



## The History of O.B. Macaroni Company from 1882 to the Present Time.



**1882:** Giovanni Bastista Laneri arrives in Fort Worth Texas.  
Through wise investments, he prospers in the liquor and grocery business.



**1894:** Louis Bicocchi runs a successful grocery store on Jennings Avenue near downtown Fort Worth Texas.  
**1899:** Bicocchi and Laneri create the Fort Worth Macaroni Company with Laneri as president.



**1905:** The company incorporates and moves to its location at what was then the intersection of Daggett and Vickery. The building – a converted carriage house - is enlarged and modernized over the years. The Fort Worth Macaroni Company ships pasta products over the greater Southwest U.S. from its railroad siding.



**1935:** Giovanni Laneri dies. His nephew takes over management of the company. Four generations of the Laneri family owned and operated the business, ending in 2009.



**1959:** The company changes its name to O.B. Macaroni reflecting the importance of its "Our Best" line of pasta product.



**2015:** After 115 years O.B. Macaroni moves from the location at 108 South Freeway, Fort Worth Texas to a new updated facility in Texas.