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Company C Given a Royal Reception

When It Arrived Home at

Noon Today.

scenes of reunion of parents and

works took place in the evening. His home

potted plants. The lawn is hung with

Chinese lanterns. Mr. Wilson is the son

terian church and has many warm friends

Higher Education of the Hlind.

General Improvement association, which

to welcome him home.

evening.

gage room nearly 200 Omaha women were alluring to be abandoned for a tiresome preparing the spread, and the huge piles march in the hot sun and in half an hour of eatables were rapidly placed on the long a couple of hundred of them had dropped tables strung along the east platform. The eatables consisted of cold fried chicken, cold ham and roasts, doughnuts, cheese, a profusion of every fruit that the market afforded, hot rolls and breakfast cakes of a dozen varieties, while immense cauldrons of hot coffee were smoking in readiness. The tables were decorated with oldfashioned flowers like gladiolas, hydrangeas and golden rod and handsome bouquets were . Taylor, Allen and Elizabeth Allen. lavishly supplied, to be pinned on the untforms of the prospective guests.

FROM LINCOLN TO OMAHA Lowrle and Wood.

Regiment is Sidetracked at Havelock to Give the Boys a Night's Sleep.

After leaving Lincoln Tuesday night there were very few events of interest for the boys of the First regiment until the arrival of the trains at Omaha. The trains were sidetracked at Havelock, five miles out from Lincoln, and there the balance of the night was spent. The men were all provided with Pullman berths and improved the oppor-

tunity by getting a good night's sleep. When the trains left Lincoln, at 11 o'clock, the belief was general among the boys that Clarke. the run would be made direct into Omaha. They expected to get in somewhere near 1 o'clock, and many of them intended even at that late hour to go and hunt their relatives and friends. But it was plainly apparent to those having the direction of the movements of the train that to turn the boys loose in Omaha at that hour would mean that they would get little sleep, and the organization would be so badly seattered that the morning program would be a failure. To delay the regiment at Lincoln would have been equally disastrous to the Omaha reception, as every possible influence at the capital city was being exerted to thoroughly scatter the regiment before the arrival of the trains at Omaha. These considerations led to the decision to make the delay at Havelock and enter Omaha at the hour set for the beginning of the

Arrangement Pleases the Boys.

program.

There was no grumbling among the boys when they found that they were to spend the night on the train. They were all tired from the long ride and from receiving the attentions and ovations along the road. There was plenty of berth room, and by midnight most of them had gone to bed. On the trains were a number of visiting friends who had got on board at Lincoln. and these also were provided with berths. Two boys whose parents lived a mile and a half from Havelock improved the night by running home for a brief visit, starting away on the tramp across country with the promise that they would be back in time to go on to Omaha.

Shortly after 5 o'clock the start was made, and the volunteers had just time enough to dress and clean up before the entry into from the train were made without confusion, as most of the individual baggage had already been checked through to the home towns of the men.

At Greenwood there were a few people up early enough to shout out a greeting as the trains rolled through. At Ashland a short stop was made, and a couple of hun- of division, leading, was composed of the dred people were down to meet the first section, the crowd growing larger as the Equestrian club, associate and ex-members other trains appeared. Gretna furnished a small crowd. When the suburbs of Omaha

All the volunteers were conducted into the ut of sight. Then the tables were cleared. the remaining companies fell into line and wheeled into the parade and the crowd melted away to appear again on the uptown streets and join in the demonstration that accompanied the march to the city hall. The breakfast tables at the depot were

charge of the following women: Mrs. Frank Colpeter, assisted by Mes-dames Wilkins and Wheeler and the Misses morrow.

Mrs. A. P. Tukey, assisted by the Misses ukey, Doyle, Alexander and Towne. Tukey Mrs. Edward Rosewater, assisted by the

Misses Lida P. Wilson, Allen, Baldwin, Mrs. John A. McShane, assisted by Mrs. Island.

Dickey and the Misses Burke, McShane, Vyman and Crounse Mrs. Charles H. Marple, assisted by Mesdames George Stebbins, Henry Rustin, Weller and Bailey and Misses Agnes Reed and Stone

Mrs. J. E. Baum, assisted by Mesdames W. F. Allen and Richard Carrier and the Misses Baum and Sharp. Mrs. Richard Moore, assisted by Mrs.

Sarson and the Misses Lilie Moore, Rowena Higginson and Mills. Mrs. G. W. Wattles, assisted by the Misses

Axtell. Mrs. Charles Squires, assisted by Mrs.

Mrs. W. J. Broatch, assisted by Mesdames Forbes, Martin and Towl, and the Misses Martin, McPherson and Sears. Mrs. Koch, assisted by Mesdames L.

Morton and W. H. Gates and the Stone and Somers. Mrs. Charles Offutt, assisted by Mrs. A. J. flags and bunting, and Old Glory waved from

and Georgia Lindsey. Mrs. Thompson, assisted by Miss Creigh-

ton.

FROM DEPOT TO CITY HALL

Passing of the Parade is Witnessed by Vast Throngs Who Yell Themselves Hoarse.

Until almost the time the parade started the great crowd in front of the depot had time being and welcomed them home. made the procession seem obliterated and triotic enthusiasm was unbounded and prea good many people wondered whether there vailed everywhere. would be any parade at all. With surprising forbearance the vast throng kept away HOT from where the soldiers were eating their breakfast and contented itself with stand-

ing about on Tenth street while waiting for the column to start.

It was but shortly after the time set when the head of the column started to move north on the viaduct, a platoon of police leading and assisting the marshals in clearing the way. The start was greeted with a burst of yells and with screams from the steam whistles, which, however, had been blowing nearly all the morning. The Musical Union band led and was followed by Captain W. J. Foye, marshal of the day. Then came Mayor Moores, the visiting mayors, the reception committee of Fullerton, the citizens' executive committee and Ladies Relief Corps. The opera house was members of the Daughters of the American crowded to overflowing and hundreds were Revolution; Dr. Butler, chaplain of the unable to gain admittance. The company Omaha. The preparations for disembarking Thurston Rifles; D. E. Thompson, of Lin- goes to Nelson at 8 o'clock this morning coln; the fire and police commissioners and and a grand reception will be tendered them the park board. All these were in carriages. at that place tomorrow. The city council, Board of Education and

all city employes followed, walking. They were followed by the South Omaha city officials and this closed the first division The second division, W. B. Ten Evck, chief Indian Military band, the South Omaha

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the street ey were happy men, the Bemis Bag factory shrieked a signal that was answered by every bell and whistle in with badres that were wood for street car was answered by every bell and whistle in depot formula, where they ware provided the depot to welcome the depot t were really approaching brought thousands transportation and exposition privileges and The train slowly pulled up to the station. ceremony, were really approaching brought thousands to swell the crowd that was already taxing the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the ability of the police to hold the reserved the police to hold the reserved the names of reunion too the ability of the police to hold the reserved They found the pleasures of reunion too crying themselves hoarse in their cheering. were kept all night in the city and went shaking and kissing the loved ones the morning. Along with the boys was Capcrowd formed in line and marched to the tain Talbott of Broken Bow and Private public square, where a temporary platform Cleveland from Table Rock, whose friends had been erected. were also here to receive them. Dr. J. R. Bufflington, who delivered the

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farewell address when the boys left, welcomed them home on behalf of the hundred old soldiers present and the citizens of Nelson. The town was then turned over to the boys, who will have full sway until the close of the grand reception to be held to-

The town is literally covered with the national colors and the people are doing braska was made a memorable event. When their best to be prepared to entertain the it was learned that the boys would come at throng tomorrow. Special trains have been arranged for on the Burlington and Rock

Plattsmouth Welcomes Back the Brave Boys it Sent to Fight for Uncle Sam.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 30 .- (Special.)-All of the brave soldier boys from Plattsmouth returned home this afternoon at A public reception will be given them on 5:27 except H. Guy Livingston, son of Gen-Cowin, Mercer, Jensen, Creighton and eral and Mrs. Robert R. Livingston, who fell while fighting the enemy with the Thurston Rifles at Manila, and now sleeps on a fortertainments will be given in honor of Com-Hoobler and the Misses Squires, Gilbert and eign shore. Many a tear was shed in sympany C pathy for the aged mother, sister and brothers of the honored dead.

Plattsmouth was never more elaborately decorated than upon this occasion. Early this morning the stores, offices and private residences were profusely decorated with Love and the Misses Ura Kelly, Jean Brown the flagstaff of all the public buildings. A

large arch was built across Main street con taining several banners, one of which read "Welcome to Our Fighting First." The soldier boys were met at the train by the B. & M. band, the Grand Army of the Republic, and ex-soldiers from the Second and Third regiments, the mayor, and city council, civic societies, and thousands of citizens, and escorted to the Hotel Riley, where Hon. R. D. Windham in a few well chosen words turned the city over to the boys for the is beautifully decorated with flowers and

of Rev. Dr. Wilson of the Tekamah Presby-TIME AT SUPERIOR

Thirty-Five Members of Company H Are Feted and Caressed by Relatives and Friends.

SUPERIOR, Neb., Aug. 30 .- (Special.)tomorrow morning. There is a hot time in the old town of Superior tonight on account of the arrival of thirty of the members of Company H. First Nebraska. The boys were greeted by a noisy demonstration, every bell and whistle in the city being rung and blown. turn to Auburn. They were escorted to the opera house where a banquet was spread for them and the Grand Army post of this city by the

Reception and Dinner at Edgar. EDGAR, Neb., Aug. 30 .- (Special.)-A meeting of the citizens of Edgar was held last evening in the Baptist church, the object being to make arrangements for giving a reception to the returned soldiers and satiors of the late Spanish-American war. The meeting was enthusiastically in favor

congress asking for an appropriation of \$50,-600 annually to aid in the establishment in of the reception and after some discussion it of the blind.

Fireworks and illuminations Thurston and Hayward have agreed upon dates. He said he hoped that, in the forthwith the Forby Guards to Milligan this he mentioned the names of Marple, Doane uncomfortable. Several ministerialists were at least three mores places will be given facilities for women and children to leave to the Prairie state. BEATRICE WELCOMES ITS BOYS

Nebraska postmasters appointed today: county, vice W. G. Sleezer, resigned; Wil- overhauling vessels. liam J. Taylor, at Brule, Keith county, vice

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 30 .- (Special Telegram.)-The home-coming of the First Neat Denton, Lancaster county, vice M. T. Gilbert, removed; Florence M. Draper, at Edison, Furnas county, vice W. E. Horton, noon preparations for receiving them were resigned, and John Porter, at Pullman, made at once. The city was decorated and Cherry county, vice D. Hitt, resigned.

as noon approached the blowing of whistles Application has been received at the Postfilled the streets with people going to the office department for the establishment of ALL BUT ONE COMES HOME filled the streets with people going to the office department for the establishment of free delivery at Norfolk, Neb. An inspector pulled in and the returning comwas received with a din of has been detailed to vieit Norfolk and report upon the advisability of establishing whistles blowing and bells ringing the service at that place. never before heard here. Many affecting

friend were witnessed. The boys are all well, with DISEASED CATTLE IN CUBA one exception, and glad to get home again.

Havana Journal Claims Imported Friday, with exercises at the Chautauqua Stock for Most Part Are Not Fit grounds. The Red Cross society will keep for Human Consumption. open house several evenings and other en-

HAVANA, Aug. 30 .- The Diario de la Marina says that none of the cattle being ACRES OF BUILDINGS BURN TEKAMAH GREETS ONE SOLDIER, imported to Cuba is fit for human con-

Had Just as Big a Time as If They time should be insisted upon. The Diario gives the case of one shipment Had a Regiment.

TEKAMAH, Neb., Aug. 30.-(Special of cattle where forty-five head died on the Telegram.)-Arthur R. Wilson of the First voyage. It says the municipality, instead Nebraska arrived home this evening on the of busying itself with trivialities, might C.)-Yokohama saw on the night of August 7:16 train and received guite an ovation by better take this matter in hand. The paper 12 the greatest fire in its history. A densely friends and relatives. The city was very asserts that the number of veterinary in- populated square mile of the native town nicely decorated with flags and bunting. Mr. spectors now employed is insufficient. Wilson was met at the depot by friends and The Nuevo Pais of this city declare The Nuevo Pais of this city declares the from five to six millions yen of property.

headed by the Tekamah cornet band and the Americans what they think is a necessary famous Theater street is destroyed from end escorted the returned hero to his home on safeguard for their commercial and inter- to end. As a system of fire insurance has North Main street amid firing of cannon national plans, receiving in exchange the not yet gained much hold in Japan on acand ringing of bells. A fine display of fire- right to govern themselves and develop their count of the inflammable nature of the own resources.

Governor General Brooke has refused to homeless people. Some of them, strongly sanction the proposed payment from the imbued with western notions of lynch law treasury of Cuba of certain bills presented formed a mob and proceeded to attack the by General Montengudo for supplies fur- owner of the house in which the fire originished to the Cuban troops.

FLOCK TO JIMINEZ'S STANDARD

been established at Santiago, where the people. presence of General Jiminez is demanded

visional givernment in the city of Santiago, thing goes on as smoothly and harmoniously

in annual session here at the Kansas Stote Institution for the Blind. Thirty blind BERLIN. Aug. 30 .- The semi-official North German Gazette giving the terms of persons are in attendance as delegates. The convention today adopted a memorial to the new postal agreement with the United to States, today says the arrangement will result in considerable benefit to German exconnection with the several state universi-ties of a branch for the higher education ports and forms a new bond of interest be tween Germany and America.

but the greater number had been Weber, late of the First Nebraska, and O. Transvaal secret service fund was largely have, in the main, been ignored, although otherwise many Cape families would feel and Perry in his list sent to Secretary afterward reproved from the chair for Root. It is stated that these nominations flercely retorting against this statement do not complete Nebraska's quota and that The government has refused to provide

> Johannesburg. There is great activity at the Simonstown Cornelius De Boer, at Bluevale, York dockyard in drilling men on shore and PRETORIA, Transvaal, Aug. 30 .--- The J. P. Krum, resigned; Z. Almon Nicola, at British diplomatic agent here, Conyning-College View, Lancaster county, vice Wil- ham Green, has handed to the secretary of Ham C. Newton, removed; F. B. Slawson, state, F. W. Reitz, the reply of the British secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, to the Transvaal's alternative proposals to the joint commission suggested by Great Britain to inquire into the effect

which the proposed franchise reform measures will have upon the Outlanders. Mr. Green afterwards had a long audience with the state officials. The nature of the dispatch is not disclosed, but was subject to consideration of the executive this afternoon. It is understood that another conference may occur at Capetown. The result

the cryptographic intricacies that have been JOHANNESBURG, Aug. 30 .- The Boer po- laid before them by the handwriting exis anxiously awaited liceman who recently assaulted an American ports. negro after the latter had rebuked him for his abusive language when demanding the American's pass was found guilty today and and Major DuCros, will effectively satisfy fined £15.

sumption. The paper adds that a quaran- Sixteen Lives Are Lost and Thousands Are Left Homeless in Fire

at Yokohama.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 18 .- (Via Victoria, B. was burned with a loss of sixteen lives and citizens in carriages. The procession was time has arrived for the Cubans to "offer Globe-trotters will regret to hear that the

houses, the disaster falls heavily upon the

nated and the man has died of his wounds Apart from the demonstrations the calamity has been taken with the utmost cheerfulness. Large relief subscriptions, amounting in two days to over 60,000 yen, have flowed in, rebuilding was actively progressing amid

week or two little or no trace of the disaster will be seen. There is still much speculation over the

ceived from the city of Santiago and Puerto supposed near relations between Japan, China claim special rights over the Dutch and Plata, in Santo Domingo, say that both have and Russia. The most probable outcome, it proclaimed in favor of General Juan Isidro is thought, will be an excess of cordiality be Jimines, the revolutionary aspirant to the tween the first two nations, similar to that presidency. A provisional government has which now exists between the Anglo-Saxon

There has been nothing of late to indicate that treaty revision has wrought the slight-

Workmen Suffocated in Silo.

working in a silo today, were overcome with carbolic acid fumes and were dead be-fore they could be rescued. Superintendent attempting to rescue the men and William Radtke.

The Dreyfusards express confidence that their artillery witnesses, Major Hartman matters mentioned in the bordereau, or an artillery officer would not have been guilty of stating the errors which it contained.

The court room continues crowded and quite a number of women now succeed in obtaining admission. Town loafers are making a regular business of forming in

Yet another story is that the generals are

going to give way to the authorship of the

bordereau in view of the strong expert evi-

dence, and will admit that Esterhazy wrote t, alleging, however, that Dreyfus furnished

the information, not direct to Esterhazy, but

to a third person, who acted as interinediary

In this connection it is asserted that

Madame Rastian, who was housekeeper for

Colonel Schwartzkoppen, the German mill-

tary attache, in 1894, and who is understood

to have acted as a French spy, has been

seen in Rennes, and will be summoned as a

witness concerning Schwartzkoppen's espion-

age system. All these rumors may be with-

out foundation, but they are symptomatic of

the feeling in Rennes that something is go-

ing on under the surface and the complexion

of the trial may be altered by some coup

Tomorrow's proceedings behind closed

doors will deal with the question whether

Captain Dreyfus was in a position to di-

vulge the information regarding the artil-

lery which was promised in the bordereau.

The session will be very important and is

bound to have a tremendous influence upon

the judges one way or the other, because

they are all artillery officers and will be

able to appreciate such evidence better than

at any moment.

without Dreyfus knowing Esterhazy,

a column outside the entrance to the public park and court room as early as 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning, and selling places at from two to three francs, according to position. The ordinary public arriving at or 6 o'clock in the morning must purchase those places, because only a limited number can secure standing room.

The local papers publish the doubtful statement, that Charles De Freycinet, on leaving the court room yesterday after his deposition, remarked to a friend: "I am leaving an atmosphere of acquittal."

Progress of Venezuela Dispute.

PARIS, Aug. 30 .- At the session today of the Anglo-Venezuelan Boundary Arbitration commission Robert Thresie Reid, O. C., formerly attorney general, continued his argument on behalf of Great Britain. He said he had examined carefully the contentions in the Oregon case of 1792 and the Louisiana embers the day following the fire, and in a controversy of 1805, contending that rights of the first commissioner were identical with those of the second, and he argued that Spain and Venezuela were not entitled to

English

No Abandonment of Treaty Rights.

LONDON, Aug. 30 .- The officials of the colonial office say no advances have been made by France looking to the abandonment of the Newfoundland treaty and fishing rights. That France would do so without a

Kaiser Pauses in Bohemia.

PRAGUE. Bohemia, Aug. 30.-Emperor William arrived here today on his way to the maneuvers. He addressed crowds of WAUSAU, Wis., Aug. 30.-Three patients t the Marathon County asylum, while German czechs and expressed his good wishes for the welfare of Bohemia.

Prin Snecors Guerin.

Head of the asylum was overcome while PARIS, Aug. 30 .- A fall of rain this afterand was noon enabled M. Guerin, leader of the bedragged out almost dead. The dead men are: Frank Crosdale, Gustave Gunderson sieged anti-Semites, to secure a considerable supply of water.

Nelson to Receive Company H. NELSON, Neb., Aug. 30.-(Special.)-Ar Residents of Santiago and Paerto rangements are under way to give Company H. First Nebraska regiment, a royal recep-Plata Swear Allegiance and tion when they arrive here from Superior Government is Formed. CAPE HAYTIEN, Aug. 30 .- Advices re-

PUERTO PLATA, Santo Domingo, Aug. 50. est change in the relations of foreigners to Today the revolutionists established a pro- the Japanese government and people. Every- quid pro que is said to be utterly improbable

with General Horacio Vasquez as president as under the old regime. and General Ramon Caceres as minister of

New German Postal Agreement.

Auburn Waiting for Its Boys.: AUBURN, Neb., Aug. 30.-(Special.)-Great preparations are being made for a reception of the soldier boys when they re-Meet the St. Edward Boys. ST. EDWARD, Neb., Aug. 30.-(Special Telegram.)-About 100 people went to Co-

with enthusiasm by the people. lumbus to meet the St. Edward boys this

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Aug. 30 .- Thirteen takes are represented in the convention of

the Blind People's Higher Education and war.