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PRINCE HENRY HAS DEPARTED

Notable Visitor Sailed Yesterday on the Deutschland.

AMID GREAT DEMONSTRATION Imperial Yacht Hohenzollern Also Starts on Her Maiden Voyage.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Prince Henry of Prussia sailed for Germany on board of the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland this afternoon. His last day in America was spent entirely on board the Deutschland.

Shortly before the steamship sailed the united singing societies of Hudson county, New Jersey, appeared on the deck of the Princes Victoria Louise which lay alongside the Deutschland and sang a number of selections. Prince Henry appeared on the bridge of the Deutschland and bowed acknowledgement repeatedly.

The Deutschland sailed at 3:45. As she moved away from the pier the cheering was continuous. The prince appeared on the bridge and bowed. All down North River passing tugs and craft of every description gave the liner and her distinguished passenger a noisy send off.

The imperial yacht Hohenzollern started on her homeward trip at 2:48 this afternoon.

OVER 20,000 STRIKERS Boston Railroads and Steamships Tied Up.

BOSTON, March 11.—The second day of the great strike against the demands of railroad and steamship companies found large additions to the ranks of the strikers. Nearly 6000 union men were ordered out today, bringing the total of idle men up to about 16,000, with a prospect of still greater increase tomorrow.

Labor organizations having a membership of over 5000 men, voted tonight to strike and will tomorrow morning join the army of unemployed. This will increase the number of strikers to between 20,000 and 25,000 men and will practically tie up all freight business of all railroad and steamship companies in the city.

PRINCE KENYO OF JAPAN. Says Japan Will Not Consent to Russian Manchuria.

VICTORIA, March 11.—Prince Kenyo, president of the Japanese house of peers, recently gave the Japanese Advertiser an interview on the Manchurian question.

"Japan will never consent to Russian Manchuria," said the prince. "On this point the government is absolutely determined. Nor should we hesitate to take recourse to armed remonstrance were Russia to continue in her recent semi-defiant attitude. We have sympathy of both the United States and Great Britain in this matter, and know what we are doing."

THE DANISH WEST INDIES. Uncle Sam May Purchase the Islands.

COPENHAGEN, March 11.—The Folketing, in committee of the whole and in executive session today, voted by a large majority in favor of ratification of the treaty providing for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States.

FIRE IN CHICAGO. Brunswick Balke Collender Company Heavy Losers.

CHICAGO, March 11.—A five story brick warehouse of the Brunswick Balke Collender Company, was practically destroyed by fire tonight. Loss, \$175,000. The principal item of loss was a great quantity of glass recently imported for making mirrors. Value of the glass destroyed was \$100,000.

STORM AT OMAHA. The most Severe Ever Experienced—Church Totally Destroyed.

OMAHA, March 11.—The heaviest wind, rain, and hailstorm in the history of this city visited Omaha and Douglas county this morning at 2 o'clock. Although 50 buildings were

damaged, nobody was seriously injured.

Franklin school, one of the largest in the city, had to be abandoned temporarily. Small buildings were blown about, and Monmouth Park—M. E. church was literally torn to pieces.

Several nearby towns report the worst storm for years. It was plainly severe at Valley Elkhorn and at the latter place the Union Pacific train was strayed by a falling coal chute and considerably damaged. At Florence, three miles north of the city, the storm twisted several buildings from their foundations.

TOO MUCH CIVILIZATION. Indian, Crazed by Liquor, Beat His Squaw to Death.

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 11.—On last Friday, while crazed by liquor, Johnny Tackum, an Indian, ran amuck at Tobla Inlet, about 150 miles up the coast, beat his squaw to death with an oar and shot J. Card and F. Hussey, who attempted to prevent the murder. Card, who was seriously wounded, has just reached here and been placed in a hospital.

ENGLAND'S PRIDE HURT

BUT BOER SYMPATHIZERS ARE REJOICING.

Expressions From the English Press on the Capture.

LONDON, March 11.—Distinguishing features of the editorials in this morning's papers on the latest British reverse in South Africa are, first, the outburst of sympathy for General Methuen, which is quite extraordinary when it is remembered how he was assailed under hostile and angry criticism under the early stages of the war, and second, the first denunciation of the Irish members of parliament who indulged in hilarity at the reading by Mr. Broderick in the house of commons of the dispatch announcing Lord Methuen's capture. In this connection it is worth noting that neither John P. Redmond nor T. P. O'Connor was present, while Healy disclaimed any sympathy with the demonstration.

At the same time the papers fully admit the extreme gravity and even the humiliation to a British prestige abroad, involved in such a reverse inflicted by a body of Boers of equal numerical strength. It is recognized that although the damage is more moral than material, it will certainly have the effect of prolonging Boer resistance for many months.

The Daily News says the event has scarcely a parallel since the dark, disastrous days when the North American colonies seceded from British control. The Standard says this defeat comes after a succession of mishaps for which it is impossible to account, by mere bad fortune.

"When every allowance is made," says the Standard, "we cannot but find something not creditable to our vigilance in these constant surprises." The Morning Post points out that General Methuen did not surrender, but he was wounded and included in the surrender by the next wounded officer in command.

It is commonly believed that a large part of the mounted men who fled must have been raw yeomanry and that General Methuen's division has been used for months past as a sort of training ground for new men, while the seasoned troops were withdrawn from his command for operations against Botha and DeWet.

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CUBAN RECIPROCITY QUESTION. Republican Conference Was a Stormy One.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The fourth conference of the house Republicans on the Cuban reciprocity question was fruitless, the conference adjourning at midnight until next Tuesday. Victory was with the advocates of reciprocity as a motion to adjourn was carried, 72 to 54, after a motion to amend motion to make it a sine die adjournment, offered by Littlefield, of Maine, had been voted down, 61 to 79. Motion to adjourn was made by Speaker Henderson and the opponents of reciprocity claimed after adjournment that some of their friends did not care to offend the speaker by declining to heed his appeal for further conference. Earlier in the evening the opponents of reciprocity had insisted on a vote tonight upon the main proposition. The session tonight was a stormy one. Sibley, of Pennsylvania, offered a compromise proposition for the reciprocity agreement to last until December 1, 1903, which he claimed had the approval and endorse-

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THE PRESIDENT'S FIRST VETO

Refused to Remove Charge of Desertion from Naval Record.

IRON CLAD RULES OF NAVY

Deserter Was Only a Boy at the Time but the President Refused to Reinstate Him.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—President Roosevelt today sent his first veto message to congress. The bill vetoed was one removing the charge of desertion from the naval record of John Glass. After the message had been delivered, Senator Gallinger read the report of the committee on which the senate acted. From that statement it appears that Glass enlisted in January, 1864, when only 16 years old, and that having witnessed an act which compromised a second officer of the ship he was taken on shore by that officer and told not to report again for duty. The committee say that this order, together with Glass' youth, was responsible for his desertion.

ELECTION OF U. S. SENATORS. Hoar Opposes Election by Direct Vote of the People.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—For several hours today the senate had the subsidy bill under consideration. Malloy made an extended speech in opposition to the measure.

Prior to the consideration of the subsidy measure a lively debate occurred over the effort on the part of Berry to ascertain when the committee on privileges and election might be expected to report to the senate the resolution providing for the election of senators by direct vote of the people. Hoar indicated vigorous opposition to such a resolution, on the ground that it would subvert the fundamental principles upon which the senate was founded.

ATTACKED SECRETARY HAY. For Declining to Ask British for Passport for Boer Friends.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The house today entered upon the consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill, but as usual during the general debate on the appropriation bills the members devoted themselves to everything except the bill before the house. Thayer, of Massachusetts, attempted to take advantage of the division among the Republicans on the subject of reciprocity by bringing forward a resolution to investigate reports that the sugar trust would be a beneficiary of the Cuban reciprocity, but Republicans came up solidly against such course.

The feature of the day was a speech by Burleson, attacking Secretary Hay for declining to request the British authorities to furnish a passport to go through the British lines to Rev. Hiram W. Thomas and wife, who desire to go to South Africa to distribute Boer relief funds collected in Illinois. Hitt, of Illinois, made a spirited reply to Burleson, charging the Texas member with attempting to prejudice the case before the evidence was in.

TO USE WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY. The Texas Midland Railroad to Be the Pioneer.

DALLAS, Tex., March 11.—President E. H. Green, of the Texas Midland railroad, has received a telegram from the United States patent office at Washington, announcing the award to him of a patent on his system of wireless telegraphy. President Green stated last night that he will as soon as possible install his wireless system on the Midland which will be the first railroad in the world that will use the Marconi system.

SAILORS' STRIKE OVER. ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 11.—The sailors' strike is ended and the sealing schooners have sailed for the ice floes.

PEKIN, March 11.—The policies of Germany and Great Britain in China, which Great Britain had consolidated by the signing of the Yangtze agreement a year ago, has developed an antagonism equal to that of Russia and Japan over Manchuria, also seriously involving the interest of the other nations.

Germany is the only power refusing to agree to the reduction of the large garrisons the European governments are maintaining at Tien Tsin and the restoration of the control of the native city of Tien Tsin to the Chinese. The British diplomats are trying to help the Chinese to regain the government at Tien Tsin, and the reason for the British action in blocking the payment of the February installment of the Chinese indemnity was to bring Germany to terms.

The British believe Germany is using Tien Tsin as an inducement to the Chinese to grant her a practical monopoly of the mines in Shan Tung province. Great Britain's share of the indemnity is a comparative trifle to her, but she thinks Germany needs her share to maintain her forces in China, and, considering the condition of German finances, and the opposition in Germany to the whole plan of the German government in the Orient, that the government will be reluctant to propose parliamentary appropriations for the Chinese establishment.

The British diplomats regard the argument that the municipal government of Tien Tsin by Europeans is a military necessity as a subterfuge, and in her role of protector of the Chinese against foreign aggression, involved in the Anglo-Japanese alliance, hoping to increase her prestige against the Chinese. Great Britain is helping them to regain Tien Tsin. American influence is being used to the same end.

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PEACE PARTY IS RESPONSIBLE

For Continuance of Insurrection in Philippines, Says Funston.

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Continued the Little General—He Commends Major Waller for Shooting Natives for Stealing Food.

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