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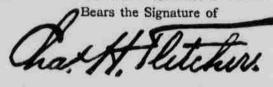
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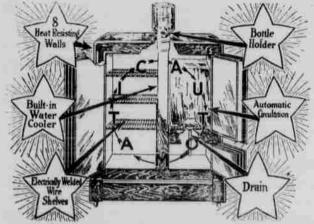
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HUGHES DODGES ISSUE ON EIGHT HOUR LAW

Attacks Wilson's Plan but Won't Tell Public What He Would Have Done.

ONLY WAY TO AVERT STRIKE

Republican Nominee Is Asked to Declare If He Would Have Vetoed the Bill With Certain Assurance of Industrial Disaster.

So busy has been Charles E.

Hughes criticising the deeds of the Wilson Administration that he has had little time, or has purposely evaded, telling the public what he would have done had he been President under similar circumstances. Lately Mr. Hughes has turned his attacks upon President Wilson's suc-cessful settlement of the crisis in the railroad world by causing to be passed by Congress the Adamson eight-hour bill. Mr. Hughes has char neterized this action as a "surren der to force"; he is "opposed to belin dictated to by any power on earth before the facts are known"; and be-

would not act until he had had a "fair investigation and candid treatment." Taking issue with the Republican candidate's attitude the New York Times, in an editorial, asks:
"WHAT WOULD MR. HUGHES

HAVE DONE? "Well, what way would Mr. Hughes have taken?" continues the Times "What would be have done? Here was Mr. Wilson's position: brotherhood refused arbitration, the railroad presidents would not accept the settlement Mr. Wilson proposed granting the eight-hour standard day with provision for an impartial inquiry Into its working. There was no law on the statute books to enforce arbi-

certainty and beyond question, that he could not get such a law from the Congress now in session. The sure and inevitable alternative to his acday measure was a strike, the sus pension of railway service, freight and passenger, all over the country, be-ginning on the morning of Sept. 4th. WOULD HUGHES HAVE DONE IT?

"Mr. Hughes 'would not surrender would have surrendered the country to the disturbance, immeasurable loss, and peril of a strike. Would be, in fact, have done that? Had he been President, confronted by that situa-tion, would Mr. Hughes have brought a strike by refusing to sign the bill granting a wage increase? There hours away, sure to come. Would Mr. Hughes have vetoed the bill? On the contrary, would be not have done just what Mr. Wilson did, sign it?

"The Republican candidate stands for two things: First, for the prin-ciple of fair, impartial, thorough, candid, arbitration; and second, for legislation on facts according to the essitles of the case, Mr. Wilson stands for those two things and, much nore, has pledged himself to use all his influence to secure them.

"What more could Mr. Hughes do! Would it be too much to ask the Republican candidate to put a little com mon fairness into his speeches? Is he afcald to tell his audiences what the President actually did urge upon Congress?

"As a true champion of arbitration President Wilson recommended that arbitration judgments be made records of a court of law, in order that their interpretation and enforcement may not lie with the parties to the dispute, but 'with an impartial and nothoritative tribunal.' It was his purpose in this recommendation to provide against future emergencies. to prevent the recurrence of such dangers as then confronted him and

ADVICE TO RAILROADS. "The people of the United States are not going to be put off with the misinformation as to what the President did to avert a strike and to pre-vent the threat of future strikes. We have reason to believe that the full revelation of what he did, what he tried to do, and what he nearly succeeded in doing in the White House conferences would put such a face

forts to make an issue of it would "But the people do know, for it was before them in the President's address o Congress, that he proposed, not a single emergency act, but a broad He need and permanently remove a public danger. It was a program which we are convinced the railroads would be very wise to accept in its

upon the matter that Republican ef-

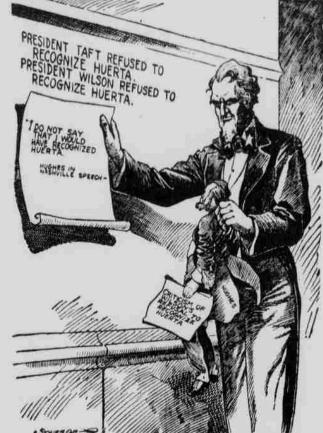
"Certainly it seems to us that they are ili advised to pray for the election of Mr. Hughes, who, if we take him at his word, would have brought on the strike, with all its irreparable injuries to the country's business and

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THE SINGING WORLD.

THE WHOLE EARTH IS QUIET AND AT REST; THEY BREAK FORTH INTO SINGING.—Isaiah.

> I saw an old fellow, with one arm and lame, With a bundle of papers to sell, but so game, Why, in spite of his wrinkles of trouble and care, And many a strand of snow-white in his hair, His eyes twinkled brightly, he shifted his load, And crying his papers went down the highroad. He had seen better days, but he wasn't a shirk-And he sang at his work!

A little child passed me whose eyes seemed to tell A tale out of torment and sorrow of hell; Her wan cheeks, forgetting how ruddy they'd been, Were pale with the hardship of hunger, and thin; She hurried to toil, she was earning her bread. And she lifted her heart with a toss of her head, Forgetting the darkness of life and its murk-And she sang at her work!

I saw an old farmer bent over a plow, With the wrinkles of labor and age on his brow; His voice had grown weak through the toil of the years, But his eyes shone with smiles, not with shadow and tears; He yelled to his horses as lusty as youth, And plowed up the field as if plowing up truth, With nothing to harm him and nothing to irk-And he sang at his work!

I came by a mill where the spindles were roaring, And many pale women by the huge looms were pouring, And standing all day in their places to wind The spools and the shuttles, for women must find Some work at something to help in the strife That keeps the red wolf from the doorways of life, But these seemed as gay as sweet maids of the kirk-And they sang at their work !

Oh, this is the world of the singers, I say, The singers of toil at the hardships of day, That find in hard labor the sweet of content, That go to their tasks with a double intent-Of toiling and slaving, if such things must be, But keeping up heart and a sound bit of glee, And looking at life with a quib and a quirk-And they sing at their work!

WOULD THE "CROOKS OF 1912" LET HUGHES KEEP PLEDGES?

Candidate Hughes is running on a platform of promises

The safest-the only trustworthy-method of Judging the future is by assessing the past. Candidate Hughes' promises should be weighed in the light of his past performances as an executive. Here are some of his promises made when he was a candidate for Governor of New York and set opposite them are his performances to correspond

CANDIDATE HUGHES BAID: GOVERNOR HUGHES DID:

"I believe in labor legislation and from the wise conduct of labor or

railroad man to the State Public Service Commissions, although

"I want to see fair justice done to everybody who works."

and individuals,"

is necessary."

Vetoed the bill, giving women schoolteachers equal pay with man for equal work. Vetoed the full-crew railroad bill

"Every practical measure for the support." "I promise the enforcement of the

Vetoed bills urged by State Tax law with equal severity and in Commission to compel corporations equal justice to all-corporations to pay their franchise taxes prompt-

"The conditions of transportation

to equalize special franchise tax Vetoed Coney Island five-cen in New York City are a shame and fare bill which would have saved purpose to find out the proper the people of New York city \$1, method of procedure and whether 500,000 a year. Accomplished nothlegislation or administrative action ing to correct street-car overcrowd

ly and to authorize the Tax Board

"I shall devote myself with rebossed administration."

Blocked in his efforts by the newed zeal to the people's service: bosses of his party, Gov. Hughes My administration shall be an un-resigned in his second term to ac cept appointment to the United States Supreme Court.

Mr. Hughes is not the Republican party. He would be no more able to make good his promises as President than he was as Governor of New York. If he were elected President he could deliver only so much as the Republican bosses—the "Crooks" denounced by Roosevell in 1912—would permit him to deliver.

SUFFRAGISTS CERTAIN

Leaders Resent Efforts to Turn the Cause Into an Adjunct of Republican Party.

WON OVER BY PRESIDENT

"I Have Come Here to Fight WITH You," He Tells Them-"Wilson Voted for Suffrage; Has Hughes!" Asked One.

Western women who have had the ballot equally with the men for several years resent the interference of one of the factions of suffragists and the at tempt to turn the suffrage cause into an adjunct of the Republican party. They believe they know how to vote without being told by women who never had the vote; and they refuse to turn against the Democrats who have done so much for their cause in their

This attlinde is brought out clearly in an interview by Nixola Greeley-Smith, nationally prominent us a writer on the stuff of the New York World, with Mrs. Alexander Thompson, Democratic National Committee man from Oregon, and Mrs. Theresa M. Graham of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

"One would think," observed Mrs. Thompson to Miss Greeley-Smith. "that if may instruction in suffrage matters had to be given it would comfrom the women who have won the vote and do vote rather than from Suffragists in the East who are still distranchised. I am a young woman, but I have been through three campaigns for the vote in Oregon. In the final campaign we won through the co-operation and help and belief in us of the men of Oregon.

Aided by Democrats.

"We have been voting only five years and we are still grateful to our men. So, when the Congressional Union sent speakers to Oregon to tell us to vote against all Democrats w laughed at them. Why, at the last election they campaigned against George E. Chamberlain, who introduced the first Suffrage bill in Oregon and who had been the friend of the wom-"I agree with every word that Mr-

Thompson has spoken," declared Mrs Graham. "The conditions in my State are the same as in Oregon, except the we have had the vote for twenty years and it was given to us without our having to fight for it. The Congressional Union has speakers in Idah now urging us to slaughter the Demo-crats and free our sisters in the East How silly that is? Are women in the East so foolish as to be ied away to the mere declaration of a condition unsupported by his party, that he personally in favor of a Fodersi amendment? Woodrow Wilson voted for Suffrage. Has Charles E. Hughes ever voted for Suffrage? Wilson has done everything consistent with a belief in State rights, one of the funda mental principles of Democracy. Suf frage can never win as a partisan is sue. Allenate the Democrats en massi frage has."

Won by Wilson's Speech. It is admitted by practically all suf-fragists that their cause has been helped greatly by the speech Presiden Wilson made before the convention of the National Woman's Suffrage Assoct atton at Atlantic City recently, on Sept 8th. When the President told them he had "come here to fight with you the 4000 suffragists gathered in Nixon's Theatre arose and cheered him et

This pleater by the President led Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, to say "You touched our hearts and won come here to fight with us."

"The astonishing thing about this movement," suid President Wilson, "is not that it has grown so slowly, but that It has grown so rapidly.

I get a little impatient sometimes about the discussion of the channels and methods by which it is to prevail, It is going to prevail, and that is very superficial and ignorant view of it which attributes it to mere social unrest. It is not merely because the women are discontented, it is because the women have seen visious of duty, and that is something which we not only cannot resist, but, if we be true Americans, we do not wish to

"I have felt as I sat here tonight the wholesome contagion of the occasion Almost every other time that I ever visited Atlantic City I came to light somebody. I hardly know how to conduct myself when I have not come to fight somebody, but with somebody

"I have come to suggest, among other things, that when the forces of unture are steadily working and the tide is rising to meet the moon, you come to its flood. We feel the tide; we rejoice in the strength of it."

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