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UP TO CORTELYOU

APPARENTLY the Civil Service investigation of police irregularities in the Fourth Ward has collapsed. It did not actually begin.

WE LOSE AT GOLF

GOLF to some people is—as many anxious clerical men know—the engenderer of an almost religious passion.

THE GOVERNOR APOLOGIZES

GOVERNOR SPROUL has signed the Daix Municipal Court judgeship bill with an apology.

TRADE AND PEACE

THOSE nervous persons who stay awake at night dreading a war between the United States and Japan might allay their fears if they would read and digest some of the figures contained in the Financial and Economic Annual of Japan for 1920, which has just arrived in this country.

A RETURN TO SANITY

THE decision of Postmaster General Hays to admit the Liberator, a radical monthly magazine, to the privileges of the second-class mails enjoyed by publications which are not radical marks a most gratifying abandonment of the policy of censorship followed by his predecessor.

BOB'S BIG LITTLE THING

WHATSOEVER you may think of Senator Borah—of his perversity, his loud unreason and his violent incoherence in the presence of every nation's problem of importance—it is necessary now to extend to him a word or two of credit.

WHY DOES THIS GREAT PORT NOT GET FULL RECOGNITION?

Signal Maritime Eminence of Philadelphia as Second in America Warrants Better Appreciation at the Hands of Its Own People

MENTALLY, PHYSICALLY, ATMOSPHERICALLY

Philadelphia is by far the worst dressed of the world's great seaports. There, moreover, are outsiders and even a considerable number of natives who readily succumb to the fallacy that it is not a matter of torgery alone, but of actual inhibitions and unfitness for the role.

PAYMENT OF LIBERTY BONDS

HOLDERS of bonds of the Third and Fifth Liberty Loans will be intensely interested in the announcement by Secretary Mellon that the loans to the Allies, approximately \$10,000,000, are to be put into such shape that the loans can be used to take up the Liberty Bonds.

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AS ONE WOMAN SEES IT

Some Descendants of Old Families, Sensing Their Civic Responsibilities, Are Prominent in Philanthropic Generation After Generation

BY SARAH D. LOWRIE

A CHICAGO woman once remarked of Philadelphia: "If you want to be fashionable you have to be philanthropic." I do not know how true that is, but I suspect the strain of Quakerism is in many Philadelphians.

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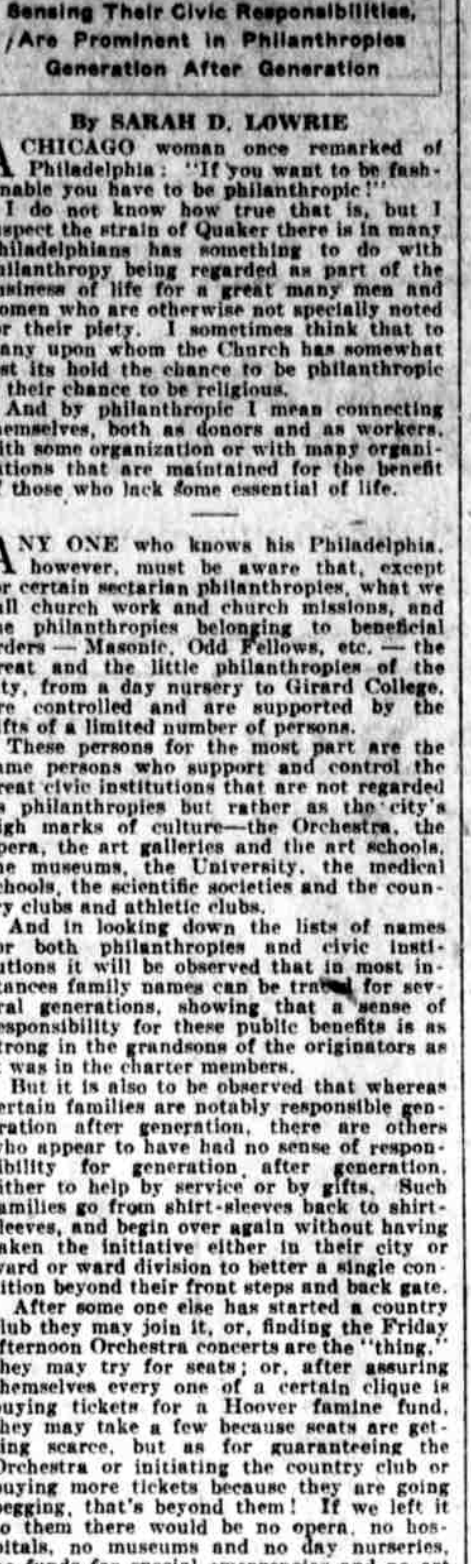
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THE ONE THAT GOT AWAY



NOW MY IDEA IS THIS

Daily Talks With Thinking Philadelphians on Subjects They Know Best

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What Do You Know?

QUIZ

- 1. Which is the Keystone State? 2. Who is the Premier of France? 3. What is a distinctive trait of a cowbird? 4. Who was Sir Dagonet? 5. Who composed the "Unfinished" Symphony? 6. Who is General Korfanty? 7. What is meant by "sumptuary" laws? 8. What is the largest city of China? 9. Who wrote "Little Women"? 10. What is a misogynist?

HUMANISMS

By WILLIAM ATHERTON DU PUY

JACK CONNOLLY, who represents the motion-picture industry in Washington, was formerly a newspaperman up in Boston and used to drop around to the State House every day and chat with Governor Coolidge. The acquaintance became so intimate that Connolly came to call the governor "Cal."

SHORT CUTS

The Silesian hell broth still simmers. Summer is assuredly nearing. The girls are beginning to wear their "Harvey Has Not Begun Yet" Headline. His tongue got ahead of him. Whatever the Allied Council does with Upper Silesia is guaranteed to give satisfaction. There is no greater joy these days than to sit in a garden and watch somebody work therein. The guy who throws oil on the troubled waters these days may find himself lit by the fire and fish laws. One thing that makes Hoover strong with the populace is that the buck never seems to get past him. Those who are delaying the purchase of coal doubtless deny the truth of the assertion that figures can't lie. It is understood that Judge Brown will not find fault with Governor Sproul's reasons for signing the Daix bill. Pride in the premium on the American dollar is discounted by the fact that it seems to be too proud to trade. West Virginia mountaineers have no more respect for coal company laws than John Rector has for the Volstead Act. Mr. Flitt says that the Ship of State will never float on an even keel until the pork barrel stove is used as a sparker. One way of damming a budget stream is to insist upon treating it as though it were a panacea instead of merely water looking for a hole. The Lockwood Committee investigation is a useful school of economics for those who wish to avail themselves of the lessons it teaches. American gold representation in England was first all out, then all in, and finally, all out. Now all together. "There we can't expect to win all the time!" According to present reports, the crooked man who walked a crooked mile and found a crooked policeman is the usual crooked style is attached to the police department.

HIST!

THE gleam in the sun of a bright feather. A carol of song behind the mill. A tinkle of bells through the shaly weather. Hist! 'Tis some of the fairy folk. In cap and shoon and gay green cloak. Now whether go they, the fairy people, To ring the chimera in the windy weather. Or drive the princes' sheep to the grass. Oh, bliss is the sky and green the grass. And sunny the road where the fairies tread. —George Frederick Park, in St. Nicholas

Love Song

BEST of sweethearts, dear are you. On your charms I love to ponder. What the poet says is true: Absence makes the heart grow fonder. Often have I sung your praise, Through the winter's chilly days, Never, never did I doubt you. It is naught but Truth that speaks— Truth that's flavored with molasses: Naught excels your rosy cheeks; And your sweetness naught surpasses. Time shall never make you pine Since I've had the luck to meet you. You are here! And you are mine! Strawberries! Just watch me eat you! G. A.