

TEXANS PROUD OF THEIR STATE FAIR

Different Policy Being Pursued by Management This Year.

\$80,000 IN PREMIUMS.

Features That Stand For Best in Recreation and in Education Only Are Considered.

Dallas.—Go to Fair Park and you will be impressed with the magnitude of the work now under way in preparation for the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, Oct. 17, and continues sixteen days.

You will see that the "Different Fair" policy of the management this year is being carried out in every detail. You will find that the deadwood stuff of previous years has been eliminated and in its place the very latest in features that stand for recreation and for education installed.

Texas is proud of their State Fair and they have a right to be. No other institution in America is so splendidly equipped in grounds and permanent buildings or in conveniences that add to the comfort of those in attendance at such meetings.

Prizes the Richest. Furthermore, there is no other fair on the American continent that offers richer and more generous prizes with the possible exception of one than the State Fair of Texas.

The catalogue for the 1914 meeting lists prizes amounting in the aggregate to \$75,000. Added to this are specials and trophies bringing the grand total up to \$80,000.

The demand for space is unprecedented. Secretary W. H. Stratton reports more exhibitors signed up than ever before at this time. With Russia crop prospects there should be big crowds at the fair.

Superb Park Improvements. Thousands of dollars are being expended this year in park improvements. Roadways are being widened, improvements are being made in all public buildings, new and ornamental drinking fountains are being placed in various sections of the grounds, new sidewalks are being laid and hundreds of other improvements being made.

It will be a million-dollar enterprise. The grounds and buildings alone are worth twice that amount. The exhibits of industrial arts, fine arts, livestock, implements, vehicles and machinery, automobiles, amusement enterprises in intrinsic value will reach a sum that is staggering to conceive.

Prominent Men at Helm. Those at the helm of affairs are all men of prominence, builders of Dallas and of Texas, men vitally interested in the success and the betterment of every industry in the state. They are as follows: W. I. Yopp, president; Royal A. Ferris, first vice president; Edgar L. Flippen, second vice president; J. B. Adoue, treasurer; W. H. Stratton, secretary. Directors: E. J. Kleit, William Doran, E. M. Kahn, A. A. Jackson, H. A. Olmsted, J. C. Duke, J. S. Kendall, R. E. La Knight, J. J. Eckford, S. I. Minger, John N. Simpson, Louis Lipnitz, E. T. Morgan, F. F. Slinney, Alex. Sanger, W. H. Gaston, R. A. Ferris, Edgar L. Flippen and W. I. Yopp.

A. AND M. WILL HAVE SPLENDID EXHIBIT. Latest Answers Obtainable on Different Farm Topics.

Dallas.—When a farmer visits the 1914 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 17, Nov. 1, he should go to that fount of good, practical information, the exhibit booth of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, where he will find the latest answers obtainable on different farm topics.

If a problem presents itself in the way of plant disease, he can ascertain the proper ways of treatment. He will also find samples of adulterated seeds and how to guard against them.

The work of the students of the college will be illustrated in all its various details. Photographs of the experimental work in progress will be shown. The proper methods of keeping dairy records will be exhibited and there will be charts showing the relative value and cost of different rations, the qualities to be sought in building up a good dairy herd, the comparative value of milk with other foods, and the milk and butter fat production of some of the college cows.

Results of experimental work in experimental agronomy, such as the yielding power of different varieties of corn and oats and diversified farm, will be of unusual interest.

The right and wrong methods of pruning, grafting, the proper method of training young trees and vines, these all will be shown.

It is the most important exhibit ever assembled by the college for the State Fair.

MILK TESTING CONTEST. Students of A. and M. College Will Show Expertness at Coming Fair.

Dallas.—When the students of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas gather at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17, there is going to be some real milk testing demonstrations and students' judging contests. Already a good-natured rivalry is in evidence, and although the cash premiums are not so large, the honor of winning first is what really appeals to those who will take part.

Milk will be tested for added water, added milk preservatives, and butter will be tested for moisture, salts and the presence of other fats than butter fats. Cash prizes totalling \$70 will be awarded in the judging contests which will consist of judging two classes of dairy products.

Factory Exhibits at Fair. Dallas.—Miniature factories in operation promise to be one of the big features of the 1914 meeting of State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17, and continues sixteen days. S. I. Minger, director of this department of the State Fair, has already closed negotiations for a thread manufacturing plant exhibit, as well as various other industrial plant representations. It is especially planned to show the handling of cotton, from the field to the gin and thence to the mill, an exhibit that will deal with the importance of developing the cotton manufacturing industry of Texas.

WORLD AT HOME AT COMING FAIR

Splendid Amusement Attractions for Coming State Fair.

SHOWS ARE HIGH CLASS.

Twenty-Five Cars Necessary to Transport Mammoth Aggregation of Almost Every Amusement Device in Existence.

Dallas.—Can you imagine a miniature World's Fair brought to your very doors? Well, that is what THE WORLD AT HOME will do when it arrives in Dallas for its stay of sixteen days at the State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17. It requires twenty-five double length solid steel railway cars to transport this mammoth aggregation. Almost every known amusement device in existence is carried by THE WORLD AT HOME, some of them have never been presented by a traveling organization.

In addition to the amusement features in the way of riding devices, etc., there are many shows of the highest order, included among them are the Garden of Allah (Arabian Village); California Frank's Wild West and Indian Congress; Masappa, the horse with a human brain; Omar Sami's, the Human Butterfly and the Marvels of the Universe; Willard's Wonders of Melodia; Armstrong's Congress of Oddities; the Divine Horses; Prof. Victor Kallie's Champion Concert Band and sensational exhibitions in the mid-air and on the elevated platforms. The Garden of Allah is a wonderful exhibition, over seventy men, women and children of the desert appear in it. There are camels, elephants, burros, ponies, dogs and goats. Masappa is the most remarkable equine in the world and does everything but talk. Willard's Wonders of Melodia is the greatest musical novelty in the world. California Frank's Wild West and Indian Congress embraces all that is interesting pertaining to the Far West in the early days. Omar Sami's East Indian Exhibitions are unique and Armstrong's Congress of Oddities will make you laugh as you never laughed before. The riding devices will afford plenty of amusement for the patrons who seek thrilling sensations. The Band Concerts are a musical treat. The World at Home is conducted along high class lines, perfectly equipped.

If you hear a big splash at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, don't worry. It's merely the elephants taking their daily plunge in the big tank provided for that purpose this year.

FARM IMPLEMENT DISPLAY. That at State Fair Will Be Rich in Suggestions of Value.

Dallas.—The implement and farm machinery display will be larger and more varied than in previous years, judging by the amount of space already signed up for exhibits of this class at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, Oct. 17. Farmers will have an unusual opportunity of studying the latest and best in farm implements. Competent demonstrators will be on hand to display the latest improvements and explain the most effective methods of using the machinery.

Don't forget the big day, Monday, October 19. That is when the newspaper makers of Texas assemble at the State Fair of Texas for their day at the greatest of all expositions. E. J. Kleit, a newspaper man himself, a director of the State Fair, is in charge of the program, and he sends the word broadcast that there will be more real enjoyment this year than ever before.

CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT. College of Industrial Arts Assembling State Fair Feature.

Dallas.—Larger and more instructive this year than ever before the College of Industrial Arts exhibit at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, October 17-November 1, will not only house the regular class room displays, but will devote 200 feet of wall space to subjects dealing with child welfare.

That prevention is wiser than cure will be treated on in two sections dealing with children's diseases. The results of scientific research in the splendid results achieved through a complete physical examination of children attending school will be demonstrated. The importance of vocational training will be emphasized by facts revealed from the National Society of Industrial Education.

How bad home surroundings, bad recreation and low wages contribute to the delinquency of children will be dealt with in the section on children's institutions.

In fact the faculty of the College of Industrial Arts has assembled a splendid exhibit that will deal with every phase of the child welfare subject, something that the fathers and mothers of Texas should not overlook.

New shows, new conveniences for the comfort of all, a striking change in exhibits, in other words "A Different Fair"—that's the program for the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17, and continues sixteen grand and glorious days.

BRILLIANT AUTO SHOW. 1915 Models Shown First Time in America at Coming State Fair.

Dallas.—Dealers in automobiles are preparing for a marvelous exhibit of 1915 models. In their own building at the coming State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17, this will be the first showing of 1915 models in America. Every make sold in Texas, every model and kind will be on exhibition.

Remember the dates: State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Saturday, October 17, to Sunday, November 1.

Style Show at Fair. Dallas.—A style show of the latest imported and domestic designs in women's wear, and millinery will be one of the features of the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins in this city Saturday, October 17, and continues sixteen days. New York and Paris will be ransacked to bring to Dallas the latest and most beautiful creations in hats, gowns, frocks and dresses.

In the ladies' textile department of the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, rich premiums are offered for the work of school children of the state in domestic science, manual arts, drawing, arts and crafts and culinary. The 1914 meeting starts Saturday, October 17.

FARMERS OF TEXAS WELL CARED FOR

State Fair Offers Rich Premiums in Agricultural Classes.

A MAMMOTH DISPLAY.

Awards in Individual Farm Exhibit Class Increased to \$300—Ureola Sam Will Judge Cotton.

Dallas.—Farmers of Texas are well cared for this year by the management of the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17. Thousands of dollars have been set aside for awards for exhibits of farms, orchard and garden products.

The mammoth agricultural building has been equipped with new and modern exhibit booths for the farm and mill, cotton, corn and other divisions. A usual cotton comes in for a rich share of the prizes and will be assembled and judged under the supervision of the United States Department of Agriculture. Cash awards around \$300 and diplomas cover the prize of ferings for exhibits of short and long staple cotton.

In the corn division, open to Texas only, prizes aggregating \$500 are offered for all varieties of Dent corn, Laguna or June corn, prolific corn and gourd seed corn.

The big feature and one in which much interest is manifested is the individual farm exhibit class. The management regards this of such importance that the prize offerings have been increased to \$300. Every farmer in Texas has a chance at this rich purse and by assembling an exhibit of corn, cotton, small grain and other products grown on his farm this year, his chance of winning a rich share of this purse is as good as the next one.

The Texas Land and Mortgage Company offers rich special premiums in the Agricultural Department this year.

ANGORA GOAT DISPLAY. Record-Breaking Showing Promised for Coming State Fair.

Dallas.—Texas furnishes half the mohair produced annually in the United States, or more than 2,000,000 pounds. The grade is just as fine in texture as the imported article, and there is about 4,000,000 pounds imported into the United States each year.

The management of the 1914 State Fair of Texas is going to impress upon visitors the fact that Texas can produce twice as much mohair if more attention is given to the Angora goat industry.

Hence the rich prizes offered not only by the fair management but by the American Angora Goat Breeders' Association and the American Milch Goat Record Association.

The Angora exhibit last year was conceded to be the best since the St. Louis World's Fair, and the exhibit this year promises to eclipse even that of 1913.

Breeders declare that while the Angora prefers brush pasture, and is particularly happy when clearing thick brush land, yet after a few years on the very roughest land the owner will be able to double and often quadruple the number of head of sheep, goats or horses on the same land, and not in the least interfere with the Angora.

BABY SHOW AT FAIR. Five Hundred Youngsters Will Participate in Scientific Test.

Dallas.—Five hundred babies all in a row, going through scientific inspection and a test, had to be made some of them, is a unique exhibit for the coming State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17 and continues sixteen days.

It is held for the good of the babies of the state, the most precious asset and great physicians in attendance will tell the mothers what is best for their little ones in the way of proper feeding, clothing, exercise and hygiene.

October 23 is Better Babies' Rally Day, and all babies should be there. The contest is limited to 500 and it will be held in special quarters on the ground floor of the Coliseum.

Miss Rich of the Home Welfare Division of the University of Texas is in charge of the contest, which is held under the auspices of the university. The State Fair management contributes \$250 in prizes.

BUSY BEE AT FAIR. Exhibit of Great Educational Importance is Now Being Assembled.

Dallas.—Down there in Southwest Texas, where the flowers are ever blooming, beekeepers are getting up an exhibit of bees and bee products that will be one of the most instructive features of the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17. All the various varieties known in Texas will be shown to State Fair visitors in glass observatory hives, where their habits can be studied with the greatest of ease, and, while one is doing this, the expert in charge is adding other information that will convince the hearer that Texas is the home of the bee industry.

No department of the Fair is of more interest than this. The various uses that can be made of honey will be exceedingly instructive to the housewife. There will be a miscellaneous display, bees in every conceivable shape, curbs, hives and beekeeping supplies.

The motto of this exhibit will be that "every farmer should have a bee hive."

COUNTIES AFTER CUP. Silver Trophy Up Again at State Fair for Best Showing.

Dallas.—What county is going to win the much-sought trophy cup awarded at each Fair for the best and most diversified county exhibit? Cook, Hunt and Hopkins, winners of previous years are all getting their exhibits ready for the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, Oct. 17. Each has sent in word that the cup is already won. Meantime thirty or more other counties of the state are making the same preparations, not only to win the cup but to get a look-in on more than \$1200 in cash prizes offered in the county exhibit division.

Saddle horse classes at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 17, Nov. 1, are exceedingly rich and will comprise the greatest quality exhibit in the annals of the Fair. The American Saddle Horse Breeders' Association \$100 trophy will bring out the cream of the bunch.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Northeast part of Bryan county was well represented in the last Sunday school convention and the delegates returned home full of enthusiasm in the work and are now showing results.

A letter received this week by J. B. Hickman, president of the Equity Association from L. J. Draper, of Matoy, says:

"Since coming from the convention I have visited the Sunday schools in this part of the county and arrangements are all made for an all day meeting at Cade on Sunday, August 9, at which time and place we want to organize a district association. The following Sunday schools will compose the district and all will be at Cade on that date: Matoy, Cade, Buffalo, Post Oak, Freeny's Chapel, Franklin, Pritchard, and Banty."

This will be one of the biggest Sunday school conventions ever held in Bryan county and will be a wonderful influence in the upbuilding of the Sunday schools of that section.

Sunday school people over the county are invited to attend this meeting and get in touch with the work and study the methods and purpose of the district associations.

L. J. Draper of Matoy has been the leading spirit in the preparation for this meeting. J. B. Hickman, President, and W. T. Wallace, Secretary of the County Association will attend the meeting and assist the local schools in the organization of their district associations.

Remember the place and time—Cade—Sunday, August 9th.

BOOSTER TRIP. The Caddo Booster trip for the Corn Carnival will start next Tuesday morning from Caddo, going to Caney, Atoka, Lehigh, Coalgate, Caddo, Tishomingo, Madill, Wapanucka, Woodville, Kingston, Denison, Colbert, Durant, thence home. There will be two hundred boosters on this train and they will let the people of the country visited know what and where Caddo is. Also, they will let the people know what the Carnival is and what it means to Southeastern Oklahoma.

The Caddo people will be glad to meet the people of the towns they visit, and make friends with them.

Auction Sale of Southern Texas mares and one and two year old colts at V. M. Coles' Sale Barn on South Second Avenue, Saturday, August 15th at 10 o'clock a. m. w21

FEDERAL AUTHORITY IS NOT DETERMINED. Oklahoma City, Aug. 6.—Since the killing of two deputy United States Marshals in Tulsa while they were in the act of making a search for liquor in the home of the man who did the shooting, there has come up for discussion again as to the extent of the Federal authority in such cases.

Within the past three years the question of the federal authority in Oklahoma and other states where the Indian reservations exist has been presented to the courts in several forms. In the Evans case, still undecided by the United States Supreme Court, the question was raised direct-

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ly as to the authority of a Deputy United States Marshal, even though they had search warrants, to enter a place and destroy the furniture. The trial court at Muskogee decided that the authority existed. This decision was reversed by the United States circuit court of appeals.

In a recent review of the situation a Tulsa newspaper has shown that the searches made during the past six months in Tulsa, warrants were used that had been issued by a Justice of the Peace outside the city and the marshals were acting as Deputy Constables of that court.

It has been difficult to procure prosecution or conviction of persons charged in the state courts with violation of the liquor and gaming law in Tulsa.

SOLICITORS WANTED. The Durant Weekly News requires the services of some energetic young man or young lady at every postoffice in Bryan county, to act as correspondent and solicit subscriptions to the News. A liberal proposition awaits the right party. Persons desirous of investigating this matter may apply in person at the News office in Durant, or by letter. adv

ELECTION DAY PASSED QUIETLY. The election passed off more quietly in this city than in several years, and although there were li-

groups of men around the streets, there was no disturbance during the day as there have been during past elections. The prohibition law seems to have been well enforced also, for

not a drunk was seen on the streets during the day.

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