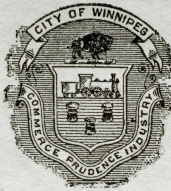


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Bill given for half
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City of Winnipeg

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No. _____

Nov. 24/19.

Chairman & Committee
Civic Reception.

Gentlemen:-

I beg to submit the following report and costs re' entertaining the 1065 men and 86 officers of the Hampshire and Middlesex regiments Imperial Troops during their short stay in Winnipeg whilst en route to England from Siberia.

The men arrived on three trains and they all expressed themselves as being delighted with the splended time given them whilst in the City, whilst the O.C. on each train stated it was the best reception they had ever received, this was proven by the more than hearty cheers given by the men on each train as they pulled out of the Depot.

Every man was given cake, tea, biscuits, cigarettes, apples, a package of tobacco and a copy of a daily newspaper and in addition an orchestra played in the Concourse during the time each train was in the station.

The statement of cost is as follows:

Army & Navy Vets. Band	\$68.00
D. McIntosh (Clarendon) tobacco & cigarettes	217.00
Dingle & Stewart Apples	35.75
Free Press Papers	7.50
A. Douglas Sugar	1.40
Matt Thompson - Fruit Cake	83.30
Paulin Chambers- Biscuits	25.00

\$ 438.05

Your obedient servant,

\$169
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ATW
Has. K. Harper

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