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MONDAY EVENING, NOV. 20
It is only the great hearted who can be true friends; the mean and cowardly can never know what true friendship means.—KINGSLEY.

MONASTIR

THE capture of Monastir by the allies is both a moral and a material victory, despite the evident effort of Berlin to forestall public opinion in this country by sending out long explanations as to the reason for the German evacuation of this important junction point and the advantages gained by the armies of the central powers by vacating the city, for which they struggled so long and to which they have held so tenaciously.

STOPPING THE RAFFLES

CHIEF OF POLICE WETZEL will have the support of the public in his announced intention to stop turkey raffling in Harrisburg this winter. Nothing has done more to advance the price of turkeys in the past few years than these raffles. Proprietors of such gambling places have paid any price for birds. They planned to make as much as a thousand per cent. on each turkey raffled off and a little matter of five or eight cents a pound meant nothing to them.

TIME TO CONSIDER

THE trend of the times is toward national prohibition. It appears much nearer now than a few months back. It is as certain to come as the next presidential campaign. It is all a question of time. Therefore, it behooves distillers and brewers and liquor dealers in general to prepare for the inevitable.

Y. M. C. A. OPPORTUNITIES

THE Pennsylvania Railroad Y. M. C. A. is growing by leaps and bounds. The membership campaign now under way is meeting with wonderful success.

A BREATH OF THE EAST

A BREATH OF THE Far East, embodied in the Bengali love poet, Sir Rabindranath Tagore, is bringing to America the interpretive thought of one of the few men of real vision who have come out of the Orient to this country.

PREPARING FOR SPRING

ADMIRAL BOWMAN, the new head of the Greater Harrisburg Navy, is considering plans for the winter which will enable the Navy to get a flying start in the Springs.

ESTABLISH THE LINES

IF the Department of Parks gave proper stakes along the river slope between Maclay and Division streets and placed a man or two in charge of the grading, it would be easily possible within a year or two to complete the park strip along the western side of Front street.

be deposited along the slope under proper conditions and restrictions, thousands of tons of stone and dirt, which are now being dumped upon vacant lots, would be available for filling out the river embankment at no cost to the city save the employment of a laborer or two.

It is certain to follow that the "Front Steps" will be continued to the northern city limits and now is the time to grade the embankment so that there need be comparatively little expenditure for this purpose later.

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman.

State administration people are expected to indicate their policy in regard to the organization of the Legislature this week and there are some who are of the opinion that between the Governor and the senior senator and their programs that there may be a chance found to bring about a coalition which would mean a short and reasonably tranquil session.

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Pansie—I'll bet you kiss every girl you meet. Percy—Well, hardly that, some get away.

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And probably if woman suffrage should ever come, women will find it necessary to have one hat for the primary election and another for the convention.—Houston Post.

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We hereby nominate November 30 for Mince Pie Day.—Boston Advertiser.

AIN'T IT A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELING?



SAYS THE LIVING ROOM IS MILESTONE OF PROGRESS

WE could not get our parlors back into their old state if we tried, because we ourselves have changed. The living room answers to a new social feeling. Life is too full to have patience with formalities. The cry of the times seems to be for few friends and good ones. The living room is an intimate apartment, where people are at ease with one another.

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Evening Chat

Considering the importance attached to the votes cast by the soldiers of the Pennsylvania National Guard in service along the Mexican border the number of votes will be surprisingly few in the aggregate of the votes polled by the Keystone State's citizens. It is estimated that the total vote of the State is going to run over the 1,217,000 total of the 1912 campaign and if the soldiers give 5,000 it will be a surprise to many people at the Capitol.

Charles J. Roney, the Philadelphia legislator, who died Sunday in Philadelphia, was well known to many Harrisburgers as one of the brightest of the young men sent from that city to the general assembly in years. Mr. Roney, who first sat in the session of 1911, attracted attention by a speech he made late one night. It was about the middle of the session and Roney, who sat in a rear seat and had been a little heard of, got up and started to talk.

It is worth while recalling that when the bill to give Harrisburg the right to construct the sanitary dump came up it was almost lost because of absence and indifference of members. Speaker Alter saved it by insisting that members present stop talking and pay attention to the roll call. One of the men who was busy discussing a bill on the side lines was Roney. The Harrisburg bill was attacked by some members of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives who had some doubts on almost everything that session, and he started to make an argument. Roney, who knew the Harrisburg bill was right, started to talk and walked over near him, remarked quite loudly, "Forget it!"

During the last few years the traffic on the lines of the Valley Railways has increased about a hundred per cent. The company has had to increase the movement of the cars in and out of the city at times being delayed considerably. In order to relieve this situation the company has had experts trying to work out a new plan. Many ideas have been suggested, and one of them will be put in use some time within the next month.

Preparation of the calendar for the special term of criminal court which will begin December 4 is already under way and within the next week or two District Judge M. C. Stroup expects to have the list ready for publication. A feature of the trial list this term will be the unusual number of defense attorneys charged with murder, at least eleven having already been slated for trial on that charge. One entire court it is expected will be given over to the trial of the murder cases, at all at all, likely to be one or two of them may have to go over until January sessions.

Dr. William L. Estes, who will take part in the discussion on Workmen's Compensation before the Industrial Welfare conference to-morrow, is chairman of the committee of the State Medical Society on that subject. He comes from South Bethlehem and has made a study of the subject.

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