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### Cox and Harding

In comparing Cox and Harding it is apparent  
at the outset that both are plain, everyday  
Americans. Neither is of the superman type,  
and that is fortunate for the nation, because one  
of these men will be the next president.

Both are farm-born and reared and as such  
received an early training in a most exacting oc-  
cupation and one that teaches the value and ne-  
cessity of work and production. Both have at-  
tained success as newspaper publishers, and in  
that highly competitive industry one is not  
born to success on a bed of roses.

Each heretofore has succeeded in his chosen  
political field, Cox in the realm of state politics  
and Harding in the national arena. Neither is  
radical in thought or action, guaranteeing the  
country in any event a chief executive who will  
seek to administer national affairs along sound  
lines.

These similarities of training, character and

performance should promise a political campaign  
free from the bitter personalities that have so  
often marred American politics and obscured  
great issues.

This is fortunate, for American voters in this  
campaign have before them some of the greatest  
issues that have been submitted to them in half  
a century or more.

One, the Wilson League of Nations plan,  
ranks in importance with such great issues as  
that one settled by the Civil war, the adoption  
of the federal constitution, and even the Declara-  
tion of Independence.

Thinking people will judge and support Cox  
and Harding by their respective positions on  
such great issues and the stands taken by the  
respective political parties these two represent.

### Indiana Republicans' Woe

Indiana Republicans' cup of woe by this time  
should be about full to overflowing.

The state supreme court has declared uncon-  
stitutional the horizontal raises in tax assess-  
ments ordered last year by the state tax com-  
mission.

This means worse than chaos in state, county,  
township and city finances.

This decision and its results, added to the  
just resentment against the Goodrich tax law,  
presents a pretty problem to the Republican  
politicians for solution if they are going to carry  
Indiana for their party this fall.

that shy he's done nothing but eat  
up to the present."

Rather absent-minded, isn't he?"  
"Extremely so! Why the other  
night when he got home he knew there  
was something he wanted to do, but  
he couldn't remember what it was until  
he had sat up over an hour trying  
to think!"

"And did he finally remember it?"  
"Yes—he discovered that he wanted  
to go to bed early.

### Good Evening

By Roy K. Moulton

"Why Change Your Wife?" is a  
movie title. "Change your habits,"

says the Carson "Gazette." "But,"

is her habits, what then?" There is

something which every man and  
woman can— and that is, the most

of which he or she is capable.

And one never knows his capacity—  
till he tries it out!

Fame and renown is never passed  
on—it is earned. We are never bigger  
than we do, no matter what our reputa-  
tion.

It is always within your power to  
strike.

And it is the day-by-day pegging  
away, the hour-by-hour grit and deter-  
mination not to be mediocre, that  
makes real men and women.

It is within your power always to  
be kind and magnanimous—to keep  
your mind and body fit and clean—to  
stand four-square in every time of  
stress and confusion—to overlook  
when to do so means the larger hap-  
piness of someone else—to do your work  
well and with enthusiasm, no matter  
what the reward.

It is within your power to change  
the entire course of your life at any  
moment you choose, providing you  
have the will to do so.

Strong people are not controlled half  
as much as they control.

The most highly sensitized instru-  
ment in the world is your brain. The  
letter you understand it, and the more  
you seek to shape its course, the more  
it shapes your course. For every time  
you think great thought or do a very  
noble thing, your brain re-acts, records,  
and sets down thru its millions of  
cells the fact that you have done some-  
thing worthy—and then you grow  
along those lines. And the opposite  
way works exactly the same.

It is within your power to build a  
marvelous brain.

### Dinner Stories

Mrs. Mollinson believed in treating  
her domestic like a human being and  
always allowed her to have her young  
man in the kitchen in the evening.  
But the lady was also of a curious dis-  
position, and one evening, knowing the  
girl was entertaining a new swain, she  
stole downstairs, and listened at the  
kitchen door. She got no reward for  
her pains. All within was silence.  
The next morning she said to her  
maid:

"Hannah, that young man of yours  
seems very quiet. I never hear any  
sound of talking while he is here."

"Oh, bless you, m'm," replied the  
girl, with a blush and a giggle. "He's

### Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years  
Ago Today

A name for the new high school  
building just erected here was being  
sought. It was undecided whether  
the name should be the Lincoln high  
school, Garfield high school, or Rich-  
mond high school.

Shade and fruit trees were slightly  
damaged in three electrical storms on  
July 9. Telephone and telegraph  
lines in the city and county were out  
of commission. A report from the  
pumping station showed that 79 of an  
inch of rain fell.

### Masonic Calendar

Wednesday, July 14.—Webb Lodge,  
No. 24, F. and A. M. Called meeting;  
work in Master Mason degree, begin-  
ning at 7 o'clock.

Saturday, July 17.—Webb Lodge,  
No. 24, F. and A. M. Called meeting;  
work in Master Mason degree, begin-  
ning at 1 o'clock; supper.

### SATURDAY LAST DAY FOR FILING OILING PETITIONS

Forty-five petitions for street oiling  
had been filed up until noon Saturday,  
the last day on which the petitions  
might be filed with the city clerk.

Work of oiling started Thursday on  
North Nineteenth street. Three cars  
of oil have been ordered by the city  
engineer to take care of the city's  
needs. The work is being done by  
the street department.

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attended by Dr. Bright's disease. Funeral  
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