

Silver and Lead.

Silver, 57 1/2 per ounce. Copper, 22 1/2 per pound. Lead, A. S. & P. Co's price, \$3.90; New York, 3.87 1/2.

SALT LAKE TRIBUNE.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH; WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901

Weather Today.

For east for Salt Lake Today is: Fair, much warmer this afternoon.

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HAROLD PITT WAS GOOD TO COMMISSAR OFFICERS

Rented Colonel Woodruff a House for Less Than He Himself Paid For It.

Reported Fraud in the Philippines Brought Out Demand for Complete Investigation.

Manila, April 16.—A court martial has been convened and will meet tomorrow to try Lieutenant Frederick Boyd, charged with the embezzlement of commissary stores. Captain Frederick J. Conroy, commander of the Thirtieth volunteer infantry will be tried later. A civilian, Edward Fletcher, accused of unlawful possession of commissary stores, will be tried by the provost court tomorrow.

Speaking of the commissary scandal, a prominent army officer said to the representative of the Associated Press that he had every reason to believe that Colonel Woodruff, head of the commissary department at Manila, was absolutely honest. He asserted that Colonel Woodruff was one of the ablest men in the service and that his honesty was unquestioned. He asserted that Colonel Woodruff was a man of high character and that he was a man of high character and that he was a man of high character.

The irregularities in commissary matters were first attributed to Captain Woodruff by General MacArthur, who is reported to have been very reluctant to believe that frauds were being perpetrated, but the facts disclosed caused him to give the matter his most serious consideration and to begin an investigation which may involve, according to the prominent army officer, the resignation of General MacArthur.

WAR DEPARTMENT AMAZED. Gen. MacArthur Ordered to Make Complete Investigation.

Washington, April 16.—Secretary Root today ordered General MacArthur to make a complete investigation into the reports of frauds in Manila. It is expected that a reply will be received tomorrow. While definite charges have not been given, General MacArthur is expected to make a complete investigation into the reports of frauds in Manila.

Washington, April 16.—The report that General MacArthur had been ordered to make a complete investigation into the reports of frauds in Manila, has been received from General MacArthur. It is expected that a reply will be received tomorrow.

WANT TO SURRENDER. Filipino Insurgents Out of Food and Discouraged.

Manila, April 16.—The chief of staff of the insurgent general Mascardo has been ordered to surrender. He is expected to do so within a few days. The insurgents are out of food and are discouraged.

Sail For Manila. San Francisco, April 16.—The transport Ohio sailed yesterday for Manila, carrying a detachment of the United States army.

OMAS GETS MORE PAY FOR CLERKS IN THE SALT LAKE POSTOFFICE

(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, April 15.—The postmaster at Salt Lake City, under the recent act, made public today, of his proposed plan, to be allowed two additional clerks after July 1 and the business of the office has increased sufficiently during the past year to warrant the postmaster in increasing the salary of fourteen clerks \$100 a year each.

COLORADO IS DETERMINED TO WAGE A DEADLY WAR ON RATS

Denver, Colo., April 15.—A war on rats is to be instituted by the state board of health. The board has taken the cue from the health organizations in the Orient, which have begun a crusade on the rodents on the ground that they assist in disseminating the bacillus of bubonic plague.

Coronation of ENGLAND'S KING

London, April 16.—The coronation of King Edward will take place at the end of June, 1902. Westminster Abbey, according to tradition will be entirely closed to the public for four months prior to the event, and all services will be suspended in order to prepare the interior for the ceremony.

SHIRT WAISTS FOR LETTER CARRIERS

Washington, April 16.—The following order, drafted by Superintendent Machen of the free delivery service, with a view to relieving letter carriers throughout the country of wearing the heavy uniform coats and vests during the summer, was signed today by Postmaster General Smith:

ORDER. That section 651 of the amended postal laws and regulations in relation to the free delivery service be, and the same hereby is amended by adding the following:

Section 651. During the heated term postmasters may permit letter carriers to wear a neat shirt waist, or loose-fitting blouse, instead of coat and vest, the same to be made of light gray chambray or light gray cheviot or other light gray washable material, to be worn with turndown collar, dark tie and neat belt, all to be uniform at each office.

Cyclone Strikes a Town. Omaha, April 16.—A cyclone at 11 o'clock last night struck the town of Orleans, in Nebraska county, Colorado. Several barns, R. P. Rute's insurance office, and Mr. Howard's residence and the school building were partially wrecked. No one was hurt.



On the Firing Line in Manila.

DOZENS OF NEEDLES ARE CUTTING DOWN THEIR CLAIMS

Taken From Her Arms, Hands, Feet, Ears and Eyelids, But She Experiences No Pain.

Paris, April 15.—A dispatch from St. Germain, near this city, describes the extraordinary case of Julienne Landrieux, a servant girl from whose body dozens of needles etc. being extracted.

The girl complained of considerable irritation of the skin, and last Thursday went to a local druggist, who found a number of needles emerging from various parts of her body. She showed them with pliers. The girl has retained several since a day since, and up to this morning the druggist has drawn out 120 needles from her arms, hands, feet, breast, the lobe of her ear, her eyelids and the corner of her right eye. The girl experiences no pain when she feels the needle piercing the epidermis. The needles always emerge thick and disappear again.

Surveyors of Southern Pacific Running Line to Salt Lake.

OGDEN, April 16.—Surveyors to the number of about thirty, with complete outfits for extensive work and supplies for many weeks, left Ogden yesterday to run a line from some point west of that place to Salt Lake City. This is the most significant development yet in the move to have the Southern Pacific build around the lake instead of across it.

Order people are thoroughly aroused over the matter, but will regard it as a part of the game of the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific to oppose the Salt Lake, Los Angeles & San Pedro railroad by making it harder for that road to secure concessions and support.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Pacific railroad company, which was scheduled to take place in the office of Chairman Marshall yesterday, was postponed until April 30 by order of Chairman Tweed of the Southern Pacific board from New York.

St. Paul, Minn., April 16.—It was reported in what are usually well informed railroad circles today that James J. Hill of the Great Northern has disposed of his Eastern holdings in the Catholic Church.

Hill Cleans Up Four Millions on Railroad Deal.

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PATRICK IS HELD. Must Be Tried on Charge of Murdering Millionaire Ricc.

New York, April 16.—Justice Jerome today held Albert T. Patrick for the grand jury on a charge of murdering the late Texas millionaire, William M. Rice. The charge is that Patrick shot and killed Rice on the morning of section 29 of the code of criminal procedure, by evidence tending to connect the defendant with the commission of the crime charged.

ANARCHIST IN GERMANY BENT ON ASSASSINATING THE KAISER

New York, April 15.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Berlin says: The entire body of German police, especially those stationed at important towns, and the Berlin political police, are watching for an anarchist named Romagnoli. It is believed that he left the ship at some intermediate port.

CAPITAL AND LABOR AT WAR TO THE BITTER END

Big Steel Combine is Determined to Deal a Death Blow to Union Organizations.

Establishment at McKeesport, Pa., Scene of Exciting Strife that May Be Prolonged.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 16.—The close of the second day of the strike at the W. Dewees wood plant of the American Sheet Steel company, at McKeesport, shows a condition of affairs that forebodes a stubborn fight between the company and the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, involving the possible shutdown of every union plant in the country controlled by the company.

The official very close to the management of the Sheet Steel company said today that it is the intention of the company to close down the plant for an indefinite period. It was further stated that the non-union plants of the company will produce 45 per cent of the tonnage of the combination and that no serious inconvenience would result to the trade by the suspension of the union sheet mill. President Shaffer of the Amalgamated association stated today that the workers were driven to the stand they have taken by the action of the management of bad faith on the part of the Sheet Steel company.

The affair in McKeesport is not the only trouble existing between the American Sheet Steel company and the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers. At the last general conference when the scale was raised for this year, we tried to secure the signing of the scale for all the mills they controlled, and pointed out to them that if they refused to sign for all, great losses would be entailed and trouble ensue on the attempt to organize non-union mills.

They Object to the Discharge of Two of Their Number. Scranton, Pa., April 16.—About 100 switchmen employed in the Lackawanna railroad yard in this city quit work at noon today because two of their number, Michael Herrierty and Patrick Poomey, were discharged.

Big Powers Are Reasonable With China. Samuel G. Cowper, general manager of the wood plant, is opposed to the recognition of the Amalgamated association. In an interview, he said:

But Little Ones Demand Big Sums. Believed Way Will Be Found Out of Complications.

Washington, April 16.—Notwithstanding the report from Peking of the slow progress of the negotiations there, on the subject of indemnity, the officials still hope that a way will be found out of the complications. Later figures are coming in respecting the indemnity claims which are slightly modified.

Must Take Husband With the Fortune. To Consolidate Copper Companies. Boston, April 16.—Kilder, Peabody & Co. announces that they have been requested to arrange a consolidation of the Boston & Montana Copper & Silver Mining company and the Boston Mining company with the Amalgamated Copper company.

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