

## FAR-FAMED EDITOR HAS CHOSEN WILSON

Influential Springfield Republican Declares for Policies And Ideals.

## CANDID REVIEW OF BOTH CANDIDATES CONVINCING

Hughes Would Take Office With Many Obligations—Wilson's Leadership Progressive.

With accustomed accuracy and candor the editor of the Springfield "Republican," of Springfield, Mass., has reviewed the public careers of Woodrow Wilson and Charles E. Hughes with the earnest purpose of deciding upon the editorial policy of that newspaper in the present campaign.

The "Republican" is one of the most ably edited and famous newspapers in America. Its editor has waited in the present campaign to hear both candidates before taking sides.

Like a candid, broad-minded publicist he yields that measure of praise to Mr. Hughes he thinks his public acts must claim, but like a true patriot he announces his allegiance to the country's present policies, and pledges his splendid talents henceforth to the reelection of Woodrow Wilson.

The Republican's editorial, making President Wilson the candidate of its choice, has already become a notable bit of literature in the campaign. It says in part:

Mr. Wilson, in the face of difficulties and criticism such as have confronted no president since Lincoln, has accomplished much. To declare his foreign policy futile is idle. The conclusive answer is contained in the bitter protests of the radical faction in Germany that the German submarines have been caught "in a net of notes." The outstanding fact is that Mr. Wilson, without bringing the United States into war, has forced a recognition of neutral right.

With relation to Mexico, Mr. Wilson has grasped the underlying principle that we shall not have a permanently peaceful neighbor to the south of us until the most patent wrongs under which the masses of the Mexican people have suffered are righted through their own efforts. The recognition of this principle in the long run means the minimum of evil to this country from the Mexican problem. It is to Mr. Wilson's everlasting credit that in spite of difficulties, discouragements, and possibly of incidental mistakes, he has not wavered in his endeavor to apply this principle to the changing circumstances of the times.

### Mr. Hughes' Obligations.

Much is made, and very properly, of the fact that Mr. Hughes, if elected, would take

office free from hampering pledges. But if free from obligations. Having courted and gained the support of Col. Roosevelt, it would be impossible for Mr. Hughes, as a matter of practical politics, to sign a treaty with Colombia redressing the wrongs done that nation when Col Roosevelt "seized" the canal zone. Mr. Roosevelt has angrily and bitterly opposed such action on the part of our government, correctly estimating that it would be a repudiation of his course and a personal humiliation to him. Consequently, for Mr. Hughes to support such a treaty would be to invite an experience similar to that which befel Mr. Taft. Yet adjustment of Colombia's wrongs is important for the United States, not merely as a matter of national honor, but as a matter of dollars and cents in our commercial dealings with all Latin America, where sympathy could be gained to so large a degree by no other one act.

### Wilson is Progressive.

Under Mr. Wilson's leadership the Democratic party is to-day a better instrument of progressive government than in a generation, if not in its entire history, and, what is more to the point, a better instrument, in the opinion of this paper, than the Republican party promises at this moment to become under Mr. Hughes. Various episodes have emphasized the fact that the Democratic party has had comparatively few outstanding leaders of national reputation. But it is one of the chief items of Mr. Wilson's leadership that during his term progressive and enlightened Democrats such as Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, have been brought more and more to the front while the reactionaries have been sent more and more to the rear. The party has been in training and it has gained. But in spite of any comparative lack of leaders, the Democrats meeting in caucus, whenever has been necessary, have threshed things out and determined to support, one after another, a long series of soundly constructive legislative measures of historic importance—notable among them the income tax, the banking and currency act, the rural credits act, the child labor bill, the federal unemployment service, the humanitarian features of the seaman's act and the provision for vocational training for civil life while in the army. To achieve such a record without leaders, if it ere literally true that the Democrats had no leaders, would be in itself a triumph of democracy and a better promise than any amount of leadership stamped with the political conceptions of Boies Penrose.

Admirable as was Mr. Hughes' record at Albany, there can be no definite assurance that he would be able to force Penrose and others of that ilk to a back seat in the degree to which Mr. Wilson has revitalized the democracy. Mr. Hughes would make a good President; it was a matter of national good fortune that he was nominated at Chicago. But Mr. Wilson, by reason of his exceptional experience in office and his now overwhelmingly evident leadership of his party along progressive lines, is, in the opinion of "The Republican," better fixed to meet the problems of foreign relations and social evolution, in the broadest sense, which the next four years hold in store.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Miss Ora Mosely returned Friday to her home in Independence after a visit with Miss Mayme Stewart.

## DARING AVIATRIX TELLS OF EXPLOITS IN AIR

She Loops the Loop, Yet is Afraid of Snakes—Will be At State Fair.

Miss Katherine Stinson, the world to loop the loop in an aeroplane and who has been secured to give exhibitions of her skill and daring at the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia, had an entire page in recent issue of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, telling of her experiences in the dangerous field of aviation.

This little girl, for she is only 19, who has made thousands of grown men shudder as she does her death-defying aerial stunt, said that she was not afraid of mice but that common green snakes made her shriek with terror. And these are the kind of snakes that the farmer boys treat almost as fishing worms. This is one of the only two things that she fears, the other she said, is when she points the nose of her biplane straight up, with the solid earth thousands of feet below. Then she is afraid that her engine will "go dead" and she will not be able to point it downward quick enough.

When asked why she did not give up aviation if looping the loop frightened her, she replied that she realized all the dangers but that flying was a business with her. In discussing her fellow aviators, many of whom came to tragic ends, her manner was such as if these matters were of no personal interest to her. She also predicted great development for aviation in the next few years.

Miss Stinson will be but one of the hundreds of features that make this great state fair one of education and pleasure for Missourians.

### Notice to Auto Drivers.

Sec. 48. Every automobile, motor vehicle, or motorcycle using gasoline or other explosive mixture as a motive power shall use a muffler, which be sufficient to deaden the sound of the explosions, and such muffler shall not be disconnected or cut out while such automobile, motor vehicle or motorcycle is being operated upon any street or avenue, boulevard, parkway or park-road within the City of Lexington.

OWEN OWEN,

City Marshal.

Anyone violating the above Ordinance will be punished by a fine or imprisonment or both, if necessary. This nuisance must be stopped.

D. L. MOUNTAIN,  
Police Judge.

### Merchant Tailor.

for the next few days in our French Dry Cleaning department.

Gents 2 or 3 piece Suits, cleaned and pressed \$1.00.

Ladies Suits, plain, cleaned and pressed \$1.00.

Suits pressed, 75 cents.

Our repairing is done by an expert.

Phone 426, and we will do the rest.

Suits in a rush that's our speciality.

GEO. WITTENBERG

### Livery and Feed Stables.

We are prepared to furnish the public with carriages at reasonable prices to churches and other public gatherings, and also buggies and other accommodations pertaining to the livery business.

SCHABERG BROS.  
Successors to J. C. Young, Sr.

### EARL D. MCGILL

Physician and Surgeon

Seiter Building

PHONE 858

Call attended promptly day or night.

## Just the Thing for Diarrhoea.

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know that it is reliable. Obtainable everywhere.

Chas. Graham of Blue Springs, Mo., and Forest Graham of Buckner, spent Friday here with relatives.

Miss Pearl Fulkerson of Kansas City spent Friday here with relatives.

### Cure for Cholera Morbus.

"When our little boy, now seven years old, was a baby he was cured of cholera morbus by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simmons, Fair Haven, N. Y. "Since then other members of my family have used this valuable medicine for colic and bowel trouble with good satisfaction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." Obtainable everywhere.

Mrs. Nannie Shaw Rose returned to her home in Warrensburg Saturday after a visit here with relatives.

### Liver Trouble.

"I am bothered with liver trouble about twice a year," writes Joe Dingman, Webster City, Iowa. "I have pains in my side and back and an awful soreness in my stomach. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and tried them. By the time I had used half a bottle of them I was feeling fine and had no signs of pain." Obtainable everywhere.

Mrs. H. F. Millikan and her daughter, Miss Reba, and Carl Turner, who came in a car from Dodge City Thursday, returned home Saturday. Miss Josephine Shelton went with them as far as Kansas City. by the Western Union Tele-

### The Best Laxative.

To keep the bowels regular the best laxative is outdoor exercise. Drink a full glass of water half an hour before breakfast and eat an abundance of fruit and vegetables, also establish a regular habit and be sure that your bowels move once each day. When a medicine is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are pleasant to take and mild and gentle in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

Wanted—Ambitious men desiring to earn \$200.00 or more per month. Every salesman given special training. Unlimited opportunities. Write immediately. Power Lubricating Co., Detroit, Mich.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that letters of Administration on the estate of William S. Hackler deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 15th day of August, 1916, by the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last insertion of this publication they will be forever barred. This 15th day of August, 1916. JOSEPH M. HACKLER, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice. Notice is hereby given, that letters of administration on the partnership state of Stier Clothing Co., were granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of July, 1916, by the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last insertion of this publication they will be forever barred. This 14th day of July, 1916. E. T. STIER, Surviving Partner.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE—ss. In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, October Term 1916, at Lexington, Missouri. In vacation, August 15th, 1916. Harvey A. Farrell, William Alvin Farrell, Emma F. Ward, Charles W. Farrell, Bernetta M. Hamilton, John C. Farrell, James Thomas Farrell, and Earl Rowe and Thelma Rowe, Minors, By Edward Rowe, Guardian of their Person and Curator of their Estates.—Plaintiffs.

vs. David H. Mock, William Mock, Ann M. Jones, Mary E. Dobson, Frank Mock, Edwin Mock, Sarah Chinn, Henry Douglas, Jay Douglas, Ruth Douglas, Edwin Douglas, Helen Hargrave, Laura Cary and Mamie Douglas.—Defendants.

Now at this day comes the Plaintiffs by their attorney and file their petition verified by affidavit, alleging among other things that the defendants, Frank Mock, Henry Douglas, Ruth Douglas, Edwin Douglas, Helen Hargrave, Laura Cary and Mamie Douglas are non-residents of the state of Missouri; Whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk of said Court in vacation as follows: To the said Defendants, Frank Mock, Henry Douglas, Edwin Douglas, Helen Hargrave, Laura Cary, Ruth Douglas and Mamie Douglas, you are hereby notified that the plaintiffs have commenced a suit against you in this Court, the object and general nature of which is to try, ascertain and determine the estate, title and interest of said plaintiffs and defendants herein respectively, in and to the following described real estate situate in Lafayette County, Missouri, to-wit: a part of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of section 16, Township 48, Range 25, described as follows: beginning at the Northwest corner of said Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of said section 16, Township 48, Range 25, thence South to the Southwest corner of said quarter section, thence in a north easterly direction to a point 40 rods due west of the Northeast corner of said Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, thence west to place of beginning. And in which said petition plaintiffs allege, that they own, hold title to and are in possession of the aforesaid described real estate, that they are the sole heirs of Uriah Farrell, deceased, who died intestate seized and possessed of said tract of land, that the title thereto emanated from the United States government, by the act of Admission granting school land, more than eighty years ago, that prior to the year 1854 said tract of land was, by order of the County Court, sold to Franklin Mock, and a patent was issued to him by the State of Missouri, that in the life time of said Franklin Mock, to-wit, August 30th, 1871, possession was taken of said land by Uriah Farrell, under whom plaintiffs claim title, and that the said Uriah Farrell and those claiming under him, including these plaintiffs, have ever since had the actual, continuous, open, adverse, peaceful, and lawful possession of the same, claiming title thereto. That the said Franklin Mock, died intestate in the year 1873, leaving Sarah E. Mock, his widow, who has since died, David H. Mock, William Mock, Ann M. Jones, Mary E. Dobson, Frank Mock, Edwin Mock, Sarah Chinn, and Harriet V. Douglas, his children, his only heirs at law, that Harriet V. Douglas, departed this life intestate in the year 1915, leaving Henry Douglas, her widow, and her children, Jay Douglas, Ruth Douglas, Edwin Douglas, Helen Hargrave, Laura Cary and Mamie Douglas, her only heirs at law. That the said Franklin Mock having never conveyed said tract of land, as appears of record, the title thereto formerly vested in him, appears of record to be vested in the defendants, his children and grandchildren, his only heirs at law.

That the said Franklin Mock, has not, nor has any one of the defendants nor any person claiming or who might claim said land, under him, been in possession thereof for more than thirty-one consecutive years, nor for more than forty years, nor has the said Franklin Mock, nor the defendants nor any person claiming or who might claim the same under him paid taxes upon said land, or any part thereof, during all these periods of time, nor has any such person, at any time brought any action to recover the same.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim have been in the open notorious, continuous, adverse, hostile, lawful and peaceful possession of said land for more than thirty-one consecutive years. Plaintiffs state in their petition that the defendants claim some interest, title or estate in said premises, the nature and character of which, is unknown to the plaintiffs, except that it is prejudicial to the interest of plaintiffs.

Plaintiffs state in their petition, that their petition contains as full, correct and complete recital and description of the claims of the defendants as they could make, and how such claims are derived as far as known to plaintiffs.

And it is further ordered by the Clerk, that unless the defendants, Frank Mock, Henry Douglas, Jay Douglas, Ruth Douglas, Edwin Douglas, Helen Hargrave, Laura Cary and Mamie Douglas be and appear at this Court at the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the City of Lexington, in said County of Lafayette, and State of Missouri, on the 9th day of October, 1916, next and on or before said day answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof, be published according to law in the Lexington Intelligencer, a newspaper published in said County of Lafayette for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said October, 1916, Term of this Court.

W. T. TUTT, Circuit Clerk. By FRANK BOWMAN, Deputy.

A true copy from the Record. Witness my hand and seal of the Court.

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A true copy from the Record. Witness my hand and seal of the Court.

Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, this 15th day of August, 1916.

W. T. TUTT, Circuit Clerk. By FRANK BOWMAN, Deputy. (Seal) Thomas A. Walker, Attorney for plaintiffs. First insertion August 18, 1916.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE—ss. In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, October Term, 1916, at Lexington.

Harvey A. Farrell, William Alvin Farrell, Emma F. Ward, Charles W. Farrell, Bernetta M. Hamilton, John C. Farrell, James Thomas Farrell, and Earl Rowe and Thelma Rowe, minors, By Edward Rowe their Guardian and Curator—Plaintiffs.

vs. The Unknown Heirs of Augustine F. Alexander, deceased and their consorts—Defendants.

Order of Publication, in Vacation, August 11, 1916. Now at this day come the Plaintiffs herein by their attorney, and file their petition verified by affidavit, alleging among other things, that Defendants, the unknown heirs of Augustine F. Alexander, deceased, and their Consorts, are interested in the subject matter of said petition as further recited below and whose names they can not insert therein because they are unknown to them, and plaintiffs have been unable, after due effort to ascertain such names: Whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk of said Court in vacation as follows:

To the said Defendants, the unknown heirs of Augustine F. Alexander, deceased and their consorts, you are hereby notified that the plaintiffs have commenced a suit against you in this Court, the object and general nature of which is to try, ascertain and determine the interest of the plaintiffs and defendants herein and to obtain an order and judgment of said Court to perfect plaintiff's record title and to declare their title vested in them by limitation under the Provisions of section 1884, Chapter 21, Article VIII of the Revised Statutes of Missouri for 1909, to the following tract of land situate in Lafayette County, Missouri: to-wit, The Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of section 16, Township 48, Range 25; and that the Plaintiffs are the sole heirs of Uriah Farrell, deceased, who died intestate, seized and possessed of said tract of land; alleging among other things, that the title emanated from the United States government to the State of Missouri, by the act of Admission granting school land, more than eighty years ago, that prior to the year 1854 said tract of land was by order of the County Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, sold to Franklin Mock, and a patent was issued to him by the State of Missouri, December 26th, 1871. That the title to said tract of land, vested in one Augustine F. Alexander by a sheriff's deed dated July 8th, 1870, by a sale under and by virtue of a judgment and execution against Franklin Mock, that in the life time of said Augustine F. Alexander, possession of said land was taken by Uriah Farrell, under whom plaintiffs claim as heirs under a deed from Franklin Mock, dated August 30th, 1871, and that ever since August, 30th, 1871, the said Uriah Farrell and those claiming under him, including these plaintiffs have had actual, continuous, open, adverse, peaceful and lawful possession of the same claiming title thereto, that the said Augustine F. Alexander as appears of record has never conveyed said tract of land to anyone, that he died single and intestate in the year 1899, and that title to said land formerly vested in him appears of record to be in his heirs, and by reason thereof they are interested in the subject matter of this petition; that the said Augustine F. Alexander has not, nor has any person claiming, or who might claim said land under him, been in possession thereof, for more than thirty-one consecutive years, nor has said Augustine F. Alexander nor his heirs, nor any person, claiming or who might claim the same under him paid any taxes upon said land, or any part thereof during all those periods of time, nor has any such person at any time brought any action to recover the same, and that the defendants, said unknown heirs of Augustine F. Alexander, deceased, and their consorts, derive their title by descent from the said Augustine F. Alexander, deceased, and are barred from all title thereto by limitation; that plaintiffs cannot insert the names of said heirs nor of their consorts in the petition because the same are unknown to the plaintiffs and they, after due effort, have been unable to ascertain such names, and pray for a decree vesting the title to said land in plaintiffs and divesting your apparent title of record from you; and that unless you, the said unknown heirs of Augustine F. Alexander, deceased, and their consorts be and appear at this court at the next term thereof, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Lexington, in said County, on the 9th day of October, 1916, next and on or before said day answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof, be published according to law in the Lexington Intelligencer, a newspaper published in said County of Lafayette for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said October, 1916, Term of this Court.

W. T. TUTT, Circuit Clerk. By FRANK BOWMAN, Deputy.

A true copy from the record. Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, this 11th day of August, 1916.

W. T. TUTT, Circuit Clerk. By FRANK BOWMAN, Deputy.

A true copy from the Record. Witness my hand and seal of the Court.

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