

During the first months of the war the marriage tie was strengthened and tenderness and respect for woman was heightened with religious sentiment.

Women performing the tasks and assuming the responsibilities of men acquired a taste for masculine independence.

Meantime their husbands acquired a new attitude toward life. When wounded they were attended by women of greater refinement than they had known before.

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The result is that separations and divorces have multiplied.



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HARDING WINS GREAT VICTORY

Republican Avalanche Sweeps Every Northern State.

BREAKS INTO SOLID SOUTH

G. O. P. Gets 404 Electoral Votes in 37 States; Democrats Capture but 127 in 11 States—Tennessee, Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico Fall to Turn to Cox—Great Gains in Senate and House—Features of the Tremendous Vote.

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN.

Harding has won a tremendous victory. Here's the story in brief: Harding carried 37 states with 404 electoral votes; Cox carried 11 with 127 votes.

Republicans have margin of 22 in senate and 150 in house. In comment, the household word avalanche seems the handiest. The Republican avalanche began at the Canadian border, from Maine to Washington, and swept the country clean clear to Mason and Dixon's line and broke the Solid South.

The Republican avalanche swept Tennessee, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. In Kentucky Richard J. Ernst, Republican, is elected to the senate over J. C. W. Beckham. For the first time in history several counties in Alabama went Republican, and several precincts in the sixth Mississippi district did the same almost unbelievable thing. Harding carried St. Petersburg, Orlando, Daytona, and other towns in Florida; nine counties in northern Georgia and a dozen parishes in the sugar belt of Louisiana.

President-elect Harding, whatever else he does, is going to take a rest. He's already off on a real vacation of a month. His immediate destination is Point Isabel, Tex., via San Antonio and Brownsville. Point Isabel is on the Gulf, 20 miles from Brownsville and six miles from the Mexican line.

Mr. Harding is planning to go to the Canal Zone, after a fortnight at Point Isabel. He has been preaching that the new American merchant marine should pass free through the Panama canal and he wants first-hand information on conditions. Return is set for December 6. He plans to resign his seat as senator January 10, when Governor-elect Davis of Ohio will be inaugurated and Senator-elect Willis will be appointed Mr. Harding's successor.

Alfred E. Smith, Democratic governor of New York, earned a new title in the election—"Miracle Man of American Politics." Why, he almost re-elected himself in the face of a Harding majority of more than a million.

The gubernatorial vote was about this: Harding, 1,842,222; Cox, 782,603. The gubernatorial vote was about this: Miller, 1,319,586; Smith, 1,250,311. Republicans and Democrats alike say the feat is unprecedented.

Oklahoma elects Alice M. Robertson of Muskogee, Republican, aged sixty-six, to congress; she went to Indian Territory by prairie schooner, has taught in Indian schools most of her life, would let no soldier or sailor pay in her cafeteria and is a heaven-born cook.

California overwhelmingly indorses the anti-alien land law recently adopted by the state legislature. Massachusetts approves the act to legalize the manufacture and sale of beer and wines of 2.75 alcoholic content.

Wisconsin approves 2.5 per cent beer. New York approves a bonus for soldiers by the issue of bonds not to exceed \$45,000,000.

Favor Beers and Wines. The voters of Massachusetts on Tuesday gave a majority of 19,000 in favor of legalizing the sale of 2.75 per cent beers and wines.

Election Story in Figures

Table with columns: State, Electoral Vote, Est'd Plur. Lists states from Alabama to Wyoming with their respective electoral votes and estimated pluralities.

Total vote 404 127. Necessary to choice 286. *Complete. Estimates are still necessary because of delayed returns from isolated districts.

Make Up of New Congress

Table showing the composition of the new Congress by state, with columns for Representatives, Senators, and Delegates.

House of representatives: (a) One Socialist, (b) One Independent Prohibitionist.

Election of Governors

Table listing the election of governors in various states, including names of candidates and their parties.

Socialists Gain in New York.

The Socialists, according to revised returns, will have one representative in the New York state senate, and three in the assembly, with the election of August Claessens of the Seventeenth Manhattan district still in doubt.

Hull May Be Beaten.

Representative Cordell Hull of Tennessee, author of the income, tax law, and a Democratic national committeeman, also appears to have been defeated.

Wireless communication has been established all the world around. All the system needs now is more pleasant news.

There are 8,000,000 automobiles in the United States. All things considered, the pedestrians ought to be glad they are alive.

It will be impossible to estimate the country's millionaires until the resort-keepers have counted up their summer's receipts.

The man who has returned from his vacation without a puncture is as proud as the fellow whose baby has just cut the first tooth.

The fare between Los Angeles and Boston is now \$150, and each town expresses a different idea about the direction in which the trip is worth the money.

In Peru they burnt a town down to get rid of the rats. Something like that is likely to happen on a large scale in Russia if the Bolsheviks keep on long enough.

Sugar will have a long way to drop in price before it ceases to interest the man who begins his remarks with 'I can remember when—'

Bankruptcies are increasing every month in Prussia, proving again that while nothing succeeds like success, nothing fails like failure.

One of the difficulties in locating profiteers is the fact that in the course of distribution, everybody who buys anything regards the person who sells it as one of them.

The divinity which doth hedge a king is in poor working order when the royal servant maids strike for an eight-hour day and get it.

When some girls bob their hair it's hard to tell whether they are too lazy to comb it or too emancipated to remain slaves to tradition.

Voting schools for women are being formed, but it is fervently hoped that men will be employed as teachers, otherwise women will soon know more about voting than do men.

Small boys and new flannel shirts shrink from washing.

A single application of Roman Eye Balsam on going to bed will prove its merit. Use it for inflammations of the Eyes—Adv.

A senseless game—playing the fool.



Are the Germans repentant? My answer to this question is no, if by repentance is meant acknowledgment that Germany was culpably responsible for the World War or deserves any greater blame than the other warring nations for the misery which it brought to Europe.

This conviction, incomprehensible as it seems to us, is so deeply imbedded in the mind and heart of most Germans that discussion is useless. The Germans believe that their enemies, after having won the war that was started for the purpose of destroying Germany, have been seeking since the armistice to complete their work of destruction against a helpless people by the ruthless enforcement of a treaty which they believe to be a gross breach of the conditions on which the armistice was concluded.

If you speak of the cruelties practiced by the Germans in their conduct of the war, they answer by the assertion that they were less cruel than their enemies. If you instance the ruthlessness of the submarine warfare as the crowning instance of Prussian cruelty, they retort with apparent sincerity that it was justifiable retaliation for the more cruel blockade methods practiced by their enemies, which were condemning the women and children of Germany to death by starvation.

Do the Germans realize they are beaten? Emphatically, yes. The completeness of their defeat and their utter dependence upon the goodwill and mercy of their enemies now seem to be realized among all classes of the people.

White Window Boxes. Then the Row Started. Mrs. Scrapp—My foot is asleep again. Scrapp—It's funny that it is never your tongue.—Boston Transcript.

Advertisement for Hill's Cascara Quinine Bromide, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing its benefits for colds, coughs, and La Grippe.



Women of Middle Age

Owing to modern methods of living not one woman in a thousand approaches this perfectly natural change in her life without experiencing a train of very annoying and sometimes painful symptoms. Those dreadful hot flashes, smothering spells, fainting spells, nervous troubles and irregularities are symptoms that should have prompt attention.

These Two Women Helped During Change of Life.

Taunton, Mass.—'I could not eat or sleep for six months, had fainting spells and could not walk without help for three months, caused by female trouble. My cousin, who was a doctor, told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it helped me greatly. Then during the Change of Life I used the same remedy. I am seventy years old now and am able to do my own housework and walk one mile to church every Sunday morning and evening. I am recommending the Vegetable Compound to my friends having the same troubles as I had. Your remedy is the best on earth. I cannot find words to express my gratitude for it.'—Mrs. SUSAN C. STAPLES, 157 B School St., Taunton, Mass.

Women of Middle Age Should Depend Upon

Large advertisement for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, including the company name: LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., LYNN, MASS.

BEADS PREFERRED TO BREAD GOT REPORT THAT COUNTED

People of the Levant Set Great Stock on Colored Glass of Every Description.

Beads are more necessary than bread to the Levant. Men, women and children wear and carry beads to ward off ill luck. Even the horses and donkeys have strands of beads about their necks "to baffle the evil eye," and the long horns of the work oxen are decorated with blue-and-white beads to keep them from falling prey to diseases.

In Athens, Constantinople, Tiflis, Smyrna and other cities of the Levant men of all classes carry short strands of fidget beads, which they play with while walking in the street, riding in street cars and trams just as nervous men in the West finger their watch-chains. Bead shops abound everywhere in the larger cities and general stores and market stalls sell them in the smaller places.

Light-colored amber beads of large size are the latest thing in beads for women. Meerschaum beads are also popular, and for the moment plain beads of all sorts have displaced highly ornate carved beads of the type which Syrians produce in great quantities for exportation.—Washington Post.

Coffee Dealer a Little Too Enthusiastic in His Praise of Goods He Had Condemned.

"Have you any of Blank & Co.'s coffee?" the stranger asked. "Plenty of it, sir! How much would you like?" the dealer responded briskly.

"Do your customers generally like this coffee—I would want only something really good," the customer observed cautiously.

"Never had a more popular brand—it is fine—use it regularly on my own table," the dealer assured him.

"Well, I am glad to hear you speak so well of it now. You wrote me a while back that the goods were so unsatisfactory that you would have to return them unless you were given a further special discount. I'm Blank, you know. 'Good day!'"

No Stops. "Hear about old Gottrich and his new sun-dial?" asked the man with the red ears.

"Yes; and he had his electrician conceal an arc light in a balcony above the sun-dial, so it would work at night and on cloudy days."

At least an ossified man has all the backbone he needs.

Large advertisement for Postum Cereal, featuring the text 'The Full-bodied Flavor of POSTUM CEREAL' and 'wins first place among table drinks with those who value health and comfort.'