

LIFE IN THE NEW SOUTHERN CAMP

MEMBERS OF THE THIRTEENTH ARE SETTLING DOWN.

New Regimental Hospital Is Being Re-established—Health of the Regiment Is Excellent—Trip to the South—Ground That Is Sacred and Historic Was Passed Over—Soldiers Begin to Realize How Strong the Color Line Is Drawn in Their Present Home.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Camp Young, Augusta, Ga., Nov. 17.—The members of the Thirteenth have already adapted themselves to the conditions of camp life here. All are in excellent health and the hospital has at present only one patient. A consignment of lumber has been received. It will be used at once for the tent floors. The new regimental hospital is being established and Major Keller and Lieutenants Blanchard and Merriman are superintending the work. It is expected that camp will soon be lighted by electricity. General Gobin now commands the division.

The trip from Harrisburg to this place was delightful and interesting, which in a way has been anticipated by the general good behavior of the men, the pleasant conditions existing on the cars, and the clear, bright weather. In the perpetual change of scenes and the prospects of happy days to come, all forgot whatever regrets they felt at leaving Camp Meade and Pennsylvania soil. At Harrisburg the boys left mementos in the form of buttons and of hard tack, on which their names were inscribed.

The morning camp was broken, breakfast was served in the regiment at 8:30 o'clock. The light repast was followed by four or five hours of hard work, a quick march to the depot and a four-hour run on the train from Harrisburg to Baltimore. The natural results followed the men fairly howled from hunger, and for some time previous they kept yelling at every station. "When do we eat?" and "Nobody knows how hungry we are." At Baltimore hot coffee was distributed—one pint to each man. This, together with a canned beef sandwich, made up the sum total of the dinner. Some more fortunate than the others, succeeded in getting pie, cake or fruit at the station.

GOING INTO MARYLAND. When passing the Gettysburg station the liveliest interest was excited, and all were on the anxious lookout for the signal boards which mark the Pennsylvania-Maryland state boundary, and as the train passed over the line at 2:10 p. m. the boys waved a last farewell to home, at the same time giving three ringing cheers for Maryland. In the evening at 5 o'clock the dome of the capitol and the Washington monument were sighted; the historic Potomac was crossed at 5:30, and at 6 o'clock the train pulled into Washington. In the course of a few minutes Alexandria was reached, and the boys remembered that not far distant lie the grounds to be known forever hereafter as Camp Alesse.

For at least six hours after leaving the national capital, the trains passed over a stretch of territory which was fertilized and consecrated and re-consecrated by the struggles and sacrifices of knightly heroes, and by the best

The Value of Little Things

We are afraid, has been lost sight of in our many presentations of store news in this column. We have written largely of our extreme features in wearing apparel and fabrics, until we fear you may presume them our only strong points. Not so. We are extremists in all that is good, new and ultra, yet this extremism never reaches our prices—they are decidedly moderate.

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blood of the nation liberally spilled in its defense and perpetuation. It is sacred soil and must forever remain such, not only to the brave survivors of that mighty struggle, but to every student of American history. For several miles we ran parallel to the Potomac, going through Woodbridge and Quantico, then bent slightly to the west, crossing the Rappahannock and skirting Fredericksburg. Further on we passed through Millford, Bothwell, Hanover, and made a short detour around the city of Richmond, the capital of the Confederate states, whose lights were quite distinct.

CROSSED THE JAMES.

At half-past twelve we had crossed the James river, so inoperably connected not alone with the operations of the Federal and the Confederate armies in 1861-5, but also with the first struggle of civilized man in the original thirteen colonies. The boys were all asleep as they were swept through Drury's Contrails, Chester, Walthall and Petersburg, which place has so many stirring memories for the veterans of the late war. This point we reached at half-past three. In the morning, crossed from Virginia into North Carolina at 5 o'clock, and reached the city of Weldon at 6:15, and the city of Raleigh, the state capital, at 8, by which time everybody was awake and on the alert. Between Washington and Raleigh the average speed of each section was 21 2/5 miles an hour, which was good time, considering the circumstances, and the heavy, twelve-car trains which had to be hauled.

From Weldon to Raleigh the country is as beautiful as it is unproductive. In every direction as far as the eye can reach not a mountain or even a hill, was visible. Small, impoverished looking farm houses dotted the landscape here and there, and the only signs of industry were swayed fields of cotton, which grows in abundance, the neat gardens of cabbage and large tracts of corn. Occasionally the scene is varied by clumps of pine or of oak trees. The difference between this country and the neighborhood of Camp Meade becomes plain at a glance.

The meals for the boys have so far been few and far between. Supper was served, or rather distributed, last evening at 8 o'clock, and consisted of canned salmon, beans and hard bread. We had breakfast at Raleigh at 8 o'clock. It consisted of a canned beef sandwich. The second installment of half a pint of coffee was received at Raleigh station shortly before 10 o'clock. The boys are not being overfed, but nevertheless are in fine health. They are doing splendidly. Last night they made the best of their surroundings, huddled themselves together wrapped in their blankets and slept undisturbed until the warm Southern sun woke them.

GOOD BEHAVIOR OF MEN.

In a former message notice was taken of the very good behavior of the men. They are still keeping it up, and in consequence everything runs smoothly. The officers have no complaint, and not the least trouble is given. Good will prevails throughout, and all orders are obeyed without a murmur.

It is a strange feeling which comes over a person when he reflects that he is in a land where the color line is tightly drawn, where one race lives supreme and the other is simply tolerated. This is the case here, and it is just now dawning upon the minds of the members of the Thirteenth what a difference exists here between the black man and his white neighbor. Nearly every railroad station has prominently displayed the significant signs, "Waiting Room for White People," "Waiting Room for Colored People."

Just after breakfast Tuesday morning the boys saw something of which they had merely read up to that time. The train wound its way slowly past the North Carolina state penitentiary—a large, three-story brick building, surrounded on all sides by a high wall, on the top of the wall are constructed sentry boxes and a plank walk protected by a railing. At regular intervals are posted sentinels, who pace up and down over this elevated plank walk, carrying well-loaded rifles and ready for business at any moment in case of trouble. Another curiosity was an old engine, which used wood instead of coal. It attracted no small amount of interest.

The Southern heat is already becoming very noticeable.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

The Manville breaker will start up the fore part of the week after having been shut down a few days for repairs which consisted of putting in a new air shaft and fan. The new shaft was sunk about fifty feet from the old one and down to the "County Vein" and then a tunnel run to the old shaft. By cutting off the air at the old shaft a stream of water which has run down the shaft and interfered greatly with the air, can be diverted and run into the old "Clark" vein. The fan is to be twenty feet in diameter, being four feet larger than the old one, and has a speed of eighty-five revolutions per minute. Although they are mining only the thirty-six inch veins this breaker turns out seven hundred tons a day and employs three hundred hands.

The American Safety Lamp and Mine Supply company are running their large plant on Capouse avenue at full time and recently increased their force to the extent of a dozen hands. They are at present working on a series of large orders from points as far distant as the Klondike. Some of the orders filled during the last few weeks amounting from \$150 to \$500 worth are: E. W. McNabb company, Antrim, Klondike; Pleasant Valley Coal company, Colorado; Choctaw, Oklahoma, and Gulf Railroad company, McAllister, Indian Territory; Carbon Hill Coal company, Carbonado, Washington, and C. Frick Coke company, Pittsburg, Pa.

The large washer at No. 6 shaft of the Pennsylvania Coal company at Pittston, was put in operation yesterday. It is used to wash cinn and is one of the largest in this vicinity. The plant is located about 2,000 yards west of the breaker and beside a culm bank that is unusually large.

SPORTING NOTES.

The Crescents, the undefeated foot ball team of Lackawanna county, would like to know from some of the foot ball teams why they are afraid to play us. There are a good many foot ball teams in this county who claim the championship, but it seems very funny they are afraid to play us. Not long ago we issued a challenge to play any team in Lackawanna or Luzerne counties with the exception of the undisciplined Ft. Thomas team, but we received no reply. Now don't be afraid that your team is too heavy for us, as it could be no less with us whether you weigh a ton. We are at any team's service at any time or place. Yours truly, Thomas J. Mulligan, captain of Crescent Foot Ball team.

VINDICATION FOR LANDLORDS JONES

PREMISES WERE NOT IN UNSANITARY CONDITION.

Judge McPherson Takes the Boyer Case from the Jury and Directs a Verdict for the Defendants—Did Not Show the Landlords to Be in Any Way Responsible for the Typhoid Fever—Two Verdicts Reached—Interesting Suit Between Prominent Firms.

When the testimony in the case of Boyer against Jones was all presented yesterday morning Judge McPherson took the case from the consideration of the jury and directed a verdict in favor of the defendants. Dr. W. H. Allen, health officer; Colonel E. H. Ripple, who was a member of the board of health at the time of the deaths in the Boyer family, and Sanitary Officer W. H. Burke testified that there was nothing in the construction of the vault, the house or the sink that would tend to cause typhoid, and this taken with the testimony as to the manner in which the tenants used the premises, led the court to declare that the landlords were in no wise responsible for the sad calamity which overtook the family. He further ruled that the plaintiffs had not proven the claim made in their declaration that the landlords had willfully and fraudulently withheld from the tenants the condition in which the premises were in. There were other reasons, Judge McPherson said, for dismissing the case, but he deemed it unnecessary to mention more than these two.

In the case of Lewis & Bro. against Charles H. Miller, a verdict for the defendant was returned yesterday morning.

In the case of C. S. Turner & Co. against B. D. Cooper, a verdict for the defendant in the sum of \$83.75 was directed by Judge McPherson. It was a replevin suit to recover a balance due on a safe which the defendants secured through sheriff's sale. It was proven that the safe was only leased and the defendants being unable to sustain the contention that it was sold outright, the court directed a verdict for the plaintiffs.

Judge Archibald tried the case of Hill & Connell against the Rexford company. H. C. Everett, an employee of the latter company, purchased \$60 worth of furniture for the plaintiffs on an order for credit to that amount given by his employer. He afterwards purchased \$30 worth of goods on his own credit. He paid \$60 and then ceased payments. Hill & Connell sought to have the Rexford company make good the \$30 balance, but they contended that the \$60 which Everett paid was to be applied to their order for credit. The plaintiff company held that \$30 of it had been applied to pay the bill which Everett contracted on his own

credit, and the other \$30 to the bill which the Rexford company was responsible for, which would leave the latter company still responsible for \$30. The jury took the view of the case presented by the Rexford company and found a verdict accordingly.

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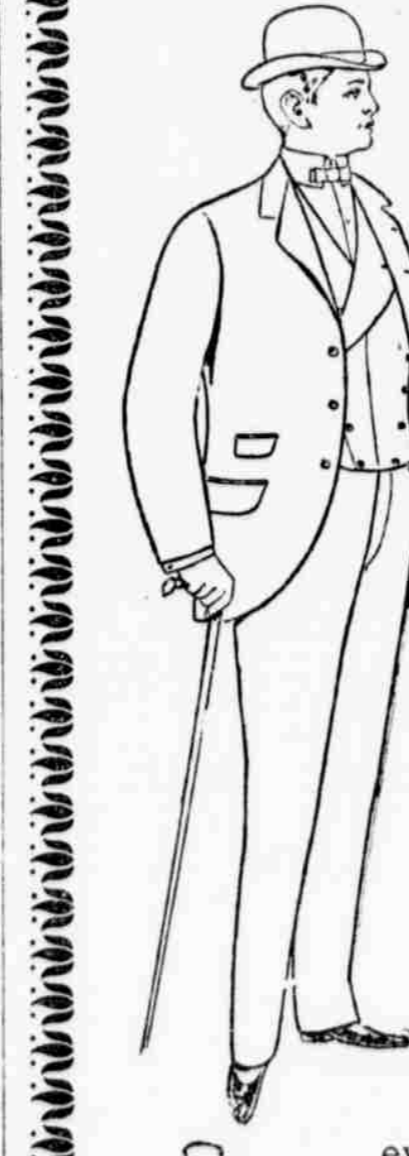
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