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Eastern Oregon Weather

Tonight and Sunday cloudy and threatening with occasional rain.

HENRY IS NOW ON THE OCEAN

Princess comes to Visit Uncle Sam and Cement Friendship Between the Empire and the Republic--Enthusiastic Well-Wishing by His Countrymen When He Sailed on the Kron Prince Wilhelm.

GERMAN PRINCE DEPARTS FROM BREMER-HAVEN.

Crowds Cheered and German Newspapers Spoke Jubilantly of the Forthcoming Festivities at the Yacht Launching in This Country.

Bremen, Feb. 15.—Prince Henry, after an early breakfast at Kiel and having bid farewell, boarded a special train with his suite, a crowd cheering his departure.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—Papers here comment on Prince Henry's departure in jubilant tones. They take the ground that as the recent misunderstanding has been cleared away, the prince's visit will cement the friendship between Germany and the United States.

New York, Feb. 15.—Rear-Admiral Hobley D. Evans formally took command of the four warships for the welcoming of Prince Henry this morning.

Admiral Von Baudissen. New York, Feb. 15.—Admiral Von Baudissen, commander of the German imperial yacht Hohenzollern, was busy yesterday receiving and returning calls.

At 2 o'clock Admiral Baker, of the Brooklyn navy yard, returned the call to Admiral Baudissen.

THE BIG FIGHTERS SIGNED THE ARTICLES.

Jeffries and Fitzsimmons to Meet for World's Heavy-Weight Championship.

New York, Feb. 15.—Jeffries and Fitzsimmons signed articles today for a fight for the world's heavyweight championship, the contest to take place before the club offering the best inducement on or before May 15, and to be a 20-round affair.

Young Roosevelt is Cheerful. Groton, Mass., Feb. 15.—Young Roosevelt slept the greater part of the night and awoke bright and cheerful.

HIS SOLITARY TOASTING ONLY SURVIVOR OF LAST MAN'S BROTHERHOOD

Dines Tonight in Philadelphia—Table Set for 33—He Feasts Alone.

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Philadelphia has been the scene of many notable banquets, but what is probably the most unique that has ever taken place here will be held this evening.

Mr. Bell, whose melancholy fate it is to make thirty-two toasts to thirty-two vanished friends is 60 years old. It was during the years immediately preceding the civil war that the play "Geoffrey Dale" was staged here, and in one of the scenes a bottle of wine was done up in a wicker hamper and stored away to be drunk by a last survivor.

RESERVES TO BE POLICED.

To Prevent Cutting, Fires and Protect Watersheds. Tacoma, Feb. 15.—Instructions from Washington are that the numerous northwestern forest reserves hereafter will be stringently policed by inspectors the year round to prevent timber cutting, fires raging and that watersheds of rivers also be protected.

Y. M. C. A. Indoor Meet.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 15.—A notable athletic tournament is in progress here today under the auspices of the state Y. M. C. A. and as a feature of the annual convention of the organization.

New Railroad Completed.

Deming, N. M., Feb. 15.—The new Bisbee-Southwestern railroad between Deming and Douglas was practically completed and made ready for traffic today.

Lawn Tennis.

New York, Feb. 15.—The attention of tennis devotees is centered in the twenty-first annual meeting of the National Lawn Tennis association, which is to be held this evening at the Waldorf-Astoria.

New York Fencers vs. Naval Cadets.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 15.—The team of the New York Fencers' club came to Annapolis today to cross swords with the crack fencers of the United States naval academy.

TO RAISE THE COUNTY VALUATION

Proposition is to Increase the Total Assessment From \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000--Rail and Telephone Lines to Furnish Most of the Increase.

ed From \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000. A proposition has been submitted by some of the members of the Commercial Association that the assessment this year be raised from \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000, the increase to be mostly in the higher valuation of the railroad and telephone lines that run through the county.

SHAMAKA EARTHQUAKE

DETAILS ARE RECEIVED.

The Shocks Had Not Ceased Up to Midnight--Many Bodies Recovered.

Vienna, Feb. 15.—A few details of the Shamaka earthquake are received. The shocks opened up great fissures into which hundreds fell and perished. Over 100 bodies had been recovered up to last night at which time the quakes had not ceased.

BILLY WEST, FAMOUS

MINSTREL, IS DEAD.

Had Cancer and Underwent Fifteen Operations During His Illness. Chicago, Feb. 15.—Billy West, the famous minstrel dancer, died here this morning from cancer and a complication of diseases.

HEGELMAN-CAVANAUGH

TEAM WINS THE WALK.

They Are in the Lead and 150 Miles Ahead of the Record. New York, Feb. 15.—The six day walk ends tonight. This morning the Hegelman-Cavanaugh team still held the lead and undoubtedly will be awarded the first prize.

Holy Cross and Brown Debate.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 15.—A lively interest is displayed in the debate between representatives of Holy Cross and Brown Universities, which takes place tonight.

Chicago Shows Interest.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—With the object in view of showing Chicago's appreciation for Missouri's efforts toward promoting the World's Columbian Exposition, the Chicago Press Club has arranged for a dinner this evening in honor of the officials of the Louisiana officials, including ex-Governor Francis, president of the company, arrived in the city today and were heartily received.

Remember the Maine.

Havana, Feb. 15.—It was four years ago today that the ill-fated battleship Maine was blown up and sunk in Havana harbor.

New Superintendent of M. P.

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—L. M. Hardy today assumed the duties of general superintendent of the Missouri Pacific railway and its leased lines operated in Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska and Colorado.

CONGRATULATED BY MANY

SUSAN B. ANTHONY REACHES 82d MILESTONE

She Retains Fine Health and Works as Though Young. Washington, Feb. 15.—Miss Susan B. Anthony, who has been in Washington this week in attendance on the annual convention of the National Woman Suffrage Association, was eighty-two years old today.

PHILIPPINE BILL GOES TO

VOTE NEXT THURSDAY.

So Expected by the Senators--Irrigation Bill Comes Next, Also Danish Treaty.

Washington, Feb. 15.—It is fully expected by democrats and republicans in the senate that the Philippines tariff bill will be passed next week.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Ends Life Today by Congressional Limitation.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The life of the industrial commission expired today by congressional limitation.

STORM ON THE COAST.

Heavy Gale Raging Off Astoria--Damage Expected.

Astoria, Feb. 15.—One of the heaviest gales of the season is raging off the coast today. No damage is yet reported, but disasters to shipping are expected.

Chinamen Excel American Sailors.

Washington, Feb. 15.—In the excursion bill hearing before the senate immigration committee today, Captain Seabury of the Pacific Mail Company, declared the Chinese in many respects are superior to American seamen.

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MISS STONE TO BE FREE

Statement is Absolute This Time Upon the Authority of the Government at Washington--The Demands of the Freebooters Have at Last Been Complied With and Her Freeing is Near.

The State Department confirms the Report and Says She Will Be at Liberty "Soon as Brigands Are Out of the Woods." Washington, Feb. 15.—The state department today officially confirmed the dispatches that conveyed news of the payment of Miss Stone's ransom to the kidnapers, and stated in addition that Miss Stone's actual liberation would take place as soon as the brigands are out of the woods.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

New York, Feb. 15.—The wheat held within a narrow range today, there being only 1/4 fluctuation all day. The export shipments for the week were light, being only 3,200,000, compared with 4,800,000 for the same week last year.

Wheat in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—Wheat—111 1/2 @ 78 1/2.

Wheat in Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Wheat—78 1/2 @ 78 1/2.

Rural Mail Service in New Mexico.

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 15.—The first route in New Mexico for rural mail delivery was put in operation today.

A Cincinnati Fire.

Cincinnati, Feb. 15.—The plant of the Cincinnati Butchers' Supply Company burned this morning, the loss being \$100,000.

Light, Sweet Wholesome Bread, Cake Delicious Pastry

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Royal Baking Powder is the greatest of time and labor savers to the pastry cook.

There are cheap baking powders, made from alum, but their astringent and cauterizing qualities add a dangerous element to food.