

69TH ARTILLERY IS WELCOME BY HAND Crowds Cheer as Warriors Proceed Up Victory Way.

PORTLAND CITIZENS HOSTS Breakfast Served at Auditorium and Theaters and Dances At-ford Entertainment.

(Continued from First Page.) Athletic club, Young Men's Christian association and the Soldiers' and Sailors' club, Royal building, held open house all day, the latter institution serving luncheon from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.

Free tickets were issued to the Orpheum, Hellig, Pantages, Hippodrome, Star, Peoples and Majestic theaters and to the boxing bouts at the Liberty temple, to convey the veterans about the city and across the Columbia river highway. All those who had no relatives in Portland were taken to dinner last night by hosts who were proud of the Oregon warriors.

Another spectacular water display was staged by the fireboats crossing steel bridge. With water gushing from every hose and her whistles screaming, the fireboat commenced the din of the city's whistles. Portland's hotels were jammed yesterday with out-of-town visitors. Large delegations came to the city from Astoria and Albany. The Portland boys, about 50, were aboard the first car when the train reached the station, while Albany's scrapers, about 30 in all, had been placed in the second coach.

Parts of every original battery, company and the band of the 69th were on the train. The 69th as it reached the states had a total strength of 1726 men and was composed of batteries A, B, C, D, E and F, supply and headquarters companies and the band. Some of the officers and a few regular army men who were with the regiment remained abroad. All but 106 of the heroes Portland greeted are Oregonians. Washington is the home state of the remainder.

Corvallis Boy Only Officer. Second Lieutenant Lee R. Woods, Corvallis Or., was the only Oregon officer in the contingent. The other officers were: Major Phillip P. Marston, Seattle, commander; Captain R. M. Smith, medical corps, Seattle, and Second Lieutenant R. D. Alverson, Everett, Wash. Major Marston was identified with the National Guard of Washington.

The 69th as composed overseas consisted of the old Oregon coast artillerymen, who passed through here yesterday, a few regulars and the remainder national army units from the middle western states. A few Oregon men Washington officers, a number of company clerks and some regular army men stayed men stayed at Camp Euistis, Va., from where the northwesterners commenced their last lap homeward. A special train carrying the national army men to Camp Grant, where they will be mustered out, left Camp Euistis on the same afternoon that witnessed the departure of the party en route here.

Major Gets Key to City. Commissioner Bigelow, Oscar E. Overbeck and Charles F. Berg composed the delegation from the general reception of the warriors. The national guard service men, which boarded the train at Troutdale, it proceeded there by automobile, leaving at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Commissioner Bigelow handed Major Marston the key to the city. Brigadier-General Charles F. Berg, national guard of Oregon, greeted the men in behalf of the governor when it pulled into the station.

The equipment carried by the men consisted of but two blankets, mess kit, barracks bag and a gas mask. They turned in their equipment at Camp Euistis and the gas masks have been given to the gladiators by the government. Twenty-three members of the band were aboard. The band carried their pieces when it arrived back in this country, but was split up at Newport News.

Messages Await Men. One feature of the Red Cross campaign workers which greeted them as the train rolled into the railroad yards, Mrs. Ferdinand Reed, captain, had a large package of letters and telegrams for the men. The general reception and welfare committee, 4th auxiliary and the Salvation Army had numerous agents to help handle the men. Flags and "We're Glad You're Back" ribbons were sold along the line of march prior to the commencement of the parade and everyone displayed them. What little profit was made went to the establishment of a coffee and doughnut bureau by the Salvation Army at the union station.

The 69th moved off for France last August, sections leaving from Quebec, Camp Mills, N. Y., and Philadelphia. They docked first at Bristol, England, and then proceeded to the rest camp at Southampton. The jaunt to "Indispensable" After 9 Years of Internal Baths Mr. Addison L. Williams, Box 1054, Sanford Fla., writes Tyrrell's Hygienic Institute of New York as follows: "Regarding the 'J. B. L. Cascade', I feel it is one of the indispensable articles and should be in every home. I have not taken \$10 worth of medicine since obtaining it—over 9 years. You can be free of biliousness and constipation, with all the ills which they produce, by an occasional internal bath. The 'J. B. L. Cascade' administered these scientifically, it being an infusion of Chas. A. Tyrrell, M. D., of New York, for 25 years a specialist on internal bathing. By the proper application of Nature's cure—warm water—it keeps the lower intestine free of all poisonous waste, and permits every function to work in harmony and without clogging—hence makes one consistently bright, capable and well. Woodard-Clark & Co.'s Drug Stores in Portland, Oregon, will be glad to show and explain the 'J. B. L. Cascade' to you and will also give you free on request an interesting and authoritative book, 'Why Man of Today is Only 50% Efficient,' written by Dr. Chas. A. Tyrrell. Ask for it today while it is fresh in your mind—Adv.

France was finally made, the artillery men reaching Le Havre on September 2. Artillery Courses Taken. A train was boarded for Libourne, which is the railroad center for Lussac and Puisseignin, in the department of Gironde. All of the 69th's stay in the French republic was at organization and training center No. 1 for tractor artillery. This is located 30 miles out of Bordeaux.

The regiment was equipped with 5-inch sea coast mortarized guns mounted on 75 horse-power Holt tractors. It had 24 pieces and 20 tractors. Both field pieces and tractors were shipped across by this country, the guns coming from various ports. While at organization and training center No. 1 the men of the regiment went to various schools, the officers taking a special artillery course. Instruction in gun and signaling, automobile and tractor work and other necessary lines in connection with this branch were given the enlisted personnel.

Discharges to Come Soon. "Everything was all set for target practice and we would have been sent into action a month later when the French republic was overthrown," said Major Marston last night. "I have seen many tordial receptions given, but this one is the greatest ever. The boys don't find words to express my appreciation."

Seattle will entertain the men today with a huge reception. The special left for the northland at 2 o'clock this morning, the men being allowed liberty until 1 A. M. Camp Lewis will be reached tomorrow and Major Marston expects very many to be honorably discharged within a fortnight.

MANY HAPPY REUNIONS HELD Parents and Friends Proud to Welcome Boys Home. As enthusiastic as any of the out-of-town delegations was the Astoria one. Mr. and Mrs. E. Crohn and their city greeted their son, Corporal Lester M. Crohn.

Captain W. H. Hardy, sole survivor of the Perry expedition, was among those at the union station shaking hands with the heroes.

Second Lieutenant Lee R. Woods Jr. was the only Oregon officer with the regiment. His wife is at present at Corvallis, where the young officer attended the Oregon Agricultural college from 1912 to 1917. Lieutenant Woods formerly resided at Cottage Grove, but his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Woods Sr., have moved to Corvallis, Or. Sergeant Daniel Woods, supply company, is a younger brother of the officer.

His wife and sister welcomed Sergeant N. J. Myers, a veteran artilleryman who left everything and every thing dear to him to fight for the U. S. A. Sergeant Myers is the father of three sons, two of them in the army. His sister, Mrs. H. E. Warren, resides at 954 East Stark street.

"My big hero," exclaimed Mrs. C. W. Neville as she wrapped her arms about her son, Sergeant J. W. Neville. The Neville home is at East Twenty-sixth and Division street.

"Frank, my boy, I'm proud of you. We missed you so much," shouted C. R. De Burgh, 29 East Seveley street, as he embraced his son, Frank De Burgh, battery E.

A touching greeting was given Corporal V. H. Sexton, Hood River, by his wife who came down from the apple city. He is in battery E.

"Otto, you—" that's as far as Mrs. Sam Wodley could get when she grasped her son in her arms. Their reunion at the Wodley home, 730 Nicolai street, last night. Mr. Wodley, the boy's father and his sister were carried away with emotion and joy at seeing the pride of the household.

There were about 50 Portland men with the 69th and that many homes more spent the happiest evening in years. The boys who were welcomed home helped prove that conscience and courage are impenetrable panoplies.

"Guess old Port and still enjoys her March rain," soliloquized Johnson, "wonder where mother is?" Just then Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson, his parents, and a sister and brother cornered the husky bachelor so that they could have him for themselves.

"Auntie, you're a peach," exclaimed Sergeant A. M. Throne, Ashland, when he saw Mrs. Ethel Brune of this city. The soliloquies of the men are much like those of the 69th when that regiment passed through Portland. They turned in their equipment at Camp Euistis and the gas masks have been given to the gladiators by the government.

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