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The measure of life is not length but honesty.—LXLY.

ANOTHER HOLLWEG

CHANCELLOR MICHAELIS is a second Hollweg, only weaker. That much is evident from the reports of his first address to the Reichstag which came seeping through Copenhagen to-day.

True, he stands for peace, but it must be a German peace, won by the sword—or rather, by the submarine, for the new chancellor pins his hope to the success of the U-boats in starving England.

He holds out to the people the old vague promises of victory, with less than ever to support them. America's part in the war he counts of no importance.

THE BOY SCOUTS If you doubt the utility or patriotism of the Boy Scouts, read this report on what they did during the recent Liberty Loan bond sale, from those at the head of the bond campaign.

Another notable service by the Boy Scouts of America. Through their efforts more than \$25,000,000 of the bonds were sold directly. How many sales due indirectly to their activity cannot be known.

A PALM BEACH GOVERNOR GOVERNOR WILLIAMS, of Oklahoma, is unquestionably a very fine man and no doubt a great Governor.

when he declared that Germany was staking her all on the submarine. and the challenge to America, then Germany is lost.

German miscalculation concerning the military results of the submarine war and the speed of American mobilization was matched by a pitiful misunderstanding of Russian conditions.

He flung his challenge to America last February; that did not call for extraordinary gifts of prophecy. He foresaw the confusion which followed at Petrograd and the temporary slackening of Russia's military energies.

But beyond such superficial anticipations his view did not go. He did not understand the Russian people, he did not understand the essential spirit of the revolution.

But instead of attempting to make atonement to a more or less disillusioned German people, the government tugs out Michaelis in the uniform of Hollweg, puts the old Hollweg promises into his mouth and tries to fool the German people as it has done from the very outstart of the war.

The Kaiser and those with him have determined to play their desperate game to the last card. When they quit it will be as broken gamblers, penniless, friendless and despised even by their former friends.

Waterloo Council (Liverpool) has granted a war bonus of \$75 to the male and \$50 to the female teachers of the elementary schools.

In a campaign to promote efficiency among girls of New Brunswick, Canada, clubs will be organized and advised to give in food values, canning, etc.

The Tasmanian Government has dammed a large lake and built a hydro-electric plant for light and power that will be distributed throughout the state.

but not in a high hat and frock coat with the thermometer performing the usual gymnastics incident upon a mid-July day in the torrid town of Tulsa.

Governor Williams is a man among men. He not only hoots at fashion, but lives up to his hooting, which is not the custom of Pennsylvania men.

EDITORIAL COMMENT Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman should be supported by the United States for the term of their natural lives.—Florida Times-Union.

To show how sincerely she sympathizes with the Russian idea of "no indemnities, Germany has assessed a little fine of \$50,000,000 on Roumania.—Chicago Herald.

China is upset and Spain is disturbed. The only really acquiescent neutrals in the world are the five little states within immediate range of the Kaiser's mailed fist.—New York Sun.

My Dream-Boat The boat of my dreams I launched in the strength of youth's desire. On the sea of the years With its laughter and tears

German Spy System We have been imperiling the lives of our merchant sailors, as well as the ships which they sail and the cargoes which they are trying to deliver by courteously affording espionage facilities to enemy subjects.

Only Went Up to G The "orn of the 'unter is 'eard on the 'ill," sang the little boy at the Eagle School treat.

Uncle Pennywise Says I can excuse a man for being ignorant, but not when he has an opinion on every subject.—Exchange.

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

The Governor, who is busily engaged in disposing of legislation left with him by the remarkable session of 1917, is the only one of the central figures in the controversy over reappointment of State officials rejected by the State in 1917.

—It's odd the way things turn around in politics. Some of the men who were dropped as stream inspectors are said to be already applying for money which have been newly created in the Labor and Industry Department and document division.

—William H. Ball, secretary to the Governor, will leave in a few days for Washington. He is expected that the Governor will have finished work on bills and be on his own vacation.

—Charles Johnson, former state insurance commissioner, will be in charge of the treasury and of the Republican state committee this fall.

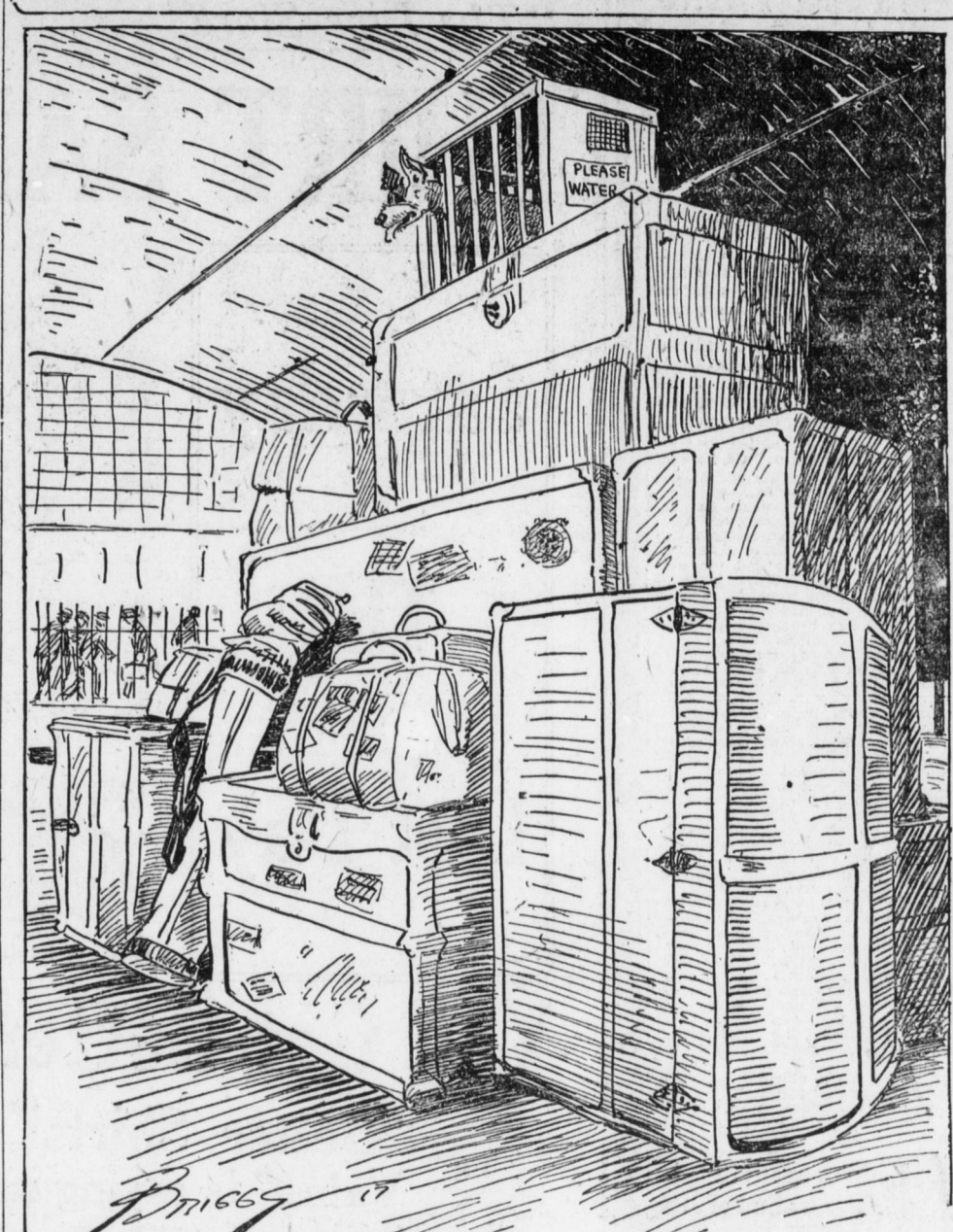
—The five judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, whose terms expire this year—Judges Thomas D. Cargill, Joseph M. Seidle, the new referee in compensation, who will share with ex-Mayor Ira E. Stratton, of Reading, the administration of the county.

—The furnishing and equipping of these schools, as well as their operation and maintenance, is left solely to the states by the Smith-Hughes act, which is known as the Smith-Hughes act, was adopted last February.

Fate of the Deposed Czar That the deposed Czar Nicholas has been permitted to subscribe to the Russian Liberty Loan might be taken as an indication that the former subjects are beginning to look upon him with a more lenient eye.

BROWN ROT THOUSANDS of bushels of plums start to decay or rot on the tree just previous to ripening and many growers cannot account for this condition.

When a Feller Needs a Friend



By BRIGGS

FEDERAL AID FOR STATE EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

WITH the approval of the Graf Kull, for the acceptance of the provisions of the Federal Vocational Training Act, Governor Brumbaugh has paved the way for the state to receive a considerable share of Federal aid in the maintenance of agricultural and industrial schools throughout the Commonwealth.

CROP PEST LETTER

By Prof. J. G. Sanders, State Economic Zoologist. BROWN ROT THOUSANDS of bushels of plums start to decay or rot on the tree just previous to ripening and many growers cannot account for this condition.

Evening Chat

If the number of enlistments in the Regular Army in this city vicinity are anything like what is believed to have occurred there, they will not be many persons called from the state capital district under the draft.

Governor Brumbaugh, who, between signing bills and veto messages, is busy with letters and messages about as much as he can handle.

OUR DAILY LAUGH

THERE'S A LIMIT. True love never runs smooth. Well then my husband and I are mad about each other, for we have some awful fights.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

Roland S. Morris, the new ambassador to Japan, is a graduate of Princeton and the University of Pennsylvania.

DO YOU KNOW

That Harrisburg is making bread for many military organizations? HISTORIC HARRISBURG The old sleeping cars were to Harrisburg in the fifties.

Waste Not—Want Not

Those who heeded the advice of the United States Department of Agriculture in planning to preserve their surplus fruits and vegetables, the specialists of the department have tried out several methods for canning, preserving, pickling and making jellies.

ENGLISH AS SHE IS SPOKE

"Funny thing about food." "Yes, a shortage and a longing always exist at the same time." AN IDEAL RESORT. Duck—Come on Bill, there is a restaurant down the street where they have flies in the stew.