

WILSON RECALLS WHAT HAS BEEN DONE AND WHAT IS UNFINISHED

Continuance of Program of Peace, Humanity and Progress Rests With People.

NEW DAY HAS DAWNED

And With It an Appreciation of the Responsibilities That the New Order Imposes Upon Every Citizen.

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"A new age had dawned upon us while those who were attempting to lead us were stumbling along with their heads over their shoulders, intent upon preserving the conditions of a day that is gone. America had changed. Our commerce and industry had grown to such a bulk that the domestic markets of which our former leaders were always so solicitous were glutted and we were bound, unless we were to burst our jacket, to find a free outlet into the markets of the world. The time had come when our commerce needed freedom and would be throttled by further restraints. We had acquired foreign possessions, had been drawn into the politics of the world, had begun to play a part which could not be played by provincials, but must be played by citizens of the great world of nations. And yet we had not altered our policy or our point of view.

"The great European war has served at least to show us this one thing, that the world itself had changed; that it had become at once too big a world and too little a world to submit its destinies to the hostile rivalries and ambitions now of this and again of that member of the great family of men, too compact, too intimate in its contacts, too universal in its ways of intercourse, to make it any longer possible to limit the effects of any nation's action to a single, separate sphere where the rest would be untouched.

Partnership of Interests.
"An inevitable partnership of interests has been thrust upon the nations. They are neighbors and must accommodate their interests to one another, or else disturb the lives and embarrass the fortunes of men everywhere. No wonder that in such an age men in America should be cried awake and feel once more, as they felt them in the days when their great republic was set up, the compulsions of humanity and of justice.

"These are the freshening winds blowing out of the life of mankind everywhere, that have brought on a new day in American politics. We have looked once more very critically at our own laws and our own practices and have set about to square them with the actual conditions of our life and the life of the world.

"Four years ago there were two parties in the field whose program was conceived and the influence of these great forces of progress and adjustment, the Democratic party and the Progressive party. This year there is but one. The Democratic party, in the presidential election of four years ago some 15,000,000 votes were cast. Of these, nearly ten and a half millions were cast for the candidates of the two progressive parties, only three and a half millions for the candidate of the Republican party, the party which lingered in the old ways and felt none of the new impulse of a new day. More than two thirds of the voters of the United States favored then, and favor now, a program whose object is to serve the changing needs of humanity and progress.

Business on New Footing.
"The Democratic party was entrusted with the task. These powers of the new age were 'out under the direction.' And under that direction what have they accomplished? They have put both the business and the life of the country upon a new footing. They have released the financial credit, upon which commerce and production alike depend, from the control of small groups of financiers and bankers at the speculative centers. They have released the commerce and industry of the country from the domination of those who were building up their power by selfish and unfair methods of competition. They have supplied those who wished to conduct their business in conformity with the spirit of the laws with friendly guidance, and delivered them from a nervous fear of the courts. They have released our foreign trade from the shackles of a tariff contrived in the interest of special groups of favored producers and have created a tariff commission intended to substitute public for private influences, facts, for theories and pretensions, in all future legislation with regard to duties and restrictions on imports. They have made provision for the immediate and systematic development of our carrying trade on the seas. They have at last supplied the means by which the nation may be bound together, materially and spiritually, by a network of good roads upon which both commodities and sympathies may move freely from community to community. They have put the farmer upon a footing of perfect equality with business men.

WILSON IS PROGRESSIVE



John M. Parker, Progressive candidate for vice president, who is a Louisiana planter. He never held a political office in his life, and never received a nomination until this year. Last spring he ran for governor of his state and polled 50,000 votes. Now he is running for vice president of the United States on a headless ticket. He was nominated by acclamation at the Progressive convention in June. He has never been notified of his nomination. But he has notified the Progressive voters and the people of the United States that he is campaigning for President Wilson, but insists on paying his own expenses.

New York, Oct. 28.—"The old guard placed Justice Hughes in front. God only knows what's behind." That is the way the grand old party parade looks to John M. Parker, Progressive candidate for vice president, the most resolute and uncompromising figure in the wrecked Progressive party. Mr. Parker continues: "The only chance the old guard had to get into power was to place in front of it a man whose character and reputation were absolutely immaculate. The choosing of Justice Hughes by this most dangerous element in American politics is a tribute to the man himself. I have the highest respect myself for Mr. Hughes.

"But I still believe in the Progressive party, and the Progressives don't care where progress comes from if it only comes. It has come this time from the Wilson administration, and that's why now I am working for President Wilson.

"I fought Mr. Wilson in 1912 for all and men of all other callings in respect of his access to commercial credit, have placed a great bureau of the government at his service in seeking and finding his best markets; have protected him by the establishment of definite standards in the sale of his products, and have put the scientific knowledge of the world at his disposal by practical demonstration at the expense of the government upon the farms themselves. They have emancipated the laborers of the country from the unjust restraints which the courts had put upon them by mistaken application of old law to new circumstances and conditions. They have released the children of the country in large part from hurtful labor; have sought to safeguard the lives and the health of our laborers in dangerous occupations; and have put agencies of the government itself at the service of those who seek employment. And most of these things have been done within the brief limits of a single administration.

Great Work Not Finished.
"And still the great work is not finished. It can never be rounded off and concluded so long as circumstances change and the fortunes and relations of men shift and alter. The question you have to decide one week from next Tuesday is whether it shall be prematurely interrupted, perhaps for a generation to come, and all the world thrown back upon themselves in discouragement and confusion.

"The program remaining is as great as the program accomplished. The procedure of our courts is antiquated and a hindrance, not an aid, in the administration of the law. We must simplify and reform it as other enlightened nations have done, and make courts of justice out of our courts of law. We must seek and find

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Every dollar that is contributed to the Wilson fund is put to immediate use. The coming week will decide definitely whether Woodrow Wilson or Charles Evans Hughes is to receive Oregon's five electoral votes. Many voters are still undecided.

In the few days that remain the merits and the achievements of the Wilson administration must be presented to these voters in their true light.

Funds are still needed if the campaign is to be carried forward with vigor. Those who wish to aid will find directions in the coupon below.

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Patriotic Duty Is to Stand by Uncle Sam
Every American Must Uphold His Government at This Critical Period Declares Judson Harmon.

New York, Oct. 28.—One time attorney general of the United States, later governor of Ohio, and now one of the strongest personalities in national politics, Judson Harmon of Ohio urges support of President Wilson on absolutely non-partisan lines.

"If there were a Republican president in the White House today I would vote unhesitatingly for his reelection," Mr. Harmon told a New York World interviewer, "because these are times so perilous it is the unescapable patriotic duty of every American to stand by his government.

"The people of all the nations engaged in the great war are standing by their governments; and it is scarcely less our duty to do likewise. It would be extremely dangerous to have our country in the hands of a discredited administration for four months—yet that is what will happen if Mr. Wilson is defeated in November.

"It is not necessary for us to approve everything that the administration has done. The point is that it is so necessary to back up the administration, whether it is Democratic or Republican that we must put aside both personal and party prejudices for the moment.

"The outlook in the middle west for Mr. Wilson is very favorable, especially in Ohio. With the campaign entering on its last week, there is a noticeable drift toward President Wilson. That President Wilson is far stronger than his party is disclosed in practically every poll taken in the middle west. And in Ohio, Wilson is particularly potent."

When T. R. Yielded To Great Pressure

Excerpt from "Wall Street and the Germans" by Norman Hapgood in Independent.

The eight-hour fight looked for a time as if it were going to give Mr. Hughes a passionate issue to last him until November. Even there, however, the expected punch fails to keep up. Again the terrific Teddy leaps into the arena and tells how he never yielded to pressure. Oh, he? Just put on your thinking cap, T. R. Do you remember the Tennessee Coal & Iron case? Yes, you do. You remember that representatives of J. P. Morgan & Co. and the steel trust gave you just 30 minutes, after which powerful reflection you, as president of the United States, told them to go ahead and complete their monopoly and you would see that no harm befell them. Twenty minutes! It may be an awful crime to grant the eight-hour day in order to prevent a nation-wide strike, even though the eight-hour day is nationally accepted as right, and even though it is only for six months, to get the best of evidence, by experience, of how it works; yes, and even though it is coupled with a full plan for preventing tie-ups hereafter. That may all be very, very dreadful, but is it worse, O Teddy, than to allow a few men in Wall street to put over on you the threat that if you did not give them immunity for committing an outrageous suppression of useful competition they would hand you a fancy little hand-made panic?

Twenty Officers in War College.
Washington, Oct. 28.—(I. N. S.)—With so many army officers on Mexican border duty, the smallest class of student officers for many years is enrolled for winter military instruction in the Army War college. Only 20 officers are taking the course under the direction of Colonel George H. Cameron of the cavalry.

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