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**WILSON AND HIS CRITICS.**

By Savoyard.

Our is a land of free speech and we have a free press. It has always been the case that the president of the United States is a fair mark for criticism from all quarters. It was so when George Washington held that exalted station and has been so every moment of our national existence. In 1916 the office is the biggest political job in the world, many times greater than it was when Lincoln, or Grant, or Cleveland, was our chief magistrate. Though he had the wisdom of Solomon and the brain of Caesar, though he be as grand as Washington, as firm as Jackson and as devoted as Lincoln, the president is going to be denounced by a great number of people, many of them worthy citizens and sincere patriots.

The criticisms of Lincoln were much more severe than any that have been uttered against Wilson. The leading Republican newspaper of the Mississippi Valley in 1864 urged that somebody take the president by the throat and jam his head against the wall in order to bring him to his senses. Every victory that came to the genius of Lee through the valor of his soldiery was attributed to Lincoln for imbecility. The New York Herald stigmatized him as a "smutty joker" and demanded that he withdraw his candidacy for re-election. Ben Wade, Henry Winter Davis, James A. Garfield and others got up a bull moose movement, held a national convention and nominated John C. Fremont and John Cochrane for president and vice president. Mr. Lincoln was denounced as incompetent, as a coward, as an imbecile, and as indifferent to the public weal and the public honor. And the men who were fiercest and most malicious in their assaults were members of his own party.

During the year 1861-65 Carl Schurz was a general in the federal army and a high priest in the Republican hierarchy. He went a meddling with Mr. Lincoln's job and strove to teach him how to discharge the duties of his high place. Here is an extract from Mr. Lincoln's reply that is precisely pertinent to the present political situation.

"You think I could do better, therefore you blame me already. I think I could not do better, therefore I blame you for blaming me. I understand you now to be willing to accept the help of men who are not Republicans. Provided they have 'heart in it'. Agreed. I want no others. But who is to be the judge of hearts or of 'heart in it'? If I must discard my own judgment and take yours I must also take that of others, and by the time I should reject all I should be advised to reject I should have none left, Republicans or others—not even yourself. For, be assured, my dear sir, there are men who have 'heart in it' that think you are performing your part as poorly as you think I am performing mine."

Mr. Lincoln, though thus abused in the fiercest sort of way by tens of thousands of his own party and all the opposition, managed successfully to accomplish the task set forth before him and his name will survive as long as history.

There is practically no opposition to the conduct of Woodrow Wilson by members of his own party. The assaults come from the adversary, but they are as ferocious as they are unfair. He is blamed for the situation in Mexico that existed when he became president. He is denounced as a coward for not advocating a war against that unhappy people. No honor could be gained for the flag by such a war; but it would be an infamous war, for as surely as it is waged vast territories will be annexed to our country. Mr. Wilson is criticised because he does not adopt the policy of ancient Rome that made war for conquest.

Then there is the war in Europe. So far the Wilson policy has saved us from participation in that; but in some quarters he is denounced for not re-

sending the conduct of the German armies in Belgium. In other quarters he is vilified for not urging an embargo on the shipment of arms to one of the belligerents, which would be equivalent to participation in the war or the ally of Germany. Mr. Wilson stands midway between Col. Roosevelt and Mr. Ford in his attitude toward the belligerent powers.

**MISFITS**

All fakeries are not street affairs.

Some of the big respectable ones are just as reprehensible.

The masses do not like bulldozing methods in politics.

Will an elephant and a lion go into partnership? Just about as much as stand-patters and progressives.

A meeting of capitalists was called at Marshfield recently; but there was no meeting for want of capitalists. They didn't respond.

Few men these days would admit they were capitalists.

Better try some other name.

Candidly, we don't know what caused the death of Yuan. Perhaps youans do.

Editor Ted Piper of the Oregonian, is attending the rep. con. at Chicago. Bet he dodges Roosevelt, if he gets there.

As tough as the European war is it hasn't very much of an edge on house cleaning.

An exchange wishes success was a woman so everybody would know its secret.

Really if everybody in the world was successful just what kind of a world would this be anyway.

It would be an odd kind of a world also if there were no clouds with the sunshine, no sorrows with the joys, no sobs with the smiles.

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Wife—You believe in being prepared, don't you?

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Attest:—ALFRED C. SCHMITT,  
Chairman of the board.  
D. D. HACKLEMAN,  
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The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Bids will also be received for installing a complete heating and ventilating system, with or without boiler, in accordance with the plans and specifications and supervision furnished by Mr. H. K. Mead of the C. A. Dunham Co., of Portland, Ore. Same to be completed on or before Sept. 15th, 1916. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
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