

EPIDEMIC OF SPRING SICKNESS

Catarrh, Throat and Lung Troubles Making Havoc Everywhere

Dr. Copeland and Shepard Caring for Sufferers at a Merely Nominal Expense and All Medicines Free.

So far from there being any abatement of any clear signs of abatement in the recent wide prevalence of all manner of respiratory catarrhal malady, there is no question but that the past week has been worse than the preceding. Drs. Copeland and Shepard, who are perhaps closest to the people, generally, in their professional capacity, have no hesitation in declaring the maladies referred to now definitely and decidedly epidemic. And it is needless to add that family physicians of large practice professional families with their attention on the human element, and personally conversant with the present situation, confirm the statements as unquestionably true.



Dr. Copeland and Shepard have had a long experience in the diagnosis and handling of these diseases and their subtle connection with the various forms of the present advanced state of medical science.

BY THE COPELAND AND SHEPARD PERFECTED SYSTEM OF MAIL TREATMENT FOR CATARRH OF THE THROAT, BRONCHITIS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS. WRITE FOR INFORMATION.

THEY SPEAK AGAIN. Patients Who Were Treated Years Ago Testify to Their Permanent Cure.

MAN HUNTERS IN TROUBLE. Those Who Pursued Adel Bank Robbers with Stolen Guns to Be Prosecuted.

PERRY ARMOYR WAS PLUNDERED BY THEM. Many of the Rifles Secured Were Never Returned and Five Hundred Rounds of Ammunition Are Still Missing.

NEW SHORT LINE TO HELENA. I. FRANCIS, Gen'l Pass' Agent, OMAHA, NEB.

When Buying Fruit Trees, Buy the best.

Teeth Without Plates. BAILEY DENTIST. 1610th Street, 10th and Farnam Sts. Tel. 7055.

Teeth Out in Morning. New Teeth Same Day. VIGOR OF TEEN. Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored.

Weakness, Nervousness, Debility, and all the train of evils from early errors of youth, cured by the new method. Failure impossible. 2,000 references. Book, explanation and proofs mailed (sealed free).

FRIC MEDICAL CO., Buffalo, N.Y.

SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS. The independent school district of Silver City, Ia., have decided to issue school bonds in denominations of \$1,000 each, amounting to \$5,000, bearing 6 per cent interest, payable semi-annually, bonds maturing November 1, 1897, 1898, 1899 and 1901. Principal and interest payable at Silver City State bank, Silver City, Ia.

President Stickey's Small Holdings Plan. ST. PAUL, March 23.—President A. B. Stickey of the Chicago Great Western railway, who has been carrying out his plan to acquire the Chicago & North Western, has made plans to buy his own stock.

Miss Kate Field. Editor and owner of Kate Field's Washington Post, has been elected to the position of president of the National Association for Promoting the Temperance Cause.

Special Notices—Council Bluffs. CHIMNEYS CLEANED; WALLS CLEANED. ED BAKER, at Home, 221 Broadway.

LARGE PRIVATE BARN FOR RENT NEAR court house. Apply at Bee office, Council Bluffs.

FOR RENT, FURNISHED ROOMS. 49 FIRST AVENUE.

WANTED, A GOOD SECOND-HAND CUPBRIGHT boiler, cheap and reliable. Address C. K. Bee office, Council Bluffs.

WANTED, STEENOGRAPHER AND PERSON competent to do general office work. Particulars upon request. State salary expected. W. B. Bee, Council Bluffs.

At an Evening with Handel. The congregational church this evening the sermon will be on the life and musical works of George F. Handel, the great composer. The following is the musical program: Handel's Messiah. The story of the Lord, Alto solo, "Messiah," He shall feed His flock, Soprano solo, "Messiah," Come unto Him, Remarks by the pastor, Tenor solo, "Samson," Total eclipse, Offertory, Quartet, "Messiah," Sing by the choir, Chorus, By man came also the resurrection of the dead, Quartet, For as in Adam all die, Chorus, Even so in Christ all shall alive, Alto solo, "Messiah," He was despised, Recitative soprano, "Messiah," And there were many that sought to slay Him, Recitative soprano, "Messiah," And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them. Recitative soprano, "Messiah," And the angel said unto them, Chorus, "Messiah," Hallelujah. The regular choir will be assisted by Mrs. W. C. Parsons, Miss Kirkland, Miss Loring and Miss C. H. O'Brien, Dr. A. H. Stimm, Leverett and Charles Havestock.

W. C. A. Hospital Report. The following is the condensed report for January, February and the Woman's Christian association hospital: Patients admitted, 15; patients discharged, 7; county, 1; private, 1; total, 15.

Money received from patients, \$45; money received from county patients, \$257.57; money received from soldiers' relief fund, \$53.45; money received from the Woman's Christian association, \$10.00. Total, \$366.57.

Our half price sale has been a grand success. We have sold over 400 frames and pictures. This will be the last week of this sale.

H. L. SMITH & CO., 45 Main Street.

J. R. McPherson, florist, cut flowers and plants. Design work a specialty. Wire orders day or night. 1281 E. Pierce, Council Bluffs.

The Aberrant, strictly first-class, Cuisine unexcelled. Beautiful rooms. Sixth avenue and Seventh street, Council Bluffs.

Omaha Wins at Wheel. The contest in the League club rooms between the Omaha and Council Bluffs wheel clubs last night resulted as follows: Omaha—Merkle and Wilbur, 217; Jordan and Moush, 210; Bruner and Scannel, 212; Allee and Garner, 257; Stebbins and Pilson, 257; total, 1,412.

Carpeted Lectures. Tickets for course, \$1. Single tickets, 50 cents. Broadway church April 10, 12 and 13.

A woman who can do general housework well can get a good paying position in the city.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE SATURDAY. Fifty-second Meeting of the Blues on the Thames Course comes this week.

RESULTS ON THE RUNNING TRACKS. SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The 2-year-old race was the only one of interest on the track today.

Five Out of Six Picked by the Good Guessers at Hay District. SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The 2-year-old race was the only one of interest on the track today.

Where Fewer Are Free. Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2001 Broadway, Omaha.

College Club. The Glee, Banjo and Mandolin clubs of the University of Wisconsin will appear at Doxey's tomorrow night.

Gas heating stoves for rent and for sale at Council Bluffs Gas company's office.

Surprised the Pastor. A number of the younger members of his flock perpetrated a delightful surprise on Rev. J. H. Davis Thursday evening.

Dr. Laugel, office 410 5th ave.; tel. 180.

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NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Boomer Township Farmer's Crooked Work Lands Him in Jail.

SIEFERT RIF UNDER ARREST IN THE EAST. Forged His Father's Name to a Note and Disposed of Mortgaged Property to Omaha Firm.

Grand Council Bluffs. E. F. Clark, prop. Mayne Real Estate agency, 539 Broadway.

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The Oakland Avenue Reading club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Waterman on Avenue F.

The funeral of Mrs. Judge Bryant will occur this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. P. J. Hennessy, 825 Seventh avenue, at 2 o'clock.

Al and A. L. Jackson, charged with bucksteering without a license, failed to appear in police court yesterday morning.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Reese, will take place from the family residence, 1911 Fourth avenue, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Judge Thorpe went to his home in Selway last evening, with his baggage.

The funeral of Mrs. E. B. Reese will occur at the residence of Mrs. C. H. Nichols, Monday at 2 p. m.

The Ministerial association will meet in the study of the First Presbyterian church Tuesday, at 2.30 p. m.

The \$15,000 libel suit of Dr. A. H. Carter against J. C. Pontius, growing out of the Christian church troubles, seems to have evaporated.

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The executive committee of the Good Government club had a meeting yesterday morning at the office of Harl & McCabe.

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E. G. Emig, the Pearl street real estate man, had quite an experience in a runaway Friday.

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Mrs. L. H. Moore, who has been living with her daughters on Twenty-ninth street, has been showing symptoms of insanity lately.

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