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TAFT DISCUSSES CAMPAIGN ISSUES

IN A NOTABLE INTERVIEW THE PRESIDENT TREATS OF THE TARIFF, TRUSTS, HIGH COST OF LIVING, WOMAN SUFFRAGE, RECALL OF JUDGES, IMMIGRATION AND GOVERNOR WILSON.

PROTECTION RAISES WAGES.

Thinks the Payne Law Has Enabled the American Worker to Meet the Cost of Living and Maintain His Family in Comfort—Every Able-bodied Man Willing to Work Has Work—City Hotels Thronged With Buyers and Farmers Never Better Off—Nothing Can Kill Prosperity but the Benumbing Glacier of Free Trade or a Wave of Anarchy.

President Taft, when in New York, Sept. 24, gave a long interview to the newspapers in which he discussed fully the campaign issues.

This is the interview in part: "Mr. President, have you visited the 'Chamber of Horrors' in Union square, where the burdens upon living under the high tariff are illustrated?"

"No, but a New York friend told me a little incident in regard to it worth remembering. According to the story told me, the exhibition includes a number of articles of clothing tagged with the prices and an alleged statement of what the articles would cost with the tariff duties deducted. I understand that a number of establishments engaged in the manufacture of clothing are situated in the neighborhood, and a workman, evidently from one of those establishments, strolled at the noon hour into the exhibition. Looking about him, he noticed a coat bearing a price tag, and indicating what the cost of the coat would be without a tariff duty. 'Why,' he remarked, 'that would bring the price of the coat lower than what I get for making one. At that rate where would I come in?' It is hardly necessary to say that he would not 'come in' at all, unless willing to work for one-half to one-fifth of his present pay for making a coat.

"The policy of the Republican party is not to shut out foreign manufactures, but to foster domestic manufactures and to keep the American workman employed.

"The tariff should be revised so far as may be necessary to keep prices from being exorbitant, so that, as I have explained in my speech of acceptance, the manufacturer shall secure only enough protection to pay the scale of high wages which obtains and ought to obtain in this country, and secure a reasonable profit."

"What do you think, Mr. President, of the proposal of the third term party to control the trusts through federal incorporation and regulation?"

"It would create the most monstrous monopoly of power in the history of the world—a power as much greater, as much more autocratic, than that of a Caesar or a Napoleon, as the business interests of the twentieth century are greater, more dominant and far-reaching than were those of 2,000 or 100 years ago.

"The Payne law has had no more to do with advancing the cost of living than the latest Atlantic cable tariff. On the contrary, it has enabled the American worker to meet the cost of living and maintain his family in comfort.

"Under the operation of that law prosperity has been gradually restored since the panic of 1907. Practically every able-bodied man who is willing to work has work, and in some of the large industrial centers, as well as in other parts of the country, the demand for labor far exceeds the supply. City hotels have been thronged with buyers from all sections of the Union, who report ready sales and empty shelves, and are eager purchasers of goods to replenish their stores. Farmers were never better off. Every legitimate industry is looking forward to still greater prosperity, provided the nation's progress shall not be halted by the benumbing glacier of free trade or the destructive lava stream of anarchy.

"I have not changed in the slightest my view as to the necessity of monetary reform, or of the great value and importance of the work done by the monetary commission, of which former Senator Aldrich was chairman.

"It is a reform necessary in the interest of all the people and must be carried through according to some practical and efficient plan that will remedy the gross inadequacy and marked imperfections of our banking and currency system.

"There has been no intervention in Nicaragua. Under conditions of anarchy, accompanied by acts of ruthless barbarity, American marines were landed at the request and with the consent of the lawful government of Nicaragua to assist in protecting the lives and property of Americans and other foreigners. There was no invasion, no levying war. Common humanity dic-

sued." "What is your attitude, Mr. President, on the woman suffrage question?"

"Suffrage for women is an issue to be decided by the states, and there can be no doubt whatever that whenever and wherever a majority of women impress upon their fathers, their husbands, sons, brothers and beaus that they want to vote they will get the right to vote."

"Do you regard the recall of judges, Mr. President, as an issue in this campaign?"

"I regard the maintenance of an independent judiciary as a supreme issue, and I thoroughly agree with the American Bar association that the recall applied to judges would tend to deprive the public of judges of ability, character, high sense of duty and a due regard to enlightened public sentiment and that such a judiciary is absolutely necessary to the existence of a constitutional democracy."

"What are your views, Mr. President, in regard to immigration?"

"There are both room and opportunity in the United States for immigrants of wholesome physique, industrious habits and good moral character. I hope that when the Panama canal is opened the tide of immigration from Europe will flow through to the Pacific states, which are very sparsely settled in view of their vast extent and magnificent natural resources."

"It is reported, Mr. President, that Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has sent out circulars to labor unions attacking your administration as hostile to organized labor."

"I have not seen the circulars you mention, but if the statement is correct Mr. Gompers is as much in error as he was four years ago, when he proposed to deliver the whole labor vote to Mr. Bryan."

"I appreciate," added Mr. Taft, "Governor Wilson's courteous and respectful personal attitude toward my office and toward me. As to his statement about my being misled by 'bad advisers,' I wish him and every one to understand that I have been and will continue to the end of my term president of the United States in all that the title implies, that I am responsible for every act of my administration and have no burden to shift on to others."

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The tariff has been revised. Within a year following passage of the Payne bill wages were increased more than \$500,000,000. Industry is operating at high pressure, general business is prosperous, and there is a scarcity of labor everywhere.

Two acts providing safety for railway employees and proper inspection of appliances have been passed.

The federal mining bureau for reducing the dangers to workmen has been established.

A children's bureau to minimize infant mortality and reduce child employment in factories has been organized.

Pensions for Union veterans of the war of the rebellion have been broadened and increased.

White slavery has been outlawed and checked.

Our trade with foreign nations has

been enormously increased, particularly in iron and steel manufactures.

Congress has made the contract between railroads and their employees more favorable to the latter.

Shippers by rail and patrons of express, telegraph and telephone companies are assured just rates by reason of additional authority conferred upon the interstate commerce commission.

The eight hour law on government work has been extended to include contract supplies.

Practice in the federal courts has been simplified in the interest of all litigants, which will relieve particularly the poor suitor.

Postal savings banks have been established, to the great convenience of persons who formerly hoarded their surplus.

Provision has been made for the parcels post, which will begin operations Jan. 1.

These are among the achievements of three years of Taft. No other administration within the same brief limit has accomplished so many substantial benefits to the people. Why make a change, involving widespread upheaval of business, when every physical and material condition is favorable?—From Harrieburg (Pa.) Telegram.

Gave Up Hope

"I suffered five years, with awful pains, due to womanly troubles," writes Mrs. M. D. McPherson, from Chadbourn, N. C. "They grew worse, till I would often faint. I could not walk at all, and I had an awful hurting in my side; also a headache and a backache.

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