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And the Spirit of Jehovah shall understanding, the spirit of coun

Manifestiy, the embankment, only to be slown back upon the lawns in that section. Furthermore, the line of the fill from the curb westward should be established so that hereafter it will not be necessary to remove thousands of yards of dirt to extend the steps northward.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES

T would be most regrettable it, through shortage of funds, the Harrisburg Public Library would be unable to expand its work in the State Capital district this fall. According to the reports which have been submitted, the registration for the privilege of taking out books, which does not cost a cent to the patrons of the Library, amounts to about one-fourth of the population of Harrisburg. The most person in every four takes out books person in every four takes out books from this institution. The circulation of the cases of the person in every four takes out books from this institution. The circulation some months last winter ran as high as 12,000. Ten thousand is reported as not uncommon. And in the midst of all this circulation there is notable work being done to make Americans out of adult and juvenile residents of the city. The books taken to homes of children of forstaken to home the case with rousting againstation meeting of the Thirty-eighth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive committee. Following the meeting, at which Signeth ward executive co taken to homes of children of foreign-born parents constitute a notable part of the educational system
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and it came from those who know what the Library is doing in this community.

ular conception that the Public Library has all the money it can spend. Exactly the contrary is true. The Library, like many another institu-

We know now that the German people will be willing enough to condone the frightfulness of their government and to rob the people of the

eign-born parents constitute a notable part of the educational system of the city. This has been recognized by one resident of Harrisburg, who was so much' impressed with what was being done along this line that he made a donation for purchase of hooks on American history and another stipulated that Pennsylvania should be given attention in selections for children of his native city. The more direct may be in which ite. Library is reaching the children of the first year of Cyrus King of Persia, that the word of the Lord stirred up the spirit of Cyrus King of Persia, that he made a proclamation his down by the German high command—close formation, solid fronts, pressure by force of numbers and all that. Instead, they have adapted their style of fighting to the circumstances. In this paragraph, from a cabled description of the American success at the Marne, we have one of the libraries. There are requests that six the Marne, we have one of the lord of the first year of Cyrus King of Persia, that the word of the Lord by the mouth of Jeremiah are counts, don't fight according to the counts, don't fight according to the fulfilled, the Lord stirred up the spirit of Cyrus King of Persia, that he made a proclamation throughout all his kingdoms, saying, Thus saith Cyrus King of Persia, that he made a proclamation throughout all his kingdoms of the earth; and still the kingdoms of the earth; and that charged me to build him an obuse at Jerusalem. Who is there among you of all his people? his God be with him, and let him go up to Jerusalem, and build the house of the Lord God of Israel (he is the god). Figure 1 e-excitablished this fail. To mans out:

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Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Com

Exactly the contrary is true. The Library, like many another institution, has been hard hit by the abnormal conditions. Thanks to the Lyman D. Gilbert fund, it is assured of money for books of established literary value. But the money available to meet the calls from the children is limited. There is a great field for such work in Harrisburg, but it cannot be cared for by wind or ink, except in the form of a pledge of cash or a check.

Evidently, Thomas A. Edison believes that any legitimate industry is assential. Those who seem to think we can win the war by throttling business at every turn have thad their little day and common sense is coming to the surface.

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Serental Those who seem to think we can win the war by throttling business at every turn have that their little day and common sense to make a fish to find the president Wilson, is preaching as our gospel of war that we are fighting the whole German people, that there can be compromise with Prussianism and that we must utterly crush the German beast before we can consider peace.

That is most excelent doctrine. It is in direct contradiction with the biller of the President at the outstart of the war and differs almost as widely with the thought of the believes the can be compromise with the biller of the President at the outstart of the war and differs almost as widely with the thought of the believes the cannot be presented to the president with the old Donnelly organization, with whom the remain to didictate the chair All of which tends to another tra-ditional Demogratic

next week.

The Philadelphia Inquirer say

sel and midht, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of Jehovah.—

Isa. 11: 2.

A FRONT IN RUSSIA

THERE is good sense in what former President Taft says about the situation in Russia. Either we must create a "front" in the East ore we must be content to permit Germany to concentrate all her forces in the West, while she gradually lakes over Russia and makes it a part of the great Central Empires to which she aspires.

Furthermore, 500,000 American and allied troops in Russia would be worth a million on the west which a million on the west front, for Germany would have to withdraw at least that number of twindraw at least that number of twindraw at least that number of twindraw at least that number of troops from the west line to guard the number one shaving the ministrance on back full of enthusiasm themselves in the early days so constantly threatened.

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THE DAYS OF REAL SPORT

BY BRIGGS



More Watchful Waiting [New York Post.]

time to act in Russia," ex-President Taft, writing in the Philadelphia Public Ledger. It is rather more than time. It was time to act in Russia long ago. The ques-

the ages was slain by Germany and the Allies; by Germany with a sword in her hand, and by the Allies with a fat, Micawberesque complacency that eternally hoped something would turn up and therefore did nothing at all? Is Germany to kill democracy with the sword and the Allies to kill it with watchful waiting?

Never Knew Luxuries

Philadelphia's next mayor at the reorganization meeting of the Thirtyeighth ward executive committees ago that empress discove
following the meeting, at which Signature and she started the silk industry for
the city committee, a reception was
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Allied Mastery of the Blue [From the Literary Digest]

INEW YORK Times.]

Captain Lieutenant Franz Rintelen, German naval officer, sometime a banker, one of the most active and dangerous of German sples in the United States, is now serving a term in a New Jersey penitentiary for conspiring with "Wolf" Lamar and others to cause strikes in munition factories. At the expiration of this sentence he will have two others to serve, one for getting a fraudulent passport from the State Department, one for conspiracy to destroy Entente food and munition ships. He has been mixed up in and the purse-bearer of many German plots. He is an arrant spy, and would be shot as a spy were he now to commit the crimes which he has committed. * * *

Secretary Lansing's answer to this bullying note is shaper strong a blow.

The Telegraph nas requestly read to the allies, and but for the victories of General Maude and the capture of Bagdad, the German between the capture of Bagdad and earlying the capture of Bagdad relays would be first the capture of Bagdad relays would be related to the capture of Bagdad relays would be first the in this country." Germany can put that in her pipe and smoke it. So Ingrained and inveterate is her belief in frightfulness, her habit of bulk he never read a book that came from a printing press or saw a mechanically typed page.

Raphael painted his immortal Madonnas, but he never ate a corn muffin.

Cleontry never were a velvet the rights of free civilization with all The United States, after a long patience, is protecting her rights and the rights of free civilization with all her might of men and resources. Is it to gull "honest Michael," worried over the steady inpour of American troops into France, that Germany makes this impudent demand and threat?

LIFE IN ARKANSAS

[Quoted from the DeWitt Enterprise by B. L. T.] Miss Katie Reed and West Wadkins were seen riding around in this burg Sunday. Ask Bantie Gilbert how he tikes his girl he was sporting around Sun-

Increased wages are asked by the increased wages are asked by the motormen and conductors of Brantford, Canada. First and second year men ask for a y-cent per hour increase, and the third year men want 10 cents per hour increase, with 17 of the former and 16 of the latter.

No less than 2,500 American women doctors have applied for overseas service to aid the stricken women and children of the war zone.

Mayo county, Ireland, council clerks have been on a strike for a war bonus of \$1.25 a week. Derbyshire, England, Mines' Association has invested \$200,000 with Rotherham Corporation, and \$9,000 in War Loan.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Probably the Kaiser would consent to pick out a king for Ireland along with the rest.-New York

There are two countries that will

never forget the Americans. One is France and the other is Germany .-

Sixteen sheep are grazing on the White House lawn. The White House goats are penned in the Senate chamber.—Peoria Transcript.

I say, old man that dog of mine and he's got almost human in-

tellige

How ar at the club?
All right. Every thing they under take is thorous ly misunders and disa upon.

PEACE. Little boy, little way.

Hold off with your peace talk, lady. One more punch on the nose from me and I'll have this kid



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Ebening Chat

The East End seems now to be the

ction of the city wherein the circus

exhibits. Somehow or other all circuses are "the" circus and they are spoken of collectively. In any event spoken of collectively. In any event Twenty-first street is now the point where the circus crowds converge and where the circus crowds converge and where the cars head along about 1 and 7 o'clock in the afternoon when the lemonade is commencing to cool off and the peanuts to get heated up. For many years uptown was the local habitat of the circus. It showed so continuously in that part of the city that when anyone spoke of the various mammoth aggregations and most stupendous shows on earth, etc., coming to town the thought was naturally of Sixth and Maclay or some point up Sixth. But it is interesting to trace the migrations of the circus in Harrisburg. Captain Charles P. Meck, who never missed a circus when he was a boy and for some years thereafter, says that the first circus he remembers coming to Harrisburg was the world-famous Dan Rice shows and it spréad its tent in the old Eby coal yard section not far from the present Philadelphia and Reading Railway station. There are not so many about town who fecall attending that show, but the captain says that there was some great bareback riding and the clowns were clowns. Then the circus for a time held forth on the old "cotton mill lot," which to the memory of old Harrisburgers means a plot near where the Harrisburg Silk Mills stand. From that vicinity—and it's odd to think of a circus showing on fashionable Front street—the circus moved out to Seventh street and held forth until the Brelsford plant was built. It was a great occasion when the circus went over there and Hickok. "Hot Pot" and railroad shopmen took the whole day off. The march of building forced the circus to move up to what we then called "the stockyard district." That was Sixth and Maclay and the shows were forced up bit by bit to Camp street, then to Curtin, to Seneca and finally to a point above Reel's lane. Once or twice Wild West shows displayed on the island, but the island was never popular for such shows, albeit a great baseball center for many years after bricks and mortar crowded it from Twenty-first street is now the point where the circus crowds converge

along with the rest.—New York World.

Germany won't say she's licked as long as there's a church left standing in Belgium or France.—Savannah Press.

In view of the success of the first concrete ship, Faith, they might call the second one Works.—Providence Journal.

Every time Germany says the U-boats will win the war her voice gets a little weaker.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

"Our whole struggle is in God's hands," says the Kaiser. And if he only knew what that means!—Wall Street Journal.

Catch a car.

One of the most energetic and willing to serve of Harrisburg's men of affairs is C. Linford Scott, superintendent of the Harrisburg Boiler and Manufacturing Company's plants where big government orders are now being turned out. The other day he was ordered to report to a large government plant near Baltimore, where important inspection work was under way. He drove nearly all one night, to get there, worked all day, spent the next night on the road getting home, spent the day catching up with his work in the mill and then cheerfully accepted the request of the Rotary club committee to lead the community singing at the recruiting committee to lead the communities in Market Square Friday night. And after it was all over he whole bunch.

Ehrman B. Mitchell, who when he was the most chipper man in the whole bunch.

Ehrman B. Mitchell, who when he is not indulging in Boy Scout work helping sell Liberty Bonds, gather-ing money for the Y. M. C. A. was France and the other is Germany.

Kansas City Star.

The Germans have one claim to renown; they're the only folk in history the Irish have declined to fight.

—Philadelphia North American.

Sixteen sheep are grazing on the White House goats are penned in the Senate chamber.—Peoria Transcript.

Ballad of Bards and Aces
I wonder in what star-flowered nook Young Alan Seeger sings his song.
In what Elysium Rupert Brooke Breathes forth his music all day long.

Far from a world that fights with Wrong
Does Byron dream of Freedom's sway.

And Keats and Shelley join the throng;
Where sings each bard of yesterday?

mittee of noted experts who had come to the city to discuss war work with him.

Judge S. J. M. McCarrell, who was presented with a beautiful loving cup by Market Square Church people in recognition of his forty years of service as superintendent of the Sunday school, has received a number of congratulatory messages from friends about the state. Judge McCarrell was for years one of the most prominent men in Sunday school work in the state, and Market Square, which was first in this part of the country to organize a Sunday school, has been long an object of great interest in the Synod of Pennsylvania.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

The Rev. Dr. F. P. Mayser, Lan-aster clergyman well known here, celebrating his fiftieth year as a

is celebrating his littleth year as a minister.

—Emerson Collins, Deputy Attorney General, has been invited to be Flag Day orator at Lock Haven.

—Judge John Faber Miller, of the Montgomery county courts, was one of the swenkfelders' memorial at Clayton Sunday.

—William Decker, senatorial candidate in the Williamsport district, who is in a dispute over his expense account, is a wealthy furniture manufacturer at Montgomery.

—Rollin H. Wilbur, Lehigh coal chief, will spend part of the summer at Thousand Islands.

DO YOU KNOW

-That Harrisburg furnished many riflemen for the American armies in the War of 1812?

HISTORIC HARRISBURG In early days Harrisburg got the