STAND BY TARIFF

Republicans Will Make Strong Declaration.

OREGON ALONE FOR REVISION

Must Be Content With Changes When Necessary.

POLICY AS TO SHIP SUBSIDY

No Particular Plan Is to Be Indorsed --Territories Are Into a Turmoil Over Statehood Declaration.

PROTECTION PLANK IN 1900.

We renew our faith in the policy of protection to American labor. In that policy our industries have been established, diversified and maintained. By protecting the home market competition has been stimulated and production cheapened. Opportunity for the inventive genius of our people has been secured and wages in every department of labor maintained at high rates, higher now than ever before, and always distinguishing our working people in their better conditions of life from those of any competing country. Enjoying the blessings of the American common schools, secure in the right of self-government and protected in the occupancy of their own markets their constantly increasing knowledge and skill have enabled them finally to enter the markets of the world.

CHICAGO, June 20.—The men who are to examine the platform, which has been in the possession of Senator Lodge for several days, have been selected by the various state delegations, and there is practically no doubt that the declaration for protection will be emphatic, and that there will be but little comfort for tariff revisionists. A pledge to make changes in schedules, when such changes are necessary, is the only concession that will be made by "standpatters." Possibly the wording may be changed, and those who have been talking revision will secure the use of the word "revised" to express the idea that is to be conveyed, but even this is considered doubtful.

The majority are against having anything like a general revision of the tariff suggested, and they will contend for the words "change in tariff schedules," when "conditions make it necessary," as being ample to cover all that is intended by the Republican party.

Only Oregon Approves Revision.

Senator Hansbrough, who intends to offer a provision for a revision declaration, has not received much support. Only Oregon seems to have approved the revision idea, the Senator's own state delegation refusing to give him support. Oregon also declared against a ship subsidy, but it is not intended to make the declaration for an improvement of the merchant marine indorse any particular plan.

Various plans are now being considered by the joint Congressional Commission, but the platform will not attempt to anticipate the commission's report.

Some interest was displayed during the day in the effort that is being made to secure the incorporation of an anti-polygamy resolution in the platform. It is being urged especially by various women's organizations that have been so active in the fight to unseat Senator Smoot, of Utah. One prominent man, who is a member of the resolutions committee, said there could be no harm in a declaration against polygamy, any more than in a declaration against bigamy. But Senator Smoot thinks that any declaration on the subject will be used to his disadvantage in the Senate. Also, it is felt there is a possibility that any declaration might materially injure the Republican prospects in several Western states, where there is a large Mormon vote.

Several other suggestions not now contained in the prepared draft of the platform will be made. One of these declares for an International arbitration. Another urging that the Interstate Commerce Commission be given more power to enforce its decisions will be offered.

Territories in a Turmoil.

Territories are in a turmoil about the declaration as to their admission into the Union. New Mexico and some Oklahoma men want a declaration in favor of a bill which has passed the House and is pending in the Senate, providing for the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as one state, and Oklahoma and Indian Territory as another.

The Arizona delegates are very much opposed to anything being done, while the Indian Territory delegates say statehood is so remote that they want a declaration of the home rule idea in the making of appointments in territories.

QUIETEST DAY EVER KNOWN.

Leaders Having Nothing to Do Discuss Everything but Politics.

CHICAGO, June 20.—With the time occupied in caucuses of state delegations which, with a few exceptions, were mere ratification meetings held to approve state convention programmes, the day preceding the opening of the Convention has been the quietest ever known as the forerunner of similar gatherings. Senators and Representatives in Congress were as thick on the streets and in the hotel lobbies as in the National Capital when a particularly uneventful or dry debate is in progress in Congress. Figures prominent in the political strife of former National Conventions were everywhere. They mingled with delegates and others not on the inside, talking of anything which promised even momentary interest. When the leaders reached Chicago few days ago they found nothing for them to do. The programme for the convention was mapped out weeks ago, and there was a full realization that it was unalterable.

Expressions of genuine regret at the absence of two faces familiar at similar gatherings four, eight and 12 years ago, are heard on every side. Men who have played leading roles in the art of making tickets and platforms, men whose personality, shrewdness of qualifications and persuasiveness have changed entire states or sections of the country are missed in the hotel lobbies and various headquarters. Some of these have figured in Republican Conventions for a quarter of a century, notably the late Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, and the late William Sewell, of New Jersey. One whose absence is felt more, perhaps, than that of any other man is the late Senator Hanna, though his debut on the political stage was of more recent date. Numerous pictures of the late Senator attest to his popularity.

But the absence of the great men mentioned does not indicate that the cast of the play which opens at the Coliseum tomorrow has been weakened. In the shoes of the men who have passed away are politicians equally astute who have had their training at master hands. They may not be so well known in National affairs and their names not so effective to conjure with, but they are ready and competent to perform any task that offers.

The only difficulty is that the task is not there. Contests worthy of the name are utterly lacking. The fight between the La Follette and stalwart factions in Wisconsin, the contest between Addicks and the anti-Addicks faction in Delaware, the "Lily White" and "the Black-and-Tan" factions of Southern States were disposed of with so much dispatch that they failed to furnish the gossip necessary to an interesting convention.

LONG STARTS TAFT BOOM.

He Regards the Secretary of War the Man for Vice-President.

CHICAGO, June 20.—John D. Long, of Massachusetts, ex-Secretary of the Navy, today authorized the Associated Press to announce that his candidate for the Vice-Presidency was William H. Taft, Secretary of War, whom he regards as in every way the most available man.

"There can be no question of Mr. Taft," said Mr. Long. "He has made his record. The country knows him, and the ticket 'Roosevelt and Taft' would, in my opinion, sweep the country. My reasons for favoring Mr. Taft are these:

"First, eminent qualifications as a presiding officer; dignity, sound judgment and deliberation are characteristic of the man.

"Second, his close and warm friendship for the President. He certainly would make an agreeable running mate for Mr. Roosevelt.

"Third, the fact that he is splendidly qualified for the responsibilities which devolve upon the Vice-President in case of an emergency, and, lastly, or perhaps, I should have said, first, the fact that there is a strong sentiment throughout the country trending toward Taft for the Presidency in 1908.

"Objection would be urged to Mr. Taft on the ground that it would remove a strong man from the Cabinet and put him in a position less prominent before the country. To the first objection I should say that Mr. Taft would be of immense assistance to the President, as he is now; and to the second point, Mr. Taft is so well known that it is impossible to lose sight of him. True, he has recently assumed the war portfolio, but his work is in a sense completed, so far as the Philippines is concerned, and there is no great emergency which would necessitate his remaining Secretary of War.

"My suggestion of Mr. Taft is everywhere being warmly received, and especially among the Eastern delegations the sentiment seems to favor him for the Vice-Presidential nomination."

IOWA TURNS "IDEA" DOWN.

Cummins' Protection Plank Is Tabled by a Large Vote.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Iowa today turned down Governor Cummins' idea of protection.

After the delegation had organized today, Governor Cummins took the floor and spoke his "idea" concisely embodied in a set of resolutions. The discussion that lasted for an hour and a half followed, when the resolutions were laid on the table by an overwhelming vote. The details of the vote were not read. Senator Allison, who had been elected chairman of the delegation, presided. J. W. Blythe, of the delegation, a well-known "standpatter," was unanimously chosen as the Iowa member of the resolutions committee. The Cummins resolution, which is the "Iowa idea" up to date, are as follows:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of the delegation that the National Republican platform should be broad enough to furnish comfortable standing room for all Republicans who believe in the essential principles and policies of the party; that upon the subject of tariff and reciprocity it should embody in some forms, first, a clear and emphatic declaration of the time-proven policy of protection; second, an unmistakable recognition of the fact that tariff schedules must be readjusted at reasonable intervals to meet the changing conditions of protection; and that any such readjustment should be made by the friends of protection.

"Third, that at the next session of the present convention the subject should be taken up and such changes scheduled should be made as provided for our producers and secure for our consumers adequate protection—no more, no less.

"Fourth, a plain and forcible decision for reciprocity, to be established either by treaty or act of Congress, as circumstances may deem expedient, when the policy can be employed to increase protection at home and increase the welfare in competitive or noncompetitive things."

Governor Cummins and Colonel G. W. French supported the Cummins resolutions.

Among those who spoke against the resolutions was Senator Dolliver.

PORTLAND ARTIST WINS.

Miss Breyman Secures First Prize at Eastern Exhibition.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., June 20.—At the art exhibition of Smith College today, Miss Edna Cranston Breyman, of Portland, Or., was awarded first prize for the best work in painting heads from life.

Admiral Cooper Sails Today.

MANILA, June 20, 10 P. M.—Rear-Admiral Philip H. Cooper, who, on account of declining health, will relinquish command of the Asiatic fleet, will sail today on the steamship Wisconsin for Shanghai. He will transfer the command of the fleet to Rear-Admiral Sterling. Admiral Cooper will start from Shanghai for San Francisco July 2.

No Rehearing for Howard.

FRANKFORT, Ky., June 20.—The Court of Appeals today overruled the petition for rehearing in the case of James B. Howard vs. the commonwealth, who was given a life sentence on the charge of murdering William Goebel. The petition says nothing of the appeal to the United States Supreme Court.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

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WON BY ANKENY

Elected National Committeeman.

CONTEST IS A WARM ONE

General Ashton and John S. McMillan Are His Rivals.

INDORSE SENATOR FAIRBANKS

Delegates to the Republican National Convention From Other States Caucus, and Many Favorite Sons Appear.

CHICAGO, June 20.—After a protracted caucus tonight, during which much feeling was engendered, Senator Levi Ankeny was elected National Committeeman from Washington by the delegates from that state over General James M. Ashton and John S. McMillin. The question having bene settled, vigorous discussion ensued over a proposition to seat George W. Dilling, of King County, one of the alternates. He was finally given a certificate after it had been shown that Erastus Brainerd, the regular delegate, and E. C. Harper, the other alternate from King County, would not be present.

The delegation adopted a strong resolution instructing the members of the committee on platform to strive vigorously for a plank favoring the enlargement and advancement of the American merchant marine.

The Kentucky delegation held a meeting today and decided to postpone until Wednesday action with regard to the choice of the delegation for the Vice-Presidency. The statement, however, was made by several of the delegates that, with one exception, they are favorable to Mr. Fairbanks.

The delegation from New Mexico organized today, expressed no preference for a Vice-Presidential nominee, and took no action on the tariff question.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

CHICAGO, June 20.—The committee on resolutions, selected by the state delegations to the Republican National Convention at their caucuses today is made up as follows:

Alabama—Andrew N. Johnson.
Alaska—J. W. Ivey.
Arkansas—Charles F. Duke.
California—Frank H. Short.
Connecticut—Edwin N. Higgins.
Delaware—Caleb R. Layton.
District of Columbia—Robert R. Riburn.
Florida—W. H. Northrup.
Georgia—W. H. Johnson.
Hawaii—J. K. Kalanianaole.
Idaho—W. B. Heyburn.
Illinois—Albert J. Hopkins.
Indian Territory—W. H. Darrough.
Indiana—Albert J. Beveridge.
Iowa—J. W. Blythe.
Kansas—Fred Smith.
Kentucky—George W. Long.
Maine—E. P. Spofford.
Maryland—F. L. Goldsborough.
Massachusetts—H. Cabot Lodge.
Michigan—Andrew B. Dougherty.
Minnesota—Knute Nelson.
Mississippi—W. E. Mollison.
Missouri—Boyd Dudley.
Montana—Thomas P. Carter.
Nebraska—Frank D. Williams.
Nevada—E. S. Farrington.
New Hampshire—J. H. Gallinger.
New Jersey—John F. Dryden.
New Mexico—H. O. Burson.
New York—Edward Lauterbach.
North Dakota—H. C. Hansbrough.
Ohio—J. B. Foraker.
Oklahoma—R. A. Lowry.
Oregon—J. U. Campbell.
Pennsylvania—John Dalzell.
Porto Rico—Robert H. Todd.
Rhode Island—William L. Hodgman.
South Dakota—N. K. Finch.
Tennessee—Dana Harmon.
Texas—A. J. Rosenthal.
Utah—George C. Sutherland.
Virginia—D. L. Groner.
Washington—J. S. McMillin.
West Virginia—George Atkinson.
Wisconsin—John C. Spooner.
Wyoming—C. D. Clark.

Indorse Banks for Second Place.

At the meetings of the New Hampshire, Texas and Delaware delegations today Senator Banks was indorsed for the Vice-Presidency.

While no formal action was taken by the Utah delegation on the question, the members will oppose any insertion of reference to the Mormon question in the platform.

A vigorous campaign has been inaugurated by the unseated "Lily White" delegation from Louisiana to have the committee on credentials of the Convention reverse the action of the National Committee. The Alabama delegation will seek the introduction into the platform of a resolution pledging the party to the enactment of such legislation "as shall secure to all citizens of the Republic complete liberty and exact equality," also declaring in favor of a more stringent enforcement of criminal law against peonage.

Representative Bartholdt, of St. Louis, who was selected by the international arbitration group in Congress, of which he is the president, to represent it at the National Convention, has arrived, and will endeavor to insert in the Republican platform a plank favoring international arbitration.

Rhode Island's delegation has not yet committed itself in Vice-Presidential nomination, but inclines to Mr. Hitt. In the event that Massachusetts goes for Fairbanks, Rhode Island will probably follow suit.

At its meeting, the Florida delegation indorsed Senator Fairbanks for the Vice-Presidency.

Will Compliment Scofield.

Wisconsin voted to give a complimentary vote for ex-Governor Edward Scofield for Vice-President. The delegation looks upon Senator Fairbanks as the probable nominee, but it is not committed to any candidate. Senator Quarles was elected chairman of the delegation, Senator Spooner, as the Wisconsin member of the committee on resolutions, and Postmaster-General Payne was re-elected to the National Committee.

The "stalwart" faction in the Wisconsin fight is showing alarm tonight at an entirely new phase of the situation. They say Governor La Follette and lieutenants have spent the day in a vain search for a single member of the credentials committee who will shoulder the task of making a minority report in case the majority favors the "stalwarts." This failure has discouraged the La Follette faction, it is reported, to the extent of abandoning the contest even before the committee. Should this be done, they could go before the Wisconsin voters with the claim of unfair treatment, and as having been denied a hearing at the hands of the committee. It will be much more desirable to the "stalwarts" to have the La Follette grievance thoroughly aired in the convention and then voted down than to have their case settled by default. This phase of the situation is to be the subject of a conference among the "stalwarts," and it may not be impossible that a member of the credentials committee may be found who will volunteer to make a minority report on the case to the convention.

The Maine delegation tonight voted unanimously to cast their vote for Fairbanks for Vice-President.

Governor Cummins presented to the Hawkeye delegation the "Iowa idea" in an entirely new dress. It was in the form of a plank setting forth the idea of the declaration for reciprocity and the reduction of tariff schedules. It was rejected by the delegation, and this sounded its death knell, so far as the present convention is concerned.

In the Illinois caucus the contest was for the chairmanship of the delegation. Senator Cullom was opposed by Governor Yates' faction, but won out handily. It is conceded that his defeat would have prevented his re-election to the Senate.

The Wyoming state delegation perfected its organization today. The "standpat" policy was indorsed. Senator Warren was elected chairman of the delegation.

The Montana delegation today elected John B. Waite National Committeeman, and Senator Carter member of the committee on resolutions, and indorsed Senator Fairbanks for Vice-President.

The California delegation elected J. W. McKinley chairman of the committee and agreed to the following assignments: Credentials, George W. Reed; rules, A. Ruif; permanent organization, C. E. Clinch; resolutions, F. H. Short; National Committee, George A. Knight; committee to notify the President, Governor Pardee.

At a meeting of the West Virginia delegation, Senator Elkins was indorsed for Vice-President, while Fairbanks was declared to be the delegation's second choice.

At a meeting of the North Dakota delegation there was discussion of the question of tariff reform, based on Senator Hansbrough's resolution, but the decision was reached by a majority vote to support the policy of anti-revision.

The prevailing opinion was favorable to a declaration on the lines that were followed four years ago. By general consent, Senator Hansbrough was placed on the committee on resolutions, and no objection will be made to him offering the resolution.

"Fairbanks and 'Standpat'" is the position of the South Dakota delegation.

The Hawaiian and Porto Rican delegations have agreed to get together in an effort to secure the insertion of a plank in the platform favorable to a duty on coffee.

DEPEW STIRS UP ENTHUSIASM

Senator Is Cheered on Coming From Meeting and Makes a Speech.

CHICAGO, June 20.—The New York delegation in caucus tonight instructed Senator Thomas C. Platt, by motion of Governor Odell, to cast their votes for Theodore Roosevelt for President and Charles W. Fairbanks, of Indiana, for Vice-President. The meeting was very harmonious. Governor Odell personally named Senator Platt as chairman, and moved that he cast New York's vote as a unit. When the Governor moved that New York instruct for Fairbanks for Vice-President, there was a cheer, and ex-State Senator H. S. Fassett said:

"I want to say that I think Governor Odell's proposition a very sensible one. We all know Senator Fairbanks and we know that he is a capable and patriotic man. He will lend strength to the ticket."

The resolution was unanimously adopted. Senator Depew was chosen chairman of the caucus, Senator Platt to cast the vote of the delegation, and William L. Ward to be National committeeman. All of the Brooklyn delegates, including Governor Woodruff, were absent, but it was understood they were being dined and that they had previously acquiesced in the programme followed by the delegation.

After the New York delegation had adjourned with three cheers for the ticket there came the first enthusiastic incident of the day. Senator Depew, trying to pass down stairs, was intercepted by a crowd of delegates, among whom were many Indiana men. Compelled amid great cheering and the music of a band to speak, Senator Depew said:

"We of New York have held a convention which will be ratified tomorrow and the next day. We have nominated Theodore Roosevelt for President and Charles W. Fairbanks for Vice-President, and they will be indorsed. We have written a platform of principles and it will be ratified tomorrow or the next day. We are people who have received grace and are absolutely sure of salvation. Our convention is quiet because a certainty produces no excitement. In conventions when they riot and fight they fear public opinion. I have never seen more harmony than that at the New York meeting tonight. That is important because as goes New York so goes the Nation."

JOHN T. SULLIVAN.

The Well-Known Actor Succumbs to Rheumatism of the Heart.

NEW YORK, June 20.—John T. Sullivan, for 15 years one of the most popular American actors, is dead at his hotel in this city from rheumatism of the heart.

Mr. Sullivan became ill two weeks ago. He had never before suffered from the disease, which ultimately caused his death. He sank rapidly Saturday evening, and for several hours preceding the end was unconscious.

As a character actor, Mr. Sullivan had few equals in America, and had been leading man to most of the prominent actresses. He starred jointly with his former wife, Rose Coghlan, and with great success a few years ago. Recently he had been an invalid. He was born 42 years ago in Detroit, Mich. He studied law, but took to stage work after having been admitted to the bar. His mother still lives in Michigan, but efforts to locate her have not yet proved successful.

REV. ELIJAH STONE NO MORE.

Father of General Manager of Associated Press Dies in Virginia.

CHICAGO, June 20.—The Rev. Elijah Stone, father of Melville E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press and of Ormond Stone, professor of astronomy at the University of Virginia, is dead at Charlottesville, Va., the home of his son, Ormond.

Born in Hampton, N. Y., in 1821, and educated for the ministry at the Auburn Seminary, Mr. Stone came to Illinois in 1840, and was one of the first circuit riders in the state. He often rode long distances in company with Abraham Lincoln when the latter was making his campaign for the Legislature. His anti-slavery sympathies led him to take an active part in what was known as the "underground railroad." During the Mormon troubles at Nauvoo he was among those who opposed violence to Joseph Smith, although bitterly opposed to Mormonism.

The Rev. Mr. Stone came to Chicago in 1855. He filled various Chicago pulpits until he retired from active ministry in 1882.

Lecturer of Note.

GREELEY, Colo., June 20.—Charles W. Lewis, D. D., president of the University of Wyoming, at Laramie, died here of pneumonia. He was visiting friends here when stricken. He was a lecturer of note.

Leading Chicago Merchant.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Charles Netcher, president and treasurer of the Boston Store, died today, following an operation for appendicitis.

Election Officials Give Bonds.

DENVER, June 20.—Fifteen men indicted by the grand jury last week for election frauds in this city, gave bonds today in the Criminal Court. Their bonds were fixed at $300 to $500 in each case. A majority of those indicted were election judges and clerks.

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Mrs. F. W. Davis, Weser piano; Mrs. F. J. Livermort, Kimball piano; Mrs. J. Knox, Hobart M. Cable, Mr. William Short, Kimball piano; M. Munson, Burdett organ; D. O. McKay, Kimball piano; Mr. C. W. McCormick, Jacob Doll; Mr. E. H. Whitney, Kimball piano; Mr. C. W. Lake, Schumann piano; Mr. B. B. Shaw, Brinkerhoff piano; Mr. C. E. Martin, Kimball piano; Mr. J. Frank Madden, Vose; Mr. L. A. Ayres, Jacob Doll; Mr. W. P. Cross, Kimball organ; Mr. T. Rothschild, Bailey piano; H. A. Larsan, Kimball piano; Mr. P. Culer, Kimball organ; Mr. V. Borde, Kimball organ; Mrs. A. Alexander, Kimball organ; Mr. W. B. Mann, Jacob Doll; Mr. J. B. Innes, Pacific Queen organ; Mrs. E. Cutler, Pacific Queen organ; Mrs. A. McDonald, Weser piano; Mr. K. L. Miller, Bailey piano; Mr. A. B. Daly, Durand organ; Miss E. Reilly, Kimball organ; Mrs. A. Splinter, Marshall & Wendell piano; Mrs. L. F. Barrett, Pacific Queen organ; Mr. M. Hendrickson, Kimball piano; M. Mooner, Hazelton piano; Miss E. Reilly, Kimball organ; Mr. B. W. Carfield, Pacific Queen organ; Miss L. Powell, Kimball piano; Miss S. P. Johnson, Pacific Queen organ; Mr. A. J. Anderson, Hallet & Davis; Mr. W. U'Ren, Kimball organ; Mrs. J. U'Ren, Kimball piano; Mrs. Mamie Lynn, Kimball piano; Mr. C. M. O'Connor, Brinkerhoff piano; School District, Cornell, Wash., Bridgeport; Mr. S. M. Cohn, Hallet & Davis piano for Star Theater; Mr. H. M. Eniffin, Bailey piano; Mrs. E. A. Lamar, Bailey piano; Mrs. J. I. Springer, Kimball piano; Mr. J. L. Christian, Whitney piano; Mr. H. H. Zeph, Hinze piano; Mr. G. B. Conklin, Burdett organ; Mr. N. P. Preussing, Kimball piano; Mr. Jacob Kobloth, Kimball piano; Miss Helen Collins, Jacob Doll piano; Mrs. Duke Furnish, Whitney piano; Mrs. Edwin Person, Kimball organ; Miss Ethel Belcher, Kimball piano; Mrs. Mary J. Emily, Kimball organ; Mrs. H. S. Root, Kimball organ; Mr. M. O. Collins, Kimball piano; Mr. E. W. Plaice, Kimball piano; Mr. M. O. Misamore, Kimball piano; Mrs. C. C. Wentworth, Leicht; Mrs. W. Bache, Kimball piano; Professor Piamondon, Marshall & Wendell; Miss C. Sprague, Kimball organ.

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50c Veils	25c
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$1.00 Veils	69c
$1.50 Veils	$1.09
$2.00 Veils	$1.49
$2.50 Veils	$1.89
$3.50 Veils	$2.53
$5.00 Veils	$3.95

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65c Veiling	45c
75c Veiling	49c
85c Veiling	58c
$1.00 Veiling	67c
$1.25 Veiling	67c
$1.25 Veiling	89c
$1.50 Veiling	$1.09
$2.00 Veiling	$1.39

25c Vests 13c
Women's Lisle Finished Cotton Ribbed Vests; silk taped, low neck and sleeveless; white only; great value at 13c

35c Vests 23c
Women's Richelieu Ribbed Cotton Vests; lisle finish; silk taped, low neck, sleeveless; white only; also lace-trimmed drawers; greatest value 23c

75c Vests 49c
Imported Lisle Thread Vests, low neck, sleeveless, fancy crocheted yoke; white only; wonderful value at 49c

$1.00 Vests 79c
Women's very fine Imported Lisle Thread Vests, dainty crocheted yoke; choice of white, pink and sky blue; marvelous value at 79c

$1.25 Vests 98c
Women's Pure Silk Vests, low neck, sleeveless, rich crocheted yoke; some are plain; choice of white, pink and sky blue; great value 98c

Union Suits 37c
Women's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits; high neck, long sleeves; all sizes; white only. Regularly 50c; today for 37c

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Women's Lisle Ribbed Union Suits; low neck, sleeveless, lace-trimmed drawers, plain or drop stitch; 75 regularly; today for 49c

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Mr. R. A. Thompson, who has had over 16 years experience in fitting glasses, and who is one of the best refraction specialists in this country, will personally examine your eyes without charge. **OREGON OPTICAL COMPANY, 173 FOURTH STREET, Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.**

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Toward the purchase price of any one of our pianos during our advertising test and celebration sale. EILERS PIANO HOUSE.

NOTE.—We agree to accept this coupon exactly the same as cash on any piano in this sale, and monthly or weekly payments for the balance may be arranged for to suit the convenience of the buyer. Delivery of the instrument will be made immediately or at any time in the future.

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Don't think you can cure your dyspepsia in any other way than by strengthening and toning your stomach.

That is weak and incapable of performing its functions, probably because you have imposed upon it in one way or another over and over again.

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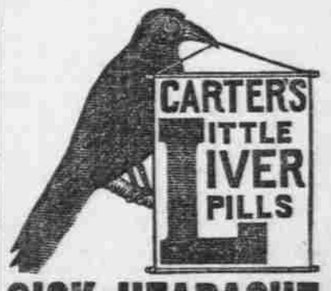

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