

POSTOFFICE NOTICE

close at 8 p. m. previous day) close at the General Postoffice, New York, at 10 o'clock, A. M. (except parcels-post mails), CO. REG. CHINA, JAPAN, HAWAII, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., close at 8 p. m., December 23, for despatch per A. E. Empress of India.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES

OFFICE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERS. Master, Fort Lee, Missouri, December 20, 1904.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 2 p. m., Standard time, January 1, 1905, for constructing plumbing, steam heating and electric wiring at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, 1 field officers' quarters, 2 double sets of quarters, 2 double sets of quarters for enlisted men, 2 double sets of quarters for cavalry barracks, 2 double stable guard and shop buildings, 4 cavalry stables, 1 wagon shed and addition to quartermaster's storehouse.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO WATER WORKS CONTRACTORS—WATER WORKS SYSTEM. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received by the city of Omaha, Nebraska, up to 8 o'clock p. m., of December 23, 1904, for furnishing, installing, erecting and labor for the construction of a water works system for the Village of Osceola, Neb., the machinery and material to be furnished are as follows: 1. Pumping one 10 in. well about 200 ft. deep.

RAILWAY TIME CARD

Table with columns for Union Station-Tenth and Marcy, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, and various routes like Chicago Limited, Chicago Express, etc.

CURRENT NEWS OF IOWA COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION

Dravett's drugg. Lefort's salaried \$1. Dockers sell carpets. Duncan sells the best school shoes. Night school at Western Iowa college.

ENGINEER INSPECTS CREEK

Milwaukee Road Sends Its Man to Consult with City.

PRaises Work Done by the Big Dredge

Mayor Hopes All the Roads Will Co-operate with the City in Solving Troublesome Creek Problem.

A. G. Baker, assistant engineer of the Milwaukee railroad, with headquarters in Chicago, visited the city yesterday in response to Mayor Macrae's request that each of the railroads centering in the city send their engineer to investigate Indian creek conditions and formulate some plan for preventing the periodical overflows of the city.

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Police Serve Notice

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Don't Buy Cheap

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Marriage Licenses

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Woman Run Down by Cars. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Dec. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Sara Jarboe, while walking along the Northwestern tracks near the packing house last night, was run down by a switch engine and the cars passed over her, so badly crushing both arms that amputation was necessary. She was also badly bruised about the face, head and breast. She was taken to St. Luke's hospital, where it is feared that she cannot recover.

HYMENEAL. Wilson-Reynolds. A very pretty marriage ceremony was performed last night by Rev. Walter H. Reynolds of the Cathedral Presbyterian church, uniting in matrimony Earl Wilson and Miss Ida May Reynolds, the wedding taking place at the residence of John D. and Robert G. Reynolds, 1907 Ontario street, brothers of the bride. Only a few relatives and friends were present, but the little party enjoyed a pleasant social time after the nuptials. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside at 1906 Pacific street. Mr. Wilson is a fireman on the Union Pacific. The bride's brothers, John D. and Robert G., are former policemen and firemen at home No. 9, respectively, and well known in Omaha.

King-Davis. BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 21.—(Special.)—Mr. Fred King and Miss Evelyn Davis were married yesterday at 3 o'clock at the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church study, Rev. N. A. Martin officiating. The young couple will make their home on a farm three miles northeast of Beatrice.

McCrea-Patt. BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 21.—(Special.)—Last evening at the home of the groom, 319 Court street, occurred the marriage of Mr. John McCrea and Miss Sadie Patt, respectively, and well known in Omaha.

Creanery Shelby County. There was held in the office of the secretary of state today the articles of incorporation of the Farmers' Mutual Co-operative Dairy Creamery company of Polk township, Shelby county. The company was formed by a large number of farmers residing near Kirkman, with J. K. Barber at the head. It will be an effort to enlarge the creamery business in western Iowa, where already a number of good creameries have been established.

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