

## RECEPTIONS TO PRINCE HENRY

### Triumphal Tour of the Kaiser's Brother Continues

THE ROYAL VISITOR IS EVERYWHERE RECEIVED WITH THE GREATEST ENTHUSIASM.

Forty Thousand People Crowded Around His Train at Cincinnati and Cheered Him—He Is Going to Chattanooga to Visit the Battlefields—The Germans Are Pleased with the Honors He Receives Here.

CINCINNATI, O., Mar. 1.—Prince Henry, of Prussia, traversed the states of Maryland, Pennsylvania and Ohio today, and Tennessee, with the battlefields around Chattanooga as his final Southern goal.

He stopped for a formal reception at Altoona, Pittsburg, Columbus and Cincinnati, but the welcome extended to him was not limited to these places. Everywhere along the line, after daylight came, and until long after darkness, the people gathered at the stations to cheer him as he sped along. The train bearing Prince Henry and party reached this city at 8:45, and remained a half hour for demonstrations at the Panhandle depot, when it was transferred across the city and left for Chattanooga. The station and streets about it, and even the yards, were filled with people long before the scheduled time of arrival. It is estimated there were from 30,000 to 40,000 people in the vicinity, and that many more within the station and yards. Considering the shortness of the reception it surpassed anything ever witnessed in this city.

Germany Is Delighted. Berlin, Mar. 1.—The first quick impression of wonder over the reception of Prince Henry in the United States has passed, but fresh incidents of the Prince's experiences continue to entertain the public. The newspapers here handle the dispatches from the United States as though they were installments of a serial romance and the curiosity as to what will happen next is nearly as keen as when Prince Henry embarked. The politicians and writers, however, are beginning to examine his visit from the standpoint of class and party views. What at first were either expansive expressions of pleasure or silence, are replaced now by reflections of analytical minds, who explained why the visit is a good thing, or of use as political material.

A SPLENDID RECORD. The Wireless Telegraph Tested Successfully at Sea.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Signor Marconi, who arrived today on the Philadelphia from Southampton, reported the new wireless telegraph record: "This time," said Marconi, "fifteen hundred miles at sea, regular messages were received from the Cornwall station, and ticks were recorded at a distance of 2000 miles."

AN EARLY SETTLEMENT.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—General Wood has indicated to the Auditor of Cuba that it is his desire to finally settle the accounts of the officers of the army, for funds and property pertaining to the Military Government of Cuba by March 15th.

THE BOER LOSSES.

Many Prisoners Made During the Recent Operations of Kitchener.

LONDON, Mar. 1.—Kitchener reports that the Boer losses in the recent operations were fifty men killed, ten wounded and 750 made prisoners. In addition to these, Kitchener says, it is reported that over a hundred Boers, killed or wounded, were carried off after the attack on the blockhouse line, February 24th. These figures, however, cannot be verified.

A CHINESE REBELLION. Missionaries Given a Safeguard Out of the Affected District.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1.—The State Department has made public the following cablegram: Consul McWade, at Canton, China, dated February 27th: "It was learned at midnight that a rebellion has broken out at Nan King. At the request of the Governor of Kwang Si province the missionaries were asked to leave immediately, under a pledged escort, to be taken to Wuchow."

Peking, Mar. 1.—The Chinese Foreign Office now admits that the rebellion in the vicinity of the city of Nan King, province of Kwang Si, is very grave. Over 1000 former soldiers are engaged in pillaging. An edict has been issued commanding the Chinese authorities to afford protection to the missionaries and other foreigners.

A PRAIRIE FIRE. Guthrie, O. T., March 1.—A destructive prairie fire near Fort Cobb did great damage to 100 homesteaders.

sweeping away improvements, stock, and personal property, and compelling the people to flee for their lives.

A NEBRASKA FIRE. The Little Town of Sutton Had a Heavy Loss Last Night.

OMAHA, Neb., March 1.—The Oakland Hotel, at Sutton, Neb., was completely destroyed by fire tonight. Many of the guests barely escaped with their lives, and nearly all lost valuables. The Hastings fire department arrived in time to prevent a spread of the fire to any but unimportant building adjoining. The loss is \$16,000.

SOMBRERO WON.

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 1.—Sombbrero won the California derby, one and a quarter miles at Oakland today in a gallop, from Corrigan, Water-scratch being a distant third. Time, 2:16.4.

BATTLE OF SAN JUAN.

HAVANA, Mar. 1.—Vassili Verestchagin, the Russian painter, has arrived here on his way to Santiago, to paint a picture of the battle of San Juan for President Roosevelt.

BOER ENVOYS.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1.—Wessels and Wolmarans, the Boer envoys, arrived here tonight.

## SEVERAL BILLS PASS

WORK OF THE SENATE YESTERDAY WAS IMPORTANT

The Conference Report on the Philippine Tariff Bill Agreed To—An Irrigation Measure of Interest to States Having Arid Lands.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Considerable important business was disposed of by the Senate today. What is known as the omnibus claims bill and the measure providing for the irrigation of public lands were passed, the conference report on the Philippine tariff bill was agreed to, and the shipping bill was made unfinished business.

The irrigation measure provides that all moneys received from the sale of public lands in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North and South Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming, beginning July 1st last be devoted to the construction of necessary irrigation works for the reclamation of arid lands the work to be done and the money expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior. The bill was under discussion for several hours, but encountered no opposition and was passed without a roll call.

In the House. Washington, March 1.—The House Committee on Arid Lands ordered a favorable report on the bill, introduced in the House by Newlands, of Nevada, with an amendment giving each state or territory the major portion of the irrigation fund derived from its public land sales.

PRESIDENT IN EARNEST. Wants Federal Office Holders to Keep Out of Politics.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The following statement was made public at the White House today: After inquiry of the President as to what the President's views were in regard to the political activity, especially in any practical difference within the party, of his appointees, Major Hogan stated to the President that he would be compelled to withdraw his name from consideration in connection with the appointment of internal revenue collector for the Southern District of Illinois, as he desired to continue actively to participate in the politics of the state.

The President reiterated today to various Illinois representatives, both in Congress and in executive offices, that he expected his appointees in Illinois to keep clear of any active factional work; that the election of a Senator from Illinois was for the Illinois people only to decide, and that he expected the Federal appointees in that state to serve their party by doing their work in their respective offices in first-class shape, and by refraining from any improper factional activity in connection with matters with which the Federal administration had no proper concern.

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A THIEVING POSTMASTER. Sold a Friend's Goods and Started for British Columbia.

SPOKANE, Wash., Mar. 2.—Chas. Chandler, postmaster at Phoenix, Wash., was arrested at Roseburg today, being taken from the train on which he was making good time toward the British Columbia boundary. Chandler had been left in charge of the stock of goods at Phoenix, owned by C. W. Francis. It is claimed he closed out a large part of the stock last week, pocketed the cash and started to get out of the country.

## THE FLOODS IN PENNSYLVANIA

### Allegheny River at Pittsburg Is Higher Than Ever Before

THE DAMAGE TO INDUSTRIES AND PROPERTY IN THAT CITY IS ENORMOUS.

Lower Portions Are Flooded, and the People Suffering—Fourth Story of a Bakery Plant Breaks Down Carrying Death and Destruction With It—More Victims of the Colorado Avalanches at Telluride.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Mar. 1.—Tonight the Allegheny river marks show 37.6, and is still rising. The flood marks of 1884 will in all likelihood be passed, and thirty-five feet, the highest point ever reached by water here, in 1832, may be equalled. A reliable estimate of money damage can not be made at this time, but it will be very heavy. Already 50,000 men have been made temporarily idle by the forced closing down of the mills, factories, and other industries, and the number is likely to be greatly increased.

No drownings nor serious accidents have resulted up to the present. Tonight Allegheny City is a modern Venice, and every sort of improvised water craft is in service. In Pittsburg proper, from The Point to Ninth street, and as far back as Penn avenue, everything is flooded. The south side is literally swamped, but there is not a drop of water available for home purposes, nor for fire

## CONGRESSMAN MOODY WINS OUT IN HIS HOME

Carried the Republican Primaries in Wasco County Against J. N. Williamson—Will Carry the County Convention Easily.

THE DALLES, Or., Mar. 1.—In the Republican primaries today, Congressman M. A. Moody carried three out of four precincts in the Dalles, and gained a majority of country delegates over State Senator J. N. Williamson. Mr. Moody is expected to carry the county convention easily.

fighting should it become necessary. The Mohongahela river reached the water company's plant, putting out the fire and forcing a shut-down.

The Watape Falling. Philadelphia, Pa., Mar. 1.—During the day, the Schuylkill river began to recede, and tonight had fallen about three feet.

The machinery in the inundated industrial establishments and the household furniture in dwellings partly submerged, have been damaged to an enormous extent. The loss will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars. At least three fatalities occurred today. One man was drowned at Spring Mill, another at Kutztown, and a third at St. Clair.

Five Were Killed. Cleveland, O., Mar. 1.—The fourth floor of the Cleveland Baking Company's plant fell beneath the weight of a large number of barrels of flour today, crashing through the three upper floors into the basement. Five persons are missing, four girls, and a man, known boy. They were among those who took part in the search for the victims of the first slide. Nothing was done toward the recovery of the bodies of those buried by the first and second slides. The work is considered so dangerous that Superintendent Chase forbade any attempts in that line. It is thought by Monday the slide will have run so that the search for the dead may be prosecuted without danger.

The Telluride Horror. Telluride, Colo., Mar. 1.—Five names have been added to the list of yesterday's snow slide victims, making the known dead nineteen. The bodies were found in the third slide. They were Alf Swanson, J. G. Cedarberg, Louis E. Lundberg, Andrew Aho, and an unknown boy. They were among those who took part in the search for the victims of the first slide. Nothing was done toward the recovery of the bodies of those buried by the first and second slides. The work is considered so dangerous that Superintendent Chase forbade any attempts in that line. It is thought by Monday the slide will have run so that the search for the dead may be prosecuted without danger.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY. Loud Wants Contract Instead of a Salary System.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Under the order made last week, the House today went into committee of the whole and entered upon the consideration of the bill to classify the rural free-delivery service and substitute the constabulary for the salary system for rural carriers.

Loud (Cal.) in opening the debate, declared that in his opinion the question involved was of more importance than any which would come before the present Congress. Upon its solution would depend whether the rural free-delivery service would cost ultimately \$60,000,000 or \$20,000,000 per annum. The rural free-delivery up to this time, he said, had been a political one, and it had given many members of Congress their first taste of the sweets of public patronage. He traced the history and rapid growth of the service and its cost, declaring that it was the most extravagant in the public service. The bill was carefully drawn, Loud said, to provide against the possibility of a recurrence of the star-route scandals.

## FIGHTING IN PHILIPPINES

### Constabulary and Insurgents Meet in Sharp Conflict

GENERAL LUKBAN WANTS A CERTIFICATE OF GOOD BEHAVIOR FROM AMERICANS.

The Shipping Bill Called Up in the United States Senate Yesterday—Frye Delivered a Long Address on the Subject—Effort to Classify the Rural Free Delivery Service and Contract It.

MANILLA, Mar. 3.—Twenty-five members of the constabulary of Morong, ten miles from Manila, encountered eighty well armed insurgents today. The former fled, after expending all their ammunition. Eleven of the constabulary are unaccounted for, and it is believed they were killed or captured.

Governor Flores, of the province of Rizal, says members of the band who recently captured Ampil, president of Cainta, Morong province, were neither Ladrones nor insurgents. He takes it a private feud was at the bottom of the matter.

General Lukban has offered to assist in suppressing the insurgents, if given a certificate that he conducted his share of the war according to civilized usages. The offer has not yet been considered favorably.

The Shipping Bill. Washington, Mar. 3.—The Senate today began consideration of the shipping bill, the measure to provide for the ocean mail service between the United States and foreign ports, and the common defense; to promote commerce, and to encourage deep sea fisheries.

Frye made the opening statement in support of the bill. He occupied the floor nearly two hours. The address was largely technical, but the argument was listened to with close attention by the Senators on both sides of the Chamber. Before the consideration of the shipping bill, many minor measures were adopted.

Rural Mail. Washington, Mar. 3.—The House today began consideration of the bill to classify the Rural Free Delivery service and place the carriers under the contract system. The debate was interrupted by the presentation of the conference report upon the Philippine Tariff bill. Payne, the majority leader, declined to allow the minority more than thirty minutes in which to discuss the report, and this offer was rejected. A filibuster followed and the House adjourned after the previous question on the adoption of the report had been ordered.

Against Panama Route. Washington, Mar. 3.—The subcommittee of Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals today agreed to recommend to the full committee, that the legal complications surrounding the Panama offer are such that the United States should not accept it. This subcommittee consists of Senators Morgan, Mitchell, Kittredge, Fritchard, Foster (Ia.) and Turner. Senator Fritchard was not at the meeting today. While Senator Kittredge said that he reserved the right to make a minority report to the full committee, the other four members united in the recommendation.

NOTES FROM HAWAII. Steamers Arriving Here Have Suffered from Fierce Storms.

HONOLULU, Feb. 24.—The steamships Alameda and Doric, arriving yesterday morning, were both a whole day late from San Francisco, and each encountered fearful storms en route. On the 15th the Alameda's wheelhouse was smashed by the sea and her steam steering gear was broken. The brigantine Tanner arrived on the 19th, leaking, and with her crew much worn out by the overwork of keeping the pumps going. She left Port Blakely for Honolulu and had to put into San Francisco in distress to repair her pumps. Then she started here and met the storms that have made trouble for other vessels. She was twenty-five days between here and San Francisco.

The steamer Margherita, bound for Manila, from Portland, put in here for coal after nineteen days at sea. She ran aground of the harbor, but got off without being damaged.

The Navy Department has begun actual work at Pearl Harbor. A large dredger is now being used to deepen the entrance to the harbor. Kealekua Bay, a place of historic interest as the earliest definite recorded landing point of whites on these islands and the scene of the killing of the English explorer, Captain Cook, has been chosen as the site of the terminus of the Kona-Kauai Railway, now being constructed. The road will eventually be extended to the volcano Kilaeau, where it will meet a proposed extension of the Hilo-Railway, completing a circuit of the island of Hawaii.

The Merchants' Association of Honolulu has adopted resolutions asking the aid of the Federal Government to put Honolulu in first-class sanitary condition as done by the Government in the case of Havana and other places in the island of Cuba and the new possessions.

The transport Grant arrived here by the Sierra to take part in a presentation of "The Messiah," met with an accident two days after arriving here, breaking her arm in two places. She tripped up on an unobserved rise in a sidewalk and fell heavily.

Mrs. Geheva Johnstone Bishop, the oratorio singer, who arrived here by the Sierra to take part in a presentation of "The Messiah," met with an accident two days after arriving here, breaking her arm in two places. She tripped up on an unobserved rise in a sidewalk and fell heavily.

MORE AVVALANCHES. Twenty Men Killed on Red Mountain by a Snow Slide.

SILVERTON, Colo., March 3.—News came today from Gladstone, of the death of the 18-year-old son of Richard Tovey, by a snowslide at Fishers. There is an unconfirmed rumor that the snowslide carried away all the buildings of the Sunnyside mine, on Red Mountain, killing twenty men.

FAST AND FURIOUS. CHICAGO, March 2.—Bennie Yanger, of Chicago, and Kid Broad, of Cleveland fought six rounds to a draw tonight, at the American Club. Yanger was in trouble during the last round, and Referee Hearn's decision was hissed. The fight was fast from the outset.

HEAVY BRITISH LOSS. CONSORT OF A CONVOY CUT TO PIECES BY BOERS.

The English Troops Lost Over Six Hundred Men, and Two Guns—Mules Stampeded Carrying Their Wagons With Them.

LONDON, March 3.—A dispatch from Pretoria dated today contains details of the disaster to the consort of the convoy of empty wagons at Vondopon, southwest of Klerksdorp, Transvaal Colony. The British casualties in killed, wounded and men made prisoners, reach the total of 632. In addition, the Boers captured two guns. Lieutenant Colonel Anderson, who commanded the British force and who has returned to Kraaipan, Cape Colony, with nine officers and 245 men, reports that when his advance guard was within ten miles of Klerksdorp, during the morning of February 25th, the Boers opened a heavy rifle fire on the troops from the shrub. These burghers were driven off, and the convoy resumed its march, when a more determined attack was made on the convoy's left flank, the Boers getting within a hundred yards and stampeding the mules harnessed to a number of wagons. The attacking forces were again driven off. At about 6:30 in the morning the rear guard was attacked by the strong force of Boers and simultaneously another body of Boers boldly charged the center of the convoy and stampeded the mules in all directions, throwing the escort into confusion, during which the Boers charged and recharged, riding down the British units. The fighting lasted for two hours, during which the two British guns and a pom-pom almost exhausted their ammunition. A detachment of 200 mounted infantry from Klerksdorp attempted to reinforce the British, but were held in check by the Boers. Lieutenant Colonel Anderson adds that the strength of the Boers was estimated at from 1200 to 1700. Commandants Delany, Kemp, Celliers, Lemmer, Wolmarans and Polgieters were all present. Commandant Lemmer is said to have been killed.

Continue to Fight. London, March 3.—The Brussels correspondent to the Daily Telegraph says that Kruger has received a long report from General Botha, affirming the Boer Government to be fully determined to continue hostilities, and outlining a proposed midsummer campaign.

A Deep Mystery. It is a mystery why women endure backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and dizzy spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phyllis Cherry, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lump back pain me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50 cents at DR. STONE'S drug stores.

PATERSON UNDER WATER. The Flood Receding and Relief Work Is Being Prosecuted.

PATERSON, N. J., March 2.—The water tonight is falling. The work of getting out those imprisoned in the upper stories of the house went on today. At the armory the scene resembles that on the day after the great fire. The relief work under Mrs. Garrett A. Hobart's direction, is in full swing and everything possible is being done for the homeless.

DENIES LIABILITY. Turkey Claims to Be Not Responsible for Miss Stone's Capture.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 3.—United States Minister Leishman has presented a note to the Porte regarding the capture of Miss Stone by brigands, demanding the punishment of the guilty parties. The Porte, in replying, repudiates the responsibility and denies all liability.