

NEWS OF PEACE CAUSES GLOOM

SOLDIERS FEAR THEY WILL NOT LEAVE CAMP ALGER.

General Gobin is Not Depressed—He Seems Confident That His Command Will Be Used as an Army of Occupation at Some Place or Other.

There Has Not Been a Case of Fever Since the New Camp Was Occupied—Water Very Scarce.

Special from a Staff Correspondent. Camp Alger, Dunn Loring, Va., July 27.—The news of Spain's initiative for peace deepened the general gloom that has overspread the camp ever since the brigade was denied a place in the Porto Rico expedition.

General Gobin, unlike the men in the ranks, was not downcast or disheartened by the morning's news.

GENERAL IS HOPEFUL. General Gobin also commented upon the possibility of getting a Manila call.

Whether or not the prospect of peace will make the men less enthusiastic in their work can not, of course, be judged at this time, but the chances are that it will and that from this time on a part of the work will be done in a perfunctory manner.

NO FEVER IN NEW CAMP. Typhoid fever is on the increase at the Falls Church camp, but at this site not a single case has broken out.

THE THIRTEENTH IS BUILDING A STOCKADE. Captain Corwin and a detail from Company H began work on it this morning.

COTTAGE TALKED OF. There is also talk—not to mention it in the same breath—of erecting a cottage near the camp for the accommodation of women visitors.

other is scattered here and there doing fatigue work.

CELEBRATION POSTPONED. The celebration in honor of the completion of the first three months' service, which was scheduled for tonight, has been postponed owing to the unexpected absence of the First battalion companies on provost duty.

THE WAR DEPARTMENT, it seems, was determined upon granting the plaintive petition of Mrs. Richardson, of White Mills, for the discharge of her husband.

ANOTHER LARGE CONSIGNMENT of bosom de pik was issued yesterday. It is of good quality and neatly done up in canvas sacks.

HOME ON FURLOUGH. Corporal George M. Tolemic and Musician David D. Jones, of Company A, went home last night on furloughs.

CONGRESSMAN MORGAN B. WILLIAMS and State Representative Roberts, of Wilkes-Barre, were visitors here yesterday.

ECHOES OF THE WAR. Cyrus Carman, a former Wilkes-Barre man, who left there in 1875 for the west and who since that time has been serving in the regular army of the United States, is visiting his brother, F. E. Carman, of 54 Moyallan street, Wilkes-Barre.

"We did not reach the seat of hostilities in time to take part in the battle, and when we arrived negotiations had been begun for the surrender of the Spaniards.

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TROUBLES OF THE LEAGUE INCREASE

SYRACUSE CLUB IS LIKELY TO BE TRANSFERRED.

It Is Losing Money and Its Owner Says He Does Not Propose to Stand It Much Longer—There Is a Scheme on Foot by the New York State Clubs to Desert the Eastern League Next Season and Form a New Organization—Notes of Interest About the Game.

The troubles of the Eastern league continue to grow instead of lessen. Ever since the cut in salaries the Syracuse team has been losing more money than ever, and it is the following from the Syracuse Standard correct the Stars are in a bad way just now.

TRANSFER OF CLUB. "Worcester is anxious to get the Syracuse team and franchise, but Worcester is not likely to get it.

HOBSON IN NEW YORK. The Hero of the Merrimac Episode Denies the Engagement Story.

NEW LEAGUE SCHEME. There is also a scheme on foot to divide the Eastern league into two sections next year.

BASE BALL GAMES YESTERDAY. NATIONAL LEAGUE. Philadelphia, 4; Washington, 1 (first game). Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 1 (second game).

EASTERN LEAGUE. Ottawa, 6; Buffalo, 1. Toronto, 10; Providence, 7.

ATLANTIC LEAGUE. Richmond, 3; Allentown, 0. Paterson, 7; Newark, 6.

DIAMOND DUST. Third Baseman Fox, recently released by Toronto, has caught on with Wilkes-Barre.

The Eastern league has acquired the ability to place hits, and now is second only to Keeler and McGraw in that respect.

AMATEUR BASE BALL. The Minooka team will play the Pittston Reds on the Minooka grounds July 31.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 2. Adjutant General of the Army, Washington. Reports of yesterday show total sick, 2,770; total fever cases, 2,921; new cases of fever, 629; cases of fever returned to duty, 528.

DEATH LIST for yesterday: First Lieutenant A. J. Babcock, Twenty-third Michigan, typhoid fever, Siboney; Privates James A. Marine, Company H, Thirtieth Michigan, yellow fever; William Dollard, Company C, Thirtieth Michigan, yellow fever; William Francis Fore, Company D, First District of Columbia volunteers, typhoid fever; T. H. Mahoney, Company D, Twentieth infantry, typhoid fever; Corporal Charles E. Wangle, Company E, Twenty-fourth infantry, yellow fever; civilian teamsters, E. G. Yoba, yellow fever, and Moore Stuart, yellow fever. All at Siboney.

DEATHS NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED: Privates Brooley, Company B, First infantry, dysentery, July 27; J. Laine, Company Ninth infantry, dysentery, July 28; G. T. McNeihen, Troop A, Second cavalry, yellow fever, July 29; Walter Wischman, Troop F, Second cavalry, yellow fever, July 29; Walter Wischman, Troop F, Second cavalry, yellow fever, July 29; Walter Wischman, Troop F, Second cavalry, yellow fever, July 29.

THE HERO OF THE MERRIMAC EPISODE DENIES THE ENGAGEMENT STORY. New York, July 27.—Lieutenant Hobson arrived here early today from Morristown, N. J., and went at once to the office of the Merrimac and Chapman Wrecking company on Willis street, where he was in close consultation with the officers of the company for two hours.

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ECTERIA OLEUM. I suffered from Eczema on the right ear. I could hardly keep my hands off it, the itching was so severe. Small bubbles would open, emitting a watery discharge, apparently poisonous. One of the leading doctors here treated me, and applied the usual physician's remedies without benefit.