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Slowly by God's hand unfurled

Down around the weary world

Falls the darkness; oh how still

Is the working of Thy will!

—WILLIAM HENRY FURNESS.

COMING CELEBRATION

There is widespread interest among the foreign-born population of Harrisburg in the forthcoming Fourth of July celebration.

It is probable that there will be a division of the parade in which will march the men and sons of men who came to our shores from other lands.

Out of one congregation in one of the mining towns of Pennsylvania 117 boys of foreign parentage have joined our forces.

TRAINING CLASSES

The training classes for drafted men at the Technical High School ought to be well attended.

WHO'S PLAYING POLITICS

The Democratic leaders in Congress who objected to dealing with the revenue problem at this session were naive if not nervous in the reasons which they advanced in support of their position.

LABOR NOTES

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