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THIRD PARTY REAL MENACE TO THE SUCCESS OF HARDING; MAY SWING THE NORTHWEST

Threaten to Take Away Votes
That Have Been Counted
On by Republicans.

SITUATION ANALYZED.

Small Majority in Electoral
College for Harding Figured
Out Present Outlook.

By David Lawrence.
(Special Correspondent of The
Evening World.)

CHICAGO, Ill., July 12.—(Copyright, 1920.)—Many things may happen tonight and Election Day, but if the polls in the Presidential contest were to be closed to-morrow certain other things would surely happen—such as, for instance, the election of Warren Harding as President of the United States. And if the third party movement develops even the minimum strength expected of it—namely, the carrying of Minnesota, Wisconsin and North Dakota—Gov. James Cox of Ohio may be the happy beneficiary and President of the United States.

However insignificant the Third Party may appear to Eastern eyes; however much it may be derided as a socialist, ultra-radical and Hearst-made; the fact is it does menace Republican victory more than it does Democratic. For the Democrats who nominated Cox of Ohio deliberately forfeited the West and chose to make their battleground in the East. Gov. Cox may invade the West successfully, but based on things as they are to-day, he has less than an even chance of carrying any Western State except California and Montana.

FORECAST OF THE VOTE AT THE COMING ELECTION.
It is perhaps early to make definite forecasts, but there is nevertheless a fixed opinion in the mind of a delegate as to what the chances of his own party in his State are to-day, after canvassing numerous delegates at the Chicago and San Francisco conventions, asking them not to attempt to say definitely how their states were going, but merely what they believed their own chances to be, the writer deduced from both Democratic and Republican opinions a table in which the electoral vote would seem to be tending in a direction something like this:

State	Cox, Harding
Alabama	12
Arizona	5
Arkansas	9
California	13
Colorado	6
Connecticut	7
Delaware	3
Florida	6
Georgia	14
Idaho	4
Illinois	29
Indiana	18
Iowa	13

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WOULD STOP GARAGE AND MOVIE BUILDING

Acting Borough President Joseph A. Guider of Brooklyn held a conference with the heads of the various bureaus of the borough to-day to discuss the advisability of refusing permits for the erection of garage and motion picture theatres. Commissioner Guider, a Brooklyn builder, said he felt that such a refusal of permits for garages and motion picture theatres would help materially to solve the housing problem. Four or five such theatres are now being constructed in Flatbush.

POLAND RESENTS ALLIES' ORDER, BUT WILL ASK TRUCE

Premiers Had Stipulated That
Polish Forces Be Withdrawn
to Own Frontier.

SPA, July 12.—The Polish delegation at the conference here is much dissatisfied with the terms of the Allied note to the Russian Soviet Government proposing an armistice between the Bolshevik and Polish armies. They feel, however, that they will be obliged to accept it.

WARSAW, July 11 (Associated Press).—The Bolsheviks, according to a communication issued to-day, have occupied Smolensk and Sarny and the battle is continuing in the vicinity of Minsk. The Polish forces are said to have retired south of the Pripiet and in Podolia, but the Bolshevik attacks have been repelled near Janina and between the Pripiet and Puyet, where the enemy losses are declared to have been heavy.

Sunday's despatches announced the sending of a proposal by the Allies to the Moscow Government for an armistice with Poland on condition that the Poles retire within the natural Polish frontiers.

ALL MEXICO "DRY;" PLAN ADVOCATED BY DE LA HUERTA

Provisional President Hopes In
That Way to Regenerate
Indians and Half-Breeds.

MEXICO CITY, July 12. LEGISLATION making all Mexico "dry" is being prepared for presentation to the next Congress at the office of Provisional President de la Huerta, says the newspaper Universal.

GOVERNOR DASHES HOPE OF SUFFRAGE VOTE IN VERMONT

Declines to Call Special Ses-
sion of Legislature Even
on Harding's Plea.

ATTACKS THE "SUFFS."
Criticises Their Methods and
Talks About Their Lobby-
ing for the Vote.

RUTLAND, Vt., July 12.—Gov. Percival W. Clement to-day issued a proclamation refusing to call the Legislature in special session to make possible ratification of the Federal amendment for Woman Suffrage.

Gov. Clement's proclamation asserted that "as it stands and is interpreted by the Supreme Court to-day, the Federal Constitution threatens the foundation of free popular government."

"The provisions for changes in the Federal Constitution to which we Vermonters are loyal subscribers are in conflict with those laid down in the Constitution of Vermont. The Federal Constitution provides that proposals for change therein shall, if favorable action is taken thereon by the Congress, be submitted to the Legislatures of the several States for their action, and the Supreme Court of the United States in a recent decision, *Hawke vs. Smith*, June 1, 1920, declared:

"The referendum provisions of State constitutions and statutes cannot be applied consistently with the Constitution of the United States in the ratification or rejection of amendments to it."

"This decision leaves the people at the mercy of any group of men, who may lobby a proposal for change in the Federal Constitution through Congress and then through the Legislatures of the States.

MRS. COX NOT A POLITICIAN; NEITHER "SUFF" NOR ANTI, SHE SAYS IN FIRST INTERVIEW

Too Busy Caring For Hus-
band and Baby to Take
Part in Public Affairs.

By George Buchanan Fife.
(Special Staff Correspondent of The
Evening World.)

DAYTON, O., July 12.—Mrs. James M. Cox granted to your correspondent the first interview she has ever accorded a newspaper man. It was at Trail's End, the Governor's summer home, a long, low French chateau, gleaming white among the trees on a hillside overlooking the Miami Valley, about half a dozen miles from Dayton.

In all the years that Gov. Cox has been in public life the light that has followed him about has never before penetrated to the recesses of his home life, where his wife presides in her quiet, smiling, helpful way. She has, of her own choice, remained in the background so far as the public is concerned, holding herself to be all of her husband's private life and not even a part of his public career. Her attitude toward it all is best summed up in her answer to an inquiry about politics, whether she was a Suffragist or an Anti. She replied, with her meaningful smile: "I am neither; I am the Governor's wife."

When I asked Gov. Cox if it might be possible to have a word or two with Mrs. Cox, he replied, "Yes, I'm sure of it, although you'll find she will be just a bit timid at an unusual thing. You see, Mrs. Cox has never talked with a newspaper man in her life. But you'll find her just a plain, home-loving, baby-loving American woman. Yes, that and something more, because any woman who is the wife of a man in public life and who can smile every hour in a day is a remarkable woman."

MRS. COX SAYS SHE KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT POLITICS.
It was only a moment after that Gov. Cox led his wife into the little sitting room on the second floor of Trail's End and to her dismay, manifest in the inquiry in her eyes and the hesitant smile on her lips, left her to the mercies of her first interviewer.

"The only other newspaper man who has ever interviewed me is my husband," she exclaimed, her smile broadening, "and it's never about politics, because I really know nothing about politics."
She was assured that this was not the intent of the visitor, whereupon she said, with another smile, in which relief shined in the eyes of the interviewer: "Then there are lots of other things I can talk to you about."
To aid the reader in visualizing Mrs. Cox, she is rather tall, the strong, flowing figure of an out-of-doors woman. Her hair is dark auburn, red where the sun strikes through it, and her eyes are brown and fine. A woman interviewer would have noted that she wore a dark blue silk sweater, a white shirt waist with frilly things at the wrists, a white serge skirt, plaited, and with the narrowest of black lines in the material. She had on low buckskin shoes and white silk stockings. She looked as if she had just come in from out of doors. A diamond and platinum ring and a wedding ring of the same metal were her only bits of jewelry.

"Here at Trail's End," Mrs. Cox said, "is where my husband and I got away from politics, or at least we did until he was nominated. Here is where we

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16-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS BROUGHT INTO WANDERER CASE

Slayer of Wife Denies He
Wished to Be Free on Young
Woman's Account.

CHICAGO, July 12.—A theory that Carl Wanderer shot and killed his wife and a hired "robber" because of his interest in a sixteen-year-old girl was being investigated to-day by the police. Confronted with the girl in his cell, Wanderer for the first time since his arrest lost composure momentarily, but firmly denied the girl had any influence on his desire to be free. In one of his statements to the police Wanderer had said he shot his wife so he could return to the army and be free from the care of his wife and the baby they expected next month.

The girl, Julia Schmitt, told the police she had known Wanderer some time and had gone to an amusement park with him several times, but did not know he was married. She was not held, as the police announced after questioning that they were convinced she had no knowledge of the murder plot which was carried out in the lobby of Wanderer's apartment June 21.

Wanderer to-day maintained his calm attitude in regard to the murders and talked of his dead wife without emotion.
The identification of the hired "robber" as John J. Maloney of River Point, N. J., was further supported to-day by John Wolland, clerk at a hotel where Maloney had stayed three days just before he was slain and had registered under that name.

WOMAN STEPS OFF MOVING CAR; KILLED

Carried Past Her Street, She Gets
Off Trolley Before Motor-
man Stops It.

A little woman, about thirty-five years old, with a Sixth Avenue transfer in her hand, was riding west on a 14th Street trolley at 1 A. M. to-day when somebody reminded her she had just passed her street.

ELWELL CASE HUNT CENTRES ON SINGLE CHECK TO WOMAN

Report of Estrangement of
Couple Over Gift Traced
by Investigators.

BOTH OUT OF THE CITY.
Prosecutor and Police Work
Together—Capt. Carey Hints
at "Sensational" Arrest.

The police and the District Attorney's office working together on the mystery of the murder of Joseph B. Elwell centred their attention to-day on a new story in the long list of the clandestine relations of the whist expert with many women.

The new story brings in the name of a young woman, socially prominent, who was married less than a year ago. The authorities are anxious to question her and her husband, but she is now outside the subpoena reach of the District Attorney's office, and her husband is known to be still further away.

A check bearing Elwell's signature and the indorsement of the woman is the basis of the District Attorney's interest. The amount is several hundreds of dollars. The date is prior to the woman's marriage. The information thus far obtained in that existence of the check was learned by the husband, who questioned his wife about it, and that her answer was of a character which brought about an estrangement of the two.

District Attorney Swann discovered the check, it is reported, through his recent elaborate examination of Elwell's banking accounts. A number of bank officials were summoned with their records to reveal as many as possible of the hitherto unknown names of women who figured on what has been called Elwell's "Love pension list."

This line of investigation is necessarily tedious, but the authorities consider it promising. They are convinced that the murder was done either by a woman or by some one acting for a woman, and they believe that by making a separate inquiry in the case of every woman whose name is found in Elwell's telephone list or financial records they will eventually strike the true trail.

Some of the investigators, in fact, believe that the true trail has been struck through the check described above, but District Attorney Swann declares that he is still unable to accuse any person. He is using unofficially the method that the French use officially,—that of suspecting every possible person until the suspicion in a given case is definitely shown to be baseless.

TWO OF SHIP CREW DROWNED WHEN LAKE FRAMPTON IS SUNK BY COMUS OFF JERSEY COAST

Survivors of Steel Steamer Reach
New York on Liner That Rammed
Vessel and Rescued Them—Wom-
an Tells of the Accident—Ships
Crash in Fog Near Atlantic City.

The Southern Pacific Liner *Comus* docked at Pier No. 49, North River, at 2.15 o'clock this afternoon, bringing 32 survivors of the crew of the United States Shipping Board steamer *Lake Frampton*, which was rammed and sunk early this morning in the fog off Little Egg Harbor, about twenty miles from Atlantic City.

Two men of the crew of the *Comus* who witnessed the accident. One of the *Comus's* passengers declared there was no interchange of signals before the crash, which stove in the bow of the *Lake Frampton*.

The steamer sank in ten minutes, according to Max Boesman, steward of the *Comus*, whose right hand was crushed while helping to hoist one of the life boats carrying survivors of the *Lake Frampton*.

There was little excitement among the passengers of the *Comus*, numbering 236, and the 71 in the ship's crew, following the accident, Boesman said.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Byers of Fort Worth, Tex., who were on the *Comus* with their granddaughter, Mary Jane Joysselin, ten years old, were awakened by the crash and hurried on deck.

"From the point we reached on deck from our stateroom, we could look right into the gaping hole in the side of the *Lake Frampton*," Mrs. Byers said. "The ship was stove in with a great hole running from below line down to below the water's edge."

A moment later the water was black with sailors floundering in the sea and swimming toward the *Comus*. Life boats were being filled by men who cut the ropes and dropped, without waiting to lower themselves. In dropping, a number of the *Lake Frampton's* crew were hurt.

"From the nature of the accident, we supposed there would be many lives lost and were surprised when we learned that only two had been lost. These were men working in the boiler room of the *Lake Frampton*. They were trapped there and died without a chance to get away."

"As we watched the water pouring into the hole in the bow, the steamer suddenly lurched and then rolled over on the port side. Soon after the waves closed over the ship. At daylight the *Comus* started on its way to New York."

The first report of the accident was received here by wireless and shortly after being informed of it by The Evening World, officials of the companies operating the steamers received reports from their captains.

Capt. P. M. Middlee of the *Comus*, early this morning sent a wireless message to S. M. Cooper, assistant manager of the Southern Pacific, that the *Lake Frampton* had been sunk and that three men of his crew were missing.

A later message by wireless from the *Comus* to the West India Steamship Company, No. 25 Beaver Street, operating the *Lake Frampton* for the Shipping Board, from Capt. Frank Powers of the *Lake Frampton*, reported two men, a fireman and an oiler, missing from his crew.

Another message from Capt. Middlee stated that two of the three men he reported missing had been found afloat and rescued.

Both captains fixed the time of the accident at about 8.30 o'clock. The *Comus* was bound from New Orleans to New York. The *Lake Frampton*, after a month in dry dock, left New York Saturday in ballast to pick up a cargo at Norfolk, Va.

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