

THE PRESIDENT'S HUNT

Wild Country Where Texans Will Test His Sporting Spirit.

MAY HAVE A STRENUOUS TIME.

Characteristics of Chaparral Region of Nueces and Adjoining Counties. A Hunter Must Be Indifferent to Fatigue and Pain—Wild Animals and Game Birds Plentiful.

After Theodore Roosevelt and his rough riders get through with their reunion at San Antonio, Tex., the president is to take a hunting trip, says the Washington correspondent of the New York Post. The Texans intend testing his sporting spirit and making him prove anew the quality of his strenuousness. Present plans, if carried out, will take the president into the chaparral country of Nueces and its adjoining counties.

Some of the men who were in Washington know all about the Texas hunting country and told the president what he would have to be prepared for. One of them, who had helped the regular chase the Mexican Texas bandit, Catarino E. Garza, told some of his friends about it while in Washington. This is his story:

"The chaparral districts of the lower Rio Grande are at once the best and the worst hunting grounds in this country. The country is one to try both the endurance and the temper. Some but the hardest hunter can get pleasure from the pursuit of game in the thorn-bet region. Wild animals and wild birds, however, are plentiful. Bobcat, turkey, jack rabbit, cottontail, peccaries and quail abound, and bears are not uncommon.

"The reason for the abundance of the game is simple. It is protected by thickets which the hunter must endure and the enduring can pierce. The man who gets into the heart of things must be indifferent to fatigue and to pain.

"I spent two months in the chaparral country in the region where it is expected that the 'colonel' will do his hunting. Garza and his followers were violating the neutrality laws by making southern and southwestern Texas the base of their raids across the Rio Grande into Mexico.

Numerous as they were and working as a rule, in large bands, it took the United States troops two years to round them up and jail them. As it was, their leader Garza, equipped and has never been heard of from that day to this. The bandits owed their long immunity from arrest to the impenetrability of the chaparral thickets which they made their hiding place.

"With a troop of the Third cavalry, Captain George E. Chase commanding, I spent several weeks at the chaparral's edge, making with the troops' occasional incursions into its depths. The mesquite and the prickly pear made as good a barrier against progress as any abatis which the Russians planted at Fort Alamo.

"The trails through the chaparral are miles apart, and the game has fled from near them. To get a shot at the peccaries and the bears one must leave the trails and blaze one's way until by chance one finds an open glade, small in extent, such as a grassy meadow and growing only in patches. There the cottontails and the quail abound. It is understood that the president's Texas hosts will not allow him to hunt or the cottontails with a shot. They consider rabbits too small game for a president.

"If President Roosevelt goes to the chaparral country of the lower Rio Grande he must break his way through these thickets; they cannot be threaded—if he wishes to find bears and peccaries.

"The chaparral extends for miles from the Rio Grande; then it thins out for some distance into grassy meadows, with the prickly pear scattered and growing only in patches. There the cottontails and the quail abound. It is understood that the president's Texas hosts will not allow him to hunt or the cottontails with a shot. They consider rabbits too small game for a president.

"Theodore Roosevelt, because he is in a way a student of life, will find something in these mesquite groves that will astonish him. He may hear a song and in an instant be carried to the fields of the north, for he will recognize the notes of the meadow lark, though he hears them probably for the first time in his life in the woods. The meadow lark of southeastern Texas sings under the shades of the trees while his brother of the north sings the shade of anything but the tall grasses.

"It may be, and probably will be, that the hunter host of the president have picked the place where he is to do his shooting and have made fairly easy the trail thereto. If they have not, and the president thinks things as they are, he will admit when he has finished his hunting that, while he has used it much, he never before had full knowledge of the word 'strenuous.'"



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The vessel has eight decks. They are lettered below the boat deck from A to H. On the A deck is the oak paneled smoking room, which is equipped with easy chairs and lounges and a large hammered copper fireplace. Above this smoking room is a large, domed skylight of glass of a golden color scheme. On this deck also is the lounge, where men may enjoy their after dinner cigars and the women their coffee. Many of the choicest staterooms are on the upper promenade deck. A number of them are en suite, with a bathroom, while several of the more pretentious ones consist of a bed room, parlor, bathroom and toilet room.

One of the novel features of the Coronado is that by a great sacrifice of deck room all bathrooms are separate from toilet rooms.

The great dimensions of the Coronado may be best appreciated by comparison. If the vessel were placed on the east side of the Capitol at Washington she would actually hide it from view save for a distance of thirty-eight feet at each end, and only the dome could be seen above. It is estimated that the steamer's two great funnels, which reach to a height of 115 feet above the keel, are equal to the height of a twelve story building, and if placed on the ground two regular passenger locomotives could pass through them on parallel tracks.

The Coronado has thirteen boilers and fifty-four furnaces. Her engines, which are of the triple expansion type, are capable of producing 21,000 indicated horsepower, which gives her the fastest maintained speed of eighteen knots, or twenty miles per hour.

AUTO ROAD FOR FLORIDA.

Henry M. Flagler Plans a Six Mile Speedway Near Orlando.

Henry M. Flagler, president of the Florida East Coast railway, is soon to begin the construction of an automobile road between Orlando and Seville in connection with the authorities of the last named place, says a special dispatch from Jacksonville, Fla., to the Chicago Inter Ocean.

The road will be six miles long, straight as an arrow and as fine as can be built. It is to be used for road racing and time trials whenever the Orlando Daytona beach is unfit. It will be only the beginning of a series of similar roads stretching continuously from Orlando to New Smyrna, fully twenty miles.

The fast wheel and high tides at the recent automobile races demonstrated conclusively that it is impossible to always depend upon the beach road that other provision must be made. Messrs. Flagler and Parrott went over the ground a few days ago and recently reached an understanding with the Seville authorities. This first link in the road system will run along the edge of the Halifax, close to the edge of the Halifax.

PHILIPPINE ARMY ATHLETICS.

Features of season followed in the Visayan Islands.

General W. H. Carter, U. S. A., writing in the Philippine Weekly about the system of athletics in the Philippine army.

A soldier who is not in the condition is out of eight status in the rice paddies and mountainous regions of the Philippines. A recognition of this fact induced the general in command in the Visayan Islands to inaugurate a new system which would substitute for optional work and games it is one of the most important of company duties. The instruction was turned over to captains, and a period of six months to that allotted to this year was set aside for the trial which was the main feature of the new system.

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—“Yes!”
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The individual events were quite up to the standard, while the military team events excited admiration and were of great educational value. The high and low wall scaling were marvelous performances.

The delivery of ammunition to the firing line with each minute over a half mile course, including the unloading and packing of the mules, in less than seven minutes establishes records which it will be difficult to beat.

Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, In the County Court of Cook County, In the matter of the Estate of Guy M. Fisher, Deceased.

Take notice, that on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., was seen hereafter as the matter can be heard the undersigned will present to the Probate Court at the Court House, in the city of Waukegan, in said County the final account as administrator of said estate, and ask that the same be approved; that the undersigned is a duly qualified and the undersigned discharged from his said office; at which time and place you are notified to be present if you so desire.

MILES E. LAMAY, Administrator of the Estate of Guy M. Fisher, Deceased.

Barrington, Ill., 8 February 17, A. D. 1903.

The Chicago Examiner

THE EXAMINER, the leading morning paper of Chicago, has just announced a unique Property Educational Contest, in which it proposes to give away 50 prizes to successful contestants, ranging in value from \$5.00 to \$500.00. First prize, \$500.00; total amount to be given away, about \$2,000.00; contest commencing February 27th and continuing one week longer, to close on March 1st.

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