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TO THE

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FOR THE

TWO YEARS ENDING JULY 31, 1898.

HERMANN MUEHLBERG,

ADJUTANT GENERAL.

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Headquarters National Guard, State of Minnesota,
Adjutant General's Office,
St. Paul, July 31, 1898.

To His Excellency, D. M. Clough, Governor and Commander-in-Chief,

Sir: I have the honor to submit the biennial report for this department for the term beginning Aug. 1, 1896, and ending July 31, 1898.

HERMANN MUEHLBERG,
Adjutant General

THE ORGANIZED MILITIA.

The national guard of this state consists, according to the Military Code which was adopted by the legislature of 1897, of one brigade, composed of three regiments of infantry, one battalion of artillery and a medical corps.

Since the publication of my last report the following changes have been made in the organization:

MUSTERED OUT OF SERVICE.

Company F, Third Regiment, Fergus Falls.....	May 22, 1897
Company H, Third Regiment, West Duluth.....	June 16, 1897
Company E, Second Regiment, Hastings.....	July 29, 1897
Company H, Second Regiment, Laverne.....	Dec. 21, 1897

MUSTERED INTO SERVICE.

Company H, Third Regiment, Olivia.....	June 3, 1897
Company F, Third Regiment, Fergus Falls.....	June 23, 1897
Company E, Second Regiment, Winona.....	Dec. 9, 1897
Company H, Second Regiment, St. James.....	Mar. 4, 1898

INSPECTION AND ENCAMPMENT.

The inspection of 1897 took place in the months of April and May, and was conducted by Lieut. F. B. McCoy, a very efficient officer, detailed for this duty by the war department.

The annual encampment of the guard was held at Lake City from July 5 to July 24, 1897. It was very successful, and I respectfully refer you to the following reports for further details:

INSPECTING OFFICER'S REPORT.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 1, 1897.

Adjutant General, State of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minn.

Sir: In obedience to instructions as contained in General Orders No. 4, current series, from your office, I have the honor to report that, between April 19th and May 27th, I mustered and inspected the several companies of infantry and two batteries of artillery, comprising the three regiments of infantry and battalion of artillery of the national guard of this state, the muster and inspection rolls of which I have already forwarded to your office. Upon the back of said reports I have noted with great care errors found at the inspection of the different organizations, and respectfully recommend that a copy of the same be furnished each company and battery for their guidance, as this is the only way in which such errors can be corrected and avoided in the future. During the next spring inspections I shall note errors upon a separate sheet, and place the same in the hands of each company within a few days after its inspection.

I have already reported to your office the standing of the companies and batteries in regiments and brigade. At the time of the inspection there were present and absent (seven companies only of Third Infantry):

INFANTRY.

Regiment.	Strength.	Present.	Absent.		Percentage.
			With Leave.	Without Leave.	
First.....	650	645	2	3	99.23
Second.....	620	538	19	63	85.774
Third.....	489	403	17	19	91.8

ARTILLERY.

Battery.	Strength.	Present.	Absent.		Percentage.
			With Leave.	Without Leave.	
A.....	54	53	1	98.1
B.....	71	67	4	94.37

I find that Company K, Second Infantry, stationed at Waseca, depends for its existence upon being kept up to the standard required by the State Code by recruiting from Waterville, a town situated about twelve miles north. I learn upon inquiry, that the men living at the latter place attend only two or three drills each year, depending largely for their military instruction upon a noncommissioned officer who also resides there. This should not be. If a company is unable to recruit from the inhabitants of its station, by reason of lack of interest, the company ought to be disbanded, and the franchise bestowed upon some town large enough to keep its ranks full, as the men of a company should be at all times under the immediate eye of the captain.

In addition to the spring inspection, I proceeded on July 7th to Camp Lakeview, Minn., the Second Infantry having preceded me there two days. I remained during the balance of the encampment, which ended July 23d, only eighteen working days having been occupied by the encampment this year, six days for each regiment, the artillery battalion going in with the Third Infantry.

The camp was well situated upon same ground as last year, field officers' line of tents nearer the lake, giving more space. It was nicely laid out by Capt. W. H. Hart, brigade quartermaster, who displayed rare good judgment in all his official acts in camp. While the camp was not in accordance with regulations, the two battalions being backed up to each other, I presume it was the best plan to adopt under the circumstances on account of the situation of the mess houses, each battalion facing its own mess house.

The health of the command was very good. There was no sickness of a serious nature, it being mostly such as constipation, indigestion and diarrhoea, caused by over-eating and too free diet of meats. I would recommend that prior to going into camp next year the subsistence officers consult with the surgeons, and arrange a daily bill of fare for each day they are to be in camp. The percentage of cases prescribed for was far less than that of previous years. I think this state of affairs was brought about largely through the excellent judgment of the colonels and Major Libbey, shown in their orders allowing no ice water to be taken out to the men while at drill, but having them fill their canteens before going out. The consequence was, the soldier drank sparingly on account of water having become quite warm.

The police of camp, I am glad to say, was first-class in all the regiments of infantry, each striving to keep their camp absolutely clean; and I must say that, as far as they went, they succeeded. Each company should have policed up to the tracks of the Milwaukee railroad, which is only about forty feet from the end tents. If there was any difference in the cleanliness of camps, the Second Infantry is entitled to the honor. Its camp was beyond criticism, due largely to the fact that competition between companies of that regiment was keen.

Discipline of the camp was good; exceptionally so in the Third Regiment. In that regiment, each night, when taps was sounded, lights went out and a quiet night followed. The last night in camp was no exception to the rule.

Guard duty was performed as satisfactorily as could be hoped for, it being most satisfactory in the First Regiment, all of their sentinels seeming to know, or having a general idea, of what was expected of them, especially as to honor to be rendered by a sentinel on post. The Second and Third also did excellent service. In the latter regiment I estimate that about one-seventh could give all of their general orders. In the other regiment very few could repeat them as laid down in the Guard Manual, many never having seen or heard of them. This latter state existed, in a good many cases, in the Second. I think it would be an excellent idea to have companies examined and marked in General Orders of a Sentinel at spring inspection. I am gratified to be able to report that guards of all the regiments kept the guard house and porch free of idlers and loungers, allowing only those there who were there officially.

Guard mount was held in the infantry twice each day, morning and evening, details being made for each, of one officer of the day, two officers of the guard, five noncommissioned officers of the guard and twenty-five privates. Great improvement was noticed in the ceremony of guard mount in each regiment; each day was better than the day previous. Details would come on, and in place with regular step, without marking time as has been the custom in the past. Heretofore there was no regularity as to which company detail was to be the first to report to the sergeant major. This was obviated by commencing with Company A first guard mount, B next, etc., first detail to report to-day, last to-morrow. As soon as this was thoroughly understood, everything went off like clock-work. For the success of this ceremony and guard duty, too much praise cannot be bestowed upon each of the lieutenant colonels who were in charge of the work of this instruction in their respective regiments, all zealously endeavoring to bring their regiments up to a fine standard in this most important duty—the highest duty of the soldier.

The First Infantry devoted most of its time to battalion drill from 6 to 7:30 o'clock a. m., except one morning, when, by the kindness of Colonel Page, commanding Third United States Infantry, the companies of this regiment were mixed with the companies of the Third United States Infantry, A with A, B with B, etc., and worked for one hour under the officers of the regulars, which I think was beneficial.

The time of the Second Infantry was spent largely in regimental drill, officers and men taking interest and making rapid progress. Their last drill was a great and marked improvement over their first.

The Third Infantry accomplished a great amount of work, and I am satisfied from the time they arrived in camp this regiment knew more each night when taps was sounded than they did when they fell in for reveille that morning. Colonel Shandrew applied for and obtained from Colonel Page, Third United States Infantry, a noncommissioned officer for each of his companies, who instructed them in company drill for one hour, company officers being present and close observers. Upon the expiration of the hour (10:30 a. m.) battalions were formed, and drill for about three-quarters of an hour was held. In this latter drill companies were under their officers. I could notice an improvement each day. This regiment also had its men mixed with those of the Third United States Infantry for one company drill. It was noticed in a good many instances, when firing by company, that very few captains designated object and range.

Target practice was held each day under the different inspectors of rifle practice. I think entirely too much valuable time is devoted to the range. As I understand it, each company has a home range; this instruction can, and should be, had there. One to two days on the camp range ought to suffice to classify the men who have received instruction at home. Others should not be permitted to fire. Camp is no place to create marksmen out of novices. No man ought to be permitted to fire, even on the home range, until he thoroughly understands the principles of aiming and sighting drill, without which he can never even hope to be a good shot, except he be a natural one. To permit all to fire who desire it, is a useless waste of state ammunition. This continuous firing does harm in other ways. It is a common thing to see companies out for drill with only squads. Ask the officer in command where his men are, and he will reply, "Out on the range." Every man not on guard, fatigue, or excused by surgeon, should be made to attend all drills. Too much latitude is given captains in excusing men from this important duty. Where we get together only once a year for collective work, all should be present, and target practice should not be made paramount to all else, which seems to be a fact.

The Third Infantry had bed sacks, which they filled with clean straw, as also did one or two companies of the First Infantry. The Second Infantry had spring cots belonging to the regiment, as did some of the companies of the First. I think it would be an excellent idea if an order was issued causing all to adopt bed sacks. They are clean, healthy, and warm during cold nights, and look more soldierly than furniture in tents, which takes up the whole space.

ARTILLERY.

The First Battalion of Artillery, under command of Maj. E. D. Libbey, was in camp from July 12th to July 17th. They held mounted drill mornings and afternoons of one and a half hours each. Much interest was exhibited, as a good-natured friendly rivalry existed between the two batteries, which could not fail to prove of good result. Both batteries showed great improvement as the time passed. This battalion was very fortunate in securing the services of Second Lieut. G. Byroade, Third Infantry, who was patient and painstaking in instructing as to details, and whose services were greatly appreciated by the officers and men of the artillery battalion.

This battalion held guard mount the same as in the regular camp, one each day at 7:30 a. m., mounting at each seventeen enlisted men, each man in the battalion getting one tour during camp. Target practice was also held, the men using the gatling gun, and each time throwing it out of gear. Some excellent scores were made. The only thing I have to criticize in this battalion is lack of as thorough police of camp as characterized the infantry.

The artillery deserves much credit for the interest manifested under the many disadvantages that they have to face. Everything they have, except the gatling gun, is obsolete—out of date. I would most urgently recommend that steps be taken in the near future with our representatives, both in the senate and house of the United States congress, to procure for this com-

mand the 3.2 inch breech loading rifles. They now have old muzzle loading guns whose carriages are about to fall to pieces from decay. Captain Bennett, commanding Battery B, has, to my own knowledge, at his own personal expense, had a wheel and other parts of carriage made in order to parade without risking the life and limb of any of his men. The harness, although well cared for, is in about the same condition.

The infantry regiments had in camp each day an average of—

First Regiment—418 men (9 companies); 72.57 per cent.

Second Regiment—441 men (10 companies); 71.13 per cent.

Third Regiment—424 men (8 companies); 74.13 per cent.

First Battalion Artillery—141 men (2 batteries); 90.39 per cent.

Field maneuvers were held by each regiment. That of the Second Infantry was more of an extended order drill, one battalion opposing the other, each using blank cartridges. Those of the First and Third Infantry were different, being more of the nature of actual hostilities. Each regiment divided—one battalion on each side, and each major received orders of instruction to so maneuver his command, after finding his enemy, as to take such advantage of the other as he could by marching for position, flanking, strategy, etc. It was a real pleasure to watch the men acting as scouts, etc., the care and caution exhibited, fear of being detected, etc. The artillery battalion acted with the Third Infantry, having a battery on each side. These movements proved very instructive, and all engaged became very deeply interested. Every officer with whom I conversed, when asked if the movement taught him anything, would invariably reply, "Yes, it did; and if I had it to go over again, I would know better what to do." These answers speak volumes. We should have more field maneuvers.

During the encampment each regiment had two surgeons on duty with it; also, acting hospital stewards and litter bearers from the companies. A daily inspection of camp was made each day at 4 o'clock p. m. by the camp surgeon, accompanied by the officer of the day.

In a good many instances men were indifferent as to rendering salutes to officers. Men have saluted me with pipes and cigars in their mouths, sitting and lying down. Most of the men do not stand to attention when sitting, upon the approach of an officer. I think it due to ignorance rather than a lack of respect.

All the regiments each morning at reveille fell in under arms. After roll call they stacked them in company street and then policed camp, same as is done in the regular service in the field.

I would strongly recommend that the sutler building be moved away from its present place. It is too near, and holds out inducements for loitering near the guard house, which should not be.

Bedding was not aired in any of the regiments.

Parades were held each day at sundown. Reviews were given to his excellency, Gov. D. M. Clough, to the adjutant general of the state and to Brigadier General Bend by each of the regiments of infantry and artillery battalion. On governor's day the state troops were joined by the Third United States Infantry.

The camp of 1897 has proven most satisfactory, and, as a camp of instruction, a thoroughly successful one. The men of the different regiments of infantry and artillery battalion have every reason to be satisfied, from the fact that they have officers who are competent, who are aroused to the needs of the organization, and who never tire in working for success. I am glad to see such an enthusiastic military spirit pervade the entire guard. The colonels took advantage of every suggestion, and adopted methods to bring their regiments up to as high a standard as possible. Each regimental and battalion commander should have been proud of his command, of the condition it had attained when camp closed in drill, guard mount, guard duty, discipline, police of camp and general appearance, as the improvement was really astonishing.

I wish to attest to the fact that Col. J. H. Page, commanding Third United States Infantry, and his officers, whenever called upon for assistance, responded most cheerfully, and contributed in no small degree to the success of the camp of 1897.

In conclusion I desire to express my thanks to the officers and men of the national guard for personal courtesies and kindness extended to me during the spring inspections and in camp, especially to his excellency the governor, to the adjutant general of the state, General Bend, Colonels Bobleter, Shandrew and Reeve and Major Libbey, as well as others to whom I am indebted.

Most respectfully,

FRANK B. McCOY,
First Lieutenant Third Regiment Infantry, U. S. A.,
Inspector N. G. S. M.

REPORTS OF REGIMENTAL COMMANDERS.

Headquarters First Brigade, N. G. S. M.,

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 17, 1897.

The Adjutant General,

Sir: I have the honor to report that I was present at Lakeview during the recent encampments, and that I closely observed the manner in which the several organizations performed their duties. Considering the short time allotted to the encampments this year, the improvement shown was very satisfactory, especially that of the Third Infantry, which did remarkably well, notwithstanding that it had one entirely new company, and one company with a large percentage of new men.

The rules for rifle practice, prescribed by orders from general headquarters, were not closely observed. Company commanders are so anxious to qualify as many men as possible, that they prevail upon the regimental inspector of small arms practice to allow firing by men who do not possess the prescribed qualifications, and to allow men to make more than the prescribed number of scores. By reason of this a great deal of ammunition is wasted, and I therefore recommend that hereafter the brigade inspector of small arms practice be ordered on duty during the entire encampment, and be charged with a strict enforcement of the rules issued from general headquarters. By this course, ammunition will be saved of a greater value than will be expended for the pay of the officer named.

The battalion of artillery did excellent work on the targets with the Gatling guns, and showed a very commendable proficiency in work which was entirely new to the men. I recommend that one or two targets be allotted to the artillery, and that they have full opportunity for target practice.

I regret that the troops were ordered into camp without their dress uniforms. It is true that by so doing the labor incident to taking these uniforms to camp is avoided, but the drill regulations contemplate the execution of parades and reviews in full uniform, and I think that these ceremonies lose a great deal of their importance and dignity when rendered in service uniform. If ceremonies are entirely omitted, and the whole time spent in camp is devoted to drill, dress uniforms are not needed there, but this course was not taken, the usual camp routine being followed. In addition to this, there is a feeling among some of the companies that, as the dress uniform is seldom worn, it should be abolished, and the omission of its use in camp strengthens an argument which I do not think should prevail.

The weak spot in the national guard at present is the manner in which it performs guard duty. Very few of the men are properly informed as to their duties. It is impossible to impart the necessary instruction in camp, and I renew my recommendation of last year that an order be issued at once prescribing guard duty as part of the regular instruction at company stations, and that, at the annual inspection, the companies be marked on their proficiency in this most necessary part of a soldier's education.

The figures of this year's inspection show that one company was below sixty per cent, six companies were between sixty and sixty-five per cent, one company was between sixty-six and seventy per cent, nine companies were between seventy-one and eighty per cent, ten companies were between eighty-one and ninety per cent, and two companies were over ninety per cent. The two lowest companies have since been mustered out.

In view of the fact that the average amount expended by the state on each company of the national guard is \$1,700, the members are bound to pay such attention to their duties as to insure a standing of at least sixty-five per cent, and I do not believe it is worth while to maintain a company which is below that figure. I therefore recommend that an order be issued at once, that hereafter any company that does not stand at sixty-five per cent or better at the annual inspection will be mustered out, and will not be allowed to reorganize.

My reason for recommending the immediate issue of the two orders herein specified is to give ample notice of what will be required.

I find a general desire on the part of the national guard to have a brigade encampment next year, and I again ask that sufficient canvas be procured, and that the next encampment be by brigade. There is no question that the bringing together of all the troops will have a very beneficial effect, and will materially raise the present degree of efficiency of the guard. The objection hitherto made, that the range is not large enough to afford proper opportunity for the entire brigade to shoot, will be obviated if the regulations prescribed by general headquarters are enforced.

Very respectfully,

W. B. BEND,

Brigadier General.

Headquarters Second Regiment, N. G. S. M.,

New Ulm, Minn., Aug. 10, 1897.

Gen. Hermann Muehlberg, Adjutant General, Minnesota, St. Paul, Minn.

Sir: In obedience to General Orders No. 9, current series, headquarters national guard, State of Minnesota, I have the honor to report that, in pursuance of General Orders No. 6, current series, this command encamped at the state camp grounds, near Lake City, from July 5th to 10th inclusive. The command was in camp by 12:00 m. of the day first named, and the camp routine, as per General Orders No. 5, a copy of which is made part of this report, was at once taken up. With the exception of the first day, 441 officers and men were present in camp. The average attendance was 435 and a fraction, or 66.12 per cent of the strength of the regiment. The following table shows the enrolled strength of the regiment, number of officers and men present in camp and the percentage of each company:

Organization.	Enrollment.	Present.	Percentage.
Field, staff and band.....	37	37	100
Company A.....	53	41	77.35
Company B.....	75	49	65.33
Company C.....	71	45	63.38
Company D.....	64	35	54.69
Company E.....	56	35	62.50
Company F.....	63	38	60.32
Company G.....	63	37	58.73
Company H.....	59	44	74.57
Company I.....	64	38	59.37
Company K.....	62	42	67.74
Total	667	441	66.12

In view of the fact that but one officer and not to exceed ten men were absent with leave, the attendance at camp was hardly satisfactory. Company G had only twenty-one men in camp the first day, and for two days the company was without a commissioned officer, the first lieutenant only being absent with leave. This state of affairs can only be explained by a lack of attention to and enforcement of orders on the part of company commanders.

The officers and men entered upon and carried out their several duties in a commendable spirit, and regardless of the extreme heat and the short tour of duty,—there being but four full working days,—the results were quite satisfactory. The discipline of the camp was good. Military courtesy was observed better than in previous camps, although much improvement is yet to be wished for. The police of the camp was very good. In this latter respect the companies vied with each other in keeping the camp in a presentable condition at all times.

Guard duty was performed more intelligently than in former camps, though there were many men in camp who, previous to their coming to camp, had received but little or no instruction at all in this important duty of a soldier. Theoretical instruction in guard duty should be taken up in the company room during the winter months, when the drill hall is too cold for occupancy. I trust that before another encampment every man in the regiment will have committed to memory the "general instructions of a sentinel."

There was but little sickness and few accidents in camp and nothing of a serious nature. Major Allen and Lieutenant Jacoby of the medical corps were in charge of the hospital, and all cases needing medical attention were skillfully treated.

The regiment was reviewed by Gen. H. Muehlberg and Gen. W. B. Bend. The Third U. S. Infantry, Col. John H. Page commanding, was in camp, but did not join with this command in either of the reviews. The guard mountings of the regular troops, held opposite the camp of this command, were very good object-lessons for the officers and men of this command. For some unexplained reason, there was not that mingling and sociability of the regular troops and the national guardsmen as in former camps, but the relations between the two seemed to be friendly enough.

Lieut. Frank B. McCoy arrived in camp Wednesday forenoon, and remained with the command during the remainder of the camp. His friendly criticisms and suggestions were of much value to the officers of the command.

I desire to express my appreciation of the many courtesies extended to me and the other officers of this command by Colonel Page and his officers and by Lieutenant McCoy. I am also grateful for the many courtesies extended to me by the officers of this command.

The companies of this command are so widely scattered that the field officers have no opportunity except in camp to observe what the companies are doing. With a view of getting in closer touch with the companies, I would most earnestly recommend that one field officer be required to visit each company once every three months, and that the necessary expenses be paid out of the national guard fund.

Very respectfully,

JOSEPH BOBLETER,
Colonel Second Infantry, N. G. S. M.

Headquarters Third Regiment, N. G. S. M.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 7, 1897.

Gen. Hermann Muehlberg, Adjutant General Minnesota, St. Paul, Minn.

General: I have the honor to report that in accordance with General Order No. 6, current series, this regiment encamped at Camp Lakeview, Lake City, July 12th to 17th inclusive. For the purpose of gaining one extra working day the regiment volunteered to assemble one day earlier, without pay. The command was therefore taken to Lake City July 11th, and camp routine immediately taken up.

The attendance was much larger than ever before, being seventy-six and one-half per cent of the entire strength. This I believe is the largest percentage ever attained by any regiment in this state on an average of the entire encampment. More interest in the work and more evidence of desire to do it properly was shown by all officers and men than has ever been evidenced before.

The progress made was remarkable considering the short time, and I believe was to a great extent due to the efficient aid rendered by officers and noncommissioned officers of the Third United States Infantry, who were in camp near by.

The health of the men was excellent. There was no sickness of importance.

The target practice was efficiently handled by Captain Lee, Inspector Small Arms Practice on brigade staff, detailed for duty by the brigade commander on account of vacancy in that position on the regimental staff.

Very respectfully,

J. C. SHANDREW,
Colonel Third Infantry, N. G. S. M.

Headquarters First Battalion Artillery, N. G. S. M.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 7, 1897.

The Adjutant General,

Sir: Complying with General Orders No. 9, adjutant general's office, current series, I have the honor to report, that the First Battalion of Artillery, National Guard State of Minnesota, entered Camp Lakeview, for instruction, on July 12, 1897, Battery B leaving its station at Minneapolis at 6 a. m., and Battery A leaving St. Paul at 7:30 a. m. The battalion reached the camp grounds at 10 a. m. of the same day, and immediately entered upon the performance of routine duties.

The attendance was larger than at any previous year, and the men displayed a remarkable degree of enthusiasm. Discipline was good.

Each battery being provided with a Gatling gun, target practice with that arm was actively pushed throughout the encampment, and the officers and enlisted men of the battalion developed great skill and accuracy in the handling of the gun, thirty-five men qualifying as sharpshooters out of a total number of 134 shooting, as shown by the inspector of firearms practice of the battalion. While the results of the practice are highly satisfactory, I was greatly hampered by the lack of facilities at our disposal, and the arbitrary manner in which, at times, my men were deprived of the use of their targets, at the discretion of the officers in charge of the infantry target practice. I, therefore, concur in the suggestions, made in the report of Lieutenant Nelson, that a separate range, with two targets, at 600 yards, be placed at the disposal of my command; that the requisite score for decoration be as follows: Sharpshooters, 41, marksmen, 35, first class, 30; and that this score be made up from the average of the scores made by each man.

The battalion was reviewed during the encampment by Governor Clough, General Muehlberg and General Bend. On July 16th it was inspected by Lieut. F. B. McCoy, Third United States Infantry. On July 17th the batteries participated in field maneuvers executed by the Third Infantry, National Guard State of Minnesota, with good results.

The courtesies extended to me by Colonels Page and Shandrew, and the officers of their respective regiments, during the encampment, are gratefully acknowledged. Colonel Page kindly detailed, at stated times, Lieut. George T. Byroade, Third United States Infantry (until recently of the First United States Artillery), as instructor of the battalion during the encampment. His efforts resulted in marked improvement, and are greatly appreciated.

On July 18th the battalion struck tents, and at 11 a. m. loaded on railroad platform at the grounds, reaching the cities at 1:30 p. m. of the same day.

While unusually short, the encampment was highly beneficial in its results to both officers and men.

Respectfully submitted,

E. D. LIBBEY,
Major Commanding, First Artillery, N. G. S. M.

Headquarters First Regiment, N. G. S. M.,
Minneapolis, Aug. 24, 1897.

Gen. Hermann Muehlberg, Adjutant General Minnesota, St. Paul, Minn.

Sir: Pursuant to order this regiment went into camp at Lake City on July 19th and broke camp July 24th. The attendance was large, notwithstanding the absence of one company (D) on leave, and the results satisfactory. The men were painstaking and prompt in performing all their duties, and the health of the command was excellent.

Respectfully,
C. McC. REEVE,
Colonel First Infantry.

The ceremony of inspection in 1898 was abandoned, but the companies were paid upon the inspection rolls.

FAITHFUL SERVICE MEDALS.

The following medals were issued in compliance with General Orders No. 4, dated Feb. 2, 1894:

BRONZE.

Maj. F. H. Bidwell.	Musician John Leiner.
Private Walter T. Birdlebough.	Capt. J. P. Masterman.
Capt. C. C. Bennett.	Sergt. Peter J. Metzendorf.
First Lieut. Frank P. Bruce.	Capt. E. C. Monifort.
Sergt. Otto W. Bergholtz.	Private Aloysius Murphy.
Sergt. W. R. Boyce.	Private Chas. A. Moberg.
First Lieut. Chas. I. Cook.	Capt. M. S. Mead.
First Lieut. C. F. Cook.	Brig. Gen. Hermann Muehlberg.
Sergt. Arthur D. Danelson.	Private Chas. F. Nickels.
Private George T. Daly.	Private W. A. Prince.
Color Sergt. Herman J. Eastman.	First Lieut. Wm. F. Pletke.
Second Lieut. John A. Erstad.	Capt. E. S. Person.
Musician Anton Froelich.	Private Parker Paine.
Private Charles H. Finehout.	Com. Sergt. R. R. Sigmund.
Corp. Fred N. Faber.	Capt. C. T. Spear.
Maj. J. H. Friedrich.	First Lieut. Chester R. Smith.
Private Edward E. Good.	Capt. Oscar Seebach.
Sergt. Geo. H. Grant.	Capt. L. S. Vogel.
Sergt. Frank B. Hickman.	Second Lieut. John J. Walsh.
Private Albert A. Kappel.	Sergt. Allan W. Wethern.
Sergt. H. A. Leavitt.	Private Joseph Will.

SILVER.

Sergt. Geo. R. Blodgett.	Private Fred L. Lamon.
Maj. T. C. Clark.	Lieut. Col. G. W. Mead.
First Lieut. E. G. Falk.	Private Melvin P. Meigs.
Capt. L. D. Frost.	Capt. Chas. H. McGill.
Musician Mathias Frank.	Lieut. Col. W. W. Price.
Sergt. John B. Guenther.	Col. Chas. McC. Reeve.
Sergt. F. H. Haupt.	Musician Herman Stein.
Capt. O. E. Lee.	

GOLD MEDALS FOR DISTINGUISHED RIFLEMEN.

Capt. F. T. Gorrison.	Lieut. H. D. Lackore.
Capt. F. E. Resche.	Private O. H. Briggs.
Lieut. J. Q. Rogers.	

ROLL OF RETIRED OFFICERS.

In compliance with section 140 of the Military Code, the following officers were placed upon the "Roll of Retired Officers:":

NAME.	Rank.	Date of Retirement.	Record of Service.
J. C. Shandrew.	Colonel. . . .	Nov. 24, 1897	Private Company C, First Infantry, Feb. 1, 1884; first lieutenant and regimental adjutant of Third Infantry, April 21, 1887; lieutenant colonel, May 15, 1890; colonel, Feb. 7, 1894.
W. G. Bronson.	Colonel. . . .	Mar. 30, 1898	Captain Company K, First Infantry, Feb. 28, 1884; major, Jan. 21, 1892; lieutenant colonel, June 8, 1893; resigned, June 29, 1896.
F. P. Wright. . .	Lt. Colonel.	April 5, 1898	Second lieutenant St. Paul Guards, Feb. 21, 1881; first lieutenant Dec. 12, 1881; captain Company C, First Infantry, March 6, 1882; resigned, April 21, 1885; lieutenant colonel and assistant inspector general governor's staff, Feb. 1, 1887; colonel Third Infantry, April 15, 1887; resigned, Feb. 1, 1893.

WAR HISTORY.

At the close of the fiscal year of 1896 about 1,200 copies of the first volume of "Minnesota in the Civil War and Indian War" remained in store at my office. Of these, 850 copies were distributed during the past two years, leaving 350 copies on hand.

PENSIONS.

During the two years covered by this report there has been a marked increase in the business of the claim department, 505 applications having been filed through this office against 285 for the two years last reported. This increase of seventy-seven per cent was to a large extent due to the apparently well-founded impression that the change in the administration at Washington would result in a more prompt and satisfactory disposition of pension claims.

A great many claims of long standing which had been filed in the pension department and only partially completed, from which no information as to the status could be obtained, have been taken up, and are being disposed of by allowance or rejection, much to the satisfaction of those veterans who have been obliged to wait five or six years for a decision. The large amount of extra labor involved in the investigation of these accumulated claims has delayed the progress of new claims somewhat, particularly in the case of increase claims, as the department assumes that those now on the pension rolls can better afford to wait than applicants for original pension.

Of the 505 new applications filed through this office during the two years ending July 31, 1898, the increase claims number 253, original invalid 150 and widows 102. Of these 385 are unsettled, 87 have been allowed and 33 rejected. The total allowances for the period number 177, on which there was paid accrued sums amounting to \$31,388.

The voluntary execution of pension vouchers, which has grown to large proportions, is an assumed duty of this office. On the first "pension voucher day" of each quarter, by the Milwaukee Agency schedule, the office disposes of about 300 vouchers, and delivers them to the agency free of expense to the pensioners.

Advanced age and its attendant infirmities are fast making all veterans of the Civil War eligible to pension under the act of June 27, 1890, in which the disability condition is "inability to earn a support by manual labor." This will soon be practically a service pension law, and with the increasing widow applicants, I apprehend no great falling off in the pension claim department.

While the law creating the claim department as a part of the duties of the adjutant general provides for the prosecution without pay or compensation, "where such claims have arisen out of or by reason of the late war," no limit has been set, and claims of others than civil war veterans have been as cheerfully and diligently prosecuted as those prescribed by the statutes. The war with Spain, now in progress, will undoubtedly result in a large number of invalid original pension claims in this state, and while such claimants will no doubt receive the same courteous treatment in the future which has been accorded them in the past in this department, I would recommend that the statutory clause relating to claims arising from military service against the United States government be amended so as to include all volunteer soldiers residing in Minnesota.

GRAND ARMY ENCAMPMENT.

The brigade of the national guard was ordered to St. Paul on the third day of September, 1896, to participate in the national grand army encampment. The guard was detailed to do some guard duty during the grand parade of the veterans, and upon the following day paraded the streets of St. Paul. I congratulate the officers and men upon their fine appearance and intelligent performance of duty.

GETTYSBURG MONUMENT.

The legislature of 1897 appropriated \$5,000 to defray the expenses of dedicating a monument erected by the state at Gettysburg, Pa., directing the governor and his military staff to dedicate said

monument in the presence of certain surviving members of the First Minnesota infantry, in honor of which regiment the monument was erected. The committee in charge of the arrangements extended the trip so as to include Washington and Bull Run, the First Minnesota having also been engaged in the first Bull Run battle. This caused a deficiency in the fund, and the governor very generously came to the rescue by relieving the committee of any expense on account of himself and staff. The monument was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies at Gettysburg, July 2, 1897, after which the party proceeded to Washington and viewed points of interest at the national capital.

THE WAR WITH SPAIN.

A well drilled, disciplined and effective body of citizen soldiery is an essential element in the maintenance of a republican form of government, and while it serves to teach young men obedience, manly bearing and promptness in the performance of all duties, military and civil, it also insures to the state a reliable force in time of need. Such a force Minnesota had at the outbreak of the war with Spain, and when the president of the United States called upon Minnesota to furnish three regiments of infantry, the national guard responded to the call almost unanimously. You, sir, and the State of Minnesota may feel proud of its organized militia.

When on the twenty-eighth day of April last, late in the afternoon, you gave me the order to assemble the troops at St. Paul the next day, I wired to the different commands the following order:

"The First, Second and Third regiments of infantry are hereby ordered to report at St. Paul on Friday morning, April 29, 1898, not later than eleven o'clock, with one day's cocked rations in their haversacks."

This order was promptly obeyed, and all the field, staff and company officers, with their commands, reported before the time appointed, which enabled you to lead them to the state fair grounds, designated "Camp Ramsey," on the afternoon of that day. Such promptness is remarkable, as most of the troops had to leave their stations quickly to reach the place of rendezvous in time. But the mobilization had been carefully planned by this department before, and precautionary orders given to the commanding officers to be ready, as can be seen by the following:

On April 18th the following order was issued:

"The commanding officers of the infantry companies and artillery batteries composing the national guard will immediately take steps

to recruit their commands up to 100 men each. All recruits above the maximum peace footing of seventy-six men will be carried upon the muster roll as provisional recruits, to be discharged in case their services are not needed for field service."

On the 25th of April the following order was promulgated:

"In obedience to orders this day received from the honorable secretary of war, calling upon the State of Minnesota for three regiments of infantry as volunteers of the United States, to serve two years or less, and as the three national guard regiments of infantry of this state have signified their desire of entering the service of the United States as volunteers, the First, Second and Third regiments of infantry of the national guard, State of Minnesota, will immediately make preparations to report at these headquarters upon receipt of telegraphic orders which will be issued later."

The rapid mobilization resulted in our troops being the first volunteer forces mustered into the service of the United States. In 1861 Minnesota had the proud distinction of being the first state in the Union offering her troops to President Lincoln. Again our state has been distinguished in being the first state to have her volunteer troops mustered into the service of the United States in the war with Spain. It is a coincidence worthy of mention that the First Minnesota regiment for the Civil War was mustered in on April 29, 1861, and that the first three regiments for the present war were mobilized at St. Paul, April 29, 1898.

After the mustering of the three regiments, which was completed on the eighth day of May, the following order was issued:

"The three regiments of infantry which have volunteered and enlisted in the service of the United States, in compliance with the proclamation of the governor of the State of Minnesota, will be known and recognized officially as follows: 'Twelfth Regiment Infantry, Minnesota Volunteers;' 'Thirteenth Regiment Infantry, Minnesota Volunteers;' 'Fourteenth Regiment Infantry, Minnesota Volunteers.'

"The Twelfth regiment will be commanded by Col. Jos. Bobleter.

"The Thirteenth Regiment will be commanded by Col. C. McC. Reeve.

"The Fourteenth Regiment will be commanded by Col. C. A. Van Duzee."

The Twelfth and Fourteenth regiments left Camp Ramsey on the 16th day of May for Camp Geo. H. Thomas, Ga., and the Thirteenth regiment left on the same day for San Francisco, Cal. The last named regiment was afterward ordered to Manila.)

During the month of June recruiting parties from the three regi-

ments returned to the state with instructions to recruit their regiments up to the maximum, which is 106 enlisted men to each company. This duty was quickly performed, as men in all parts of the state were eager to enter the volunteer service. The recruiting referred to was made necessary by the first construction of the "Volunteer Bill" by the war department, that a volunteer company should consist of eighty-one men, rank and file. My first understanding of this bill was that 106 men, rank and file, should constitute a company, but the mustering officer, acting under instructions, refused to accept more than eighty-one, and our surplus men were sent to their homes.

On July, 4, 1898, another call for troops was made under the following order:

"The president of the United States has made another call for troops upon the governor of this state, to consist of one regiment of infantry.

"Confident that patriotism will in the future, as heretofore, distinguish our citizens, and that whenever the necessity for additional troops shall exist all Minnesotans will cheerfully and promptly rally and respond to the call, the governor directs the immediate organization of one regiment of infantry to be mustered into the service of the United States, for two years or during the war, to be designated as the 'Fifteenth Regiment Infantry, Minnesota Volunteers.'

"Said regiment shall consist of twelve companies, with the following field and staff officers: One colonel, one lieutenant colonel, two majors, one adjutant, one quartermaster, one surgeon, two assistant surgeons, one chaplain, one sergeant major, one quartermaster sergeant, one chief musician, two principal musicians, three hospital stewards.

"Each company shall consist of one captain, one first lieutenant, one second lieutenant, one first sergeant, one quartermaster sergeant, four sergeants, twelve corporals, two musicians, one artificer, one wagoner, eighty-four privates.

"The regiment raised under this order will be mobilized in St. Paul. The necessary transportation for officers and men will be furnished by the adjutant general.

"No pay will be allowed to officers or men until they are mustered into the service of the United States."

The following companies responded to the call, and assembled at Camp Ramsey: Three companies from Minneapolis, one from St. Paul, one from Litchfield, one from Willmar, one from Brown's Valley, one from Grand Forks, one from Luverne, one from Worthington, one from Duluth and one from Pipestone.

The muster of the Fifteenth Regiment was completed July 18th and placed under the command of Col. John C. Shandrew, and is awaiting marching orders to the front.

While at Camp Ramsey the following ordnance stores were issued to the regiments. 2,022 rifles, 1,934 bayonets, 1,940 haversacks, 2,008 canteens, 1,955 bayonet scabbards, 2,107 web belts, 1,943 gun-slings, 1,593 meat cans, 143 screw drivers, 23 spring vices, 32 tumbler punches, 228 shell extractors, 143 wiping rods, 6 revolvers and 75,000 ball cartridges.

The quartermaster stores consisted of the following articles: 1,340 blankets, 1,450 blouses, 1,460 trousers, 1,440 hats, 1,250 pair leggings, 1,245 overcoats and 218 tents.

The above stores were the property of the state, and under my general supervision. They represent a cash value (figured at cost price) of \$72,000.

The new breech-loading rifle cannon, which I obtained for Battery B, was returned to the war department, on request of the secretary of war.

The stores belonging to the medical corps of the national guard were all issued to the Thirteenth regiment. I have no means of knowing the value of these stores, as the officer in charge of the same failed to report the same to me.

PAY ROLL.

The following amounts were paid to the troops while in Camp Ramsey for the time covered between date of mobilization and date of muster into the service of the United States.

Twelfth regiment.....	\$6,631.60
Thirteenth regiment.....	7,584.93
Fourteenth regiment.....	7,656.71
Total	\$21,873.24

NUMBER OF TROOPS.

The state has furnished 5,313 officers and enlisted men for the volunteer army. Of the Minnesotans who enlisted in the navy, regular army or engineer corps, this office has no record.

GENERAL REMARKS.

Some changes in the military code of this state I hold advisable. To enumerate these changes, however, would occupy too much space in this report, and I will lay them before the military committee of the next legislature.

Instead of using tents at the annual encampments, barracks should be erected on the camp grounds. These are more healthful, more commodious, and more economical in the long run.

In March, 1897, the staff and regimental officers of the guard presented me with a beautiful sword as a token of their respect and as a reward for services rendered the organization. I cherish this gift very highly, and desire to avail myself of this opportunity to publicly thank the donors.

I also feel grateful to my assistant, Lieut. Col. H. S. Saylor, to the military storekeeper, Capt. M. S. Converse, and to the efficient stenographer, Miss K. D. Walters, for the assistance they have rendered me in my office.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

HERMANN MUEHLBERG,

Adjutant General.

Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY A.

Name.	Rank.	Age.	Nativity.	Residence.
Albert Steinhauser	Captain	30	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
John Buschers	First Lieutenant	33	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Louie Mueller	Second Lieutenant	31	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Robert Fritsche	Sergeant	29	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Edward Bobleter	Sergeant	24	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
William Joern	Sergeant	24	Minnesota	Nicollet, Minn.
John P. Graff	Sergeant	21	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
George A. Lhamon	Sergeant	24	Ohio	Tracy, Minn.
Frisbie W. Pope	Sergeant	23	Minnesota	Mankato, Minn.
Joseph Classen	Corporal	22	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
George M. Koller	Corporal	23	Minnesota	Tracy, Minn.
Adam Peters	Corporal	25	Bavaria	New Ulm, Minn.
William Schmidt	Corporal	19	Illinois	New Ulm, Minn.
Fred Stolz	Corporal	23	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
John R. Soule	Corporal	25	Minnesota	Mankato, Minn.
Carl E. Stoeckert	Musician	32	Wisconsin	New Ulm, Minn.
Albert P. Boock	Musician	20	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Andrew Steinbach	Artificer	35	Austria	New Ulm, Minn.
Anton T. Wiesner	Wagoner	34	Austria	New Ulm, Minn.
Aaron, Andrew	Private	21	Minnesota	Sleepy Eye, Minn.
Barnes, Charles E.	Private	21	Minnesota	Mankato, Minn.
Beverly, Emil	Private	21	Austria	Mankato, Minn.
Bierbaum, William H.	Private	22	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Bobleter, Albert	Private	25	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.
Besch, Robert	Private	21	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Brandt, August	Private	33	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Brown, Millard W.	Private	20	Wisconsin	Tracy, Minn.
Burgess, William H.	Private	21	Wisconsin	Mankato, Minn.
Dalla, Andrew	Private	30	Germany	Springfield, Minn.
Ditman, Otto	Private	30	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Dwyer, Frank	Private	22	Minnesota	Tracy, Minn.
Elbner, William F.	Private	25	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Elchmann, John A.	Private	20	Minnesota	Springfield, Minn.
Flick, Gustav A.	Private	30	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Friedrich, Paul J.	Private	23	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Frey, John	Private	18	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Gray, Edward	Private	23	Dakota	Springfield, Minn.
Gehrke, Henry G.	Private	27	Minnesota	Sleepy Eye, Minn.
Gilman, Bert	Private	21	Minnesota	Marshall, Minn.
Girvin, James H.	Private	22	Illinois	Mankato, Minn.
Gonnie, Lester A.	Private	22	Iowa	Winona, Minn.
Gray, Frank	Private	22	Dakota	Springfield, Minn.
Hartmann, Bernhard	Private	21	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Hawkes, Schuyler C.	Private	21	Minnesota	Mankato, Minn.
Helle, Herman	Private	20	Germany	Springfield, Minn.
Hurst, Otto	Private	24	Indiana	Tracy, Minn.
Jacobson, Soren H.	Private	24	Denmark	Tracy, Minn.
Kaping, Albert	Private	21	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Kolbe, Henry	Private	23	Minnesota	Sleepy Eye, Minn.
Kaechle, Anton W.	Private	19	Minnesota	Springfield, Minn.
Kurzwel, Joseph	Private	25	Germany	Mcgan, Minn.
Leick, Peter A.	Private	24	Wisconsin	Magella, Minn.
Leonhardt, William	Private	22	Illinois	New Ulm, Minn.
Lockway, Andrew	Private	22	Austria	New Ulm, Minn.
Lockerby, William	Private	22	Minnesota	Madella, Minn.
Loesch, Fred	Private	20	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Mueller, Albert W.	Private	21	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Mansfield, John A.	Private	19	Minnesota	Mankato, Minn.
Markert, Peter	Private	21	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Merkle, Charles	Private	20	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Meland, Theodore	Private	27	Norway	Tracy, Minn.
Molitor, Garrie	Private	20	Iowa	Tracy, Minn.
McKittick, James	Private	20	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.
Neubauer, Jacob	Private	19	Austria	New Ulm, Minn.
Norburgh, Victor	Private	27	Sweden	Springfield, Minn.
Oreutt, William E.	Private	35	Texas	New Ulm, Minn.
Polta, Frank	Private	23	Austria	New Ulm, Minn.
Ruemke, Christ	Private	21	Ohio	New Ulm, Minn.
Roeder, Herman	Private	22	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Schieffert, Frank	Private	20	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
Schmidt, Frank	Private	19	Germany	New Ulm, Minn.
Schneider, John P.	Private	19	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.

MUSTER ROLL

OF

TWELFTH REGIMENT

MINNESOTA VOLUNTEERS.

MUSTERED AS REGIMENT INTO THE UNITED STATES SERVICE,

MAY 7, 1898.

FIELD AND STAFF.

Name.	Rank.	Age.	Nativity.	Residence.
Joseph Bobleter	Colonel	52	Austria	New Ulm, Minn.
Frank B. McCoy	Lieutenant Colonel	46	Georgia	St. Paul, Minn.
George W. Mead	Major	50	Ohio	Mankato, Minn.
Arthur W. Wright	Major	36	Ohio	Austin, Minn.
George S. Whitney	Major	39	Wisconsin	Faribault, Minn.
Louis G. Vogel	1st Lt. & Regt. Adj.	32	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
John Lind	1st Lt. & Q. M.	44	Sweden	New Ulm, Minn.
Ezra C. Clemans	Chaplain	37	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.
Harry L. Bullis	1st Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	31	Minnesota	Winnebago City, Minn.
Roy A. Everett	1st Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	25	Minnesota	Fairmont, Minn.
Perrin L. Smith	1st Lt. & Bat. Adjt.	28	Illinois	Minneapolis, Minn.
Thomas C. Clark	Regimental Surgeon	45	Massachusetts	Stillwater, Minn.
William H. Rowe	1st Lt. & Asst. Surg.	39	Wisconsin	Minneapolis, Minn.
Albert F. Koch	1st Lt. & Asst. Surg.	44	Ohio	Minneapolis, Minn.
Abraham D. LeMay	Regt. Sgt. Major	29	Minnesota	New Ulm, Minn.
John Safranek	Regt. Q. M. Sergt.	45	Bohemia	Mendota, Minn.
Hugh J. Thomson	Chief Musician	34	Canada	St. Paul, Minn.
Tony K. Wilson	Principal Musician	28	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.
Walter J. Kendall	Hospital Steward	24	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.
Abe N. Gunz	Hospital Steward	20	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.
Fred Straub	Bat. Sergeant Major	29	Minnesota	Faribault, Minn.
Burdette C. Thayer	Bat. Sergeant Major	20	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Fred J. Sheppard	Bat. Sergeant Major	33	New York	Winona, Minn.
C. E. Durbau	Regt. Surgeon			

Receipt mailed date.

No. of receipts.

Received April 29 1898 & May 6 1898

Check No. Date.

Receipts mailed No. of days before amount paid May 1898

Balance due

12th 951

Vertical list of receipt dates and numbers: 7-5-99, 8-8-99, 6-26-99, 7-22-99, 7-20-99, 7-20-99, 10-19-99, 6-5-99, 10-10-99, 6-27-99, 6-25-99, 6-27-99, 8-22-99, 5-16-99, 6-27-99, 6-27-99, 11-27-99, 5-12-99, 10-23-99, 6-13-99, 10-23-99, 12-11-99

At Dec'd-Sept. 1, 1898 Cont. Recut. Co. 12th Regt. at New Ulm, Minn. At Dec'd-Cont'd Hancock, Ky. August 29, 1898.

Receipts mailed
date
No. Receipts
No days Service

STATE OF MINNESOTA.

Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY B.—Continued.

Name.	Account Rank Pay Roll	Age	Rec'd Nativity May 1898	Balance Residence Dec
Seha, Anthony P.	Private 10.50	23	Minnesota 3.64	Faribault, Minn. 6.86 16.11
Stanard, Earl R.	Private 10.50	27	Michigan 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Smith, Edward L.	Private 10.50	18	Minnesota 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Smith, Fred C.	Private 10.50	24	Wisconsin 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Stearns, Edward C.	Private 10.50	24	Minnesota 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Torkilsson, Jul.	Private 10.50	29	Norway 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Vollmer, Edwin H.	Private 10.50	21	Indiana 1.10	Northfield, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Wright, Obe J.	Private 10.50	23	Iowa 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Wall, John	Private 10.50	20	Minnesota 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Whitson, Willis L.	Private 10.50	21	Minnesota 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Woodley, George S.	Private 10.50	22	Iowa 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93
Young, Frank	Private 10.50	20	Iowa 1.10	Faribault, Minn. 9.40 2.93

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Check, No.
Date

(81) - Capt. Klemer 39
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RECRUITS OF THE TWELFTH REGIMENT, MINNESOTA VOLUNTEER INFANTRY, MUSTERED-IN IN JUNE, 1898.

COMPANY B.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Bundrick, Carl	Private	18	Wisconsin	Cresco, Iowa.
Boyles, John Robert	Private	22	Minnesota	Faribault, Minn.
Burkhardt, Willard	Private	28	Indiana	Morristown, Minn.
Bump, Leonard	Private	28	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Clough, Eugene D.	Private	21	Minnesota	Northfield, Minn.
Dechelnick, William F.	Private	20	Minnesota	Dundas, Minn.
Emge, Charles F.	Private	23	Minnesota	Faribault, Minn.
Flatz, Ferdinand	Private	20	New York	Morristown, Minn.
Hofmeister, Henry W.	Private	22	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Kennedy, Thomas J.	Private	23	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Lescault, Ambrose J.	Private	21	Minnesota	Faribault, Minn.
Liebrant, George	Private	19	Germany	Morristown, Minn.
McKenzie, Donald	Private	22	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Miller, Harry H.	Private	18	Minnesota	Northfield, Minn.
Parmenter, Charles M.	Private	27	Wisconsin	Morristown, Minn.
Rohrer, John F.	Private	23	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Reed, Willbur M.	Private	20	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Stratton, Edward J.	Private	22	Illinois	Faribault, Minn.
Smith, Douglas J.	Private	21	Iowa	Morristown, Minn.
Stroeter, H. B.	Private	24	Wisconsin	Morristown, Minn.
Snoemaker, William	Private	22	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Thompson, Guy M.	Private	18	Minnesota	Northfield, Minn.
Van Horn, Major	Private	18	Minnesota	Faribault, Minn.
Wolleat, James L.	Private	19	Minnesota	Morristown, Minn.
Wall, Clement W.	Private	25	Minnesota	Faribault, Minn.

Died - Typhoid fever - Camp Crocker, Ia, August 15th, 1898
Died - Duane, Minn, Sept 9th, 1898.
Died - Typhoid fever Camp Hamilton, Ky Sept. 10th, 1898

April 29 1898 to May 5, 1898
Mustered in U. S. Service May 6, 1898 Paid

REPORT OF ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY C.

Name.	Amount at Rank \$1.50 per day	Age	Rec'd Nativity May 1898	Balance Residence Dec
Lincoln S. Gallien	Captain 134.80	34	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 133.70
William F. Pletke	First Lieutenant 112.00	27	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Allen G. Blaker	Second Lieutenant 112.00	22	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Clarence E. Miller	Sergeant 112.00	25	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
John G. Flynn	Sergeant 112.00	22	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
George H. Pletke	Sergeant 112.00	21	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Roy Cornwell	Sergeant 112.00	23	Iowa 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
John W. Walton	Sergeant 112.00	22	New York 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Henry E. W. Simon	Sergeant 112.00	21	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
William S. Kinne	Corporal 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
William J. Grams	Corporal 112.00	19	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Robert I. Flynn	Corporal 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Donald K. Frost	Corporal 112.00	18	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Peter F. Loughrey	Corporal 112.00	22	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
James C. Snyder	Corporal 112.00	28	Illinois 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
William O. Miller	Musican 112.00	20	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Hugh P. Mann	Musican 112.00	18	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
William H. Hawkins	Artificer 112.00	23	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Frank P. Mazurie	Wagoner 112.00	24	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Abel, Joseph, Jr.	Private 112.00	20	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Bohn, Rudolph H.	Private 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Brendler, Arnold E.	Private 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Brown, Warren L.	Private 112.00	21	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Brown, Arthur J.	Private 112.00	24	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Blenf, Charles G. V.	Private 112.00	23	New York 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Cheslick, Frank M.	Private 112.00	24	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Clement, Charles C.	Private 112.00	22	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Canfield, Harry E.	Private 112.00	22	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Carr, John H.	Private 112.00	20	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Cornwell, Henry	Private 112.00	30	Illinois 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Davies, James H.	Private 112.00	20	Iowa 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Dolan, Charles F.	Private 112.00	34	New York 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Eckert, Frank A.	Private 112.00	22	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Eckert, Leo J.	Private 112.00	25	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Emery, Cleon	Private 112.00	24	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Emery, Charles F.	Private 112.00	36	Ohio 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Funk, Edward W.	Private 112.00	25	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Gettling, George W.	Private 112.00	24	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Goltz, Phillip R.	Private 112.00	21	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Gile, James B.	Private 112.00	22	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Gould, Jacob E.	Private 112.00	21	New Hampshire	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Hoppe, Otto F.	Private 112.00	21	Germany 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Heller, Henry H.	Private 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Hammond, Lewis H.	Private 112.00	21	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Hewitt, Mark R.	Private 112.00	20	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Hurley, William M.	Private 112.00	23	Iowa 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Humason, William G.	Private 112.00	29	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Jordan, Michael A.	Private 112.00	25	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Justice, Fred E.	Private 112.00	24	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Killian, Frank K.	Private 112.00	21	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Kyle, Leslie L.	Private 112.00	32	Prussia 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Koschel, Gustave F.	Private 112.00	42	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Knopp, Joseph	Private 112.00	24	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Keenan, Patrick	Private 112.00	18	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Lambertson, Harry W.	Private 112.00	24	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Lanning, Frank L.	Private 112.00	25	Iowa 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Matzke, Emil	Private 112.00	27	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Morse, Royal B.	Private 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Melfert, Hermann W.	Private 112.00	22	Germany 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Morrison, George L.	Private 112.00	21	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Matchett, John H.	Private 112.00	20	Illinois 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
McKeeth, Carl	Private 112.00	21	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
McKeeth, Lynn E.	Private 112.00	22	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Olsen, Irving C.	Private 112.00	18	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Pierce, Charles L.	Private 112.00	21	Illinois 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Pierce, Orrin M.	Private 112.00	22	Illinois 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Pohlman, William A.	Private 112.00	20	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Rising, Frank C.	Private 112.00	25	Connecticut 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Rockwell, Albert S.	Private 112.00	20	Wisconsin 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Ruhnke, Adolph J.	Private 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Rehstock, John	Private 112.00	27	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90
Simon, Erwin S.	Private 112.00	19	Minnesota 1.10	Winona, Minn. 110.90

Receipts mailed
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No. of receipts
No. days Service

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Date

Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY C.—Continued.

Table with columns: Name, Rank, Age, Nativity, Residence, and Balance due. Lists recruits for Company C, including names like Simon, Reuben E., Schladinski, Otto P., etc.

Paid. Check No. Date.

Receipts marked. Receipts mailed. No. Receipts. No days absence.

RECRUITS OF THE TWELFTH REGIMENT, MINNESOTA VOLUNTEER INFANTRY, MUSTERED-IN IN JUNE, 1898.

COMPANY C.

Table with columns: Name, Rank, Age, Nativity, Residence. Lists recruits for Company C, including names like Aldrich, Harry D., Adams, Chester E., etc.

2-15-99-849. Receipts marked. Receipts mailed. No. Receipts. No days absence.

Receipts marked. Receipts mailed. No. of receipts. No days absence.

6-5-99-41. 6-8-99-185. 7-15-99-229. 7-19-99-358. 6-6-99-79. 7-19-99-851. 11-23-99-803. 2-23-99-916. 7-20-99-394. 2-3-99-903. 6-14-99-1600. 5-31-99-24. 5-20-99-9. 8-21-99-939. 6-20-99-236. 7-19-99-360. 6-7-99-98. 7-16-99-208. 7-18-99-916. 7-19-99-386. 7-10-99-590. 6-15-99-350. 6-27-99-316. 7-21-99-938. 7-29-99-457. 7-19-99-366. 7-13-99-163. 7-19-99-366. 7-13-99-163.

Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY D.

Table with columns: Name, Rank, Age, Nativity, Residence, and Balance due. Lists recruits for Company D, including names like Irving J. Boyce, William R. Boyce, Edward K. Slater, etc.

Paid. Check No. Date.

Discharged - Camp Thomas, Pa., August 10, 1898. Discharged - August 20, 1898, Camp Thomas, Pa., because contracted...

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No. days absence

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Twelfth Regiment—Continued.
COMPANY D.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Residence.	Balance due
Shaver, Eddie	Private	22	Elmore, Minn.	752 335
Sunderson, Adolph	Private	23	Fairmont, Minn.	754 336
Svendsen, Edward K.	Private	27	Denmark	754 337
Swearingen, Arthur	Private	22	Wisconsin	754 1020
St. John, Roscoe E.	Private	19	Minnesota	754 1608
Spier, Joseph	Private	21	Illinois	754 338
Theobald, Frank	Private	29	England	754 339
True, Gerald	Private	23	Minnesota	754 340
True, Norman T.	Private	23	Minnesota	754 341
Wilkin, Emil	Private	26	Illinois	754 342
Young, Arthur G.	Private	21	Minnesota	754 343
Zimmerman, Frank	Private	22	Iowa	754 344
Total				3,612.86

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COMPANY D.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Blenco, Frank E.	Private	30	New York	Fairmont, Minn.
Decker, Alfred R.	Private	18	Wisconsin	Welcome, Minn.
Deiderick, Peter G.	Private	26	Holland	Fairmont, Minn.
Frank, John	Private	31	Minnesota	Fairmont, Minn.
Grobey, Charles A.	Private	25	Minnesota	Fairmont, Minn.
Grant, Clarence E.	Private	18	Minnesota	Fairmont, Minn.
Garms, Wm. L.	Private	23	Illinois	Welcome, Minn.
Hecht, Fred Gottlieb	Private	23	Germany	Fairmont, Minn.
Jourries, Fred C.	Private	19	Illinois	Welcome, Minn.
Joswiak, Jacob P.	Private	26	Poland	Center Chain, Minn.
Kruse, Orien	Private	18	Minnesota	Welcome, Minn.
McAuliff, Joseph P.	Private	25	Canada	Chicago, Ill.
Murrell, Leslie V.	Private	26	Kentucky	Fairmont, Minn.
Merrill, Charles O.	Private	18	Iowa	Fairmont, Minn.
Nelson, Arthur M.	Private	22	Iowa	Tenhassen, Minn.
Pulver, Harry B.	Private	23	Minnesota	Fairmont, Minn.
Peterson, Chris	Private	18	Denmark	Rolling Green, Minn.
Personius, Wesley G.	Private	25	Minnesota	Fairmont, Minn.
Schoepbach, Will G.	Private	21	Wisconsin	Westford, Minn.
Stiles, Irvin	Private	22	Wisconsin	Fulda, Minn.
Schumacher, John J.	Private	21	Wisconsin	Welcome, Minn.
Welch, Dean D.	Private	25	Illinois	Fairmont, Minn.
Wright, Bert A.	Private	18	Nebraska	Fairmont, Minn.
Wooxen, Edgar	Private	27	Ohio	Fairmont, Minn.
Van Amber, Ray E.	Private	24	Minnesota	Nashville Center, Minn.

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Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY E.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Residence.	Balance due
Edward A. LeMay	Captain	37	Minnesota	754 345
First Lieutenant	First Lieutenant	30	Poland	754 346
Second Lieutenant	Second Lieutenant	25	Poland	754 347
Leonard J. Bruski	Sergeant	22	Wisconsin	754 348
Max J. Buchinski	Sergeant	27	Minnesota	754 349
Francis J. McDowell	Sergeant	23	Minnesota	754 350
Leo Gruchala	Sergeant	21	Poland	754 351
Frank Cieminski	Sergeant	22	Poland	754 352
Joseph Czaplowski	Sergeant	30	Poland	754 353
John Rostanka	Sergeant	24	Minnesota	754 354
Frank Michaelowski	Corporal	28	Poland	754 355
Tefel Milkowski	Corporal	23	Minnesota	754 356
John Janikowski	Corporal	31	Poland	754 357
Joseph Palupcki	Corporal	27	Bohemia	754 358
Vincent T. Kropidlowski	Corporal	19	Poland	754 359
Vincent Peplinski	Musician	21	Poland	754 360
Rheinhold Elchendorf	Musician	32	Poland	754 361
John Bernac	Artificer	24	Poland	754 362
Paul Grulkowski	Wagoner	31	Minnesota	754 363
Baxter, Earl H.	Private	24	Minnesota	754 364
Blagik, Peter	Private	18	Minnesota	754 365
Blagic, Anton	Private	24	Minnesota	754 366
Blank, John	Private	18	Poland	754 367
Cieminski, Toefil	Private	24	Minnesota	754 368
Czaplowski, August	Private	22	Minnesota	754 369
Cichosz, Frank	Private	19	Minnesota	754 370
Cisewsky, Isador	Private	28	Poland	754 371
Drilla, Stanislaus	Private	26	Minnesota	754 372
Enney, Frank L.	Private	28	Wisconsin	754 373
Fromm, John P.	Private	19	Minnesota	754 374
Glubka, Henry	Private	30	Poland	754 375
Gallas, Anton	Private	39	Poland	754 376
Grupa, John	Private	21	Minnesota	754 377
Grafczyk, Joseph	Private	18	Poland	754 378
Gromowski, Joseph	Private	20	Poland	754 379
Guenther, Anton	Private	26	Germany	754 380
Guenther, Joseph	Private	31	Germany	754 381
Garrison, Charles W.	Private	24	Iowa	754 382
Griesback, Karl A.	Private	23	Pennsylvania	754 383
Huss, John	Private	32	Germany	754 384
Huss, John	Private	21	Minnesota	754 385
Jezewski, Aloysius	Private	18	Minnesota	754 386
Jendzowski, Frank	Private	34	Poland	754 387
Jendzowski, Sam	Private	23	New York	754 388
Jakusz, Joseph	Private	24	Minnesota	754 389
Jaskula, Anton	Private	27	Poland	754 390
Kuszeleski, Joseph	Private	20	Poland	754 391
Kobus, Frank	Private	21	Poland	754 392
Kulas, Michael	Private	28	Poland	754 393
Kaiser, Joseph	Private	26	Poland	754 394
Keen, John	Private	25	Poland	754 395
King, Frank J.	Private	20	Minnesota	754 396
McCargar, L. A.	Private	26	Minnesota	754 397
McGulpin, Joseph	Private	26	Minnesota	754 398
Miner, Claude G.	Private	18	Minnesota	754 399
Malzewski, Frank	Private	33	Poland	754 400
Meyer, Max	Private	21	Poland	754 401
Reszka, Leo J.	Private	23	Poland	754 402
Riska, Frank	Private	39	Poland	754 403
Redel, August	Private	19	Poland	754 404
Rotza, Frank	Private	33	Poland	754 405
Rozek, Tefel	Private	25	Minnesota	754 406
Rick, August J.	Private	28	Germany	754 407
Satka, Joseph A.	Private	21	Minnesota	754 408
Schultz, Larry	Private	25	Wisconsin	754 409
Schreiber, Frank	Private	20	Ohio	754 410
Seras, Robert	Private	22	Germany	754 411
Shapansky, Ed.	Private	22	Germany	754 412
Szudera, Matt	Private	21	Poland	754 413

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date or receipt full
No. of receipts
No. days absence

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(1) Died - July 19, 1898. Recipient, Ky. deceased contracted in line of duty.
(2) Died - date not given (no official notice of his death received).

Receipts mailed
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 date
 No. receipts -
 6-9-99
 6-6-99
 6-2-99
 6-1-99
 6-1-99
 11-2-99
 12-1-99

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COMPANY E.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Steadman, Fred R.	Private	31	Germany	Winona, Minn.
Szablewski, Mike	Private	29	Poland	Winona, Minn.
Sikorski, Dominik	Private	21	Poland	Winona, Minn.
Szarmach, Frank	Private	31	Poland	Winona, Minn.
Stefanski, Mike	Private	31	Poland	Winona, Minn.
Strelow, Herman H.	Private	25	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Sprengel, Mathias	Private	34	Germany	Winona, Minn.
Sherwood, Thomas	Private	34	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Throne, Aug. L.	Private	28	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Voss, Frank J.	Private	23	Poland	Winona, Minn.
Werra, John	Private	24	Poland	Winona, Minn.
Wieczorek, John	Private	23	Poland	Winona, Minn.
White, Harry A.	Private	31	Wisconsin	Winona, Minn.
Zabrocky, Anton J.	Private	23	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.

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 No. receipts
 No. days service

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COMPANY F.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Roy Viall	Captain	27	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Frank J. Rensberger	First Lieutenant	25	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Frank H. Viall	Second Lieutenant	35	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Ono C. McClary	Sergeant	26	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
John H. Helger	Sergeant	39	Wisconsin	Spring Valley, Minn.
Homer Barnes	Sergeant	21	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
George F. Cady	Sergeant	20	New York	Spring Valley, Minn.
William N. De Groat, Jr.	Sergeant	23	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Eugene K. Allard	Sergeant	22	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Frank M. Dawley	Corporal	26	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Alvin H. Howard	Corporal	21	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
James M. Patterson	Corporal	30	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Martin Torkelson	Corporal	29	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
William J. Bly	Corporal	30	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Matthew Sweeney	Corporal	24	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Bertrand R. Benson	Musician	24	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
George B. Aiden	Musician	23	Minnesota	Eyota, Minn.
Lars Pierson	Artificer	25	Norway	Spring Valley, Minn.
Lessing J. Mengis	Wagoner	20	Iowa	Harmony, Minn.
Anderson, James W.	Private	21	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Arnold, James M.	Private	18	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Banks, Charles H.	Private	26	Pennsylvania	Spring Valley, Minn.
Barr, George E.	Private	35	Minnesota	Forestville, Minn.
Berg, Sylvester	Private	20	Minnesota	Rock Dell, Minn.
Bloomer, L. C.	Private	24	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Bobb, Howard P.	Private	18	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Boyd, George A.	Private	27	Minnesota	LeRoy, Minn.
Brazington, William H.	Private	23	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Brooks, Wallace	Private	18	Wisconsin	Spring Valley, Minn.
Byrnes, Roger	Private	21	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Chamberlin, William E.	Private	18	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Conway, Thomas	Private	20	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Crowell, Morris	Private	22	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Demick, Orile	Private	24	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Engle, Charles	Private	25	West Virginia	Preston, Minn.
Ford, John E.	Private	28	Minnesota	Preston, Minn.
Ford, Frank W.	Private	31	Minnesota	Preston, Minn.
Geiser, Walter B.	Private	39	Pennsylvania	Preston, Minn.
Gleason, Frank A.	Private	25	Norway	Spring Valley, Minn.
Goplen, Peter	Private	23	Wisconsin	Preston, Minn.
Haase, Chris. G.	Private	18	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Hanson, Emil C.	Private	27	Norway	Harmony, Minn.
Halvorson, Brynjulf	Private	27	Minnesota	Fountain, Minn.
Healey, Michael J.	Private	26	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Holland, William	Private	18	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Holmes, Charles H.	Private	24	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Hostetter, William N.	Private	19	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Johnson, Harry W.	Private	19	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Johnson, Merwin	Private	24	Norway	Spring Valley, Minn.
Johnson, Olof J.	Private	18	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Joseph, Eddie	Private	21	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Madden, Ulrich E.	Private	27	Wisconsin	Spring Valley, Minn.
McCumber, Emery C.	Private	30	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
McKee, David A.	Private	22	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
McKee, Robert E.	Private	18	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Morrow, Charles A.	Private	19	Minnesota	Eyota, Minn.
Mose, William W.	Private	23	New York	Spring Valley, Minn.
Mulligan, James T.	Private	22	New York	Fountain, Minn.
Murphy, Patrick J.	Private	23	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Mulroy, Michael M.	Private	30	Illinois	Spring Valley, Minn.
Nadd, Joseph J.	Private	22	Minnesota	Fountain, Minn.
Newcome, Patrick L.	Private	21	Iowa	Fillmore, Minn.
Northway, Charles	Private	21	Minnesota	Washington, Minn.
Palmer, Harry W.	Private	27	Missouri	Spring Valley, Minn.
Peery, Harry R.	Private	22	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Pulford, William F.	Private	18	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Perry, Alex.	Private	22	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Rogers, Roy	Private	18	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Schwanke, Henry A.	Private	21	Minnesota	Forestville, Minn.
Stewart, James F.	Private	28	Minnesota	Wykoff, Minn.
Stillman, Howard N.	Private	28	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Stockhill, Samuel W.	Private	27	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.

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COMPANY E.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Blagik, Thomas	Private	22	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Berger, Herman H.	Private	18	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Brown, William F.	Private	23	Germany	Winona, Minn.
Clark, Roy	Private	27	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Chaplewski, Frank	Private	18	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Donchower, Claude W.	Private	26	Minnesota	Richmond, Minn.
Franks, George W.	Private	19	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Goergen, Philip E.	Private	19	Minnesota	Caledonia, Minn.
Johnston, Roy	Private	21	Minnesota	Houston, Minn.
Kern, George	Private	23	Minnesota	Witoka, Minn.
Lanier, Charles, Jr.	Private	30	Wisconsin	Grand Rapids, Wis.
Mundt, August H.	Private	21	Germany	Winona, Minn.
Morse, William C.	Private	20	Minnesota	Witoka, Minn.
Miller, James	Private	37	Indiana	Homer, Minn.
Matheny, Lester L.	Private	26	Minnesota	Blue Earth City, Minn.
Nelson, Olat	Private	24	Minnesota	Rushford, Minn.
Olson, Marvel	Private	24	Minnesota	Lanesboro, Minn.
Plate, Fred W.	Private	22	Germany	Winona, Minn.
Parks, Will H.	Private	24	Wisconsin	Winona, Minn.
Rackow, Harry H.	Private	22	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Terry, Jerome J.	Private	23	Illinois	Winona, Minn.
Worden, Frank L.	Private	18	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.
Yeske, August G.	Private	20	Minnesota	Winona, Minn.

Deserted - Camp Thomas Ia. Aug. 8, 1898 - Co. "B" 12th Regt.
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COMPANY F.—Continued.

Name.	Rank	Age	Rec'd Nativity	Balance Residence
Schwartz, Jesse D.	Private	20	Minnesota	Preston, Minn.
Tabor, Harry	Private	19	Minnesota	Washington, Minn.
Thayer, Albert W.	Private	19	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Turner, Frank	Private	23	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Vail, George	Private	22	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Weeks, George R.	Private	30	Pennsylvania	Preston, Minn.
Welch, Fred E.	Private	21	South Dakota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Williams, Evan L.	Private	21	Massachusetts	Stewartville, Minn.
Wright, Frank	Private	18	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Wittenberg, Frank F.	Private	19	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Young, Martin R.	Private	37	Minnesota	Spring Valley, Minn.
Zlerath, Peter G.	Private	19	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.

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COMPANY F.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Alm, Carl O.	Private	21	Norway	Rushford, Minn.
Blagsvedt, Adolph G.	Private	20	Minnesota	Preston, Minn.
Bradburn, Frank A.	Private	34	New Jersey	Preston, Minn.
Bush, Geo.	Private	28	Massachusetts	Rushford, Minn.
Buchholz, Reynold	Private	20	Minnesota	Stewartville, Minn.
Cattle, Charles M.	Private	30	Wisconsin	Stewartville, Minn.
Christianson, Axel J.	Private	21	Norway	Preston, Minn.
Eggen, James E.	Private	31	Minnesota	Wykoff, Minn.
Fuller, Clarence S.	Private	37	New York	Racine, Minn.
Furney, Frank	Private	19	Minnesota	Fillmore, Minn.
Green, Even R.	Private	22	Minnesota	Rushford, Minn.
Graves, Frank W.	Private	31	Ohio	Spring Valley, Minn.
Hoffman, John	Private	31	Minnesota	Wykoff, Minn.
Hanlon, John D.	Private	21	Iowa	Preston, Minn.
Jacobs, Bernard	Private	22	Minnesota	Rockwell, Minn.
Lakkason, Ludvig	Private	21	Minnesota	Rushford, Minn.
Mader, Peter	Private	26	New York	Spring Valley, Minn.
McDermott, Fred E.	Private	31	Wisconsin	Spring Valley, Minn.
Magelson, Jacob A.	Private	22	Minnesota	Rushford, Minn.
Norveson, Lewis	Private	29	Minnesota	Fountain, Minn.
Pease, Hollister L.	Private	20	Minnesota	Hamilton, Minn.
Severson, Herbert	Private	22	Minnesota	Forestville, Minn.
Selvig, Conrad	Private	20	Minnesota	Rushford, Minn.
Wall, William A.	Private	21	Minnesota	Lanesboro, Minn.
Winslow, Alfred	Private	26	Minnesota	Fountain, Minn.

Died. Sept. 13, 1898. Typhoid fever, at Camp, Minn.

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COMPANY G.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Rec'd Nativity	Balance Residence
Fred B. Wood	Captain	32	New York	Austin, Minn.
Alfred C. Page	First Lieutenant	32	Illinois	Austin, Minn.
Nicholas Nicholson	Second Lieutenant	30	New York	Austin, Minn.
Jacob N. Nicholsen	Sergeant	26	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Charles F. Ellis	Sergeant	26	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Harvey A. Chapin	Sergeant	25	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Lee M. Sargent	Sergeant	24	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Henry F. George	Sergeant	24	Wisconsin	Austin, Minn.
Charles D. Galloway	Sergeant	27	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Edward P. Kelly	Corporal	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Nels K. Christopherson	Corporal	22	Norway	Austin, Minn.
Frank B. Teeter	Corporal	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Edward C. Walters	Corporal	20	Germany	Austin, Minn.
Charles W. Clark	Corporal	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
William D. Bossler	Corporal	25	New York	Austin, Minn.
William B. Crandall	Musician	25	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Clarence E. Woodward	Musician	20	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Herbert N. Kendrick	Artificer	29	Ontario	Austin, Minn.
Henry J. Zender	Wagoner	23	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Albert, Charles J.	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Anderson, Jens P.	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Atkinson, Roy	Private	25	Denmark	Austin, Minn.
Bershon, Harry W.	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Burchell, William H.	Private	24	Russia	Austin, Minn.
Castle, Robert M.	Private	24	Wisconsin	Austin, Minn.
Carpenter, Edward W.	Private	25	Illinois	Austin, Minn.
Clark, Frank	Private	19	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Cole, William H.	Private	19	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Curry, Walter	Private	28	Ohio	Austin, Minn.
Davis, Lynderman W.	Private	19	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Decker, Jay E.	Private	21	Illinois	Austin, Minn.
Dowd, Thomas	Private	26	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Duggan, George	Private	18	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Eagen, Charles A.	Private	26	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Erdman, Max F.	Private	21	Germany	Austin, Minn.
Fairbanks, Guy L.	Private	24	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Fletcher, Clifford A.	Private	22	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Freeman, Clarence	Private	19	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
French, George L.	Private	25	New York	Austin, Minn.
Graham, James E.	Private	22	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Hillam, Frank	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Hornel, Benjamin	Private	20	Ohio	Austin, Minn.
Horrlin, William H.	Private	20	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Hubbard, Frank	Private	18	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Hurlbert, Alvin	Private	32	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Johnson, Adolph G.	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Jerome, Henry	Private	26	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Judd, Clifford R.	Private	20	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Keyser, Harry M.	Private	20	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Larson, John	Private	21	Norway	Austin, Minn.
Lockwood, Jay	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Logan, Henry	Private	24	Germany	Austin, Minn.
Lord, George L.	Private	18	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Mack, William L.	Private	23	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Madden, Thomas M.	Private	31	Vermont	Austin, Minn.
Maurek, Burnle	Private	19	Austria	Austin, Minn.
Mikkelsen, Mikel	Private	24	Denmark	Austin, Minn.
Mills, Gabriel A.	Private	19	Michigan	Austin, Minn.
Minty, Frank	Private	24	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Mott, Orren	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
McIntyre, Peter T.	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
McLain, Henry	Private	29	Illinois	Austin, Minn.
McCormick, Michael A.	Private	25	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Neumann, Nels	Private	25	Denmark	Austin, Minn.
Ostegard, Ole K.	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Poulsen, Christian	Private	21	Denmark	Austin, Minn.
Peterson, Albert A.	Private	25	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Peterson, Sven O.	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Rausch, Mattheas	Private	23	Wisconsin	Austin, Minn.
Reynolds, Paul J.	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Robertson, Donald	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Sistek, Joseph	Private	22	Bohemia	Austin, Minn.

August 23, 1898. Typhoid fever, at Camp Thomas, Ia.
August 19, 1898. Typhoid fever, at Camp Thomas, Ia.
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COMPANY G.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Smith, David S.	Private	34	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Sutherland, Norman C.	Private	23	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Trenary, Loren	Private	19	Wisconsin	Austin, Minn.
Ulmer, Charles	Private	21	Wisconsin	Austin, Minn.
Vermilyea, Avery J.	Private	21	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Watt, Clarence	Private	30	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Ward, Gustaf F.	Private	27	Sweden	Austin, Minn.
Wilsie, Giles H.	Private	19	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Wing, Richard E.	Private	22	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Woodward, Wallace L.	Private	22	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Woodward, Roy A.	Private	18	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Young, Edward	Private	22	Iowa	Austin, Minn.

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COMPANY H.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
George N. Griswold	Captain	28	New York	St. James, Minn.
Cyrus R. Henton, Jr.	First Lieutenant	22	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
William Denny	Second Lieutenant	34	Wisconsin	St. James, Minn.
Peter S. Lohben	Sergeant	24	Norway	St. James, Minn.
William E. Korth	Sergeant	27	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Amel Running	Sergeant	25	Norway	St. James, Minn.
Robert Grout	Sergeant	23	Wisconsin	Luverne, Minn.
Edwin S. Blair	Sergeant	27	Michigan	St. James, Minn.
George M. Creighton	Sergeant	21	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Roy L. Fild	Corporal	24	Illinois	St. James, Minn.
Ira D. Parker	Corporal	39	Ohio	Le Sueur, Minn.
George S. Trumble	Corporal	26	New York	St. James, Minn.
Charles L. Nickson	Corporal	26	Iowa	St. James, Minn.
Daniel De Vanev	Corporal	19	Wisconsin	St. James, Minn.
Wallace Weigel	Corporal	27	Iowa	St. James, Minn.
Felix E. Lochner	Musician	24	England	St. James, Minn.
Edgar C. Veitum	Musician	24	Wisconsin	St. James, Minn.
Edward T. Mathews	Artificer	34	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
William W. Thompson	Wagoner	27	Michigan	Marshall, Minn.
Anderson, Henning	Private	26	Sweden	Port Huron, Mich.
Anderson, Carl O.	Private	23	Sweden	St. James, Minn.
Bingham, John	Private	28	Massachusetts	Minneapolis, Minn.
Cords, Frank	Private	19	Minnesota	Madelia, Minn.
Carlson, Axel	Private	28	Sweden	St. James, Minn.
Clark, James	Private	32	Pennsylvania	Jermyn, Pa.
Caldwell, Frederick	Private	23	Minnesota	Butterfield, Minn.
Cottingham, George	Private	28	Minnesota	Slayton, Minn.
Chladek, Joseph F.	Private	19	Bohemia	St. James, Minn.
De Long, Arthur E.	Private	22	Minnesota	Minnesota Lake, Minn.
Ellsworth, Franklin F.	Private	18	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Fairweather, Charles R.	Private	21	Iowa	St. James, Minn.
Foley, James	Private	22	Ireland	Pittsfield, Mass.
Garrett, Martin L.	Private	26	Iowa	Pipestone, Minn.
Gade, August	Private	23	Wisconsin	Minnesota Lake, Minn.
Gilmore, Frederick	Private	19	Minnesota	Pipestone, Minn.
Gregley, William	Private	32	South Carolina	Grogan, Minn.
Hoeniger, Louis J. W.	Private	18	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Hart, Ralph L.	Private	20	New York	St. James, Minn.
Harrier, Perry	Private	26	Kansas	Madelia, Minn.
Halvorsen, Louis	Private	31	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Houghtalling, Louisa	Private	19	Kansas	Esben, Kan.
Johnson, John H.	Private	21	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Johnson, Willard	Private	23	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Johnson, Ludrik O.	Private	32	Norway	St. James, Minn.
Jordan, Charles	Private	23	West Virginia	Franklin, W. Va.
Johnson, Thomas	Private	23	Ohio	Madelia, Minn.
Jaeger, Christian F.	Private	25	New York	Minnesota Lake, Minn.
Kueker, William D.	Private	23	Illinois	St. James, Minn.
Kahn, Venzel	Private	18	Germany	St. James, Minn.
Kaus, Henry B.	Private	29	Minnesota	Minnesota Lake, Minn.
Lohner, John	Private	21	Germany	St. James, Minn.
Loughran, James	Private	42	Ireland	St. James, Minn.
Lynch, John	Private	21	Minnesota	Luverne, Minn.
Lowry, Samuel F.	Private	29	Iowa	Austin, Minn.
Mooney, John	Private	31	New York	Madelia, Minn.
Miller, John W.	Private	21	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Marchhoff, Alfred F.	Private	22	Illinois	St. James, Minn.
Moss, Charles W.	Private	21	Wisconsin	Calis, Mo.
March, Clarence	Private	22	Minnesota	Redwood Falls, Minn.
McHugh, Charles J.	Private	32	Illinois	Galena, Ill.
Nachson, Mathew C.	Private	25	Minnesota	New Prague, Minn.
Nelson, Andrew N.	Private	27	Sweden	St. James, Minn.
Owens, Herbert S.	Private	29	Minnesota	Madelia, Minn.
Olson, Edward	Private	29	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Osgood, Charles F.	Private	30	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Parker, Gordon E.	Private	18	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Rurup, Frank	Private	19	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Rutherford, John A.	Private	27	Norway	Mankato, Minn.
Richards, William E.	Private	23	Iowa	St. James, Minn.
Rutherford, Ernest	Private	19	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Stroumen, John	Private	29	Norway	St. James, Minn.
Schulze, Ernest	Private	24	Germany	St. James, Minn.

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COMPANY G.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Anderson, Swen	Private	36	Denmark	Owatonna, Minn.
Babbitt, Clinton H.	Private	22	Ohio	Columbus, Ohio.
Buchanan, Moses	Private	23	Pennsylvania	Moscow, Minn.
Chamberlin, Mason I.	Private	21	Iowa	Taopi, Minn.
Daggett, Ernest E.	Private	22	Minnesota	Dodge Center, Minn.
Dickerson, Riley	Private	21	Michigan	Dodge Center, Minn.
Dolphin, George H.	Private	28	Wisconsin	Lanesboro, Minn.
Fenton, George C.	Private	26	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Fredrickson, Fred C.	Private	29	Denmark	Grand Meadow, Minn.
Grow, Denzel M.	Private	27	New York	Dodge Center, Minn.
Hayward, John W.	Private	28	Michigan	Austin, Minn.
Jen, Elmer	Private	22	Denmark	Austin, Minn.
Jensen, Jens	Private	18	Minnesota	Rose Creek, Minn.
Johnson, Andrew C.	Private	21	Denmark	Dell Rapids, S. D.
Jordan, Will M.	Private	22	Iowa	Taopi, Minn.
Jorgenson, James S.	Private	27	Denmark	Blxby, Minn.
Larson, Fred	Private	21	Sweden	Grand Meadow, Minn.
Lettven, Louis M.	Private	21	Russia	Cresco, Iowa.
Moran, James	Private	22	Iowa	Bailey, Iowa.
McGphin, Charley	Private	21	Minnesota	Swelldale, Iowa.
Olson, Hans Lawrence	Private	25	Denmark	Morton, Minn.
Picha, Mike	Private	28	Austria	Bartley, Neb.
Peterson, Chris	Private	24	Germany	Grand Meadow, Minn.
Parish, James E.	Private	21	Minnesota	Houston, Minn.
Sorenson, Louis	Private	43	Denmark	Owatonna, Minn.
Teeter, John M.	Private	24	Minnesota	Austin, Minn.
Torgenson, Salva	Private	42	Sweden	Bixby, Minn.
Todd, George F.	Private	21	Minnesota	Money Creek, Minn.

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Mustered Camp Thomas, Ga, June 15, '98.

Discharged - Camp Thomas, Ga, July 17, 1898.

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COMPANY H.—Continued.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Sylvester, Winfield F.	Private	23	Minnesota	Madella, Minn.
Scheifer, William F.	Private	23	Iowa	Calamas, Iowa
Scanlon, William	Private	28	Massachusetts	Boston, Mass.
Seymour, Frank A.	Private	27	Minnesota	Madella, Minn.
Schuldt, Joseph	Private	27	Germany	Butterfield, Minn.
Shaw, Harry V.	Private	25	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Trost, Henry	Private	26	Germany	St. James, Minn.
Van Valkenberg, Earl	Private	18	Illinois	St. James, Minn.
Williams, Owen	Private	18	New York	St. James, Minn.
Wack, Charles W.	Private	21	Illinois	Salisbury, Mo.
Weymouth, Albon	Private	22	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Witte, Albert A.	Private	24	Illinois	St. James, Minn.

RECRUITS OF THE TWELFTH REGIMENT, MINNESOTA VOLUNTEER INFANTRY, MUSTERED-IN IN JUNE, 1898.

COMPANY H.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Eyington, Ranbon Almon	Private	27	Wisconsin	Luverne, Minn.
Caswell, Edward Chance	Private	23	Minnesota	Antrim, Minn.
Davis, Wallace Garfield	Private	22	Pennsylvania	Luverne, Minn.
Doss, Wm.	Private	21	Germany	St. James, Minn.
Dow, Ernst	Private	21	New Hampshire	Windom, Minn.
Estes, Charley	Private	21	Minnesota	Madella, Minn.
Fjelsta, Anton	Private	27	Minnesota	Madella, Minn.
Goldsberry, Frank James	Private	19	Iowa	Madella, Minn.
Hingsten, Frank Edward	Private	21	Nebraska	St. James, Minn.
Hagerty, Robert	Private	19	Minnesota	Madella, Minn.
Hagen, Herman Soifast	Private	20	Norway	Madella, Minn.
Hansen, Math.	Private	30	Minnesota	Walnut Grove, Minn.
Herr, Edward Walter	Private	24	Wisconsin	St. James, Minn.
Lundberg, Reinhold	Private	28	Sweden	Sveadahl, Minn.
McFarland, William	Private	23	Virginia	St. James, Minn.
McFarland, Ralph Nicholas	Private	21	Norway	Windom, Minn.
Nelson, Nels.	Private	20	Norway	Madella, Minn.
Nelson, Ole Albert	Private	21	Minnesota	W. Sveadahl, Minn.
Redding, Philip Glead	Private	21	Minnesota	Windom, Minn.
Steinbach, Frank Edward	Private	23	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Stewart, George Leon	Private	34	Iowa	St. James, Minn.
Schutt, Henry Fred	Private	21	Illinois	St. James, Minn.
Thorstensen, Carl Olof	Private	23	Norway	Madella, Minn.
Webber, Percy Charles	Private	29	Kentucky	St. James, Minn.
Walover, William Joseph	Private	20	Minnesota	St. James, Minn.
Welch, Fred Hanson	Private	22	Illinois	Luverne, Minn.
Waldrip, Wm. Byron	Private	26	Indiana	Luverne, Minn.

Deserted, Camp Thomas, Ia., August 5, 1898.

April 29, 1898 to May 5, 1898 (both dates inclusive) Mustered-in U.S. Service May 6, 1898

Twelfth Regiment—Continued.

COMPANY I.

Name.	Rank.	Age	Nativity.	Residence.
Clement S. Edwards	Captain	29	New York	Albert Lea, Minn.
Carlyle H. Day	First Lieutenant	25	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
S. O. Simonson	Second Lieutenant	30	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Frank H. Cool	Sergeant	21	New York	Albert Lea, Minn.
Thomas F. Rogers	Sergeant	26	Illinois	Albert Lea, Minn.
Howard L. Vandegrift	Sergeant	20	New York	Albert Lea, Minn.
Harry Gillrup	Sergeant	18	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Albert T. Land	Sergeant	20	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
W. F. Ostrander	Sergeant	27	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Charles E. Green	Corporal	20	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Floyd L. Willard	Corporal	19	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
J. H. Jensen	Corporal	20	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Paul B. Wolf	Corporal	23	Illinois	Albert Lea, Minn.
Jerry A. Prescott	Corporal	20	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
John Pehrson	Corporal	26	Sweden	Albert Lea, Minn.
T. A. Hange	Corporal	23	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
C. A. House	Corporal	23	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Fred W. Wing	Corporal	22	New York	Albert Lea, Minn.
Walter Christensen	Corporal	19	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Eric J. Stenrud	Corporal	22	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Clinton C. Carbary	Corporal	26	Illinois	Albert Lea, Minn.
Robert J. Tweedy	Musician	23	Wisconsin	Albert Lea, Minn.
Harry M. Trusdell	Musician	23	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
Olaf Styve	Artificer	20	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Harry B. Daniels	Wagoner	35	Massachusetts	Albert Lea, Minn.
Anderson, Herbert W.	Private	19	Nebraska	Albert Lea, Minn.
Anderson, Fritz R.	Private	18	Norway	Albert Lea, Minn.
Bartlett, Clayton S.	Private	39	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
Ball, Arthur L.	Private	22	California	Albert Lea, Minn.
Bejcek, Fred	Private	19	Austria	Austin, Minn.
Beckel, William	Private	28	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
Burton, Lucius S.	Private	25	Maine	Alden, Minn.
Bergen, Thomas I.	Private	25	New York	Albert Lea, Minn.
Clark, Dean	Private	21	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Dauterman, Jesse G.	Private	21	Ohio	Albert Lea, Minn.
Erickson, G. John C.	Private	19	Denmark	Albert Lea, Minn.
Edwards, George C.	Private	24	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Finton, Melvin	Private	27	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Platt, Walter E.	Private	31	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Fritz, Julian	Private	18	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
Gallagher, Edward A.	Private	23	California	Albert Lea, Minn.
Graves, Louis	Private	28	Kentucky	Albert Lea, Minn.
George, Earl H.	Private	25	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Halvorsen, Salsich	Private	19	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Hanna, Guy	Private	28	Wisconsin	Albert Lea, Minn.
Helgeson, Charles T.	Private	28	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Honan, Martin	Private	18	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Jensen, Albert	Private	30	New York	Albert Lea, Minn.
Joselyn, Lincoln W.	Private	33	Denmark	Albert Lea, Minn.
Jensen, Eric C.	Private	22	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Johnson, Alfred H.	Private	18	Wisconsin	Albert Lea, Minn.
Jorgenson, Henry	Private	25	Denmark	Albert Lea, Minn.
Knudson, Peder	Private	25	Ohio	Albert Lea, Minn.
Keck, Adam G.	Private	23	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Kilmer, Sidney	Private	28	Illinois	Albert Lea, Minn.
Landers, John	Private	23	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Latham, Burdette M.	Private	28	Indiana	Albert Lea, Minn.
Lower, Clarence	Private	22	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Levens, Wells	Private	23	Norway	Albert Lea, Minn.
Moe, John A.	Private	22	Illinois	Albert Lea, Minn.
Moore, William G.	Private	29	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
Miller, William A.	Private	24	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
Morton, Walter	Private	22	Iowa	Albert Lea, Minn.
O'Neil, James	Private	24	Michigan	Albert Lea, Minn.
Nelson, Clinton O.	Private	25	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Nelson, Nels J.	Private	26	Sweden	Albert Lea, Minn.
Olson, Lars P.	Private	29	Denmark	Albert Lea, Minn.
Peterson, Louis	Private	29	Denmark	Albert Lea, Minn.
Pehrson, Elof	Private	24	Sweden	Albert Lea, Minn.
Peterson, John C.	Private	30	Denmark	Albert Lea, Minn.
Prosser, Roy E.	Private	20	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.
Simonson, Carl M.	Private	27	Minnesota	Albert Lea, Minn.

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