

Alien Reds Must Go, Says Harding In Omaha Speech

High Time, Warns Candidate, For Americans to Distinguish Between Liberty And License.

(Continued from Page One.) way home from work to see the Harding party.

At the hotel hundreds strained their necks to catch a glimpse of Senator and Mrs. Harding. The senator stood in the car with head bared for fully 10 minutes. Mrs. Harding also stood up in her car.

Mrs. Harding talked with a newspaperwoman who crowded up to speak to her.

"I'm always glad to speak to newspaper people," she said. "I feel I am among friends with them."

The police shoved a way through the crowd for the senator and his party.

Meet Old Acquaintance.

At the elevator Mrs. F. B. Hollenbach, 1836 South Twentieth street, met them and shook hands with the senator and his wife. Mrs. Hollenbach explained that she lived in Marion, Ohio, for years and knew the Harding family for a long time.

"Warren is five years older than I am," she said.

The Hardings rested and ate lunch in a parlor, bedroom and bath suite on the second floor. Rooms were reserved on the second floor for 35 newspapermen and others in the party. A cafeteria luncheon was served for the newspapermen, many of whom began writing in a room prepared with typewriters the minute they arrived at the hotel.

After a luncheon and a short rest, Senator and Mrs. Harding and party proceeded to the hotel.

Must Consider Public Sentiment.

Senator Harding's speech follows:

"I believe that no man can be a candidate for the highest executive office in the service of the American people without giving consideration to the public sentiment of his countrymen as to the enforcement of law and order. I propose upon this occasion to state, as frankly and as definitely as I can, that which I believe to be the true American principles which we must all safeguard in maintaining the security of our nation.

It is easy, when in haste, or at times of heated emotions or weak sentimentalities, to fall into grave errors in respect to our American standards of law and order. Therefore, I have deemed it my duty to give thought and analysis to these questions and, through you, to present my conclusions to all the people.

Unfortunately, it is often those who are most insistent upon the maintenance of law and order who, in their zeal, give cause for further breaches of the peaceful administration of our communities. Sometimes there are those so zealous for law and order that their words and acts in behalf of our institutions constitute, in themselves, a serious breach of our laws, and an offense to our social sense of what is fair, and right, and just. Then the self-styled devotees of law and order themselves become menacing to our peace.

No General Amnesty.

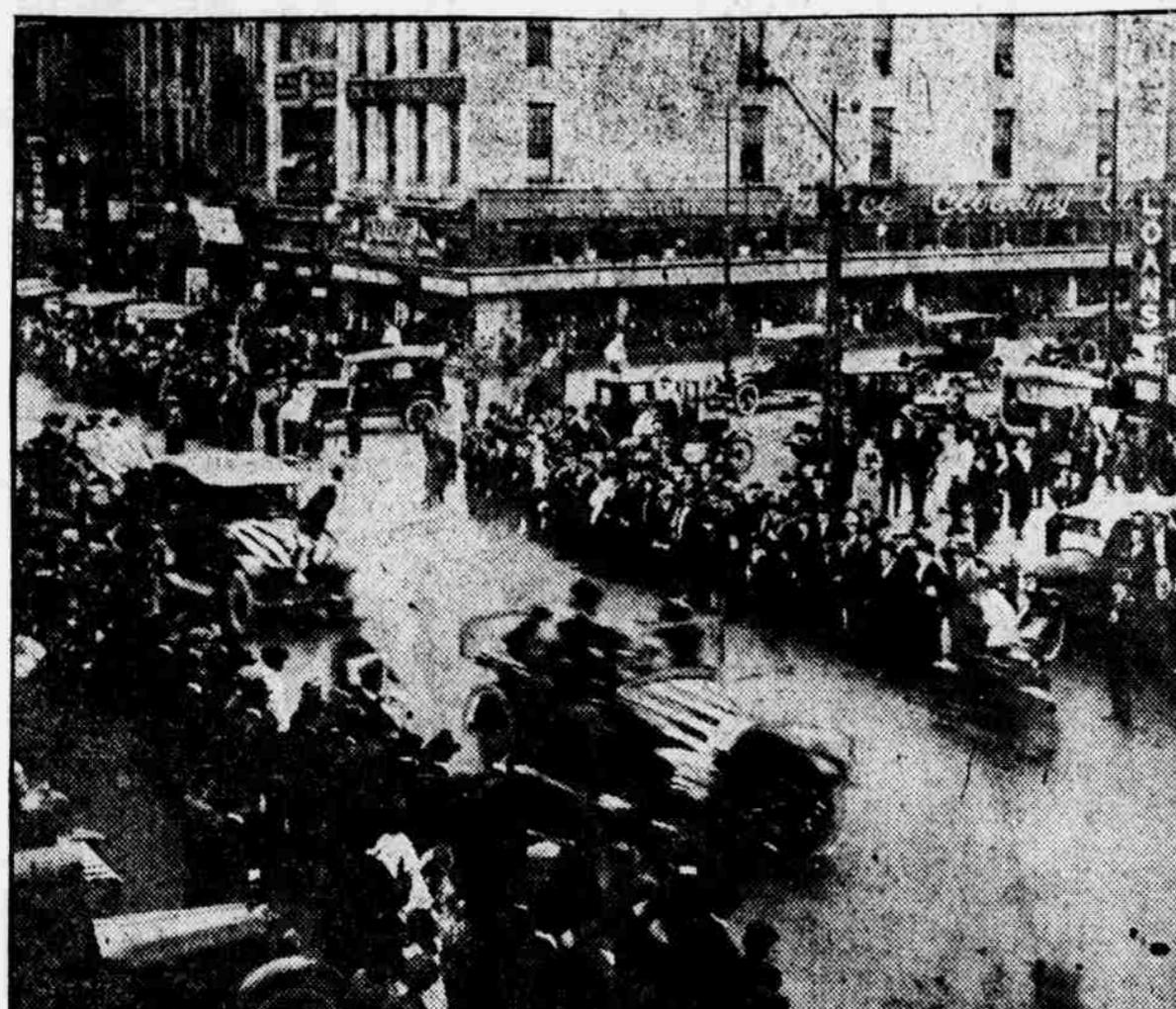
No true American will argue that our laws should not be enforced. I refer to laws, no matter of what nature, whether they be those which deal with acts of treason to the United States, threatening to the constitution and the fabric of our social organization. I wish no one to misunderstand me, and, therefore, I will say as plainly as I can that for my part I can see no essential differences between ordinary crimes and ordinary criminals on the one hand, and political crimes and political prisoners on the other hand. If there is a distinction, surely it is not a distinction which favors political crimes, or political prisoners. The thief, or any ordinary criminal, is surely less a menace to those things which we all hold dear, than the man or woman who conspires to destroy our American institutions.

I have been asked many times during this campaign whether I would grant general amnesty, as it is called, to political prisoners. My answer, I trust, is clear. I would not. A general grant of amnesty to political prisoners is no more justified than a general grant of amnesty to yeggmen. If there is any distinction between the danger of yeggmen and political conspirators, I believe that most Americans will uphold me when I say it is the political conspirator who is the greater menace to the United States. If there are political prisoners who are being punished unjustly, and who have been punished contrary to our spirit of fair play, I shall want to know it, and I shall want to take immediate action to restore justice to such men and women, precisely as I will wish to give freedom to any man or woman who has been unjustly accused of ordinary crime. In particular cases there may be special reasons for leniency.

Flabby Sentimentality.

None of us can deny that in emergencies, of which war was one, there is an unusual pressure for the conviction and punishment of men and women who appear to be thwarting our joint efforts in such an emergency, or who menace our institutions. But these are cases which must be examined, each upon its merits. Only flabby sentimentalism or a deliberate desire to make lax our punishment of those who conspire against us, can be heard to say that any group of convicted men and women can be dealt with in an outburst of wholesale forgiveness. Amnesty for prisoners, whether they be political prisoners or common prisoners, is a matter for humane consideration, applied only for the purpose of correcting wrongs which have been done during a time of stress.

Crowds Yell, "Howdy Mr. Harding"



'Vote for Cox and Then Pray to God To Atone for Folly'

Harding Turns Back on League and Says If People Want It to Vote for Democrats.

Des Moines, Oct. 7.—A direct issue of ratifying or rejecting the league of nations was accepted by Senator Harding in a speech here today, brushing aside the problem of clarifying reservations and declaring he would "favor staying out" of the covenant written at Versailles.

The candidate said he wanted no acceptance of the league with reservations to clarify American obligations, but that the proper course would be to reject those commitments altogether.

"I do not want to clarify those obligations," he said. "I want to turn my back on them. It is not interpretation, but rejection, that I am seeking."

Governor Cox's definition of the issue was accepted in direct terms by the republican nominee, who said democratic stubbornness had prevented the senate from perfecting the covenant and had made the question placed before the voter a simpler one. He called on all of those favoring a super-government to "vote the democratic ticket and pray God to protect you against the consequences of your folly."

It's Already Scrapped.

The senator also restated his program of a world association based on principles of harmony with the constitution, and renewed his pledge to initiate the formation of such a concert immediately after his election.

"Our opponents," he said, "are persistently curious to know whether, if—or perhaps I might better say, when—I am elected, I intend to 'scrap' the league. It might be sufficient in reply to suggest the facility of 'scrapping' something which is already scrapped. Whether President Wilson is to be blamed or thanked for the result, the fact remains that the Paris league has been scrapped by the hand of its chief architect. The stubborn insistence that it must be ratified without doing away with or crossing it, the refusal to advise—that is to counsel with the senate, in accordance with the mandate of the constitution, is wholly responsible for that condition."

"The issue, which our opponents are endeavoring to baffle, is singularly simple and direct. That issue, as made by the democratic president and the democratic platform and the democratic candidate does not present to the American people, the question whether they shall favor some form of association among the nations for the purpose of preserving international peace, but whether they favor the particular league proposed by President Wilson."

An Uncertain Document.

"The democratic platform and candidate have not declared for 'an' association, but for 'that' association, and it is that association and not some other, which we are promised will be ratified within 60 days if the democratic candidate be elected.

"The platform, to be sure, approaches its endorsement with winding words and sly qualifications calculated to betray the innocent and entrap the unwary, but it does, nevertheless, endorse the league as it stands. It does not advocate or favor any reservations or amendments or changes or qualifications. It goes no further than to suggest that reservations will not be opposed which make clearer or more specific the obligations of the United States to the league."

"But there is no need of reservations of this character. The obligations are clear enough and specific enough. I oppose the proposed league, not because I fail to understand what a former member of the democratic administration has said we are being let in for, but because I believe I understand precisely what we are being let in for. I do not want to clarify these obligations. I want to turn my back on them. It is no interpretation nor objection that I am seeking."

Positions Are Clear.

"My position is that the proposed league strikes a deadly blow at our constitutional integrity and surrenders to a dangerous extent our independence of action. The democratic platform rejects this position to quote the exact words, 'as utterly vain, if not vicious.' The democratic candidate in his speech of acceptance has said 'a definite plan has been agreed upon. The league of nations is in operation.'

"Senator Harding as the republican candidate for the presidency proposes in plain words that we remain out of it. As the democratic candidate, I favor going in. The issue, therefore, is clear."

"I understand the position of the democratic candidate and he understands mine as his own words just now quoted plainly show, notwithstanding the recent pretense that my position has not been made clear. In simple words, it is that his favors going into the Paris league and I favor staying out."

"I do not want any one to be misled. I will have no man's vote upon a misunderstanding and I am equally determined, if I can prevent it, that my opponent shall have no man's vote upon a misunderstanding."

"My position, I think, has been made perfectly plain, but whether it has or not, his position is beyond cavil, and it is that we shall go into the Paris league without modification or substantial qualification. To such a betrayal of my countrymen I will never consent."

Getting at Facts.

"To those who desire to incur the hazard of entrusting any of the powers of the republic to the direction of a super-government or, if you prefer, to a council of foreign powers, whether the obligation to follow the council's direction be one of legal or of moral compulsion, I frankly say 'vote the democratic ticket and pray God to protect you against the consequences of your folly!'

"We have been told that we must accept the proposed covenant in order to become a member of the league and that if we do not we shall be obliged to stand with it in hand and sue for admission here."

"Don't pursue me in detail, my friend. I would not dare say what Britain should do no more than I would stand for Britain telling us what to do," he said.

Silences Heckler.

"Put him out," was a proposed disposition of the heckler. The senator stepped to edge of platform to be nearer to his questioner whom he silenced by the force of logic.

Members of Harding's party agree that the meeting was notable on account of the interest manifested.

The train was scheduled to leave at 12:30 p.m.

Congressman A. W. Jefferis and Gould Dietz joined train here and have met Senator Harding.

Iowa Falls In Love With Mrs. Harding

Gracious Manner Charms Des Moines; Greeted With Kiss by 92-Year-Old Woman Voter; Sends Message to Omaha Women.

By EDWARD BLACK,
Staff Correspondent of The Bee.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 7.—(Special Telegram)—Mrs. Warren G. Harding is not a candidate for the presidency, but she surely divided honors with her distinguished husband here this morning. She may be described as a gracious woman, possessed of a fund of humor, blessed with an ingratiating smile and with a simplicity of manner that is part of herself.

"I am getting lots of pleasure out of this trip," Mrs. Harding added. "The Lord is on our side and he sent this beautiful sunshine which has been with us ever since we left Marion."

Kiss Mrs. Harding.

A woman who said her name was Mrs. Mary Stewart and her age 92, stepped up and greeted the woman who expects to be the next first lady of the land, photographers snapped Mrs. Harding and the elderly woman, said she would cast her first vote for Senator Harding, emboldened by that incident, two other women pressed forward and kissed Mrs. Harding.

Omaha women will fall in love with Mrs. Harding this afternoon.

She appeared this morning in a blue suit and wore a corsage of flowers.

She looks after the senator with a watchful eye.

Enjoys Trip.

Then, after a moment's thought, she said: "You may tell the women of Omaha for me that I am pleased to see women come into their own, and to play their part in the sphere of governmental affairs. I am trav-

eler in the reflected glory of the senator."

She looked around and observed the concourse of people. Jesse M. Smith, pre-convention secretary for Senator Harding, and Harry M. Daugerty, member of the campaign executive committee, then stepped up to clear a little space for Mrs. Harding on the station platform.

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First Test of Sound Guide for Vessels Is Complete Success

Pittsburgh, Oct. 6.—After killing a patrolman and a civilian, a crowd of Mexican laborers armed with pistols, barricaded themselves in a boarding house at Homestead, a suburb, and gave battle to a posse of shots.

The trouble began, according to the police, when two patrolmen attempted to arrest the Mexicans for disorderly conduct. One of the Mexicans produced a pistol and killed Patrolman William Smith and wounded Patrolman Henry Davis.

They then retreated to a Mexican boarding house where they shot and killed the proprietor and barricaded themselves.

The police found it impossible to break into the house in the fact of a constant fusillade.

Shortly after 10 o'clock firemen

were laying several lines of hose with the intention of directing streams into the boarding house windows.

The Somes made the blind passage safely, in a test by the Navy department of a new "sound guide" for vessels, planned to aid ships in thick weather.

On both sides of the destroyer cable-like receivers were attached.

Through them to the navigator's receiving apparatus were carried electric tones of the submerged cable.

When the tones were equally strong in both his ears, the navigator knew he was directly over the cable.

THOMPSON-BELDEN & COMPANY

Sale of Fine Silk Hosiery

Black and cordovan silk hose with white clocks.

Black, cordovan and white lace hose.

Black and cordovan embroidered silk hose.

\$3.50 and \$3.75 qualities for

\$2.50 a pair

Patchwork Quilts

In Old and

New Designs

The delightful quilts that our grandmothers used to make are infinitely more valuable than ready-made bedding.

We have a complete selection of patterns for patchwork quilts and will gladly help you plan one.

Art Needlework Second Floor.

These Savings In the Basement

Wash petticoats that assure long service, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.39.

Kimonos, an assortment of broken sizes, Friday \$1.98.

Percale aprons, striped, checked and figured percale, in either slip-over or buttoned styles, Friday \$1.89 each.

The Men's Shop

Offers New Shirts for Fall

Manhattan shirts of silk, silk mixtures, flannels, madras and oxford cloth in plain shades, stripes and neat checks.

Eagle shirts are shown in good looking fibres, heavy silks and madras or percale. An interesting selection of patterns.

In Favor This Season Are

White oxford shirts with buttoned down, attached collars and other shirts in flannel and madras with attached collars.

A selection so varied that you may feel sure of finding a style that pleases you is offered in our Men's Shop. We are very glad to show our assortments of fine haberdashery.

A Step to the Left As You Enter.

Cotton Blankets, \$4 a pair

Tan or gray blankets of soft, long napped cotton are full sized and very good values for this price.

Second Floor

Outing Flannel, 30c a yard

Twenty-seven-inch outing flannel in attractive pink and blue stripes may be had for 30c a yard.

Second Floor

Lace Trimmed Scarfs

Beautifully embroidered scarfs, 18x45-inch scarfs, are \$2.85 and \$3. lace edged, are \$2.75. \$3 and \$3.25 each. priced.

Linen—Main Floor