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ALL STRAIGHT FRONT MODELS

MILES CENSURES SOLDIERS

Finds Evidence of Cruelty During Trip in Philippines.

HIGH OFFICERS ARE ALSO BLAMED

War Department Makes Public the Report Submitted by General Miles After His Journey Through Islands.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The War department today made public that portion of the report of General Miles which refers to misconduct of officers and soldiers in the Philippines.

Secretary Root has received several requests for the report, some of these requests being from persons in Boston who stated that they understood that it contained much matter that never had been brought out in the investigation.

The secretary held that such reports were confidential in order that the officer making them might be free to make such comments as he desired, but as it was learned that General Miles had no objection to the publication, it has been made public with a brief comment by General Davis, judge advocate general, who has charge of all matters pertaining to the subjects referred to in this portion of the report.

The statements made by General Miles are the result of his tour of inspection in the Philippines last autumn and winter. General Miles' report on his Philippines observations is dated February 19, 1903, and is addressed to the secretary of war. He says that in going from Calamba to Batangas in November last he noticed that the country appeared devastated and that the people were very much depressed.

Citizens Make Complaint.
Stopping at Lipa, he says a party of citizens headed by the acting president met him and stated that they desired to make complaint of harsh treatment of the people of that community, saying they had been concentrated in towns and had suffered great indignities "that fifteen" of their people had been tortured by what is known as the water torture and that one man, a highly respected citizen, aged 65 years, named Vincente Luna, while suffering from the effects of the torture and unconscious, was not dragged from his house, which was set on fire, and he was burned to death.

They stated that these atrocities were committed by a company of scouts under command of Lieutenant Hennessey and that their people had been crowded into towns, "600" being confined in one building. A doctor of the party said he was ready to testify that some of the 600 died from suffering. General Miles says he looked at the building, which was one story in height, eighteen or twenty feet wide and possibly sixty or seventy feet long. He asked for a written statement to be forwarded him at Manila, but says he never received it and adds: "I have no reason to disbelieve their statements; in fact the instance of torture in the case of the man Luna having been tortured and burned to death are confirmed by other reports."

General Miles then refers to other cases, saying that on the island of Cebu it was reported and published in November, 1902, "that two officers, Captains Samuels, Forty-fourth Infantry, United States volunteers, and Lieutenant Feeter, Nineteenth Infantry, had committed similar atrocities against the people of that island. It is also reported that at Laong, on the island of Luzon, two natives were whipped to death.

"At Tacloban, Leyte, it was reported that Major Glenn ordered Lieutenant Caulfield, Philippine scouts, to take eight prisoners out into the country, and that if they did not guide him to the camp of the insurgent, Quizon, he was not to bring them back. It was stated that the men were taken out and that they either did not or could not do as directed.

Son Spares Father.
"One of the men, who had a son among the scouts, was spared, but the others were separated into two parties, numbering three or four, respectively, and while tied together were all murdered by being shot or bayoneted to death, some being in a kneeling position at that time. The pretense was made that they were killed while attempting to escape, but so far as I know no official report was ever made of the circumstances. These facts have been reported by Major Watts, who investigated the case. Besides Lieutenant

THIEVES BUSY AT HASTINGS

Do a Profitable Business with Crowds Out to See President.

GET FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OFF ONE MAN

Banker Loses a Fine Diamond and Other Valuable Check Out Short on Money and Other Valuables.

HASTINGS, Neb., April 27.—(Special Telegram.)—As a result of the large crowd here today to see President Roosevelt, a gang of pickpockets infested the city. Among the victims relieved of cash were William Walters of Saranville, who had \$35 stolen with his pocketbook and some valuable papers. George Stanton of Hastings was also robbed for \$5. A short time after the president's address, William Kerr, president of the Adams County bank, discovered that he was minus his diamond shirt stud, which was valued at \$200. The largest haul that was made by the thieves was taken from Father McDonald of St. Cecilia's church of this city and amounted to \$600 or more. Father McDonald had in his possession \$500 in checks belonging to the estate of the late James Stack, whose funeral sermon Father McDonald preached this afternoon. These checks had all been endorsed and turned over to the priest, who was to keep them until after the funeral and then divide the money among the immediate relatives. The priest put the checks, with some of his own, in a large pocketbook which he carried in his hip pocket and remembers distinctly of feeling the purse on his person shortly before entering the big crowd gathered about the court house, where President Roosevelt spoke. That is the last trace he has of it. All local banks have been notified to stop payment of the checks.

RUSSIA MAKES REPLY

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that the present misunderstanding will lead to war with any state or group of states. The Peking correspondent of the Times confirms his reference yesterday to Mongolia and adds that Russia is expected to employ foreign mining experts in Manchuria, Mongolia and apparently in Chi Li, though the text here is obscure, the experts must be Russians. It further specifies that the commissioner of customs and the health officer at New Chwang shall be Russians.

"I can also confirm the other demands as telegraphed," he adds, "but the third, concerning the exclusive employment of Russians, comprises all Mongolia. It is to be seen as an example that if China wishes to employ foreign mining experts in Manchuria, Mongolia and apparently in Chi Li, though the text here is obscure, the experts must be Russians. It further specifies that the commissioner of customs and the health officer at New Chwang shall be Russians."

RECOMMENDS BEEF ON HOOF

Miles Thinks Live Cattle Should Be Sent to Soldiers in Philippines.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The War department today made public the report of Lieutenant General Miles, who made a tour of inspection of the Philippines. General Miles strongly recommended that beef on the hoof be shipped to the troops in the Philippines.

This portion of his report was referred to General Miles, commissary general, who in reply stated: "In my judgment, it is not a feasible or economical plan, and there should be no experiment in bringing in cattle as a supply of frozen beef."

General Weston says his office has never received any complaint about frozen beef, but, on the contrary, uniform commendations.

General Weston adds: "Native beef is out of the question, even if it were possible to procure it, and there would be danger in using it, besides it is poor, stringy and tough, but the tenderest practically destroyed the native cattle. The experiment in bringing in cattle was tried, as was stated by Colonel Woodruff, and was an absolute failure."

In the plan in the future, the objections to the supply of cattle on the hoof for the military service in the Philippines is not practical, would involve enormous expense and entail useless loss of animal life, and would serve no useful purpose either to the soldier or to the economy of the government, so that the government would actually pay freight on what was lost.

PONTIFICATE BEATS RECORD

Pope Today Passes Longest Reign of Any Head of Catholic Church.

ROME, April 27.—Tomorrow the pope will have surpassed the famous pontificate of St. Peter. His holiness was elected pope twenty-five years, two months and seven days ago. He has already received many congratulations on the event.

General Wood Goes to Egypt.
VENICE, April 27.—Brigadier General Leonard Wood, Major Scott and Lieutenant McCoy left here today by rail for Constantinople, whence they will sail for Egypt.

EVENTS ON RUNNING TRACKS

New Metropolitan Jockey Club Opens Season on New York Grounds.

NEW YORK, April 27.—The inaugural meeting of the new Metropolitan Jockey club was held at Jamaica today. The first race, handicap, six furlongs; Stevedore won, Futurity second, Duellist third. Time: 1:30.5.

Second race, mile and seventy yards; Seabreeze won, Northbrook second, Pageant third. Time: 1:50.5.

Third race, the Bushwick stakes, five furlongs; Maggie Weldon won, Masado second, Moline third. Time: 1:02.

Fourth race, the Excelsior handicap, mile and one-half; Yellow Tail won, Time: 3:42.5.

Fifth race, four and one-half furlongs; Dan McKenna won, Gregor K third. Time: 1:37.5.

Sixth race, six furlongs; Rosewater third. Time: 1:25.5.

SEVEN RACES, APRIL 27.—Results: First race, four furlongs; Lady Free Knight won, J. W. O'Neil second, Elsie De Yen third. Time: 1:10.5.

Second race, mile and one-sixteenth; Miss Liza won, John J. Regan second, Pyrrho third. Time: 1:37.5.

Third race, one mile; Soothsayer won, Dan McKenna second, Gregor K third. Time: 1:37.5.

Fourth race, five and a half furlongs; Dan McKenna won, Scorpio second, Leeb third. Time: 1:37.5.

Fifth race, four and one-half furlongs; Dan McKenna won, Scorpio second, Leeb third. Time: 1:37.5.

Sixth race, mile and one-sixteenth; Gold-leaf won, Pinky B second, False Lead third. Time: 1:31.5.

SEVENTH RACE, APRIL 27.—Results: First race, six furlongs, selling; Stand Pat won, Kingford second, Pea Ridge third. Time: 1:28.5.

Second race, six furlongs, selling; Whiskey King won, Lewis Wagner second, Brular third. Time: 1:28.5.

Third race, mile and one-sixteenth, selling; Dampdown won, Flaneur second, Preserver third. Time: 1:33.5.

Fourth race, seven and a half furlongs; Hummer won, King Kelly second, Thompson second. Time: 1:58.5.

Hand Spinner third. Time: 1:58.5.

Fifth race, six and one-half furlongs, selling; Briles won, Biliam second, Afghan third. Time: 1:32.

Sixth race, four and one-half furlongs; Oaxacan won, Oaxacan second, Easter Walters third. Time: 1:27.5.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.—Results: First race, five furlongs, selling; Sylvia Talbot won, Bridge second, Icicle third. Time: 1:18.5.

Second race, six furlongs, purse; Mrs. Wiggs won, Prince Eugene second, Castus third. Time: 1:28.5.

Third race, six and a half furlongs, selling; Dr. Clark won, Dr. Hart second, Ben Bullard third. Time: 1:47.5.

Fourth race, one mile, purse; Glen Water won, Roter second, Kitty Clyde third. Time: 1:47.5.

Fifth race, four and a half furlongs, selling; Willie Worl won, Pinky B second, Amertita third. Time: 1:28.5.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs, selling; Sir Crag won, Orleans second, reducer third. Time: 1:27.5.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.—Results: First race, five furlongs, selling; St. Winnifred won, Blissful second, Honey-suckle third. Time: 1:28.5.

Second race, four furlongs, selling; Britie won, Constanza second, Metlakatla third. Time: 1:18.5.

Third race, six furlongs, selling; Rose of May won, Mountbank second, Cousin Currier third. Time: 1:28.5.

Fourth race, mile and seventy yards; Byron Ross won, McIntire second, Kenilworth third. Time: 1:50.5.

Fifth race, mile and fifty yards, selling; Divina won, King Kelly second, Redwald third. Time: 1:44.5.

Sixth race, one mile, selling; Sonoma won, Brierley second, Swift Wing third. Time: 1:47.5.

College Base Ball.
At Chicago—University of Illinois 27; Northwestern University, 2.

Violent Wind at Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., April 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The windstorm here today has been a fierce one and much damage has been done. A large plate glass in the Cushing & Gauvreau wholesale house was blown in tonight and smashed to bits. Several small buildings have been unroofed and one or two blown over.

WORKS THE FAINTING GAME

Woman Picks Pockets of Two Men Who Play the Good Samaritan.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 27.—(Special Telegram.)—While the president was speaking an unidentified woman worked the "fainting game" and succeeded in getting a victim for \$10 and another for \$15. These were the men who carried her from the crowd. She escaped arrest. The woman was about 25 years of age, had light hair and wore a brown skirt and a blue jacket. She suddenly screamed and fell to the pavement. Two sympathetic onlookers picked her up tenderly, carried her out of the crowd where she was revived. Later the men revived and discovered their loss, but not until the woman was gone. The police made eight arrests, two men being taken early this morning as they left the train. Several complaints were made tonight of picked pockets and several empty purses were found on the streets.

INCENDIARIES FIRE CHURCH

Blaze Discovered and Extinguished Before Any Serious Harm is Done.

BEATRICE, Neb., April 27.—(Special Telegram.)—An attempt was made last night to burn the Methodist church at Filley. The incendiary started the fire by first lighting the end of a long pole and applying it to a sack which was placed under one corner of the building and which contained rags and other combustibles. The flames were extinguished before much damage was done although a large hole was burned through the roof. The Beatrice bloodhounds were sent for but failed to locate the guilty parties. Several times within the past few years frebuds have attempted to burn the town.

Celebrate Golden Wedding.

YORK, April 27.—(Special.)—The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan was celebrated at their beautiful farm home, six and one-half miles northeast of York, on April 25. At this gathering ninety-nine relatives and friends were present. The rooms were beautifully decorated with carnations, roses and smilax. Mr. Harlan was born in Union county, Ind., seventy-nine years ago. Mrs. M. A. Harlan was born in the same county and state seventy years ago. They were married in Liberty, Ind., April 21, 1853.

They are the parents of eleven children, seven boys and four girls, of whom four boys and three girls are dead. The remaining four, I. A. Rufus, Walter and Miss Eugina were present to enjoy the wedding. Mr. Harlan has two brothers with their wives older than himself, who are still living and have enjoyed their golden wedding anniversaries.

Man Accidentally Shot.

PLATTSBURGH, Neb., April 27.—(Special.)—Schuyler Kellogg, a young man about 28 years of age, met with a serious accident Saturday afternoon, while hunting for wolves on the farm with a forty-eight caliber rifle. The gun was accidentally discharged, the ball entering his left arm a little above the elbow, going upward and backward, coming out through the shoulder, shattering the bone and making a bad wound. Medical help was at once summoned, the wound dressed and the wounded man taken to a hospital in Lincoln.

Returned to Insane Asylum.

PLATTSBURGH, Neb., April 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. T. G. Greenwood, who was sent to the asylum for the insane in Lincoln last fall, was paroled last week and went to Weeping Water and from there through Union and to this city. Sheriff J. D. McBride found her wandering around in the western portion of Plattsburgh Saturday and took her to the Perkins hotel and kept her there until yesterday, when with a deputy, she was taken to Lincoln. She seemed perfectly willing to go to any place except to Greenwood.

Priests in Conclave.

WEST POINT, Neb., April 27.—(Special.)—The regular semi-annual conference of the priests of the West Point deanery met in conclave today at the parochial residence in this city. Rt. Rev. Bishop Scannell celebrated a pontifical mass this morning at 7 o'clock, and later presided over the conclave. A large number of priests of this district were in attendance and numerous important matters connected with church government were disposed of.

Relative of John Bohm.

YORK, Neb., April 27.—(Special.)—Peter Bohm, an old resident of this place left yesterday for Omaha. Mr. Bohm believes that he is a near relative to the John Bohm, who died at an Omaha hotel leaving an estate something like \$50,000, and is said to have no relatives known.

Dr. Carlisle Resigns.

HASTINGS, Neb., April 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. Carlisle, assistant physician at the Asylum for Chronic Insane at this place, has handed in his resignation. At the request of Governor Mickey, the resignation takes effect at once.

Arm Catches in Machinery.

TUCUMSEH, Neb., April 27.—(Special.)—Otis Ream, employed by the Tucumseh

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REPORTS ON POSTAL NEEDS

Department Official Tours Nebraska and Iowa to Unearth Carrier Shortage.

NEBRASKA BANKS DO BIG BUSINESS

Iowa Institutions, However, Show Falling Off in All Branches, Loans, Deposits and Gold All Being Less.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, April 27.—(Special Telegram.)—W. S. Edens of the city postal delivery service, who has been visiting Nebraska and Iowa examining into the needs for additional letter carriers during the coming fiscal year, wires the department that he will conclude his work in Burlington today. He will then go to Chicago and thence send in reports as to his findings in Nebraska and Iowa cities. Edens' report will include Omaha, Lincoln and Council Bluffs.

Miners' Hospital for Wyoming.

It was announced today at the Interior department that upon investigation it is found clear title can be secured to 1,236 acres in Sundance, Wyoming land district. It is desired to erect a hospital for miners on this site.

Routine of Departments.

The postoffice at Olat, Wright county, Iowa, has been re-established with Michael Niemeyer postmaster.

These rural letter carriers were appointed today: Nebraska—Gresham, regular, Albert H. Imm; substitute, Martin Imm. Iowa—Covrith, regular, James A. Walker; substitute, James J. Hussong. Gilmore city, regular, Allie Brown; substitute, Austin Brown. Hanlontown, regular, Peter A. Grove; substitute, Jacob Tallackson. Kirkman, regular, Miss Emma Stees; substitute, Thomas Kimball. Mt. Vernon, regular, John D. Blain; substitute, Frederick A. Blain. North Buena Vista, regular, John C. Roe; substitute, Annie M. Roe. Remsen, regular, Gustaf B. Rosburg; substitute, Charles Rosburg.

Western Banks Make Report.

The abstract of condition of national banks of Iowa exclusive of Des Moines and other reserve cities of April 9, shows loans and discounts fell from \$44,622,126 to \$63,618,626; gold holdings fell from \$1,783,325 to \$1,716,614. The individual deposits

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