

INK SLINGS.

-Possibly President Harding didn't realize that he was damning the Sixty-seventh Congress with the faint praise he gave it.

-Surely this District ought to have the very ablest man it can find in Congress. J. Frank Snyder is an able man. Vote for him.

-The death of Vare leaves no doubt as to who will be boss of the Republican party in Pennsylvania in the event of Pinchot's election.

-Our friends, the Republicans, really means more than ever before. Many of them are going to help us send the right kind of cleaners to Harrisburg.

-The surest way to avoid the danger of being killed in a Sunday automobile accident is to stay at home and go to church instead of racing over the country.

-Don't forget that the honor of having the first woman Representative in Centre county. Vote for Zoe Meek for Assembly.

college graduate and a practical man tion and solemn pledges of reform. with a purpose.

-Iowa beat Yale on Saturday, but game. If Yale beats Harvard and not champion foot-ballist of the country.

-Up to September 1st there had been 2636 dog licenses issued in Centre county. Surely there must be a lot of canines side-stepping the conat one time on the streets of Bellefonte.

ry officiated at his funeral. Pennsyl- friends and in various ways proved vanians have heard a lot as to Senator Vare's political character and few of kick off.

feat that's impending.



Difference as to the Ox Gored. Grave Problem to be Solved.

Democrats Fail to Please Pinchot.

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It is simply impossible for Mr. Mc-Sparran and other Democratic orators to phrase their speeches to please the the lust for office. The fundamental found necessary to issue bonds to pro-Republican candidate for Governor and his newspaper supporters. Dur- upon the equal opportunity of men ing the primary election campaign Gifford Pinchot denounced the Repub-cently honesty and canability were the lican machine of Pennsylvania in bit-Any young man of integrity and abilter terms. He accused the Sproul administration of criminal profligacy, il- ity had a fair chance for public favor legal padding of pay rolls, unlawfully and the millionaire stood on a level withholding information concerning with the working man in aspirations. Harrisburg is within the grasp of the expenditures and operations of But conditions have changed. It has government from the public, manipu- become a custom to place high offices lating accounts and in various ways on the auction block and dispose of -Vote for John McSparran for looting the treasury. These accusa- them to the highest bidder, regardless Governor. A dirt farmer, a lay tions were acclaimed as courageous of the qualifications which obtained preacher in the Methodist church, a protests against corrupt administra- only a few years ago. It is no crime to be rich and wealth

The Democratic candidate for Gov- is no bar to public service. But it is a crime against the public, they said. ernor and other orators of that party crime to buy votes in order to secure that, of course, was only in a practice faith have shown that Gifford Pinchot public office. If Gifford Pinchot had was a conspicuous figure in all the acquired the nomination of his party Princeton who will dare to say she is misfeasances of which he complained for Governor by appealing to the reaand defend the constitution" in order didn't acquire the nomination in that Commissioner of Forestry, and en- he drew enough money to buy a meacouraged the profligacy by asking a ger majority and it may be justly as-

sympathy with official criminals. that respect. There was not a crime committed

those who have railed most at it will by officials of the Sproul administra- county, yet under the old standard of Gifford Pinchot and the gravest of-

determination to have a bonus bill election day, and that is precisely completely as if they had never been half a billion dollars, and no Republipassed for the ship owners. If the what the honest voters of Pennsylva- born. The solution of this problem can orator, statesman, scurvy politi-

Soon after President Cleveland en-The gravest danger to this country tered upon his second term it was is the combination of great wealth and principle of popular government rests vide funds to meet the expenses of the government. Four years previously Cleveland retired from office rassing abundance of cash. But the standards of fitness for public service.

ed the resources and forced the succeeding administration to borrow

it would have been necessary to issue the bonds. Secretary of the Treas- during the Presidential campaign of during the primary campaign and son of the voters, the preference ury Foster, fully expecting the reequally guilty with his associates. would have been a great honor, for his election of Harrison, had taken the He violated his oath to "support, obey opponent was a man of worth. But he preliminary steps for a bond issue and had the bonds printed. But because to get an increase of his salary as way. Out of his vast inherited wealth the Cleveland administration carried out the purposes of the Harrison administration under the stress of dire that we have seen nearly 2636 of them greater increase in the appropriation sumed that he will try to reimburse necessity, a howl was raised which for his department than any of the himself in some way in the event of extended from Maine to California. other department heads demanded. He his election. He cannot fool the peo- The Harrison administration had decondoned thievery in his department ple by the pretense of altruism. When pleted the treasury and left no alter--Evidently Senator Vare was a by refusing to prosecute a self-confes- he violated his oath to get an increase native except repudiation of the debts good paying Methodist. Bishop Ber- sed embezzler who had influential of salary as Forestry Commissioner he of the government. But that made no revealed the quality of his mind in difference. A Democratic administration had issued bonds in time of

There are few millionaires in Centre peace, an unpardonable offense. The last war in which the governhave a Bishop to preside when they tion that was publicly protested by merit Centre county has been signal- ment and people of the United States ly honored by the people of Pennsyl- were concerned ended just four years -Three weeks ago Giff. was trump- fense of the lot was the padding of vania. There are plenty of worthy ago and the Republican party assumeting what will be done "when I am the pay roll so as to increase the sal- and capable men in Centre county but ed control of the financial legislation Governor." Now he is urging the Re- aries of twenty-seven swivel-chair what chance would they have for im- a few months later. Since then we publicans to get out the vote for fear favorites, the principal being Gifford portant public office under the new have been enjoying profound peace. he won't be Governor. The tide's Pinchot himself. Now he protests standard? Will the fathers and The expenses of the army and navy against him. His bluffing is over and that reference to these things is mothers of Centre county take this have been cut to a peace basis and exhe's down on his knees now begging "throwing mud." It interferes with matter under consideration with the cept for the decrease of income taxes those whom he repudiated only a few his plan to throw dust in the eyes of seriousness it deserves. They have of millionaires, corporations and years ago to save him from the de- the voters by his false promises of bright, promising and worthy sons profiteers, the revenues have been reform. It exposes his hypocrisy and and daughters, but if public office is kept up. Yet last week the Secretary -Send Frank Snyder to Congress gives thoughtful voters food for re- to be sold to the highest bidder they of the Treasury issued bonds, or inand put an end to President Harding's flection and guidance for action on are excluded from the competition as vited bids for bonds, to the volume of

J. Frank Snyder Our Candidate for Congress.

Without opposition J. Frank Snyder was made the nominee on the Democratic ticket, at the May, 1922, primary, for Representative in Congress from the Twenty-third district of and left the treasury with an embar- Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Cameron, Centre, Clearfield and Harrison administration had dissipat- McKean, and is now actively conducting his campaign.

Believing it to be one of the duties money. At once the Republicans in of good citizenship to give public af-Congress and the Republican newspa- fairs due attention, Mr. Snyder has pers of the country condemned the ac- taken an active part in politics. He betion as an unparalleled outrage. "It lieves in "a government of the people, was the first time in the history of by the people, and for the people." He the government," they declared, "that was a member of the Democratic Nathe government was compelled to is- tional convention at San Francisco in L. Thomas, a farmer of Blackhole valley, sue bonds in time of peace." It was a 1920, as a delegate from this Congressional district. By appointment from As a matter of fact if Benjamin the chairman of the Democratic State Harrison had been re-elected in 1892, committee, he served as chairman of

the campaign committee in this State 1920, and points with pride to the fact that Cox received over 503,000 votes or but 18,000 less than the highest vote ever cast by his party in Pennsylvania. While he took an active part in politics it was not until this practice, and the officers complained they year that he became a candidate for any public office. He was unofficially connected with the Democratic State committee in 1890 and took an important part in the campaign of that year resulting in the election of Robert E. Pattison as Governor of Pennsylvania. He subsequently had unofficial relations with the National Association of Democratic Clubs and did

effective work in the middle west. A preparation in the school of experience and in public affairs fitting him for the intelligent discharge of any position of trust will be found to \$51,000, and if he fails he will have to be an accurate description of our nom-

Mr. Snyder was born in Clearfield, Pa. His father was the son of a Pennsylvania German farmer, and his mother, Louisa McPherson, a descendant of William Bloom, a soldier in the American Revolution, one of the first settlers of Clearfield county. "Frank" his native town, at the Clearfield hand him the rifle. The boy handed it to passed for the ship owners. If the given by the voters of Pennsylva-government is too poor to pay a bo-nus to the soldier boys it's too poor to ed the trade of carriage smithing, afterwards he studied law and was admitted to the bar. He soon secured a firm foothold as a member of the Clearfield bar, one of the strongest in caddie at the Huntingdon Valley Country the State, and had become a successful practitioner when the late Judge John B. Stull, who, in driving his automobile capable mechanics are operating it for H. Orvis resigned his judgeship and associated Mr. Snyder with him in the practice of the law under the firm of Orivs & Snyder, dissolved by the

SPAWLS FROM THE KEYSTONK.

-While George Frederick, of York, Pa., was away on an automobile trip \$400 in cash, which represented his lifetime savings, and which he kept under lock and key in a trunk at his brother's house, was stolen

-Earl Strange, a member of the faculty of the Lewistown High school and treasurer of the class of 1920 of the Bloomsburg Normal school, has been missing for ten days, normal school authorities have announced. His funds are intact.

-Walter Edmonds, a cripple, of Pottsville, fell in the yard of his home on Sunday and was smothered to death in a bed of flowers. Because of lack of use of his feet, he was unable to get up, and died before he was discovered. He was found by his mother, lying face down on the ground.

-A good dinner awaits any one who on Arbor day will set a tree in Shoemaker park, at McElhattan, owned by Colonel Henry W. Shoemaker. The Colonel has extended a general invitation to all his friends on that day with the understanding that the planting of a tree in the park earns a dinner.

-White Haven suffered from an invasion of pigs one night last week when as a result of a wreck on the Lehigh Valley railroad about six hundred porkers were turned loose on the streets of the borough. Fifty of the pigs were killed in the wreck, most of the others were recaptured but a few are still at large.

-The largest single claim for damages as a result of road work in Lycoming county was made last Thursday when C. asked \$10.398.88 as the result of the new concrete highway from Muncy to Montgomery, passing through his farm. Three acres of the Thomas farm were taken over by the road.

-In order that the city police can legally arrest automobile "he vamps" flirting with girls and picking them up for rides, the Hazleton council will pass an ordinance imposing fines of from \$10 to \$50 for the offense. Mayor Harvey ordered the police department to break up the could find no law forbidding it.

--"If that ever falls on me it will kill me," said Charles Malusky, a miner at Pine Hall colliery, near Pottsville, on Saturday, pointing to a large piece of coal hanging directly over him as he worked. Hardly had he made the remark when the coal fell, and Malusky's left leg was broken, his back was hurt, and he suffered internal injuries. His condition is critical.

-On condition that he does not touch liquor for two years, and that he marries, Edwin Killian, of Allegheny county, will receive his one-fifth share of his father's estate, which is estimated to be worth wait until he is 40 years old. This was the stipulation Frank Killian made in his will which was filed for probate last Friday.

-Harry Stillinger, 45 years old, of Chestnut Hill, Lancaster county, ended his life in a field near his home, by shooting himself. He was walking across the field when he encountered Eugene Harrick, 14 years old, who was carrying a riflle of was educated in the public schools of small bore. The man asked the boy to

give seven hundred and fifty million dollars to a lot of rich men who ought to stay out of the shipping business if they can't run their boats on their own steam.

-What would our churches, our hospitals, our schools and every other kind of public institution we have amount to if the judgment and energy of the women were not behind them ? In no case has there been reason to regret calling a good woman to public service and for that reason we be-Harrisburg. Let's send Miss Zoe Meek to represent Centre county.

-William I. Betts would take the position of representing you in the is not running for the office just for the fun of it, nor is he ambitious to like many of the rest of us, that there is something radically wrong with the government of Pennsylvania and he has volunteered for service in your behalf to try to find out what the trouble is and help correct it.

-Senator Edwin H. Vare died at He was the most powerful political figure in the Quaker city and in recent years had undertaken to extend his mastery of his party's machinery to all parts of the State; not without success. He will be remembered not as a great political leader, nor as a statesman but when the record of how he lived in his home and what he did for the poor of his native city is read another Ed Vare than the arrogant political boss will be revealed and that is the one that will be honored and revered by the thousands who knew that he was never unmindful of "the least of these."

-Republicans and Democrats alike manded its repeal. voted the political meeting held in the court house here, last Friday night, the nicest affair of its kind they had forbidding the use or storage of aicoever attended. All of the candidates impressed their hearers as clean, up- but prohibiting foreign ships from to the office the president of the Pennstanding, sincere men and they plead having such luxuries aboard within sylvania railroad and two or three their own cause without resort to the three mile limit, whereupon Sec- division superintendents attended the abuse of their opponents. Indeed, retary of State Hughes intervened ceremony to testify approval. In the they constituted such a group of men, with an order postponing the applica- case of Mr. Reed his attitude was so with morals and ability, as is seldom tion of the Attorney General's manseen on one ticket and after seeing date for a time. But what's the use Both have consistently served their and hearing them no one could disbe- of pursuing the subject. The fact is masters since. Pepper began his oflieve the statement made by the that the Republican party is torn and ficial career by voting to seat New-"Watchman" last week to the effect tattered all over the country and these berry. Reed's first speech was against that they are not running for office dissensions in the President's cabinet the soldiers' bonus. The corporations for the office sake, but for the peo- simply express the hopeless condi- were in favor of Newberry and ple's. They are not politicians, have tion of the party. no desire for political control and know that at best Democratic supremacy in Pennsylvania could be but short average woman is only 800 words but register their feelings on both quesunteering for this campaign was that and understands multiplication. of public service. Send McSparran, Shull, Thompson, Betts and Meek to Harrisburg this fall. They are need- the New York Giants rocked Babe ed there.

-President Harding has not made a direct appeal to the people to party.

Police Protection Needed.

It is to be hoped that the police authorities in Washington will take the

of each other.

For example, the other day Presi- George Wharton Pepper and David A. his home in Philadelphia on Monday. Representative Mondell, of Wyoming, ifying the action. in which he fulsomely praised the Since the retirement of John I. members of the present Congress and Mitchell, in 1887, the people of Pennextravagantly eulogized the achieve- sylvania have not had a representament of the session recently ended. A tive in the United States Senate. few weeks ago Secretary of War, John W. Weeks, in a public address de-rose, Philander C. Knox, William E. nounced the Congress as the most Crow, George Wharton Pepper and worthless in the history of the coun- David A. Reed, all chosen by the cortry. Not long ago the President pro- porations and serving them faithfully, nounced the Esch-Cummins transpor- have been Senators for Pennsylvania. tation act as the best piece of labor Not a voice has ever been reaised in legislation ever enacted in this or any that chamber for the people during other country, and the other day all the period of time since March Secretary of Labor, James J. Davis, 4th, 1887, thirty-five years. There has declared the Labor Board provision of been a good deal of legislation enacted that act as absolutely vicious and de- within that period of direct interest to

holic beverages on board U.S. ships

-Would it be proper to say that Ruth to sleep?

-Rabbi Wise has the right idea. elect a Congress friendly to his pol- He says that Mustapha Kemal's vicicies, but he has compelled all the tory is ascribable to Henry Cabot day, Senator Pepper said: "The mamembers of his cabinet to go out on Lodge. If the United States had gone the "stump" and beg for votes for his into the League of Nations there

war.

Corporations or People-Which?

Thus far not a single good reason precaution to assign a sufficient num- has been given either by the friends lieve good women will help a lot in ber of "cops" to guarantee order at of the Republican candidates for Senthe meetings of the President's cabi- ator in Congress for this State, or net. There is an adage that "where those of the corporations concerned, there is much smoke there must be why the people of Pennsylvania some fire," and the wide differences of should maintain lobbyists in Washing-Senate of Pennsylvania seriously. He opinion expressed by the several ton for the Pennsylvania railroad and members of the cabinet, and the vehe- the Steel trust. For some years, in mence with which conflicting views consideration of liberal campaign conbe a political leader. He is convinced, are stated justify an apprehension of tributions, the Pensylvania Republican "rough house" methods any time those machine has allowed each of these "best minds" get together for the con- corporations to name a Senator for sideration of public business. And the State. After the recent deaths of the members differ as widely with the Senators Penrose and Crow each of views of the President as with those them picked a member of its legal staff for the service in the persons of

dent Harding addressed a letter to Reed. But there is no reason for rat-

the people. But in every instance in Recently Attorney General Daugh- which the interests of the people con-

erty issued an official order not only flicted with those of the corporations, the people suffered. When Mr. Pepper was inducted in-

obvious that no proof was needed. against the bonus. But the people of Pennsylvania are opposed to Newber-

-Possibly the vocabulary of the ry and in favor of the bonus, and will lived so that their only motive in vol- she knows how to use all of them tions by voting for Judge Samuel E. if they are wise.

> -Mr. Pinchot is a dodger, all right, but more stupid than artful. dog.

whose ox is gored."

-in his speech at Norristown, Monchinery of government at Harrisburg and in Washington belongs to you.' would have been no such victory or So it does! But a lot of wasteful, inyou and, if you are wise, you'll discharge all of them who can be gotten rid of on November 7th.

> -The Philadelphia Public Ledger is already beginning to let itself down easy. It admits that "IF the party in power holds on," at the coming election, it will be by a reduced rate, not only in Congress, but in the State elections.

-Mr. Pinchot says he expects to carry every county in the State. It is probably the type of lunacy that influenced him to begin functioning as Governor the moment the purchase price of his nomination was paid.

-The death of Senator Vare is a bereavement to a good many people in Philadelphia who enjoyed his benevolences and to the Republican machine of that city which profited largely by his contributions.

-The wheat crop according to the latest reports is not a record breaker but it is big enough to disappoint any expectations of benefit to farmers from the tariff tax.

-Great Britain is a shrewd business woman. She makes a considerable payment on the back interests account before asking for a renewal of the note.

the office. Possibly that is true but it 1919, to these and other war activmust be admitted there are possibilities.

-If the coal mine owners are not permitted to shift the expenses of the last strike on to the consumers they will wonder what strikes are for.

----No one knows what Lloyd George is going to do and it is precisely the same way with respect to

-Larry Eyre and Gifford Pinchot have compromised their differences big end in the deal.

death of Judge Orvis. From December, 1891, until Janu-

ary, 1896, he served as disbursing House of Representatives at Washing-James Kerr, then clerk of the House. In 1898, Mr. Snyder became counsel for important business interests and removed his offices to New York. His new duties took him into many of the States and he had relations and important transactions in foreign countries. During his residence in New York he made two voyages abroad, never losing interest in its people or field to make his future home among his old friends and neighbors.

during the period of its existence he member of the executive committeetrict-2nd, 3rd and 4th Liberty Loan was one of the "Four Minute" men of struck Cerney in the head. the committee of Public Information during the war of 1917-1919; a mem-After two trials King Constan- Snyder gave his entire time and enerities, rendering a faithful and a pa-"Boys" overseas, and to his country.

> on Tuesday morning one lone, loudly- to which the injured were taken. honking wild goose flew over Bellefonte on a bee line a few degrees west of south. It attracted especial attention because of the fact that it is very unusual to see one goose flying alone

and it is a safe bet that Larry got the flight and headed due south. It is him. Horrified, the engine crew ran to -Senator Pepper is stumping in and scattered during the hard rain supposed corpse, suddenly jumped to his New England. Probably he wants to storm, which would account for the feet and offered to thrash the whole crowd. "spit in the eye" of a "Boston bull" single bird in the air and the five on He had been somewhat dazed by his fall, the ground.

tuted in court at Norristown last week by counsel for Albert Liebetery on account of injuries alleged to have been received by his 16 year old daughter, Sarah, while a club. The suit is directed against Fred up the drive to the club house, is said to have run down the girl as she was about to get on the club auto.

-John Nesbit, constable of Chillisquque township, Northumberland county, who visited the Milton fair last Thursday and seized seven lottery wheels in operation there, was on Saturday placed under bail clerk in the office of the clerk of the for court by Justice Weiner, of Watsontown. The charge against the constable is ton, under an appointment from Hon. larceny, information being sworn by J. B. Fuhrman, of Scranton. The case is attracting widespread interest, as it will be a test of the law against lottery wheels.

-Walter Clyde Roper, 58 years old, died suddenly at the home of his niece, Mrs. Andrew Kratzer, of Belleville, on Thursday of last week. Deceased was a victim of aneurism, a rare disease, less than half a dozen cases having been successfully treated in the United States. In this case one of which was to Egypt. During the lining of the large artery feeding the his absence from Clearfield he kept in heart collapsed completely shutting off the close touch with his native county, flow of blood from that organ. Roper was a jeweler and restauranteur, and conductaffairs. In 1914 he returned to Clear- ed business in a dozen or more central Pennsylvania towns.

-State troopers are searching for a He was chairman of the Clearfield man who killed Mike Cerney, a coal miner, Chapter of the American Red Cross at his home in the village of Marguerite, from April, 1917, until October, 1919; Westmoreland county. Cerney, the authorities reported, has had numerous arguwas a member of the Red Cross ad- ments about the strike of miners in his field, and the man being sought, it is said, visory committee for Pennsylvania; a was involved in the walkout. Cerney was summoned to the door of his home early Clearfield county and Philipsburg dis- Sunday night. He refused to open the door, relatives said, and five shots were and the Victory Liberty Loan drives; fired through a panel. All the bullets

-One Bucknell college student was killed and four others were hurt on Sunday when ber of the executive committee, Clear- their automobile crashed into another car field county, Jewish relief drive. Mr. on Dalmatia hill, near Sunbury. They were returning from the Bucknell-Navy tine declares there is no pleasure in gy from April, 1917, until October, football game at Annapolis. Henry Burg, of New York, died from a fractured skull, The other students, all of whom will recover, according to doctors, are Carlton triotic service to his county, to the Gardner, of Harrisburg; William Viceroy, of Windber; Lewis Trax, of Warren, and Harold Vandemark, of Nanticoke. Gard--A few minutes after six o'clock ner has been discharged from the hospital

> -John Coy, of Port Alleghany, McKean county, had as close a call from death last Friday as is possible for a man to get and still be uninjured. A Pennsylvania Railroad locomotive which was backing into unusual to see one goose flying alone but some time Tuesday forenoon Dr. the station at that town passed completely over him. Coy was walking on the tracks M. A. Kirk saw five wild geese in a and fell just as the engine was upon him. field on the Humes farm. He at first The engineer did not see the man, but the thought they were tame fowls but fireman saw him. The emergency brakes when they got sight of him they took | were applied, but the engine stopped over just possible that geese were in flight the hospital, which is near the scene, and on Monday night and became lost summoned a physician and brought a stretcher. When they approached Coy, the

but had escaped all injury.

the destination of the hobo.