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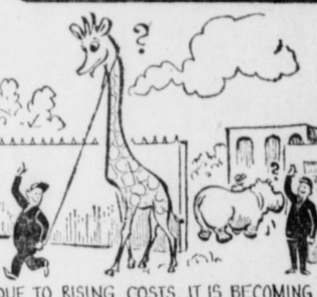
Among the matters which may well provide the people of Pennsylvania with a considerable assurance that things are generally well in their common affairs is one item of record in regard to their state and local governments.

A bulletin recently released by the Council of State Governments and based on reports of the United States Bureau of the Census shows in proportion to the total population Pennsylvania with an average of 22.5 state and local government employees for each thousand of our population, is next to the lowest state in the Union in the number of persons required to conduct all its state and local government affairs.

Only one other state (Kentucky), the State Planning Board of the Pennsylvania Department of Commerce points out, has a lower record of state and local government employees per thousand population.

Pennsylvania's ratio of 22.5 per thousand inhabitants may be compared with an average of 29 per thousand persons in all of the Nation's state and local governments and with 34.7 per thousand in California, 34.3 per thousand in New York, 34.3 per thousand in Massachusetts, and a high of 41.8 per thousand in the State of North Dakota.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia



AMERICANS SMOKED 302 BILLION CIGARETTES IN 1952. IF Laid end-to-end, THIS NUMBER WOULD STRETCH 187 MILLION MILES, OR 47 TIMES AROUND THE WORLD AT THE EQUATOR. IF THIS NUMBER HAD BEEN DIVIDED AMONG TWICE BETWEEN 20 AND 45 YEARS OF AGE, IT WOULD HAVE MEANT 215 PACKAGES OF CIGARETTES FOR EACH PERSON.

These figures include all non-Federal government workers, both full and part-time.

In full-time employment per thousand in state and local governments, Pennsylvania is also next to the lowest. The lowest state, Kentucky, is only a fraction of 1 percent below Pennsylvania whose record of 20.2 full-time state and local employees per thousand population compares with a National average for full-time employees of 25.8

HOUSES ARE PURCHASED

Mr. and Mrs. James Phillips purchased the property located at 265 Marietta Avenue, formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barninger purchased the property located on New Haven Street, formerly owned by Henry Klugh, Mount Joy.

and with 28.7 in California, 30.4 in Massachusetts and 31.8 in New York.

OMAR GROFF HONORED
AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was held in honor of Omar Groff, Old Market St., Sunday night. Those who attended the party were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Schroll, Mr. and Mrs. John Reigle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schneider and children Robert, Richard and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. James Schneider and daughter Joan, Mr. and Mrs. S. Frank Schneider and daughter, Sandra, Manheim; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kling and daughter, Beckie Ann, Florin; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kauffman and daughter, Carlene, David William Stehman, Manheim R1; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Witmer and daughter and granddaughter, Julia and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Groff, son Charles and Mrs. Gertrude Groff.

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Notice To All Taxpayers

Unpaid PerCapita Taxes have been turned over to H. A. Berkheiner Associates for collection. An additional charge of 2.50 & .20 millage will be charged unless paid by time the collector starts — About February 16 or 17.

GEORGE H. BROWN, III
Tax Collector

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DEADLY WEEK-ENDS

Pleasure time is no time for accidents and sudden death, but unfortunately that is when the grim specter works overtime.

On the average week-end about 290 persons are killed and more than 13,600 injured. In a year's time, week-end and holiday casualties climb to the numbing total of 15,000 dead, 750,000 injured, or about 41 percent of all lives lost annually in traffic accidents.

With a week-end or holiday coming up, families and vacation parties swarm the roads to places of recreation, traffic is congested, driving strain increased—and then the fatal count begins.

Millions of good, bad and indifferent drivers speeding, cutting in, weaving, ignoring the rules of courtesy, challenging traffic controls, provide the lethal ingredients for crashing and killing. Add to this the potion of the drinking driver and the mixture is deadly.

When you plan week-end driving be doubly cautious. Try to avoid peak hours of travel and congested routes. Start early, return before or after the rush. Watch your driving, keep your temper, don't contest the right-of-way—and watch the other driver!

Slow down—take a little longer and bring your family home alive.

SLOW DOWN—LIVES ARE IN YOUR HANDS!

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MOUNT JOY, PA.

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BURL IVES
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