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There's life alone in duty done, and rest alone in striving.—Whittier.

GET BUSY OR GET OUT

SIXTY burglaries in Harrisburg since July 1, and not one conviction!

That is a record of inefficient and incompetent police conduct such as the city never has known.

Mayor Meals rightly says that his force of patrolmen is too small. It is true that the beats are long and the officers greatly overworked.

It would be a joke were it not so serious. The whisper has gone about that the city detectives know the names of men strongly suspected of the thefts.

The detective bureau must do one of three things—perform efficiently the tasks allotted to it, explain to the satisfaction of the public that it has good and sufficient reasons for failure.

THE HUGHES RECEPTION

THE warm reception given Mr. Hughes in Harrisburg yesterday is an earnest of what Harrisburg will do for the Republican candidate in November.

Missouri Democrats admit that they expect Wilson's strength to pull their State ticket through. Maine Democrats had an idea like that, also.

GLAD NEWS

MORE Republicans in Harrisburg and Dauphin county than Democrats, Non-Partisans, Progressives, Keystones and all other parties and factions combined!

That is good news. It means that the Republicans in Harrisburg and Dauphin county could give away all the non-partisan votes registered and still win over the Democrats at the polls in November.

The Republican majority being safe in both city and county, a sweeping Hughes victory locally is assured.

The old-fashioned woman who used to do her housework with a twenty-five-cent broom now has a daughter whose maid does it with a \$50 vacuum cleaner.

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeemen

Philander C. Knox's visit to Harrisburg on October 25 will be made the occasion of a notable Republican demonstration and many Republicans from this section of the State will gather here to honor the former Secretary of State.

Mr. Knox is planning to make a dozen or so speeches. He will go to Greensburg to-morrow, where he will open the campaign in Westmoreland county, the home of his friend, Secretary of the Commonwealth Cyrus E. Woods.

The plans for the prosecution of the Republican state campaign have been completed in Philadelphia and there will be numerous meetings held in the next fortnight.

Gov. Pennypacker has not yet named the commissioners to take the votes of the guardsmen and efforts are being made to find out how many regiments will be ordered home this month so that he will know just how many men to select.

News that Roosevelt was coming into Pennsylvania and that Hughes was given out in Philadelphia last evening, Harmon M. Kephart, of Fayette county, Republican candidate for State Treasurer, returned from New York late yesterday.

Philadelphia lined up for Justice Walling yesterday and will vigorously push his candidacy. A committee of lawyers formed to support the candidacy of Judge Emory A. Walling, of the common pleas courts of this county, for associate justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania yesterday opened headquarters in the Morris building.

It augurs well for the success of the occasion that more than 200 of the busiest men of town will lay aside their personal affairs for a full day to go forth upon the city's business.

Democratic managers are acclaiming the "healing of the breach" between Wilson and the man who made him—William F. McCombs. It is worth remembering that it was not until McCombs was nominated for Senator in New York that Wilson took any pains to placate his manager of 1912.

But there would be no Chamber of Commerce and no hotel if it were not for individual effort exerted cooperatively. No one man or small group of men, powerful and influential though they be, can build a city or minister successfully to its needs.

Booze and Business

When the prohibition campaign was in Colorado the liquor men predicted that if the State went dry, grass would grow in the streets of Denver.

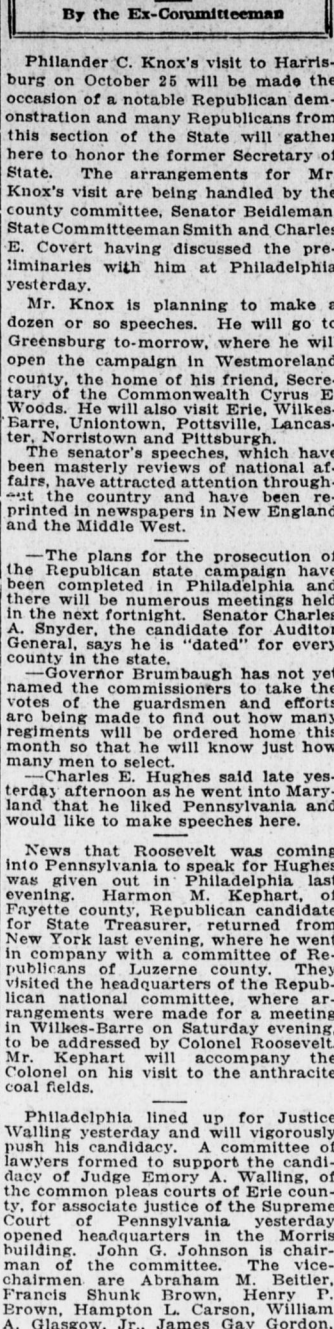
The National bank deposits have grown in a year more than 26 million dollars, which is proof of good times in general business; the savings banks note an increase of 6 million dollars in their deposits in that period—a guarantee that the good times did not remain at the top but reached down to the wage-earner and plain householder.

Wages have been high, from the common laborer up to the mechanic. The demand for skilled and unskilled labor is greater than the supply.

What appropriation was made to Fire Department for 1917? \$26,450.00.

When a Feller Needs a Friend

By BRIGGS



STOP YOUR WHINING AND PUT THOSE SHOES ON—THEY'LL BE ALL RIGHT AFTER YOU'VE HAD 'EM ON A WHILE—YOU CAN'T GO BAREFOOTED ANY LONGER—THAT SETTLES IT.

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Stirring Up Home Folks

There is nothing worse for a city or an individual than to become self-satisfied. Stagnation always follows. That is why The Star is glad to be able to publish such a document as the letter signed by "An Old Resident," which was printed yesterday afternoon.

Janney, Hughes-Democrat

Just one more Democrat of recognized influence to enroll for Hughes is Stuart S. Janney, the well-known local attorney who has clinched the argument for such affiliation in the minds of his letter to G. L. Fair, chairman of the Republican State committee. It is quite worth while repeating the reasons set forth by Mr. Janney in his own words, and each of them has a hook, and one of another of them tends to hook on to the judgment of some other thinking Democrat.

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."]

SUSQUEHANNA, RIVER OF ROMANCE, LEGEND AND POETRY

The Christian Science Monitor of Saturday, October 7, publishes a four-column line sketch of the Rockville gorge of the Susquehanna, just above Harrisburg.

The Susquehanna river rich in legendary Indian lore and historical association, has also been celebrated in fiction and verse. In his "Down the Historic Susquehanna" Charles Weather's Pump tells of a conversation he had with a bookseller at Cooperstown, in which together they traversed this pleasant field. He says:

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