROUGHBRED STALLIONS.**  
1st H. R. Stevenson, 10.00  
2d 00

**CLASS A—THOROUGHBRED MARES.**  
1st Simms & Barnard, 10.00

**Equestrian Riding, by Boys under 15 years old.**  
1st Wm. Campbell, 4.00  
2d John Reeves, 2.00  
7 entries

**Best Velocipede Riding.**  
1st Joseph A. Green 5.00  
no competition

**Best Thresher.**  
1st Whitman & Co., 10.00  
no competition

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
Showers & Hendrix, best bedstead \$8.00  
Showers & Hendrix, best bureau, 5.00  
Hovey & Fish, best sewing machine, 4.00  
D. H. Sharber, 2d best sewing machine, 2.00  
Griffith & Davis, specimen horseshoeing, 2.00  
Allen & Co, best cook stove, 3.00  
Allen & Co, best grain drill, 5.00  
Allen & Co, lot of iron ware, 2d prem, 2.00  
Allen & Co, cider press, 2d prem, 2.00  
A. McGinnis, two horse wagon, 12.00  
Seward & Co, two horse fallow ground plow, 5.00  
Seward & Co, two horse double shovel, 3.00  
Seward & Co, sowing mill, 5.00  
Seward & Co, best iron and apparatus, 5.00  
J. Dinsmore, half dozen axe handles, 1.00  
Burgin & McKinley, cook stove, 2d prem 3.00  
Ed Bullard, best wheelbarrow, 2.00  
W. H. Bodkins, lot of iron ware, 3.00  
Hovey & Fish, calash top buggy, 12.00  
Hovey & Fish, one horse rockaway, 12.00  
Hovey & Fish, two horse carriage, 15.00  
Allen & Co, best horse wagon, 2d prem, 8.00  
John Gurley, one horse open buggy, 10.00  
Jos. Gurley, one horse open buggy, 2d, 6.00  
" spring wagon, 10.00  
A. W. Allen, knitting machine, 4.00  
James Small, road scraper, 2.00  
" cider mill, 4.00  
grain drill, 1.00  
A. Holtzman & Son, 10 yds wool carpet, 3.00  
" 10 yards jeans, 2d prem, 1.00  
" 10 yards paid daniel, 2.00  
" 10 yards solid colored flannel, 2.00  
" 10 yards white flannel, 2.00  
" pair white blankets, 2d, 1.00  
" pair colored blankets, 2.00  
" one pound wool yarn, 1.00  
" 10 yards cassimere, 2d, 1.00

**Sanders & Sons, pair blankets, 3.00**  
" 10 yards cassimere, 3.00  
" 10 yards jeans, 2.00  
" 10 yards cassimere, 2.00  
" 10 yards flannel, 2d prem, 1.00  
" specimen of yarn, 2d prem, 1.00  
Mrs C. P. Tuley, pair of cotton stockings, 1.00  
E. V. Mitchell, six cuts flex sewing thread, 1.00  
" pair woolen mittens, 1.00  
" pair woolen mittens, 1.00  
Mrs Joshua Curtis, 10 yards rag carpet, 2d  
" 10 yards rag carpet, 2d prem, 2.00  
Mrs Mary Hays, 10 yards rag carpet, 3.00  
Mrs Thomas Carter, pair of cotton stockings, 1.00  
Mrs C. P. Tuley, best male woolen dress, 3.00  
" best male woolen dress, 1.00  
Mollie C. Smith, worsted quilt, 2d prem, 1.00  
Maggie Robinson, best made quilt, 2d prem, 2.00

Eva Stuss, scrap quilt, 2d prem, 1.00  
Mollie Clayton, calico quilt, set on, 2.00  
Mrs Isaac Adkins, worsted quilt, 2.00  
Mrs Henry Knight, scrap quilt, 2.00  
Mrs S. J. Beers, collection of millinery work in case, 5.00  
Mrs Ann Howe, chair tidy, 2d prem, 5.00  
Mrs Ann Howe, lamp mat, 1.00  
Mrs Sallie Worley, chair tidy, 1.00  
Mrs C. Nix, chair tidy, 1.00  
Mrs Ewing Hatterton, chair tidy, 2d prem 5.00  
Miss Belle Ryors, worsted chair tidy, 1.00  
Miss Belle Ryors, chemise pattern, 2d pr. 5.00  
Miss Mary Walker, pin cushion, 1.00  
" (2nd prem) 50c

Wm Emery, ladies' saddle, 4.00  
" riding bridle, 1.00  
W. F. Reed, man's saddle, 4.00  
J. D. Sheppard, double carriage harness, 5.00  
Henry Miller, 5 acres corn, 25.00  
H. H. Campbell, 50 ears white corn, 1.00  
J. C. Harrison, 40 ears, 1.00  
Sallie R. Mathers, six beds, 1.00  
J. O. McCollough, 5 lbs honey in comb, 1.00  
Henry Kott, 40 lbs flour, (2nd prem) 1.00  
M. Blair, 40 lbs Irish potatoes, (2nd pr) 1.00  
Mary E. Holtzman, pk lima beans, 1.00  
Mrs F. M. Kirby, loaf bread, salt rising, 1.00  
" 2 lbs butter, 2.00  
" cheese, 1.00  
" qt sorghum molasses, 1.00  
Leffler & Rice, 40 lbs flour, 3.00  
Mary A. Hovey, collection jellies, 3.00  
Mrs Isaac Helton, bread, yeast rising, 1.00  
" variety canned fruit, 3.00  
M. Alexander, col. jellies, (2nd prem) 2.00  
Mr Jno Orchard, collection pickles, 2.00  
" peach, sweet pickles, 1.00  
Mary A. Hovey, loaf bread, yeast rising, (2nd prem) 50c  
Mrs J. Orchard, 5 lbs honey, (2nd prem) 50c  
H. L. Edmondson, 40 lbs Irish potatoes, 2.00  
" 2 lbs maple sugar, 1.00  
Mrs House collection pears, (2nd prem) 1.00  
" grapes, 1.00  
Mrs J. J. Durand, collection green house plants, 5.00  
" verbenas, in bloom, 5.00  
" floral ornament and display of all kinds, arranged in any form, (2nd prem) 3.00  
" bouquet, (2nd prem) 50c  
" collection dahlias, 2.00  
" collection roses in bloom, 2.00  
" basket cut flowers, 2.00  
" roses, 2.00  
" bouquet flowers, 50c  
" floral ornament and display of all kinds arranged in any form, 5.00  
J. D. Lundberg, variety grapes, 3.00  
H. Miller, collection pears, (labelled) 3.00  
Jno Smith, " apples, " 3.00  
M. Blair " paintings, 2.00  
A. H. Paring, specimen fruit painting, 2.00  
H. Miller, pork barrel, 1.00  
" lard tierce, 1.00  
Mrs Tuley, toilet mat for wash stand, 1.00  
" " bureau, 1.00  
Lilly Eskirk, worsted scarf, (2nd prem) 50c  
E. V. Mitchell, housewife, 1.00  
M. Blair European oser, 1.00  
" basket made by hand, (2nd prem) 50c  
Mary E. Verner, agricultural wreath, 1.00  
Maggie Robinson, " " (2nd prem) 50c  
J. W. Shoemaker, show case, 3.00  
" case toilet perfume, 1.00  
" bottle Brady's Bitters, 1.00  
J. E. Koen, Hoop Skirt, 1.00  
J. Dinsmore, turned spokes, 1.00  
" hatchet handle, 1.00  
" adze handle, 1.00  
" maul handle, 1.00  
" pick handle, 1.00  
E. R. Hamilton, rifle, 4.00  
" shot gun, 3.00  
W. T. Allison, display dental work, 3.00  
M. J. Smith, display of jewelry in case, 5.00  
S. E. Nabb, work basket, 100  
W. H. Bodkins, 3 set stove trimmings, 2.00  
W. H. Bodkins, two copper stove boilers, 1.00  
John Waldron, artificial wreath, 1.00  
" woolen scarf, 1.00  
" bead basket, 1.00  
Mrs G. W. Hardin, thread lace, 1.00  
Ed. Bullard, hay frame, 2.00  
Wm. Miller, corn sheller, 2.00  
A. Holtzman, machine made baby dress, 1.00  
Mrs. C. Nutt, p'r worsted slippers, 1.00  
" wash stand mat, sec'd premium, 50c.  
Mary E. Holtzman, baby dress, 1.00  
Mrs. James Hughes, worsted shawl, 2.00

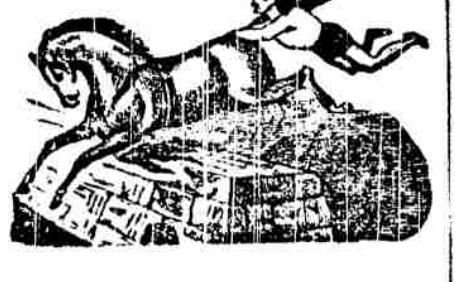
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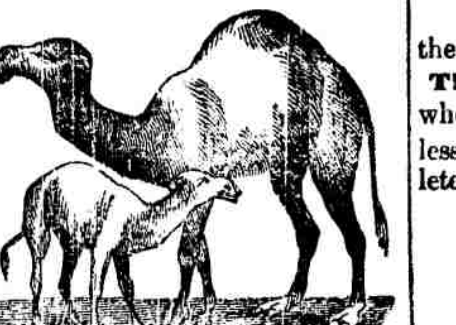
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The "Babes in the World," only 6 weeks old.



and the Polar Bear direct from the North Ocean, a Brown Gnu, a new variety of Llama, the Sacred Cattle, a Lioness with cubs, White Laughing Hyenas, Brazilian Jaguars, Senegal Leopards, South American Gnu, Gazelles, Panthers, Camels, Buffalo, Grizzly bear, Black Wolves, Kinnies, Black Bears, Zebu or Sacred Ox, Alibi Goats, Lamas, Dromedaries, Bisons, Axis Deer, Manx Swine, Striped Hyenas, Tapirs, Quagga, Zebras, Eagles, Ostriches, Peacocks, Vultures and a full array of Exotic Birds, Apes, Monkeys, etc., together with beautiful

BIRDS OF PARADISE. And a Host of CAMPBELL'S. Sterling information and rational amusement are here combined, and in beholding these wonderful specimens of the animal kingdom and the arctic displays, old and young will exclaim: A JOY FOREVER



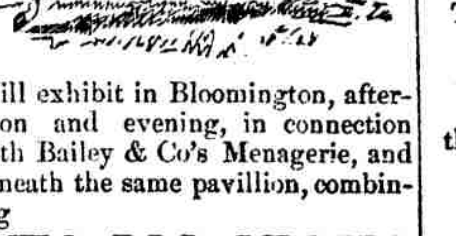
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this stupendous Caravan will enter town on the morning of exhibition, say at or about ten o'clock, in a grand free pageant 42 rods in length; preceded by the GREAT GOLDEN CHARIOT drawn by ten Camels and a

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TWO BIG SHOWS under one canvass, and all for one price of admission.

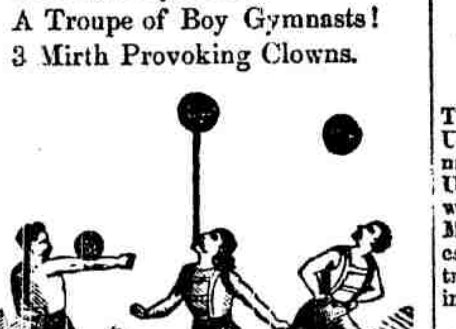


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JOSEPHINE ROWLAND, from Ashley's Amphitheater, London, and the dashing

MILLIE ZELLINE, one of the most accomplished riders in the world, and

MILLIE PAULINE, the beautiful and accomplished equestrian, from the Cirque Imperial, Paris.



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