The private social events of the week have been few and far between, the public receptions to the returned volunteers forming as the chief functions of the past seven days. These have been in the nature of a semi-official reception such as were given by the organizations of the G. A. R. at Salem, the Nineteenth ward, etc., and have made the week a busy busy one for the military boys.

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One of the chief private events of the week was the wedding of Miss Anna Merrill and Mr. John Jaques, which occurred on Thursday. The marriage was solemnized at the Temple during the noon hour, and in the evening a supper was served to a few friends at the home of Mrs. Emma Norris, 126 Center street.

The bride was charming in a dainty gown of organdie over white taffeta, elaborately trimmed with white satin ribbons, and carried bride roses. The rooms were beautifully decorated with cut flowers and palms—dahlias and ferns being used for the dining room, and a variety of flowers for the rest of the house. Over the door were draped the American and British flags—the latter as an emblem of the bride's nationality—and with most artistic effect.

The supper was most elaborate. At the table with the bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. Norris, the Misses Lily and Alice Norris, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Thomas Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. John Alvin, Miss Allie Hetherington, Mrs. Peterson, James Wentworth, Ben Pyper, Tom Norris and Ross Davis.

The bride came from England three years ago, and has since been at home in Salt Lake, and the groom has been for some time past connected with the reportorial staff of the paper, to which capacity as well as his position as one of the leading young musicians of the city he is both well and popularly known. Neither the bride nor groom presents which can be enumerated, of the valuable and good gifts in which they are held. Mr. and Mrs. James Jaques received a number of congratulatory telegrams from absent friends, amongst them being messages from some of the chief organists of Europe, and from Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dunn of Denver and T. J. Davies of Scranton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. James will reside at 103 Fifth East street, where they will be at home to their friends after Sept. 10th.

Mrs. W. V. Eberly was the hostess at a pleasant social function on Thursday in honor of Mrs. Campbell of St. Louis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Monagan Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Perry spent the past week at Midway.

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Chauncey Dewdney, who has been studying acoustics in New York during the past year, has returned home. The title of Dr. will henceforth preface his name.

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James J. Ryan of Mercur is the fort at Cuba volunteer to adopt Hyman as his possible brother-in-law. He married Miss Ora Thursday Mr. Ryan and Miss May Pattinsky were married by Justice Lewis, the event taking place at the city and county building.

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Dr. and Mrs. Moritz Boas of New York are visiting their parents, Judge and Mrs. Boas.

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Mr. Evan Roberts of Mt. Alto Cobach left on Tuesday for Park City.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pack are in Carbonate, Alberta, visiting with relatives.

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Mrs. G. F. Pickett, who has been spending the past few weeks at Hobble creek, has returned.

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Miss Bessie of Coal Falls is in the city visiting with friends.

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Miss Armenia Spears left for her home in Tooele on Monday.

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Miss Murdoch who has been spending the summer in California has returned.

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Mrs. Charles Morrison has for her guest Mrs. G. D. Morrison and daughter of Denver.

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Mr. Hugh Cowdell left recently on a short trip to Denver.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hamilton of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting with Mr. E. P. Ottinger.

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Mrs. Walter Dwyer, who has been spending the summer in St. Louis, returned this week.

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Mrs. Freed and Miss Esther Fried returned from Colorado on Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Low will have for their guest during the next month, Mr. Campbell of Denver.

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Mrs. Griffin and Miss Flora Griffin left on Tuesday for a week's stay at Hailey, Hot Springs.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tarbet have for their guests his mother and sister of Mr. Tarbet, Mrs. Tarbet and the Misses Tarbet of Butte, Mont.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don H. Power left for the East on Monday.

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Miss Elsie Travis, who has been spending the past summer in Lewiston, Ia., returned this week.

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Mrs. Stuart Stephenson left on Thursday for the East.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dewsnerry will return from California next week.

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Mr. John Shaw left on Tuesday for a fishing trip to the Weber.

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Mrs. Will Wright will leave shortly for Chicago to join her husband, Mr. W. J. Wright, who is returning from a two years stay in England.

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Mrs. Henry W. Lawrence and Mrs. Joseph Young, who have been summering at Brighton, will return next week.

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The cold weather has not driven off the people yet of Brighton as yet. While some cottages are closed, many other people still remain there, though September, as that month is one of the most delightful in the whole year, at the popular resort. Letters from Brighton say that during the cool nights fires have been lighted and people have had to wear wraps. The cool weather has not driven off the people who have been there all the summer, and a crowd of late formed around the spring.

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Mr. and Mrs. Angus McKeller Jr. have issued invitations for the wedding reception of their daughter Hattie and William Wallace Wright, the ceremony to take place on Wednesday, September 20, at 8:30, at the Presbyterian church, 434 E. Fifth South street. Miss Mabel Wright, one of Salt Lake's well known young ladies and Mr. Hedin of Logan Young man employed at E. R. M. Co.

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Miss Grace Young and Miss Pearl Van Cott entertained a number of their friends at a kensington tea on Thursday afternoon, the occasion being the residence of Mrs. Nat Brigham, 529 First street. The house was prettily decorated in yellow and green, golden-glow, ferns and sprays being used with artistic effect. Dainty refreshments were served during the afternoon, which was pleasantly spent by all.

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Mrs. J. G. Pulsch was the hostess at a luncheon yesterday. The table was tastefully decorated with carnations and ferns and a dainty repast served.

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Mrs. C. S. Williamson entertained a number of her friends at a pleasant card-party this afternoon, in honor of Miss Emma Carl of Dallas, Tex.

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The organs of Westminster church gave a pleasant entertainment last evening, the occasion being a social, and an informal program given by Miss Jessie Ashton, Miss Adams, Messrs. Hotchkiss, Hampton, Ben Pyper, Tom Norris, and Messrs. Hunter, McPherson and Hoyt. Refreshments were served to the participants, after which the church parlors were illuminated, Mrs. Hayward, Miss Dickson, Miss Jessie Williamson, Mrs. Hayward, Miss Salem and Miss Clarke presiding.

The occasion to which refer is the fair for the benefit of the organ fund, Mr. G. S. Ottinger, J. R. Carter, D. M. Stansbury and N. S. Hills.

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One of the early September marriages will be that of Miss Willie Dunsdell and Mr. Ernest Ward. The ceremony will take place on the 6th, at the home of the bride's parents.

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A pleasant event of the week was the dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Low in honor of their guest, Miss Ethel Ottinger, of the wedding anniversary. The guests were Mrs. and Mr. A. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ottinger, Mrs. W. V. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Mills, Mrs. J. Nile, Mrs. Colburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lewis.

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On Tuesday evening the wedding of Miss Nevin Grohse and Mr. Charles Sampson took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grohse, the bride being married by Rev. John Gaskell, in the presence of a large number of friends. The house was tastefully decorated with cut flowers, the dining room being specially dainty in its decorations, the color scheme being pink and green, the table being adorned with cut roses and a dainty menu was served.

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Miss Winnie Hardy left on Tuesday for Wasatch.

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this week from their camping trip on the Weber.

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Mrs. Frank Dey and daughter and Miss Margaret Baker left for Chicago on Thursday.

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Miss Jessie Ore of Tooele spent the past week in Salt Lake visiting with friends.

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Judge and Mrs. Powers returned from Silver Lake this week.

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Mrs. Wilson H. Bradley, who has been visiting with relatives in Wisconsin, returned this week.

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Miss Tooze of Helena is visiting with friends in the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holden left for their home in Cincinnati on Tuesday.

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Mrs. M. M. Johnson and Miss Isabel Johnson left on Thursday for a week's visit at Wasatch.

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Mr. and Mrs. Morris French returned from Wasatch on Monday.

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Miss Ethel Ott, who has been spending the past two months in Idaho, returned this week. She was accompanied by the Misses Wright.

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Dr. Philo R. Jones and family returned this week from Logan canyon, where they have spent the summer.

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Dr. Bacon Grove and family are expected the autumn Salt Lakers who have returned this week from Logan canyon.

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Miss Ada Pyne, who has been visiting with friends in Eureka, returned this week.

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Mrs. W. W. Clawson, whose home during the past year has been in San Francisco, returned to the city and has brought the residence last Saturday, and will spend a month in Salt Lake visiting with relatives.

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Mr. A. A. Olsen left for her guest Miss Hodge, a Cleveland of Burlington, N. Y.

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Miss Hamilton has been the guest of Mrs. W. H. Dunn left for her home in City on Monday.

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Miss Bessie Allred, who has been spending the summer in California, returned this week.

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On Monday Miss Mae E. Ford of Denver and C. H. Gray of Toronto, Ont., were married in the Indian Service of the Catholic church performing the ceremony.

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Miss M. L. Henderson and Edith Walker are spend next week in Ogden.

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Mrs. Hamilton Pope, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Graham, left for her home in Denver this week.

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Miss Fred entertained of Omaha is