

COX WILL APPOINT 'DIRT FARMERS'

He Elected, He Promises to Give Responsible Government Places to Agriculturists

STARTS ON WESTERN SWING

By the Associated Press
Cincinnati, O., Sept. 2.—Governor Cox today declared that if elected President he would appoint "dirt farmers" to responsible government positions, including the Secretary of Agriculture and members of the Federal Reserve and regional reserve board tariff commissions and the Interstate Commerce Commission.

BERLIN TURNS DOWN RUSSIAN ALLIANCE

Government Refuses Soviet Offer of Aid in Throwing Off Versailles Treaty

Berlin, Sept. 2.—(By A. P.)—Foreign Minister Simons, addressing the Reichstag foreign affairs committee today, declared he had been urged to collaborate with the Russian Bolsheviks against the western powers as a means of breaking the bonds imposed by the Versailles treaty but that after mature reflection he had rejected this course.

HARDING DEMANDS TEAMWORK BY U. S.

Tells Cubs America Should 'Play Game' Under Rules—Raps 'One-Man League'

By the Associated Press
Marion, O., Sept. 2.—Putting his political faith in the vernacular of baseball, Senator Harding delivered a frat-punch speech today to the players of the Chicago National League club appealing for better team work by the American nation "on the home grounds, under the rules."

SHE IS NOW 'HUBBY'S' EQUAL

Among the earliest 'customers' at the polling place of the Fourteenth division of the Eighth ward at Twenty-first and Ritzenhouse streets today were John C. Otis and his wife, Marcella. The photograph shows Registrar Samuel Ullston (left) registering Mrs. Otis and her husband.

WON'T RECOGNIZE M'SWINEY PLEAS

Britain is Unmoved by Numerous Appeals and Will Continue Irish Policy

By the Associated Press
London, Sept. 2.—Appeals in behalf of Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, who is in a critical condition as a result of a hunger strike, will not be recognized by the British Government.

GOVERNMENT PLANS SEIZED

League to Publish All Secret Pacts

London, Sept. 2.—The League of Nations took its first step yesterday against secret treaties and alliances by giving orders for the publication of all existing treaties which now are being submitted to the league by the forty-two nations which have ratified peace treaties and joined the league.

DEADLOCK LOOMS IN TROLLEY STRIKE

3000 Strike-Breakers Imported Into Brooklyn—More on Way. Feeling Is Bitter

By the Associated Press
New York, Sept. 2.—The strike of Brooklyn Rapid Transit Co. employes that has seriously crippled service on the subway, elevated and surface lines in Brooklyn since last Sunday, appeared to have evolved today into a deadlock, with considerable bitterness in evidence between the strikers and 3000 strike-breakers brought in by the company.

CAR SERVICE IS IMPROVING

Streetcars Being Rebuilt

B. R. T. officials announced that 127 subway and elevated trolleys comprising 500 coaches and 40 surface trolleys are in fabrication this morning. Seven surface car lines were running this morning, as against four yesterday.

MAY ASK PARENTS' AID IN SCHOOL FUND

Board Hasn't Enough Money to Buy \$330,000 Worth of Supplies

Parents of Philadelphia's public school children may have to dig down into their pockets for \$330,000 worth of paper, pencils, textbooks and other supplies, for the Board of Education has not nearly enough this year to foot the bill.

ONLY \$100,000 IS IN SIGHT

Dr. Louis Nussbaum, associate superintendent of schools, the total textbook and supply bill this year will be \$330,000. About \$100,000 is in sight.

MITTEN INDICATES TRIAL OF ZONE PLAN

Predicts Return of Five-Cent Fare in All Cities When Wages Drop

Car riders of Philadelphia are willing to pay proportionately for what they receive.

ARMY SHOES' TRAIL IN LIQUOR ROBBERY

Marks of Hobnails on Wayne Porch Lead to Stolen Champagne's Hiding Place

Hobnailed army shoes led to the arrest last night of Basil Webb, a negro, at Wayne, charged with the robbery of \$400 worth of champagne and liquor.

LEAGUE TO PUBLISH ALL SECRET PACTS

Although America is Not Member, Other Nations Will Furnish Documents

Summary of special cable dispatches to today's Public Ledger.

ALLIES BUNGLE ZEPPELINS

Colby Needs Irish Plea

Belfast, Sept. 2.—(By A. P.)—Dripping skies canopied Belfast this morning and the rain was greeted with relief by the military in the hope that it would discourage rioting.

STATE WILL FIGHT FOR MORE TAXES

Auditor General Will Appeal Judge Gest's Decision Favoring Heirs of Big Estates

Heirs of large estates in Philadelphia will be affected by the announcement made by Auditor General Charles A. Snyder, that he would appeal to the Supreme Court.

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SHIP BOARD RESTRAINED

Injunction Prevents Foreclosure of Mortgage on Wilmington Plant

An injunction restraining the Shipping Board from foreclosing a \$5,000,000 mortgage on the plant of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Co., Wilmington, Del., was granted today by Justice Sidel in the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

\$350,000 TO PAVE ALLEYS

Contract for 100,000 Feet of Cement Given by Health Bureau

Director Furubush, of Public Health, has awarded a contract of \$350,000 to Charles A. McHugh for the paving with cement of approximately 100,000 square feet of alleys.

DECLARS DEMOCRATS MUFFED

It is an observation that the national team, now playing for the United States, played loosely and muffed disappointingly in our domestic game last night.

GENERAL BENSON BURIED

Simple Ceremony Attends Funeral of Prominent Insurance Man

General R. Dale Benson, former commander of the First Regiment and one of the most prominent citizens in Philadelphia, who died at his Atlantic City home recently, was buried today with simple ceremonies.

MEMORIAL TO DR. MORRISON

Northeast High Pupils and Alumn Honor Dead Teacher

Stained-glass memorial windows have been erected in the new Andrew J. Morrison Auditorium by the alumni and students of the Northeast High School in memory of the "happy days" spent under his direction.

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MACKAY STARTS NEW ROW

Forty-sixth Ward Men Split Over Vire-Harding Body

Harry A. Mackay's Harding-Coolidge campaign committee for the Forty-sixth ward has stirred up another hornet's nest in West Philadelphia.

25TH LEADER TO RETIRE

Magistrate Campbell to Quit Active Generalship of Ward

Magistrate William Campbell, leader of the Twenty-fifth ward, announced last night at a meeting of the ward committee that he had finally decided to retire from active leadership.

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