

Joe Mason reports from Chattanooga that Major R. E. Giffen, of Lincoln dropped into Chattanooga yesterday, coming directly from Chicago. He will report for assignment to General Brooke this morning. It is claimed here that Major Giffen may succeed Lieutenant Colonel Senn as chief surgeon of the camp. Several of the boys called on Major Giffen at his room in the Read house last night. Of course he was glad to see them. He said he was assigned to the Sixth corps under General Wilson, but as this corps is known only on paper, he expected to be given some real work to do at Leiter hospital. Then he showed the boys his outfit. It is one of the most complete on the grounds, consisting of the blue regulation uniform, a white duck, a white duck, a white cloth suit resembling closely woven Clay worsted, and a Khaki with Bedford cord trousers. His riding boots, gauntlets, spurs and other equipments were just as complete and composed of as fine material as his uniforms. It is evident that he intends to enter the service well equipped.

Nat Mansfield, of whom Lincoln people have very pleasant memories gained in times when he used to visit his sister, Mrs. Mosher, sails today for Geneva. After wheeling from there through Switzerland and down the Rhine he will sail from Hamburg the last of August. In the meanwhile Miss Lyle Mansfield and Mrs. Mansfield will spend the summer in some cool eastern place and the first of October will find them in Omaha for the purpose of visiting the exposition.

Dentist Hill moved over Miller & Paine. Mrs. Brevoort arrived on Friday to visit Mrs. D. D. Muir. Mr. C. H. Imhoff has returned from a visit with his family at Evanston, Ill. Mrs. E. G. Ketting, of South Bend, Ind., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Greene. Dr. and Mrs. Halstead and son are in Terre Haute, Ind., visiting with relatives and friends. Miss Little Wightman, of Sidney, Iowa, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Barrett.

Miss Elizabeth Bonnell has returned to Chicago after a pleasant visit with Miss Charlotte Clark. Miss Selma Wiggerhorn, who was visiting friends here for a few days, has returned to Ashland. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. True have been the guests of the latter's parents for the past week. Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Stein and daughter left on Wednesday for Alexandria, Minn., for an extended visit. Miss Price, who has made many warm friends in her visits to Lincoln, is now visiting Mrs. W. M. Leonard. Miss Lottie and Margaret Whedon left on Thursday afternoon for Ohio to visit with friends during the summer. H. M. Betts, optician, cor. 13th & N. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hyatt have returned from their wedding trip through the region near Denver and Colorado Springs. Miss Margaret Winger entertained a few friends informally on Tuesday morning, for her guest, Miss Trelle Holdbrook, of Falls City. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Funke spread a picnic lunch in their lawn on the Fourth of July and shared both with a few intimate friends. Friends of Mr. L. C. Richards are glad to hear that he is rapidly convalescing from a threatened attack of typhoid fever. Some of the Pleasant Hour people



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drove out to Meadow Brook farm on the afternoon of the Fourth and spent a delightful afternoon and evening. Miss Spaulding, of Pennsylvania, who has been the guest of Miss Maude Hammond, returned to her home after a very pleasant visit with her friends. Dr. A. Ross Hill will leave on Wednesday for Halifax, N. S., where he will spend the remainder of the summer. He will return in the fall with his wife and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smyser and son will leave on Wednesday for Boston. They will go with Mrs. Smyser's mother and brother who have been visiting here for a short time. The \$30 Ideal bicycles, sold by E. R. Guthrie in large numbers this year, have given as little trouble as any high grade wheels. They are thoroughly substantial and light running and have the best of tires, G. & J. Miss Harwood and Miss Dorrance Harwood left on Thursday for Tabors, Michigan, where Miss Harwood will spend a few weeks before going to Hillsdale where she will spend the rest of the summer with her grandmother Cook. Miss Dorrance will remain in Tabors in charge of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. L. Harris. Frederick A. Stokes Company, publishers, 27 and 29 West Twenty-third street, New York. **Subscribe for THE COURIER, \$1.**

Died, at Chickamauga, in the Division hospital, private Nelson Sawyer, of D company, Nebraska volunteers, aged nineteen years. Died on Tuesday morning, July 5, Stewart S. McConiga, aged seventy years. Mr. McConiga came to Lincoln when it was founded. He was the first register of deeds in the United States land office. Died, at the Sanitarium, July 5, from cancer, Mrs. A. Marine, of York, aged 55 years. Her son, C. L. Marine, of the Fourth Missouri Volunteers, returned from Chickamauga and was with her when she died. Both mother and son are well known and loved here. **Determined Not to be Beaten.** Dawson—I've seen divers go down and stay under water an hour. Dawson—Pooh! I've seen em' go down and stay an hour and a half and smoke all the time. Dawson—I saw one go down a year ago and he has not come up since! **THE CAPITAL CITY MANDOLIN CLUB** Will furnish instrumental music for parties and receptions at reasonable rates. Address JOHN BENSON, Union Club.

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