

NINETY-FOURTH YEAR.

ST. LOUIS, MO., SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1902.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

PRINCE DEPARTS
AMID LOUD CHEERS.

The Idea of Cementing American Friendship Seems to Strike Popular Fancy in Germany.

VOYAGE WILL REQUIRE A WEEK.

Kaiser's Brother Denies That He Has Written a Letter to Admiral Dewey—The Marine Corps Band With Him.

SPECIAL BY CABLE.

Bremen, Feb. 15.—Prince Henry's departure for New York this afternoon despite lowering skies and the prospect of a tempestuous voyage, was one of the greatest demonstrations even seen in a German port.

Thousands of citizens were on hand to see the Kaiser's brother and his suite as they departed for New York.

Princess Expresses Ardent Hopes. Prince Henry, upon embarking, said a few words of farewell to Commander Becher, U. S. N., who was there to see him off.

"I leave for the United States with the fondest hopes. I am more than anxious to see that marvelous country."

"From what I have read of New York I believe it is one of the greatest and most progressive cities in the world."

The reports of the United States of the preparations made for my visit quite overcame me.

"I believe my visit will tend to greatly strengthen the friendly ties that now exist between the United States and Germany."

The Prince referred to the report that he had written a letter to Admiral Dewey apologizing for the capture of the German squadron in Manila Bay during the war with Spain.

"It is all untrue," he said. "I have never written to Admiral Dewey in my life."

The Prince inquired the latest news bulletins as to the condition of President Roosevelt's health and expressed his great joy at learning that the boy was now entirely out of danger.

Harbor Gay With Flags and Music. Ships of war and forts fired salutes in the Prince's honor and the dockyard and shipping in the harbor with German and American flags.

Princess Henry urged the Captain to make every effort to reach New York in time. The route will be via Southampton and Cherbourg.

The immediate members of the Prince's staff are Adjutant General von Plessen, General of Infantry and a great favorite of the Kaiser; Vice Admiral Seckendorf, Vice Admiral and Secretary of the Navy von Tills; Baron Eiselechner, formerly German Ambassador to Washington, who travels as plenipotentiary.

United States. "Well, the American annual dinner of the Navigators' Guild at Bremen yesterday evening, that has been more talked of than any other connected with Prince Henry's departure."

Mr. Dietrich, who has been invited to the United States and Great Britain, said: "Princess Henry is a man who is anxious to establish a new alliance of friendship, but to give renewed expression to the old friendly relations between the two nations."

"Here is a Dreihund created by heaven and not by the arts of diplomacy. The great sections of the Germanic people should unite to embrace this opportunity for the advancement of peace and civilization."

Mr. Dietrich's remarks were cheered tremendously. When the Kaiser, who has the name of Miss Alice Roosevelt was heartily cheered.

Will Have No Naval Parade. Bear Admiral Evans Dismisses Impression Concerning Squadron.

New York, Feb. 15.—Bear Admiral Evans has arrived in New York to officially greet Prince Henry.

"I know the opinion has become prevalent that the squadron is to steam down the bay and greet the incoming liner," said Admiral Evans. "Well, there will be no such parade, no such review. There could not be, and I am at a loss to understand how such an idea could become widespread."

Admiral Evans was met at Jersey City by a party of friends, who escorted him to the University Club, in Fifth avenue.

Dispute Bars Out Both. Milwaukee Societies Lose Privilege of Entertaining Henry.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Milwaukee, Feb. 15.—The complete programme for the reception of Prince Henry in Milwaukee has been sent to Minister von Holleben at Washington in response to his request.

Owing to the dispute between the Milwaukee Musical Society and the management of the Faber Theater German Stock Company, over which should entertain the Prince, both have been cut out.

HEROIC FIREMEN RISK LIVES TO RESCUE SIX CADAVERS.

Act in Belief That They Are Saving Persons Who Succumbed to Chicago, Feb. 15.—Firemen who groped their way through fire and smoke and dragged six dead bodies into the street from Bennett Hospital at Adams and Fulton streets late last night carried on their heroic labor in the belief that they were rescuing persons who had been asphyxiated, and not until the flames had been subdued did they learn that they had been in the dissecting room of Bennett Medical College, and that the rescued bodies are from the dissecting tables of the school.

Several of the cadavers were clothed, having been brought to the school in that condition. One cadaver was incinerated. The dissecting room and laboratory of the college were destroyed, entailing a loss of \$500.

A score of patients in the hospital were frightened by the noise and were injured. The firemen had supposed that the building was used exclusively for hospital purposes.

ADMIRAL INSPECTS KAISER'S YACHT.

Can Only Say "Beautiful! Beautiful!" When He Sees the American-Built Craft.

HE ALSO VISITS WARSHIPS.

Officers of the Hohenzollern Arrive for Thirty Kegs of American Beer Daily While They Stay at Hoboken.

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New York, Feb. 15.—Bear Admiral von Baudissin and several officers of the Hohenzollern visited the Townsend and Downey yachts at Shooters Island this morning to inspect Meteor III, the Kaiser's new yacht.

They looked over the yacht from stern to stern, and when the Admiral stood where he had a full view of the hull he could say only: "Beautiful, beautiful. Whoever saw such lines?"

The first rear of American cannon in honor of our German visitors was heard today off of Staten Island, when the flagship Illinois of Admiral Evans's squadron, fired a 13-inch gun salute in honor of Rear Admiral Count von Baudissin.

The Kaiser's yacht, the Admiral von Baudissin, and Commander Clifford West, U. S. N., on board, steamed up to the Illinois and his officers, at the gateway of the battleship, received their German visitors.

German Admiral Inspects Warships. Admiral von Baudissin was shown all over the United States fleet.

He displayed particular interest in her big guns. The officers of the ship called his attention to the Olympia, lying close by, and the German commander looked at the USS Oregon.

At 12:30 p. m. Admiral von Baudissin boarded the Narkeeta and the tug steamed to Shooters Island.

Previous to the reception to the German visitors, Admiral Evans had hoisted his flag on the Illinois and assumed command of the special squadron. The hoisting of the stars and stripes was greeted with thirteen gun salutes from each of the four ships of the squadron, the Illinois, the San Francisco, the Olympia and the Cincinnati.

Princess Henry, when he comes, will visit the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, but not by a doorway used by any one else. Masons are to tear a hole in the Thirty-third street side of the hotel, and put in a private doorway and elevator for the Prince's exclusive use.

A contract has been made between the officers of the Hohenzollern and a local brewing company for the delivery daily of 630 and sets this evening at 6:30. THE MOON SETS TOMORROW MORNING AT 2:30.

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2. Robert M. Snyder Charged With Bribery by Grand Jury.

3. Request Revision of Tax Schedule. Army's Two Heads Cause of Trouble. President Confers With Party Leaders. Judge Ransauer to Respond.

4. Ponies Traveling to Lakewood. N. J. Great Pilgrimage to Rome Planned. Relief for Starving Indians.

5. Railway Loops on World's Fair Site. Avondale's Statue of Abraham Lincoln. Hindoo Twins are Separated. Fire Department Has Watch Tower.

6. Californians to Hear of the Fair. Story and Cast of Paderewski's Opera. East Side News.

7. New York's Daily Ration of Dynamite 7,000 Pounds.

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9. Senate Debated the Civil-Service Law. London Theaters Do Well. Young Roosevelt Continues to Improve.

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12. Railroad News From All Points. Chicago Markets.

ROBERT M. SNYDER CHARGED WITH BRIBERY BY GRAND JURY.

Bench Warrant Issued for the Former Kansas City Man Who Was One of the Promoters of the Central Traction Deal—He Is Now in New York, and an Officer May Be Sent For Him—Few Witnesses Examined Yesterday.

LEADING TOPICS

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12. Railroad News From All Points. Chicago Markets.

1. Chicago Press Club Booms Fair. Miss Anthony is Honored.

2. South Side Beauties in Society.

3. Social Clubs and Parties.

4. Society Notes From Near-By Towns.

5. Late Society News.

6. Births, Marriages, Deaths.

7. Republic "Want and Real Estate Advertisements, Pages 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

8. Fifteen Years as Rector of One Church.

9. Knights of Security Has Central Body.

10. Royal Spies May Visit America. Adopts Trust Method.

11. At the Play.

CHICAGO PRESS CLUB GREENS ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR WORKERS.

These pictures show typical views of Skinker road, glorified by Secretary Stevens in his speech at the Chicago Press Club dinner last night. The road promises to be one of the famous memories of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Under the auspices of the Chicago Press Club tonight many of the men who managed the Columbian Exposition of 1893 entertained with a banquet and gave a hearty good-will to men who have in hand the work of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in St. Louis in 1904.

The members of the Illinois State Commission in charge the exhibit of the State at the St. Louis Exposition were also among the guests.

SUCCESS ALL THE WAY AND GLORY AT THE END. The spacious headquarters of the Press Club were given up entirely to the banquet.

Nearly all the floor space was taken by the tables, while a large orchestra was placed in the gallery that surrounds the two larger rooms of the club.

The place was elaborately decorated with flags and flowers and no pains were spared to make the men from St. Louis feel that they were with those who from experience of their own, comprehended the trials and tribulations that await their guests, and that they would be their success all the way and glory at the end.

CHICAGO'S GOOD WISHES ARE WITH ST. LOUIS. President Homer J. Carr of the Press Club presided over the banquet, at which 125 men were seated.

At the table with him were the speakers of the evening from St. Louis and other outside cities and a number of local speakers, who made addresses during the evening.

In opening the banquet after the banquet, President Carr declared that the sympathy and good wishes of all men in Chicago were with the St. Louis people in the task they had undertaken, and all hoped for a brilliant result when the exposition should be opened.

SKINKER ROAD FINISHED ANYWAY. Walter B. Stevens, president of the St. Louis World's Fair, and Ferdinand W. Peek, United States Commissioner to the Paris Exposition, although not present at the banquet, expressed by telegram and letter their hope for the success of the Fair of 1904.

One of the speakers at the banquet had the distinction of being able to talk as an expert of both enterprises. This man was William A. Smith, head of the transportation department of the Columbian Exposition, whose appointment to a similar position in the St. Louis company was announced by the Chicago Press Club.

"He spoke to the toast, 'The Most Recent Addition to the Staff,' and was warmly greeted by the men with whom he was associated in the management of the Paris Exposition."

President Higginbotham's MESSAGE OF GREETING. The feeling of the Chicagoans was perhaps best condensed in the words of the distinguished President Higginbotham of the Columbian Exposition, who sent the following message:

"Will the Press Club of Chicago and its directors give me the opportunity of expressing my warmest congratulations to the Chicago Press Club on the completion of the Skinker road? I suggest a toast that I believe expresses the sentiments of all true Chicagoans."

"The Louisiana Purchase Exposition, may it blossom as the rose, live in the sunlight of public favor, and when it has passed away, leave a sweet fragrance round its memory. May its historian truthfully say that it was an inspiration to the nation and also write that its management found nothing to regret."

President Francis delivered an eloquent speech in which he congratulated the Chicago Press Club on the completion of the Skinker road.

COMPLIMENTS CHICAGO. A President of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, by the courtesy of the Chicago Press Club, presided over the banquet.

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Visible Asset of Exposition. A generation ago Forest Park did seem to be a rather remote, but the city has built it up and around it. With 1,300 acres, two square miles of undulating surface, and magnificent woodland, Forest Park presents an ideal approach and an ideal site for a World's Fair.

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