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PRINCE HENRY.

His Welcome in Canada—Arrived in Boston Sharp on Time Today.

NIAGARA FALLS, March 5.—Prince Henry spent two hours here this afternoon, and was welcomed by Major Maude, representing the governor general, and by Hon. Richard Harcourt, who headed the delegation appointed by the Ontario legislature to welcome the Prince on behalf of the people of the province.

A pleasing incident was the presentation of a photo of the monument of Kaiser Wilhelm I, Prince Henry's grandfather, erected in Berlin, Ont., by German residents, which the Prince graciously accepted and acknowledged in felicitous terms.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5.—Prince Henry saw Niagara Falls today from every available point of view, and declared the view magnificent. When his train arrived in this city fully 20,000 people were out to welcome him. At Syracuse, in the evening, he was again greeted by a great throng and presented with an address.

WORCESTER, Mass., March 6.—Prince Henry's train passed through here at 8:15 a. m. It was the only train that ever passes through this city station here in the memory of anybody without stopping. A delegation of the city government was on hand with a present for the prince, but could not get near enough to the train to throw it aboard as the train sped through.

BOSTON, March 6.—Prince Henry's train reached the South Terminal station at 9:35 a. m., just on schedule time.

DESPERADOS CAPTURED.

Charged With Murder and Daring Train Robberies.

EL PASO, Tex., Mar. 6.—Geo. I. Musgrove, said to be leader of a band of south-western desperados and a brother of the noted "Black Jack," who was hanged at Clayton, N. M., a year ago, has been captured near Alamo Gordo, N. M. He is wanted in New Mexico on charges of murder, post office and train robbery. Among other depredations committed was the robbery of the post office at Fort Sumner, where a half dozen men were held up and a 12-year-old boy was killed.

The robbery of the post office caused the federal authorities to take a hand in the chase and Inspector Doran, after a week's work succeeded in locating Musgrove, who will be brought here today. The arrest of Musgrove was followed by the capture, near Clifton, of Wat Neil, J. Cook and Joe Roberts, supposed members of the same gang. They were rounded up by Arizona rangers on Blue river, after a hard chase.

THIS BEATS THE BOERS.

MANILA, Mar. 6.—A court-martial has been ordered to try Major Littleton, W. T. Waller and Lieut. John H. A. Day, of the Marine Corps, on Mar. 17 next, on the charge of executing natives of the Island of Samar without trial. Some of the circumstances in the case are peculiarly atrocious. One native was tied to a tree and publicly shot in the thigh. The next day the man was shot in the arms. The third day he was shot in the body and the fourth day the native was killed. Friends of the two officers attribute their actions to loss of mind, due to the privations which they suffered in the Island of Samar.

THE STORM.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Mar. 6.—The blizzard here came to an end at midnight after twelve inches of snow had fallen. Country roads are badly drifted, but railway traffic is unimpeded.

READING, Pa., Mar. 6.—As the result of the extraordinary fall of snow street railway traffic in this city is at a standstill and not a line is running to the country districts. Great drifts were reported during the night, along the lines of the steam railroads, but the trains manage to get through, although some were very late.

MORMON ACTIVITY.

COPENHAGEN, March 6.—The Mormon missionary propaganda here has become so active that they are distributing literature even within the Danish churches, urging young girls to attend Mormon meetings. Statistics show that one out of every twenty-two emigrants to the United States becomes a Mormon. The clergy in connection with the government are continuing their plans to put an end to the proselytizing.

THE FIRE RECORD.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., March 6.—The most destructive fire in many years destroyed the Babcock building on West Front street and adjoining buildings early this morning. Loss was \$250,000 on which there is a full insurance. Part of the upper floors of the Babcock building was occupied by offices, lodge rooms and city rooms and in the rear part of the building lived a number of families. So far as known there were no casualties.

THE TURK'S TROUBLES.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Mar. 6.—Osman Pasha, son of the famous Kurdish chief Bedranhan Pasha, whose trial on the charge of high treason began here Feb. 20 behind closed doors, has been sentenced to death, but the sentence will be commuted to perpetual imprisonment. General Nazim Pasha, a son-in-law of the former Grand Vizer Ali Pasha, has been arrested.

LEFT \$25,000 FOR LIBRARY.

NEW YORK, March 4.—South Paris, Me., is to receive \$25,000 for a public library from the estate of William H. Parsons, who died in Brooklyn on February 27.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Outline of Promised Legislation—The Speech from the Throne.

(Special to Star.)

FREDERICTON, March 6.—The local legislature was formally opened by Lieut.-Governor Snowball at 2:30 p. m. today. His honor was attended by his aides-de-camp, Colo. McLean and Col. and by Capt. Lister and his secretary R. S. Barker. The party was preceded by Sheriff Sterling and Coroner Mullin. At the parliament buildings a guard of honor from the R. C. R. I. under Capt. LeDuc, presented arms and a royal salute was fired by a detachment from the Woodstock Field Battery in command of Major Good.

The governor was met at the door by the sergeant-at-arms and escorted to the chamber, where the blinds were drawn and the gas lighted. Speaker Robinson escorted Governor Snowball to the chair, and the speech was then read. Premier Tweedie moved the adjournment of the house until tomorrow.

While the house awaited the coming of the governor the speaker called the house to order and announced the election returns from St. John and Kings counties. Dr. Ruddock was then introduced by Hon. Dr. Pugsley and Hon. Mr. Dunn, and Mr. King by Premier Tweedie and George G. Scovill, M. P. Dr. Ruddock will move the reply and Mr. King will second it.

The governor and Mrs. Snowball hold a reception this afternoon, from 4 till 6 o'clock.

Rev. J. D. Freeman was the chaplain of the house, but he having removed to St. John, it will be necessary to appoint another chaplain. The appointment will be for only the present session, as the house will dissolve before another session.

The only changes in the seats to be occupied by the members are that Mr. Allen removes to the seat vacated by Senator Thompson, Mr. King will take Mr. Allen's former seat and Dr. Ruddock will have the seat of the gentleman he succeeds, Mr. McLeod.

The officials of the house will be the same as last year and Dr. Hannay will again be the official reporter of the proceedings.

FREDERICTON, March 6.—The local legislature was formally opened this afternoon. The speech from the throne referred to the royal visit last fall, the assassination of President McKinley, the prosperous condition of the province, the dairy industry, wheat growing, Queen's County coal fields, winter port business, Eastern Extension award, fishery award claims, and the Quebec resolution of 1888. The unsatisfactory state of the branch railways of the province connecting with the I. C. R. was referred to, and the house invited to consider whether the dominion authorities might not properly be urged to make arrangements for their operation. Bills to amend the public health act, providing among other things for the compulsory vaccination of children attending the public schools, to amend the law relating to investments by trustees, a workman's compensation for injuries act, a bill to provide for the more equitable distribution of estates of intemperate debtors, a bill to provide a forest reservation, a bill to provide for the importation of horses, were among those promised in the speech.

CANADIAN TROOPS TO APPEAR. (New York Sun.) Colonel Luxcomb, Major Turpin and Capt. Dixon of the Military Athletic League have just returned from Canada, where they went for the purpose of arranging for the presence of Canadian troops at the military tournament, which is to be held in Madison Square Garden this month. They visited Dr. F. W. Borden, Canadian Minister of Militia and Defence, and Lord Aylmer, the adjutant-general of the Canadian forces, and the Canadian officers said they would send the Highlanders to attend either Montreal or Toronto. A review will be tendered Dr. Borden some night during the week and it will be attended by several Canadian officers. The Highlanders band will come with the soldiers.

HIS APPROPRIATE QUOTATION. (Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.) "Some years ago," said a preacher, "we inaugurated in our Sunday school the practice of our children quoting some Scriptural text as they dropped their pennies into the contribution box. On the first Sunday in question, a little shaver walked up and said: 'I love loveth a cheerful giver,' and in dropped his penny. 'Charity shall cover a multitude of sins,' and in dropped the next. 'It is more blessed to give than to receive,' quoted the third, and so on. Just then up walked a little fellow with the unmistakable remnants of molasses candy on his chubby face, and, as he dropped his cent, he bawled out: 'A fool and his money are soon parted.'"

A DECEPTIVE PARSON. (Kansas City Journal.) At Pienna, Kan., a "joint" keeper cornered the Rev. W. H. Houston in the post office and informed the reverend gentleman that he must take a licking on account of a temperance sermon which he had preached the day before. "All right," responded the parson, cheerfully, and two minutes later the friends of the "joint" keeper were taking him down to the butcher shop for the application of beefsteak to a pair of beautiful black eyes. Showing again the low down, deceptive weakness of our theological seminaries in maintaining physical culture departments.

BEGIN TO SAVE. (Kansas City Journal.) To save time it might be well to begin raising a ransom fund for the release of the next captured missionary. The Bulgarian appetite for American gold has been whetted to a very keen edge and a sharp lookout will be kept for missionaries who fall from this easy land.

LONDON.

Dense Fogs Block Traffic—King Edward's Levee Today.

LONDON, March 6.—Dense fogs in the channel are causing numerous minor mishaps to shipping. A Holyhead steamer grounded today and her passengers were landed in the vessel's boats. Railroad and street traffic are impeded.

The steamer St. Louis, from New York, Feb. 26, was docked at Southampton at 9:40 a. m. today after being detained by fog in the Solent for nine hours.

Benjamin S. Stevens, the bibliographer held by King Edward since his accession, the Sheaves, Surbiton, Surrey, after an illness which had lasted several years. Mr. Stevens was born at Barnet, Vt., in 1833, and first came to London in 1860. For many years Mr. Stevens had been prominently known throughout Europe as U. S. despatch agent in London, and purchasing agent for American libraries.

LONDON, March 6.—The second levee held by King Edward since his accession to the throne, occurred at St. James Palace today. It was not so largely attended as the first of the king's levees, but it was surrounded by the same elaborate ceremonial. A dense fog marred the function from the spectacular point of view, both within and without the palace. No Americans were present, but the members of the U. S. embassy attended the ceremony.

VICTIMS OF SNOWSLIDE.

TELLURIDE, March 6.—The bodies of Reddin Doughen and John Nixon were found yesterday in the ruins of their cabin, which had been crushed by a snow slide.

The men were working a mine in Bear Creek basin, about five miles from Telluride. The basin is full of snow and it is feared that other miners have been killed there. The body of James Kraul, who was killed by the first snow slide at the Liberty Bell mine, was found yesterday by a party which was preparing the bridge house for the use of the rescue parties. Fourteen bodies are known to be still in the snow.

INTERNATIONAL TRUST OPPOSED.

LONDON, Mar. 6.—Presiding at the annual meeting of the Machinery Trust today, Jos. Lawrence, M. P., chairman of the trust, said he was not in favor of the suggested amalgamation with the American Printing Machinery Trust, but the directors were not opposed to cordial co-operation with the American company, in which event both concerns would be able not only to dominate British and American trade, but they would also dominate the continental trade of Europe.

THE DEATH ROLL.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Mar. 6.—Gen. J. Wm. Hoffman, a veteran of the Civil war and a prominent citizen, died last night at his home here of congestion of the lungs, aged 79 years.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Mar. 6.—Jas. Wood, who drew the capital prize in the government land drawing at Lawton, a few months ago, died near this city last night of heart failure.

GREAT FOREST FIRE.

MARBLE FALLS, Texas, March 6.—Fire has broken out in the cedar brakes here, and great tracts of valuable timber are being consumed. Everything is as dry as tinder, and there seems to be no way of controlling the fire until it burns itself out. Few people live in the path of the fire and they have had ample warning.

REMEMBER THE MAINE.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 6.—The Spanish treaty claims commission has handed down a decision adverse to the claimants on account of death and injuries received on the battleship Maine, blown up in Havana harbor.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Forecast: Eastern states and northern New York fair tonight and Friday, fresh winds, mostly north.

SMALLPOX IN HALIFAX.

(Recorder, Wednesday.) Another case of smallpox has been discovered in the city. This time the patient is a druggist, who resides on Black street. It can not be ascertained from whom he contracted the disease the house has been quarantined, and the patient removed to the hospital.

Ben Brown, the colored man who left a Grafton street house and went to Preston, has smallpox, and is in quarantine in Preston. The residents of that place will all be vaccinated. "The smallpox patient in Dartmouth is on a fair way to recovery; there are no new cases, and no danger of a spread of the disease, as every precaution is being taken. The ferry commission have ordered the cabins of the ferries, and the waiting rooms on Halifax and Dartmouth sides, to be disinfected.

TOOK \$15,000 IN ONE DAY.

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 5.—A special from Dawson tells of one of the richest finds reported for a year in the Klondike. Richard Butler, owner of a claim on Bear creek, was about to abandon his property when he discovered an old bedrock many feet below the first one, from which he took out \$15,000 in one day. One pan of earth alone washed out \$600 in gold. Other claims are now being prospected for this bed-rock.

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THOMAS L. BOURKE, 25 Water St.

To the Electors of the City of St. John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:— I will be a candidate for the office of MAYOR at the election to be held on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of April next, and respectfully solicit your suffrages. A service at the Common Council Board of Aldermen extending over six years has afforded me an opportunity of becoming familiar with civic affairs, and it further honored with your confidence I will endeavor as far as lies in my power to guard the rights of our city and advance its interests.

Faithfully yours,
WALTER W. WHITE.

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CARPENTER, BUILDER
and GENERAL JOBBER.

Special attention given to the placing of plate glass windows.

BOER AGENTS WARNED.

Must Not Interfere With Shipment of Mules From New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Mar. 5.—I developed here today that Secretary of State Hay had written a letter to Mayor Capdeville, which was referred to Gov. Heard, expressing the fear that the Boer representatives and sympathizers in New Orleans might attack the British horse and mule quarters at Port Chalmette, just below the city, where the mules and horses are kept awaiting shipment to the British army in South Africa.

Gen. Pearson, the Boer agent at New Orleans, after the failure of his suit in the United States court to break up the mule-shipment business, wrote a personal letter to President McKinley, in which he protested against the British being allowed to use the United States as a base for their war supplies. The letter was so emphatic in denouncing the mule depot at Port Chalmette as to fill Secretary Hay with the belief that Gen. Pearson intended to organize a force to attack the depot. He accordingly wrote to Mayor Capdeville, expressing his apprehension, and asking him to assure the British officers that the mule depot would be protected.

But the depot is just below the city limits, in St. Bernard parish, where Mayor Capdeville is wholly without power or authority. The mayor accordingly referred the communication to Gov. Heard, and the latter sent it to Sheriff Nunez of St. Bernard. The latter has announced his intention to allow no fights or other trouble in his parish growing out of the Boer-British difficulty. As a precaution, however, he arrested two Boer agents who were found in the neighborhood of the mule depot, and they were warned to keep away from there.

TAKES THE STUMP WITH FATHER.

CHICAGO, March 5.—The Tribune's Louisville special says: Miss Lotta Greenup of Paducah has taken to the stump with her father in his campaign for the Democratic nomination for member of Congress from this district. Mr. Greenup is a music dealer and Miss Lotta an accomplished musician. During her father's tours of the district she plays the violin and sings before the audiences which he addresses. The south has seen nothing like it since Bob Taylor's fiddling tour of Tennessee. The double bill is drawing big crowds everywhere.

BEQUEATHED OVER \$50,000.

BATH, March 4.—The will of Sarah A. Edgcombe of North Bath was offered for probate today, at which time it became known that there were many public bequests. Among the items are these:

Cobb Divinity school, Bates College, \$20,000; Bangor Theological Seminary, \$5,000; Good Will Home for Boys, \$5,000; Women's Christian Association, Lewiston, \$500 (towards the support of a home for young women); City of Bath, for fuel for the needy poor, \$500; Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female college, Kent's Hill, \$10,000; Central Maine General hospital, Lewiston, \$5,000. The Tuskegee school is made the residuary legatee.