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THE DENISON REVIEW

Section One

THE PAPER YOU TAKE HOME

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Business men of other cities of Denison size and larger are telling of the spirit of progress shown by Denison business men.

The Review received a number of letters from different newspaper men of this section complimenting the last issue of this paper.

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INTER-CHURCH CONFERENCE

County Interchurch Conference to Be Held in Denison Thursday, April 8th in Presbyterian Church

THE GOSPEL TO EVERY LAND
\$20,000,000 for Christian Education,
\$21,000,000 for Missionary Work at
Home and Abroad, \$2,000,000 Pensions

Crawford county, along with 98 others of the state, is to have the benefit of the interchurch movement that is being launched by men of vision. Never before has the church been able to challenge the best that is in man. She now offers a program that humanly speaking is impossible, but with united effort the goals will be reached.

Conceive, if you can, of the church expending annually \$80,000,000 for christian education, and more than \$215,000,000 for missionary work at home and abroad, and \$20,000,000 for pensions and relief of those who must be side-tracked on account of physical exhaustion. That is not all. The command of the Head of the church to carry the gospel to every land is in the process of fulfillment; for it is hoped to put 20,000 new recruits in the field with a message of life and truth. Every newspaper in the country will be furnished with copy of paid advertising. What will be the impression of this upon the person who has felt that he could not get along without the church?

There are thirty leading denominations, representing 70 per cent of the Protestant church membership of America, affiliated not organically, but for service. How is such a stupendous and far reaching scheme financed? When the plan was conceived by a few men of vision they went to a few New York bankers asking assistance. The shrewd bankers asked for collateral. The church had nothing to offer that was tangible. The bankers set their law eyes to the task of making an investigation. The denominations involved were studied from the time of their organization and the lawyers reports showed that not one of them had defaulted. Whereupon the bankers agreed to advance all the money needed. No other institution in the world could have been financed in a similar way. Inquiries are being made as to the results. Crawford county people will have an opportunity to get further light on this subject by attending an all day conference in the Denison Presbyterian church the 8th of April.

LOSSES THREE FINGERS

Russell Jacobson, of the Economy meat market met with an accident last Wednesday. He was in the act of amputation of three fingers of his right hand. While operating his electric meat grinder, the hand was caught under the knives and three of the fingers were so badly cut that amputation was necessary. Russell withstood the shock manfully, and on Friday, his up and around town. He will not be able to work for some time hereafter. His employer, Mr. Roberts, carried compensation insurance, and Russell will get the benefit of the policy.

SAVING SMOKE

The American people's complaint of coal shortage, and then they throw away millions of tons of fuel in the form of smoke. Many progressive towns and cities are making a concerted effort for better coal consumption and smoke prevention. In Denison, about three of the boilers were so badly out that amputation was necessary. If manufacturing plants, railroads, apartment houses, hotels, etc., would all put in smoke saving devices, manufacturing and transportation expense would be saved, and less would be heard about coal shortage. Also the dirty smoke that now spoils house paint and furnishings would disappear.

WILL RECEIVE COMPLAINTS

Fair Price Committee of Crawford County Now Ready to Receive Complaints of Unfair Prices

A meeting of the Fair Price Commission appointed for Crawford county was held at the post office on Wednesday, March 17th, 1920. The committee desires to announce to the people of Crawford county that they are now ready to receive complaints as to uniform prices charged them at any time in this county. Any one having such a complaint may report same to any member of the committee, stating the name of the article, date and place purchased, and the price paid. The complaint will then be investigated. The members of the committee are: John Carey, chairman; J. E. Balle, Hugo Gebert, George Lambrty, Frank Woolston, Ira Gillmor, John Cook, Miss Grace Meyers, Mrs. George Sprecher, Mrs. Albert Weiss.

Basket Ball: Boy Scouts Vail vs Denison

Next Friday evening, March 26th, the Vail troop of Boy Scouts are to join the Denison troop in a program that is to begin at 7:30 in the gymnasium. Two basket ball games will be played, one open to all scouts and the other limited to scouts fifteen years of age and under. No admission will be charged. The following is the program: Bandaging, first half of junior basket ball game, signalling, second half of junior game, wrestling exhibition, first half of senior game, stretch race, second half of senior basket ball game.

NIAGARA FALLS IN ITS WONDERFUL WINTER MANTLE



The impressive majesty of Niagara Falls garbed in its winter mantle of white. This great work of nature is even more entrancing in winter than in the summer months. Today the waters are frozen, and huge hillocks of snow and ice cover rocks and river. Under the great wall of ice the torrents of Niagara pour down, the crashing water hushed by its winter covering.

News and Comment About Iowa People and Events.

J. W. JARNAGIN

Arrangements are being perfected for the entertainment of the Methodist general conference which will be in session in Des Moines during the entire month of May. It is estimated that it will cost the conference committee \$50 per minute during every working day and the local committee estimates its expenditures at \$1,000 a day. Various plans are being devised to meet the unusual monetary plans. The conference management will endeavor to meet its expenses by the sale of seats and various concessions. It is stated that delegate seats would sell for from 35 cents to 75 cents a day, or \$10 to \$17.50 for the entire month. The boxes, which seat eight people, will sell for from \$150 to \$200 for the month. The big coliseum and the auditorium have both been leased for the month. The coliseum is to be specially seated which means the rearrangement of the seating equipment and arrangement of numerous rows of seats. Four days of the conference will be the property of the local committee and on these nights high class entertainments will be given at which an admission fee will be charged. Funds from this source it is expected to raise funds to assist in defraying expenses.

Dean C. B. Waldron of the North Dakota Agricultural college is in charge of this work. More than 470 men are studying automotive mechanics, learning all about automobiles, trucks and farm tractors. There are classes in vulcanizing, ignition, acetylene welding, general repair work and driving. There is a business and commercial school at the camp with a large enrollment of students learning modern business and commercial methods. One building at the camp is given over entirely to the study of electrical matters, telephony, telegraphy, inside wiring, radio, cable splicing and similar subjects are taught. There are classes in general subjects under the direction of Dean Wm. E. Barry of Drake university. French, Spanish, algebra, geometry, civics, economics, civil government and literature are among the studies in the course.

In the Plymouth county district court is pending a damage suit for personal injuries that is out of the ordinary. Samuel Petroff brings suit against Mert Gabel, the owner of a farm where Petroff was employed. In his petition for damages Petroff states he was employed on the Gabel place as a farm laborer last year and that on April 23, 1919, in the course of his other duties he was gathering eggs in the barn and sheds and other likely places on the premises. He stated that while in a stall bending over a manger to gather eggs he was attacked by a bull and his body, head, shoulders and spine were badly injured. He claims that he was never warned about the bull and that it was a vicious animal and was not properly secured in its stall. Petroff asks actual and exemplary damages for injuries, loss of time and medical attention. He sets forth that \$800 went to doctors and chiropractors, claims loss of wages for ten months at \$70 per month, \$2500 for pain and suffering, \$200 for loss of physical strength and health, and \$2000 for future loss of wages. He asks the court for judgment against the defendant for \$10,500 in all.

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The federal grand jury at Ottumwa returned indictments covering several points against E. G. Dickson, of Davis county. He was arrested several months ago and valued to the grand jury by posting a cash bond for \$9,000. Seven counts were in the indictment against Dickson. He is charged with defiance of the conscription law, with cursing and insulting the president of the United States, with insulting overseas Red Cross nurses, etc. He has been sued by Red Cross women in Davis county for larger damages for remarks he is alleged to have made about them. He has sued thirty of his neighbors for large sums as damages for treatment accorded him during the drives incident to carrying on the war.

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CITY PROPERTY CHANGING

Many Changes in Denison City Property During the Past Week. Willcox Sells Laundry

The demand for city property is becoming greater and greater, and the supply is not equal to the demand. Tenant houses are at a premium, and this fact keeps many families from coming residents of our city. Those who can afford to buy and pay the price are buying homes where they cannot rent. During the past week there has been a number of sales, among them being the W. H. Gibson home on Wall street, sold to W. F. Staller, consideration \$8,000; the G. W. Caswell home on east Broadway to Mr. Call from near Schleswig, consideration \$7,000; the Kate Hassett home on west Walnut street to Henry Schmidt, consideration \$3,850; and the Wilcox laundry building and all machinery on Broadway to Ed Nelson, consideration \$5,000. The last named property is considered very cheap, and Mr. Nelson may decide to find some young man who will lease the property and continue to conduct a laundry.

In Italy they propose to penalize able bodied citizens who refuse to work, while in this country they are practically afraid lest some one work overtime, or do too much.

So far the promoters have shown no desire to retain possession of these wonderful "get-rich-quick-stocks" that are sure to make the owners thereof millionaires in a very short time.

DENISON WINS HIGH HONORS

High School Grain and Stock Judging Teams Journey to Ames and Win High Honors

SECURE TWO FIRST PLACES
First in Both Wheat and Clover Contest; Close Second in Corn and Well Up in All Grain Classes

The Denison high school grain and stock judging team that journeyed to Ames and competed in the third annual high school judging contest last week, won high honors for themselves and for the Denison high school. These contests are held under the auspices of the Iowa State college and are participated in by the best agricultural schools of the state. In competition with eighteen teams from all parts of Iowa, the Denison team won first honors in two of the six contests in grain judging, and as a reward for their success the name Denison will be placed on two magnificent silver cups and the cups themselves will repose safely in the Denison high school during the fourth coming year. The team won first honors in both wheat and clover and they were a close second in corn and well up in all the grain classes. In livestock judging Denison lost the cup for judging dairy cattle by a narrow margin. The team that was getting bare 5 points led out of a possible 900. In the poultry and egg contest Denison's teams were outtraced by three schools, the team for West Side being one of the three and winning 2nd place in poultry and eggs. In the other stock judging contests Denison was about the average.

This is the third annual contest of the kind held in Iowa, and each year it interests in this contest increases and more and better teams are contestants. This is an educational contest pure and simple, a state wide contest in grain and stock judging participated in by the best schools of Iowa, giving courses in agriculture. The importance and value of these contests are not generally appreciated. Many people seem to forget that Iowa's prosperity is founded in her agricultural interests. Denison high school has been represented in each contest and no Denison team has yet failed to get one of the cups. This speaks well for Denison teams as there has always been keen competition. This year of the eighteen teams competing eleven failed to win a first.

Stats of the Denison team, consisting of Otto Moeller, Leo McCullough and Clifford Richardson.

WILL LIVE UP TO THE OATH

J. B. Lyon Makes Statement Regarding His Election as Mayor. He Will Live Up to the Requirements of the Oath. A candidate for the office of mayor I have been asked by some of the voters if I will enforce the city ordinances. When a mayor is installed he is required to take the following oath: "I do solemnly swear and affirm that I will support the constitution of the United States, and of the state of Iowa, and will enforce the ordinances of the city of Denison Iowa, and discharge the duties of mayor to the best of my ability, so help me God." To me, this oath means but one thing. A strict compliance with it or committing perjury by failing to enforce the ordinances of this city. For failure to comply with it would mean that I would be unworthy in the office and not entitled to the support of my constituents. If elected I shall with the best of my ability live up to the requirements of my oath of office.

School garden plants starting now, and dad can see where he has a job laid out for him to keep the garden up through the hot weather.

Cussing H. C. of L. releases one's feelings, but reading "the announcement of exceptional values in the advertising columns of the Review releases the pocket book more.

FAC-SMILE OFFICAL BALLOT

for the City Election of Denison, Iowa, Monday, March 29, 1920

<input type="radio"/> REPUBLICAN FOR MAYOR <input type="checkbox"/> J. B. LYON FOR TREASURER <input type="checkbox"/> C. L. VOSS FOR ASSESSOR <input type="checkbox"/> H. A. NORMAN FOR COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE <input type="checkbox"/> D. E. VOSS <input type="checkbox"/> H. L. FITCH FOR COUNCILMAN <input type="checkbox"/> CLARK WHITE	<input type="radio"/> DEMOCRAT FOR MAYOR <input type="checkbox"/> WM. SAVERY FOR TREASURER <input type="checkbox"/> JOHN SAGGAU FOR ASSESSOR <input type="checkbox"/> ED. FLAHIVE FOR COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE <input type="checkbox"/> JAMES O'MEARA <input type="checkbox"/> JOHN SCHNOOR FOR COUNCILMAN <input type="checkbox"/> HENRY NATH	<input type="radio"/> CITIZEN FOR MAYOR <input type="checkbox"/> W. H. LAUB FOR TREASURER <input type="checkbox"/> FOR ASSESSOR <input type="checkbox"/> FOR COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE <input type="checkbox"/> H. T. BLIESMAN FOR COUNCILMAN	<input type="radio"/> INDEPENDENT FOR MAYOR <input type="checkbox"/> J. PATTERSON FOR TREASURER <input type="checkbox"/> FOR ASSESSOR <input type="checkbox"/> FOR COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE <input type="checkbox"/> FOR COUNCILMAN
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I, E. F. Tucker, City Clerk, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the official ballot to be used in the election at Denison, Iowa, on March 29, 1920. The above ballot is for the Third Ward. The other two wards are similiar except the name of the ward councilman; this will be changed for the different wards.

E. F. Tucker