### SENATOR LA FOLLETTE HITS THE OLD GUARD 1910.

istered Party's Surrender To Privilege.

### EVERY STATE'S RAILROAD

### Reactionaries Did The Work For Their Masters .- Says the People Will Resent.

"It is not a pleasant task to criticise that is listed in our statistical inventhe political action of the party to tory. which one belongs," wrote Senator R. M. LaFollette in LaFollette's Magazine. But Mr. LaFollette did criticise his party's action. He wrote Though Not a Democrat, Declares frankly his opinion of the platform adopted at Chicago. He said he was

"The platform adopted by the Republican Convention at Chicago," said appointment to the great majority of the country for re-election this fall," Mechanics who were getting two started in that hitherto pivotal State. the party." He continued:

party were in control of the conven-

men who had faith in Roosevelt as a lic eye. Successive references to policy. Together with those who joined the strength. I am not capable of crit- Woodrow Wilson. Third Party, they constitute an over- icising the government's policy. The A close observer of the conditions campaign, considerably less than oncontrol of government.

wisdom for those in control of the spects. To whip Mexico into line, as year. bered this recent history.

country its greatest surprise.

pension roll.

views

"Like a bolt out of a blue sky come the platform declaration for che abolition of every State railroad com- war? We don't want that territory. mission in the country," declared Mr. The whole proposition is absurd. Tak-LaFollette. "The people of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Ne- a president more level-headed than braska, Oregon, California, and every Woodrow Wilson." other State, are to have the regulation of the rates and services of the railroads within each State taken out of the hands of their own Commis- Domestic Policies Alone Furnish Basion, subject to their own control, and turned over to the Federal Government. They are to have their State L. Ames Brown, in the Review of Regovernments taken away from them to this extent. We believe the people of every State will fight this proposition to the last ditch

in 1909 as reported in the census of THE "DOUBTFUL" STATES There is nothing in our economic Declares Republican Platform Reg- program todaw which speaks in Interesting Estimates Made By Pregressives at the Chicago Conven-Careful Experts Show Drift stronger and more convincing terms of the prosperity which the American people now enjoy under "the New Freedom" of Democracy, than the pay MICHIGAN A BATTLE-GROUND COMMISSION ENDANGERED envelope of the average workman. The \$1,800,000,000 increase in the pay

> izes in 1916 as compared with 1909, moreover, is the mightiest lever for the uplift of American civilization,

EX-GOVERNOR OF KANSAS.

### Wilson Will Sweep Country.

compelled to do so by his convictions. From the Olathe (Kans.) Register Roosevelt delivery, and the great Democrats. (Democrat.) the Senator, "cannot fail to be a dis- think Woodrow Wilson will sweep vor of Democracy.

said ex-Governor St. John to a re- and three dollars three years ago are Mr. Pattangall's statement will car-"The reactionary element of the porter for the Register the other day. now receiving from four to six dol- ry little comfort to the Republicans

tion. Supplied with unlimited funds, attitude of the people in Western ent conditions. the National Committee can perpet- Kansas," continued Mt. St. John. The mobilization of the troops to- Democrats while they were not look-

uate its control when it represents "While I was in that part of the State wards the Mexican border has sent a ing and run away with it. but a small minority of the voters. during my recent ninety days' tour, message home that no other single Mr. Pattangall's statement is that "More than four million progres- I took occasion to sound out my dif- act could so impress the people of one half of the men who voted for sive Republican voters left the party ferent audiences on the candidate Michigan with the full benefit to the Gardner two years ago, and there in 1912. They were earnest, patriotic then looming most largely in the pub- Nation of the Woodrow Wilson peace were 18,000 of them, will align them-

leader. Hundreds of thousands of Hughes, Roosevelt, and Wilson al- It looks very clearly from all of year. It will not benecessary for the progressive Republicans who had no ways brought the most applause for these reasons as if Michigan with its Democrats to share equally with the confidence in the political integrity of Wilson, Wilson's Mexican policy, for former 75,000 Republican plura!- Republicans in a division of the Pro-Roosevelt refused to abandon the which he has been so bitterly attack- ity would be converted into a good gressive vote to carry the State this party and follow him at that time, ed, is, in my opinion, an element of working plurality for Democracy and year,

lating to prove this.

to Wilson.

crats Will Get More Than Half

**Progressive Vote.** 

whelming majority of the total mem- old plan of tying two fighting tom in Ohio is even more emphatic in the bership of the Republican party. The cats' tails together, throwing them declaration that Ohio will be a posigreat mass of these voters are men over a clothes line and letting them tive asset to the Woodrow Wilson through, and this being a national of deep convictions. They are Repub- fight it out, seems to apply forcibly election this year. Some of the most campaign year, it is fair to assume licans. They are for public interest to the situation in Mexico. But Mex- conservative business men of Cleve- that the vote will be heavier than in and against privilege and monopoly ico is no scrub as it was in 1847. It land, Toledo, and other important 1914.

has fourteen millions of people and cities are making the open declaration "It would have been the part of an advanced civilization in many re- that Ohio will be Democratic this

sitating at least two years' time, the of War and the recent appointment of their sending a small army of orators The Senator said that it was upon expenditure of billions of dollars and the Supreme Court Justice, both of from Congress to stir the waters in the subject of railroad regulation that probably the lives of 200,000 men. In whom are held in high esteem by the that State. the framers of the platform gave the addition, as an item of expense, people of Ohio, will give an added

would be the formation of a great incentive for the Ohioans to join the IS INCOME TAX A "FAILURE?" ranks of the new Democracy of Wood-

### "What would we gain by such a row Wilson. Ohio Democrats Active.

ing it as a whole, we never have had ent time. Perhaps one of the most in his formal speech accepting the unique inscriptions that has been put nomination. forth in the present campaign is that, assembleism about it.

There is an interest and enthusiasm that Democracy has rarely seen. income tax is "a complete failurs?" While there may be some question He once opposed this most just plac-What would be Mr. Wilson's status about Ohio electing its Democratic ing of the taxation burden upon idle

where many Progressives abide, 14 WORRY THE REPUBLICANS very strong in its resentment against the apparent bargain and sale of the tion.

Many of those men sincerely believe that the Progressive Party was certined to be an instrument to cor-FOR DEMOCRACY THIS YEAR pel both of the other parties to put forward their best idealigns and asenvelope which American labor real- Campaigners in Maine Say Demo- pirations. Many of those men believed in Theodore Roosevelt an their Meses to lead them out of the wilderness. Their disappointment is keen. Some Figures from Maine.

Michigan this year gives every An anouncement made by William promise of being a genuine fighting ground for Democracy. Reports from R. Pattangall, Democratic campaign the different cities are fast accumu- manager in Maine, respecting the prohable division of the Progressive vole The presence of Woodrow Wilson in that State during the coming elecat Detroit, the insurrection of the tion, abounds in sound reasoning Progressives against the Perkins- which will carry satisfaction to all

prosperity everywhere throughout It is the first responsible declara-"I never was a Democrat, but I Michigan are leaning strongly in fa- tion by an active political leader m the hot campaign which has been "I am basing the assertion on the lars, and they are content with pres- at home or abroad. They had fondly hoped to fairly snatch Maine from the

selves with the Democratic party this

Figuring on the basis of the 1911 half of the Progressive vote will be sufficient to carry Governor Curtis

That the Republicans saw the handwriting on the wall when the Progressives failed to put out a State Chicago convention to have remem- some demand, would be a job, neces- The appointment of the Secretary ticket in Maine is clearly manifest by

> From Boston Post (Ind. Dem.) Mr. Hughes has stated that he accepts and approves the Republican The activities of the Democracy in platform in its entirety. He will Ohio are very manifest at the pres- doubtless elaborate on that statement

> But the Republican platform deemanating from Ohio. The cartoon nounces the Underwood tariff act, as represents a cake of ice, and above it "a complete failure in every respect." is "Just Ice Hughes" with a splendid The income tax legislation is a part of that act-Sec. 2.

Does Mr. Hughes believe that the as a candidate did not this vital mat- senator this year, the personality of wealth on the ground of supposed le-



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necessary to prove his case.

making an interesting study of the fare of the people? labor conditions of today with special Consider this: The chief legislative great number of other big guns have

It was ascertained by the Secre- tive achievement of any American ifornia. tary of Labor that in 493 cases out of President of modern times. All of Massachusetts, the old Bay State, help you. It heals the inflamation, 1,486 of wage increase between July the measures named, with the excep- the home of Cabot Lodge and former 1, 1915, and May 15, 1916, there was tion of the tariff act, have received or Senator Murray Crane, is also teeraa total raising of pay of 1,901,322 are certain to receive the support of ing over with dissatisfaction towards laborers. The total of 1,486 settle- substantial bodies of Republicans in the standpatters. ments in which wages were increas- Congress. The Republican platform Matthew Hale, one of the most heals the raw spots, loosens the mued, on a similar basis, would indicate criticises the Rural Credits Act, but conspicuous of the Progressives, has cous and prevents irritation of the that more than 5,000,000 men were a majority of Republican members of openly come forth against any Pro- bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of affected.

were \$600 and the rate of increase Tariff Commission, and its authors re- Fall River, Springfield, and Holyoke, gists. were only ten per cent., the total vol- fused to consider any declaration in ume of wage increases represented criticism of the Currency Act, knowby these newspaper reports would be ing too well the heartiness of the \$300,000,000. Large as this seems, it country's appreciation of that measrepresents only a return from a mi- ure. nor part of the entire army of American labor. In manufactures alone, the preliminary estimate for the 1915 census indicates approximately 7,900,- Young Men's Democratic League En-000 wage earners last year whose wages aggregated \$4,400,000,000.

We know that 1916 will show a Young Men's Democratic League has marked increase both in number of enrolled in the league 391 young men. wage earners and in rate of wages who say they cast their first vote for over 1915. If the number employed Roosevelt in 1912. This anouncement has increased for 1916 only ten per was made last week by Francis D. cent. and the rate of pay increased Gallatin, chairman of the committee. only 10 per cent., we get a wage vol- The League, which has received the ume of 21 per cent larger for 1915 aprpoval of President Wilson, has than for 1915. This produces a wage been organized in seventeen States, total of \$5,324,000,000, which is \$900,. according to Frank D. Shelley, its 000,000 larger than the 1915 wage to- President.

tal, and \$1,800,000,000 greater than the total volume of wages paid under Many a man's credit is limited to Republican laws and administration borrowing trouble.

ter of international relations over- the President and the prosperity of gal defects. Would the people be shadow all else? How would ne Ohio, all point very strongly towards pleased if he were now to demand that WONDERFUL WAGE INCREASE stand and what would be his prospects Woodrow Wilson's success in Ohio. were it possible for him to be judged The Golden State, too, has all the

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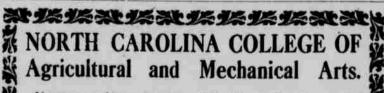
The Bull Moose committee of the

When Samuel Gompers recently solely in the light of his record as ad- ear marks of being added to the Demsaid that there never was a time ministrator of the domestic affairs ocratic ranks. On account of the when more laborers in this country of the Government? Could he win great disaffection caused by the Prowere being rewarded with increased if he had no claim to the suffrage of gressive Convention, California is From the Rochester Herald. pay he had all the figures behind him the nation other than that based on sorely nettled to a degree that it has

The Secretary of Labor has been has promoted the hapipness and wel- the leading Progressives, including start kicking the daylights out of the ex-Governor Hiram Johnson, and a G. O. P. elephant.

reference to the increase of pay. In measures for which the President started booming for Wilson and any nearly every case where more pay stands personally responsible are the one acquainted with them can readily has been asked it has been granted. Underwood Tariff Act, the Federal understand that their boom, when In many cases where it was not ask- Reserve Act, the Trade Commission once started, will not be hushed under ed it has been graciously awarded by Act, the Rural Credits Act, and the any condition. Joe Scott, of Los Anthe employers who feel the benefits Tariff Commission Act. There is an geles, is jubilant over the outlook for somebody else. of a nation-wide prosperity. Plenty imposing number of business, labor, Wilson. Through northern Califorof cases there are in which the work- and public welfare enactments be- nia, in Keene and Kern counties and inkman has been taken in as a profit sides, which I have no space to dis- into Frisco itself there is a pervadsharer of the increased net earnings, cuss here. It is the greatest legisla- ing spirit that Wilson will win in Cal-

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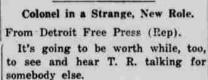
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