

## Midland Empire Fair Scheduled

Announcement that a wartime fair and exposition, similar to that of last year, is planned for August was made Thursday by the Midland Empire fair board of commissioners. Though the fair will be geared to the exigencies of war, the board said its policy will be to operate as many exhibition departments as possible without interfering with production of war materials going on in the buildings at the fairgrounds.

The decision to again hold the fair was made at a meeting at which all officers of the board were re-elected. They are Rockwood Brown, Billings, president; Ora F. Kemp of Shepherd, first vice president; C. M. Holness, Billings, second vice president; Emmett Vaughn of Laurel and E. J. Maynard of Billings, directors, and Harry L. Fitton, Billings, secretary-manager.

The fair dates are August 13 to 18, and the board said that a contract has been entered into with the Cavalcade of Amusements for 16 mechanical ride devices, 12 shows and other entertainment features, all of which will be transported here in 38 special railroad cars. Also planned are thoroughbred horse racing, rodeo and circus acts and firework displays, Fitton said.

Plans for the fair will be completed at a meeting of the Rocky Mountain Association of Fairs at Great Falls January 28, 29 and 30, Fitton said.

## Wartime Footing: Fair Again Scheduled

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