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KICKED BY A HORSE.

Son of E. J. Davies Seriously Injured Last Evening.

Thomas, three and a half year old son of E. J. Davies, the liveryman and undertaker of North Jordan street, was seriously injured last evening by a kick from a horse in a stable owned by the victim's father.

Smoke Havana Filler TRAVELER Cigar. Popular Plays at Popular Prices. At Ferguson's theatre commencing Monday Sept. 12, the Elmer E. Vining Co. will open an engagement of one full week at 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Umbrellas re-covered while you wait at Brumm's. Franz Dead. William Franz, who had his back broken by a fall of coal in the Wm. Penn colliery, died at the miners' hospital at 6:20 o'clock last evening.

SPECIAL AT GIEVIN'S. Friday and Saturday Bargains. Eight bars of soap and galvanized pail, 35c. Large iron express wagon, \$1.20.

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THE POOR DIRECTORSHIP. In conversation with S. H. Middleton, the president of the Board of Poor Directors, he informs me that his re-nomination is assured beyond the shadow of a doubt.

Another Reception. After the routine business at its meeting to-night Henry Horncastle Camp No. 49, Sons of Veterans, will tender a reception to the four volunteers who arrived home from Porto Rico last night.

Kendrick House Free Lunch. A special free lunch will be served to our patrons to-night.

No Meeting. A regular meeting of the School Board was called for last night, but was not held on account of a quorum of members failing to appear.

COUNTY POLITICS I

The Proximity of the Primaries Causes Activity.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE OUTLOOK I

The Fight for the Republican Nomination For Controller is Attracting Much Admiring Attention - It is a Pretty Contest - Other Straws Picked Up.

Special HERALD Correspondence. Pottsville, Sept. 3.-In view of the fact that the Republican primaries will be held on Saturday and the county convention on Monday, there should be much greater interest manifested in matters political than is apparent on the surface.

Up to the present time no one has announced himself as a candidate for Congress against the present member of Congress, and Mr. Brumm will probably have no opposition in the convention.

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result of Monday's convention to be something like this: Judge, Hon. E. H. Koch; Congress, Hon. Charles N. Brumm; District Attorney, S. H. Edwards, Esq.; Controller, Charles A. Snyder; Poor Director, S. H. Middleton. The contest for Coroner is so close that the cards fall to show the successful one. What do you think of the ticket?

SOLDIERS' WELCOME.

Hundreds of People Greet the Volunteers From Porto Rico.

The real spirit struck the town last night when her representatives in the Fourth Regiment of the Pennsylvania Volunteers arrived from Porto Rico after their journey from Porto Rico. It is true that the representatives only made a quartette, but the patriotism bubbled as if a regiment returned.

When the "boys" did arrive they were welcomed at the Penna. R. R. station by several hundred citizens, the Grand Band and the Patriotic Drum Corps.

At the train pulled into the station the band played "My Country 'Tis of Thee" and the throng of several hundred people swarmed towards the platform to welcome and applaud their representatives of the regiment.

It was several minutes before the returning soldiers could be welded to their position in the line of parade. Mr. John Roberts had placed a carriage at their disposal, but they preferred to walk, and they were accorded a post of honor surrounded by the following committee of citizens: Messrs. David Morgan, Thomas Baird, M. M. Burke, M. P. Fowler, M. O'Hara, P. P. D. Kiffin, M. Mellet, Thomas Dove, Jr., W. G. Gregory, M. D. Malone, Harry Keiper, Miss Inspector William Stein, Hon. Patrick Conry, Robert A. Davenport, C. H. Hagmann and John Brown.

The Grand Band and Patriotic Drum Corps alternated in furnishing the music on the march to Robbins' opera house, which had been thrown open for the reception by Mr. D. H. Lewis. A great crowd swelled into the hall and it was with difficulty that space was reserved upon the stage for the active participants in the ceremonies.

Finally order was restored and Mr. Thomas Baird called the meeting to order. Mr. William Stein then moved that Dr. David Morgan, a veteran of the Civil war, act as chairman of the meeting and the motion was carried by cheers, instead of the usual expressions of approbation.

Mr. Morgan then made a few appropriate remarks and introduced the returned soldiers to the vast audience, naming them as they stepped towards the footlights. The audience enthusiastically cheered and applauded as each name was mentioned, and it was evident that the occasion was the happiest, if not the most impressive, of the life of the respective guests.

Borough Solicitor M. M. Burke next introduced and made a brief, but eloquent address. He was enthusiastically received and responded gracefully by saying that there were none in the hall more entitled to applause than the heroes on the stage who had just returned from Porto Rico.

As the applause following Mr. Burke's address subsided somebody in the audience suggested that three cheers be given for John Beisel, the young man of town who served with Roosevelt's Rough Riders, and who is now at Montauk Point, L. I., to be mustered out. There was a hearty response to the suggestion, after which Hon. M. P. Fowler and Mr. J. J. Franey were introduced and made short and very appropriate addresses.

GEN. MILES' STATEMENT

Commander of the Forces Reviews the Late War.

HE ADMITS PREVIOUS STATEMENTS.

Reported Interviews With Him Were Substantially Correct.

HIS WORK AT SANTIAGO DE CUBA.

He Was Formally Authorized to Accept the Surrender of General Toral's Forces, But This He "Generously Declined to Do, Leaving All of the Honor to His Next in Rank, General Shafter." - His Request That Wisconsin Soldiers Be Allowed to Visit New York Was Snubbed.

New York, Sept. 3.-The United States transport Oldham, on board of which Major General Nelson A. Miles and his staff, Major General, Captain Whitney, the Second Regiment of Wisconsin volunteers, consisting of 30 officers and 800 men, and the hospital corps, from Porto Rico, arrived here yesterday. Mrs. Miles, her son and daughter were also on board the transport, which sailed from Ponce on Sept. 1. The surgeon in charge reported all well on board and no sickness or deaths during the voyage.

General Miles admitted to a reporter who interviewed him the substantial accuracy of the statements attributed to him by the Kansas City Star's correspondent at Ponce, Porto Rico. "There are," General Miles said, "a few minor inaccuracies in the published reports, such as usually occur in such interviews, but they are unimportant."

"It is true that I requested that my troops in Porto Rico, on their return home, should be allowed to camp somewhere New York, preferably Brooklyn Heights, Fort Wadsworth or Governor's Island, and I also requested of the war department that the troops be allowed to march through New York City. I never intended to parade myself, as I shall go to Washington in a few days, and would not be here at the time of the contemplated parade."

"I asked that the Wisconsin regiment aboard the Oldham be permitted to stay in this vicinity for a day or two to give them a chance to see the city. It would do no harm to let those western boys get a glimpse of New York. Surely they merit it. Many of them, I think, have never seen the city, and perhaps will never have another opportunity to see it."

"To my first request I have received no reply. To my second request I received a reply ordering the Wisconsin boys home forthwith."

A long statement emanating from General Miles was given to the reporters on board of the Oldham. It is in the form of a letter, in which General Miles is mentioned in the third person, and is in substance as follows: "In the first place, let me say that the war has closed after being conducted largely as General Miles stated publicly at the beginning of the war that it would be. The statement was publicly made, and a general order was issued by him, as commander of the American army, in which the plan that he has striven to pursue was fore-shadowed, namely, seeking to accomplish results with the least possible loss of life. In an interview in the latter part of May he said: 'The United States government is too strong, too great and too powerful to commit any foolish act in connection with the proposed invasion of Cuba. No officer is fit to command troops who, from any motives whatever, would needlessly risk the life of a single soldier, whether from disease or the bullets of the enemy. I have never sacrificed the lives of men under my command, and do not propose to subject them to any unnecessary risks in the present campaign.'"

The statement then gives General Miles' order to the army, issued at an early date, and proceeds: "The principles thus enunciated have been zealously observed from the first. Owing to the fact that the season for campaigning in Cuba had been exhausted in debates and delay in congress, and in necessary preparations, General Miles was opposed to rushing an ill prepared, undisciplined and un-equipped army in a movement against the capital of Cuba, defended by 100,000 trained Spanish troops, and in this position he stood practically alone for several weeks. Havana, Matanzas, Santiago and a few other points were down on his military map as hotbeds of disease, destructive to an army, and places to be avoided, especially during the sickly season."

"When finally called upon to submit a plan of campaign General Miles did so, and put it in writing. In substance he took the stand, first, that every effort should be made to equip the Cuban and thereby enable them to harass the Spanish forces. The cry of 'on to Havana' should be encouraged, but when the transports, loaded with troops, were out of sight of land they should sail as straight as steam power could bear them in the gate of the Antilles and the key of the whole position, Porto Rico; then, having seized and occupied that island, a movement to Cuba was to follow by means of a strong cavalry force, which was to be organized and equipped by August or September. He contemplated that 20,000 cavalry thrown to the center of Cuba, cutting the Spanish forces in two and moving west to Havana, by the time the rainy season was over, and it would be possible to maneuver an army, we could move against that city well organized, well equipped and well disciplined army and complete the capture of the Spanish forces."

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