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Senator Gardner Gives Reason For Supporting Wilson.

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The reasons why those engaged in agricultural pursuits should support Governor Woodrow Wilson for President are strongly set forth by Senator Obediah Gardner of Maine, in an address to farmers.

Senator Gardner is a practical farmer, one who farms his own farm, and he is probably in closer touch and sympathy with country life and its environments than any other man in public life.

For twenty-five years Senator Gardner has been actively interested in the National Grange and for ten years he was the master of the State Grange of Maine. A few years ago he came within a close margin of being elected Governor of the Pine Tree State.

A little less than a year ago, when Senator Frye, who had represented Maine in the Senate for thirty years, died, Governor Plafsted honored Mr. Gardner, and recognized the agricultural interests of the country by appointing him to the United States Senate, where he has made a most creditable record, devoting particular attention to the welfare of the great rural population of the country. He is now a candidate for re-election and will undoubtedly be successful.

In his address Senator Gardner says:

To the Farmers of the United States, Greeting: Being one of you and for the greater part of my life having been engaged in the practical every-day duties of my own farm, having been for 25 years past officially at work through boards of agriculture and the National and State Granges, having served four years as second officer of the National Grange and years, during which time the order in Maine added 25,545 members and attained a power and influence never held before, I feel I am in a position to speak from the standpoint of one who knows the farmer and his needs, and it is solely because of this that I am prompted to address you.

For years farmers have justly complained of being required to pull at the short end of the yoke because of unfair and unjust discriminations in legislation and transportation, and at the present time the farmers are charged with being the cause of the high cost of living because of a matter of fact taking collectively the amount invested in their business, the hours devoted to hard labor, and every thing connected with the details of agricultural life—they are, as a whole, the poorest paid class of people in this country, while relatively the most important.

Farmers Have Been Deceived. During the last few years farmers have been told what a great blessing has been their through the so-called protective tariff, and yet to find a market for their principal crops they have had to compete in the markets of the world where the price is fixed. But surely it is discovered that the farmer is the sole cause for the high cost of living, and what a total disregard for the interests of the farmers, submits a plan to open up to competition with the farmers of the United States the products of Canada while being careful to preserve the tariff, or more correctly speaking the tax, on all the farmer has to buy, which, as clearly as anything can, exposes the tariff as a "humbug" of the claim that the tariff is any benefit to agriculture as compared with manufactured products.

Now, the farmers of this country have an opportunity to benefit themselves that has never appeared within my recollection, as the farmer's vote has been controlled by the force of public opinion to nominate a man for the presidency who is best equipped for that high office of one that have been nominated or elected since Lincoln. A man that I speak of from a personal acquaintance with and a knowledge of his fitness, a man of great natural ability, severely educated, not theoretically but practically, a keenness of intellect remarkable for its grasp of every condition with which he comes in contact, an indomitable courage to do right, and above all a great broad tendency with and sympathy for all classes. He will make one of the most accessible presidents ever in the White House, and through whom none will be refused a hearing, however humble, nor fail to receive justice at his hands. He is truly a man of the people, and I wish every person in the United States could know him as I know him, and remembering all these qualities in the election, that his home is one of perfect balance.

None can meet the splendid Mrs. Wilson and her three refined, cultured daughters with their perfect naturalness, but must feel that the whole family of Woodrow Wilson was carefully prepared to fill a great need in the present crisis in the history of our country, as were Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and Lincoln, and I would advise the farmers upon my reputation as a man, if you want to protect your own interests and those of your families, if you want to render the greatest possible good to your country and future generations; if you want to contribute your part to the end that popular government under God shall not perish from the earth, then see that the Hon. Woodrow Wilson is elected President.

Court Calendar.

FIRST WEEK.

Wednesday, August 21, 1912.

- W. L. & L. and R. & S.—N. W. Braswell 296 vs.
- S. & P. and A. A. & A.—J. A. Austin. A. A. & A.—Icemorlee Cotton Mill 306 vs.
- R. & S.—Rosa High, Hassle High et al. S. & P.—J. M. Fairley 308 vs.
- R. & C.—Fred and Lou Redfean W. L. & McN. L. & V.—Brooks—Climax Lumber Co. 320 vs.
- S. & P.—D. V. Griffin. A. A. & A.—The McCaskey Register Co. 321 vs.
- S. & P.—Julius A. Crowell. R. & S.—C. N. Simpson, Jr. 322 vs.
- S. & P.—Robt. M. Green & Sons. R. & S.—Mecklenburg Iron Works 325 vs.
- A. A. & A.—J. Albert Gullidge. Thursday, August 22, 1912.
- S. & P.—Z. P. Godwin 326 vs.
- R. & S.—Rich Perkins. A. A. & A.—R. H. Moore 327 vs.
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- S. & P. and W. L. & McN.—Thos. S. Ezzell. R. & S.—W. F. Moore 330 vs.
- W. L. & McN.—Sam Ezzell. R. & S.—F. A. Krauss et al 332 vs.
- S. & P. and A. A. & A.—W. Henry Collins et al. W. L. & L. and L. & V.—A. F. Brooks 333 vs.
- B. & M.—W. J. Hill. L. & V.—N. S. Matthews 334 vs.
-—E. D. Shaw. A. A. & A.—Margaret E. Pifer et al vs.
-—Julia E. Mullis et al.

Friday, August 23, 1912.

- L. & V.—Telitha Huntley 337 vs.
-—L. Malcom Huntley. R. & S.—Crow Brothers 338 vs.
-—J. A. Gullidge. R. & S.—R. M. Sanders 341 vs.
- S. & P.—T. M. Greene. W. L. & McN.—L. E. Moore 343 vs.
- S. & P.—T. Kemp Helms. W. L. & McN.—Sallie Trull 350 vs.
-—Brady Trull.—Telitha Huntley 357 vs.
-—J. Malcom Huntley. R. & S.—Jack Thomas 377 vs.
-—Lillian Thomas. W. L. & McN.—Boyd McManus 403 vs.
-—Jessabel McManus. W. L. & McN.—Gordon Cook 404 vs.
-—Addie Cook. W. L. & McN.—Dontie Aldrich 405 vs.
-—Bob Aldrich. R. & S.—Jack Thomas 415 vs.
-—Lillian Thomas.

Saturday, August 24, 1912.

- R. & S.—The Sikes Company 344 vs.
- A. A. & A.—D. H. McGregor & Co. R. & S.—R. F. Honeycutt 345 vs.
-—William Simmons. A. A. & A.—J. C. Marsh & Co. 348 vs.
-—J. A. Rogers. A. A. & A.—Armfield Bros. 349 vs.
- S. & P.—W. E. Funderburk.—Er. J. Hays et al 351 vs.
-—Reese Haywood et al. W. L. & McN.—G. R. Helms 352 vs.
- S. & P.—D. L. Williams. R. & S.—Thomas Barrett 353 vs.
-—Lewis Hellig. S. & P. and A.—John A. Austin 551 vs.
- R. & S.—John A. McColum et al.

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SECOND WEEK.

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- W. L. & McN.—J. T. Carter 354 vs.
- L. & V.—W. H. Collins. S. & P. and W. L. & McN.—J. W. Smith 355 vs.
- R. & S.—J. M. Privett. A. A. & A.—Craig & Wilson 353 vs.
- L. & V.—Lenora and Wilson Scott. W. L. & McN.—Walter McCain 359 vs.
- A. A. & A.—S. A. L. Ry. Co. Vann and B. C.—Hiram Orr et al 360 vs.
- R. & S.—J. D. McRae, trustee J. I. Orr. R. & S.—Willie Bass 361 vs.
- L. & V.—C. A. Scott. W. L. & McN.—Union Distributing Company 362 vs.
- A. A. & A.—J. A. and J. H. Gullidge.

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- S. & P.—F. A. Marsh, adm. J. A. Marsh, 362 vs.
-—W. E. Marsh, guardian D. T. Marsh, n. e. d. W. L. & McN.—Levie Medlin 364 vs.
-—Julius Pusser. L. & V.—C. B. Rogers 365 vs.
- W. L. & McN.—Russell Rogers. L. & V.—Fowler & Lee Co. 366 vs.
- S. & P.—M. W. Duncan. S. & P.—Dixie Tobacco Co. 368 vs.
- W. L. & McN.—Doster & Doster. R. & S.—John Hamilton 369 vs.
- A. A. & A.—S. A. L. Ry. Co.

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- W. L. & McN.—J. B. Mills 370 vs.
- E. & P.—J. Hamp Gullidge. R. & S.—W. C. Cunningham 371 vs.
-—Jas. Z. Howey. R. & S.—Price-Henby Co. 372 vs.
- S. & P.—Jas. M. Keziah. R. & S.—E. Z. Ford Pump Co. 373 vs.
- L. & V.—Mrs. H. D. Austin.—L. C. Smith 374 vs.
-—J. D. Faulkner. R. & S.—W. S. Walkup 376 vs.
-—Board of Supervisors of Jackson Township et al.—The Mitchell Clothing Co 378 vs.
- R. & S.—Crow & Lee. R. & S.—Cudahy Packing Co. 379 vs.
- S. & P.—J. V. Cadieu. R. & S.—M. A. and J. W. McCain 381 vs.
- L. & V.—J. M. Keziah.

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- S. & P.—B. F. Mangum. R. & S.—Lex Presley by his next friend, Robert Presley, 392 vs.
- A. A. & A.—Dr. J. R. Jerome. A. A. & A.—C. W. Barrino 393 vs.
- S. & P.—Elias Pusser. L. & V.—S. H. Crowell 396 vs.
- S. & P.—J. H. Harkey et al. E. & P.—Washaw Real Estate Co. 397 vs.
-—R. C. Griffin. R. & S.—W. W. Horn 398 vs.
-—S. N. Wolfshiner et al. A. A. & A.—Farmers & Merch. Bank 399 vs.
- R. & S. and Parker—W. T. Brooks. S. & P.—Southern Cotton Oil Co. 400 vs.
-—Redfean Brothers. R. & S.—Crow Brothers 401 vs.
-—J. A. Gullidge. R. & S.—Kingan & Co., Inc. 402 vs.
-—J. V. Cadieu.

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- S. & P.—T. W. Huey 406 vs.
- A. A. & A.—City of Monroe.—Monroe Realty Co. 407 vs.
-—J. L. Sims. A. A. & A.—Monroe Realty Co. 408 vs.
-—H. J. Aycock. S. & P.—J. E. Little 409 vs.
- A. A. & A.—S. A. L. Ry. Co.—M. W. Duncan 410 vs.
- W. L. & McN.—T. E. Sinclair. R. & S.—W. W. Horn 412 vs.
-—S. N. Wolfshiner et al. S. & P.—Mary R. Broom 413 vs.
- R. & S.—Southern Express Co. S. & P.—R. E. Polk 414 vs.
- A. A. & A.—Cotton States Wagon Co. S. & P.—J. E. Stack & Co. 416 vs.
- A. A. & A.—S. A. L. Ry. Co. R. & S.—Allale McMillan 420 vs.
-—Harrison McLeod. S. & P.—Dick Russell 422 vs.
-—S. A. L. Ry. Co.

MOTION DOCKET.

- R. & S.—R. B. Redwine et al 30 vs.
-—Peoples Dry Goods Co. R. & S.—The Sikes Company 38 vs.
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- W. L. & McN. and S. & P.—C. A. Long et al. S. & P.—N. C. Curlee et al 317 vs.
- L. & V. and W. L. & McN.—Rosa Ann Curlee. R. & S.—Downte & Wheeler 331 vs.
-—John Robinson 19 Big Shows. A. A. & A.—Indian Trail Supply Co. 336 vs.
- W. L. & McN.—W. F. Tarrant and Mrs. Bettie Tarrant. R. & S.—J. R. Sanders 340 vs.
- S. & P.—Jonah Barrino.—Indian Trail Supply Co. 342 vs.
-—William Williams. R. & S.—D. B. Snyder, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 357 vs.
-—Thomas Starke. R. & S.—Cliff Griffin 389 vs.
- A. A. & A.—S. A. L. Ry. Co. L. & V.—Fowler & Lee Company 394 vs.
- R. & S. and S. & P.—W. T. Brooks.

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