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MORRIS MCHENRY PASSES AWAY

Dies Very Suddenly Monday Night at His Home in Town of Dow City.

HEART FAILURE IS THE CAUSE

Although He had Contracted a Slight Cold He Was Not Otherwise Ill. Death is a Severe Shock.

Morris McHenry, familiarly called "Uncle Morris," died at his home at Dow City on Monday night a short time after midnight. While on account of his extreme age and generally failing condition those who knew him best felt that he would not long survive, his death was sudden in the sense that he had shown no symptoms to indicate that the hour of dissolution was so near. He had complained for a few days of a cold, but not sufficient to alarm his friends or to keep him indoors. As late as Sunday last he attended church as usual and taught his class in Sunday school. He had plans made to come to Denison on Monday, but decided on account of his cold not to venture out. He was apparently as well as usual on Monday evening and after eating a hearty supper retired at the usual time. About midnight he complained of not feeling well and suggested that his physician be called, which was done, and an examination made, with the result that no unfavorable or alarming symptoms were discovered. Soon after this, however, he grew weaker and about two o'clock passed away. Whether his death was the result of heart disease or was caused by a stroke of paralysis has not been determined. There are many sad hearts in the community since his death, for Mr. McHenry was one of the oldest settlers in the county and well and favorably known by a very large circle of friends.

He came to Crawford county in May, 1856, walking from Council Bluffs, stopping the first night after reaching the county at the home of S. J. Comfort, near what is now the town of Dow City, and it was then he

met for the first time Mary L. Comfort, who afterward became his wife, and who still survives him. The second night after his advent into the county Mr. McHenry spent at the home of Benjamin Dobson, near what is now the town of Deloit. He was soon offered the position of deputy surveyor, which he accepted and at the following election in the fall of 1856 was elected county surveyor and then entered upon his life work. The income from the office, however, was so small and the demand upon his time so limited that he organized a pay school in the Masons' Grove neighborhood, which he taught during the winter of 1856 and 1857 in a log school house fitted up by Joseph Dobson and himself. This was the first school in the county.

Mr. McHenry was a charter member of the first church organized in the county, which occurred in the fall of 1856, it being the M. E. church, of which he has ever since been a devoted and faithful member. In the spring of 1857 he assisted in organizing the first Sunday school in the county and became one of its teachers. In April, 1857, he was elected county assessor and assessed the whole county in less time than it now requires to assess a township, the total charges for the work being but \$50.50. In the fall of 1857 he was elected county treasurer and recorder, the two offices at the time being united. He surveyed the town of Denison in the fall of 1857. In May, 1858, Mr. McHenry moved to Denison, where he resided a considerable portion of his time since then. He was elected superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school, a position which he prized as highly as any other office he ever held, and continued in the office until 1877, when he moved on to his farm near Dow City.

On Dec. 25, 1859, he was married to Mary L. Comfort, and to this union were born five children; the first born, a girl, passing away at the age of ten months. Those living are William C., Charles, May (now Mrs. Wilder), and Morris McHenry, Jr. There are thirteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren. The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. McHenry was celebrated on Dec. 25, 1909, at

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THE HIGH SCHOOL WILL DEBATE

First of Series of Debate Will Take Place Next Friday Evening at Opera House.

EIGHT SCHOOLS REPRESENTED

Denison Will be Represented by Marjorie Sims, Ethel Cook and Charles Helsley.

The first series of debates in the Iowa High School Debating league for the southwest district will be held on Friday evening of this week. The schools belonging to this section of the association are Winterset, Adel, Clarinda, Tabor, Shenandoah, Bedford, Missouri Valley and Denison. Denison and Missouri Valley will meet again in the first series. This debate will be held in the opera house beginning at 7:30. The question for discussion is: Resolved, That a graduated income tax with an exemption of all incomes below five thousand dollars per annum would be a deliberate modification of our federal taxation laws. Denison will defend the negative side of the question. In the past Missouri Valley has always defeated Denison in debate, but our speakers have been working hard on this question and are determined to break the hoodoo this time. A full opera house of sympathetic listeners will do much toward accomplishing this purpose. Let everyone interested in the high school come and by his presence encourage the speakers. This debate will eliminate four of the schools. The other four will be paired for another tryout in two weeks. The two winners in this second test will then debate for the championship of the district. In this way the champion team of each of the four districts of the state is selected. Then the four districts compete in the same way for the championship of the state. The speakers are: Affirmative, William Welch, Jullius Muller and Herman Hoyer; Negative, Marjorie Sims, Ethel Cook and Charles Helsley. After the debate the senior class will give a banquet in

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SALOON PETITIONS ARE CANVASSED

All of This Week Taken up by Board of Supervisors in Matter of Saloon Petitions.

KIRON LOSES IN THE CANVASS

Manilla Will Again Have Saloons After Two Years of Dryness—Fewer Saloons Within 5 Years.

The board of supervisors has been engaged this week in canvassing the saloon petitions circulated a short time ago in the county. When the petitions were circulated two years ago and found to have carried in the county at large there were two towns which failed to secure the requisite number of signers to permit the sale of intoxicating liquors. These towns were Manilla and Kiron. It was afterwards believed that if another attempt was made these places would show enough signers to enable saloons to run in both places. It was necessary, however, under the law, in order to furnish an opportunity for these towns to make a showing, to have the petition circulated generally throughout the county to ascertain if 65 per cent of the legal voters at the last general election are in favor of granting the privilege.

The showing, it appears, in the county is sufficient as more than 65 per cent of all the voters have expressed themselves as favorable to the traffic, but is not so clear that the requisite number of signers have been secured to permit saloons in both Kiron and Manilla. The latter place won out, but not so in Kiron, where there are said to be six short of the required number. This means that Kiron will continue to remain a dry town. The effect of the new petition carrying in the county will be to extend the privilege to saloons now running to continue two years longer than if the showing had in substance that the privilege once not been made, as the law provides granted shall remain in force five years. The probabilities, however, are that a reduction of the number

of saloons will be made after five years from the time the petition was found sufficient two years ago. There is no question but if a saloon should seek to obtain a permit under the petition last circulated that the law limiting the number of saloons to one for every thousand inhabitants would apply. The friends of the saloon as well as the temperance people are on hand watching the count to see that nothing is omitted which the law requires to be done. The board of supervisors have had sufficient experience in making a canvass of this character to insure their being able to comply with the letter and spirit of the law.

On Thursday night some miscreant broke into the room occupied by Mrs. McCord, an elderly lady, sleeping in one of the rooms over the cafe on West Broadway, in what is known as the old court house building. She was awakened about one or two o'clock by the presence of a stranger in her room and her screams evidently caused the fellow to suddenly make his escape. The supposition is that his purpose was robbery, not of the woman, but of a gentleman, whose room was on the same floor and who was known to have a considerable amount of money on his person earlier in the evening. It was fortunate that nothing more serious occurred than to frighten the lady in whose room the intruder was found.

The annual meeting of the Farmers State bank at Charter Oak was held on Thursday, January 12, 1911, there being a full representation of the stock present. The following directors were elected: C. T. Marshall, George Naeve, J. P. Conner, J. H. Reissen, E. W. Timm, M. E. Jones and B. C. Jacobson. After the meeting of the stockholders adjourned the following officers were elected by the board of directors for the ensuing year: C. T. Marshall, president, and George Naeve vice-president. A. P. Barber and E. W. Timm were retained as cashier and assistant cashier. The bank was shown to be in a prosperous condition. The last year was the best year in its history and no doubt the coming year will prove another record breaker.

DISTRICT COURT NEXT MONDAY

Will Convene at One O'clock With Judge Powers on the Bench for a Three Weeks' Term.

JURY EMANELLED ON MONDAY

First Case Will be That of Escher vs. Carroll County—Other Important Cases Following.

District court will convene again on next Monday in the regular January session. Judge Powers, of Carroll, will be on hand to dispense justice during the three weeks of the term. There are a large number of important cases to be tried or otherwise disposed of. It is probable a number of cases will be continued over the term and until the March session of the court on account of sickness and the inability of litigants and witnesses to attend court.

The first business on Monday will be the empanelling of the grand jury, which will have but little to do as there are no criminal cases of any importance in sight. There are two or three civil cases specially assigned for trial on the arrival of the trial jury on the second Monday of the term. The first case is that of Escher vs. Carroll County, which is an action for damages growing out of alleged defects in a county bridge. This case was tried here two or three years ago and the judgment then rendered was reversed by the supreme court and the case remanded for a new trial. The other case is that of Mollie Kuhn against John Saggau et al, and is an action to recover an interest in real estate on the south side of Broadway. There are a number of other cases marked for trial and which will probably be tried later on during the term. It is anticipated the term will be a busy one and that a large amount of business will be disposed of before the final adjournment.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McHenry, of Mitchell, S. D., are expected in Denison today to attend the funeral of Mr. Morris McHenry.

Annual January White Goods Sale, Commencing January 21, Ending Jan. 28

Geo. Menagh & Co., Denison, Iowa.

LADIES' BELTS
Your choice of any ladies' belt in our stock—worth up to 50c, only 10c each.

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.
During our White Goods sale are so priced that every lady in Denison should come in, go through the immense line that we are showing. We have the exclusive agency in Denison for Wm. Meyers and several other importers' lines of embroideries and laces. We can show you the largest assortment of real lace and embroidery values that has ever been shown in town. All Linen Torchon Laces—this is the best wearing lace in our line, 1-4 inch wide, per yard, only 31c. Torchon Lace, used in pillow slips and underwear trimming, 2-4 inches wide, per yard, only 41c. 61c. Val Laces, beautiful patterns in both German and French vals, widths from 1/2 to an inch, put up 1 doz. to a bolt, per doz. yards, 30c, 40c. French Val laces, with 2 1/2 to 3 inches wide, these laces usually sell from 10c to 15c per yard; specially priced for our white sale at, per dozen yards, 69c, 79c. These laces are put up 1 dozen yards on a card.

EMBROIDERY SPECIAL.
30 pieces of Swiss Cambric Embroidery, widths are 2 inches to 30 inches, per yard, 3-4c. Not one piece in this lot worth less than 7c per yd. 20 pieces of Corset Cover Embroidery, beautiful pattern, heavy work, deep edging, worth up to 25c per yard—during white sale, per yard, only 19c. 10 pieces of Swiss Dress Flouncing, 2 1/2 inches wide, fine work and delicate patterns, worth 30c to 60c per yard, during white sale, per yard, only 33c. 10 pieces of 4 1/2 inch Flouncing; the embroidery in these are from 10 to 18 inches deep, per yard at 96c. 24 inch Swiss All-over Embroidery—These embroideries are so fine that every lady who has seen them has guessed the price at more than double what we are pricing them during our white sale. 15 pieces, all different patterns, per yard, only 59c. Everything new in Embroideries and Laces will be shown during this White Sale—Be sure to come.

REMNANTS OF EVERY KIND.
We have about 200 pounds of remnants that we have sorted up; there are goods in these worth up to 25c per yard and nothing less than 6c per yard. We have taken the entire lot, lengths are from 1-2 yard up to 7 yards, and are offering everything in the lot, per yard 4-3-4c.

MUSLIN SHEETINGS AND DOMESTICS.
Of all kinds can be bought during our white sale for less than they are worth on the open market today. Heavy Stockton LL Sheetings, per yard only 5-3-4c. Heavy Bleached 3-4 Sheetings, per yard only 21-1-2c. Heavy Brown Sheetings, 3-4, per yard, only 19-1-2c. Heavy Bleached 4-4 Sheetings, per yard only 9-1-2c. Pure Linen Sheetings, 8 1/2 inches wide, per yard, 98c. This Sheetings is worth \$1.50 per yard. Pillow Case Muslin, bleached and half bleached 14c. We ask every housewife to make it a point to see these values that we are offering in all domestics. It will mean a big saving to you.

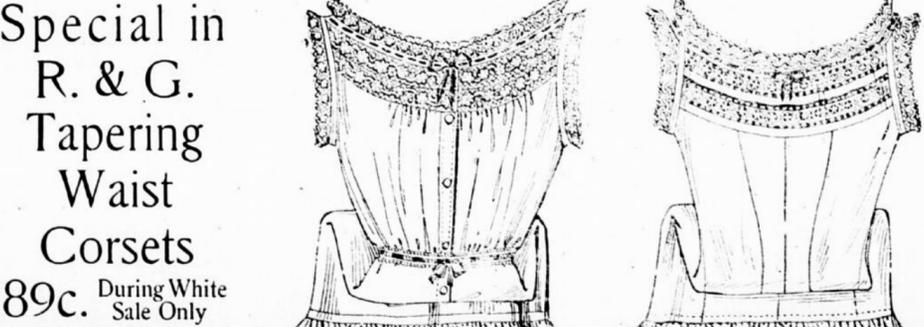
Big Display, Low Prices—White & Summer Dress Goods
32 in. wash Dress Goods, white in new patterns, worth 19c, per yard, only 14c. 3-4c. 30 in. Wash Goods, elegant patterns, worth 18c, per yard, only 10c and 12-1-2c. 32 in. Wash Goods, dozens of patterns, worth 25c, per yard, only 15c and 18c. 32 in. White Printed lawns and Dimities, worth up to 40c, per yard, only 19c, 21c, 23c and 25c. Be sure to see our full lines of white goods.

Four years ago we conceived the idea, on account of every lady during the months of January and February having less to do than at any other time of the year, and more work having to be done during the spring and summer than during any other season, that every conservative lady wants to get as much work done ahead of time as is possible. For that reason our January White Sale has grown to be one of the events looked forward to by every economical lady. During this sale we price standard merchandise at the lowest prices named during the entire year, and this year especially on account of some very fortunate early purchases we will have prices on staple goods that will mean a big saving to you. Read and compare our prices. Do not fail to attend this sale. Everything is on display so that it can be easily seen.



WAISTS WAISTS WAISTS
We were very fortunate in purchasing from Strauss Eisendrath & Co. 20 dozen White Lawn Waists in all of the latest styles. The waists were made to retail from \$1.00 to \$3.50 each. We have arranged them in special lot for this sale as follows:
1 Lot worth up to \$1.50, each only \$.89
1 Lot worth up to \$2.00, each only \$ 1.19
1 Lot worth up to \$2.50, each only \$ 1.39
1 Lot worth up to \$3.50, each only \$ 2.19

Special in R. & G. Tapering Waist Corsets 89c. During White Sale Only



MUSLIN UNDERSKIRTS.
We have the largest line of undershirts that has ever been shown in town. One consignment for our January White Goods Sale consisted of over 480 white Undershirts. White Cambric Undershirts, trimmed with 3 rows of linen lace and with 8 inch underlay, worth 98c; during white sale, each only 49c. Plain white Undershirts, full size, only each 45c. High grade Cambric Undershirts made with 18 inch flounce and full underlay, are being priced at \$1.50 by other dealers—our price only 98c. High grade Undershirts; these are very elaborate and are worth double the price we are quoting them at—\$1.39. Do not fail to see our complete showing.

TOWELING, TOWELS AND CRASHES.
Heavy weight Twilled Crash, worth 8c per yard, per yard only 4-3-4c. Good weight Honan Crash, worth 10c, only 6-2-4c. Extra heavy all linen Crash, 19 inches wide; this crash usually sells for 15c per yard, per yard at 9-1-2c. Fancy Toweling for guest towels, per yard, only 39c. Good weight Turkish Towels, each only 25c. Extra heavy Turkish Towels, unbleached, worth 25c, 2 towels for 41c. Small size Face Towels, worth 60c per doz; special price during white sale; per dozen yards, 42c. Boy toweling and towels during our white sale to last a year; it will pay you.

BED SPREADS, SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES
are being priced at almost the cost of the cotton used in making them. Good size Bed Spreads, honeycomb patterns, each only 79c. Large size Bed Spreads, good patterns, heavy weight, each only 99c. 9-1-3 Sheets, good muslin, each only 49c. Pillow Cases, Swiss 42 and 45, pair, only 19c. See complete lines and prices.

GINGHAMS IN LATE PATTERNS at Low Figures.
New Gingham, 10 yd. to 20 yd. lengths, worth up to 12-1-2c, per yard only 8-3-4c. High grade Dress Gingham, in short lengths, worth up to 15c, per yard, only 9-3-4c. Regular Dress Gingham, in new patterns, yard 8-1-2c. Golden Rod Gingham, worth 15c, per yard, only 12-1-2c. Be sure to see our big display.

Muslin Underwear during our White Goods Sale is being sold at less than the regular cost of the embroideries and lace used in trimming the garments. No lady living in Denison cannot afford to miss these wonderful values in pure white dainty underwear. Muslin Gowns in dozens of different styles, full size gowns, plain square yokes, high grade muslin, only 49c. Good quality Gowns, slip over style, linen lace and embroidery trimmed, each only 49c. High grade Cambric Gown, lace and embroidery trimmed, each only 89c. Corset Cover, trimmed with 5 rows of lace, each 39c. Corset Covers made from fine cambric, only 29c. High grade barred and Swiss corset covers, beautifully trimmed, each, only 59c. Combination Drawers and Corset Covers, suit only 98c. Combination Corset Cover and Skirt, suit, only 95c. Full sized Drawers for ladies, lace trimmed, pair 12c. Circular drawers, well made and neatly trimmed, 39c. Children's Drawers, all sizes, pair at 10c to 25c.

Lace Curtains and Curtain Goods Bargains during our white goods sale. We are showing 45 styles in lace curtains, worth up to \$2.50 pair, during our white sale for only \$1.39. Curtain Swatches in beautiful patterns, worth up to 15c per yard for only, per yard 9-1-2c.

Special in Fresh Meats at This Sale, Beefsteak 12 1/2