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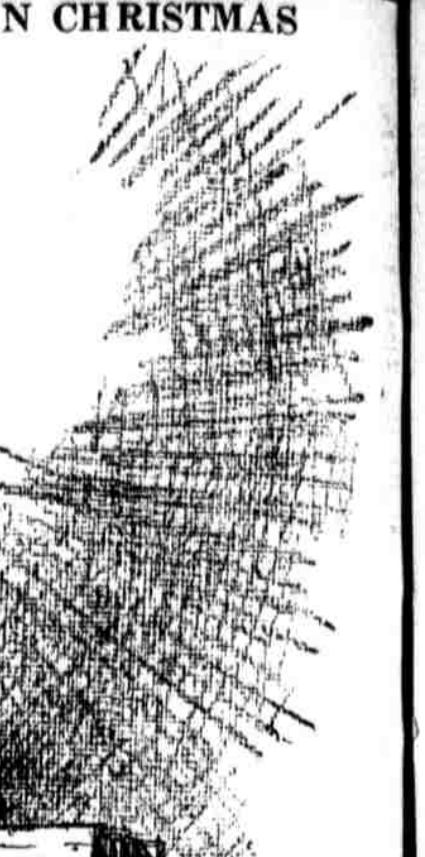
made without great inconvenience to any one. Otto H. Kahn, one of the best economic experts in the country, has appeared before the ways and means committee to urge a general sales tax of one-third of 1 per cent as an experiment.

THE ANTHRACITE GOUGE
Will Pennsylvania Follow in the Steps of New Jersey?—The Farbical of Brumbaugh Commission and What It Didn't Do

LOOKS MORE LIKE THANKSGIVING THAN CHRISTMAS
The next Legislature has its work cut out for it. Yet the question of most vital interest to Philadelphia is not, as yet, a part of its program.

IF YOU AREN'T A CYNIC YOU'RE OUT OF FASHION
Does an Occasional Grafter on the Grill or in Jail Prove That the Country is In Proff to the Dogs?

THE BATTLE IS ON
The Mayor's announcement that he would not fight a campaign for Governor W. C. Coker is the logical outcome of the showdown in the Council, when the men who were elected on a ticket pledged to his support turned tail.



THE SHORT-RUN NUISANCE
THE presence of the Public Service Commission is a generally realized fact in the community just now that has led against short runs of the Market street elevated trains.

PEACE ARMOR IS NO ARMOR
IN PRINCIPLE there is little distinction between the British prime minister's prescription for peace from that published by the League of Nations.

THE HAUNTED STREET
WITHOUT the night is quiet as the moon has set; the clouds like phantoms fly.

WOMEN MAY HOLD OFFICE
IT is unnecessary to change any laws of the state in order to qualify women for holding public office, according to an opinion of Attorney General Alter.

BOARDING HOUSES REPLACE HOMES
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SHORT CUTS
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LEAGUE COURT PROGRESS
PROGRESS has been made in the International Court of Justice which will soon be more than a figment of benevolent imagination.

THE SALES TAX
WE ALL like to hear a great deal about a sales tax, but we are not so sure about its work of relieving the tax burden.

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On Fields for Church Work
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THAT OLYMPIC APPROPRIATION
COUNTYMAN DEVELIN'S objections to the appropriation of \$15,000 to assist the city in the final period for the payment of expenses of the local contestants in the Olympic games have been sustained by the city council.

THE ANTHRACITE GOUGE
The district attorney of Brooklyn has issued an investigation into the coal business in Philadelphia.

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