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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Examining the Cause

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A newspaper columnist in Vancouver recently came out with this gem: "If yourwife wants to learn to drive, don't stand in her way." Another writer musing on the difficulty of interpreting the signals of women drivers, has said that if a woman has her hand projecting out the car window, she may be knocking the ashes off ther cigarette, she may be testing the outside temperature, she may be going to make a right-hand turn or a left-hand turn, or she may just have put her hand out for the fun of it all.

It should be added that if a male driver has his hand out the window he is probably waving at a woman." The truth of the matter is that women are, if anything, better drivers than men, and it would be quite incorrect to blame our rising toll of highway accidents on what we once called, strangely enough, "the weaker sex." This was a mispomer, to say the least..

What, then, causes all the accidents? The answer comes in one short word . . . PEOPLE! Safety engineers, traffic officers, and those charged with the sad duty of trying to pick up the pieces, will tell you that in spite of safety campaigns, safety

signs, the grim record carried in our newspapers, the laws and codes and regulations that are written and re-written, when the human element enters the situation, anything can happen. In other words, people cause accidents.

People, for the most part, make situations safe or unsafe. Attitudes make situations safe or unsafe. Anger discourtesy, indifference, the cocksuredness of concert, lack of consideration for others, all make for accidents. And the reverse is true also, for humility, courtesy, integrity, consideration and respect for the rights and lives of others all tend to make situations safe, or

It is one of the ironies of fate that very often innocent people, living up to the rules of the road, and trying to give their fellow-travellers the consideration they have a right to expect themselves, will collide head-on with some immature id of. driving with a few drinks under his belt, cutting a corner, or roaring over the crest of a hill on the wrong side of the road. I people would make a habit of safety, all that is called for is a little courtery, consideration, and respect for the rights of oth ers. In other words, the Golden Rule.



Sometimes you will hear a person say about a child who has been misbehaving: "What that kid needs is a real good tanning!" There may be a good deal of truth in the observation; but it should be noted that this prescription is too simple, and falls far short of perfection.

The background of the child, its experiences in the home, the capacity of the parants to bring up a child, and the educability of the child itself, are all factors, which, being unknown to the casual observer, should deter her or him from the making of hasty judgments. There are many things which children need, and not the least of them, is a balanced diet, keeping in mind that this balanced diet must nourish spirit, mind and money.

Nutritionists tell us that for good health the child should eat certain basic foods, including:

- 1. Leafy and green vegetables;
- 2. Butter or margarine;
- 3. Bread, flour and cereals;
- 4. Citrus fruits, cabbage and tomatoes; 5. Potatoes and other fruits and veg-
- etables; 6. Milk, cheese, and ice cream;
- 7. Meat, fish, poultry, eggs, and leg-

You will note that the basic foods required are listed above in seven categories.

The question now arises "What do you feed a child's mind and spirit? Edward Linzer, education director of the National Association for Mental Health answers the ple want in a father? You'd be thoughtful, loving, generous, question, and he recommends seven bas might not. I found out the needs for the child's proper and balanced other day when I asked about. Be honest, Dads. Do you real-

- development. He lists them as follows. 1. Love;
 - 2. Acceptance,
 - 3. Security, 4. Protection;
 - Independence, 6. Faith;
 - 7. Guidance and Control.

Although listed last, Guidance and see the sense of humor of Ster us - dreamers. We'd like our Control are by no means the least import ant; all of the ingredients being involved few of the required attributes quiet, thoughtful, kind, decent, in complex and endless interaction.

All of the basic needs must be met if gestions, checking them one by We'll have to accept our ki the child is to grow up spiritually, mental one against my own characterist just as they are. And a good ly and physically sound for instance, the tics, the hearty smile with thing, too Who, after all wants which I had begon to write the to be an Ideal anything? child whose life has been enriched by the love of his parents, goes out into the world an emotionally mature, stabilized person. My wife has been telling me able to contribute something to the welfare for years that I m a lonsy fath of society. Give him too little love, and the been retorting of Russia Has Nothing to the society. Give him too little love, and the love has been retorting of Russia Has Nothing to he goes through life full of doubts and hard, but I'm a perfectly good Sell That We Want fears. Give him too much to the point of lattice A. k the k. or over-protection, and his growth is smatnered, and he withers on the vine

young devils feel like throwing Raising a family is a mig undertal mg and seeing that they get a balanced dut is "He's not so bad, Mom, there must be lots worse fathers than an important factor. Dad!" Or: "She's right, Dad,

THE MAIL BAG

Feels Shorter Store Hours in Georgetown Should Be Maintained living under a democratic form law should remain because the wont down to have a moment

Mr. Editor:

The recent controversy over ger there are several members BIBLE THOUGHT ing, which ever is decided upon, to the trade union movement for the WEEK can be regarded as a political who I think are duty bound as FOR THE WEEK 'pit fall,' or should I say 'foot union members to support the

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1961 was \$4,274 for men and and 8 women who had under 5

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earned over \$6,000 a year. and another 85 were 16 and 17.

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Says Bureau of Statistics

that appeared to be working people of Georgetown that asatisfactorily until recently and their elected representative that here was proof from out which might be torn up, dis you are strong, united and cap the fact thanky I had only carded or badly bent at the able of making a democratic arout that of the 39 qualities decision without appearing perpendit by those been agers in whim of a few.

We assume that we are all dictatorial or political The by The Lical Lather It hort of government and if we are majority want it this way . . . to all being, with the notion 51 Hewson Cr., then the democratic rule of no 'problem' . ch' Georgetown, majority must apply.

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shorter work week which has The statutes of the Lord are This so called 'hot potato' taken several decades to bring right, rejoicing the heart; the leaves us cold, to say the least 'about. The clerical and sales Commendment of the Lord is It would appear that some mem- staff of these stores are as en pure, enlightening the eves .bers of council have made the titled to a 40 hour week as the Pasim 19:8. proverbial mountain of a mole- man on the factory, as long as! This is no theory God

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HARLEY TAKES UP FRENCH LANGUAGE

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FINANCIAL OUTLOOK

by Henry Timmins

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