



Our Local Records.

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A lot of legends were born in our town during its long history. Many of the legends are know far from our region. They are: unique architect constructions, musical instruments, famous bakery and others.

Kalatch with a crisp crust

Saratov is famous for its Kalatch. This kind of bread is known since XIX century. But our kalatch has its own secret: it is 40 cm high and it can be pressed up to a thin cookie. It is extremely soft and keeps its freshness for a long time.



Famous «Volga»-cake

Another Saratov's feature is a delicious «Volga»-cake. It was invented by Alexander Prachkin. Once he was asked to make a sketch of the cake. This sketch was perfect and he began to draw advertisements of the cakes. Cake named after the Volga-river.



History of the Krytiy Market



The Krytiy Market was built on the trade square in the center of old Saratov. In early XX century these was a large market there.

The architect Luckshin designed the building of the market. Nowadays Krytiy Market is one of the well-know Saratov's sights.



Merry bells

Merry bells of Saratov small accordion are well-known around Russia and abroad. The secret of their cristal ringing was rented by saratovers from Walday accordion manufacturers.

But at present there are only a few skilled men which can make the Saratov accordion.



The cinema instead of the first Russian Circus

The first Russian circus was built in Saratov in 1876. It was a round wooden building.

But in 50 years the construction of a new cinema was begun on that place. The architect Petrushko designed the building. The new cinema was named after the great Victory of the soviet people «The Victory»- cinema. It was opened in 1955.





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