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Shadow Lawn, N. J., Oct. 28.—To the American people Woodrow Wilson today gave an accounting of his administration as their President. He "balanced his books" so that the record stands clear. Promises fulfilled, great deeds done! That, in short, tells the story. And yet the story is not finished. Other chapters in the great Book of Human Progress remain to be written. It rests with you, American Voters, to say whether the man who began the book shall finish it.

Here, in the President's own words, is a plain statement of what he, as leader not only of the Democratic party but of the nation, has accomplished in your behalf and of what he plans for your future—a statement made not alone to the thousands who journeyed here but to you and the hundreds of thousands throughout the country who also celebrated "Wilson Day."

The President's Speech.
"My Fellow-citizens:
"This is called 'Wilson Day' only because for six years, first as Governor of New Jersey and then as President of the United States, I have been permitted to lead first a great state and then a great national party along the ways of progress and of enlarged and regenerated life which our people had so long sought and so long been held back from by the organized power of selfish interest, and because the great honor has fallen to me of being chosen once more spokesman and representative of the men who mean to hold the country to these ways of peace, humanity and progress. It is of these forces that I shall speak and not of myself, who am merely their servant."
"What are these forces? What have they accomplished, and what is their programme and purpose for the future? It is plain what they are. They are the forces of humane, righteous, and patriotic purpose which have sprung up in our day in the minds of those who perceive the shortcomings of the law as it has hardened in America and who look forward with purpose and conviction to a new age in which government shall be indeed the servant of liberty and not of privilege."

"These are men who perceive that American law has not kept pace with American sentiment, that our law has been holding us rigid and immovable, until class has begun, in free America, to be arrayed against class; until what was legal has begun to play a more important part in our thoughts and determinations than what is human and right; and until America has begun to lag instead of lead in reconciling what is with what ought to be."

Dawn of a New Age.
"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 has changed and the whole world has 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."

"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!"

Squaring Laws With Life.
"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 programme was conceived under 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 fifteen million 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 programme whose object is to serve the changing needs of humanity and progress."

"The Democratic party was entrusted with the task. These powerful forces of the new age were put under its 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."

Financial Credit Released.
"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

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LAND SALE.
By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed, executed by W. R. Free and wife to the W. M. Perry Mill Company, on the 17th day of June, 1912, and duly assigned to W. M. Perry on January 12, 1914, the undersigned will, on **Monday, November 20th, 1916,** at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in Monroe, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following real property situated in the town of Wingate, N. C., to-wit: Beginning at iron stake in North edge of street, Y. M. Boggan's corner, and runs with his line North 3 1/4 W. 169 feet to an iron stake in a ditch, Lowery's corner; thence with said ditch and said Lowery's line S. 71 W. 129 feet to an iron stake in said ditch; thence a new line S. 14 E. 132 feet to an iron stake North edge of the street; thence with said street North 86 1/2 E. 120 feet to the beginning, and being the lot conveyed to W. R. Free by P. A. Parker and wife, on the 26th of October, 1910. Sold to satisfy the provisions of said mortgage deed.

This is a very desirable house and lot, in a splendid community. Remember the day of sale.
W. M. PERRY,
Assignee of Mortgage.
STACK & PARKER, Attys.

Notice of Publication of Summons.
North Carolina.—Union County—in the Superior court.
Troy Marsh by his guardian, W. O. Lemmond, vs. Ella Tyson and her husband, W. B. Tyson, Edna Simpson and her husband, J. W. Simpson, John W. Marsh and his wife, Carrie Marsh, and Emmaline Marsh.

To Edna Simpson and her husband, J. W. Simpson, and John W. Marsh, and his wife, Carrie Marsh, defendants in the above entitled proceeding:
You, and each of you, will take notice that a special proceeding entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Union County by the above named plaintiff for the purpose of partition among the tenants in common of the William R. Marsh tract of land situated in Marshville township, Union County, N. C.; and each of the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Union County in Monroe, N. C., on the 14th day of November, 1916, and answer the complaint filed by the plaintiff in said proceeding, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 13th day of October, 1916.
R. W. LEMMOND, C. S. C.
VANN & PRATT, Attys for Plaintiff.

Ordinance of the City of Monroe, N. C., Fixing License Taxes.

30. Upon each and every automobile used for carrying or transporting persons, baggage or other articles for hire, \$10.00, provided, no person shall be taxed more than \$10 under this sub-section.
That every person receiving from the City of Monroe a license under this section shall attach in a conspicuous place on the vehicle the tag showing the number of the license and the year of its issue, which shall be given by the City of Monroe with the license so that the number may be easily seen. Any person failing to attach the tag or plate furnished him shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be fined \$50.00 or imprisonment thirty days.

Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation desiring to carry on any business hereinafter named, or to do any of the acts or enjoy any of the privileges mentioned in this ordinance, shall, before doing so, apply to the City Tax Collector for license to do the same and shall receive such license by paying the tax necessary for such privilege or right. If any person, company, firm or corporation, shall exercise any of the professions, trades, callings or businesses or do any of the acts licensed herein before paying such license tax, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine of fifty dollars, or imprisonment for thirty days, for each offense.

Sec. 15. That this ordinance shall be in force from and after the date of its adoption.
Adopted this June 6th, 1916.
JOHN GRIFFITH, Mayor.
G. S. LEE, JR., City Clerk.

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The following is the act requiring delinquent tax-payers in **UNION COUNTY** to pay an additional fee of fifty cents to the tax collector:

Public Local Laws of North Carolina, Session 1915, Chapter 538.

AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE COLLECTION OF TAXES IN ROBESON AND OTHER COUNTIES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That any and all persons, firms or corporations in Robeson county who fail or neglect to pay their taxes on or before the first day of February of any year shall pay in addition to the regular tax a fee of fifty cents, the said additional fee to be paid to the officer collecting said tax and retained by such officer as compensation for his services in collecting delinquent taxes: Provided, that this act shall not apply to rural policemen in collecting delinquent taxes in Robeson county.

Section 2. That this act shall apply only to the counties of Robeson, Bladen and UNION.

Section 3. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after the first day of March, one thousand, nine hundred and fifteen.

Enacted this, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1916.

THIS APPLIES TO CITY TAX THE SAME AS COUNTY TAX.

NOTICE.
North Carolina, Union County, in the Superior Court.

C. B. Williams vs. Sallie L. Williams.
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Union County to dissolve the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant on the grounds of adultery; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the fifth Monday before the first Monday in March, 1917, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 3rd day of October, 1916.
R. W. LEMMOND, C. S. C.
Stack & Parker, Attys.

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