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The Kaldwin Hiano

Has a remarkable history. Its record at International Expositions is one of unbroken triumph. .

When the International Jury at Paris, 1900, composed of the most competent piano experts of many nations, awarded the Grand Prix to the Baldwin Piano, the U. S. Commissioner-General reported to Congress: "This constitutes the broadest and most sweeping recognition that has ever been accorded any U. S. piano manufacturer at any previous international exposition."

At the same time, "Le Monde Musical," the great Parisian Music Paper, declared: "The Baldwin Piano will stand at the head of all artistic instruments of the world."

The New York Tribune emphasized this success as: "a record that will never be forgotten in the history of the world's expositions — in Europe at least."

The "Grand Prix" constitutes the highest criterion of merit known today to the commercial and industrial world.

Then again at the World's Fair, St. Louis, 1904, the honors of Paris were reaffirmed by the award of the Grand Prize to the Baldwin Piaro. Another Grand Prize was awarded to The Baldwin Company's Factory Exhibit, illustrating the superiority of Baldwin materials, processes and methods in Piano construction.

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A well known American Music Journal recently stated: "The Baldwin management have no set standard in the tremendous battle for supremacy other than the production of instruments which will hold their own against all competition. Conscientious work is exacted from everyone who has anything to do with the production of Baldwin pianos. Their methods have been peculiarly their own."

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