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The regular monthly meeting of local 45 took place on the above date at the DAR House in Bethlehem Pa. All officers and board members were present except for John Middlecamp. The following were voted into membership upon motion of Kemmerer and Krasley: Elissa Brown, and Shona Goldberg-Leopold.

Bills in the amount of \$11,640.29 were ordered paid upon motion of Krasley and Williams. The treasurer's report was approved upon motion of Danner and Krasley. President Yale presented a tentative budget for 2024. The meeting discussed the proposal and we will vote on it at the November meeting.

The business agent reported work dues collections of \$728.53 for the month and \$16, 825.57 for the year.

The city of Allentown money for the summer concerts has been paid however the Bethlehem money for the second half has not been received as of yet.

Attorney Taglioli will approach the morning call newspaper about publishing a follow up article regarding the lawsuit. Secretary Cascioli suggested we place an article in the International Musician Publication as well.

The NPP has reached a tentative agreement on a new contract while the ASO negotiations are in progress.

Ken Krasley is working on setting up a meeting with the Allentown Mayor. We are looking into the possibility of a meeting with school students at the county band concert rehearsals this Spring.

We will purchase insurance to cover us in case of lawsuits.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 upon motion of Krasley and Williams.

Respectfully Submitted, Matthew Cascioli, Secretary