

TO PUSH PROJECT OF INTERCOASTAL CANAL

Beaumont Waterways Convention Will Urge Congress to Act Promptly.

Beaumont, Tex., Oct. 15.—The convention of the Interstate Inland Waterway association, which will meet in this city during October 20-21, will consider a plan, formulated at a recent meeting of its executive committee in Houston, to adopt a well defined campaign to induce congress to provide in one measure for the completion of the intercoastal canal from New Orleans to Brownsville. The committee will also recommend that the organization ask congress to specify depth of nine feet by 100 in width.

The primary object of the Interstate Inland Waterway association is to promote the interest and actively advocate the canal which will connect the Mississippi river and the Rio Grande. That the association's efforts have borne fruit is evidenced by the fact that several miles of this canal are already completed and in use.

The Sabine-Neches canal will form a link in the proposed undertaking, and its completion will enable operators in the Beaumont lumber and ore industries to transport their commodities to ready market in Pennsylvania and the far northwest; importing on the return voyage coal from the eastern coal fields.

DAILY RECORD.

Deaths Filed.—Evergreen cemetery—R. H. Thorne to E. G. Perry, lot 47 in section I of evergreen cemetery; consideration, \$150; dated Aug. 26, 1910.

Miramonte street—Dr. J. D. Love to H. L. and L. O. Howard, lots 27 and 28, block half of lot 31, block 31 of Sunset Heights addition; consideration, \$4000; dated Oct. 12, 1910.

Altura Boulevard—Altura Realty company to Gertrude and Adolph Chester Wheeler, lots 27 and 28, block 28, in the Altura Park addition on Altura Boulevard; consideration \$550; dated Oct. 1, 1910.

Licensed to Wed.—Pedro Ramirez and Virginia Paz. Auto license.

R. L. Danos, Mesilla Park, N. M., No. 537.

EL PASO'S ABE MARTIN SELLS PEANUTS HUMOROUSLY

Abe Martin, he of the humorous Hoosier fun, has a branch office in El Paso. Down on the corner of Kansas and Overland, opposite the courthouse square, there is an adobe fruit and peanut stand. On the front of the stand is the sign in large block letters, "Abe Martin's." The letter "N" is reversed in true Martinique style and the stand does a rushing business in peanuts among the patriotic Indiana colony in El Paso.

TO BUILD MODERN TENEMENT ON DAVIS STREET FOR RENT

A modern tenement building to cost \$1500 is to be built on Davis street by Pedro Melendrez for rental purposes. The tenement is to be of sanitary construction and is one of the number that will be built to replace the unwholesome structures which have been ordered condemned by the city council.

The walnut furniture in the new T. & P. office is creating great interest. In this day, real walnut furniture is seldom exhibited for the exposition. The appearance this particular furniture presents credit is due C. W. Geiger, the furniture repairer and packer.

"BACK TO THE FARM" WILL GET BIG BOOST AT EL PASO EXPOSITION

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Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 15.—The "back to the farm" movement, which has received so much attention throughout the United States, because of the present high cost of living, will get another "boost" at the National Land and Irrigation exposition, to be held in this city from Oct. 17 to 23, under the auspices of the Pittsburg Gazette Times and Chronicle Telegraph. Its object will be to bring the home-seekers, the farmer and investors authentic information concerning farm lands and agricultural projects in all parts of the United States.

Government Plans Exhibit. Land department officials at Washington have prepared a suitable government exhibit for the exposition.

This exhibit will have specimens of agricultural products from all the states and territories. Four lecturers will be sent from Washington to preach the "gospel of the soil" to the inhabitants of the "smoky city" and its visitors.

The agricultural state board of Pennsylvania will also be represented with exhibits, as will a number of agricultural colleges, universities, chambers of commerce and boards of trade from various parts of the country.

Many railroads in the less settled parts of the country have contracted for exhibition space and will have their own experts on hand to explain the advantage of the "new land."

Irrigation To Be a Feature. Irrigation will be a prominent place in the show and models of irri-

MAP OF RIO GRANDE PROJECT SHOWS ALL

Was Exhibited at Chicago Land Show and Is Worth Displaying.

Stuck away behind displays of canned goods, roasted coffees and upper valley wheat displays in the main lobby of the chamber of commerce building is a relief map of the Rio Grande project from lake B. M. Hall, above the Elephant Butte dam, to the end of the lower valley. This map, which was exhibited at the Chicago land show last year, shows all the details of the entire project, and should prove of much value in showing home-seekers and prospective land buyers the exact construction of the surrounding country and the lay of the land in the upper and lower valleys.

The railroads are shown in relief on the map, the irrigated sections are designated as are the mesa lands and the locations of the towns along the river. The mountains are shown in relief and are named. El Paso is shown as the center of the entire section and everything pertaining to the lower Rio Grande which is included under the Elephant Butte dam is indicated on the big map.

SUGGESTS METAL FOUNTAIN FOR PLAZA

It Could Be Installed Without Inconvenience to the Alligators.

An art metal fountain for the center of San Jacinto plaza, to replace the monument to the alligators' laziness, is the suggestion of H. E. Stevens. Such a fountain with artistic light hangers for the plaza arcs and also a fountain in the center, could be installed in the center of the alligator pool without disturbing these pioneer citizens' rest or quiet. The funds for such a fountain could be raised by public subscription and by giving entertainments, Mr. Stevens thinks.

Another suggestion is that a beautiful fountain to have water flowing over it perpetually would be a most fitting monument to mayor W. F. Robinson and fireman Todd Ward, who lost their lives in the Buckler building fire.

BEGIN WORK REMODELING WALK-OFF-ALLEN BUILDINGS

The Walls building and the Howard, Rankin and O'Fallen building resemble dynamited buildings. The sides of these buildings look as if they had been bombarded from across the river. Work has started on the remodeling of these two buildings. Each one will have a change in store fronts, the Walls building to face on San Francisco street and the H. R. & O'Fallen on Overland.

PREPARE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF NEW CALLISHER BUILDING

A permit has been issued for the wreckage of the old Laurie hardware building, on Texas and Stanton, to make room for the new five-story Callisher block, which is to be erected this winter of concrete, for the site of the Callisher company's department store.

FINISHING LUMBER IS HER FOR THE LOCK BUILDING

The finishing lumber for the George Look building has arrived and George is happy. The interior finish of the first building to be built on the new West San Antonio street expansion will be finished at once and will be ready for occupancy by the Fisher hotel by Nov. 1.

BUILDS COBBLESTONE COTTAGE

A cobblestone cottage is what J. E. Fletcher is building on the corner of San Marcial and Elbebe street in East El Paso. The permit has been issued and work will begin on the construction of the cottage next week.

Advertising, education and inspiration. This is the three-fold purpose of the modern fair.

To advertise the resources of the surrounding section is one of the prime purposes of a fair that fulfills its real mission. The education of the people of the section that they may learn better how to cultivate the soil, harvest and care for their crops, is the second and one of the most important functions of a fair. But to inspire the people, to impress them with what they themselves have done, is the highest purpose of such a community exhibit of community interests. In this way they are moved to better things and progress, the goal of all endeavor, is the ultimate result.

The county, state or sectional fair is no longer a clap trap affair of tinsel and gaudy colors, as was its forerunner, the old fashioned county fair. Neither is it a street carnival where cheap amusements run riot. The best of the old county fair and a part of the clean amusement features of the carnival have been retained in the modern expositions such as are held in Minnesota, New York, Iowa, Indiana and other states. These annual expositions of the products, the best returns of their peoples' efforts, have the dignity that is befitting the union of toil and thought.

The El Paso Fair and Exposition.

This is what the El Paso Fair and Exposition is to be if it is to succeed

- PATRIOTIC EL PASOANS. Where the American flag floats each day in El Paso: San Jacinto Plaza, City hall, Courthouse, Chamber of Commerce, Mesa school, Franklin school, Vilas school, Federal building, Toltec club building, Immigration station, Customs inspection station, Port Bliss parade ground, Reckhart flatiron building.

WONDERS TO BEGIN WHEN BUTTON IS PRESSED

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society clothes show will be the feature event of the third day of the fair, Monday, Oct. 31. This annual society event will be held for the first time at night under the bright lights of the illuminated arena. Boxes are now being reserved for this annual event and society will be present en masse for the display of equine and feminine beauty, hand appointments. During the day all exhibits in the machinery hall, the merchants' and manufacturers' building, agricultural hall, art and textile pavilion, the live stock pavilion and the poultry pens will be open for inspection, and judging of the displays will begin. The second game of the baseball series will be played on the baseball field and a balloon ascension, dog and pony show and acrobatic performance will be given in front of the grandstand during the afternoon.

The Overland Trail will be open during the entire life of the fair, with the 20 cars of the Parker Carnival company as the main attractions. Tuesday, Nov. 1, will witness the inauguration of the finishing program of the fair. Trotting, pacing and running races will be held on the hippodrome oval, with the daily vaudeville in front of the grandstand between the races.

The baseball tournament will continue on the infield and the Overland Trail attractions on the carnival way. In the evening the celebration of the beginning of actual work on the Elephant Butte dam will be celebrated by a display of fireworks, including a spectacle of the Elephant Butte dam and lake B. M. Hall. This display will be in charge of Wilson, the famous pyrotechnician from Crystal Palace, London.

Cowboys to Race.

A relay race of five miles for cowboys, each rider to be mounted on a relay at each half mile, will be one of the events of Wednesday, Nov. 2. This will be held on the half-mile track and will be one of the most exciting events of the big show. The judging of the various exhibits will continue in the different buildings, including the bench show of the El Paso Kennel club and the display of the Mohair Growers' association. The baseball tournament will be played at noon and the races will be at 2 p. m.

This will be Texas and El Paso day and all of the stores, factories and schools will be closed. Wednesday evening will be El Paso night on the Overland Trail, with free attractions, band concerts and carnival attractions.

Statehood Day.

Statehood day, the first formal celebration of statehood by both Arizona and New Mexico, will be celebrated on Thursday, Nov. 3, with enough feature events to fill an ordinary fair week. In the morning the Southwestern Editorial association will hold its annual meeting in the outdoor amphitheater. Addresses and papers will be given by well known men of the southwest and the business of the association transacted. In the afternoon the frontiers sports, including bronco busting, riding and relay races will be held, which will be participated in by a roundup of 25 cowpunchers.

Chuck Wagon Feed.

At noon a real chuck wagon feed will be served to the editors by the Fair association from the tall board of the real camp chuck wagon, with real

and become a permanent institution. The El Paso Fair is that in name only. It is that and more, much more. This city being the hub of a great southwestern section, rich in the abundance of nature, it is chosen as the logical point for holding such an exposition. But the fair is to be more than an El Paso fair. It is to be the fair of that invisible empire which is known as the Great Southwest.

Has a Particular Mission.

Peculiarly situated and with a diversity of industries to be found in no other section of the United States, the El Paso Fair and Exposition has a particular mission to perform. Where Minnesota shows its agricultural crops and blooded cattle, the Great Southwest can show finer crops and better blooded cattle. The mining section of a Montana or Nevada state fair never showed minerals and mine products as rich as those that will be seen in the mining section of the second annual El Paso fair. New York, whose people pride themselves upon their domestic sciences, cannot boast of the household accomplishments with more pride than the people of the southwest, where housekeeping has no drawbacks.

Is Unhindered by Boundaries.

This is what promises to make the El Paso fair the greatest and most diversified of all fairs in the United States, where the county, state and district fair has come to be recognized as one of the greatest educational factors

in modern life. Unhindered by state or even national boundaries, the fair organization can reach out to the mines of Arizona, New Mexico, and even old Mexico, for their choicest mineral displays. Agriculture, the base of all wealth, will send its best from the fertile fields of the Mormon colonies of northern Chihuahua, the driven well districts of Deming, Sulphur Springs valley, the Pecos valley, and the Toyah, Reeves county and other west Texas districts. Livestock will be collected from the ranges of the great Mexican haciendas, from the states that were recently territories and from our Texas staked plains country. All the southwest will unite in supplying the arts, sciences, merchants, and manufacturers, machinery and the other departments which compose a well balanced fair.

Wholesome amusement and entertainment for all will be prepared as one of the diversions from the more serious departments and displays. But the real fun for those who attend the exposition will be in comparing their products with their neighbors, in learning how to make more rows of farm grow on the ear, in comparing mineral specimens, or studying the mechanism of a new ditch digger or pumping plant. It will be a great, outdoor, educational institution where school will be in progress all the time and the lessons will be sugar-coated with wholesome entertainment and neighborly visits.

PAVED HIGHWAY TO FAIR GROUNDS PLANNED

Fair visitors this year may speed out to Washington park and the fair grounds on a paved roadway equal to any in the country.

County engineer Eubank is now preparing the base for the paving of the piece of roadway from the intersection of Magoffin avenue and Alameda street

to the entrance to Washington park. This will give a continuous auto highway from the San Jacinto plaza to the fair grounds and will connect with the county road at Evergreen cemetery.

The roadway is to be 30 feet wide and is of the same material and construction as the smelter road and the one down the valley.

The Panama Exposition, San Francisco 1915

By Elbert Hubbard.

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It means a blossoming of intellect and love that will give America a new birth of prosperity, heretofore unequalled.

Archimedes said: "Give me a place upon which to stand and I'll move the world." San Francisco has a lever and she has a place upon which to stand. She has moved the world to admiration for her recovery from calamity; and she will now, with the help of the world, give the world the greatest object lesson in science, economics, art and industrial betterment that it has ever seen.

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Baseball Days.

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WORKING NIGHT AND DAY ON ROAD TO BIG DAM

Elephant Butte and El Paso Will Connect Dam With Main Line.

Working night and day shifts, the Petrolic Construction company is rushing work on the right-of-way for the Elephant Butte and El Paso railroad, which is to connect the damsite with the main line of the Santa Fe and to El Paso.

BIG SKYSCRAPER TO HEAT ITS NEIGHBOR

Pipe Line For Heat to Be Run Across the Street.

Heat your neighbor as yourself. This is to be the motto of the Rio Grande Valley Bank and Trust company. A gash in the perfectly good paving is being made to bedrock and a main line of the basement of the Rio Grande building to the Silberberg Bros. store on the opposite corner of Mesa avenue.

Through this heating pipe the jewelry store will be heated from the big boiler in the skyscraper building during the short time that El Paso has an excuse for a winter.

KELLY AND HIS AUTO, AND SOME MORE RECENT HISTORY

Auto Has Nothing to Do With an Invention, Neither Did a Cub Reporter, Afterwards.

T. M. Kelly has an auto. T. M. works on the Sierra Madre line of the Mexico North Western system when he is not working on his auto, which is often T. M. is the inventor of the cupola attachment to the baggage cars of the Mexican Central line, when that line was in existence. T. M.'s invention was so good that he could not keep it and he shipped it to a cub railroad reporter whom he had sworn to secrecy.

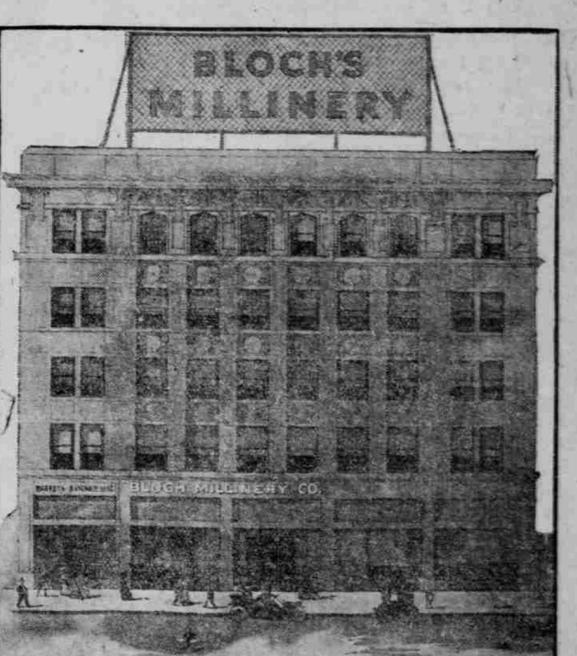
The story appeared in The Herald and also the Railway Gazette. T. M. never received due credit for his labor-saving invention by which the conductor on the Central trains could sit in the baggage car cupola and watch their train without the bother of stepping on all of the passengers' feet.

But about the time the invention was to have been installed, the Mexican Central became the National railways of Mexico and the order was revoked.

But what has this to do with T. M.'s auto? Nothing. Neither had the cub reporter anything to do with Kelly after he had been stung by that worthy whose initials are the same as those of a well known brand of shoe blacking.

EL PASO HIGH SCHOOL GOES TO PLAY FOOTBALL

The football team representing the El Paso high school, went to Mesilla Park Saturday morning to meet the A. & M. team on the gridiron at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. This will be the first serious clash the local team has had this season and the result will be looked for anxiously at this end. Before the team's departure for the field of conquest, the boys made the welkin ring with their yells at the depot.



A SIGN OF THE TIMES.