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BACK OF THE DEPRESSION

HERE is the keynote to the present unsatisfactory business conditions. The gross earnings of the railroads for the fourth week of March—the last for which statistics are at this time available—show a decrease of nearly 2 per cent, as compared with those for the same period last year.

From figures on hand April 3, the Interstate Commerce Commission reports earnings of 150 railroads operating within the United States during February and for eight months from July 1 to March 1, 1914, compared with the same figures for 1913, as follows: For eight months ending March 1, 1914, total operating revenues, \$166,470,821; for 1913, \$185,865,694.

Exports at the port of New York for the latest week amounted to \$20,571,289, compared with \$21,648,051 in the same week last year. Imports totaled \$21,454,759, compared with \$19,286,617 last year.

In a recent speech at Chicago, District Attorney Whitman, of New York City, pointed out that more men were employed, investments were stimulated, foreign purchases were larger and custom receipts were sufficient for the needs of the government under the operations of the last Republican tariff law.

United States Senator James Hamilton Lewis, the Democratic whip from Illinois, has introduced three bills, providing for the purchase of all interstate railroads, the building by the Government of 100 merchant ships and the supplanting of the Interstate Commerce Commission by three boards having power to fix transportation rates, commodity prices and scale of wages and take charge of bargaining.

JUDGE KUNKEL'S friends in and out of politics are taking more than a passing interest in the campaign now being waged for his nomination as candidate for the Supreme Court bench of the State.

and Judge Kunkel came out of the trying ordeal with the admiration and respect of the whole State.

Now hundreds of those who remember the Capitol verdicts are showing their appreciation by mailing postcards favoring Judge Kunkel to their friends all over the State.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Blaklee is now on the griddle. He is charged by Congressman Lee, the Democratic Representative of the Schuylkill district, with certain and sundry things subversive of discipline and contrary to the postal laws and regulations.

THE TROUT SEASON.

THERE will be many vacant offices to-morrow. Many doors will bear the sign "Out of Town on Important Business."

There is really no sport quite so absorbing as troutfishing, and particularly in this respect to the first excursion of the season. Says the golf enthusiast, "When your business interferes with your golf, neglect your business," but for the trout fisherman there is no such thing as business when it comes time to go astray with rod and reel—business for the time simply does not exist for him.

That Jefferson Day dinner of the Central Democratic Club was a joyous and vociferous occasion. It was all that the club had anticipated in the way of attendance and enthusiasm, and while the promised land is still in the distance for many of those who sat around the board, the speeches were all of the sort that please a political organization under such circumstances.

GLORYING IN THEIR SHAME.

THE reorganization element in the Democratic party of this State assumes for its own purposes that the people have forgotten the attitude of the leaders of this faction in recent years toward bossism and the arbitrary arrogation to individuals of party control.

History presents no such arrogant assumption of power since the days of Julius Caesar as that displayed by President Wilson in forcing upon the Democrats of Pennsylvania candidates of his own choice without regard to the wishes of the party in this State.

SUFFRAGE DAY

THAT Harrisburg has not yet reached the stage of suffrage enthusiasm necessary to the success of a parade is evident from a bulletin issued from State headquarters to-day.

Another White House wedding on May 8th. But even the occasional interruption of the marriage of one of his daughters does not interfere with the President's purpose to treat business and destroy confidence in the industries of the country.

EVENING CHAT

This is the season of the year when the farm makes its loudest and most insistent call and when the city man with muscles aching from digging garden or leaning over and planting onion sets thinks of the life in the rural districts where the leaping brook sounds and the lowing herd winds slowly o'er the lea.

Friends of R. S. Chamberlin, for several years identified with the Bell Telephone Company in this city, will be interested when they learn that he has been named as general passenger and express agent of the Scranton and Kingstonsport railway which operates a network of lines in the northeastern part of the State.

The Pennsylvania railroad company in its information booklet commends the stormy spring and calls attention to the similarity of the disturbances which caused the great blizzards of 1888, 1909 and 1914.

It is noticed that in the news dispatches of the day that many of the smaller municipalities are taking steps to create park commissions and that movements to amend charter surroundings are under way all over the State.

Secretary "Billy" Wilson, of the department of labor who was to have been speaker at last night's dinner, is good natured to a degree, but his temper is being a little tried by the actions of congress. The secretary of the Labor Union, Congressman A. R. Brodbeck to be a candidate again in the face of the post office stories.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

The Rev. Dr. J. D. Moffat, president of Washington and Jefferson, preached at the church re-dedication of the church of which he was pastor twenty years ago.

POLITICAL SIDELIGHTS

It was a great night for the Central. Jim Blaklee appears to be having a hard time at Washington.

The Palmer-McCormick campaign starts for northeastern counties to-morrow morning. Billy Wilson must have lost his ticket to this city and did not even send a written speech.

Henry Eudd and Michael J. Ryan formally opened their joint campaign for the Democratic nominations for United States senator and governor, respectively, last night in Philadelphia.

CLUB TO OBSERVE

12th ANNIVERSARY
Harrisburg Republicans Will Have a Large Time About the Middle of May

YORK COUNTY IN TURMOIL

Congressional Candidates Are on the Wing; News of the Day in Politics

Members of the Harrisburg Republican Club will celebrate the twelfth anniversary of the incorporation of that influential organization in May and a committee of active members is now being arranged for the event.

The pronounced manner in which the Wilson administration gave notice that it is taking a hand in the internal affairs of the Democracy of Pennsylvania was not the only thing Nonpartisan Under Foot Democratic Club last evening.

Nominating petitions for Ex-Congressman Daniel F. La can are in circulation in various parts of York and Adams counties, although the York man has not yet said for whom he would stand for in the fall.

A Washington dispatch says the following about an interesting Democratic character: "Absence of Senator Smith, chairman of the immigration committee, and charges that his views are not being held up more than two months."

Greenwalt Not Yet in Fat Office
The immigration committee, and charges that his views are not being held up more than two months.

There was a regular rush of Democratic petitions at the Capitol last evening and signs of battle are in the air. Among those filed were: Congress—Pennell, C. Evans, Easton; Twenty-sixth district: D. F. Gulnan, Mahanoy City, Twelfth, and all Democrats.

Democrats Leader to File Papers
Senate—Morris M. Hays, Etters, Twenty-eighth district; J. P. S. Strickler, Lewisburg, Twenty-seventh, Democrats.

Henry J. Brennan, Carbondale, Tenth, all Democrats. Senate—Morris M. Hays, Etters, Twenty-eighth district; J. P. S. Strickler, Lewisburg, Twenty-seventh, Democrats.

State Committee—Republican, Joseph D. Hick, Altoona, Bliley; John P. Chambers, Pleasant Unity, Vestmore; Democrat, Otto G. Kaupp, Williamsport, Lycoming; Joseph D. Ballentine, Easton, Northampton; Charles Bowman, Lebanon; John A. Ziegenfuss, Weisport, Carbon.

Budd Opens Campaign in His Home
The meeting was held in the home district of Mr. Budd, and his first appearance on the platform attracted a great crowd of neighbors, who were anxious for the approval of the opposition to the Palmer-made slate.

PATENT YOUR IDEAS and make MONEY
SEND FOR MY FREE BOOK HOW TO GET THEM. Return of All Fees Absolutely Guaranteed if You Wish, If Not Refund.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



VIOLENT ALL RIGHT

"Poor Dubbs has proposed to Miss Millions at last. I suppose her father is violently opposed." "I should say so. They had to take Dubbs to the hospital."

THEY'RE OFF BY WING DINGER

Oh joyful sound, what music Oh bring to many an ear. What happiness for thousands That live both far and near.

What days of patient waiting For you who have not been spent. What work we have accomplished Since long ago you went.

BOSSING PENNSYLVANIA

White House disclaimers to the contrary notwithstanding, and Secretary Bryan's recent assertion that it was the policy of the President not to interfere in the Democratic politics of any State in which a United States senator was to be elected this year, we now have it from the lips of Representative A. Mitchell Palmer that Mr. Wilson has absolutely dictated Palmer's candidacy for senator and along with him that of Vance C. McCormick for governor of Pennsylvania.

It is a great "come all ye faithful" to proceed from a President and Secretary of State who owe their elevation largely to the same old and preachments against bossism. It is in startling refutation of Mr. Bryan's assurance over his own name in the Commoner that the President was keeping hands off and playing fair as between Democrats.

WHEN THE TIDE IS IN

The boats lay stranded on the beach. Tangs with seaweed dark and green; A desolate and dreary scene. As far as the eye could reach: The tide was out.

How changed the view when day is done. The boats rode gaily in the deep. They were still nodding as in sleep. Kissed by the setting sun; The tide was in.

Thus many a life, in want or woe, Lies stranded on the barren shore; But God is God forever more— Take courage for we know: The tide is coming in.

And lifted from the rocks and shoals We sail upon the sunlit sea; Night opens on eternity— Sweet rest for weary souls— The tide is in. —Frank L. Stanton in the Church Advocate.

\$2.50 Washington SUNDAY EXCURSION Pennsylvania R.R. Sunday, April 26 Special Train Leaves Harrisburg 7:05 A.M. See Flyers Consult Ticket Agents

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NEWS DISPATCHES OF THE CIVIL WAR

[From the Telegraph of April 14, 1864.] No Protection for Negroes
Cairo, April 12. — The rebel, General Buford, sent a flag of truce at 7 o'clock this morning, demanding the surrender of Fort Halleck, Columbus, Ky., the white soldiers to be treated as prisoners of war, but no protection promised to colored troops found in arms. Five hours were given for the removal of men and children.

IN HARRISBURG FIFTY YEARS AGO TO-DAY

[From the Telegraph of April 14, 1864] Old Stage Owner Here
Walter H. Graham, one of the oldest mail contractors and stage proprietors in the State, was in the State Capitol a guest at the Brady House, yesterday.

REBELS MENACE COLUMBUS AND PADUCAH

Cairo, Wednesday, April 13. — The rebel forces under Forrest are menacing both Columbus and Paducah. The portion of Forrest's force advancing on Paducah, passed Loydsville at noon to-day, and it is expected they will make their attack to-night.

RECKLESS DEMOCRATIC EXTRAVAGANCE.

[Philadelphia Ledger.] There need be no surprise at the reckless extravagance of the present Congress. Its majority is inexperienced in the arts of responsible government. It has received no mandate from the people, but is in power because of a Republican split.

AN EVENING THOUGHT

It is in general more profitable to reckon up our defects than to boast of our attainments.—Carlyle.

WESTERN UNION transferring of money by telegraph is old. This feature has been so improved and the rates for this service so reduced, it needs a new name, MONEYGRAMS
Full information gladly given at any Western Union Telegraph Office. THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.

Now is the Time to Clean
With the Spring time comes cleaning time for your draperies, curtains, chair covers, etc. You know they are hard for you to clean. Save yourself a lot of work and worry by sending them to us. We call for and deliver promptly. Both phones. EGGERT, 1245 Market Street Cleaning and Dyeing

When smokers prefer one 10c cigar to the same amount of nickel cigars it's a safe bet that it's a MOJA 10c Cigar
All Havana of the best quality blended to the point of perfection that it satisfies all tastes. Made by JOHN C. HERMAN & CO.