WHO IS JUMPING THOUGH HOOP NOW?

"Today by this performance," said Senator A. O. Stanley, of Kentucky, just before the vote approving investigation of the soldier-bonus bills in the Senate, "you place the seal of your eternal approval upon that policy which means the send of cowardice or you place the seal of courage upon your own conduct. Either Wilson was right and you rubber-stamped him but traitor or he was wrong. If he was right, the charges already made have been made. If he was wrong, there is no excuse for this body, who more than your own President, who more than any other man."

Senator Stanley was discussing the President's appeal to the Senate to reconsider the bonus bill because of the financial condition of the country. He said it was the previous act of the President to advise Congress of the financial condition of the country, or, after signing of the measure, to veto it.

"If he did not," he said, "was neither. This was an almost unprecedented proof of the integrity or the intelligence of the Senator Stanley insisted that none like President Cleveland, Senator Hoke Smith, Secretary Fordney and Senator Penrose would not favor the payment of $5,000,000,000 for a soldier bonus or for any other purpose without knowing whether the money was to come from the pockets of the people.

"If they did not know, should join her Stanley, one of my hotel rooms at the corner of my hotel re-

Replying to Senator Stanley's charges, Senator Lodge said:

"There is no need of explanation. A glittering bauble, a magnificent reward on a year ago was held out to Liberal Democrats and they were assured that if they would but trust the men who had brought prosperity and peace and made wise decisions, who have the secret power of making men rich by taxing one for the benefit of another, just as soon as the Republican party began to speak in the language of economy and honesty and to show a desire to save the country from bankruptcy