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DENISON BANQUETS IN CONNER'S HONOR

BUSINESS MEN EXPRESS THEIR LOYAL DEVOTION.

THE TOASTS WERE BRILLIANT

Departure of Congressman J. P. Conner is Made Occasion For Denison's Most Memorable Love Feast.

The banquet tendered to Hon. J. P. Conner last night by the business men of Denison was in many ways the most remarkable, the most memorable and the most brilliant social function Denison has ever known. A number of the younger business men of the city, Mr. Voss, Mr. A. Wright, Mr. J. E. Balle, Mr. Gebert Mr. Geo. McHenry, were those who planned and successfully carried out this unique tribute to Denison's favorite son.

The handsome dining hall of the Hotel Denison was filled to its utmost capacity when Toastmaster Carl F. Kuehne called the company to order and Rev. C. E. LaReau uttered the invocation. The banquet itself was note worthy, the menu being elaborate, well cooked and admirably served. The guests did full justice to the choice viands and the hotel and its management received many encomiums. The menu was as follows:

MENU.

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| Celery | Olive |
| Oyster Cocktail | Consomme Jardiniere |
| Filet Mignon a la Financiere | Pineapple Sauce |
| Roast Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce | Cauliflower in Cream |
| Potato Pratisienne | Plum Pudding, Sauce Chaudreau |
| Small Cakes | Demi Tasse |

With the demi-tasse and the cigars the post-prandial feast was inaugurated.

Hon. Carl F. Kuehne made a delightful toast master. His introductions were pungent and pithy and in full accord with the subjects and the speakers. His lively sallies setting the pace for the delightful toasts which followed each other in quick succession.

Hon. Z. A. Church was first called

upon, and he responded with an appreciative little talk on "Our Guest is a Jurist." He recalled the leaders of the bar throughout the district and spoke of Judge Conner's preeminence on the bench and the high place he holds in the regard of his fellow practitioners.

Mr. P. E. C. Lally responded with much earnestness and evident emotion to the appropriate toast, "My Partner." Mr. Lally, always an eloquent speaker, was inspired by his subject and was in his very happiest vein.

Rev. Father M. J. Farrelly, the senior clergyman of Denison, spoke feelingly of Judge Conner as a citizen. He told of his more than twenty years acquaintance and how generous, helpful and broadminded he had always found him. Father Farrelly pointed to some of the things accomplished for Denison by men of the Conner type and said he thought the future of our city was safe so long as such men were at the helm.

Mr. P. J. Klinker spoke from the Young Attorney's View. He said Judge Conner's career was an encouragement and an inspiration to the young lawyer, and made him feel that honesty, energy, and appreciation were bound to lead to a successful career. He spoke of Judge Conner's early days in Denison and told some tales of his early hardships.

Mr. C. L. Voss gave a delightful dissertation on "Neighbors." It was a splendid little homily on the good neighbor and Mr. Voss is such an exemplary neighbor himself that one felt that here was a man who not only preached but practiced.

Mr. F. W. Meyers extolled "The Denison Way," the finer essence of friendship and fellowship that has made Denison unique among its neighbors.

Quite the most substantial toast of the evening was the one delivered by Mr. Geo. Naeve on the "Greater Denison."

With an enthusiasm and a zeal which have become proverbial in Denison, Mr. Naeve stood forth as the apostle of our city's future. He recounted briefly the things accomplished, congratulated Nicholson Bros. on the mammoth plant they are erecting, spoke of the encouragement that should be extended the

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OPERA HOUSE SITE FOR UNCLE SAM

GOVERNMENT ACCEPTS OPERA HOUSE CORNER FOR FEDERAL BUILDING.

NINETY-NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS

The Preliminaries for Transfer Now Being Arranged. Germania Retains Opera House at Present.

Uncle Sam has accepted the present opera house location as the site for the new federal building which Denison soon hopes to boast.

The price to be paid is \$9,900, being \$100 less than the amount appropriated, the excess being to defray incidental expense in making purchase. A number of sites were offered but there seemed to be practical unanimity among the business men that the opera house corner was the best. The site includes the Carey building and up to the alley on Tremont St. The sale of the corner opens the way for the speedy erection of a new opera house. A site that will do for opera house purposes can be bought for less money and the balance received from the government can be placed in the building fund of more than ten thousand dollars which has already been subscribed. The Improvement Company has already taken an option on Dr. Mueller's property north of the opera house and on lots facing Church street in the same block.

Judge Conner goes to Washington, determined if possible to obtain an appropriation for Denison at this short session. It is without precedent and Judge Conner may not be able to get such a bill through, but he will make an earnest effort and with his position of the Public Buildings committee has a fair chance of success. This would mean the erection of a building in the near future, and that it would be a building commensurate with Denison's present and probable future.

Under the present arrangement the Germania Verein has the free use of the opera house until building operation has commenced on the new opera

house. When the deal with the government is completed this arrangement will be continued by means of a lease giving the Germania Verein all the rights it has at present.

CHET GOES OUT, AL STAYS IN

A. E. Lyman Buys His Brother's Interest in Oxford Cafe.

A. E. Lyman has purchased the half interest in the Oxford Cafe owned by Chester Lyman, and will hereafter operate the popular eating place himself. Al is an experienced restaurant man and there is no reason why the Oxford should not continue its fairly phenomenal successful career. Mr. Chester Lyman will move to Hutchinson, Kansas, it is possible that he will return to the dining car service temporarily until he can find a business location that suits. He is a splendid young business man and both he and his wife will be greatly missed from Denison. Under the management of the Lyman Bros. the Oxford has done a surprisingly large business and we can wish the new proprietor but very little better luck than a continuation of this prosperity.

Last Call for Rummage Sale.

Such bargains—hats and caps, boots and shoes, coats and vests, shirts, waists, dress skirts, dishes, books, magazines all at the lowest prices and for splendid civic improvement work. Old Family Theatre, Main street. Only two days, Friday and Saturday.

The Great Musical Recital

We call special attention to the Edward Baxter Perry Musical recital to be given under the auspices of the Musical Department of the Denison college. The special feature of the program is that the leading artist will give a talk or lecture on music and explain as to the reasons why certain compositions are considered great by musical authorities. This is as it should be, for the mass of the people have not read up on music and the compositions of the masters given without explanation do not please, except as the execution is admired. The program will be attractive and as the proceeds go to benefit the college we ask a large attendance.

Remember dat Chickun show.

DISTRICT COURT STILL IN SESSION

SEXTON WILL CASE SETTLED AND OUT OF COURT.

\$2,700 DAMAGES FOR PITHAN

Mr. Muenster Sues For Damages and Jury Finds He Should Pay, and Not Defendant. Charter Oak Runaway Suit.

At the time of the Review's going to press last week, the Sexton will case, which had been on trial for several days had just been settled. It is understood the terms of settlement was a payment in the neighborhood of \$3,000.00 by the proponents of the will to the two contesting daughters, and, in addition, the payment of the court costs.

After this case was disposed of a jury was called to try the case of Muenster vs. Sciford, which was an action brought by Muenster against Sciford for slander, in which was charged that Sciford had accused Muenster to various people with using certain slanderous words concerning him. Mr. Sciford justified and claimed that the language he used against Muenster was true and set up a counter claim for large damages against Muenster, growing out of Muenster's conduct with Sciford's wife. This case was fought with the usual tenacity and with a result that the jury on Sunday brought in a verdict of \$1,500.00 in favor of Sciford.

On Monday a jury was empaneled to try the case of Pithan vs. Pirwitz, which is an action brought by plaintiff to recover damages against the defendant on account of a collision taking place upon the highway. The charge of the plaintiff is that defendant negligently drove into his buggy and injured the plaintiff as a result of the collision. The case went to the jury on Wednesday and returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$2700.

The case especially assigned for trial Wednesday morning was the case of R. A. Romans against The Chicago & North Western R. R.

This is an action brought by Mr. Romans claiming damages against the railroad company on account of a failure to heat a car in which Mr. Romans rode from Council Bluffs to Denison some time last spring. The charge is that the car was so cold that Mr. Romans contracted a severe cold and was threatened with pneumonia, and, in addition, contracted sciatic rheumatism, which kept him in bed for some time after he came home. The company settled the case. Quite a large number of cases have been disposed of by settlement and otherwise, so that the docket will be fairly well cleaned up at the end of the term. While there have been but few jury cases at this term of court, a large amount of business has been disposed of.

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Germania Opera House

B. T. SIBBERT, Manager

- Dec. 3-4. Poultry and Corn Show.
- Dec. 5. Pinnoo Recital.
- Dec. 7-8. Moving Pictures.
- Dec. 9. College Boy.
- Dec. 10-11-12. Moving Pictures.
- Dec. 14 to 17. Moving Pictures.
- Dec. 18. The Girl and the Gawk.
- Dec. 21 to 26. Moving Pictures.

Another one of our purchases that goes to prove that we are the leaders:

Read about our Bargains in Christmas Candies.

Every Cloak in our Line Must be Sold--

Regardless of Cost. Call and look them through--Compare our prices and if you are going to get a cloak DON'T BUY UNTIL YOU SEE OUR LINE.

Phone our Meat Department for Fresh Beef Tongue Pickled Pigs Feet Fresh Pork Sausage Or Corned Beef

Xmas Presents for the Ladies and Children

Our stocks are larger and more complete than we have ever before shown.

- Silk Scarfs, extra long beautiful floral designs, each \$1.48
- Knit Silk Shawls and Scarfs \$1.75
- Pretty Knit Mufflers, all colors, each 25-50c
- New Ruchings, the latest shapes and colors, each 25c
- Silk Scarf Goods, new designs, yd. 40c
- Directoire Hose Supporters, pair 25c
- Pillow Top, a big assortment of patterns, each 14c
- House Slippers, a big assortment of colors, pair \$1.00
- Back Combs, dozens of the newest 10c to \$3
- Alligator Hand Babs with leather lining, each \$3.48
- Satin Waist Patterns, all new colors, pattern \$4.16
- Hat Pins, new patterns, each 10c
- Golf Gloves, all colors, pair 25 and 50c
- Xmas Handkerchiefs, new imported designs, each 25c
- Kid Gloves, all colors, pair \$1.00
- Children's Caps, 6 new styles, each 50c
- Bear cloth Caps in new shapes, each 50c
- Beautiful Embroidered Silk Pillow Tops, each \$5.00
- Triple plated 12 penny weight Hand Burnished Silver Knives and Forks. This is an exceptional value set \$3.50
- Triple plated silver Teaspoons \$2.00 set
- Triple plated silver Tablespoons \$4.50 set
- White bone handle Knives and Forks, set \$1.65

Christmas Presents for the Boys and Girls

- Boys' Club Skates, hardened steel runners 60c
- Girls' Club Skates, genuine oak strap \$1.10
- 22 Stevens Rifles, single shot \$3.50
- 22 Repeating Stevens Rifles \$9.98
- 22 Repeating Winchester \$9.00
- 22 Repeating Savage Rifles \$11.89
- Fur Muffs, lined with extra heavy satin \$4.25
- Martin Coney Muffs, extra grade, each \$1.69

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks

at almost your own price



Now so as to get our complete line sold out we have marked this coat at

\$3.98

Probably the greatest values we have in cloaks will be seen in our Children's line. The biggest value we have left is our regular line of \$5.00 and \$6.00 cloaks, at



Now so that we may get our line sold out quickly, we have marked this beautifully tailored cloak at

\$11.48

Don't fail to see these cloaks if you are in need of anything in the children's line. These cloaks are all strictly man-tailored. They are fitted up by the workmen that makes our line of ladies' cloaks. You get the same style and finish in them as in our higher priced line.

GEO. MENAGH & CO.
Broadway and Main Streets Denison, Iowa.

Christmas Candies and Nuts

We recently made the largest contract for candy that we ever made. The contract includes 35 different kinds. Among them:

- Chocolate Creams, Coconut Sticks, Coconut Bon-Bons, Broken Roch, Nut and Plain Taffy, Nut Nougat, Jelly Fruit, Licioce Gum Drop, Imperial Cinimon, Salted Peanuts, Carmels, Cream Dates, Chocolate Teddy Bears, Burnt Peanuts. We are offering the entire lot at

8c per lb.

A look through this line will convince you that we are offering the greatest values we have ever offered in the candy line.

Xmas Presents that are Appropriate

- And useful for men. Satin Neckties, the very newest creations, each 50c
- Suspenders, beautiful silk lisle, new designs, pair 50c
- Dress Gloves, the highest grade of mocha and kid, all colors, silk lined, pair \$1 and \$1.50
- Cuff Buttons, warranted gold plated, a number of different designs, pair 25c
- Kid House Slippers \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75
- Jersey Garters, 8 button, pair 75c
- Caps, newest styles in green mixture and green corduroy, each \$1.00
- Knit Gloves, mixture in black, pr. 25-50c
- Pure linen handkerchiefs, each 15c
- Silk handkerchiefs, new patterns, each 25, 50c, \$1.00

Our China department offers the best values we have ever offered in 15c Cups and Saucers, Sugar Bowls, Creamers, and Pitchers.