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of women voters in the political life league proposals, however viewed. the State or nation is on the side of right and justice, wherever that may be found, and not within the narrow confines of a "Woman's Party," which will get nowhere and

will serve no good purpose.

Nor will the voting privilege extended to women work any immediate great reforms. It has not in the States that have given women the

By carefer, ten central years, where should be no more fiquer the should be not more figured. The probability of the should be s

vious to his election, and afterward in his inaugural address, he pledged to Panama nor to Cuba the right to decide what action we should take in protecting them, nor the suffragists were justly entitled to the celebration in which they indused.

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Party and expect all men or even a the Monroe Doctrine. There is a vast majority of men to join it. The place difference between them and the

## Politics in Pennsylvania

Governors are always big figures right of suffrage and it is not likely to do so in Pennsylvania. It is right in the political talk when a legislative service in the solitical talk when a legislative service service in the solitical talk when a legislative service and proper that women should vote, if they so desire, and it appears that they do, but the influence of their they do, but the influence of their participation in elections will be felt more as the years go by than who do not, than ordinarily falls to at once. In the long run universal the lot of a State executive at this suffrage is bound to be beneficial, period of an administration. The

at once. In the long run universal suffrage is bound to be beneficial, because in the first place it is a matter of justice and secondly it is sound democracy.

THE GOVERNOR IS RIGHT

GOVERNOR SPROUL has taken an unassallable position with provisions of which are to permit the marketing of beers in Pennsylvania that in alcohol content would defeat the purpose of the national prohibition amendment.

In the first place, such a bill, if enforced, would render inoperative to a considerable degree the "bone-dry" provisions which were in the minds of the people when prohibition was enacted. It would break both the spirit and the letter of the Federal mandate.

But there are other reasons why there should be no more liquor legislation at this session. The prohibition decree is national in its scope and no State should attempt to set up laws until it is known what Con-

AIN'T IT A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELIN'?

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(MAY-)-AND YOU GET ONE AWFUL ATTACK OF SPRING FEVER



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(JUNE) - AND THEN THE LAST DAY VACATION - OH- H- H. BOY

(MARCH) - AND YOU'VE HAD

TO WRESTLE OVER TERRIBLE

EXAMPLES IN ARITHMETIC

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## The Eclipse of the Sun

[From the Erie Dispatch]

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Before a large audience at Washington, D. C., William J. Bryan, former Secretary of State, expressed the belief that President Wilson's recommendation for the repeal of the wartime prohibition act so far as it related to beer and wines was a mistake. He opined the President would not have taken this step had he been in this country and in closer touch with conditions.

Mr. Bryan has evidently not read what President Wilson said before his first departure for Europe six months ago. The President said:

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[From the New York World]

The shipbuilding capacity of the United States has been expanded from an unimportant position among the maritime nations to first place. Over the Straits. He fears that the mandate for Constantinople will be unduly involved with the collection of the Turkish debt, and that is a matter in which America has no concern. Britain, France, Italy and place, or from 1,000,000 tons before the war to 13,835,000 already built constantly in touch with the weighty matters of domestic policy with which we have to deal."

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The Eclipse of the Sun

The me has been proposed by the common's Minor' is the only man do not been any interesting the common of the control lay down right there and howled with laughter. I have always been curious to know what the official German report was on that example of American barbarism."

### Wars Now Raging

[From the New York Tribune.] In far-off Afghanistan turbaned tribesmen hurl themselves against men with different turbans. In Bohemia Huns of the Red variety are making home-staying Czecho-Slovaks understand what their kin endured in Siberia. In Souther Russia Poles and Ukrainians hav a sulphurous canopy every othe

day.

The White Finns are in trenches not far from Petrograd, and Livonians and Esthonians are giving the Bolshevik some of their own medicine. Over an 800-mile front Kol-

ians and Esthonians are giving the Bolshevik some of their own medicine. Over an 800-mile front Kolchak keeps pecking away, and in front of Archangel and behind the Murmansk coast our men at last accounts were fighting alongside the British and French.

Bulgaria threatens another invasion of Serbia, China is angry at Japan and little Flume has voted \$30,000,000 to make herself ready to fight the whole world should President Wilson lead it to attack her liberties. Finally, Mexico-way there is a smell of smoke and burying parties are disposing of dead Villistas.

If the war correspondents were not out of breath this would be their busy year. We talk peace, but a large percentage of the human family is acting war. Human nature is not suspended. The old game has many devotees.

The thought of Paris runs not to putting fires out, but to preventing their spread. We elect to say little about disagreeable facts, but there they are. Big wars, declared Othello, made ambition virtue: but how about the little wars? They at least prove something to those who do not allow visions to get in front of their vision.

## Evening Chai

While strictly speaking the State of Pennsylvania might be said to have issued its last bonds back in 1881, they were refunding bonds and if any one wants to make a comparison with the bond issue sold yesterday to a New York syndicate with a handsome premium for a four and a quarter per cent. security, he must go to the days of the Civil War. The \$12,000,000 road bond issue stands unique and as far as any premiums are concerned nothing like what was paid for the new securities has ever been known here. The State's public loans are interesting. And it is also interesting to note that at one time this State was \$40,000,000 in debt and that only a generation or more of careful financing enabled it to wipe out the last of its bonds in the last decade. The bonds which were redeemed a few years ago, excepting a few for which the cash has been long on deposit and which the State fiscal officers would be glad to charge off if the owners would only come around, were part of the issue of 1881. This was a thirty-year loan amounting to \$9,450,000 and was issued to refund bonds dating from the Civil War. It was not a loan such as was sold yesterday. The last real bond issue before this year was on May 15, 1861, when \$3,000,000 of bonds were issued to arm the State for the Civil War. Some of these bonds and various other forms of debt dragged along for years and were consolidated and refunded by the 1881 issue. The Civil War bonds bore six per cent. interest, while the 1881 series bore three and a half. It was also worthy of note that there was an interest of almost a quarter of a century between the Civil War issue of \$3,000,000 and the preceding loan. This was made on April 16, 1845 and was for \$4,476,572 to make repairs and extensions to the Pennsylvania canal and railroad. At that time it was the largest loan the State had ever made and was the beginning of the end of State ownership because people Megan to set tired of the proposition. largest loan the State had ever made and was the beginning of the end of State ownership because people began to get tired of the proposition. This loan bore five per cnet. There were other loans going back to 1821 which are of record and still others which run into the days of the revolution and the war of 1812. The twenties, thirties and forties were apparently bond issuing times and many of the loans were for the canal and railroad.

as one of the most pushing concerns that developed the great Hog Is-land shipyard. It has also been engaged on extensive operations about Chester.

## WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

—Mayor E. V. Babcock, of Pitts-burgh, was among visitors to Harris-burg yesterday and spent some time with the Governor. —J. P. McCaskey, former Mayor —J. P. McCaskey, former Mayor of Lancaster, and noted educator, was here to see the Legislature at

work.
-Frank B. McClain, former Lieu-—Frank B. McClain, former Lieu-tenant-Governor, was one of the in-terested spectators at the final action

of suffrage.

—Andrew Hourigan, former Assistant United States Attorney, is spending a few days here.

—B. J. Myers, Deputy Attorney General, attended his class reunion at Lafayette.

## DO YOU KNOW

-That Harrisburg is one of the few places in the country intended for a State Capital from the beginning?

HISTORIC HARRISBURG —The first bank in Harrisburg was branch of the Philadelphia bank.

### More Light [From the New York Tribune]

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