

WAS AN IDEAL DAY

Memorial Day Was Observed
In Proper Spirit

PROCESSION A MILE LONG.

Afternoon Exercises Were Well-Attended. Thoughtful Address By Prof. Jackson Pleases All

With wonderful weather, a deep appreciation of the meaning of the day, with solemnity and dignity and deep feeling, Denison observed Memorial Day ideally. Early in the morning large numbers began to arrive from the country so that by the time the annual pilgrimage to the city of the dead was to be commenced the streets were filled with people. The procession to the cemetery was impressive. Headed by the band in uniform of white and including the grey haired veterans, the ladies of the Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans together with hundreds of citizens, for nearly a mile in length it wound its course. The cemetery was a veritable bower of flowers. Not only the old soldiers but all the beloved dead had been remembered. Arrived at the grounds the solemn rituals of the united patriotic orders was gone through with, solemnly, impressively and deep reverence while the many citizens listened with bared heads. The impressive words of Lincoln were read and the flowers were strewn upon the graves of the departed brave. Nor were the unknown dead forgotten. The men who died in camp



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and field or rebel prison received their due. Never has Memorial Day been more fittingly observed in Denison and all those who took part in the exercises must be congratulated upon the evident sincerity and earnestness with which they performed their allotted tasks. No, the spirit of patriotism is not dead. It lives, sad but triumphant. Not aggressive, but abiding, a sure omen of the future well-being of the Republic.

IN THE AFTERNOON.

The afternoon exercises at the opera house were well attended by people both from the town and the country. Hon. Chas. Tabor presided over the meeting in behalf of the Commercial Club which had been active in its assistance to the patriotic orders in arranging for the proper observance of the day. A quartette consisting of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Sibbert and Prof. and Miss Van Ness gave a remarkably well rendered selection. Rev. Father M. J. Farrelly in a beautifully worded prayer invoked the Divine blessing and then with a few well chosen remarks Mr. Tabor introduced the orator of the day, Prof. George B. Jackson of the Memorial University of Mason City. It was peculiarly fitting that the address should be delivered by a son of a veteran and a man who represents the university founded by that order for the special purpose of inculcating patriotism as well as the accepted college curriculum.

Prof. Jackson attempted no oratorical flights but his address was a most thoughtful and helpful one. He came with a message and he told it plainly and so unerringly that it could not fail to reach the most ordinary understanding. He said that the best we could give our soldiers, the living and the dead was good citizenship. This would be a monument more enduring than stone or brass, better than any wordy eulogy. The essentials of good citizenship are Patriotism, Morality and Intelligence. The means to acquire these are the Home, the Church and the Schools. Mr. Jackson dwelt on the sphere of each of these great instrumentalities for good. His style was plain, easily understood and thoughtful. While we have heard more oratorical addresses, we have heard few that told their message more directly or more effectively. We feel that no one who heard the address failed to receive benefit therefrom, and that, to our notion is the highest praise that could be bestowed upon a speaker. The benediction pronounced by Rev. Father Farrelly closed the public observance of the day.

The weather was most propitious,

and the observance of the day was ideal in every respect. There was no unseemly levity, no jarring note upon the solemnity of the occasion. A large number were present from the country and from the surrounding towns and all seemed filled with the sole idea to do honor to our soldier dead. Many were the comments to the effect that the celebration of the day carried one back to twenty years ago in Denison. This was as it should be. The example has been set and we trust that it will be many years before Denison shall neglect to remember the Union soldiers in a dignified, impressive and appropriate manner.

ON MEMORIAL SUNDAY

Union Services Largely Attended. Rev. T. E. Thuresson Delivers A Most Impressive Sermon.

The union services on Sunday in honor of Memorial Day were very largely attended. The patriotic orders were present in a body. The union choir gave some very choice music and the church was handsomely decorated. Rev. T. E. Thuresson preached a sermon that struck a responsive chord in the hearts of all and which was pronounced one of the most eloquent discourses ever heard in our city. Rev. Thuresson took for his theme "The Voice of the Nation's Dead". The following is the brief outline of the sermon:

Text:—"He being dead, yet speaketh."
These words were first said of Abel, the pioneer saint. The inspired writer declares that the centuries had passed, the life and blood of Abel still spoke its message to the world. This is true of our nation's dead, especially of those who spilled their blood on battle fields for freedom's sake, and to preserve for us an unbroken union.

The voice of our nation's dead reminds us that we are the debtors of past ages. As each succeeding spring time is debtor to the season that has gone before, also each generation owes its tribute to those who have wisely and unselfishly toiled in the years that have gone by.

There are three things that make a nation—its Land; its people; its institutions. We have the best land underneath the sun; the best balanced type of manhood and womanhood the centuries have produced; while our institutions of government, school, and home, in their liberties, privileges, and opportunities are unequalled in the circle of nations.

Much of the efficiency and grandeur of these we owe to the generations preceding us whose courage conquered the land; whose mingled blood built up the finest race; and whose patriotism preserved our institutions.

The voice of the nation's dead is teaching that no great good is wrought without sacrifice. Man solves no problem until he puts himself in, with all he has. The men who have wrought most nobly for the world, are those who have forgotten self in their interest for the common good of all.

History affords conspicuous examples in Moses, Socrates, Cincinnatus, Paul, Garibaldi, Washington, Lincoln, and the whole host of heroes who, when our government was assailed turned their faces from home, friends, and business, and gave themselves to unselfish service in terrible war. But it is the old lesson often learned, no great good comes but by sacrifice.

The voice of the nation's dead teaches that God trusts the common people. We will not rob the great of an item of their glory. Our generals fought well, but even they were from the rank and file of common folks. The "common people" fought the battles that gave us our country, and preserved it intact.

It was ever thus. When God wanted a man to liberate His people from Egyptian bondage, He passed by kings and princes, and chose Moses, a keeper of flocks. When God wanted a man to secure the liberties of the Anglo Saxon He passed by the "blue blood" of Britain, and chose a tiller of the soil. He made a league with Cronwell, and put in his hand the authority to strike a death blow to the "divine right of kings" and the sturdy commoner put a crick in the back of every king from that day until now.

When God wanted a man to put his heel on American's greatest curse, human slavery, He found a ragged boy down on the Sangamon bottom, and trained him for his task. He had a lazy father, and was left mother-

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less at the age of ten; he had less than a year's schooling, and his first book was a borrowed one. He was rail splitter, boatman, clerk, grocer, surveyor, postmaster, lawyer, and politician, but honest to the core. When a man was needed to guide the ship of state on a stormy sea, the people thought Lincoln would do, and so they made him President. There he stands tall, angular, awkward, muscular; with his melancholy face, he was the homeliest man in the nation. Roosevelt said, "Sad, patient Lincoln." We are glad he was patient. They called him slow, but he could afford to wait, for God had waited for him two centuries and more. He had scanned the horizon of history if perchance He might see the man whom He could trust, and when He saw Lincoln He said, "He will do." Lincoln knew how to watch, as well as wait. He kept his eye on the clock of the universe, and when the hand of time, on the dial of providence pointed to the hour of destiny, he rose in the strength of his manhood, and bending like a giant to his colossal task, he picked up the continent by the rim, and shook it, and shook it, until he shook the shackles from four million slaves; gave them the liberty and rights of men, and shattered forever the hopes of secession.

A CLEVER IDEA.

Mr. T. J. Campbell and wife of Manila were Denison callers last week. Mr. Campbell is President of the Old Settlers Association and he presents a novel idea for a great program on old Settlers day. He thinks the old settlers have told the stories of the early days often enough and he now proposes that they shall reproduce them. His idea is to give a representation of the early district school. He proposes that different localities present different classes. The old settlers of Deloit give a recitation in reading, the Dowville-ites a class in arithmetic etc.—These to be interspersed with recitations, old school songs and dialogues. The Review thinks the idea a good one and well worthy the consideration of the program committee.

DEATH OF MRS. FRED PETT.

Mrs. Fred Pett a sister of Mrs. Dwight Partridge of this city died at her home in Union township on Thursday evening May 24th, after an illness of three weeks. The death was caused by pneumonia, from which she was apparently recovering but a sudden relapse of the treacherous disease ended her life. She was a kind and loving mother and wished to live for the sake of her two sons, two boys and two girls, the oldest of whom is eleven years and the youngest but ten months of age. Besides her husband and children, she leaves her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Crandell, five sisters and three brothers to mourn her loss. The funeral was held at Galland's Grove church on Saturday last Elder Chas. Butterworth officiating. She was laid to rest beside her two sons who preceded her to the better world. The grief stricken relatives have our sincere sympathy.

The Junior League will serve ice cream on the Methodist Church lawn on the evening of Tuesday June 5th from five to nine. Everybody invited.

For the second Sunday in July Mr. Bryce has secured a promise from his classmate, Rev. C. A. Killie of China, to give his illustrated lecture here on "The Siege of Peking." This was one of the most attractive features at the meeting of the General Assembly at Des Moines. Mr. Killie was one of the imprisoned foreigners, and had an opportunity of securing photographs of places connected with the Chinese Court which are of unique value and interest.

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ADDITIONAL ARION.

Prof. Kies and Robert Fishel were up from Dow City to see the ball game Saturday.

Nellie Perry of Omaha visited with Rhea Cummings last Saturday.

L. C. Butler and wife were shopping in Denison Saturday.

Miss Rose McCann our popular grammar room teacher visited with friends near Buck Grove Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Zimmer of the Woodbine green house was supplying the Arion housewives with choice flowers last Friday.

Mrs. Marr spent several days last week in Denison with her mother Mrs. Fred Eggers.

Henry Rickgauer of Bristow, Neb., came Saturday afternoon to look over the new hotel he had recently traded for.

Mrs. H. H. Sawin took the early morning train on the Milwaukee last Thursday for her new home in Ipswich S. D. after a pleasant visit with her brother N. F. Stilson and family.

Night operator Hudson's household goods arrived the first of the week from Otis, and they are now nicely settled in the Downs' property.

The Omaha excursion last Sunday did not attract many of our people, they thinking it a better plan to spend the Sabbath in rest and quiet.

Atha Stilson is assisting in the Arion Mercantile store during the absence of Miss Lewis.

Butler and Rose decorated the interior of the Hudson-Downs house last week.

Wm. Stillwell and wife are enjoying a visit from a daughter who lives at Woodbine.

Last Sunday evening quite a number of the neighbors and friends and relatives of "Our" three graduates went to Dow City to hear the baccalaureate sermon which was very ably preached by Rev. Bryce of Denison.

In a letter from the Wiggs family they say, owing to the crowded condition of the Ft. Dodge schools, Rowland attends only one half of the day and Jesse was unable to enter until next fall.

Mrs. H. J. Cummings went to Dunlap Tuesday evening to attend the Decoration Day services at that place.

The Denison College ball team came down to play our boys Saturday afternoon. It was quite a nice quiet, even game, our boys being fortunate enough to make one more score than the visitors. The score was Denison 4, Arion 5. The return game will be played on the Denison diamond next Friday afternoon.

At the evening service last Sunday Rev. Freedline gave each one attending a picture of himself on a card with the program of the day's services.

Anna Bock of West Side was in Denison yesterday visiting friends.

Jacob Schwartzbach of Sioux City spent Sunday at his home in Denison.

Born on Tuesday May 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vassar of West Side a daughter. The Review congratulates.

Mrs. O. M. Criswell is enjoying a visit from her niece Mrs. W. E. Bradway of Chicago.

The new piano firm occupying the Welsh building on Main st. Makes announcement through two separate columns of this paper. You are invited to read their advertisements carefully.

In another column is the offer of the Woolhiser farm in West Side township for sale. Mr. Woolhiser wishes to retire and expects to come to Denison to live. His farm is one of the best in Crawford and that means one of the best in the sun shines on. He should find a ready buyer.

The Poet's Inconsistency.

"You speak of the brooks," said the critic as he looked over his friend's poem, "as the most joyous things in nature."
"So they are," said the poet.
"But you are inconsistent."
"Why?"
"Because later on you say they are ever murmuring."

Dodging Him.

Mr. Borem—I didn't see you last Sunday—Miss Cutting—Oh, you must have if you saw me at all! Mr. Borem—I er—beg pardon. I don't understand. Miss Cutting—I say if you saw me Sunday you must have seen me last, for I was careful to see you first.—Philadelphia Press.

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Great Slaughter

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News of the Sensational Event Being Heralded All Over This Country.

Sioux City's Largest Wholesale and Retail Piano Dealers and Chicago's Manufacturers Inaugurate a Great Advertising Slaughter Sale.

Manufacturer's Wholesale Prices will Rule in this, Denison's Greatest Piano and Organ Sale

Every Piano and Organ Marked in Plain, Readable Figures and Sold direct from Factory to Parlor—Easy Terms of Payment.

Largest and Most Beautiful Stock of High Grade Pianos and Organs ever shown in Denison. Prices Almost Cut in Half. Every Instrument Fully Warranted by the Most Responsible Manufacturers in the World. Big Sale Opens This Morning at Nine O'clock. Special Music in the Sales-room Every Afternoon and Evening. Visitors are Welcome.

Never in the history of the piano trade in Denison or perhaps any where in the state of Iowa, has there been an opportunity presented to the music loving people like the WYCKOFF PIANO CO., or the Chicago manufacturers are at this time offering. Mr. Wm. Thomas Worth, representing these large firms, has placed in sale an immense assortment of pianos and organs, all of which will be sold at actual manufacturers cost. What this means to the intending purchaser will be readily appreciated when they note the prices attached to the instruments shown.

It is a commercial secret that the principal cost of any manufactured article to the consumer is the usual enormous expense of marketing and selling the article. This item of expense alone is almost, if not quite, equal to the cost of manufacture. For example, a retail piano dealer can not conduct a regular music store, pay rents, salary and commission to agents, without adding from \$100 to \$150 to the cost of each piano and from \$25 to \$50 to the cost of each organ. The largest wholesale and retail piano house in Sioux City propose doing the business along different lines and save the purchaser this usual enormous expense and profit, and to that end has shipped direct from Chicago two whole carloads of bright new pianos and organs, which arrived in car load lots, thereby saving one-half in freight and they propose doing a whole year's business within ten days and save eleven and one-half months' expense of a music store in Denison.

Every piano and organ will be marked in plain figures at prices heretofore unheard of to the buyers of Denison and western Iowa. It is indeed the largest and most beautiful stock ever exhibited in our city, and the price reductions are nothing short of startling. On the sales floor will be found the most celebrated makes in the world, including the whole renowned Hallett & Davis (for sixty-five years the Boston favorite), the Arion of New York, the Bush & Lane (the artists favorite), the Hobart M. Cable, Schaeffer and Clinton. Pianos of world wide reputation. Pianos that heretofore have been sold in Denison by regular retail dealers from \$300 to \$500 will be slaughtered during this sale at \$198, \$218, \$236, \$258, \$276, \$296, \$312, \$326, \$356. These remember are the most renowned makes in the world, those used and endorsed by the world's greatest artists and schools of music. Then for those who wish to economize and yet have a good, reliable and durable piano in their homes, there will be shown an endless variety of fully warranted Boston and New York made pianos which are usually sold at prices \$200 to \$350. These will be sold during the continuance of this sale at such phenomenally reduced prices as \$136,

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A Sabbath Day's Journey. A Sabbath day's journey among the ancient Jews was 1,461 yards, 1 foot and 9 inches.

The Dahlia.

The dahlia is indicative of eternal affection. The idea is said to have originated with a London gardener early in the nineteenth century, who, having a large stock, recommended the flowers as proper to be used on funeral occasions.

The Mural Crown.

The mural crown, a Roman honor, was of gold decorated with battlements. It was given to the soldier who during the storming of a city first mounted the enemy's walls.

Mud Wasps.

Each cell in a mud wasp's nest contains a single egg, the remainder of the space being filled with spiders and other insects captured by the mother and imprisoned there as food for the larva when it is hatched.

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