

SUNDAY AT THE FAIR

Fair Crowd Visits the Grounds During the Blazing Hot Afternoon.

MANY FAMILY PARTIES IN EVIDENCE

Father, Mother and Children with Lunch in Hand Invade the Court.

EVENING SEES A GREAT OUTPOURING

Everybody Goes to Hear the Concert and See the Illumination.

WORKING PEOPLE SHOW THEIR SUPPORT

Hundreds of the Omaha Tanners Give Evidence of Their Appreciation of the Concession by Bringing Wife and Babies.

"We'll have a soft snap today," said one of the gatekeepers at the exposition as he posted himself at his turnstile at 1 o'clock yesterday.

But most of the people preferred to wait until the midday heat had moderated and it was well along the afternoon before the grounds began to fill in earnest.

Workingmen of Omaha constituted a very considerable proportion of the crowd and the bulk of the early arrivals.

The coming week will see the last of the midsummer dullness and from the beginning of August the exposition will be enlivened by an almost continual succession of special and entertaining features.

The musical features will be made prominent. Tonight the descriptive fantasia, "From Battlefield to Paradise," which scored a decided hit a week ago, will be repeated and very materially improved.

DETAILS FOR INDIAN CONGRESS

Captain Mercer has the Matter All Worked Out in Advance.

The work of preparing for the arrival of the Indians which will be commencing about a week ago, will be completed.

At this time Captain Mercer is unable to say just when the Indians will arrive, though he feels pretty certain that they will all be here on Indian day, which has been set for August 4.

When the plan of holding an Indian congress was first conceived it was considered advisable to bring Indian families from locations close to the reservations.

UNITY OF EFFORT WILL WIN

Progress of Work of Monetary Commission is Highly Satisfactory—Prospects for Legislation.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 24.—Chairman Hubert H. Hays of the monetary commission has prepared a statement addressed to the business men of the United States setting forth the results of the work of the commission during the last session of congress.

"The bill as that agreed upon and reported to the house has been very generally approved by almost everyone supporting the effort to accomplish comprehensive monetary legislation. The bill includes all of the elements recommended by the monetary commission, but the detail of the method differs in some respects radically.

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"The evidence of dissension in discussion among the friends of this character of legislation upon the question of consideration seemed desirable, and it became a question of expediency. While appreciating the force and influence upon the next election of the monetary bill, the committee is glad to assert that at this period, everything considered, the present status is probably more favorable to ultimate legislation than would have been the case had a number of the leading republicans in the house disapproved the action sought during the session. To measure the present condition it is only necessary to say that there is every reason to believe that the president and all the leading administrative republican congressmen and senators and the 150 members of the house who signed the petition stand united in support of the general principles of the committee bill. There is every reason to believe that Mr. Reed will be an earnest advocate of the monetary legislation.

"There is every reason for the members of this organization to entertain positive hope and to arouse the most determined spirit and effort to continue the struggle until the money bill is successfully made a part of the work of the session. It was understood that the effort made for action in the lower house during the session just closed was for the particular purpose of making a demonstration of good faith on the part of that branch of congress.

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CHEER FLAG OF CAPTORS

Spanish Prisoners, Starting for Home, Give an Extraordinary Demonstration in New York Harbor.

NEW YORK, July 24.—Prisoners of war cheering the flag of their captors was the unusual sight at the Union dock at Brooklyn today. The sight was all the more significant as the cheers came from Spanish throats. The 254 Spanish prisoners captured on the four prizes were about to sail for home under the British flag.

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GLAD TO GIVE UP THEIR ARMS

Three Thousand Spanish Troops and Guerrillas Surrender at Las Palmas.

THEY WERE ON THE VERGE OF STARVATION

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The War department at midnight posted the following: "SANTIAGO, July 24.—Adjutant General of the Army, Washington; Lieutenant Miles has returned from Las Vegas and Las Palmas, where he went four days ago to receive the surrender of the Spanish troops and guerrillas. Three thousand Spanish troops and 350 volunteer guerrillas gave up their arms.

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AUSTRIAN DOESN'T MIND IT

Captain von Ripper Speaks Lightly of the Shot Bob Evans Took at Hill Under Mistake.

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SULLEN BUT WILLING TO EAT

Cubans at Santiago Draw Their Rations and Grumble a Great Deal.

MANY PEASANTS APPEAL FOR PROTECTION

Complain to General Wood that the Insurgents are Harassing Them—Leaders Will Make Protest to President McKinley.

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TODAY AT THE EXPOSITION.

At the Grounds: 3 p. m. Phinney's Band, Agricultural Building. 7:30 p. m. Phinney's Band, the Exposition Chorus, Grandstand.

MEET WITH DIFFICULTIES

Ministerialists Averse that In Way of Peace to be Impressionable Character.

LONDON, July 25.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily News, writing Sunday, says: "The efforts of the government are meeting with almost insuperable difficulties."

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NOW WAIT FOR NEWS

Anxiety Felt at War Department Pending Report from Fleet.

ARRIVAL OF EXPEDITION AT PORTO RICO

Troops with Naval Convoy Supposed to Have Landed Last Night.

OFFICIAL REPORT MAY COME TODAY

General Shafter Says Condition of Santiago Troops Improved.

YELLOW JOURNALISTS ARE DEPORTED

Garcia's Letter is Not Mentioned in Shafter's Advice to War Department Nor Does It Seem to Be Friction.

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