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Boro Council in Monthly Session

CONSIDERED THE PURCHASE OF A TRUCK--37 BIRTHS, 27 DEATHS AND 22 FIRES HERE LAST YEAR

Mount Joy Boro Council met in regular monthly session Monday evening with Messrs. Garber, R. Eshleman, Miller, Barto, Zeller and Burgess Bachman present.

Street Committee--Mr. Barto reported snow cleared from fire plugs, crossings clean, also gutters and some rubbish hauled. Also that there are some side walks in town that have not been cleared of snow.

Water Committee--Mr. Zeller reported that coal are needed at the pumping station. Committee was instructed to get bids on a carload. Mr. Miller suggested that the Supervisor should flush all fire plugs regularly as was a former practice.

Finance Committee--Mr. R. Eshleman reported all bills approved. man presented an ordinance regulating the license fees for amusements of all kinds. It passed first reading.

Light Committee--Mr. Miller reported all lights in good shape. Pumping Engineer Geo. W. Schatz reported having pumped 1,350,000 gallons of water in 45 hours by steam and 2,180,000 gallons in 218 hours by water.

Chief L. G. Dillinger of Friendship Fire Company in his annual report, stated that the company responded to 22 fires during the past year.

Secretary M. M. Leib, of the Board of Health, made his annual report which in part was: There were 37 births and 27 deaths in the boro last year. Also 99 reported cases of which 77 were chicken-pox. The oldest person who died in the boro was aged 86.

Eleven nuisances were reported to the Board during the year and, after investigation, abated.

Burgess Bachman reported numerous collections during December from license money and pole tax.

Treasurer Zeller reported balances in the three accounts as follows Boro, \$1,214.22. Water, \$15.96; Interest, \$76.00.

Bids were then opened for a truck for the use of the boro and ranged from \$657.79 for a Ford to \$4,184.56 for a Pierce-Arrow. The purchase of a truck of the proper (Turn to page four)

Should Autoists Carry Insurance

BILL WILL BE INTRODUCED IN NEXT LEGISLATURE REQUIRING ALL TO CARRY LIABILITY INSURANCE

A bill will be introduced at the next session of the Penna. State Legislature requiring all automobile owners to carry liability insurance. The Lancaster Automobile Club, thru two of its attorneys, presents arguments for and against it.

Chas. W. Eaby, Club solicitor, says liability insurance should be carried, because at present you can not collect damages caused by leased trucks. Property damage cannot be collected from persons who do not own anything; usually most reckless operators cause largest amount of damage; persons under twenty-one should not be permitted to own cars; cannot get married without permission of parents; minors cannot be sued; why permit them to own cars? Under proposed law, the state, in some form will compel every motorist to take out insurance in reliable companies. Liability insurance would protect from persons who recklessly kill or injure, or going into bankruptcy, under proposed law the State will regulate insurance companies; cost will be (Continued on page five.)

Lecture on Hawaii
Miss Lottie Tillatson will appear in Mount Joy, Thursday, January 15. Miss Tillatson is noted as a world traveler and comes to us well recommended.

Tickets are now on sale and can be secured through the pupils in our public schools under whose auspices the lecture is presented.

Removed the Snow
Saturday Boro Council had a lot of the snow removed from around the fire plugs by having it hauled away. Residents of the town removing snow from their sidewalks are kindly requested not to deposit it too near the fire hydrants in case they are needed.

THE FIRST MEETING OF MEN'S FEDERATION

The Men's Christian Federation, will hold their first meeting of the New Year in the Church of God on Sunday, Jan. 11th at 2:30 o'clock, when the Rev. J. S. Lehman, pastor of the United Brethren Church at Hummelstown, will make an address. The Male Chorus of the Church of God of Elizabethtown, will sing a number of selections. Start the New Year right and attend this meeting. All men and boys are urged to attend. This is your meeting and the success of the Federation depends upon the men of our town. Let's all stand together during this year and make the meetings worth while.

Will Start Singing Class
A singing class will be started at the Pike School House, one mile east of Mount Joy, along the State Highway, in Rapho township, on Friday evening, January 9, 1925. The class will be under the direction of Prof. McHose. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend. The class will meet every Friday evening thereafter.

Local Doings Around Florin

ALL THE UP-TO-DATE HAPPENINGS FROM THAT THRIVING AND BUSY VILLAGE THE PAST WEEK

Mr. Harold Buller fractured a rib in a fall at his home.

Mr. Albert Haines is confined to his bed with the mumps.

Mrs. Omar Kling called on relatives at Lancaster on Monday.

Miss Buckwalter of Lancaster, spent Friday with Miss Margaret Raymond.

Mr. Thomas McElroy made a business trip to the County Seat on Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Grosh returned to his home at Butler Pa., after spending the holidays here with relatives.

Mrs. Lavina Rineer has purchased a building lot of Mr. Jacob Rider on which she will erect a bungalow in the near future.

The Ladies Mite Society of the United Brethren Church met at the home of Mrs. Henry Keener on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Sprout and granddaughter Mildred Ridinger of Lancaster, spent last Tuesday with C. S. Wachstetter and family.

Miss Rosette Shickley returned to her home at York, after spending several days here as a guest in the C. S. Wachstetter family.

A series of revival services are now in progress in the Cross Roads church. Large crowds are gathering each night. Come you are invited.

Mr. William Dommel jr. who is in the employ of Uncle Sam, and stationed at the Carlisle Barracks is enjoying a three months vacation.

Misses Rosette Shickley, and Stella Wachstetter and gentleman friend, spent New Year's day with the family of O. G. Romig at Hershey.

FRIDAY'S SNOW WAS SOME RECORD BREAKER
The snow which fell here early Friday morning an dthroughtout the day, was the deepest we have had in many years. It was actually two feet deep and at Lancaster they claim it was 32 inches deep. Trolley and railroad traffic was detained especially the former. Many roads were blocked and our rural cariers were unable to cover their routes for several days. It put a crimp into all business but now things are getting normal again.

Four New Houses
Who wants a fine, newly built modern home, with all conveniences, along the trolley in Mount Joy at a very low figure? I have four of the houses erected by the Mount Joy Development Company for sale. One is a corner property. Can give immediate possession and will finance half. These houses are priced to sell quickly. Don't delay if you want a beautiful home. J. E. Schroll, Mt. Joy.

Purchased Baer Property
On Saturday Jno. E. Schroll, local reator, purchased the fine frame dwelling occupied and owned by Mrs. Ella S. Baer on West Main street at private sale and on private terms. He will take possession April 1st.

Next Community Sale
The Community Sales Company will hold its next sale at Florin on Saturday, Jan. 10th. General line of merchandise, real estate and household goods, also chickens, etc. Sale starts at 12:30 P. M.

Our Fire Company Elects Officers

HOWARD B. ARNTZ TO SERVE AS PRESIDENT AND LEVI G. DILLINGER WAS RE-ELECTED CHIEF

The regular monthly meeting of Friendship Fire Company was well attended, New Year's evening in the Fire Company's room. Sixty-nine members were present, 64 of them participating in the election of the 1925 officers. Chief Levi G. Dillinger reported that four fire calls were answered during December, two being in the boro and two outside of the boro. Twenty-two fire calls were answered during the year of 1924. All uniforms were reported in, except two, they being given to Jay Klugh and George Weber. A communication was received from the Ugitte Company of Philadelphia, thanking the fire company for their promptness in extinguishing a fire on one of their trucks at Florin, on June 17. A check of \$50.00 was given to the company by the Ugitte Company. Bills amounting to \$58.94 were paid.

Chief Dillinger then stated that he wishes to make a general cleaning in Mount Joy. Cellars will be cleaned out, and all fire hazards will be removed from local business places. Boro Council will co-operate with the movement. E. B. Rohrer, Isaac Ressler, Walter Snyder and John Eshleman were elected members of the company. David Lutz was elected an associate member of the company.

The Election
The election of officers resulted as follows: H. B. Arntz, president; B. F. Groff, vice-president; John J. Pennel, second vice-president; James Metzler, secretary; J. Willis Freed, assistant secretary; H. N. Nisley, treasurer; J. A. Bachman, chaplain; Levi G. Dillinger, chief; Andrew Brown, chief engineer; Walter Pennel, chief chemicalman, Darwin Pennel, chief hose director; Benjamin F. Groff, chief hook and ladderman; Edward Hoffmaster, collector. John J. Pennel, Samuel H. Miller, and E. M. Barto, trustees; Charles Eshleman, delegate to the State Convention; Irwin Kaylor, alternate; Levi G. Dillinger, delegates to the County Convention; H. J. Williams Sr., alternate; Jacob Chid, captain of police. Earl Derr H. B. Arntz and Charles Dillinger, entertainment committee.

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Retiring president Walter G. Loraw spoke on the insurance feature for firemen after which all present greatly enjoyed the refreshments.

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A Successful Operation
Mrs. J. E. Longenecker, of Findlay, Ohio, a former resident here, underwent an operation for hernia at the Home and Hospital in Findlay, on December 21 and on New Year's day returned to her home. Her condition is greatly improved and there is every hope of a speedy recovery.

M. W. of A. Will Meet
Tonight at 7:30 all members of the Modern Woodmen of America, will meet in the lodge rooms for the annual election of officers. An important business meeting will also be held. Every member is urged to be present.

Marriage Licenses
Arthur C. Chase, Lancaster and Luella K. Augst, Landisville. Paul G. Miller, Elstonville, Pa., Ruth G. Heisey, Elizabethtown, R. D. No. 3.

FAMILY REUNION HELD BY MR. AND MRS. WISEGARVER

A family reunion was held on Sunday at the home of Squire and Mrs. H. P. Wisegarver, of near Mastersonville, when Mrs. Wisegarver's brothers and sisters and their families enjoyed a very pleasant occasion. A sumptuous dinner was served. The afternoon was spent in vocal and instrumental music. The occasion was a very pleasant one and will long be remembered by all who were present. Following is a list of the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Abram S. Heagy, of near White Oak. Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Heagy; Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Ruhl and children, Emma, Eva, Arthur and Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Signor F. Ruhl and son, J. Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Risser and daughter, Loda, of near Mt. Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Stauffer and children, Stanley, Lester and Galen, Mrs. John Kreider and son, Clair Eugene, of Quarryville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Wenger, of Mechanicsville; Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Ruhl, of Sheridan, Lebanon county; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ruhl and family, Anna, Florence, Clarence, Emerson, Landis and Mabel, of near Union Square. Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Wisegarver and children, J. Harry and Verna Irene, of Harrisburg; Lloyd C. Wisegarver and Miss Marion Michael of Lancaster and Martha Cornelius, Ida May, and Clarence Wisegarver.

Young Folks Are Joined in Wedlock

NUMBER OF VERY WELL KNOWN YOUNG FOLKS ARE JOINED IN THE HOLY BONDS OF MATRIMONY

Boyer--Reber
Charles E. Boyer and Miss Mary Reber, both of Rheems were married Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the Court House by Alderman John J. Burkhardt.

Keifer--Peters
Edgar Keifer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Keifer, of Grantham, and Miss Susie Peters, daughter of Harvey Peters, of near Manheim, were married by Rev. Henry B. Hoffer, at his home on North Grant street, Manheim, Thursday. They were attended by Irvin Geib and Miss Ruth Nisley.

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APPOINT RECEIVER FOR ELIZABETHTOWN FIRM

The Lancaster Court Wednesday morning appointed John H. Myers, of Lancaster, temporary receiver of H. H. Brandt and J. D. Smith, trading as Brandt and Smith, who conduct a planing mill and lumber yard at Elizabethtown.

The appointment was made on petition of F. Lyman Windolph, attorney for L. L. Hassinger and Herman Risser, of Elizabethtown, trading as Hassinger and Risser, who filed a bill in equity asking for an injunction and the receiver. Plaintiffs allege the defendants own real estate and have property rights in that borough valued at \$22,000; that notes are outstanding and suits are threatened, and that if the notes remain unpaid judgments will be obtained and executions issued. They ask that a sale be held under the direction of the Court so that the proceeds can be equally divided between the creditors.

Alvin Kreider, of Ironville, has been returned to Juvenile Court by Alderman Hinden at Lancaster, following his arrest on a charge of misstatement of facts in his application for a driver's license. The arrest was made by Constable Steigerwalt. Corporal Edie, of the Highway Motor Patrol, was the prosecutor, who alleged that Kreider gave his age as 16 when he applied for his auto driver's license when he was really only 15 years old.

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BURNS

Mr. Harold Krall, son of Mr. H. H. Krall, slipped on the ice on Saturday and fractured his left arm. He was attended by Dr. W. M. Thome.

The year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagner, north of town, met with a painful accident when it fell against a stove, severely burning both hands.

Mr. Clayton Erb, of near Erb's Mill, had the misfortune of lacerating his left hand, when he caught it in an electric dynamo. The index finger had to be amputated. Dr. Thome was the physician.

Mr. T. M. Breneman, tax collector, met with an accident on Tuesday evening when he fell down the cellar steps at his home, fracturing his arm. He will be taken to the hospital for an x-ray examination. Dr. Thome was the attending physician.

Mr. M. N. Stauffer, of near this place, had the misfortune of lacerating his right hand on Monday afternoon. He was cutting corn fodder when his hand caught in the gear wheels of the shredder. Dr. Thome was the attending physician. He was removed to the St. Joseph's hospital where his index finger was amputated.

Pretzel Teams Coming
On Friday evening, January 9th in the High School gym the High School Boys will oppose the Litzitz H. S. Boys and as a preliminary game the High School Girls will play the Litzitz H. S. Girls. Come out and see these games.

Store Changes Ownership
F. E. Brubaker, of Bainbridge, has disposed of his grocery business located on North Second street, to Frank Rock and Homer Dabarrow, of Columbia. The new proprietors took possession on Friday.

Millinery Shop Closed
Miss M. K. Shelly has closed her Millinery shop to go to New York City where she will be employed by Gage Bros. for 10 days or two weeks.

The Annual Meeting
The annual meeting of the Mt. Joy Farm Products Company will be held at the Frank street warehouse Friday afternoon, Jan. 16 at 1:30. Everybody interested is invited.

Will Settle Estate
B. Frank Shenk, West Donegal township, and Daniel V. Shenk, Glen Rock, York county, executors of Daniel E. Shenk, late of Elizabethtown.

Marriage Licenses Less
The year 1924 can only boast of 1,411 marriage licenses as compared with 1,503 for the previous year. There is no evident reason for this. Hunting, fishing and dog licenses also fell off in number as did the total of deeds recorded.

THE TOBACCO GROWERS IN ANNUAL MEETING

If you are interested in bettering the conditions prevailing in tobacco culture, handling, and marketing, go to the annual meeting of the Lancaster County Tobacco Growers Association at 2 p. m., Monday, Jan. 12th, in the Farm Bureau Rooms, Woolworth Building, Lancaster, to elect officers which in your opinion may be qualified to increase the membership and handle the affairs of the Association at this critical juncture, when a united front is needed.

The annual tobacco show will be held and you are invited to bring samples. These prizes will be offered:

Class C--Seedleaf Fillers, 3 prizes
Class B--Seedless Binders, 3 prizes.
Class A--Seedleaf Wrappers, 3 prizes.

Class D--Havana Seed Wrappers, 3 prizes.
Class E--Havana Seed Binders, 3 prizes.
Class F--Havana Seed Fillers, 3 prizes.

Death of an Infant
Glória Jeanette Dunick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Duncan, died Wednesday morning at the home of her grandfather, A. Bair Dietrich, at East Petersburg. Death was caused by pneumonia. She was eight months old.

School Board in Monthly Session

PLANS FOR THE NEW SCHOOL BUILDING IN HANDS OF STATE AUTHORITIES

The school board met in regular session on Monday evening, with all members, except Mr. Thos. Brown present.

The plans for the new school building are in the hands of the State Authorities, which will be returned in a few days for consideration. A special meeting of the board, will be called in the near future to discuss the new building.

The Superintendent reported 537 pupils in attendance.

The board spoke of the Christmas programs, presented by the various school rooms.

Bills were then paid to the amount of \$600.00. The board then adjourned.

Mrs. Susan Miller Risser
Susan Miller Risser, wife of Abner B. Risser, of Brunnewille, died Wednesday, death resulting from apoplexy, aged 68 years. Mr. Harry Miller, of this boro, is a half brother as is also Benjamin Miller, of Neffsville.

Word was received of the death of Mrs. Harry G. Stohler, who died at her home in Atlantic City. The funeral was held in the Episcopal church where Mr. and Mrs. Stohler were married. Mr. Stohler is very well known here, having been a former resident.

Sarah B. Engle
Miss Sarah B. Engle, died at her home on West Donegal street on Monday, from pneumonia. Aged 82 years. She is the last of a family of seven. Deceased was a member of the Brethren in Christ church. Survived only by nephews and nieces. Funeral services will be held on Thursday from her late home at 1:30 o'clock and 2 o'clock in the Cross Roads Church, Internment in adjoining cemetery.

Mrs. Solomon Brinser
Mrs. Elizabeth H. Brinser, wife of Elder Solomon Brinser, died at her home, in Elizabethtown, Sunday, aged 76 years. She is survived by these children: Mary, Sundaly, Ohio; Rev. John Brinser of Elizabethtown. Rev. Mathias Brinser, Middletown, Pa.; Mrs. Allen Denny and Mrs. Martin Heisey, Elizabethtown; Mrs. Martin Heistand, Manheim; Ira Brinser, Lewes, Del. Funeral services were held from her late home today. Burial was made in the Geyer's cemetery.

Mrs. Susanna Minnich
Mrs. Susanna Minnich, widow of Abram Minnich, died at the home of her son-in-law, Irvin Smith, at Eltonville, Wednesday evening, of infirmities, aged 75 years. She is survived by these children: Mrs. Susan Connelly, White Oak; Mrs. George Shimp, Ephrata; Mrs. Irvin Smith, Elm; Isaac, Manheim; Mrs. Felix Burkholder, Pomefry. One sister, Mrs. Tobias Stehman, of Manheim, survives. Funeral services were held from her late home Sunday, with burial in Kreider's cemetery.

This County's Product
Cigars to the value of \$1,102,266.50 were manufactured in Lancaster County during the year 1924, according to the report of W. P. Austin, Stamp Deputy at the Lancaster Revenue Office, as compiled for the period ending December 31. Tobacco other than that for cigar manufacturing was appraised at \$22,204.80.

Frank & Bro's. Next Sale
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Road We Must All Travel Sometime

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