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MILWAUKEE YESTERDAY-

BUFFALO TODAY. Tired Out When Chicago Through With Him, But Did

Not Flinch at Milwaukee.

ANOTHER VERY BUSY

DAY BEFORE HIM.

WELCOMED CHEERING CROWDS, RECEPTIONS, BAN-QUETS - FLYING VISITS TO PLACES OF INTEREST—PRINCE WILL INVADE CANADA TODAY. Chicago, March 4. Chicago, which

glare of many lights was represented to him today by the clearer light of the sun. The welcome which he received lest night was repeated and emphasized and he was given a further opportunity to enjoy his expressed desire of meetthe American citizens at close range. During the day he listened to an address from the Central Bund of St. Paul, placed a wreath on the Lincoln monument and enjoyed a luncheon and reception by the Germania club.

The presentation address by Governor Van Sant of Minnesota, was also on the day's program. In nearly every door memory of Mckinley. It was an im- rounds regularly. They leave the and window along the streets where the pressive occasion. The assemblage postoffice with empty pouches, but someprince passed handkerchiefs were waved present to listen to the eulogy by Postat him and crowds along the streets master General Charles Emory Smith, shouted their greeting. The prince was kept busy touching his cap in response. During the reception President Fisher the exercises were held was profusely on behalf of the ladies of the Germania club, presented the prince with a magmifloent vase to be given to his wife, Princess Irene.

The prince concluded that a drive about the city would best please him. Fournier, the French chaffeur, stood ready to take the prince for a mile a minute whisk about the boulevards, but the latter decided in favor of a carriage in order that members of his entourage might also enjoy the bracing air. As the long cavalcade, unheralded, sped through the streets, knots of people rushed from buildings, generally too late to see the prince. The first stop was made at the new building of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank. President John J. Mitchell showed the prince through the institution. The Rookery, one of the city's finest office

buildings, was next visited. Both at the bank and Rookery, when the prince came out crowds awaited him and cheered him. The prince seem- | severs all. connections with the west. ed pleased at the demonstration and repeatedly touched his cap. He was shown through the retail and whole- and telegrams from Gorman endorsing sale districts. A short stop was made the resolution were printed today and at the public library where the prince said to Mayor Harrison that the city was to be congratulated upon possessing such magnificent buildings.

Milwaukee, Feb. 4.-Prince Henry arrived at 4 o'clock this afternoon. He looked tired and said he was, but he had six busy hours to go through and

he faced the ordeal bravely. His arrival at the station was the signal for firing a royal salute on the lake front. He was greetfied by 1,200 German veterans, military and civic officials and music. This lasted until 4:15 when the prince and pary started for a drive through the principal streets of the exposition grounds. Here a formal reception was held at 5 o'clock. At the conclusion of the reception the party was again driven through the streets, which were brilliantly illuminated in honor of the guests.

followed by another drive through illuminated streets to the court of honor. Then came the final uproor of farewell

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> Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 4 .- Mayor Butler has received a telegram saying that Prince Henry will go to Canada on a trolley car. Diplomatic preliminaries for this have been arranged through Lord Pauncefote at Washington, and it is settled that the prince will cross the border at this point. He will arrive on Wednesday at 3:45 p. m. The mayer will welcome him at the New York Central station and introduce INJURED FIREMAN'S a committee of prominent citizens. An illuminated address and a portfolio of photographs of Niagara will be presented to him. Two companies of the First Battalion have been ordered THE ROAD TO THE WEST MAY BE out for patrol duty and will guard the way as the Prince passes down Falls street and across the upper steel arch bridge to Camada. In Victoria park representatives of the Domission government will greet him, witer which he will return to this wide and take the Gorge train all titime callows the will visit the station of the Niagara Falls Power company, and and the little

MMENSE THRONG HEARD POST MASTER GENERAL SMITH'S EULOGY.

Albany, March 4.-New York state with which to justify their position. tonight paid a fitting tribute to the was one that is seldom seen at the capitol. The assemblage chamber where decorated with flags and shields. Mr. Smith was introduced by the governor and delivered a highly eulogistic address on the late president.

MISSISSIPPI CUTS LOOSE

HOUSE AT JACKSON AMID EXCITEMENT.

Jackson, March 4.-The McAllister resolution was adopted by an almost unanimous vote in the house this afternoon, amidst the greatest excitement. The resolution virtually cut Mississippi loose from Bryanism. It urges alignment between the south and the east on political and business lines and The friends of Bryan did their best to stem the tide, without avail. Letters aided its passage.

THE HOUSE ADOPTS CONFERENCE REPORT

ON PHILIPPINES TARRIFF BILL-SUBSIDY BILL GOES

OVER.

Washington, March 4.—The house early today adopted the conference report on the Philippines tariff bill and to the consideration of the rural free delivery contracts.

The senate resumed consideration of the steamship subsidy bill. Senator At 7:40 a banquet was tendered the Frye continued his remarks in advoca-

GEN, HAMPTON SAYS THE

PRESIDENT WILL BE WELCOME Columbia, Feb. 4.-General Wade Hampton in an interview said he had no doubt the people of Charleston and all South Carolina would give the presdent a royal welcome. He declared that there was no city in the country that would give the president a better welcome than Charleston. He hoped that president Roosevelt would not alfluence him. With regard to the aword incident, he said he deeply regretted it.

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was the last that reached Waynesville ly was tand our people feel as isolated as if they tance. lived on some lone star route 25 miles from a railroad. Those who take daily papers are considering a change to publications are not likely to become overflow. such, and they have strong argument

The rural mail carriers make their times sweethearts on the routes correspond, and for their benefit and to keep up appearances, the trips are made

Rev. J. G. Sutherland of this place and Mr. A. W. Freeman of Cherokee returned from Asheville yesterday via the crosstie route. They stood the "exercise" fairly well and think connections of trains may be made by this

Yesterday was commissioners' day and the usually large crowd of people were in town. The politicians were also on hand. It seems our democratic friends M'ALISTER RESOLUTION PASSES of Haywood did not keep abreast of the which changed the state and county elections back to November. Consequently those who want office-and there are several-started out to get landed the first Thursday of next August. They soon discovered the mistake, but had on such a head of steam that they could not stop. So they are still running, and running will be all

> the glory most of them will derive. Mr. C. E. Grove and Miss Maggie Welch were married at the home of Dr. . Howell Way last evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. F. L. Townsend officiating. Mr. Grove is a prominent young druggist and Miss Weich is the daughter of Mrs. Lula Welch, proprietress of the Halcyon hotel. Both are popular young people and have the congratulations of many friends.

Mr. C. H. Walford, who has been prospecting for mica in this county for several months, left tonight for his home n Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. R. H. Mitchell returned from New York this morning, walking from Mr. D. L. Boyd of this place an-

nounced his candidacy for the democratic nomination for the legislature in today's Courier. The announcement is unique in one respect—Mr. Boyd acknowledges that he has taken this step devoted the remainedr of the session of his own accord and without solicitation from any source. He attaches no blame whatever to his friends, but frankly states his wishes and desires in an announcement card. There are dozens of other democrats who want office, but Mr. Boyd is the pioneer-the early bird-the first dalsy in the dell to stick his head up through the frosty wind. As he has always been in good and regular standing he ought to develop some strength. But many other townships are yet to be heard from; and, besides, after the unterrified have met and selected a flavorite, the republicans and insurgents will be yet to reckon with: and they may trouble the waters in old Haywood, even as they did two years ago.

The first train from the Murphy line

since last Thursday got into Asheville at a late hour last night. **HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS**

Knowvile, March 1.- C. L. Ewing of the Knoxville division of the Southern railway, today announced that the CHURCH STREET IN NORFOLK Southern's loss by flood between Morristown and Asheville, will aggregate \$250,000, to roadbed and brdiges alone. The loss by delays and annufied trains and the cutting off of all passenger and freight traffic is also very large. About 900 men are at work rebuilding and repairing "a med and hata Asheville

ville are 75 miles east of Knoxville, and trains are coming through Asheville to Marshall, N. C., 22 miles this side of Asheville, leaving a gap of about 30 miles over which there can be no traffic.

BOUGH EXPERIENCE WORKING NIGHT AND DAY TO REPAIR ROADBED

Road to Hot Spirngs.

Correspondence of the Gazette. Marshall, March 3 .- Court will be re-

sumed here tomorrow. Owing to the absence of Judge Justice, occasioned by his indisposition, there was no ses-Waynesville, Nov. 4.—Nearly a week sion today. Iranic ... Several gangs has elapsed since the terrible rainfall, of men are at work on the railroad which so demolished business and trav- night and day but it is expected to et wrought havoc throughout western take several days to open the North Carolina. Last Thursday's mail line to Hot Springs. About Sanday Bottom the road bed is entirely washed away for a considerable dis-

Despite the hard and vigorous work done in the past few days much repairing is yet to be done to cover the weeklies, tri-weeklies and monthlies. effects of the flood. Piles of debris still Persons not already subscribers to any mark the course of the destructive

and Timber company lost over a million feet of logs from the breaking of

Mr. Moore writes that the Gazette' first statement of the disaster at Marshall, published on the authority of a courier who left Marshall on the day after the flood, contained many inaccuracies and exaggerations, "injurious to Marshall citizens, and damaging to the nigh esteem in which the Gazette has been held in Madison county." We do not see how the report could damage the esteem in which this paper is held among the good people of Madison by the publication referred to, made in good faith by the Gazette, on the authority of a citizen of Marshall who witnessed the catastrophe and to whom the Gazette attributed every detail of (Continued on fourth page.)

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SERVICE IN THE CITY TODAY. Norfolk, March 4.-Tonight a mob of strike sympathizers are barricading Church street so that it will take many hours to clear it. The street cars throughout the city and the militia

were withdrawn for the night. The police are inadequate to protect he wide area covered by the oar lines. Twelve strike breakers imported from Lexington, Ky., were waylaid tonight. They were severely beaten.

Such cars as were run today were closely guarded by police and soldiers of the 71st Virginia regiment. Few patronized the cars which carried police and soldiers on front and rear platforms. The car barns are guarded by

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