

THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL REUNION

Shamokin High School Alumni

Wednesday Evening, June 7th, 1922

In High School



OFFICERS

Clyde D. Boden, '05, President.
Raymond I. Frederick, '10, Vice President.
William H. Ressler, '11, Secretary
W. J. Wiest, '94, Treasurer
Miss Grace R. Kuebler, '00, Historian

COMMITTEES

Program and Invitation

Joseph Rohrhelmer, '92
W. J. Wiest, '94
John M. Powell, '02
H. Wilson Lark, '99

Banquet

Herbert W. Steward, '89
Ed. K. Evert, '85
Mrs. Ed. K. Evert, '86
Mrs. Abe L. Snyder, '01
Mrs. Edna S. Cooper, '95
Miss Carrie C. Stern, '96

Music

Eugene Zartman, '06
Mrs. P. Frank Barr, '03
Ralph N. Buffington, '07

Decorating

Miss Naomi Samuel, '00
Miss Isabelle Lawrence, '07
Samuel Kehler, '21
Merrill A. Troxell, '12
Mrs. Wm. E. Kieper, '14
Miss Beatrice Evans, '15

ALUMNI PAST PRESIDENTS

Served

*H. M. Kurtz, '82	.....1884
E. I. Weimer, '83	.....1885
A. G. Shissler, '83	.....1886, 1894, 1895
E. T. Boughner, '83	.....1887
*F. A. Thomas, '83	.....1888
*A. J. Kurtz, '84	.....1889
A. D. Miller, '83	.....1890, 1898
*B. J. Thomas, '86	.....1891
*R. W. Smink, '88	.....1892
Ed. K. Evert, '86	.....1893, 1914
*John I. Welsh, '89	.....1896
Joseph Ogden, '92	.....1897
H. C. Buery, '86	.....1899
C. E. Jones, '88	.....1900
W. P. Marr, '88	.....1901
D. F. Green, '87	.....1902
J. A. Welsh, '92	.....1903
C. K. Morganroth, '99	.....1904, 1917
F. C. Caldwell, '95	.....1905
Andrew G. Murray, '95	.....1906
John M. Powell, '02	.....1907
H. W. Steward, '89	.....1908
W. J. Wiest, '94	.....1909
Edwin C. Gilland, '02	.....1910
W. A. Christian, '01	.....1911
Ralph S. Fisher, '04	.....1912
Frank L. Troxell, '07	.....1913
Allen S. Dries, '05	.....1915
W. J. Muir, '91	.....1916
Thos. A. Foltz, '04	.....1918
H. Wilson Lark, '99	.....1919
Eugene Zartman, '06	.....1920
N. W. Henninger, '13	.....1921

*Deceased.

PROGRAM

BUSINESS SESSION:

Reception of Class of 1922.
Presentation of 1922 Pennant.
Treasurer's Report.
Election of Officers.

ENTERTAINMENT:

"Alma Mater" Alumni
President's Address..... Clyde D. Boden, '05
Vocal Solo Miss Grace Francis, '14
Recognition of Decennial Classes—'82, '92, '02, '12
Violin Solo Henry W. Lark, '22
An Appreciation Mrs. Abe L. Snyder, '01
"Shamokin, O!" Alumni

BANQUET.

COTILLION.

A RIGID EXAM.

What was your Class Yell besides "rah, rah?"
What were your Class Colors?
What was your Class Motto, if any?
Who was your Class President? Secretary? Treasurer?
Where is your Class Pin?
Was your Diploma lost in the moving?
Whatever became of your Thesis on "The Passing of the
Cameron Culm Bank?"

ALUMNI PRIZES

\$10.00 to Senior First Honor Student.
5.00 to Senior attaining highest standing in English.

FORM OF BEQUEST

I give, devise and bequeath to the Shamokin High
School Alumni Association, of Shamokin, Penna., the sum
of Dollars to be used by said
Association in such manner as its regularly constituted
officers shall deem most expedient.
(Charitable bequests are void in Pennsylvania unless
made thirty days prior to the death of the testator).

A-MARK-OF-OUR-HIGHEST-ESTEEM
FOR-PROF.-JOSEPH-HOWERTH
SCHOOL-SUPERINTENDENT
TWENTY-YEARS-OF-SERVICE
NINETEEN-TWO-TWENTY-TWO
THE-ALUMNI-ASSOCIATION



PROFESSOR JOSEPH HOWERTH

Twenty-Five Years
In the Shamokin Schools
Principal, 1897-1902
Superintendent, 1902-1922

ALUMNI RADIOGRAPHS

Edited
By the Historian

"Education fosters youth, delights old age, secures prosperity, furnishes a place of refuge and soace in adversity; it is a joy at home, no impediment when abroad, passes the night with us and is a companion in our walks and in our recreations."—Cicero.

"Seems almost prehistoric to think back forty years. The first decade after graduation was spent teaching in the old Academy. There we learned to labor and to wait, and my reward—a walking Bible—for whom I have managed the home ever since."

EMMA W. BIBLE, '82.

"Removed to Philadelphia 1900. From 1914 to the present have been engaged as an official in the largest organization in the world devoted to confidential problems relating to strictly moral and legal uplift. Guilty of attempting literary flashes under a non de plume, an exception being 'Distinguished Residents of Washington, D. C.,' published in 1916. Kindest regards and best wishes to Alumni Association."

ALBERT MILLER, '83.

"Am proud because I was the youngest teacher the district ever employed, being 15 years and 3 months old when work was begun. 1898, accepted principalship of John Wanamaker's Commercial Institute. 1905, retired to private life. Retain an enduring affection for my home town and for the boys and girls whom I have taught. Hope in a few years to renew home ties for life, and in the meanwhile shall keep in touch with whatever is good for Shamo-kin's welfare."

MRS. MAY RIEDEL, '84.

"After teaching two years in the public schools was married and have since been just a prosaic homekeeper, always living in or near the city. Have one son and one grandson."

EMILY WERNTZ, '88.

"Enlisted in U. S. Army 1898. Discharged by surgeon's certificate of disability. Called to Christian ministry 1906. For my strenuous pulpit oratory was called 'Sam Jones the Second.' Burned candle at both ends and thereby lost my hair and my work. Am with Farr & Bailey Mfg. Co., Camden. My home is on the King's highway. Married, have nine children and one grandson. Shall always remember the good old time and the S. H. S. and would be glad to exchange letters with old friends and classmates."

CHARLES CLARK, '93.

"Can testify as to ability of my wife, Maggie Slayman, of the same class, as a home maker; while publicly she has been very successful as a soloist and chorus singer; at present I am working at the machinist's trade."

FRANK FRANCIS, '94.

"Had been at Gimbel's, Philadelphia. Health failed. Went into institutional work. Have been in a Home for Boys at Rosemont; as House-mother for a group of girls at the Methodist Orphanage; am now a governess for two small children and am looking forward to a climb still higher and am hoping that my undertakings be successful."

ELIZABETH FULTON, '95.

"The only thing I have attained is a husband and eight children. My oldest daughter is a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College and is now teaching in Science Hall, a girls' preparatory school in Shelbyville, Ky. Am sure a more fitting subject from '96 can be found than I. How about Holden C. Richardson?"

ELIZABETH DAVIES, '96.

Commander H. C. Richardson, chief engineer of the naval aircraft factory at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, was one of the designers of a catapult to be used on shipboard or other restricted places when there is not enough space for planes to get away under their own power. Flew with NC-3 crew.

HISTORIAN.

"The last and highest position I held was acting chief accountant with E. F. Houghton & Co. All glory to the S. H. S. May it always instruct its students in that which is good and noble in the true sense."

IDA YOUNGFLEISH WADLINGER, '97.

"1898-1913 with Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company. 1914 to date with Shamokin Hosiery Mills."

MAL KASE, '97.

"Employed as messenger boy in superintendent's office of P. & R. Railway on leaving school, promoted to stenographer where I was able to make good use of—I might say, an art—which was taught me in that good old school for which I shall always have a warm spot. Promoted to office of General Superintendent of Philadelphia & Reading Railway, to office of President and General Manager of Central R. R. of N. J., and now am General Agent of Central R. R. of N. J. at Newark. Would be highly improper for me to omit the fact that in 1904 was married to a former H. S. girl, Catherine Anthony. Two girls have since blessed our union though we lost Louise in 1915."

NATHAN G. CAMPBELL, '97.

Miss Edna Snyder, '98, Philadelphia, recently lost by a slight margin the office of a city magistrate.

HISTORIAN.

"Married Ella Fisher, '99, in 1906. Have been around the world four times. Practiced law 12 years, until the presidency of the National Bank of North Philadelphia was assumed. Am also Vice President of Tioga Trust Co., Philadelphia. We have been interested in many of the city's activities of a social, philanthropic and religious nature in an effort to do our part as good citizens."

CHAS. BEURY, '99.

"Wish to say that my attainments are a husband and three of the dearest children one could wish for. These treasures I prize more than anything which I might have attained professionally."

THEODORA HOFFMAN BUXTON, '99.

"1916-22 head of Department History and Social Science, Asbury Park. 1921, author 'The War Work of Asbury High School.'"

FRED MALICK, '99.

"As for my attainments, there are none. Have held down my job as paymaster for a coal company near Hazleton, working for same company as Boyd Osler, Dal Muir and Mal. Reed, and endeavoring to raise a family just about the size of Wilson Lark's. Of course, it will be easier when we get state aid from the taxation of old bachelors like 'Morgy.'"

GEO. KRAMER, '99.

"For the last four years have been with the Devoe & Reynolds Paint Co., the last two years have held the position of office manager. Have held positions throughout the west, gaining a vast and varied experience though no great heights have been reached, but I have had some success, and speaking of success, possess the same husband I married more than sixteen years ago and am still happy."

GERTRUDE COMSTOCK GRIFFIN, '00.

"Graduated from U. of P. Organized Northumberland County Association U. of P. Graduated from U. of P. Law School. Was elected as a member of House of Representatives, 1917, to represent the First Legislative District of Philadelphia. Re-elected 1914-'16-'18-'20. With kindest regards to members of our class when you meet, have the pleasure to remain

LEOPOLD C. GLASS, '00.

"Followed engineering from 1905 to 1906. 1906 entered as employee of Philadelphia & Reading Railway Co. on Bridge Dept. 1906-1912 engaged in bridge designing, construction and all other classes of engineering; promoted to supervisor, yardmaster, then trainmaster and now am assistant to general manager of Phila. & Reading Railway Co."

JAMES GILLAND, '01.

"Graduated from Franklin and Marshall; received diploma from Teachers' College; M. A. from Columbia; Ph. D from University of N. Y.; came to Croton-on-Hudson as Supervising Principal which position I now hold. Much of my success I owe to the mother of my children, whose inspiration and influence, though of short duration, excelled in every dimension any expectations which her many friends in Shamokin may have had."

THOS. WAGNER, '02.

"Graduated from F. & M.; also Law Dept. U. of P. There was awarded the Vendig Prize, and at graduation a prize entitling me to a year's post graduate work. At present am in the law offices of T. DeWitt Cuyler and am also an instructor in the law school."

WM. SCHNADER, '04.

Wm. Schnader is author of work on "Penna. Workmen's Compensation Law."

HISTORIAN.

"Graduated from Albright 1914. Graduated from Biblical Seminary 1917. Am now pastor of Second U. E. Church, Sunbury."
H. GEIST, '10.

"Attorney-at-Law. Represented Wyoming county in State Legislature. Obtained \$200,000 bridge for Wyoming county at Falls, Pa., over Susquehanna river."
JOSEPH F. OGDEN, '92.

"Graduated from Bloomsburg State Normal 1894. Taught five years in Coal Township schools. At present supervisor Mine Ratings, Pennsylvania R. R. Located at Greensburg, Pa."
ANDREW G. WEARY, '93.

"Graduated West Point 1915. Commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant, Coast Artillery. Duties administrative; spent much time in hauling up and testing mine cable. On Mexican border became 2nd Lieutenant. Sent to Ordnance School of Application at Sandy Hook Proving Ground. 1917 commissioned Captain C. A. C. Regular Army; 1918 commissioned Major Ordnance Dept. N. A.; 1920, at close of war, discharged from commission as major and reverted to Captain, C. A. C. In a few weeks again made Major Ord. Dept. Regular Army. Am now at Watertown Arsenal in Ordnance School of Technology."
HARRY AURAND, '11.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Income—

Received from Classes at 1921 Reunion..	\$401.25	
Collected for Cup Fund	10.15	
Rent of Cups	3.00	
Interest on Liberty Bonds	4.50	
Alumnus' Contribution for English Prize ..	5.00	\$423.90

—OUTcome

Stationery and postage	\$ 28.84	
Printing	45.50	
Expenses of banquet and services	200.83	
Expense of Speaker	10.00	
Music	38.00	
Purchase of 25 dozen Silver Forks	50.00	373.17

Balance	\$50.73	
Amount Invested in Government Bonds (par)...	\$100.00	

IN HOLY BONDS

Herbert Seiler, '12—Edna Mason, New York.
Sara Evans, '17—George Shade.
Grace Paul, '12—Mr. Baker.
Gilbert Strickland, '15—Louise Sanner.
Edna Russel, '04—M. H. Rhoads.
Alfred Hollenback—Lola Geist, '13.
Grace Evans, '15—Elaine Troxell, '16.
Mildred Ditty, '14—E. C. Adams.
William Moore, '18—Winifred Brouse.
Jane Gillespie, '17—Irvin Gass.
David Wiedenhafer, '14—Vera Mossbrooke.
Clifton McWilliams, '10—Olive Straub.
Elizabeth Davis, '17—Wilbur J. Tiddy.
Annette Williams, '10—Philip Robertson.
Thomas Foltz, '04—Phronie Haupt.
Elizabeth Woolcock, '17—Dr. Clay.
Ruth Eddy, '13—Leon Eisenhart.
Essie Forred, '15—Leon Eddy.
Richard Jones, '13—Elizabeth Smith.
William Hetrick, '16—Ruth Long, '16.
Ralph Herrold, '11—Norina Steak, Syracuse.
Emily Dreher, '17—Gilbert Farrell, '16.
Emma Spears, '10—Andrew Schultz.
Dorothy Clarke, '20—Gordon Oxley.
Wesley Reed—Adelle Woolcox, '12.
John Evans, '18—Nellie Bradley.

STORK VISITS

The following members of Alumni have had their family circle increased by one:

George Reese, '16, and wife (nee M. Francis), '16.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowers (nee C. Neidig), '07.
Mr. and Mrs. B. Coleman (nee B. Howerth), '15.
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Boden (nee E. Scott), '05.
Lieut. M. Gilland, '16, and wife.
Mr. and Mrs. William Ressler, '11.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomas (nee L. Eddy), '14.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Lawrence, '10.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Otto, '11-'13.

OF MUSICAL NOTE

Miss Emma Zuern, '11, soloist on the Steel Pier, Atlantic City, on Palm Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Laubenstein, '13, prior to leaving for further study in Austria was located in Denver and acted as pianist for Riccardo Stracciari, the famous Italian baritone.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED

Miss Lucille Thomas, '17—Mr. Joe Russell, Philadelphia.
Miss Esther Marshall, '18—Mr. Benjamin Wilson, Mt. Carmel.
Miss Etta Strausser, '10—Mr. Sherman Reed.

THE ROLL CALL

Year	Number in Class	Deceased
1882	3	1
1883	18	6
1884	12	4
1885	13	4
1886	17	2
1887	16	5
1888	15	2
1889	19	4
1890	16	4
1891	18	2
1892	17	2
1893	21	2
1894	26	2
1895	40	4
1896	33	4
1897	16	1
1898	33	3
1899	44	4
1900	31	1
1901	34	2
1902	56	2
1903	25	2
1904	64	3
1905	44	2
1906	58	3
1907	42	2
1908	48	1
1909	56	2
1910	65	2
1911	63	4
1912	84	4
1913	79	5
1914	76	0
1915	80	2
1916	77	0
1917	97	3
1918	69	0
1919	88	2
1920	89	0
1921	52	0
Totals	1754	98

SUCCESSFUL POLITICAL ASPIRANTS

Chief Burgess—A. G. Shissler, '83.
 School Director—H. Wilson Lark, '99.
 Tax Receiver—C. D. Boden, '05.
 Borough Auditor—Earl Ogden, '16.

IN THE FOREIGN FIELD

Dr. Keene and Mrs. Keene, '96.
 Helen Ammerman, '03.
 Mrs. Sadie Voss, '99.
 Mrs. Olive Bucher, '00.
 Miss Mildred Renn, '05.

ALMA MATER

(By Request)

Melody: "Love's Old Sweet Song"

Come let us raise our voice in joyful praise
As we recall our happy High School days,
Years now have gone, yet mem'ry has not failed
To mark the days when youth and mirth prevailed.
Now are we met to prove our zeal once more
To S. H. S., as in the days of yore.

CHORUS

Shamokin Hi, we hail thee, Alma Mater, dear!
Ties of love that bind us, stronger grow each year.
May we ever cherish, friendship thus grown fond.
Ever be united in one strong bond—
In one firm, strong bond.

Alumni are we, of the school we prize so dear,
Years young and old, come home from far and near;
Eighties, nineties, naughties, ten and twenties, too,
Join in a song of allegiance full and true;
May words and deeds reflect our gratitude
And sweetest memories be again renewed.

Chorus:

May we not cease in faithful loyalty
To honor still in measure full and free,
Maroon and Gray, the colors we esteem
Worthy of praise in anniversary hymn.
Thus, on and on, as other years go by
We'll not forget the days of good old Hi.

Chorus:

IN MEMORIAM

The Alumni during the year 1921-22 lost by death:

Mrs. Emma Gallaudet, '83—Nov. 26, 1921.

Dr. John Goodwill, '02—Dec. 2, 1921.

John Shoop, '05—Buried Feb. 20, 1922.

Mrs. D. R. G. Farrow, '02—May 7, 1922.

Mrs. Florence Page, '02 (nee English)—Dec. 7, 1921.

Mrs. Lillian Dane, '07—September 21, 1921.