

THAT JOURNEY TO THE QUAKER CITY

WAS A SEVERE TEST OF ENDURANCE FOR THE BOYS.

Boys Were Drenched by the Rain When They Entered the Cars and Had No Way of Drying Their Clothing—Practically the Entire Regiment Went to Philadelphia. The Few Men Who Had to Remain Behind Were Very Much Disappointed.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 27.—It will be many a day before the members of the Thirtieth, as at present constituted, will be able, or ready to forget the opening chapters of the history of the regiment which are to treat of the trip to Philadelphia. The command is certainly "hoodooed," and it is impossible to find anything in the make-up or in the habits of the Scranton soldier boys, which would indicate that they have any particularly strong penchant for water more than any other command in the service; still, the rule is that every time the regiment moves, it rains.

A SEVERE TEST. The trip to the train from camp was, certainly, a severe test. Wrapped in their great-coats, and carrying each man a gun, knapsack, haversack, and canteen, they trudged their way for three miles up hill and down, through fields, and over roads where the mud was two and three inches deep, and which were so slippery that it was almost impossible to stand on one's feet. Several times, the boys had to do a "double quick" up or down a hill, but made no complaints; and while they were slipping on all sides, as if the ground under their feet were covered with ice, only two or three fell, and in these cases, nothing more serious resulted than a badly disfigured overcoat. As far as your correspondent remembers, only one man fell out. Owing to the steep hills, or to the passage back or forth of army wagons, or ambulances, which blocked the road and necessitated short rests, it took over two hours to make the trip. Most of that time it was raining, but the men did not seem to mind it. They had left camp with the evident purpose of roughing it, and they were not disappointed, or chagrined, at the mere inconvenience of a rain storm.

When the two Pennsylvania regiments and a battalion of the Fifteenth Minnesota, representing the Third brigade, reached the sidings near the main commissary, and midway between Middletown and Highspire, there was much dissatisfaction, and especially among the members of the Thirtieth, who had to stand there like statues in the cold drizzling rain with their clothes already soaked and drenched, and unrelieved by their knapsack, for nearly an hour and a half waiting for a train. To make matters worse when the train did come the boys were dissatisfied to learn that they had to travel in emigrant style—only one car and a half having been reserved for the company, of sixty men, including their equipments and well drenched overcoats. These arrangements were

SCRANTON MAN IN PORTO RICO

ANOTHER INTERESTING LETTER FROM A. E. VORHIS.

Former Tribune Employee Now With a Regiment of Engineers in Porto Rico Writes of Matters That Are of Particular Interest to Scranton and Vicinity—Private Joseph Wagner III—Personal Mention of Soldiers from This Region—Raise for the Red Cross Society.

Special Correspondence of the Tribune. Camp West of Coamo, Porto Rico, Oct. 18.—It has been some time since the readers of your paper have heard from me. The reason for this is that the battalion, to which I belong, has been detached from the regiment since Sept. 2, and as most of the men from Scranton and vicinity belong to the other battalions, I have not been able to keep posted upon their movements. Today, Dr. Samuel E. Meyer, veterinary surgeon of the regiment, who enlisted in Scranton, and whose home is at Jermy, came to our camp to save the life of a valuable horse belonging to Quartermaster Haskins, who had ridden here the day before from headquarters at Ponce, and from him I obtained some news of the regiment. The doctor has well earned a reputation as a veterinarian. He has had something like 300 mules and horses to take care of and has lost but very few, and is held in high regard by the officers of the regiment. The work of the First battalion, near Alibonito, will be finished tomorrow, and the detachment will unite with the remainder of the battalion at its headquarters west of Coamo, and as soon as the transport is ready at Ponce, will embark for the states. This is expected to take place before the week is over.

AWAITING ORDERS. Company G, of the Second battalion, is camped about four miles east of Ponce, and has just finished a bridge and are awaiting orders to move. Companies L and M, of the Third battalion, are upon the coast at Wauka, finishing a fort and will join the regiment at Ponce in time to leave with it. The balance of the regiment is encamped on the western outskirts of Ponce, at the headquarters of the regiment. The general hospital of the regiment is there and there are probably 100 to 150 sick men in it, very few of whom are seriously ill. Joseph Wagner, of Company H, a resident of Scranton, has typhoid fever and is reported very sick, but was, yesterday, a little better, and with the care he is receiving will, no doubt, be able to be removed as soon as the regiment goes. Fully one hundred men from this regiment who were sick have been sent north and are no doubt now being cared for by their friends. There have been but five deaths in our regiment since coming here, that I have heard of. One was adjutant Beech and another a man who enlisted in Scranton, and whose residence is in Blomberg. He died two weeks ago. The other three I did not know. Corporal Rafter is in charge of a squad of natives at the Port of Ponce, loading and unloading ships. Corporal Syron, Company G, has been promoted to sergeant and assigned to headquarters of the Red Cross society at Ponce. Too much cannot be said of the efficiency and good work of this society.

BEAN TRANSFERRED. Harry Bean, of Company F, has been transferred to Company I. Harry is well liked and will no doubt make friends in his new company. Arley H. Chroy has been detached from his company, D, since Sept. 1, and assigned to quartermaster's department. When we return we may have some more to tell about the country. A. E. Vorhis.

COUNT ARRESTED. Charged with Obtaining \$8.75 by Fraud. Chicago, Oct. 27.—Count Leopold de la Boritz, of Bucharest, Roumania, was arrested today on a charge of obtaining \$8.75 by false pretenses. The count claims he is a victim of a clever confidence game, in which it is intended that he should be swindled out of \$6,000. As a result of his suspicions he caused the arrest of Marvin Victor Henshaw, teacher of dramatic art and L. E. Henshaw and D. J. Hallinan, lawyers. Count de la Boritz came to Chicago several days ago upon a solicitation of the Chicago Salvation Army. The count did not have any ready money but volunteered to send to his home in Roumania for the necessary amount. Henshaw gave him \$8.75 with which to pay for the cablegram, and when the money was not forthcoming a warrant was obtained for the nobleman's arrest. Boritz was arraigned in criminal court today, but the hearing was continued until November 1. Mr. Henshaw and the two lawyers deny any attempt was made to defraud the count.

THE PHILADELPHIA LEAKY. To Be Overhauled in Dry Dock in San Francisco. San Francisco, Oct. 27.—The cruiser Philadelphia will not go to sea for some months. Instead of starting under sealed orders for Samoa she will go to the navy yard to be thoroughly overhauled and have several leaks that are causing trouble stopped. In order for that work to be done the vessel will have her coal and ballast removed, and will then be put in the dry dock.

STORM'S WORK IN CHICAGO. Wind Swayed the Tall Buildings and Gusted Clocks to Stop. Chicago, Oct. 27.—Chicago's lake front is battered in spots from the Indiana state line to Evanston and beyond, as the result of the storm which found a centre here during the last two days. While no lives have been reported lost, the severity of the wind was the greatest since the gale of 1894, when the shore was strewn with wrecks and when many sailors perished. The total damage is estimated at \$1,500. The objects that suffered most were the lake shore promenades and walls. An indication of the fury of the storm

THE PLAGUE IN VIENNA.

A Doctor and Nurse Develop Symptoms of the Eastern Scourge. Vienna, Oct. 27.—Dr. Poch, who has been attending the victims of the bubonic plague in Vienna, together with Dr. Heubner, another of its nurses, have developed symptoms of the disease.

TANNER'S DEFENSE.

The Governor Explains His Indorsement of Rioters—Reiterates His Determination to Prevent the Importation of Laborers into Illinois. Chicago, Oct. 27.—A special despatch to the Times-Herald from Madison, Ill., quotes Governor Tanner as saying: "I reiterate that I will not tolerate this wholesale importation of negroes into Illinois, and if I hear that a mob is to be brought into this state, such as was taken into Virden, I care not on what railroad it comes or for whom I will meet it at the state line and shoot it to pieces with gatling guns." The dispatch adds that Governor Tanner made these remarks in a speech delivered before 1,200 auditors gathered at the Knights of Pythias' hall in Madison. They formed the concluding statement in an address devoted largely to the defense of his course in the recent mine riots at Virden. The governor reviewed at great length the causes leading to rioting. He held the operators to be at fault in their dealings with the strikers, and that reverting to his acts when the crisis came, said: "When the United States government found it necessary and deemed it just to forbid the importation of foreign labor into this country I felt that I was fully justified in the course I took at Virden. That trouble never would have occurred if the negroes had not been brought there to take the place of white men. The importations were representatives of the scum of the country. I do not propose to allow the operators to bring these people here, and took what I considered and still consider the proper means to prevent it."

COLONEL WARING III.

New York, Oct. 27.—Colonel George E. Waring, Jr., formerly street commissioner of New York, is stuck at his home in this city with yellow fever contracted in Havana. Commissioner William T. Jenkins, of the health department, made an official statement of this effect tonight. Colonel Waring returned from Cuba on the Ward line steamer Yucatan two days ago.

EARTHQUAKE AT OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Ont. Oct. 27.—About 1 o'clock this morning an earthquake shook passed over the city. It was felt distinctly on Sandy Hill and in the vicinity of Gilmour street. On the latter street several of the houses were shaken, awakening the inmates and causing great alarm. The concussion was felt in the vicinity of Sparks street. Its duration was about 10 seconds.

Berlin Elections.

Berlin, Oct. 27.—In the elections now in progress of secondary elections for choosing the members of the Prussian diet the return thus far received point to Liberal gains, especially in Charlottenburg, Dorotheenberg, Koenigsberg, Stettin and Kiel. The Socialists are active in the contest, for the most part supporting Radicals.

Woman Convicted of Murder.

Harrisburg, Oct. 27.—Annie Winson, a colored woman, was convicted of murder in the second degree here this evening for having poisoned her husband. It was shown at the trial that Mrs. Winson and a man named Albert Smith had conspired to get rid of Mr. Winson that they might live together.

Will Proclaim Protectorate.

London, Oct. 27.—It is reported here this evening that the British cabinet, at today's session, decided to proclaim the protectorate of Great Britain over Egypt.

To Keep the Streets Clean.

From the Chicago Post. "After a great deal of thought and patient figuring," he said, "I feel that I can safely say that I have solved one of the great municipal problems of the city. 'Which is it?' they asked him. 'Keeping the streets clean,' he replied. 'How would you do it?' 'I would assess the cost where it belongs—on the men who advertise by means of handbills and circulars,' he answered.

Papa's Opinion.

Tommy—What kind of a store is that one, papa, where they have three-colored glass jars in the window? Papa—That's an apothecary shop, Tommy.

Not in His Class.

He could imitate Fitzsimmons. With a vim that brought him glory; He was asked to be a candidate. Well—that's quite another story. —Chicago Record.

FACE ON FIRE

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OUTBREAK IN OREGON.

Indians Attack Whites Near Canyon City and Wound Two. Baker City, Oct. 27.—Word was received here yesterday by telephone from Canyon City, this state, of a shooting affray in which Indians shot and seriously wounded Dave Cuttings and killed the horse and driver, F. Duncan and F. Mosler. The Indians then went to the home of John High and shot him, but not fatally.

YELLOW FEVER IN MEXICO.

Two Cases Reported in Monterey, Ten Doubtful Ones. Laredo, Tex., Oct. 27.—The secretary of state of Nova Leon, Mexico, officially announced two cases of yellow fever in Monterey and ten doubtful. The Mexican National railroad through passenger and freight trains to Saultillo and the City of Mexico are running regularly and every effort is being made to prevent delay. The weather here and within a radius of 200 miles of Monterey has turned much cooler with frost reported at Saultillo.

Danger of Friction Removed.

London, Oct. 28.—Although nothing official has transpired regarding the negotiations of the cabinet council yesterday, the Times says it may be taken for granted that the deadlock reached are in full agreement with the policy formulated and a recently published blue book. The Daily Mail understands that an arrangement has been arrived at which removes all danger of a friction with France.

Mrs. Bryan Will Go South.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 27.—Mrs. W. J. Bryan is preparing to go to Savannah if the health of her son Bryan does not improve. News of his continued illness is a cause of worry to friends in Lincoln. Mrs. Bryan said tonight that she would not go for a number of days unless there was a change for the worse. A telegram received by the family late this evening said the colonel was slightly better.

Steamer Lost.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—The steamer L. R. Dwyer, which was wrecked in Lake Michigan, is believed by marine men to have been lost in the great storm in mid-lake off Kenosha

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