

Roosevelt Is for Mr. Taft

lems of our civilization; for its bigoted reactionaries by his proper solution we need not mere- frank criticism of the abuse of the power of injunction in labor ly honesty and courage, but judgdisputes, and he is pledged to do ment, good sense and entire fairall he can to put a stop to the mindedness. Demagogy in such abuses in the exercise of the a matter is as certain to work power of injunction. He will The evil as corruption itself. never promise anything that he man who promises to raise the will not do all in his power to wages of railroad employes to the perform. He can always be highest point and at the same trusted to do a little better than time to reduce the rates to the his word, and the fact that belowest point is promising what fore election he will not promise neither he nor no one else can the impossible is in itself a guar perform; and if the effort to peranty that after election all that form it were attempted disaster is possible will be done, would result to both shipper and

His record as a judge makes the wage-worker, and ruin to the whole country his debtor. His business interests of the county. actions and decisions are part of The man to trust in such a mat the great traditions of the bench. ter as this is the man who, like They guaranteed and set forth Judge Taft, does not promise too in striking fashion the rights of much, but who could not be the general public as against the swayed from the path of duty by selfish interests of any class, any argument, by any considerwhether of capitalists or of laboration; who will wage relentless ers. They set forth and stand war on the successful wrongdoer by the rights of the wage-worker among railroad men as among all other men; who will do all that can be done to secure legitimately low rates to shippers and absolute evenness among the rates thus secured; but who will neith nation as a whole. As for the er promise nor attempt to secure attack upon the injunctions in rates so low that the wage-earner would lose his earnings and the the road, his profits. He will injunctions be carefully examin- while on the bench, in the effort shareholder, whose money built ed. I ask that every responsible to get justice for the wage-worknot favor a ruinous experiment like government ownership of railways; he will stand against any kind of confiscation of honestly acquired property, but he will work effectively for the most efficient type of government sup ervision and control of railroads, so as to secure just and fair treatment of the people as a whole.

What is here said as to his attitude on the railway question applies to the whole question of the trusts. He will promise public; for they rest on the prin- mocracy-against the man who nothing on this subject unless he cipies of fair dealing for all, of to please one class would under-

firmly believes he can make his promise good. He will go into no chimerical movement to destroy all great business combinations, for this can only be done by destroying all modern business, but he will in practical fashion do everything possible to secure such efficient control on behalf of the people as a whole, over these great combinations as will deprive them of the power to work evil. Mr. Taft's decision in the Addystone Pipe Line case while on the bench is proof, by deeds not by words, of the farsighted wisdom with which he serves the interests of the whole people even when those of the most powerful corporation are hostile thereto. If there is one body of men more than another whose support I feel I have a right to challenge on behalt of Secretary Taft it is the body of wage-workers of the country. A stauncher friend, a fairer and truer representative, they cannot find within the borders of the United States. He will do everything in his power for them except to do that which is wrong, he will do wrong for no man, and therefore can be trusted by all men. Mr. Taft has been attacked because of the injunctions he delivered while on the bench. I am contented to rest his case on these very injunctions; I maintain that they show why all our people should be grateful to him and should feel it safe to entrust their dearest interests to him. Most assuredly he never has yielded and never will yield to threat or pressure of any sort, as little if it comes from labor as if it comes from capital; he will no more tolerate the violence of a mob than the corruption and oppression and arrogance of a corporation or of a wealthy man. He will not consent to limit the power of the courts to put a stop to wrongdoing wherever found. This very fact should make the labor people feel a peculiar confidence in him. He has incurred the bitter hostility of foolish and

mark the judge who rendered orderly liberty, and against the them as standing for the rights man, who in the interest of anof the whole people, as far as other class would secure business daylight is from darkness, so far prosperity by sacrificing every is such a judge from the time- right of the working people.

server and truckler to the mob, I have striven as president to or cringing tool of great, corrupt champion in every proper way and corrupting corporations, the interests of the wage-worker; Judge Taft on the bench-as for I regard the wage-worker, since, in the Philippines, in Pan- excepting only the farmer, the ama, in Cuba, in the War depart tiller of the soil, as the man ment-showed himself to be a whose wellbeing is most essential fearless, and an upright servant to the healthy growth of this of the whole people, whose ser- great nation. I would for no vices to the whole people were consideration advise the wagebeyond all price. Moreover, let worker to do what I thought was all good citizens remember that against his interest. I ask his he rendered these services, not support for Mr. Taft exactly as I when it was easy to do so, but ask such support from every tarwhen lawless violence was threat sighted and right-thinking Amerened, when malice, domestic and ican citizen; because I believe civic disturbance threatened the with all my heart that nowhere whole fabric of our government within the borders of our great and of civilization; his actions country can there be found an showed not only the highest kind other man, who will as viligantly of moral courage, but of physical and efficiently as Mr. Taft supcourage as well, for his life was port the rights of every man who freely and violently threatened. in good faith strives to do his Let all tairminded men, wageworkers and capitalists alike. consider yet another fact. In one to organize and to strike, as un- of the decisions upon the bench equivocally as they set forth and Judge Taft upheld in the strongstand by the doctrine that no est fashion and for the first time conduct will be tolerated that gave full vitality to the princiwould spell destruction to the ple of the employers' liability for injuries done workmen. This was before any national law on labor disputes, made while he the subject was enacted. Judge was on the bench. I ask that the Taft was a leader, a pioneer,

and fair minded labor leader. er, in jealous companionship of every responsible and fair minded his rights, and all upright and member of a labor organization, farsighted laboring men should read these injunctions for himself. hold it to his credit that at the No responsible organization same time he fearlessly stood would now hesitate to condemn against the abuses of labor, just

the abuses against which Judge as he fearlessly stood against the Taft's injunctions were aimed. abuses of capital. If elected he The principles which he therein has shown by his deeds that he so wisely and fearlessly laid will be president of no class, but down serve as a charter of liberty of the people as a whole, he can for all of us, for wage workers, be trusted to stand stoutly against for employers. for the general the two real enemies of our de-

even handed justice for all. They mine the whole foundation of

duty as an American citizen. He will protect the just rights of both rich and poor and he will war relentlessly against lawlessness and injustice whether exercised on behalf of property or of labor. On the bench Judge Taft showed the two qualities which made a great judge; wisdom and moral courage. They are also the two qualities which made a great president. Yours truly, THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to all who so kindly assisted us during the illness and at the death of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we thank the members of the Deutsche Gessellschaft, who rendered such valuable assistance. MRS, H. W. WOLFF AND FAMILY.

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Thurs. Oct. 1st

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