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Notice: To the absent ones of the district bench: Come home and all will be forgiven.

Mason, the leader of the Cuban revolution, is reported to be very sanguine.

The fire town of Lockport, Ill., which was altogether without fire protection, was wiped out by the flames the other day.

The superintendent of the city hall now finds himself between the devil and the deep blue sea.

According to the Encyclopaedia Britannica the Arabian equivalent for "derivish" is fakir.

At last accounts Secretary Carlisle was in Duluth, a town made famous during its babyhood by Proctor Knott.

A Chicago paper has discovered an available candidate for the presidency in J. Sterling Morton.

General Coppinger and his troops are on their way home, but they bring with them neither scalps nor other trophies.

Patrolmen and firemen are being crowded to the wall and forced to take sides one way or the other in the police law.

In 1869 the government gave to Nebraska 46,000 acres of saline lands, which are of great value.

Meat Inspector Israel Frank has not condemned a pound of meat since the campaign opened up.

Land Commissioner Russell has not yet explained how the generous mood came upon him during which he is said to have paid out over \$100 for printing the report of the penitentiary appraisers.

Councilman Meyers of Lincoln has had a brush with Mayor Graham and promises to expose corruption in the municipal ring.

Defuncting Treasurer Taylor of South Dakota admits in open court that he embezzled well on to \$100,000.

The racket in the Lancaster county republican camp indicates that some one has mustered courage enough to dispute the right of the railroad undertrappers to run the machine.

With a derwish Board of Education degrading our metropolitan public schools to the village level, with a derwish council looting the treasury, condoning defalcation and embezzlement and piling up taxes by high salaried supernumeraries, and with a derwish fire and police commission or ganizing a police force offered by ex-peditions who had scandalized the city by levying blackmail on keepers and inmates of disorderly resorts, playing procurers for dives, standing in with gamblers and consorting with thugs and crooks, Omaha is in a fair way of gaining unenviable notoriety.

THE DANGER AVERTED.

The menace to the peace which has threatened this city through a clashing between contending police forces has been happily averted.

The effect of two rival police boards, with two rival police forces occupying the same territory and trying to exercise the same functions, was tantamount to revolution.

By the time anybody attempts to muster those five thousand A. P. A. warriors, armed with Winchester, they will experience a great deal more chagrin and mortification than did General Coxey when his industrial army reached Washington.

At this time of the year Omaha is one of the handsomest cities west of the Mississippi and cannot fail to make a favorable impression upon the visitors.

Senator Peffer's Land Currency. Senator Peffer has formally declared himself against metallic money and in favor of a currency based on the wealth of the nation.

MAKE THE PRISON SELF-SUSTAINING. The abandonment of the prison contract by W. H. Dorgan under the provisions of the law retroacted through the last legislature on the eve of its adjournment seems likely to lead to serious complications in the future management of the state penitentiary.

Where the Line is Drawn. It is asserted that Mr. Cleveland is "fishing for mummies." This must be a mistake. No one connected with the administration ever fishes for mummies.

The Pilgrimage Abandoned. The pilgrimage of the proselyting silverites through the north has been declared off by Senator Morgan or some one of his retinue who has evidently had a strong attack of good judgment.

Hysteria of Great Scott. Judge Scott of Omaha seems to be another of those interesting persons who have only to touch the bottom to throw themselves into the sea.

Corn An Abundance. It is doubtful if there has ever been a more favorable season for corn than the present. Abundant rain has fallen, and it has fallen just when most desired.

Coy Presidential Aspirants. In a recent interview Mr. Harrison confided his belief that he was "not the man." Tom Reed, like Major McKinley, has offered himself as much as possible from the political arena.

Better Off Here Than Elsewhere. There is evidence in abundance to prove that when the American negro leaves this country to locate in another he is morally certain to render his condition much worse than it was here.

LOCAL CAMPAIGN CHATTER.

Virgil Ovid Strickler says that Omaha has no other fire than the fire and police forces went out at 10 o'clock on August 1.

Editor Hitehake has gone over body and bones to the derwish, and the local democracy at least temporarily relieved of his libelous efforts to swamp the party on every issue.

Members of the republican state central committee have been solicited to subscribe to a \$1 fund to help out the derwish cause in Omaha.

Colonel C. R. Scott may have another organ soon. Last fall when Herman Timme and Frank Crawford organized the Harrison republican club they decided to start a derwish paper at Bennington.

One of the deadly secrets which the Grand Order of Howling Derivishes swears not to reveal is which is their official organ.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE. A man in New York had the temerity to "talk back" to a street car conductor, and was fined \$5 for disorderly conduct.

Robert Bonner's son Edwin says that the \$24,000 his father paid for the right to publish "The Story of Cleveland" actually in the Ledger, still stands as the largest sum paid by any story paper for a novel.

Investor B. Stearns of Camden, Me., who died recently at the age of 85 years, was an inventor of the famous duplex system of telegraphy.

One of the clubs of Pittsburg, the Bohemian, has opened a subscription for funds for the erection of a monument to the memory of Stephen G. Parker, the composer of the "Old Folks at Home" and the "Old Kentucky Home."

Ex-Governor Flower of New York says that there are not many men who will refuse a presidential nomination. Is this a modesty or a boast that of an Indian?

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GRESHAM'S REPUBLICANISM.

Evidence that Mr. Cleveland's Un-Changed White Star is called to the attention of the Editor of the New York Sun.

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J. STERLING'S HOOM.

Minneapolis Times: J. Sterling Morton is out for the democratic presidential nomination. His knowledge of the west will help him in his efforts to capture that postman.

Chicago Post: And now there is a well-defined impression that that "good western man" has found out that he is no less a person than a Sterling Morton of Nebraska.

Chicago Times-Herald: Mr. Morton is a man of ideas and opinions. He had been in office very long before he noted the fact that the annual seed distribution by which congressmen and their agricultural constituents sold at the expense of the people a monstrous farce, and he quickly abolished it.

Chicago News: In the police board injunction case in Omaha the judge has decided that the new board has a right to the office, but that it is not to be a permanent board.

Chicago Dispatch: It should be the first duty of all good citizens to obey the law. Omaha should appeal to the courts for a settlement of this controversy.

Washington Star: "Now, professor," said the ambitious young man, "you have read the book on the subject of the law. Now, what is the best adapted to the case?"

Indianapolis Journal: "And then," read little Danny, "McCarthy got his eye on the ball and hit it right in the middle of the target."

Detroit Free Press: "My hair," remarked the bald-headed man as he rubbed his hair with a comb, "is the most ambiguous thing about me."

Washington Star: "You'll have to hurry up on this building," said the hat of one of the men.

Richmond Dispatch: "I am a weary, weary dear," I embedded and o'erworn; I cannot hold a room, I fear, Nor pull and huck the corn.

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