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EGYPT'S HOARDED GOLD.

The world's supply of gold, says the Omaha Commercial, will shortly be tremendously increased by a revolution of sentiment that is to be inaugurated in Egypt and India. It appears odd that a mere change of sentiment will produce gold, but in this case the oddity is very likely to become a reality.

The Moslem character, through a principle inculcated by the decree of the Koran, abhors usury and this feeling has through centuries become so strong that even legitimate interest will not be taken by a Moslem. There are about 20,000 bank depositors in Egypt, and of these less than 2,000 are Moslems, and among these no one of them will accept interest legally accruing to them, from their savings deposits.

In India the same condition exists, and for centuries it has been the custom there as in Egypt for those who are thrifty to place their savings in the purchase of gold and jewels. Statistics show that although India is a gold producing country the imports of gold have exceeded the exports by over one billion dollars during the last forty years. The supposition is, and it is probably well founded, that the Indian people have an almost incalculable amount of their wealth hidden away in nooks and corners, all expressed in gold and jewels.

To bring this wealth to the light of civilization, students of economy have spent their efforts for years, and it seems that at last a solution has been found. Lord Cromer, the British plenipotentiary in Egypt, has, through several conferences with the grand mufti, and other executive officials of the Egyptian law, obtained a revision of their views regarding financial institutions, and the payment or acceptance of legitimate interest upon loans, securities and savings deposits. These officials have consented to promulgate a new interpretation of the law of the Koran, which will modify the restrictive provisions of that document, so as to aid in dissipating the inherent prejudice among the Moslems towards financial institutions. If this interpretation works as it is intended it is expected that many millions of the present hidden treasure will be placed in circulation.

VITAL BLOW.

London, Dec 2.—The correspondent at Chefoo of the Daily Telegram says that the attack on 203-Meter Hill resulted in heavy losses to the First Division of the Japanese stormers. Simultaneously with the assault, the correspondent says, men of the Ninth and Eleventh Divisions advanced and menaced the Rhilung and Kawan forts. It is stated, the correspondent adds, that within the last 24 hours the Japanese casualties have totaled 15,000, and it is asserted that the attacks have been placed to continue until December 10th, when it is hoped the capture of Port Arthur will have been completed.

The Russian War Office officials reluctantly agree that such a big breach in the chain renders the situation extremely critical, and, though the garrison might be able to hold out on Golden Hill Tigers Tail and Liaotes forts for some time longer, it may mark the beginning of the end. The Russians admit that this is a fatal blow to the gallant defenders of the fortress. The position commands the harbor and if the Japanese can succeed in mounting siege guns upon it they can force out the Russian squadron or destroy it at its anchorage.

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Lockyear's Business College.

Readers of the New Era will remember that we chronicled the visit of M. H. Lockyear, of Evansville, Indiana, President of Lockyear's Business College, two weeks ago, who was here at that time looking over the city with a view of establishing a business college. We are reliably informed that this institution will open a school here on the first of January next.

The faculty will be composed of two of the best teachers now in their Evansville Colleges. Courses of instruction will be afforded in all business branches, including shorthand and type writing.

Lockyear's College is one of the largest and best known institutions in the middle west, having graduated hundreds of young people who are now employed by leading mercantile establishments throughout the country. That kind of education is extremely practical as the branches taught can be put into use in the every day walks of life.

The office will be opened up during the next ten days and quarters in which the school will be housed will be announced in a short time. Any person desiring to secure a thorough preparation for business life will do well to arrange to enter at the beginning of the winter term.

Any information desired at this time will be gladly furnished if you will write to the college at Evansville Ind. — Hopkinsville New Era.

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Without imagination, without dreams, without poetry this world of ours would be a very wearisome place. Its road would be steeper than it is—very much like sleighing over bare ground would our progress be, as compared to sleighing over deep, hard packed snow.

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Trouble in Venezuela.

Washington, D. C., Dec 1.—Reports reached the State Department of a very serious state of affairs in Venezuela. Many citizens have been put in prison for alleged political offenses, public opinion is inflamed, and serious apprehension for their safety prevails among the foreign element.

The State Department is closely observing the trend of events there. It is patiently awaiting the decision of the Supreme Court of Venezuela, in the case as the asphalt concerns. When that decision is handed down announcement will be made of the policy to be pursued by this government.

Frequent reports reach the European Embassies here of the troubles of foreigners in Venezuela and of the slowness with which the foreign governments are obtaining their awards.

"I'm sorry, Mr Singleton," said Miss Elderley, "but I can be nothing more to you than—"

"Oh never mind," interrupted Singleton, "I have two grandmothers already, thank you."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Earthquake in California.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 1.—Five sharp earthquake shocks, two of which were very severe, were felt here, in six minutes this morning. No damage has been reported.

STARR.

Henry Hornby has returned home from Illinois.

Miss Pearl Green of New Bethel is staying in this community to attend school.

We learn that the meeting at Fredonia has caught some of the oldest sinners.

Dr. M. Hodges of Shady Grove, was calling in this neighborhood Saturday.

J M Andrews has rented his farm to Johnnie Paris.

Miss Grace Chenaunt of Marion Illinois is visiting J H Travis and family.

J A Guess of near Shady Grove was calling in this neighborhood Sunday.

C C Crayne and M W Etheredge have traded horses.

Our blacksmiths are making the anvil ring.

Leonard Hubbard, of Marion, comes out frequently to see his friends and hunt birds.

Unless all signs fail we will have a wedding before the Christmas holidays.

J A McCormic and wife visited Grant Beard of Crayneville Sunday.

Most of the farmers in this section will kill their meat this fall.

W T Corley has an apple tree with the second crop of apples on it.

Miss Lulu Hodges is very sick. Dr Hodges of Shady Grove is attending her.

Mrs Oliver of near Cresswell is in a very critical condition with consumption.

A leap year party at J H Traverses Saturday night.

A good many of our farmers are talking about growing tobacco next year.

Smith James is in this vicinity with his saw mill.

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