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It is not a lucky word, this same "impossible"; no good comes of those that have it so often in their mouths.—CARLILE.

"THUNDERS OF SILENCE"

THE Saturday Evening Post a week or two ago published a story by Irvin Cobb, entitled "The Thunders of Silence," in which a thinly veiled picture was presented of a notoriously disloyal United States Senator and what happened to him after the newspapers of the United States had refused to publish his name.

It is so with many of his kind. Newspaper and magazine advertising, whether published in praise or censure, is the very breath of life to them. They cannot ply their nefarious trade without it.

The Telegraph, with other right-thinking newspapers, believes that there is no room outside of a detention camp for men of this stripe in these critical times. It is helping to fight a powerful, unscrupulous foe from without; it has no time to waste with parasites within.

"FOUR MINUTE MEN"

LISTEN to the "Four Minute Men." They have a message for every American. These patriots have volunteered to spread the gospel of loyal Americanism by word of mouth wherever people gather together.

The "Four Minute Men" have undertaken to perform an ungrateful task, for this part of their message should not be necessary. The newspapers have printed columns upon columns of warnings on this subject.

But the "Four Minute Men" will have something also for the patriot who is seeking information as to what he is required to do in helping Uncle Sam find out about the slackers and the duty of each man in seeing that there are no income tax dodgers in his neighborhood.

Down with the Potsdam gang, with special emphasis on the second syllable of the qualifying noun.

GET OUT THE VOTE

SEVERAL weeks ago the Pennsylvania Anti-Saloon League launched a campaign of agitation for a more complete enrollment of voters for the May primaries, pointing out that the man who fails to name his party preference in the spring enrollment will have no voice in the primaries.

Every organization working for prohibition or other forms of good government throughout the State should be interested in this good work. If the "dry" amendment is in danger it is not from those who drink or who have pronounced "wet" inclinations, but because of men who do not drink and who

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

Close to 10,000 nominating petition blanks for the May primary have been sent out by the Department of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, to committees in charge of candidates and their friends.

Some gubernatorial candidates had private expense and from all accounts they will file many thousands of names.

THE HOUSING PROBLEM

ANDREW S. PATTERSON lets it be known that the Chamber of Commerce, of which he is the head, is prepared to give Harrisburg's housing problem the prompt attention the urgency of the situation demands.

Mr. Patterson and his colleagues understand very well the importance of keeping as permanent residents a majority of the workmen who will be attracted here shortly by Government construction projects.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

The war, into which the country was plunged unprepared after Wilson had won on the slogan "he kept us out of the war," staved off for a time the disaster threatened by the Democratic free trade policy.

The entomologist who declares that the farmer seldom, if ever, gives the crow credit for his good deeds taken later in the season.

RATS ALIES OF HUNS

Government experts are urging that the rat be exterminated as a war measure for saving food.

Sweetly Turned

Helen—You are about the most conceited man I ever knew, and that's saying a great deal.

JOHN REDMOND

"Oh, Paddy dear, and did you hear the news that's going round? They're hollowing another grave in Ireland's holy ground."

THRIFT STAMP ARMY

Out of the poor man's strain and stress. Out of the rich man's fruitfulness, millions and millions of little me Asserit the night of democracy.

THE INCOME TAX

Losses, for Income Tax purposes, are divided into two classes: (a) Those incurred in business or trade, and (b) those resulting from transactions entered into for profit but not connected with the taxpayer's regular business or trade.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

—Frank J. Harris, Allegheny county commissioner, toastmaster at a banquet, gave all of the guests Thrift Stamps as what he termed "a reminder."

DO YOU KNOW

—That Harrisburg soldiers have very largely taken out war insurance?

HISTORIC HARRISBURG

For many years after the town was laid out, people had farms within the limits.

THE DAYS OF REAL SPORT



BY BRIGGS

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LABOR NOTES

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SCIENCE CUTS DEATH RATE

Now Only One Soldier Dies From Disease to Twenty in Battle—Lowest Record in History

THE mortality rate from all causes in this war has been less than that of all great wars of the past, of which we have records, probably the lowest in history.

SOLDIER SONGS

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