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## HONORING THE UNION VETERANS

DENISON CITIZENS GIVE OVER MAY 31 TO SERVICES FORENOON AND AFTERNOON

### PATRIOTISM, LOYALTY LAUDED

Memorial Services at the Place of Burying the Soldier Dead Very Largely Attended. Address by Capt. Brown of Ames

The liberty loving, loyal people of Denison never let Memorial Day pass without ceremonies which will impress the youth with reverence for the Union soldiers and the cause they fought for. Thus plans were made weeks in advance by the G. A. R., W. R. C. and S. of V. for the day, knowing the citizens generally would back them up with their presence, in all which might be arranged. The women met Saturday to make the bouquets of flowers; the graves of all deceased members of the three orders, were marked, so that all was in readiness for the ceremonies of the forenoon.

By 10:30 the streets about the McHenry bank corner were alive with people and soon carriages were filled and a long procession formed which climbed the great hills to the south, the occupants viewing again that magnificent view of their home town, the Boyer valleys and the massive hills beyond, a sight which is longed for by those who are away from this locality for some time. Under order of post commander, Edward Sierer, the members of John A Logan first left the carriages and formed in open order at the cemetery gate with uncovered heads, while the W. R. C. and S. of V. passed in. A hollow square was formed about the cenotaph. Then began the touching ritual Memorial exercises of the G. A. R., W. R. C. and S. of V. None can hear these without being impressed with their beauty and high patriotism. The S. of V. had special charge of the decoration of the graves. During the past year there have been added to the honored graves of the union soldiers those of Oscar Ainsworth Corp Co. A. 32 Wisconsin Inf; Wm. W. Hoover, private, Co. K 96 Ill. Inf; and Isaac Gillmor, 1st Lieut., Co. C. 2nd Iowa Cav. The special music was given by a fine male quartette composed of Ralph Cassaday, Dr. Plimpton, Prof. Humphrey and Dr. McConaughy. The procession reformed and returned to the city.

#### Afternoon Meeting

At 2:15 further exercise began in the Germania opera house, Mayor Rollins, a Son of Veteran, presiding. Rev. J. H. Senseney, the M. E. pastor, made the opening prayer which was very appropriate for the occasion. The glee club of the morning sang, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground" and then came an unlooked for part of the program. Under command of Union Veteran, John L. Richardson there marched on the stage sixteen lads of the North Brick school in blue overalls and jumpers for uniform and armed with light wooden guns stained to resemble real ones. They came in with good step and, went through the drill of "Order," "Shoulder," "Present," "Carry" Arms with fine military precision. The Denison school board is entitled to recognition for encouraging the boys, and Mr. Richardson for his care in drilling. The following are the names of the boys: Leslie Hunt, Hubert Van Ness, Leslie Heiden, Hugo Saggau, Clarence Swartzenbaugh, Gordon Luney, Ralph Kelly, Marshall Jones, Russell Jacobson, Phillip Baker, Paul Boylan, Melvin Romans, Paul Caswell, Lawrence Randall, Bennie Brodersen, Archie Silletto.

Comrade Richardson as Adjutant read the Roll of Honor, being the names of soldiers of the republic buried at Denison. The chairman now introduced Capt. K. W. Brown of Ames, the speaker of the day, who read a carefully written address. He set Memorial Day as above all others, held in memory by the people. The discovery of America by Columbus, birth of Washington, July Fourth were of much less to us than remembering the deeds of the soldiers of the war for the preservation of the union. He recalled scenes at the beginning of the struggle, the parting from home and friends, the camp, drill, the fierce battle, wounded and in hospital, in prison, and the joyful return for those who survived. He told of the parting words of his

mother, of Clara Barton coming, soothing him when in hospital. The Union soldiers fought to perpetuate a system of government under which all men could be free. He told how slavery was grafted into the constitution and of the curse which came to the South as punishment, a curse which is still upon that section. He recalled the remark of Lincoln that he would hit slavery hard if he had a chance. The speaker eulogized the G. A. R. button and regretted that everyone did not understand what it stood for. He recalled the message of Governor Andrews to the mayor of Baltimore ordering him to carefully care for the soldier boys who fell when the troops were passing through that city and that the union soldier was able to do anything required as shown by the Massachusetts boys manning the engines and building railroads. The speaker urged the old soldiers to become christians, and to stand for the things the bible demanded. In closing he declared with great fervor that if the decision had to be made between what the bible taught and demands of his country which were at variance to it, he would chose the bible and trample the flag. Later the speaker was criticised by Ex-State Commander of the G. A. R., W. A. McHenry, for the violence of manner in which he had said he would "Trample on the flag." He might drop it, but should not trample it according to Mr. McHenry's views. The male quartette sang, "The Star Spangled Banner" and Rev. LaReau gave the benediction. The assembly then retired feeling that Memorial Day had been appropriately observed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van Winkle of Council Bluffs, visited Denison on Saturday. Mr. Van Winkle has recently received fine promotion, going from the offices of the Northwestern at Council Bluffs to the passenger office of the same company at Chicago. He will enter upon his new duties sometime this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Boylan left for Lake View this afternoon where they will spend a day or two in preparing a cottage for their use this summer. Mrs. Boylan and the children will spend two months there and Mr. Boylan will go up and spend the Sundays.

## SIXTEEN HOBOES GET ON A BAT

BUMS HOLD HIGH CARNIVAL ON MEMORIAL DAY

### A NORTHWESTERN CAR ROBBED

Marshall Weeks Swats one of Bo's and Lands Him in Jail. The Rest Move on Without Arrest

Denison seems to have been the rendezvous for all the Weary Willies in this section of the state this week. Every freight brought in its quota of mud-splattered tourists until the Northwestern yards fairly swarmed with them. Ralph Jackson found they were getting so numerous that he went on the war path and drove a bunch of them up to the McHenry farm. They seemed to have some coin in the outfit and they found out that Denison was not a dry town and proceeded to drown their sorrows. It is said that fourteen out of the sixteen were "real drunk" and the other two had a start that would have been worth a good deal to a man who wanted to get intoxicated. One young fellow got obstreperous up town, Marshall Weeks ordered him to leave the city and followed him to see that he stood not on the order of his going. After he got west of town, he looked back and Denison looked so good to him that he concluded to try it again. Weeks ordered him on, and he started to resist, whereupon the marshal gave him a paralyzer back of the ear. He was finally landed in jail and he is now helping the wheat corner by following a strictly bread diet. A goods car was found broken into and robbed at the Northwestern yards but there is no proof that the job was done here. The police force has had its hands full all the week.

#### Building for Sale.

The "Jim Newcom house" in Milford township for sale. House is 16x26, 1 1/2 stories high. Inquire of J. J. Breen, Vail, Iowa. Phone 84F. 21tf

## AUTO OWNERS ARE ALL READY

SIGN AGREEMENT TO TAKE PART IN AUTO DAY DOINGS

### THE PLAN IS APPROVED BY ALL

Denison Motor Owners Volunteer The Use of Their Machines For the Big Holiday Trip

The Review's plan for a big "Auto Day" has met with the unanimous approval of the motor owners of the city. With the exception of one or two who have not been seen as yet, every automobile owner in Denison has agreed to give the free use of his machine providing suitable arrangements for the day are made by the Commercial Club.

Many valuable suggestions have been made for the regulation of the holiday and the matter will be presented at the next meeting of the Commercial Club and that body will be asked to appoint a committee to act with a committee of autoists to perfect plans for the day. It is proposed that the motorists of the entire county be invited to join their Denison friends in acting as hosts to the farmers of the county. The motor owners do not seem to care for prizes of any kind either for decoration or for racing, instead it is suggested that the business men raise a fund sufficient to pay for the gasoline and the lubricating oil. This would be about one dollar for each machine. The motorists are dead against any racing and some have gone so far as to propose that a fine be levied on any driver who passes any other car on the course.

Mayor Rollins is paying particular attention to the road proposed to be travelled and will keep it in fine shape. The following agreement has been signed by the motorists:

We the undersigned are favorable to the holding of an "Auto Day" in Denison and agree to take part therein with our machines providing suitable

arrangements can be made in conjunction with the Commercial Club and the business men of the city.

Denison Auto Co., A. D. Herrig, August Nehls, J. P. Conner, Robt. Theobald, R. A. Romans, C. L. Voss, J. B. Romans Co., E. C. Chamberlin, E. Gulick, Geo. McHenry, George Sprecher, Stewart Lum. Co., R. L. Hill, W. H. Gibson, John Nehls, P. F. Brannon, J. F. Glenn, John Rollins, Jos. Ward, I. O. Orem.

The Review believes this can be made one of the best holidays Denison has ever had and that it will do much to create good feeling among those who can and those who can't drive motor cars.

Chas. K. Meyers left this morning to attend the state Sunday School Convention in Des Moines. Mr. Meyers has taken great interest in Sunday School work for many years. As secretary of the county organization he has done very much to promote Sunday School work in the county, has held numerous conventions and has been helpful in the organization of new schools. His Sunday School column appears in the Review and in other papers in the state and we are glad to note that the column has many readers among the young people on the farm who are unable to attend Sunday School. He will enjoy the state convention greatly and we believe his years of experience will enable him to give as well as to receive ideas at the convention. On account of his health he will go to Colfax before returning.

Miss Lydia Belle Kuehnle was hostess last evening to the senior class a costume party being the form of entertainment. The teachers of the high school and the class had a glorious time together. The costumes were funny, beautiful and cleverly carried out. This party was one of the best times the class has ever had together and it will be one of the red letter nights long to be remembered. Nuns, nurses and clowns all the motley, happy group enjoyed the very nice refreshments served by Mrs. Kuehnle after the unmasking had taken place.

Mrs. J. H. Jensen of Schleswig visited Denison friends on Tuesday.

## PETITION TO DISBAR IS NOW ON FILE

CHARGES AGAINST P. W. HARDING WERE FILED ON MONDAY LAST

### TRIAL IS SET FOR JUNE 22ND

Ten Counts in the Petition for Disbarment Filed By Attorneys Appointed By Judge Church.

On Monday forenoon formal charges, embodied in a petition for disbarment were filed with the clerk of the district court and served upon Mr. Harding. The charges are the outcome of the investigation which has been proceeding for some time, the progress of which has been previously noted in the Review. The committee appointed by Judge Church consisted of Jacob Sims, P. E. C. Lally and E. K. Burch. These gentlemen called a large number of witnesses and finally brought in a report advising that disbarment proceedings be instituted. Judge Church thereupon appointed Messrs. Sims and Lally to prepare and prosecute the charges. This has been done and the charges were filed on Monday.

Judge Church has given notice that the matter will come up for hearing on June 22nd and that Judge R. M. Wright of Fort Dodge will preside. It is quite possible however that there will be a continuance as Mr. Harding left for Idaho Falls, Idaho, on yesterday afternoon. Mr. Harding denies any guilt and has employed B. I. Salinger and former Judge S. M. Elwood to defend him. We learn further that he claims that he is being persecuted by the other attorneys of the city and that he will retaliate. The trial promises to be the most sensational ever held in Crawford county. There is nothing secret about the matter. The charges are now on file with Clerk Faul for the inspection of any responsible party and the cause will assuredly be tried in open court.

The charges are divided into ten counts the list of which is as follows: Count One.

States that as a ground for the order of disbarment against Mr. Harding that he is and for ten years has been a member of the bar et cetera duly licensed and practicing in Crawford County and that about the 7th of July, 1906, he commenced in District Court on behalf of one Teresa Sciford an action for divorce against her husband, George Sciford, alleging that he had been guilty of a course of inhuman treatment for five years previous and that Mr. Harding caused writs of attachment to issue upon the property of the said Sciford and had writs of garnishment served upon all parties owing him money or holding his property, the garnishments covering property worth many thousands of dollars. Immediately after Mr. Harding without request from the wife and without an authority went to Coon Rapids, Iowa, where Mr. Sciford was stopping and falsely and fraudulently represented to him that upon the trial of the case before Judge Powers, one of the judges of the District Court in and for Crawford County, at Denison, that the judge had commissioned Harding to effect a reconciliation between the husband and wife, when in truth there had been no trial of the cause and no request made of Mr. Harding by the judge and that by reason of the fact of the issuing of the writs of attachment and garnishment and reason of the pendency of the divorce suit and the said representations as to the wishes of Judge Powers, Harding was enabled to, and did, extort from Mr. Sciford the sum of five hundred dollars as alleged attorneys fees and one hundred dollars as alleged costs in said action, without any consideration therefore, and thereupon the said divorce suit was dismissed as per entry of record of July 10, 1906. In belief that all differences between himself and wife had been adjusted by reason of this settlement, Mr. Sciford again lived with his wife. This continued for a period of about three months when learning that Mr. Harding was again preparing a petition in the name of Teresa Sciford asking for a divorce from him, and fearing a repetition of his former experiences with Harding, Mr. Sciford went to the state of New York on a visit with his friends and that about the 26th day of January, 1907, Mr. Harding

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# June Sale of Wash Suits....

We are offering this week some values in Wash Suits that will interest you. Over 50 different styles are being shown for this sale, all of the very newest styles trimmed with tucks, cut jet, pearl buttons, bias folds, lace and embroidery.

Lovely Duck Suits, trimmed with pearl buttons, 36 in. jacket. Price

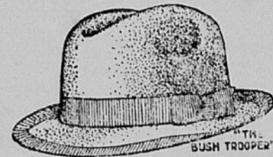
**\$3.98**

Exquisite Poplin Suits, 2 and 3 piece suits, beautifully trimmed with cut jet. Price

**\$6.98**

Linen Tailored Suits, beautifully trimmed with pearl buttons and jet, during our June Sale at

**\$8.50**



Men's Straw and Light Soft Hats for summer wear.

Dozens of very newest shapes in straws. Ask to see our leader at \$1.00. Others from 5c up.

Light Felt Hats, new shapes with fancy bands. Price **\$1.98**

Be sure to see our line

The first week in June finds us with some of the best bargains of the season ready to offer you.

Compare our Prices



Next Saturday..

we will offer 3 dozen trimmed hats in new shapes and latest colors at the ridiculous price of

**98c**

These hats regularly sold as high as \$5.98. This is the end of our spring line, and in order to sell every hat, we have put these prices on them.

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