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Philadelphian, Monday, October 25, 1920
A FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM FOR PHILADELPHIA
Things on which the next administration to concentrate its attention:

ANOTHER UNION
THE plan to co-ordinate the various charitable agencies in this city in the modern spirit of concentration governing both commercial and altruistic enterprises.

GRASPING A SCHOOL PROBLEM
A PROPER sense of proportionate values is indicated in Joseph P. Catherine's forecast of a \$300,000 annual increase of pay for the superintendent of Philadelphia public schools.

THEY DON'T SAY IT NOW
Every bill concerning child welfare, or the working hours of factory employes, or wages of workers, or courts for juveniles or delinquents, housing bills, bills relating to education, to baby welfare, are of the greatest concern to women.

STILL AN EMBRYONIC LEAGUE
THE intention of the League of Nations is to settle the problem arising out of the occupation of Vilna by an outlaw Polish army is commendable, and it is permissible to entertain hopes of success.

BEFORE THE INK IS DRY ON THE PEACE
Treaty signed by the representatives of the Russian Soviet Government and of Poland fears are expressed that the peace will not be popular with either side.

AN END TO NOSTRUMS
THE British Parliament, deep in assorted troubles as it is, found time the other day to pass a bill which will absolutely prohibit the manufacture and sale of patent medicines of the sort that is still a menace to general health in the United States.

AS ONE WOMAN SEES IT
The Art of Getting a Thing Over is Entirely Unrelated to the Psychological Effect of Reiteration

By SARAH D. LOWRIE
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compounds lavishly advertised in pseudo-respectable American newspapers contain powerful and sometimes dangerous stimulants which deceive the sick by creating a temporary feeling of relief.

CAMPAIGN IS ENDING ABOUT AS IT BEGAN
Real Issue Before the Country is Not the League of Nations, but the Dismissal From Power of the Democratic Party

AS THE campaign enters on its last week two notable events are scheduled, one in Washington and the other in Philadelphia.

WOMEN OF BABYLON
A STRANGE and various people are the Manhattanites. Naively these folk insist on their excellent character as the center of the universe, the true fountain of national strength and the source of every great inspiration and all great initiative.

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NOW MY IDEA IS THIS!

Daily Talks With Thinking Philadelphians on Subjects They Know Best

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SHORT CUTS

Back to the mines! cries John Bull.

The auto bandit is a profiteer running amuck.

All that a political candidate needs is a concordance.

In New York, builders are finding breaks ahead.

The Democrats are united, anyway, in hoping for a miracle.

In eight days more claim agents will give way to blame placers.

The solemn referendum seems to be more or less of a rough house.

Mr. Cox is discovering enough "plots" to equip a dime novelist.

At the last moment somebody appears to be giving the campaign the needle.

Attention is again called to the fact that every traffic jam destroys efforts to preserve business.

A Chicago man killed his landlord, thinking him a burglar. Counts must really learn to differentiate in crime values.

British miners are not only under-studying the tailors of Tooley street, but have nerve enough to ask for a slowdown.

And while considering the matter of restricting dogs, it might be well if means were found for restricting the sale of revolvers.

It is the fact that production has decreased with every advance in wages that gives a sinister aspect to the British coal strike.

Now that all good citizens are registered, let us hope that none will grow weary of well-doing when election day comes around.

Strikers in England, having decided that the part is larger than the whole, shut their eyes to the hole they will eventually have to crawl into.

H. G. Wells finds hunger but order in Russia. Things then must be worse than was supposed. The most orderly place in the world is a cemetery.

Shoes are to be cheaper, say delegates to the western association of wholesalers in convention in St. Louis. Case of the downturned showing resignation.

More than the usual number of creepers, crawling things apparently made their home under the pile of bricks tumbled over by the New York investigating committee.

"I can hold the crowd, but not a husband," said Sophie Tucker, vaudeville singer, when granted a divorce. We rarely suspect that there is material for a sermon in that text.

A dispatch from Bakersfield, Calif., says that sparks from his pipe set fire to the house of a Digger Indian 138 years old and he was fatally burned. Another instance of how tobacco shortens life.

Having read with more or less avid interest W. L. George's views on "how to be happy though married," we arrive at the conclusion that two green newslayers know just as much about the matter as the wisest man alive.

The admission of Admiral Knapp that, as a result of the necessity to preserve order, 3000 Haitians may have been killed in the American, is a little disquieting, to say the least. After a few more explanations we shall be excusing ourselves by pointing out what other nations have done.

The conference held on Saturday between members of the Public Service Commission, representatives of the city and officials of the P. R. T., to the end of the Christmas service be adequate during the Christmas holidays, remains in that it will soon be time to urge the populace to do its Christmas shopping early.

A Harrisburg dispatch tells of a man who shot at a squirrel and hit a hickory nut in its mouth. The bullet drove the nut down the squirrel's throat and choked it to death. We simply refuse to believe it. What really happened was that the squirrel was about to choke on the nut, but coughed and the nut fell out. The shooter, who was with such force as to make it impossible for him to tell a straight story. We have a particular concern in the matter, for the interest of truth.

Doing Its Best
From the Kansas City Star.
The motorcar is doing its best, anyway, to transport the country back to normal conditions and low prices.