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such conditions as will tend to make will not be permitted. good American citizens out of the cosmopolitan youth of the borough."

While the sum appropriated by council last evening is not much, as such appropriations are measured, it is sufficient to get the playgrounds movement under way, and the Telegraph is pleased to note the early success of a movement which it has al

THE COMING OF MR. ALBERT

THE co-operation of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce and the Harrisburg Rotary Club in bringing to this city Allen D. Albert for a series of talks on "The Forces That Make Cities" is to be heartily commended. Mr. Albert comes at an auspicious moment. He has made a careful study of cities in all parts of as an expert among municipal experts. His appearance in Harrisburg is at a time when we as a city are thinking about our future. The City Planning Commission is working along advanced lines, looking to the years a half century and more ahead. We have just completed one great epoch of public improvements. We are rest-ing on our oars, looking about and saying to each other, "whither now," and we are ripe for some message of encouragement, keen to hear anything that may point the way to further

his first visit, but not as a stranger. ing for its purpose the denial of His works have preceded him. He is Americans the right to travel on armed now chairman of the executive com- merchantmen. If the World knows mittee and the executive agent of the Minnesota Commercial and Civic Fedshould be forced to resign. We want eration. This is an association of the no German minions in the Congress commercial and civic bodies of Minne- of the United States. On the other

Sciences, an organization of teachers above an attempt to besmirch the

nercial and Clvic Federation.

He is a specialist in town and city

years. His talks are filled with humor. English is unusually attractive and clear. He has a rare gift of in-terpretation which enables him to make the teachings of economics and sociology plain to great audiences. Most of all, he has been everywhere received not only as an orator of great power but as an inspirational speaker whose addresses bear permanent fruit in fuller community cooperation. Harrisburg is fortunate to have two organizations willing to cooperate in bringing such an authority

THE LICENSE DECISIONS

THE action of the Dauphin County Court yesterday in refusing to relicense three liquor-selling places Harrisburg was not unexpected. Indeed, the court could not well have done otherwise, in the face of evidence It was clearly shown that the law had been violated, flagrantly at acted in strict accord with the lawno more, no less.

The Dauphin County Court has Some

always held that in considering liquor license applications it must confine

Better to strive and climb, and never reach the goal,

Than to drift along with time, an almeless, worthless soul.

—Anon.

STEELTON PROGRESSIVENESS

STEELTON'S borough council is to be complimented for its progressiveness as shown last evening in adopting recommendations of the Municipal League and Civic Club creating a fund for the immediate establishment of a playground system. In the past few years Steelton has been going through the same period of municipal development that Harrisburg passed through fifteen years ago, and which has since been termed. "Harrisburg's awakening." This same term might now well be applied to the quickening civic spirit of the steel borough. Within that period the borough has pawed seven miles of streets, built a modern and adequate filtration plant and created the nucleus for a park system. Now it is proposed to float another loan for additional street."

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These things are excellent; and the berough councilmen are to be complimented for their willingness to submit the question to the voters.

But in making the borough progressive along these lines, council should not forget its greatest asset, Now it is proposed to float violations no time should be lost in the the children. As C. S. Davis, chairman want to escepe the law know very well of the joint committee which laid the matter before council, declared: "It of a judge, and there is no use giving is the duty of those in charge of the others who want to go as far as they municipal government to bring about may a legal line beyond which they

TALE alumni have pledged a fund YALE alumni have predection and the trustees of the university have given ground for an Thus does. armory for student use. Thus does Yale take a step forward to assume its duty in the great scheme of preparedness now confronting the nation, thereby setting an example some other ducational institutions should follow.

Yale has done a patriotic thing in providing an armory and encouraging students to drill. Princeton, Dartmouth and Harvard are moving along similar lines, though not quite so aggressively, and Pennsylvania and Michigan are considering the matter.

young men to take up military trainthe United States and he is regarded smaller colleges and high schools are lead, the others follow.

Aside from the value of their training to the nation at large this drill should be highly beneficial to those participating, since all share equally in the exercise, while only a limited number of men may play on any one of the teams.

THE WORLD'S ACCUSATIONS

THE New York World to-day l openly accuses many well-known senators and congressmen of givready ear to the propaganda of Mr. Albert comes to Harrisburg for the German-American Alliance, havsota, designed to give expression to the sound public opinion of the State.

Further, he is the president of the Minnesota Academy of the Social Sciences, an organization of toolbox.

Minnesota Academy of the Social Sciences, an organization of teachers and others especially interested in political economy and sociology; president of the International Association of Rotary Clubs; president of the Church Club of the Diocese of Minnesota, and vice-president of the Minnesota State Art Commission—a department of the State government.

For nearly twenty years Mr. Albert has been prominent in American newspapers in washington, D. C., and New York City; then as a member of the press of Washington, D. C., and New York City; then as a member of the press of Washington, D. C., from 1898 to 1903; then as editor of the Washington, D. C., from 1909 to 1911; then as editor and publisher of the Columbus, Ohio, News from 1909 to 1911; then as editor and associate publisher of the Minneapolis the man to meet the crisis in the man t

new work with the Minnesota Com- Baker is the most powerful and in-

fluential Democrat in that State.

Mr. Baker comes to his new duties problems on a broad foundation of in the full flush of middle life and in prolitical economy and sociology. He has devoted himself to studying the forces that control community development. In that inquiry he has been distinctly a pioneer. On subjects related to civics, Mr. dent much better than his predec Albert has spoken in almost all of the Every patriotic American will Afbert has spoken in almost all of the larger cities of America. He has now him well in the gigantic task he has established himself as one of the undertaken. The preparedness pro-ablest public speakers heard in recent gram must be pushed along without delay and regardless of party lines.

TELEGRAPH'S PERISCOPE

-Democrats are much put out by Owen Wister's verses on President Wilson. Cheer up. He said just as nasty things about Pennsylvania Republicans a few years ago, and they've been forgotten.

-We believe you, Mr. Demain; all that you ever said about the Groundhog being a faker is true.

-Maybe Bryan started that story about the President resigning.

"Zeppelins make most successful raid," says a newspaper headline. Yep, killed more babies than last trip.

-This baby week idea is all right; it is the baby nights we dread.

-A New York newspaper says that Judges Kunkel and McCarrell Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt's husband is named George. We're glad to know We feared it might be Tom. men are born so unlucky.

WILSON INDORSED

accountability."
The President has won a victory in the Senate and it cannot be that he will fail to win a similar one in the

Reichstag.
The President has made many

The President has made many a grievous blunder in his handling of the submarine question, but he is absolutely right in the position which he has now taken. It is not a partisan attitude. It is not a partisan question which he has raised. He has demanded that in standing for American rights he shall have Congress back of him. He has pressed his demand with courage and only fourteen Little Americans have stood out against him and voted to put Germany First and American Last.

TRADE WITH RUSSIA

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[Philadelphia Press.]

While we are talking so much about the possibilities of trade with South America, let us not forget the tremendous opportunities that Russia will offer us after the war.

Before the war Russia purchased about \$7,000 worth of goods from Germany to every \$100 worth from us. She has not been able to satisfy more than a small percentage of this need during the war, as her outlets have been few and interruptions many. There is, however, going to be a different adjustment of this commerce after the war, according to a recent statement by Dr. Alexander W. Behr, vicepresident of the Russian-American Chamber of Commerce, and the United States should not be behind in the

BABY'S IMPORTANCE

BABY'S IMPORTANCE [From the Kansas City Times.]
Professor Fisher, of Yale, estimates hat a baby is worth \$90. If this surprising information is correct—if, inleed, babies are even worth saving at all—perhaps it is time to give a little hought to the matter. We have been proceeding on the theory that a baby wasn't worth anything to anybody expert the milkman. Apparently so, at east, for there always has been a trong disposition in matters of legislation affecting the milkman and the aby the proceeding the same of the

Politics in Pennsylvania

HARRISBURG TELEGRAPH

By the Ex-Committeeman

Ex-Congressman A. Mitchell Pal mer assumed a new role yesterday Without any effort he became a jester. He said there were no factions among the Democrats and that as far as he could he would prevent Democrats making any slate.

When Palmer made this announce ment he had just come from a meet ing of bosses of the Democratic machine in Philadelphia at which Ex chine in Philadelphia at which ExJudge Allison O. Smith, of Clearfield,
the man indicated at Washington ten
days ago, was formally picked to be
the goat in the United States senatorial campaign and efforts to straighten out the rumpus over national
delegates-at-large had been made.
The bosses did not agree on any candidates for auditor general, State
treasurer or Congressman-at-large.
At the meeting were James I, Blakslee, assistant postmaster general and a
federal office holder; State Chairman
Roland S. Morris and others equally
prominent in the reorganization crew,
but none of the Old Guard men. prominent in the reorganization but none of the Old Guard men

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—This is what the Philadelphia Record, Democratic, says about it: "It is also announced that a number of prominent Democrats are being talked of favorably for delegates-atlarge to the national convention, but no candidacies have been launched. Among those mentioned are ex-Judge Vorls Auten, of Northumberland; John T. Lenahan, Wilkes-Barre; Jeremiah Black, York; Hart Gibbon, of Pittsburgh; E. J. Lynett, of Scranton; A. Mitchell Palmer, of Monroe; Roland S. Morris, Philadelphia, and William A. Glasgow. No one has come forward as yet as a candidate for either Auditor General or State Treasurer. In the event of a factional row within the Republican ranks the Democratic candidates for these offices would have a fair prospect for success, but those desirous of making the fight apparently are holding off until the threatened break in the Republican ranks occurs. Every effort will be made, according to those at-

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Chamber of Commerce, and the United States should not be behind in the race to get it.

The entire population of South America is about 55,444,000, and the manufacturing nations of Europe will fight to recover and to retain this big market when the war is ended. The population of Russia is 171,000,000—almost three times as large as that of South America. And the market is consequently bigger.

Our manufacturers who have trade relations with Russia should enlarge and straighten them and those who have not but can make such connections should hasten to get a share of this trade.

BABY'S IMPORTANCE.

-The Philadelphia Evening Bulletin in an editoral calls on both Snyder and Ambler to quit the battle for auditor general, saying party peace would be better than a row.

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—Judge Garman sprung a surprise in court at Wilkes-Barre, when he charged the March Grand Jury to investigate persistent rumors of election corruptness alleged to have occurred in the Fall primaries and election. Not only did he demand a thorough investigation of the 1915 election, but he instructed the jury to probe the 1911 election, when there are charges that John ("Butch") McDevitt, "millionaire-for-a-day," was bought off the Democratic ticket for \$2,500 and that H. Bowen, now deputy sheriff, is alleged to have been induced to give up a nomination for sheriff upon the promise of a lucrative position. Judge Garman instructed the jurors that it was their duty to investigate all these rumors, and that if they found the facts would warrant such action, a presentment should be made and the District Attorney's office compelled to bring about prosecution. Names of several prominent men in politics throughout the county were given the jury and they will be called.

THE CARTOON OF THE DAY

"OUR FLAG WAS STILL THERE"



The Passing of the Sleeping Porch

of treatment which usually resulted was immediate in their returning to the schoolroom in and furnished

OUR DAILY LAUGH

COULDN'T

I suppose

ten you owe me.

ean a man for-get it when you're all the time harpin' on it?

So you're going in for public speak

"As a result of their long daily glides over the ice they will be married in the Spring," says a report of a romance between a Chicago girl and her skating instructor.

And in the Spring the ice will melt, after which points of uncongeniality may develop. — Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE SENATE VOTE

you've forgotten all about that

THE STATE FROM DAY TO DAY

The body of an unidentified man

solidly frozen in a cake of ice and

in a state of perfect preservation, was

river. A river bargeman happened to notice a dark object in the river and a closer examination proved it to be

the strange phenomenon described.

Romance to the nth degree found expression last evening at Ardmore in the marriage of Miss Ingraham, of Noble. Ontario, Canada, to William Gamble, of British Columbia, at the home of the bride's sister. The transcontinental courtship which followed the first meeting culminated in last evening's ceremony.

It was a case of the butcher "butched" when Isaac Pall, of Pittston, was found in a cattle yard unconscious having been attacked by an angry cow. The butcher is in a critical condition

It is said that Lancaster tobacco is in demand in the trenches by the soldiers of the belligerent armies in Europe. Ever since the opening of the war agents have been buying up scrap tobacco in this section and shipping it across the water. They also say that the amount of cigaret smoking in the trenches is beginning to worry some of the military efficiency experts over there.

Evangelist Biederwolf reached

Evangenst Biederwolf reached an anti-climax at Norristown Sunday when 22 Sunday schools, numbering over 5,000 individuals, assembled to hear him take a crack at sin. Many of the audience concluded his remarks, as per usual, by hitting the trail.

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found floating down the

Sunday shaving and hair cutting, which have been the cause of law suits and more or less dispute in the last twenty years, appear to have reached that stage where something will have to be done either to tolerate or abolish. Continual arrests of the same persons have been attracting attention and the fact that arrests have been made on warrants and not by police has not been lost. According to traveling men Sunday shaving is desirable and Harrisburg does not have such a fine reputation among the traveling public anyway. What the men who want Sunday shaves say is that they would like to know whether they can get them or whether they can be barbered one Sunday and be forced to go unshaven the next.

Ebening Chat

The new Pennsylvania State Society, which is composed of the heads of departments of the State government, their deputies and the members of various commissions and their officers, will have what is probably the first official social event ever held at the Capitol late this month. The society has been having round table luncheons for the discussion of matters pertaining to the State government and to enable the men at the helm of things to become better acquainted. In addition to this plan it is now proposed to have a general evening meeting in the hall of the House of Representatives at which Dr. J. T. Rothrock, former forestry commissioner, will talk on the State's forests and J. Louis Breitinger, chief censor, will explain what he is doing to keep the moving-picture films on the right track. There will be some social features, of course, but the event will be different from anything ever held. Governors have received at the Capitol and a reception was given to the distinguished daughters of the State when the Pennsylvania Federation of Women met here, but official society is to have its own entertainment.

Among other things the snowstorm which descended on the State yesterday will be the means of holding up considerable "planting" of young fish. Thousands of young trout, brook and brown, had been prepared to be sent from hatcheries this week, but they will be held back. In most cases fishermen had agreed to look after distribution and to send reports on their growth.

friends in Scranton.

—Harry Cunnis, the new chief of police of Hazleton, is a conductor.

DO YOU KNOW

That Harrisburg makes pretzels that are sold for many miles around?

HISTORIC HARRISBURG William Penn's agents held conferences with Indians here soon after John Harris established the ferry.

TOWER-OF-BABEL NOTE

[Manchester Guardian.] An English lieutenant writes from

Scioniki:

"A characteristic Saloniki incident on the way to camp. The man with whom I was was a Serbian Jew at tached to the Zadruga Bank. We met two Tommies in language difficulties with two men, the one of whom spoks Russian and the other Greek. So the Tommies talked English to me. I talked German to my friend who talked Sciblan to the Russian (who replied in his own language), who talked Greek to the other fellow." plied in his own language), who talk-ed Greek to the other fellow."

John Jones.

Corner Storekeeper

John Jones kept a corner grocery — just an ordinary, every day grocery store.

He did not get ahead and only made a bare living.
One day Jones decided to liven business up a bit and sought advice.

vice.

A friend showed him how to take advantage of products that were being advertised in the newspapers.

He was induced to put these newspaper advertised products in the window and use them for business pullers.

Business began to get better and before long Jones became an enthusiast on the subject of cooperation with newspaper advertising.

JONAH PRAYED TO DIE

THE SENATE VOTE

[From the New York World.]

By a vote of 68 to 14 the Senate of the United States has declared in substance that the capital of the United States is still Washington to Eerlin; that the capital of the United States is still Washington and not Wilhelm III. and that the foreign affairs of the United States is the Washington and not withelm III. and that the foreign affairs of the United States are still in the hands of the President and not in the hands of the President and not in the hands of yesterday's action, in spite of Senator Gore's dishonest parliamentary trick to give the lie to his own resolution and add further to the President's embarate moral effect in Berlin, where the belief prevails in official German circles that construction of the United States will maintain its rights under the temperational law. It ought to have a decisive effect upon the House of Representatives, which is not yet sure whether it is pro-American or pro-German. But it displeased Jonah exceedingly and he was very angry. And he prayed unto the Lord, Therefore now, O Lord, take I beseech thee, my life from me; for it is better for me to die than to live. Then said the Lord, Doest thou well to be angry?—Jonah IV, 1 to 4.