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permanent certificates now receiving \$50 shall receive \$60. The only serious criticism that can be made of these changes is that they do not go far enough.

WANTED: A LEADER

There is a rotten state of affairs under the surface in Pennsylvania. The people are weary of the present administration and its attitude and talk about the shortcomings of the other side is a huge joke.

GUNMEN IN UNIFORM

THE killing of the Kippax boy, on the state of facts as disclosed yesterday, seems to have been little short of murder. The most grave offense of which he could be suspected was that of breaking into a candy store.

NO CLASS SPIRIT IN MILITARY SERVICE

THERE are many conflicting shades of opinion about military training, varying all the way from demand for purely volunteer service to that for universal compulsion.

WINTER NO TIME FOR HUGGING FIRE

Winter is thus no time for 'hugging the fire'—in spite of any day's weather. There may be a lack of variety, but there is no overpowering monotony.

THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

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CONCERNING BOURBONS

Sir—As the author of the introduction to the book entitled "The Manufacturers' Union," which you criticized so severely in your issue of Friday, February 9, may I beg space for a reply?

WOMEN OF THE WAR

Afar amid war's darkness, they suffer and grow strong. For courage is their garment, and hope their evening dress.

WINTER NO TIME FOR HUGGING FIRE

Great Out-of-Doors Panacea for Our "Housebred Ills"—Joys of Roving in Wintry Fields

MANY of our human troubles are house-bred and town-bred, observes the sage Thoreau, who cured his by deserting both house and town and going so far back to nature as a rude dwelling by Walden pond, outside Concord.

We cannot all follow his summary method of abandoning the refinements and comforts of civilization and the common daily round of toil. But we can, much as we do, seek the joys of the outdoors in nature, even in winter, the season usually and erroneously deemed dreary.

The world's eyes shall gather dew, Thinking in thoughtful city ways, Of winter joys his boyhood knew.

Like a Fairy Tale

It is all as though some spell were woven over the woodland, uplands and low-lying lands. And this is indeed the fact: The Witch Winter has placed an enchantment on the beautiful Princess Earth, which will be removed only when Spring, the great Spring, awakens her with his kisses of quickening life.

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What Do You Know?

Queries of general interest will be answered in this column. Ten questions, the answers to which any well-informed person should know, are asked daily.

Answers to Yesterday's Quiz

- 1. James Buchanan was the only bachelor President. 2. The last word in the Bible (King James version) is "Amen." 3. The "in" in "half" is pronounced broad, as in "arm," according to Webster's Dictionary.

Shape of Earth

E. K.—The atlas is correct when it says that the earth is flattened at the poles. It is correct also to say that the earth is round, because the depression is insignificant when compared with the earth's dimensions.

American Citizenship

L. C.—The Fourteenth Constitutional Amendment states: "All persons born or naturalized in the United States are citizens of the United States and of the State wherein they reside."

St. Petersburg

C. T. B.—Yes, shortly after the European war began the Russian Government officially changed the name of the country's capital from St. Petersburg to Petrograd.

Bosnia and Herzegovina

A. D. M.—Austria-Hungary acquired Bosnia and Herzegovina in 1908 by annexation.

Cleveland and Buffalo

L. R. U.—Cleveland is a greater railroad center than is Buffalo. Cleveland has twenty-three railroads, including seven interurban lines; Buffalo has twenty.

Tom Daly's Column

THE SECOND COMING. (A Lincoln Birthday fancy, 1917) Clutching their hoarded wealth, they made their cry: "Oh, that our Lincoln's strong, unending frame Might loom against this wild, war-crimsoned sky!"

War Talk

A man in Kennington has his system so check-a-block with militarism that he has begun to refer to his whatyoumay-call-em as submariners.

Piker!

Here's limelight for that all-too-common guy who, bound by old King Midas's fetters, Sees with a greedy glitter in his eye, The envelope stamped to insure reply— And uses them for other fellows' letters.

The Blundering Amateur

Bala's "Millionaire Fire Company" got into action at 11:25 o'clock last night, when a fire swept through the stables of the Crew-Lewis Company, at Union and Bala avenues, and for a time endangered a big oil tank nearby.

HE WEATHER

Hereabouts it is changeable enough to merit the pronoun she, if any.

The New Materia Medica

Non psycho non moderna. A group of self-appointed guardians of the Nineteenth Hole were discussing the fact that medical doctors are prescribing changed scenes, habits and thoughts with corresponding infrequency.

SAM LOYD'S PUZZLE

A CHARITABLE lady met a poor man to whom she gave one cent more than half of what she had in her purse. He heard the news and to the second applicant she gave two cents more than half of what she had left, and so it went.