

GNU/Linux Administration - Bug #823

Fix Curl SSL Certificate Error Preventing Yaourt Installation

07/01/2016 10:29 PM - Daniel Curtis

Status:	Closed	Start date:	07/03/2016
Priority:	Normal	Due date:	
Assignee:	Daniel Curtis	% Done:	100%
Category:	Workstation	Estimated time:	0.50 hour
Target version:	Arch Linux	Spent time:	0.50 hour

Description

I recently encountered a problem while trying to install yaourt on Arch Linux. The problem caused a failure while downloading yaourt, with an error message stating:

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curl: (77) error setting certificate verify locations:
  CAfile: /etc/ssl/certs/ca-certificates.crt
  CApath: none
==> ERROR: Failure while downloading https://github.com/archlinuxfr/yaourt/releases/download/1.8.1/yaourt-1.8.1.tar.xz
  Aborting...
```

After searching around online, I found the fix on the Arch Linux forum.

- Remove the incorrect ca-certificate.crt file:

```
sudo rm /etc/ssl/certs/ca-certificate.crt
```

- Manually link the ca-bundle.trust.crt to the expected location:

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sudo ln -s /etc/ca-certificates/extracted/ca-bundle.trust.crt /etc/ssl/certs/ca-certificates.c
rt
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Resources

- <https://bbs.archlinux.org/viewtopic.php?id=205296>

History

#1 - 07/01/2016 10:31 PM - Daniel Curtis

- Status changed from New to Resolved

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