

ALL GOING TO THE CIRCUS.

Everybody is talking about Ringling Bros famous big circus, which is to be at Evanston, Saturday, July 17th. Several big excursions will go from this vicinity and the popularity of the show will insure an enormous crowd. People from this locality should make an especial effort to arrive in time to see the new free street carnival which precedes the exhibition every morning at 10 o'clock. In Chicago where Ringling Brothers have exhibited for over 100 performances, the leading newspapers declared the street parade to be the most magnificent display ever seen in the World's Fair city, and the press of other cities has been equally unstinted in its praise. In this gorgeous display are shown over 100 beautiful dens and cages of wild animals, 400 horses, 24 elephants and nearly a thousand people, and the costumes throughout are of the finest silks, satins, velvet and cloth of gold. The performance that follows is the most arenic display ever presented by any circus in America.

MRS. DAVIS' DEATH.

Mrs. Henrietta A. Davis, widow of the late Judge W. S. Davis, died at her home on Park avenue Monday afternoon July 5th, 1897. She had been suffering from paralysis for a year or two but her death was the immediate result of prostration from last week's extreme heat. She and her husband came here in 1869 some 28 years ago. She was a native of New Jersey where she was born June 1, 1834. Two daughters survive her, Emma; wife of W. P. Rutherford of Chicago, and Hattie, wife of Edward Laing of this city. The funeral was Wednesday from Trinity church and interment at Rose Hill.

Mrs. Davis was one of those quiet retiring, home keeping women and consequently but little known to and by the world at large, but she was one whom all esteemed and loved who knew her, by whom her gracious memory will long be cherished.

A letter from C. W. Aldridge written in London June 24th, Jubilee week, reached us July 5th, and tells many things about the great celebration. He and his family think the Yankees are the brightest and best yet. They were about to start for a tour of the continent including the field of Waterloo where the old Iron Duke Wellington decided the history of Europe for generations. He don't say anything about coming home.



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