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MURDEROUS "SKYLARKING"
IT WAS an appallingly familiar type of fool who slew little Marie Burns. Reckless and cowardly Hooliganism has long taken its toll of the city.

A HUMILIATED SECRETARY
WHEN the cables told of the presence at the Versailles council of every Premier and Foreign Minister of the European Allied countries, sympathy must have gone out from many minds to Robert Lansing, who holds the formal commission of Secretary of State of the United States.

AN EMPIRE IN ASHES
THE Austro-Hungarian monarchy, so long on the brink, has at last tumbled headlong into the vortex of chaos. It is not easy to identify all the swirling fragments of empire, yet the general evidence of utter wreckage is unmistakable.

ENGLAND'S OWN GLORY
IT is inspiring typical of Britain that after her tragic error of Gallipoli she should have grappled with the Turk single-handed and completely crushed him. On the active war fronts of late, save those of the Ottoman empire, international cooperation has been developed.

Count Stephen Tissa, Nemets in the Best of Form
Who's the noble patriotic idealist of his father, Kalmán, into the sheer junkerism whose tenets he followed as one of the prime factors in provoking the war, once boasted that Austria would fight, if necessary, "all the devils of the world."

Not Adhesive
I never stick, and so I get
No raises from the boss.
I'm glad I am a rolling stone.
I never cared for moss!

THE Kaiser is spending this week-end at the general staff headquarters. It will be the worst and the best ever seen in the history of the world.

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NEXT TUESDAY'S ELECTION

What It Means to the People of Pennsylvania—The Issues and the Candidates
NEXT Tuesday's election is far more important to the people of Pennsylvania than the dullness of the campaign just closing indicates.

Against Senator Sprout stands Municipal Judge Bonniwell, whose candidacy actually was repudiated by a large element in the Democratic party. Whereas Senator Sprout has repeatedly declared his purpose to aid in the adoption of the prohibition amendment, Judge Bonniwell stands for the whisky ring.

Comparison of the equipment of these two leading candidates for the Governorship leaves the balance decidedly in Senator Sprout's favor. His long experience in legislative affairs at Harrisburg, his successful career as a sound business man, his wide acquaintance among the people of the State and above all his carefully ripened judgment and restrained temperament are much more likely to impress the voters favorably than those attributes of his opponent which have been most conspicuously present in his public appearances.

As to the other executive offices, they will probably stand or fall with the heads of the tickets. Mr. Biddleman, running for Lieutenant Governor on the Republican ticket, is a skillful politician, with much experience in the Legislature. Former Congressman Logue, the Democratic nominee, is wholly out of sympathy with Judge Bonniwell on the liquor issue, having been interested for many years in the temperance movement.

Regarding the election of members of the Legislature, the situation is more difficult. Here factional selfishness is so prevalent among the nominees of both the Republican and Democratic parties that it should be the duty of the voter in every district to inquire closely into the affiliations of the nominees before going to the polls.

Had President Wilson not injected partisanship into the congressional election it might have been possible to say that changes in the personnel of certain congressional seats, not only in this city but in the State, would not be

exactly calamitous. But, unfortunately, the President has made it entirely a partisan issue and as such the voters must view it.

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ALSO, there are many ways of opening doors. There is the cheery push of elbow with which the waiter shoves open the kitchen door when he bears in your tray of supper.

DOORS are the symbol of privacy, or retreat, of the mind's escape into blissful quietude or sad secret struggle. A room without doors is not a room, but a hallway. No matter where he is, a man can make himself at home behind a closed door.

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THE opening and closing of doors is a part of the stern fluency of life. Life will not stay still and let us alone. We are continually opening doors with hope, closing them with despair.

THERE is a certain kind of door-shutting that will come to us all. The kind of door-shutting that is done very quietly, with the sharp click of the latch to break the stillness.

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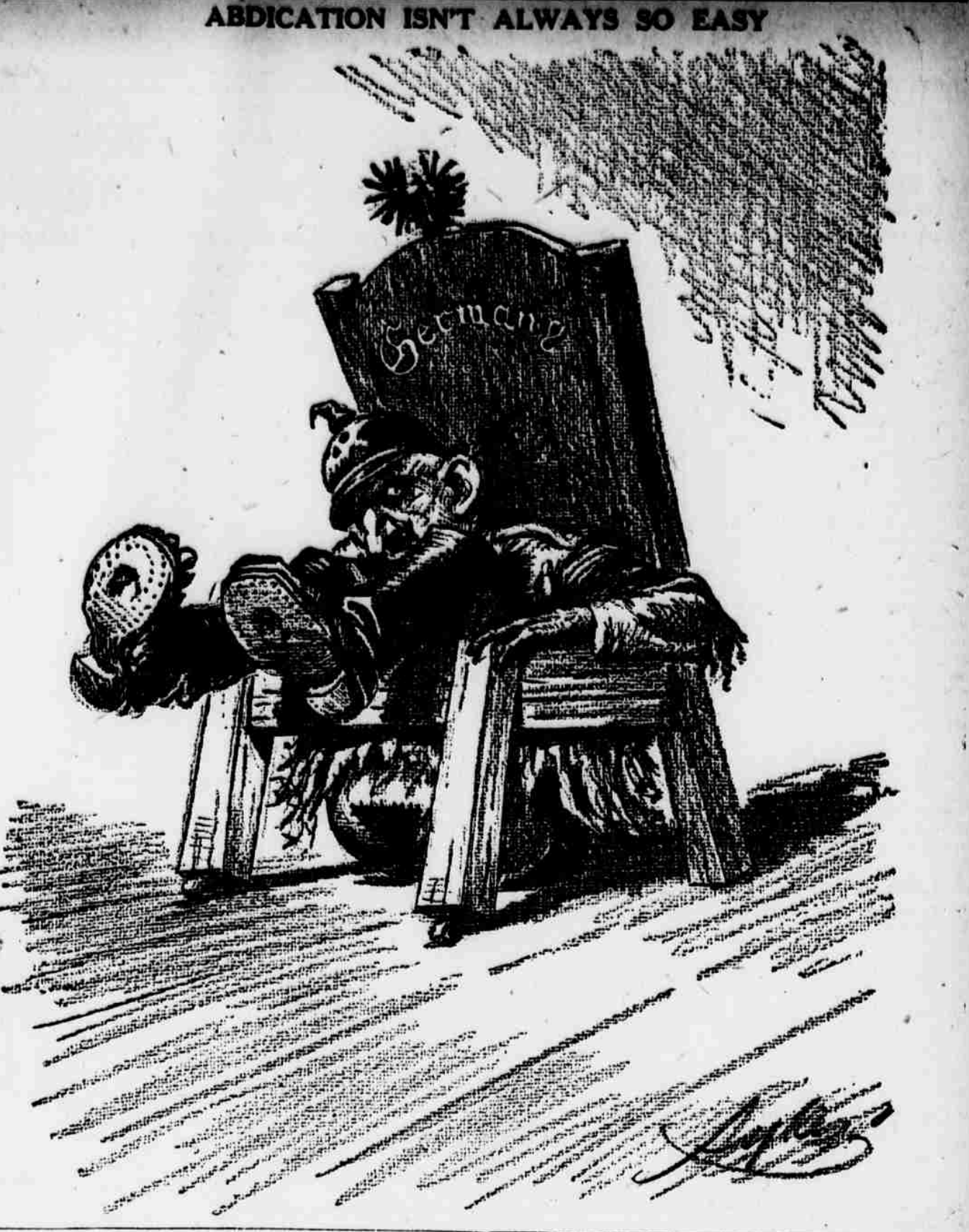
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WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

QUIZ

- 1. What is the name of the Crown Prince of Germany?
2. Where is the island of Lemnos, on which the Turkish armistice was signed?
3. Who is director of conservation for the Federal fuel commission?
4. Why are poets sometimes called Parmesanians?
5. What is brandy made from?
6. Who wrote "Orlando Furioso"?
7. What is cerise color and what does the name mean?
8. How far is Versailles from Paris?
9. Who is the Premier of Greece?
10. How many times did William J. Bryan run for the presidency?

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3. Zita of Bourbon and Parma is the Empress of Austria and Queen of Hungary.
4. The Genetics were followers of several more or less closely related philosophical systems which flourished in the courts of the second century A. D. Their materials were drawn from the Greek, Jewish and Persian sources. They sought to synthesize the elements of the original religions, then lost and finally restored.
5. Arnold Bennett wrote "The Old Wives' Tale."
6. Heinrich Heine belonged to the Jewish race.
7. Will H. Hays is chairman of the Republican National Committee.
8. A wreath is a member of an underground party who has been arrested and is in prison.
9. There is about 20,000,000 miles from the sun to the earth.
10. A Democrat.