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Saturday, November 28, 1914.

Automatic Locks Completed.

The automatic locks on the Intercoastal Canal at Schooner Bayou are completed and awaiting acceptance by the government engineers. They were installed to check the flow of salt water into the canal during the pumping season. The extensive system of irrigating canals in Jeff Davis, Vermilion and Acadia parishes, which derive their water supply from the Mermentau river and its tributaries, being affected by the presence of salt water in any quantity in the Intercoastal Canal.

Rivers and Harbors Congress

The official call for the Eleventh Annual Convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which is to be by far the most important waterway Convention ever held in this country, Questions of vital importance to the waterway movement--and, therefore, of vital importance to the future of the United States--are to be discussed, will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh of December, 1914, in the New Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C.

GRAND CONCERT

BY THE
Victor Theatre Orchestra

JOHN GRAY - Director.

Thursday, December 3rd, 1914

PROGRAM.

1. Orchestra	Overture	Boildieu
2. Flute	Serenade Russe C. Corrodi (With Cello Obligato)	Terchaik
3. Piano	La Fille du Regiment Mrs. F. J. Samson	Rossini
4. Cornet	Victory Polka R. P. Nelson (With Orchestra)	Arban
5. Quartette	Inflammatus Mrs. A. J. Thomas Mrs. F. J. Samson Raoul Chauvier F. J. Samson	Rossini
6. Orchestra	Valse de Concert	Bendix
7. Saxophone	Song d'Amour M. J. Detweiler (With Orchestra)	Salmon
8. Musical Act	Piccolo - Chinese Violin - Xylophone John Gray	
9. Cello	Berceuse from "Jocelyn" Mildred Gray	Godard
10. Song	Song of The Soul Mrs. A. J. Thomas (With Orchestra)	Breil
11. Orchestra	Love Melody	Trinkauss
12. Violin	Concertstucke John Gray (With Cello Obligato)	Drdla
13. Reading	Garden of Roses F. J. Samson (With Chinese Violin Obligato)	Schmid
14. Orchestra	Concert March	Sousa

Knows a Good Thing.

Probably there is no better judge of investment bonds than Gen. John T. Yates, Sovereign Clerk, Woodmen of the World, Omaha, Neb., whose experience extends over the entire twenty-four years' history of the well known order, with bond purchases aggregating many millions of dollars. His opinion of Louisiana investments may be seen from the fact that the entire issue, \$72,500, Vermilion Parish Road Bonds were purchased by the order.

The Woodmen of the World believe in the doctrine, "keep the money at home", as will be seen from the following list of their investments prior to Oct. 1, 1914:

Alexandria Public Improvement, \$30,000; Allen Parish School District No. 6, \$14,000; Allen Parish School District No. 6, \$23,000; Calcasieu Parish School District No. 12, \$25,000; Calcasieu Parish Road, \$100,000; Calcasieu Parish Road, \$76,000; Claiborne Parish School District No. 13, \$45,000; Iberville Parish School, \$30,000; Lake Charles School, \$53,500; New Orleans Court House, \$102,000; Tangipahoa School District No. 9, \$15,000; Vermilion Parish Road, \$72,500. A total of \$586,000.

Out of a grand total of over Twenty million dollars in United States, State and other bonds held by the order as a reserve investment, speaks well for Louisiana, Vermilion and the W. O. W.

Declare War on Rheumatism. Rheumatism is an awful thing--nothing more painful. Don't let it get a hold, but at the first twinges take Foley Kidney Pills. They work directly on your weakened kidneys, build them up, make them strong--rid your blood and keep it clear of uric acid. Keep Foley Kidney Pills on hand ready for use at the first sign of rheumatism. Sold by City Pharmacy. adv.

Scalpotone cures diseases of the scalp. 50c at Godard's. adv.

Thanksgiving Services.

The Thanksgiving Services at the Baptist Church Thursday morning were very interesting and impressive, following out the program prepared by Mr. D. L. McPherson. Dr. C. A. Schilling, the pastor of the church, led the invocation. The program was announced by Mr. E. M. Stebbins. The program consisted of scripture reading, songs and addresses. An interesting address was made by Mr. J. R. Kitchell. A special song, rendered by Mrs. Albert Stauffer and Miss Daisy Steen, "How Sweet the Name of Jesus," was very impressive. Another by Dr. C. A. Schilling, J. E. Nettles, J. T. Brooks, D. L. McPherson, W. B. White, Mrs. Albert Stauffer and Miss Daisy Steen, with Mrs. McPherson at the organ, was well rendered. A special rendition by the children, "Little Stars Are Shining," was very effectively rendered, and was a credit to themselves, and their instructress, being trained by Mrs. D. L. McPherson.

Something different! Oyster Cocktail at Stansbury & Co.

Less Corn and More Eggs.

The wise farmers and other chicken raisers are finding that feeding too much corn to chickens is cutting the egg production. A good way for the farmer to do is to sell a part of the corn and buy bran, then mix the feed for the chickens. It greatly increases the egg production, and at this time eggs are high priced.

Happiness We Might Get.

Half the joy of life comes getting good out of things as we go along. Some of us are always putting off our enjoyments. After a while we expect to take a rest, see a friend, read a book. But after a while never comes; the good time we are looking forward to lies as far away as ever. All our life is spent in meaning to overtake it and enjoy it. Meanwhile we toil, drudge, and grow old, passing by with unselfish eye the happiness we might get out of every day.

Who gets the Piano?

Big Reduction Sale

IN

Ladies' Suits And Coats

HEAVY REDUCTIONS IN

Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats

J. WEILL & BRO.

Port Street

Opposite Catholic Church

LIKE FAIRYLAND COME TRUE IS MOST MARVELOUS AND BEAUTIFUL OF WORLD'S EXPOSITIONS, READY MONTHS BEFORE TIME

MANY EUROPEAN NATIONS WILL BE REPRESENTED AT SAN FRANCISCO UPON A SPLENDID SCALE--VAST FOREIGN PAVILIONS ARISE IN FOREIGN SECTION.

Marvels of Sculpture, Architecture, Color, Wonderful Gardens, Vast Facades, Tremendous Colonnades, Great Towers and Minarets, Characterize City of Palaces on Shores of San Francisco Bay

Months before its opening day, on February, 20, 1915, the vast Panama-Pacific International Exposition, at which the United States will celebrate the opening of the Panama canal, had been completed and the installation of the world's exhibits begun.

The exposition today stands revealed as a supreme triumph in architecture, a marvelous fairyland come true, overshadowing and eclipsing every other exposition in the history of the world.

In the stupendous exhibit palaces wonderful exhibits from England, from Germany, from the Netherlands, from Portugal, from Spain, from Italy, from Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Japan, China, the Argentine, Bolivia, and indeed all portions of the world will delight the vast throngs that meet in San Francisco.

Shortly after the European war broke out the Netherlands government increased its fund for official participation from \$100,000 to \$400,000; Japan applied for more exhibit space; Italy ratified its appropriation of \$400,000 and ordered construction rushed upon the wonderful Italian pavilions; Denmark, Sweden and Norway proceeded actively with their plans and exhibitors from Germany and England applied for exhibit space.

The greatest live stock show in the world's history will be held during the period of the exposition. More than half a million dollars is assured in premiums and prizes for this colossal exhibition. Many new breeds of live stock will be shown, including the Bretonnese and the Boulonnaise from Brittany and Boulogne, France, the subjects of special interest on the part of the French government, which desires to foster a demand abroad for registered animals of this class.

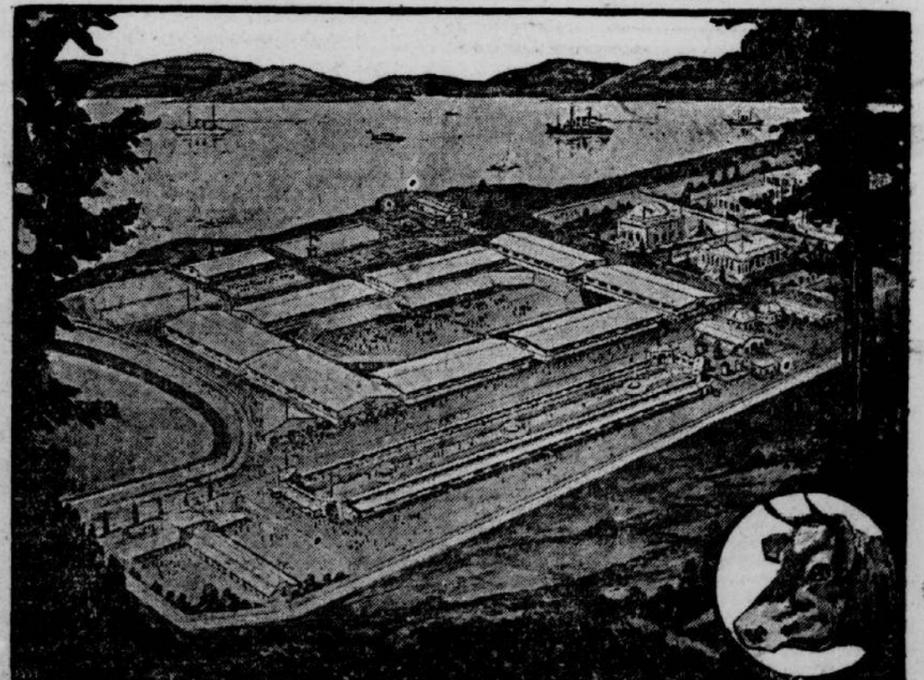
The huge "Zone," the vast amusement section, will delight visitors from all parts of the world. Hundreds of great congresses and conventions will be held in San Francisco.

Those who are planning to visit America's great show in 1915 may take advantage of the following offer:

ATTRACTIVE BOOK ON THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION AND PANAMA CANAL MAILED FREE OF CHARGE.

A handsome book of sixty pages, profusely illustrated in colors and giving detailed descriptions of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco from February 20 to December 4, 1915, and of the Panama canal and canal region, will be mailed by the Exposition free of charge to all inquirers. The booklet is for prospective visitors and will also contain information concerning the great engineering feat which the exposition is to celebrate, the building of the Panama canal. Write to the Manager, Bureau of Publications, Panama-Pacific International Exposition, Exposition Building, San Francisco, for booklet.

GREATEST LIVE STOCK SHOW IN THE HISTORY OF THE WORLD PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915



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The greatest and most comprehensive live stock show in the history of the world will be staged at the vast Panama-Pacific International Exposition. Entries of valuable and rare breeds of live stock will be shown from every country in the world, including France, England, Belgium and other countries in the European war zone. More than one-half million dollars is offered in prizes and purses for winning live stock. This photograph shows the vast live stock barns, covering more than forty acres, with the great judging amphitheater in the center. The live stock show will last throughout the period of the exposition, from February 20 to December 4, 1915.

This Piano will be given away by Mr. C. F. Grimmer.