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Wealth takes into itself the qualities by which it is won.—HOLLAND.

THE LOCAL OUTLOOK

THE outlook is for a great Republican victory in Dauphin county at the polls in November. Every indication points in that direction.

There is a reason for this lack of interest in Democratic affairs other than the mismanagement of the party's organization.

Honest, efficient conduct of public affairs is the best advertisement any political party can offer.

THE FARMER KNOWS

THE farmer appears to be the only manual worker in the country who knows that production depends upon effort and that all wealth is based on the human capacity, or desire or ability to work.

A Washington dispatch quotes one of the great agricultural authorities of the Nation as saying that the farmer did his full part during the war; that he speeded up production and thereby saved the world from starvation.

Governor Sproul is telling the other Governors in Utah to-day a few things about good old Pennsylvania which ought to open their eyes to the splendid character of this State and its tremendous resources.

Let us not try to fool ourselves. We must work, and work hard if we are to live. The way to get more of the world's goods is to work harder.

and this is as it should be; but no labor union in the world can increase its wages beyond the power of an industry to pay, and every time production is decreased in any line of trade just so often the ability of the industry to pay higher wages is lessened.

The farmer is prospering not alone through the higher prices he is getting for his products, but because he is growing larger crops, planting a bigger acreage and harvesting larger yields.

Of course you are preparing to take a big part in the Kipona festivities. It's a day for hospitality and friendly exchanges. Everybody will be on the river or at its edge on Labor Day.

A GROSS ERROR

WE INVITE that ignorant Paris dressmaker, who told an Associated Press reporter the other day that American women were ashamed to show their ankles in public because they are not pretty, to come to Harrisburg and learn the truth.

Why any day, any hour, in Market street, with the highest cars and the tight, short skirts working overtime, we could convict that rash French person of error on two counts, as they say in court.

Firstly, American women, or Harrisburg women at least, are not afraid to put their ankles on display. Yea, they go even beyond that modest stage.

Indeed, even bashful, circumspect persons, happily married and supposed to be far removed from the wiles of feminine charms, have so remarked to us.

Children's welfare work is a God-given privilege for all who realize the importance of getting the little people started right.

MUST PAY THE PIPER

NOW that Congress has killed the daylight saving law the members and Senators who voted to override the veto must prepare to pay the piper.

President Wilson did admirably in the matter and keenly sensed the sentiment of the country with respect to the repeal of this law, which was highly beneficial to millions of people.

"Dry" Era Booms Tobacco

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A Creed

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Lord, let me not in service lag, Let me be worthy of our flag; Let me remember, when I'm tried, The name that's written on the dial.

The Starry Flag which flies above

The Starry Flag which flies above, In all I am, in all I do, Unto our flag I would be true; For God and country let me stand, Unstained of soul and clean of hand, Teach me to serve and guard and love.

Call in the Junkers

Erzberger says "brutal measures" are needed to bring out hidden money for taxation. Well, nobody knows any more about brutal measures than the Germans.

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

Auditor General Charles Snyder will lay before the probers into the collapse of the State Bank of New York such facts as he is in possession of that may throw light on the involvement of former State Banking Commissioner John L. Lammie.

These minutes will show whether Mr. Lafean was present at that meeting. They will be given to the District Attorney.

Congressman John J. Casey, of Williams-Barre, has informed Thomas Kennedy, president of district No. 7 of the United Mine Workers, that he accepts the invitation to be the speaker at the county day rally of miners at Fisher's Hill, in Hazleton, on September 1.

The taxpayers of Wyoming, at a special session approved a loan of \$50,000 for permanent street and sewer improvements.

Captain George F. Lumb, head of the State Police, has motored to Maine where he will spend his vacation.

Postmaster Frank C. Sites has been summoned to Washington to confer with the members of a committee on postmasters' salaries. He will be absent most of next week.

M. Harvey Taylor, who has been getting into the county seat, says his candidacy is moving along to suit him and he expects a big vote.

Peace, Then Stability

[From the Journal of Commerce.] On the other hand, the President performs a needed public service by insisting that there can be no settled conditions, here or elsewhere, until the peace is made.

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WONDER WHAT A GIRL IN THE CHORUS THINKS ABOUT

By BRIGGS

WELL HERE GOES THE SECOND CORE OF THIS ROTTEN NUMBER - GEE-E-G WHIZ

I GET SO SICK OF THIS NUMBER - BUH-LIEVE ME I COULD DO BETTER OR I'D CRAWL OFF N DIE

THAT'S A CUTE LOOKIN KID IN FRONT - I GOT HIS EYE A COUPLA TIMES, I S'POSE HE GOT AN IDEA I'M SMILIN' AT HIM THE POOR FISH

I HOPE THIS IS THE LAST TIME - I'M SO TIRED I COULD FLOP ON A PICKET FENCE AND ENJOY A GOOD REST

OH FOR TH' LUVA MIKE! ANOTHER ENCORE! I DON'T SEE WHAT THEY IS IN THIS PUNK SONG I'M NEARLY DEAD

IF I COULD GET A JOB IN ANOTHER SHOW I'D JUMP THIS ONE 'N THAT'S NO CRACKED ICE DREAM EITHER - I'D LIKE TO LIGHT ON A LIVE ONE ONCE BEFORE I DROP

THAT WAS SOME PARTY LAST NIGHT - I AIN'T GOT NO BUSINESS GOIN' OUT LIKE THAT - THERE'S THAT SIMP GIVIN' ME THE EYE AGAIN

MAYBE HE WANTS TO FRAME UP A DITE HE LOOKS LIKE HE'S ONLY A KID - YOU NEVER CAN TELL THO' - I'LL ASK CAMILLE WHAT SHE GOT ON FOR TONIGHT I'D LIKE TO GO OUT AND MAKE A NOISY PARTY - I'LL GIVE HIM A SMILE N' KID IN ALONG

No Wonder Germany Quit

By MAJOR FRANK C. MAHIN Of the Army Recruiting Station

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HUNDRED MILLION NEW BUYERS

EDITORIAL COMMENT

THE most important body in Russia to-day is the organization of Russian Co-operatives, which represents twenty million members or one hundred million customers.

The foundation of the co-operatives is the Russian peasant, the backbone of Russia to-day.

They have now established a commission in this country with headquarters in New York, to explain their organization to American business men, secure credit and operation, and to study our methods.

They would welcome a mission from the United States. The Nation's Business for September.

Letters to the Editor

He Likes the "Telegraph"

Writing to the editor-in-chief of the Telegraph from Washington, an experienced and able publisher and editor pays us this compliment:

"I want to congratulate you on the splendid paper you issue. It ranks both typographically and in handling of news with the best metropolitan dailies. I have been surprised to see what a remarkably good paper you print in a city the size of Harrisburg. I am myself a daily newspaper publisher and see from time to time nearly all the big papers, but I think you have the best paper, sized of city taken into account, I have ever seen, and certainly one of the best in any city. That it is appreciated is evidenced by your excellent advertising patronage."

High Cost of Unpreparedness

[Philadelphia North American.] We were absolutely unready for the colossal enterprise, a condition which President Wilson and Secretary Baker, in their own inaction, as an evidence of our unwarlike principles.

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Evening Chat

By BRIGGS

The Kipona Executive Committee proposes that there shall be a war canoe race in which teams representing the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club and the Kiwanis Club will be the contestants.

Among the men who manned the city boat that was the important element in the Kipona of to-day.

All the same time another club which had a handsome boathouse with large storage facilities at front and Maclay streets went out of business, the flood ruining the structure and its contents.

The boat races held under the auspices of the Harrisburg Boat Club drew thousands of spectators.

Members of the old boat club rowed in regattas at Philadelphia, Newark, Seneca Lake, Columbia, Sloatsburg and other places where contests for national championships were staged and always made a good showing.

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