

THE SEVENTH CALIFORNIA WILL NOT MOVE TO THE PRESIDIO TO-DAY

ADVICES from Honolulu by the steamer Mariposa represent that the transport Indiana was detained there but a few hours to make the necessary boiler repairs, and therefore news may come any hour announcing the arrival of the third expedition at Manila. The monitor Monadnock sailed from Honolulu for the Philippines fourteen days ago, and if the speed displayed on her run from this port to Hawaii be maintained she may reach Manila by August 8.

The secret and mysterious influences which have prevented the transfer of troops from Camp Merritt to the Presidio are again at work. Yesterday an order was issued by Major General Merriam, commanding the Department of California, countermarching the instructions for the Seventh California to move to the reservation. Inquiries instituted by The Call disclose the fact that the countermarching order was issued at the request of Colonel Berry of the Seventh.

The Third Battalion, First South Dakota Volunteers, will embark on the transport steamer St. Paul to-day. The men will march from Camp Merritt at 8:20 a. m. The route of march will be along Post street, Van Ness and Golden Gate avenues and Market street to the dock.

BARBERSAILS TO-MORROW

Goes to Honolulu in Advance of the First New York Regiment of Volunteers.

Colonel Thomas H. Barber of the First New York Regiment will sail for Honolulu to-morrow on the Manila transport steamer St. Paul, accompanied by Major William C. Langitt of the Second Regiment of Volunteer Engineers, First Lieutenant Emerson Vinson, quartermaster of the First New York, and First Lieutenant Lewis T. Griffith, assistant surgeon of the First New York. These officers have received certain instructions from Major General Merriam which they will carry out immediately upon their arrival at Honolulu. These instructions relate principally to making arrangements for the reception of the troops that are to follow on next Monday on the transports Lakme and North Fork, offered for transport service by the Johnson-Locke Mercantile Company. These two steamers will carry a battalion of the Second Regiment and the third battalion of the Second Regiment of Volunteer Engineers. They will also take 200,000 feet of lumber for the construction of the buildings needed in the establishment of the new post at Honolulu. The number of troops that the Lakme and North Fork will transport to Honolulu is estimated at 1,000. The balance of the New York regiment will be forwarded on the Charles Nelson, about one week later.

Commissionary Sergeant Andrew Wallenstein will accompany Captain P. M. Lydig, commissary of subsistence, to Honolulu on the St. Paul.

The Philippine expeditionary troops assigned to the St. Paul for Manila will move off the horse-car tracks from Market street, and hereby pledges the Supervisors and the Mayor the support of the association in any contest that may arise in their efforts to compel compliance with the law, and be it further Resolved, That the thanks of the Merchants' Association are hereby tendered to the Supervisors and the Mayor for their efforts to provide a smooth and noiseless pavement for our chief artery of trade and traffic, conspicuous at present by reason of the disgraceful condition of its roadway.

HE WILL THRASH THE CONDUCTOR

SO DECLARES ATTORNEY BURNETTE G. HASKELL.

A Jury Acquits the Lawyer of a Charge of Disturbing the Peace of the People.

The case of Attorney Burnette G. Haskell, charged by Conductor F. E. Hill of the Haight-street line with disturbing the peace on his car on the Fourth of July, was tried before a jury in Judge Low's court yesterday afternoon. Attorney Frank E. Kelly appeared for the prosecution and Haskell conducted his own defense. The conductor testified that Haskell boarded his car with a lady. The car was crowded, but Haskell demanded a seat for the lady. She was given a seat, and then Haskell demanded that she should get a seat on the dummy. Haskell became abusive and used very bad language, much to the disgust of the passengers. He was given a warning, but he threatened to remove him from the car. W. A. Bush, a passenger on the car, corroborated the conductor's story.

Mrs. B. B. Patterson, for the defense, testified that she boarded the car with the defendant and that she was given a seat. The defendant roared at her house. The car was crowded inside, and she was compared to a "cannon" because she became unbecomingly loud and the defendant asked the conductor to allow her to stand on the rear platform, which was not crowded. The conductor treated her in a rude manner.

MARKET STREET PAVEMENT.

The Merchants' Association Supports the Mayor and Supervisors.

At a meeting of the Merchants' Association yesterday a long resolution was passed with reference to the paving of Market street. In it the merchants recite that one of the objects of the body is to secure to the city clean streets and noiseless pavements, especially on the large business thoroughfares. The present condition of Market street is something offensive to the eyes and humiliating to the citizens, parts being paved with basalt, cobble-stones, wooden blocks, etc. The association has worked hard to have a bituminous pavement laid, and now that the movement is on foot to effect this end it deprecates the fact that the street railroad companies are determined not to stand on the pavement in the matter of the pavement. In conclusion, the resolution states that Whereas, The Board of Supervisors has declared by resolution that the portion of Market street occupied by tracks upon which horse cars occasionally run is illegally held by said Market-street Railroad Company and has ordered the Superintendent of Streets to remove such tracks on or before August 6, 1898; therefore, Resolved, That the Merchants' Association hereby indorses the action of the Board of Supervisors in ordering the removal of the horse-car tracks from Market street, and hereby pledges the Supervisors and the Mayor the support of the association in any contest that may arise in their efforts to compel compliance with the law, and be it further Resolved, That the thanks of the Merchants' Association are hereby tendered to the Supervisors and the Mayor for their efforts to provide a smooth and noiseless pavement for our chief artery of trade and traffic, conspicuous at present by reason of the disgraceful condition of its roadway.

TROOPS AT THE PRESIDIO.

No Deaths Reported at the Division Hospital—Surgeons on Duty.

Large forces of men were busy yesterday at the Presidio digging trenches and laying pipes to supply the camps with water. As soon as this has been done the forces now at Camp Merritt will be moved over upon Uncle Sam's reservation.

LEADER OF THE DAKOTAS.



COLONEL A. T. FROST, South Dakota Volunteers, Who Sailed on the Rio Janeiro and Whose Third Battalion Embarks on the St. Paul To-Day.

The Seventh California Regiment, under Colonel Berry, was to have moved yesterday, but the order was countermarched.

There were no deaths yesterday at the post or division hospital. There were 25 sick soldiers in the latter yesterday, and of this number many are critically ill with pneumonia.

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BREAK CAMP TO-DAY.

Route of March of the Third South Dakota Battalion and Recruits.

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THE ELKS ACTIVE.

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general health of the men remains good and the hospital only has minor cases to care for. There were only thirty-five men, all told, reported to the surgeon yesterday. The greater number, however, are treated and return to duty at once. There are only about a dozen patients in the hospital.

The big tent of the Army and Navy Christian Commission is again within the camp lines, to the great delight of the enlisted men. After being deprived of its use for a week, they can again go to it to read and write while of duty. The quartermaster's depot has been moved over to the east side of the camp, between the band and the Red Cross Society tents, and the vacant space utilized for the big tent. It was thronged to-night with men who listened to it with strong and practical talk by D. Edwards Collins, president of the California Bank of Oakland.

The marked improvement of the men in squad, company and battalion drills has decided Colonel Henshaw to get the men out for some extended regimental maneuvers. He has not as yet secured a suitable tract of land in the vicinity of a camp, but expects to soon, as he has several views.

Adjutant D. A. Smith, who has held the rank of captain in the Fifth Regiment, N. B. C., while holding the same position, gets only the rank of first lieutenant. He appeared to-day with one of the bars rendered from his shoulder straps, and others not acquainted with the rank of the staff.

The Oakland Ladies' Aid Society visited camp this afternoon and presented every member of Company F with a blue and white handkerchief of large proportions, to be used in protecting their necks from the rays of the sun. The gifts were distributed with three cheers.

The guard detail to-night consisted of Captain J. Cahill, Company A, Chico, white company of the day, Lieutenant C. C. Coville, Company G, Oakland, officer of the guard, and Lieutenant F. M. Miller, Company I, Grass Valley, superior officer of the guard.

Corporal Leslie R. McKilloan, who has been acting drum major of the band, has been relieved at his request, and goes back to Company I. His place is taken by Corporal Will McGregor of Company E, Santa Rosa.

General W. L. Barnes of San Francisco was a visitor in camp to-day. He was the guest of his son, Captain William S. Barnes, Company C.

Private Charles Evans of Nevada City, who was injured some time ago in diving while swimming, is slowly sinking at the County Hospital, and the physician holds out little hope for his recovery. He is conscious all of the time, but there is a hemorrhage of the spinal cord, which is a difficult problem to handle.

THE TYPHOID FEVER.

Five Cases Developed Yesterday Among the Regulars at Camp Merritt.

Five more cases of typhoid fever developed at Camp Merritt yesterday and were immediately removed to the field hospital at the Presidio. Four of the cases were discovered in the remaining battalion of the Eighteenth Infantry, and the

command was vigorously disputed. In fact, the lieutenant colonel went so far as to give his statement against the further ingress of John E. Creighton, and for a time things looked interesting.

The matter was finally disposed of by the superior officer of the day, Colonel Barber, who remained at St. Paul until the boat's arrival at Honolulu, and after that Colonel Stover will have his chance.

WESTERN HOSPITALITY.

San Francisco's Reception to the New Yorkers Receives Hearty Praise.

The Times-Union of Albany, N. Y., of July 20, publishes an interesting letter from Private John E. Creighton of the First New York Regiment, now at the Presidio, in the course of which he says:

"It was not, however, until we reached Sacramento that we learned what Western hospitality is. The Red Cross ladies were at the station in large numbers. Every soldier received a substantial meal of sandwiches, hard-boiled eggs, coffee and fruit. Each man was presented with a beautiful bouquet of cut flowers. But best of all the people were there to greet us as friends, not at all as curiosities. Their sympathy was of the tangible sort. As the train rolled out of the station the earnest cheers from a thousand soldiers

fairly shook the roofs of the great train shed. We always knew that California was all right, but this was the first time it when we had crossed its borders. Four hours later we were at Oakland, where we waited until 7 o'clock Thursday morning, and then boarded the great steamer Piedmont for San Francisco.

"At the San Francisco pier we were met by a fine band, the First Tennessee, which escorted us to a large hall, beautifully decorated with flowers and flags. Here the Red Cross Society gave us a royal welcome and a much appreciated lunch. It is no exaggeration to say that no finer company of women were ever seen in this or any other country than those who met us at the San Francisco pier under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. The culture, refinement and wealth of the city were there represented. Besides the breakfast each man was given a souvenir postal card and a pencil to send a message home. Flowers were given in such abundance that the men's soldiers looked more like high-school boys coming from their commencement exercises than men going to battle. It was, indeed, a memorable sight to see bouquets of American Beauty roses tucked behind cartridge belts holding forty rounds of ammunition and gun-barrels blossoming with oleanders."

A CLASH IN HIGH RANK.

Col. Barber of New York and Col. Stover of South Dakota Spar for Command.

Lieutenant Colonel Lee Stover, commanding the troops for the transport St. Paul, and Colonel Thomas H. Barber, commanding the New York volunteers and a great deal of influence, had some little difference yesterday over the jurisdiction of matters on the transport. It has since been amicably arranged.

Although Colonel Barber has been ordered by the department to take command of all the troops on shipboard, he yesterday found upon his arrival at the pier that Colonel Barber had in a great measure relieved him of his duties, like-wise his statement. As Colonel Barber is accompanying the expedition on detached service, he has no orders to usurp the office delegated to Colonel Stover his right to the station and to the

ABSTRACTED SUPPLIES.

Quartermaster Sergeant of the Twentieth Kansas Arrested for Embezzlement.

Sergeant James A. Young, regimental quartermaster sergeant of the Twentieth Kansas Volunteers, was arrested yesterday on his way to await trial before a court of martial law in session upon a charge of embezzlement under the 60th article of war.

It was discovered yesterday by Colonel Funston that since Young took up the duties of his office he has been conducting a prosperous business on his own account, in complete disregard of the Government. Scarcely a day has passed that he has not sent a wagon load of stuff abstracted from the Government stores under his charge down town in the delivery wagon of a prominent grocery house.

When his scheme to take the smoking and chewing tobacco in exchange for the stolen goods and dispose of it to the men of the regiment.

As far as Young's peculations have been investigated he is discovered to be over \$100 short in his stores.

Drill and Old Army Songs.

Next Saturday evening, in the Mechanics' Pavilion, will be given one of the most unique military drills that has so far taken place this summer. The Iowa regiment, which, along with its famous band, so creditably distinguished itself in its exhibition several weeks ago, will appear. Besides the regimental and battalion drills, two strikingly novel features, which will be announced to-morrow, are on the programme. The drilling will be interspersed with old army songs, by a selected chorus, and a promenade concert and drill will follow until 12 o'clock. The affair will be under the auspices of the San Francisco Legion of Relief Corps. General admission, 25 cents. A few seats which are to be reserved will be on sale at Sherman & Clay's, at 50 cents.

Assigned to Duty.

Second Lieutenant Allen C. Wright of the Eighteenth Infantry and Second Lieutenant A. J. McNab of the Twentieth Infantry, both recently appointed, having reported at military headquarters, have been temporarily assigned for duty with the battalions of their respective regiments at Camp Merritt.

War Incidents.

Division Quartermaster Jeffries has been ordered to determine the number of mattress covers that will be necessary to the troops now in camp at the Presidio and at Camp Merritt. It would seem that the number of sleeping on the damp sand are nights. Huffman has recommended the discharge of Private Glen Benedict of the Oregon recruits. Benedict has become insane, and it is necessary to keep him under guard.

THE ANGLER AND THE PIKE.

How Two Noted Fishermen Were Trapped and the Wrong Man Accused.

F. M. Haight, a popular salesman of Clabfoot, Colcher & Co. was agreeably surprised on Tuesday afternoon when a messenger from Wells, Fargo & Co. handed him a package which contained a large fish.

There were quite a few prominent anglers in the store at the time of the arrival of the supposed lordly representative of Russia. River wagers were quickly made as to what variety of the fresh water denizen the package contained.

Some guessed black bass, others striped bass, others steelhead, but Will Colcher having caught a glimpse of the six-pound monster, declared that it was a pike, and said pike or "hard mouth," more commonly called.

Colcher hit the nail on the head. When the sack in which the fish was neatly bound was opened, Mr. Pike put in a very strong substance, much to the disgust of the consignee and the pleasure of the witnesses who subsequently drank to the health and success of Mr. Haight and the fisherman who was so thoughtful as to ship him a "prize beauty" from the far distant fishing ground.

Haight was nonplused. He thought of all manner of schemes regarding the proper disposal of the pike, and finally struck an idea.

Enter the honest John Butler, who always remembers me when he is from fishing, thought Haight to himself, "and here is an opportunity of returning compliments."

Quickly the name Haight was erased from the Wells-Fargo tag and the name John Butler substituted. The fish was again shipped through the express company to Mr. Butler, who received it right side up with care.

It is hardly necessary to state that Butler was a target for many hard jokes and expressions of fishy thoughts from friends who witnessed the unpacking of the poor old pike.

"Now what do you think of my friend John Gallagher, who was kind enough to ship me this beautiful fish free of charge?" remarked Butler, as his eagle eyes feasted on the unappetizing king of the fish-farm.

"What's the matter with you, John? Got 'em again? I haven't shipped you a fish of any kind." GALLAGHER.

YACHTSMEN WILL CELEBRATE

Edna's Owner Will Fill the Wallace Trophy To-Night.

To-night yachtsmen will make merry at the house of the California Yacht Club on Oakland Creek. Admiral E. A. von Schmidt will turn over the Wallace trophy, which he won both in 1896 and 1897 with his hoop whirlwind, to Commodore C. J. Lancaster, who will present it to this year's winner, Captain E. F. Sager. The trophy is a beautiful silver cup, and is a precious and handsome punchbowl, and the products of the Eisen Vineyard, and

YOUNGSTERS DO BATTLE.

Lively Bouts at the San Francisco Athletic Club Last Evening.

Two slashing six-round bouts and an abundance of "re-liminary" "goes" were witnessed by a large number of fight followers at the San Francisco Athletic Club last night. Although little more was spilled there was enough stiff punching to satisfy the most hardened ring-goers.

Jack Ennis and "Billy" Perry, two 135-pound youngsters of the popular club, furnished the first interesting contest. Perry's height and reach favored him in the first part of the bout, but Ennis' hard punching evened matters. Perry gained a lead in the first two rounds, but the latter was two-handed fighter, and assuming the aggressive landed repeatedly on his opponent. Perry was not all backward and threw in some stiff lefts, which gained the approval of the crowd. Both men showed willingness, and Ennis rained hard and fast. At the conclusion of the sixth round Referee McLaughlin declared the fight a draw.

In the bout between Jack McMahon and Eddie Toy, also 135-pound representatives of the club, the former was declared winner after six rounds of lively fighting. McMahon showed superior science, while Toy possessed grit and strength. This, however, did not avail Toy, as he was the recipient of nearly all the blows. Judges "Kid" Parker and Gus Koster favored McMahon, and he was given the decision.

The preliminary events were participated in by Horan and Dean, Whipple and Thomas and Gifford and Wiley and Devins and McDVitt.

It Was a Tie Vote.

The Supreme Court has approved the judgment of the Superior Court of Tulare County in the contest of J. W. Thomas and John H. Smith for the office of Supervisor of the Third District. Soon after the last election the two candidates appealed to the court, which found that each had received the same number of votes. However, the court gave judgment in favor of Thomas, who was declared winner. The court's decision is that there is no reason for disturbing the judgment of the lower court.

St. George for Red Cross.

Mrs. E. J. Williams, S. Clack and G. M. H. H. Williams, S. Clack and G. M. H. Williams, who compose the committee of arrangements of the entertainment that is to be given by the Sons and the Daughters of St. George in aid of the Red Cross Society in Union-square Hall, announce that, owing to unforeseen circumstances, the event will have to be postponed from the 3d to the 10th of August. The tickets for the event will be on sale on Wednesday and will be received on the following Wednesday.

THE CRYSTAL SWIMMING BATHS.

Physician recommends the crystal swimming bath and swimming baths, North Beach.

PASSING OF ARTHUR M. JELLISON.

Arthur M. Jellison, for years the librarian of the Mechanics' Institute, is dead. Surrounded by friends and loved ones he passed away yesterday afternoon after a protracted illness of months. The cause of death was dropsy of the heart, and although the end was known to be inevitable, it came suddenly and as a shock to his relatives.

Mr. Jellison's public career as librarian of the Mechanics' Institute, which position he held for over twenty-two years, has been a commendable one. Entering the institution as a mere boy he worked his way indefatigably to the position which he held up to a few weeks of his death.