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LEVER HANDLE BLOW IS COSTLY

Penny Engineer Asks \$5,000 of Former Employers For Injured Hand



The massive lever handle of the Diller water tank, along the Pennsylvania Railroad near Lancaster, was a long time ago, and struck John Sweeney, New Cumberland, Pennsylvania, in his wrist when he was shattering in such a way as to make it useless. Because of his inability to use his arm the railroad company, Sweeney contends, declined to employ him again. To-day he began an action in trespass against the Pennsylvania Company. Recorder O. G. Wickersham, Sweeney's attorney, has filed the statement as yet, but it is understood the fireman will demand \$5,000.

Ready Transfers. — To-day's ready transfers included: E. M. Hershey to Lewis Silbert, Lower Paxton and Swatara townships, \$1; F. B. Aldinger et al. to William S. Harris and J. W. Pomraning, South Second near Blackberry, \$1; L. Silbert to E. M. Hershey, 413-17-19 Chestnut street, \$1.

Capture Fugitive Juvenile. — Harry Wilder, the 15-year-old juvenile prisoner who escaped from a deputy sheriff while enroute to the House of Detention, October 20, 1915, was captured while strolling through the Eighth Ward last night. Deputy Sheriff William Hoffman got Wilder. The youth is now in the House of Detention awaiting transportation to Glen Mills.

Quality is the chief aim in the Decker & Sons, Spangler, 2112 Sixth St.—Advertisement.

INJURIES FATAL TO HARRY LEHN

Man Struck by Auto at Midnight Dies Three Hours Later in Hospital

Harry Lehn, aged 30, a bar clerk, residing at 1752 North Cameron street, Harrisburg, died at 3 o'clock this morning from injuries received at midnight when struck by an automobile at Front and Dupont streets.

The machine was driven by John A. Keiser, of 524 North street, Harrisburg, who was accompanied by Carl Fegley and Jack Kelly. All the men in the machine were hurled into the canal when the car skidded three times and turned turtle. None were injured.

Lehn, who attempted to cross the street, was struck when the car skidded. He was treated first at the Pennsylvania Steel Company hospital, and later brought to the Harrisburg hospital where he died. Lehn had compound fractures of both legs, a fracture of the upper bone in one leg, a fractured pelvis, cuts and bruises of the body.

According to the borough police, Keiser, who was driving the car for Mrs. Jean B. Chamberlin, of 323 North Front street, Harrisburg, said that he was not traveling more than 20 miles an hour when the accident occurred. Both his companions confirmed his story when questioned.

Keiser was arrested this morning and will be held until the authorities get more information on the case. A post mortem was held this afternoon by Drs. R. L. Perkins and George L. Laverty, to determine the cause of Lehn's death. An inquest will likely be held early next week.

It was said in the borough to-day that Keiser had been given a bottle of wine by friends while stopping in the town, but that it was intended for his

Bring Community Xmas Tree to Borough Today

Wood cutters, together with the borough street commissioner, left early this morning for the woods below Middletown to cut down the big 35-foot cedar selected for the community Christmas celebration.

The tree was brought to the borough and will be placed on the high school campus. The general committee met last night in the council chamber. The most complete report was given by Edward Zuna, representative of the German residents. These residents will meet to-night in the hall of the German Quartet Club at 7:30 o'clock to discuss plans for the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Horner announce the birth of a son, John Henry Horner. Mrs. Horner was Miss Carrie Heagy, of Greencastle, before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Rice gave a surprise party recently in honor of the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Pearl. Games and music were enjoyed by a number of young folks, after which refreshments were served.

HIGH SPIRE

SELL FARMS AT SALE. The public sale of real estate of the late Solomon Zimmerman of this place was held Tuesday at the Homestead farm. The properties were sold by Auctioneer M. B. Schaeffer.

The Homestead farm containing 135 acres and 115 perches, was purchased by Mrs. George Hocker, of near Boyd's Station, at \$110 per acre. Farm No. 2 adjoining Homestead, consisting of 84 acres, was purchased by R. H. Zimmerman of Pittsburgh, at \$111 per acre. The balance of the real estate, which is situated in Highspire, was sold for \$17,425, the total of the sale amounting to \$41,678. The personal property will be sold next Tuesday at noon.

STEELTON

BIG SNOW CAUSES COKE SHORTAGES

Higher Prices Paid For Prompt Delivery; Activity in Pig Iron Market

The Iron Age, in its weekly review of the steel trades to-day says: "Current market reports still deal largely with business offered, which steel companies cannot entertain. Yet in November, when a similar condition prevailed, actual bookings were enormous, as the Steel Corporation's increase of over 1,000,000 tons in un-filled orders is full proof.

"It is known that some sales for the third quarter of 1916 have been made at 1.70c to 1.80c. for heavier finished materials, but they are not many. However, no small tonnage of what is now on the books is really third quarter business, since the mills cannot deliver it earlier.

"The outcome of the railroad congestion, particularly in the East, is a matter of no small concern. Aggravated in some districts by heavy snow fall it has resulted in a scarcity of coke and some blast furnaces have paid \$2.75 and higher for prompt coke as against \$2.10 a week ago."

Steelton Snapshots

C. E. Everts Officers. — The following officers of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Reformed Church have been elected for a six-month term: Simeon Goodfellow, president; Levi Goodfellow, secretary; Mabel Wright, treasurer; and Dorothy McCoy, organist.

Choir to Rehearse. — The choir of St. John's Lutheran Church will meet this evening to rehearse Christmas carols and the cantata to be given Sunday evening, December 26.

Special Service in Church of God. — Special services will be held Sunday in the Church of God at 1.45 o'clock. B. F. McNear, Jr., will teach the Christmas lesson to the entire Sunday school. The annual Christmas program of the school will be given Sunday evening, December 26.

Prominent Pythian Here. — L. H. Poln, widely known as master ceremonies for the third degree in the Knights of Pythias of Pennsylvania, will assist the Steelton lodge this evening in conferring this degree. Mr. Poln is a member of the Acme Lodge, of Lebanon. Members from Lebanon, Harrisburg and Carlisle are expected. Refreshments will be served after the ceremonies.

BREAKS LEG SECOND TIME. Robert Wilt, 46 Pine street, fractured his left leg last night when he slipped on an icy sidewalk. He was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital. Only a few weeks ago Mr. Wilt was discharged from the hospital after he had been treated for a fracture of the same leg at a different place. The first injury was caused by a fall from a wagon.

TO OPEN SEASON. The basketball season of the Young Men's Hebrew Association will open Saturday evening, December 25, at 8 o'clock, when the local team will play the Y. M. H. A. five from Harrisburg. Officers of the local five are: Morris Laborintz, captain of basketball team; Harry Margolis, treasurer; Louis Shatzky, secretary. The candidates who have reported for practice are Harry Levitz, Samuel Morris, T. Morris, George Yoselevitz, S. Cohen, L. Shatzky and M. Laborintz.

ARREST THIEF IN MARYLAND. Robert Johnson, charged with stealing a gold watch from the home of Maurice C. Beatty, 106 1/2 Edge street, November 15, was arrested last night by Detective Durnbaugh. It is alleged that he struck Lawrence Mahoney, 14-year-old son of Mrs. Mahoney.

CHARGE HELLER WITH ATTACKING 14-YEAR-OLD BOY

Samuel Heller, charged with assault and battery by Mrs. Julia Mahoney, 246 Main street, will be given a hearing this evening by Squire Thomas V. Gardner. Heller was arrested last night by Detective Durnbaugh. It is alleged that he struck Lawrence Mahoney, 14-year-old son of Mrs. Mahoney.

CHOIR TO REHEARSE

The choir of the Centenary United Brethren Church will rehearse to-night in preparation for the cantata to be given the first week in January. The rehearsal will be directed by A. B. Stouffer.

MIDDLETOWN

SELECT MUNICIPAL TREE. A large and well rounded cedar tree was brought into town from Round Top, for the Municipal Christmas Tree celebration. The tree was cut down and brought here yesterday by Arthur Luckenbill, A. B. Croll, Edward Rudy and William Hill. The tree will be placed in Center Square so that the wiring and electric lights can be placed. It is probable that the program for Christmas day will be short, and will be given between 5:30 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

MIDDLETOWN NOTES

Contributions received yesterday for the Christmas Tree fund brought the total to \$73.50. George Baker of Harrisburg, has accepted a position as making room foreman in the Kreider Shoe factory taking the place of J. Samuel Snyder.

The Woman's Club held a Christmas meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Hutchison, Spring street.

Mrs. I. O. Nissley gave an interesting talk on the "Holy Land," at a recent meeting of the Oriental society.

MISS DAVIS ENTERTAINS. Miss Sarah Davis, of Swatara street, entertained a few friends Tuesday evening at the Washington House, in honor of Miss Bessie Russell, who will be married at Akron, O., Friday, December 24. Music, games and dancing were features. Refreshments were served to Ruth McNair, Ida Beaverson, Edna Beard, Fan and Mary Gross, Bessie Russell, Sarah Davis, Mrs. C. C. Etnoyer, Jacob Shroy and Fritz Carey.

MIDDLETOWN PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Moore, of North Spring street, have returned from a visit in Philadelphia.

William Lynch, of Columbia, spent several days visiting family in town. George Rarick, of Philadelphia, has returned from a visit here.

Mrs. Charles Rarick, of Catherine street, spent several days in Buffalo, where she attended the wedding of her brother, Clarence A. Fisher. H. A. Romberger, of Philadelphia, was a recent visitor in town.

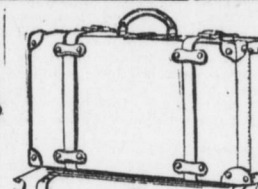
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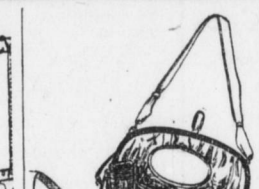
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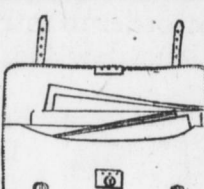
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TABULAR STATEMENT OF THE TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR 1915. Showing the names of the Wards, Boroughs, and Townships in the County of Dauphin, State of Pennsylvania, and the amount at which the real and personal property, offices and posts of profit, professions, trades and occupations, and all other matters and things made taxable by the laws of the Commonwealth for County purposes, were valued and assessed by the several assessors of Dauphin County, made and entered pursuant to the provisions of the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, Valuation of All Real Estate, Valuation of Horses, Cattle and Mules, Valuation of Cattle, Offices, Trades, Professions, and Occupations, Valuation of Traction Engines, Aggregate Valuation.

Total increase on real estate in the County of Dauphin is \$1,752,396. The Commissioners will meet on the 10th day of January, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M. in their office at Harrisburg for the purpose of determining whether the various returns of the assessors are above or below just rate.

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