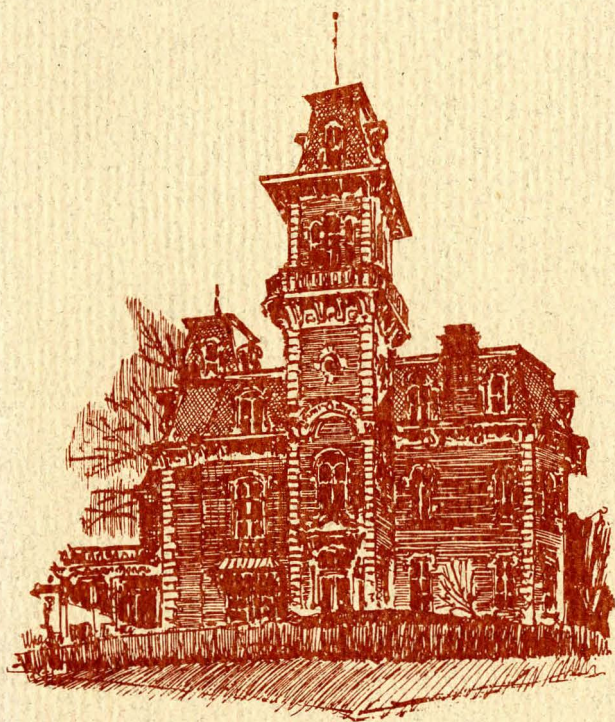


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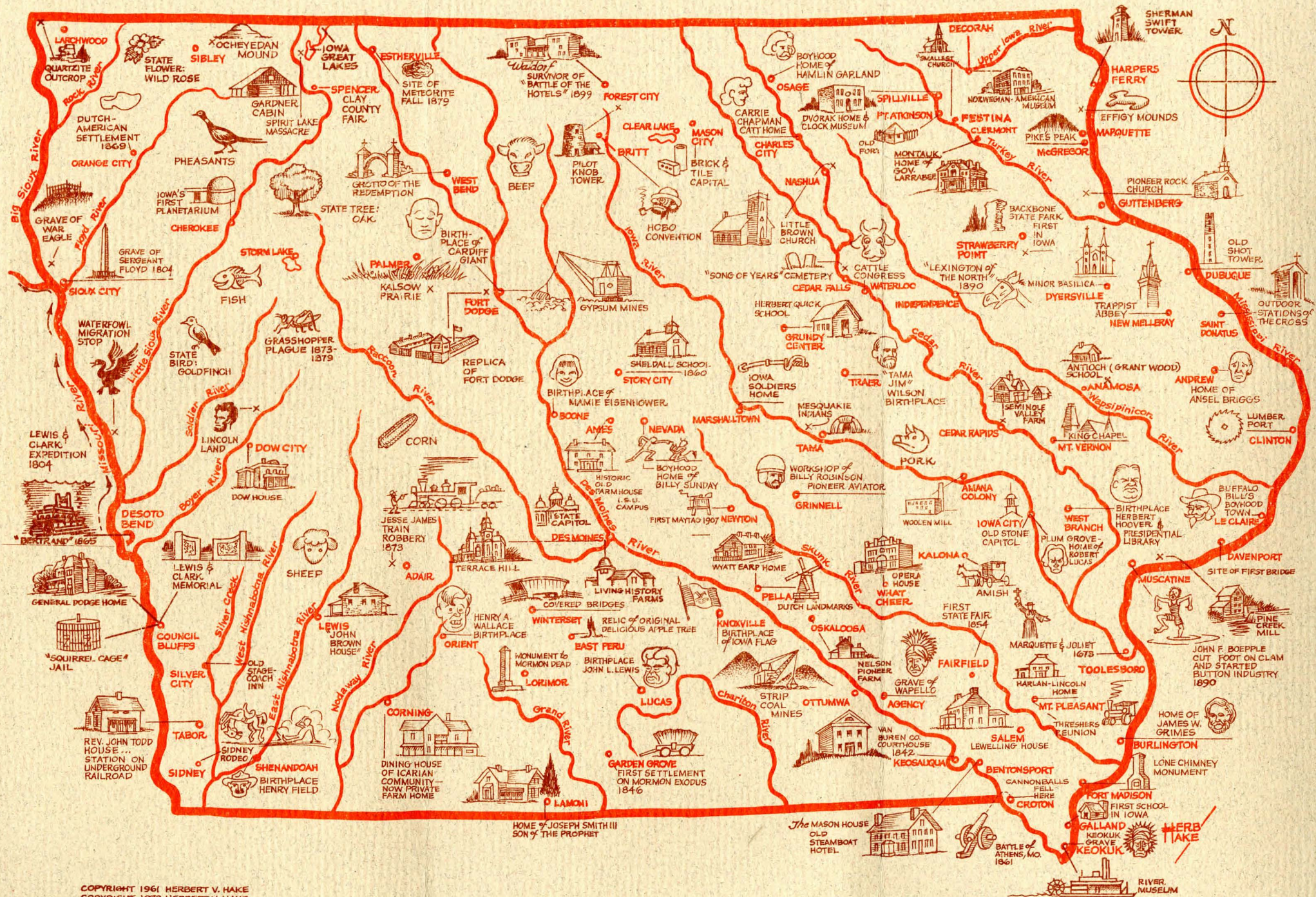
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## **The Iowa Society For The Preservation Of Historic Landmarks**

The Iowa Society for the Preservation of Historic Landmarks -- an organization concerned with the future of buildings and natural sites which tell the story of Iowa -- invites your participation and support.

Founded at a meeting in the Governor's Mansion in Des Moines in 1956, the Society was incorporated in 1959. It is an institutional member of the Society of Architectural Historians, the National Trust for Historic Preservation, and the American Association for State and Local History.

The purpose of the Iowa Landmarks Society is to stimulate and maintain the steadily growing interest in the identification and preservation of historic sites and buildings in Iowa, and to encourage and advise those who wish to preserve specific landmarks. The Society does not own or administer property or sites, but works cooperatively with local, state and national organizations in support of historic preservation.

### **The Society's activities include:**

A Spring meeting in March, the annual Fall meeting in October, and landmarks field studies or tours of historic sites during the summer.

Publications, including an illustrated *Newsletter*, issued periodically to keep members informed about preservation activities, and a history of the Society, *The First Ten Years*. Other publications are in preparation.

Assistance to local groups in stressing the importance of preservation. Color slide programs on historic landmarks in Iowa are available.

Recommending specialists from the Society membership to provide programs for meetings concerned with local preservation projects or Iowa's historic landmarks.



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The following Society members are available to advise and assist local preservation groups:

- R. W. Daubendiek** - - - - - **Harpers Ferry**  
Tree Planting Contractor and Outdoor Recreation Consultant.
- Mrs. John M. Estes, Jr.** - - - - - **Des Moines**  
Librarian, Public Library of Des Moines.
- R. B. Graeme** - - - - - **Council Bluffs**  
Council Bluffs Savings Bank official and past President of Pottawattamie County Historical Society.
- Mrs. Lida Lisle Greene** - - - - - **Des Moines**  
Librarian, State Historical Library, Iowa Department of History and Archives.
- Herbert V. Hake** - - - - - **Cedar Falls**  
2203 Clay Street  
Producer of "Landmarks in Iowa History" television series. Consultant on vocal and visual preservation of local history.
- Miss Emelda Kunau** - - - - - **Ames**  
Retired; formerly Extension Specialist in Applied Art, Iowa State University.
- LeRoy G. Pratt** - - - - - **Des Moines**  
317 S. W. 42nd Street  
Publications Editor, Iowa State Department of Public Instruction.
- Mrs. G. H. Reynolds** - - - - - **Des Moines**  
2201 56th Street  
Consultant on Period Household Furnishings.
- William L. Talbot** - - - - - **Keokuk**  
226 High Street  
Historian, Southeast Iowa; riverboat buff.
- William J. Wagner** - - - - - **Des Moines**  
1106 High Street  
Architect, Artist, and Consultant on Buildings.

Those interested in saving the rapidly disappearing landmarks of Iowa's past are invited to apply for membership. The annual dues are, \$5.00 for a family or \$3.00 for an individual. All contributions are tax deductible.

Additional copies of this map may be secured from the Iowa Department of History and Archives, East 12th Street and Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50319.

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