

Dirty License Plates.

Dirty and obscured automobile license plates is a menace today that should be watched very closely, and if the average motorist will notice the machines which pass him by, he will be astonished to see that about one out of every dozen has a license that is improperly displayed.

The law compels the owner of the machines to keep their plates clean and wholly visible at all times. Many owners place their number plates behind the bumpers, where it cannot be seen, or they permit mud to splash all over them, and in many instances you can't tell whether the plate is actually there.

Travelers often times pile luggage and other things over licenses, which is contrary to the law. It is needless to say that if you happen to be one of the unfortunate persons who get struck by a machine, that you would be unable to distinguish the license because of either its location or smeared condition.

While the auto owners are asked to keep their license plates clean and visible at all times many of them should also wipe off their windshield and rear glasses because only cautions of this nature will assist in reducing the number of accidents. Many mishaps take place each year, due to dirty windshields and poor vision.

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Thursday Half Holiday

Booster Stores Close Thursday Afternoon during August to give their employees a weekly Summer Half Holiday.

Altoona Booster Association

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One Week Starting Sat. Aug. 4

FOUR MORE ESCAPE FROM PENITENTIARY.

While Working on the Dam in C-Bride's Gap Four Prisoners Elude Guards and Get Away.

Four prisoners made a successful escape from Rockview penitentiary, shortly after the noon hour last Thursday, while working on the impounding dam on Nittany mountain. The men were:

W. C. DeYoung, of Bedford county, serving one to two years for robbery, and whose term would have expired next April.

Joseph Cetinski, of Allegheny county, doing three to six years for robbery, and who would have been discharged next June.

Harry Allen, of Allegheny county, serving one to two years for larceny, and whose term expire next February.

And Robert M. Runane, of Lackawanna county, serving three to six years for burglary, and whose term would not have expired until January, 1931.

The men escaped by evading the guards and ducking into the thick underbrush on Nittany mountain, and had probably an hour's start before their absence was detected.

The first real trace of the men was obtained on Sunday evening when they were located in the Seven mountains. A good sized force of guards was rushed to the locality in which they were seen and had the men surrounded, but in the darkness they made their escape between two guards. The men were seen by one of the guards who got a shot at them but that failed to halt them, and they disappeared down the south side of the mountain toward Milroy.

Man Who Shot Doctor in Revenge Electrocuted Monday Morning.

Joseph Kamenisky, of Lackawanna county, was electrocuted at Rockview penitentiary, on Monday morning, for shooting Dr. Gerald Kelly, in his office at Scranton, on March 14th, because he blamed the doctor for being responsible for the amputation of his right leg below the knee following a mine accident three years ago. Kamenisky walked to the chair on crutches and was accompanied by Rev. Father Francis P. McCreesh, Catholic chaplain at Rockview, and Father Andrew E. Dlugos, of Jessup, who had been Kamenisky's spiritual adviser while in jail at Scranton. Only one contact was necessary to produce death. Two of the murdered doctor's brothers, C. C. and J. C. Kelly, of Jessup, witnessed the electrocution. The body was claimed and was taken back to Jessup for burial.

Kamenisky's electrocution sets a record for retributive justice in Pennsylvania, as he was put to death just four months and sixteen days following the murder. On the morning of March 14th he went to Dr. Kelly's office in Scranton, and the physician being out at the time, he laid down on a couch and slept for half an hour. When the doctor returned he drew a gun and shot him, remarking as he did so, "That's for my leg." Kamenisky then went to a motion picture show where he was arrested. He was arraigned in court the first week in May and plead guilty. On May 16th he was sentenced to death. An appeal for clemency was made to the board of pardons at the June meeting but was refused. Last Friday efforts were made to have Governor Fisher grant another stay of electrocution, but he also declined to intervene. Kamenisky was the 134th man to be put to death at Rockview.

Midsummer Activities at Bellefonte Y. M. C. A.

"Oh boy, what fine alleys!" is the remark frequently heard since the Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys have been gone over and put in good shape. They must be tried out to be fully appreciated. Mr. Bressler, who is more familiarly known as "Andy," is back on the job after his summer vacation and is confident that the alleys, now in such perfect condition, will be more popular than ever.

On account of an increased demand on the part of the fair sex for more time in the swimming pool, it has been decided to increase the allotment of hours and from now until the opening of school in September the schedule will be as follows:

Grade school girls every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:30 a. m., High school girls every Tuesday at 11:30 a. m., and Thursdays at 2 p. m. Married ladies every Tuesday from 2 to 4 p. m., and Thursdays from 3 to 5 p. m. Girls over High school age, every Tuesday from 2 to 4 p. m., Thursdays from 7 to 9:30. (The Thursday periods are exclusively for young ladies, while the Tuesday afternoon periods will be shared with married ladies.) Women and girls are asked to preserve this schedule, as the hours will be strictly adhered to.

Miss Budinger will give private swimming lessons to women every Tuesday and Thursday and quite a number are taking advantage of this opportunity to learn to swim.

The swimming pool is becoming more popular every day, as is shown by attendance records. During the month of May 1700 men, women, girls and boys took a dip. June showed 1864 and July records will top the latter. The most noticeable increase in attendance is among the women and girls. "Get in the swim" and enjoy the pool during this hot weather.

Many Attractions Arranged for Big Motor Club Picnic.

Invitations to the first joint picnic of the Centre county-Lock Haven motor clubs have been mailed to members of each club, and from reports so far received it is safe to predict one of the largest gatherings on Wednesday, August 15th, held at Hecla park this year. While invitations have been sent to club members a general invitation is extended the public at large to attend.

The morning of picnic day will be devoted to getting acquainted with one another. After dinner, or at 1:30 o'clock, a meeting will be held which will be addressed by prominent members of the AAA as well as the State association. At 2:30 the pavilion will be open for dancing until 5 o'clock, and again from 7 o'clock to 9. After nine o'clock a small admission fee will be charged. Music will be furnished by a Lock Haven orchestra.

At 2:30 there will be a baseball game between Philipsburg and Lock Haven, leaders in the minor leagues to which they belong.

Other contests will start at 3:30 and will include trap shooting, indoor rifle match, quoit pitching, boat racing, running and swimming contests, bathing beauty contest, boat tilting contest and slow automobile race. For the kiddies there will be a peanut race, peanut scramble, running race, watermelon race, etc.

The committee has provided a number of nice prizes for the winners which are now on display in Lock Haven and which will later be displayed in Bellefonte.

The Howard band will be on hand during the day to furnish music, and the "flying circus" will occupy a field adjoining the baseball field.

Special Notice for Potato Growers.

Late blight has been found in eleven counties in Pennsylvania: Lehigh, Lancaster, Chester, Berks, Perry, Delaware, Dauphin, Butler, Lawrence, Potter and Bradford. According to R. C. Blaney, county agent, it has also been found in Centre county. It is undoubtedly in other counties. Indications are that it is rather generally present over the State.

The situation is a serious one. Blight was found twenty-four days earlier this season than ever before reported in Pennsylvania. Weather conditions continue to be favorable for the development of this disease.

It is imperative that all potato growers do a thorough job of spraying if they hope to bring their fields through the season. Thorough weekly applications of bordeaux where infection is not established is recommended. Fields in which blight has become established must be sprayed oftener if the disease is to be held in check.

In case August should turn dry and hot, fields will face the danger of severe tip burn. Under such conditions, spraying intervals should be shorter, and the newer foliage especially well coated. Two extra pounds of lime per 100 gallons of spray solution is recommended.

—Now is the time to cut the weeds on streets, alleys and vacant lots, if they are to be prevented from going to seed and polluting adjacent properties. If every property owner would keep the street and alley clean of weeds along his own premises it would not only improve the appearance of the neighborhood but relieve the borough from doing the work. Then if the owners of vacant lots would have the weeds covering the same cut down it would be a relief to the owners of adjoining properties.

—Bellefonte and Centre county had the hardest thunder and rain storms of the season on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning.

Denver Sportsmen Agree to Fish for Trout With Nothing but Flies.

Denver.—Spinner and bait fishing have been ruled out as ways and means of catching a mess of rainbow trout by the largest, oldest, and most wealthy fishing club in the State of Colorado—The Wigwam.

Hereafter, the club members and their guests will fish with nothing but artificial flies, thus, they claim putting the angling art on a higher level, at least. This method, it is claimed, gives the fish a fighting chance to evade the hook.

Membership in the club, which is limited to seventy-five, mostly wealthy Denver men, voted unanimously for the new measure. At the same time the club voted to toss back into the water all fish under eight inches long. The State game laws legalize fish over seven inches long.

Use Enough Safety Fence Along Roads to Enclose State.

Enough miles of cable guard rail to erect a four-foot, two-ply, automobile-proof fence enclosing the entire State of Pennsylvania has been placed along highways to protect motorists. Forces of the Pennsylvania Department of Highways have erected over 700 miles of the railing since 1924, and prior to that time many miles were placed by contract.

Utilizing all the railing in the State, it would be possible to enclose on both sides, the Lincoln Highway and the William Penn Highway from one end of the State to the other with a liberal margin left over.

During the current year 17.23 miles have been erected, and the program for calendar year of 1928 calls for a total of 202.85 miles of the safety insurance.

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Patrol to Enforce Stop Regulations.

Harrisburg.—Secretary of Highways James L. Stuart has announced that Wilson C. Price, superintendent of the Highway Patrol, has been instructed to wage a vigorous campaign for the enforcement of Section 1020 of the vehicle code, providing for a full stop at designated "Thru" thoroughfares and to make arrests for all violations. "Public safety demands that the intersection of "Thru" thoroughfares be rigidly enforced," Secretary Stuart said. "The Highway Patrol will make arrests for all violations observed and if the motorists are convicted, a fine of \$10 or five days imprisonment will be insisted upon. "The Department of Highways has placed traffic 'Slow' and 'Stop' signs on all roads or highways intersecting the 'Thru' traffic highways, so there is no excuse for the failure of motorists to observe these signs. The 'Stop' signs appear from five to fifteen feet distant from the 'Thru' traffic highways, being so placed as to give the approaching motorist ample time to stop. The 'Slow' signs are placed on improved thoroughfares intersecting the highways, one or two hundred feet in advance of the location of the 'Stop' signs, the exact location being adapted to traf-

fic conditions to insure safe travel. "Many cities have established the 'Thru' stop on their main thoroughfares, and, of course, it will be up to the municipal authorities to enforce the law within their respective confines. A strict compliance with the law is urged upon motorists, so as to avert loss of life and limb, as well as property, and damage to motor vehicle.

—The Watchman gives all the news while it is news.

EVERYBODY INVITED TO THE Centre County--Lock Haven Motor Club Picnic

Wednesday

August 15th

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