

## GET READY FOR THE GREAT FAIR

San Francisco has announced in the most practical manner that it is determined to hold a World's Fair worthy of commemorating one of man's greatest achievements. Over \$4,000,000 has already been subscribed, and it is certain that the contributions of citizens will come far above the \$5,000,000 mark that has been set.

"The gods help those who help themselves" And with proof of the enterprise and determination of San Francisco there can be no doubt that the nation and the individual states will give hearty support. A city that four years ago lost \$4,000,000,000 in the greatest conflagration in history and saw its entire business district and half its residences swept bare of everything but broken brick and twisted iron and ashes, now raises over \$4,000,000 in two hours, to lay the foundation of a World's Fair that shall eclipse anything that has gone before. If that doesn't inspire the nation and the states to take their hats off and vote to stand with us in the enterprise, it will be because they lack the imagination to realize what the facts mean.

Beyond doubt we are to have a fair worthy of the Pacific Coast and on the completion of the canal that will change the world's currents of trade. Now let us plan to have a city worthy of the great fair.

We have under way a fire protection system that is a model for the world. The sewer system that is being constructed is the best in the country. We have voted money for a model municipal street railroad, and the municipality will build and run it if the courts do not tie its hands. We are building one of the best public hospitals in the world. We have

been promised the best plant for collecting and destroying garbage that is to be found anywhere. And we have voted \$45,000,000 for a Sierra water supply.

All but the last should be completed and in running order before the guests of 1915 arrive. But to get them completed the people of San Francisco must pay close attention to their public servants. The politicians will work if they have to. But if the people are indifferent there will be little to show for their money.

Give us a model San Francisco by 1915.—San Francisco Examiner.

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 LOCALS
 

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The seniors and juniors are busy preparing exhibit work.

Manuel Swanson left for his home in the far north on Sunday afternoon.

The annual cherry fair is this week during Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Salem.

The large engine is being put together this week by Mr. Van Tassel and a machinist from Salem.

A number of girls left the school on Wednesday morning for the ranch of Mrs. Jones, where they picked loganberries.

WANTED—Boys to work in the bakery. Must be industrious and reliable. Those who can work in the morning preferred.

Edward Lynch, Alex Beyer, Ella and Henry Fleming, left Chemawa on the evening of the Fourth for their homes in the different parts of Alaska.

The second baseball team played at Falls City on the Fourth and although they were defeated they deserve great credit for holding such a strong team as Dallas College down to a 5 to 2 score.