

REFUND

We will not only refund 5 per cent in cash or merchandise on all purchases to out-of-town and in town customers, but will place on sale many reasonable goods at 20 to 25% off

Merchants' Trade Week

August 10th to August 17th (Saturday to Saturday)

THOMPSON-WEST COMPANY

Offer Many Special Bargains for This Week

To the Ladies

We have a ladies parlor and toilet room up stairs and a rest room down stairs for your convenience. Also plenty of fans and ice water. Make OUR store YOUR store

Lawns, Flaxons, etc.

Table listing various lawn and flaxon items with prices: All 10 and 12 1-2c Lawns at 8c, All 15c Cotton Foulards at 10c, All 15c Linaires at 10c, All 25c white Flaxons at 19c, All 20c white Flaxons at 15c, All 18c colored Flaxons at 10c, All 25c Suesine Silks at 19c

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Embroideries and Laces

Table listing embroidery and lace items: 1 lot 50c 27-inch Flouncing at 39c, 1 lot 85c 42-inch Flouncing at 60c, 1 lot \$1 27-inch Baby Irish Flouncing at 75c, 1 lot \$1.25 45-inch Baby Irish Flouncing at 90c, 1 lot \$2 45-inch Baby Irish Flouncing at \$1.50, 1 lot 25c Insertion and Gallons at 19c, 1 lot 35c Insertion and Gallons at 25c

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Muslin Underwear

Table listing muslin underwear items: 1 lot 50 and 75c Pants at 35c, 1 lot \$1 Pants at 69c, 1 lot 50 and 75c Corset Covers at 35c, 1 lot 75c Gowns at 50c, 1 lot \$1 Gowns at 75c, 1 lot \$1.50 Gowns at \$1, 1 lot 50c Knit Combination Suits at 39c, 1 lot 25c Knit Combination Suits at 19c

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SHOE WEEK

We are going to make this a special shoe week. We must make room for Fall stocks and it is not our policy to carry shoes over. Our present stock is new, clean and stylish. Big reductions on every pair. They must go. It will pay you to see what we can give you for so little money.

FOR MEN

Table for men's shoes: \$2.50 Low Shoes, \$1.85 2.00 " " 1.60, \$4.50 Low Shoes, \$3.50 4.00 " " 3.00, 3.50 " " 2.65, 3.00 " " 2.35, 2.50 " " 1.85

FOR CHILDREN

Table for children's shoes: \$2.50 Low Shoes, \$1.85 2.00 " " 1.60, 1.75 " " 1.40, 1.50 " " 1.20, 1.35 " " 1.10, 1.00 " " .75, .75 " " .50, .50 " " .40

FOR WOMEN

Table for women's shoes: \$4.00 Low Shoes, \$3.00 3.50 " " 2.65, 3.00 " " 2.35

We will give 50c per pair off of all ladies' and men's high shoes this week.

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS for "Red Cross", "Utz & Dunn", "Sherwood", "Meade's" and "Monogram" Shoes; "Buster Brown" hosiery, "Royal Worcester" and "Bon Ton" corsets; "Warner's Brassieres", "Centimei" gloves, "Empress" and "Styleright" suits, cloaks, ect.

A 15c Table

We will place a large variety of odd lots in all kinds of useful merchandise on one table which sold at 25c and 35c and let you take your choice at

15 Cents

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Special Values

In Shirt Waists, Middy Blouses, Ladies' Neckwear, Lace and Muslin Curtains, Stamped Embroidery Goods, Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, Curtain Goods, Piques, Corduroys, and many other things too numerous to mention.

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At Cost

- All Summer Parasols, All Ladies' Handbags, All Children's Dresses, All Ladies' Dresses, All Embroidered Robes, All Long Silk Gloves, All Men's Shirts, All Wool Dress Skirts

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DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

(Continued from page five.) power in its control of the federal government, is rent into factions, it is opportune to point to the record of accomplishment of the Democratic house of representatives in the Sixty-second congress. We endorse its action, and we challenge comparison of its record with that of any congress which has been controlled by our opponents. We call the attention of the patriotic citizens of our country to its record of efficiency, economy and constructive legislation. It has among other achievements revised the rules of the house of representatives so as to give to the representatives of the American people freedom of speech and of action in advocating, proposing and perfecting remedial legislation. It has passed bills for the relief of the people and the development of our country. It has endeavored to revise the tariff taxes downward in the interest of the consuming masses and thus to reduce the high cost of living. It has proposed an amendment to the federal constitution providing for the election of United States senators by the direct vote of the people. It has secured the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as two sovereign states. It has required the publicity of campaign expenses both before and after election and fixed a limit upon the election expenses of United States senators and representatives. It has passed a bill to prevent the abuse of the writ of injunction. It has passed a law establishing an eight hour day for workmen on all national public work. It has passed a resolution which forced the president to take immediate steps to abrogate the Russian treaty. And it has passed the great supply bills which lessen waste and extravagance and which reduce the annual expenses of the government by many millions of dollars. We approve the measure reported by the Democratic leaders in the house of representatives for the creation of a council of national defense which will determine a definite naval program with a view to increased efficiency and economy. The party that proclaimed and has always enforced the Monroe doctrine is a sponsor for the new navy will continue faithfully to observe the constitutional requirements to provide and maintain an adequate and well proportioned navy sufficient to defend American policies, protect our citizens and uphold the honor and dignity of the nation.

Railroads, Express Companies, Telegraph and Telephone Lines. We favor the efficient supervision and rate regulation of railroads, express companies, telegraph and telephone lines, engaged in interstate commerce. To this end we recommend the valuation of railroads, express companies, telegraph and telephone lines by the interstate commerce commission, such valuation to take into consideration the physical value of the property, the original cost, the cost of the production and any element of value that will render the valuation fair and just. We favor such legislation as will effectually prohibit the railroads, express, telegraph and telephone companies from engaging in business which brings them into competition with shippers or patrons; also legislation preventing overissue of stocks and bonds by interstate railroads, express companies, telegraph and telephone lines and legislation which will assure such reduction in transportation rates as conditions will permit, care being taken to avoid reductions that would compel a reduction of wages, prevent adequate service or do injustice to legitimate investments. Banking Legislation. We oppose the so called Aldrich bill or the establishment of a central bank, and we believe our country will be largely freed from panics and consequent unemployment and business depression, by such a systematic revision of our banking laws as will render temporary relief in localities in which such relief is needed, with protection from control or dominion by what is known as the money trust. Banks exist for the accommodation of the public and not for the control of business. All legislation on the subject of banking and currency should have for its purpose the securing of absolute security to the public and of complete protection from the misuse of the power that wealth gives to those who possess it. We condemn the present methods of depositing government funds in a few favored banks, largely situated in or controlled by Wall street, in return for political favors, and we pledge our party to provide by law for their deposit by competitive bidding in the banking institutions of the country, national and state, without discrimination as to locality, upon approved securities and subject to call by the government. Rural Credits. Of equal importance with the question of currency reform is the question of rural credits or agricultural finance. We commend that an industrial credit societies be made, and that the government may be deposed in the favor legislation to banks to their

Waterways We renew the declaration in our last platform relating to the conservation of our natural resources and the development of our waterways. The present devastation of the lower Mississippi valley accentuates the movement for the regulation of river flow by additional bank and levee protection below and the diversion, storage and control of the flood waters above and their utilization for beneficial purposes in the reclamation of arid and swamp lands and the development of water power instead of permitting the floods to continue, as heretofore, agents of destruction. We hold that the control of the Mississippi river is a national problem. The preservation of the depth of its water for the purpose of navigation, the building of levees to maintain the integrity of its channel and the prevention of the overflow of the land and its consequent devastation, resulting in the interruption of interstate commerce, the disorganization of the mail service and the enormous loss of life and property, impose an obligation which alone can be discharged by the general government. To maintain an adequate depth of water the entire year and thereby encourage water transportation is a consummation worthy of legislative attention and presents an issue national in its character. It calls for prompt action on the part of congress, and the Democratic party pledges itself to the enactment of legislation leading to that end. We favor the co-operation of the United States and the respective states in plans for the comprehensive treatment of all waterways, with a view of co-ordinating plans for channel improvement, with plans for drainage of swamp and overflowed lands, and to this end we favor the appropriation by the federal government of sufficient funds to make surveys of such lands, to develop plans for draining the same and to supervise the work of construction. We favor the adoption of a liberal and comprehensive plan for the development and improvement of our inland waterways with economy and efficiency so as to permit their navigation by vessels of standard draft. Post Roads. We favor national aid to state and local authorities in the construction and maintenance of post roads. Rights of Labor. We repeat our declarations of the platform of 1908 as follows: The courts of justice are the bulwark of our liberties, and we yield to none in our purpose to maintain their dignity. Our party has given to the bench a long line of distinguished justices, who have added to the respect and confidence in which this department must be jealously maintained. We resent the attempt of the Republican party to raise a false issue respecting the judiciary, an unjust reflection upon a great body of our citizens to assume that they lack respect for the courts. It is the function of the courts to interpret the laws which the people enact, and if the laws appear to work economic, social or political injustice it is our duty to change them. The only basis upon which the integrity of our courts can stand is that of unwavering justice and protection of life, personal liberty and property. As judicial processes may be abused we should guard them against abuse.

Experience has proved the necessity of a modification of the present law relating to injunction, and we reiterate the provisions of our platform of 1892 and 1901 in favor of a measure which passed the United States senate in 1896 relating to contempt in federal courts and providing for trial by jury in cases of indirect contempt. Questions of judicial practice have arisen, especially in connection with industrial disputes. We believe that the parties to all judicial proceedings should be treated with rigid impartiality and that injunctions should not be issued in any case in which an injunction would not issue if no industrial dispute were involved. The expanding organization of industry makes it essential that there should be no abridgment of the right of wage earners and producers to organize for the protection of wages and the improvement of labor conditions to the end that such labor organizations and their members should not be regarded as illegal combinations in restraint of trade. We pledge the Democratic party to the enactment of a law creating a department of labor represented separately in the president's cabinet, in which department shall be included the subject of mines and mining. We pledge the Democratic party, so far as the federal jurisdiction extends, to an employees' compensation law providing adequate indemnity for injury to body or loss of life. Conservation. We believe in the conservation and the development for the use of all the people of the natural resources of the country. Our forests, our sources of water supply, our arable and our mineral lands, our navigable streams and all the other material resources with which our country has been so lavishly endowed constitute the foundation of our national wealth. Such additional legislation as may be necessary to prevent their being wasted or absorbed by special or privileged interests should be enacted, and the policy of their conservation should be rigidly adhered to. The public domain should be administered and disposed of with due regard to the general welfare. Reservations should be limited to the purposes which they purport to serve and not extended to include land wholly unsuited therefor. The unnecessary withdrawal from sale and settlement of enormous tracts of public land upon which tree growth never existed and cannot be promoted tends only to retard development, create discontent and bring reproach upon the policy of conservation. The public land laws should be administered in a spirit of the broadest liberality toward the settler exhibiting a bona fide purpose to comply therewith to the end that the invitation of this government to the landless should be as attractive as possible, and the plain provisions of the forest reserve act permitting homestead entries to be made within the national forests should not be nullified by administrative regulations, which amount to a withdrawal of great areas of the same from settlement. Immediate action should be taken by congress to make available the vast and valuable coal deposits of Alaska under conditions that will be a perfect guaranty against their falling into the hands of monopolizing corporations, associations or interests. We rejoice in the inheritance of mineral resources unencumbered in extent, vital



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