

Lewis Sperla is commended by authority for 9 years of service

Lewis Sperla of Marietta, R.D. #1, who retired from the Marietta-Donegal Sewer Authority last month, was officially commended by the Authority for nine years' service with them. Sperla, who served several terms as president of the Marietta-Donegal Authority is currently a member of the East Donegal Authority.

Mr. Sperla is married to the former Minnie Kurtz. The couple have one daughter. He is employed as Plant Manager at AMP in Mount Joy.

Former president of the Marietta Lion's Club, Sperla is also affiliated with the Marietta Lodge of Masons; the Lodge Perfection, Lancaster; and the Harrisburg Shrine Club.

Besides commending Mr. Sperla, the Authority acquired two new members Michael Pricio of Donegal Heights, and John Hoffman, who replaces Dr. Gratch as treasurer. Dr. Gratch has moved from the area.



Lewis Sperla

Letters to the Editor

Wanted: Leaders for Girl Scouts

Be a leader now. We will show you how. You'll have fun. Join now! Be a leader today. Do these words sound familiar? You have probably heard these words many times on television.

Mount Joy needs a Cadette Girl Scout leader. The Cadette age level consists of girls who are in the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades.

There are approximately 15-20 girls who are interested in Cadette Girl Scouting. These girls will not have the chance to continue in Girl Scouting because they have no leader.

Any adult, male or female, over 18 years of age who is interested in becoming a leader for this troop please contact— Ella Gainer, Cadette Consultant 653-2355.

I'm sure someone in

Mount Joy can spare some time to give one of the

most valuable gifts in the world—the gift of service. Whether the service you offer is big or small it is an act of kindness. It is a translation of understanding into action. It is one of the most valuable gifts you can give because it is something of yourself.

Ella Gainer

To the Editor:

The executive committee of the Marietta Auxiliary to the Columbia Hospital wishes to convey its appreciation to the staff of

Mr. Lacy's Lounge who so generously gave up its time of a day when they were normally not working to prepare and serve the luncheon for the Auxiliary's

75th anniversary. Thank you John Branch, Robert Haldeman, Mary Lou Brecht, Carolyn Branch and Greg Waters.

Hazel Baker

Scouts to sponsor Leader Weekend

The Penn Laurel Girl Scout Council will sponsor a three-day Leader Weekend for adults and senior girl scouts starting at 2 p.m., on Friday, October 1st. The event will be held at the Council's Camp Echo Trail in York County.

Most of the weekend will be occupied by training opportunity classes in a wide variety of subjects, such as kayaking, advanced outdoor cooking, lummi sticks, puppetry, singing, canoe sailing, creative dramatics, cornhusk crafts, and karate.

There will also be

seminars on human sexuality, democratic processes, drugs, friendship, and "value games." David White of Marietta will conduct a class entitled "Rain Forest, Quick Sand, and Peanut Butter Slide." Hiking opportunities and Leadership Training will be available as well.

Besides classes, there will be an Art Festival and Square Dance in the evenings. The weekend is scheduled to end with lunch at noon on Sunday.

Registrar for the event is Mrs. Judith Ketron of Lan-

caster. She may be reached at 569-6872.

Scout uniforms needed

Brownie and Girl Scout uniforms are needed for the Mount Joy Girl Scout Clothing Exchange.

Also ties, belts, and hats are needed.

Anyone interested in donating Brownie or Girl Scout items please call Betty Gainer, 653-2355 after 4:00.

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