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A FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM FOR PHILADELPHIA

Things on which the people expect the new administration to concentrate its attention:
The Delaware river bridge.
A drydock big enough to accommodate the largest ships.
Development of the rapid transit system.

SOME LAUNCHING

They seem to be rushing things at Hog Island as the time approaches for winding up the business of the plant under government control. It is announced that seven ships will be launched there within a fifty-minute week from next Wednesday.

THE BRIDGE AGAIN

Governor Sproul has called a meeting of the Delaware Bridge Commission, and has indicated that the commission is to get into action and out of the way of the men who will have to do the work of planning, financing and building the span between Philadelphia and Camden.

A CURE FOR MOTOR YEGGS

By this time they appear to have learned a city full that yeggs in motorcars have all the best of it over policemen who have to go afoot. A few nimble automobiles carrying detectives who know how to shoot are all that is needed to deal with thugs who resort to fast cars to carry Wild West tactics into the city streets.

OBSTRUCTING THE VOTE

Fantastic and futile is the newest plan of militant anti-suffragists who hope to delay the enfranchisement of American women even after ratification of the suffrage amendment by seeking a Supreme Court injunction enjoining Secretary of State Coby from issuing the necessary proclamation.

ANOTHER CONVENTION

On Saturday, if all goes well, the Committee of Forty-eight, in which Amos Pinchot is the moving genius, will open a national convention in Chicago with a view to organizing a third party and launching a third ticket.

MISGUIDED PALMER

Attorney General Palmer "abused the power of his office" in his hunt for votes in the San Francisco convention, and that he liberated prisoners and permitted violation of federal laws which he is required to enforce, is to be presented to a Senate committee.

attorney general. Short-sightedness is, Mr. Palmer's administration of his office has been erratic, and at times wildly erratic. He appears to have vibrated constantly between the mood of a ruthless tyrant and that of a timid office-seeker anxious to please.

REALITY IS THE KEYNOTE OF THE SPA CONFERENCE

For the Lost Idealism. However, There is Substituted the Prospect of Last Identifying the War's Victors

The difficulties embarrassing the Spa conference lead themselves easily to superficial satire. To be disrespectful of the Paris peace convention was in a sense to scorn the idealism which was in the beginning supposed to animate that body.

COX AS A VOTE-GETTER

The Democrats are making much of the fact that Cox has been elected governor of Ohio three times. But a study of the election returns does not reveal Mr. Cox as a phenomenal vote-getter.

The ecstasy has vanished now. Depressing as this truth may be to such persons as picture man, not as he is, but as he ought to be, the change may be construed as actually beneficial to the cause of real construction.

JUNKETING CONGRESSMEN

Congressman Vane will see China. He will see the Hawaiian Islands and Guam and the Philippines and the budding and shrines of Nippon.

PROFESSOR KITTREDGE

Other notability at Harvard is reported to be a delightful place if only there were no students here. The Gownsmen has heard this sentiment put into the reverse not unwittily by an undergraduate.

ONE WAY OUT

A presidential preference primary, with the choice outside the state indicated and with the result in each state binding on its delegates, might simplify national conventions.

A Good Step Taken

Face Employees of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit system has been incorporated and that the Supreme Court has approved its charter. It is an avowed union, and it is a step toward the unionization of the city.

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WOMEN WHO HAVE HELPED TO MOLD OUR DESTINIES

Wives of the Historic White House Who Indirectly Left Their Impress on Public Affairs

By GEORGE NOX McCAIN
The first thing Governor Cox did, according to the news dispatches, was to announce his nomination to kiss his wife.

Back on the Job

You've played at golf and tennis; you have fished in lake or stream; you have flirted, p'r'aps, with Nellie, and have chummed with Dick and Bob.

What Do You Know?

On what island is Honolulu located? What is the meaning of the word "gainsay"?

Answers to Yesterday's Quiz

1. Carter H. Glass is from Virginia. 2. The colors of the flag of Portugal are red and green with a device in gold.

THE GLOBE

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