

Ink Slings.

There was a time when wise men wot That the time to strike was while the iron was hot But nowadays the workmen say The time to strike is when they want more pay.

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Roosevelt's Aband Speech.

President ROOSEVELT'S tariff speech delivered in Minneapolis, on Saturday night, was a strange mixture of inconsistencies and absurdities. He manifestly tried to satisfy the tariff reformers and keep on the safe side of the ultra protectionists and like every other public man who has tried the experiment of carrying water on both shoulders, he has made a spectacle of himself.

The Ohio Elections.

The result of the municipal elections in Ohio on Monday is a mixed victory for both parties and an absolute triumph for neither. In Cincinnati Democratic expectation was disappointed in the defeat of M. E. INGALLS, though why such hopes had been entertained is not clear.

No Doubt Governor PENNYPACKER would like very well to have a full term on the Supreme judicial tribunal of the State

and thus round out his long public life in a congenial employment at a comfortable salary and with abundance of leisure. But gratifying as that would be to himself the idea of surrendering the State to the dangers which the elevation of "Oleo" BROWN to the office of Governor was probably too revolting to his patriotic spirit and at the last moment he served notice of revolt against the scheme which robbed it of all its enticing qualities.

He Would Lay the Good Old Bible Aside for Modern Theories.

From a Sermon by Rev. Dr. Frederic Hinckley. Rev. Fredrick A. Hinckley, pastor of the Spring Garden Unitarian Church at Philadelphia, said in an address delivered Sunday that it is too late now to maintain the invulnerability of the old church doctrines as many of them pertaining to the immaculate conception and the fall of man had been hopelessly shaken by the evolution of modern thought.

Corrupt Methods in Legislation.

In the Senate of Pennsylvania, the other day, the attendance being rather meagre, a motion was made to discontinue the calendar of general legislation and take up that of appropriation bills, most of which being for other than state institutions required a two-thirds vote to carry them through.

Trouble in the Camp.

Governor PENNYPACKER'S veto pen has at last created havoc and all sorts of dire consequences are predicted. It was the cigarette bill which did the business, but a miss is as good as a mile and one measure as potential as another for making trouble.

A Curtin Monument or Hospital, Which?

Sometime ago the Daily News offered its columns for a discussion as to the best disposition to be made of the CURTIN memorial fund and what would be the most fitting memorial which this town could erect to its renowned citizen, the late Gov. CURTIN.

REVISION OF THOUGHT.

"To question these doctrines is declared to be heresy. Men have thought a great many things in the past which, wiser grown, they do not think now."

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Spawls from the Keystone.

The First National bank of Houtzdale is doing business, the doors having been opened on April 1st. Four men were killed and several injured at London mine near DuBois Friday by a fall of rock and earth. The dead are: Earl Waggett, Edward Fye, George Traux, William Phipps.