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IMPORTANT DECISION GIVEN.

Supreme Court Affirms Lower Court in Case of Laub vs Romans.

A decision of the supreme court last week of great interest to Denison people was the one handed down in the case of Laub vs Romans. The case was of interest, not only because it involved parties so well known to Denison people, but because it would determine the ownership of one of the principal business blocks of the city.

The case was first tried before Judge Church and the verdict rendered by that court confirming Mr. Laub's title is now affirmed by the Supreme court. We understand that a motion for rehearing will be filed by the defense. Should the motion be sustained the case will be reopened, otherwise the property will remain in Mr. Laub's hands.

QUEEN ESTHER RECEPTION.

On Tuesday evening the Queen Esther circle gave a reception at the hospitable home of Mr. E. Gulick, complimentary to Miss May Thureson. About forty young ladies were present with a sprinkling of young men, enough to make the mistletoe under the chandelier interesting. Music and charades were a part of the evening's enjoyment. Light refreshments were served, Miss Ethel Gulick and Miss Willetta Strahn pouring coffee and chocolate in the dining room where refreshments were served. The Queen Esther Circle is a new addition to church activities, but is making itself felt as a force for good.

OBITUARY

William Familton was born at Moorefield, Harrison county, Ohio, Sept. 22nd, 1825; died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Small, DeWitt, Iowa, December 9th, 1905, aged 80 years, two months and seven days. He came to Iowa in 1852, settling in Davenport where he remained a short time, coming to DeWitt in 1853 where he remained until 1872. He was united in marriage to Miss Mary A. Goudie in 1853, she passing to the other world March, 1869. In '72, deceased moved to Denison and in August of the following year was married to Rowena N. Horton, who still survives him. The other surviving members of his family are three daughters—Mesdames J. M. Morton and Elizabeth Small, of this city, Mrs. B. O. Mead, of Marengo, Ills.; his son, Percy Familton, of Wheaton, Ills., and two sisters, Mrs. Susan Johnson, of Coshocton, Ohio, and Mrs.

H. F. Bricker, of this city. While a resident of DeWitt he held many positions of trust and was clerk of the courts of Clinton county for several years; he enlisted in the war of the rebellion and was chosen captain of Co. "F," 44th volunteer infantry, serving his country until the close of the war. As a pioneer business man, city and county official and a soldier, Capt. Familton was respected and honored by all who knew him. The funeral was held from the residence on Monday afternoon last, Rev. J. J. Mitchell, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating; the song service was furnished by Mrs. Etta B. Gerken and Mrs. Grace C. Nelson, Miss Grace William presiding at the piano. The pall bearers were Lieut. T. Waters, L. L. Neville, John B. Webb, Salem Cotton, Thos. Lambertson, and Macombs. Interment in Elmwood—DeWitt Observer.

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Every person purchasing holiday goods at our store Friday and Saturday can have a cup of any of our refreshing hot drinks, such as chocolate, coffee, etc., served to them free of charge. Cassaday & Co.

Mr. Henry Dethman made Carroll a visit today.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loosh, of Dow City were in Denison today.

Mr. Joseph Stepanek of Dow City, was a Denison shopper this afternoon. Postmaster Roscoe C. Saunders, of Manilla, was a pleasant caller today.

Miss Marcella Nachman leaves tomorrow for Junction City, Kansas, where she will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. W. R. Kirkup was a business caller in Charter Oak this week. He is fitting out the Oaks' Quartette with new dress suits for their concert tour.

The S. S. Club had a business meeting on Tuesday night and decided to celebrate its first birthday on Jan. 9th. The club hopes to be at home to its friends and to give expression to the pleasure the club has given its members. Miss Culmer was elected a member to fill the vacancy made by Miss Leonard's withdrawal.

Mrs. Bessie Robertson-Boylan of Des Moines, is visiting Denison friends and relatives this week. She has given up a fine position in Des Moines on account of the printers strike which has just been called. She hopes, however, that the strike will soon be settled and that she can go back to work. She says she had no personal grievance, but the union said strike and that settled it.

THE PLAY IS UP-TO-DATE

Real Treat Awaits Those Who Attend the Merchant of Venice as Given by the High School.

In the opinion of the Review representative, who was privileged to witness a rehearsal of the "Merchant of Venice Up to Date," to be given at the opera house Friday evening, it will be the best entertainment of its kind given by the high school students in recent years. It is a parody on Shakespeare's great classic, into which has been woven a story of love, football, examinations, and other incidents of high school life.

Bassanio, a high school football player falls in love with Portia, whose father has decreed in his will that no one shall marry his daughter who has not passed an examination in Caesar, Cicero, or Virgil. The examination questions are deposited in three different caskets and sealed, so that the lover is compelled to take the "exam" on the subject contained in the casket which he is so fortunate or unfortunate as to choose. Shylock is an ex-member of the Belmont team, who has made a fortune betting on games and renting ponies to football players.

In order to pass through the ordeal of examinations successfully, Bassanio bethinks him of renting of Shylock's three ponies; but he discovers to his dismay that Shylock has none but Caesar ponies, since football players never get any farther than Caesar. This one he rents, with the agreement that he shall return it within a month. His friend, Antonio, captain of the high school football team, seals a bond, agreeing to permit Shylock to cut off a pound of hair, nearest his brain, provided the pony is not returned within the time specified.

None of the developments of the plot can be revealed here as it would thus spoil the pleasure of those who attend. Whether or not you have ever read the great classic you will appreciate this modernized version of it. Heretofore, nearly all of the high school entertainments have been held in the high school assembly room, but its capacity has always been crowded. The entertainment is given for the benefit of high school athletics and every one who can should attend.

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The young ladies who compose the St. Agnes Guild have every reason to be proud of the showing made by them in their bazaar. The Guild is not large in number, but in devotion to the cause, and in cleverness of fingers and brain they put the many larger organizations to the blush. The Guild netted over fifty dollars that will be a most acceptable addition to the treasury.

DEATH SADDENS THEIR HOME

Young Wife of Mr. Frank Clough Dies in New Mexico of Bright's Disease.

Mrs. Chas. Kemming received word last week of the death of her sister-in-law Mrs. Frank Clough, on Thursday, Dec. 14th, at San Marcial, New Mexico. Mrs. Clough was but twenty-eight years of age at the time of her death which was caused by Bright's disease. She was married to Mr. Frank Clough at Salina, Kansas in 1900. The funeral services were held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lies, nine miles north of Brookville, Kansas, on Tuesday last. Mr. and Mrs. Kemming returned today, having left Denison on Sunday to attend the obsequies.

The Review extends its sincere condolence to the sorrowing husband and to all of the bereaved ones.

WHERE IS ROSE?

Mrs. Emily Cox writes the Denison postmaster from Dawson, Yukon Ter. as follows:

Will you please inform me as to the whereabouts of Mr. C. J. Rose or any of his family. He was a blacksmith and resided in Denison in 1877. Mr. Rose is my father. I also had a brother by the name of John Rose. Any information which you can give will be very thankfully received.

As the postmaster is unable to give the desired information, he takes this method of giving the matter publicity, hoping that some of the Review readers may be able to furnish it.

We understand that Judge Z. A. Church took the second rank in the Pythian lodge last Monday at Carroll, but that he is now in condition to sit on the bench.

MARRIED.

Mr. Albert R. Roundy, of Panama, Iowa, and Miss Ida Raze of Dunlap, were united in marriage, Wednesday Dec. 20th, at the M. E. parsonage, Rev. E. Thomsen performing the ceremony.

DENISON IS REPRESENTED

Teachers from This City Have Place on Program of State Teachers Convention.

The Iowa State Teachers' Association will hold its annual session at Des Moines next week. This is the great educational event of the year and will be attended by thousands of teachers. We are pleased to note that Denison educators hold prominent places on the program. On Wednesday in the program for the superintendents and principals' round table we find that Prof. E. W. Fellows will discuss the question of "High School Athletics—What and How Much?" with our old schoolmate Prof. S. K. Stevenson of Iowa City.

Prof. H. H. Savage, now of Waterloo, is also on this program for a discussion of "My Plan for Rhetorical Work."

In the County Superintendents round table, on Tuesday, Supt. F. L. Hoffman is announced for a ten minute address concerning legislation, giving the County Superintendent a certain sum of money for expenses in traveling, visiting schools, attending meetings, etc.

In the kindergarten teachers' section on Thursday Miss Bond will lead in the discussion of "Marching and Rhythmic Work." The executive committee has prepared a fine program and all indications are that the attendance will be a record breaker.

The following prominent educators are on the program, Dr. Shailer Mathews, University of Chicago; State Superintendent W. W. Stetson, of Maine; Prof. R. G. Moulton, University of Chicago; Miss Sarah Louise Arnold, Dean of Simmons College, Boston, and Prof. M. G. Brumbaugh, of the University of Pennsylvania.

We trust that all the teachers of Crawford County who possibly can will attend this meeting.

Miss Gladys Slocumb, of Dow City, was up the first part of the week, the pleasant guest of Miss Ailie Wilson.

Mr. H. K. Harthun went into Chicago on Saturday, returning on Monday morning with his wife, who had been visiting Chicago friends for the week previous.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Peebles will spend the holidays at West Union, her home, and Iowa City. Miss Culmer goes to Bennett, Neb.

The Denison schools have recently purchased a large number of fine steel engravings, which are to be hung in the school rooms.

Morris Conrad and Florence Baker are still absent from school.

Genevieve Lally was also absent last Monday.

The grades are preparing special Xmas programs and the lower grades are busy making presents.

Mr. Humphreys will spend his vacation at Aurora, Neb., visiting his sister.

Mr. Fellows will attend the State Teachers' Association during the holidays and will give an address on High School Athletics.

The C Algebra class and the A history class are the first to begin their final review.

Many of the boys are at work on Xmas presents in the manual training department.

Addie Luney is absent from school on account of sickness.

Don't forget it's next Friday evening Dec. 22 that the pupils of the High School are going to give the "Merchant of Venice" up to date, for the benefit of the Athletic associations. Read what is below and you will know it is the thing you want to see just before Christmas. If you can't come yourself, make some one a Christmas present of a ticket.

The Duke of Venice..... Clarence Seal Antonio..... George Danielson Bassanio, his friend and suitor to Portia..... Stewart Scriber Shylock, Wealthy Gambler. Warren Romans rival, his friend and Captain of the Belmont Football team..... Walter Kahl Lancelot Gobbo, a servant to Shylock..... Clair Nicholson The Professor and X ray Photographer..... Charles Luney Price Man..... Clarence Schooley Portia, a Rich Heiress..... Grace S. Lumberger Nerissa, her friend..... Clara Scriber Jessica, Shylock's ward..... Mae Smith Miss Abbie Theedice, a teacher..... Mabel Merrill Polly Portia's Maid..... Alice Romans Mrs. Gobbo, Lancelot's Mother..... Blandid Lally Football Players..... High School Boys

SYNOPSIS.

Act I. Bassanio's infatuation discovered and the will of Portia's father revealed. Antonio borrows a Caesar pony for Bassanio from Shylock.

Act II. The discussion of the suitors and the choosing of the caskets with the resulting examination.

Act III. Shylock's wooing of Jessica. Lancelot Gobbo, the clown appears and likewise his mother. The elopement of Jessica.

Act IV. The announcement of the outcome of the examination. Lancelot reveals Antonio's danger.

Act V. Bassanio's football game. The arrest of Antonio. Scene in the courtroom scene in which mercy tempers justice.

LOST.

On Sunday, Dec. 17, a bracelet of beads and gold with a heart bough. Finder please leave at the postoffice and receive reward.

Wizard Flour

Always gives satisfaction. Every sack guaranteed. Per sack

\$1.25

Apples

Choicest New York Apples, all varieties, per barrel

\$4.25

Dressy Shoes

When you buy a pair of Shoes you want to buy a shoe that is up-to-date, durable and for as little money as possible. When you buy a pair of \$3.50 shoes you don't want to have to give \$5.00 for them. neither when you buy a pair for \$3.50 do you want to get a \$2.50 pair in their stead. When you buy a \$3.50 shoe from us you get the most durable, most stylish and the best makes that can be gotten any where. We guarantee every pair we sell.

Women's Patent Button Blucher Dress Shoes \$3.50 pair.
Men's Patent Colt Dress Shoes \$3.00 pair.
Men's High Cut Bals, just the thing for this time of the year \$3.50 pair.
Men's Velour Calf Dress Shoes, blucher and straight cut, \$2.50 pair.
Women's Vici Dress Shoes, Goodyear and hand turned, \$2.50 pair.



Woman's Good Durable Dress Shoes like cut, at \$1.60 pair.

We carry a full line of the famous Hood Brand Rubber Goods. These goods are considered the best on the market and every pair is guaranteed by the manufacturer. Buy these goods from us we can save you money.

Fur Coats

The name insures the quality. Gordon & Ferguson Fur Coats are the Best. Every Coat is made from the most select furs, is well quilted and lined. The prices range from \$18.00 up.

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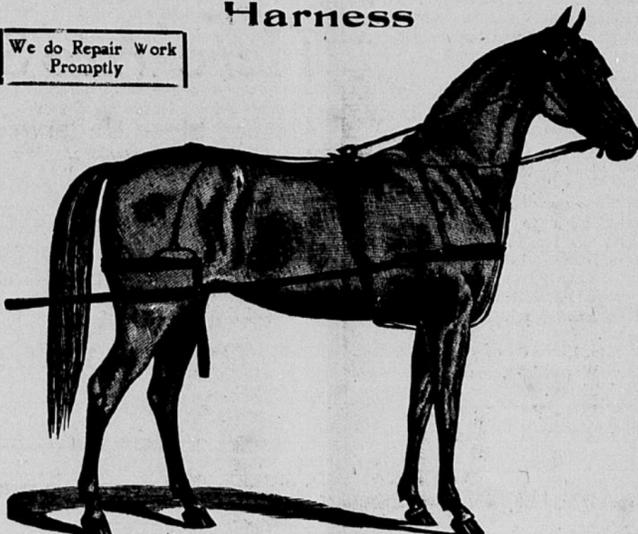
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Denison's Headquarters for Groceries

Our line of Canned Goods, Bottled Goods, Preserves, Dried Fruits, and Staple Groceries are the best the market affords. They are unsurpassed by anything else. Our deliveries are prompt and everything is sent out in first-class shape. Phone us your Christmas orders for Candies, Nuts and Fresh Fruits. Our prices are the lowest. Your trade will be appreciated and we guarantee to please you. Give us a trial.

Harness

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We've got the goods when it comes to Harness. We make every hand-made harness we sell and in this way we are able to put nothing but the very best grade of leather in them. Call and look our immense lines of harness over and if you are in the market we can save you money on anything you want in this line.

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Our line of Heaters and Ranges is the strongest ever shown in Denison. We have anything you want in this line. Our "Retort Peninsulars" are the greatest fuel savers and best heaters of their kind ever put on the market. They consume all gas and in this way reduce your coal bill about 20 per cent. We have a full line of Oaks and Hard Coal Burners from

\$7.50 up



Dry Goods

Blankets and Underwear

Large size, 10-4 Blankets 65c pr.
Extra heavy 11-4 Blankets \$1 pr.
All wool Blankets..... \$4.25 pr.
Men's plush wool Underwear, good values at \$1.25, 89c a piece
Ladies' non-shrinking wool underwear at the same price of 89c a piece
Men's natural wool Underwear best grade..... 89c a piece
Men's Egyptian cotton, Jersey fleeced Underwear..... 25c a piece
Men's extra wavy fleeced lined Underwear..... 40c a pair
Men's Union Suits, extra heavy, \$1.00 suit
Children's Union Suits, good grade..... 50c suit

Dress Goods and Flannelettes

Blue, brown and cream Mohair, 36 inches wide... 60c per yard
French Mohair, waistings, changeable colors... 50c per yard.

Granite Cloth, all popular shades..... 50c per yd
44 inch Mohair, new patterns, 75c a yd
Persian patterns in Flannelettes, 15c a yd.
Good grade Flannelettes, 8c per yard
Extra heavy 4+ oz. Flannel, 35c per yd.
Esquimaux fleeces goods, very popular..... 15c per yd.

Notions

Ladies' Hand Bags..... 25c up
Ladies Side Combs..... 10c pair
Hand Glasses on steel frames, 25c each
Ladies embroidered and hemstitched handkerchiefs, 5c each
Coates Thread, 6 spools for 25c
Calicos, all colors, 4c and 5c yd
Men's bow neckties..... 15c each
Men's silk Lisle handkerchiefs, 25c each

Horse Blankets, Plush and Fur Robes

We carry a full line of Johnson Storm and Stable Blankets, Burlap lined Blankets, \$1.25 each. Will you need a robe this winter? Now is the time to get it if you need one. We have the largest assortment in Denison to pick from. We have them from \$2.75 up.