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Woodrow Wilson, Ph.D., Litt.D., L.D., former holder of numerous professorships of Jurisprüdence and Politics, and now Governor of New Jersey, has been chosen as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United

prudence and political economy at Johns Hopkins Uni-versity and received his Ph.D. degree in 1885. Many

Act, a reform of the election laws of the State which

would make direct nominations possible, a corrupt pra-tice act and a Public Utilities Commission Bill. A

Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States. The selection is noteworthy and the outcome will be watched with special interest in that a Presi-dential candidate has been introduced into the political areaa in the Republic who, in nearly every respect, pre-sents a contrast to all the other aspirants for the Presi-dency, whether Republican or Democratic. Mr. Wilson has been in political life less than two years. He has been known far and wide as "the Prince-ton Schoolmaster." Born in Staunton, Virginia, and Si56, and educated at Princeton, Virginia, and Johns Hopkins Universities, he practised law in Atlanta, Ga, during 1852-3, but finding study more consential gave up practise to enter academic life. He studied history, Juris-nuckee and political conomy at Johns Hopkins Uni-

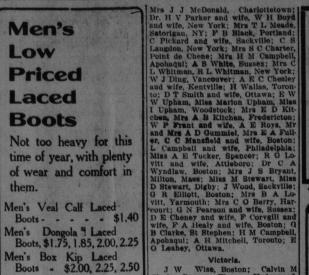
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orships in the particular branches of learning he professorships in the particular branches of learning ne chose to pursue fell to his lot. In 1905 he was elected the first non-clerical head of Princeton University, H has a chilliant record as a writer and public lecturer and first came into notice in 1885 for his Ph.D. thesis "Con-gressional Government: A Study of American Politics." Since that date numerous standard works have been the tradeut of his pen

Since that date numerous standard works have been the product of his pen. In 1910 Mr. Wilson resigned the presidency of Princeton University to accept the Democratic nomina-tion for Governor of New Jersey. Scornful references were made to "the Schoolmaster in politics," but his strong personality, his pre-election pledge "the people of the State will be the boss, the only boss," and a wave of anti-Republican sentiment combined to secure his elec-tion by a plurality of 49,000 votes. Mr. Wilson was the first Democratic Governor elected in New Jersey for six the en years. His sweeping victory brought him into national prominence.

tice act and a Public Utilities Commission Bill. All these measures were written into the statute books of New Jersey during the first year of his term, in spite of the fact that one House of the State Legislature was Republican. In addition, a law will be passed authoriz-ing municipalities to adopt a commission form of govern-acter were enacted. While discounting the pre-election eulogies of Gov-the fact bar double is would be passed to be somewhat user when the attention of the electors is acter were enacted. While discounting the pre-election eulogies of Gov-the discounting the pre-While discounting the pre-election eulogies of Gov-ernor Wilson's friends it would seem that the Democratic candidate has clafing for support entirely distinct from his political affiliations. He has the reputation of being a scholar and a statesman, a gentieman of unpretentious habits, with the fact of God in his heart and the love of mankind exhibited in the acts of his life, above all a public servant who has been tried in the balance and public servant who has been tried in the balance and publican party, through the incursions of Theodore Republican party, through the incursions of Theodore Election of Woodrow Wilson as next President of the Divide States. 245 1-2 City Rd



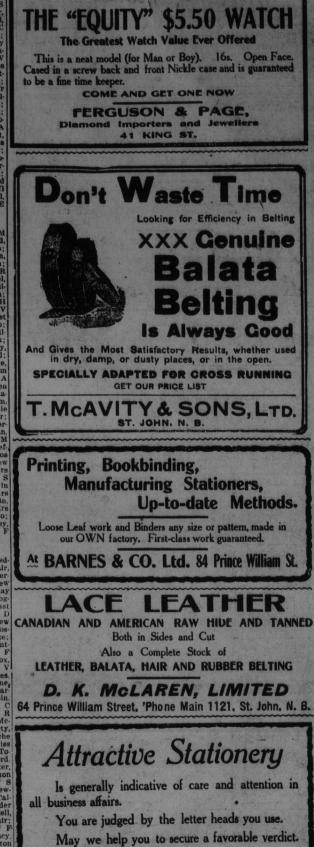
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actional prominence. Governor Wilson's record since that date would seem to justify the belief that he will make a strong Presi-dential candidate for the Democratic party. He stood pledged to the enactment of a Workmen's Compensation Act, a reform of the adstructure for the case of the store of th

A "DEAD ISSUE."

Total \$137,128,057 Revenue as above 136,130,857

As the outlay on consolidated fund account included um for the sinking fund the net result of the year's rations was a decrease in the net debt of \$159,255 singures of the debt on March 31 were:

Liabilities \$508,363,722

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The general result is not quite as satisfactory as had expected. The heavy outlays on the construction of the masses cannot hold when the excitement of this political contest has died down. The generat result is not quite as satisfactory as had of the masses cannot hold when the excitement of this political contest has died down. Calgary Hersid. To erect, furnish and equip a church in fitteen building. To erect, furnish and equip a church in fitteen buildings.

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(London Advertiser.) That's a shrewd thrust of Bryan's that in the seven and a half years of his presidency Roosevelt never ex-pressed an opinion on the tariff. In no period were tariff abuses more rampant. Even today no one knows where Roosevelt stands, except that he is against Canadian-Reciprocity. Royal. Mrs A Thompson, Miss F Thom Charlottetown; Geo A Robertson Holstend, A E G MacKenzie, Can ton; Mrs Josiah Wood, Freder Mrs W B Black and child, Sacl H Harris, New York; J W No Boaton; H C Holland, Montrea; E Oak, Bangor; John E Ackhurs itax; R B Hagerman, Florence W W Rainnie, Militown; E B Y J L Haley, St Stephen; C S E and boys, St Andrews; Geo A

(Hamilton Spectator.) Keir Hardy, the notorious, has been calling the King an anachronism. He must have been trying to emulate the late Dan'l O'Conneil, who roused an old Irish apple-woman to fury by styling her "an obtuse angle of a double aralleloeram."

(Saturday Review, London.) Mr. Rooseveit will not again be trusted in American public life. He has lost his character, and the illusion of the masses cannot hold when the excitement of this political contest has died down.

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