

CALIFORNIA INDUSTRIES.

They Will be Fully Represented at the State Fair.

The Exhibition to Open To-day Promises to be the Finest Ever Held in the State.

An inspection of the Pavilion and stock grounds yesterday fully warranted the statement that the State Fair, which opens here to-day, will equal, if it does not exceed in interest, any yet held in this State.

The carriage manufacturers have, by this arrangement, been brought well to the front, instead of the rear, as heretofore, and their display of Sacramento-made vehicles will be striking features of the exhibition.

Secretary Smith states that never during his connection with State fairs had such a quantity of goods been received for exhibition in any one day as arrived at the Pavilion yesterday.

"We are chock-a-block," said he, "so far as space is concerned, and it will puzzle us to accommodate the yet to come."

"Just look at the stand up in the machinery hall," he continued. "No body ever before saw such a quantity and variety there. That large hall will be completely filled when all this machinery is unpacked and placed in position."

Workmen are still engaged in getting the play-ground in shape for the various devices that will be arranged for the entertainment of the little folks, and it will be supplied with all sorts of games suitable for both boys and girls, and promises to be one of the most attractive features of the fair.

Colusa county will have a grand exhibit, judging from the vast collection of grains, fruits, minerals, etc., now being unpacked and placed in position. The Sacramento Grangers are also preparing for a magnificent display.

Tulare's mammoth section of a *Sigmoia gigantea* is in its place in the main hall, and is already attracting attention from those who have never visited the fair before.

Will open to-night. The Pavilion will open this evening, as heretofore announced, and the exhibits will be so far advanced toward completion as to warrant a good attendance.

The board held a meeting on Saturday and completed the appointment of attaches, which are as follows: Assistant Superintendent, O. P. Dodge; Financial Secretary, John S. Miller; Chief Ticket Clerk, A. J. Spires; Assistant Ticket Clerk, Fred Gilman; Ticket Clerks, Messrs. Hull, Howe and Tol; Doorkeepers, Abe Keithley, B. F. Tade, W. H. Sheer, Fire Watchman, J. B. White, Machinery Watchman, Mike Judge; Ladies' Department, Mrs. Berman; Ladies' Room, Mrs. Harris; Chief Carpenter, C. H. Lightfoot; Children's Play Ground, D. C. White.

Race Horses and Stock for Exhibition Crowding In. Superintendent Hancock and his assistants at the Park were kept busy yesterday from sunrise until sunset, receiving and assigning to their places the running and trotting horses and live-stock for exhibition that poured into the city from steamboats and railroad trains.

Most of the racing stock had been in attendance at the district fairs last week, but by to-night the stables will all be filled.

Some of the horses and cattle entered to compete for premiums are already on the ground, but the majority will come to-day.

THE RACES. The outlook for two weeks of splendid racing was never better. The sports events have all filled well, and there promises to be at least a half-dozen competitors in every race. The entries closed yesterday, but as several were received from distant points, and will not be received until to-day, the list cannot be given this morning, but each class will be well represented.

The new plan adopted by the society, of closing races at different times, is producing good results. It enables the board to reclassify the events, according to the circuit performances of the horses, thus adding increased interest to the meeting.

PRESIDENT COX. While all the directors have been active and untiring in their efforts to make the fair a success, special credit is due Hon. Fred Cox, President of the State Society. He has given his time and personal attention diligently to the work, and so well has he succeeded that everything has moved along smoothly and harmoniously. He and his fellow-directors have got along like a "happy family," without contention or dispute, and are largely to this fact that they have accomplished so much. There are few public bodies whose members labor together with so little friction.

PARK EMPLOYEES. The complete list of Park officials and attaches is as follows: C. B. Folger, Assistant Superintendent; J. C. Kelly, Chief Ticket Clerk; C. J. Cox, Chief Marshal; James Hull, Len Spurgeon, Mike Judge, Assistant Marshals; H. F. Hancock, Arthur Spencer, Albert Pait, Assistant Ticket Clerks; Frank R. Dray, Membership Ticket Clerk; L. Hendricks, Assistant Membership Ticket Clerk; R. H. Newton, Quarter-stretch Superintendent; J. E. LaRue, Groom-charge Clerk; Irving McMullen, Butler Clerk; Charles Zeltner, Special Stand Clerk; W. F. Calderwood, Special Stand Stairman; H. S. Beasly, I. Ober, Harry C. Peterson, District Stand Usher; George Hamilton, C. E. Harrison, H. Treibler, Blackboard Clerk; Sam Gattelberg, Weigher; J. B. Stovall, Forage Clerk; E. George Boyer, Milk Test Clerk; W. Walters, hay delivery team helper; Carter Jackson, William Norman, hay watchman; C. V. Garrett, poultry watch-

A STRAY SHEAF.

Jove Pitched a Wild Ball of Lightning on Saturday.

Which Cuts a Queer Caper and Then Slivers a Tree—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schreiner's Close Call.

This vicinity was visited by quite a shower of rain on Saturday morning between 9 and 10 o'clock, accompanied by several vivid flashes of lightning and sharp claps of thunder. It was apparent to persons in the city that a bolt of lightning must have struck somewhere near by, as the thunderclap was close to the earth and sounded as sharp as a volley from a field battery.

At an hour later Charles Schreiner and wife arrived in town from their home about two miles this side of Freeport, and they related a curious, not to say exciting, experience on the road with a stray bolt of lightning.

They had reached a point in the road opposite the Catholic cemetery and near the city limits, when a bolt of concentrated, double-distilled electricity came slanting down from above and shot across their way.

The lightning passed so close to Mrs. Schreiner's face that the end of her nose was slightly scorched. The shock had a peculiar effect upon the travelers, but did them no injury. They say they have, however, the lightning they want.

There was little left of the tree but splinters, and many persons went out from the city during the day and yesterday to view the spot. The charred tree was on the ranch of B. L. Edwards.

A workman employed on the Brockway ranch was also stunned by a bolt of lightning which entered the ground near him.

OBSERVER BARWICK'S REPORT. The Government weather reports show that the first rain in September, during the thunder and lightning storm, between 9 and 10 A. M., amounted to .06 of an inch, making that much for this season as against a sprinkle to an equal date last year.

This is the second time, in a record of fifteen years, that the first rain in September has occurred earlier than this on but two other occasions, and those were in 1883 and 1887, on the 21st and 4th respectively.

The following data shows the dates of the first rain in September, from 1877 to 1891, also the total rainfall for September, and the total for the following season. It will be seen that early rains are sometimes followed by a drier season, and by dry seasons. It is therefore no criterion to judge of the coming season is precipitation by the dates of the first rains in September.

Table with columns: YEAR, Rain in September, Total precipitation in September, Total rainfall for following season.

THE LITERARY EXERCISES. The literary exercises to be held at the Plaza at the conclusion of the parade are expected to be very interesting.

The President of the Day, C. M. Harrison, will make the introductory address. Then there will be addresses by Rev. Mr. Tindal and by W. L. Leary, who will play an orchestra will be interspersed throughout the exercises.

The day's celebration will conclude with a grand ball to be held in the evening at the Assembly chamber.

Business throughout the city will be suspended during the afternoon. The railroad shops and freight sheds close at noon, thus giving the employees an opportunity to participate in the parade.

All of the wholesale houses, factories and other places where large numbers of persons are employed will also close noon. Saloons will be closed from 2 to 5 o'clock.

This it will be seen that the committee which had charge of the arrangements have performed their work well, for which they are to be congratulated.

At a meeting of the Federated Trades Saturday evening they all made their final reports, and were discharged with votes of thanks.

THE BUTCHERS. The Butchers' Union held a meeting last evening, and it was decided that all shops should be closed after 2 o'clock this afternoon.

WILD GESESE. The Advance Guard came in a Couple of Weeks Ago. Three flocks of wild geese passed over the city yesterday morning between 1 and 2 o'clock, coming from the north.

LOSING NO OPPORTUNITIES.

The Influx of Prowlers are Keeping the Police Busy.

An Attempt to Break into the Residence of E. A. Crouch Last Evening—A Suspect Arrested.

The festive burglar is allowing no grass to grow under his feet. Last evening at about 9 o'clock an attempt was made to break into the residence of E. A. Crouch, at Third and O streets.

The prowlers, some frantically only by the appearance of a Chinese domestic. They then fled, leaving their tools behind.

Mr. Crouch took his family to the opera concert last evening, and the thieves were evidently aware of this fact, so they would hardly have begun operations so early.

They had no trouble getting into the yard back of the house, and from here it was an easy matter to force an entrance into the basement. Here there is a door, opening into a passage-way that leads up-stairs.

Into the main part of the house. On this door the prowlers brought their tools into use. They had argued with them, and saw that would fit through the auger-hole. Their object was to saw out the lock, and then all would be plain sailing.

But they had only bored one hole when the Chinese domestic came upon the scene, having heard the men at work. There were three men there, and the Chinese man set up a great howl. The three burglars took to their heels. The Chinaman seized one of them, but could not hold him as they circled low over their favorite feeding spots in the stable fields.

"But they are here at last, and in a few weeks the country boys will have lots of sport and—fresh meat."

IN FORMER YEARS. Last year the first geese put in an appearance on the 10th of September; in 1889, August 17th; 1888, August 10th; 1887, September 14th; 1886, September 12th; 1885, September 13th; 1884, September 24th; 1883, September 12th; 1882, September 10th; 1881, September 24th; 1880, September 10th.

HIVES, PUMPLES, BEES and other blood affections show themselves at this season. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures all such troubles by its powerful action upon the blood. Sold by all druggists.

About twice as much power is required to stop an express train as to start one.

MR. JOHN SACRAMENTO, April 25, 1890. The Mathushek upright piano I purchased of you some time since only convinces me that my judgment was correct in buying of you a Mathushek solid iron frame Mathushek upright piano for California climate, and I heartily recommend your piano to any one wishing a strictly first-class piano. T. H. BERKEY.

NEVER mind what opposition agents tell you, the "Domestic" is by far the best sewing machine. Try it. "Office Ninth and J."

Changed Daily for Weinstock, Lubin & Co.

Labor Day (to-day) our stores will close at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

AUTUMN STYLES.

Our autumn styles in Clothing are in. New designs and a larger variety of patterns than ever before.

Any slight alterations necessary to a perfect fit will be made free of charge.

Black Cheviot Suits, with fine white lines, all wool and right weight for fall wear, \$10. We have probably never had a more stylish or desirable suit for the money.

Rough-finished Black Suits, with double-breasted sack coats, \$15.

Dark Striped Business Suits, with flat mohair binding, \$15.

New Slate-gray Suits, with black binding and buttons. Something out of the usual run and very attractive. Price, \$22 50.

Dark Blue Imported Worsteds Suits, with flat silk binding. Price, \$25.

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Men's Fine French Imported Worsteds, in broad and narrow waies, worth \$25, now... \$18 00
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Miscellaneous.

Woven Wire Mattresses, - - \$2-75

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