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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 22

It is right to be contented with what we have but never with what we are.—ANON.

THE 'BOOZE' BUSINESS

WHEREON on this page today appears a letter in defense of the liquor traffic in America. The views set forth are not those of the TELEGRAPH.

In other words, "booze," doing absolutely no good and being convicted of enormous evil, should be banished. To say that national prohibition, the instrument by which this must be effected, cannot be made effective is to say that Federal law cannot be enforced, which is nonsense.

"Booze" is making its last desperate stand. It is like the German army in France—doomed to ultimate defeat, but still capable of vast resistance and counter-attack.

KEEP ON GOING

BUSINESS men are persuaded now that the millions of money which are being invested in all projects for the national defense will keep things moving in the ordinary business channels.

Just look around in Harrisburg and see the number of buildings that are in course of erection, the number of other buildings that are being remodeled, the activity in general work and the hustle and bustle in every direction.

Let business men go right on. That is the best way to do their bit and help the cause in which all America is interested.

A WONDERFUL STREET

UNDER the caption "A Wonderful Street" the TELEGRAPH published a day or two ago pictures of the back yards in Helen alley, which Mrs. Henderson, president of the Civic Club, pronounces one of the best and most beautiful treatments of the kind she has seen anywhere.

These, however, are not the only attractive back yards in Harrisburg. Slowly but surely the missionary efforts of the Civic Club for the beautification of the ground in the rear of houses is bearing fruit.

The men and women who are preaching the gospel of the city beautiful are doing a wonderful work for Harrisburg. Dirt and crime

thrive together, and it is conversely true that good citizenship and beauty go hand in hand.

Food being short in Germany, the Kaiser naturally objects to the United States getting his goat.

THE RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

ONE of the clever features of the Red Cross campaign is the little daily paper distributed at the noonday luncheons to the workers in the cause.

Pleasant references are made in this miniature publication to a number of the prominent workers. Again the great spirit of co-operation which is the mainspring of the progress of Harrisburg is in evidence.

A THREATENED INDUSTRY

NOTHING more impressive regarding the seriousness of the news-print paper situation in the United States has been submitted recently than the formal report of the Federal Trade Commission to Congress.

Highly trained experts have made a thorough investigation of the conditions and the results indicate a general tendency among newspaper publishers to avoid disaster through the encouragement of new mills and increased production.

Most of the newspapers of the United States and Canada have gone upon the two-cent basis and still others are contemplating this change with the expiration of favorable news-print contracts on July 1.

THE CITY'S PART

BEFORE adjournment of the Legislature this week it was expected that two measures providing for the permanent grading and planting of the Capitol Park area would receive the signature of Governor Brumbaugh.

German Officers' "Honor"

Mark Twain is dead, and now Mr. Frederick C. Howe, Immigration Commissioner, is making a bid for the post of humorist laureate of the United States.

CROP PEST LETTER

THE stalks of many plants, including tomato, potato, aster, dahlia, chrysanthemum and hollyhock, are attacked by a smooth chrysalis caterpillar which tunnels out the interior of stems, and often moves to other adjacent plants causing much damage.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The most divergent views exist in Russia and outside of Russia as to the outcome of the abnormal and chaotic political and military condition of the country.

Politics in Pennsylvania

Superior Court Judge John W. Kephart, of Ebensburg, is the latest man active in state affairs to be brought out as a gubernatorial possibility.

German Terror and Lesson

To again give warning to the world of the price of opposing the German Government plans of terror, deliberate and calculated, carried out.

Boy Scout Resourceful

Vincent S. Walkendier, of Troop 10, Harrisburg Boy Scouts of Harrisburg, dropped in on the headquarters of the Scout Executive Stine.

Other Side of Rum Question

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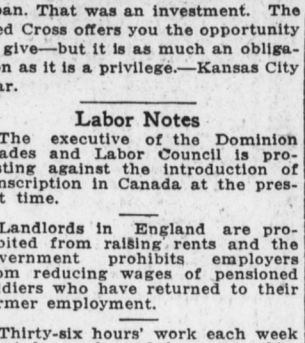
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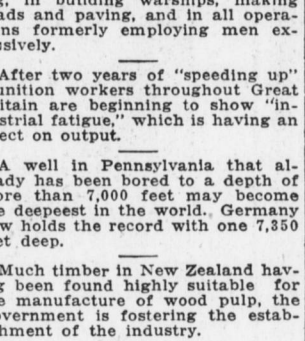
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When a Feller Needs a Friend

CLEAR OUT! YOU DIRTY TRUCKIN' UP MY NICE CLEAN PORCH



AW-W NAW-SIR! 'AT'S MY DOG - HE AIN'T DONE NOthin' TO YOU!



THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

Thank the TELEGRAPH

At a meeting of the musical committee of the Harrisburg Christian Endeavor Choral Union, a hearty vote of thanks was unanimously given to the TELEGRAPH for the valuable space given to our organization in advertising the successful concert at which there was an attendance of nine hundred and fifty persons.

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FINE GARDEN SPOT

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JUST THE MAN

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