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SLIM PROSPECTS OF GOING TO CUBA
THIRTEENTH WILL PROBABLY STAY IN AUGUSTA.

All the Camp Improvements Being Made Are of a Permanent Nature. Regimental Bath Houses and Mess Houses Are to Be Constructed.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Camp McKenzie, Augusta, Ga., Dec. 7.—If the slightest prospect ever existed that the Thirteenth would be in Cuba before Christmas, as it was reported, it would be, even that, has vanished, and, viewed in the light of actual conditions, it looks as though the regiment will hibernate in the south.

During the past few days, while all the local and some of the metropolitan papers have been making statements to the effect that the Second Army Corps would soon be going to Cuba, everything which is being done here unmistakably points the other way.

REGIMENTAL BATH HOUSE. The regimental bath house, too, is another proof that immediate movements to another camp are not contemplated.

The most significant innovation, however, is the new mess halls, one for each company of every regiment in the camp. This improvement has been absolutely decided upon, so the Tribune correspondent has been informed by Quartermaster Sergeant Isaac Brown.

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work on these improvements will be begun very soon. The mess halls and the bath house will be built with joy untold by the boys of the Thirteenth.

Since it became known through the papers that peace is now assured, the question of being marched out because of vital interest to the boys, and it is now the chief question under discussion.

CAUSE OF THE CONDITION. This is not the fault of anybody in the regiment, but is due to the actual state of affairs. Two weeks ago this place was a wilderness; but now, of a fine day, it is a paradise, made so by the incessant, thankless labors of the men.

MILITARY BALL. A grand military ball by the officers at corps division and brigade headquarters was held at Summerville Saturday evening.

Private Michael J. Walsh, of C, has reported to his company after an absence of forty days on sick furlough. Private Thomas Moser, of A Company, has been discharged from the Episcopal hospital, Philadelphia, and is now at home on a thirty-day furlough.

Private Henry Carling, of F, has been discharged from the regimental hospital, and is now able to attend to his regular duties.

Private Martin Cunningham, Conrad Renschler, David Feldman and Karl Wyman have a very unique way of deciding who shall do the work.

CARD PARTY. An interesting card party was held last night in the tent of First Sergeant Biesecker, of B. There were present Lieutenant Berry, First Sergeant Biesecker, Sergeant Herbert Kellow and Corporals Robert Armstrong and George Biddleman.

Lieutenant John W. Benjamin, of H, has one of the prettiest tents in the officers' row. Private Thomas Lewis, of A, has returned to camp after an absence of fifty days on sick furlough.

Private Harry Angle, of C, is slightly indisposed. Several of the sick men now absent are expected to return the early part of next week.

Adjutant Harry M. Courson, of the First battalion, has reported here for duty after an absence of two months on account of sickness. He had a rather severe case of typhoid, but is now in the enjoyment of good health.

Mrs. H. A. Courson, wife of Colonel

Courson, is a visitor in camp. She has fully recovered from a severe attack of typhoid fever. W. W. Wonder, state chairman of the Pennsylvania State Prisoners' Relief association, is in communication with Private Patrick Cummings, of A Company, and through him is desirous to obtain the names and addresses of all volunteer firemen who are serving in the regiment.

CORPORAL WILLIAM CRAIG LEFT. Corporal William CRAIG, of D, who received his discharge from the service last Friday, bade his friends good by Monday evening. He was sorry to leave the boys and they were sorry to lose him, especially the members of his own company.

INDUSTRIAL JOTTINGS. New Plan for Pumping Water from the Clark Vein of the Von Storch Mine—Shorter Route to New York.

The Delaware and Hudson Canal company has decided to make a change in the method of taking water from the Clark vein of the Von Storch mine, North Scranton. Heretofore the water has been pumped out through the Von Storch opening, but it has been ascertained that the water can, with less expense, owing to the dip of the vein, be pumped out of the Leggett's Creek mine.

A SHORTER ROUTE. Appropos of the Pocono tunnel scheme to lessen time on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, the Hazleton Gazette says: "George M. Rusling, who went over the road between New York and Manunka Chunk submitted plans that save ten to twelve miles between Hazleton and Piquette Furnace.

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ty and the change seems pretty certain to come in the near future.

THIS AND THAT. President Hill, of the Great Northern, is quoted as saying that control of the Baltimore & Ohio lines by him is only a matter of time.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western colliers are working on a nine hour schedule now. The demand has somewhat slackened and besides the hours of daylight for the breaker working are so much shorter as to necessitate the shorter schedule.

The Baldwin locomotive works in Philadelphia are now busy upon contracts for 150 locomotives for various railroads in this country and abroad, besides an order just booked for ten engines for India.

WIFE'S AWFUL ECZEMA. My wife was in the most horrible condition of any human being, from Eczema. She could neither sit down nor lie down, her torture was so intense.

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