

NEARLY READY FOR OPENING

Exposition Buildings and Grounds Getting Finishing Touches. EXHIBITORS ARE INSTALLING DISPLAYS

Superintendent Hardt Finds His Work Already Bearing Fruit in the Structures Around the Main Court.

The favorable weather of the last week contributed very materially to the progress of work on the exposition grounds and visitors who had not seen the grounds since the previous Sunday were astonished at the many changes which had been wrought in the week.

The colonnades at the east end of the main court and the viaduct leading from the main court to the bluff tract are still under construction, but will be completed within the next few days.

PARKING AND PAVING. The terraces in front of the Agricultural, Manufacture, Liberal Arts and Art buildings have been sodded and the rich green of the grass, contrasting with the dazzling white of the buildings, gives a faint hint of the beauty which will pervade the entire court when the work of the landscape gardener is completed.

Special efforts are being made to push work on the electric fountain in the Mirror, and the contractor is employing a large force of men to finish the lower portion of the fountain so that the water may be turned into the lagoon.

PUTTING UP THEIR BOOTHS. The Agricultural department of the Nebraska exposition. A force of men under Superintendent Johnson is engaged in preparing the elaborate booths which will be fitted up with the extensive agricultural exhibit to be made by Nebraska.

The Otis Gas Engine Company is the first arrival in the Machinery and Electricity building, a gang of masons and laborers being engaged on a masonry foundation for one or more engines.

Burlington Route California Excursions. Leave Omaha—via the Burlington Route—any Thursday afternoon at 3:35—in a comfortable tourist sleeper—and you reach San Francisco Sunday evening, Los Angeles Monday noon. No transfers—car goes right through. Uniformed Pullman porter and experienced excursion conductor relieve you of all labor. EVERYTHING provided. Tickets \$35. Bertha (big enough for two), \$50.

NEW REFORMATION NEEDED

Church of Today Fails in Its State of Expression and Aggression. PRACTICALLY DIVORCED FROM MASSES

Dr. Hemphill, at the First Presbyterian Church, Discourses Upon the Possibility of Church of the Future.

At the First Presbyterian church a large crowd greeted Dr. Hemphill of San Francisco both yesterday morning and evening. Dr. Hemphill is an eloquent, logical speaker, and preached sermons of unusual power.

TOO LITTLE CHRISTIANITY. Today there is too much churchliness and too little real Christianity. Too many members of the modern church do nothing for Christ and the church. If the church had done all the work which was open to it and which it was clearly its duty to perform, we would not have so many of the Christian organizations, which are not organized with the intention of opposing the church, but which really are threatening the church.

COURAGE, PATRIOTISM AND PIETY. Dr. Hemphill's evening sermon was very timely one and the sort of a sermon which is needed in this period of threatening strife. He chose for his subject, "Courage, Patriotism and Piety," and selected the following words for his text: "Be of good courage and let us play the men for our people and for the cities of our God, and the Lord will do that which seemeth Him good."

CHARACTER THE GREATEST NEED. Foundation of the Sermon by Rev. H. J. Kirchstein. Rev. H. J. Kirchstein, pastor of the First Christian church at Lincoln, occupied the pulpit of the First Christian church of this city yesterday. At the morning service he preached to a large congregation on the subject, "Our One Master." The discourse was an able one and was well delivered.

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NO INDIAN BIDS FOR OMAHA

Commissioner Utt of Commercial Club on the Latest Reports. CHANGE IN BUREAU'S PLANS IMPROBABLE

Commissioner Utt of the Commercial club discredits the report from Washington, wherein Commissioner Jones of the Indian office is made to say that bids on supplies for the Indians of the western agencies will be opened in Omaha. Commissioner Utt says that according to his views relative to the matter it is impossible for Commissioner Jones to do anything of the kind.

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DELIVERS HIS FAREWELL SERMON. Rev. Edgar MacDill Closes His Connection with the Park Avenue United Presbyterian Church. Rev. Edgar MacDill, whose resignation as pastor of the Park Avenue United Presbyterian church was recently accepted by the presbytery, preached his farewell sermon yesterday. At the evening services he took leave of his congregation.

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Altered Robber Brought Back. Walter J. Kenney, charged with robbing a passenger train at Perry, was yesterday brought back from Perry, where he had been tracked by the authorities. His room on Wirt street was situated across the street from the Wirt Hotel, who was accustomed to be absent during the day.

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