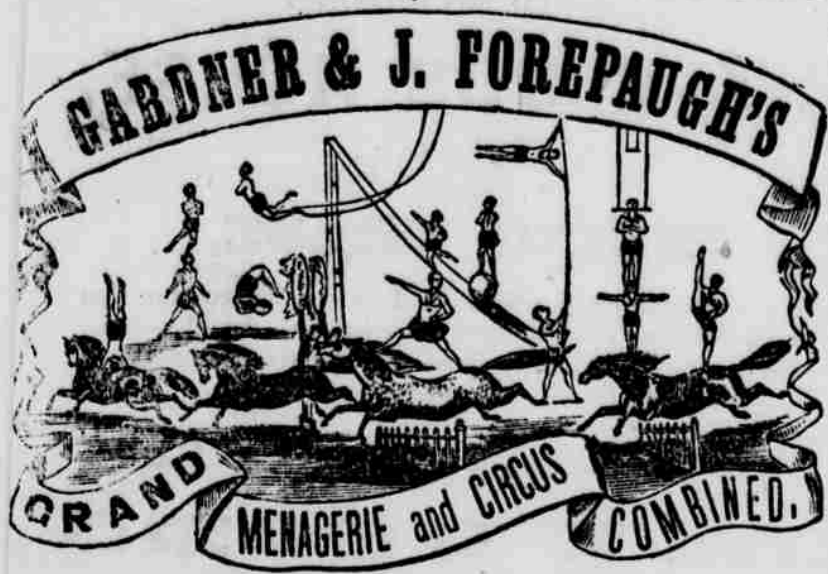


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Most Rare and Curious Animals and Birds
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ALL THE TRULY
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THE LARGEST AND BEST
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Every Member of the Circus Company a Bright Particular Star.
One Hundred and Fifty Horses
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Splendid Six Centre Pole Pavilion,

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On the morning of the day of Exhibition.

Admission, 50 Cents.
Children (under Ten Years), 25 Cents.
Doors open at 1 1/2 and 6 1/2 o'clock.



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OIL CITY, MAY 7TH.
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A full assortment of everything in the Hardware
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NO. 1 REFINED OIL.

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Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and dis-
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Responsible parties wishing to hire fishing tools
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Composed of a choice selection of the most cele-
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Every department complete, and represented by
Performers who are celebrated as being at the pin-
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ties.

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PRINCIPALS:

Dr. Jas. L. Thayer,

Whose reputation as Clown and Humorist is un-
approachable—as wit, invulnerable—as a gentleman,
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TOM BARRY,

"Merry England's Favorite Clown," whose late suc-
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MR. S. P. STICKNEY,

The Veteran Showman. Unequaled as an Eque-
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country.

La Belle Loyale

The Beautiful Lady Equestrian, direct from the
Cirque Napoleon, Paris, and the Imperial Amphi-
theatre, St. Petersburg. A pupil of the celebrated
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An American Horseman who has triumphed with the
greatest success in all quarters of the Globe. Fa-
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Mons. LEON GIAVELLI,

With his troupe of Performing Dogs, and ac-
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and entirely different from anything previously seen
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JOHN SAUNDERS,

The Great Equestrian Secular Artist and principal
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Miss LOTTIE SHERIDAN,

An Accomplished American Horsewoman, whose
beauty of form and face is typical of AMERICAN
LOVELINESS.

HOGLE and BURDEAU,

The Comical Acrobats, and artistic exponents of
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The original of all Clog Dancers, and whose pre-
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Who are well known as artists of ability, and
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Will be introduced by the Doctor in peace at
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The boy phenomenon, whose remarkable agility
and activity in Gymnastics, is only equalled by his
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Dr. Jas. L. Thayer takes particular pride in being
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whose innumerable successful performances in all
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A Stud of Beautiful Ring Horses,

Selected regardless of expense for peculiar fitness
These horses are all young, having been broken
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A Large Corps of Auxiliaries,

Who will take part in the performances, are too
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talent of a high order.

Remember that this Circus is the best on earth,
and that Dr. James L. Thayer, who will positively
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The procession will take place on the day of ex-
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