INK SLINGS

-Mr. Pinchot is trying to dodge the Prohibition question, as an is-

-The Liberal party of Pennsylvania and the Women's Association for Prohibition reform have both endorsed the candidacy of John M. Hemphill for Governor. Mr. Hemphill is thus assured a good chance of election and if the Democrats of Pennsylvania really want to show the State what a Democratic Governor can do they should stick to Hemphill.

Night Before Christmas."

tain functions. Mr. Robbins is ministration of justice. probably aiming to be anything else There are seven justices of the main chance."

her reaction to the passing by re- tle consideration in the selection. to get an eighteen holer instead?"

posted as delinquents and sold un- fluence voters in his favor. der the hammer so ruthlessly.

-"Ma" Ferguson has captured her man Jim down there she stepped the Pennsylvania Division of the in and had herself elected Governor Women's Organization for National of the Lone Star State. Then Dan Prohibition Reform and its member-Dan went willy-nilly in the Smith State and Nation, give aid and cofor President campaign, but had operation to help toward the elec- In the election on Monday the Con- that period. enough sense left to decline to run tion of John M. Hemphill, candi- servatives won on that issue. to succeed himself. There were nine date for the Governorship of Penn-Democrats running for Governor in sylvania." the Texas primary and "Ma" led them all, "Ma" is wet. If she isn't she ought to be because Jim slobbered enough about her. Be that as it may, from this distance it looks as though "Ma" is both the

-The big news on Tuesday was Pennsylvania. Gifford is the boss defier. He's a boss promiser, too. automobile license in two, if he should be elected Governor. He he should be elected Governor and have a Legislature entirely subservient to him—which is highly improbable-he will not cut the autobeen doing! Fishing for suckers.

gers, whose new babies got mixed and seemed to think that was suf- Chairman, and it may be presumed vestment. If it had been made on up in a Chicago hospital, are still making a fuss about it. The Democratic Senators might eas-Watkins are going to sue the hos- ily have prevented the ratification to do harm. But when the tide of der. As a matter of fact, howpital for a hundred thousand dol- by voting in the negative or breaklars damages because they think ing the quorum. It is well that they against Huston but against the the suggestion of President Hoover the Bambergers have their baby. Of refrained from adopting either excourse there might be ground for pedient. As one of them expressed mental perturbation in such a it a bad treaty is better than no withheld. He was betrayed as he loan to California grape growers alsituation, but with most people a treaty and the instrument is not had tried to betray the people. so had his approval. baby is a baby and the cause of entirely bad. pop's getting one that is not really In discussing the question at the Mr. Huston will, on the 7th day solely a Hoover conception and is She is the young lady who swam said: "It is a feeble treaty, a weak the English channel one day and and insufficient instrument; but it "to the best of his ability," and and commercial methods. Senator the next found herself a heroine— is better than competitive building. with all the zeal he could command. Norris and other representatives of like Butch McDivitt was a million. If it does not carry us forward far But he committed the fatal error the wheat growing section of the aire—for a day. She is now giving toward the goal of disarmament, at of being found out. He was caught country proposed the debenture plan swimming lessons at Rye, N. Y. and least it applies the brakes against with the goods on his person. That and Senator Borah insisted that it "crabbing" on the side. She is mad the rapid backsliding which had alis not unfortunate but unprofessional, was no more repugnant to business because she got only fifty grand out ready begun." In other words it in the opinion of his party associ- principles than the stabilization of all the money that was made out prevents, for a period of five years, ates, and his forced resignation is of an the money that was made out competitive building which would the consequence. The "good of the President protested with such emmuch more would Gertie have got- have impoverished all the nations party" is impaired by such things. phasis as to frighten timid partiten if she hadn't negotiated the concerned without reason. That is If there had been no exposure the sans into support of his measure. channel? We fancy she would have the only excuse for the treaty and been ironing bathing suits instead the only good reason for ratifying it. his administration of the chairman-signal failure but a collossal fraud dered valuable service to Pinchot of giving swimming lessons at the Rye pool.



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Why Niles Should be Elected.

Recent actions of the Supreme -Let them who want to believe court of Pennsylvania have materi- Mayor Mackey, of Philadelphia, that Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is ally impaired public confidence in should attach himself to the Pinwife. When they prove to us that freely expressed and widely diffused flict now in progress in the Repubthere is any kind of communication opinion that in shifting the dates lican party. It is equally logical

an engineering atmosphere and if he framing the present constitution of cis Shunk Brown got during his ties wants to wear a fireman's hat, a the State the distinguished gentle- campaign for the Republican nomiapprove on the ground of efficiency. partisan Supreme court and so support of Mayor Mackey. His inti- Smoot and President Hoover look —One of "The Specialists" one- would always be minority represen- dial endorsement by the Philadelphia tariff rates as serious or not the the scenery at the rear of a Belle-subsequent amendments, influenced announcement that Mackey favored it has caused a tremendous shrinkfonte business place has had to be by a different type of party leader- his nomination identified him with age in our exports. The actual facts removed to make room for a miniature golf course that is being loture golf course that is being loand for some years all the judges
tics. Mackey's testimony before the assertions. Canada has already actsame. New York continues to head
county jail awaiting deportation procounty jail awaiting deportation procounty jail awaiting deportation procated there. Lovers of the town, have been of the same political faith sentences and sentences and the same political faith sentences and sentences and sentences and sentences and sentences are same. New York continues to nead sentences and sentences are same. New York continues to nead sentences and sentences are same. New York continues to nead sentences are same and the same political faith sentences are same sentences ar land-mark goes, should be consoled, en because of conspicuous fitness. Le- ate than all the other reasons com- Similar action has already been and Texas fifth. But California is corporation. He was one of a group of the consoled, en because of conspicuous fitness. Le- ate than all the other reasons com- Similar action has already been and Texas fifth. however, by the optimism of a gallearning, personal integrity and bined. He not only boasted of the taken against us by Spain, by giving both Texas and Ohio a close nine taken to Pittsburgh from Johnsmodern young woman who voiced judicial temperament have had lit- inquities of Philadelphia politics but France by Switzerland. There are marking: "Well, what if they are It is fair to assume that if there attached to it. It was an unparal- impose retaliatory rates against us tearing it down. Aren't we going had been one able lawyer inclined leled exhibition of moral degeneracy. as well as the formulation of cartels

to the political philosophy of the The corridors of the Centre minority party on the bench the sonal advantage to Mayor Mackey One of the last public statements county court house are plastered action of the court in the Luzerne with notices of tax sales. Next county case would have been acwith notices of tax sales. Next county case would have been ac- of John M. Hemphill the Democratic an admonition against excessive the expense of other States. Monday the Commissioners will sell cepted without complaint. In order nominee for Governor. The defeat tariff taxes. A protectionist of the several hundred properties for taxes, to create such confidence in the of Sedgwick Kistler, for Senator, most radical type his experience as all because a drastic and wholly court for the future the Democratic might convey an advantage to Vare. President led him to declare that unnecessary law was passed by party has nominated one of the lit would allocate two Senators to we cannot expect foreign atmosphere; but it is safe to say that considerable of the gain in the violet M. Durr, 23, and Robert L. Bookthe last Legislature. It gives the outstanding jurists of the State, Pittsburgh and with the help of Pin- to open freely to our wares unless tax payer no chance at all and both Hon. Henry C. Niles, of York, for chot enable Vare to defeat Senator we show a willingness to at least Senator Scott and the Hon. Holmes Justice of the Supreme court. He Reed for the nomination in 1934. But tolerate their products in our marvoted for it. People should pay is not only an experienced jurist that is a remote chance which only kets. Our increasing production untheir taxes, of course, but there but a lawyer of the highest standard an abnormal opportunist would con- der the mass system which has sus figures at hand also show con- aviator, to the center of the lake for a comes times to everyone when he in ability and integrity. If there sider. Yet it is safe to assume that become the rule require a corresiderable growth in population in a swim. Prutzman, attired in a bathing or she can't do it right on the dot were no other reasons for his elec- some sort of bargain has been made spondingly increasing consumption, number of the Southern States, not- suit, was rescued. The victime were

London Naval Treaty Ratified

acquired at the expense of the dig- power trust.

mobile license in two. Paste this fication eighteen were Democrats. Huston. For purely selfish consid-During the long drawn out consider- erations he employed his considera- of checking an alarming decline in Gif go back to Harrisburg again ation of the subject the President ble influence as an active and effisee whether he does what he said never called in a Democratic Sencient party leader to betray the some 67,000,000 bushels at \$1.25 a here he would do or whether he ator for consultation. He had the public by sacrificing an immensely bushel. But the gesture failed of wasn't doing what he has always wisdom, or cunning, to appoint the floor leader of the minority as one was fully informed of this fact and the government stands to lose -The Watkins and the Bamber- of the delegates to the convention when he picked him for National approximately \$3,500,000 on the in-

Gertrude Ederle is squawking. Wagner, Democrat, of New York, delinquent. He has served the average farmer has little, if any,

-We will do your job work right. long as it was secret.

An Obviously Natural Alliance.

It was perfectly natural that

expressed pride in the infamy which other countries now laying plans to the percentage of increase human being was uncovered by Table There is not and cannot be any per- and boycots against our goods."

tues which he professes to cherish table and closing down the ultimate and represent. In any event it is result. This means increasing unem-

It seems that the people of

Penalty of Being Found Out.

Hoover's hand picked chairman of the Republican National committee, because of his careless use of lan-Taking into consideration the the Republican National committee, because of his careless use of lanopinions of the naval experts and has finally made a definite promise guage. In reply to some of the the stubborn resistance set up in to resign "for the good of the complaints of farmers Mr. Legge Kistler-Niles ticket. Alamo and Davey Crocket of Texas. the Senate by the opponents of the party." It was a reluctant promise London naval treaty, the vote by to the President in person after all brought chairman Shouse, of the which it was ratified on Monday of efforts on the part of the party Democratic executive committee, inthe announcement that Mr. Pinchot last week was surprising. Fifty- leaders to coerce him had failed, to the picture and what he said eight to nine is a big majortiy, even if the measure possessed all the for public contemplation. Mr. Board with "dabbling in the wheat merits claimed for it, which it Hoover knew all about it before market with the result that no in- decisive referendum on prohibition. cat. When he was in Bellefonte some didn't. But as was stated in this Huston was elevated to the highest paper at the time of the signing of place in the party organization. the instrument, ratification was nec- But he confidently expected that it the Chicago grain speculators who honest expression of the people's on a charge of vagrancy at Hartleton, esssary to save the face of the ad- would remain a secret from the pub- knew more about rigging the mar- will on this question. knew he was only talking big when esssary to save the face of the ad would remain a secret from the parket than Mr. Legge and his conmittee disap- ket than Mr. Legge and his conhe made that statement, yet a compulsion was employed to force a pointed this expectation when it freres." In other words the attempt favorable vote. The result is a drew from the culprit a complete to stabilize the market was a stupid substantial victory for the President, record of his affiliation with the and expensive experiment.

Of the Senators voting for rati- minds a sentiment of sympathy for Legge and his colleagues of the valuable property. The President its purpose. The decline continued popular indignation turned, not ever, the transaction was made at perfidy of his conduct, the support and is a natural child of his engiwhich might have shielded him was neering mind. The considerable

Thrown "as a tub to the whale"

Hoover Content While Threatens.

"Nero fiddled while Rome burned," but at that he had nothing on sending psychic messages to his that tribunal. We do not share the chot faction in the confusing con- President Hoover. The other day, between a departed spirit and a of the hearing of the Luzerne countaint and a of the hearing of the Luzerne countaint and a light himself issued a statement through the Re- only a small number of the 123, friend. When Kuhns, who weighs over living soul then we will be ready by primary election dispute there with that contingent. Mr. Pinchot publican National committee in 000,000 which was predicted. It is to believe that all preachers and was a sinister purpose. But a great has told a lot of truth about which he ridiculed the complaints priests are fakes and that the gospel many fair-minded men and women Mackey and Vare. He has called of foreign governments against the is just a lovly fantasy like "The were persuaded that partisan in them crooks and thieves and ap- excessive rates of the Grundy tariff terests influenced the judges in fix- plied to them other opprobrious and bill. We buy considerable merchan-The President has a new en- ing the date so late as to work appropriate epithets. And Mr. dise from the complaining countries. gineering problem on his hands. prejudice to one side or the other Mackey and Mr. Vare have express- he said in substance, and besides Smart tailors are of the opinion of the controversy, and justly or ed contempt of Pinchot in every our tourists spend a great deal of that Warren D. Robbins, social sec- unjustly such impressions are harm- form their feeble minds could con- money traveling abroad. Moreover retary at the White House, doesn't ful. Full confidence in the courts ceive. But they are a good deal it is customary for these countries know what clothes to wear for cer- is essential to the complete ad- alike for all that. They are oppor- to complain against our tariff schedtunists always looking for "the ules but it doesn't mean a thing. They keep on buying our wares and than a tailor-made man. He is in Supreme court of Pennsylvania. In Probably the hardest bump Fran- we get the benefit of increased du-

Replying to this expression of

products surplusses are inevirguson has captured ——There is no uncertainty in practically certain that there is a ployment and multiplying distress, when they impeached this declaration: "Resolved, That quid pro quo involved. but Smoot and Hoover don't worry. but Smoot and Hoover don't worry. From the Philadelphia Record.

> ---Senator Borah will take a than the Liberal government fixed hope hell give the lateral paign.
>
> in retaliation to our Grundy atrocity. rest wherever we may be during paign.
>
> The eraser is resentment against

President Hoover to Blame.

The troubles of Alexander Legge, the results obtained. Claudius H. Huston, President chairman of the Federal Farm said it was "political bunk." This considerable portion of its invest-ment went to fatten the gains of monwealth until we have a full and considerable portion of its invest-

This is literally true but it is

The Farm Board enterprise is purpose of his political associates understanding of business principles plan offered by Mr. Hoover. But the where it belongs.

Latest Population Figures.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer. Basing its calculation on the returns from forty-one States and the District of Columbia, the Associated Press estimates that we have a Bank, near Union. Following their swim after a conference on the subject total population in the United States they changed clothes at the home of a with the President, Senator Smoot of 122,975,000. This falls short by friend. When Kuhns, who weighs over a growth in the decade of 17,000,-000; and the rate of increase is 16.33 per cent; as compared with 14.9 per cent. in the preceding dec-It will be interesting to see ade. whether the final official figures will vary much from this carefully computed estimate.

In the meantime the population estimating machine which ticks the increase in population as calculated by experts from immigration statistics, births and deaths has vindicated itself. It placed the number of people in the United States on April first at midnight at 122,597,-000. This is so close to the Asso-Prince Albert coat and B. V. Ds men who composed the convention nation for Governor was the an-contentment Senator Harrison, of ciated Press estimate that there is we presume that the President would unanimously agreed upon a non-nouncement that he had the earnest Mississippi, says "Whether Senator not much room left for controversy. Seven States are still to be heard worded the instrument that there mate relation with Vare and his cor- upon this inexcusable increase in our from; but from the partial returns holers that has long been part of tation on the appellate bench. But machine was bad enough. But the American people must know that the rear of a Beller where the rear of a Beller whe that are in from these Common-

race. The Golden State outdoes which Curiously enough, the one that on a coal bank near Pottsville, on Moncomes next in rapid growth is its day while the youths were riddling coal.

to attract residents from elsewhere; county coroner, said the skeleton might Florida also boasts of its balmy have been buried by a medical student. Southern State comes from its at- hammer, 23, both of Altoona, an engagtractive tax laws. Its Constitution ed couple drowned while canoeing in provides that no inheritance or in- Lake Mokoma, near Eaglesmere. They come tax shall be levied. The cen- were taking John Prutzman. Altoona is at last coming into its own.

Erasing Party Lines.

Canada want higher tariff rates month's rest in Maine and let us Mercer county, reports that party the hearing which sent her to prison Moody rooted her out of the office. ship, acting in the interest of the than the Liberal government fixed hope he'll give the rest of us a lines are wiped out in this cam-

> prohibition and its enforcement. Mercer leads in rigor of enforcement; and Mercer is convinced that a girl of 13. the price is too much to pay for

Such dominance by a single issue ment law and the Snyder act went into effect.

Nothing should be permitted to nation. Harry Miller, State game warden, prevent the election standing as a said the animal had the marks of a wild

The Hemphill ticket, opposing the Quasi-Liberalism of Pinchot, which fades out in presence of the now supreme issue of personal freedom to rule one's own habits of living, It is hard to create in reasoning hardly fair to lay the blame on out more boldly, expand its program to include all the liberal issues.

> -Thank the Lord the trout fishing season is over. Not that we wore ourself out luggin' home the fish, but we haven't been able to concentrate on anything since April fifteenth because of fear that some one else was luggin' them home while had given birth to 21 calves, 19 of which we should have been concentrating.

-The ratification of the London treaty is desirable because it will hasten the adjournment of the Senate and the resignation of chairman Huston.

embargo Russian ships in order to decrease foreign commerce. The his own is not always institutional. final day of consideration Senator of August, plunge into oblivion as a based on the Hoover idea that the Grundy tariff law will accomplish inevitable collision with a seventy-car that result.

> -The political "sneak-thieves" defeat Senator Norris, of Nebraska, for renomination have been foiled.

> -It's bad enough here but in Paris they arrest the victims of authe way of the automobile."

ship. His conduct was harmless as the blame should be placed on him, by its futile attack on the Luzerne over him in the kitchen of the diner. county returns.

SPAWLS FROM THE KEYSTONE

-Asserting that he broke his teeth on nail embedded in a loaf of rasin bread. Thomas Shields, of Port Perry, near Pittsburgh, has filed suit for \$20,000 damages against the Ward Baking com-

-As he was preparing to retire early last Friday, Howard Riddle, 38. Wilkinsburg, a suburb, thought he heard a shot fired beneath his bedroom window. He rushed to the window, lost his balance and fell to the street. He died an hour later.

-Harry Luders, of Strasburg, an employe of the Edison Electric company, was electrocuted on Monday while working on overhead wires of the company near Reddigs cemetery, about a halfmile from Reamstown, Lancaster county. He leaves a wife and four children. -John E. Kuhns, a motorman, of

Lancaster, claims the record fish story

for the season. Kuhns and his family went swimming in Mill Creek at Bell -As the result of a fractured skull and shock caused by a fall down a flight of stairs Mrs. Sarah Jane Gemmill, the oldest resident of the lower end of York county, died at her home near New Freedom. She was 99 years, nine months and 25 days old. The aged woman fell down 12 steps and then struck

about two hours after the accident. -To quiet mothers alarmed over the possibility of their babies being mixed at the maternity wards of two Hazleton hospitals, announcement is made by the two institutions of their methods to identify newly born infants. They are "foot-printed" at birth and again at discharge to check on their identities, as well as checked up with necklaces which bear numbers carried in the medical

her head against a door. Death occurred

records of the cases. -Christ Bacusis, of Greece, charged by immigration authorities with illegally entering the country at Niagara Falls in a town on similar charges

percentage of increase, human being, was uncovered by James is placed at 64.6. Noila and Thomas Arkins, of Minersville, that the find might lead to the solution California counts on its climate of a murder years ago. Dr Valibus, -A double funeral was held for Miss

and under such circumstances they tion the fact that it would restore between Pinchot and men so diashould be carried along a bit, not confidence in the court should inmetrically opposed to the civic. That section, as Mr. Coolidge says, the lake, arriving there a few hours prior to the accident. -Because she cannot pay her taxes, Mrs. Sophie Gurka is confined in the Carbon county prison while her seven children go uncared for at their home A staff correspondent of this in Summit Hill, near Tamaqua. Her newspaper, after traveling 'round in taxes amount to \$30, and as a result of she owes \$8 more in costs. Her husband has paid his taxes and gives no

attention to the obligation which has

lodged his wife behind prison bars. The

eldest of the seven children at home is

-A cat measuring 32 inches from the tip of its tail to its neck and believed As the Democratic party pledges to have been a wild cat, on Monday large numbers, to vote the Hemphill inflicting a small wound. Jacobs freed himself and as the cat was attempting to spring a second time Jacobs' dog became inevitable when the 18th attacked the animal, which was later amendment, the Volstead enforce- killed Fearing it might have been a mad cat, the head has been sent to the State Department of Health for exami-

> -Belief that James Bunt, arrested by sheriff Lester Crabb, of Union county, was a Chicago gangster, was lessened when the prisoner was interviewed by corporal Walter Powell, of the State police, at Lewisburg, on Sunday. Powell found the man had been arrested by the Pennsylvania railroad police for illegal train riding several weeks ago. He had served a term of 10 days in the Northumberland county jail and was released a day previous to his arrest by Crabb. The man has passports and bank books showing large deposits in Chicago banks.

-Laura, the "Wonder Mother," world record pure bred Jersey cow, owned by the McManus Brothers' Farm at Towanda, died Friday. She was 27 years old and were heifers. In 1926 she equalled the world record of King's Financial Interest, of Greystone Farms, West Chester, Pa., and surpassed it the following year. King's Financial Interest died at the age of 21. She had a butter fat production record of 400 pounds, while Laura's record was 408 pounds. McManus Brothers have about 50 head of cattle in their herd, all direct descendants of Laura. -It was hardly necessary to They have never had to buy a cow.

-Sticking to his post in the face of freight train, Lewis Hartman, of Tamaqua, engineer of a Reading Railway passenger train, running between Williamsport and Tamaqua, averted a who attempted an age-worn trick to tragedy at Shamokin, on Sunday. The passenger train had been flagged to permit the freight to cross over to another track, and the freight engineer, thinking the switch had been thrown sent his train smashing into the passenger cars. Although he knew the tomobile accidents for "getting in crash was inevitable, Hartman succeeded in starting his train in reverse just before the collision, thus lessening the force of the impact. George McDonald negro, a pullman attendant, was badly scalded when a pail of hot water spilled No one else was injured.