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For God appointed us not unto wrath, but unto the obtaining of salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, that whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with him.—1. THESS. 5: 9, 10.

PUBLIC INTEREST

FOR the benefit of "fans" who were compelled to attend court at Evansville, Ind., Judge Phillip C. Gould, presiding in circuit court, announced the world's series scores from the bench, inning by inning.

There's a judge for you; a man with the milk of human kindness in his soul; a man who understands that public interest those days lies more along the lines of the lighter, things of life than in dry court proceedings.

And speaking of Judge Gould's understanding of what interests the public most at the moment, brings us to the point of repeating that the American people are a mighty sight more intent just now on the outcome of the baseball championship series than they are in so-called labor disputes or the nonsensical threats and futile plots of noisy radicals.

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occasion is always unique in its environment and the fact that it brings together in delightful fellowship many of the leaders in the industrial, commercial, professional, political and railroad world gives the function an unusual character.

BATHING BEACHES

WARREN H. MANNING, the famous park planning expert who designed the parks of Harrisburg, has been invited to come here for a practical study of the river bathing problem, with a view to submitting a recommendation as to the best facilities to be provided under the proposed loan.

Those who have been thinking most of the situation believe that proper bathing beaches could easily be prepared with gravel and sand with floating bath houses anchored in such a way as to secure them in the event of a flood stage in the river.

Mr. Manning has had large experience with such problems and will doubtless be able to make a recommendation which will be satisfactory to City Council and all interested citizens.

GOOD-BYE HOUSE FLY

THE flag end of the fly season is here and the approach of colder weather is driving them to the shelter of protected places. These last flies of the summer will be the progenitors of the first flies of next spring.

Flies have been scarce where before they were numerous and there have been fewer deaths in proportion to the population from fly-borne diseases than ever before in the city's history, according to those who have studied the results.

Now is the time to take active measures—everybody—all together; eat, kill, poison flies. Flies survive the winter in two ways. Females ensconce themselves in sheltered cracks or crannies in stables, garages, attics or other protected places and remain until spring in a state of hibernation.

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The better the cleanup this fall the less difficulty will be experienced next spring.

Politics in Pennsylvania

By the Ex-Committeeman

It seems to be now taken for granted that the affairs of the titular wing of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania, which enjoys the sunshine from the White House, will be conducted on a purely business basis for the purpose of the election.

It may also be said that this activity has also aroused the Bonnell faction, which, although somewhat bent in the recent primary elections, is still in a position to do things.

Our dear friend, Lieutenant General Fuchs, Commanding the Army Group holding the St. Mihiel Salient when we attacked the morning of September 12th got quite excited that morning and told the truth in his reports.

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AIN'T IT A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELIN'?

WHEN YOU TAKE THE ONLY ONE IN THE WORLD TO THE RACES AND SHE PICKS OUT A HORSE BECAUSE IT HAS A PRETTY NAME AND GIVES YOU A \$5.00 NOTE WITH POSITIVE INSTRUCTIONS TO BET IT TO WIN



AND YOU GET CAGEY AND MAKE UP YOUR MIND TO HOLD THE BET AND LAUGHINGLY RETURN IT TO HER AFTER THE RACE AND JOLLY HER A BIT ABOUT HER ABILITY TO PICK WINNERS



No Wonder Germany Quit

By MAJOR FRANK C. MAHIN Of the Army Recruiting Station

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By BRIGGS

AND YOU LEARN THAT SHE SELECTION IS A 30 TO 1 SHOT AND "REGULAR" TELLS YOU THAT THE HORSE IS A DOG AND AINT GOT A SOUND LEG UNDER HIM" AND CANT RUN A LICK



AND THEN JUST BEFORE THE FINISH THE OLD MAN CURLS UP AND DIES, FINISHING EIGHTH—OH-H-H BOY! AIN'T IT A GLOR-R-RIOUS AND GLOR-R-RIOUS FEELIN'?



OCTOBER

Come out, boys, come out; Get all the troop together. The day is great and the sun is bright. Say, it's October weather.

Buddy Jones—Go get him quick, And Bill—there he's a-calling. The burrs have burst, the wind is high. And the ripest ones are falling.

Scout or squirrel, which one will it be? It's the first one there that lands. But a squirrel's feet should never beat. A scout with his head and hands.

There's fun in the woods on a day like this; Miss it who ever dreamed wide. Nature in love with the whole wide world. For Winter gave her a kiss.

Princely Salaries [From National Republican] Fifty-nine officials of the Railroad administration, "princes at Washington who sit in upholstered furniture and swing in swivel chairs amid luxurious surroundings," receive a much larger salary than General Pershing, Representative Thompson (Ohio) charged in the House the other day.

Why She Left [From the New York Tribune] Tilly Clinger says the reason she had to leave her last job was because the boss asked her if she couldn't come down a little softer on the keyboard, and she asked if he couldn't come down a little stronger on payday.

Evening Chat

One of the things about Harrisburg that causes comment among visitors to the city is the "passing up" of anniversaries. It has plenty of such occasions that other places would brag about, but just as it has many, it has failed to note the passing of its dates upon which events of moment not only to the city itself, but to the State have fallen.

Almost any morning nowadays one can see men standing along the river front up above Maclay street watching the river as intently as though they were watching for Indiana to slip beneath the water of Germany to slip up in submarines.

Peter Williamson, gateman at the Maclay street station of the Pennsylvania railroad, is a "passing up" of great loss of fish through the pollution of streams. He is an authority of fishing, and has been one of the most successful duck hunters on the Susquehanna river.

The automobile truck is entering into the most important of Pennsylvania's apple crop this year more than ever known before and truck loads are replacing car loads from the South mountainous areas.

George DeB. Keim, well known in Philadelphia, Belgium, has returned from Belgium, where he was working under conditions.

General W. G. Price, commander of the new National Guard, is coming here for a conference next week.

Major A. C. Abbott, of the University of Pennsylvania, is giving a home course in Europe, is giving a series of lectures on sanitation lessons learned in the war.

Major E. H. Mackey, the Williamsport National Guardsman, was greeted by friends and many friends when he reached home yesterday.

President Wilson, when he expressed the desire to hang on a ribbet as high as heaven, the senators who have recalled an old but inspired bit of history of the reign of Ahasuerus, which reads: "And Favorus, one of the chamberlains, said before the King, Behold also, the gallows 50 cubits high, which Haman hath made for Mordecai, who hath spoken good for the King, standeth in the house of Haman."

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

Pen Picture of the King and Queen of Belgium The following extracts from Mrs. Larz Anderson's book, "Ziszagging," published by Houghton Mifflin Company, are taken from the chapter entitled "The Queen's Package," which describes Mrs. Anderson's visit to the Belgium palace.

"Across the hall a door opened, and there stood the King and Queen in the center of a small sitting-room. I courted at the entrance. The Queen put out her hand, and I courted again, and also to the King, as is the custom. He was in khaki with the black and red collar and the stars of the commander-in-chief of the army. She wore a simple white gown cut V-shaped in the neck, and no jewels. They both looked extremely well, in spite of what they had been through, and both as young as I remembered them five years ago."

"As I was leaving the palace, to my surprise, a little package was handed me, in which I found a nightgown of the Queen's, a comb, a brush, soap, and several handkerchiefs. It was thoughtful and kind of her Majesty to think of me, and I appreciated everything, especially the handkerchiefs, for I had a cold." (Mrs. Anderson had lost her traveling bag and had been forced to dine, therefore, in her nurse's garb.)

Daylight Saving [Altona Tribune] The question of daylight saving will not become acute before late in May 1920. Before that time arrives Congress may have been convinced by popular protest and appeal that it blundered when it passed over the presidential veto the bill to repeal daylight saving. Voices from various sections of the republic may be so numerous and so strenuous as to convince Congress that there is nothing to be done but to march down the highway, just as I am causing the heavy congressional vote favorable to a return to former practices, there is some reason to believe that a considerable majority of the people are not in favor of the abolition of the recently-adopted practice. The opposition to daylight saving arose chiefly among the farmers, an amazing circumstance to those who recall the days when they were farm boys fifty or sixty years ago, rising with the dawn and continuing their work in the fields until twilight. They saved all the daylight there was and even used some of the twilight, not to mention the dawn.

The Work-Dodging World [From Los Angeles Times.] This ease-and-comfort-loving tendency to evade work is playing its very important part in the history of living. The people who do the work are naturally capitalizing their supposed martyrdom. If madame herself thinks housework such a dreadful thing that she is willing to sacrifice home life for herself and family rather than do it, it is any wonder that the industrious little brown laborer demands the uttermost thing in filling the breach? Somebody must do the work.

Didn't Suit Her Either [From the Boston Transcript.] The Bride—Oh, Dick, you should've kissed me before all those girls. The Groom—I'm glad my little wife is so unselfish, and just to please you I'll kiss all those girls first.

Unreconstructed Prussian [From the New York Herald.] Field Marshal von der Goertz, having been ordered by the Peace Conference to evacuate Baltic territory, replies: "I desire to advise you not to address in future any such base demands either to me or to my subordinates. The message of the unreconstructed Prussian has been referred to Marshal Foch, who is the right person to deal with the situation."

Daniels and Senior Officers [From the Philadelphia Inquirer.] With naval officers resigning because of the impossibility of living on their pay, the action of the Secretary of the Navy in opposing the bill for an increase now pending in the House is bound to provoke criticism. This bill, which provides for a uniform increase for the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Public Health Service, is the product of expert opinion. The War and Treasury Departments, and the chairman of the Senate and House Naval committees, have approved it. Why should Mr. Daniels attempt to defeat it?