

### FOURTH HAS PAY DAY AT DEMING; NO COMFORT KIT

#### Boys in Khaki Send Money Home After Pay Day at Camp Cody; Company B Thanks Girls for Postals.

By CORP. M. M. BALSAM.  
Headquarters Co. B, Fourth Nebraska Infantry, Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—I'm a little bit under the weather this morning, but in great trim to reel off enough news to fill the Sunday magazine section if necessary. There is so much to write about that it's a toss-up on what subject to start.

The "main event" in this big arena happened Tuesday, September 11, 1917, when the boys from the home state lined up in front of the officers' mess shack and received their thirty per.

When the "pay call" sounded immediately after reveille, wild shrieks, hoarse and ear-splitting yells rent the air and the confusion of voices gave the "layman" the impression that the fall of Babylon was being re-enacted.

There was a rush for the company street to get through with the setting up exercises, and immediately upon its demise came a general cleaning up of rifles, quarters and persons.

Shining faces and shining shoes emerged from out the dust, and from out the very atmosphere came pressed trousers, O. D. shirts, clean leggings and black ties. When some one yelled, "Line up for chow," all entered the mess hall, but few partook of the wholesome breakfast spread out before them.

Appetites were gone for oatmeal, cantaloupe, coffee, bread, butter, etc. In its stead came visions of steaks, potatoes (French fried), pies, ice cream and other delicacies.

About 9:30 a. m. the heaping piles of yellow and greenbacks, silver and half dollars began their swift descent and at noon approximately 2,000 men were treading on air and all that remained was a bare pine board table that seemed to carry a sad and dejected look.

Then followed a rush to the post-office and registered letters, money orders and deposits became the general order of the day, for it's the folks at home that the khaki-clad boy thinks of first, especially those with dependents.

Suffice 'tis to say that at least for the next fifteen days or more "Sammy" will be living "the life of Riley, which is a pet phrase, meaning a life of solid contentment.

Now to divulge. Relative to our sporting department, Captain T. R. Kirschner has promised to give me the lineup shortly of the men who have managed to make the regimental base ball team and I feel safe in saying that Private Charles R. Korb of Company B will undoubtedly land in the pitching department. Company H has five applicants, four out of whom are "noncoms" the rivals being Corporals Ogan, Jones, Weston, Smith and Private Hershberger.

We also hope to forward the lineup

### SKINNED ALIVE SPUDS BY THOUSANDS GO UNDER KNIFE—Peeling spuds for the evening meal at the training camp at Deming, N. M., officially known as Camp Cody. Thousands of the spuds go under the knife every day.



of our regimental foot ball team in conjunction with the other and Lieutenant Major insists that his outfit will turn in the most enviable record of the camp. However, time will tell.

Now a word for the sanitation and the boys of the sanitary corps. A word of approval will not be amiss. Under the supervision of Major J. M. Birkner the boys are sure hustlers and Lieutenants Parks and Reeves certainly deserve all the credit that can be given to them for the manner in which they handle their allotted tasks.

The incinerators fronting the regimental streets dispose of the garbage quickly and cleanly. The mess halls, kitchen utensils, pots, pans and quarters are inspected daily in a way that denotes thoroughness and everything is kept spick and span.

To the Hebrew folks at home let me state that during the holy days' period, their boys will be provided with a suitable house of worship and they will receive their furloughs for a period of three days.

I am forwarding a few original photographs to give the folks an idea that it's "not all work and no play."

Use your own judgment and see where the fun comes in.

Company B, 150 men strong, has done duty on the Union Pacific bridge since March 25 and in view of that fact I'm getting up enough nerve

### NEW MINISTER MAKES RECORD AT FORT DODGE

#### Rev. W. H. Spence Comes to Hanscom Methodist Church Highly Recommended by Former Congregation.

Rev. W. H. Spence, newly elected pastor of the Hanscom Park Methodist church, comes to Omaha with the most enthusiastic praise from all who have been associated with him during his nine years of service with the First Methodist church at Fort Dodge.

He is known as one of the most gifted and promising young members of the ministerial fraternity, not only in that state, but in the country.

Extraordinary inducements were held out to persuade him to leave the Fort Dodge church, where he had been stationed for nine years. This is of itself an indication of his abilities, being far beyond the average stay of a Methodist minister at one station.

He was induced to leave the Fort Dodge church so endeared to him only by the fact that the Omaha pastorate offers a far wider field of usefulness.

When he went to Fort Dodge nine years ago, a youthful clergyman with small experience, the First Methodist church there was a small, out-grown building. In a short time he infused such vitality and enthusiasm into his parish that a beautiful new building and parsonage was planned, and these, which called for an outlay of \$120,000, now stand as a monument to his vision and executive ability.

He is singularly gifted spiritually, is an eloquent speaker as well as a splendid executive. His personality attracts friends wherever he goes and his unselfish spirit of patriotism has made him a leading figure in war work at Fort Dodge.

In Harmony With Labor. If his work in Fort Dodge be taken as an example, Rev. Mr. Spence soon will become a dominant figure in the philanthropic and patriotic activities

### Obituary Notice

MRS. SARAH CARNABY, age 82, widow of the late William Carnaby and a resident of Omaha for forty-seven years, died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry B. Payne, 1816 North Forty-first street. Mrs. Carnaby was born in Yorkshire, England, and came to the United States when a small child, her parents settling in the east. She was married in Reading, Pa., and lived in eastern states for some years, then came west with her husband to Omaha, where she was one of the early pioneers. Her husband, who was in the railroad business, died thirty-five years ago and since then she has made her home with her children. She is survived by two sons—Joseph Carnaby of Omaha and John J. Carnaby of Tacoma, Wash. Three daughters, all residents of Omaha, survive her, including Mrs. Henry B. Payne, Mrs. Charles Knecht and Mrs. Alfred Jefferson. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of Stack & Falconer, undertakers. The time of the funeral, which will be from the home of Mrs. Payne, is not yet decided. Interment will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

### Creighton Orators Elect New Set of Officers for Year

Creighton Oratorical society met last night. This year, contrary to the rule of previous years, membership is compulsory, and is part of the English course. Officers elected for the coming year are: Emmett Randolph, president; Emmett Hoyer, vice president; Lyle Doran, secretary; Ralph Kastner, treasurer. Committee on programs, Paul Kennebeck, Wayne Kaitges and Elias Camel.

of Omaha. He is a naturalized American of the unhyphenated kind and has given largely of his strength and brain in fostering the war spirit



Rev. W. H. Spence

and war relief work in the city from which he comes. He has also been singularly fortunate and useful in relations with the organized labor movement.

Last Sunday he preached his final sermon at the First Methodist church in Fort Dodge, the leave-taking being attended with a large demonstration from not only the people of his church, but from most of the prominent citizens of the city. In the time he was at Fort Dodge his church membership increased from 400 to 1,000 and the Sunday school enrollment from 325 to 1,225. His successor, Rev. A. A. Brooks, from Hastings, will find the church supplied with acquired momentum that will delight him.

### Contract Let for Home of Nebraska Telephone Company

The new Nebraska Telephone company building at Nineteenth and Douglas streets, to be built by Lanquist & Illsley of Chicago, according to the announcement of Vice President and General Manager W. B. T. Belt following opening of bids yesterday.

Mr. Belt announced that work would be pushed ahead as rapidly as possible by the contractors, who were also the successful bidders on the contract for sinking the caissons for the new building.

The Chicago firm was the successful bidder on the contract for constructing the First National Bank building, work on which was completed last year.

### Report of Light Frosts Does Not Affect Market

Reports of light frosts over portions of the corn belt of Iowa and Illinois reached the Omaha Grain exchange, but it was asserted that they were not responsible for the advance of 4 to 6 cents a bushel. It was attributed to the strong demand and the fact that there were buyers for all the cash offerings. Prices were \$1.97 to \$2.03 a bushel, with forty-six carloads on the market.

### BOOST LIBERTY BONDS IN OMAHA

#### Committee Plans Live Campaign, With Posters and Stickers; Boy Scouts Receive Medals.

The committee in charge of selling the second issue of Liberty bonds in Omaha held a preliminary meeting at the Commercial club and took steps important toward boosting Omaha's subscription to this issue.

O. T. Eastman, manager of the Omaha branch of the Federal Reserve bank, brought word that the government is preparing to give much greater assistance to the bond solicitors than it did in the first campaign.

"Ten posters of various sizes will be shipped out next week from the printing offices," he said. "All are boosters for the bonds. Another advertising feature will be 1,000,000 stickers for Nebraska, each 5 1/2 x 6 inches in size, intended particularly for automobile windshields. Liberty bond buttons of a new design will be given to buyers of the second issue of bonds. A number of speeches on the bonds will be sent out."

To Bear 4 Per Cent. The second issue of bonds is to be for \$3,000,000,000 and is to bear 4 per cent, according to the most reliable advice received by the committee. There is this difference, however, that the 3 1/2 per cent bonds are non-taxable, while the 4 per cent bonds will be subject to income taxes.

The reason for the delay in supplying the first issue bonds to subscribers was mentioned; namely, the colossal work of printing them. Most of these bonds were for small amounts. It was stated that the bonds for this federal reserve district alone would amount to twenty-six big truck loads.

W. E. Rhoades is chairman of the committee, succeeding T. C. Byrne, who was chairman of the Omaha committee, but is now chairman of the state Liberty bond committee. John L. Kennedy was elected vice chairman. Most of the members of the first committee will serve on the second also.

To Place Subscriptions Here. It was voted to appoint a committee to call on the corporations and get them to place their Liberty bond subscriptions in Omaha instead of in the east, as many of them did on the first bond campaign. On suggestion of Scoutmaster English, \$100 was voted to buy medals for Boy Scouts who distinguish themselves in selling bonds. It was decided also to get an officer from each bank, if possible, to serve on the committee.

The first Liberty bonds are to be delivered to subscribers September 26 and the drive for the second issue is to begin October 1.

### PLAN PUBLISHING LETTERS FROM NAVY

#### Blanks Now Being Printed to Allow Sailors to Write of Experiences Cruising in the War Zone.

If the plan of Ensign Condict is approved by the Navy department there soon will be many interesting letters sent home from the Omaha boys in the navy.

Blanks are now being printed for the boys to fill in, telling of their experiences fighting on the sea. They will tell of the strange lands they visit, of the success of the United States sailors in the war and of their daily life on land and sea.

These will be censored by their commanding officers and sent to the naval recruiting office here and the most interesting ones will be published in The Bee.

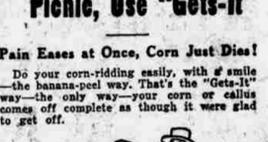
"Anyone who knows a cook or baker would be doing his country a service to send his name in to the naval recruiting office in the Paxton block, Omaha," said Ensign Condict. He is sending personal letters to every cook and baker in Iowa and Nebraska whose name and address he can learn, explaining the advantages of joining the navy.

There are now fourteen lawyers in the Omaha battalion of the "Lucky Seventh." Captain Higginson, in the recruiting office, says he has an original plan to make way with the Kaiser—that instead of shooting him to death there should be a delegation of lawyers sent over to talk him to death.

Two prominent young attorneys of Omaha who joined Wednesday are Arthur C. Thomsen and William A. Horton.

### For a Corn-Peeling Picnic, Use "Gets-It"

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"Gets-It" has cured more corns than all other remedies combined. It's as sure as the sunrise, and as safe as water. Used by millions. Don't take a chance with your feet. You can't afford to experiment with unknown mixtures when you know "Gets-It" never fails.

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### GRAND OPERA—"AIDA"

Verdi's famous Egyptian Opera will be produced Tuesday and Thursday evenings, September 25th and 27th, at Convention Hall, under direction of W. A. Fritschy. Louise Homer, Marie Rappold, Morgan Kingston and Clarence Whitehill, of the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company, in the principal roles, supported by a trained cast of one hundred fifty and an orchestra of sixty-five. Special scenery is being built in Kansas City for the production. Scale of prices: Boxes \$3.00; Arena floor, front rows \$2.00, balance \$1.50; First Balcony \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c; Upper Balcony 50c.

### OFFICIAL BRITISH WAR EXHIBIT

First time shown outside of New York. Six carloads of official exhibits, including all war equipment used by the allies; uniforms, shells, guns, aeroplanes, etc. Also captured German equipment.

### GORGEOUS FIREWORKS DISPLAY—2 NIGHTS

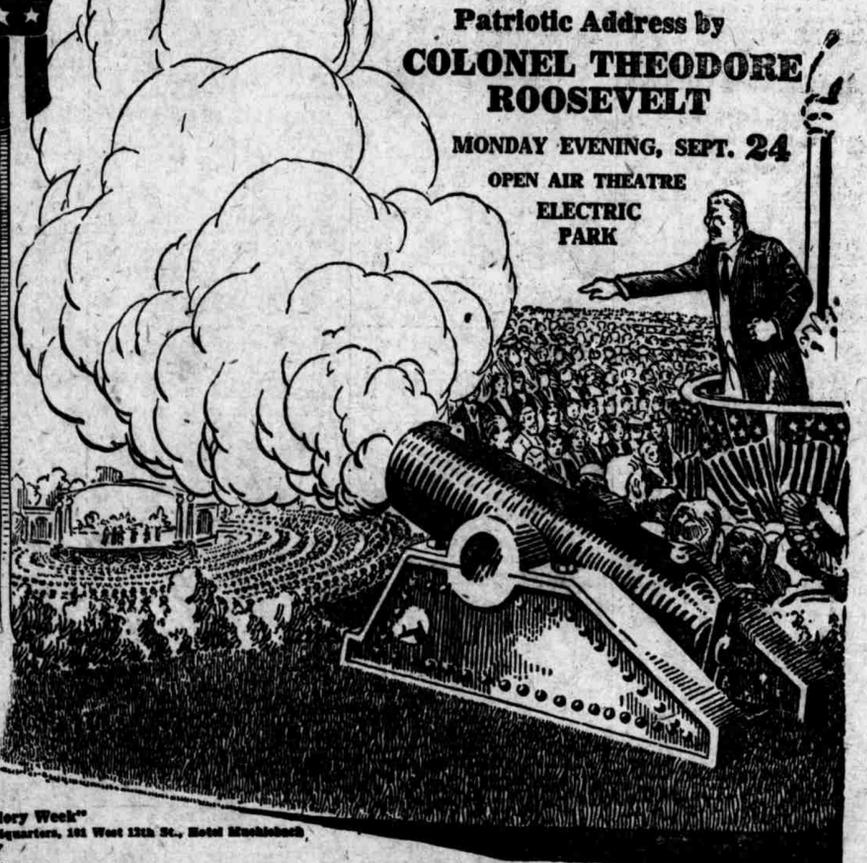
September 25th and 27th, shown in the open air theater at Electric Park. Positively greatest fireworks display ever produced in the West. Over ninety-five numbers on each program. Lasting over an hour.

### CONVENTION HALL MILITARY BALL SAT. NIGHT SEPT. 29

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TOTAL COST ENTIRE PRODUCTION	NUMBER PEOPLE PARTICIPATING
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