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## AND NOW COMES THE AUTO DAY

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER TENTH IS THE DAY  
FIXED FOR BIG EVENT

### DAY PLANNED FOR THE FARMERS

With Their Families They are Invited to Enjoy  
a Free Ride No Postponement Except  
For Bad Roads

And now comes the much talked of Auto Day. Denison has had poor luck with its big days this year and for this very reason the committee is determined to make the biggest kind of a day of Friday, September tenth, when all the farmers of the county are invited to bring their families and enjoy a free auto ride as guests of the auto owners and business men of Denison.

It is to be a partnership affair. The owners furnish the machines and drivers and the business men pay for the gasoline and lubricating oil. Every auto owner in Denison has promised to take part and the motorists from all over the county are invited to come and help make the biggest kind of a showing. It will be the first big Auto Rally Day ever held in the county and there is much interest to know how many machines will be on hand. It will afford a fine opportunity for prospective buyers to compare the different makes and it should be one of the best days from a business standpoint that Denison has ever had.

The course will be about five miles, a long enough distance for a thoroughly enjoyable ride. There will be no racing and no car is expected to pass another without the consent of the man ahead. Nevertheless there will be many trips to make and with good roads the people will have a speedy enough ride.

In order to avoid all crowding and confusion it has been arranged that tickets will be given, commencing in the morning. These tickets will be numbered and the holders will be given their ride when their number is reached and not before. If a man is not present when his number is called it will be necessary for him to turn in his old number and get a new one. The advantages of this system are many. When you come to town on the forenoon of Auto Day go first to Headquarters which will be at the City Hall. There you will receive a ticket for yourself and family. Say that you get ticket Number 148. The secretary will be able to tell you just about what time your number will be called. If he tells you your number

### PROGRAM

for the  
**OLD SETTLERS' PICNIC**  
DENISON, IOWA,  
Friday, September 3, 1909

**FORENOON**  
Band Concert at City Park  
Basket Dinner at Noon  
(Free Coffee will be Served)

**AFTERNOON**  
Music by Band  
Address of Welcome  
Mayor W. C. Rollins  
Response—Hon. Chas. Bullock,  
President of the Association  
Music by the Band  
Reading—Miss Florence Baker.  
Address—Hon. L. T. Genung.  
Music by the Band  
Reading—Miss Martha Hugg  
Music by the Band  
Business Session  
Short Talks by Old Settlers  
Band Concert

will be called about noon you can have the forenoon for shopping or visiting or watching the other riders. You can rest secure that no one else can get your turn, providing you are on hand when your number is called. In case your number would be called at about twelve it would be wise to be near the starting place about 11:30.

There will be but one cause for postponement, that is rain. If the roads are bad notice will be sent out by phone to every part of the county; if no notice is sent you can count on it that it is a "go". The committee expects to have every arrangement completed for a good time for all and it is expected that nearly 100 automobiles will be here from this and adjoining counties.

This day is distinctly for the farmers. None but bona fide farmers and their families will be given tickets and none but ticket holders will be given a ride. Be on hand September tenth. Bring your wife and all the little folks for all will be welcome.

#### A Motto for Denison.

Some cities are offering prizes for mottoes. The Review offers this one free of charge and moves its adoption by the Commercial Club:

#### DO IT FOR DENISON

How do you like it for a motto? It listens good to the Review.

## HIGHWAYMAN MAKES GOOD HAUL

RELIEVED JOHN KRAUTH OF EIGHTY DOLLARS IN CITY PARK SUNDAY NIGHT.

### ROBBED AT POINT OF A GUN.

Small Man Dressed in Dark Clothes Makes Hold-Up and Gets Away Safely With His Booty. Little Hope of His Arrest.

While walking with Miss Pearl Erickson in the city park about ten o'clock on Sunday evening John Krauth was startled by a masked man springing out from behind a tree. With a gun in his hand to accentuate his remarks, the unknown ordered John to hold up his hands and the order was promptly obeyed. While he covered his victim with his gun with one hand, with the other he went through his pockets and quickly found a roll of bills containing something over eighty dollars, this he took, leaving a valuable ring which John had in his pocket at the time. As he left, John who had not lost his presence of mind, called to him. "You haven't left much" Whereupon the robber turned and ran back towards him, threatening him with his revolver, and said, "If it was not that you had some one with you I would give you all six of these," (evidently meaning the shots in his revolver) "just to get even with you."

With this he jumped back into the shade of the trees and disappeared. Krauth gave the alarm as soon as possible but no trace or clew to the robber has been found. Krauth gives a fairly accurate description of the man as to his size and build but saw nothing of his features. The authorities have various theories of the case and are working hard to make a capture, but without success up to date. It is thought by many that the robbery was committed by one who knew in advance that Krauth carried a fairly large sum of money with him and who was lying in wait for him. This is the first genuine hold-up Denison has ever had and Mr. Krauth is willing that it should be the last, although he has decided to patronize the banks hereafter.

In another column will be found a list of the committees appointed for the union revival season. The list includes many of the best people of Denison and if they get busy, that alone would assure a great revival. If they do nothing, all the preachers on earth cannot have a successful revival in Denison. The whole business is up to the committees.

## GERMAN PIONEER DIED ON TUESDAY

DEATH OF H. H. SAGGAU BRINGS GRIEF TO MANY RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.

### FUNERAL THURSDAY AFTERNOON

After Thirty Three Years Residence in This County. H. Saggau Succumbs to Death at the Home of his Son.

On Tuesday, August 31st, occurred the death of H. H. Saggau, one of the best known of the German pioneers of this county. He was a man of much influence during his active days and he leaves none but friends among all who knew him. He was a model farmer and a kindly, honest and dependable man.

Hans Heinrich Saggau was born on June 4th, 1835, at Fredericksdorf, Kreis Segeberg, Holstein, Germany. He served as a soldier in Denmark in 1857-9. On October 20th, 1863, he was married to Miss Christine Sturjohann and to them three children, Mrs. Marie Rosburg of Hinton, Iowa, and John and Martin of this city, were born. Mr. Saggau came to this country in 1872, settling first at Chicago where he resided for four years. He then moved to Goodrich township in this county where he lived until five years ago when he came to spend the last years of his life in comfort and ease. Besides his children he leaves two step-sons, Claus Poggensohn of Randolph, Neb., and Henry Poggensohn of Chicago, one brother, Joachim Saggau, of Omaha, one sister, Mrs. Marie Poggensohn of Chicago, and a number of grandchildren and one great grandchild, to mourn his death. After the death of his wife on March 17th, 1907, he made his home with his son, John Saggau, and it was at his home that death came to him. Funeral services will be held tomorrow Thursday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock at the Lutheran church and interment will be made at Oakland cemetery. Many friends will join the Review in expressions of sympathy with the bereaved relatives of this venerable German-American citizen.

#### Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids will be received by the Auditor until September 7th, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the filling in of dirt over the cement arch at the Chase, Brodersen place 2 miles northwest of Denison. Specifications can be seen at the County Auditor's office.

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J. T. CAREY,  
Supervisor.

## Second Demonstration

And Sale of

## National Biscuit Co.'s

Products

### Saturday, Sept. 4

At

## The Balle-Brodersen Co.,

Denison, Iowa

### CRAWFORD BEATS HARRISON

Return Game Between County Officers at Logan Results in Favor of Crawford.

The county officers of this county went to Logan on Friday to meet the court house rats of that county on the ball field. As in the game at Denison there was a different pitcher every inning. Klinker and Hugg were the easy marks for Denison, the Harrison county boys scoring two runs when Klinker pitched and six while Hugg was in the box. The score was eighteen or nineteen to eight or nine in favor of Crawford county. No one seems to know exactly what the score was. The boys are agreed that they had a mighty good time however, and that the Harrison county officials are real sports. They met the Denison men at the train with autos, took them about town, had a crowd of three hundred to see the game and gave the boys a fine banquet. Our officers are congratulating themselves however, that they do not have to work in such a bum court house as Harrison county boasts. They say it is positively unsafe the way they are obliged to house the records and that if there should be a fire the county would lose more than twice what it would cost to build a court house worthy of the county. Jealousy of the county seat is the cause ascribed for the backwoods court house, and a mighty mean and senseless reason it is.

### DENISON INVITES SAINTS

A Committee Appointed to Extend Invitation to Latter Day Saints to Hold Reunion

At a meeting of the Commercial Club held on last Wednesday evening it was decided to invite the Latter Day Saints of western Iowa to hold their annual reunion at Denison. These reunions are big affairs. They last for ten days and call together many hundreds of the best citizens of this part of the state. It is customary to hold the meeting two or three years at the same place and there is a possibility that Denison might be able to secure the permanent location if the church people are fully satisfied with their treatment and accommodations. Mr. N. L. Hunt was appointed Chairman of a committee to represent Denison and extend an invitation to the Saints to come to this city next year. Mr. Hunt was authorized to appoint other members of the committee and it is proposed to send a strong delegation to Little Sioux where the Reunion will convene on Sept. 17. The fixing of the place of meeting for next year will not be until the close of the meeting and the Denison delegation will go over about the 25th. Denison has invited the Saints before and it seems to be fairly well understood that this city will be favored this year. With such excellent railroad facilities and the beautiful city park, with electric lights and fine water there will be no mistake made if Denison is chosen.

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Extra quality Wool Blankets Taffeta bound \$4.35  
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Comforts, cotton filled, good silkoline \$1.25  
Extra heavy and large size comforts, a great value at \$2.10



While you look at this illustration we want you to picture in your mind the most beautiful 52 in. Cloak that has been put out by us at a price that will even compare with this. This coat comes in eight different cloths and in fourteen different colors and mixtures. It is lined with a high grade satin lining. All the raw edges are faced and all of the seams are felled. The style of this garment will suit every figure or taste. It comes in 1-2, 3-4 and 7-8 fitted.

PRICE  
**\$12.50**

We invite a comparison of this coat with garments being sold from \$15.00 to \$18.00.



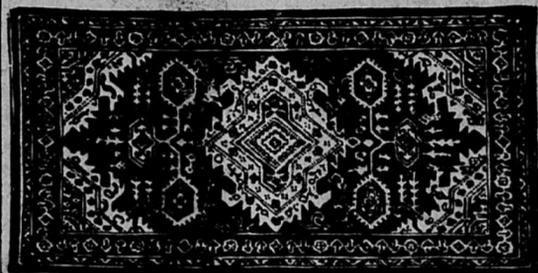
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DENISON, IOWA.

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