

FROM FRIGID ALASKA

Annual Report of Department Commander Randall.

TELEGRAPH AND ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Over Four Hundred Miles of the Military Line Finished Under Difficult Conditions—Frequent Change of Troops Recommended.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The war department has made public the annual report of Brigadier General Randall, commanding the department of Alaska.

General Randall says that the most important work in the department after providing for the housing and supply of troops was that of constructing the military telegraph line and military road through Alaska.

Death Ends Long Pastorate.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The Rev. L. Merrill Miller, D. D., dean of the state presbytery, is dead at the Presbyterian parsonage.

American Shipbuilding.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The commissioner of navigation in his quarterly report shows that 393 vessels of all kinds were built in the United States.

Violent Storms in Europe.

PARIS, Oct. 8.—Violent storms are raging along the French coast, particularly Brittany. Many wrecks are reported in the channel.

Secretary Long's Daughter Dead.

BINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 5.—A beautiful life went out, bringing sorrow to the household of Secretary John D. Long.

A Hazardous Ocean Trip Begun.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 7.—Captain William Andrews, the veteran mariner, has left here for Europe in his burdened foot boat, the Dark Secret.

Philippine Starving.

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 8.—Steamer devices say the island of Panay, in the Philippines, which has been affected by the plague, is now visited by famine.

HODGSON TESTIFIES.

Story of Battle of July 3 Repeated in Schley Court.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Lieutenant Commander Hodgson again occupied the greater part of the Schley court of inquiry yesterday as a witness.

Commander Hodgson repeated and extended his story of the battle of July 3, giving the opinion that Commodore Schley's conduct on that occasion was such as that of a commander in chief.

Captain Folger said that the bombardments of the Cristobal Colon on May 31 had been eminently successful in developing the strength of the Spanish shore batteries.

TREATY RUMORS.

England Hears of Provision to Abrogate Clayton-Bulwer Agreement.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The Washington correspondent of The Daily Chronicle gives the alleged substance of a provisional canal treaty.

Commenting editorially upon these rumors, The Daily Chronicle says: "Englishmen will be startled to learn that we have abandoned our rights under the Clayton-Bulwer treaty."

WOMAN KIDNAPED.

Philadelphia Newspaper Men in Queer Business.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—Charged with kidnaping a woman and holding her a prisoner for four days, robbing her of jewels worth more than \$2,000 and compelling her to sign bank checks.

The men now locked up at the central police station are Howard K. Sloan, an unemployed reporter; Henry Wallace, society editor of one of the morning newspapers; J. Knight Findlay of Wayne, near here, stenographer in the business office of another morning paper.

Many Refugees Dying.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Oct. 7.—There are now 6,500 white persons in the various refugee camps here, while there are nearly 46,000 in the various camps in the Orange River Colony.

American After Russian Railways.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 8.—William A. Heydecker, representing Murry A. Verner of Pittsburg, has presented to the municipal council a memorial offering to take over the entire surface traction of this city and to form a company under Russian law with a capital of 100,000,000 rubles.

Imperial Court Has Started.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 7.—A dispatch from Sianfu announces that the imperial court has started for Kaifengfu.

New York Markets.

PLOUR—State and western fairly active and firm of undertone; Minnesota patents, \$3.45@3.55; winter straights, \$3.25@3.40; winter extras, \$4.50@4.80; winter patents, \$5.50@5.80.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tarely Told.

Charles Hartzell of Colorado has been appointed secretary of Porto Rico. Nineteen fishermen were reported drowned in the bay of Peniche, Portugal.

Kidder, Peabody & Co. have received \$43,050 toward the ransom of Miss Stone.

Connecticut held town elections to decide whether to have a constitutional convention.

A fight in which four were killed and four wounded occurred at the Big Springs Union Baptist church, in Tennessee.

Former Governor Jones has been appointed United States district judge for the northern and middle district of Alabama.

Monday, Oct. 7. Disquieting reports of the political condition in Haiti have been received.

Sir Henry Irving and Miss Terry have sailed from London for New York.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson estimates the beet sugar production for 1901 at 198,500 tons.

Miss Helen Morton, daughter of former Vice President Levi P. Morton, was married to the Comte Boson de Perigord in London.

Labor leaders in Fall River, Mass., have proposed a two weeks' postponement of the big strike of cotton mill operatives for higher wages.

In Saturday's football games Columbia beat Williams, Harvard beat Bates, Yale beat Tufts, Princeton beat Haverford, Pennsylvania beat State college and Cornell beat Bucknell.

Saturday, Oct. 5. London gave Sousa's band an afternoon reception.

The sultan of Jolo refused to see the congressional party from Washington. Apache Indians are said to have killed five persons near Albuquerque, N. M.

A strike of electric railway and lighting company employees was threatened in Chicago.

Former President Kruger of the Transvaal is reported failing physically and mentally.

The court of appeals did not hand down a decision in the Mollineux case, as had been expected.

The Social alliance of Boston circulates a petition for commutation of Czolgosz's sentence to life imprisonment.

Friday, Oct. 4. The strike among Belgian coal miners is spreading.

France is to lay a new cable from Tonquin to Amoy and Port Arthur.

Serious disturbances were reported at Hungarian parliamentary elections.

Gold dust worth \$500,000 was brought from Nome, Alaska, to Puget sound.

Free Society, a Chicago anarchist paper, was temporarily barred from the mails.

Evidence has been found that Russians long ago worked Nome gold deposits.

The total value of minerals produced in this country last year was \$1,070,108,889.

A strike at all collieries of the New York and Scranton Coal company is threatened.

Wisconsin G. A. R. ordered members never to speak the name of the assassin of President McKinley.

Thursday, Oct. 3. Widespread devastation by floods was reported from Spain.

The bubonic plague was reported to be spreading in various eastern countries.

The identification of a dead criminal in Chicago will release an innocent man from jail.

A yellow fever institute is to be established as a branch of the marine hospital service.

Philadelphia reported a movement to combine lead interests into a company, with a capital of \$150,000,000.

Over \$1,000,000 in Klondike gold reached Seattle, but receipts at the assay office are less than last year.

Wednesday, Oct. 2. Andrew Carnegie has given \$25,000 to Glasgow Technical college.

The transport Hancock has sailed from San Francisco for Guam and Manila.

The Danish gunboat Moen was sunk near Copenhagen. The crew was saved.

George M. Pullman, the late car builder's son, married Mrs. Brazell at Carson, Nev.

Comptroller William B. Ridgley took the oath in Washington as the successor to Charles G. Dawes.

Not a Shot Fired. CARACAS, Venezuela, Oct. 7.—An envoy of the Venezuelan government who has just arrived at Maracaibo from the Colombian frontier wires the press correspondent at Caracas as follows: "For two weeks prior to Oct. 3 the Venezuelan troops concentrated between San Cristobal and Cucuta, estimated at 8,000 men, had not discharged a single shot against the Colombians massed before them under the command of General Valencia and estimated at 6,000. Both sides remained continually at 'shoulder arms.' The government of Venezuela before attacking awaits the answer of Colombia to the Venezuelan note. Three thousand Venezuelans are also massed at Guajira."

Costly Blaze at Pittsburg. PITTSBURGH, Oct. 7.—Fire in the Pittsburg Clay Pot works in Allegheny damaged the plant to the extent of \$280,000, injured six men and enforced an idleness of several months upon a force of 165 workmen. The injured men were firemen who were on the roof of the boiler house when the wall fell, and they were carried with it. None of them will die.

Fought to a Draw.

Tired Tommie—Dat lady offered ter gib me a whole pie if I'd draw some water. It wuz a terrible fight between me desire fer de pie an' my nateral aversion ter hard work.

Lazy Luke—How did de scrap come out?

Tired Tommie—Oh, it ended in a draw.—Judge.

He's Kept Busy.

"Nowadays all monarchs learn a trade," remarked Mr. Darley. "What is the trade of England's king?" Mrs. Darley asked.

"Judging from the large number of orders he has conferred, I should say he is a decorator."—Detroit Free Press.

A Timely Warning.

He—Do you think a man ought to wear bracelets?

She—Well, if a man wants to wear bracelets I think he ought to wear them, so that everybody will know he is the kind of man that wants to wear bracelets.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Victim of Heartlessness.

Tramp—I wuz not always a tramp, mum! I wuz driven from home by a heartless woman!

Lady—Who was the woman?

Tramp—Mrs. Carrie Nation! I made my home in Casey's saloon, Wichita, Kansas, mum!—Judge.

The Use of Cloves.

De gem'man wif de clove hoof, You'll find, as sho' as deaf, A-keepin' company wif de man Dat's got a clove bread.

—Philadelphia Press.

THE REAL BITTERNESS.



Mamma—But, darling, why should you object to taking the good doctor's advice?

Bobby—It isn't his advice, mamma, it's his horrid old medicine that I hate to take.—Chicago Daily News.

THE ROYAL MONTH AND THE ROYAL DISEASE.—Sudden changes of weather are especially trying, and probably to none more so than to the scrofulous and consumptive. The progress of scrofula during a normal October is commonly great. We never think of scrofula—its banches, cutaneous eruptions, and wasting of the bodily substances—without thinking of the great good man sufferers from it have derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla, whose radical and permanent cures of this one disease are enough to make it the most famous medicine in the world.

If you can reach a man's heart through his stomach it is equally true that you can reach his pocketbook through flattery.

WANTED.—SEVERAL PERSONS OF character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$15.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head office. Horse and carriage furnished, when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Caxton Building, Chicago. (167926)

RAILROAD NOTES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. REDUCED RATES TO WILLIAMSPORT.—CARLISLE INDIANS-BUCKNELL FOOTBALL.—On account of the football game between the Carlisle Indians and Bucknell College, to be played at Williamsport on Saturday, October 12, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Williamsport, good going on October 12 and returning until October 14, inclusive, from Bellefonte, Renovo, Elmira, East Bloomsburg, Mt. Carmel, Lykens, Harrisburg, Middletown, Coburn, and intermediate stations, at rate of single fare for the round trip (minimum rate, 25 cents).

PHILA. & READING RAILROAD. CARLISLE INDIANS AT WILLIAMSPORT.—SPECIAL LOW RATES—TICKETS GOOD 3 DAYS.—Account Bucknell vs. Carlisle Indians football game at Williamsport, Saturday, October 12th, the Philadelphia & Reading Railway will sell special excursion tickets from Mt. Carmel, Catawissa, Bloomsburg, and intermediate stations, to Williamsport, at the rate of one fare for the round trip, with a minimum of 25c. Tickets will be sold for and good going on all trains Saturday, October 12th, and will be good returning until Monday, October 14th, inclusive.

Level means flat, but there's a distinction between level-headed and flat-headed.

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Easy and pleasant to use. Contains no injurious drug. It is quickly absorbed.

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The Reason, Perhaps.

We often praise the faithful dog Whose friendship will not balk. He never lies nor gossips; but He never learned to talk.

—Washington Star.

An Unreasonable Man.

Mrs. Insuym—The Gadsbys don't appear to get along very well together. Mrs. Galey—No wonder; the brute will neither agree to a separation nor give her any grounds for divorce.—Brooklyn Life.

Caustic Meanness.

"Apples, raw apples, are now said to be good literary diet."

"Yes; and for some poets I'd prescribe green apples—to keep them from writing."—Detroit Free Press.

Nature has just one pigment on her palette with which she produces all the marvelous tints of beauty, and that one pigment is the blood. The shell-like pink beneath the finger nails, the delicate rose of the cheek, the cherry ripeness of the lips, the iridescent brilliance of the eyes are all produced by the blood.

Just as the permanence of a beautiful painting will depend upon the purity of the colors with which it is painted, so the permanence of beauty depends on the purity of the blood. Pimples, powder and cosmetics won't avail to preserve beauty. Beauty begins in the blood.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a true beautifier, because it provides for nature that pure blood with which alone she can paint. The use of this medicine will cleanse the skin, brighten the complexion, brighten the eyes, and give to face and form that radiance of health which is the greatest charm of beauty.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are very effective in ridding the system of clogging residuum, which accumulates with constipated habit.

A fliter in the stock market often proves that riches take unto themselves wings.

CATARRH AND COLDS RELIEVED IN TEN TO SIXTY MINUTES.—One short puff of the breath through the blower supplied with each bottle of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder diffuses this powder over the surface of the nasal passages. Painless and delightful to use. It relieves instantly, and permanently cures catarrh, hay fever, colds, headache, sore throat, tonsillitis and deafness.

Sold by C. A. Kleim.

Silk imports yielded in 1900 more than \$15,000,000 of duties.

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THE KEYSTONE COPPER MINING CO.,

Incorporated Under the Laws of South Dakota, June 15, 1901.

Capital Stock, \$1,000,000.

Divided into 200,000 Shares of Par Value of \$5.00 Each.

FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE

We call special attention to the fact that one share of this Company whose entire Capital Stock consists of only 200,000 shares of the par value of Five Dollars each, secures an interest in its property equal to 5 shares in a Company of One Million Shares of the par value of only One Dollar each, as is the case with nearly all Mining Companies offering shares at a price seemingly lower than the present price of the shares of this Company, but in reality much higher.

Property of Company.

This is very extensive, consisting of four mining properties, each over one mile in length, on a great copper vein over 100 feet in width, pronounced by Copper experts as among the widest and richest copper veins known, lacking only the necessary development to place same in the front rank of the greatest dividend and copper producing properties.

It is on the same great Copper Mineral Belt upon which are located the world's present greatest copper mines, each paying many millions of dollars annually in dividends and developed to the depth of from 1000 to 2000 feet, thus fully establishing the fact that the veins are not alone inexhaustible, but wide and become even more profitable with depth.

The great vein on this property is of such unusual width and so prolific in copper ore from surface that only moderate developments are needed to begin the production of ore on a scale to insure large dividends on the shares of this Company.

The Company is sinking a shaft now nearly 100 feet in depth on the vein of one of its four properties, the "Pay Roll." This shaft is entirely in ore, which, by tests, gave values at the surface of from 3 to 4 per cent. copper; at the depth of fifty feet tests gave values of from 8 to 10 per cent. copper; at the depth of seventy feet tests gave values of from 12 to 14 per cent. in copper, while selected samples show values as high as 12 per cent. copper and nearly \$15 in gold and silver per ton.

The value of the gold per ton will enable the Company to produce copper at very low cost.

As showing that this great vein is not alone of unusual width, but also of rare richness in ore as compared with some of the richest copper mines, we refer to the great "Anticonda Mine," paying over \$5,000,000 annually in dividends from ore averaging less than five per cent in copper; or to the "Boston and Montana" paying over \$6,000,000 annually from ore averaging less than six per cent. in copper; or to the "Great Verde," paying nearly \$5,000,000 annually in dividends from ore averaging less than six per cent. in copper.

To give an approximate idea of the amount of ore and its value, that can be opened by a moderate development in only a small part of such a vein, the following estimates are given: Estimating pay ore vein at only 25 feet in width, depth of shaft, 500 feet, length of levels, 500 feet, would open up 6,250,000 cubic feet of ore, or over Five Hundred Thousand Tons.

Estimating the net Profits at Twenty Dollars per ton, would give total net profits of Ten Million Dollars, or Ten Times the Amount of the Par Value of the entire Capital Stock of the Company, and sufficient to insure dividends to amount of Ten Dollars for each share of the stock. As the length of the vein on this one property, the "Pay Roll," is over one-quarter mile in length, and the depth to which it can be worked many thousands of feet, it will be seen that as a copper investment the shares of this Company offer an unusual opportunity.

The property of the Company is situated in Rio Arriba County, in the northern part of New Mexico (only 40 miles from the southern boundary line of Colorado), convenient to Railroad Station and in a section heavily timbered and one of the healthiest in the United States.

The Company has no debts or mortgages. Its property is free and clear and its management is under able mining experience.

One-quarter of the entire Capital Stock of the Company being 50,000 Shares of the par value of \$20.00 has been placed in the Treasury of this Company as a working capital, of which a limited amount is offered for sale at

\$1.00 PER SHARE

Until October 1st, when the price will be advanced to \$1.50 per share.

As there are only 200,000 shares in this Company it will require net earnings of only \$200,000 to pay dividends at rate of \$1.00 yearly upon each share. This will require only a moderate development.

Those wishing to purchase shares can make remittance, by check or otherwise, to

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