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The Philippines Now Have a Postal Scandal.

Washington, May 29.—The Philippines are having their postal scandals as well as Washington. Two cases have been reported by mail to the war department. One is that of former Postmaster Milne, at Tacloban, Leyte, who is accused of taking \$2,000 current coin of the United States and the 400 pound safe which contained the money. Milne has been arrested.

Postmaster Karselen of Calaba, Luzon, is also under arrest. Some time ago \$200 disappeared from the mails between the hour it left his office and when it should have reached Manila. Treasurer Jones of the province of Tarlac likewise reports robbery. He says he has been losing from \$25 to \$500 a month. His books are all right, but the balance in the cash drawer comes short regularly.

Funeral of Max O'Rell.

Paris, May 29.—The funeral of Max O'Rell (Paul Blouet), who died here May 24, has taken place at the Church of St. Pierre de Chaillet. A number of literary notabilities were present. The floral offerings were very handsome. The interment occurred at Avranches.



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THE BRITISH TARIFF LAW

Sir Charles Dilke Starts Exciting Discussion in Commons.

PREMIER BALFOUR REPLIES

Says He Is Not at Odds With Chamberlain and Intimates That Protective Policy May Be Forced on the Government.

London, May 29.—On the motion being made for the Whitsuntide adjournment of the house of commons Sir Charles Dilke (Advanced Liberal) raised a discussion on the fiscal views recently enunciated by Colonial Secretary Chamberlain. The house was crowded, and the United States charge d'affaires, Mr. White, and other foreign representatives were present.

Sir Charles maintained that Mr. Chamberlain had suggested a revolutionary change in the government's policy, which was opposed to all the traditions and to the opinions of an overwhelming majority in parliament. He considered that while the policy of the government as outlined at the recent colonial conference was dangerous, it fell far short of the policy now suggested.

Premier Balfour prefaced his reply with the remark that Sir Charles Dilke had attempted to make mischief between the colonial secretary and himself, but any such attempt would fail. He contended that after the resolution of the colonial conference Mr. Chamberlain was bound to raise the subject of preferential trade for public discussion. Mr. Balfour deprecated "waving the ragged, moth eaten flags of either the protectionist or free trade side in the controversy, now as far removed as the poles from the controversy of half a century ago."

May Have to Retaliate.
The premier then proceeded to argue that the tendency was to raise a tariff wall against British goods. Great Britain, he said, must become more and more dependent on foreign countries for food and owing to exterior tariffs would find herself compelled to dispose of her exports on onerous terms, resulting in an enormous loss to the community. He therefore urged that the time had come when it should be publicly discussed whether the doctrine that revenue was never to be raised except for purposes of expenditure must not be abandoned.

The premier declared there was no contradiction between the views of Mr. Chamberlain and his own, but he defended the right of any minister to freedom of speech. This fiscal question required the most careful examination. He was not certain that the scheme was practicable, but unless some scheme was devised the empire could not progress.

Montreal's Trolley War.

Montreal, Que., May 29.—Senator Forget, president of the Montreal Street railway, announced that the company would not recognize any union of its employees in the way in which they understand it, but would assist them in forming a benevolent union if they desired to do so. All the old men who apply as individuals will be taken back provided they have not committed unlawful acts during the strike. The service is as good as over.

Four Drown in Floods.

Fort Smith, Ark., May 29.—Henry Field, William Ferrell, Walter Parker and D. B. Craig have been drowned in the Arkansas river at Tamaha, I. T. Field was the mail contractor and Ferrell the carrier. They were attempting to cross the swollen stream when their boat overturned. Two other occupants of the skiff narrowly escaped death.



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MACHEN'S COUNSEL SPEAKS.

Asks Public to Suspend Judgment on Accused Official's Case.

Washington, May 29.—Charles A. Douglass of counsel for A. W. Machen, the superintendent of the free delivery service in the post office department who is under arrest on the charge of accepting bribes, has given out the following statement of the present status of the case and also about the course of proceedings in the immediate future:

"Mr. Machen cannot fight out his case in the newspapers, but this much can with propriety be stated: The charges, seemingly made with great deliberation, are of the gravest character, and if the government succeeds in establishing them Mr. Machen and

Machen is ready to meet in the clearest and most satisfactory way the charges now specifically made against him, and he now generally and publicly invites the most rigid investigation into every act and transaction connected with his official life. More than this should not now be said."

Mr. Machen, under advice of his counsel, refused to discuss his case.

Keene's Horse Second.

London, May 29.—Lucien Lyne, the American jockey, rode in his first big race in this country at Epsom and nearly won the event, the Royal Stakes, on Foxhall Keene's Cap and Bells II. He was beaten by only a length by Sundridge in a field of seventeen.

Erte (Pa.) Police Force Resigns.

Erte, Pa., May 29.—On Monday next Erte will be without police protection if the members of the force do not get a raise in salary from \$60 to \$75 per month. This advance was promised them by a special committee, but the council reduced it to \$70. The entire force, with the exception of the chief and captains, has sent a collective resignation to the mayor, to take effect June 1, if the \$75 is not granted.

Funeral Chicago.

Chicago, May 29.—Savings deposits in Chicago banks have passed the \$100,000,000 mark. In the past year they have increased more than \$22,000,000.



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every one else connected with them ought to be severely punished. If, however, they have been made imprudently and without sufficient evidence, public censure, swift and strong, should fall upon the heads of the responsible parties.

"Mr. Machen has been a long time in the public service, and he is widely and favorably known throughout the United States, and it is due him that the public should not prejudice his case, but should patiently await developments, which are sure to come. Mr.

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