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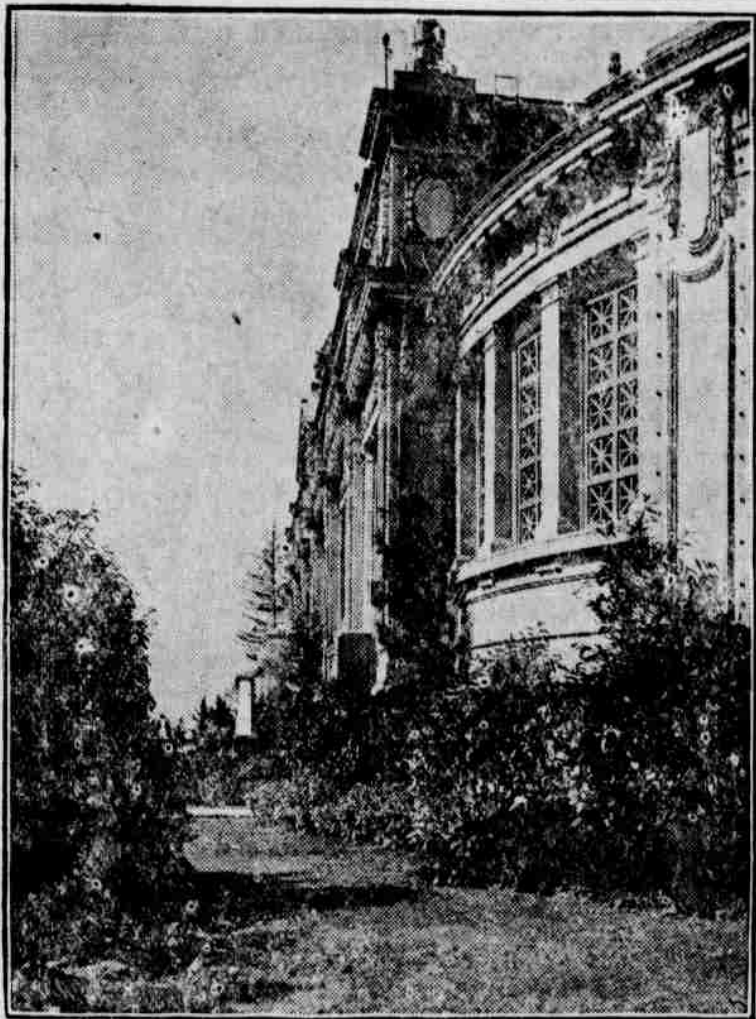
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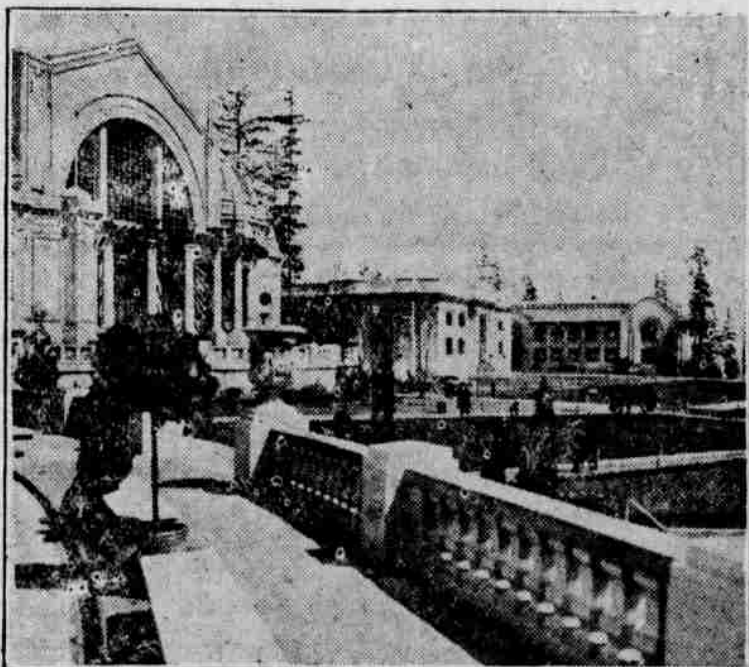
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A FACADE OF THE ORIENTAL EXHIBITS BUILDING AT THE ALASKA-YUKON-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.

To relieve the formality of the ground plans of the exposition as much as could be of the native fir forest and undergrowth was left to line the walks and ways. An example of this treatment is to be found in the front of the Oriental building. There are fir trees, huckleberry, wild Oregon grape and other native growths, among which have been planted bright flowered annuals, which will be in full bloom during the exposition period. The Oriental building itself will cover such of the oriental exhibits as are not cared for in Japan's splendid palace and in the Chinese building. This idea to preserve as far as possible the natural features of the site of the exposition is somewhat of a novelty in exposition building, and it is agreed universally that the result amply justifies the scheme. The scene of the exposition itself is so rich in landscape effects that even if no artificial adornment had been attempted the outcome would have been picturesque in the extreme. In laying out the grounds this fact was borne constantly in mind, and the supervising landscape gardener and his skilled assistants have produced nothing which conflicts in any way with the original natural beauty of the spot.



A VIEW FROM THE FORMAL GARDENS AT THE ALASKA-YUKON-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.

The three vistas that lead from the Court of Honor of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition are planted to formal gardens and long areas of lawn. Along the vistas uninterrupted views of the lake and the snow clad mountains which surround the city of Seattle are to be had, and the scene on a fair day is one of grandeur. In the picture a view is had of Machinery hall, on the right the King county building, and the pergola of the Palace of Manufactures on the left. The city of Seattle is in King county, and the county building is made almost as large as many of the principal structures of the exposition. In it will be a panorama of the city and the county and many unique features not heretofore found in exhibits of the kind.

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Friday and Saturday

Well last week we could not wait on the customers so all did not get a chance at our Special Bargains so we are going to give you a few more specials for this week and will ask you to come in early.

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Portland Letter.

Portland, Oregon June 7, (Special) Representing Chicago, the greatest live-wire in the business world, a special train load of prominent business men of that city will visit Portland this week. The visitors are well known members of the Chicago Association of Commerce and represent millions of capital. Every one is a great human dynamo of energy. The excursionists have decided to quit going to Europe and to see the resources of the Pacific Northwest.

The Chicago party will reach Portland on the morning of June 10th. The visitors are accompanied on the trip by a number of correspondents for the Chicago newspapers who will write up the trip and the Coast country. Complete entertainment for the visiting business men has been mapped out by the Portland Commercial Club and a special committee is in charge of the arrangements. The Chicagoans will be guests of the Rose Festival, and auto rides

about the city will give them a good idea of Portland.

President Taft will be the recipient this week of a handsome bouquet of Oregon roses, sent by the management of the Portland Rose Festival. The flowers are in acknowledgement of the President's interest in the Festival and his compliance with the wishes of the management in touching a button at the White House on June 7 and formally opening the annual carnival of roses. The bouquet will be presented by Senators Bourne and Chamberlain and will probably grace the President's table upon their arrival.

Oregon's summer vacation possibilities are practically unlimited. This is shown by a recent announcement by Secretary Stone of the Portland Y. M. C. A. in outlining summer plans for that institution. He proposes a diversity of outings for members. They include the senior hike to Tillamook from Portland, the ascent of Mt. Hood by another party

in July and a summer camp for employed boys on Ross Island in the Willamette near the city for 15 days during the summer. Here are vacation stunts to suit varied tastes. A snow covered mountain and the ocean, both within striking distance of the city, show Oregon's outdoor attractions. Yet there is probably no part of the state that cannot offer similar tempting vacation opportunities.

A banquet for the Indian War Veterans of the North Pacific Coast, given by the Sons and the Daughters of the Indian War Veterans, will be held in Woodman Hall, Eleventh Street, between Washington and Alder, on June 10. Mrs. Charles Henry Chambreau, president of the order, will superintend the banquet and entertainment. The reception committee is composed of Mrs. S. M. Parrish, Mrs. B. A. Chambreau, Mrs. T. A. Wood, Mrs. Wishard, Mrs. Otto Klee-man, H. Wood and J. C. Proebstel. The tables will be in charge of well known members of the organization.