

MILLIONS THROGGING TO THE GREAT PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION

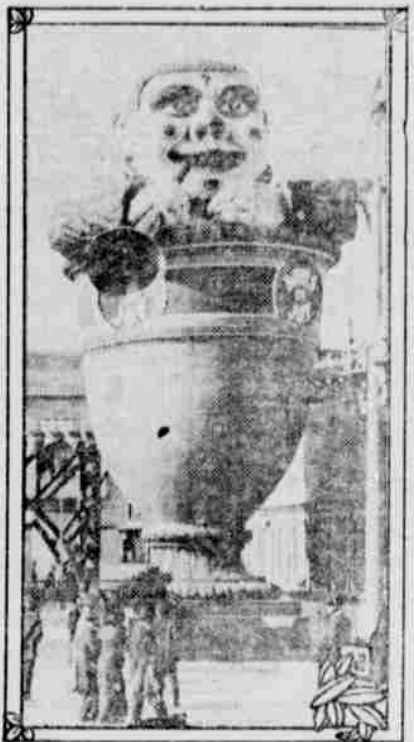
Now Is the Time to Visit America's Huge Panama Canal Celebration at San Francisco. Exposition Safeguards Visitors.

ALL AMERICA ON EXHIBITION THIS YEAR; RAILROADS GRANT LOW ROUND TRIP RATES TO SEE UNIVERSE'S MARVELS

Privileges of Routing Never Before Offered—Hotel Rates Average Less Than Those of Other Great Cities and 125,000 Rooms Available in Hotels and Apartment Houses in San Francisco.

THERE is something helpful and inspiring for every one at the Exposition. Said Vice President Marshall recently: "Whoever can, even at a sacrifice of something which for the moment appears necessary, should come to see a real work of art never equaled, even by a mirage. If there be any one in America with a thirst for knowledge and for beauty and a longing for a liberal education, such a one can obtain it here. "This is the university of the world. It has a chair fully endowed to meet the wants and needs of each. The eye, the ear, the mind, the heart, the soul, each may have its horizon here enlarged. I came to hear a message. I remain to become a student. I leave the feet of this Gamaliel of all exhibitions with regret." And Miss Helen Keller, who, as all know, is both blind and deaf, having acquired the faculty of speech, although she has never heard any one speak, said of her visit to the Exposition that it was the most inspiring period of her life. Said Dr. Frederick J. V. Skiff: "Here the world is shown in epitome. The visitor from whatever realm here enters into his native land."

foremost men in their respective fields. Now is the time to see the Exposition. When you reach San Francisco you will, of course, wish to find accommodations without unnecessary delay, and, while you will find



A THRILLER ON THE JOY ZONE. This giant figure guards the entrance to one of the stupendous attractions on the famous Joy Zone at San Francisco. In the Bows of Joy you are rotated thirty miles an hour in small cars that climb around a giant spiral. The Bows of Joy are but one of hundreds of attractions in the greatest amusement section the world has ever known. Be sure to see the Exposition.

some accommodations necessarily much more expensive than others, you will be able to secure a room at a dollar a day and up. Indeed, one can find all sorts of rooms in the great city of San Francisco, which in reality is a much greater center than the census would indicate, since, with its neighboring cities around San Francisco bay, it forms a group of cities with a population of almost 1,000,000 persons. Hotel rates in San Francisco are no more than they are in any other great city in the United States. As a help to visitors the Exposition maintains the Exposition Hotel Bureau, an official activity which is conducted with the co-operation and assistance of a committee of representative hotel men of San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley. This Hotel Bureau has no purpose other than to serve the public. It is not a profit making institution. If you want full particulars as to accommodations address the Official Exposition Hotel Bureau, Flannery Building, Market and Kearny streets, San Francisco. In writing, it would be well to state how many there are in your party and how long you desire to stay.

There are accommodations for all in the great city by the Golden Gate, and one need only glance through the classified columns of the San Francisco papers to find how great is the variety of the accommodations offered, while a ride through the rebuilt city will show hundreds and hundreds of hotels and apartment houses, all constructed within the past eight years.

So do not fail to see the Exposition early. The greatest geniuses of the age and the greatest nations of the world have contributed the earth's supremest achievements, and a visit to the Exposition is not only an education, but an inspiration.

MINIATURE BATTLESHIP BLOWN UP AND MINE EXPLOSION INTERESTING FEATURES IN TWO EXHIBITION PALACES

Amazing Voice Amplifier and Other Wonders of the World's Progress at the Great Panama-Pacific Canal Celebration—This Year the Year of All Years to Take Marvel Journey to the Pacific Coast.

FROM every part of the world visitors are thronging to the great Exposition at San Francisco. The Exposition there is the most comprehensive and interesting of all universal exhibitions, and it will probably be the last to be held within the present generation. Now is the time to see it.

The Panama-Pacific International Exposition, which opened on Feb. 20 last, has charmed the millions who have already beheld the magic city by the Golden Gate.

The marvels of the universe are displayed in the vast exhibit palaces, affording the most comprehensive summary of the world's progress ever disclosed. Many of the exhibits are as revolutionary in their character and mean as much to future generations as did the locomotive or telegraph when it was first introduced. The Audion amplifier, for example, makes it possible for a man in New York city to deliver an address through the telephone to a large audience in San Francisco, 3,000 miles away. Through the use of heat waves the intensity of the voice vibrations is increased to such an extent that, although the orator may deliver his address in a low voice into the telephone in New York, in San Francisco it is possible to increase the sound in volume sufficient to fill a large hall. On the other hand, the New York speaker's address may be distributed through telephonic receiving disks attached to each chair in the hall in San Francisco. In one of the exhibit palaces visitors may, without charge, hear a man in New York read from the headlines of the New York newspapers. This performance begins in the Palace of Liberal Arts each day at 3 o'clock.

The amazing voice amplifier is but

one of many revolutionary scientific advances demonstrated at the Exposition. The invention has made possible the transcontinental telephone, and the principle which is applied has not been developed to its fullest extent. It is said that with the probable develop-



TELEPHONE TWENTY-TWO FEET HIGH AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION. This giant telephone is shown in the Palace of Liberal Arts, Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco.

ment of the long distance wireless telephone this new invention will make it possible to project the human voice halfway around the globe without the use of a telephone wire. Contrast the era sixty-five years ago, when the pio-

neer required months to cross the plains, with that of today, when the orator in New York may address his audience in San Francisco. And there are many other developments as wonderful and as revolutionary, all revealing the trend of the world's progress in the arts, sciences and industries. If you are interested in mining, for example, beneath the floor of the vast Palace of Mines you may find a mine in operation, with its stopes and tunnels and shafts and compressed air drills. Wait a moment and you may witness an explosion in the mine. A gong rings; an ambulance dashes up with a corps of rescuers provided with respiratory apparatus, and effects a rescue.

In the Palace of Machinery you may see a miniature battleship blown up by a miniature mine patterned after one of the latest types of the submarine mine. In the Palace of Education you will see classes of students engaged in their studies, and perhaps you may be able to see Mme. Montessori, the celebrated Italian teacher, instructing classes of children. In the vast exhibit palaces and state buildings motion pictures are freely employed with this object in view. There are forty-three free cinematograph shows upon the Exposition grounds, and, by the way, there is no charge to enter the exhibit palaces.

If you are interested in what the foreign nations have accomplished, you have only to visit the marvelous displays of the European countries or of those of the Orient or South America, Canada or Australia. Among the French displays you may, if you wish, behold priceless works of art never before exhibited in America and which at the Exposition find sanctuary from the ravages of war.

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Miss Blanche Poyson, Largest Policewoman, at the Panama-Pacific Exposition



The Fair "Copette" and the Midgets.

TO Miss Blanche Poyson belongs the honor of being the only real special policewoman in the United States. Her star, bearing the inscription "Special Police, Toyland G. U.," is registered at the city hall in San Francisco. Miss Poyson, who stands six feet four inches without her boots, maintains law and order at "Toyland Grown Up," on the Zone, at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. Miss Poyson weighs 235 pounds, she is but twenty-four years of age and, despite her official position, is as delighted a young woman as one will meet in a long day of sightseeing on the Zone. She is enthusiastic over her work and keeps watch on the great throngs which visit Toyland day and night. Miss Poyson has presided with wonderful success over crowds of many thousands of persons. The two midgets beside Miss Poyson have taken great fancy to the "copette," and the three have become fast friends during their off hours at Toyland.

Toyland Grown Up, where Miss Poyson fulfills, is one of the largest and most costly concessions on the great amusement thoroughfare. It was built at a cost of \$200,000 and covers fourteen acres. All the tops of the story books read by youngsters and grown-ups are to be seen there in miniature proportions, and in the land of romance and enchantment, with its giant toys, the giant policewoman presides with dignity and efficiency.

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