

Yesterday's Best

Is today's goal—for us—the stepping stone to higher possibilities—That's why our store never grows uninteresting—why the daily visits are profitable to the thousands who come under this roof—Most of the offerings today are new in design—with a liberal sprinkling of the favorites—Not a piece of doubtful value—not one yard but that the store is responsible for—

Children's See the new "May Queen" Mull

Caps, a quaint and pretty style now shown for the first time, aMde with corded band and naluook puff, with Swiss edging, frill, bow finished with lace on top.

Three qualities—\$2.00 and \$1.50. Many other new and handsome patterns, including the Improved Littlepat, Military Cap, etc. Prices range from 25c each up to \$4.50.

Muslin Librally cut and Underwear prettily made, that's all of it—and the Underwear we sell makes home sewing useless drudgery with its compensating economy.

Nightgowns—50c, 75c and \$1.00—of muslin—some with ruffled yoke of fine flints and ruffles of embroidery—others V neck, yoke of plait and ruffles—others with square yoke, insertion and 6 clusters of ruffles—others with the square neck, trimmed with the ruffle of embroidery.

Drawers—30c—of muslin, with cambric ruffle. 50c and 60c—of muslin or cambric—ruffle of embroidery.

Corset Covers—ruffle of embroidery. 30c—of muslin or cambric—high neck—trimmed with embroidery—pearl buttons.

Bicycle Costume Cloth. Washable—heavy quality—at 12 1/2c.

Petticoats—

36c—Of muslin, umbrella shape, lawn ruffle, edged with embroidery. \$1.00—of muslin, umbrella shape, lawn ruffle, with rows of insertion above.

Art Department. One lot of Deakin Sofa Pillow Covers, pretty designs—reduced to 15c each.

Ladies' The Bretelle apron Aprons is the latest—it has two straps over each shoulder—for waitress or nurse—there is nothing neater—two qualities—50c and 75c.

Corsets. Thompson's "La France" glove fitting Satin Corsets—white and black—we have just eleven of them—will close the lot at \$1.98—regular price \$3.25.

Kid Gloves. Styles for Easter were never more striking than this season. We are sole agents in Omaha for Postoria Gloves—the best in the world. Let us show them to you.

Linen For skirts and Homespun. suits, Nothing more stylish and durable. New shades at 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c.

Piques. (Pee Kays) New line of styles—at 5c, 10c, 12 1/2c.

Easy Price Pretty, too, and Dress Goods with a touch of

The mill men produce them by styling designs that already have given beauty to finer fabrics—and the looms hum just as cheerily as they turn out just these.

Spring No need of a Dress Goods. word of the exclusive stuffs on show in our Dress Goods department and windows. Monday will be Dress Goods Day—the exhibition will be fully enjoyed.

One of the first acts by each of the conventions after organization was the appointment of conference committees. These met at 10 o'clock and divided the territory into wards.

Spicy Chevots—37-inch—ten styles—25c. Snowflake—36-inch—six styles—25c. Mohair Knit—36-inch—eight styles—50c.

Mixed Cheviot—36-inch—eight styles—50c. Bicycle Tweed—36-inch—seven styles—25c. Wiry All Wool—36-inch—15 colors—20c.

Hand finish Cover Cloth—46-inch—9 styles—60c. Parry Helge Suiting—49-inch—19 styles—50c.

FUSION OF THE POPOCRATS

Democrat Take the Mayor and Divide Up the Remaining Positions. Other Elements to Fusion Surrender. They Hold Three City Conventions Simultaneously and Agree Upon the Candidates for the City Only After Long Discussion.

The popocratic triumvirate of the city of Omaha met in convention yesterday afternoon and perfected a fusion on a city ticket. This, however, was not accomplished without much acrimonious debate and the display of jealousy.

When the reces expired the committee was still at work and the oratorical bars were being used to the full.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATE HOWELL

Warm Convention in Which Populists Come in for Much Contumely. The democratic city convention was called to meet in Patterson hall at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

BIMETALLIC MEN IN CONVENTION.

Perfect a Douglas County Organization and Adjourn. The Douglas county bimetallic convention met in Patterson hall yesterday morning at 10 o'clock.

LOCAL BREWITERS.

Judge Powell will hear motions for new trials in court room No. 3 next Tuesday morning. The German republicans of the city will meet at Sander's hall, Twenty-fourth and Cumings streets, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The jury panel in the district court has been discharged and the February term of court will probably adjourn the latter part of next week.

Last of the Series on Art.

A lecture on Roman sculpture was given at the Women's club yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Jennie E. Keayser, the leader of the Art department of the club.

Scenes of the Fatherland.

The Omaha Turnverein gave its annual festival of the "Burgomaster" at Germania hall last night and many unique and handsome costumes were in evidence.

Smith. "If they turn them down we will then nominate an entire ticket." The convention then nominated its share of the candidates as follows: Mayor, E. E. Howell; treasurer, J. H. Schmidt; councilmen, Second ward, Thomas P. Fitzer; Fourth ward, James H. G. Fitzpatrick; Ninth ward, W. Simpson.

When the convention was called to order at 9 o'clock it fell in no mood to further parley with the fusionists. A committee visited the populists and shortly after returned with the information that that convention had endorsed and nominated the democratic nominee.

POPOLISTS ARE NOT HARMONIOUS.

Middle-of-the-Road Element Strong Enough to Cause Trouble. Fusion was severely handled at the city convention at Knights of Labor hall yesterday morning, and the middle-of-the-road delegates were a very robust minority.

CONTESTANTS THROWN OUT.

The report of the committee was then presented by James Burr. It seated the middle-of-the-road delegations and L. J. Ihm of the Eighth ward and Joe Redmon of the Fifth ward were immediately on their feet in protest.

CONFERENCES APPOINTED.

Chairman Dunn, after a motion to that effect had been adopted, announced as his companions on the conference committee: E. E. Howell, J. H. Schmidt, J. B. Schupp, J. F. Lally, J. B. Schupp, J. F. Lally, J. B. Schupp, J. F. Lally, J. B. Schupp.

Many Protests Made, but the Dose is Swallowed.

The city nominating convention of the free-silver republicans met in the hall over the Boston store yesterday afternoon and evening. The convention was called to order at 7 o'clock and adjourned at 9 o'clock.

THE REST. THE BEST. TEST.

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conference committee terminated in a decision to leave it to the chairman, who announced that he would nominate the committee after the recess. L. J. Ihm, John Quinn and J. O. Yeiser were made a committee on resolutions, and the convention adjourned to 2:30.

It was 3 o'clock when Chairman Cohen called the convention to order and announced his appointment of a conference committee. The appointees were: J. F. Lally of the Third ward, E. I. Morrow of the Fourth, E. Rutherford of the Sixth, George W. Williams of the Seventh and L. J. Ihm of the Eighth.

The committee on resolutions reported the platform, which was adopted, endorsing the platform of the fusionists and declaring municipal ownership of all natural monopolies; recommending that steps be taken at once to acquire the water works, and deposing of the law prohibiting the public officers from receiving gifts of transportation, gas, water, etc.

RED HOT TIME.

The conference committee then reported the result of the conference. Before any other motion could be made John Quinn moved to lay the report on the table. There was a storm of objections.

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