## THE OMAHA DAILY BEE. NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

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### MINOR MENTION.

Grand hotel, Council Bluffs, reopened Oct. 1. Mayne Real Estate agency, 539 Broadway. Grace Sunday school will have their Christmas tree and entertainment this even-ing in the guild room of the church.

James Matheson has received word of the death of his sister, Mrs. Sherman Jewett, at Hartford, Kan. The remains will be buried ers in the company to come to an agreement today at Monticello, Ia.

"The Charity Ball" is the attraction for this evening at Dohany's opera house. This is one of Frohman's best plays, is presented an excellent company and the opera house should be crowded.

Star, held a public installation of officers last evening, followed by a supper and social. Quite a number of friends of the order were present.

A number of drunken rowdles upset a five-gallon can of gasoline in front of P. Gunnoude's store on Lower Main street last ovening and set fire to R. Quite a little blaze was created, and the fire department had to be called out in order to prevent the frame buildings in the vicinity from being ignited. The damage was slight.

whist club will go to Sloux City het russ ment. Some of the "stay at homes" are getting a good deal of satisfaction out of the fact that within the past few days some of them have succeeded in worsting some of the champions, who have been doing a good deal of strutting lately.

Rev. E. W. Allen returned yesterday from a trip of ten days to Buffalo, N. Y. He has received a call to become the pastor of a church in that city. The offer is a somewhat tempting one to an ambitious young man, as he would have a weakhy church backing him in bis efforts. Council Bluffs can ill afford to luse him, and the universal hope of his congregation and friends is that may decide to remain here.

We have \$400,000 to loan upon improved farms in Iowa and will take all the giltadged loans offered at low rates. We do the colored man claim that Morrison has re-not want wild lands, and will not loan in Ne-peatedly driven his hired men off the place braska. Lougee & Towle, 235 Pearl street.

### Domestic soap breaks hard water.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

J. S. Halbert has gone to Florida to spend the winter.

Mrs. Dr. Beatty of Dunlap is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Purcell. Miss Theo Weldon of Missouri is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. E.

D. L. Garrison expects to leave shortly for a southern trip, accompanied by Ed Mc-Kesson

Miss Werdna Keller of Hot Springs, S. D.,

L. J. Lee, who has until recently been doing reportorial work on the Globe, has gone to Chicago and his place is now filled by Fred M. Loomis, lately of the Lincoln Call.

Ben Marks and the Company Unable to Agree on the Price of the Land Owned by the Former and Wanted by the Latter.

Line Has Struck a Snag.

The Council Bluff's & Lake Manawa Elec-tris rallway project is apparently at a stand-still, owing to the failure of the stock hold-ers in the company to come to an agreement with Ben Marks on the question of terminals. Marks owns all the land on the lake shore that is considered suitable for terminals. He claims the company wants him to give all he has, and in that way lose all the benefit he

has, and in that way lose all the benefit he has, and in that way lose all the benefit he would naturally derive from the operation of the new railway, while the company claims the instrument should be used. Harmony Chapter, Order of the Eastern would naturally derive from the operation of it is willing to pay him whatever is right, but

he refuses to put a price on his land.

There was a shooting scrape near Crescent City Monday afternoon. William Johnson and Charles Kiles, while and colored, respectively, were cutting wood on shares for a farmer named Morrison. Some dispute arose and he ordered them off the place. They They The champion players of the Council Bluffs went, but came back, whereupon Morrison, it Whist club will go to Sioux City next Tues. Is said, brought out a shotgun and threatened to shoot them if they did not stay away. Then came the shooting, but the accounts

ran so fast that his testimony is not worth much. Morrison claims that Johnson told Kiles to shoot him, and that Klles did so. Warrants were sworn out against Morrison and Johnson, and they were both arrested. Morrison gave bonds, and Johnson was brought by an officer to this city and taken to the county jail. Kiles, all this time, had been running his legs off, and he beat the Northwestern train into the city. He went to the sheriff's office at the court house, and, with a face that was almost pale from fright, demanded the projection of that official. Shortly after he arrived the officer came in with Johnson, whereupon Sheriff Hazen concluded to keep Kiles as well. Johnson and

peatedly driven his hired men off the place at the point of a gun, refusing to pay them the wages that were due them.

Sheridan Coal. This new coal from Wyoming for sale only by H. A. Cox, 37 Main street. Telephone

48. Ask for circulars, Davis sells drugs, paints and glass cheap.

Washerwomen use Domestic soap. Picked Up by the Police.

John Hulbert, a good-sized brother of the far-famed Josie Hulbert, stole a pair of

skates from a smaller boy, John Stokes, Monday afternoon while they were skating on is visiting in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Mosie. Indian creek. Hulbert, it is claimed, threw the other boy down and took the skates off the other boy down and took the skates off Mrs. W. F. Sapp has returned from an eastern trip, accompanied by Mrs. Nellie Bangs Skelton of Chicago. the vas arrested by Officer a manger in the barn. Young Hulbert last Chief Nicholson of the fire department is a grandfather, a ten-pound son having ar-rived at the home of his son, Will Nicholson.

Justice H. H. Fleid has received a letter announcing the election of his son-in-law, Mayor W. M. Geddis of Grand Island, to the office of clerk of the Nebraska house of the purpose of getting a term in jall. Charles Loffell and Harry Egbert stole a box of underclothing at the Boston store box of underclothing at the Boston store

000,000 square miles, with an averate depth of 12,000 feet, and is calculated to contain no less than 3,270,600 billion foms of water. The rivers of the earth are estimated to nave a flow sufficient to cover thirty-six cubic WENT OUT TO SAVE GORDON a now summer to cover three three the cover three the cover of the above area each day. Now, if all the oceans were suddenly dried and the rivers would keep up their present rate of flow (which, of course, they could not without ocean evaporation) it would take 35,000 years

TERMINALS AT THE LAKE THE TRCUBLE to refill the basin. CLEANING FEATHERS. A Satisfactory Way to Clean and Polish Hat Plumes.

A new and satisfactory way to clean white hat feathers is to dip them in lime water. Make the solution quite thick and allow the plumes to remain in the wash for some time

A wise recipe to follow in preparing feath-ers for beds is this: Water is saturated with quicklime, the feathers are well steeped

bleach them before dyeing. The manner of treatment is the same as that for cloth.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS Navigation has been closed on the Ohio

river by lee. The Pennsylvania legislature met yester-day and organized.

The republican caucus of the New York legislature has nominated Hamilton Fish for speaker. Two unknown traveling men are supplised to have perished in the Miller hotel fire at Lancaster, Ky. Ex-City Treasurer Davidson of Lexington says he will make the shortage good, in says he

Albert Prentiss of Cleveland, O., was fatally burned yesterday while kindling a fire with coal oil. fire with coal oil. J. A. Hunton, treasurer of Lyon county, Nevada, committed suicide Monday night. He was short \$5,000. The three Woessnack brothers afloat on Lake Michigan were rescued in an almost frozen condition yesterday.

Troken condition yesterday. The negroes throughout North Carolina celebrated the anniversary of the emancipa-tion proclamation yesterday. John McBride yesterday assumed the du-ties of president of the Federation of Labor, succeeding Samuel Gompers.

The supreme court of California has ren-dered a decision refusing a rehearing in the famous Murphy will case.

It is reported dead fish are being found in large numbers on the Florida coast, caused by the recent cold weather. The grand jury at Dallas, Tex., refused to indict the county commissioners, though it is claimed gross frauds were proven. A Lehigh passenger train at Geneva, N. Y., struck a sleigh on a crossing and killed Mrs. Hughes, her son and Miss Larkin. An immense throng gathered in New York Monday night to listen to Trinity chimes fing the old year out and the new one in.

Two little children named La Tour were fatally burned at Thomasville, Ga., yester-day. Their clothing caught fire from a fireday. place. Friends of Frank James deny the story that he is soon to take to the stake in a melodrama in which a train robbery is the central attraction.

By an explosion of dynamite at the peni-tentiary at Nashville yesterday six negro prisoners were killed and the building greatly damaged.

Some History of the War Against the Mahdi.

FACTS TOLD BY ONE WHO WAS AT FRONT

An Interpreter Who Was with the British Army in the Campaign of the Soudan Relates Some Blood Curdling Experience in Africa.

Some days ago, and while he was on a journey from ocean to ocean, Ellas S. Farah, a young Syrian, stopped off to rest and learn something of the customs of the Americans, While he was at one of the hotels in the city

Something of the customs of the Antericans. While he was at one of the hotels in the city he related some of the facts concerning the rebellion of Arabi Pasha, which was sup-pressed by Lord Wolseley, who turned his attention to the campaign of 1884, when an army was sent out to rescue Gordon. During both of these expeditions Farah went as an Arabic interpreter, being attached to the Royal Sussex regiment. In relating incidents, Mr. Farah said: "I find that most Americans have a wrong im-

bit for the vert present.
Cliff Hough used a lot of profane and abscene epithets on the street last event.
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something like the Falls of Niagara, only smaller. In this country you would probably

came we found that each of them was cal-culated to carry fourteen men and provisions for 120 days. There were also two sternfor 120 days. There were also two stern-wheel steamers so constructed that they could be taken apart and transported piece-meal around the cataracts. With the boats came 800 Canadians, who had been brought all the way to Egypt, because of their supposed ability at steering and managing boats in swift rivers. When we reached the hard work of dragging those boats up the cataracts, we rerivers. lied upon natives, and not the Canadians.

FORTUNE INVESTED IN CAMELS. "The trip to the second cataract was made on the old Nile steamers, and took five days. Here the hardships and difficulties of the ex-

pedition really began. The army was about 20,000 strong. We had a camel corps of over 30,000 animals, and as they cost from \$75 to \$100 each, there was a little invest-ment of \$3,000,000 or more in that one item. from which you may infer something of the cost of trying to save Gordon from the Mahda. At each cataract the supplies for that host had to be unloaded from the boats and car-ried around the obstruction. We didn't wait for the animals to do it, either. The men were compelled to pack great loads on their backs, and it was a notable fact that their backs, and it was a notable fact that the officers put themselves on the level of the privates when it came to transporting goods by man power. Our steamers had to be taken to pieces, carried around the rapids on camels, and put together again. The small boats were drugged up stream by ropes. In roome areas it we not possible to do this from boats were dragged up stream by ropes. In some cases it was not possible to do this from the shore. That was when the Berberines displaced the Canadians. The river channel was so tortuous that the natives had to swim out to rocks with the **ropss**, and in that manner the boats were advanced from one boulder to enchar. This work was exprisoners were and a greatly damaged. The creditors of J. Lichtenstein & Sons of New York, who failed recently, have filed attachments on the firm's property. They allege fraud. They allege fraud. They allege fraud.

force with the steamers had run out of supplies long before we came, and was forced to to be make frequent raids on the native villages for food, generally losing a man or two. The battle of Metammeh was fought January 20, 1855. On January 24 three steamers with a part of our force started for Khartoom. They arrived within a short distance of the clity between the White and Bue Niles three uny afterwards, but they were too late. The Mahdi's flags were floating over the fortifications. Khartoom had fallen the day before, and 'Chinese' Gordon's head, as I learned aftierwards, was exposed in a public place on the top of a spear. The river banks were lined with sharp shooters, and only one of the tree steamers came back to us.

three steamers came back to us. "After sending spies into Khartoom to make sure of Gordon's fate, our command started back on that terrible march across the desert to Korti, From the spies, friendly Soudaneze and escaped Christians I learned

Soudance and escaped Christians I learned any other case, and it was there adjudged by how Khartoom was taken. It was betrayed a unanimous court that "Direct taxes within by two of Gordon's native officers, Farag Pasha and Ahmet Galeb. Galeb gave a false tation taxes, as expressed in that instrument

with hills and even some distance from the river there are data and gum trees, but there is so much sand and so little edible vegeta-tion, except at the little native hamlets, that there is more desert than anything else, even near the river. A mericans have another wrong impression about the cat-aracts of the Nile, which they imagine are constitute listic to see the federal government de-prived of the link officers as souvenirs, and I made handsome sums in buying and soiling them. Gordon also issued medals made in imitation of the link guide in the second decisions as it would be if the another wrong impression about the cat-aracts of the Nile, which they imagine are constitute listic to second decisions and the privation of the insignator of the second officers received silver medals, and the pri-tion decision in the second decision of the insignator of the second method with constant of the second decision of the insignator of the second decision decision decision d

vates were cheered with copies in lead. "To show what stuff the Soudanese were made of I will tell you of the battle of Toski lta power was invoked for the benefit of The Pennsylvania legislature met yester-day and organized. Another slight earthquake was felt in the City of Mexico yesterday. The Michigan state officials were inaugu-rated at Lansing yesterday with elaborate ceremonies. The republican caucus of the New York The republican caucus of the New York The republican caucus of the New York legislature has nominated Hamilton Fish for speaker. Two unknown traveling men are supposed to have perished in the Miller hotel fire at Lancaster, Ky. Grave robbers stole the body of Carrie, a colored girl from the Lawrence, Kan, cemetry. Ex. City Treasurer Davidson of Lexington British checkmated that move by making the women prisoners. Provisions as well as hence are open questions but the water began to run short, and at word as then sent their women for water, knowing the whites would not shoot them, but the opposite Toski the army of Soudanese sct-

tled down among the hills to slowly starve to death. ATE THE FLESH OF THEIR CHILDREN. "A British force was sent out to attack them. By a feint all the Soudanese able to stand up and fight were drawn into the lieving the rich from something like their just share of the bur-dens of taxation. A court of very high repute stand up and high were drawn into the plain, where they were slaughtered. When we reached the camp we found the only food was a little corn and dates, less than enough for two camel loads. The poor, starving people had eaten all their camels, has said: "Where there has been a series of decisions by the highest tribunal, the rule stare decisis to regarded as impregnable-except by legislative enactment." In view of the strained relations between donkeys and other animals and drank the blood. Some had resorted to the skins on their cots and the bark of paim trees for capital and labor and the somewhat preva-lent impression that legislation is largely infood. Most of the children were dead and many of their bodies had been caten. I saw one woman who was sick from drinking the blood of her child. I could easily count the ribs of the poor victims at a distance of fifteen feet. Two thousand Soudanese were killed in the battle and the prisoners were

settled among the Egyptians on our way back to Cairo." Mr. Farah remained with the British army at Alexandria till 1892, acting as Arabic in-terpreter and buying supplies for the troops. He had several narrow escapes during his campaigns. The small boat in which he sailed from Port Said to Ismailia was nearly captured by Bedouins. One man was heard and the others only escaped by putting to shore and making a race to the nearest body of soldiers. While the portage of one of the cataracis was being made the young interpreter strolled back from the river and don't took a map in the shade of a friendly tree. He overslept and when he awoke there was was ter be a 'mancipated woman, air ye?'' half ''No-but I don't see why we shouldn't no sign of an army. then evening and he put It was in half up in a tree, where he could

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There has been a tendency of late to extend and enlarge the federal jurisdiction, for in-

the railroads; but when the meneved interest

is touched adversely by the foderal power the courts are appealed to, with confidence

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Willing to Give In.

Washington Star: "Joslar," said Mrs.

Corntossel, "don't you think thet wimmin

is kinder kep' down more than they orter

"I dunno," was the reply. "Mebbe they don't allus get ter do all they're capable of.

But, look'y here, Mandy, you ain't hankerin'

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fluenced if not controlled by the undue power W. Bowman Co. N. 16t .. st. the income tax is one of the very few hopeful W. W. Fister, Parksr and Leavan-

the income tax is one of the very few hopeful events of the day, the importance of which in its bearings on popular government, it is to be feared, is being largely overlooked. In my opinion the importance of the income tax my opinion the importance of the income tax

will bring, as in the fact it is a step in the

Stockholders' Meeting

Stockholders' Meeting. Office of Lee-Clarke-Andreesen Hardware Co., Omaha, Neb., Dec. 7, 1891.—Notice is herbey given to the stockholders of the Lee Clarke-Andreesen Hardware company that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the offices of the said company, 1219, 1221 and 1223 Harney street, in the city of Omaha, in the state of Nebraska, on Tuesday, January 8, A. D 1855, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the com-pany to serve during the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may be presented at such meeting. Attest: H. J. LEE, President.

Attest: H. J. LEE, Freshtend W. M. GLASS, Secretary. D7 M to J 8 Sun

# Beauty and Purity

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J. E. Barstow has returned from Hunting ton, Ore., and is a guest of his brother, Dr. J. M. Barstow, for a few days. He has been having more serious trouble with a limb that was injured a number of years ago, and it is feared that another amputation will be necessary.

B. L. Curtis of Chicago, representing the firm of Camp Bros. of that city, is the guest of Dr. P. J. Montgomery and family. Last evening a number of music lovers were invited in to htar him sing. He has a fine baritone volce, and the songs he sang were greatly enjoyed by those who heard him.

Bouricius' music house has few expenses; high grade plants are sold reasonably. 116 onn street.

Ground oll cake \$1.30 hhd, at Morgan & Co.'s drug store, 134 Broadway.

Second Assembly. The Grand hotel was the scene of a

brilliant affair Monday night, the second "assembly" of the season. A large crowd of "assembly of the elect gathered there and danced the hours away merriy to the music of a fine orchestra. The ladies were charmingly gowned, the decorations of farns, holly, red roses, chrysanthemums very elaborate, and the premises. In the premises, the picked up a big stick of stove wood and struck Mossler on the head, inflicting a big gash. Officer Woolf chased them up Main street, but they managed to get away from him. This gang has been guilty of a dozen him. This gang has been guilty of a dozen him. This street outrages of this sort in the past evening was one of rare enjoyment from first dance to the "home" waltz. The twelve months, but have always managed following were present: Messrs, and Mes-dames Don Macrae, sr., Lucius Wells, J. L. Stewart, William Moore, C. E. H. Campbell, B. A. Troutman, I. M. Treynor, W. F. Sapp, J. Jamison, W. S. Dlmmock, Montgomery, A. W. Casady, F. S. Pusey, E. Lougee, B. M. Sargent, W. E. Shepard, Wood Ailen, W. A. Maurer, H. Cummings, J. G. Carilisle, H. P. Barrett, D. L. Ross, Frank Wright, J. N. Baldwin, E. J. Gilbert, Graves, T. Stewart, E. W. Hart, Will Wyman Omaha, Mesdames Lyman, Bonson of Duuque, McCune, Skelton of Chicago, Herbert f Omaha, Misses Montgomery, Babcock, Butts, Casady, Wickham, Patterson, Bennett, Gleason, Kellar, Webster, Oliver, Doke, Vincent, Aylesworth, Murphy, Woodward, Stew-art, Dewey of Omaha, Clark of Iowa City, Messrs. Everett, Smith, Casady, Wickham, Fenlon, Reid, Patterson, Zermuelen, Bow-man, Shepard, Wright, Woodbury, Dawson, Metcalf, Griffith, Mayne, Haas, Gerner, Murphy, Whitelaw, Brown, Paxton, Wood, Thomas Bowman, Tinley, Steinman, Ogden, Thomas Bowman, Thomy, Garman of Clark, Grick, Smith, Doane and Garman of Omaha, Bliss, Dick Stewart, Barnes of St. Paul.

Telephone No. 45 for A. D. T. messengers, wagons or carriages. No. 23 Main St.

### Bicycling on Ice.

The latest thing in the way of amusement is bleycling on the ice. For the past few Allen, the pastor, was assisted in receiving days a number of wheelmen of the city have been making trips to Lake Manawa, where the ice is as smooth as glass, and covered with a layer of dust just thick enough to keep the three from allpping. Yesterday about 100 pleasure seekers spent the day there, some of them skating, and others riding their wheels over the smooth surface. It described as great sport. The road be tween the city and the lake is now in first class condition for riding.

### Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were is sued by the county cle:k yesterday:

Name and address. Albert A. Adams, Council Bluffs. Mary A. Barlow, Council Bluffs.... Age H. H. Prior, Omaha. Castella Sigler, Council Bluffs. Morris Parker, Pottawattamie county.... Mary A. Bedlent, Pottawattamie county... Williams, Pottawattamie county.

### Mrs. Bioomer's Funeral.

The burial of Mrs. Amelia Bloomer will take place at St. Paul's church this afternoon at 2:39 o'clock. At the house a brief service will be said at 2:30 c'clock. It is requested that all persons who wish to view the remains will come to the residence between it and 2 o'clock. A memorial discourse will delivered at the church at an early day.

Monday night, and were arrested yesterday. A resolution will be introduced in the Texas legislature requesting Senator Mills to resign on the ground that he no longer represents the state. Loffell was fined \$50 and costs for using pro fane language in police court, but after serv ing six days, his sentence was suspended during good behavior. He will have two charges to confront him this morning. being

Ed Brumstein was fined \$14.60 for too enthuslastic at the Free Methodist services last Sunday night.

represents the state. It is reported that Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe is to ask the court for permission to build a branch into the coal fields of Jack-son county, Kansas. The body of William Schroeder, who has been missing for some time, was found in the woods near Knoxville, Tenn. It is thought he was murdered. Try Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway, for work. Our medium gloss finish can't be beat, but we do strictly hand work, domestic finish, when preferred. Telephone 157. Tom Blair, accused of assault with intent to kill, and who had been recently ac-quitted on a murder charge, was lynched at Mount Sterling, Ky., last night.

The laundries use Domestic soap.

this class of desperadoes.

Domestic soap outlasts cheap soap.

Kept Open House.

Hanging on the Strap

A Big Calculation in Water.

at Mrs. Ragadale's.

Gas Co.'s office.

#### Another Outrage by Toughs. Dick Landon, Selly Hough and a compan-

ion named Cook, celebrated New Year's day by getting gloriously drunk at the Mergen solcon, on South Main street. Then they wandered over into L. H. Mossler's back

Mount Stering, Ky., last night. Governor Morton has announced that he will nominate George W. Aldridge of Rochester to be superintendent of public works. The position pays \$6,000 a year. E. L. Riegel of Bloomsbury, N. J., who was wounded in a duel at that place, has had his adversary, William E. Bibler of Germantown, arrested for murderous as-wault sault. vard, where he had some chickens. Mossler Miss Katherine Patton was killed and Miss Jennie Harvey and William Thompson seriously injured at Bath, Me., yesterday by a train running into a buggy in which they same out to see what was the matter, and finding who were there, ordered them off were riding.

to get off with a light sentence, and gener-ally with none at all. The attack was en-Excitement was at fever heat at the First Methodist church at Abilene, Tex., Sunday on account of a band of sanctificationists calling upon the paster to "Come out of the pulpit, you devil." tirely unprovoked, and all who are acquainted with Mr. Mossler know that he is not the sort of a man to pick a quarrel with any one. least of all with such people as the trio for which the police are now looking. The city

authorities seem entirely unable to cope with 20 per cent discount on all trimmed hats Gas cocking stoves for rent and for sale at

The third reception of the series was given by the members of the Christian church at the tabernacle yesterday afternoon and evening. During the afternoon the crowd was coming and going continually, and refresh-

territory that the guests were pleased, and many a young man who was away from home was made to pass an enjoyable afternoon.

the state. the state. Captain H. B. Seeley, formerly of the Sixth New York infantry, died at Chilli-cothe, Mo., yesterday. He was at one time a member of General Hancock's staff. After the war he entered the ministry and was one of the best known Methodist ministers in Missouri. In the evening the tabernacle was thronged by an enthusiastic corps of young ladies and gentlemen. An attractive program of musical and literary selections was rendered under the direction of the Misses Bedison.

one of the best known steinoust ministers in Missouri. With the beginning of the new year the banking firm of Drexel. Morgan & Co. of New York was reorganized by the admis-sion of Robert Bacon, formerly of E. Rol-lins, Moore & Co. of Boston, and E. M. Robinson, son of J. Mordice Robinson, who was a member of the original firm. The Cleveland police think they have captured the men who murdered William H. Price, the press manufacturer. One of them has made a partial confession, stating they were surprised by Press while robbing the house, and that they were compelled to shoot him in order to escape. The striking shoemakers of Haverhill. The Mandolin club played several pieces, Mrs. Roff sang, accompanied by Mrs. Ed Keys on the plano, Mrs. Lester played a plano solo, and Miss Nellie Frainey gave a recita-

A Pittsburger went to his physician a few days ago complaining of a dull ache in his left arm. He had never had rheumatism, but thought his pain must come from that malady. After describing it, the doctor said: "You ride to and from your office in the cable car, don't you?" "Yes." "You sel-dom get a seat?" "True enough." "You have formed the habit of holding to the strap

The striking shoemakers of Haverhill, Mass., had a big demonstration last night. Miss Francis E. Willerd addressed them and urged them to abstain from intoxicants. Lady Henry Somerset also addressed them and urged them to stand fast against the encrochments of the capitalists. At Disraffe Okl. yesterday a fight ha

with your left hand?" "Since you men-tion it I know it is so, though I had not thought of it." "That is the cause of the pain you feel. For an hour a day, more or lezs, your left arm is held in an unnatural. encrochments of the capitalists. At Digraffe, Okl., yesterday a fight be-tween & Rocky mountain gray wolf and hounds took place on a wager. At one time it locked as though the principal fight would be among the spictators, but this was declared off. The hounds twenty in number, finally caught and killed the wolf. The United States court at Chattanooga, Tenn, after a full hearing, exonerated the law firm of Clark & Brown of accepting fees from both sides in a case in litigation. It was these charges that slopped the con-firmation of Clark as United States judge. The judiciary committee of the senate has not yet given him a hearing. upraised position, and it has begun to tell upon you. You can relieve the ache with this contment which I shall give you, but a cure can only be effected by ceasing to sup-port yourself by hanging upon a strap."

The ocean, sea and lake surface of our planet is estimated at something like 145,-

ried around by the troops. "We encountered the Berberines at the first train robbers who are said to be in the Sucarnoche swamp.

cataract, and they were scattered all the way up to the fifth. They were a peaceful race, very lazy, and so timid that a whole village would be described when I approached alone to buy eggs. They spoke many dialects, so that one village often could not understand its neighbors. There are many in Cairo, and they were very friendly and helpful to

the expedition. "It was a toilsome trip of sixty-two days from the first cataract to a village called Korti. The boats were sailed at times and often towed. The mosquitoes were so thick that every mar wore a vell, hanging from his helmet to his shoulders, and at times the pest covered the veiling so thickly that they had to be brushed off in order to enable the man to see. At night we slept rolled up in our blankets. Winds were constantly blowing, which whirled the sand over the sleeping men, sometimes an inch deep. One morning a friend was looking for me, but he couldn't distinguish the mound which concealed me, for the drifting sands cover the desert with such mounds. It may specially interest Omaha people to know that during a large part of the expedition our only food, in addition to hardtack, was canned beef, put up by the South Omaha

were riding. Daniel Tromley of Bay City, Mich., went crazy over politics and murdered his wife and child and then set his house on fire. He cut his own throat, but did not make a good job of it. While attending a social entertainment at ford was shot and instantly killed by un-known parties. The shot was fired from outside the house. camp. carried a pocket filter. We made tea in the evening, and, after brewing it, we had

I desire to submit a few suggestions with

pulpit, you devil."
Governor Turney of Tennessee has requested the schools and colleges of the state to celebrate February 18, the 100th anniversary of the birth of George Peasbody, the philanthropist.
Five inmates of the fail at Pittsburg, Kan, dug out on New Year's eve, went to a neighboring town and had a big spret, after which they returned voluntarily to serve out the remainder of their sentences. Joseph Roundtree of Indianola, Miss., yesterifay murdered his wife, literally chopping her to pleces with an axe. He there set fire to the house. The murderer has been captured and there is talk of lynching.
J. C. Caldwell, postmaster at a small town reference to the editorial of the 24th inst., entitled, "Income Tax to Be Tested." I do not suppose you desire to create any unwarranted prejudices against the income tax which, in my humble judgment, deserves wide popularity. J. C. Caldwell, postmaster at a small town in Lincoln county, Oklahoma, has been ar-rested on the charge of making false re-turns of stamp cancellations. Inspectors are investigating a number of offices in the iterritory. the legal proceedings lately begun to test the constitutionality of the law, it is said: "The constitution does not give the government unlimited power of taxation. It is expressly authorized by the constitution to

\* at night a wire fence was set up about the men and wooden contrivances filled with The planters of the Mississippi delta had a meeting yesterday and agreed to pay 50 cents per day and board to the best male help and 40 cents to female. An effort will be made to have this rate adopted all over

MOWED DOWN BY GATLING GUNS. "Our objective point was Metammeh, on the Upper Nile, about 100 miles from Khartoom. We had several skirmishes on the way, and when still three miles from the river the Soudanese attacked us in force. We

piled our camel saddles into a rude work, but I can assure you it was a slender protection against the 10,000 yelling demons who attacked us upon two sides. Many of the Soudanese were armed with the guns of Hicks Pasha's army, which had been lured ent'nent legal luminaries you mention, in-cluding Joseph H. Choate and Frederic R. Coudert. However this may be, the supreme into the deserts south of Khartoom and destroyed to the last man; but our enemies, because unaccustomed to the weapons, soon threw them aside. Our Martini rifles picked court of the United States has construed the term "direct taxes," in the provision off the horses long before they reached us. of the constitution referred to in your torial, in several cases. As early as and our gatling guns mowed down great swaths of black men. The Soudanese charged right up to our breastworks, where they the court considered the meaning words "direct taxes," and held that a tax on carriages, under the law of congress of 1794.

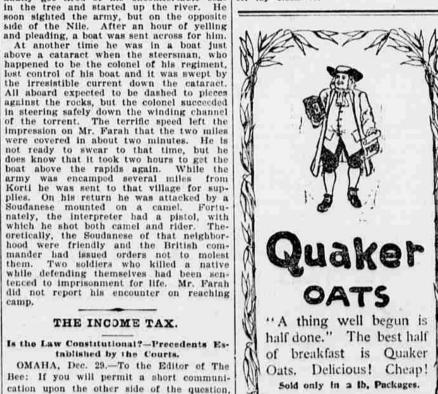
could throw their spears over, but our squares stood the attack finely, and the enemy withis not a direct tax. Hylton vs United States, iii. Dallas, 171. One of the judgis, Justice Patterson, who was a member of the constitutional convention, in his opinion

stood the attack finely, and the enemy with-drew after losing one-third of its men. The Soudanese aimed to kill officers, and we lost twenty, with about twice as many privates. The Soudanese carried hundreds of flags, some red with Arabic inscriptions in white cloth, and vice versa. This was on all their hanners: "God is merciful and benigh. He is eternal, exalted and over all. There is only one God. Mahomet is his prophet and Ma-homet Ahmed, the mahdi, is the disciple of the prophet."

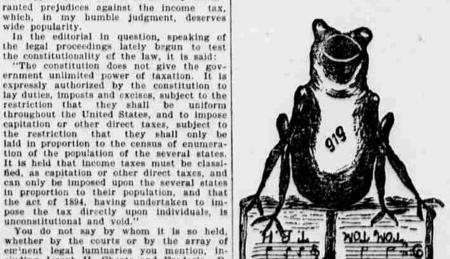
the prophet.' "When we reached the Nile at Metammeh we found seven steamers sent by Gordon threatened to fire on his men if they re-turned to Khartoom without relief. The

mebbe they ain't "Ye don't? Well, watch the hyenas and other wild animals as they came down to the river to drink. as they came down to the river to drink. In the distance he also saw the lights of na-whiskers and throwin' a stone straight, I'll lives who might not be friendly, but he grant ye any other 'complishment ye chose finally got tired of his uncomfortable seat ter lay claim to."

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