

Under Which Flag, Mr. Union Man?

J. W. Van Cleave Says:

"The injunction's purpose is to head off injury for which, if allowed to be committed, the victim can secure no adequate remedy by the courts. It is the promptness, the certainty, and the justice of the punishment in contempt cases which renders the injunction so effective in preventing attacks on property and life. Jury trial would bring delay and uncertainty. Thus it would give a license to violence, would make industry and property insecure, would increase the number and the destructiveness of labor contests, and would assail legitimate trade of all sorts.

"It is the duty of American business men, regardless of their party, to bury Bryan and Bryanism under such an avalanche of votes in 1908 that the work will not have to be done over again in 1912, or ever."—Statement by J. W. Van Cleave, President National Association of Manufacturers, and President of the Buck Stove Co., St. Louis.

What Samuel Gompers Says:

"I am very well satisfied with the democratic platform as promulgated at the Denver convention, and I will do everything to support these declarations, and of course that means we will work for the election of the men who stand for our principles.

"I have never expected defeat in any undertaking, never hoped for defeat, and never have given up fighting for an idea or principle that I firmly believed to be right and just. I will always be found fighting for what I believe is right, no matter what the temporary results may be. I believe that in this fight we now have on hand, that we will win; and I shall work for Mr. Bryan's election and for the ratification of the principles that we have advocated as officers and as an organization."—Statement by Samuel Gompers, President American Federation of Labor, and now charged with contempt of court at the instigation of J. W. Van Cleave.

THE ELECTRICAL WORKERS.

Monthly Report of the Iowa-Nebraska District Very Encouraging.

Following is the monthly report of Secretary Perrin of the Iowa-Nebraska district of the Electrical Workers:

No. 22 of Omaha has sent in the duplicate credentials for their delegate to the S. I. C. and show that they are still out after the non-union men, as they have five new names in this month, and from the report in this month's Worker they are in good shape.

No. 55 of Des Moines is in with a good report as usual. They have plenty of work.

No. 162 of Omaha carried off the honors this month as far as new members go, as they have twenty-two new ones and a large per capita sheet.

No. 253 of Cedar Rapids is in line with a good report and they have also

filled duplicate credentials for a delegate to St. Louis.

No. 205 of Lincoln has a good report. Brother Mayar reports that work has been good and that the boys are busy, and that they pulled off the biggest Labor Day there this year that Lincoln ever had. They have also filed duplicate credentials for the St. Louis convention.

No. 273 of Clinton, has six new ones, and with the increased membership and the new wage scale they should have no difficulty in keeping that part of the state in good shape. The Bell company has started their underground for the new exchange and will soon be making things hum. The Independent company will also start on an automatic exchange in the near future.

No. 372 of Boone has three new ones on their list and a large report that will make up for the time they lost. They filed credentials for a dele-

gate to the S. I. C. at St. Louis.

No. 599 of Iowa City has been out after the new members and has two on their list, and a nice per capita sheet for a new local.

I did not mean to forget No. 581 of Fremont, as they are still doing good work and have a new name on their list this month.

There has been forty-three new ones added to the list in this district this month, and 899 months' per capita remitted, giving a total receipt of \$132.90.

THE CIGARMAKERS.

A Small Local Difficulty Speedily Settled With Satisfaction.

Organizer Dermody of the International Cigarmakers' Union was in Lincoln last week, being called here to settle a little difficulty that has cropped out in a local factory. The matter was speedily arranged to the

satisfaction of all, and then Mr. Dermody spent a couple of days in boosting the blue label cigars among the retailers of the city. He expects to spend a couple of weeks in Nebraska in the furtherance of an advertising campaign outlined by the international executive council, and will visit Hastings, Grand Island, Beatrice, Fremont and other places. One of his chief concerns is the adjustment of a difficulty in Fremont, which has caused considerable trouble.

The number of cigarmakers employed in Lincoln is steadily increasing. The Pepperburg factory expects to be running a full force of twenty-five men inside of a few weeks, and the Cinberg factory is adding to its forces right along. The cigarmakers are ready to lend their assistance in making the proposed Home Industry exposition a success, and will doubtless arrange to make an exhibit of Lincoln made cigars. The cigar-

makers are always active in advertising the blue label.

Right here it may be stated that if a lot of men who are forever prating about their desire to build up Lincoln industries will only demand Lincoln made cigars and accept no other, it wouldn't be long ere there would be triple the number of Lincoln cigarmakers at work.

THE GARMENT WORKERS.

Probability of An Attempt Being Made at Organizing Lincoln Workers.

While S. J. Stearns of the United Garment Workers' International Union was in Lincoln last week he investigated local conditions and informed the Wageworker that he thought the time ripe for undertaking the organization of a local union of the craft in this city. Mr. Stearns will return to headquarters in Chicago in a few weeks and will then take up the mat-

ter with the general executive board and recommend that a local organizer be sent here at once.

There are in the neighborhood of 200 garment workers in Lincoln, and a comparison with other cities show that they are underpaid. An effective organization would not only improve conditions among the workers, but could be made beneficial to the employers. It is to be hoped that the matter will be pushed to a successful conclusion.

THE LABOR PAPER GAME.

A labor movement without a fair labor paper is a mighty poor movement. And the great trouble with most labor paper men is that they are expected to give to the unions every man their waking time, and for the unions to contribute nothing except a kick when some fool thinks he knows how a labor paper should be conducted.—Fort Worth Banner.

Fall Shoppers' Opportunity

We are offering some advance bargains in nearly every department of the store this week. They are well worth your consideration. While the weather has been very warm, the cool days must soon come, and it is well to be up with your shopping and sewing. Come in this week and supply yourself with the things you will need.

CLOAK ROOM

Mark Down All the Good Points



That you would like to find in the Women's Garments. Then come and see our line. You will be more than satisfied that our exclusive line has ALL the qualifications of the newest designs and best tailoring.

Suits at Special Prices

Strom Serge in brown and navy, neatly trimmed with silk braid; Suits low at \$15.00; special, at **\$12.95**

The very best striped Chiffon Panama in medium brown and navy; handsomely satin band trimmed; Coats 32 inches long; Suits low prices at \$25.00; special price **\$19.95**

Close Fitting Covert Jackets, full satin lined, our \$9.00 values, special price **\$4.95**

Semi-Fitting Black Broadcloth Jackets, full back Satin lined, our \$9.95 grade, special price **\$6.75**
Assortment of Children's Woolen Novelty Cloth Winter Coats, sizes 8 to 14—Your choice at **HALF PRICE**.
Ladies' Silk Plush and Bearskin Jackets, full satin lined, 28 inches long—Have your choice at **HALF PRICE**.

Skirts

400 GARMENTS OF NEWEST DESIGNS to choose from—
\$3.95-\$5.50 values, choice at **\$3.95**
\$4.75 values, choice at **\$4.95**
\$7.50 values, choice at **\$5.95**
Grey and brown plaid and solid blue Panama Cloth Skirts, (broken sizes), regular \$9.95-\$12.50 values, reduced to **\$4.95**
\$13.50-\$12.50 values, best Aultman Voile, now **\$6.95**

Petticoat Special

The best 38c grade black Mercerized Petticoat—Special for 5 days at **79c**
The best \$1.25 grade black Mercerized Satine Petticoats—Special for 5 days at **98c**
ASK US TO SHOW YOU OUR \$3.95 SILK PETTICOATS. They are worth \$5.95.

Get a Rug at \$1.95

While they last, 160 Rugs in assorted designs, Persian, Roman or Floral, in a good quality of Axminster Velvet, size 27x60, extra quality, now **\$1.95**

School Plaids

20 pieces of Worsted Plaids, suitable for school dresses and waists, in all the new combinations of colors, 34 inches wide, **21c**

Other Plaids, suitable for school dresses, waists and skirts, at 15c, 50c and **75c**
We carry the largest line of popular priced Dress Goods in the city at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 yard. See them.

New Percales at Cut Prices

28-inch Dress Percale, in colors red, blue, gray and black, in assorted patterns, worth \$ 1-3c, now, to close **6c**
A lot of Dress Percales in side band effects or plain patterns, special values, now **12 1/2c**

Time for Fall Underwear

We have now our complete lines of Women's and Children's Underwear for Fall and Winter wear, but we want to impress upon you now that there are some special good numbers for Fall.

A lot of Children's Vests and Pants in cream, ribbed, but in broken sizes, worth to 25c, now, to close **10c**
Other Ribbed Underwear for Children at from 12 1/2c in size 16 with a rise of 2 1/2c for each size larger.
Special lot of Women's Long Sleeve Vests and Pants, ribbed, white, now, at **19c**

Sale of Table Linens and Napkins

This sale lasts for one week only, and the saving you will receive during this sale will be worthy of your consideration.
56-inch Bleached Table Damask, a special good number now at **19c**
Choice of our best quality Colored Damask in red, blue or buff, our 50c value, this week **35c**
A lot of Unbleached Damasks, 68 and 70 inches wide, values up to 65c, now, to close **48c**
A lot of pure Linen Damasks, 72 inches wide, \$1.25 values, to close **98c**
25 PERCENT DISCOUNT ON ALL NAPKINS.

FRED SCHMIDT AND BRO.
917-921 O St. OPPOSITE CITY HALL



We're Looking For You

We just want to say to you that your FALL SHOES are ready. You'll soon be wanting them, and it's a splendid idea to make selections early—while all the lines are complete. No better shoe on earth for the price than our kind—that, we think, you already know.

MEN'S SHOES

Shoes for every day wear—Shoes for stormy days—shoes built to stand hard usage—Men's Shoes for every purpose for which good shoes are wanted—

\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00

Every dollar left at this Shoe Store will secure a full measure of value in the best shoes and the best shoe service it is possible to provide.

WOMEN'S SHOES

Shoes for the house or for dress functions—Shoes for street wear and for stormy days—Shoes for any requirement any woman may have, handsome new Fall Models

\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00

Blankets and Comforters

Special values in Cotton and Wool Blankets in assorted colors and sizes. See them before you buy.

Infant Blankets in white and colors, now, at each, 25c, 50c, 90c and \$1.00
10-4 Cotton Blankets at 59c, 69c and **75c**
11-4 Cotton Blankets in assorted colors at 75c, 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and **\$2.25**
12-4 Cotton Blankets, extra values, at \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75 and **\$2.00**
Comforts in good values at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and up to **\$3.50**

Outing Flannels

Suitable for all indoor garments, light and dark colors and great values, but you can judge for yourself. See them now at 5c, 8 1-2c, 10c, 12 1/2c and **15c**
Unbleached Shaker Flannels, at 6c, 7 1-2c, 8 1-2c, 10c, 12 1-2c and **15c**
Bleached Shaker Flannels, at 7 1-2c, 8 1-2c, 10c, 12 1-2c and **15c**
See the new Flannellettes—they are beautiful this season—at 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c and **18c**