

Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., March 15, 1901.

The Great Pan-American Exposition.

Show Will Be the First Important Public Event of the Twentieth Century—Progress in the Western Hemisphere During a Century to Be Illustrated.

The achievements of the past century have been magnificent. The march of progress has been swift, and the triumphs of civilization have been manifold. The age of enlightenment is indeed here. Mankind has progressed in the culture of the finer side of existence and has turned to its uses the mysterious forces of the elements in a manner undreamed of but a few centuries ago.

Yet who can foretell what the Twentieth century has to unfold? Who would dare to predict what the achievements of another hundred years may be? Standing on the threshold of this era, we look into the past, and in the grand picture of progress to be presented in the beautiful buildings and

the confidence existing in the ability of the management to open the gates on May 1 upon a completed and perfectly embellished creation is justified.

The financial prospects of the Exposition are all that could be desired. The advertising it has received is already bringing forth fruit, and an unprecedentedly large attendance is now as certain as anything can be which belongs to the future.

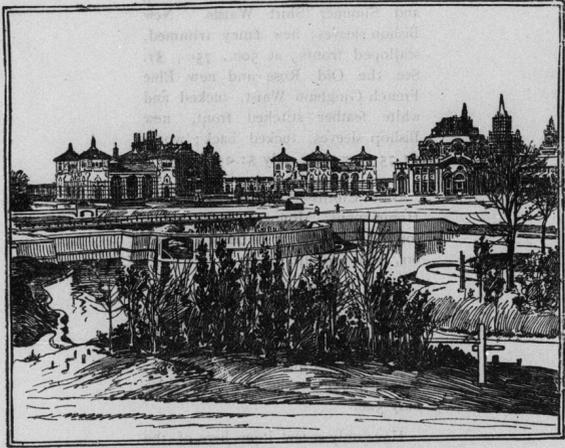
Seen from the distance of three-quarters of a mile away the Exposition grounds present the appearance of a grand and beautiful city, and when all is complete and winter's frost has given place to the sunlight and warmth of summer the charm of the scene will be such that the impression given will last a lifetime.

EDWARD HALE BRUSH.

Uncle Sam's Guns.

His Biggest Pieces at the Pan-American Exposition.

Extraordinary interest will attach to the Ordnance Exhibit of the United States government at the Pan-American Exposition, showing the modern weapons of warfare, which were used in the recent wars. It will



NORTHWEST VIEW FROM THE OHIO BUILDING.

comprehensive exhibits of the Pan-American Exposition we see a record in graphic form of what mankind has accomplished upon this hemisphere during the 100 years now completed.

With vision sharpened we look forward with prophetic eye into the mysteries of the future and get, in imagination at least, a glimpse of what the next century is to bring forth.

Can it be possible that the Twentieth century will see an advance in material and intellectual things as great relatively to that of other centuries as the Nineteenth century has witnessed? It scarcely seems within the bounds of possibility, and yet who can say whether even more wonderful discoveries and even more valuable applications of our present knowledge than the past century has given us do not await us in the one now just begun?

The Nineteenth century saw the revolution in methods of travel on land and sea caused by the invention of the steam engine; it saw the invention of the telegraph and telephone and electric light; it witnessed the application of electric power to urban transportation methods and to the operation of the wheels of industry generally; it produced great improvements in the fields of medicine and surgery and of education; it gave us inventions in the way of machinery which have completely revolutionized industry and shortened the hours of labor for the manual workers of the civilized world and particularly of this hemisphere. To go on and enumerate in detail the features of Nineteenth century progress would require more space than is at my command. But it will not do to forget that great as this progress has been and proud as we have a right to be of it there are tremendous problems of a social and political character yet to be solved. Their settlement during the next century will do much to alleviate the misery yet existing in the world and render happier the millions who will be born, live and die during the next hundred years. It should not be forgotten that many branches of science are yet in their infancy. We have only begun to understand the mysterious force of electricity, and we have not yet succeeded in navigating the air. There are yet many worlds to be conquered by the daring, the inventive and the pioneers of human progress in the forthcoming century.

That the pulse of mankind will be quickened by the great Exposition of all the Americas so soon to be held there is no room for doubt. No more appropriate time could be chosen for such an Exposition upon the American continent. No more appropriate place than Buffalo and the Niagara frontier could be selected, for it is at this spot, where the cataract of Niagara has been harnessed and science and industry have combined to concentrate all the energies and activities characteristic of the time, that the most fitting assemblage can be made of the things which portray most effectively this progress.

Never before in the history of exhibitions in either the New World or the Old has such remarkable work of a constructive character been done. Never before did six months show such a wonderful change in the appearance of tract of land as has been worked, without the aid of magic, in the 350 acres which comprise the site of the Pan-American Exposition.

Now that the principal buildings are practically constructed and the whole great enterprise has been thus far run on schedule time it can be seen that

include the best of former exhibits and will in addition have novelties never before shown. The heavy ordnance will be mounted outside the Government building. This branch of the exhibit will include the 12 inch gun, with disappearing carriage, so arranged that neither the man nor the gun is exposed except during the moment of firing, the recoil throwing it into its original position. Then, too, there will be shown the 16 inch seascope rifle manufactured at the Watervliet arsenal, the most powerful piece of ordnance ever constructed in the United States, having a maximum range of 20 1/2 miles. It will be the greatest display of heavy ordnance ever made, yet this is only one of the numerous features of the Government Ordnance Exhibit for the Exposition.

Another exhibit of ordnance will be made by manufacturers, but in a different part of the grounds. It will be very large, as all the makers will naturally want to make as good a showing as possible. Here a considerable number of important inventions not yet accepted by any government, but which may figure conspicuously in the possible defenses of the future, will be shown. There will be great guns and small guns and guns of all kinds and their accessories at the Pan-American Exposition. To many visitors this will be one of the most attractive features of the big show. The study of weapons with which the great powers wage war is ever an interesting one, and the many wonderful discoveries and inventions in this line during the past few years have a tendency very naturally to accentuate the interest. That the fullest opportunity to satisfy curiosity in this direction will be given at this Exposition is assured.

Food Production.

Possibilities in Pan-America to Be Shown at Exposition.

Foods and Their Accessories, a division having a place in the Manufactures and Liberal Arts building at the Pan-American Exposition, will show



A PLAZA LION

the possibilities for food production in Pan-America. The requirements of soil and climate for a great variety of foods and accessories now brought from the orient will be shown to be possessed by the countries of the Western World.

Young Ladies.

Won't You Help This Man Out of His Difficulty?

The following bills have been posted in and around Crawford township, Clinton county:

PUBLIC SALE

BY REASON OF THE FACT THAT I HAVE NO WIFE AND NO HOUSEKEEPER AND CANNOT GET ONE

I will dispose of at public sale, at my residence, in Crawford township, Clinton county, Pa., on Monday, March 18th, the following described property:

SIX HEAD OF MILCH COWS.

Two calves, one bay bull, ten young hogs, one young bay mare and two well matched black colts, one or nearly one year old. THIS IS NOT A HOAX OR A DODGE To get rid of a lot of worthless stock at a good price, but I MUST GET A WIFE OR HAVE A SALE, And as the former is yet out of sight, the sale is determined upon.

JAMES McKEAGE.

A telegram from Jersey Shore to the Philadelphia Inquirer states that the posting of these bills has aroused a spirit of sympathy among the men which bodes well for prices McKeage's live stock may fetch when the melancholy sale occurs. It has also awakened in the hearts of some of the women a feeling of pity for the plight of the thrifty farmer, and a half formed determination that the sale shall not take place at all, that the circumstances shall be so changed that it is no longer necessary.

Squire McKeage is a bachelor orphan, about 38 years old, and he lives alone on a large farm. Recently he has been engaged in hauling lumber during the day and has performed woman's duties about the farmstead during the night, only getting about three hours' sleep out of the twenty-four. Thus the poor man is driven to the extremity set forth in his sale bill.

The farmers have thoroughly discussed the affair and agree it is perfectly logical. The cows are useless without a woman to milk them; the calves and hogs cannot live without the milk. The bay mare is a lady's driving horse, an article of extravagance for a bachelor to indulge in, and the matched colts—well it is a part of the feminine duty to feed them, and they are just such as a woman might love to drive later on.

It is predicted that "Squire McKeage's sale will attract an immense crowd—provided no member of the fair sex comes to the rescue of the bewildered farmer and turns it into a wedding.

Trees to Fight Drought.

Russian Steppes Planted With Absorbent Woods to Save Moisture.

It is a fact worthy of note that the Russian government is planting the great dry steppes of Southern Russia with trees, in order to bring a little humidity to the land, so often parched by drought.

Somebody has said that our agriculture has been saved from the evil effects of deforestation only by the inherent humidity of the climate. Whether that be so or not, it is certain that the rainfall in many English districts is not what it once was, owing to the clearing away of many square miles of woodland. Our own drought in summer, though happily not comparable with those of Southern Russia, are very inconvenient at times.

Should the English people ever try to become largely self-supporting as timber consumers, by planting with trees their three million acres of waste land, no doubt the rainfall of the country would greatly increase again—though scarcely in our time.

Though trees perspire largely and gather much water, they do not let it go in the form of evaporation at all readily. The coniferous trees are not such friends of humidity as the oak, beech and various deciduous trees.

Yet they, too, preserve moisture. The leaves and decaying fronds lying on the ground form a non-conducting stratum of considerable thickness.

Again, firs planted in dense masses prevent evaporation to a large extent.

CATARH—Called an American disease, is cured by an American medicine, originated and prepared in the most catarrhal of American countries. The medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures radically and permanently, in that it removes the cause, cleansing the blood of scrofulous and all other impurities. It overcomes all the effects of catarrh, too, and builds up the whole system.

—Miss Mary Goards, an attractive young woman of twenty, has recently served as Court interpreter before several New York magistrates who have had cases of foreigners tried before them. Miss Goards is a Russian by birth, but has been in this country most of her life. She speaks Lithuanian, Italian, Russian, English and several other languages, although she has never had anything more than an elementary public school education.

NIGHT WAS HER TERROR.—"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other means failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 53 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, a gripe and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Green's drug store.

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LILLIE SOCHER.
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Travelers Guide.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNA.

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PHILADELPHIA SLEEPING CAR attached to East-bound train from Williamsport at 11:30 P. M. and West-bound from Philadelphia at 11:30.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES.

Schedule in effect Nov. 24th, 1900.

VIA TYRONE—WESTWARD.

Leave Bellefonte, 9:55 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 11:10 a. m., at Altoona, 1:00 p. m., at Pittsburg, 5:50 p. m.

VIA TYRONE—EASTWARD.

Leave Bellefonte, 9:55 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 11:10 a. m., at Altoona, 1:00 p. m., at Philadelphia, 5:47 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN—NORTHWARD.

Leave Bellefonte, 9:32 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 10:30 a. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN—EASTWARD.

Leave Bellefonte, 9:32 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven 10:30 a. m., at Williamsport, 12:40 p. m., arrive at Harrisburg, 3:15 p. m., at Philadelphia at 6:23 p. m.

VIA LEWISBURG.

Leave Bellefonte, 6:05 a. m., arrive at Lewisburg, 11:30 a. m., Philadelphia, 3:17 p. m.

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Nov. 26th, 1900.

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