

## PRESIDENT AT GERMAN EMBASSY

Mr. Roosevelt Returns the Call of Prince Henry.

## GREETING MOST CORDIAL.

It Was Strictly One of Official Etiquette—Later His Highness Received the Ambassadors.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Prince Henry arrived at the German embassy shortly after 11 o'clock, the approach of the shrill party being announced by the shrill party of cavalry bugles. Then came the clatter of many hoofs and the rattle of sabers and spurs as the escort of troops galloped down Massachusetts Avenue to its intersection with the Thomas circle, near which point the embassy is located. The prince occupied a carriage with Admiral Evans, while back of them followed the carriages of distinguished naval and military officers of the prince's suite and the members of the German embassy staff. A battalion of engineers occupied the avenue immediately fronting the embassy. As the party came into sight the engineers' band broke into "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

Over the embassy floated a flag which has never been seen in Washington before—the personal flag of the imperial family of Germany. It showed not only the colors of the German nation but also in the center the imperial coat of arms. Along the front of the embassy entrance were looped the German colors, intertwined with garlands of laurel and tall green pine tops. Above showed the Star and stripes, while the residence of S. N. Kauffman, the Evening Star, displayed German as well as the American colors. Just before the embassy door stood a guard of honor of United States engineers, 6-footers, every one of them, in their bright uniforms as rigid as statues. Prince Henry returned the salutes of the officers and then passed inside.

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"Your Royal Highness: The commissioners of the District of Columbia have the honor to offer the hearty greetings of the government of the national capital. Drawn originally from every state and territory, the citizens of the District of Columbia represent in hospitality all the citizens of the republic. We have just concluded the one hundred and seventieth anniversary of the birth of George Washington, 'the father of his country,' the founder of the nation, and the author of the principles of the government of the United States. We remember that in his mighty endeavors he had the sympathy of the best of Germany and the admiration of Frederick the Great and that he drew his great qualities largely from the Teuton stock."

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The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles most always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The milk and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sized bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail, Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.

A carriage. The cheers continued as the president drove along and he hit his stirrups off his head much of the time, in recognition of the repeated ovation.

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### Seeking a French Bark.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—The tug Dufance has sailed in search of the French bark Françoise d'Ambouze, reported by the navy transport Solace as being without a rudder and helpless at sea 50 miles off the Farallon Islands. The Françoise d'Ambouze sailed from this port 15 days ago for Queenstown with a cargo of wheat.

Prince Henry accepted the address

## HIS HIGHNESS VISITS CONGRESS

Henry Enters the Senate at a Most Dramatic Moment.

## ANGLO-SAXONS AND GERMANS

Heard Mr. Gilbert of Kentucky Declare They Were of One Race—Bersu Picased With Reception.

Washington, Feb. 24.—One of the most brilliant functions of the day was at 2 p.m., when Prince Henry received at the German embassy the members of the diplomatic corps, including the ambassadors and ministers, accompanied by their staffs of government, naval and civil attaches, all in full uniform. It was a grand brilliant assemblage that is seen at the White House on New Year's day to give greetings to the president. Turks in red fez, Russians in tall shako, Chinese in rich oriental silks. But today there was added brilliancy in the show uniforms of the imperial receiving party.

Prince Henry remained in the drawingroom while the ambassadors were being received, meeting them separately and alone, the staffs remaining in the reception room to be greeted later. Lord Pauncefote was the first to be ushered before the prince, followed by the French, Russian, Italian and Mexican ambassadors.

In the meantime the foreign ministers and the staffs of both the ambassadors and ministers, had assembled in the ballroom, to await the conclusion of the prince's personal conference with the ambassadors. When these were over the prince entered the ballroom and was presented to the ministers and then to the president.

The scene as these many diplomatic officers of high rank mingled with admirals, generals and members of the many noble houses of Europe, was brilliant. Almost every famous regiment in Europe was represented among the foreign military officers, in rich gold-embroidered uniforms, their breasts resplendent with medals and decorations. The reception of the diplomatic corps lasted about an hour.

RETURNS CALLS OF AMBASSADORS.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Prince Henry prepared to make calls upon the foreign ambassadors stationed in Washington, as the high rank of an ambassador makes him a personal representative of his sovereign ruler and entitled him to the full call. The prince was accompanied by the German ambassador, the two driving in an open landau. As the prince came into view the crowd gave him an ovation of cheers. Ahead of the carriage galloped the escort of cavalry troopers. The drove took the party throughout the northwest section of the city, where crowds followed the stars.

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