

Who Will Suggest the Best Method of Disposing of \$186.50 to Some Worthy Local Cause

Former Resident Killed by Train

HARRY M. KLEEMAN, PENNA. FREIGHT CONDUCTOR, HAD HIS HEAD CRUSHED AT MIDDLETOWN

A distressing accident occurred on the Pennsylvania Railroad, a short distance west of the overhead railroad bridge at the western limits of Middletown, about 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon when Harry M. Kleeman, aged 56 years, was struck and instantly killed by an east bound passenger train.

Kleeman, a resident of No. 510 West James street, Lancaster, was employed as conductor on a shifter that works out of Royaltown, and it was while in the course of his duty, that a draft of newly completed repair cars were being drawn out of the yard at the main plant of the Middletown Car Company, that the accident occurred.

According to members of the shifter crew, Kleeman had gone to the west bound freight track on the main line, opposite the car works and was signaling to the engineer to draw the east westward. At this time an east bound freight train drawn by two engines approached, and it is believed, that while Kleeman was performing his duty, the sound of the approaching passenger train on the next track was not heard. The passenger train, it is said was a few minutes late arriving at the local station, and was running very fast to make up the lost time.

It appears that Kleeman evidently had attempted to step across the tracks when he was struck due to the fact that he was hurt.

CINDERELLA INN AT LANDISVILLE ROBBED

The "Cinderella Inn" on the Harrisburg pike near Landisville, "Itzy" Miller, proprietor, was robbed last week, and the state police from Manheim are now seeking the thieves. Candy, clothing and a cash register with out any cash in it were stolen.

Injured at Manheim

Last Wednesday, Harvey Ressler was injured at Manheim, Pa. He was riding on a trolley when he fell from a ladder, while adjusting a belt. When the ladder broke, Ressler fell to the floor, a distance of about fifteen feet. No bones were broken.

W. C. T. U. Held Regular Meeting

NEXT MEETING WILL BE HELD TUESDAY, JAN. 25, AT THE HOME OF MRS. EBY IN THIS BORO

The Mt. Joy W. C. T. U. met Tuesday evening with six members present. The meeting was opened by the president reading the second chapter of Luke and offered prayer. After singing, the roll call was responded to with a Christmas thought. The secretary and treasurer's reports were then heard and accepted. Several visits it had been made to the sick and shut-ins.

THE EVANGELICAL S. S. ELECTS ITS NEW OFFICERS

On Wednesday evening Sunday School officers in the Evangelical church were elected for the year 1926 as follows: Superintendent, S. F. Eshleman; assistant superintendent, Earl Kaylor; secretary, Miss Nedra Kaylor; assistant secretary, Miss Mildred Way; treasurer, Mrs. Joseph Weber; pianist, Miss Florence Kaylor; assistant pianist, Miss Mildred Geistweitz; librarians, Russel Kramer and Howard Kaylor; primary superintendent, Mrs. Ralph Borman; assistant superintendent, Mrs. Paul Pfeiffer; superintendent of Home department, Mrs. Ralph Borman; superintendent of Cradle Roll, Miss Katie Eshleman.

OUR TOBACCO GROWERS WILL HOLD A SHOW

The regular monthly meeting of the Lancaster County Tobacco Growers' Association will be held in the Farm Bureau rooms, worth Building, Lancaster, Pa., on Monday, January 11th, at 2 P. M. Annual Dues and Election of Officers.

Final Meeting of Boro Council

Retiring officials transacted their remaining business at a special meeting Wednesday night.

Mount Joy Boro's Council held its final meeting in the Council Chamber last Wednesday evening with these members present: Chairman E. W. Garber, S. H. Miller, E. M. Barto, S. F. Eshleman and Geo. B. Zeller. Also Burgess Jno. A. Bachman and Clerk Jac. H. Zeller. Councilman Ross F. Eshleman was absent.

The agreement between the Edison Electric Company and the Boro for the operation of our electric traffic signals was received and accepted.

The report of Burgess Bachman showed collections during the month as follows: Licenses, \$4.50; Bell Telephone Company, pole tax for 1923-24-25, \$138.50; Columbia Telephone Company, pole tax for 1923-24-25, \$111.25; Fines, \$50.

Mr. Barto, of the Street committee, reported rubbish and ashes hauled and that the water main sprung a leak on Marietta street.

Mr. S. F. Eshleman, of the Ordinance committee, read the ordinance relative to the erection of traffic signals and same was unanimously passed.

The ordinance laying out a 40-ft. wide street from Market to Walnut street, to be known as New street, then passed third and final reading and was unanimously passed.

The ordinance laying out a 40-ft. wide street from Barbara street to Longenecker's road thru lands of Clayton Hoffman, the Grey Iron Casting Company and Simon R. Snyder was then brought before Council for third and final passage. There was a lengthy discussion on the ordinance and the vote which

M. G. Alumni Will Present a Play

WILL BE GIVEN IN MILTON GROVE HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, JAN. 7 AND 9

The Alumnae of the Milton Grove High School will present in the High School auditorium on Thursday and Saturday nights, January 7th and 9th, a comedy-drama entitled "The Road to The City." It is an annual feat of the Alumni to give to the community some good wholesome recreation in the form of a comedy. The Alumni, being yet in its infancy, is putting on its third play. This play promises to excel the former ones, namely, "In Plum Valley" and "The Path Across the Hill." It will start the audience smiling at 7:30 and send them home with aching sides from the tornado of fun at 10:00.

The play is being rehearsed daily under the direction of an able coach, Harry G. Shook, '25. Cast of characters: Robert Darnell, A Country Physician, Paul Eshleman '22, Richard James, A man from the city, Walter Eshleman '23; Jud Jenkins, A young farmer, Jacob Gony '22; John James Richard's invalid father, Adam Steager '24; Duke, A man of mystery, Lloyd Risser '22; Jan Sanderson, At the Crossroads, Mary Gony '23; Toto Lee, Her cousin, Edith Risser '23; Lily Morton, A girl from the city, Louise Thome '21; Mrs. Sanderson, Let's mother, Anna Ober '24; Marie, A lady's maid, Ruth Fisher '20; Place, The country, and road, at opposite ends the road; Time, two hours. Time of playing, two hours.

Officers at present are: President, Paul Eshleman '22, v. president, Jacob Forry '22; secretary, Edith Risser '23; assistant secretary, Walter Eshleman '23; treasurer, Christian Stern '20; play director, Harry G. Shook '25.

BURGESS JNO. A. BACHMAN ENTERTAINS COUNCILMEN

After the special meeting of Boro Council last Wednesday evening, retiring Burgess Jno. A. Bachman, invited all present to a company him as he had a little surprise for them.

The following were then taken to the Hamilton Club, at Lancaster where they were royally entertained. Dr. E. W. Garber, E. M. Barto, S. H. Miller, S. F. Eshleman, George B. Zeller, Jacob H. Zeller, Burgess Jno. A. Bachman, and Jno. E. Schroll.

There were a number of interesting remarks made by the retiring Burgess Jno. A. Bachman, and an excellent menu was served and all spent several hours very pleasantly at the Club, at Mr. Bachman's expense.

Young Folks Are Joined in Wedlock

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

Nisley-Shue.

Roy M. Nisley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nisley, of Sporting Hill and Miss Catherine M. Shue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shue, of Manheim, were married on Sunday.

Shelly-Gast

Paul K. Shelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton S. Shelly, of Manheim, and Miss Helen Gast, of Lancaster, were married Thursday in Philadelphia by Rev. David E. Young, pastor of a United Brethren church.

Brandt-Ebersole

J. L. Ebersole, retired farmer, residing southeast of Fairmount, announced the marriage of his daughter, Miss Anna M. Ebersole, and A. F. Brandt, residing near Geyer church, that took place December 24, at the parsonage of the Trinity, Evangelical Lutheran church at York, by the Rev. Dr. A. D. Gramley, officiating.

REPORT OF THE NEWTON SCHOOL FOR DECEMBER

Total enrollment, 40; Percent of attendance, Males 98, Females 97. Names of pupils who attended every day: Carolea Engle, Helen Forrey, Marie Forrey, Violet Forrey, Kathryn Frank, Edith Gamber, Elizabeth Gamber, Mae Galtmeyer, Marie Mumma, Alma Shell, Florence Shell, Stuart Derr, Lloyd Derr, Edward Fogle, Harry Fogle, Lester Fogle, Harry Frank, Robert Frank, David Greenly, Harold Greenly, John Greenly, Paul Greenly, John Melinger, Frank Moore, Herbert Mumma, Clayton Shell, Irvin Witmer. Amount deposited in Saving Fund, \$14.33; withdrawn, \$4.26. Books from the Herr Smith Library were circulated thru the Reading Club. The American Legion Post of Mount Joy presented the school with a flag pole on December 19, 2:30 P. M. The school rendered a Christmas program on Wednesday evening, December 23rd. Miss Alice Strickler is the teacher.

What Shall Be Done With the Money?

EX-BURGESS BACHMAN DONATES ALL COST MONEY HE COLLECTED WHILE IN OFFICE TO A WORTHY CAUSE

When John A. Bachman was elected Burgess of Mount Joy, he decided to repay his friends by doing the very best he knew how as the boro's chief executive. Was he successful? We'll say he was.

Many will remember his several years ago and a number were offended, when fined, to such an extent that they made some very uncomplimentary remarks about what he intended to do with the money he collected as his share of the costs and to which he was entitled.

Mr. Bachman has done something that not one Burgess in the history of Mount Joy has ever done. He has taken a bank account of every cent of costs collected during his entire term in office. These costs amounted to \$186.50 and he has informed the editor of the Bulletin that he will contribute toward any worthy cause in this town.

He has asked the writer to get the opinions of our well thinking people as to just what he should do with this money.

We hereby solicit suggestions from our citizens, male or female, and sincerely hope they will write us their views on the subject. In next week's Bulletin we will publish all the suggestions and the Burgess will then select the one that in his opinion is the best.

In addition the editor will give a year's subscription free to the person whose suggestion is selected as being the best. This offer is open to any one. If you are already a subscriber you will be given a year's credit.

Let's all help to make final disposition of this money since Mr. Bachman is so very generous.

New Council's Organization

MR. GEO. B. ZELLER ELECTED PRESIDENT—ALL SALARIES SAME EXCEPT SUPERVISOR'S WHICH WAS INCREASED

Mount Joy Boro's Councilmen met for organization Monday evening. Prior to the meeting the new councilmen elect, Messrs. H. F. Hawthorne, J. C. Witmer and John L. Murphy were administered the oath of office by Burgess elect Mr. H. H. Engle. Mr. Engle presided and the following organization was then effected:

President—Geo. B. Zeller. Secretary—Jacob H. Zeller. Collector of Water Rates—Jacob H. Zeller.

Treasurer—S. H. Miller. Depository—Union Nat. Bank. Solicitor—Jno. A. Coyle. Supervisor—Henry W. Smeltzer. Pumping Engineer—George W. Schatz.

Janitor—Jno. J. Pennell. President Zeller then took his chair and after brief remarks, appointed these standing committees for the year:

Street—S. H. Miller, J. C. Witmer and Geo. B. Zeller. Water—H. F. Hawthorne, H. Ross Eshleman and Jno. L. Murphy. Property—H. Ross Eshleman, S. H. Miller and H. F. Hawthorne. Finance—J. C. Witmer, Jno. L. Murphy and Geo. B. Zeller. Light—S. H. Miller, H. F. Hawthorne and J. C. Witmer. Ordinance—Jno. L. Murphy, H. Ross Eshleman and Geo. B. Zeller. Fund—H. H. Engle, Geo. B. Zeller, Jno. L. Murphy, S. H. Miller.

Special Committee—H. H. Engle, H. F. Hawthorne, Jno. L. Murphy and H. Ross Eshleman. The minutes of the previous meeting were then read and approved.

The report of pumping engineer Geo. W. Schatz was then read. During the month of December, he pumped 3,800,000 gallons of water in 888 hours by water power.

Chief of the Fire Department Levi G. Dillinger reported five fire calls during December and 19 calls during the past year, 12 of which were in the boro and 7 in the surrounding districts.

Board of Health

The report was received from Mr. M. M. Leib, secretary of the Board of Health: 45 cases of measles were quarantined during December, a total of 47 since the beginning of the present epidemic. Two cases of chicken pox were also reported for December.

BRIDGE PARTY HELD AT MAYTOWN HOME

On Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock a bridge party was held at the home of Mrs. Elmer B. Grove, Maytown. The guests present were: Mary Wagner, Spring City, Margaret and Leonora Purple, of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Thomas Schadt, of Hometown; Mrs. Warren Bauman, Bausman; Mrs. L. O. Lochel, of Columbia; Edna Fultz and Janet Crest, of Columbia; Mrs. James Newpher and Mrs. Henry Carpenter, of Mt. Joy; Mrs. Ray Withers, of Elizabethtown; Mrs. Jack Frank, of Maytown; Mrs. Mary McCloskey, Mrs. George Miller, Martha Duffy, Miriam Miller, Margaret Hipple, Ann Shillow and Margaret Mueller, all of Marietta. Prizes were won by Mrs. L. O. Lochel, Mary Wagoner and Margaret Purple. Supper was served by the hostess, Mrs. E. B. Grove.

Road We Must All Travel Sometime

MANY WELL KNOWN PEOPLE HAVE PASSED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

John M. Zell, aged 92 years, died at Columbia.

J. Irvin Lefever, aged 56, died Sunday at Neffsville.

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Miss Claudia Conn died at the Columbia hospital aged 55 years.

Robert aged 2 years son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marley died at Columbia.

Mrs. Cornelia Culp, widow of Henry Culp, of Columbia, died aged 85 years.

Jacob Steiner, aged 76, of Washingtonboro, died in the Columbia Hospital, of grippe.

Frederick A. Baker, aged 67 an iron worker of Columbia, died Saturday from heart disease.

Miss Ella C. Manning

Miss Ella C. Manning died at her home in Lancaster of pneumonia. She was one of the teachers of the Landisville schools.

Mrs. Catharine Ann Ensminger, widow of W. L. Ensminger, of Marietta, died at Marietta, aged 77 years. Harry Ensminger, of Marietta, is a son.

Samuel K. Shenk

Samuel K. Shenk died at his home (Continued on page 8)

YOU SHOULD MAKE A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION

Be it resolved, that all men and boys of Mount Joy and vicinity attend the January Meeting of the Men's Christian Federation, which will be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Sunday afternoon, January tenth at two-thirty o'clock.

Martin Musser's Car in Accident

STATE POLICE ARE TRYING TO IMPLICATE HIM IN HAP AT LANDISVILLE SUNDAY NIGHT

Mr. Martin Musser, a well known young man of Salunga, of Mr. Martin Musser, of Salunga, Pa., met with an automobile accident on the concrete highway where between here and Salunga. Here is the young man's account of the accident.

The car was brought to Mr. Frank Schock's garage here yesterday at about 10:30 a. m. He was driving on the concrete highway a short distance east of the farm of Mr. Ezra Nye when another car, the driver of which he termed a road hog, crowded him off concrete.

Mr. Musser was driving a Columbia coach with four wheel brakes. He tried to stop but could not as he ran into the gutter and against several trees. His car damaged on the right side as follows: Bumper bent, front axle bent, both front and rear fenders mashed and running board smashed.

The body of the car is not scratched nor is any of the glass broken. After leaving the car at Mr. Schock's garage for repairs Mr. Musser returned to his home at Salunga by trolley.

Shortly after the car was taken to the garage for repairs, a State Policeman in plain clothes called and looked it over carefully. He claimed that there is possibility that this may have been the car that struck the Dodge east of Landisville Sunday night when a man was killed and another badly injured.

The right side of Musser's car is damaged and that's the side of the passing car that struck the Dodge. That seems to be the only connection.

However, the writer saw the wrecked car and workmen found bark of a tree imbedded in the running board. Furthermore, Mr. Musser declares his accident occurred yesterday forenoon, which is nearly two days after the Landisville accident.

It does not seem probable that this young man was connected with the mishap east of Landisville.

New Garment for Women

The "Zivostock" is in mid-lady's wardrobe. This unpronounceable garment is none other than the tight waisted Russian coat which is being worn in accordance with the popular Russian boots.

Boro Files Liens

The boro of Elizabethtown filed 41 liens against properties for unpaid taxes.

G. W. Gould Killed Near Landisville

HIS CAR WAS SIDESWIPED BY ANOTHER MACHINE—MAN'S NECK WAS BROKEN AND SKULL FRACTURED

The condition of Claude Clayton Miller, 38 years old, of 1303 North Third street, Harrisburg, who was seriously injured in the automobile accident on the Harrisburg pike near Landisville Sunday night, in which his companion, George W. Gould, 60, also of Harrisburg, was killed, was reported improved at St. Joseph's hospital.