

# SENATOR McCUMBER MAKES IMPASSIONED PLEA FOR REP. TICKET

## Senior Senator from North Dakota in Eloquent Address Contrasts Party Attitudes on Tariff Questions at Court House Last Night.

(From Saturday's Daily)

Speaking for more than two hours at the courthouse last night, United States Senator McCumber made what was without doubt the most forceful and eloquent appeal for republican party loyalty presented in the state during the campaign of 1912. His address was devoted principally to the farmers, and his arguments for the support of President Taft were among the strongest and most forceful yet heard here. Senator McCumber said among other things:

"I think President Taft made a mistake in his support of Canadian reciprocity, but his motive was honest and sincere. I believe he now sees it was a mistake, but he is not a political trimmer and is not trying to escape his responsibility for an error by saying: 'You are a liar, I never said it.'"

"But how about Mr. Wilson and the democratic platform? Mr. Wilson declares absolutely in favor of Canadian reciprocity, condemns the democrats who voted against its repeal, and the democratic platform declares against any protection upon any of the necessities of life, which of course means food products. So, we have Taft standing on a republican platform which is against reciprocity on one side, and Mr. Wilson standing on a democratic platform and declaring for free trade in food products.

"If we are sincere in our opposition to reciprocity, we are bound to support Mr. Taft and the republican administration. In the field of actual progress along every line of human welfare, in effective acts and not loud words, Mr. Taft has achieved more than any president since the days of Lincoln. He stands for sane progress along sane lines.

### Effect on the Farmer.

"There was never a time in the history of the United States when a given amount of expended energy on the farm would bring as great a return as it does today. There never was a time when a bushel of wheat, barley, corn, rye, when a dozen of eggs, a pound of butter, a spring chicken, a cow, a steer, a sheep, a horse or a hog would purchase as much as it does today. What part has our protective policy had in producing this result? That system in forty years has changed this country from a condition in which two men were producing the food for one man to eat, to a condition where one man is producing the food for two men to eat, and that is most important. That system has built up vast cities and mighty populations to consume the farmers' products right at home and not from 3,000 to 6,000 miles away.

### Comparative Purchasing Power.

"The number of bushels of corn that would sell for \$100 under the McKinley law sold for \$73 under the Wilson-Gorman law. The same number of bushels of corn that sold for \$100 under the Wilson-Gorman law sold for \$171 under the Dingley law.

"The same number of bushels of wheat that sold for \$100 under the McKinley law sold for \$93 under the Wilson-Gorman law and for \$151 under the Dingley law. The same number of bushels of oats that sold for \$100 under the McKinley law sold for \$75 under the Wilson-Gorman law and \$159 under the Dingley law. Barley that sold for \$100 under the McKinley law sold for \$179 under the Dingley law. A horse which sold for \$100 during the McKinley law sold for \$62 during the Wilson law and the horse that sold for \$100 during the Wilson law sold for \$217 under the Dingley law.

### Butter that brought \$100 under the McKinley law brought \$65 under the Wilson-Gorman law, and butter that brought \$100 under the Wilson law sold for \$159 under the Dingley law. Eggs that brought \$100 under the Wilson law brought \$162 under the Dingley law. Wool that brought \$100 under the Wilson-Gorman law brought \$164 under the Dingley law.

### Keep the Mills Running.

"What is more important to us than a slight raise in the things we buy is the great raise in the things we sell. We always sell twice as much as we use for clothing and food, and we use this balance for the intangible expenses of life, for education, for the churches, for traveling, for amusements and thousands of things that are not absolutely essential and these expenses make up the greater part of the expenses of the American people. When we receive a high price for our products, though we may pay considerably more for the necessities of life, the balance in our favor will be many times greater under the higher price system.

"The farmer must not only have something to sell but he must have something to sell to people who have something to pay with and if we close our mills again as we did during the last democratic administration, we shall reduce the ability of the vast manufacturing population of the country to purchase the farmers' products which will necessarily result in reducing their value as it did from 1398 to 1897."

Bismarck Tribune: Hon. Frank White and Hon. Frank E. Ployhar of Valley City have returned to Bismarck from the southern part of Morton county where they have been looking over some land in the vicinity of Shields. They stated that conditions in Morton county were exceptionally fine this year.

Mrs. L. T. Larson of Dazey, was shopping and visiting with friends in the city on Friday.

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## Celebrate Golden Wedding Day

### MR. AND MRS. P. W. NOXEN OBSERVE THEIR FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

On the 18th day of October, 1862, in the village of Shomburg, York county, Ont., Mr. Phillip W. Noxon, of Sophiasburg, Prince Edward county, Ont., and Miss Catherine W. Armittage of the first named village, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony.

Just 50 years later, on Friday, Oct. 18, 1912, a merry, happy party of relatives gathered at their home, 601 Conkling avenue, Valley City, North Dakota, to celebrate the golden anniversary of that marriage.

All of their children, together with their wives and husbands, were present, as follows:

E. J. Noxon and wife, Lottie, of St. Louis, Mo.

J. W. Noxon and wife, Lena, of Valley City, N. D.

Ella (Noxon) and husband, Herbert Y. Cooper of Bloomfield, Ont.

Mary (Noxon) and husband, Samuel Oglesby, of Valley City, N. D.

Stephen J. Noxon and wife, Daisy, of Valley City, N. D.

Emmy (Noxon) and husband, Joseph Pickard, of Wimbledon, N. D.

Eight grandchildren were present and eight absent. These with those above mentioned, thirty in all, all living, making an unbroken chain from which the grim reaper has not yet severed a link.

At 2 p. m. a sumptuous dinner was spread. The table was set in gold and white and cut glass. Appropriate place cards and napkins were also in gold and white. The wedding cake was decorated with united hearts illuminated in gold letters with the places and dates of the two events. The floral decorations were golden chrysanthemums in profusion.

The gift from the groom to the bride was a beautiful sunburst of pearls and diamonds. The bride's gift to the groom was a handsome gold-headed ebony cane. The children presented to their father and mother each a beautiful gold handled umbrella.

The occasion was most enjoyable and the heartfelt wish of the many friends of the esteemed couple is that their setting sun of life may not go beneath the horizon of time for many, many years to come.

Beginning today books will be found at the several voting places in the city and every voter should make sure that his name is registered. On Tuesday of next week each of the polling places will be open all day and until eight in the evening so that every one will have a chance to see that they are properly registered.

Read the Times-Record.

## GREAT THEORIES AND THEORISTS

(Furnished by Progressive Com.)

Louis D. Brandies, the J. Rufus Wal-lingford of the democratic party, is chiefly noted for his theories. Not on one subject, but on all of them, or nearly so.

Last year he startled the whole United States by announcing he would save the railroads a million dollars a day if they would but adopt his theories. In other words he would increase their net earnings from 40 to 50 per cent. He spent much time in explaining to the Interstate Commerce Commission how it could be done. But they could not see the point, and only smiled. Nor did the railroads care for the money anyway.

Now this is the same man that tells Woodrow Wilson and everybody else that he can write a law that will make the dissolved Standard Oil company compete with itself, and Professor Wilson said it was great dope for the "Fall Races."

One peculiar characteristic of these great theorists, is that they are willing to believe most anything if it is only a theory, and Professor Wilson is well qualified in this way. He has spent the greater portion of his life as a teacher of theories. For many years he has been president of one of the largest "Theory Factories" in the United States.

The democratic party has been noted for its theories. The only time they were given a chance to practice them, they were told by their president that they were confronted with a condition, not a theory.

The three great theories of the democratic party was slavery, state's rights, and tariff for revenue only. The slavery theory was stricken from the democratic platform by force of arms.

Regularly for more than a half a century, the democrats have submitted their theories of state's rights and tariff for revenue only to the people and each time defeated with one exception. Only once since the Civil War have these theorists been given a chance to see what they could do and what they did do is still a nightmare to our older business men.

The democratic party has had many passing theorists and theories. If by

## Freight Train Kills Team at Fingal

### POLE TEAM OF FOUR HORSE RIG KILLED AND DRIVER BADLY INJURED YESTERDAY

Friday at noon while crossing the tracks of the Soo railroad at Fingal a four horse team owned by Henry Rathje, residing near that place was struck by a Soo engine switching in the yards, killing one team and badly injuring the driver, Adam Jobs.

The accident occurred on the main street of Fingal while Jobs was returning to the Rathje farm after hauling grain to town. The lead team had just crossed the tracks when the engine struck it. The grain tank and wagon were demolished, and the horses dragged for a hundred yards, before the engine could be stopped. Jobs, the driver was thrown from his seat, his leg broken at the thigh, and he was otherwise badly bruised.

The lead team broke away and were captured after running a short distance.

Jobs was brought to Valley City late yesterday afternoon by Mr. Rathje, and is now under a physician's care at Platon hospital. Late reports are that Mr. Jobs is getting along nicely.

## Good Advertising By Bank of Valley City

One of the best advertisements for Valley City seen for some time is in the recent edition of the National Bankers' directory, which is just off the press. In listing the banks of North Dakota, the Bank of Valley City is given a prominent place across the top of the two page map of the state. The ad, not only mentions the bank, but the resources of the city and county, and suggests the advisability of investments in this section of the state.

### LAND FOR SALE.

Several good farms in the vicinity of Sanborn for sale cheap. Write A. A. Canfield, Fargo, N. D. (9-26-3tw)

chance among their multitude of theories there happened to be a sound one, it was necessary for the other party to adopt it before the people were willing to give it a trial. While trying out new stunts it is a good idea to have a practiced hand at the wheel and not a theorist or a teacher of theories.

The theory that Prof. Wilson now proposes to the people of North Dakota is the no tariff theory on grain from Canada. That's one on the farmers, but wait.

Again the democratic party will be confronted with a condition, not a theory.

(Political Advertisement.)

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