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I WAS WONDERING
IF YOUR BUSINESS
WAS IN GOOD

SHAPE

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By BRIGGS

Evening Chat

Judging from the manner in which the National and State

authorities studying the possibilities

of deepening the Susquehanna River

from Harrisburg to tidewater from

a business standpoint are going about things, there will be a report made one of these days that will be a surprise to the folks who have been of the opinion that the scheme is impracticable. From what army engineers say, the use of modern explosives can provide a channel in the bed of the river which will permit of navigation the greater part of the year and as far as the technical side of the proposition goes it is believed that a method which will be within means available can be devised to cut a way in the rock, which form the base of the river and make the Susquehanna a suc-

devised to cut a way in the rock. which form the base of the river and make the Susquehanna a succession of shallow pools. While this has been going on there have been studies made of the business that arises in the way of products and produce and of the share which water transportation may reasonably be considered as likely to get in competition with railroads in the present state of equipment. This is what is engaging the thoughts of the experts. The Susquehanna navigation possibilities, as has been pointed out in this column, have been studied three times. 1790, 1824-1835 and at present. The survey now under way is the most serious since that of the eighteenth century, although the Harrisburg Chronicle and other newspapers of 1828 and 1829 gave much space to legislative discussions of the subject and frequent estimates of the amount of wheat, pork, whisky, coal, hay and other commodities of those days which could be floated to Harrisburg. The figures run into the thousands and include coal from Luzerne and Clearfield county. Floating of produce down to Harris Ferry on boats known as "broadhorns" or "arks" began as soon as the river was made safe from Indians, who had been the pests of the hunters and trappers who used to come down with their pelts in canoes to trade with John Harris.

It is interesting in this connection to note that the first wheat and

business standpoint are going about

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A REAL POLICE STATION

A TLAST, thanks to Mayor Keister and members of City Council, Harrisburg has a police headquarters of which it need not be ashamed. The transformed Fager school building is well located, dignified, conveniently designed and generally what it should be.

The suggestion has been made that the city buy the structure and use it permanently for police stateword nowise conflict with the proposal to erect a joint courthouse and city hall, but rather would nowise conflict with the proposal to erect a joint courthouse and city hall, but rather would tend to simplify that problem by removing for all time, the police headquarters from the municipal building. It will be a short time, indications are until the Legisfature relieves the most of the city, amidst picture.

The Plitaburgh as special assistant attorney general.

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for the worthy charities of the city and the welfare activities, it is only proper that these funds should be

THURSDAY EVENING,

Placing the various activities in one building, where there can be an interlocking of heads and assistants for routine work, seems eminently

A FINE EXAMPLE

Telephone and telegraphic messages have been sent to county seats urging that the returns be rushed. Dauphin county is one of the counties which was late, the others being located in distant parts of the State. Much interest is being shown here in reports of various independent movements in the State. Some attempts to pre-empt names for local use have been made at the Capitol but as the elections this year arpurely county or municipal the papers were returned. in the city.

A ter and members of City Council, Harrisburg has a police headquarters of which it need not

them out of the mud if they will in these cool October days the dis-

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeemas

Inability of election boards in half a dozen of the counties in Penn-Much religious activity has followed the various movements having the primary elections and certify for their purpose the reviving of the official figures to the secretary for their purpose the reviving of church efforts along practical lines. The power of organization, as demonstrated in the co-operation of the war period, has impressed the State from certifying the judicial nominees as the law requires. For the first time in years the law the religious community and must result in great achievement.

The power of organization of the Commonwealth has prevented the State from certifying the judicial nominees as the law requires. For the first time in years the law officers who were consulted about it say that there is nothing else to do as the figures have not been received.

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Telephone and telegraphic mes-

By carrier, ten cents a week; by mail, \$3.00 a year in advance.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1919

For Jehovah will not cast off his people, niether will be forsake his inheritance.—Ps. 94:14.

The coording in the county committee for Tuesday when the chairman will be chosen. The Pittsburgh Dispatch says: "Several names were suggested but agreement was reached that City Solicitor Douglas' selection would reunite all elements of the party in the county."

—Joseph F. Guffey, the western putting their stars on the service flags which were so prominently displayed during the war.

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made these appointments: Edward F. Duffy, of Pittsburgh. T LAST, thanks to Mayor Keis- service flag for all time. It will as special assistant district atforney vice R. B. McGinniss, of Pittsburgh

them out of the mud if they will only co-operate.

Dauphin county towns should size up the situation and co-operate with Commissioner Sadler in every possible way. A great highway system cannot be constructed with joiling links represented by the streets of indifferent boroughs.

The Dauphin County Historical Society will have its regular meeting this evening, and the importance of the work of this association is becoming better understood and apprecentated set the necessity for authernies. The unfortunate part of the work of this association is becoming better understood and apprecentated set the necessity for authernies.

Harrisburgers have not forgotten in these cool October days the discomposite of the summer's heat and the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going collisies in the river. They are going the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desire for bathing facilities in the river. They are going called the constant desired to constant desired to define the constant desired to define the constant desired to define the constant desired to content the says he were written in.

James M. Breslin. Democratic of soldiers may be seen: never on officer.

"From the first days of the revocause he says he was named with-toon of his friends, has consent.

YOU'RE HOME NOW SO MUCH MORE THAN YOU USED

OH, MAN!

SHE'D LAY

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

By MAJOR FRANK C. MAHIN Of the Army Recruiting Station

A flutter of falling leaves,
A clinging of hearts together;
A whisper of wind that grieves,
Bright sun, and it's autuweather!

YOU'VE BEEN PRETTY REGULAR

AMIABLE BUT ILL-SMELLING

BOLSHEVIKI AT BUDAPEST

There Was a Decidedly Humorous Side to Bela Kun's Short Lived Revolution

SINCE ABOUT THE





The Spirit of the Law
[From the Scranton Times]
Nothing will so much help to restablish confidence in communities that have felt that property rights are too frequently emphasized at the expense of the humanitarian side of existence than to have courts take strong stands favoring humanitarian principles when property rights clash therewith. Such a decision has been made by the Supreme Court of New York State in the case of certain tenants against landlords who is sought to evict them.

I two contended by the pleader of the tenant that tenants should not be thrown into the streets a landlord. The life, health and wellandlord. The life, health and wellandlord. The life, health and wellandlord. The life, health and wellandlord in the continuence of the children and that on the day the writ was to be executed it rained. The supreme court sustained the action of the officer, who acted on the advice of an assistant direction of the advice of an assistant direction. THE humorous side of Bolshevism as it manifested itself in
Budapest under the short lived
regime of Bela Kun is engagingly
revealed by a correspondent of London Truth who was in the Hungardon Truth who was in the Hungartrail diamond because he would have

drums
Deploys d'Annunzio!
The war is over—from its strain
Our ears no more are deaf?
Forget you over there Sinn Fein?
And here the F. I. F.?

And here the F. I. F.?

And here the F. I. F.?

The war is over, waged and won,
And all its horrors cease—

Just list that scrap in Washington,
That strife of making peace!

The war is over; 'twas the last—
No more its red intrigue.

Hark Wilson's whoop and Borah's
blast

To crown or crush the league!

The war is over, now you'd like
To chant its requiem?

The war is over, now you'd like
To chant its requiem?

The scops, the steel crews lured to
strike.

The Senate—go ask them!

The war is over—hall the joys
Of concord, peace and love!

Now, 'mong the blows and 'mid the
noise,
Anyone seen that dove?

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of the last one.

The Philadelphia Press says that ex-Senator John E. Fox, banker and lawyer, is a farmer. This is what the Press remarks: "So if Senator John Fox, another eminent citizen of Harrisburg, cannot raise alfalfa, he can grow pine trees and black walnuts. And the Senator was a real success as an alfalfa farmer. He tells me that on nine acres of ground he produced for five successington, six years about 39 tons a year. Inability to get farm labor finally induced this lawyer-agriculturist to plant 27,000 pine trees. On three acres of land he will plant black on a walnut, which eventually ought to be worth a good deal more than the ground cost the Senator. And these crops of pine and walnut trees require no labor."

And now it seems the laundry strike the laundry strike, the laun the laundry dry strike, acheth swiftly down the pike. shirt, in Scotland called strik."

Deserts your torso, leaves you stark;
The collar too will be taboo;
You will not get it in the neck—
No, that your beard must deck.

Each bachelor above a tub, above a tub, above a tub.

Must soap and rinse and squeeze and rub.

Unless he finds him tout de sweet A Phyllis handy, swift and neat.

A kindly scout who'll help him out.

One of the best things Don Cameron ever did for the Senate of Pennsylvania was when he appointed Herman P. Miller to be a page

in that body. That was away back

in 1876. The boy was barely old enough to qualify for the position.

During the succeeding decade Herman P. Miller rose through all the gradations of service on Capitol Hill. To-day he holds the responsible position of librarian of the Senate. He has held it for twenty-eight years succeeding the late Can.

[George Nox McCain, in the Phila-delphia Evening Ledger]