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TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 23

THE FEDERAL TRADE BOARD

THE United States Senate, which will be called upon to confirm or reject President Wilson's newly-appointed Federal Trade Board, is fully justified in its opposition to the make-up of that body as announced from the White House yesterday.

The new Federal Trade Board is to exercise extensive powers of regulation in the business of the country. Its influence will be most keenly felt in the great manufacturing centers.

Frank P. Walsh, says the Philadelphia Ledger, is the biggest misfit of the Wilson administration. Which, we submit, is "going some."

PAYING BOUNTIES DIRECT

IF, as has been stated by people at the Capitol, the State is loser to the extent of \$50,000 in the payment of bounties for the scalps of noxious animals and birds, it is high time that some steps to correct this condition are taken.

It would seem that the sensible way would be for direct payment by the State of the bounties and the elimination of any action required of county authorities.

Under the plan outlined by the Game Commission the scalps would be put into the hands of State wardens and when passed by the chief executive officer proper papers would be drawn and payment made directly by the fiscal officers of the Commonwealth.

THE 'FRISCO SHOW

SAN FRANCISCO, having demonstrated that it cares nothing for such trifles as earthquakes and fires, is now demonstrating the quality of its pluck and enterprise by putting on its big show despite the fact that a large number of the countries which had agreed to participate are now engaged in a conflict involving their very existence.

forty-three States of the United States, as well as the United States itself, complete the roster of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. A general average both of the foreign nations and of the States have erected pavilions, in many instances duplicates of famous national structures or historical State buildings.

Appropriations for exhibits range from \$1,700,000 by the Argentine Republic in varying sums down to an average of \$500,000 by other nations, and from a gross total of cost for building and exhibits by California of \$2,000,000 to an average of approximately \$100,000 by the States of lesser appropriation.

To-day the Rotarians will meet in Philadelphia to commemorate their tenth anniversary. If other organizations in America were half as effective as the Rotary Clubs all the wheels would be turning and the only unemployed would be the pessimists.

INTO HIGHWAYS AND BYWAYS
THERE appeared in the "Go-to-Church" advertising column of the Telegraph last Saturday a well written, forceful little sermon on the Lenten season, its meaning, observance and application to the life of the individual both in and out of the church.

There are those who do not believe in church advertising. Some have contended that it smacks too much of commercialism. Others that it lacks in dignity. But neither of these objections could be applied to such a sermon as the "Go-to-Church" advertisement in the Telegraph of Saturday.

No preacher—he be ever so zealous—can go out into the highways and the byways to preach the gospel of Christianity as can the newspaper. It is a welcome visitor where the door would be closed to him. It can preach and preach the little sermon of a thousand different ways and in places where the voice of the church seldom if ever penetrates.

Considerable attention is being given these days by students in the city schools to pending legislation and some interesting debates are being held on the various bills. It happened yesterday that a high school student "stumped" a business man by talking of workmen's compensation in a learned manner.

POOR POLAND

POLAND is the Belgium of the western field of the European war. Poland, the battle ground of the ages, the field over which the east and the west have fought for a thousand years, is now suffering the worst disaster of its disastrous history.

Overrun by the Russians on one end and the Germans on the other, it has been the scene of battles in recent months that make the conflicts in the eastern theater of war seem like mere skirmishes by comparison.

In Poland, Poles have been fighting Poles. The army of the Czar has forced brothers to fight against brothers who have been conscripted into the ranks of the Kaiser's forces.

The Niagara Peace Society is considering an international conference to end the war in Europe. Is this the same body that announced some months ago that it had concluded negotiations for peace in Mexico?

One of the benefits of the present war has been a distinct falling off in the number of intern-national marriages.

EVENING CHAT

Some of the flowers along Front street appear to be forcing the season as they have pushed their blooms above the mould and others are sending forth their shoots as an earnest proof that they will blossom if the unusual weather continues.

About the only remonstrance that was withdrawn at the recent license court came from an unusual cause. It was not against the character of the place or against the application on the ground of necessity, but because the applicant owed a bill. The bill was apparently settled and the license put on the list to consider.

The Rev. William Tell Johnson, the new postmaster of Bristol, is well known here as the "fighting parson" of his home town. He took a prominent part in the various temperance conferences with political slants which were held here during the last campaign and attracted some attention by the vigor of his speeches.

More golf has been played, more automobile trips taken, more top spin and more "dime" laid out in this month than known in any February in years in this city.

There seems to have been a lull in the claiming of bounties for the scalps of foxes, weasels and other animals upon which Father Penn puts a price in order that farmers may do well and prosper.

Old time records show that Harrisburg has always been a center for shooting matches and the weekly papers published when Harrisburg was young have articles showing that there were regular occasions in the Spring and Fall when the marksmen from Cumberland and Dauphin counties tried their skill.

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WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

Dr. W. J. Langfit, a Pittsburgh Physician, presented one of the city hospitals with a building costing \$30,000.

The Rev. E. R. McHaffon, of Pittsburgh, declares that the Kaiser is not a war lord and is one of the most maligned of the various bills.

Mayor Joseph Cauffiel, of Johnstown, is in a new class with his city council over an ordinance just passed.

Charles T. Connaire, a Wall Street banker, is home from his annual hunting trip down the Mississippi.

George C. Wagenseller, prominent Snyder county, is visiting in Western counties.

Dr. W. F. Teal has been re-elected president of Schuylkill Theological seminary.

DO YOU KNOW

That Harrisburg used to be a center of bicycle racing and is quite a motorcycle depot now?

More Truth than Poetry

A little type
A little ink
Has caused
A man to think
And put hard times
Upon the blink.

The lesson concealed in this bit of doggerel is this: Newspaper advertising not only makes people think of your product, your store, your service, it makes your name or trade mark come to mind when there is a want to be supplied.

PALMER MAY LAND FAT FEDERAL JOB

New Trade Commission May Need Expert in Making Political-Industrial Probes

ASK RICE TO RUN AGAIN

Judge Orady Voices the Opinions of His Colleagues and Himself on Subject

—According to rumors which are in the air at Washington, Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, whose term ends March 4, will be in line for any of the legal work which the new Trade Commission may have at its disposal.

—The Philadelphia Record to-day prints the following about one of the recommendations of the Economy and Efficiency Commission: "With the intention of wiping out the large number of sinecures for lawyers, attached to various branches of the State Government, and creating one general legal force for the Commonwealth, a bill will shortly be presented to the Legislature for the complete reorganization of the Attorney General's Department."

—E. R. Wood, a Philadelphian, active in politics, says that he is satisfied in response to his letters to prominent Republicans that the return of the Republican party this Fall will be even more pronounced than it has been in the last eighteen months.

—Judge George E. Orady, of the Superior Court, in a letter to Alexander C. Nathan, president of the Luzerne County Bar Association, declares that he and his colleagues are satisfied that the reasons advanced by President Charles E. Rice for retiring are not convincing, and urges the friends of Judge Rice in his home city to start a movement to induce him to withdraw his statement of retirement.

—The Supreme Court has decided that J. S. Marshall was illegally elected collector of Uniontown and not Charles T. Cramer, Republican, in November, 1913. This means that the Democrat will get the commissions on tax collectors since Cramer assumed office.

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ROUND ABOUT PENNSYLVANIA

Quite spry and chirp as any youngster of 20, David Stafford, of Kinzua, who isn't a minute younger than 70, fell in love as a child with a girl no other a person than Mrs. Angela Erb, who passed her 69th milestone the other week.

"I believe in late marriages," coyly laughed the bride, when questioned over one of the inquisitive young suitors in that section. "I should say I do! And I believe in early ones, too."

The face of the bridegroom—as you might expect—was wreathed with smiles. For added to the joy of the occasion was the fact that when he got the license "Judge" Bassett remarked: "It ain't your case you penny Davy. There ain't any charge made in this office when a veteran of a Civil War dies and leaves a widow of another veteran!"

Charles Latham, a Bradford man, who is compiling a new directory for that town, reports that there is every indication that the population up that way is growing. He says there are many babies and few empty houses.

STRENGTH FOR THE WEAK

The importance of reserve strength and pure blood at this period cannot be over-estimated and Nature's purest nourishment in Scott's Emulsion is the blood, strengthens the bones and invigorates the whole system.

OUR DAILY LAUGH

ONCE IN A WHILE.
"A woman," said a dainty dove with a bright smile, "A woman ought to wed for love—Once in a while."

THE NOISELESS KIND.
Salesman—That horn doesn't blow, sir.
De Grouch—Wrap it up. That is the kind of a horn I want.

CHEAP SKATE.
Does Fred remember you every Christmas?
Yes, indeed. He usually is called out of town for a week or so around Christmas, and he writes me a nice long letter.

NO WAY TO DO IT

'Twas demonstrated once again to me, the other day, That to please everyone there is No solitary way.

Some friends were talking of this month—
Its shortness and sport,
Put up a kick because it is
So very, very short.

Another chap expresses his gloe
O'er this short month, because
The first day of each month he gets
The same pay in his paws.

AN EVENING THOUGHT
The method of the enterprising is to sketch out a map of possibilities, then to treat them as probabilities.—Bovee.

NEWS DISPATCHES OF THE CIVIL WAR

[From the Telegraph of Feb. 23, 1861.]
Baltimore, Feb. 22.—Union prisoners arriving here from the South are in a wretched condition. Three hundred were taken to the hospital.

[From the Telegraph of Feb. 23, 1861.]
Major Pines Citizens
Several citizens were fined by the Mayor today for not removing snow and ice from the sidewalks.

[From the Telegraph of Feb. 23, 1861.]
Doctor to Give Free Treatment
Dr. J. W. Stewart, Elmira, N. Y., will be in the city on the 27th to treat the sick free of charge.

[From the Telegraph of Feb. 23, 1861.]
Quiet Observance
No public demonstration was made in the city on Washington's Birthday, but several social gatherings honored it.

STORY RITEN'

By the Messenger Boy
Hoppy Hopkins, the circus and theater manager, give me a ticket to see his Orfeum show last night; so I went, and had some luffs, and seen some of the things with music, costumes, singing, colors, seen-shifting, slick stunts and much variety that set me thinking.

Pneumonia Prevalent

Local physicians report much pneumonia due to changeable winter weather. They caution against neglecting even slight coughs and colds because pneumonia sets in quickly after exposure to cold or wet. It can be avoided by taking Goff's Cough Syrup in time.

GEN'L HARRPANT'S

5 CIGAR
MFGD. BY C. E. BAIR & SONS

Manhattan SHIRTS
\$150 to \$1000
THIRD NEAR WALNUT STS.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA
Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of
In Use For Over 30 Years
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

different to think about.
The orchestra is usually O. K. with Mister Yagor dizzin' into the plianza and beatin' time with his head, and keepin' the fiddles, and drums, and horns in proper time. Music is a thing that smooths things, and most folks like it as well as the gurls, who are the daughters of music, accordin' to Solomon, who ought to know, he havin' 400 wives and other ladies in his temple. Some of the various acts at the Orfeum are clever, inspirin', instructive, educational, extraordinary, and cant-be-beat, and some are side-splittin' with jokes, new and old, full of slick dancin' and good singin', and all of them are fixed up with pretty scenery, and gorgeous costumes. In fact all the actors is well dressed and most of the actresses; but part of which is some times delishin' in apparel and look like they had either forgot to look dressin' or else got cheap dresses that you can see thru.



I am a Traveling Man

with a wife and little family that I see once a week.
Since the inauguration of the Western Union Day Letter and Night Letter service my wife and I have exchanged Night Letters regularly. My wife says these daily notes keep her from being lonesome. I am assured daily that everything is O. K. at home.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.

Advertisement for John Ruskin CIGAR 5c. Includes text: "To get full satisfaction and your money's worth, buy JOHN RUSKINS CIGAR. JOHN RUSKINS have won their popularity and tremendous success on merit. QUALITY through and through—FRAGRANT and MILD regardless of color—HAND MADE, assuring fire and even burning and the HAVANA TOBACCO used is the choicest grown. There are none the equal of JOHN RUSKINS at 5c—none better at 10c. I. LEWIS CIGAR MFG. CO., NEWARK, N. J. The Largest Independent Cigar Factory in the World. SMITH & KEFFER CO., Inc., Distributors, Harrisburg, Pa. THEY COULD BE SMALLER BUT NOT BETTER."

FINAL CLEARANCE SALE

On Clothing and Furnishings
ALL SUITS and OVERCOATS . . \$13.50
The greater portion of these Suits and Coats formerly sold for \$30, \$35, \$40
SIDES-SIDES