

Friends Cheer Harding as He Casts His Vote

Republican Leader Plays Game of Golf While Followers Plan Celebration in His Honor.

Marion, O., Nov. 2.—While the nation was recording its decision today on his candidacy for president Senator Harding put politics out of his attentions and gave over the greater part of his time to a game of golf.

Precinct C of the Fourth ward of Marion was the senator's voting place today. It returned a democratic majority at the last election, but the local republican managers predicted that it would go for Harding by a big margin.

Senator and Mrs. Harding reached the precinct voting place shortly after 10 o'clock. They were cheered when they entered the building and several of those who were waiting ahead of them offered to give up their places. The senator refused, however, and took his place 13th in the line, with Mrs. Harding just ahead of him.

A half dozen spotlights were concentrated on them and a battery of cameras clicked away as the nominee and his wife waited their turn. Mr. Harding took orders from the photographers good naturedly and got the crowd laughing by mimicking the movie men.

"That's right, let's keep this scenario going good," he said, "you know you only vote for yourself for president once."

Mrs. Harding's voting number was 303 and her husband's 304 in a ward whose registered vote is about 500. As they emerged from the voting booths the spotlights flared on them again and there was another burst of cheering as they handed over their ballots to the election judge.

After he had voted Senator Harding remained near the voting place for a half hour chatting with his neighbors as they crowded around to express a hope that he would be victorious in the day's balloting.

Many of them also extended birthday greetings for Mr. Harding was born 55 years ago today.

A great bundle of congratulatory birthday messages and advance felicitations on the election result had been received at Harding headquarters long before noon.

Will Get Returns.
Tonight with Mrs. Harding and a circle of relatives and friends he will learn the result of the balloting at his home, where local republican leaders have planned a red fire celebration in his honor.

There was in the candidate's mind any apprehension over the outcome it did not manifest itself in his outward demeanor. He wore the same air of smiling confidence that has characterized his manner throughout his campaign, and there was apparent an additional touch of satisfaction that the stress of political debate and maneuvering was over.

Mrs. Harding Confident.
Mrs. Harding, his constant companion during his campaigning, appeared equally confident and she insisted on doing her full part to the end of the fight by accompanying him to the polls and casting her first vote for him. A slight cold kept her indoors yesterday, but she said she felt much better today.

Vacation plans are in formulation for Mr. and Mrs. Harding, but details have not been announced.

Many of the senator's admirers, confident of a republican victory, already have given him the attentions of a potential president, and the inevitable procession of office seekers has begun. Requests for appointment to positions ranging from cabinet member down have reached Harding headquarters in quantity, and there has been a rush for postmasterships by many who are not aware that recent legislation has put these positions under the civil service.

One of those who offered to serve as secretary of state wrote the senator that although he was young and inexperienced, he had honest purposes and high aims, and was willing to take advice. His name never had been heard before by the candidate or his advisers here.

Funeral for Omaha Clubman Held Tuesday Afternoon
Funeral services for C. King Denman, 3153 Farnam street, Omaha clubman, who died Sunday morning from blood poisoning contracted while on a hunting trip in the mountains of Wyoming last week, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 in Forest Burke's chapel.

The body was to be buried in Forest Lawn cemetery. Pallbearers are J. T. Stewart, J. P. McGee, W. A. Pixley, W. N. Chambers, Robert Burns and Fred Hamilton.

Man Who Helped Save Mayor Is Named Detective Chief

Charles H. Van Deusen, Veteran of Omaha Police Department, Is New Head of Sleuth Department.



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Charles H. Van Deusen, oldest Omaha detective in point of service, was promoted to chief of the detective bureau Monday afternoon by Chief of Police Marshal Eberstein.

Chief Van Deusen assumes his new duties Wednesday and replaces Acting Chief A. C. Anderson.

"The appointment comes as a complete surprise," said the new chief yesterday. "I am going to do my best to build up the detective department to its greatest efficiency."

Van Deusen has been on the police force 13 years. He was appointed detective February 13, 1905. His record is one of the best made by any man who has been on the department. He is a favorite with police officers and detectives alike.

Van Deusen was named a detective when, unarmed, he captured a negro firing two revolvers at him following a robbery at Sixteenth and Jones streets. He later distinguished himself in capturing a Scribner, a Mexican who had shot and

County Is Sued for Fatal Motor Wreck
Douglas county and the Allied Contractors, Inc., were sued yesterday in district court for \$100,000 for the death of Mrs. Emma Nancy King, whose automobile plunged off of the Lincoln highway near Elkhorn October 4. The car plunged into a ditch, killing Mrs. King, but leaving her two small children unharmed.

The accident occurred along a stretch of road now being paved by the Allied Contractors, Inc.

The suit was filed by Ludlow King, husband of the deceased woman.

Negro Janitor Charges Discrimination of Inspector
The city council yesterday refused to take any action in protest of Napoleon Washington, negro engineer and janitor, against the decision of the boiler inspector bureau that he should have only third grade special engineer license, which would bar him from serving at the Walnut Hill school, where he has been employed.

Washington told the council that he had been the victim of discrimination. Commissioner Harry Zimman said that the board had held that an engineer of Washington's qualifications should not be allowed to have charge of the boilers in school buildings although he is quite capable of handling low pressure plants elsewhere.

Hundreds of Teachers Register for Convention
Omaha teachers were registering yesterday at Hotel Fontenelle in order to avoid the rush tomorrow when the 54th annual session of the Nebraska State Teachers' association will be held. At noon yesterday more than 800 had registered.

Girl, Seeking Red-Haired German, Finds Too Many
Belinda Atwater, Concordia, Kan., was sweet on a red-haired German.

She met him at a South Side fair last summer, then lost him.

She wrote Postmaster Herbert Daniel last month asking his aid to locate him.

Her note made the front page of the newspapers.

Postmaster Daniel got another note from her yesterday.

Four red-haired Germans answered her appeal—but none of them was the right one.

Zimman Bets Tie Harding Will Carry Ohio by 100,000
"Why, Cox won't even carry his own state," declared Harry B. Zimman in the council chamber yesterday morning. "I'll bet that he will be beaten by 100,000."

"What!" exclaimed Butler. "I'll just bet you—"

"A nominal bet," interposed Zimman.

"A good hat," said Butler.

"A nominal bet, I said," protested Zimman.

"All right, a tie," replied Dan.

Cox 236th Voter For President in His Precinct

Governor and Wife Arrive Early at Polls—Friends Wish Candidate Best of Success.

Dayton, O., Nov. 2.—Governor Cox, the democratic presidential candidate, was an early voter today, but on arriving at the polls found more than 200 of his neighbors had cast their ballots ahead of him.

Accompanied by Mrs. Cox, the governor reached the polling place, a combination barber shop, store and print shop, at 10 o'clock, but the line of waiting voters delayed the deposit of their ballots until 10:17. The polls were in Carromonte, a suburb of Dayton, and about a mile from the Cox home, Trails End.

The vote cast by Mrs. Cox was not her first, she having lived in Illinois and voted at a state election a few years ago. In the voting booth here she showed her knowledge of the old Australian ballot, marking up four different forms, composing it in two minutes and beating her husband by 30 seconds.

Neighboring greetings and good wishes from his friends greeted the candidate as he arrived at the polls. A battery of cameras was centered on him, as, joining the line of voters, the governor remarked to an elderly woman:

"There's a lot of excitement in Carromonte today."

"Yep, this town needs to be waked up," was her rejoinder.

After getting his ballot—No. 236—the governor found himself without a pencil, but many were offered him, and the one he borrowed was returned to the owner, who remarked:

"I'll keep this as a keepsake from the next president." The candidate responded with a smile. Mrs. Cox's ballot was numbered 235, showing that 234 voters had preceded she and her husband to the polls.

Pullman Porter Killed, Two Injured in Collision
San Francisco, Nov. 2.—Reports were received at Southern Pacific railway offices here that a Pullman porter was killed and two passengers injured in a collision of two sections of a Southern Pacific train at Coram, northern California.

Armed Officers on Guard in Southern Cotton Gin Districts

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 2.—Armed county and city officers and citizen volunteers were on guard today in the southern portion of this country where the burning of cotton gins, dwellings and churches yesterday and today has led to the arrest of eleven negroes and the death of three others. Reports from the region were conflicting and meager, but indicated that order had been restored.

The fires were attributed to night riders in early reports, but today's events were viewed as indicating that a threatened negro uprising had been checked. The property loss so far reported due to the fires was estimated at \$100,000.

Warren Taylor, one of the negroes killed, was shot to death by officers while resisting arrest. Another negro reported having been attacked and robbed and was treated for gunshot wounds, but officers later found the safe he had reported stolen concealed under his bed and took him into custody.

Airplane Service to Cuba From New York Is Opened
Havana, Nov. 2.—Two airplanes, the nucleus of a future passenger-mail service between New York and Cuba, arrived from Key West yesterday, having left New York Saturday last.

McKelvie Closes Campaign With Lincoln Speech

Telling Blows Given by Governor to His Opponents' Alleged Campaign of Misrepresentation.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 2.—(Special Telegram).—Gov. S. R. McKelvie closed the campaign here last night, speaking to a large crowd at City auditorium. He covered most of the ground gone over in previous speeches and gave some telling blows to the campaign of misrepresentation which, he said, had been made by his opponents.

In closing he said he wanted especially to call attention to the program of the opposition headed by Mr. Wray as being one which would be detrimental to the farming interests of the state.

"The farmers of Nebraska are now developing a large co-operative business along many lines," he said. "Mr. Wray and his party would have the state enter the same field and come into competition with these co-operative interests and when it does the co-operative interests will have to suffer, for the state will be able to run the business without a profit and in the end disaster will come to those

engaged in the business now so largely covered by co-operation by the farmers."

Before the governor spoke, the chairman, Richard Stout, introduced the state candidates, Lieut. Gov. P. A. Barrows, State Treasurer Dan Crosby, Attorney General Clarence A. Davis, railway commissioner, and the county candidates. State Auditor George Marsh and Land Commissioner Dan Swanson were not present.

Ten Members of Steamer Crew Killed in Explosion
New York, Nov. 2.—The accident in the engine room of the French line steamer, France, resulting in the death of 10 of her crew, soon after the vessel left Havre October 26, was caused by the bursting of an eight-inch high pressure steam pipe, officers of the ship said on her arrival here.

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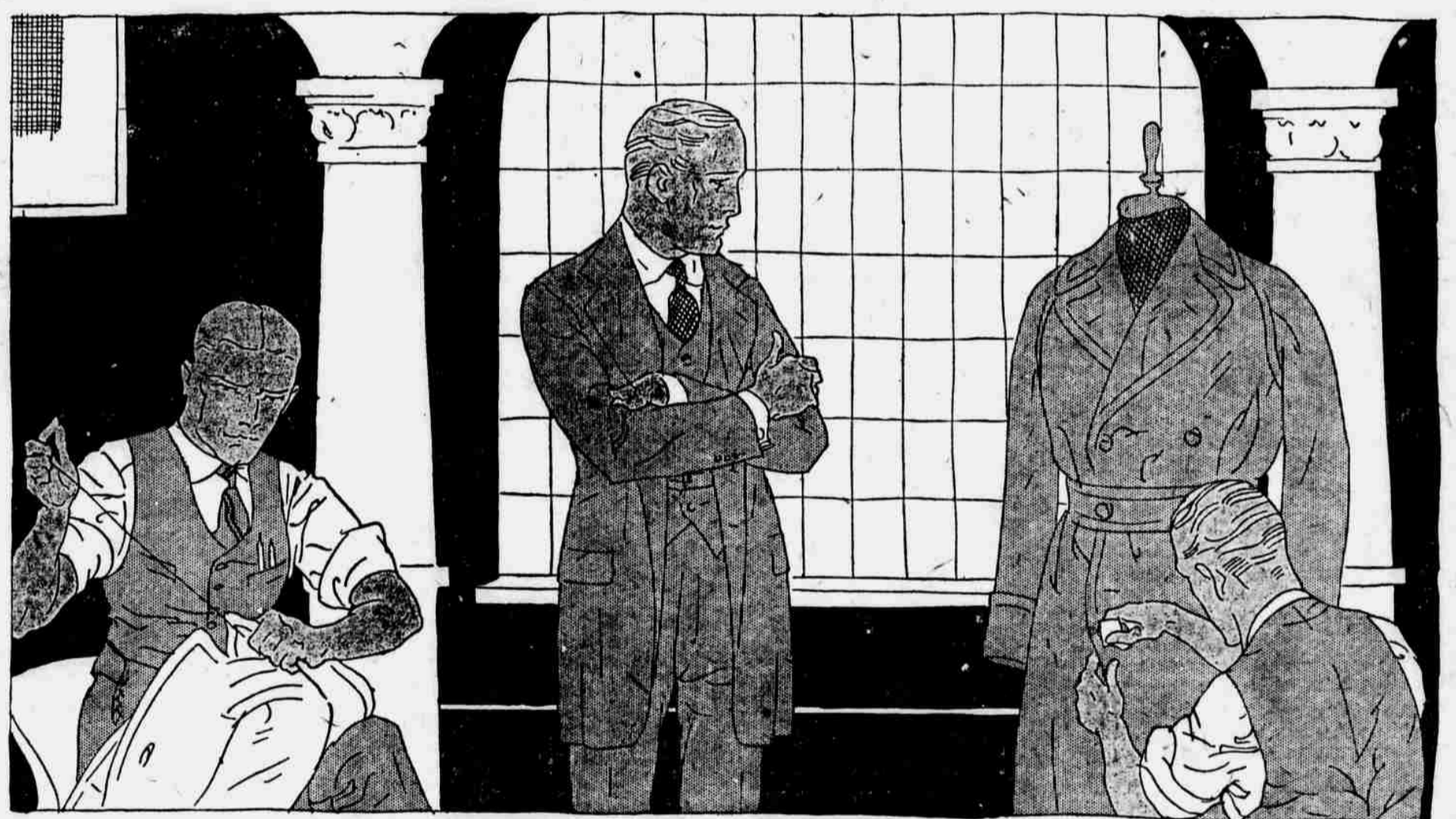
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