## Che Daily Rebrashan THE MEGRER CASE **BEST LINE TO** Hon. W. Z. Snell gives able Dis-Every Loyal University Student cussion in Chapel. **KANSAS CITY** and Is Urged to Patronize these The d vision of the U.S. Supreme Nebraskan Advertisers, and court in the Northern Securities mer-ST. LOUIS ger case was discussed by Hon, N. Z. Snell during convocation period yesterday morning. He began the discussion by saying that the suit was instituted by the United States against the Northern Secutities company, and the two railroa! companies, the Northern Pacific and ART GOODS-Curtice, Lincoln Book the Great Northern and their leading stockholders for the purpose of dis-BANKS-Columbia, First National.

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solving the merger of the two railreads, which the United States declared had been formed by the creation of a holding company, the Northein Securities company. This consolidation is claimed to be a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. It was asserted on behalf of the government that this consolidation was in effect a pool created to promote the interests not of one system at the expense of the other, but both at the expense of the public. The case was first heard in the Circuit court, and decided in favor of the United States, as a violation of the anti-trust law enacted by congress in July, 1890, holding these companies to ignore its provision and that the organization and operation of such a corporation is an unlawful restraint and monopoly of trade. In this accision the Supreme Court of the United States concurred by a majority of one vote, and the decision of Justice Harlan was handed down, which said, "No scheme or devise could come more within the prohibition of the anti-trust law and it is within the meaning of the act a trust." Those who concurred in the dissenting opinion were led by Justice Holmes, who read the minority opinion, the substance of which was that the anti-trust law was construed as a criminal statute, and should be followed by criminal prosecution.

The merger decision was thoroughly covered, and those who were present were enabled to grasp some of the historic facts and the power of congress over interstate commerce as given by the highest tribunal.

## PREPARE FOR BANQUET Y. M. C. A. Men Should get Tickets by Saturday Evening.

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As it is necessary for the assocation to guarantee a certain number of plates to the hotel people by Monday forenoon, men who expect to attend the banquet are urged to secure their tickets before Saturday evening. As the time approaches there is more and more evidence io a large turn-out, and that this year's feast will excel that of last year in every way.

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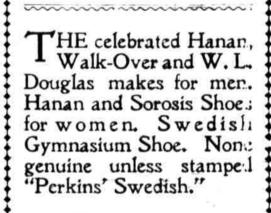
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