

Hammock Season

Is here with a vengeance. We have a splendid NEW stock of all styles and prices in Hammocks. The new CANVAS HAMMOCK is the best, all-round Hammock made. Just the thing to stand the children. Our WIRE HAMMOCKS ARE GOOD, too. Do you play CROQUET? Buy a set of us and have some fun. Big assortment of Jardinieres just received from 25c to \$1.50 in price.

Pansies, Verbenas, Geraniums and foliage plants in stock until after Decoration Day. Orders for cut flowers given strict attention. We solicit you trade in these lines.

U. G. JOHNSON & Co.

WEST DENISON MILL

Charter Oak and Dunlap flour in exchange for wheat. Corn, oats, chop, oil meal and Graham for sale. Bring your corn and oats and receive market price.

C. D. MILLER, - - - Proprietor.

Opera House!

MONDAY MAY 21
EVENING

The Famous Pianist

Blind Boone

Assisted By

STELLA MAY,

Vocalist.

Prices 25c, 35c

Opera House!

ONE NIGHT ONLY

Wednesday May 23
Evening,

The Big
Comedy Success

"Kidnapped"

Under auspices of Improved Order of Red Men of this city. Reserved seats now on sale.

Popular Prices!

Notice of Appointment of Assignee.

To Whom It May Concern: You and each of you are hereby notified that J. G. Wygant made on the 18th day of April, 1900, a general assignment of his property for the benefit of all his creditors in proportion to the amounts of their respective claims, that the undersigned was therein and thereby appointed assignee, and that he has accepted said trust and qualified according to law: All claims, owing to the said J. G. Wygant must be forthwith paid to, and all claims against the said estate, interest, verified, presented to and filed in the manner and within the time provided by law with

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HAPPENINGS AT VAIL.

Ed Ryan was at Omaha the first of the week.

Geo. L. Deiter was a Denison visitor Thursday.

Geo. Nicholson was up Thursday from Grand Junction.

The ball boys will give Odebolt a game of ball at Odebolt on Decoration Day.

Joseph Kral, Sr., died Wednesday at the home of his son, Steve, in Milford township and was buried Friday morning. He was 75 years of age and had lived in Crawford county for twenty-five years and was a quiet, peaceable old gentleman.

The play "Kidnapped" presented by Denison talent under the management of Lawrence Russell at the opera house Thursday night was not well attended but those present were very agreeably surprised at the manner in which the company presented the play. On account of the inclemency of the weather and other near attractions our people did not turn out as they should have done, but the manner in which the play was presented, will without a doubt, bring them a full house next Thursday night when they will repeat the same play here.

WASHABLE SKIRTS.

An economical chance. They are just from New York—these skirts. This fact alone brands the styles correct. But there is more to this than mere stylishness. Prices are about one half less than regular. Never mind why—enough for you to know that 50c will almost do dollar duty at



FACTS ABOUT CITY.

Figures as Obtained by the Illinois Central.

A SPLENDID SHOWING.

Illinois Central Gathers Statistics About Iowa Towns for Publication—What it Will Say About Denison.

The following facts about Denison have been gathered by the enterprising men of the Illinois Central for publication in a pamphlet concerning the towns along their line. Denison should be grateful to the railroad for thus advertising its advantages. The best thing about the figures given below is that they are not "padded" but are the actual facts about our thriving city. We give the information in the form of questions asked and answered. Our business men should secure copies of this paper in order that they may easily answer all inquiries as to our town.

Population of Denison? 3,250.
County debt? Nothing.
City debt? \$24,000.00.

Assessed valuation of property in the county? \$5,308,205.

Assessed valuation of property in city of Denison? \$400,000.00, these figures being one-fourth of valuation.

Tax rate in county? Four and three-fourths per cent on basis of one-fourth of valuation.

Death rate per annum? 7 to 1,000.
Railroad lines? Illinois Central, Chicago & Northwestern and Boyer Valley.

Annual shipments by rail? Cars received in 1899, 1,000 cars. Cars forwarded, 800.

Number of banks? Three; one National, one State and one private.

Capital invested in banking? \$300,000.00.

Educational establishments? First class system of public schools; three large high school buildings; the Denison Normal College and dormitories, Parochial schools and German Lutheran school.

Water works? First class system with stand pipe and direct pressure conveying water to all parts of the city. Water of best quality, obtained from an inexhaustible well. Recent analysis shows water to be of purest quality.

City lighted by gas or electricity? Electricity; first class system of arc and incandescent lights.

Churches? Nine; Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist, Catholic, Lutheran, Episcopal, German Methodist, Christian Science and Holiness.

Raw material? Fine quality of clay for brick; good soil and all it produces.

Industries desired? Pickle factory; Canning factory; Packing house; Seed distributing house; Beet Sugar factory; Starch factory; Flax mills.

Objects of interest? Romantic scenery, fine residences, depot buildings, college and school buildings and churches. The McHenry Park herd of Polled Angus cattle, one of the largest and best herds in the U. S.

Cost of fuel? Hard coal, \$8.00 per ton; soft coal, \$8.00 per ton; slack for steam, \$1.00 per ton.

Water power? Boyer rivers.

Cost of labor? Farm hands, \$18 to \$23 per month; day labor, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per day; skilled labor, \$3.00 to \$4.00 per day.

Description? Denison is the county seat of Crawford county—one of the largest counties in the state. Is located 65 miles north east of Omaha; 75 miles south east of Sioux City; 70 miles south west of Ft. Dodge and 80 miles north west of Des Moines. The city is located at the junction of the East and West Boyer rivers, with the Chicago & Northwestern railroad on the east and the main line of the Illinois Central and Boyer Valley railroads on the west, each of said railroads having new, commodious and modern depot buildings. It has a number of hotels, fine streets, court house, opera house, many fine churches and school buildings. It has a most picturesque location and on account of its excellent drainage and altitude is unusually healthy.

Height above sea level? 1200 feet.

FARM HOUSE BURNED.

The farm residence of Mr. A. A. Hulsebus about three miles northwest of Defiance was burned to the ground at 10.30 last Saturday morning. The fire started in the attic and its origin is unknown. When the fire was discovered by Mrs. Hulsebus it was well under way and by the time she gave the alarm to her husband and hired men who were working in the field the building was enveloped in flames. The entire contents with the exception of a few articles of minor value was consumed, and all the clothing was lost except what was worn by the members of the family. Mr. Hulsebus' loss is a severe one and coming as it does just in the busiest season makes it doubly so. He carried about \$600 insurance which only covers a small portion of his loss. Mrs. Hulsebus and children are staying with her mother in this city and Mr. Hulsebus and hired men are boarding at the home of Mr. Pettis until the crops are put in. Arrangements for rebuilding will be made at once.—Defiance Enterprise.

CASH for acceptable ideas. State if patented. THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md. Subscription price of the PATENT RECORD \$1.00 per annum. Samples free.

GIVE GOOD PROGRAM FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

Children of Parochial Schools do Very Well.

PROGRAM QUITE LONG.

Was Nevertheless Interesting. Sisters Deserve Great Credit for Their Good Work.

In spite of the inclement weather a goodly audience gathered at the opera house last evening to witness the entertainment given by the parochial schools. The program was long, in fact that was the only criticism that could be made of the very excellent work done by the little folks. The choruses were good, the fresh young voices being remarkably true and correct. "The Violet Sellers" and "Market Day" were given by the girls with good delivery and singing and pretty effects. "Gründlich Curirt" was a little German drama given by the boys, and their pronunciation of the German was surprisingly good. "The Train to Mauro" and "Down You Go," were two of the boys plays, Frank Lally as the shoemaker in the latter play doing remarkably well. The recitation by the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McAlpin drew hearty applause. We have never heard a child of her years do better. The singing by Miss Alice White was another enjoyable feature of the program. She has a fine voice and is a credit to the musical department of the schools. Perhaps she inherits some of the song loving disposition of her father, our lovable friend Joe White. The musical selections were good throughout.

The graduate, Addis Lally, Alice White and Margaret McAlpin did very creditably. The oration by Addis Lally on "The True Nobility" was the most elaborate and reflected great credit upon him.

At the close Rev. Father Hetherington made a few remarks in which he called attention to the faithful work of the sisters, the progress of the schools and the excellent appearance made by the children.

Taken all together it was a very enjoyable evening and the parents had every reason to be proud, the children to be happy and the sisters to be pleased and satisfied.

WHEAT HAS A BREAK.

Corn, Oats and Provisions Markets Close Unchanged.

CHICAGO, May 17.—With the prediction of rain in the northwest today came a price fall in wheat. July closing 1/4¢ under yesterday. Corn and oats closed unchanged and provisions unchanged to 7/8¢ lower. Closing prices:

WHEAT—May, 64 1/2¢; July, 65 1/2¢.
CORN—May, 37 1/2¢; July, 38¢.
OATS—May, 23 1/2¢; July, 23 1/2¢@23 3/4¢.
POPK—May, \$11.80; July, \$11.90.
RIBS—May, \$6.75; July, \$6.72.
LAMB—May, \$7.07 1/2; July, \$7.02 1/2.
Cash quotations: No. 2 red wheat, 71 1/2¢@72 1/2¢; No. 2 spring wheat, 65 1/2¢@66 1/2¢; No. 2 corn, 37 1/2¢; No. 2 oats, 23 1/2¢@23 3/4¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,500, heavy steers slow; others about steady; butchers' stock active, strong; good to prime native steers, \$3.00@5.75; poor to medium, \$4.25@4.90; selected feeders, \$4.25@5.10; mixed stockers, \$3.75@4.00; cows, \$3.10@4.75; heifers, \$3.25@4.05; canners, \$2.60@3.20; bulls, \$3.00@4.35; calves, \$4.00@4.75; Texas fed steers, \$4.00@5.25; Texas bulls, \$3.25@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, today, 32,000; tomorrow, 19,000 estimated; left over, 6,000; average 50 lower; closed weak; top, \$5.50 1/2; butchers' and mixed, \$5.15@5.50; good to choice heavy, \$5.30@5.52 1/2; rough heavy, \$5.15@5.25; light, \$5.10@5.42 1/2; bulk of sales, \$5.35@5.45. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; sheep slow to shade lower; lambs about steady; good to choice wethers, \$5.25@5.40; fair to choice mixed, \$4.00@5.25; western sheep, \$5.25@5.40; yearlings, \$5.50@5.80; native lambs, \$4.50@7.55; western lambs, \$6.00@7.55; spring lambs, \$7.00@8.50.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, May 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,800; quick sales at firm prices; native steers, \$4.00@5.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@5.50; butchers' cows and heifers, \$3.50@5.00; canners, \$3.00@3.50; fed westerns, \$4.50@5.00; Texas, \$4.00@4.85. Hogs—Receipts, 13,500; steady for lightweights; others 53 lower; heavy, \$5.20@5.32 1/2; mixed, \$5.15@5.30; light, \$5.05@5.15; pigs, \$4.90@5.05. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; fed sheep and lambs active, steady; grass muttons shade lower; clipped lambs

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Hogs..... 4 70@4 80
Wheat..... 52
Rye..... 50
Corn—70 lb..... 32
Oats..... 20
Barley..... 30
Potatoes..... 25
Butter..... 12
Eggs..... 9 1/2

Call On Chet
For coffee, cakes, cool cream and candies. Customers can't complain of cooking at
Chet's Corner Counter.

Program as Arranged for Denison's Observance.

LET EVERYONE JOIN IN

This Tribute to our Fallen Brave—Memorial Services at M. E. Church on May 27th, 1900.

Program of the observance of Memorial Day in Denison under the auspices of W. A. McHenry Camp Sons of Veterans.

PROGRAM: Procession will form on Main street, right resting on Broadway at 9:30 a. m. in the following order and proceed to Oakland Cemetery:

- Denison Cornet Band.
- Sons of Veterans W. A. McHenry Camp.
- Floral tribute.
- John A. Logan Post in carriages.
- John A. Logan W. R. C. in carriages.
- Denison Quartette.
- Civic Societies.
- Memorial services will commence upon arrival at the cemetery.
- Music.
- Prayer by Capt. Weeks, Sons of Veterans.
- Prayer by Chaplain, Sons of Veterans.
- Music, "America," led by Quartette.
- Music by W. A. McHenry.
- Music by Quartette, "Cover Them Over with Beautiful Flowers."
- Decoration of Cenotaph by flower girls.
- Service for the unknown dead by the W. R. C.
- Response, R. Shaw Van, Sons of Veterans.
- Dirge by the Band.
- Salutation to Dead.
- Benediction by Post Chaplain.
- Decoration of individual graves by the G. A. R. assisted by the W. R. C. and S. of V.
- Procession will return to the city in the order it came.

N. L. HUNT, Marshal.

Union Memorial Service.

The annual memorial sermon will be delivered Rev. J. B. Harris at the M. E. church Denison, on May 27th at 10:30 a. m. Members of John A. Logan Post, W. R. C. and S. of V. will assemble at their post hall at 10 a. m. and march in a body to the church.

GEO. W. HESTON, Commander.

REGULAR CLUB SHOOT.

A Good Attendance and Some Fairly Good Shooting.

The regular medal shoot drew out quite a number of participants, and much interest was manifest, not that there was any first class work done, but the closeness of the score kept up the interest. The following is the score for 15 blue rocks:

Christensen..... 6	Seemann..... 7
Ingram..... 8	Tucker..... 5
Sibbert..... 3	Kelly..... 7
Lyman..... 10	Wright..... 9
Campbell..... 8	Meeves..... 9
Cramer..... 5	Tamm..... 12
Dobson..... 10	

After the medal shoot there were three events pulled off with the following score at ten targets:

Campbell..... 5	8	3
Ingram..... 2	4	4
Tamm..... 1	7	4
Dobson..... 7	5	4
Meeves..... 8	7	7
Lyman..... 7	7	6
Sibbert..... 3	4	5
Tucker..... 1	6	3
Cramer..... 5	5	4
Kelly..... 2	6	3
Wright..... 5	1	2
Seemann..... 4	6	5
Christensen..... 4	7	4

Arrangements are being made for a big two days tournament to be held about June 12 and 13 at which time some good purses will be offered, and it is expected to draw a good sized crowd of shooters.

The club has purchased a silver medal and in future there will two classes, A and B. The gold medal for class A and the silver medal for class B. Let all lovers of this sport be on hand Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Church Notes.

BAPTIST.

The subject for the Sabbath morning service was "The Will of God and the Life of the Believer," and the evening text, "The Good Samaritan." We were glad to welcome a large number of visitors from our sister churches at the morning service.

Both morning and evening services were greatly enriched by solos sung by C. G. Mayo of Omaha in a very pleasing manner.

We are glad to have with us again our Brother Richardson who has been visiting in the east for some time.

The Women's Missionary circle met with Sister Beardsley on Wednesday.

County Physician's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the Auditors office up to noon of the 5th day of June, 1900, for the letting of the contract for county physician for one year from July 1st, 1900. The terms and conditions of said contract are now on file in the auditor's office for inspection by all concerned. Bids must be accompanied by a bond of fifteen hundred (1500) dollars with approved securities. The county has a right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the board of supervisors.
JOHN T. CAREY
AUDITOR.

WHITE GOODS.

A bright array of newness, a generous gathering of novelty—that describes the stock. To particularize—these are swiss muslins, organdies, cotton nulls, nainsooks and fancy mercerized fabric; modestly priced.



We Sell McCall Bazaar Patterns 10c and 15c.

Interesting News

Last Monday was a great day at our store. Buyers were plentiful, in fact our store was so crowded for a while we could not attend to many of our customers. Everybody appreciated the great reductions on wash silk. Our sales on silks exceeded our expectations. Our honest effort to make it worth the while of the people of Denison and vicinity, to visit our store, induces us to make the low prices advertised below. As it will take some time to arrange goods and prices, our store will not be open till 9 o'clock.

Shirt Waists.

Everybody who has seen our stock of exclusive shirt waists could not resist the great array of charming styles and low prices. To those whose wants are not yet supplied, these prices will supply them or we miss our guess.

One lot Shirt Waists, sold at 50c and \$1.00, Monday 9c

One lot sold at 65c and 75c, Monday for 39c

\$1.25 shirt waists next Monday for 89c

Cotton Wash Goods

Consisting of Scotch Lawns, Percales, Ducks, Madras and Gingham suitable for waists and wrappers, sold at 10c and 12 1/2c, next Monday for 5c

All wash goods will be offered at reduced prices. This item alone ought to induce you to visit our store next Monday.

Millinery Prices Drop

Our large variety of walking hats will be divided into two lots next Monday at prices that will make them walk out of our store. Belated hat buyers will be greatly benefitted by this opportunity.

All Hats up to and including \$1.25..... 49c

All Hats up to and including \$3 and \$3.50..... 98c

Stationery.

Just received a pretty line of fancy up-to-date stationery which, in order to introduce, we offer for next Monday at half price.

Be sure and attend this sale for "a dollar saved is a dollar earned" as poor Richard says.

Levitt's Levitt's