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## HARDING—THE EDITOR



Senator Warren G. Harding, Republican nominee for President, is thoroughly familiar with the imposing stone and can "make-up" rapidly and skillfully. Here he is shown "making-up" forms in the composing room of his newspaper, the Marion (O.) Star.

## SENATOR HARDING GUARANTEES FAIR DEAL FOR FARMER

Declares Definite National Agricultural Policy is Vital to Country's Welfare.

### WOULD PUT END TO PRICE FIXING OF FARM PRODUCTS

In Address Before Minnesota State Fair Republican Nominee Shows Profound Understanding of Farming and Its Problems.

Minneapolis, (Special).—The time has come when, as a nation, we must determine upon a definite agricultural policy. We must decide whether we shall undertake to make of the United States a self-sustaining nation—which means that we shall grow within our own boundaries all of the staple food products needed to maintain the highest type of civilization—or whether we shall continue to exploit our agricultural resources for the benefit of our industrial and commercial life, and to leave to posterity the task of finding food enough, by strong-arm methods, if necessary, to support the coming hundreds of millions.

"I believe in the self-sustaining, independent, self-reliant nation, agriculturally, industrially and politically. We are then the guarantors of our own security and are equal to the task."

So declared Senator Harding in a masterly address before the Minnesota State Fair here, in which he revealed a most profound understanding of agriculture, its problems and its relation to the farmer and the consumer in

the cities. This speech has been described as the greatest speech on agriculture which has ever been made by a Presidential candidate.

Among other things he said: "A good many years ago a Chinese philosopher uttered a profound truth when he said: 'The well-being of a people is like a tree; agriculture is its root, manufacture and commerce are its branches and its life; if the root is injured the leaves fall, the branches break and the tree dies.'"

Cause for Concern.

"It may seem strange to many good people that at this particular time any one should quote this saying of a wise old Chinese. Never in all our history have prices of farm products risen so high, measured in dollars, as during the past four years. Farm land in the great surplus-producing states has advanced to unheard of prices, with every indication that, but for the tight money conditions, it would go still higher. Apparently the farmers of the land are enjoying unprecedented prosperity. Why then, even by implication, suggest that something may be wrong with our agriculture, and that the trouble may be communicated to our manufacture and commerce? People in the cities are disposed to think that if there is anything wrong it is in the cities where food is selling at such high prices, and not in the country where the food is produced. But both farm and city students of national problems see in the present agricultural situation certain conditions which give cause for real concern to every lover of his country."

He then returned in a most interesting way to the development of the great central west and sketched briefly the settlement of the great central valley, as follows:

"Through the homestead law the government gave a farm of the richest land in the world to every man who wanted one. Railroads were built, the prairies were plowed up, and almost overnight the agricultural production of the United States increased by 50 per cent. Grains were produced and sold at the bare cost of utilizing the soil, and the farmers of the older states to the east were smothered by this flood of cheap grain. The only thing that could be done with this superabundance of food was to build cities out of it. And great cities we did build, not only in the United States, but across the seas."

He spoke of the hard conditions which came upon the farmers of the central west as a result of their overproduction, and then of the gradual improvement which began in 1905, when the increased population in the cities began to catch up with farm production, and how this increased demand for food was accelerated by the great World War.

Speaking of the part played by the farmer during the war, he said:

Splendid Part of Farmers.

"The splendid part played by the farmers of the nation during the war probably never will be understood or fully appreciated by our people. More than 25 per cent of all our fighting men came from the farms, and after sending their sons to the camps, the fathers and mothers, with the help of the younger children, turned to and produced more food than was ever before produced in the history of the world in the same time and from the same area of land. Their working days were measured not by the clock, but by the number of daylight hours. They took to themselves the responsibility of feeding not only our own people, but also our allies across the seas. In more ways than one, our farmers made the war their war, and counted no sacrifice too great to help fight it through to a successful finish. The story of what they did, written by some one who understands it, will furnish one of the most glorious chapters in American history. One thing I may say—in every American conflict, from the revolution for independence to the world war for maintained rights, the farmer has been 100 per cent American and ready for every sacrifice."

He then pointed out some of the

## Call for Republican County Convention Valencia County, New Mexico.

A delegate convention of the Republican party of Valencia County, N. M. is hereby called to meet at the court house at Los Lunas, Valencia County, N. M., on the eighteenth day of October, 1920, at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for the several county offices, members of the legislature, and such other business as may come before said convention.

The several precincts of Valencia County will be entitled to representation in said county convention, as follows:

Precinct No.	Name	Delegates
1	Los Lunas	6
2	Belen	17
3	Jargies	7
5	Cubero	3
6	Seboyeta	3
7	Juan Taloya	1
8	San Mateo	3
9	Los Lentes	2
10	Peralta	6
11	Valencia	6
12	Adelino	5
13	Casa Colorada	3
15	San Rafael	4
16	Bluewater	1
17	San Rafael	2
18	Luna	3
19	Laguna	2
20	Rinconada	1
22	El Cerro	4
23	Grants	2
24	Jeralosa	3
27	Los Chaves	5
28	El Bosque	3
29	Tome	3
30	Closson	1

Precinct primaries shall be called by each precinct chairman after giving due notice thereof for the purpose of electing the delegates above referred to, and they shall not be held later than the sixteenth day of October, 1920.

Proxies will only be recognized when held by duly elected delegates from the same precinct.

Credentials of all delegates to the county convention and notices of contest, if any, shall be delivered to the secretary of the Republican Central Committee at Los Lunas, not later than ten o'clock of the morning of the 18th day of October, 1920.

Done at Los Lunas, N. M. this 28th day of September, 1920.

Eduardo M. Otero, Chairman  
J. M. Luna, Secretary

## A DAY WITH SENATOR HARDING

Calm, Steady, Determined, the American Who is Leading the Republican Party to Victory Goes About the Business of the Campaign in His Modest Office in Marion.

By WILLIAM HOSTER.

The American people will decide, of course. If they can visualize the vital principle which is at stake—the spirit which is at once the keynote and the mainspring of the campaign upon which the nation has entered, there can be no doubt of the result.

It isn't a thing that can be carried about the country, and exhibited from the rear end of a Pullman car. It is wholly apart from the red fire, blaring bands and stump oratory of old-fashioned campaigns. The issue, in short, goes deep down to that principle which has been the mainspring of the national life since the days of Lexington and Concord; and the patriotic citizen, Republican and Democrat alike, by taking counsel with himself, will find it imbedded in his own heart.

Here in Marion, O., you get a concrete exposition of that vital principle. It is good to come to Marion and get the true perspective. You are brought anew, here, to the realization that the country is in process of electing a chief executive to guide the destinies of 120,000,000 people for the four years ensuing from March 4 next; that the very serious business of bringing about what a European observer described as "a revolution by due process of law," is going forward with a proper regard for the dignity and importance of the task.

Scene Entirely Appropriate.

Your first impression is of the fitness of Marion as the scene for the enactment of such a chapter in American history. It is a quiet little country town, for all its boasted industrial activity; and when you approach the Harding residence, one among many in its simplicity and attractiveness,

the senator. Just at the minute he is reading proof on editorials which are to be printed in his newspaper, the Marion "Star," in the afternoon. The senator stands for everything that is printed in the "Star," and is careful to read what goes into its columns before the paper goes to press. Disposing of the proof sheet, he shakes hands cordially with you, and you are at liberty to sit him up.

Mark Him Dependable.

He is somewhat above the average, of course, because he has already been singled out by the people of Ohio to represent them in the senate. But aside from this: You are at once struck by his balance and his poise. You mark him as dependable—safe. There is that in his face, on his brow, which gives assurance that he is not the sort of a man who will speak without thinking, or act without deliberating. There is reserve force in his bearing, determination in his jaws, character in his mouth, kindly sympathy in his eyes.

As you listen to him talk here in the Christian dining room, or later, in a speech to a visiting delegation from the front porch of his home, this conviction is strengthened. He doesn't say anything in his office that he wouldn't say out on the porch, nor anything on the porch that he wouldn't adhere to in all sincerity in his office.

The thing that strikes you at all times—it is the very atmosphere of Marion—is his moderation, his restraint—the absence of all bombast and exaggeration in his statements, the careful presentation of the issues, the avoidance of all attempt to array one class against the other, the reverence of the desire, if called to the presidency, to be president of all the people; and, without making any high

you feel it is quite in keeping with events that from this typical American home there should come a modest, dignified and capable, up-standing American upon whom the choice of his fellow citizens should fall to uphold the honor and traditions of the nation. This conviction grows when you meet the man. He is typical of the successful business man—of the hundreds of thousands of successful Americans who have accumulated a competence through the ordinary channels which are open to all hard working, straight-forward American boys.

Meet him, now. He has established an office in the home of George Christian, Jr., his secretary, which adjoins the Harding house—and this is typical: chief and secretary live side by side, each owning his own modest home. And by the way, these executive officers are illuminating as to the kind of a man it is whom the Republican party has made its standard bearer in this epoch-making campaign. Every room in the house is given over to the business in hand—the senator's conference room is the Christian dining room, his private office, where the important conferences are held, is the kitchen. In the living room sits Christian. Elsewhere, from cellar to garret, the staff are at work. No confusion, no disorder, no hectic shouting at the top of one's voice, no running around in circles, pandering of the table, no harrying, jimmyming or flattery, with ardent denunciations of the other side, and loud boastsings of the way the opposition candidate is to be beaten into a pulp. Just a thorough, careful, business-like transaction of the business in hand—precisely the way in which we like to think the work of 120,000,000 people will be conducted at the White House after March 4.

Step into the dining room and meet

soundly promises, to give all of our people the best that is in him.

Avoids Personal Controversy.

Particularly noticeable is his avoidance of personal controversy. Not once since his nomination has Harding referred in a public speech to his opponent. He adheres to the issues. Not once has he permitted himself to indulge in personal denunciation of his rival.

He is sane. He has fixed convictions as to the moderation and balance which should characterize candidates for the high office of the presidency; departure from which he believes, without doing any good to the candidate who offends, does serve to bring American institutions into contempt.

During the war there was a Harding-kind of man in service as bosun on an American merchantman. The time came when the ship was torpedoed, and the bosun was put in charge of the tiller on the whaleboat in which a goodly portion of the crew took refuge. A storm arose, and there was imminent danger that the boat would be swamped. In the stern sheets sat the bosun, rigid and erect, his hand locked to the tiller. He said little—"Steady!" now and then to the rowers; or "hold fast; take her head on!" as the boat rose on the crest of a giant wave, and then plunged straight down into the trough of the sea. But for twenty-three hours straight-away, he held fast to the tiller, and he didn't relinquish it until he had guided the boat hard and fast on a friendly beach.

Then he got up and stretched, asked for a pipe of tobacco.

Calm, steady, determined and knowing his business, one conceives of the other Harding thus guiding the ship through any storm that may arise, to a safe harbor.



The "Greatest Mother" concept which was visualized in the famous art poster used by the American Red Cross in its second war fund campaign has had its symbolism adapted to the Red Cross works of the post-war era and will illuminate the main poster to be used in the Fourth Roll Call November 11-25. This adaptation will bear the title "Still the Greatest Mother in the World." Everyone is familiar with the original "The Greatest Mother in the World," the effectiveness of which has been shown in part by the fact that it has furnished a synonym for Red Cross that has come to almost a household term. More than any other symbol, except the red cross itself, the public has made it the trademark of the American Red Cross.

## CANDIDATE COX, THE UNDIGNIFIED

By E. S. VAN ZILE

From the time of George Washington to the present moment it has been characteristic of the American people to demand dignity as an absolutely essential quality in the make-up of a President. The instances have been so rare in which an occupant of the White House has forgotten the obligation he is under to the nation to maintain his poise under all circumstances that it requires close historical investigation to come upon them. Our Presidents have been, no matter what may have been their shortcomings as executives, worthy in their outward bearing of the eminence to which they had attained.

It is a serious handicap to James M. Cox that he has displayed, in his Presidential campaign, a lack of dignity that has been, in some of its manifestations, actually shocking. It is not demanded, of course, that a Presidential candidate shall go about his campaign activities with a book of etiquette in one hand and a box of sedative pills in the other. The American public, with its usual sense of justice, makes due allowance always, when judging the words and deeds of

an aspirant for the Presidency, for the great physical and mental strain that he is undergoing. But there is a limit beyond which its patience and sympathy may safely be tried, and Governor Cox has repeatedly passed that limit.

Of course, it may be too much to expect that a candidate who owes his nomination to the fact that he was the only one of many aspirants who was thoroughly a persona grata to men like Murphy, Nugent, Taggart and Brennan should possess that sensitiveness to the proprieties that has safeguarded the dignity of our Presidents as a class. But even after making due allowance for the fact that a man's manners are influenced by the company he keeps, it is not too much to say that Governor Cox, in his recent public utterances and in certain cheap appeals he has made to people lacking in good taste, has placed himself outside the pale from which alone an occupant of the White House should be chosen.

As President there is every reason to believe that the undignified Cox would offend against a precepts tradition that is, as it should be, dear to the hearts of the American people.

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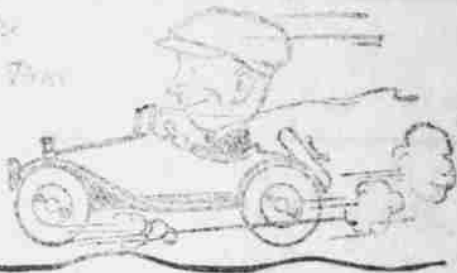
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Andres Siehler,  
Executor.

P. O. Los Lunas, N. M.  
(4-8, 15, 22, and expired 29)

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR

of estate of Aurora Gabaldon de Garcia.  
Public Legal Notice  
is hereby given that the undersigned was on March 8th, 1920, by the Probate Court of Valencia County, New Mexico, appointed administrator of the estate of Aurora Gabaldon de Garcia, deceased, and that all persons having claims against the estate of decedent are required to present them within the time required by law in said Probate Court.

Patrocinio Gabaldon,  
Administrator,  
P. O. Belen, N. M.

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was by the Probate court of Valencia County, at a regular adjourned session thereof on the 12th day of July, 1920, appointed administrator of the estate of Kenneth C. C. Gunn, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law.

John M. Gunn, Laguna, N. M.  
Administrator.  
1st pub July 15 last pub Aug 5

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR

Estate of Agapito Garcia.  
Public Legal Notice  
is hereby given that the undersigned was on March 8th, 1920, by the Probate Court of Valencia County, New Mexico, appointed administrator of the estate of Agapito Garcia, deceased, and that all persons having claims against the estate of decedent are required to present them within the time required by law in said Probate Court.

Patrocinio Gabaldon,  
Administrator,  
P. O. Belen, N. M.  
4-8-20) was first publication.

### IN THE PROBATE COURT VALENCIA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

In the matter of the estate of  
Adolphe Didier, deceased,  
Number—

#### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Hortense Didier, administratrix of the estate of Adolphe Didier, deceased, has filed her Final Report as Administratrix of said estate, together with her petition praying for her discharge; and the Hon. Ignacio Aragon y Garcia, Probate Judge of Valencia County, N. Mexico, has set the 3rd day of May, 1920 at the hour of 10 A. M. at the court room of said court in the Village of Los Lunas, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections; if any there be, to said report and petition.

Therefore any person or persons wishing to object are hereby notified to file their objection with the County Clerk of Valencia County, New Mexico, on or before the date set for said hearing.

Diego Aragon,  
County Clerk.  
(SEAL)  
By Teles. Mirabal,  
Deputy.  
first publication [4-8-20)

### LEGAL NOTICE

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Edward P. Chapman, deceased, has been filed for proof in the Probate Court of Valencia county, New Mexico, and that by order of said court, the first day of November, 1920, at the hour of 10 A. M., at the court room of said court in Los Lunas, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof on said Last Will and Testament.

Therefore any person wishing to enter objections to the probating of said last will and testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the county Clerk of Valencia county, on or before the time set for said hearing.

Dated at Los Lunas, New Mexico this 13th day of September, 1920.

DIEGO ARAGON, County Clerk.  
By Teles. Mirabal, Deputy.



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All persons having claims against the estate of decedent are required to present same within the time prescribed by law.

Antonia Toledo de Chavez,  
Administratrix.

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Georgia F. Garcia, was on the 21st day of July A. D. 1920, by the Probate Court of Valencia county state of New Mexico, duly appointed as administratrix of the estate of Daniel Garcia, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of the said decedent are hereby required to present the same within the time prescribed by law.

Georgia F. Garcia  
Administratrix.  
1st p. Jul 22 last p. Aug 12

## COX KNOCKED LIVE HORNET'S NEST ON OWN PARTY'S HEAD

Charge Regarding Campaign  
Funds Flares Back and  
Singes Democrats.

### THEY WANTED TEN MILLION

People Willing to Contribute to  
Get Rid of Democrats, but Not  
to Keep Them in Power.

By WILLIAM HOSTER.

"God in everything," sang the poet. And this does not even exclude the campaign speeches of Governor Cox.

As a result of Mr. Cox's allegations of a big Republican Campaign Corruption Fund, certain definite facts have been demonstrated by the sworn testimony of the leaders of Governor Cox's own party. They may be summarized as follows:

It has been demonstrated that whereas, in their most sanguine moods, the Republican managers never contemplated a campaign fund of more than \$4,000,000, the Democratic party, at an expense of one-half million dollars, set up the machinery for the collection of a campaign fund of \$10,000,000.

It has been demonstrated that the contemplated \$10,000,000 fund of the Democrats did not materialize for the sole reason that there aren't a sufficient number of plain people in the United States who want a continuance of Democratic rule, to contribute even one-tenth of \$10,000,000.

It has been demonstrated that whereas, the great body of the people—literally thousands of them—have willingly contributed from 50 cents to \$1,000 to be rid of the present Democratic administration, and to defeat Governor Cox; on the other hand not thousands and not even hundreds are willing to contribute 5 cents toward a continuance of Wilsonism.

#### What Records Show.

It has been shown by sworn records that whereas, in spite of Mr. Cox's outraged feelings over the disposition of thousands of ordinary American citizens to help pay the expenses of defeating him in his campaign for the presidency, Mr. Cox in 1914 viewed with complacency the criminal efforts of his campaign managers in Ohio to extort from the Civil Service employees of the state contributions intended to further his personal political fortunes. It has been shown by the testimony of Mr. Cox's own campaign managers that the \$4,000,000 which the Republican managers hope to raise for all political purposes this year is not more than can legitimately be expended for this purpose, and that these frank Democratic managers would also like to have a similar amount, but don't see any way of getting it.

It has been shown that the common, ordinary rank and file of the American people, for the first time in American politics, are ready to contribute out of their own pockets to defeat a candidacy which represents all that is repugnant and hostile to American institutions, and that this willingness of the American people to contribute to the expense of defeating the Democracy is the sole basis of Governor Cox's charge of a conspiracy to buy the government of the United States. Incidentally it required the candidacy of Governor Cox to introduce into a national campaign the doctrine that it is possible for the people of the United States to buy their own government, unless Mr. Cox unconsciously means to convey the idea that in this campaign the people are to buy back their government from the autocracy which has seized it and refuses to let go.

Finally it has been conclusively demonstrated that if the Democratic party is to secure any money to waste in a vain effort to achieve a Democratic victory that money must come exclusively from men of the Colonel Deeds' type and the Dayton aircraft Plunderer, and from the Wall Street international financiers, who alone will profit through the participation of the United States in Wilson's League of Nations.

All of these conclusions have been demonstrated by sworn testimony before the Senate Committee with a mathematical precision which would have met the enthusiastic approbation of the late Mr. Euclid. Governor Cox's great expose has petered out. It was a false alarm.

Let's get back to the issues of the campaign.



It's high time folks quit trying to keep up with the Joneses, Sammy says. Folks with two-bit incomes shouldn't try to act like their grandmother had died and left them the Bank of England. Lots of folks are wearing their salaries on their backs while their grocer is charging up their accounts to the profit and loss column.

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### Notice

To whom it may concern:

The honorable court of Valencia County has fixed the 18th day of October A. D. 1920 to hear objections on the estate of Daniel Garcia, deceased, and for the final adjustment any person interested must present his claim if any in due time.

Georgia F. de Garcia  
Administratrix  
1st pub Sep 16 last pub Oct 7

### AVISO DE ADMINISTRADORA

Aviso se da por este que la abajo firmada, Georgia F. Garcia, fue el dia 21 de Julio A. D. 1920, debidamente nombrada como administradora del estado de Daniel Garcia, finado. Toda persona que tenga reclamos contra el estado de dicho finado es por esta requerido de presentar los mismos dentro del tiempo requerido por la ley.

Georgia F. Garcia  
Administradora.  
1ra p. Jul 22 ultima Ag 12

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