

UTAH'S THIRD UNIT NOW ON BORDER

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—More Men Being Recruited.

Salt Lake City.—The third unit of Utah's national guard is now doing patrol duty along the border. The second squadron of the First cavalry left Salt Lake on July 14. The second squadron was accompanied by the field hospital under command of Major John F. Sharp. The second squadron is commanded by Major W. B. Wallace. The squadron and field hospital comprised about 380 officers and enlisted men.

The staff of Major Wallace as it left for the Mexican border comprised First Lieutenant Bruce Wedgewood, adjutant of the second squadron; Second Lieutenant Roy Williams, in charge of the quartermaster and commissary division, and George H. Payne, sergeant major. The staff of Major Sharp of the field hospital consists of Captain George F. Roberts, Lieutenant A. A. Anderson, Lieutenant F. I. Jansen, Lieutenant Paul Ingebretsen and Lieutenant Willard Christopherson.

Governor William Spry and members of his staff, Brigadier General E. A. Wedgewood, adjutant general of Utah, Captain James E. Shelley, U. S. A., instructor-inspector of the National Guard of Utah and Lieutenant Eugene Santschi, mustering officer of the national guard, were present at the entrainment. They complimented the despatch with which the second squadron and the field hospital transferred their equipment to the railway cars.

The Utah boys reached Nogales, Ariz., Sunday afternoon.

It is admitted from the office of the adjutant general that calls are expected daily from the war department at Washington for a third squadron of cavalry from Utah. Captain Thomas Braby of Manti is now alone on the mustering ground at Fort Douglas with troop I, which will form the first unit of the proposed third squadron.

Future mustering of men for the national guard will be performed under the direction of Captain W. B. Elliott, commandant of Fort Douglas, which has been designated as a national guard mustering camp for national guard organizations in the intermountain west.

David R. Thomas, a high school student of Ogden, applied for enlistment in the United States navy, but found that his hammer toe barred him. Young Thomas promptly went to the hospital and suffered the amputation at the first joint of the bothersome toe, reported again for a physical examination and was accepted.

Sergeant Frank N. Schwab, troop F, Utah cavalry, was unable to go to the border a few days before the departure much to his disappointment. He fell a few days before the cavalrymen left for the border with the result that he sustained an internal rupture by the reopening of an old appendicitis wound. Another operation may be necessary.

Marshall B. Allen of Wellsville, a member of troop H. Second squadron, Utah cavalry, left for the Mexican border without his bride of the day before. On Wednesday night young Allen was married to Eva J. Johnson of Bancroft, Idaho, at the Kenyon hotel, with none but the parents of the young couple being any the wiser.

Leonard A. Peterson, 22 years old, of Mount Pleasant, a private of the First Utah cavalry, is in a dangerous condition at the county hospital at San Bernardino, Cal., suffering from transverse myelitis, a serious disease of the spine.

The militiaman was taken from a troop train as it passed through San Bernardino, and at first it was believed he had been stricken with infantile paralysis.