The March of Color In the early months of summer white flowers predominate in the northern field and garden. In July

yellow flowers begin to prevail and their reign seems to culminate in August, which is the month par excellence of golden hues. In Septem-ber and October the ascendency passes to blue and purple blossoms. One cannot help noticing that this march of color among the flowers, carrying them from white in the spring to blue in the autumn, recalls the supposed progression of age among the stars as indicated by their colors. It has generally been thought, although the ract has not yet been finally demonstrated, that the white stars are the youngest, that the yellow stars represent the mid-season of solar life, and that the deeply colored ttars, red, purple, and blue, are these which are fast passing into decadence. if this is true, then in the heavens tlso we may say white is the color of springtime and purple the badge of the season of decay.

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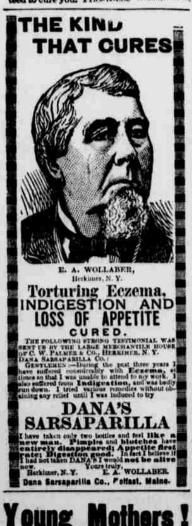


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## LIVE THINGS ON SHOW.

#### FINE STOCK EXHIBITED AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

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The agricultural exhibit of the World's Fair, including the stock pavillous, the great display amphitheater and the main building covers a total of sixty-nine acres, over twice the entire acreage of the huge Manufactures Building. It is at this pole of the Fair, says the San Francisco Chroniele, that the farming interest is magnetized, while the artistic spirit is attracted to the opposite pole, over a mile to the west. For the most part the exhibits in the main hall ring the changes on pyramidis of glass jars containing samples of grain, vegetables, traits and other products of the soil in a profusion which can only retain its interest to the scientific farmer. The National Department of Agriculture directs the displays made by the different experimental stations at the universities and "cow colleges" throughout this country, and the result is one that by itself will repay a day attention on the part of the scientifically concerned. One is impressed with the fact that tiling the soil is no meand child's-play, and that an oducation in the treatment of soil, the nature of pests and the processes of germination is a prime requisito of success in an occupation where competition is more severe than in any other. Indeed, the farm-Building. It is at this pole of the Fair, says

tive and masticatory attitudes without much regard to anything in particular. Many of them wear canvas overcoats to protect their wool from getting soiled, and the rams are fitted with leather aprops over their eyes to discourage their propensity to open holes in each other. All-white Southdowns and the Hampshire downs, with their dark muzzles and black woolen stockings are present in numbers. Then there are the Merinos, whose superfluous skin lies bunched in multifolds like the convolutions of the human brain. Cotswolds with backs as wide as tea tables and beautiful all-wool bangs; Cheviots, with fine independent hairs of pure white, like Spitz dogs, and Angora goats from California, with their long, carly, silky Mohair wool. Exhibited by the same Southern Californian are Persian fat-tail sheep, whose ness make one wonder how they wandered out of the Holy Land. The Dorset horned sheep are also present in large numbers, and much is claimed for their hardihood and money value. The horns of the ram grow round and round like a corksorew, and the older rams look out through the centre of a series of several twists of stout hom.

What is claimed as the largest sheep in the world is a "Lincoln," a breed which somewhat resombles the Cotswold. He is five years old, weighs 457 pounds without his canvas yest, and when he was last sheared surrendered twenty-two and one-quarter pounds of wool.

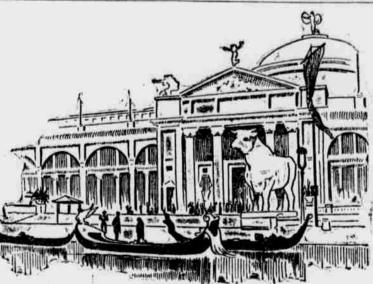
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Two breeders of Shetland ponies maintain I wo breeders of Shefland ponies maintain a permanent exhibit in the stock sheds. These firms conduct themselves entirely to the raising of toy horses. They show about fity Shathands of all colors and sizes, notably one beautiful black stallion with bangs reaching half-way down his nose, who stands about as high as a door knot. These convenient little steels, who have all the advantages of higgsles since they can be lifted.

that an oducation in the treatment of soil, the nature of pests and the processes of germination is a prime requisite of success in an occupation where competition is more severe than in any other. Indeed, the farmer's work has joined completely in the race with all the other pursuits that were one-calmost entirely matters of muscle and are now almost wholly matters of brains and machinery.

The display of agricultural implements, with nickel-platel metal parts and on platforms exercise with heavy carpets, is but little suggestive of the soil. The few foreign exhibitors who ventured into a region so generally acknowledged as our ground of vantage, have sent their machines substantially in the condition in which they go into service.

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IN PRONT OF THE AGRICULTURAL BUILDING

hibits there are many sections where the floors are almost bare of visitors, even during the most erowded days. This is true more of the Agricultural Building than of any other. A display which consists of a number of bottles of mineral water arranged in a fancy booth which is only a little different from a hundred others near by is not calculated to attract attention where there are so many thousands of highly attractive objects. On the other hand, in many displays of cereals strking designs have been made out of corncobs, straw and various cereal growths in such a manner as to be extremely entertaining. The best of these is in the California Building, where a huge landscape, occupying a large section of one wall, is produced with a reference to values and perspectives that is remarkable. Notwithstanding the large collection of her numeer of bottles of mineral water arranged in a fancy booth which is only a little different from a hundred others near by, is not calculated to attract attention where there are so many thousands of highly attractive objects. On the other hand, in many displays of cereals strking designs have been made out of corneobs, straw and various cereal growths in such a manner as to be extremely entertaining. The best of these is in the California Building, where a huge landscape, occupying a large section of one wall, is produced with a reference to values and perspectives that is remarkable. Notwithstanding the large collection of her products shown by California in her housing, she also occupies to advantage a section of the Agricultural Building equal in size to that of most of the other States.

The arrangements for the exhibitions of live stock have been most magnificent and complete. The great amphitheatre is built like a huge permanent circus, except that there is no roof over the arena. It is 280 feet by 410, in oval shape, and there are comfortable seats around for 3000 people. Near by are twenty-four stock hade boilt on the seats around for 3000 people.

by 410, in oval shape, and there are comfortable seats around for 3000 people. Near by are twenty-four stock sheds, built on the style of a Mexican haclenda. The stock shows are transient affairs, divided up into different classes, and each lasting about ten days. The exhibit of running and road horses and cattle closed during the first days of September, and is said to have been the finest display of the kind ever made anywhere. After the departure of the stock in that division the stalls in the various sheds were converted into pens, half of which contained swine or sheep. Later on came the trotting horses, perhaps the most interesting of all, together with light wagon horses and heavy draught horses. Still other separate shows are made of fine poultry, dogs and pet stock.

pot stock.

Of very large hogs there are many. "Columbus" is a Minnesota hog of high renown and worthy of the deepest respect of hogs and men for the sweetness there is in him. His life has been three years of oats, barley, sleep and general delight, and his frame barely suffices to support the great weight of lard, ham and spare-rib which content has bred upon it. "Columbus" claims to weigh 1270 pounds, and probably does weigh over 1000; he has great difficulty in rising from a position of rest without stepping on his stomach, which, when he sleeps, lies spread about him in various directions. He never rises except to eat and then never fies down until he has cleared the board. It is estimated that if he were penned up and deprived of food he could survive for a period of two months on his surplus tissue and still be living on the fat of the land. Like some others of us he has never tasted corn, having been brought to his present proportions on

alone. So far the Jersey cows have led the two other breeds by a substantial percentage, and they bid fair to hold their own to the end.

Of food that comes from the rivers and seas we have the living sight in the Fisheries Building to an extent which covers about half of the fish that are good to eat. The fresh water varieties are very well represented, but those of the brine are almost nil. The Fisheries rising in a succession of polygonal towers to a height that sets it well off against the surrounding structure, is one of the departures from general agreement of main proportions which has been followed by the architects. The main tower and the great hall at its base are flanked by colonades which lead at either side to polygonal pavilions, one of which is used as a restaurant and the other for the aquaria. The people congregate in a tremendous throng in the latter, and perhaps no equal space inside the grounds contains such numbers of visitors during the afternoon hours. The aquaria are disposed in two circles, one within the other, and the heavy glass sides expose the interior of each tank from top to bottom. Most of the tanks contain two or three different varieties of fish, whose names are displayed on piacards hung along the face of the glass. One lady was asked by her companion which of two fish swimming about in the same tank was a sunfish and which was a cunner. "Oh, you can easily tell," she answered; "according to the signs the one on the right is a cunner and the one on the left is a sunfish."

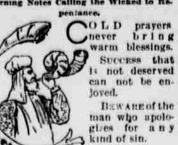
The curlous toad fish with the uplifted eyes; the paddle-fish, with a nose like a rubber-boot, and the long-nosed gar, who wears an old-fashioned darning-needle for an upper lip, are all stared at in open wonder by ninetents of the visitors, to whom the existency of such monsters is for the first time made known. The clusters of sea anemone, which remind one of a first-class chrysantnemum show under water, and the spider crabs which crawi about them with their hands higger than thee fish conservers. What th

of two months on his surplus tissue and still be living on the fat of the land. Like some others of us he has never tasted corn, having been brought to his present proportions on barley and oats.

The Poland China breed of hogs is the one most liberally represented—a black and very fat species. The largest of these and the largest hog of any description to be seen in the sheds weighs 1050 pounds. He is so fat that it requires the moral support and hobnailed boot of his owner and trainer to rouse him to the trough. Between times he lies out and sleeps with a snore that is like a steam pump full of twigs. Altogether he looks like a big bologna sausage, with his tall representing the bit of string on the end. Some of the young pigs seem to grow faster than their skins expand to hold them, so that the act of closing the mouth causes their than their skins expand to hold them, so that the act of closing the mouth causes their than their skins expand to hold them, so that the act of closing the mouth causes their than their skins expand to hold them, so that the act of closing the mouth causes their than their skins expand to hold them, so that the provided in the second of the young pigs seem to grow faster than their skins expand to hold them, so that the act of closing the mouth causes their than their skins expand to hold them, so that the eart for those who like their pork more lean there are the Tamworth hogs, which look like big, brown, overfed rats. There is nothing in the physiconomy of any of these prize brutes to suggest aught like a spirit of any sort, but the "improved" Yorkshire bread have faces that are full of expression and linger in the memory. The nature of the improvement in the "improved" Yorkshire bread have faces that are full of expression and linger in the memory. The nature of the improvement in the "improved" Yorkshire bread have faces that are full of expression and linger in the memory. The nature of the improvement in the "improved" Yorkshire bread have faces that are full of expression

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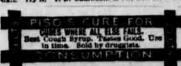
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