SPEND A VERY PLEAS-ANT AFTERNOON

Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church Entertained and Elect Officers.

From Friday's Daity.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church were entertained in Omaha this morning. their rooms in the basement of the church yesterday afternoon in a most enjoyable manner by Miss wood this morning. Ella Kennedy, Mrs. H. Barthold and Mrs. D. L. Amick. During was in town today. the early hours of the afternoon the ladies held their regular business session and after the routine business matters had been taken care of the annual election of officers was held, and the following officers were elected: Mes. W. L. Austin. president: Mrs. Gleon, first vice president; Mrs. Helen Mauxy, second vice president: Mrs. J. Leeslev. secretary, and Miss Margaret Manzy, treasurer.

The ladies have been baving considerable work done at the terday. parsonage, that of having a new heating plant and bath room fixtures but in and which will make the home of the pastor more comfortable and convenient, and then, too, it will be a modern one.

After various other business matters had been transacted the business session was adjourned and the ladies , devoted the reaminder of the afternoon to a social time, some having brought their fancy work, they very industrously plved the busy needle. Delicions refreshments were served by the hostesses, to which all did ample instice, and at the in Omaha today, usual time the large number in attendance dispersed, having had a most delightful time.

GOT MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENCES

Flint Brown Pleaded Guilty to the Offense This Morning in Justice Archer's Court.

From Friday's Daily.

Flint Brown pleaded guilty to the charge of obtaining money under false pretences in Judge Archer's court this morning and was, on the advice of the county attorney, given a fine of \$100 and costs. He went to jail to serve it ha this morning to spend the day.

Brown bought a dollar's worth of lumber from E. T. Tool and gave him a check for \$10 on a bank where he did not have a deposit. Tool gave him back \$9 in change, but later found that the was here vesterday on business check was worthless, and went to the county attorney and swore out a complaint.

LOCAL NEWS

From Friday's Daily. Ed Donat went up to Omaba on business today.

Ray McMaken went to Omaha this morning.

Mrs. J. W. Sage was a visitor in

Omaha today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Becker went to Omaha today.

Mrs. Lizzie Verhnel went to Omaha on the early morning train today.

Mrs. F. G. Egenberger and daughter, Helen, went to Omaha this morning.

A. T. Fried of Council Bluffs was a visitor in Plattsmouth yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Thomas went to Omaha this morning to spend the

Mrs. Guy McMaken and Miss Anna Peterson went to Omaha in Kit Carson county, Colorado, this morning to bring Mrs. Mar- today, after visiting his uncle, tin Peterson home. She has been George Homan.

ill in a hospital there. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Majors went to Lincoln this morning. They were accompanied by the latter's Mrs. McGuire's parents. sister, Miss Vera McGregor, who is returning to her home at Sargeant.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Allen returned to Glenwood yesterday evening. Mrs. Allen came over here yesterday afternoon with Mr. Allen to have her name legally changed. Application was made to Judge Beeson, who granted the request and gave her the name of the place of assistant principal.

the man she came with. Mrs. J. L. Russel and son, Lewis, returned Wednesday from Mrs. Hubbard's home this morn-Eldorado, Kansas, where she has been visiting her parents for the Wiles' family reunion. They were past ten days. Mrs. Russel says that crops are looking fine there and that they are gelting their second cutting of hay. Hay is considerably cheaper there than from South Omaha this morning Telephone 378 White, Plattsmout here, she says.

F. J. Gable of Lincoln was here on business today.

this morning. Mrs. Jack Woods was a visitor

in Omaha today, Miss Erma Soyblitz was a visit-

or in Omaha today. Miss Della Sevblitz went to

Mrs. S. H. Clark went to Glen-

C. E. Tefft of Weeping Water

Mrs. Ed Thrall spent the day in

Miss Helen Dovey spent today in Omaba.

R. E. Lloyd left for Texas points yesterday afternoon on a business.

Mrs. J. T. Elliott went to Ashland vesterday to visit relatives the afternoon train today.

R. D. O'Brien returned to Manley, after a business trip here yes-

Mrs. P. D. Bates went to Ashland yesterday afternoon to visit went to Omaha this afternoon relatives there.

O. Peterson of Omaha was here vesterday on business, going to Louisville from here.

Miss Helen Bixby returned to a visit here. Omaha today, after a visit at the home of Mrs. Tom Parmele,

Mr. and Mrs. George Holmes returned to Sheridan, Iowa, vesterday, after visiting the family of S. Humphrey at Nehawka.

Mrs. P. J. Vallery was a visitor

J. J. Reiter of Omaha was in lown yesterday.

Miss Lizzie Bergman went to the metropolis today.

Hugh Inhelear returned to Cedar Creek yesterday.

D. S. Rockwell of Manley was in town vesterday on business.

George Pough of Glenwood was here on business vesterday.

Fred Guenther went up to the metropolis this morning.

Mrs. M. Katelman is here visiting her sister, Mrs. V. Zucker, Mrs. F. D. Close went to Oma-

ha on the morning train today.

Mes. E. W. Miller went to Oma-

J. J. Jahneke of Omaha was a visitor in Plattsmouth vesterday, E. E. Hammond was a busi-

ness visitor in Plattsmouth today. J. E. Forbes of Ottawa, Kas.,

Mrs. F. H. Dunbar went to Omaha this morning to spend the day there.

Mrs. Mearl Todd went to Creston this morning to visit a brother, who is ill

to Lincoln this morning to spend not take time to come to Plattsthe day there.

Miss Gladys Ralston of Peru. Neb., was in town yesterday, a guest at the Riley.

T. J. Nauman of Murray, an apple buyer, went to Craig, Mo., today on business,

Omaha were here yesterday, guests at the Riley.

Miss Pearl Berger returned to Council Bluffs this morning, after attending the Wiles' rennion.

Mrs. Will Estes and daughter returned to the Junction today, after a shopping trip here.

day. She is a guest of Mrs. Floyd to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hoffman.

J. L. Falconer left for his home

Mrs. Charles McGuire and children went to Gretna this morning, where they will visit

Charles Wamsat, living eight miles southeast of town, was at the Burlington depot this morning on his way to Omaha to spend the day.

Miss Emma Falter left this morning for Grafton, Neb., where she will teach in the High school during the coming year, holding

Mrs. Lizzie Hubbard of Glenwood and Mrs. Carrie Wade of Butler county, Nebraska, went to ing, after coming here for the guests of Charles Warner and family while here.

Miss Fern Eads came down for a few days' visit with her

and other relatives in this city, before going to Kearney, Neb., J. Heinrich went to Omaha this grandmother, Mrs. Kate Oliver, where she will attend school during the coming winter. .

R. M. Schlaes went to Omaha Mrs. G. V. Hatt went to Omaha

dock today.

Carl Fricke went to Omaha this afternoon.

C. L. Herger went to Omaha his afternoon. Mrs. H. L. Kruger was a visito

n Omaha today, Mrs. G. B. Gould went to Oma-

na this afternoon. Mrs. C. G. Gross went to Omaha this afternoon.

C. A. Rasenerans went to Omaha this afternoon.

lap. Iowa, this afternoon, John Bauer went to Omaha on

this afternoon on business.

C. E. Brown of Omaha was a business visitor here today.

William Carstens went to De-

Mr. and Mrs. George Dovey

Sota, Nebraska, this afternoon. ed to Sheridan, Wyo., today, after that time,

Water was a visitor in Plattsmonth today.

went to Conneil Bluffs this afternoon for a short visit. Mrs. Tom Bates went to Oma-

days with her parents. Mrs. J. S. Lynch returned to

her home at Max. Neb., today, after a business trip here. Henry Iska returned to La

Platte this afternoon, after a short business trip here. Mrs. W. W. Coates went to

Fremont, Neb., this afternoon to visit a few days with friends there.

his friend, Ed Donat. visiting with Master

Mathews. Paxton. Her sister, Mrs. Carl Konischka, accompanied her.

Joseph Junganist filed a petition for naturalization papers today. He is from Avoca, He was to this country in 1889,

Batty Dauniher was in town tomonths. He has been so busy on Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Waugh went the farm that he says he could month. But he was compelled to come today on important business.

The State Fair. The greatest list of horses ever had in the west is slated for the State Fair September 4th to 8th Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spragnet of The entries in each of the 16 races range from 8 to 39. On Monday, September 4th, Governor Aldrich will dedicate the new grand stand, which is 80x416 and has comfortable seats for 6,400 people. An especially good program has been arranged for that day, consisting of the 2:20 trot for \$1,000; the 2:30 and 2:17 Mrs. F. J. Dalton is expected paces, each for \$500; a fivefrom Point Richmond, California, eighths-mile dash and seveneights-mile dash for runners, two miles of the ten-mile relay, aeroplane flights, Liberati's Military band and Grand Opera Concert company and seven vaudeville numbers.

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Board Calls Arswered Promptly

QUITS BUSINESS

Judge A. J. Beeson is in Mur- Standard Oil Company Passes Out of Existence.

SECURITIES ARE DISTRIBUTED

Holdings in Subsidiarles to Be Divided Among Stockholders-Tentative Scheme for Dissolution of Tobacco Trust Discussed at Conference.

New York, Sept. 1 .- The Standard Oil company of New Jersey, the corporation which has been the storm center of anti-trust agitation through W. E. Rosencrans went to Dun- out the country for years, passed out of evidence, so far as its present form and functions are concerned. This famous corporation has ceased

officially to carry on its operations as J. H. Donnelly went to Omaha the head of a vast organization whose activities extend into almost every part of the world. In obedience to the decree of dissolution of the supreme court it relinquished its control of the subsidiary concerns. With the end of business day the

company's transfer books containing the list of stockholders closed, and the stock of its subsidiaries will be distributed among the stockholders in Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reed return- the parent organization of record at

The work of apportioning the com-James Teegarden of Weening pany's holdings of the stock of more than thirty subsidiaries affected will occupy at least three months, it is ex- Kruttschnitt Will Not Recognize pected so that the readjustment will Misses Jennie and Hazel Tuev not be completed prior to Dec. 1.

Standard Oil stocks was traded in nt about \$625 per share, transactions being restricted to cash dealings of the necessity of affecting transfers. A ha this afternoon to spend a few bid of \$210 a share for Standard Oil 'ex-subsidiaries" or without rights to participation in the distribution of subsidiaries, was made by a venturesome trader on the "curb," but as no intelligent appraisal can yet be made of the worth of the stock when di- president of the International Associavested of its outside holdings, the offer was not accepted.

Plans of Tobacco Trust.

New York, Sept. 1 .- A tentative railroad union leaders. plan for the dissolution of the tobacco trust, in accordance with the decree W. C. Havden, manager of the of the supreme court of the United situation in the west and to possess John Gund Brewing company for States, was discussed at a preliminary Nebraska, was here today visiting conference held by Judges Lacombe meet Kruttschnitt. and Noyes in the federal building. The government was represented by not recognize the leaders as repre-Master Baymond Klauck of Attorney General Wickersham and sentatives of the federation. The lead-Omaha arrived in the city this James G. McReynolds, who as special ers say that they must gain this point morning to spend a few days assistant attorney general prosecuted before any agreement is reached the trust.

Following the conference W. W. Fuller, of counsel of the American To-Miss Frances Grebe went to bacco company, stated that while Omaha this afternoon, where she progress had been made, it would be will work, having a position at the necessary to hold another meeting Sept. 14 before public hearings could an impressive day in the first convenhegin.

Bill Against Lumber Combine.

an alleged unlawful conspiracy to re-der. strain commerce and trade in lumber day for the first time in two and lumber products in many states, administration of Madero if he is electas defendants in the bill.

The Lumber Secretaries' Bureau of complaints from the retailers' associa- a telegram favoring the candidacy of tion concerning shippers dealing with the Yucatan man and signed by Gusfice thereof to the several lumber deal- committee, and so worded as to aped States, all of which it is claimed is action Madero, from the stage, dea conspiracy in restraint of trade.

HOMOLLE LOSES JOB

Director of French Museums Is Suspended by the Cabinet.

Paris, Sept. 1 .- Theophile Homolle. director of the national museums, was suspended by the French cabinet in consequence of the disappearance of Leonardo Da Vinci's painting. "Mona Lisa," from the Louvre. It was the opinion of the members of the ministry that M. Homolle took insufficient precautions to guard the treasures of the museums.

Money in Timothy Seed.

othy, which will not him approximate dence heaped up by the prosecution. ly \$30,000.

Charivari Crazes a Woman.

the wedding night hideous with their and his subsequent conversations with toise during a charivari are responst the accused the detense introduced ble for the mental derangement of several witnesses to cast doubt upon Mrs. Goldie Raffin, wife of Ephriam L. the veracity of Paul. Raffin, living at Finney, O., a suburb. Mrs. Raffin was married three weeks Decide Against American Association, nation day was abandoned after the sane hospital.

Boom Clark for President.

Clark-for President club. Tora v. to object to this movement.

FOBERT S. LOVETT.

Chief Executive. With Julius Kruttschnitt. of Harriman Railroads.



UNION LEADERS HOLD CONFERENCE

Men as Representatives.

San Francisco, Sept. 1 .- J. W. Kline, international president of the blacksmiths' union; M. F. Ryan, international president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen; J. A. Franklin, international president of the bollermakers' union, and J. D. Buckal, vice tion of Machinists, who are in this city to hold a conference with Vice President Kruttschnitt of the Harriman lines, are in session with the local

It is the purpose of the international leaders thoroughly to investigate the themselves of every detail before they

Kruttschnitt has declared that he will

MADERO ACCEPTS

Elected President.

Mexico City, Sept. 1 .- At the end of tion of the new Progressive party in Mexico City, when Francisco I. Madero gave his view of the platform Detroit, Sept. 1 .- A bill was filed in and how the country should be govthe United States circuit court here erned in his speech accepting the born in Norway in 1863, and came to enjoin the Michigan Retail Lumber nomination for the presidency, the Dealers' association from continuing session came to a closs in wild disor-

Radicalism will not characterize the The Lumber Secretaries' Bureau of In- ed. He assured the delegates that they formation of Chicago and the Scout need not expect him to carry out the Publishing company also are named reforms proposed in any given time

or by any radical means. A delegate speaking against the can-Information, it is alleged, receives didacy of Jose Pino Suarez, produced competing consumers and gives no tavo Madero, members of the central ers' associations throughout the Unit- pear to implicate that hody in partisan nounced it as a forgery. Delegates in all parts of the house, for and against Pine Suarez, shouted their approval or disapproval and the row was taken up by a group of students in

the gallery. The row subsided only when the

turbulent element had worn itself out. BEATTIE'S FATHER ON STAND

Prisoner Breaks Down for First Time During His Trial.

Chesterfield, Va., Sept. 1.-Heary Clay Beattle, Jr., Indicted for the murder of his wife, sobbed like a child have abrendy reached a decision for when his gray haired tather, in a low, one candidate or another and "r -tremulous voice, told of the domestic Halleck, Minn., Sept. 1 .- A. L felicity of his son and the slain wom-Briggs sold a wagon load of timothy an, Louise Owen Beattle. It was the seed from this year's crop for \$850, first time that the stolcal calm of the He sold a carload of seed to a Minne prisoner's countenance had given way apolis buyer for \$8,000. Briggs, who during the trial. The testimony of is a retired merchant, coming here the father in behalf of his son came from Colorado two years ago has just as the dramatic close of a long day's finished harvesting 700 acres of tim battle by the detense against the evi-

Battering constantly against the testimony of Paul Beattle, cousin of the prisoner, as to the purchase of Cincinati, Sept. 1.-Jokers who kept the gun, his delivery of it to Henry

ago. She was sent to Longview in | Cincinnati, Sept. | - Whether or not | reign of Queen Elizabeth, but another the American association will with- old custom was observed up to the draw from the national agreement and | coronation of George 4V, declare war on the major leagues is king and the company had departed Montgomery, Mo., Sept. 1.-A call now up to the members of that or- from the imagnet in Westmurster and for a public meeting next Tuesday has ganization, the National Baseball com: the doors were thrown open, and the and with the mission having declined all its de people rushed in and cleared the inof the meeting will be to organize a manda at a meeting held here. The bies of everything-victuals, closhs, commission gave the American assothe fourth club of this kind in Chark's clation until Sept. 10 to answer wheth few minutes. And, as Sir Walter home district. Clark does not seem er they will operate under the national agreement.

BRYAN STILL OF SAME OPINION

Gets Facts in Cornection With

NO CONFIDENCE IN UNDERWOOD

Demogratic Caucus.

Does Not Accept Reasons Advanced by Chairman or House Committee for Celay on Iron and Steel Schedule. Not Ready to Name Choice.

Lincoln, Sept. I .- Mr. Bryan says

this week in his paper that no was at last become cognizant of the facts connected with the tamous Democratic caucus held July 25. He sets them but editornally in this manner: "Mr. Sisson or Mississ ppi offered a resolution in the caucus instructing the ways and means committee to pro-

ceed with the preparation of other bals, including one covering the frun and steel schedule. "When this was opposed Speaker Clark offered as a compromise a reso-

lution milder in language, but having the same general object. "Mr. Underwood opposed both these

resolutions. "Mr. Bryan's informant took an active part in the caucus and in giving the information minimizes the difference between Mr. Underwood and Mr. Clark, but the fact remains that Mr. Clark offered the resolution, as Mr. Bryan first stated, on the authority of the Omaha World-Herald.

"It is strange that Mr. Underwood, in denouncing Mr. Bryan, was not candid enough to admit that Mr. Clark introduced the resolution.

"The issue, then, is not one of fact, as Mr. Underwood would have it appear, but a difference as to conclusions. Why did Mr. Underwood oppose the preparation of an iron and steel schedule at this season, or until after the president acted? The fact that he asked the committee to relieve him. of embarrassment by reporting a bill in the beginning of the extra session is evidence of good intent at the beginning, but is not conclusive as to his reasons for favoring delay at the

close of the session. Still of Same Mind.

Those who have confidence in Mr. Underwood may accept his reasons at their face value, but Mr. Bryan does not have confidence in him and does not accept his reasons. Mr. Bryan believes him tainted with protection and regards his selection as chairman of the committee as unfortunate. The committee will have more work to do next winter, Mr. Bryan will be pleased it Mr. Underwood's conduct next win-Promises to Avoid Radicalism if ter proves him a real opponent of the inciple of protection, but Mr. Bry an does not expect such proof to be

furnished. In this wise Mr. Bryan declares that several mistables were made by the Democratic house. One was put ting a tariff on raw wool, another in adjourning without submitting an amendment for direct election of sena tors, another in not passing an antitrust bill, and another in permitting a secret caucus to control legislation rentest of all, he puts down the mak ng of Underwood chairman of the ays and means committee. "He is ot a thorough-going tariff reformer, and the environment is against proressive Democracy. The party has right to expect that a positive and aggressive opponent of the whole proctive policy should be placed at the ommittee's head. The mistake has airendy cost the party dearly," he

Not Ready to Name Choice. Replying to the request of the beksonian cinb of Omaha asking him lend his aid in nominating Wood-

aw Wilson, Mr. Bryan says: "Mr. Bryan acknowledges with ap preciation the compliment paid. He eco-nizes the merit and popularity of lovernor Wilson, but is not yet preared to discuss the relative strength of those who can be classed among vallables. Mr. Bryan has but one de sire in the matter, namely, that the est man may be chosen. He has bes itated to argue any one man over oth ers because he is anxious to have the benefit of all the light possible. Many an is glad to see such ore "ire and present the claims of their choice."

Chicago Firemen Injured by Explosion.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Fighting against lames which swent through a fourstory building in the downtown diset ten fremen were slightly inured by an explosion of chemicars nd before the fire was extinualshed 110 .000 worth of property was burned. the burning building was two doors om the Penciltioners' hospital and atients were quieted with difficulty by the attendants

Coronation Graft.

The practice of ramping the fountains and conduits with wine on coroplates, dishes, etc., all vanished in a Scott tells us, the nobility were not above taking away the samellars and SPOOTS.