

"Therefore, thou gaudy gold, hard food for Midas, I will none of thee." ---Merchant of Venice.

SILVER, 74 7-8ths IN LONDON

GOV'T FORECAST

Fair tonight and Wednesday

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS
Silver 74 7/8
Copper 28 1/2-29 1/2
Lead \$7.25-\$7.50
Quicksilver \$120

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STRIKE RIOTERS ARE KILLED AT PITTSBURG

ROUND UP SNIPERS AFTER BIG GUN FIRE

Traffic Interrupted and Shortage of Food Causing Distress

(By Associated Press.)
DUBLIN, May 2.—Soldiers are completing a thorough search and it is believed that within a few hours they will account for the last of the snipers, a small band of rebels. This band was subjected to artillery fire Monday. Few rebels are still holding out.

Train communication is still interrupted. Dublin is quiet, but there is little traffic and the streets are still held by the military authorities. A shortage of food is causing distress, but relief is expected soon.

SEES GOLD STANDARD DOOM; SILVER IS LEGAL CURRENCY

So much local interest was evinced in the remarks of Moreton Frewen, the eminent English financial authority, on the gold and silver situation, as given in these columns yesterday, that an interview with Frewen in the Analyst is reprinted herewith:

"The problem of the world's currency after the war," said Frewen, "is not, of course, decipherable at this time. It involves the question, 'When will the war end?' In my judgment, not for two years. But it is quite safe to discuss the tendencies of finance and currency."

"You ask, 'Can the universal gold standard survive?' I do not think so. It was a deplorable and dangerous experiment from the first, and it involves a problem which no one can answer because the problem is clean outside of all human experience hitherto."

"And that problem?"

"The problem of silver. We are now for the first time 'up against it' in war; for the first time in the history of mankind a great war is in progress, and the world's mints are closed to silver. Whatever our views and our disagreements, that great and sinister fact stands out."

"In the last great continental war, the Franco-German war, the German mints were open to both metals at a ratio of one to fifteen and a half, and American mints were open to both metals at sixteen to one. And not less important was this—the mints of British India were open to the free coinage of silver, gold there being rightly demonetized."

"But has not the immense production of new gold made universal gold standardism possible?"

"No! I hold not; the new gold is a mere drop in the bucket of our needs. Take the returns of the exports of the first class nations; these have jumped from a thousand millions sterling, in 1892 to nearly three thousand millions in 1913, while, in those years of quite unprecedent gold production, gold money, £840,000,000 in 1893, has not nearly doubled."

"But accepting your view and still bearing in mind the strong prejudice as to silver" (an utterly insane prejudice, Mr. Frewen interpolated), "can not the world of trade adjust itself to 'soft money'?"

"Emphatically no! That is chaos come again after such a war as this. How are you Americans going to frame your tariffs if your vast market is the target for great European nations with varying gold premiums? What use is a tariff in New York harbor if the German exchange is fifty points off? Germany will deluge you with her goods."

"Your reply, then, to my question is that the so called 'gold standard' is doomed, and that some arrangement must be made to employ as full legal tender currency the two metals."

"Yes! That, at least, is my view. The war will conclude to find the United States congested with gold. There must follow orgies of speculation; long periods of high prices in the United States, attracted by which Europe, with masses of inconvertible paper, will shovel her exports upon the United States. In this way the world's gold will again be redistributed. And all this time India will be draining us and you of our gold to secrete in her myriad hoards. This will prove intolerable."

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah.

	1916	1915
5 a. m.	49	24
9 a. m.	58	28
12 noon	66	33
2 p. m.	70	33
Relative humidity at 2 p. m.		
today, 14 per cent.		

FRENCH GAINING BEFORE VERDUN

GEN. PETRAIN'S TROOPS TAKE LONG LINES OF TRENCHES FROM GERMANS

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, May 2.—Important gains in the French counter offensive at Verdun are announced. On the north slope of Dead Man's hill General Petrain's troops Sunday took German trenches along a front of about three-fifths of a mile, by a depth of 500 or 600 yards. Southeast of Fort Daumont a first line German trench of 500 yards was captured.

KING OF SPAIN MAY DECIDE SUBMARINES

Amsterdam Paper Says U. S. Case May Be Submitted to Arbitration

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, May 2.—In political circles it is suggested that the king of Spain be asked to arbitrate the submarine issue between Germany and the United States. An Amsterdam dispatch says: "It is believed a reply will be delivered Thursday. But in all probability it will not be in the nature of a final answer. Diplomatic circles believe Germany will make counter-proposals regarding new rules for submarines."

GERMANS CLAIM TO BE HOLDING GROUND

BERLIN SAYS FRENCH ATTACKS AT CLOSE QUARTERS WERE ALL REPULSED

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, May 2.—French attacks east of the Meuse today were repulsed, after a fierce struggle at close quarters, which lasted for hours. The positions of the Germans were maintained completely. The Town Hall at Lille was burned. The librarian, a French woman, handed most of the valuable books of the famous library to German soldiers, who formed a chain to remove them.

SHERIFF AND RANCHER VICTIMS OF BULLETS

(By Associated Press.)
FORT COLLINS, Colo., May 2.—Frank Roach, sheriff of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Neils Nelson, rancher, were shot and killed while heading a posse hunting horse thieves.

SPEND SUNDAY AT SPRINGS

Among those who motored over to Darrough's Hot Springs Sunday were Bob Govan, J. H. Evans, J. E. Monahan and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bertam.

MORE RUSSIANS ARRIVE

(By Associated Press.)
MARSEILLES, May 2.—A further contingent of Russian troops arrived today.

ARMED GUARDS SHOOT INTO MOB REPORTED 3 TO 20 MEN KILLED

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURGH, May 2, (5 p. m.)—The riots continue and the mob is being reinforced. It is reported that from three to twenty have been killed.

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURGH, May 2.—Three were killed, and seven wounded when a

mob attacked the Thomson Steel company's plant at Braddock. The mob charged the gates leading to the mill and were driven back by deputies. Then they reformed and made another attack only to be met by a volley from guards armed with revolvers. Previously the mob drove the men from their machines in the Sterling

foundry and smashed the windows. After this they attacked other plants. The mob swept down the street, visited a glass factory at Swissville, where 200 men, women and boy employes were driven out. Reports said the mob was composed mostly of foreigners, and many were under the influence of liquor.

LOCKOUT MEANS 90,000 IDLE

GARMENT WORKERS RETALIATE BY CALLING OUT ALLIED TRADE

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 2.—In retaliation for a lockout 60,000 garment workers the union order a strike of all members. It is estimated that the order applies to 90,000 workers. The chief question is whether manufacturers will be compelled to dismiss workers not belonging to unions or who refuse to pay union dues.

TUNGSTEN BREAKS TO \$50 PER UNIT

LOWEST PRICES OF THE LAST THREE MONTHS QUOTED FOR THE BLACK METAL

Tungsten has received a back set owing to the arrival of several large cargoes which had been delayed by passage through the straits of Magellan. The famine caused by the failure of these shipments to arrive was responsible for the fancy prices paid within the past sixty and ninety days but now it is assumed that prices have grown normal at about \$50 per unit of 60 per cent tungstic acid. The penalty is on dollar per unit for every unit under 60 per cent and a premium is paid for every unit over that standard.

Under the new order of business no tungsten under 50 per cent will be accepted at any price and shippers will have to concentrate up to the full 60 per cent.

The highest price paid for tungsten has been \$110 per unit to a few small shippers in Boulder county, Colorado, but most of the long time contracts have been placed around \$60. Even at these figures there is no danger of the man with a tungsten mine becoming a county charge since the quotations represent a value of \$3,000 a ton. Some orders were placed recently for \$70 per ton but these were rare exceptions and could not be regarded as normal.

Discoveries of tungsten and development of the industry have proceeded so rapidly that the present supply is fully equal to the demand and if there is any material increase in the tonnage placed on the market there is every indication that the quotation will go lower. When it is considered that the price before the war was as low as \$8 per unit and shippers made money at that rate there is not much room for a miner to develop a lough when he receives \$50. The recent shipment from Round Mountain stored in the vaults of the Tonopah Banking Corporation remains there awaiting another consignment from the same source. Both shipments will go forward by Wells Fargo about the first of next week.

FRENCH SHOT STOPS AMERICAN STEAMSHIP

CURISER SEARCHES ISTHMIAN OF HAWAIIAN LINE BOUND FOR RIO

(By Associated Press.)
SAN JUAN, May 2.—The American steamship Isthmian wirelessly that she was stopped by a French cruiser, which sent a shot across her bow. The Isthmian, from Baltimore for Rio Janeiro, was searched by the cruiser and then permitted to proceed.

MURRAY CASE ARGUED BEFORE THE STATE SUPREME COURT

Attorney William Forman returned this morning from Carson City where he appeared before the supreme court to argue the Murray application for a new trial. The case was submitted and a decision is expected in the next ten days.

THOUSANDS OUT IN PITTSBURGH

STEEL WORKS, CIGAR AND ENAMEL FACTORIES SHUT DOWN

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURGH, May 2.—Eight thousand were added today to the men already idle in the Braddock and Rankin districts when the steel mills closed for the protection of the men when the pickets appeared. Six hundred and fifty women, employed in cigar and enamel factories at McKee's Rock, struck for improved working conditions.

MORE MEN NEEDED FOR BRITISH ARMY

COMPULSORY ENLISTMENT OF ALL CLASSES NEXT STEP OF BRITISH EMPIRE

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, May 2.—Lord Asquith asserted in the House of Commons that a bill to be introduced tomorrow would be one of general and immediate compulsion. He said the total naval and military effort of the British Empire since the war exceeded 5,000,000 men. He declared the whole recruiting problem would be dealt with in a single bill. He said the army, excluding India and including the Dominions, comprised 83 divisions. He hoped to give an early opportunity for discussion of the motion calling for the resignation of Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland.

FIRE AT NYCO BUILDING

The fire department was called last night for a small blaze that broke out in the upper floor of the Nyco building. A chemical stream prevented the fire from spreading. An electric iron had been set down on a newspaper and the flame communicated with a curtain.

POTTS ESTATE VALUED AT OVER \$112,000

FUNDS AND PROPERTY WILL BE DIVIDED TO WIDOW AND CHILDREN

Final distribution of the estate of the late Wm. Potts of Monitor Valley was ordered yesterday afternoon by Judge Averill. W. J. Potts is administrator and A. J. Maestretti, attorney for the estate.

Its value was placed by the inheritance tax commission at \$108,623, consisting largely of money in bank. The estate will be distributed among the widow and nine children, the former receiving one-third and the others one-ninth each of the remainder. This estate was settled quickly and with perfect unanimity.

The widow's share of the estate is \$36,207.48. Under the law she is entitled to an exemption of \$20,000 leaving \$16,207.48 liable to the inheritance tax amounting to \$324.15 which was paid on the spot. None of the other heirs have to pay this tax as they have \$10,000 exempted and the

FIRE CHIEF KILLED IN AUTO COLLISION

LONG BEACH FIRE DEPARTMENT SUFFERS LOSS OF ITS HEAD

(By Associated Press.)
LONG BEACH, May 2.—Fire Chief Shrewsbury was killed and three firemen injured when the chief's automobile collided with a motor chemical, while running to a fire.

shares of the estate only amounts to \$9,000 each. The inheritance tax provides that 20 per cent goes to the county and 80 per cent to the state. The tax and all other charges have been paid and the estate closed up. A remarkable feature of the settlement is that there were ten heirs of the first rank and all over their majority making the division a clean cut affair in ten portions. Those of the children who are married are without issue and thus saving the estate from complications, as there are no grandchildren involved.

BUTLER THEATRE

TONIGHT

"THE VOICE IN THE FOG"
Featuring DONALD BRAIN
Who makes his debut in this Lasky Production.

—And—
Burton Holmes' Travel Pictures,
"Summer Days Near San Diego."

TOMORROW

LYDA BORELLA
—In—
"SOULS ENCHAINED"
—And—
PATHE COMEDY

Wednesday and Thursday
TAYLOR and HOWARD in
VAUDEVILLE

Matinee, 1:30 Night, 7 and 9:30
Admission, 10 and 15c