



THE PANAMA CANAL

The Panama Canal, one of the world's greatest engineering achievements—a part of the constructive work, initiated and executed by the Republican party, uniting the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and increasing the Naval strength of the Nation, by rendering it possible to shift the nation's battle fleets from one ocean to the other, as need may arise. The Republican Party is the party of constructive statesmanship and vast national achievement.

Called By His Fellow-Countrymen

On November 7th, 1916, it will be shown that the American, who, among all living men, is

First in War—Fearlessness.

First in Peace—With Honor.

And—

First in the Hearts and Votes of His Countrymen,

Is:

Charles Evans Hughes

WHAT WAGE-EARNERS COMPETE WITH

This country is now importing a large quantity of cardboard boxes from Japan to supply the demand of drug, gems, ornament, toilet goods, candy and millinery manufacturers. Owing to cheaper labor and materials Japan can afford to make the boxes and put them down in this country at a price with which American makers cannot compete under a non-protective tariff.

Last year \$1,250,143 worth of these boxes were imported. The trade is increasing, and the Japanese are watchful to keep it after the war, and will keep it unless a change is made in the tariff. American wage-earners cannot work successfully against labor that is paid from 25 cents to 35 cents a day, unless it has protection, and the American wage-earner gets no protection under a Democratic tariff.

Mr. Hughes was called by the Republican and Progressive parties from the most exalted active station in the American Government, except the Presidency, to call the Nation back to its first ideals of independence and justice, and, when chosen as Chief Magistrate of the Nation, as now seems certain, he will have been chosen for the most important service to his fellow-countrymen since the days of Washington and Lincoln.

THE BASIS OF POWER

America's power to save humanity after the war will depend chiefly upon her own prosperity, her freedom from economic hardship and her surplussage of wealth.

As a shield against industrial depression, as a guarantee of steady work and good profits, America never has had, nor can have, any substitute for a genuine protective tariff.

Those Americans, therefore, who hope to see their country enact the role of helpful, efficient friend to mankind in future should make sure of America's own political and industrial vigor by electing a Republican President and Congress this year.

"Proper Protection Provides PERMANENT Prosperity"