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the program enacted. They violated Mave nothing upon little old Harrisburg pledge after pledge, from economy to hereafter. When the Greater Harrismeasures enacted may be traced to Republican agitation in previous sessions and in nearly every instance when the administration did father a really meritorious measure it had to depend upon Republican votes to get

The Democrats pledged themselves to recreate a tariff commission such took office and adopted protective tariff provisions where they thought protection would help them win votes. They denounced excessive taxes and passed laws that will take \$200,000,000

Meanwhile, we trust the dust is being brushed occasionally from the Donato of voters of his own party. Even then

it was Republican congressmen who came to his rescue when the big preparedness measures were at stake and Democrats stood back when their votes

SATURDAY EVENING,

from dangerous measures—as the ship purchase bill, for example—the den-istry was performed by Republicans.

The whole record of the Democratic Copress has been one of extravagance and expediency. The President and his party have swung like weather vanes in the gale of public opinion. Their convictions have been subordinated to their political necessities. They have played to the galleries and now with their act concluded and the York, from the darkened stage. The Democrats in Congress have heartily approved their own record. The voters will register their verdict at the polls

That man Frank H. Buhl has again aroused the admiration of the people of Sharon, where he resides. Not content with giving the town a fine country

Sharon, where he results with giving the town a fine country but giving the town and giving the but they could not keep their end of the payrounds and equipment. a financian country but they could not keep their end of the giving the town and giving the but they could not keep their end of the burgain. They did not get Pennsyn of Sharon, wiping out a more content of the significant of the significant of the company's amony shully for Buhl and may his tribe increase!

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The recent controversy between the City Planning Commission and City make the orders and McCormick is Council over the construction of an overhead bridge on Seventh street has served a good purpose in drawing the served a good purpose in drawing the served a militious to build up his own personal mot yet called their committee.

—Congressman John R. K. Scott has offered his services to the Committee of Seventy in cleaning up Philadelphia fraudulent voting. The Vares are backing him and it looks like a drive to detach Winston and his friends from the Penrose side. It will be recalled that the independents lined up against the Vare slate in the recent primary.

sion it is looking forward to the city awakes to the fact that he was used of the future in comprehensive plan- as a bait for progressive votes, and it is little wonder if he as angry and dis-"What is everybody's business is no-ody's business" is an old axiom. It what was coming to him. gusted. But he might have known

without going into a long review of its acts of commission and omission, it is difficult to understand why Democrats are inclined to be boastful over with its Mardi Gras, and other cities with their popular celebrations, will pledge after pledge, from economy to the tariff, and they accomplished all burg Navy meets next Monday night most nothing of great benefit to the people the initiative of which rested with them. Most of the important measures enacted may be traced to burden may not rest upon the few at

whom the Demorats at Washington have just laid new burdens, will not be The Democrats pledged themselves to economy and passed appropriation bills of the most extravagant nature. They promised to lower the high cost of living and it has gone steadily up. They denounced the protective tariff principle and then sidestepped in an effort to meet public opinion and voted when the Demorats at Washington have just laid new burdens at Washington have just laid new burdens, will not be ready to accept the superficial explanations of the administration, but will not be ready to accept the superficial explanations of the administration, but will not be ready to accept the superficial explanations of the administration, but will not be ready to accept the superficial explanations of the administration, but will not be ready to accept the superficial explanations of the administration, but will not be ready to accept the superficial explanations of the administration, but will delve deeper into the causes which brought about enormous appropriations on the predeficial explanations of the administration, but will delve deeper into the causes which brought about enormous appropriations of the predeficial explanations of the administration, but will delve deeper into the causes which brought about enormous appropriations of the predeficial explanations of the administration, but will delve deeper into the causes which brought about enormous appropriations of the predeficial explanations of the administration, but will delve deeper into the causes which brought about enormous appropriations of the predeficial explanations of the administration are predeficial explanations of the administration are predeficial explanations of the administration are predeficial explanations. prises which are hidden behind the defense program.

If anybody imagines that the Susque-hanna Basin is not to be made usable by the people, he may just as well get that thought out of his mind. After passed laws that will take \$200,000,000 several generations of indifference to a noble river and a wonderful community asset, the people of Harrisburg are at last awake and they are going to insist on their bath houses and beaches and boating facilities. More power to the nation compelled him to had

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poses as a silent rebuke to the official niggardliness which prevented the set-ting up of this remarkable group on the River Front.

were needed.

To be sure, worthy bills were enacted, but not by Democratic votes alone, and where teeth were extracted from dangerous measures—as the ship poor conditions.

Politics in Pennsylvania

Vance C. McCormick, Demo curtain down they find the galleries cratic national chairman, has started silent and the applause mainly coming out to make Pennsylvania Democratic. A good bit of news matter has been coming out of New York lately, but The voters this is the first fiction in some time.

The pleasantry, which reminds one of the reorganization Democrats' slo-gan at Baltimore, "Give us Wilson and we will give you Pennsylvania," is credited to Warren Van Dyke, secre-tary of the State committee. It hap-

others as speakers. It is below the picinic.

The vacancy caused by W. H. H. Davis quitting the Democratic senatorial nomination in Chester county has been filled by John R. Thomas, of Downingtown. The Chester Democrats did not fight over it. It was not worth while.

That the presence of our character of the papers of the pa

I'll try it again.

I'm there with the guy
With the gleam in his eye,
Though Fate has let loose a stiff kick
and has scattered his pride all over
the sky,
Whose only retort is, "Doggonit if I
Don't go ye agin."

The first is from his apeech at a dinner in the Waldorf Hotel on March 18,
1907:
"We speak too exclusively of the
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class. There is another uses and the second of the look of the lo

I'm strong for the brick
With the courage to stick,
Though Failure has hounded him like
the Old Nick,
And has camped on his trail through
thin and through thick,
Whose happy comeback is, "I'm on to
the trick;
Let's do it agin."—Phila. Ledger.

EVERYTHING GLOOMY!

By Wing Dinger 'Taint no use for me to try to Write about a bloomin' thing, Write about a bloomin' thing,

'Cause a chap in my position

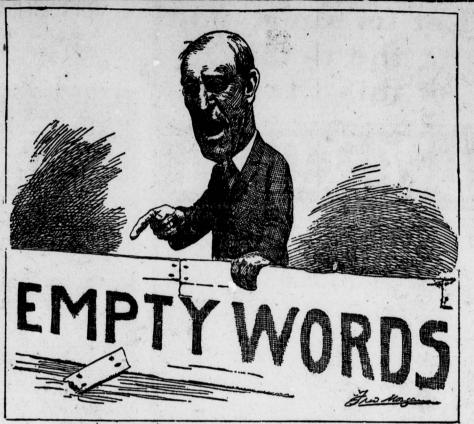
Nothing has bout which to sing.

Life to me is sad and gloomy;

All joy has been put to rout

Since doc told me that I had to

Cut all of my smoking out, THE CARTOON OF THE DAY



PRESIDENT WORDY WILSON PLANS TO STAND ON HIS RECORD—News Item

TELEGRAPH PERISCOPE

-It is about time for the Kaiser to decide to eat his Christmas dinner some place or other. Paris and Pet rograd being impossible, we suggest

States could not be invaded, but with big 60-ton capacity Zeppelins pointed this way we are inclined to believe that Marconi is a better inventor than he is a prophet.

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another opportunity to make good. The supervisors said a recent cloud-burst ruined their roads.

—A total first, day's registration in Pittsburgh of 22/21s, with a considerable Republican falling of from the registration the first day bears on the registration the first day bears of the Wilte House. This was Grant pollutions on reports row 292 of the day districts. There were slight sains in many districts in the Democratic enrollment. For the 292 districts the total registration was 15-5678, and the enrollment by parties was: Republican, 12,667; Democratic, 2232; Washington, 165; Socialist, 292: "A probably in the small considerable of the Wilter School of the Scho

1907:

"We speak too exclusively of the capitalistic class. There is another us formidable an enemy to equality and freedom of opportunity as it is, and that is the class formed by the labor organizations and leaders of the country."

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The second is from his letter of January 12, 1909, replying to an invitation to speak at a banquet of antistrike and antiboycott advocates:

"I am'a fierce partisan of the open shop and of everything that makes for individual liberty, and I should like to contribute anything that it might be possible for me to contribute to the clarification of thinking and the formation of right purposes in matters of this kind."

So much for our worthy chameleon!

MEN'S CONVENTION TO BE HELD HERE HAS GREAT POSSIBILITIES

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—New Yorkers will take little consolation in their street car strike bonde Estimos? It is perfectly evident that they are nothing more not blonde Estimos? It is perfectly evident that they are nothing more not blonde Estimos? It is perfectly evident that they are nothing more not deer in Columbia county, with a lice stant the ancessors of our chorus strike.

Deer Season Canceled

For two years, beginning December, the control of the church of God, who will come because of the late the control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come because of the late control of God, who will come bec



MOBBING THE UMPIRE. What's the treu

Nuthin' much, only the visitin' team won the game.

"If folks in the neighborhood have anything to say about the noise we make as a drum corps in practicing, why don't they come to us instead of scolding about the matter?" Thus the famous Doylestown corps makes known its complaint. Who was it that said, "A drum by any other name would sound as stentorian???

A Reading man's divorce from his wife on the grounds of her belief in witchcraft brings to light the fact that the wife had everything marked with an X. Looks more like a matter for algebraic solution. Perhaps the wife was forgetful and wanted to keep track of the "unknown quantity."

WHAT THE ROTARY CLUB LEARNED OF THE CITY

[Questions submitted to members of the Harrisburg Rotary Club and their answers as presented at the organization's annual "Municipal Quiz."]

What provision is made for teachers' retirement? How is fund raised?

It is always a temptation for a strong and agile nation
To call upon a neighbor and to say.
"We invaded you last night and are quite prepared to fight Unless you pay us well to go away."

What provision is made for teachers' retirement? How is fund raised?

A pension fund has been created for this purpose. One-half is contributed by the teachers and one-half by the School Board. Established in 1998. Twenty-two teachers are now on the retired list.

Evening Chat

While this has been the greatest year

for automobile travel to and from Har-risburg, it has also been marked by some of the severest criticism of the condition of roads leading to the gates of the State Capitol. Many people from other states, especially those from the West and South, have gone through this State. through this State instead of following what was getting to be the beaten automobile path through New York State to the New England coast and have stopped here. This has been largely due to the manner in which have stopped here. This has been largely due to the manner in which "Seeing Pennsylvania First" has been preached, the dissemination of facts about the splendid scenery in this commonwealth and statements about the millions the State has been spending on roads. Unfortunately and unfairly, the State government has been blaned for the condition of all the roads. Tourists in going about Pennsylvania are apt to strike many sections of township or borough roads. There are over 90,000 miles of road in Pennsylvania, the State being responsible for about 12,000 miles. The State highways are in fair shape. Notwithstanding what people say, this State's roads are comparable to state roads in some other eastern commonwealths, not all of course, being in that class, but enough to show that this State can build and maintain good roads. However, in touring a great area like Pennsylvania persons are apt to get on township roads, where the responsibility is on the rural supervisor, who, when he is interested, is only backed by the scanty tax levy from a frequently sparse population. And the State gets the blame for nociect. Some townships are taking a pride in their roads and as a whole the standard is higher. But there are also roads lying within boroughs which are a shame. It is said by some automobile travelers that they can tell when they strike a borough by the bad roads, a statement which may be jocular, but too often has elements of truth. One of the worst of such roads is right at the city's eastern line, where the transition from a paved street at once end or a well kept State road at the other is not pleasant for Harrisburgers to experience and which often in other parts of the State, but the truth is, most of the township and borough roads on main highways or entering this city are not what they should be when one considers what attractions Harrisburg has to offer within its limits and the fine quality of its municipal highways.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

—Judge David Cameron, of Wellsboro. who retired from the bench last Spring, is again practicing law. He is aged 78, but is nevertheless one of the most active men in the county.

—Congressman Kreider returned home last evening from Washington.

—Ex-Governor William A. Stone has spent most of his summer at his cottage on Pine creek, in Tioga county. Harry Thaw was his guest for a few days.

DO YOU KNOW

That the Harrisburg silk mill site has been used for the manufacture of textiles since 1850?

HISTORIC HARRISBURG

In 1825-6-7 there were five military companies in Harrisburg, the Dauphin Cavalry, the Harrisburg Guards, the Pennsylvania Guards, the Harrisburg Junior Guards and the Harrisburg Union Infantry.

[Kansas City Star.]
It is too bad about China, of course.,
But as Kipling says:

Nations that to not want callers of that sort must also be prepared to fight, and China is not. So protably her caller will stay awhile.