

HIS TOUR IS ENDED

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NEW YORK, March 7.—Prince Henry of Prussia today completed his tour, and is once more in New York, where he will remain until Monday, when he will go to Philadelphia.

He was absent for nine days, during which time his special train was within the territory of 12 states, and logged a total distance of 433 miles. He was greatly pleased with his trip, and tonight, through his aid, Captain von Mueller, issued a statement expressing his satisfaction at the opportunity which came to him and his party to inspect the cadets and post at West Point.

"His Royal Highness is very much pleased by his trip into the interior of the United States. He is fully aware of the fact that he has had only a superficial glimpse of a very small portion of the United States, and that he might perhaps have used his time to greater advantage had he remained in one of the larger cities of the East. But he is convinced, nevertheless, that, considering the character of his mission, the trip was the right thing for him to do, and that he has obtained a very fair idea of the vastness of the country and its resources, which the capital of the United States and the great commercial centers of the East alone could not have given him.

But more than this impression he values the hearty welcome which he met in all the places he went through, a welcome that showed him how the people of the United States in which he said he regretted not to have been able always to express his thanks to those who greeted him at the railway stations or who otherwise desired to show him their respect. He wishes to have the intent of that speech conveyed to all those who in the course of the trip gave him such a cordial reception, and especially to those who, early in the morning, when he was not prepared and still in bed, welcomed him with music and cheers.

The receptions in the great cities of the South and Middle West were more than he ever expected, and so were the receptions in the East. But His Royal Highness is equally thankful for what the smaller places did in showing him their goodwill, though the rain at these places stopped only a few minutes, and frequently not at all.

Prince Henry's last day on the special train which carried him to the South, West and East, was in New York, where he and those who accompanied him on the tour, for it began with a visit to Albany, included a run in bright sunlight down the west shore of the Hudson river, and closed with a visit to the United States Military Academy at West Point. It was 2 o'clock when the special train departed from Boston, and daylight when it was climbing through the mountains that divide Massachusetts and New York.

Albany was reached at 8:30 o'clock, and after the ceremonies there the Prince left at 10:30 o'clock for West Point. The train had been transferred to the West Shore Railroad, and George H. Daniels, general passenger agent of the New York Central Railroad, who lunched with him, was the guide who showed him the historical and scenic points from the car window on the way down the river.

At West Point, West Point was reached at 2 o'clock, and the Prince was received with the military honor due his place in the naval service of his country. He was met at the station with a number of the officers of the academy, and with a troop of cavalry which rode with him to the parade grounds on the heights above the town. The Prince showed on the brow of the inclined road Knox battery fired 21 guns. The cadets, formed in six companies, were at once marched on the field, and the Prince, with Colonel Mills and their respective staffs, inspected them.

Dress parade followed, with the Prince as reviewing officer. The cadets, in their handsome gray uniforms, kept their lines perfectly in step, and their marching won the praise of the Prince and his officers. On the second time around the cadets moved at double quick, and once more the Prince was perfectly satisfied. The Prince saluted, and his officers uncovered when the colors passed the reviewing stand.

After the review the cadets were drawn to the parade grounds, and the Prince, accompanied by the staff, advanced to the front of the first company, addressed them. He said: "I wish to congratulate you on your splendid appearance, and on the happy chance of seeing such a splendid lot of young men. I must also congratulate you on having the service of such a splendid lot of young men. I am given to understand that you are about to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the academy, and I trust the occasion will be a happy one. I rejoice at the chance of visiting this beautiful place. Again I thank you."

The parade grounds were surrounded by a great crowd, and the entire review was an impressive picture. The day was bright and clear, and the view of the river and surrounding country was excellent. At the close of the review the Prince visited Memorial Hall, where the officers on duty at the Academy were introduced to him. He greeted them all very warmly, and complimented them on their work. Leaving Memorial Hall, the Prince and his staff went to the riding school, where the cadets gave an exhibition of riding. The Prince was very much pleased with the first class, and at his request Herr repeated the standing jump to the back of his horse in motion. The Prince rode his horse safely on his feet and jumped off without losing his balance. After the display of rough riding the Prince was taken to the gymnasium, and a class of cadets went through their exercises for him.

The parting call of the Prince was at the house of Colonel Mills, whom he repeatedly congratulated and thanked. He was so much interested in the post that he prolonged his stay to midnight, when the time sent for his departure. Colonel Mills was invited to ride on the special to New York, and rode with the Prince to the station.

As the carriage, with cavalry escort, left the grounds, another salute of 21 guns was fired. The special left West Point 30 minutes behind schedule time, but made it up before Weehawken was reached.

Again at New York. Consul-General Buena and Consul Gessler met the Prince at Weehawken, and escorted him to the ferry steamer West Point. At the pier the Prince encountered a crowd of curious onlookers, who welcomed him with cheers. The West Point ran to Forty-second street, and landed its royal passenger at 5:30 o'clock. Captain of Detachment Titus and two detectives, a score of gauds and the mounted police were on

hand to conduct the Prince to the Waldorf-Astoria.

The Prince had originally intended to return to the Hohenzollern, but the discovery of a case of scarlet fever in the crew changed his mind. He did not fear infection, but he decided in view of the fact that he is to meet a large number of persons during the four remaining days of his stay in the United States, that it would be better to go to a hotel. His flag will not be removed from the Hohenzollern until the steamer Deutschland, upon which he will return home, comes alongside the pier and is ready to receive him. He will then board the Deutschland, and remain on her and use her as his flagship.

Prince Henry reached the hotel shortly after 6 o'clock, and retired at once to his apartments, where he rested and made preparations for the evening. The night, which consisted of dinner at the University Club and a "komers" at the Arion Club. Meanwhile, the entrance to the hotel, the hotel set apart for the Prince and his suite and attendants was closely guarded by policemen, and no one was allowed to enter. A crowd had gathered on the street, and at 8 o'clock the Prince entered his carriage, and at 8 o'clock he was greeted with cheers. The Prince occupied a closed carriage. The members of his suite and his party followed in other cars to the University Club on Fifth Avenue.

The German Ambassador and the Consul-General, with General Nelson A. Miles and his staff, were the only guests at the dinner. The Prince met the president of the club, Henry E. Howland, in the reception-room, and after a few minutes of informal conversation, the Prince and his party entered the dining room. There were no speeches, and only three toasts: "The President of the United States," "The German Emperor," and "The Prince Henry of Prussia." At the close of the dinner Prince Henry, escorted by Judge Howland, went through the clubhouse, visiting the library and other rooms. His horse was taken to the main hall, where an informal reception was held. President Howland introducing the members.

Prince Henry and his party left the University Club shortly after 11 o'clock and drove to the Arion Club, where between 300 and 400 ex-students of German universities had prepared a typical "beer komers" in honor of the Prince. The room was tastefully and appropriately decorated. Dr. Karl Breck presided at the guest table. The komers had been in progress for some time when the Prince and his party entered. Dr. Breck met and escorted him into the hall and those present stood up and cheered the Prince again and again, while the band played the German national anthem. Dr. Breck then delivered his address of welcome. All the speaking was in German. The Prince, responding to the address of welcome, said: "I am very glad to be here, and to be in the company of my friends. I wish to express my thanks to those who have made this trip so pleasant for me. I am sure that the German people will be proud of the part which they have taken in this trip."

After the speeches, the Prince remained for some time talking to those around him and showing much interest in the proceedings. He was seen to have a great amount of pleasure in the music and the German national anthem. The guests cheered as he walked through the hall, and the Prince returned to his quarters at 12 o'clock.

On leaving the Arion Club, the Prince and party were driven to the Waldorf-Astoria and immediately retired for the night.

GERMANY IN THE CARIBBEAN. Probable Object of Prince Henry's Visit to America. NEW YORK, March 7.—"I am informed from a trustworthy source," says the Berlin correspondent of the Herald, "that the visit of Prince Henry to America, and Washington, is to bring about an agreement by which Germany will be permitted to maintain a large fleet in Caribbean waters. The fleet of German warships assembled at Guaymas is styled as that of the American station. Captain Stiege, of the Vesta, has just received the title of Commodore, and will be in command of the German fleet, henceforth flying his own ensign. Although the fleet was sent to Venezuela only for the enforcement of rights guaranteed to German capital and citizens, it already consists of five vessels, and it is intended to steadily increase this number. A difficult issue is the acquisition of a repair dock at a strategic station.

"The hope is entertained here that no objection will be made to the maintenance of the fleet in the West Indies, because it is hoped that the fleet will be used for defensive purposes and not to acquire territory. "Protection is desired especially because the Berlin Government now undertakes the task of directing the German migration to German capital and citizens. In order to do this, the work had been performed by the Hansaatic League and the Colonial Society. The bureau is at the home office, and the work is being done by the sailing officer. It is mainly intended to induce German emigrants to settle in German colonies, or if they cannot be induced to go there, to settle in the United States, where the home ties are still preserved."

Fixing Up the Deutschland. NEW YORK, March 7.—Skilled artists are busy on the deck of the Deutschland, preparing the officers' quarters on the bridge of the great liner for the reception and the accommodation of Prince Henry of Prussia on his return voyage. The quarters of the Kaiser and his officers are being completely transformed for the use of the Prince and his suite. The Deutschland will sail at 3:30 o'clock on Monday, and will be accompanied by the royal passenger will board her at Hoboken.

Condensed Milk Trust. CHICAGO, March 7.—Another step toward forming a condensed milk combination, according to the Chronicle of Elgin, Ill., special, the condensing factories at St. Charles, Ill., and Ingersoll, Canada, which were bought by Herbert Nicholson, of St. Charles, have passed into the hands of the Borden Condensed Milk Company, of New York. The deal was consummated by William T. Rogers, president of the Borden Company. The consideration is understood to be \$500,000. The original investment made by Nicholson five years ago was \$200,000. Entering the business a poor man, he retired one of the wealthiest men in Kane County.

Possibility of a Coal Famine. NEW YORK, March 7.—Recent floods and wash-outs in the coal regions have given rise to apprehension of a coal famine, not only in this city, but at other manufacturing centers. However, the supply of hard coal stored in this city will last about 30 days, even if no coal trains whatever come in during that period. Operators in anthracite generally take a hopeful view of the prospect of relief in the near future. It is understood the price of anthracite will be reduced 50 cents a ton on April 1.

Big Sale of Automobiles. CHICAGO, March 7.—It is claimed that since last Saturday afternoon \$5,000,000 worth of automobiles have been sold by the dealers who have their machines on exhibition at the automobile show. The amount is more than the aggregate of all the machines sold by dealers in this city for the past two years.

In all about 300 machines are said to have been sold or ordered. The average value of the automobiles contracted for is \$1,000, some bringing as high as \$2,500, and others selling for \$750.

Minnesota Constitutional Convention. ST. PAUL, March 7.—The House today, by a vote of 99 to 12, passed the Smith bill, providing for the holding of constitutional convention.

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LONDON, March 8.—The Daily Mail this morning publishes a letter from its Madrid correspondent, stating that all the important Spanish newspapers are discussing the possibility of prolonging the regency, owing to the incapacity of King Alfonso to exercise the functions of a sovereign. There is talk of forming a sort of King's Council, which would be composed of the Queen Regent, the political Cortes, the archbishop of Toledo and the ex-President of the Council of Ministers.

Another version of the story is that the Queen Regent is to prolong her regency for five years, in order to enable the King to complete his travels by sea. The correspondent concludes his letter by saying that the censor stops all telegrams on this subject.

Spanish Treaties Must Wait. WASHINGTON, March 7.—The new Spanish treaties must wait upon the accession to the throne of the young Spanish King, before they can be ratified, owing to the reluctance of the existing government to assume any measure of responsibility pending the expiration of the regency and the coronation of the young King. The treaties will occur in May, and it is expected that a new cabinet, and a stronger one, will be installed, it is hoped that the delay in the treaty negotiations will be very brief.

REBUKED KING EDWARD. Clergyman's Remarks on His Brewing and Sunday Concert-Giving. LONDON, March 7.—There was a striking scene in the City Temple yesterday, when, during the course of his sermon, the Rev. Joseph Parker, D. D., the minister, administered a pointed rebuke to King Edward, who was loudly applauded by the congregation. Having alluded to public houses as "temples of hell," Dr. Parker referred to the recent brewing of beer while visiting Lord Burton.

"Pray for me," said the divine, "that I may speak delicately, loyally. If the King brews beer, what can be wrong in the subject drinking it? What the King does is likely to be imitated by others. His Majesty is more than a king, and must regard all questions from a kingly point of view. If the King goes to a Sunday concert, as he did recently, he deals a deadly blow to the Englishman's Sunday. The King cannot attend a non-conformist place of worship, but he can go to a Sunday concert."

This remark called forth cries of "Shame" and "Down with the King." The King, who is the head of the church and defender of the faith, can violate the English Sunday, what can the people do but follow in his footsteps? The speaker gave a great sum in gold than appear to be disloyal; but I cannot be disloyal to Christ, and it is better that these things should be said."

BRITISH ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE. Foundation Stone Laid by King Edward at Dartmouth. LONDON, March 7.—King Edward, accompanied by Queen Alexandra, laid the foundation stone of the new Royal Naval College for Cadets at Dartmouth today, and thereby, figuratively speaking, scuttled the old training-ship Britannia, the alma mater of all the present generation of British naval officers. The royal party traveled from London by the train built to celebrate the coronation of the King and the jubilee, and covered the whole distance, 235 miles, without a stoppage. On their arrival at Dartmouth their Majesties were met by the Lord of the Admiralty and drove through the decorated town to the college grounds, where they were received by a guard of honor of cadets. The laying of the foundation stone was accompanied by the usual ceremonial. Papers and coins were deposited in a casket made of oak from the Britannia, which was placed beneath the stone. Germany was represented by the German school ship Moltke, which her cadets drawn up on the grounds and inspected by the King. Their Majesties afterwards proceeded to Plymouth, where Queen Alexandra, accompanied by the British first-class battle-ship Queen.

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Prince Henry was given a warm ovation, and the Senator rising, extended his hands for half a minute. When the applause had ceased, Prince Henry, smiling and seemingly very happy with his reception, said: "I wish to thank you most heartily for the kind reception met with here. It is one of the many acts of kindness which I have received during my stay in the United States at the hands of your countrymen, and which I am not likely to forget."

The assembly committee were then present to the Prince, and he was escorted to the Senate chamber, Clerk Baxter, standing near the south corridor, announced in a loud voice: "His Royal Highness, Prince Henry of Prussia."

Immediately Speaker Nixon brought his gavel down heavily and everybody in the chamber arose. The Prince, with Assemblyman Aldrich on his right, and followed by his entire suite and the Assembly reception committee, was escorted to the Speaker's desk. Speaker Nixon made a cordial speech, in which he welcomed the Prince, expressing his appreciation of the Prince's visit. The Prince was applauded at the conclusion.

After leaving the Assembly chamber, the Prince passed down the magnificent western staircase. On reaching the first landing he stopped, and after intently looking at it for a time, he stated that it was one of the grandest he had ever had the privilege of looking at. He left the Capitol by the east entrance, and was driven slowly to the station. All along the way he was loudly cheered and was kept busy acknowledging the ovation.

At the depot the train was boarded, after farewells had been exchanged, and the Prince departed for New York.

Cholera in Arabia. CONSTANTINOPLE, March 7.—Cholera has broken out among the pilgrims at Medina. One hundred and ten deaths from the disease have occurred.

England's Foreign Trade. LONDON, March 7.—The statement of the Board of Trade for February shows an increase of £1,975,300 in imports, and £24,800 in exports.

Applications for Japanese Loan. YOKOHAMA, March 7.—The applications for the issue of 10,000,000 yen in exchange bills totalled 15,000,000 yen.

Knock-out in the Fifth. Joe Chynski Defends "Wild Bill" Hanrahan at Louisville. LOUISVILLE, March 7.—Joe Chynski, of Chicago, defeated "Wild Bill" Hanrahan in the fifth round of what was scheduled as a 25-round match before the Empire Athletic Club, at Music Hall, in this city tonight. The knock-out blow came after a hot mix-up which ended with Chynski putting a stiff left to Wild Bill's jaw, and following it up with a right to the fifth round. The knock-out blow was a hard one, and Chynski was up in an instant and did not seem to be troubled. The second and third rounds were "chynski" and he was loudly cheered and was landed on Hanrahan's jaw four times without a return. In the fourth round, however, the men mixed it up and both landed a few punches on each other, but Chynski's jaw three times without return. Both men seemed tired when the going sounded. At the beginning of the fifth round, Chynski, who had followed a clinch, but Chynski had the better of the fighting and sent in two rights to Hanrahan's jaw. The latter then became very angry, and Chynski, who was left to Hanrahan's jaw, following it with a right to the jaw, which put the New Yorker down and out.

WELCOMED AT ALBANY

PRINCE HENRY AT THE CAPITAL OF NEW YORK STATE.

Saw the Legislature in Session and Handled the Sword Presented by Frederick to Washington.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 7.—It was 12:25 o'clock