Thief Flees as

Prowler Bluffed By Mrs. A. B.

Curry Who Awakens to

See Shadow of Man in

Next Room.

their home Friday night.

search of a gun.

"Who's there?" she called.

There was no answer.

adow moved toward the rear door.

Mrs. Curry sprang out of bed, and

oved toward the dresser, as though

There was a crash as the intruder

burst open the screen door, and a patter of fleeing footsteps across

Mrs. Curry ran to the rear door,

She called police and awakened

her husband, who was unaware of

Smash Coal Chute.

Burglars smashed an iron

They selected nine or 10 revolvers

Cuts Screen.

Thirty-fifth street, reported to po-

ice that her home was looted of sil-

prowler cut out a screen in a rear

Two dollars and a half and two

silk shirts were taken from the office

of the Cutherwood-Mattson Motor

Corrective Gymnastics to Be

Physical Defects," will be discussed

hown in all theaters.

Grand Island Barber in

Jail on Charge of Bigamy

Columbus, Neb., Aug. 20 .- (Spe-

Island barber, is in the Platte coun-

Copple-Bolton.
York, Neb.—Frank Copple and Mary
Bolton, both of York, were married at
the Evangelical Lutheran parsonage here,
Rev. C. S. Powell officiating.

York. Neb.—Albert Whitehead and Francis Lovgren were united in marriage at Holy Trinity church here, Rev. Frederick J. Compson officiating.

stay in Omaha.

ernoon during her absence.

Fred Knapp, 1330 South

The

but was unable to get a glimpse of

Intruder Flees.

"Get out," she shouted.

heir home.

the lawn.

the burglar.

up into the store.

back door. '

show cases, and left.

### Probe of Bank Failure at Sidney To Be Continue

Assistant Attorney General Leaves to Make Personal Probe-Goes to Octavia On Return.

Lincoln, Aug. 20 .- (Special Tele gram.)-Assistant Attorney General J. B. Chase left today for Sidney, investigated, Neb., where he will personally exthere is any criminal liability on the

ment of trade and commerce, stated by the mound builders. that an illegal and excessive loan had K. Moorehead, curator of the arch-Failure to keep the proper reserve carries no punishment and the making of the illegal loan is punishable by a \$500 fine. Whether in the investigation of the bank's books anything else has been found which may be of interest to the state prosecut-

ing officers is not known. Hart left Lincoln Thursday night on a mysterious errand. A few hours after his return this morning he was Mass., and others. closeted with Chase and then it was announced that Chase was going to

The personnel of the bank officers is composed almost exclusively of the family of F. M. Wooldridge, president of the institution. There are only two directors outside of the Wooldridge family. Upon his return from Sidney

Chase announced that he would resume his investigation of the mystery cloaked in the failure of the Octavia State bank,

#### New National Highway

Is Discussed at Wymore Wymore, Neb., Aug. 20 .- (Special.)-The national highway committee, Secretary Davis of Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. Hockett of Wichtita, Kan., arrived in Wymore Friday. Mr. Davis congratulated Wyproposed highway from Galveston, Tex., to Winnipeg, Canada, on which they are now working in sections. Mr. Hockett said it was proposed to have a steel pole set in concrete a mile, both ways out of Wymore with the letter H and the distance to the next town on the face of the sign and the distance to Wy-more. All towns south from Wymore to Galveston have agreed to set signs.

interest, The guarantee of season tickets was more than covered before the first program was given. The .mber that has attracted most comment was the lecture given by Judge Fred G. Bale, Columbus, O. His subject was the "Fourth Line of

### Obsequies

Paul Brown.

Griswold, Ia.—Funeral services were held at Noble Center for Paul Brown, 24, Noble township farmer, who took his life by hanging as a result of worry over financial troubles. The funeral was largely attended. The services were in charge of the Rev. Don Charles.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gerlach. Griswold, Ia.—Burial of Mrs. Elizabeth
Wolf Geriach, 35, pioneer of this community, was made in Weirich cemetery.
Funeral services were held at St. John
Evangelical church in Lyman Center, Rev.
F. L. Rodenbeck in charge. Mrs. Gerlach
was a native of Prussis. She is survived
by 16 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Melvin F. Redmon. Griswold, Ia.—Melvin F. Redmon, 45, for years a resident of Griswold, is dead at his home in Red Oak. He was a native of the latter town.

Mrs. Charles W. Houck, Audubon, Ia.—Funeral services were held at Dexter for Mrs. Charles W. Houck, 52, for 16 years a teacher in the schools of Audubon county. She was the mother of eight children, all living.

Exira, Ia.—Funeral services were held here for John T. Lohner, former resident of Exira, who met death in an automobile accident at Kirkman. He is survived by a family.

William N. Henshaw.

Mrs. Graham.

Sutton, Neb.—A telegram was received here announcing the sudden death of the wife of Professor Graham of the Sutton High school. Her death occurred at Denver, the result of a surgical operation. By request of the professor, the opening of school year will be deferred until September 12. Miller-Kidney.

Lodgepole, Neb.—Miss Eve Kidney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Kidney of Lodgepole and Alonzo Miller, son of Mrs. Annie Miller of York were united in mar-

Mary G. Stover. Sutton, Neb.—Mary Gunderman Stover

W. F. Triloff. Table Rock, Neb.—W. F. Triloff, S0, died at his home near Lawton, Okl. The body was brought here for burial under the auspices of the G. A. R. and American Legion, For many years he was a resident of this city and Lincoln and spent some time in the Milford soldiers' home.

Beatrice Neb.—Word has been received of the death of Andrew Cain, one-time resident of Crab Orchard, which occurred at his home at Winthrep, Wash, as the result of being kicked in the abdomen by a cow.

Mrs. B. F. Griffiths.
Scotia. Neb.—Mrs. B. F. Griffiths, an cld settler of Groeley county, died at her home in Scotia. She is survived by her husband and one daughter.

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### Prehistoric Mounds of Illinois to Be Probed

Archaeologists to Investigate Mysteries of Famous Earthworks Undisturbed Since Built by Indians Centuries Ago; Fear Relics Will Be Destroyed If Owners of Property Sell Out.

Washington, Aug. 20.-Mysteries the oldest man-made things in Illinois are soon to be scientifically

The mysteries which are the obwhine the accounts of the defunct jective of the leading American sci-Nebraska State bank, to ascertain if entists are the 68 earth works in 1804, built a mission there and the known as the Cahokia mounds, built name Cahokia comes from the tribe by pre-historic Indians centuries of Indians met by LaSalle, the ago, which are located just outside French explorer, in 1681, when he Shortly after the bank was closed East St. Louis. They are regard-J. E. Hart, secretary of the depart- ed as the most important group left

Within a few days Prof. Warren been made by the bank officers to an acological department of the Phillips ice company in Sidney. Hart charged academy, Andover, Mass., and a cological department of the Phillips academy, Andover, Mass., and a that some of the officers of the bank member of the United States board were officers in the ice company. He of Indian customs, will leave for also stated that the bank had failed East St. Louis to superintendent the to keep the legal reserve fund intact. study. They are to be undertaken at the suggestion and with the appreval of a number of archaeologists connected with museums, universities and scientific associations including the Smithsonian institute and the National Research council of Washington; the Field museum and the University of Chicago; the Peabody museum of Camoridge, Mass., Phillips academy, Andover,

Mounds to Be Opened. Professor Moorehead will take with him a number of experienced assistants to open up some of the smaller of the mounds. The own-

mounds stand have steadfastly re- American tused to permit any systematic exploration and diggings. But Prof. Mexico along the Mississippi river. Moorehead visited the place several months ago and made arrangements chiefly through the investigations of to dig into some of the smaller of the Bureau of American Ethnology the artificial hills which have long and now generally accepted, is that been the subject of archaeological the mound builders were the ancesdiscussion and of numerous scientific tors of the Indians found inhabiting

In all of that part of the American pean explorers. bottom, which is the local name of the low fertile plain on the Mississippi river opposite St. Louis, relics of the mound builders' age have been found. Copper plates curiously patterned, little clay images, stone work more people on their good roads and and the like have been dug up by camping grounds and spoke on the farmers and relic hunters. It is believed that the smaller mounds will yield sufficient characteristic relies of prehistoric aborigines to unquestionably establish the theory, already accepted by some modern scientists, that the Cahokia mounds are what is left of the most important center of the mound builders' population and culture in the United States.

> Largest of Hills. The largest of the ancient man-

> > Hymenal

Steenblock-Westervelt.

Whituhn-Melius.
Callaway, Neb.—Harry Whituhn and
Miss Margaret Melius, both of this city,
were married at Broken Bow. They will
make their home at Madrid.

By GRAFTON S. WILCOX. | it has been figured, would have required the services of 2,400 mound builders working 10 hours every day for two years, to collect and pile up into this large hill, with its flat top

and terraces. It is called the monks' mound bepassed through that part of Illinois The cubical contents of this pile is greater than that of the pyramid of Cheops. Scientists say that the Cahokia are identical with the structures which the Spaniards under Cortez found the Aztecs were using for their religous edifices and cere monies in the City of Mexico in the

early part of the 16th century. Views of Race Differ.

Archaeologists are not of one mind concerning the people who built mounds similar to the Cahokia mounds which are found in other parts of the United States, principally in the Mississippi basin and he gulf states. Some of them contend that many of the relics found in the mounds indicate a higher degree of culture than was possessed by living when Indians who were Columbus discovered America and that the builders of the mounds were driven out by the later Indians and finally became extinct, leaving the mounds as the only evidence of their ers of the property on which these existence. Others believe that the mound builders were Aztecs who found their way north of The conclusion, however, reached the same region by the first Euro-

Period Undetermined.

The period during which mound ouilding lasted cannot be determined with certainty but scientists are of the opinion that many of the mounds were built a century or two before the appearance of the white man because when they were first observed by white men they were covered with a heavy forest growth.

The close proximity of the Caho-The close proximity of the Caho-kia mounds to East St. Louis gives sician, at the 22d annual meeting of the land on which they stand con- the Nebraska Osteopathic associasiderable value for factory sites and tion, to be held in Omaha September it is feared by archaeologists that the 7 and 8. More than 125 physicians owners of the property, who have re-iused to sell, cannot much longer re-A film entitled "The sist the appeals of the real estate Greatest Factory-Man," men of East St. Louis. If they pass made hills which rise abruptly out out of the hands of the present ownof the cultivated farm land is the crs there is little doubt that they will

Jones is employed in the Burlington shops there and for two years Mrs. Jones has been a teacher in the public schools

Stahl-Butler. Nelson, Neb.—B. L. Stahl, manager of the Day & Frees lumber yards here, surprised his many friends when he returned from a two weeks' vacation, bringing with him Mrs. Stahl. Mr. Stahl had gone over into lowa for a visit with friends and relatives and was quietly married to Miss Grace Butler at Muscatine. Anita, Ia.—Miss Ruth Burr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burr, and Eby Smith, son of Mr, and Mrs. J. B. Smith, all residents of the Berea neighborhood, were married several weeks ago in Orna-ha. The relatives and friends of the young people have just learned of the marriage. The groom served overseas with the A. E. F.

Johnson-Eshelman.

Atlantic, Ia.—At the home of the Rev.
J. L. U. Smay of Lyman occurred the marriage of Miss Vivian Eshelman, daughter of G. E. Eshelman and wife, prominent farmers, to Bert Theo Johnson of Anita. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends of the bride and groom, Mr. Johnson is a young farmer. He served overseas with the A. E. F.

Jacobs-Anderson.

Shenandoah, Ia.—Miss Edith Anderson.

Shenandoah, Ia.—Miss Edith Anderson wife, prominent farmers, to Bert Theo Johnson of Farragut. Only the immediate members of the family and Dr. and Mrs.

H. N. Richardson and son of Shenandoah were present, Rev. Jacobs is pastor of the Methodist church at Randolph.

Will Attend State Fair Geneva, Neb., Aug. 20.—(Special)

Belsky-Poyer.

Fremont, Neb.—Joseph Belsky and Anna Poyer, both of Dodge, were married by Judge Waldo Wintersteen here with the office of the county judge as the chapel and court house employes as attendants.

Odell. Neb.—The marriage of Miss Ma-ble Westervelt to Lyman B. Steenblock, banker of Odell, was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Vera Westervelt of University Place, Rev. J. F. Robertson officiating. An informal re-

Grant-Marble.

Table Rock, Neb.—Miss Zora Faye
Marble, formerly of Table Rock and
Humboldt, was married at Huron, S. D.,
to Archibald Clement Grant, a business
man of Rochester, Minn. Mrs. Grant is
a daughter of H. P. Marble, formerly a
newspaper man at Humboldt, and now
superintendent of the Indian agency at
Fort Thompson, S. D. She is a graduate
nurse from a Rochester hospital.

Anderson-Ermst Murray-Grimm.

Fremont, Neb.—James Murray and Gertrude Grimm, both of Fremont, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dickmeyer of this city. The wedding services were read by Rev. Phillp Lange. The bride wore a gown of brown Canton crepe. The couple were unattended. Only members of the immediate families and a few intimate friends were present. The newly-weds left for a trip east following a reception. Miss Grimm is a popular nurse of the Fremont hospital. Mr. Murray has been connected with the Nye-Schneider-Fowler Co., for a number of years. They will continue to reside in Fremont.

Atlantic, Ia.—Funeral services were held at the First Methodist church here for William N. Henshaw, ploneer busines manned at the pastor, Rev. F. W. Simpson, and were largely attended.

C. C. Royce.

Atlantic, Ia.—Sam Childs, well known Atlantic, Ia.—Sam Childs, well known Atlantic merchant, and Mrs. Childs have been called to Escanaba, Mich. by the sudden death of the latter's father, C. C. Royce. The latter was well known in Atlantic and visited his daughter here three weeks ago.

Tom Gestella.

Atlantic Allenshaw, Denner being a medical course in Chicago.

Bennish-Norling.

Stanton, Neb.—The secret marriage of Carl Hennish of Pilger and Miss Pearl Norling. Of Stanton was just learned here three young people were married at Schuyler on July 13. They left this week. Three young people were married at Schuyler on July 13. They left this week. Three young people are very popular in Stanton county, Mrs. Bennish is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Norling. For the past few years she has been one of schools at Gresham where they will live. Mrs. Bishop was formerly a Pawnee City girl.

McCook, Neb.—County Types.

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weeks ago.

Tom Griffith.

Guthrie, Center, Ia.—His mind apparently unbalanced by continued iil health, form Griffith, young farmer of this county, committed suicide at his home by shooting himself with a shotgun. His parents, Thomas Griffith sr., and wife, are piencers of the county.

William Flater.

Atlantic, Ia.—William Flater, 73, for many years engaged in the operation of a restaurant in Atlantic, is dead at his home in Lake City, Ia.

McCook Marringes.

McCo

gan, both of McCook.

Brandt-Freisen.

Tork, Neb.—Herman Brandt of Jansen and Fern Freisen of Henderson were married here.

Sandusky-Wadlow.

Pawnee City, Neb.—Vernon Sandusky and Miss Gladys Wadlow, both of Table Rock, were married at the Methodist parsonage in this city. They will live in Table Rock.

Beagle-Ostendorf.
Gothenburg, Neb.—The marriage of Cora
Ostendorf of Gothenburg and Claude
Beagle of Osawatomie, Kan., was held
at the home of the latter's parents at
Osawatomie.

Tarkington-Cross,
Pawnee City, Neb.—William L. Tarkington and Miss Blanche Cross, both of Centrailis, Kan., were married at the Pawnee
county court house by Judge Neill. They
will live in Centralia, where Mr. Tarkington is a mechanic.

White-Kelley.
Grand Island, Neb.—Miss Hannah White and Arthur Kelley were married with a quiet ceremony at St. Marys Catholic church, Rev. August Heimes officiating. They will live at Casper, Wyo.

Callaway, Neb.—Harry Whituhn and Miss Margaret Melius, both of this city, were married at Broken Bow. They will make their home at Madrid.

Templin-Wood.
Stanton, Neb.—Charles Templin and Miss Opat Wood were married at Madison, These young peple are both popular in and about Stanton, having lived here their entire lives.

Whituhn-Melius.

Grand Island, Neb.—The marriage of Miss Enid June Hunt of Grand Island and Albert N. Depew of San Bernardino, Cal., took place at 8t. Joseph, Mo., Rev. J. F. Caskey of the Methodist church officiating. Mr. Depew is better known as "Gunner Depew," whose book, under the same title, was sold widely during the great war. After a brief visit with relatives here the couple went to California to reside.

Jones-Owens.

Geneva. Neb.—Friends of Miss Cora
Owens of Geneva have been informed of
her marriage to J. E. Jones of Plattsmouth. The ceremony was performed by
Rev. E. M. Johnson, pastor of the First
Christian church, Bethany. Mr. and Mrs.
Jones will reside in Plattemouth. Mr.

Ito reside.

Liberty, Neb.—E. H. T. Grojan-Jimmerson.

Liberty, Neb.—E. H. T. Grojan, prominent young business man of Cortland, was
married to Miss Blanche, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. J. A. Jimmerson of this city, by
Rev. Mr. Burnham. Only the two families and intimate friends were present. For

Burgess-Nash Buyer To Open Silk Shop **Woman Pretends** To Get Revolver



H. T. Jones.

H. T. Jones, formerly buyer and nanager of the Burgess-Nash comany, will resign shortly to become part owner of The Silk Shop, Inc., 517 Douglas street,

Mr. Jones has been a silk buver for a quarter of a century. The new shop will be devoted exclusively to gun in the house," Mrs. Curry as- the only establishment of its kind in the city.

hute at the rear of the Walter G. Stych, Milligan, and Leslie Stewart, Clark sporting goods store, 1408 Geneva. The boys will camp out Harney street, and found their way and receive all benefits of the fair and camp life.

of Spanish make and a rifle from the New Balloon Completes Its Trial Flight Safely

Ak-Sar-Ben I, new balloon reeived at Fort Omaha Thursday, and which was christened by Miss Saris McKinley, sister of Lieut. A. C. Mcverware valued at \$150 Friday aft- Kinley, finished its trial trip successfully Friday. The balloon was sent up immedi-

ately after the christening party at midnight Thursday. It landed four miles north of Spirit Lake, Ia., at 5:05 Friday morning after a trip of company, 2203 Farnam street, it was reported to police. Entrance was utes.

gained by sawing a lock from the Major Davis and Captain Levinshon arrived at the fort yesterday. They walked part of the way, were given lifts by passing tourists, and Discussed at Osteopath Meet tode into Omaha from Sibley on the "The Value of Corrective Gym- train. Others in the party have not nastics as a Means of Overcoming returned.

Decree Contains "Joker"

For Divorced Architect There is a "joker" on Charles W. Rosenberry in the decree for divorce awarded his wife, Lois, in district court Saturday.

World's The decree provides that custody of their son, Charles Walter, be given to Mrs. Rosenberry, but that the father may have the boy three Among the doctors nationally known, who will speak, are: Dr. J. Success is Assured for

Chautauqua at Cambridge
Cambridge, Neb. Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The Cambridge chautauqua is estimated contains and it is estimated contains at the doubt that they will be destroyed. Within recent months a campaign to save the mounds has been in progress and has interested many people, not only of Illinois and it is estimated contains and it is estimated contains and provided the physicians during their provided the physicians during their cast there is nettle doubt that they will known, who will speak, are. Dr. J.

Swart, Kansas City; Dr. M. R. Mc.
Collum, Kirksville. Mo., and Dr.
John H. Styles, jr., of Des Moines.
Special entertainments have been provided the physicians during their provided the physicians during their

vacation, Mr. Rosenberry evidently cannot possibly have his son three non-consecutive months. Rosenberry, who is an architect, is ordered to pay \$50 a mouth for maintenance of the child.

cial.)—Because he married wife No. 2 while laboring under the false im- New Columbus Hospital pression that wife No. 1 had secured a divorce, Charles Ballard, 36, Grand

Is Nearing Completion Columbus, Neb., Aug. 20.-(Special.)-Stockholders of the Evans Hospital company will hold their torney at the request of the first annual meeting at the new hospital building next Tuesday. The new building is nearly completed and the meeting will afford the stockholders opportunity to inspect it and the equipment.

Non-Partisan Leaguers of

**Duel County to Hold Picnic** Superintendent Haughawout to rep-Bigspring, Neb., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The Nonpartisan leaguers of resent the Fillmore county schools at Lincoln state fair week are Milo Deuel county are going to have a picnic August 25. George E. Porter the past two years Mrs. Grojan has been principal of the high school at Fairfield, Neb. The young couple will make their home at Cortland. of Gering, well known among the leaguers in this part of the country, will deliver the address. Lyle-Moore: Grand Island, Neb.—Miss Olive Luella

Discuss Wage Cut

Grand Island, Neb.—Miss Olive Luella Lyle, oldest daughter of County Clerk and Mrs. J. E. Lyle, and G. L. Moore of Cedar Rapids, Ia., were united in marriage at the bride's home here by Rev. Leon Moore, pastor of the First Congregational church of Curtis, Neb. They will make their home at Cedar Rapids, Ia. Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The question of cutting the salaries of county officials was taken up by the county board and discussed, but action was deferred un-Snejda-Kohl.

York, Neb.—Victor Snejda of Crete and
Louise Kohl of York were united in marriage by County Judge Hopkins here. til September 1.

Geneva Movie Sold Geneva, Neb., Aug. 20 .- (Special.) -The motion picture theater here has been purchased from Mrs. Daisy Anderson by A. R. Kremer of Stan-

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**Charges Against** Shipping Board

Attack Regarded as Forerunner of Attempt to Abolish Entire Organization at Later Date.

Washington, Aug. 20.-Demands for a redefinition of the administration's merchant marine policy and charges of corruption, incompetency and wilful extravagance in the \$3, 000,000,000 shipping fiasco greeted the \$48,500,000 shipping board deficiency bill when it was called up in ite senate today. The debate was regarded as the forerunner of a determined effort years visited Syracuse. It followed

later to abolish the shipping board the hottest day of the summer with and in the words of Senator King of the temperature at 101 degrees. It Utah, "to appoint a receiver to wind came up suddenly accompanied with up the affairs of the bankrupt con- wind and the rain fell in torrents cern, take our losses and charge it When democratic senators at-

tempted to make political capital of Lodge, republican leader, and Senator McCormick of Illinois, retaliated by rain. plight of the shipping board was entirely a legacy from the Wilson administration. Senator Lodge de-"From now on I'm going to have the sale of silk products and will be clared that the problem before Chairman Lasker and his associates on the shipping board was how to get rid Telegram.)-Bert Harris was arinherited from their predecessors.

> above \$12,000 a year in the shipping Harris and George Uland. Uland administration. He charged that is in jail at Wilber awaiting trial at Budget Director Dawes was issuing Crete Monday. misleading statements regarding his economy accomplishments, but pre-dicted he "would not be able to fool the people long." He also attacked Chairman Lasker

mended by New York law firms rep- a mile.

resenting firms having claims pending Temperance Workers before the board.

New Highway Route Is Discussed at Beatrice

Made in Senate

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Frank L. Davis, secretary of the National Highway association, and F. W. Hockaday of Wichita, Kan., were in the city promoting the establishment of a transcontinental automobile road from Winnipeg, Canada, to the gulf coast, via Min-neapolis, Omaha, Lincoln, Beatrice. Manhattan, Wichita, Oklahoma City and Dallas, terminating at Galves-

The two highway representatives met in the Chamber of Commerce with a number of business men, but final action was postponed until

later date. Worst Hail in 20 Years Reported at Syracuse

Syracuse, Neb., Aug. 20 .- (Special.)-The worst hail storm in 20 flooding the streets, blowing down shade trees and bill boards. fel thickly for 10 minutes damaging gardens, shrubs and the corn crop shipping situation, Senator In addition to hail damage the corn was thrown down by the wind and Nearly two inches of water fell, the most of it in 10 minutes.

> York Man Denies Charge Of Reckless Driving

York, Neb., Aug. 20 .- (Suecial unfortunate conditions they ranged before Country Judge Hopkins charged with reckless and care-The controversy began when Sen- less driving and transporting intoxiator Harrison of Mississippi, demo- cating liquors on the public highways crat, proposed an amendment to re- in York county. He pleaded not store the house provision designed guilty. Prosecuting Attorney Stro-to prohibit the payment of salaries man filed the second charge against

Between Hastings and Lincoln

Hastings, Neb., Aug. 20.-(Special in 1920. for engaging assistants and experts Telegram.)-Auto stage line transat salaries which he declared were portation between Lincoln and Hast- of gasoline for the first half of 1921 exorbitant, and asserted that many ings was established today. One of the attorneys now on the shipping board's legal staff had been recombe made each day for a fare of 3½c to 286,564,512 gallons, are approxi-

Discuss Social Issues At Annual Convention

San Francisco, Aug. 20.-Problems elating to social morality and woman in industry were outstanding themes at the sessions today of the 48th annual convention of the National Women's Christian Temper-

Mrs. Katherine Pedson, executive officer of the California state industrial welfare commission, discussed assumption by the state of the authority to fix minimum wages for women and minors in industry.

The work of the United States inter-departmental social hygiene board maintained by the government to cradicate vice conditions around mil-itary and naval establishments, was reviewed by Dr. Valeria H. Parker, Hartford, Conn., an executive of the board, at the meeting of the social morality section. Dr. Parker exclained that the board maintains confidential agents who report vice conditions to the city authorities for ac-

Dr. Parker charged that "wide open vice conditions still prevail in some tion with the W. C. T. U., and other agencies, is trying to eradicate these

Increase Shown In Gasoline Production; Big Slump in Imports

Washington, Aug. 20 .- Statistics compiled by the United States bureau of mines show that the production of gasoline throughout the country for the first six months of 1921 amounted to 2,573,543,547 gaigons, an increase of 18 per cent over the production for the same period of" 1920. Imports of gasoline for the first half of 1921 were 14,835,056 gallons, or 32 per cent less than the imports for the corresponding period

A comparison of the consumption with that of the same period in 1920, mately the same

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tractive stripes, checks

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ditional popularity be-

cause of the jumper

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Fabrics-South Aisle-Main Floor