

Letter to the editors

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'Unusual mind' of Creighton

I am following the saga of one of Lancaster County's state representatives, Tom Creighton.

I am a little upset that the poster boy for legislative reform is retiring. An unusual mind was needed to come up with "flying dog" and "granny pumper" legislation.

Creighton is the reason why we should rid ourselves of at least 100 representatives, resulting in savings probably in the hundreds of millions of tax dollars annually.

Those hundreds of millions could go toward state police to protect us, as opposed to going to the Legislature to further damage us.

That Creighton immediately forgot a campaign promise not to take a pension comes as no surprise. Politicians since time immemorial have "forgotten" the promises that got them elected, usually the day after the vote is tallied.

Wonder how many "per diems" he's going to claim. I'll bet this story isn't over.

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