

THE BIG STATE FAIR IS READY; WORLD OF FEATURES--"LET'S GO!"

The tabloid program of the eighth annual Oklahoma State Fair and Exposition, Oklahoma City, September 22 to October 1, 1914, yet incomplete, shows that it is to be the biggest and best exhibition in the history of Oklahoma. Educational features abound in sixty big buildings and barns while amusements will be found all over the 140 acres of ground. Here is a general outline of the program in brief form:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22--OPENING DAY; NATIONAL SPEAKERS' DAY—All exhibits in place and open for inspection at 8 o'clock. Judging Cullinary, Fruits, Flowers, dairy, Educational. Music all the time and everywhere. Race program at 2 o'clock, including 3-year-old trot, 2:14 pace, two running races. Thavio's Band, Grand Opera Singers, Cabaret Trio and Tango Team. High class vaudeville acts. Ed. R. Hutchinson's aeromane in sensational flights. Immense night program at 7:45 to close with Pain's Fireworks. New Brundage Shows day and night. Automobile Show.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23--FRATERNAL DAY—Numerous special programs. Judging Poultry, Farm Products, Plants, Fine Arts, Educational. Exhibitions begin in Better Babies Contest. Morning tours of the grounds. Thavio's Band and Grand Opera Singers during races, program including 2:11 trot, 2:11 pace, two running events and world's best vaudeville. Hutchinson's aeromane in wonderful parachute leaps. Fireworks at close of Immense Night Program in front of grand stand. The New Brundage Shows. Automobile Show.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24--STATE DAY—Assembly of various officers of Oklahoma, including legislature. Judging Swine, Jersey Cattle, Poultry, County Collective Exhibits, Fine Arts, Educational, Minerals, Better Babies Contest. Music at various points. Automobile Show. Hutchinson's aeromane in four, six and eight parachute drops. Silo demonstrations, Prunary Shows and other attractions. Kansas-Oklahoma Purity, 3-year-old trot, big feature racing program; also 2:20 pace and two running races. Thavio's Band and soloists. Power's elephants and other acts. Wonderful display of Pain's Fireworks at night. Meeting of Oklahoma Swine Breeders' Association.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25--EDUCATIONAL DAY; PRESS DAY; JERSEY BREEDERS' DAY—Free admission to all children of the common schools. Newspaper publishers guests. Judging Swine, Holstein-Friesian and Guernsey Cattle, Bees and Honey, Boys' and Girls' Contests, Better Babies Contest. Auto Show. Brundage Shows. Acres of Machinery and Silos. Plenty of music. High altitude flights by Hutchinson's balloon experts. Free-for-all pace 2:14 trot, two running races. Thavio's Band and soloists. European vaudeville. Pain's Fireworks to close Immense Night Show. Meeting and banquet of Jersey Breeders.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26--FOOTBALL DAY; OKLAHOMA TRAVELERS' DAY—140 acres of entertainment when gates open. Concerts on Plaza and at other points. Judging of Sheep, Boys' and Girls' Contests, Dairy Contest, Better Babies Contest. General reunion of Knights of the Grip. Hutchinson's champion aeromane. Demonstrations and lectures. Thavio's Band and soloists. Football Game in front of grand stand at 2 p. m. between University and Central Normal teams. Pain's Fireworks and augmented Night Show in front of grand stand. Auto Show.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27--MUSIC DAY—Sacred concerts by Thavio's Great Russian Band and famous singers, including Madam Emilia Leovail, lyric soprano; Ernesto Torri, baritone; and Ernesto Geaccone, tenor. Hutchinson's aeromane. New Brundage Shows. Immense Night Program and band concert for the last time in front of grand stand.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28--OLD SOLDIERS' DAY—V. exans of all wars to take part. Boys' and Girls' School opens. Judging Short-horn Cattle, Percheron Horses, Dairy Contest, Better Babies Contest. Thavio's Band and Grand Opera Singers. Free-for-all trot, 2:17 pace, two running races. Look up, away up! Hutchinson's aeromane. Power's Elephants. Holland and Dockrill, Equestrians. Auto Show. New Brundage Shows. OPENING OF FIFTH ANNUAL OKLAHOMA HORSE SHOW IN LIVESTOCK PAVILION AT 5 P. M. FOR FIVE NIGHTS.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29--OKLAHOMA CITY DAY—General holiday declared in Oklahoma City. Auto Show. Silo and other demonstrations. Thavio's Band and other musical organizations. Judging of Hereford Cattle, Percheron and Belgian Horses, Better Babies Contest. Flights by Hutchinson's Aeromane. Race program featured with 2:30 trot, \$1,000 purse, and Pacing Team Race; also two running races. Grand Opera Singers and World's Best vaudeville. New Brundage Shows. Permanent attractions. Horse Show and allied features at night in Coliseum.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30--BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUB DAY—Noted speakers will greet boys and girls taking part in various contests. Judging Aberdeen-Angus Cattle, Morgan and Hackney and French Draft Horses, Boys' Pig Club Contest, Better Babies Contest. 2:20 trot, 3-year-old pace, two running races. Thavio's Band and singers, special vaudeville. Auto Show and New Brundage Shows. Horse Show and allied attractions at night. Hutchinson's Aeromane.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1--DERBY DAY; LIVE STOCK PARADE DAY—Farm machinery, Silo and other demonstrations. Auto Show. New Brundage Shows. Judging of Polled Durham Cattle, Steer Classes, Draft Geldings and Mares, Jacks, Jennets and Mules. Better Babies Contest. Gigantic parade of Live Stock at 1:30 p. m. in front of grand stand. Thavio's Band and Grand Opera Singers. Hutchinson's Aeromane. World's Best vaudeville. Racing program, including 2:25 pace, 2:15 trot, Oklahoma Derby and other running features. Horse Show, Power's Elephants, Holland and Dockrill and other big events at night in Coliseum.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2--AUTOMOBILE DAY—Judging practically completed with review of Standard Bred and Saddle Horses. Auto Show. Lectures and demonstrations all over grounds. New Brundage Shows. Hutchinson's Aeromane. Music and songs by Thavio's Band and singers. Sensational Auto Races for world's championship between Louis Bishrow, Eddie Hearne Johnny Rainey, Fred Horey, "Mad" Lou Heineman and others. Society Horse Show and allied features for the last time in Coliseum.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3--ANOTHER DAY FOR SPEED DEMONS—All the great auto race drivers of the world in final contests for championship. Special events between winners of Friday's races. Hutchinson's Aeromane. Athletic games by boys of State Fair school. Final demonstrations in all the various buildings and last big day of Auto Show. The New Brundage Shows. Thavio's Band and Grand Opera Singers for the last time. Meeting of Oklahoma Beekeepers' Association.

Wisdom of the Bee.

"Our plan is very different," said the bee. "We work in the summer to lay up a store of food against the season when we foresee we shall want it; but those who do nothing but drink and dance and sing in the summer must expect to starve in the winter."—Old Fable.

New Market for Ivory.

Although in recent years the ivory imported into London has decreased, the falling off has been caused by a new market having been created by the opening of the Congo free state. The ivory coming from that region is now sold in Antwerp, so that when the quantities sent to both markets are put together the total imports actually show an increase.

Mixed Nationality.

Four-year-old Maggie's father is from Germany; her mother from Scotland. One day the conversation turned on nationalities and my husband asked Maggie what she was. With her arm around her little brother Herman she replied: "Mamma and we's Scotch, but papa's her German."

Tender Hearted.

Aunt Susy came into the house in high dudgeon. "Wut ya reckon dat crazy boy Jim done, Miss Cassie?" she demanded. "Lukke tal him to cut off dat puppy's tail, an' he says, to mek it easier foh 'um, he done cut it off a lil piece at a time!"

Her Set All Right.

Ella—"Allow a horrid man to kiss would I. But, thank goodness, there isn't one among all my male acquaint-

Easy Way Out of It.

"We know a stenographer," says the Peoria Journal, "who refused to write it doesn't agree with her complexion." letters on pale blue stationery because in that case, if she is a valuable stenographer, it would be a simple matter for the firm to go to the drug store and buy her a complexion to match the paper."—Toledo Blade.

Foolish Question.

A man charged at the Liverpool (Eng.) police court with fighting stated that the prosecutor hit him first on the jaw. "Did you hit him first?" asked the stipendiary. "No, sir," was the reply. "If I had hit him first he would have been in the hospital, not me."

Magic for Rust Spots.

To remove rust spots on bathtubs and basins and discolorations in toilet basins and sinks apply muriatic acid with a mop. As soon as the discoloration is removed the acid should be thoroughly rinsed off with clear water. The acid works like magic; it is almost instantaneous in its effect and the labor of scrubbing is saved.

Rather a Neat Rebuke.

"We will now take up our annual collection for the benefit of the heathens," announced the Rev. Dr. Fourthly at the close of his sermon, "and I hope those young men making so much noise all through this service will be special; liberal in their contributions. They are in duty bound to help their brother heathens."

Beauty of Nature.

Nature is beautiful, always beautiful. Every little flake of snow is a perfect crystal, and they fall together as gracefully as if fairies of the air caught water drops and made them into artificial flowers to gild the wings of the wind.—Lydia M. Child.

Wonder Why.

A woman would hardly marry a bow-legged man to reform him, and there are several other varieties of misshapen masculinity that it is just as futile to attempt to mend by means of matrimony.—Detroit Journal.

Seek to Set Good Example.

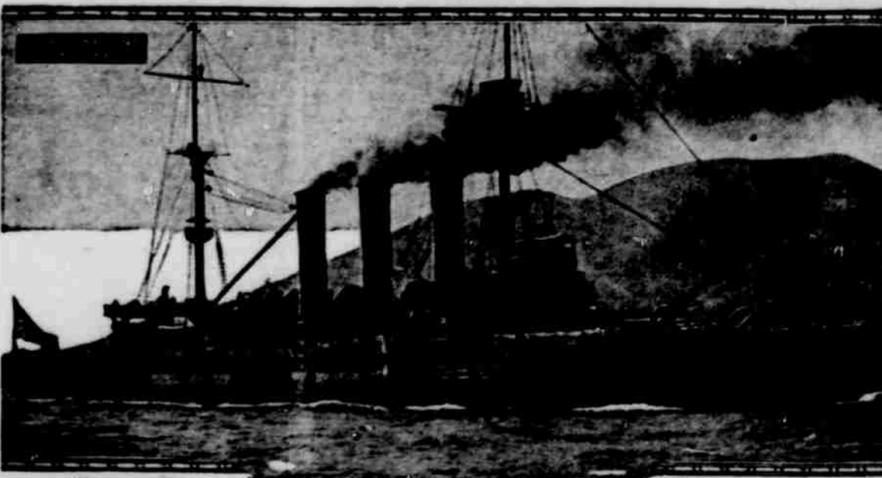
The blossom cannot tell what becomes of the odor, and no man can tell what becomes of his example, that roll away from him, and goes beyond his pen on its perilous mission.—H. W. Beecher.

GRENADIER GUARDS MARCHING PAST ROYAL FAMILY



Grenadier guards on their way to the front after marching in review past the king, the queen, the prince of Wales, the queen mother and other members of the British royal family, who are shown in the inset.

JAPANESE CRUISER LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO



The Japanese cruiser Idzumo just after it passed through the Golden Gate. It is believed to be protecting the Shinyo Maru from possible attack by the German cruisers Leipzig and Nurnberg.

ADMIRAL GREGOVITCH



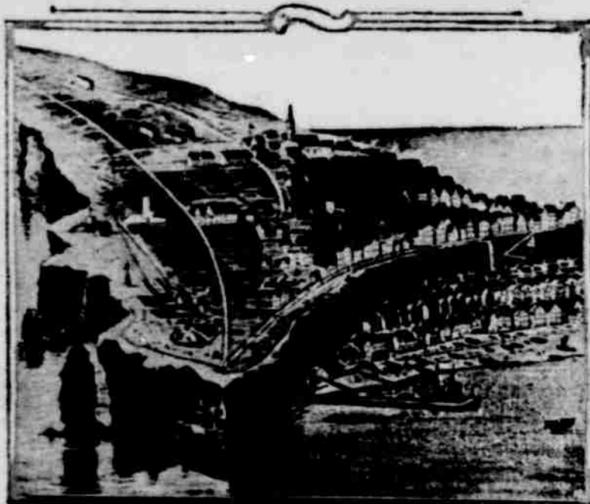
Commander of the naval forces of Russia.

ADMIRAL DE LA PEYRERE



Admiral Boue de la Peyrere is the head of the French navy.

ISLAND THAT PROTECTS KAISER'S FLEET



The island of Heligoland has been powerfully fortified by Germany since its acquisition from England, and now is a practically impregnable guardian of Germany's part of the North sea and the Kiel canal, where the kaiser's fleet is believed to be sheltered.

JAPANESE INFANTRY IN TRENCHES



IN ALL OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

There is Hardly A Woman Who Does Not Rely Upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Princeton, Ill.—"I had inflammation, hard headaches in the back of my neck, and a weakness all caused by female trouble, and I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with such excellent results that I am now feeling fine. I recommend the Compound and praise it to all. I shall be glad to have you publish my letter: There is scarcely a neighbor around me who does not use your medicine."—Mrs. J. F. JOHNSON, R. No. 4, Box 30, Princeton, Illinois.



Experience of a Nurse. Poland, N.Y.—"In my experience as a nurse I certainly think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a great medicine. I wish all women with female troubles would take it. I took it when passing through the Change of Life with great results and I always recommend the Compound to all my patients if I know of their condition in time. I will gladly do all I can to help others to know of this great medicine."—Mrs. HORACE NEWMAN, Poland, Herkimer Co., N.Y.

If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

Don't tell a girl you are in love with her and have an idea that she is going to help you out.

Don't be misled. Ask for Red Cross Ball Blue. Makes beautiful white clothes. At all good grocers. Adv.

Not All of 'Em. "The mills of the gods grind slowly."

"How about the gallery fights?"

They Might. "They say that money will do anything in New York."

"Well?" "Do they ever lease the subway for parades on stormy days?"

In the Neighborhood. Hampton—Dinwiddie told me his family is a very old one. They were one of the first to come across.

Rhodes—The grocer told me yesterday that now they are the last to come across.—Judge.

She Had a Kind Heart. Tramp—Please, mum, I ain't had a full stummeck for three weeks.

Housekeeper (benevolently)—Too bad! Well, you go somewhere and beg a meal of dried apples, and I will furnish the water.

Going Away. "Why do you go away all summer, and leave this beautiful home? You could be perfectly comfortable here."

"I know that, but we have to go away in self-defense. We really can't take care of the dogs, canaries, cats, goldfish and rubber plants on the block."

No Alternative. The young man had just been accepted. In his rapture he exclaimed: "But do you think, my love, I am good enough for you?"

His strong-minded fiancée looked sternly at him for a moment, and replied: "Good enough for me? You've got to be!"—Judge.

FOOD FACTS What An M. D. Learns.

A prominent Georgia physician went through a food experience which he makes public.

"It was my own experience that first led me to advocate Grape-Nuts food and I also know, from having prescribed it to convalescents and other weak patients, that the food is a wonderful builder and restorer of nerve and brain tissue, as well as muscle. It improves the digestion and sick patients gain very rapidly, just as I did in strength and weight.

"I was in such a low state that I had to give up my work entirely, and went to the mountains of this state, but two months there did not improve me; in fact, I was not quite as well as when I left home.

"My food did not sustain me and it became plain that I must change. Then I began to use Grape-Nuts food and in two weeks I could walk a mile without fatigue, and in five weeks returned to my home and practice, taking up hard work again. Since that time I have felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life.

"As a physician who seeks to help all sufferers, I consider it a duty to make these facts public." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Trial 10 days of Grape-Nuts, when regular food does not seem to sustain the body, works wonders. "There's a Reason."

Look in page for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.