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EDITORIAL

Americans pay much more for government than anybody else, but look how much more of it we get.
Law observance is a citizen's most sacred duty.

A reputation is not something that can be put up in ice and preserved.
Reputation, like its synonym good will, must be freshly earned each day.

Happiness is a changeable thing after all, and it is a good thing perhaps for all concerned, that we are not all wanting the same thing to make us happy.

The time to decide whether or not a driver is financially responsible is before he is given the license to operate.
And we would be a long way toward safer driving conditions, fewer deaths, injuries and accidents, if a person's mental and moral character, fitness to drive, was determined before issuance of license.

CHURCH UNION

We hear a great deal about Church union but when the different organizations are brought face to face with a direct proposal for unity each hesitates to surrender its own individuality and there the proposal ends.

HITCH-HIKER MENACE

The hitch-hiker is becoming more and more unpopular.
And there is small wonder especially where motorists have had so many sad and costly experiences with these thumb tourists.

CHILDREN FIRST

Children come first, in our hearts, our homes, our schools and our churches.
They ARE first. The race can save itself—can lift itself higher—only as children are lifted up.

MARIETTA

Rev. Charles E. Berghaus, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, with Mrs. Berghaus, is spending his vacation at Mount Gretna.

Jack Espenshade, of New York City, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Espenshade, South Waterford avenue, over the week-end.

The three prizes of \$2.50 each for the prettiest baby boy, baby girl and most prettily decorated carriage at the Minute Men's Baby Show Saturday, were awarded respectively to Samuel J. Dock, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Dock, of Mount Joy; Joan Hawthorne McClullen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edna Haas, of Marietta, whose baby occupied the prettiest carriage, in the eyes of the judges.

Miss Theresa Bowers, of Newark, N. J., who is spending her summer vacation with friends and relatives in town, left Saturday for a two week's visit to the Jersey seashore.

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Miss Emma Sweigart of Elizabethtown, spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Leifer.

Mr. George Bogar and son Jackie of Harrisburg, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Fackler.

Mr. Willis Young after a few days for observation at the Hospital is home again, with little improvement.

A normally out signal system was installed by the P. R. R. between Middletown and Landisville on Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Eshleman, Misses Minnie, Kathryn and Mildred Eshleman called on Mr. and Mrs. Lefever at Quarryville on Saturday.

Misses Esther Kendig and Ellen Nisley visited friends in Virginia, last week. They went by automobile and enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder and family of Wormleysburg, Cumberland County, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Peifer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Raffenberger and son J. Cletus and friend, of Lancaster, spent from Tuesday to Friday of last week at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Filler with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rogers spent the week-end at Atlantic City, visiting relatives and enjoying the Ocean.

Sunday School at 9:30 Daylight Saving Time in the Salunga M. E. Church on Sunday morning, followed by preaching at 10:30 by the pastor, Rev. K. H. Boobar.

Spent Its Entire 1931 Allotment

Another Welfare agency, St. Joseph's Hospital has spent its entire 1931 allotment of Welfare funds, owing to the heavy demand of charity work in the institution.

Once again, the Federation officials will seek a means of helping the hospital to secure funds to finance the work during the remainder of the year.

The following percentages are the percentages withdrawn from the allotted grants made from the year's work of each of the agencies:

American Red Cross, 72%; Blind Association, 46%; Boy Scouts, 49%; Community Service, 165%; Children's Bureau, 50%; Day Nursery, 52%; Free Kindergardens, 98%; General Hospital, 56%; Recreation and Playground, 53%; Colored Center, 61%; Salvation Army, 68%; St. Joseph's Hospital, 100%; Shelter Home, 42%; Rosmere Sanatorium, 50%; Visiting Nurses, 46%; Crippled Children, 40%; Y. W. C. A., 63%; Welfare Federation, 62%; and Social Service Exchange, 63%.

The total amount withdrawn from the Federation to date amounts to \$182,503.92 of the total budget of \$243,957.00.

Mr. M. D. Custer presided at the recent meeting of the budget committee in the absence of the chairman, H. R. Barnes.

Others present were George H. Arisman, Robert H. Evans, Mrs. E. M. Hartman, Harry R. Lefever, Frank J. Seikinger, Col. James Hale Steinman and William R. Lantz.

Under the heading of typographical errors, in "The Handy Book of Literary Curiosities," written by William S. Walsh and published by J. B. Lippincott company in 1893, there are some facts which might be labeled "In extension of Larry the Linotypist."

"The distinguished traveler died in the richness of sin." (In the Interior of Asia.)

"She was a lady whose manners would alarm a drowning man." (Adorn a drawing room.)

"Links, bonds and stripes for the violent kind of specter." (Lines, bands and striae in the violet part of spectra.)

"Drunkennes is jolly." (Drunkenness is folly.)

"Sir Robert Peel and a party of fiends were shooting pheasants in Ireland."

"Woman—without her man—is a brute."

"He enters on his head, his helmet on his feet, sandals on his brow, there was a cloud in his right hand, his faithful sword in his eye, and angry glare he sat down."

"The body was taken to Hell for interment." (Hull for interment.)

Part of a woman's complaint to a Buffalo newspaper read: "Wherever I refer to my honored countrymen as 'white males' I am reported as having addressed them as 'white mules.' All these are very good jokes if credited to the printer's devil, but not to those who represent an unpopular idea and carefully weigh their words."

All the great religions have stories that parallel each other in some degree.

Hemlock Adopted As the State Tree

The hemlock tree won its laurels in the 1931 Session of the General Assembly by being chosen the State Tree of Pennsylvania.

Legislation officially adopting the hemlock as the State tree, introduced by Hon. Alex. R. Wheeler of Forest County, and unanimously approved by both Houses of the Assembly, was signed by Governor Pinchot on June 22.

"Selection of the hemlock as the State Tree of Pennsylvania will doubtless be received with general approval among a forest and nature loving public," said Secretary Lewis E. State of the State Department of Forests and Waters.

"If Pennsylvanians were to select some one tree as characteristic of our State, nothing would be better than hemlock," said Dr. Joseph T. Rothrock, Father of Pennsylvania Forestry, more than 35 years ago.

Hemlock four feet across the stump were common. One tree measured by Dr. Rothrock was four feet, ten inches across the stump and showed 542 annual rings.

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INDUSTRIAL NOTES

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities.

Middleton—Harrisburg Gas Co. installing booster equipment in plant at cost of \$15,000.

Harrisburg—Construction progressing on State education building in Capital Park here.

St. Mary's—Malt supply house and dealers in general merchandise used in that business, opened to public on West Erie Avenue.

Philadelphia—New Pennsylvania Stockyards at 56th and Grays Ferry Avenue, opened.

Scottsdale—Bids to be received in short time for purchase of 600 tons of bituminous surfacing material and 600 gallons of penetration material to resurface Broadway Street.

Clearfield—Underwear factory will be established in Clark building on West Fourth street.

Buffalo—Prospects bright for reopening Standard Plate Glass Co.

Ebensburg—New Public Playground opened.

Brookville—New equipment installed in Lakes-to-East restaurant.

Mt. Jewett—Anna Purcell Hepler moved her stock of merchandise of Gertrude Shop to Firemen's building on Main Street.

Kittanning—Jamison & Knapp received \$11,545 contract for widening and repaving three local streets.

Brookville—Harry M. Snyder purchased building on Main Street and moved his tailor establishment to new quarters.

Wilkesburg—Ground broken for new Islam Gravois Temple.

South Langhorne—County will erect new bridge over railroad at this place in near future.

Chester—Edgmont Hotel to be remodelled.

Hazleton—Construction nearing completion on Janov-Abeles Shirt Co. plant.

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