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AMERICAN FLAG FLOATED ABOVE VERACRUZ PORT

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ched off at the conclusion of the ceremony. As the strains of the national anthem were first heard, the signal was given to the fleet for the salute of twenty-one guns.

The escort was drawn up in dress parade formation. The marines were of the Second regiment under Lieutenant Colonel Neville consisting of Major Berkley's battalion and that under Major Butler.

Regiment of Seamen.

Of the seamen, there was the Florida's battalion under Captain Harlee, the place of honor at the front being given to the company of Ensign George Lowry, which suffered in the fighting here as was shown by the shorter line than that presented by other companies. The second was under Ensign Wilkinson. At the left of the Florida's battalion was the battalion of the Utah under Captain Breckinridge and the eighth company of the Second regiment under Captain Dyer.

The companies of the Utah's seamen were commanded by Ensign Badger: first company; Lieutenant Seymour second; Ensign Foster, third; and a machine gun platoon under Ensign Townsend.

Of the troops which bore the brunt of the fighting here, only the battery of Ensign Cresap's was missing with the three-inch gun "Betsy", of the Florida, which was used in the firing in the city. This battery was on duty on the line and could not be brought in for the ceremony.

At the conclusion of the raising of the flag, the escort marched back to quarters, the marine band playing "Semper Fidelis" of Sousa, as a company of bluejackets marched off. Both seamen and marines were cheered and applauded as they moved past the Terminal hotel back to their quarters.

Delano Raises Flag.

The flag was raised over the terminal station by Captain F. H. De-

FREE EXHIBITION OF MOVING PICTURES AND VAUDEVILLE AT THE OLIMPIA THEATRE...

In order to distract the attention of all concerned from the serious events of the day, the enterprising showmen who have in charge the Olympia Theater of Veracruz have secured permission from the authorities to give cinematographic and variety performances at their playhouse. Commencing with this afternoon at four o'clock and terminating at seven, the first 'movies' will be put on. Today's show is free of all charge and... a big crowd is expected, naturally. The Olympia seats about two thousand five hundred and knowing that the desire of American authorities is to keep the town in good humor the empresario is trying to get