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"They Who Offer Carrion for Meat" DENROSE organs, whose moral perspective L is so blunt that it might as well not exist. are attempting to persuade their readers that the Evening Langen has become Domocratic. Was there ever a candidate who hid so closely behind the party emblem as Mr. Penrose? "I am a Republican," he says, and all the little satellites solemnly color. "Do is a Republican." Apparently Republicanson bea cane without which the senier Senator could not hobble twenty yards. Yet he is not if Republican. His organization was denominated by that true Republican, Senator Root, "a criminal conspiracy," a masquerade. It is a trim garment in which this cotorie of politicians have wrapped Penroseban, a pretty dress. Tear it aside and a stench of corruption deadens the atmosphere. There are the trembling limbs of graft, the tricky fingers. the dripping revenue from rum, the long Capitol scandal, the vicious debauchery of the whole composite body of social parasites TLEE fire underwriters have sustained Diand hangers-on, combined in a vast conspiracy of loot.

If that is Republicanism, then America is done with Republicanism; and the world is done with it; and decent men and women are done with it. But it isn't. Not a blt of it. On the contrary, the vital principles of the party that saved the Union, first from dissolution and then from economic calomity. still live. They are the principles that thousands of men want to vote for, but will not vote for if at the same time they must be put on record as approving as immoral a set of political adventurers as ever mathemat together on the public highways or in the back rooms of corner dens.

This nation will have Republicanism without the fraud that Pennowlsm attaches to it or it will not have Republicanism at all That is a patent, obvious fact. Men who imagine that the destinles of this notion will ever again he entrusted to statestaen who cannot stand daylight are eternally mistolten.

Men's Patience is in Their Pockets

IT IS a mania of Congressite day with dy-namite. The American people will never be content with war tubes in time of provfound peace, in a year when nature has been magnificently product and bumperscrope are the rule. Millions which were formerly get from the customs houses were being taken directly from the poskets of enumeror before i the European war broke out. Now it is proposed to secure millions nore from exclase | is no recent why we for America should not taxes. From being the most prolific source produce on Angels or a Da Vinch" of revenue, the tariff is rapidly being much to assume, a minor role in hallonal thurner Direct imports are taking if direct levies. American history and American temperament are against this procedures 'llie Administration is preparing to drive main into an inextricable information dupping larity.

tion in one of his poems. The fly, however, fared somewhat better in general esteem until science and education changed the attitude. Fifteen or twenty years ago children in kindergartens sang liltingly of "the ily in baby's milk." Selected by Professor Quiller-Couch for "The Oxford Book of English Verse" is an excellent poom of William Oldys, beginning-

Bugy, curious, thirsty By! Drink with me and drink as L

Freely welcome to my cup, Couldst thou sip and sip it up,

But the fly is now our enemy, and the rat is more knowingly dreaded than over before. There is safety in fear.

Enmeshed in a Definition

THE most brazen of all the anti-morality organs in Pennsylvania said this morning;

Facing defeat in their various districts, to pitiful appeal of Congressmen, "Let Us fave Port," has changed to the insistent Have Pork," has changed to the insistent demand, We Minst Have Pork," It is a touch authork for mushreem statesmen whose only stock in trade is a faked prayer nd a trunkful of broken promises.

Pork or no pork was the question before the United States Senate, yesterday. By some strange freak of fortune, Mr. Penrose happened to be in his seat. Putting himself in a class with "mushroom statesmen whose only stock in trade is a faced prayer and a trunkful of broken promises," he voted for the pork.

Checkmate the Municipal Court Grab ANEW Municipal Court grabs involving a mittion festival of bull a million dollars, is in process of accomplishment. The Mayor has boidly challenged the men who propose to put this burden on the municipality at a time when common sense requires the hind-anding of resources in order to make the way clear for transit. The Muyor's very of the ordinance condemning ground us a site for the projected buildings should be sustained. His organism against g us conclusive. There may be no satisface tory answer. The city cannot be loaded down with white elephants at this time without the people understanding clearly the purpose of the program.

New Hose Must Be Got.

rector Port-r's charge that a large part if the hose owned by the city is unfit for use. It would be idle now to quarrel about who is responsible for the situation. The thingof importance is the fact its if. It must be remodied, not next year, but this year. Thereis no other matter which so argently requires | because of his change of faith, distinct by the attention of Coursells.

Art "Made in America."

FTHE European catalyrra has at least tem-I porarily integroit the mying of boolow and attendance at the floatte Book publishers. and phy-producers are uncommons in their on" American novellets and dramatists will have the field to the motivor.

Notione has over contented the supremacy | satirical attacks. of France in the short story; yet the much-vanied French writers, such as Plaus. America today toon it over the in Prance. "Inm?" We may not yet produced a Stake-petrach. Mollare or on Room Nevertheless, England, and recondure: Emance, Germany and the other continental sound of a local transferration in the second secon when we may not have to duplicate, if not 101110-002

Tanana Suppose Correct Daming Allows Let us have a destarytion of hat pendence PASSED BY THE CENSOR

THE wonderfully blue waters of the bay of I Funchal, off the coast of Madeira, glittered translucently. In small boats a party of American tourists landed from the steamship. McNab, who had a mania for collecting outre things, announced that he would buy the finest old Madeira wine on the island and, with that, he disappeared on his hunt, the while the others saw the sights.

And then the unregenerates laid a deep and wicked plot to commandeer that wine. So they got back to the steamship well in advance and awaited events. Just as the whistle blew its "all aboard," McNab hove in sight in a small boat, lovingly caressing a basket. He tied it to a rope, mounted to the steamship's deck and began to holst up his precious hurden.

But the wicked ones were prepared and when the basket was passing a certain porthole, a hand protruded and two bottles, cobwebbed and ancient looking, were lifted bodily into the inner recesses of the steamship. Whereupon the ship's surgeon brought fine cigars and the first mate mits and blscuits. Then the purloiner, after a more or less next speech of triumph, pulled the corks. and-poured out the clearest, nicest water ever seen!

McNab had paid \$5 each for the bottles, but he never knew-the unregenerates had just enough self-respect left not to tell him the awful truth.

TT HAPPENED has week, when the sun I show brightly and the poesy of autumn was in the air. I wandered far afield into the lands beyond Collingdate-over the hills and far away, until I came to a tumble-down stone building, decayed with age and redulent with historic memories. There arose visions of Washington, of Grant, the heroes of our wars. Memory painted pictures of love and intrigue and bloodshed and the pursuit of peace and then-came the most ancient inhabitant.

"Pretty old building?" ventured the writer, seeking information.

"Pretty old," responded the man.

"It's probably played an important part in our country's history?"

"Not that I know of," responded the old man: "it's been a cow barn nigh all its life." Whereupon I beat a masterly retreat.

 $H^{\rm EINRICH~HEINE,~the~German poet,~lay}_{\rm desperately~il~in~Paris,~an~exlic from his}$ native land, shumed by members of his race those of his new religion. But though paralyzed, his mind was as clear and acute as ever and his wit me cutting. Daily ha wrote for a French paper. Inclusive, raplerlike, cutting and sharii were his remarks. And the butt of his daily joke was one of the Rothschilds. For months this and continued, opinion on that notal, but they predict as and then Rediscuid could stand the fiber no longer. He sent as friend to Holie to offer him a life of case if he would forego his

"Stop?" asked Heine. "Stop the attacks on Rothschild? What other pleasable have I loft Targe on F. Gauguer, a durable heir their ins. In life? Tell Definehild that all his millions delite brees, to Foliare Allan Post. The short is ald not buy bealth for me. Tell him that story has reached a source meeters form in , my tamponner pleases me more than it himts

So to the day of Heine's death, Rothschild

IN PARIS, Helue had married a French women of almosts anteredents and unterly. are variance with the spiritual turture of the ornal addaung Innution of Europole | posts She was a good durse, however, dividthat hereitime between Homesund nor-barrot. One day the discipleared and a frind, voitofoling with the deformancemented that she Junt istoped.

"Is her parrit still here"" acted Heine. "Fraul

no dida

party and attempted to seize the Govern-ment, but was sentenced to imprisonment for life, being pardoned subsequently.

Cold slaw, a dish essentially American in 8 popularity, is said to have been invented 9 the early Dutch settlers, who called it kool-ston.

a poor girl raised on porridge and water and quartered in a garret exposed to the north wind. In Arbuthnot's satirical "History of Europe" she is represented as madly in love with Jack—John Calvin.

IN A SPIRIT OF HUMOR

Popularity Assured

popular pastime.

Petrograd and Jaroshu

Petrograd and Jaroshu Budapest and Crecy, Kaiser Wilhelm, General Pau-Drive me hearly chazy, But the worst is yet to come, Tasting rather pill-y, Reading like prescriptions all-"Take some Przynysl-y" { Choose your "Take some Przynysl-y" { Spelling,

'Twouldn't be Tolerated Here

From the Bienos Aires Standard, "Again 1 was webcared by my cheery host-

Casualties

From Allied sources we learn that 4,356,711 Germans were killed, 11,659,326 were wound-ed and 999,467 were taken prisoners, in the

From German sources we learn that the last four days of fighting. From German issues we learn that the total German loss to date was 11 slightly killed, 13 zerously dead and 65 compre-hensively wounded.

Fowl Play

"Why have you given your hen such an outlandish name as Footpad, Jinks?" "Because she's laying for me."

The Natural Sequence

If now behaves all good exchange editors to dig up the ingoidshy Legends and reprint "The Jackdaw of Rheims," tirade. IN ROACH'S pamphlet which my friend

Heartburn, Probably

appearance of our flag from the merchant From the Effton (Mal.) Democrat. "Fire of an unknown orbith totally de-strayed the contents of Chirchee II, Krauss one night last week," marine of the world. "When our Civil War began," the shipbuilder states, "we had a large commerce but a small navy, and the latter, to protect national life, purchased Huhi Mary had a little famb, And then I heard her holler: "What does that walter think I am? He charged me haif a deflar!" -Cincinnati Enquirer. 215,978 tons of our best steam tonnage. The

Domestic Discord.

"My husband used to call me his lovely ting And now "

ow he picks on me."-Louisville Courier-

What's In a Name?

"We're giving our pastor a new drawing room enropt on the occusion of his jubiles. Show me something that looks like but

hard for expensive thing, mailane-real Kidderminister, 1, adon. Purch.

Alteni-m

Teacher-Johnny, you have been writing

followy-1 has a mount it takes all pa's time to think of in own. New York Sun.

A Fall Time Singer

Golden punktus vicanin' bright Vanuer in de pateix

Namer m de partier alght Never assei a partier alght La sing to a faithe Treats of ways fraid to steer-"Come side in an have a cheer,"

Disto tanara de haid foi me, No wher cho l'se boun'.

Pomores resource near so free. Not to tanke a darkey grin-

"Then she'll xome buck." And gome buck

sired change in the old Constitution, which dated back to Charles II. Rival factions were formed—the "Suffrage" and the "Law and Order" parties. Each elected a set of State officials and each sought to gain con-trol of the State Government. Thomas W. Dorr was chosen Governor by the Suffrage party and attempted to gain the Suffrage

marine and denounces in positive terms what has been called free ships. Both these questions are uppermost in the minds of the peo-John Bull's sister Peg is really Scotlandple at the present time, and it is curious to

> note that they occupied a somewhat similar position 40 years ago. Roach was an Irishman, who came to this country as a boy early in the 30s, and first went to work in a foundry for 25 cents a

DONE IN PHILADELPHIA

AFRIEND put into my hand the other day an old pamphlet written by John

Roach, the shipbuilder of Chester, which

describes rather fearlessly the causes of

the decline of the American merchant

TT WAS this venture that finally caused

the death of John Roach. First he aston-

ished the Naval Advisory Board by making

his bids on four ships far below their esti-

mated cost. When the Dolphin was com-

pleted the new Secretary of the Navy,

William C, Whitney, would not accept it.

Although another board conducted a strin-

gent test and also rejected the vessel. Sec-

retary Whitney changed his view. His action

came too late. Roach, with so much of his

capital tied up, stopped business for the

benefit of his creditors. He declined in health

from that time, and two years later, or in

Reach was responsible for a large propor-

tion of the iron steamship tonnage which

carried the American flag after the Civil

War. It is said that his yards built in all

114 ships of the most modern type for their

day. He was naturally a stern advocate for

the protection of the ship industry in this

country, and one had only to mention Clyde-

built ships to him to start him off on a

L handed me, I find an explanation of the dis-

War Department absorbed, by charter and

otherwise, 757,611 tons more. Of the re-

mainder, to avoid war rates of insurance or

destruction by Clyde-built cruisers, under the

robel flag, 801,311 tons sought refuge under

the flag of England or other European bunt-

ing, while 104,605 tons were actually destroyed

"Of the ships of all sorts employed thus

by our Government few were afterward of any

commercial value, though resold at compara-

tively low rates, partly because of the altera-

tions they had undergone in the process of

adapting them to war uses, but more on

account of the revolution which had taken

place in commercial naval architecture and

 $R^{\rm OACH}$ comments upon this procedure as one of the most extravagant and rulnous

methods that could have been devised for

supplying the United States with a navy.

But at the opening of the Civil War, as at

the beginning of every other war in which

this country has engaged, something like this

has had to be done. We always have been

unprepared. Indeed, the method appears to

be the approved method of augmenting naval

services all over the world. We chartered

ships during the Spanish War, and Eng-

bund, Germany and Japan, with their subsi-

in the application of motive power."

by the Alabama and other pirates.

1887, he died, a broken-hearted man.

day. In the course of his long career as a ship and engine builder he failed four times, and, had he survived, undoubtedly would

have successfully passed through his fourth That proposed 'bus line on Broad street should become immensely popular with the young folk, for bussing has ever been a failure to fortune again. He built four of the warships which were known as the White Squadron, the beginnings of our present modern navy, and it was due to his suggestion A Bitter Dose and advice that the United States ventured upon the development of its navy along mod-

ern lines.

 $\varepsilon_{\rm ess},$ and once more partook of her simple yet palatable face."

League Island Gets a Chance

Sthe Philadelphia Navy Yard to denorstrate absolutely its superport viewer over other yard in the country. All things that go into the huilding of shine are contralized in this city. Private shupyards along the Delaware testify to the unexcelled advantages here offered. When next Congross is asked for an appropriation the Philadelphic delegation will be armed with so formidable an array of facts that opposition to support of the local yard will be swept nway. A hesginning has been made, nothing more dout it is a beginning that is a promise of for greater things to come

Open Markets Are Checks and Balances The open markets recently saturalistical in New York city may be made permisnent, though there is some appointent from the middlemen, and there is completed from other quarters that the muck-t privileges have been abused by whitnes allo are not farmers. So far he the plone of privileges is concorned, the remody lies in a system of careful regulation, and as for the middlemen their just profile current loc of all endangered by any number of open nursels;

On the consumer's slide, carly a comparative few of the housewives of a large same munity can utilize open mariants. It is a question of convenience and martane, and the corner grocery is not mentand buyrond its limits of reason.

Open markets, the parent (and had similar short cuts, which radiace several tran actions. to one transaction between new beller and one buyer, will never shudy to a three forces. proportion of the husiness of marketing years duce, but they will be exceedingly valuation in restricting the middleman to much protion as will compensate him for the service which. he actually performs. They will serve both the producer and the concumeration measures native when the middleman believes been exacting a tolimaster. They are checked and balarices.

Our Enemy the Rat

Wall has been declared on the rate theorem to the philadelphia. They have not yet, within a acourged this city with the hubonic player. but science and education have bouvinged the modern age that they are metaders to the health of any community Philadelphia way. probably do at once what New Orleans did the bus never been and to be a brir son after the rats had been the means of destroying many human lives. This beaching maxim for cities. "to take warning from others of what may be to your own advantage"

The rat never enjoyed the popularity with which the fly used to be favored. Shahespisars and Cervantes both referred to him in slighting metaphorical phrase, and Browning gave This war 'ax in pasoline is a direct blow

of that period, would have remained dead provide the sent betters had it not been for the dynamic power - the rest of the world" which the revolution supplied for the collentthis of their Riess. This thoughts were but the contline marmur of a new day. The wave annulied by the pouplitation a thursday. bolt that has since willof stained the earth.

No Quarter to Political Plundorers

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they willing held which down him, have well haven about it? A then in polasid bid to collect it

Regular riterinden service from Philadels plus to the Parine is a good still. "Repplan" grands from on from a popy for this in New York budie loaded on younds was a knut of extravolution which sound interfere could not long suchars.

Roll of the Thunderbolt ROMANCE is a their of the pash, our 1 in the history of the gradient homomotion, spice and into the semi-insured materialism. frower on the mag of the periods. The French of The thrulh of old is replaced by the certaining re-volution, which Viener Dingo called "that or knowledges Wint is reall about? Oh yes, new protoinal there is all history," would dramovy Crusse's leit has been countered never have left ifs unity of upon the second with the rest of the world by wireless? Cutand political and or much added a method - year conceive it, the most sumaling to Pri-For the correspondent fire multivation supplies for $\frac{1}{2}$ day, for come to the odd $\frac{1}{2}$ day come to the source one further people. These multivations of $\frac{1}{2}$ are properties the correspondence to the source of th the Present materialists of the 19th continue – so warn him that the sectament were coming? Transcent and Polyent and Volgens, and the strong any the days of the biscancers, the

Problem Crisson's lab line been annexed to

 $B^{\rm ENEATH}_{\rm drat}$ in Vienna, which may yet be taken. by the Russhins, has informath of entreounlis, meanly equal to that of forme. For miles the informations physicals owner and turn incommentant darkenteen. When a very small boy t was informanted the deputie by my fatherrecomparish to a guide who coursed a torrely. groundhow or other: I swent matray and money nerve eff. The reflected light of the total. showed slittletons of Caputolia modes, oryayan meens hooked ventuents of their order. the during walks format were matchilled by

"Partial" I rolling, and the assume control of and monomial in anticertifier rooms dratter mean in grantly whippers. And when I want anto with my shoff a moment later, I was the 1 impolest yourmstor in all Europe.

WHEN WEITHAM I' Dress was editorial manager of the New York Details it was manashe world to see http://formital.latstickets on Rightly newspaperman, pressus planet me comingly impossible and here b frinkly discontinuity is invited to anti-anti- that now the did it. He was soon may be threads that due hard a bloty which he would call many to finne. Mix Beack wont in reporting to see Littleinic, who declined to reveal his story to may one size Mr. Belch. After a have wall be were taken into the nugarit

> "Well yound man, whit's rolls short?" many Mr. Beach

> thes "plan is tonic I present itself-brand in stytheffedule, and then he was automed out TREATNEGUTE

> > CI RIOSITY SHOP

b was donn C. cuttome, who is a sessifi-by and Max 27 D556, control the minute-mentic mapping of public dimmer, socional A poince may place up in the Government renter them the prouds them elves, consist-ing means and variant and presented to react comparison into one may and held to strike the the subscript power of the vast arples in the bulkes?

This other well-known places, to "The in-the fact dist," originated with William of Oracov, who an brine adapt by Enod inflorm whether he dist not realize the her stands rain salog over the Commonwealth, replied

"There is one certain norms for which F can be sure never to see my country's run, I will die in the last ditch."

Dorr's rebellion took place in Rhode Island him prominent but not compliminetary open- at the poor, down-trodden automobile owner. in 1843, the bone of contention being a de-

Sign of the Times

the has word by business administration of relation. This is the sign eracted in front of the edition. A Depuist Charge in Paterson hus spoken

Love and Sandahe Company, Study of and Read Christmas, October of the and Goodwill. (a) I controls, unity, in non-descenting, Tablette, in all thrank, Cherity, The time is with the sloyal Welcome.

A Villainians Joke

When he the Villa of Stronger Which of the embatical emperors is the friend of the Euro-boor?

This is Too Punny

We have during to perturbations of the four operation of the perturbation of the surprises. We matched out of the surprises we during the during of a surprises of the perturbation of the period. And, and one metting a mention affect-We remove West function a consistent that (b) we have not proved and white Furthern we raw, and and till them; West pointers with fluid normals a Penny, A lot of fines over us that the penny have have no entropy to us that William Point have notice that constants to the rest of the City Hall base. the City Hall feward.

One Bar Turn

firmer calles a wood is worse than the art [1] was you who recommended that Instant I. was pour which recommended new conductor my write, which II.2 Journe (write of 0.0 dimension) for old more having recommendation for a must hold having recommendation. The must hold a come form to dreact with me found).-

A Prayer

A trayer God of the works nations, God of the works of proves that to firm done of woman And both in as the second state Theory and breaks lifted up, And from the world former Rommer, this bitter must

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A holes shares and dies.

Cast life the faither from them.

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zed lines, also have found it convenient to take over certain vessels from their merchant murine in war times.

It has been generally understood that it was during the period of our Civil War that England-and to a lesser degree Germanytook advantage of our preoccupation to snatch away from us the commerce-carrying trade of the world. From 1839 until the opening gun of the Civil War was fired our forvign trade increased regularly and enormously, and in 1860 it was questioned whether the United States merchant marine was not first. In any case, it was a close second to that of England.

 $D_{\rm even,\ England\ had\ her\ opportunity\ and}^{\rm URING\ that\ long-continued\ strife,\ how$ was keen to take advantage of it. Some persons may have thought that our present concern to regain our proud position on the seas while Europe is basy was a triffe unethical. but to the persons who feel that way about B Mr. Roach 40 years ago supplied the nnawer.

Liston to this: "England saw her opporfunity thus afforded her and availed herself of it to the atmost. She spent millions on millions in subsidies under various forms; she issed even the agonles of our strife for for own advantage, and the Clyde builders were curiched in the construction of blockade runners not to speak of the Alabama and other representatives of the 'British neutral increised. Underneted and unrivaled by the only people who had shown a capacity for computing with her upon the sea, she made the first fruits of the great naval revolution all her own."

TT MUST be remembered in reading that i rentence from Roach's pamphler that itwas written less than ten years after the Civil War, when the wounds and prejudices of that strife had not yet been effaced; negertheless, it is likely to make us feel a little more confortable about seiting the present opportunity to get our flag on the sea again. GRANVILLE.

THE IDEALIST

fuld you ever tell a "white lie"? After you had told it, did you feel any free rooms small and disposed to creep worke-like into the nearest bole than when you had told a real substantial one?

It is currents how we greate our con-sciences in the "white he" habit. I say in a that a effect when his messacher presented in various and. After a quick glunce he retarned it to the boy with the trits, in-structions to "tell him I'm out."

This fellow for half finited, which for with a merupacter among two prode, the boy and myach, perhaps in it-for with inservation to his standing, but inst as a drop of anthine dry. will that a terrshead of water this man's lack of re-spect for pure truth will gradually permeater his entire environment. This is as inevitable in the law of gravitation is inevitable. Toolthese the method and the standards

Dealthess the mental process is: "Well E don't want to see this visitor and I don't want to insult him by telling him so. Hence, I abstain from making him angry by leading him to believe I am not in my office."

Did you ever see a sin marybing alone? ever! Always it is found in the company -Judd Mertimer Lewis, in Houston Post. of its own bone and marrow. The thief beretofore.-New York Tribune.

tion. A false idea prevails that in "war circu-lations" there is great profit. Circulation in itself is of no value. It is only as it commands respect and thus advertising patronage that it is even self-supporting.

becomes a murderer; the drunkard becomes

becomes a murderer; the artificate becomes a liar; the liar becomes a gowgrd. Benedict Arnold did the food convenient thing; it took too much courage to do the inconvenient thing. And that's exactly the situation with the teller of the "white lig." THE IDEALIST,

Contributions That Reflect Public Opin-

In reading your efficient newspaper I find an article entitled, "British Diplomat Criticizes Wilson on the Mexican Policy." The British Ambassador, Sr Lionel Carden, was nothing but a warm partiesn of the Huerta regime.

At one time I was a Huerta sympathizer until after he committed murder—the killing of Francisco I. Madero. Sir Lionel Carden cannot by any means compare with the great President Wilson; the troops were ordered from Vera Cruz. Why? Because the President knew that he was leaving the situation to an honorable and edu-

cated man. Sir Lionel's statement is against Senor Carranza, because he ordered that he (Si

Lionel) should leave the republic for being a Huerta partisan. So let me explain, in a few words, that Sir Lionel contradicts himself by

saying that Carranza has no sort of Govern-

He must know that if Senor Carranza had

no sort of government he would not have told Sir Llonel to leave the republic. J. R-MEXICAN CITIZEN.

FIGHT TO THE FINISH

To the Editor of the Evening Ledger: Sir-A campaign is on in this Commonwealth

which is being watched throughout the length and breadth of our land. It is a fight to a finish between the discredited old machine and

the forces which will prevail if the old Keystone

State is to be lifted into the place it must

occupy if we as Pennsylvanians are to stand

erect as men worth while. The issue is Penrose as the embodiment of

practices which no longer have any proper place in our political and industrial life. These

place in our political and industrial life. These are the days for the valiant on both sides of

the ocean, and the call of duty is just as clear

as if it were "To arms" instead of to the ballot

box. When the Evening Ledger enlists in this

campaign, aggressively opposing this blight on our national life, it, in my judgment, performs a great public duty and makes a contribution to

DAVID J. PEARSALL, Mauch Chunk, Pa., September 15, 1914.

GIVE HONEST POLITICS A CHANCE

To the Editor of the Evening Ledger: Sir-I have read for many years and have

appreciated deeply the splendid work which the PUBLIC LEDGER has done toward the puri-fication of Pennsylvania politics. Another

creat opportunity has now arisen for it and the

Evening Ledger to continue this service, to the advantage of both State and nation. I refer to

the opportunity of defeating Mr. Penrose for

re-election to the United States Senate. * * WILLIAM I. HULL

WESTMORELAND AGAINST PENROSE

Sir-As an independent Republican, interested in raising my party to a higher standard of citizenship, I am glad that you are opposing

Penroselam. You deserve the gratitude of the good citizens of Pennsylvania. Our county was strongly anti-Penrose at the last primary, and the sentiment against him continues to increase.

PENROSEISM NOT REPUBLICANISM

To the Editor of the Eccaing Ledger: Sir-I am a reader of the EVENING LEDGER and like your paper, but I am a Republican. As I believe that is your policy, I cannot see how you can consistently support Palmer and a Republican platform at the same time. He does not stand for Republican principles and therefore should not be supported by any

and, therefore, should not be supported by any

Republican. JOSEPH RICHARD. Slatington, Pa., September 15, 1914.

Praise From Sir Hubert

George W. Childs himself might have issued

the order under which, with the beginning of

this week, an Evening Lebgen flashed upon

the Philadelphia public-and the community at

large. It was a liberal move to extend in these

hours of retrenchment the expense of publica-

Mt. Pleasant, Pa., September 14, 1914.

To the Editor of the Evening Ledger:

From the Boston Transcript.

E. E. ZUCK.

Swarthmore, Pa., September 14, 1914.

To the Editor of the Evening Ledger:

the cause of good government second to none

Philadelphia, Sept. 21, 1914.

At one time I was a Huerta sympathizer

ion on Subjects Important to City

ON TIMELY TOPICS

VIEWS OF READERS

To the Editor of the Evening Ledger:

State and Nation.

Thus the expansion of the Public LEPGER at this time is purely for the advantage of its readers, though let us hope in the long run its

readers, though let us hope in the long run its publishers, too, may reap their reward. The infant marches like a veteran. It is edited by a "distinct organization." which we may be sure in this case does not mean that please-everybody policy—"support" in the marring. "opposition" in the evening-to "catch them coming and going." A newspaper "without a history" is as happy as the proverbial "country." For the years of its existence the PUBLIC LEDGER's has been most brief. It was conceived a theroughbred

most orief. It was conceived a thoroughbred and thoroughbred it has remained in spite of the temptations of mongrelization-by voting contests, money prizes, tango teaching, etc.,

Its history is the personality of a few clean-minded, public-spirited individuals with a true sense of what "enterprise" really is. Never has it been nearer its best than today.

Silence Not Golden

From the Chambersburg (Pa.) Valley Spirit. A strange, werd silence fails upon the lips of the Republican candidates when the name of Penrose is mentioned.

Not one of them has so far dared to declare himself either for or against the machine that seeks to continue its corrupt management of this State for its own advantage.

Welcomes Evening Ledger

From the Jewish Exponent.

The Evening Lengen is a welcome addition to the ranks of Philadelphia newspaperdom. There is no better paper in the United States than the PUBLIC LEDGER, and few as good. the evening edition keeps up the fine tradition that the FUERC LEDGER has established. It will be a potent force for good.

NATIONAL POINT OF VIEW

Along with the day of prayer for the peace of Europe it might with propriety be suggested that a day be set apart for a popular memorial to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a not rendering of the public account with the railroads.-Chattanooza Times.

Nothing can bring back the glory of Rheims, Inagination is touched with the heat of paswhen armiss headlessly deflower a country a noidest church, and it recoils with scorn and bothing from the guilty horde .- New York Tribune.

The struggle in Colorado is sure to be renewed, unless the State takes back its andicated authority, resources its forgotten duties, and both makes and enforces laws which will promote peace in the mining regions .- Chicago Journal. -

Every well-informed commentator on the problem of building up our trade with South Amories agrees that it is mainly a question of catablehing a prober system of exchanges, whereby ample credit facilities may be extended to the Latin-Americans and payment of frame-actions curried out with facility-st. Paul Pioneer Press.

Railroad men should lean on themselves more mod on the Government less. They should not shand back helpleady without economizing and agt the Government for a license to fail shippers and railroad passengers.-Milwaukee Journal

The extension of American banking facilities to South American cities should be followed by he establishment of cheaper rates of postinge-New York Times.

if President Wilson and the Democratic leaders during to go into the country election with an indefensible grab-even a 120,000,000 appropriation—to their discredit, they have sud-denly become less careful of the political ar-perts of advecting the solution of the political ar-