

THE LADIES ADJOURN.

The W. C. T. U. Convention Adjourned at Noon.

ELECTED THEIR OFFICERS.

The President's Address Delivered Last Night—An Interesting Session—Meeting of State Republican Clubs.

From Thursday's Daily.

At 1:30 yesterday afternoon the W. C. T. U. convention was called to order. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Thomas Pollock of this city, the president, Mrs. Cooley, offering prayer.

A general discussion ensued in regard to dues and the election of officers.

Miss Anna Moore of Palmyra read a well prepared paper on "Scientific Temperance Instructions." The paper was ordered printed.

Mrs. Bigelow of Lincoln made a report to the convention on Chinese work, and Mrs. Cooley, also of Lincoln, made an urgent plea for the education of the Chinese. Gratifying reports from ladies interested in this work were read.

A report was read by Mrs. A. Roberts of Lincoln on "Narcotics," through the union workers.

Mrs. Bigelow, on behalf of Miss Angie Newman, who was not present, gave a very interesting account of her work. She also read a paper on "Legislation and Franchise."

The next on the program was the election of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. S. F. Daily of University Place, Lincoln.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Belle G. Bigelow of Lincoln.

Recording Secretary—S. J. G. Riddell.

Treasurer—Mrs. E. M. J. Cooley.

The following superintendents of departments were elected:

Foreign Work—Mrs. Belle G. Bigelow and Mrs. Minnie B. Cook.

Hereditary and Health and Scientific Temperance—Miss Anna Moore.

Narcotics and Evangelists—Mrs. C. E. Bentley.

Jail and Prison—Mrs. Angie Newman.

Rail Work—Mrs. S. M. Smith.

Work for Soldiers—Mrs. L. L. Drew.

Sabbath Observance—Mrs. M. L. Trester.

Social Purity and the Suppression of Impure Literature—Mrs. L. Clark.

Mothers' Meetings—Mrs. Thomas Pollock.

Legislation and Franchise—Mrs. R. B. Windham.

Temperance Work—Mrs. S. L. Davis, Nebraska City.

County Fair Work—Mrs. M. J. Eldridge.

The convention elected Mrs. Belle G. Bigelow a delegate to the National convention, with Mrs. E. M. J. Cooley as alternate.

Mrs. Hitchcock and Mrs. G. E. Clark and daughter arrived at the church and were introduced. They were cordially welcomed.

The afternoon session then adjourned.

The convention was opened last night with the singing of a jubilee chorus by the choir.

Mrs. Clark of Omaha conducted the bible reading and was followed by Mrs. Hitchcock, who offered up a fervent prayer.

Mrs. Cooley, president, then delivered her address, which was listened to by a large and appreciative audience.

Upon motion the address was ordered published.

Miss Blanche Kennedy recited a selection in a manner that captivated the audience, which was followed by several musical selections.

After the meeting a "campfire" was held, in which Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Hitchcock, Mrs. Bigelow and the incoming president entertained the convention with short addresses. The evening session closed with the entire convention singing "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

This morning the convention met at 9 o'clock, with Mrs. Cooley in the chair.

The different committees made their reports, which were adopted after some discussion.

The reports of the committees on finance and plan of work were slightly amended before accepted.

Mrs. Hitchcock gave a very interesting talk upon "Narcotics" and also on "Social Purity" and "A Plea to Mothers," which was listened to very closely.

After the reading of the minutes of Wednesday and Thursday a motion was made that all unfinished business be referred to the executive committee to transact.

At noon today the second district W. C. T. U. convention adjourned sine die.

State Republican Clubs.

At Grand Island yesterday occurred the state convention of the republican clubs of the state. A

large number of the most prominent republicans in the state were present. Hon. John M. Thurston was the orator of the evening. Secretary Slaughter's report showed that 23,000 of the 25,000 members in the state were under thirty-five years of age and that fully 15,000 of them would cast their first ballots at the coming election.

The following officers were elected by acclamation:

President—I. W. Lansing of Lancaster county.

Vice President—B. H. Robinson of Douglas county.

Secretary—Brad D. Slaughter of Nance county.

Treasurer—L. M. Raymond of Lancaster county.

It was also voted to authorize the president to appoint an organizer in each county.

John M. Thurston was selected delegate-at-large to the National convention at Buffalo by acclamation and made chairman of the delegation, and F. W. Collins, president of the Young Men's Republican club at Lincoln, was also elected by acclamation as delegate-at-large.

The following delegates and alternates were elected:

First District—John A. Davies of Cass and William Hepfinger of Richardson.

Second—Clinton M. Powell and James H. Van Dusen of Douglas.

Third—C. B. Little of Knox and W. A. McAllister of Platte.

Fourth—E. H. Henshaw of Jefferson and J. W. Sheek of York.

The alternates are:

Fifth—F. H. Selby of Furnas and C. H. Dieterich of Adams.

Sixth—F. G. Waite of Custer and C. B. Coffin of Valley.

The alternates for the delegates-at-large are Henry Estabrook of Omaha and W. F. Kelley of Lincoln.

An invitation from the managers of Burlington Beach to hold the next convention there was placed on file. An annual club collection to provide for expenses was voted.

Omaha was selected as headquarters of the league for the ensuing year on motion of the Lincoln delegates. Other minor matters of business were transacted and the meeting closed in a blaze of glory at midnight, after speeches had been made by Eugene Moore and Secretary of State Allen and Col. A. Jones, the colored orator.

A WRATHY MAN.

Nebraska City News.

A man was in the city from Auburn last evening whose name we did not learn and was wrothy over the fact that out of a ten dollar bill that he gave to a restaurant keeper in payment for a meal he received nine dollars in counterfeit dollars and seventy-five cents in good money. He returned to that place last night to have the individual arrested.

STOLE HER SHOES.

Coming in from Grand Island Thursday over the B. & M. Mrs. Macon of Eagle, Cass county, had taken off her shoes to afford relief to her tired feet, and just before reaching Lincoln when she went to don them again she was astonished to discover that they had disappeared. She complained to the conductor and a search was instituted. Aboard the train was a German named Hamstead, or something like that, who is employed by the company as a laborer. He was noticed to throw his bucket off the train just as it was entering Lincoln. The conductor and brakeman went back, found the bucket and the lost shoes in it. They restored them to the owner.

The people of Glenwood are jubilant over the fact that their electric light plant is completed. Last Tuesday evening the lights were turned on and a regular old-fashioned celebration occurred.

J. W. Gammon was arrested and had his trial at Glenwood Thursday, charged with selling liquor without a license at Pacific Junction. He was released.

Under the direction of Sheriff Campbell of Mills county, Iowa, one of the bodies of the persons killed in the wreck between this city and Pacific Junction several weeks ago was taken up for identification last Saturday morning. An aged, well-to-do gentleman arrived in Glenwood from Chicago. An only son had been in the west for several years and the parents had heard from him regularly up to July 9. Since that time they have been unable to get even a trace of their son. Grasping after every clue, they read the account of this wreck, and only an investigation could satisfy them, though they were assured by the photographs in their possession that their boy was not in the wreck. It was a sad duty to raise the body, but the old gentleman was greatly relieved to know that his son had not met such a horrible death.

PEOPLE AND AFFAIRS.

THE HERALD has received the premium list of the inter-state fair to be held at Kansas City October 2, 5 and 8.

A boy baby made its appearance Wednesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chassot, E. J. Hansen is now a grandpa for the sixth time.

CERTAINLY WILL.

Omaha Bee.

Matt Gering seemed to be in it pretty deep for a man who didn't even have the backing of his home county. To be temporary chairman and a candidate for attorney general will give Matthew glory enough to make up for the chagrin of defeat at the polls next November.

Judge Crouse will open the campaign at Fremont September 10.

AFFECTED THE CONVENTION.

Lincoln Journal.

The Plattsmouth Journal, in reporting the democratic state convention, says that Matthew Gering was honored as temporary chairman but the permanent organization was not "affected" until after 3 o'clock. The Journal is mistaken. Mr. Gering affected the convention in the morning, so much so that he was nominated for attorney general without opposition, in spite of the disapprobation of the Plattsmouth Journal.

George Houseworth, who has been sick for some time, is able to sit up and is rapidly recovering.

The delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention were well pleased and speak nothing but words of praise for the entertainment committee and go away from Plattsmouth with nothing but kind words and a kindly remembrance of the second district convention.

Mr. J. P. Ruby, living near Eight Mile Grove, has a field of corn—16 acres—that can't be beat. Mr. Ruby brought a stalk to THE HERALD office today that measured eleven feet in length and had two good sized ears of corn upon it. Mr. Ruby says the whole field is just like the sample he brought in. The corn was planted on the seventh of June and in forty days the whole field of corn was in tassel and in sixty-five days he has good roasting ears. Beat it if you can.

COUNTY ALLIANCE IN TROUBLE.

Frank Kimsey and Jerry Hutton were arrested at Sedan, Chautauqua county Kansas last night for the murder of John S. Frazier, a wealthy cattle man, June 28, 1890. Kimsey and Hutton are members of a sub-alliance in Chautauqua county and yesterday twenty-four warrants were issued for the arrest of the remaining members of the alliance who are charged with being in the conspiracy. The arrests were made through the instigation of Governor Humphrey, and the detectives who have worked up the case claim to be in possession of the facts which prove that the murder of Frazier was discussed in secret alliance meetings and the men arrested appointed to do the work.

John S. Frazier, the murdered man, brought from Texas, February 28, 1890 a herd of 3,000 cattle. It was during a fever scare and the sub-alliance, which had adopted strong resolutions against cattle barons and monopolies, took the matter in charge and a grand anti-monopoly committee from thirteen sub-alliances waited on Frazier and served notice on him that he must move his herd. Frazier refused to comply but offered to pay for every head of cattle which died from fever. About ten days later five miles of wire fencing surrounding the pasture of Gibson & Frazier were cut and the detectives contended that the day following the one on which the fences were cut the following note was received by the sub-alliance at Howard:

"The Sedan committee is here but must return tonight. Send your committee by all means as we expect 3,000 cattle in with Texas fever tonight or tomorrow. The war has commenced in earnest. Five miles of Gibson & Frazier's fence was cut last night, but of course, the alliance did not do that."

A few days later Gibson died at Howard from the effects of a dose of poison which has always remained a mystery. The terrible fate of his partner, Gibson, and the threats against his own life only served to make Frazier more determined to defend his rights. If he or his partner inflicted injury on anyone in the county by bringing in their herds, they were always ready to make good the damages.

Friday, June 11, Frazier started from his home in Moline to ride to see his herd. It was feeding a few miles from Sedan and stopped over night with his partner's widow, eight miles from Sedan. When there he was disturbed all night by

out-riders, who tried to get him to the door. He had seen of him was the 28th of June. Searching parties were organized in Sedan and the body discovered in a stagnant pool 150 yards from the limits of his own pasture. Evidence has been worked up to prove that Frazier was first bound to a tree, his coat and vest removed and, after having been hacked to pieces with knives, thrown in the pool. The first state investigation was conducted by General Hanback of the adjutant general's staff, since which time detectives have been in charge of the case.

Following is a partial list of those who went to Union to attend the old settlers' reunion: R. B. Windham and family, A. N. Sullivan and family, J. M. Patterson and family, P. E. Ruffner and family, Henry Boeck and family, A. J. Graves, Dr. John Black, Geo. Spurlock, D. O. Dwyer, E. R. Todd, Matthew Gering, Dr. Deering, Dr. Humphrey, Julius Pepperberg and Charles Cummins.

"YOUNG-MAN-AFRAID-OF-WATSON."

Although the campaign has scarcely opened in Otoe county it is evident that Field's strength is increasing daily. Mr. Bryan, as many call him there, "Young-Man-Afraid-of-Watson," will not walk away with Otoe county this year. The emphatic "no" given to the proposition at the alliance convention to endorse Bryan shows plainly that they have sized William up and found him wanting. Bryan's refusal to meet Watson in joint debate, which he could have accepted without interfering with any dates, as it was the first challenge of the campaign, did not strengthen him to any great extent in Otoe county.

Henry Gering bought a watermelon Wednesday afternoon from a wagon on the street, cut it open and took a mouthful. The melon tasted terrible bitter and another was cut open with the same result. A third one was cut and was also in the same condition as the other two. After a closer examination small holes were found in the melon where strychnine or quinine had been put in. The man that owned the melons said that it must have been put in while the melons were in the wagon. The three melons were lying in the corner of the wagon and were the only ones there was any thing wrong with.

The grain shipments in Nebraska have commenced and the railroads are beginning to feel the drain on them. The Missouri Pacific is short 1,000 cars north of Kansas City and the Burlington & Missouri is also short by a large number of cars. It is anticipated by some that another western freight car famine may be experienced, as the shipments this year will be heavier than last year. All western roads have called for their cars to be unloaded as rapidly as possible, and returned to the west.

Conrad Schlater, the Weeping Water Republican says in addressing the delegates in the democratic convention, expressed himself in an honest, patriotic way, if not in good English, when he said: "Of we cand tramz dis peinsness without such troubles, it is bedder we goes home and sends our vimin to do it."

Yardmaster Atwell of the M. P. at Weeping Water has recently had a little more work assigned to him and now the switch engine crew at that point will work under his direction in the Nebraska City yards. This work, together with the heavy output of stone in the quarries near Weeping Water, will keep the boys on the jump from early morn till late at night.

Secretary Miller of the Plattsmouth fair kindly left a complimentary ticket for us to go and view its beauties and its greatness. The weather being fine we will endeavor to be there to see up the usual calf and pumpkin, see their pretty girls and punish some of our enemies. Should that great bathing resort on the Island be in condition, we will endeavor to assist L. G. Todd in making the aquapara within its sandy banks of a pure sulphurous odor, fit to fumigate the fair building and its officers after the show is over.—Weeping Water Eagle.

David Miller, secretary of the Plattsmouth fair, was here Monday in the interest of the association. The premium list is typographically neat and is a credit to THE HERALD office, where it was printed. Liberal premiums are offered and the association says they will be paid in cash. The date of the fair is September 13 to 16 inclusive. The attractions in the speed and other departments warrant the anticipations of the officers for a grand success. Mr. Miller will please accept thanks for a complimentary ticket.—Weeping Water Republican.

SURE GO THIS TIME.

Missouri Pacific Will Put on Trains September 15.

FAST TRAINS TO ST. LOUIS.

Old Settlers' Reunion at Union Yesterday Passed Off in an Orderly Manner and Everybody Well Pleased.

From Friday's Daily.

Trains Will Be Run.

Agent Appari, formed THE HERALD this morning the management of the Missouri Pacific system have at last named the day when they will put on regular trains between Omaha and Kansas City via Plattsmouth. The following appeared in the World-Herald this morning: "After many moons of weary waiting the Missouri Pacific officials have at last announced the date of opening the new Union cut-off. The date is September 15. On this day the regular passenger trains will leave the main line at Union, Neb., and run up over the cut-off via Plattsmouth and Oreadpolis and into the union depot in Omaha. This will considerably reduce the time between Omaha, Nebraska City, Kansas City and St. Louis. A train will leave Omaha at 2 p. m. and arrive in St. Louis at 7 a. m. next morning. The signal tower at Oreadpolis and the interlocker at Gilmore Junction have been finished and as soon as the new time card is finished the trains will begin running. An extra train will run out from the Webster street depot and over the Belt line to Union to do the local business and will also carry passengers for the south. The town to be mostly benefited by this is Plattsmouth, as it will draw heavily on Weeping Water, where at present the day south bound passenger stops for meals and where the transfer is made for Lincoln. Passengers for Lincoln, Omaha, however, the same as now unless they change at Union. It is said after the road bed is packed a fast train will be put on between Omaha and St. Louis."

The extra train spoken of above, Mr. Appari says, has not been definitely settled whether it will run between Nebraska City and Omaha or Union and Omaha, he also states that there would be three trains each way. The trainmen will also be benefited. They have been leaving Omaha at 10 o'clock and reach Kansas City at 8 in the evening.

When the new time card goes into effect September 15, they will leave Omaha at 2 in the afternoon and will reach Kansas City at 1, which will reduce their run five hours.

At Union Yesterday.

The old settlers' picnic held at Union yesterday was a success. There was a large crowd and everything passed off in a gratifying manner.

Gen. Geo. S. Smith was the orator of the day and entertained the crowd till dinner was announced. At noon the hungry crowd was treated to a magnificent basket dinner. In the afternoon Matthew Gering addressed the picnicers and was roundly applauded. Rev. N. M. Allen and several of the old settlers made short addresses.

The bicycle race was won by Thos. Patterson of this city. W. D. Jones won first money in the pigeon shoot, killing nine out of ten. A man by the name of Adams won first prize in the blue rock contest, breaking twenty-two out of twenty-five.

The Plattsmouth delegation arrived home last evening highly pleased with the reunion and the treatment accorded them by the people of the pretty little village of Union.

INCREASED THE REWARD.

Mrs. Laura S. Cole, wife of Delavan S. Cole, the victim of the tragedy at Hastings of August 10, has offered a reward of \$500 for any information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the murderer of her husband. With the reward offered by the governor, this makes \$500 which will be given to the person who discovers the murderer.

George Boeck, a former resident of this county but now living in Texas, writes to his brother Henry to ship him a car load of seed wheat at 55 cents per bushel. Mr. Boeck says the wheat crop in Texas was a complete failure.

WILL QUARANTINE HIS FAMILY.

Secretary Foster has a warm personal interest in the cholera quarantine at New York. His wife and daughter, accompanied by the daughter of Secretary Rusk, sailed for New York two days ago from Liverpool on the City of New York of the Inman line. The secretary does not know whether the City of

New York carries immigrants or not. If she does and there is any sign of cholera on board, the vessel is likely to be subjected to a quarantine delay. The new quarantine regulations do not apply to vessels now afloat, but a quarantine of any length may be declared against a vessel which shows signs of infection. Secretary Foster said that of course no attempt would be made to take Mrs. Foster off the ship before all the treasury regulations of the health officer of New York had been complied with, nor will he attempt to approach the vessel in a tug until the inspection has been had. The Foster family will take their chances with the other passengers on the City of New York. The Fosters are expected to arrive in New York on the 7th. The secretary will go to New York to meet them.

BIT BY A RATTLE.

Elmwood Echo.

D. L. Cartmell, living a mile southwest of town, went out to his stock well Sunday morning to pump water, when a rattlesnake bit him on the calf of one of his legs. My C's dog then tackled the rattler and was bitten on the head. The snake was killed and had four rattlers and a button. The doctor was summoned at once and at present Mr. Cartmell is getting along all right.

The Ringling Bros' advertising car arrived in the city Friday night and a large force of men are busy today illuminating the bill boards with show posters.

Louis Todd of Union arrived in the city Saturday from Independence, Iowa. While there he bought a trotting horse one year old, paying \$2,500 for it.

OMAHA FOREIGN MAIL.

World-Herald.

In speaking about the amount of mail received from the cholera infected district, Assistant Postmaster Woodard says: "We receive foreign mail at this office only twice a week, on Wednesday and Friday. On those days we receive about 4,000 letters and 500 or 600 papers. The mail at its starting point is wrapped up in bundles and not unwrapped again until it is received in the United States. There is not very much if any bulky mail, such as would be likely to carry germs. "While we receive considerable foreign mail here, still there will probably not be more than two letters or papers to a family. The mail comes from all parts of the old world. The amount of mail sent from here to the cholera districts has not increased very materially as yet. Evidently there are not many people here who are so badly frightened about their relatives in the old world as to make the out-bound mail heavier. Within the last few days, however, inquiries for mail by foreign-born applications have been noticeably greater."

Why is it that some houses always need re-painting?

The owner has them painted in the Spring; by the Fall they have a dingy, rusty, faded look.

A neighbor's always looks fresh, clean, and newly painted, and yet is not re-painted oftener than every four or five years.

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