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SOLDIER INSURANCE

THE life insurance underwriters of Harrisburg are to be com-This protection is the cheapest in the world and the discharged soldier vestigators. who permits it to lapse will live to see the day he will regret his failure

Made the Nation Dy

The Control of History o

light passenger locomotive which satisfactorily hauls the Bingleville accommodation would be entirely out of place attempting to pull one Philadelphia or New York.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

What we need in railroad administration is a little more common sense and not so much theoretical standardization.

A SHAKEUP NEEDED

TUST what is back of the tempest ago by a patrolman for a service rendered would appear to be small ground for dismissal in the light of other offenses of both omission and commission that even a surface investigation of the department would bring to light. Not that policemen ought to be permitted to accept money, but that where such petty graft is punished more serious misdemeanors ought not to be overlooked.

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ple. It is a suspicious circumstance, to say the least, that the Federal mittee yesterday afternoon along with the Allegheny county two agents were able to fill a whole courtroom with offenders on one evening in a city where the local police had failed to find even one place of ill repute. And in support of the suspicion that all of the police and city detectives could not have been ignorant of these deplorable conditions, it is recalled that the police of the city declined to make the agreets when the information on the corrects when the information of ficials. Superior Court Judge W. H. Keller was also a vistor.

He fact that the state department has able at the she working under a sall any law dating from about 1879, and that men of value have gone to other departments or other occupations because of the poor pay seems to have impressed legislators, judging from comments heard. The plan of reorganization of the department with system in its bureaus is generally commended.

—Chief Justice J. Hay Brown was among visitors to the Capitol yesterday. He conferred with a umber of officials. Superior Court Judge W. H. Keller was also a vistor.

—Governor Sproul shall succeed. mended for their prompt action the arrests when the information in defense of soldiers' insurance. was offered to them by Federal in-

And then the question arises, if

Some of the officers were aware of conditions and did not act, and the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have better the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have better the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have better the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have better the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have better the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a definite basis of service rendered, he will have be the conditions are definitely and charities upon a defin

Politica in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

One of the features of the 1919 of the Legislature which appears to be attracting comment the members and people who follow general assemblies, is JUST what is back of the tempest that the session is so well on. While there is, naturally, a good bit of a disposition to "wait and see what Sproul is going to do" about the course. he average legislator, there is nev-er-the-less, much satisfaction at the

Progress made.

The committees have all been named and the places filled and less

-The Walker bill to partisan judicial election 1

itor.

—Governor Sproul is quoted by

Governor Sproul is quoted by the Pittsburgh Dispatch as saying in Washington that he would not be displeased if a bill reducing the Public Service Commission came to

WONDER WHAT A TEN MONTHS OLD BABY THINKS ABOUT

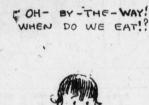
HERE'S THAT SILLY OLD RATTLE I GOT FOR CHRISTMAS. " I SHAKE IT AND MAKE A NOISE WITH WHY NOT TO PLAY WITH IT
OR I'LL OFFEND
MY DAD- HE GAVE DOESN'T GET MUCH MY DAD- HO



SINCE I'VE LEARNED TO CREEP I SEE A LOT OF THE WORLD, IT MAKES ONE MORE INDEPENDENT



If Governor Sproul shall succeed



fessor from out of the West went to the University of Kan-

The "Pocketbook Theory"

THIRTY years ago a young pro-1\$10,000. The man who drinks short-

Made the Nation Dry



ens his working life increases his liv-ing expenses, lowers he earning pow-ers and so becomes of no economic

"I'M ALWAYS GLAD WHEN SUNDAY COMES SO I CAN HAVE A LOTTA FUN HAVE A LOTTA FUN WITH DAD WHILE MOTHER 'N SISTER GO TO A CHURCH"



"GUESS TILL

GO SOMEPLACE"



EDITORIAL COMMENT

WASHINGTON'S POSITION

"Europe has a set of primary interests, which to us have none, or a very remote relation. Hence she must be engaged in frequent controversies, the causes of which are sesentially foreign to our concerns. Hence, therefore, it must be unwise in us to implicate ourselves by artificial ties, in the ordinary vicissitudes of her politics, or the ordinary combinations and collisions of her friendships or enmitties.

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Why forego the advantages of such a peculiar situation? Why quit our own to stand upon foreigh ground? Why, by inter-weaving our destiny with that of any part of Europee, entangle our peace and prosperity in the toils of European ambition, rival ship, interest, humor or caprice?"

The above is quoted from President Washington's farewell address of September 17, 1796, refusing a second re-election. Was he sellish, or was he an AMERICAN.

RETURNING TO NORMAL

known for years. Literally thou sands of tons of coal will be reclaim ed this winter which would ord narily not have been taken out until spring, while preparations have been made to supply sand for the building and other operations whice are expected to boom this summe in Harrisburg and vicinity.

The visit of William Jenning Bryan to Harrisburg last night recalled the early visits of the Ne braskan to this city. The first tim the Congressman, as he was the known, was in Harrisburg was right.

Evening Chat

The unusually mild weather the

been the direct means of increa

many tons not only through the ship

ing Harrisburg's coal supply be many tons not only through the ship ment from stocks which have no been hard hit by orders and the lack of demand here, but because the river coal fleet has been able to operate. The strange spectace of coal dredges working in the chap nels near the small islands and bat and of the steamers frisking about in the middle of January in the Sus quehanna has been presented anhas been much commented upor "This mild spell has been a greathing for us" said the captain of one of the upper squadron who had long experience. "It is on of the few times in winter that we have been able to work and the result has been that we have gotte out many tons for the electric an other plants. We have also stocke up a lot of coal against any har spell, which will probably com along when none of us expects! The down river boats have bee busy too, some of them going cleato Highspire. We have been goin up to Rockville falls and a far quality of coal has been taken out. From what the river men say the high water at various times since the season, as it is termed, close on December 1, brought down lot of coal. Some of the boats were tie up in December as the usual repairs were to be made, but whe the river remained open the worl on fixing up the dredges and flat and steamers was hastened an January has seen more activity tha known on the broad waters of the Susquehanna at this point tha known for years. Literally thou sands of tons of coal will be reclaimed this winter which would ord narily not have been taken out until spring, while preparations have