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HARDING TO PAY FOR COX'S PROOF

Evidence of Change of League Stand Sought.

REWARD IS OPEN TO WORLD

Senator Favors Honorable Means to Gain Peace.

RIVAL'S WOBBLING BARED

Democratic Nominee Has Not Told U. S. What Reservations He Will Take, Says Nominee.

JACKSON, O., Oct. 20.—In reply to Governor Cox's charges of inconstancy on the league of nations issue, Senator Harding offered in a speech here today to "give a reward" to anyone who would produce specific evidence of a change of position since he accepted the republican nomination for the presidency.

WARDEN OPEN TO ALL U. S.

"But as a matter of fact, I will give a reward to any man in America who can take my utterances on world politics, from my speech of acceptance down to the speech I am making now. But I have said repeatedly that America will gladly play her part in a suitable association of nations which does not involve the surrender of American sovereignty which is built upon the ideas of justice, rather than force; and I say that again."

RESERVATIONS IN DOUBT

"I hope that does not leave you in any very great doubt. Let me ask you a question: Have you heard anyone who is insisting upon specific plans? Have you heard of anyone who tells us they will take the Wilson league with certain reservations and have you heard any of them with their gibberish of tongue tell you what reservations they are going to take? No, you haven't."

500,000 INFLUX FORECAST

Italian Ambassador Estimates Immigration in Three Years.

FIRE DRILL SAVES 600

Spokane Youngsters March Out of School While Roof Burns.

CARRIER FIRES BURDEN

Politics Makes Pack Too Heavy, Says Postal Employee.

FRANCE JARRED BY QUAKE

Pronounced Shocks Reported in Several Parts of Country.

FRANCE DECORATES OREGON BATTERIES

COLORS OF CROIX DE GUERRE AWARDED 147TH ARTILLERY.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special)—Oregon's oldest and newest military units in the late war have brought new traditions to the state through their service in France, according to word received today by George A. White, commander-in-chief of the state, that the colors of the croix de guerre had been awarded to the 147th Field Artillery.

U. S.-CHINESE PACT SIGNED

New Treaty Provides Revenue Increase for Orientals.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—(By the Associated Press).—A treaty between the United States and China, provisionally rearranging the customs duties which China can charge on imports of tobacco, sugar, spirits and luxuries was signed at the state department today by Secretary Colby and Dr. Wellington Koo, the Chinese minister.

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Gambling Stakes Swell Robber's Fund to \$1200.

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Prohibition Agent Acquitted, Then Arrested on Other Charge.

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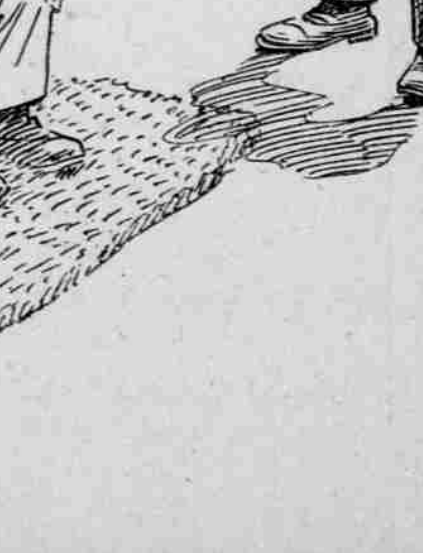
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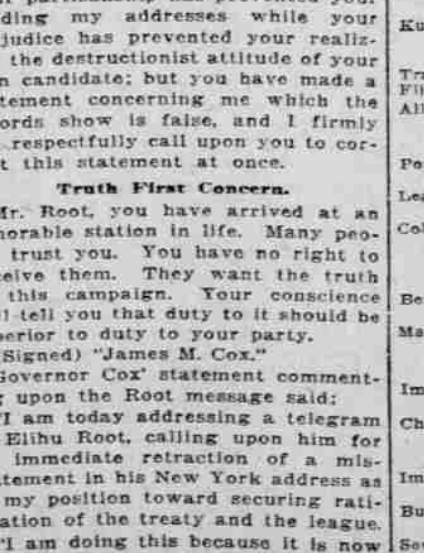
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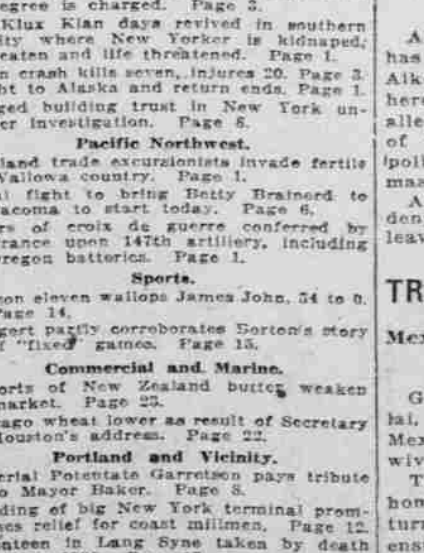
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