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By BRIGGS

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DO YOU WANT

I DIDN'T

HEAR YA WHAT IS IT

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THEY ARE WATCHING US

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vice well prepared, and the record America is for equal privileges for they made in France reflected glory upon the sturdy old general who had drilled them, and grilled them, and made real soldiers of them.

FRIDAY EVENING,

Now that a City Forester has been appointed by the head of the Park Department, it is reasonable to expect that some definite plans will be formulated for the protection of the trees of the city. Too much cannot be looked for in the way of planting and treatment, but something will have been gained if the trees we have, I are saved from further butchering. and they will be of real service.

MAKING PROGRESS

are not careful, their colored neighbors are going to "beat them to it" in the matter of a Community House. The effort now on foot is fathered by the People's Forum, an organization of years' standing and of tested worth, and the executive committee met in Philadelphia and when the cards were put on the table, it was found that the gubernatorial campaign of 1918, when the Democratic national committeems from Pennsylvania committeems from Pennsylvania

Forum have done much in the past

bow we carry on the great task they so well began. For the work they started is only began. True, the fighting is over, but the war after the war—the struggle to make the struggle to the development of the ideal democracy, is only in its preliminary stages. And before we can go forward we must clear up the ruck and must for the war, set fid of the war, set fid

struggle, when the added man power of all of them. Rightfully or other-of the United States thrown into the balance overcame the German forces looked upon suffrage with sus-by sheer numbers. He laid great picion. The saloon vote, which is stress upon individual initiative to a very large degree influenced in among his officers and on discipline whatsoever way the breweries want, among the troops. "The School of the could be swung in against votes for meant more to him than women at any time. But with the the mere technical definition of the barroom gone and the brewery

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

Close of the Victory Loan campaign will be the signal for the start ave been gained if the trees we have, of another campaign in Pennsyl-nd maltreatment by those who know othing of trees and care less. Meanwhile, the Boy Scouts are going to Pennsylvania is noted and will probo-operate in this important work ably be the start of one of the most entertaining twelve month periods in a political way in a long, long time. And that is saying a good bit when F THE white folks of Harrisburg reference is made to the disjointed, disorganized, discredited Democratic

THEY ARE WATCHING US

The Yanks are coming home: thousands of them, but not all of them. There sleeps in France and Belgium and Italy a mighty host who laid down their lives in the cause of freedom. They gave up all they had that we may live in peace and happiness. They died because they had faith in their country as the best nation on the face of the earth, and the hope of mankind everywhere. They went forward to death because they believed that we at home were just as loyal, self-sacrificing and willing as they.

And now, from some far distant height in the happy land where the faithful warrior rests, it requires no great strain of the imagination to picture them watching us, to see how we carry on the great task they so well began. For the work they started is only begun. True, the fighting is over, but the war after the war—the struggle to make this country the best place possible for the standpoint of public has arisen to disturb the first instance demanded Fiume in the past few years, but they have reached a place where they must go forward or go back, and they have very thing wisely decided to throw everything into the balance and make a bold play for the establishment of such a Community House as will give them the opportunity for the uplift work they desire to do. Their determination to co-operate with Colonel Martin in the making into the poportunity for the uplift work they desire to do. Their determination to co-operate with Colonel Martin in the making divergence of Harrisburg a model city from the standpoint of public health and sanitation, is an earnest of their intention to work for the betterment of the whole community as well as for the poorer families of their own race.

THE ITALIAN SITUATION

Parting for the earliest possible day, without waiting for the call of Congress in special place, and they have very thing the session at the earliest possible day, without waiting for the earliest possible and they have very thing the place deided to throw everything into the bedieded to throw everythi

Built Monuments to Himself

wise, the liquor crowd has always looked upon suffrage with suspicion. The saloon vote, which is to a very large degree influenced in whatsoever way the breweries want, could be swung in against votes for women at any time. But with the harroom gone and the brewery closed, the suffrage workers will be faced next time by less relentless and less ruthless opponents than heretofore. The whole trend of the Detroit News.

A HANDY MAN AROUND THE HOUSE

HENRY WILL

YOU GET THAT

FROM THE ATTIC

Bond Principal Free of Tax

following important statement:

ERTY AND VICTORY LIB-ERTY BONDS 1-Liberty Bonds of all issues and the Victory Liberty Loan Bonds can be held in any amount and the

Victory Loan headquarters has

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TRUNK DOWN

organization of years' standing and of tested worth, and the executive committee in charge of the project is made up of men and women well known in the community for their devotion to public welfare and the development of community spirit in their race. The plan is deserving of the public support it no doubt will have.

The need of a Community House is going to be felt more keenly even than at present once the saloons are closed. Men will seek places where they may congregate for amusement, recreation and discussion. They will find such places who will find such places, no doubt of that, but what kind of places will they be? Will they be club rooms on the third floor, rear, or the Community House where good influences prevail? It remains for the right thinking people of the city to say.

In particular is it important that some such place be established for the colored people of the city. They never had the opportunity for self-improvement to which they are entitled. The men and women of the Forum have done much in the past few years, but they have reached a session at the earliest possible day,

were put of the woters of his party for Governor of Pennsylvania, and well that publicated the choice of the majority of the voters of his party for Governor of Pennsylvania, had well committee and the devolopment of community was left. It was then determined to start out afresh and organize the State from top to bottom in advance of the Presidential campaign of 1920, which means that the Palmer partisans were afraid that they were going to be beaten when the time came to elect national delegates.

Meanwhile some quiet work has been under way and the reports of the men, who have been inquiring at various points, indicate that not only is the Bonniwell scation strong have accentuated the party factionalism.

And now it is announced that the Metterior of Pennsylvania. This has made the moniwell men more determined to main the gubernor of Pennsylvania. This has made the moniwell men more determined to main the gubernor of

-A call of Congress in special

FARMERS BIG BOND BUYERS

I The daily average net paid circulation of

29,214

No other Harrisburg newspaper can any-

where near approach these figures.

of March, 1919, was

the Harrisburg Telegraph for the month

TOYS TO PALESTINE

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HENRY

een asked for information from every angle in the last few days as to the taxation features of the present bonds. There has been much confusion, even the salesmen had no clear idea about it. Chairman Donald McCormick to-day dictated the TAXATION FEATURES OF LIB-

principal, is free from all local county and State taxes. county and State taxes.

2—The income from Liberty
Bonds and the Victory Liberty Loan
is free from all income tax unless
your income is more than \$5,000 a
year. This means that unless your
income is over \$5,000 a year you
can buy Victory Liberty Bonds,
knowing the bonds and the income
from the bonds are free from all
tax.

To those with larger incomes, the following will be of interest: 1—The income on the first 3 1-2 per cent. bonds is permanently exempt from income tax. TRADE BRIEFS

Transmission of electric power to the city of Stockholm, Sweden, from the new power station at Untran, is just beginning. It will deliver about half of what the power station can produce; but this alone will save the city coal to the value of \$4,000,000.

Transmission of electric power to the city of Stockholm, Sweden, from the new power station can produce; but this alone will save the city coal to the value of \$4,000,000. 2—Under previous Liberty Loan laws a possible aggregate of \$110.000 of Liberty bonds, in addition to your 3 1-2 per cent. bonds can be held free from inome surtaxes and excess profit taxes until two years after the termination of the war. after the termination of the war.

3—Under the Victory Liberty loan legislation, in addition to the foregoing exemptions (and for a period of five years after the termination of the war) the income on additional \$30,000 of First Liberty loan converted, Second Liberty loan converted and unconverted, Third and Fourth Liberty loan is exempt as to income tax.

4—An additional specific income tax exemption to purchasers of Victory of the produced specific income tax exemption to purchasers of Victory of the power station can half of what the produce but this alone will save the city coal to the value of \$4,000,000.

Travelers' samples are carried at ways in the British East Africa Protectorate.

The South African railway administration holds a coal area of sixteen ways in the British East Africa ways in the British East A

4—An additional specific income tax and it is be opened tax exemption to purchasers of Victory Liberty loan is as follows:

An additional amount of \$20,000 of the bonds mentioned in An additional amount of \$20,000 of the bonds mentioned in paragraph 3 may be held free from all income tax for a period of five years after the termination of the war, if you become an original subscriber to the Victory Liberty loan. Claim for exemption, however, can be made only to an amount equaling three times the amount of your original subscription. For example, to participate to the extent of \$20,000 additional exemption, you must subscribe for \$6,700 of the Victory bonds. Thus it is possible for a subscriber to the new Victory Liberty bonds to hold exempt from income surtaxes, excess and war profit taxes, an aggregate amount of \$160,000 of bonds in addition to his 3 1-2 per cent. Liberty bonds.

5—As all property is subject to State and inheritance taxes, no special reference to this has been made in the above statement.

THE PRICE OF BREAD

[From the Philadelphia Press]
Though anticipating a wheat yield for 1919 which will tax to the utmost the country's storage, railroad and shipping facilities, Federal Wheat Director Barnes predicts that there will be no decrease in the price of bread though flour prices may be expected to decrease slightly by June. Millers, on the other hand, are predicting an increase of about four dollars in the cost of flour per barrel.

Probably it is safer to rely on the Wheat Director's prediction. He has at his disposal the stores of government-owned wheat, a billion-dollar fund which Congress appropriated to guarantee the \$2.26 a bushel price until 1920, and large powers and discretion over the nation's supply. He should certainly be able to anticipate a justifiable increase.

Knowing that our bumper crop is [From the Philadelphia Press]

price and to check an unjustifiable increase.

Knowing that our bumper crop is offset by the scant crops in Europe and that we shall have to share our plenty with the less fortunate peoples abroad, the public is reconciled to the fact that the five-cent loaf of bread is gone, perhaps never to return. But a further increase of price in the midst of plenty is another thing. Now, if ever, is the time for the Federal authorities to be on the alert to curb profiteering. With the second largest wheat crop in the history of the Nation the American people are at least entitled to expect their bread to come no higher than the price it brought in war time.

Proper Spelling

When it comes to buying
Bonds of Victory,
Let the whole wide Nation
Spell it with a We.

Compliment and Warning [From the Wilkes-Barre Record]

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No MAN has a greater appreciation of the practical value of good collateral than the farmer. The Dauphin County Victory
Loan Committee is authority for this statement which is based on observation and experience covering all of the Liberty Loan drives.
Farmers as a class have been ready buyers of the various loans and one incentive in their buying has been the collateral value of the collateral value of the collateral value of the collateral value of the collaters of the collaters of the collaters of the security which is speedily convertible into cash with the least trouble and with the highest loan value.

Spring financing of the season's harvest is always one of the farm of saccommodation on notes of various kinds is very often on easy matter. The security offered, though of great worth to the farmer, may have very little "getting" power when used to guarantee loans. Machinery is subject to constant depreciation and its capacity as a borrowing medium yearly grows

TRADE RRIEFS

Itularly counter and outside platform.

It is conditional to the state can become more less undesirable as security to those with money to lend. But Government bonds and the new Victory Loan nonds and the most convenient and the new Victory Loan holds.

For all this form of security, the farmer who makes a wise in its possession a form of collateral in the security which is speedily converting the same of the farmer who makes a wise in its possession a form of collateral in the collateral value of the very highest borrown in grow and that is instantly acceptable collateral in the collateral value of the very highest borrown in the pays of the loans. In the problems that gives great concern. The security offered, though of great worth to the farmer, may have very little "getting" power when used to guarantee loans. Machinery is subject to constant depreciation and its capacity and are the best and most acceptable collateral in the farmer, and problems that the may be the beginning of a new area in Republican politics. World world with

ularly counter and outside platform

[From the Boston Globe]
Ever since the outbreak of the war, the children of Palestine have been without toys, and a whole generation is growing up that has not even "mothered" a doll. The miscries that have all but overwhelmed the city of Jerusalem have robeed even the boys of any inclination to play, except now and then a pathetic

Integration holds a coal area of sixteen in the coal used for the special part of the

needed,
They wouldn't let him Go Across
For Being Right before his Boss,
He didn't Cry and spoil his Beauty,
But Held his Tongue and Did his

Duly
As oft before through Lively Times
Of Peace and War in Tropic Climes.
And when we want a Man who's
Steady,
Clear-minded, Fearless, Trained and
Ready,
Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot?—

Why, no, I fancy Rather Not!

—Arthur Guiterman in Life.

LABOR NOTES

About one-fifth of the manufacturers of machine tools in Germany are organized as limited companies or as companies with limited liabilities. The largest factories employ under normal conditions from 2000 to 3000 workmen. The combined organization has over 100,000 men on its payrolls.

or its payrolls.

Of the 28,500,000 persons gainfully employed in the 40 states having compensation laws, 86,000,000, or 30.2 per cent, belong to the employes or independent class, while 13,700,000, or 48.1 per cent, represent employes covered by compensation acts and 6,200,000, or 2.18 per cent, are employes not covered. Approximately 50 to 85 per cent, of the employing class are farmers or home farm laborers.

Evening Ch

This is tulip time in Har

Hundreds of gardens are abla the blooms of the great flower and the variety of th soms is perhaps greater, that known here. The raising of has been a favorite form of a ing here for many years letters mention the arrival oulbs from Holland and th papers of bygone days present the local news which is so their columns, compared to ou day standards, notes of the f day standards, notes of the fipearance of somebody's Like the growing of roses the raising in this city has been a opment. There have always be votees of the flower, but it that in the last twenty-five yee there have been more of them ed than ever. Perhaps, the favor of lawns has had sor to do with it. There was when the only displays of were made in Front street; or at the outlying homes stantial citizens, but the tradiods of people who deal in bull not only extended their samensely, but brought about terest that occasionally religible to the first of the control of th pearance of somebody's State Museum; out in Reservol and in many a garden. Some bulbs have been planted in c and show a bewildering asso of color, while in other garde colors have been segregated a flowers bloom each in their It is a pretty custom and Haris showing an interest in tuli ing that bids fair to be worth in a few more years to come.

Bid schedules received in the state of the st

Bid schedules received in the property of the by road builders, showing the submitted to the New York Highway Department, on Ar reveal the fact that on a thip projects the New York Deparenceived no bids at all. This tartling contrast to the situal Pennsylvania, where, on the "lettings" held so far this covering three score project average of contractors bidd each job was five. No projects than two bidders and son less than two bidders and son a dozen. Pennsylvania's roa struction program has attracte tractors of the largest calibe only from the State itself, bu far distant points. The State's embrace more construction of manent nature than has ye undertaken by any commony At the peak construction poi summer a total of 35,000 me be at work on the highways of sylvania, employed both by the and the successful bidders. "lettings" are scheduled for date; and it is an evidence interest these "lettings" are ing that advertisements calli interest these "lettings" are ing that advertisements call bids no longer specify that the opened in the Highway ment, but in the Capitol at burg. The department is cap but when 125 representatives tractors gather to hear bids and read the congestion is too great. Henceforth when gather, the "lettings" will in large committee or causis

stee character that makes good Press dents. Nothing could be more complimentary than this extract from plimentary than this extract from "Governor Sproul marches forward manfully, meeting the issues as they arise. The Commoner welcomes him to the political arena and hopes that he may be the beginning of a new area in Republican politics, when the period of the period is their best."

We need such political opponents to spur the Democrats up to doing their best."

For all this Governor Sproul and his friends will feel duly appreciative. Taken in connection with another article in The Commoner it be democratic party. In the other article Mr. Eryan says:

"If the Democratic party is to remain the champion of the masses and secure for them their rights, it must be looking around for a Presidential candidate for 1920—a young man, old enough to have won the people's confidence and yet young enough to organize and lead the ight against private monopoly. He may not win in 1920—it may take as long as it did to win the fight common will require one who is of the people and accustomed to works with the people. He needs the solutions of words. The age messpaper column contains the clohorts of privilege and favortism will require one who is of the people and accustomed to works with the people. He needs the solutions of willingness to die, if his death will advance the cause."

DO YOU KNOW

-That Harrisburg is furn ing considerable material building operations in ne

HISTORIC HARRISBURG General Anthony Wayne us John Harris here after

NEWS INDEED

Senator Penrose was spe about a young reporter from West who made his mark as a V ington correspondent. "I remember the first po banquet he attended after he