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LARGE BARN IN TONGUES OF FLAME

Ben Smith, Living on Old Marshall Farm North of Denison Suffers Considerable Loss.

HAY IN MOW CATCHES ON FIRE

Eighty Tons of Hay, Harness and Barn Burned—Horses Taken Out in Time to Save Them.

The large dairy barn on the Ben Smith farm just north of Denison was totally destroyed by fire on last Sunday night. Fortunately the fire was discovered in ample time for Mr. Smith to take his four head of horses from the barn.

The barn was only recently erected and was fitted up with the latest equipment for dairy purposes and was located about fifty feet due north of his beautiful home and it was only through the efforts of the Denison firemen and neighbors that the home was saved from becoming ignited.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were at home and in bed when Mrs. Smith discovered flames pouring out of the barn. She at once aroused Mr. Smith, who immediately telephoned to Denison and asked that the chemical be sent in order that the house and outbuildings might be saved. When Mr. Smith went out to the barn to get the horses the flames had made considerable headway and the entire hay loft seemed to be ablaze.

It is thought that the fire originated from spontaneous combustion in the hay loft, as in the neighborhood of eighty tons of new mown hay had been stored there only last week. Mr. Smith had taken the precaution of salting down the hay with four barrels of salt and had no fear that the heat would cause a fire.

The fire bell was rung about 11 o'clock and hundreds of people congregated on the hill near the north brick school house where the blaze could be seen. The firemen, with the aid of the Hilton & Larson bus,

hauled the chemical to the Smith farm, where it was used to good advantage on the house and some of the outbuildings that had become ignited from the intense heat. The building where Mr. Smith keeps his automobile was ablaze when the firemen arrived, but was saved through their efforts and the machine was taken out. Scores of people drove out in automobiles and rigs to offer their assistance and if there had been a high wind the loss would have been exceedingly greater.

The building and contents were insured for \$1500, but Mr. Smith informs us that this will nowhere near cover the actual loss.

INTEREST ON FUNDS

New Law Compels Treasurer to Select Depositories and Collect 2 Per Cent on Daily Deposits.

A new law taking effect July 4, 1913, is one wherein all city treasurers must appoint a depository for the city funds, to be approved by the city council, and the depository must make a report each month of all daily deposits of city money and pay the treasurer 2 per cent interest on 90 per cent of all daily deposits. Following out the letter of the law Treasurer Voss has appointed the Bank of Denison as the depository for Denison's funds, and that bank's bond in the sum of \$25,000 was approved by the city council at its meeting last Monday night. The amount of the bond covers about twice the amount of money carried by the treasurer and is considered sufficient. At the Monday night meeting the treasurer reported the balances on hand in the different funds as follows:

General fund	\$3,398.44
Bond fund	3,754.70
Park fund	13.01
Fire fund	1,163.35
Water fund, overdrawn	\$57.40.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones and son, Asa, of Charter Oak, motored to Denison last Thursday to attend the funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Moeller.

CHAUTAUQUA NEXT SATURDAY

Attendance Promises to Be Very Flattering As Over 600 Tickets Have Already Been Sold.

JUDGE BLAIR FIRST LECTURER

Complete Program for Seven Days to Be Found on Page Five of This Issue of Review.

Denison's annual chautauqua will open at Washington park on next Saturday afternoon and from present indications it will be the best attended chautauqua ever held in Denison. Even at this early date over 600 season tickets have been sold by the business men of the city and it is thought before the opening day that over a thousand tickets will have been disposed of.

The chautauqua this year will be held under the superintendency of George S. Dalgety, who will have charge of the grounds. J. R. Hanley has been secured by the chautauqua management to deliver the popular morning lectures, which will be given at 10:30 each morning. The opening day promises to be one of the best of the six days' entertainment, for the Spanish ladies' orchestra will be on hand to entertain with a delightful concert. Judge A. Z. Blair will lecture on Saturday evening and this will be one of the important events of the week. It was Judge Blair who found a way to put a stop to the prevalent form of corruption by inventing a method of procedure that caused two thousand voters in his county to confess their guilt. He promptly disfranchised the whole array and the ballot box of Adams county, Ohio, was made clean.

We wish that space would permit our going into detail of each day's program for the coming week, but doubtless the readers of this paper are familiar with the good things that are in store.

DEATH CLOSES LIFE'S PAGE

John Rasp, Well Known Throughout Crawford County, Passes to Great Beyond on Sunday Last.

WAS ILL FOR SEVERAL MONTHS

Born in Canada in 1835, and Located in Crawford County in 1882—Wife and Son Left to Mourn

The death of Mr. John Rasp, of Denison township, closes life's page upon one who has earned the respect, esteem and confidence of all who knew him. While for several months a sufferer he was always patient, true and kindly, and the home circle is indeed desolated.

The deceased was born at Perth, Ontario, Canada, in the year 1835, and passed peacefully and quietly to the life beyond on Sunday, July 20, 1913. Mr. Rasp moved to Scott county, Iowa, in 1848, and in 1882 located on a farm in Milford township and has resided in our midst since that time. In 1883 he was united in marriage to Miss Bridget Burns, who survives him, with one son, namely, John. Mr. Rasp has been in poor health for the past year, suffering with kidney trouble, and has been suffering considerably since February. Mr. Rasp was a hard worker, loyal, upright and honest and through his thriftiness was able to acquire considerable of the worldly goods. His affection for wife and child was pure and true. His was the home of confidence and content, the abiding place of all the domestic virtues.

Though he is gone he leaves behind pleasant memories and the record of a life, the study of which cannot fail to make those who remain a wiser and more faithful people. Besides his devoted wife and son, John, he leaves to mourn his death a brother, Mr. T. J. Rasp, of El Reno, Okla., who arrived in Denison for a visit only a few hours before his death. He leaves

two sisters, namely, Mrs. Thos. McCarthy and Mrs. Margaret Haugh, both of whom reside in this city.

The funeral services were held at St. Rose of Lima church, of which he was a devout member, on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Father Brosnahan, of Milwaukee, celebrating the mass and Rev. Father Farrelly officiating at the services, which were attended by a large number of the friends and relatives of this upright man. The remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery northeast of Denison.

DR. WRIGHT OF CARROLL

Eminent Physician Dies in City of Paris After An Operation for Appendicitis.

Dr. A. L. Wright, a prominent physician of Carroll, departed this life on Saturday afternoon in the city of Paris, where earlier in the day he had undergone an operation for trouble growing out of an attack of appendicitis. The doctor had gone abroad for the purpose of attending a medical convention in the city of London, to be held in the near future, and in company with a number of prominent physicians from the United States, was spending a few days in Paris, where he decided to have the operation performed, thinking it would relieve him of the trouble of which he complained. His condition was such that he was unable to stand the shock of the operation and died soon after it was performed.

Dr. Wright was a native of Wisconsin, but spent most of his life at Carroll in the practice of his profession. He was one of the few prominent surgeons of Iowa, and enjoyed the respect of the medical fraternity.

He leaves surviving him a wife and a son, both of whom were in Canada at the time of his death, where the doctor had large real estate interests which had been looked after by his son. Dr. Wright was frequently called to Denison in consultation and was therefore well known to a large number of people in this county, who will regret to hear of his death.

DEATH COMES AS A RELIEF

Mrs. August Schultz, of Schleswig, After An Illness of Long Duration, Relieved by Death.

PASSES AWAY ON JULY 20TH

Was Mother of Thirteen Children and Had Fifty-One Grand Children Living.

Denison friends of Mr. and Mrs. August Schultz, of Schleswig, were greatly pained to learn of Mrs. Schultz's death, which took place at her home in Schleswig on Sunday, July 20, 1913. Mrs. Schultz had been a sufferer for a long time and death came as a relief to her.

The funeral will be held this (Wednesday) afternoon and she will be buried in the Hanover township cemetery. Services will be held at the home at 12 o'clock. The attendance will no doubt be very large as Mr. and Mrs. Schultz were among the best known people of the community in which they lived.

Mrs. Schultz was born in Chicago September 26, 1847, and was married to Mr. August Schultz April 1, 1867, and in 1876 she and her husband came to Crawford county and settled on a farm in section 35, Morgan township, where they resided until about eight years ago, when they moved into Schleswig, occupying one of the finest homes in that beautiful little city. She was the mother of thirteen children, eight boys and five girls, namely: Herman, Otto, Fritz, Carl, Walter, Earnest, Louie, and Mrs. Emma Rosch, Ft. Dodge. Mrs. Eda Ebert, Hanover township; Mrs. Matilda Hargens, Ricketts; Mrs. Adelheid Weigand, Schleswig, and Mrs. Minnie Martens, Manilla. These, together with her husband, fifty-one grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Maggie Flick, Charter Oak; Mrs. John Drechner, Chicago, and

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Clearance sale of women's and children's hose. One lot of good weight, fine lisle hose, 15c value, for boys and girls, per pair, only **10¹/₂c**

Clearance Sale of Summer Merchandise

Ladies' Fancy hose in colors and black, with embroidery legs, regular 25c values only, **13¹/₂c** per pair
Ladies' Fine Silk Lisle Hose, 25c grade, per pair only **19¹/₂c**



\$16.00 Summer Dresses only \$5.98

All fancy lingerie dresses in our stock sold at \$16.00. Your choice of the lot

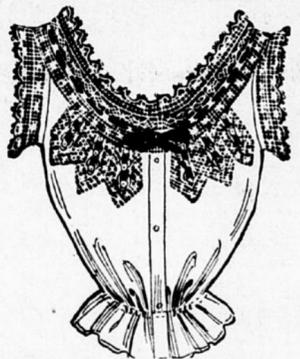
only \$5.98

One Lot of Fine Silk Dresses worth up to \$25.00. Your choice only \$9.85

WE offer this week of our clearance sale, some special lots that will surely appeal to every judicious house wife and buyer. Wearing apparel for men, women, and children, is priced at about one-half of the regular.

GROCERY SPECIALS

This week we offer our grocery clearance special at prices that will mean about 50 per cent of the actual cost to you.
Fcy standard sugar corn 3 cans for 21c, 6 cans for 39c, and 12 cans for 73c
Three Star Salmon. This is an extra fancy red and regular 25c seller, 1 can 22c, 3 cans 61c, 6 cans for \$1.15
Sauer Kraut packed in 3 pound cans, 10c a can, 3 cans for 25c
G. A. Goffee, positively the best coffee on the market at per lb. 30c.
Oat meal large size package 15c
Strawberries 13 1-2c per can. Packed in heavy syrup.



All Corset Covers at Half Price

This is just a cleanup and you get the benefit. We have all sizes and grades that sell regularly from 25c. to \$1.50. Your pick of the lot at one half of the price they are marked.

This week finds us offering some lots from **McAhren's** stock at prices that are about one-half what they cost McAhren.



Open knit underwear, the open kind, also balbriggan, 75c and \$1.00 values, per suit, only **39c**

Men's 50c bow neck ties, only **9¹/₂c** 13c and

Men's Interwoven hose, the kind McAhren sold for 25c, **17¹/₂c**

\$3.00 Hats for men and young men. This includes stiff hats, and the latest soft hats, only **\$1.49**

Clearance McAhren's Suits

We expect to have every suit from McAhren's stock sold within the next ten days, and we advise you to come in at your next convenient time and select your summer or fall suit. Values from \$22.50 to \$30, **12.98, 14.98, 16.98, 17.85**

\$15 values only **\$8.75, \$6.98, \$5.98**



Your choice of any dress in our stock, including Silk Chiffons, and Crepes, only **\$12.98**. Small size suits for ladies at almost your price. We have 25 ladies' suits in small sizes. They sold regularly at \$25, \$35, \$45 and up to \$65. You will find a good assortment of colors. You can have your pick of the lot

\$12.98

MENAGH'S STORE

Clearance Sale Of All Summer FOOTWEAR All Summer Shoes must be sold regardless of cost. Come in and see them.

MENAGH'S STORE