

THE ONLY AND ORIGINAL MICHIGAN

# STATE FAIR

ORGANIZED FIFTY-NINE YEARS AGO

## DETROIT 3 TO 11

September

The largest collection of the state's products and resources ever shown has been assembled for the fifty-ninth annual state fair and a liberal education is furnished the tens of thousands of visitors who will through the big 145-acre beautiful ground to view the fruits of toil which have been gathered from the farms, the factory, the home and mother earth. \$50,000 in premiums has been provided for competitors in the various departments.

**LIVE STOCK PARADE** Through the grounds, 11 to 12 noon, September 3 and 4. Be sure to witness the **Judging Contests** in the Live Stock Department for young men of this state under 20 years of age.

**IMPLEMENTS AND VEHICLES** From the carriage manufacturers will make a display of their goods. Over a hundred implements and machinery manufacturers, comprising the largest in the United States have taken every available inch of space in that department.

**LIVE STOCK EXHIBIT** The best of the horses, swine and sheep has been entered and all birds, stock, hounds will be fitted.

**BIG POULTRY SHOW** of 1,445 year will be repeated with many new entries.

**HORTICULTURAL DEPT.** For the results of the favorable season in this state for fruits and indoor products.

**FAST NEW TRACK RACES** \$14,000 for Race Purse will be among the attractive features of the fair. The track is one of the fastest in the country.

**IS EVENTS ARE ON THE RACING CARD.**

**VISIT THE GREAT MIDWAY** Many of the best attractions from the New York Exposition and the country's biggest parks will be located on the Midway. Everything will be clean and nothing of an objectionable nature will be permitted on the grounds.

**LABOR DAY EXERCISES** Will be held on the grounds, Monday, September 7th. Noted speakers will be present. This will be Michigan's greatest Labor Day demonstration.

**SPERMALIN'S PERFORMING BEARS** The most wonderful performance of performing bears in the world direct from the New York Hippodrome may be seen in the afternoon and evening. They will be taken about the streets of Detroit every afternoon in a four-wheeled wagon.



**DAN PATCH, 1-554** The fastest harness horse in the world will endeavor to break his new record Tuesday September 10th. Mr. Healey, his driver, says that he has never been in better condition to do it, and our new track in the fastest in the country.

**FREE SHOWS** There will be free grand stand between race heats and intermissions in the evening. These shows include: **SPERMALIN'S PERFORMING BEARS**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**.

**14 STATE BANDS** Fourteen state bands will play in the grand stand between race heats and intermissions in the evening. These bands include: **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**, **THE GREAT HAWK AND HIS BIRD**.

**CHILDREN'S DAY** Friday, Sept. 10th, will be a day of fun and games for the children. There will be a grand display of fireworks, a parade, and other amusements.

**GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS** The latest and best creation of Henry Paul, the world-renowned fireworks expert and originator of outdoor spectacles in a dramatic and realistic tradition of "Sheridan's Ride or the Battle of Cedar Creek." None who come to the fair should miss seeing this MARVELOUS PATRIOTIC SPECTACLE. Commences Saturday night, September 10th, continuing for five nights. Every evening following the battle scene, there will be given a brilliant collection of fireworks, including some of the most startling designs ever brought to the state. Thousands of dollars were spent in providing this display.

**REDUCED FARES ON RAILROADS** All railroads reduced fares for those coming to the state fair, and visitors who leave the grounds in the city are certain to find the most attractive for one day's visit. For further particulars, apply to the agents and conductors of the various lines operating on the grounds.

## PILE'S

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## Put Your Money In a New Country

The Pacific Coast extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway now under construction, opens to the settler thousands of acres of excellent agricultural land. The new country in Adams, Hettinger, and Bowman Counties, North Dakota, and Butte County, South Dakota, is now reached by the new track. The soil is a dark loam with clay subsoil, and produces in abundance wheat, oats, barley, speltz, flax, corn and potatoes. The land is well adapted to farming, good water is found at a depth of from twenty to fifty feet, and the whole country is underlain with lignite coal that outcrops along the streams, and in most cases can be had for the digging. The climate is healthful, the air is dry and invigorating, and the percentage of sunshine days is high. Outdoor work can be done almost every day in the year. Rainfall is an ample amount to raise the crops. Regular mail service has been established, the roads are good, rural telephone lines traverse the country, and automobiles are in common use. The decided land in this district sells for from \$10 to \$18 per acre. There are many instances this year where the crop equaled in value the cost of the land. In Butte County, South Dakota, there is considerable government land open for homestead entry. Government land offices are maintained at Lemmon, Hettinger and Bowman, where filings and final proofs may be made. All of these towns are on the new line of the

## Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway

In Montana, the new railroad traverses good farming land. It has been demonstrated that big crops of grain may be raised. Along the Yellowstone and Mussellshell rivers, the water is used for irrigation, and phenomenal yields of alfalfa, sugar beets, and grain, are always certain. In the Judith Basin near Lewistown, Montana, is one of the most remarkable sections to be found on the new line. Vastly fertile land, the famous Judith lands produced this year an average of 35 bushels of hard wheat to the acre, and the price was 34 cents per bushel. The basin contains about 1500 square miles and is sparsely settled. Some government land still remains open for settlement. A government land office is maintained at Lewistown. In Porcupine County, outside the Judith Basin, is one of the greatest stock countries in the world, and good ranches can be purchased at a reasonable figure. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway has established an immigration department for the purpose of assisting in the settlement and development of the new lands now being opened. Pamphlets describing its resources will be forwarded free on request.

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