

COUNCIL BLUFFS. Monday Morning, Jan. 26. SUBSCRIPTION RATES. By Carrier - 30 cents per week. By Mail - \$10.00 per year.

MINOR MENTION. Fay Tompkins is to be here January 30 and 31. The city council is to meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

George A. Stores and Mary Morris have been given permit to wed. Revival meetings will be continued this week at Broadway Methodist church.

The case of Dawson, charged with assaulting Eva Peron, was continued Saturday in the superior court until today.

The case of the colored man Green Meyers against the county to recover pay for nursing a smallpox patient is to be tried to-morrow.

The faculty and students of Tabor college have presented an elegant silver tea set to President and Mrs. Brooks on the occasion of their silver wedding.

All interested in the work for news boys and boot-blacks are urged to meet with Col. Hogeland at the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

W. H. Eastman, of the Council Bluffs Evening Herald, wishes the Bee to correct the statement made in the Globe and Nonpareil that he was arrested for running a poker room.

All occasion for a small-pox scare is now said to be at an end, the board of health reporting no cases on hand.

The contest between Judge Aylesworth and Judge Loofborow, for the position of the district bench, comes up in Des Moines to-day, the first question to be determined being the sufficiency of the notice of the contest served on Judge Loofborow.

The following are the officers elect of the Social Union of the Presbyterian church: President, Miss Anna Mays.

Mrs. Carrie A. Baumgardner died at the home of her parents on Harrison street Friday morning and was buried Saturday afternoon.

At the Episcopal church yesterday Rev. Mr. Mackey preached from the same text as that chosen by Rev. Mr. Bates, of the Presbyterian church, the Saturday before.

Mr. E. Eggleston, of this city, is much the Tabor Union, on account of an article in that paper pronouncing his wife no medium at all, but a humbler.

Two men, claiming to be brothers by the name of O'Donnell, were arrested yesterday for being drunk.

Rev. Mr. Rice is again on the sick list. Mrs. Sanger, of Des Moines, is visiting her sister Mrs. H. Friedman.

Mrs. C. A. Barnard, and son Charles, of St. Joe, are the guests of Mrs. Horace Everett.

Mr. Julius Deakin, of Deadwood, is in the city on a visit to his brother, Dr. Deakin.

Over 20,000 people in India died from snake bites last year, and yet our own workers continue to labor in more civilized vineyards.

Wheat—No. 1 milling, 65; No. 2, 60; No. 3, 55.

Butcher cows—2 25/3 75; Butcher steers—2 75/3 00; Sheep—2 50/3 00.

Live Chickens—1 25/2 00; Ducks—1 00/1 50; Hens—1 00/1 50.

Choice country hogs—22 per dozen; Potatoes—40/50 per bushel.

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PASTOR AND PEOPLE. Rev. G. W. Crofts Accepts a Call From the Congregational Church of This City.

The pastorate of the Congregational church of this city, made vacant by the resignation of Rev. Cyrus Hamilton, is now to be filled by a man whose reputation where he is best known warrants the belief that he will prove a worthy successor.

In response to the call given him by the church some weeks ago, Mr. Crofts has written a letter of acceptance which was read at the morning service yesterday.

Mr. Crofts has been in the minister for twenty years and yet he has had but two pastorates—Ogden and Sandwich. He has been in the latter place for the past eight years, and as in other fields he has not only been very successful in building up the church, but has gained many personal friends, who regret exceedingly that he should leave them.

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The following is the letter of acceptance received from the pulpit yesterday: SANDWICH, ILL., JANUARY 20, 1885. To the Congregational church, of Council Bluffs, Iowa:

Greeting—Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father, and from our Lord Jesus Christ. Following Christ:—Having received from you a call to become your pastor, I desire to say after mature deliberation and earnest prayer, I accept your call.

I accept it in the name of God, trusting that His grace will be granted me so that I shall be enabled to rightly perform the work he has for me to do in your midst.

As no time was specified, I therefore suggest that the first of March next be the time for the signing of our mutual labor, and that our engagement be practically for three months; that is, the relation may terminate at any time in the future by either giving the other three months notice.

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CREAT CLEARING SALE. Harkness Brothers. FOR the purpose of reducing stock and making way for spring purchases, we shall, January 6th, offer our entire stock of Dry Goods, Carpets, Cloaks, Curtains, etc., to be sold without regard to cost.

Ladies' and Childrens' White and Scarlet Underwear and Hosiery, Lace, Lace Ties, Fichue and Embroideries; also a lot of homemade Comforts, Blankets, and Table Linen.

Sale Begins January 6th, 1885. Customers will secure BEST BARGAINS, BY EARLY PURCHASES.

Harkness Brothers, 401 Broadway, - - Council Bluffs.

NOTICE. Schmitt & Hays, the barbers remove Tuesday, Jan. 27th to 422 Broadway, to the building lately occupied by the Grand Hotel.

J. R. TATE, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Practice in State and Federal Courts. Collections promptly attended to.

ROLLER Skating Rink! Admission Free to Ladies each morning and Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Use of Skates 10 cents.

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR A. B. HOWE'S Corn Meal, Graham Flour, Hominy. Ground Fresh Every Day!

BROADWAY STEAM LAUNDRY. EVERYTHING NEW, All the Latest Improved Machinery.

H. E. REMER, Manager. 111 Broadway, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA.

SMITH & TOLLER ARTS. LEADING MERCHANT TAILORS. 7 and 9 Main street, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

A Complete Line of New Goods to Select From. KIEL SALE STABLES. Keep Horses and Mules constantly on hand which we will sell in retail or wholesale lots.

NORENE & LANDSTROM, Merchant Tailors. Winter Goods Ready. Suits Made to Order in Latest Style on Short Notice and at Reasonable Prices.

AGENTS WANTED. Drs. Judd & Smith's New Improved Electric Belt. 212 BROADWAY, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

GENUINE SLAUGHTER IN THE PRICES OF Cooking and Heating Stoves! A. J. Mandel, 225 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

R. Rice M. D. CANCERS or other tumors removed without the knife or drawing of blood. CHRONIC DISEASES of all kinds a specialty.

NOTICE OF DISOLUTION. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between M. E. Smith and A. J. Crittenden was dissolved by mutual consent.

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CHICAGO, Milwaukee & St. Paul RAILWAY. THE SHORT LINE. And BEST ROUTE. FROM OMAHA TO THE EAST.

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