'Ike' McCord Dies Suddenly After Rail Run

Heart Ailment Fatal to Passenger Brakeman, Former Athletic Star

H. Isett (Ike) McCord, 47, 2650 North Fifth street, Pennsylvania Railroad employe, and former Technical High School basket ball and baseball coach died today at his home.

Dr. Howard E. Milliken, coroner, the McCord family physician said death resulted from a heart attack at 6.30 a. m.

Dr. Milliken said McCord complained of feeling ill while on his run at Altoona, came home shortly after 5 a.m. and died an hour and a half later.

"Ike," widely known in Harrisburg athletic circles, was given a tryout with the Philadelphia Athletics in 1914 by the veteran Connie Mack, and was later farmed out to Raleigh, N. C., where he played infield positions under Connie's son, Earl Mack.

On Hagerstown Team

He was also a member of the Hagerstown team of the Blue Ridge League in 1917 and was instrumental in Hagerstown winning the pennant that season.

He also played baseball with the Port Royal team of the Dauphin-Perry League in 1919 and 1920, the Klein Chocolate and Motive Power teams of the Philadelphia Division, Pennsylvania Railroad and the old West End team of the West End League.

McCord was also a professional basket ball player. He was a member of the Harrisburg Inde-

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