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A FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM FOR PHILADELPHIA

Things on which the people expective the new administration to concen-trate its attention: The Delugare river bridge. he Delsware river dridge. drydock big enough to accommo-dote the largest ships. evelopment of the ropid transit sys-

convention hall. building for the Free Library. margement of the water supply. omes to accommodate the vopula-

THE PROCESSION MOVES THE march of the wreckers of the ploration and experiment. To people North Penn Bank toward prison who still live in far isolation the army's continues-slowly, it is true, but surely. | air squadron may seem as strange and

to from two to five years in prison. so it goes. Ralph T. Moyer, cashier, has been sen tenced to a minimum imprisonment of

lirector, has been convicted and is awaiting sentence. There remain awaiting trial Daniel splendid of all contests called sporting.

Evan D. Ambler, assistant cashier, and Charles A. Ambler, insurance commissioner.

The district attorney is expected to bring these men to trial as quickly as possible, in order that their responsiwhat happened may be inred into.

THE TICKET ABUSE

DIRECTOR CORTELYOU may intend to prevent policemen from peddling tickets for picnics and balls, but his statement on the subject does not go quite far enough to satisfy those are opposed to the custom.

He says "there will be no compelling of men in the police department to buy tickets for political affairs," and "where man is willing or anxious to buy the tkets a different aspect will be given

abuse of which complaint is

city, state and New Jersey appropria-tions on behalf of the preliminary surbloody wars of conquest. He is a reckless spender, according to common gossip. But he isn't half so reckless The very serious problems concerning a spender as the kings in Europe have the cost of construction will not come been. For he may yet get a pewter up in practical shape until many months cup. And the kings who poured treas-of necessary preliminaries have been ure out in their wars didn't even get a passed. It is folly to balk at progress pewter cup though they impoverished

and H. K. Curris, Chairman on that account, for by the time the the whole world. If the peoples who bide on land ever in the economic situation may have inlearn to know the perils of winds that don't blow out of the sky, the pioneers

Madison Ave. THE DAYS OF REAL SPORT HE DAYS OF REAL SPORT of the air may lead the world to a ment here has given his opponents HAVE A NEW MEANING NOW peace that wasn't discoverable by those in Wisconsin encouragement in the fight who first began to explore the seas when ships with sails were more won-

Something About Sails and Airderful and awe-inspiring than the air machines that, have started the flight

tervened

Iding

to Nome. We shall have to learn navi- fall. gation. And we shall have to learn TOWERING above a waste of blue and silver waters, in the diffused lights of a misty day, a vessel like the Resolute or the Shamrock is as im-posing as a cathedral. And it is a symbol of purposes and impulses more All scame have a common code of All seamen have a common code of most on subscribers wishing address ancient than any reflected in spires or unadd must give old as well as new ad-It tells of man's unending discipline. British and French, Italian have had the fight of his life to secure L. 3000 WALNUT REYSTONE, MAIN 3000 pride in himself. It is the result of an and Spaniard, American and Scandi-irresistible curlosity and tireless will, navian, Malay and Japanese, depend irresistible curlosity and tireless will, In the very twilight of the world upon the same rules for the preservasome ancestor of the bankers and tion of their lives and fortunes when schoolmasters of today, fleeing from an they are affoat. When their country-enemy or in pursuit of a wife, flung men ashore do likewise, the men of all

I student who killed another student of his time and he was loudly acclaimed, you may be sure, in the caves of the in a quarrel over illicit whisky has deintelligentsia, who naturally recognized manded the resignation of the president the importance of the discovery and of Dartmouth. He charges that the knew that it would have a revolution- president neglected his duty in that he did not prevent the smuggling of whisky ary effect on all human affairs.

It had. It was the first sail. Its by the students. inventor gave to men a device that It would be unkind to say that a afterward led them to great victories father whose boy would engage in whisky smuggling in violation of the Lenroot would be unable to secure his insist on the rules. law had not done his whole duty in own renomination to the Senate. This and great loss, great glory and great whisky smuggling in violation of the shame, great happiness and great sufshame, great happiness and great suf-fering. A new age began then. Now training his son at home. The ques-it is dying, and a new age saluted it tion raised, however, is not one of the his been a cause of great regret in when a squad of big-lunged army air-parental responsibility, but one of the highly esteemed for his character and Forge and Plainsville when a squad of big-lunged army air-planes boomed across the sky above the responsibility of college authorities for The planes boomed across the sky above the Resolute and the Shamrock at the beresponsibility of college authorities for the conduct of the students. There was a time when the young men in the col-The senior senator from Wisconsin is ginning of the great flight to Nome. There are areas of Alaska that may

leges were subject to discipline similar to that of boys in boarding schools tobe to us what Britain was to the Roday. But it is the general assumption build up a third party which would take now that a boy old enough to go to way from the Republican party several Gretna rifle matches may be considered mans. There we may have to do some of the hardest fighting of our lives. college is old enough to be allowed a normally Republican northwestern states. The army's planes are on tours of exduct is such as to demoralize the other students he is usually expelled. Elwood Strang, paying teller, is the as terrible as the first triremes appeared Intest to be convicted. He is sentenced to the people of the British isles. And snugglers was certainly demoralizing members of the committee of ten which

to the students. It is said that the smugglers were in the habit of hiring A pewter cup and an idea are the an automobile truck to go to the Canatwelve years, and William T. Gabell, stakes in the international yacht races. dian border and bring back a load of

stakes in the international yacht races. dian border and bring back a load of Factors not always understood have whisky at night, which would be sold Forty-eight convention in Carmen's made the event the cleanest and most to the other students at \$16 a quart. Hall, when the labor people accused the labor becaused the labor people accused the labor becaused the labor becau If this was known to the college au-Lafean, banking commissioner; On the north Atlantic coast there are thorities they ought to explain why could H. Michel, president of the bank; groups of Americans who, since the they took no action to clear the campus beginning, have had to match their of the whisky and of the men engaged urage, their wits and their strength in selling it. But the federal and state

with the forces that prevail over deep officers who failed to stop the truck on waters. Their strong and hard-fisted its hundred-mile run from the Canadian sons make up the Resolute's crew. The border to Hanover have also some ex-Shamrock is sailed by descendants of plaining to do. an island people who had to know and The public officials may say that they fight the sea and make themselves in have not assistants enough to prevent

many ways equal to it or perish. They the smuggling, which is said to be have not perished. common in all of northern New Eng-Their sailors, like ours, long ago found a common in all of northern New Eng-cause and common aims. Life for them has been a long tussle with invisible forces that seem endlessly bent on their defeat or their destruction. The winds and gales, the cold and the roaring waters that would trample them under are the only enemies of humanity rec-ognized by men who live long on sailing ships. They haven't time to quarrel with one another. They are too busy Their sailors, like ours, long ago land, and the college authorities to y

Adams.

temper

with one another. They are too busy they are not a favored class by turning already set forth, publicly declaring in a hard game with mightier elements, them over to the public authorities when binself to be La Follette's representa-

ANCESTRAL PROMPTINGS

in a hard game with mightier elements. them over to the public authorities when nagnificent nave been guilty of conduct for

Uncle Henry's classic

throat halyards, had they been sentient

COOLIDGE'S FUNCTIONS

dency he will invite Mr. Coolidge to

A limitar announcement was made by

Mcllinley when he was first nominated.

He did invite Mr. Hobart to attend

do that could be affected by anything

that Mr. Hobart might say. The ex-

into a place of importance in the gov

to the ruin of his digestion.

attend all cabinet meetings is interest

ment that if elected to the presi-

and were ancestry on the job.

ing, but it is not important.

TO SCALP LA FOLLETTE G. O. P. Will Probably Ald Lenroot to Beat Wisconsin Sen-

Senator Lenroot has the support of

-election

going far toward radicalism.

St. Swithin has already lost caste ator Because of Third Sir Thomas may now take within as his patron saint. Party Trafficking Chicago, July 17.

Senator Harding's telegrams are least graced by a fine diplomacy. SENATOR LA FOLLETTE'S traf-ficking with the third party move-

The defender now knows that one must be Strong as well as Resolute. in Wisconsin and there to take the control of the Republican party in that state away from him. The issue in Wisconsin is whether Senator Len-root can be returned to the Senate next

SHORT CUTS

Tilden tilts still net results.

Sir Thomas is now more convinced

than ever that he can lift something more than a teacup. The Brutal Bach sars woman's softening influence is usually exercised on the masculine brain.

threatened its success Lenroot would It is really wonderful how some

men succeed in spite of handicaps. Three blind men beat up a New York La Follette and Lenroot were old ascop the other day. sociates in Wisconsin politics, Lenroot being originally La Follette's ablest

being originally La Follette's ablest supporter. The two parted company some years ago. Lenroot remaining a progressive Republican and La Follette going far toward radicalism. Happily there is no reason to be-lieve that Russian Red is a fast color. It may eventually reach the industrial pink of condition.

Differed Over War Declaration They differed over the war. Lenroot supporting it and La Follette being one of the few members of the Senate to op-ciding of the cup race. of the few members of the Schate to op-pose the declaration of war. In the primaries last spring for the control of the delegation to the Republican na-tional convention La Follette, with a not necessarily mean the winning of the

platform that was not Republican but intended to be used as the basis of the race. Look at Mr. Bryan. hird-party movement, defeated the Sir Thomas seems to have been of

Lenroot ticket. Since that election it has been gen-fish to claim a victory on a fluke; but erally feared in Republican circles that

Let us hope for the best. Per-haps the 6000 striking miners of Old will have returned to work by the time the problem of a coal-car shortage has been solved.

The giving of a medal by Governor Sproul for marksmanship at the Mount as a conservation measure Good tates. The third party convention here has munition.

That Dickens's Jo, forever told by the police to "move on," has his modorganized the Committee of Forty-eight ern counterpart in a different station of life is evidenced in the case of the licly stated that he was the agent of mother and son, who, after vainly seek-I.a Follette. He did this at the com. ing hotel accommodations, went to sleep

Committee of Forty-eight of leaving out a plank in favor of the colored race because Senator La Follette's agent had deemed it expedient to do so at that

The intention seems to have been to nocence of the individuals under arrest. keep La Follette's relations with this third party movement under cover so

at the convention here. Roe twice pub-

that he would be no way committed to it in case it failed in the earlier con-To paraphrase an ancient saying, we take it that a feminist is one who ferences here. Roe participated as one being grieved that nature did not make of the members of the executive Com- her a man, does her best to prove to a mittee of the Forty-eight, but he re-mained silent, listening to the discus-sion and making no suggestions, thus who insisted upon being shaved in a

With the price of the finished



SHIPBUILDING'S GREATEST MAYOR ASKS BODINE **ROMANCE NEARING END**

Last Chapter of Hog Island's War Achievement to Be Written Wants to Know if U. G. I. Plans When Seven Boats Are Launched in Day to Increase Bills if Stand-

THE romance of the Hog Island shipyard is nearing the end.

On Wednesday will be written one of from a school as shipbuilders. the closing chapters in the matchless tale of the world's greatest shipyard. arising almost overnight on approxi-mately 1000 acres of swamp land along the Delaware river. The "last server white" built by the

American International Shipbuilding Corporation for the shipping board at fog Island will be launched on Wednesday before a distinguished gathering.

The work of construction will be over. product of beef too high to eat and the America's world-renowned experiment raw product too low to produce, what in quantity ship production-in turning out ships "like sausages, like molasses candy out of a candy machine" as the man who has been in charge of ships ever launched on one day in of the gigantic plant since December, any shipyard of the world. This would 1918, puts it-will be a matter of shipyards. history.

Mayor Moore wants to know whether

the proposed change in the gas standard More Than Nine Miles of Ships from light to heat units will add to the "If the 122 ships launched from Hog cost of gas to consumers or will dimin-

The Mayor in a letter today addressed this query to Samuel T. Bo-"To build these ships it was necessary dine, president of the United Gas Im-to erect 356.018 tons of steel plates and to drive 64.573,486 rivets of approxi-change. change. mately one and one-half inches each.

Council passed an ordinance author-"Nearly one-tenth of the entire program for contract steel ships given to all the shipyards of the United States by the United States Shipping Board. The measure now awaits the Mayor's signature before becoming operative. Emergency Fleet Corporation has been When the ordinance was before Coundone at Hog Island. cil Councilman Cox raised the question "The launching of seven ships next of a possible greater cost to consumers Wednesday, will be the greatest number and said it was estimated the heat standard would add 15 per cent to gas bills. The Mayor's letter follows: be considered a full year's job for most "Hog Island ships have rescued thir-al or disapproval an ordinance of Coun-"Hog Island ships have reacued thir-teen crews or ships and the Liberty Glo, which was salvaged off Holland, was declared to be the strongest and most remarkable ship the salving com-pany had ever seen." The nicces for the complete bow of a ship are now waiting to be fitted to-gether at Hog Island, after which they shall be conditioned upon the company will be transported to Holland to be attached to the remains of the Liberty Philadelphia containing such terms and Glo, which struck a mine in the North sea and was cut in two. This illustrates what can be done British thermal units, as the Mayor with a Hog Island ship, Mr. Brush de-clared. may consider to be fair and just under all circumstances. "Since the Council has thus im-Enemies Spread False Reports posed upon the Mayor the duty of Apropos of the Quistconck, the first ip launched at Hog Island, Mr. Brush all circumstances.' I request, before Will Complete Work in Hand Work will not be entirely stopped at the island after Wednesday for there will be thirty vessels in the basin to fit out before they embark on the seas of commerce. This, according to Mr. definance of the world as not being able to float the world as not being able to float when launched, as being tied up with rope instead of put together with rivets. as put together with lead rivets instead the world as not being able to float the world as not being able to float the world as not being the up with toge instead of put together with rivets. This, according to Mr. definance to be advised the world as not being the up with toge instead of put together with rivets. This according to Mr. definance to be advised the world as not being the up with the world as not being the up with the up together with lead rivets instead to the up together with lead rivets instead to the up together with the up together with lead rivets instead to the up together with lead rivets instead together with lead rivets instead to the up together with lead rivets instead together with l acting upon the ordinance, to be advised Mr. of iron and everything else anybody of the United Gas Improvement Co. and of iron and everything else anybody could say of a derogatory character. Yet she has cruised 62,000 miles, has earned thousands of dollars and has proved perfect since she was put in the water in August, 1918." Regarding malign influences which vantage of the consumer." worked against the shinyard, he told Mr. Bodine said recently he believed the story of a German (Hog Island was gas service would be improved and the

It is to be hoped that the county detectives are right in their surmise that they have broken up the auto andit gang that has been terrorizing the city for weeles past; and the wish is without prejudice to the guilt or in-

and frail, is the refinement of all their bidden by the laws. nade is that the politicians have forced lore, the ultimate fruit of hard, bitter the policemen to buy tickets to picnics experience. and balls. The abuse of which the The codes that rule the cup race are

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sterner and cleaner than those com-

monly found on land. They are an

their collective spirit that shows "uneducated"

which they do not understand and

against which they are therefore pow-

public complains is that the policemen ask householders and business men to buy the tickets which the politicians have made them take.

The only remedy lies in an order because it was not earned, seemed worse that, although a citizen of the United comprehensive enough to prevent the than defeat. What would life be like States, the gallant skipper was a native police from buying tickets against their if statesmen could borrow something of the United Kingdom of Great Britain will and to prevent them from offering from the fine philosophy that seamen and Ireland. them to the public under any circumhave developed out of their common stances. the protection of his property on the deep? good will of the officer on his street is

asked to buy a ticket he feels that he cannot refuse. A form of moral coercion is used, which ought not to be olerated. An exception may be made in the case of tickets for entertainments ng is theirs-but they are not underfor, the benefit of the police pension standing or friendly. fund, but the wisdom of making any exception is doubtful. The city ought mitted to play as fair as they would. to pay adequate salaries to the police and provide pensions for them when they they rarely can afford to be chivalrous. Chivalry they recognize and esteem, but essary for them to solicit the help of the citizens to increase the pension Something intervenes invisibly to

THE ROMANOFF FABLE

of their minds are without limit. It fender's commander? Was it his ever THE tale that the czarina and her signs of a retarded development. Some phraseology that he echoed or the poised children were burned alive could be speedily dismissed as mere morbid fiction were not all the accounts of the extinction of the Romanoffs so fla- of the man who was first moved to spact as primitive as the floating log and measures? tails. The world has its choice of an old story. Are they, too, the pioever-growing number of wild stories. neers of catastrophes such as men first Since history began, few of its major sailed to? Or will their achievements events have been so shrouded in mys- and adventures be upon a higher plane?

Men of all lands who have to fight it The disdain in which contemporary out together on the seas, unhampered civilisation has held the French revo- by artificial hatreds and concerns, learn Intionary period's failure to solve the to know every trick of the winds that riddle of the Lost Dauphin is no longer assail them, every malignant tide that warrantable. Small wonder, too, that would kill or defeat them, every cloud sproniclers like Marco Polo and Herodo- that tells of coming gales likely to drive tus failed sometimes to achieve accuracy that tells of coming gales likely to drive SENATOR HARDING'S announce-when, with all the superior investigat- the next their courses and far from Sment that if elected to the presiwhen, with all the superior investigat- the ports they seek. Landsmen have ing machinery of the present, the fall no such wisdom, no such foresight. a mammoth modern empire ends in They are beaten and buffeted and sent fable and conjecture. to loss or death by tides and forces

BRIDGE BALKING

erless. THERE are forces in every com-Giant impulses, generated in the munity which find reaction profit- greed, ignorance or cupidity of others, able. It is these with which the Dela- drive them like great storms to sucware bridge project has had to contend cessive disasters. They haven't the from the outset, and it is obvious that codes and compasses by which sailors the traditional struggle will not be over prevail against the less deadly forces was nothing that the cabinet had to until the span is an accomplished fact. that rule over the sea.

The hint of a taxpayers' suit protesting against executing even the ini-Even while politicians are insisting tial steps in the bridge program unless that nations can never reach a state an enabling act is passed by the Council of understanding that will permit them is a typical instance of familiar pro- to live together in peace, the race for

cedure. It can be parried by an ordi- the America's Cup and the preparations nance removing any shadow of ille-gality from the expenditure of the funds know of ways in which to meet and already appropriated for the prelimi- settle differences of opinion and try for nary work.

Vice President in the executive departglory without resorting to butchery. ment of the government the attempt to Delay by the Council will certainly be These are days of real sport. And what make the incumbent of the office any construable as subservience to special they prove is that people left to them. thing more than the presiding officer of arests. The Mayor has frankly de- selves and relieved from the pressure of the Senate is likely to fail. nd his position, and his warm in- the organized insanity which in some It has been suggested that the rated ment of the bridge is equally clear. parts of the world has been called im- President be made chairman of stateuperfluous to expatiate on the perial government will have no differ- budget commission, but if this plan

Mhe span and the popular im- ences that they cannot settle in a clean should be adopted it would put the framowith a policy of hair-splitting and orderly fashion. Station. If the Council has the Lipton has spent. Lipton has spent more money trying over whom the President has no control of responsibility it will act for the cup than has come to some and would undermine executive respon-

able the expenditure of the rulers we could mention in long and sibility for public estimates. solid concrete.

Planned Third Party

associated with Roe, but it is pat- high or low, and whatever the amount associated with Roe, but it is par-terned upon the La Follette platform used by the Wisconsin senator in the primaries last spring and introduced by middleman.

WHEN Charley Barr used to sail the cup defenders, Americans of the inheritance from the sea. Lipton was 110 per cent variety were occasionally inheritance from the sea. Lipton was 110 per cent variety were occasionally his representatives in the Wisconsin genuinely grieved by a victory which, slightly annoyed on being reminded delegation into the Republican national convention at Chicago. The evidence conclusive that La Follette had a third-party movement in mind when he drew up this platform, which he used

in the Republican primaries. When a man dependent for hardships in the common world of the and an estry of the present director of members of the Committee of Forty-

and ancestry of the present director of members of the sections for the operations on the Resolute are alto-reght that in all sections for the formation of the third party extending advertising? gether untenable. Skipper Charles Fran-

Infinitely complex are the ways of cis Adams is the grandson of the Adams through many months, they were in frequent communication with La Folmen hampered by the concerns which of the same name who was ambassador lette and were assured of his willing-ness to become their candidate if they flourish only on dry land. An endless to Great Britain during the critical capacity for friendship and understand - period of the Civil War, and he is conformed a movement sufficiently promissequently the great-grandson of Presi-They have a dent John Quincy Adams and the

love of fair play, but they are not per- great-great-grandson of President John

All this is reassuring. It is especially g a party which would contrib-the defeat of the Republican All this evidence is now in the of the Republican might be freed of the income tax for a They do not shrink from uncarned vic- for speculation. When the throat halinteresting, however, as offering a field ute to the defeat of the Republican party. yards parted the other day, was possi-

Republican party man-red party convention, with do their own building. Or one of many bly the influence of his distinguished The third party convention, with agers. confuse existence for them. The skill forebears and kinsmen traceable in the public dispute, disclosed the whole other suggestions made might be car-ry. The alarming feature of the of men's hands and the resourcefulness language and sentiments of the destory.

Anti-Republican Movement It is a matter of record that La Fol-It is a matter of record that in the lette was an active promoter through his agent. Roe, of an anti-Republican movement in the fight for the renomina-tion of Lenroot. This evidence of La

day the army planes that are now critical temper of his great-grandwinging it to Nome will seem in retro- father's celebrated treatise on weights tion of Lenroot. This evidence of Follette's disloyalty to his party be put before the voters of Wisconsin. The national Republican organization wants to get rid of La Follette. His even deeper into the past. Sturdy old name was hissed every time the Wis-John Adams was altogether unafraid of his smotions. The Democrats of his four votes in his favor at the Chicage day were quite cognizant of the Adams convention. So very likely were those

What impression the proof of La Fol lette's disloyalty to the Republicar party will make upon the Republican voters of Wisconsin no one here knows A large section of those voters have followed La Follette personally rather

than the Republican party, but he has never before openly tried to lead them into a new party

If Sir Thomas Lip-Ups and Downs ton wins the cup the

next yacht races will be held in Bangor Down, Ireland, News of Thursday's race, therefore, set the people of Bangor Down up. But since

cabinet meetings and Mr. Hobart at-tended a few of them. But legally he the lip, succeeding races may decree was an outsider. There was nothing that the bang-up time in Bangor Down that he had to do which could be affected be deferred. by decisions of the cabinet and there

> A letter received Lawlessness from the prohibition in the Makin's

periment of lifting the vice presidency Washington by Kansas City firm that had asked for ernment was abandoned and Mr. Hobart ruling forbids the sale of ingredients that may reasonably be expected to figcontented himself with presiding over ure in the manufacture of "home brews." Every time John Barleycorn the Senate and attending dinner parties gets a black eye he furnishes evidence Until some legal status is given to the

> The statute of limi Solid Concrete tations will doubt

who built certain city bathhouse pools of cinder with a thin layer of concret-Vice instead of solid concrete, but their the names ought to be posted in every bathhouse as a horrible example of contractor politics. In the meantime, the ing of the budget in the hands of a man average citizen who has permitted himsolf to be plundered wonders if it isn' his own head that is constructed of

The so-called La Follette platform was written here by one of the men associated with Roe, but it is pat-

Talk about equality of the sexes. single standard and things! Here's forty-year-old Camden widower advertises for a wife, gets a hundred ap plications for the job, picks a youngster of twenty-five and marries her. Now what chance would a forty-year-old widow have had if she had done the There are still a few

'rights'' the ballot does not provide. The house shortage is no longer

wholly due to labor scarcity, social discontent or lack of transportation facili-ties. An added trouble is lack of capi-There is little doubt that Roe entered tal, a condition brought about by the the executive committee of the Com- working of the income tax. Why pay There is little donot that not chem-the executive committee of the Cem-mittee of Forty-eight months ago as La voltation may be had from federal, out taxation may be had from federal.

situation is that to make things bearable next winter construction on a large scale ought to be already under way, and such is far from being the case.

What Do You Know? QUIZ Name the twelve disciples. Where is the Essequibo river? What is a sackbut? During what battle of the American Marquia de Revolution was the Lafayette wounded? Lafayette wounded? Had Andrew Johnson been found guilty in the famous impeachment trial, who would have become President of the United States? What is the original meaning of the word catastrophe? What kind of weather is incloated by a rapid rise in the barometer?

What is Senator Harding's middle What number of persons or things constitute a myriad?

What is a bissextile?

Answers to Yesterday's Quiz Graham bread takes its name from Sylvester Graham, a doctor an distitian of Northampton, Mass

The Liberty Bell cracked while toll-ing for the death of Chief Justice Marshall in 1835.

The America's Cup has been in the possession of the New York Yacht Club for sixty-nine years. Brahminism is older than Buddhism.

A swingle is a wooder instrument for

The Latin phrase "ultra vires" means beyond one's power or authority.

John Tyler, Grover Cleveland and Woodrow Wilson were married during their terms of office.

The word umpire is derived through the Middle English "nompere" from the Old French "nomper," meaning peerless, not equal, in a sense a third man.

Joan of Arc is called the Maid of Orienns because of her victory over the English resulting in the raising of the siege of that city in 1429.

native

What will become of the mammoth shipyard no one knows. Even Matthew C. Brush, president of the shipbuilding corporation, does not profess to know. Conceived as a wartime undertaking it has served its purpose, he says. As a shipyard in peace times its continued operation is impractical. It probably will be entirely scrapped.

The last ship is scheduled to Wednesday afternoon at 5:24 over" clock. It will be christened the M. C. Brush. A great gathering is ex-pected to witness the launching of the M. C. Brush and the six other vessels, for it will be the last opportunity the while will have of inspecting Hog clared. Island under the management of the American International Shipbuilding Corporation.

> said: Will Complete Work in Hand

commerce. This, according to Mr. Brush, is the greatest number of ships ever gathered in a wet basin at one time. If only one ship a week were de-livered, which he says will probably be exceeded, work at Hog Island will continue for some months. There are now 11,000 men employed

at the yard. These men are gradually leaving for other work. When the yard finally closes the remainder will permeated with Germans during the cost to the consumer no greater. gressman Edmonds and begged him not tries and there will be few men out ries and there will be rew men out f work, it is expected. Flas Hog Island been a failure? Was be work it was so unseaworthy. " Flas Hog Island been a failure? Was sink and block the channel." to allow the Quistconck to be launched it too big an undertaking? Was the experiment justified? Have its ships Was the sink and block the theat workman at proved seaworthy, built as they were by men recruited from all walks of life? the yard, according to Mr. Brush, All criticisms of Hog Island, he said

Success, Declares Mr. Brush Mr. Brush, sitting in his office with to grind.

his eyes turned out over the great acreage of the plant, answered these ques-tions. "The American mind," he said, "has

not yet grasped the magnitude of the Hog Island undertaking. It may never grasp it. But to those of us who have It may never ved here for the last year and a half, ived here for the last year and a hair, it is a magnificent achievement of American ingenuity, of the basic prin-ciple of quantity production, of the in-domitable qualities of the American man though I read about it and hav pictures never had any conception of it until saw it. and woman. Hog Island has been a

"It is difficult to comprehend its magnitude in figures as figures mean so necess. "Conceived in war times under the little, but if one will stop and estimate 1000 acres and check this against the tress of war conditions, and built under similar conditions, at a time when same area in a city, the will have some conception of the terri-tory covered by the plant, and if he every one on earth seems to join forces to discourage the efforts of those who conceived it, it has turned out perfect will stop and realize that the ways occupy a water frontage of a mile and

ships. "With the launching of the seven ships next Wednesday, there will have been launched one hundred and twenty-two ships. Ninety-two ships have been two ships. Ninety-two ships ha he will gain some conception of the proximately 2,000,000 miles, over all the seas of the globe, earrying American cargo, on American ships, under an American flag, with American crews, earning money for Americans, and there has never been an instance of the fail-ure of one of these ships at sea due to the order of the sea ships at sea due to size of the plant. Then if he will fig-ure eighty-four miles of railroad and imagination.

"If he stops to realize that here i poor workmanship or material. a complete self-sustaining municipality

poor workmanship or material. "Had not the kaiser beat it to Hol-land, Hog Island would have been able to produce six complete ships ready to so to sea every calendar week. "Drafting workers from every walk" to flife-barbers, bakers, jewelers, mani-of life-barbers, bakers, jewelers, mani-

SEA CHANTEY Contemporary Style

Resolute and Shamrock IV are wonders in still, windless weather.have come from those who never went Yachtsmen's dope.

ABOUT GAS PRICES

ard is Changed

through the shipyard or who had axes CING hey for the strife in a sailor's life Magnitude Hard to Grasp

and heard it described.

And ho for the ocean blue ! apportion praise for the sun's bright

"Never since the plant was originally conceived has the average American rays And the clouds that they filter been able to grasp its magnitude. Repeatedly from the thousands and thou

through. But of all of the gles from port to les sands of people who have visited the plant we have heard the comment, 'al-There's none to compare as balm To the skipper's hopes, as he eyes his seen

To the heart of a dead, dead calm. Yo, ho! To the heart of a dead, dead calm!

For bards may prate of the tossing gait Of a craft in a scudding breeze, And the splashing foam of a race to ndividual

And the like antiquities ; But it's naught they know of the stately

flow Of the ships that never mind

single snare in the summer air Save the puff of a faint, faint wind! Yo, ho! Save the puff of a faint, faint wind!

Oh, his hopes are high for whatever

appreciate we have that much on the sky Or the boundless main may bring: island it may mean something to his For he scoffs at fog and his agile log

Will whize like anything. But the boss of sails full well bewails His luck and a nasty turn, When his art's denied and his skill

belied By a stiff, stiff breeze astern ! Yo, ho ! By a stiff, stiffebreeze astern ! H. T. C.

commissioner in The latter dates from the sixth century B, C.

for beating flax and removing woody parts from it.

Mark Twain was a

that he is not yet dead.