

The St. Tammany Farmer.

"The Blessings of Government, Like the Dew from Heaven, Should Descend Alike Upon the Rich and the Poor."

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A LETTER

From a Soldier Far Away from Home.

Believing that it would be of interest to the people of my home community in Louisiana to know of some of the experiences which one of their members has gone through as a regular in the U. S. Army. I will endeavor to present to you in a few words some of my experiences as a soldier.

After having served as a volunteer in the Spanish-American war, and one enlistment in the regulars, thus becoming accustomed to army life, to its sunshine and shadow, I decided to re-enlist. I assisted at the recruiting barracks of Columbus, O., in May 1905. The post at Columbus is considered as being modern and up-to-date in every respect, the buildings are in first class condition, and everything is provided for the spiritual, mental and physical development of the soldier. He has access to the post library and a well equipped gymnasium. Hot and cold baths are at his disposal. Such conditions at the post makes a favorable impression on the recruit.

Towards the end of the winter of 1906 the rumor was circulated among the boys that they were to go to the Philippines. This news was received with great joy for everyone was anxious to go to the Far East, and serve his country, which he has sworn to defend. At last the long looked for day of departure, the twentieth of February, 1906 arrived, when we left on a fast train of the Santa Fe Road. The boys always manage to have a good time, and it is immaterial to them where they are, whether they are on land or sea, or on a train. They spent the time on the train singing songs, such as Darling Nellie Gray, Home, Sweet Home, My old Kentucky Home, etc. while the train rolled on.

Some amused themselves by playing checkers and cards, while the others enjoyed the scenery and sights which their eyes had never fastened on before. I entertained the boys part of the time telling fortunes with cards, for many were anxious to know what the future had in store for them, especially along matrimonial lines. Some could be seen writing letters to friends, relatives and sweethearts. We had a phonograph on the train with scores of records playing old familiar songs and the latest hits. Crowds gathered at the stations along the roads to say farewell to the soldiers bound for the Philippines. At Needles, Cal., an Indian chief boarded the train and traveled with us a short distance, while the boys gathered around him to get a glimpse of the old warrior, and exchange a few words with him. At the station in New Mexico the Indians came to the station to dispose of trinkets, beads, etc.

At length we arrived at San Francisco, where we embarked March 5th, on the transport Logan for the Islands. We stopped for two days at Honolulu, the most important city on Hawaiian Islands the garden spot of the Pacific. As we were ready to leave this mid-ocean paradise, the band, composed of 73 pieces, played the familiar air, "Good-bye little girl, good-bye." At length we landed at Manila the coming city of the Far East, where we stopped for several days until we were ready to go to Camp Jossman to relieve the 12th Infantry.

Upon our arrival at said camp we were greeted as the Welcome 8th, for our coming gave them an opportunity to see home and friends once more. We remained here for several months, when we were ordered to the islands of Leyte, the home of the Visayas. The natives raise hemp, rice and tobacco, the hemp being considered the best in the world. Their food, which is cooked in clay pots, consists mostly of rice and fish. No knives and forks are used by them, and if asked why they don't use them, they will tell you that fingers were made before knives and forks, which is a sufficient reason for them. The houses are made of a bamboo framework covered with nipa, a kind of grass. The framework is tied together with baka, no nails being used. Fine timber is grown in the Philippines, such as the bayan tree, some measuring 8 feet across, the mahogany, ebony and other varieties. The favorite pastime of the natives is cock fighting, and they are interested in this sport as much as the Americans are in baseball. At length we left the Philippine Islands, and were homeward bound at last. We stopped at Nagasaki, Japan where we took on coal. The cooking was done by women, who formed a so-called bucket chain, by which method they are able to load a transport in a surprisingly short time. We went ashore for a short time taking in the sights, and living high (as the boys called it) by having a few good meals and drinks. At length we arrived at San Francisco, where we stayed for three days, until we left for Monterey, Cal., an old historic town. It is cool here all summer and the fires are burning every night, around which the boys gathered to spin yarns.

My time of service is soon over, for I will be discharged November 14, when I will leave on the 2:55 afternoon train. "The overland limit" for Mandeville, La. where I expect to see my friends and relatives again. I am anxious to see the old familiar faces again, for it seems to be an unchangeable law of nature, that distance makes the heart grow fonder. Yours, truly

PETER BERLIER,
 Company D, 8th Infantry,
 Presidio of Monterey, California.

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 The meeting of the Grand Jury has been postponed until the second Monday in October, the 12th

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RESOURCES.	
Demand loans	\$233,019 75
Loans secured by mortgage	15,583 13
Other loans and discounts	28,352 31
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	11,237 41
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	1,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	29,110 48
Other real estate owned	3,836 63
Due from banks and bankers	22,173 64
Checks and other cash items	56 89
Gold coin	741 00
Silver, nickel and copper coin	3,127 33
National bank notes and all issues U. S. Gov't	5,363 00
Suspense account	1,219 13
Total	\$354,820 70
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000 00
Surplus	45,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	223 68
Dividends unpaid	855 00
Individual savings deposits	\$51,347 28
Individual deposits sub. to check	115,996 60
Time certificates of deposit	8,398 14
Bills payable	33,000 00
Total	\$354,820 70

State of Louisiana,
 Parish of St. Tammany,
 I, C. Z. Williams, president, and I Joseph Delery, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of September, 1908.
 BENJ. M. MILLER,
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RESOURCES.	
Demand loans	\$141,693 34
Other loans and discounts	47,160 90
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	3,560 85
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	16,433 57
Other real estate owned	879 61
Due from banks and bankers	14,955 57
Checks and other cash items	120 55
Gold coin	752 50
Silver, nickel and copper coin	5,967 28
National bank notes and all issues U. S. Gov't	12,830 00
Suspense account	147 37
Total	\$244,501 54
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus	10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	364 38
Dividends unpaid	5 00
Individual savings deposits	49,705 88
Individual deposits sub. to check	107,244 71
Time certificates of deposit	10,555 00
Certified checks	167,505 59
Cashier's checks outstanding	105 02
Bills payable	111 55
Reserved for taxes	16,000 00
Total	\$244,501 54

State of Louisiana,
 Parish of St. Tammany,
 I, Harvey E. Ellis, President, and I, Robt. L. Aubert, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
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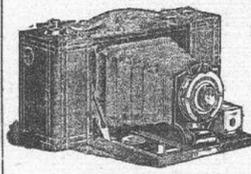
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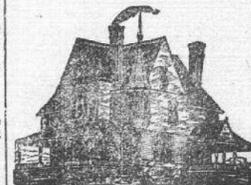
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