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Washington, March 3.—The ship subsidy bill occupied most of the session of the senate today. Senator Frye in a lengthy speech advocated the measure. He quoted statistics to show the expense of high wages and the price of food it costs more to operate the American steamship St. Louis than the British steamship Oceanic or the German steamship Wilhelm der Grosse. He told of the subsidies paid by the foreign governments to ships operating under their flags, and declared that there was not a nation on earth that needed markets for its surplus products more than did the United States. He asserted that there could be no doubt that the best instrument for finding market was an American steamship manned by Americans. He declared his advocacy of the bill was entirely unselfish, inasmuch as he was not interested in any shipping corporation.

The house devoted most of the day to consideration of the conference report on the Philippines tariff bill. On motion of Mr. Payne the previous question on the adoption of the report was carried.

MANY NORTH CAROLINA STREAMS OVERFLOWED

NEUSE RIVER DID SOME DAMAGE—APPEAL OF THE GOLD BRICK MEN.

Special to the Gazette. Raleigh, N. C., March 3.—The high water in the streams of the state, especially in the west, has thrown all trains off their schedule for the last three or four days. North and south of Raleigh the rivers have all been far out of their banks and travel is slow and careful. Catawba river on the Atlanta division of the Seaboard, where the water was unprecedentedly high, washouts prevented a continuance of travel on the line. A detour was made on the Southern to Chester, but here it was found that the Southern track was washed out and the train returned to Atlanta.

The strawberry crop in the eastern part of the state this year promises to be unusually heavy and the fruit of superior quality. The Wilmington Fruit and Truck Growers' Journal in its issue of Saturday estimates the increase in Strawberry acreage in North Carolina this year at fully 20 per cent. The bean and pea crop will be up to the average and far ahead of last season's while it is considered the potato, cantaloupe and watermelon crops will advance greatly in importance.

The Neuse river is away out of its banks. The cultivated lands below Greensboro are all submerged. Communication with the south side of the river is cut off. The present freshet is by far the biggest since last May, when the water was several feet higher than it is now. That was the biggest freshet that the section had seen since the noted year of 1867.

The three "gold brick" men who were sent to the penitentiary from Greensboro

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and have served some weeks of their time are not yet content to let the court alone, but are making another effort through their attorneys to get loose. E. J. Best, of counsel for Howard, Hawley, and Daily, has secured from Chief Justice Furches a writ of error to the Supreme court of the United States. Best says he will also appeal from Justice Purnell's decision in the habeas corpus matter, and that the case both on the writ of error and on the appeal, will likely be heard by the United States Supreme court in April or May.

CONDITION OF THE MURPHY ROAD

Expected that a Train Will Leave for Murphy Today.

From the office of the chief dispatcher the following information regarding the condition of the Murphy branch was obtained yesterday afternoon:
"From Asheville to Candler the road is open.
"From Candler to Canton it is closed.
"From Candler to Canton it is closed.
"From Whitler to Bryson City it is closed.
"From Bryson City to Murphy it is open.

"The road will probably be open from Canton to Murphy tomorrow (Tuesday) morning and the road will be in operating order by Wednesday morning."

Between Candler and Canton about sixty-sixty feet of fill is washed away. The rails still hang together but are completely undermined. The intention is to build a track around this break temporarily.

SOCIALISTS DENOUNCE PRINCE HENRY'S VISIT

Berlin, March 3.—In the reichstag today Herr Gradnauer and other socialists denounced Prince Henry's visit to the United States. Chancellor von Buelow in a lengthy reply expressed regret at Gradnauer's denunciation, especially in view of the splendid welcome the prince had received from the American people. He said the prince's visit had no especial political object and the only object in view was the maintaining of the traditional good relations between the two countries. He declared that both nations had every interest in living in peace. He could not perceive a point in the remotest future where Germany and America need cross one another. (Cries of "bravo.") The chancellor expressed the belief that not only the members of the reichstag but the German people viewed with lively satisfaction the brilliant reception accorded the prince. (Renewed cries of "bravo.")

DESTRUCTIVE OVERFLOWS IN NEW YORK STATE

New York, March 3.—All the rivers of the state have had destructive overflows in the last three days, and in but few places are the floods yet receding. At Albany conditions continue serious and distressing. No street cars were moved in that city yesterday and but few today. The lower levels of the town are still submerged, and many people have been driven from their homes, some being carried out by row-boats. All up the river above Albany the Hudson has overflowed its banks, covering a far greater area of farm land than in the most destructive freshet of recent years. The river became stationary at a late hour last night and is slowly falling today.

TWENTY MINERS KILLED BY A SNOW SLIDE

Ouray, Colo., March 3.—A report received here today states that twenty miners were killed by a snow slide at the Sunnyside mine on Sunday night. The mine buildings are entirely wiped out.

PRESIDENT WILL VISIT CHARLESTON EXPOSITION

Washington, March 3.—The president today informed the committee from Charleston, who called on him, that he would visit the exposition in that city.

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ROYALLY ENTERTAINED FOUR HOURS IN ST. LOUIS

A SILVER CASKET PRESENTED TO HIM CONTAINING ADDRESS OF WELCOME TO THE CITY—HIS SPEECH IN ACCEPTING IT.

Chicago, March 3.—Prince Henry arrived here at 6:35 tonight. He was welcomed by Mayor Harrison, the German consul, Dr. Wever, and a host of prominent citizens. Large crowds had assembled in the vicinity of the station and when the Prince appeared on the platform of the car he was enthusiastically cheered. The prince and party were escorted to carriages in waiting and driven to the Auditorium hotel, where he was tendered a banquet by Chicago's representative citizens. It was an elaborate affair.
From the Auditorium the Prince and his suite were driven to the First regiment armory. The party was escorted by a detachment of cavalry police. As the prince entered the building he was greeted with the word "Welkommen" displayed in electric lights from the top gallery opposite the entrance. The armory was beautifully decorated and a spot smile, cut flowers and potted plants were artistically arranged throughout the building.

Prince Henry was escorted to a box on the second balcony which had been artistically draped in German and American flags. His entire suite were seated in the box with him. The Prince occupied a chair used on the occasion of McKinley's and Dewey's visits. It was a massive affair, completely gilded except for the upholstery of dark green plush. To the right of the Prince sat Mayor Harrison, on the left Governor Yates. The prince was entertained for an hour with songs by the Germania maennerchor and the ladies' choral society.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies at the armory the prince was again driven to the auditorium, where a brilliant ball was held in his honor. The ball room was brilliantly lighted and handsomely bedecked with flowers and flags. In all parts of the room emblems of Germany and the United States were gracefully entwined. At midnight a supper was served in the main dining room of the hotel.

The prince opened the ball in his honor at the auditorium by leading the grand march with Mrs. Carter Harrison. He did not participate in the dancing.

St. Louis March 3.—Prince Henry of Prussia spent four hours in St. Louis today, during which time he was royally entertained at a short reception at the Union station. There was an address of welcome by Mayor Wells and a similar address by a committee of the German Army and Navy veterans and a short reception preceded by a drive through the business section of the city to the west end where the St. Louis club, the prince and suite breakfasted. There Mayor Wells presented Prince Henry with a superb casket of sterling silver ornamented with insigila and trimmings of gold containing the address presented earlier. To this the prince responded briefly. Carriages were again taken and the party drove through the beautiful residence section to the waiting train, which left Chicago at 11 a. m.

In acknowledging the gift of the casket Prince Henry said: "Since reaching America I have been travelling day and night through this wonderful country, and I assure you I have been deeply impressed by the hospitality and kindly feeling that I have met day and night. I wish to thank all of you and also to thank all of those with whom I have been able to talk and shake hands."

Many have come to my train in the middle of the night to welcome me and I am deeply grateful. You know whose representative I am. I want you all to know the object of my mission to the United States—to cement the friendly bonds existing between the two countries. I want you to know that Germany is ever ready to exchange greetings and shake hands across the Atlantic whenever you are ready to do so. I am the representative of a nation which is ever ready to fight a nation of peace and intends keeping his peace with the nations. I am deeply impressed by the vastness of your country and the largeness of its commerce. This greatness grows on me daily as I travel through your land. I find the United States worth having as a friend. Now let us drink to the city of St. Louis and its prosperity."

INSURGENTS ENCOUNTERED; TEN AMERICANS MISSING

DETACHMENTS FROM MANILA SEVERELY PUNISHED BANDS OF RAIDERS.

Manila, March 3.—While a detachment of constabulary, numbering twenty-five under command of an American officer was searching for President Ampil of Gainta, recently kidnapped by insurgents, it encountered seventy insurgents. The detachment fought until their ammunition was exhausted and then dispersed. Ten of the detachment are missing. Detachments of troops from Manila, by making forced night marches, surprised and severely punished the band of raiders.

FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Special to the Gazette. Washington, March 3.—The appointment of M. M. Noland for postmaster at Split Mountain, in Haywood county, has been recommended by Congressman Moody.
C. M. Bernard of Raleigh, late United States district attorney for the eastern district of North Carolina, is in the city on business. Mr. Bernard is located permanently at Raleigh and engage in the practice of law.
George K. Pritchard left for North Carolina last night to be gone ten days. He will go to Asheville first, then there to his home in Bakersville, and will return to Washington by way of Johnson City, Tenn.

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PANAMA CANAL OFFER REFUSED

SENATE SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS ADVERSELY ON THE PROPOSITION.

The Transfer Would be Involved in Insurmountable Complications.

ANGLO-FRENCH SYNDICATE REPORTED READY TO BUY

COSTS MORE, HE SHOWS, TO OPERATE THE AMERICAN SHIP ST. LOUIS THAN THE OCEANIC OR THE WILHELM DER GROSSE.

Washington, March 3.—At a meeting of the senate sub-committee on canals today an adverse report was ordered on the proposition on the Panama canal company's offer to sell its rights for \$40,000,000. This committee, which is composed of lawyers, including Senators Pritchard and Foster investigated the legal question involved. The reports states that complications in the way of the transfer are insurmountable and (Continued on fourth page.)

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