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THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 7

POLITICS AND BUSINESS

THE Pennsylvania Steel Company is a fine example right here at home of the direful effects of Democratic business tinkering at Washington. The company earned 8.06 per cent. last year on its preferred stock compared with 5.1 per cent. in 1912. The last half of the year was so dull that it wiped out the greater part of the profits of the first half. The Maryland Steel Company's plant was closed down the first of December on account of lack of rail orders. In his remarks to the shareholders President Felton stated that not only was the decrease in profits due to lack of orders, but to the higher cost of production and lower prices. Prices for steel for the last six or eight months are close to cost for even the most modern and economical plants.

Democrats tell us that the Wilson Administration is not responsible for this condition. But isn't it peculiar that mills are closed, workmen are thrown out of employment and business in general goes to rot every time the Democratic party has an opportunity to put its policies into effect? And isn't it strange, if politics has no effect on business, that the country is generally prosperous when the Republican party is in control? There would seem to be subject for a little experimenting here that the voter should not neglect at the polls next November.

Judge Witmer this week fined a man for shooting a skunk in the Gettysburg Government reservation, declaring "though a skunk be a skunk the law is still the law." But still it's a question whether the culprit shouldn't have been rewarded, in the opinion of those who know the skunk better than they do the law.

GUN-MUZZLE DIPLOMACY

THE United States needs at Washington more of the type of diplomacy displayed by Great Britain yesterday in dealing with Haiti.

The English government had demanded that the Haitian government reimburse an English subject to the amount of $62,000 for property wantonly destroyed. The Haitian government refused. The English foreign office set 6 o'clock last evening as the time for payment of the money, the penalty for continued refusal to be the taking over of a customs house. Needless to say, the sum demanded was handed over at the hour named.

How different has been the policy of President Wilson with respect to Mexico. A similar attitude toward Huerta, following his assumption of power, would have placed this country on a very different footing in its relations to Mexico and its dictator, and would have prevented much of the embarrassment of the past few months, to say nothing of millions of dollars property loss to American citizens in Mexico and the death under mysterious circumstances of Americans who have fallen under the displeasure of Huerta.

Lieutenant Becker, the dispatches state, has asked to be placed in the upper tier of cells in the Tombs to escape being struck with crockery that other prisoners who have a spite at him throw at him while he is exercising in the hall. This is a plain case of Becker's trying to get "from under" the "man higher up."

BACKYARD GARDENS

THE Harrisburg Civic Club never attempted, in all its active and useful career, a better piece of constructive work than the backyard flower garden contest it has organized for the coming season. Its popularity is attested by the fact that the remarkably large number of 540 boys and girls have entered.

This means that 540 backyards in Harrisburg, in a measure, at least, will be redeemed from the waste places and made to bloom like the proverbial oasis in the desert. In truth each will be an oasis in its own particular little desert, for the backyards of Harrisburg are notorious for their neglect and unsightliness.

Time was, away back in the days when Harrisbiurg was no more than an over-grown country town, that the resident who neglected to whitewash his fence and plant seeds in the Springtime was regarded with suspicion by his neighbors and lost prestige in the community. Such a one did not stand well with the great majority who took it for granted that a family that was content to live in slovenly surroundings was all too likely to be equally careless of its habits of life. But with the growth of the city, the crowding together of the houses and the steady trend toward a "hurry-up" mode of living, the backyard fell into neglect until to-day, with a comparatively few very laudable exceptions, it has become the abiding place of the tramp cat, the rusty tin can and the garbage pail.

Now comes the Civic Club to sow the seeds of a renewed civic pride and just as a little leaven leaventh the whole lump, so will these 540 beautified backyards prompt the making of flower beds broadcast throughout the city. This aside from the very beneficial effect of teaching children the gentle and wholesome art of growing things.

THE HABIT-FORMING DRUG LAW

AT the suggestion of Dr. Samuel Z. Shope, the Medical Club of Harrisburg has passed a series of resolutions asking the United States Congress to vote down certain amendments to the bill now before that body having for its purpose the restriction of the sale of habit-forming drugs.

The club believes that the amendments would be of little value in carrying out the objects of the measure and would work a severe hardship upon suffering humanity. The bill as amended would forbid the physician from prescribing narcotics except for administration by him personally to the patient. The club believes that "if this amendment is accepted it becomes an offense against Federal law for the doctor to send a cough tablet, a throat lozenge, an antispasmodic for asthma, or an anodyne for the relief of diarrhea, neuralgia or any other painful condition to a patient through a third person; and it is a serious question whether he can legally place such remedies in the patient's own hands or that of a nurse to be administered to the patient in the absence of the physician."

The club also believes that the bill as amended discriminates against the physician in favor of the druggist by compelling him to keep a written record of every dose of medicine containing narcotics administered.

Possibly the Harrisburg physicians are right. Some times it is possible to make a law so strict as to be unenforcible or bad in its effects if enforced. Too stringent restrictions as applied to physicians may be harmful, but on the other hand the doctors have themselves to thank for the present wave of public feeling against the indiscriminate use of habit-forming drugs, and it is agreeable to note that they favor legal restriction of the sale of such.

Hundreds of "drug-fiends" all over this country owe their present degradation to the carelessness of their family doctors. Opium and kindred medicines are not remedies. They are pain-killers—rather pain-soothers, for the pain comes back when the effects of the drug wear off. They are intended for use in rare instances only. Much better to bear the suffering of cramps, or headaches or similar discomforts than to win temporary relief by use of medicines that do not cure and merely deaden. The wise physician does not treat symptoms, but causes, and pains are merely symptoms. Of course, there are many times when the narcotic is necessary, but it should be given in very small doses and prescribed in very small quantities, and it should be made necessary for the physician to re-write the prescription every time it is to be filled. Too many physicians—although the number of such is happily on the decrease—are only too ready with the "dope bottle."

STANDING TOGETHER

IN his speech before the manufacturers who met at the offices of the C. Day Rudy Company yesterday to consider ways and means of bringing business back to that high state of prosperity from which it has drifted under the Wilson administration, S. F. Dunkle, of the Harrisburg Manufacturing and Boiler Company, summed up in a single paragraph the whole political situation as it applies to the attitude of Republicans with relation to the coming elections when he said:

> We in Pennsylvania have passed through the fire and we are the better for it. We now see issues clearly, and those of us who were arrayed one against another on personal grounds are prepared to give and take in order that we may stand shoulder to shoulder for the preservation of those political principles which are equally dear to all of us.

Mr. Dunkle was frankly and avowedly of the opinion that conditions in the national capital make it imperative that Pennsylvania be represented by an able, experienced man of strong protective tariff principles in the Senate, and he naturally turned toward Senator Penrose. But personal preference aside, it is true that the Republicans of Pennsylvania have "passed through the fire" and have been united anew by the strong ties of adversity. Pennsylvania is an overwhelmingly Republican State. Its interests have always been and will always be identical with the principles of the Republican party. When the Republicans are in control at Washington we of the Keystone State are prosperous and enjoying good government. When the Democrats are in control we suffer; times are bad for the business man and the working man alike.

The great majority of our people, who go to make up the rank and file of the Republican party, realize this as never before. They are just now engaged in a primary contest, it is true, but it is a very clean, clear-cut contest, with none of the bitterness and personalities that mark the free-for-all between the Ryan and McCormick factions on the Democratic side. As Mr. Dunkle says, Pennsylvania Republicans are united, and that is the big difference between them and the Democrats. Whomsoever may be nominated at the primaries by the Republicans will receive the solid support of the whole party, but the Democratic nominees, whoever they may be, will continue to be the candidates of a faction.

EVENING CHAT

Commencement of the railroad improvements along Mulberry street is being awaited by a number of Harrisburgers with considerable interest because it will be the inauguration of what will be a notable change in the character of the district below Chestnut street. Ever since the year of the Dauphin county centennial, or thereabouts, people have been predicting that Second and other streets between Chestnut and Vine were going to be the center of a big warehouse and wholesale business. The movement of warehouses to that district appears to have started, judging from the big establishments already in business or being erected in Second street, but the development has been slow and people have been rather cautious about doing much owing to the frequent holdups of the railroad plans. Now that the subways are to be constructed and the State has authorized the start of the addition to the bridge folks can be assured of the manner in which the district is to be laid out and projects can be undertaken. Front street, of course, will not be changed, the river front settling that, but Second will soon take on a new lease of business life, fronting as it will a solid two blocks of railroad buildings and being the thoroughfare for all of the freight deliveries. Meadow lane will be wiped out and the very oldest part of Harrisburg will retake its place in business.

Next Monday will be the ninth anniversary of the famous Lochiel wreck and according to its custom the Pennsylvania Railroad will place flowers on the graves of the unknown dead who are buried here. The funerals of the unknown took place from Market Square Church after one of the most impressive services ever held in the city, many prominent men attending them.

Harrisburg educators and many interested in school affairs will be interested to learn that Dr. Samuel Hamilton has been re-elected superintendent of the schools of Allegheny county after a service of twenty-eight years in that position. The election at Pittsburgh on Tuesday was unanimous. Dr. Hamilton has served as president of the State Educational Association and on all of its committees, while he had upon a number of occasions spoken at meetings in this city. Like Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, he has been a tower of educational strength and his work is known beyond the borders of the State.

It is not generally known that Lyman D. Gilbert, who was buried yesterday after a long life spent in Harrisburg, was one of the greatest lovers of the Susquehanna. Born along its banks, he used to delight to explore it in his younger days and to tell of its beauties as he passed the meridian of life. With John B. McPherson, now one of the judges of the federal court, Mr. Gilbert owned the first scull to be used on the Susquehanna. After he returned to the city from college, Mr. Gilbert maintained the interest he had felt in the river as a boy and brought here the first of the light craft that used to be used in races along the stream. It was quite a curiosity in those days and was the predecessor of the craft that twenty years ago were not an uncommon sight.

The Rev. Dr. E. N. Kremer, pastor of Reformed Salem Church, will go to the general synod at Lancaster next week with particular interest because it is just forty-nine years since he graduated from Franklin and Marshall College in that city. Dr. Kremer is looking forward to attending the commencement next year when his golden anniversary will be celebrated. Dr. Kremer has represented his church at a number of meetings of the synod.

Night work on the reconstruction of the line of the Harrisburg Railway Company along Derry street attracts many sightseers and the men who run the concrete mixers and other paraphernalia of the construction gang have a good many "assistants" from the people who gather about. Last evening the men worked until late and people for blocks around came to see the men. One man stepped up and told a man stamping concrete that he was not doing it right. The man promptly told him to chase himself. The "assistant" got the loan of a stamper and showed the man how he would do it. It happened to be a concrete engineer.

Painting of the benches in the Riverside Park last night caused an overcrowding of the benches in Capitol Park. The city benches were given new coats of green and the spoony ones, who read the newspapers, headed for the State park. As a result before 8.30 every bench was filled and those in the more secluded sections had a couple of pairs. Some pairs were even noticed sitting on the granite steps to the Capitol.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

—Public Service Commissioner F. M. Wallace used to be a bank examiner.

—D. A. Kline, the Perry superintendent of schools, has been selected for the third term.

—Colonel Harry C. Trexler is planting 7,000 additional peach trees in his orchards near Allentown.

—The Rev. S. G. Gapp, a Moravian minister, raised $1,500 to rebuild a burned college building by means of a house to house canvass in Bethlehem.

—Dr. Joseph Swain, of Swarthmore, praises moral education for schools.

NEWS DISPATCHES OF THE CIVIL WAR

[From the Telegraph of May 7, 1864.]

Army Safe

Washington, May 6.—Information has been received here that our army has passed safely through the Wilderness, but nothing further is known to-day of the onward movement.

Rebels Move South

Washington, May 5.—Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock information was received by General Burnside that a large force of rebels was moving southward by way of Thoroughfare Gap. This was communicated by signals and General Burnside at once started a large force of cavalry, who came up with the enemy as they were passing through the Gap.

IN HARRISBURG FIFTY YEARS AGO TO-DAY

[From the Telegraph of May 7, 1864.]

Conference Opens

The Philadelphia Annual Conference of the African Methodist Zion Connection met in the Wesleyan Church, South street, to-day, and will continue in session a week or ten days.

Arrest Butchers

Two of our butchers were before the Mayor to-day to answer the charge of violating the market ordinance by using spring balances.

DAUPHIN LEAGUE GIVES RYAN BOOM

Takes Action Just as McCormick Returns From the Juniata Valley Tour

BONNIWELL RAPS CREASY

New Interchange of Remarks by the Spitfires of the Opposing Factions

New and interesting moves were made last night in the family war which is splitting the Pennsylvania Democracy and all of them indicate that there will be more entertainment to come.

The Dauphin County Democratic League celebrated the return of Vance C. McCormick and his caravan from a tour of the Juniata Valley counties by adopting strong resolutions in favor of the nomination of Michael J. Ryan, of Philadelphia, for Governor. The resolutions were long as well as strong and set forth the fact that Mr. Ryan had always been a Democrat and that Mr. McCormick had been a party bolter. Other gentle things were said about the Harrisburger by this organization of men opposed to him in his own county. A. W. Hartman, president of the league, made a rip-snorting speech in which he denounced McCormick as being active in the party only when his own ambitions were concerned.

William K. Meyers, candidate for nomination for Congress-at-large, was given an ovation when he spoke on the campaign and was promised enthusiastic support. The Democratic clubs all over the city will support Mr. Meyers regardless of how they feel on the gubernatorial row.

Breach Grows Daily

While the McCormick caravan was eating dinner here the Ryan aggregation was holding forth at Reading and hearing predictions that Ryan would carry that city, although the county is a toss-up. It was claimed for McCormick a week ago. Ryan assailed the men fighting him and Judge Bonniwell added some additional hot shot to what he has fired at "Farmer" Creasy. The McCormick caravan appeared tired after its visit to Juniata Valley towns, where its visits were scheduled during court week so that crowds would be found. At Reading last night Ryan railed against Palmer, Creasy and Berry for their hypocrisy in having accepted financial assistance from Colonel Guffey and Senator J. K. P. Hall and now would ride into power and place by denouncing their former benefactors. "If I ever accepted one dollar of the money of these men," said Ryan, "my tongue would drop from my mouth before I uttered a word against them."

Bonniwell Turns Light On Creasy

Judge Bonniwell at Reading last night answered and denied the charges of William T. Creasy.

In this connection he cited Creasy's opinion of him in 1913 in the form of the following letter:

"Catawissa, Pa., June 12, 1913.

"Eugene C. Bonniwell,
Philadelphia, Pa.:

"My Dear Friend Bonniwell—Your letter arrived in my absence. In reply will say that I would be pleased to see you receive the appointment of judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

"I am loathe to write my recommendations to the President, as they seem not to get any further than to Mr. Tumulty; but, should you desire it, I will cheerfully write one for you. Respectfully yours,

"WILLIAM T. CREASY."

Then the judge said: "I notify you now that unless you retract your slanders that I shall proceed to make public your financial dealings and your record in the Legislature in such fashion as will drive you into the obscurity that the people of your district intended you should be when they repudiated you for State senator."

POLITICAL SIDELIGHTS

—The dictionary is being worked to find words for the rival Democrats to hurl at each other.

—Judge Bonniwell remarked the other evening that it could be shown that Creasy was once "a fawning dependent" on certain Democrats he now denounces.

—The McCormick caravan is headed into the post office belt of York and Adams counties to-day.

—Ryan is campaigning in Montgomery county to-day and will be in Norristown to-night. McCormick is going there Saturday.

—When it comes down to making slates certain men now on the stump for Democratic votes appear to have shown much skill, especially in getting themselves on the slates.

—Oh! Only wait until the expense accounts are filed for the gubernatorial primary campaign.

—A whole day has passed without a squeak from the Pa-Mc league.

—Dimmick is on his way into Bedford and Somerset.

—Dean Lewis is making speeches rapping the Supreme Court.

—Pinchot plans a motor car tour to five counties.

—"Big Bill" Hollenback, the football star of State College, is out in a letter favoring Penrose.

—There may be idle machines in industrial plants due to the Democratic tariff, but there is no sign of idleness about the well oiled Democratic machine.

—Judge Bonniwell and "Farmer" keep on saying things about each other.

—It sounds rather strange to hear the men on the White House slate talking about other parties violating the spirit of the primary law.

—The Democratic State bosses figure out that they can do anything and say it is proper, but that such things done by other men in the past are abhorrent.

—Creasy was not featured very much by the caravaneers yesterday.

—It must have been funny yesterday to hear the two Democratic bosses telling the Juniata Valley folks that the day of bossism is over in the Democratic party.

—The Palmer-McCormick slate was not only dictated at Washington in defiance and violation of the spirit of the primary law of Pennsylvania, but by a man who is not even a resident of the State.

—The chief thing of interest about the McCormick caravan trip yesterday was the number of prominent Democrats who did not turn out.

WILSON DIPLOMACY

[From the New York Sun.]

Abdulla Sada, just back in New York from a Haytian dungeon, says that when he asserted his rights as an American citizen the Minister of Police of the Black Republic retorted:

"What do we care for the United States? Look what Mexico is doing to the Americans."

This was to be feared. No doubt our negative policy will be wholly misunderstood by the ignorant and prejudiced elements in Latin America and much time and no small patience will be needed to overcome the tendency to overbearing treatment of our people that will only too surely be stimulated.

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On Sale Friday Morning

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There will also be new flowers of all discriptions and Ostrich and feather fancies. See New York's latest rage in trimmings — SOLID WHITE FLOWERS.
On Saturday morning we shall receive our second shipment of Panama Hats in the New English Shapes. Choose from the entire lot at OUR USUAL LOW PRICES

Summer White Goods

India Linons, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 19c and 25c
Mercerized Batiste ..... 10c to 25c
Plain White Flaxons, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c
Imitation White Linen 10c to 25c
36-inch Shrunken Muslin 15c
36-inch White Percale 12½c
32-inch White Out-Door Suiting, 18c
36-inch All-Linen Suiting 25c
Check and Stripe Flaxons 15c
Dotted Swisses 12½c
Check, Plaid White Goods, 10c, 12½c and 15c
Fancy Stripes ..... 12½c and 15c
Dimity Checks ... 10c, 12½c and 15c
White Figured and Striped Madras, 12½c, 15c
White Pique ..... 20c and 25c
White Crepe Plisse 12½c, 15c
White Voiles ..... 12½c and 25c
White Crepe Voiles 25c
White Splash Voiles 25c

Summer Articles

Children's and Infants' Department.
Children's Wash Dresses 25c
Children's Rompers 25c
Children's Aprons 25c
Infants' White Dresses 25c
Infants' White Slips 25c
Infants' Bootees, 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c
Infants' Knitted Sacques 25c
Infants' Bibs, 5c, 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c
Infants' Bonnets and Sun Hats, 25c
Infants' Shoes and Moccasins .. 25c
Infants' Rattles, Beads and Play articles ..... 10c to 25c
Boys' Pants 25c
Boys' Waists 25c
Boys' Overalls 25c

Summer Wear For Men

Men's Dress Percale Shirts, all sizes, 25c
Men's Underwear in Balbriggan, mixed and black, all sizes, shirts and drawers 25c
Men's Working Shirts 25c
Men's Silk Stockings, all colors, 25c
Men's Lisle Stockings, all colors, 12½c
Men's Colored Hose, 9c; 3 for .. 25c
Men's Suspenders .... 19c and 25c
Men's Caps 25c
Men's 4-ply Linen Collars 10c
Men's Silk and Knitted Ties, the season's new goods 25c
Men's Belts 25c
Boys' Dress Shirts 25c
Boys' Underwear 25c
Boys' Suspenders ... 12½c and 15c
Boys' Belts 25c
Boys' Caps 25c
Boys' Stockings ..... 10c and 12½c
Handkerchiefs, 5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 19c and 25c.

Summer Muslin Underwear

New Lace and Embroidered Trimmed Corset Covers, 15c, 19c and 25c
Shadow Lace Corset Covers, ribbon trimmed, special prices.
Embroidered Nainsook Corset Covers, ribbon trimmed, special prices.
New Crepe Bloomers in white, pink and black, special prices.
New Princess Slips; white, pink and blue, special prices.
New Crepe and Low Neck Nainsook Gowns, special prices.
New Brassieres, lace and embroidered trimmed ..... 19c and 25c
Special values in Ladies' Drawers, 15c, 19c and 25c
Ladies' Knickerbocker Drawers, 25c
Ladies' Corsets, garters attached, 25c

Extra Specials For Friday and Saturday

Lot 25c Hand Mirrors 10c
Lot 25c Hair Brushes 10c
10c 10-inch Embroideries .. 6½c
15c 18-inch Flouncings 10c
10c Children's Muslin Drawers, size 2 ..... 3c
25c Ladies' Muslin Short Skirts, 10c
25c Lace Dutch Collars 9c
10c and 15c Snap Shot Albums, slightly damaged 7c
25c Manicure Articles 5c
Lot 10c Manicure Articles ... 1c
50c Gingham Embroidered Ruffle Skirts 25c
Lot Children's 25c White Stockings 15c
Lot 39c Boys' Dress Percale Shirts 19c
Lot 25c Novelty Wash Goods, 9c
Lot 12½c Dress Lawns 5c
Lot 25c Infants' Shoes 5c
10c Cream Pitchers 5c
25c Waste Baskets 10c
15c Salad Dishes 7c
15c China Pitchers 7c

Summer Hosiery and Ribbed Underwear

Ladies' Hose, black and tan 10c
Ladies' Hose, all colors 12½c
Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, all colors, 25c
Ladies' Silk Boot Hose, all colors, 25c
Children's Black and Tan Hose, 10c
Children's Hose, all colors 12½c
Children's Silk Lisle Hose, all colors 25c
Children's Socks in fancy tops and plain colors ..... 12½c to 25c
Children's plain color Silk Socks; pink, blue, white, tan and black, 25c
Infants' Hose, all colors 12½c
Infants' Silk Hose, all colors ... 25c
Ladies' plain and fancy top ribbed Vests ..... 10c to 25c
Ladies' Cumfy Cut Vests, 10c, 12½c and 15c
Ladies' Union Suits 25c
Children's Ribbed Vests, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 19c and 25c
Misses' Union Suits 25c
Infants' Wrappers, 10c, 12½c and 25c

Novelties in Notions

New Belts, in black and colors—
Children's ..... 10c and 25c
Ladies' 25c
New Ladies' Black Tango Bags, 25c
New Tango Braid Pins, 10c, 15c, 25c
New Tango and Gladstone Flare, 10c
New Hair Nets ..... 5c and 10c
New Shell Goods, Combs, Barrettes, Pins, etc. ..... 10c to 25c
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OUR DAILY LAUGH

Easy

"Yep, if I saves me salary an' walk every day an' don't eat no lunch, me an' Annabelle kin git married about 1957."

Humanitarian

The Angler (at the hundredth question) — Naw! It don't hurt the worms! I chloroform 'em before I puts 'em on the hook.

Proved

"I've quit bettin' fer good!"
"Bet you ain't!"
"Bet I have! Wot'll you bet?"

Reducing

"Yes sir, I used to be real fat, but I'm getting off about 57 pounds. I want to be a jockey."

On the Job

Mamma (to Johnnie going to a party) — Now remember when you refuse anything at the table say "No, I thank you, Ma'am."
Johnnie — Yep, but I ain't goin' to refuse nuthin'!

Of More Moment

"They say it's seven years' bad luck to bust a mirror! Humph! I kin see about seven minutes darn hard luck comin' to me!"

"BOOST"

By Wing Dinger

George Heckert's crew of baseball players
Came up here yesterday,
They won the game and back to York
Proceeded straightaway.

But everyone who saw the game
Went home quite satisfied,
Because class A baseball had been
By both the teams supplied.

And what if one game was lost,
Who knows but what to-day
Our team will turn the trick at York
And bring the game away.

One team must loose, they both can't go
As victors to the roost,
And if the home team loses out
Don't be a knocker—boost.

The game that's lost to-day is gone,
So let's forget it, and
Assist the boys in future games
By giving them the hand.

For in baseball, as all things else,
A man will do his best,
If he's encouraged just a bit,
When he's put to the test.

The State Press

The Colorado situation evidently needs a strong hand. It is to be hoped that some honest, competent and well-informed historian will tell the country the true story of this disgraceful incident in the history of an American Commonwealth. As for young Mr. Rockefeller, he might as well stop his habit of mouthing moral platitudes.—Altoona Tribune.

Married men need not join the militia; they can fight at home.—Sunbury Daily Item.

It is fitting indeed that clean-up week should be preceded by a go-to-church Sunday, for literally then cleanliness is next to godliness and the proper order is followed. Of course, this is a mere coincidence, but both projects are quite exemplary and both will be made successful by just a little good-natured co-operation on the part of everybody. Cleanliness is essential to health, and this is true whether application of the rule is made to the mental or the physical side.—Williamsport Sun.

Again some Congressman has faintly broached the subject of a nation-wide campaign for the conservation of life and health. He revives the agitation, in a mild way, in favor of the creation of a national department of health or the consolidation of the existing agencies under one head, so that they may work more effectively.—Wilkes-Barre Record.

Newspaper modesty, like that of some individuals, does not always receive its meed of reward. In soliciting advertising announcements from political candidates the Pittsburgh Dispatch says: "The Dispatch has the most powerful influence in Pennsylvania."—Butler Citizen.

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