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ANOTHER STEP

W. ARREN J. MANNING, the city's expert, having approved the City Planning Commission's proposal for the acquisition and development of the Italian park area in the northern part of the city, another step has been taken in the process of developing the present swamp into a beautiful recreational and residential center.

AMERICAN, WORLD BANKER

[From Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.] Co-operation of Government and business is to become closer, if Pierce Williams, commercial attaché of the American embassy in Paris, has not been misled as to the attitude of the French government.

LEAVE IT TO THEM

SENATOR PENROSE is not given to chasing new fads, and it is not surprising that he opposes any hasty effort to revise the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

LABOR NOTES

Cotton pickers are so scarce in Mississippi that a price of \$2 per 100 pounds is being offered.

SPRING IT IS

That chirping thrill of birds again, In flight so swift across the window-pane.

Must Handle a Big Wash

[From the Providence Journal.] The appointment of a washerwoman as Minister of Education in the Duchy of Brunswick suggests that the empire would have a market for its wares when peace was restored.

Overtime Ahead For Sculptors

[From the Boston Transcript.] With every statue, city and town planning body to erect a soldier's memorial, it looks as if our sculptors and architects should plan to ignore union hours and work overtime and holidays.

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

Everybody connected with the State Legislature is working on the theory that the session will be short and businesslike. The word has gone around that the legislators will be finished and ready to go home in the early spring and it would not be surprising if a date for final adjournment would be fixed very soon after the House and Senate set down to business following the inauguration.

SHOULD HAVE MORE PAY

THE most important duty of the school teacher of to-day is to teach the pupil Americanism—to instill into its character love of country, devotion to its institutions and belief in the benefits of democracy.

Here we have a prime reason why the teacher should have more pay. Just now he is the most poorly paid individual in the employ of the people. He gets less and is required to give more than any other public servant. His salary has not kept pace with the rise in prices, but he is impounded to stick to his job and to render even better service than ever.

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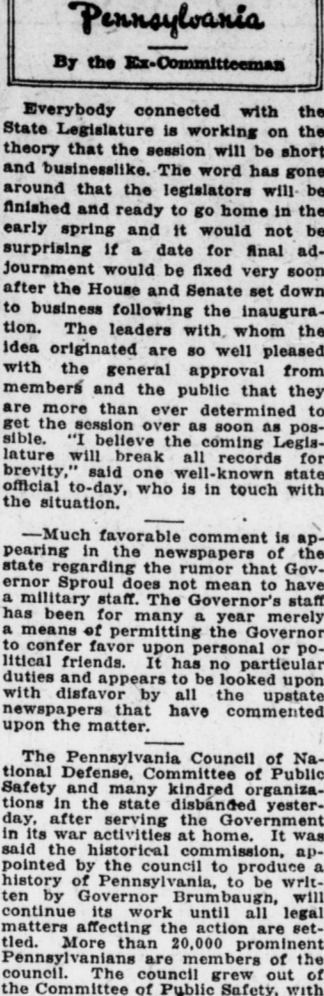
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WHAT DOES A MAN THINK ABOUT THE MORNING OF JANUARY 1ST?



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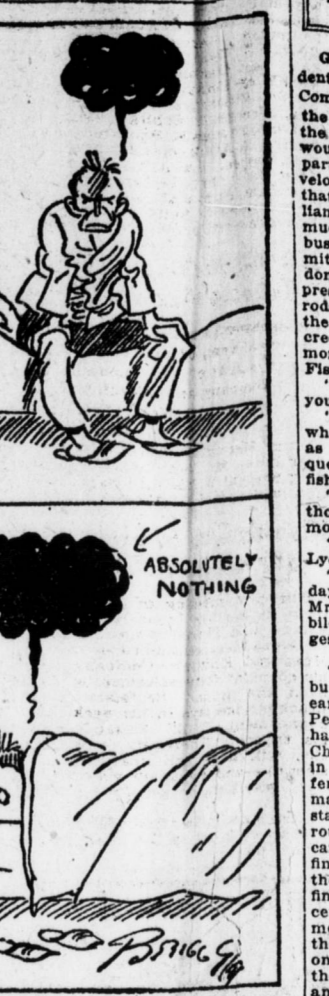
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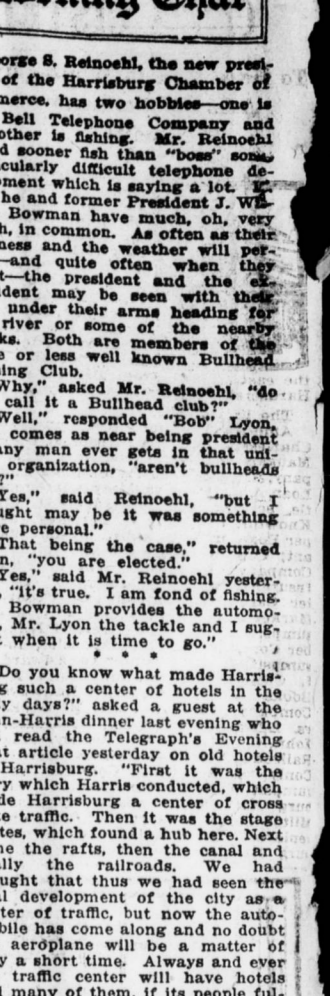
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Evening Chat

George S. Reinhold, the new president of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce, has two hobbies—one is the Bell Telephone Company and the other is fishing.

"Do you know what made Harrisburg such a center of hotels in the early days?" asked a guest at the Penn-Harris dinner last evening.

Lieutenant Governor Frank B. McClain, who played Santa Claus at Lancaster for the children of one of the homes on Wednesday, told the story of how he had that role for the first time.

A splendid tribute to Pennsylvania National Guardsmen has been paid by Col. Asher Miner, former legislator, who left a leg on the field of battle while commanding the 19th artillery of the old Ninth Pennsylvania.

EXCISING OF EXPLETIVES

[From the Cleveland Plain Dealer] There was a well-loved chaplain in the American Army in France who was known as saying, "If swearing will win the war, I'm for swearing."

The state is making an attempt to buy quail, but not much has been heard of that line. Better luck is expected in the purchase of pheasants.

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