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## Five Honorary Degrees To be Granted by College

Five honorary degrees will be conferred at the 104th annual Waynesburg College commencement ceremonies Sunday afternoon, June 12, at 2:30 o'clock on the campus.

Recipients will be:  
Ellen Reid Carter of Waynesburg, for many years associated with the Department of Applied Music as head of violin, and now director of the school, Doctor of Music.

Paul Gregory Benedum of Pittsburgh, prominent oil man and geologist, Doctor of Science. He will also give the commencement address.

Rev. William R. Johnston, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Uniontown, who will deliver the baccalaureate at 11 o'clock on commencement day, Doctor of Divinity.

Rev. J. Franklin Weaver of Baltimore, Md., native of Muddy Creek, Greene County, and graduate of Waynesburg in the class of 1915, and for many years a Presbyterian minister in New Jersey and Maryland, Doctor of Divinity.

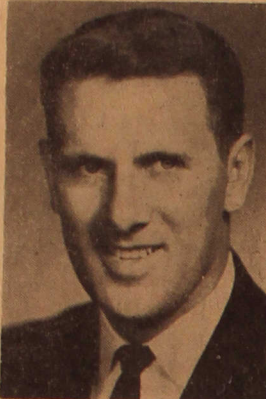
Dr. Edward M. Phillips of Wheeling, W. Va., prominent surgeon who is a native of Sprags, Greene County, and a graduate of Waynesburg College, Doctor of Science.

A class of approximately 80 young men and women will receive various academic degrees. All degrees will be conferred by President Paul R. Stewart of the college.

The music commencement will be Friday, June 10, at 2:30 o'clock in Miller Hall.

The annual banquet of the Alumni Association will be Saturday at 6 o'clock in the dining room of the First Presbyterian Church. Class and literary society reunions will be at 2:30 Saturday.

## Admitted to Bar



EDISON W. KEENER

Edison W. Keener, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Keener of Brave, was admitted to the Greene County Bar Saturday morning. He was sponsored by Attorney O. R. Hughes of Waynesburg, with whom he will be associated in the practice of law. Mr. Keener graduated from the West Virginia University School of Law and also took his undergraduate work at the university. He passed the state bar examination early this year.

## Tripled Sales Tax or Income Levy Needed

The non-partisan Pennsylvania Economy League which has advised several state administrations declared Tuesday in a special report, that Governor Leader has the choice between a state income tax and a state sales tax at three times the sales tax proportions now levied.

The League said "alternatives in the form of conventional taxes which are sufficiently productive would seem to be limited to an income tax or a general sales tax."

The report was labeled: "Background for Decision." It called attention to the political fact that Governor Leader is now up against a legislative and hence, political, stone wall in his attempt to drive through a classified income tax.

The sales tax—now one percent—as imposed in Pennsylvania, the League said, "is unique in that it is levied at an unusually low rate and with unusually low exemptions."

"If levied at a three per cent rate (presently used by ten other states) and with only 'take home' food exempted," the report said, "it is estimated that the sales tax would produce approximately the same revenue (\$411,000,000) as would the proposed (one per cent) income tax.

"It thus seems inevitable," the League said, "that unless there is a dramatic reversal of spending policies and traditions, sufficient to cut future expenditures well below the present level, some type of highly productive tax broadly imposed will be required to bolster the present general fund tax structure."

## Stassen Sees Hope For Peace Rising

—Chicago—  
Harold E. Stassen said that despite surface cynicism, most Americans believe an acceptable plan for world disarmament is possible.

In his new job as President Eisenhower's special assistant for disarmament, Mr. Stassen said, he is trying "to devise an approach on which all nations, large and small, can agree to accept reciprocal responsibility for its success."

## Still Cracked Davy Didn't Patch Liberty Bell

The Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce solemnly announced Saturday that the Liberty Bell is still cracked, despite the words of the Davy Crockett song.

Crockett did not patch up the crack, the chamber said in response to letters and queries from youthful visitors to Independence Hall.

Said the chamber:  
"We have no desire to dismay the millions of youngsters who have become enthralled with Davy Crockett. We just want to set history straight."

## An Apology! And It Had To Happen To 'Dad'

Due to the indolence and complete indifference of some of the precinct election boards, we were unable to get the Republican tally until far into the afternoon of Wednesday, the day after the primary.

Then, only through the Herculean efforts of Mrs. Louise Jacobs of the County Election Board, and the liberal use of the South Penn Telephone facilities, were we enabled to assemble exclusively a complete tabulation of both Republican and Democratic votes.

In the Republican totals for candidates for County Commissioner, due entirely to stress, John B. Carter was given a total of 2723 votes and "Dad" Engle but 1919. The correct figures were: Mr. Carter, 2114, and "Dad" Engle, 1919.

The majority of this error was ours. The balance was caused by incorrect tallies turned in by indifferent precinct workers.

While no damage was done to "Dad," one of our successful Republican candidates, and there surely is no intent to detract from the excellent race our good friend John Carter made, we just like to keep the records straight!

## U. S. Air Force Pilots Released After Four Years

—Hong Kong—  
Four U. S. Air Force pilots, in "pretty good shape" physically and showing no signs of brainwashing, stepped from behind Red China's "Bamboo Curtain" to freedom in Hong Kong yesterday.

Within hours they were winging their way across the Pacific to a reunion in Honolulu with their wives and parents who had waited more than two years for their release.

The four, all of whom were down while flying Sabrejet missions during the Korean War in late 1952 or early 1953, were:  
Captain Harold E. Fischer, Jr., 30, of Swea City, Iowa; Lieutenant Colonel Edwin L. Heller, 36, of Wynnewood, Pa.; First Lieutenant Lyle W. Cameron, 26, of Lincoln, Neb., and First Lieutenant Roland W. Parks, 25, of Omaha, Neb.

It was shortly after noon when the Americans, garbed in the familiar Red prison uniforms of faded blue, stepped off the train which had brought them from Canton to the frontier crossing point.

Steel-helmeted, machine-gun carrying Red sentries opened the barber wire barrier while similarly armed British police stood by.

As the fliers fled through U. S. Air Attache in Hong Kong, Colonel Dwight Simpson, stepped forward to greet them in the name of the U. S. government.

One of the airmen, with tears in his eyes, said simply:  
"Thank God, we're free at last."

## Official Count Of Primary

Official count of the votes in the May 17 primary election has been completed with little change from the unofficial returns.

The count:

REPUBLICAN	
Judge	
W. Robert Thompson	2403
County Treasurer	
Marshall W. Lemley	2047
County Commissioners	
John B. Carter	2114
L. F. Engle	1919
County Auditors	
Mary E. Ganier	1876
John G. Baily	1924
Clerk of Courts	
Rae B. Spragg	125
Register and Recorder	
Lawrence Phillips	2114
District Attorney	
William H. Sayers	2108
Prothonotary	
John G. Warren, Jr.	2003
DEMOCRATIC	
Judge	
J. I. Hook	6139
W. Robert Thompson	2708
J. B. F. Rinehart	1177
W. Bertram Waychoff	1890
County Treasurer	
Pauline C. Kiger	3893
Richard F. Clark	272
Wilbur I. Lint	990
William J. Fieldson	156
LeRoy Titus	3456
Mel Hart	995
H. Leslie Shriver	1093
Nicholas Osso	581
County Commissioners	
Herman Gugliotta	3887
W. Russell Tustin	2978
A. R. (Arleigh) Varner	3910
C. Chesney Wood	3483
Emil W. Fox	3167
Leroy D. Cummings	2464
County Auditors	
Grace B. Guesman	4673
Levi A. Fuller	3468
J. Bryce Cummins	2908
Joseph C. Russo	2444
Owen Henderson	2223
Thomas F. Ealy	1857
Clerk of Courts	
Rae B. Spragg	4186
Fred Stroinsider	3498
John J. Kelly	3175
Register and Recorder	
Harold Dulaney	8764
District Attorney	
Glenn R. Toothman	9196
Prothonotary	
Leroy H. Minor	9000

## Daily Vacation Bible School

The annual daily vacation Bible School will begin Monday and continue through Friday, June 17.

Beginners and primary students will attend in the First Presbyterian Church where Mrs. G. B. Vanskyver will be superintendent.

Seniors, primary and junior pupils will attend in the East Ward School, with Mrs. Floyd H. Miller as superintendent.

Juniors and intermediates will go to the First Baptist Church with Mrs. Henry A. Young as superintendent.

## JUNE COURT

Six cases will come before the Greene County grand jury Monday when June court opens.

Sixteen cases are listed for trial in civil court.

## Pennsylvania Tops Nation In State Debt

—Washington—  
Pennsylvania has the largest state debt in the union.

The \$1,178,184,000 Pennsylvania debt exceeds even New York's by two million dollars, according to a report recently released by the United States Census Bureau. The figure is for 1954.

The census figures show that in 1942, the last year of the term of Governor Arthur H. James, the state debt stood at \$290,644,000. In 1946, the last year of the term of the former governor, now Senator Edward Martin, it was reduced to \$125,629,000.

In 1950, the final year of the former governor, now Senator James H. Duff, it stood at \$804,715,000. And last year, the concluding one of the term of Governor John Fine, it stood at \$1,178,184,000.

While Pennsylvania's case is more aggravated than that of other states, the pattern is the same for most. During World War II the states necessarily curtailed their expenditures because the things that could be bought were limited by the war effort. When the war ended in 1945, the states started spending to make up for lost effort in highway, school and hospital construction, in broadening of social welfare benefits, in extension of many peacetime services.

Debt rose with these increased expenditures.

The total debt of all states in 1942 was \$3,257,000,000. In 1954 it was \$9,600,000,000.

State expenditures have jumped tremendously over those of before World War II. Pennsylvania in 1942 spent \$474,900,000. In 1954, the state spent \$1,259,360,000. The national figures for all state governments in those years are \$40,370,000 and \$18,687,000,000. In other words, it costs about 50 million dollars a day to keep the state government running.

In 1942 Pennsylvania's revenue, exclusive of borrowing, was \$616,130,000, well over the total expenditures of \$474,900,000.

In 1954, Pennsylvania's revenue, exclusive of borrowing, was \$1,197,046,000, considerably short of the expenditures of \$1,259,360,000.

## Senator Martin Praises Moving of College Library

United States Senator Edward Martin has expressed praise to undergraduates of Waynesburg College, where he graduated in 1901, for their excellent spirit of cooperation in the recent transference of some 35,000 volumes of books from Miller Hall to the new College Library.

In a letter to President Paul R. Stewart of the College, Senator Martin said:

"I have just noted in the newspaper the student project of moving the books from the old library to the new.

"I think this is one of the outstanding student participation activities I have noted in a long while.

"It shows the fine spirit of the students under your magnificent leadership.

"The cooperative work of the students shows America at its very best.

"I extend my sincerest congratulations not only to you, but to the student body, the College and the community."

## 11 Enter Contest For Coal Queen

Eleven girls from district high schools in Greene, Fayette and Washington Counties, have entered the contest for queen of the second annual Coal Festival to be held at Carmichaels September 6 through 10.

Contestants are Margaret Spock, All Saints High School, Masontown, pianist; Carol Freeman, German Township, dancer and pianist; Laura Liberatore, Centerville, clarinetist; Eileen Golubsky, Bethlehem Joint, vocalist; Rose Marie Vanata, Mapletown, vocalist; Priscilla Yaros, Cumberland Township, vocalist; Nancy Davis, California Community, vocalist and pantomimist; Jonna McCurdy, Waynesburg, tap dancer; Lillian Evans, Mt. Morris, tap dancer; Toni Moscovits, Redstone, dramatics; Pam McClellan, Jefferson-Morgan, shater and pantomimist.

Election of the queen will be made early in August. Mrs. Robert T. Gray and Mrs. Howard Baily are co-chairmen of the committee.

## East End Rexall Store Purchased

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ely of South West street, have purchased the Rexall Drug Store on East High street, from Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Francis May. They have taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Ely will continue the soda, breakfast and lunch service, and will sell other articles and sundries required without a physician's prescription.

Mr. Ely has been secretary of Waynesburg Chamber of Commerce for the past few years and will continue his duties in that capacity until July 1.

## Polio Fund's Head 'Father of Year'

—New York—  
Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, has been named "Father of the year" by the National Father's Day Committee.

The committee described Mr. O'Connor as "the architect of the battle against polio" that resulted in development of the Salk vaccine.

O'Connor, who has two daughters, was a law partner of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt. He has been president of the Warm Springs, Ga., Foundation since 1945.

## Safety Committee Abolished by State

—Harrisburg—  
The governor's Highway Safety Advisory Committee has been abolished by the State Revenue Department. A department spokesman said the action was taken because of "overlapping functions" of the committee and the department's Bureau of Highway Safety. He estimated it will save the state \$200,000 a year.

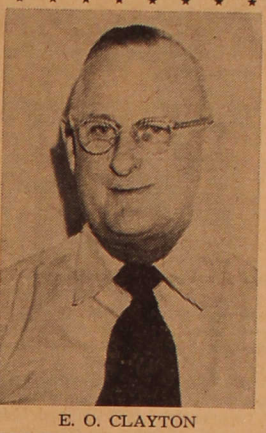
## Heads Up! 160 Sign Petition to Decapitate Selves

—Denver—  
The Denver Better Business Bureau proved its point that many persons sign petitions without realizing what they're all about.

W. Dan Bell said a group of university students circulated a petition asking that all signers agree to "decapitate themselves with extreme joy."

The group found 160 students and professors willing to lose their heads.

## E. O. Clayton Appointed Waynesburg Postmaster



E. O. CLAYTON

Ernest O. Clayton, who has been acting postmaster for the past several months, has been appointed postmaster at the local office as of June 1. He succeeds W. R. Cumpston, who until a few months ago had served for several years.

Mr. Clayton is a son of Samuel Clayton, deceased, and Mrs. Clayton of Washington, and was born and reared in Waynesburg. He graduated from Waynesburg High School.

He is a veteran of K Company, 110th Regiment, in World War I, and served in France. For a number of years he has served as president of the organization. Mr. Clayton is a member of James Farrell Post, American Legion, and is a past commander. He is also a member of Waynesburg Lodge 153, F. and A. M.

He has been employed at the Waynesburg postoffice 36 years, beginning as a carrier. He was taken into the office as a clerk and later served as assistant postmaster.

## Commission Urges More Economy In Government

—Washington—  
The Hoover Commission has called on the Government to shut down 1,000 military and several hundred civilian enterprises—including the postal savings system—which it said compete with private enterprises.

The re-organization group, headed by former President Herbert Hoover, sent to Congress 22 recommendations for removing the Government from business. It also endorsed a bill pending in Congress to set up the liquidation machinery.

Federal business ventures, the 12-member commission said, pay no taxes and deprive the Government of revenue it would get from private firms. These and other factors, it said, make them "unfair competition" and their "unjustified continuance is a definite injury to the vitality of the whole private enterprise system."

While the money savings arising from Government withdrawal cannot be estimated, the report said:

"Far more important than the dollar savings are the beneficial results to our economy from eliminating Government competition to the greatest possible extent."

The commission estimated that the armed services alone run 2,500 plants, stores, repair shops and other enterprises ranging from ice cream factories to shipping and air lines.

Forty per cent of these could be wiped out, curtailed or sold to industry "without injury to our national defense or any essential Government function," the report asserted.

## Appointed To State Bank Group

Kenneth G. Baily, president of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Greene County, has been appointed chairman of the Pennsylvania Savings and Loan League identification committee, and also a member of the budget committee.

The two committee posts were among 70 filled by League President Matthew L. Leib, Hazelton, in preparation for the league's ninth spring managers' conference, to be held June 20-22, at Bedford.

The three-day conference, to be preceded by a board of directors' meeting Sunday, June 19, at 2:30 o'clock, will be devoted to management and operational problems frequently encountered.

Among the speakers who will address the gathering will be Robert L. Myers, Jr., Pennsylvania's new Secretary of Banking.

## Graduates from Georgia University

Mrs. Bernard Martoff, the former Helen Stewart of Waynesburg, will receive her degree in arts and sciences this week from the University of Georgia, at Athens.

Mrs. Martoff's husband is an instructor in the university.

She was married while a student in Waynesburg College, and recently began studying again in the University of Georgia, where her credits from Waynesburg College were accepted. She is in the upper five percent grade of her class.

KDKA'S  
Tollotest Answer  
JOSEPH WARREN



# The Pioneer History of Greene County, Penna.

By L. K. EVANS

(Continued from Last Week)

On the evening of Matthew Hennen's conversation with Dunmore, an orderly was sent for Morris with peremptory orders to report at headquarters. Morris reluctantly obeyed not surmising the purport of the interview. But his suspense soon gave way to grateful surprise, as he received from his Excellency a commission as Captain of Scouts—the very highest honor that an English-Lord and Governor could confer on a private soldier. The position was one of great danger and responsibility and was only conferred on the bravest and most trustworthy.

Captain Morris early espoused the cause of American independence, and when it became known that Lord Dunmore was aiding and abetting the British interest by the most despicable means—that of enlisting the Indians—Morris in a passion of patriotic indignation drew the commission from his pocket and tore it into shreds. He was no longer a captain in the British service, but he was none the less a soldier and patriot.

At the close of Dunmore's war he returned to Garards Fort to cultivate his farm and if need be exercise the functions of a scout in that locality. On one occasion, he and Dick Hall and a man by the name of Keener were on a scouting expedition and were fired upon by Indians concealed in the thickets near the present site of Major Henry Lantz's residence. Keener was killed, but Morris and Hall escaped to the fort, Morris receiving a slight wound. They had returned the fire and as the sequel proved, killed an Indian, who was found scalped the next day by Henry Syckes, as narrated in a previous sketch.

He was captain of the company that pursued the band of Indians that committed the Corby massacre on the 10th of May, 1782, but so rapid was the retreat of these savages that our eager pursuers did not get sight of them till they were landing on the western shore of the Ohio, and it was not deemed prudent to follow them any further.

On one occasion while Captain Morris was alone scouting near the Ohio River, he discovered a large body of Indians close at hand, and concealed himself unobserved in a clump of underbrush and leaves, the party passed within a few yards of him. Knowing them to be on the war path, he stealthily emerged from his hiding place and, by evading their path and traveling all night, succeeded in reaching the settlements in time to warn the inhabitants of the approaching danger.

Once while enjoying the solitude of his lonely cabin, situated near the site of the present residence of his grandson, Josephus H. Morris, he heard the snap of a twig, and upon casting a glance out the window beheld a crouching Indian, gliding from tree to tree. In an instant the borderer's trusty rifle sounded a death knell. Then he struck out for the fort followed by a pack of infuriated savages; but his superior fleetness secured him an easy victory. He had many other adventures of like character the traditions of which are now too faintly shadowed to justify relating them.

When the wars were over, and peace and security shed their genial influence around, Captain Morris applied himself industriously to the cultivation and improvement of his lands; and by frugality and economy soon secured all the comforts of a well ordered home.

In the beginning of the war 1812, when the military excitement ran high and recruiting offices were being established all over the land, a meeting was held at Captain Morris' house. The meeting was addressed by several Revolutionary soldiers. Captain Morris, an aged man, arose and said, "I have six sons old enough to enlist, and unless three of them volunteer, I will shoulder my rifle and go myself." Thereupon, Levi, George and Jonathan stepped forward and enlisted. Others followed their example till a company of cavalry under the command of Captain Sealy, was in a few days off for the seat of war.

It is said that Captain Morris would never accept a pension for his military services, at the hands of his Government, nor an office at the hands of the people averring that he had ample means without such aid, and preferred a private to a public life.

He was for sixty years a consistent member of the regular Baptist church, and in the evening of his days he is known to have declared that he was not conscious of a blasphemous word ever escaped his lips, or a falsehood, or that his brain had ever been addled by intoxication. Few, indeed, can boast a life so pure and spotless.

He died at the residence of his son, Jonathan—the old stone-house—near the church at Garards Fort on the 20th of January, 1842, in the ninety-eighth year of his age. His remains are interred in the old grave yard hard by the old fort, of which he was long the commandant. There they repose, marked only by an ordinary moss-grown sand stone, while his grateful posterity number hundreds and possess millions of wealth. I suggest that they yet rear a suitable monument to his memory.

He had six sons and two daughters—John and George settled near Newtown; Levi at Mt. Morris; Jonathan at Garards Fort, and Huston and Isalah went west. I have not been able to learn the names of the daughters, but they both married Gustins and settled in Ohio, near Cincinnati.

The facts in the foregoing sketches have been gleaned principally from notes furnished by Dr. Spencer Morris, who was the son of Jonathan, who was the son of George.—L. K. EVANS.

## Historical Sketch of Greene County

Delivered at Jefferson, July 4, 1876

Such was the beginning and such the character of the bloody warfare which was sustained at intervals through a period of twenty years, till the year 1794, when General Anthony Wayne, through the forces of several successive and most brilliant campaigns, broke the spirit of the enemy and conquered a lasting peace. It will be interesting to enumerate the massacres and murders and hairbreadth escapes incident to this border life, but time admonishes and I desist. But I cannot, however, ignore such important events as the massacre of William McClelland and his family, near Waynesburg, in 1788; of the slaughter of 18 men at Statler's Fort in the same year; of the massacre of Rev. John Corby's family at Garards' Fort in 1782, and of the Crow sisters on Wheeling Creek in 1791. Nor can I resist making the startling statement that I have gathered traditions of the slaughter of full 100 of the citizens of Greene County by the implacable red-handed savage. Nor would I leave off these reflections without paying a tribute to the matchless heroism of Mrs. Experience Bozarth, who paid the ransom of her murdered innocents by killing three merciless savages with an ax. And John Minor, William Crawford, Charles Swan, Richard Morris, Henry Syckes, Joe Archer, James Seals, Vince Brown, Abraham Teagarden, Martin Crow and many others deserve to have their names engraven on the tablets of the heart in honor of the many daring feats of heroism and gallant exploits that they performed.

Contemporaneous with these Indian troubles was a complication fully as serious and vastly more humiliating. It is a sad episode in the history of the country that in 1777, when the country was in her life or death struggle for independence, that a majority of her citizens were loyal to the Crown. The people became wonderfully agitated and the direct results were imminent in consequence of the Tory predominance in the community, and threatening attitude they sustained to the loyal people—viewed in the light of the possible contingency of their alliance with the Indians who were allies of the English. But the patriotism of the few was equal to the occasion, and suppressed with little or no bloodshed the threatened uprising by force of determined will and superior courage. The names of these loyal men are still cherished by a grateful posterity, while those of the Tories, as such, have been charitably permitted to perish from the earth.

(Continued Next Week)

## HELENE CURTIS COLD WAVES

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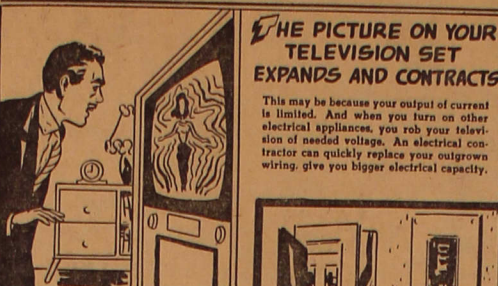
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## Rachel Marx Graydon of Reading Noted American Revolution Heroine

—Harrisburg—

Henry W. Shoemaker, Pennsylvania Folklorist, said history probably records no greater heroine of the American Revolution than Rachel Marx Graydon, Jewish beauty of German stock.

"Her rescue of her captive son, Major Alexander Graydon, came about by sheer courage and determination, in facing the British General Howe, just when the invalid boy, who later became the first historian of Pennsylvania, was about to be shipped to a prison across the Atlantic," Shoemaker said.

"A resident of Reading at the time, the beautiful widow Graydon heard of her son's ill health and ill treatment, and the rumor that he was to be sent to a military prison below the water line in England.

"She determined to secure his release as an invalid, to do which she must face the British commanding general in person.

"Mounting her best saddle horse she rode, in a dark night to the Delaware River, where by a strange coincidence she met her nephew, Rudolph Fischer, who said he would accompany her on her noble mission. They crossed the river safely, but before the second day was over, were absorbed in the British forces retreating from the Battle of Princeton.

"They got partly through the disorganized rabble, but were picked up as suspicious characters by a British provost marshal and taken to headquarters, where young Fischer established himself as a loyalist, but was put in charge of a detail, and ordered back to Pennsylvania. Here Rachel's haunting beauty served her in good stead, and her story being believed, she was allowed to retain her horse, and proceed.

"Traveling by darkness, she reached the North and East Rivers which gird New York City, and by sheer pluck was able to be ferried across both streams. On the Long Island shore, her horse was seized as mount for a Brigadier General, but she was freed, and allowed to proceed on foot.

"With a wide social acquaintance, she fell in with officers who identified her, and she was able to push on to General Howe's headquarters. A rain had fallen, and she cut short her long riding gown, and with muddy shoes and skirts, reached the solemn headquarters of the mighty Britisher.

"At the headquarters at Flatbush, a sergeant's wife, a kindly Irish woman, cleaned her, making her 'spick and span' to face King George's commander. The sergeant's wife told her that her son was confined in the same cell with two other young American officers, Colonel Miles and Major West, so Mrs. Graydon determined to plead for the parole of the three prisoners.

"General Howe received her pleasantly, and listened to her story. As all three prisoners were in poor health, and a burden to their keepers, General Howe was willing to grant their parole. As she stood in his presence, a side door was opened, and Major Graydon, and his two friends were admitted. They saluted the commander, and the Graydon boy bowed deeply to his mother.

"The General ordered their release on a year's parole, and Rachel Graydon fell on her knees and kissed the General's hand in heartfelt thanks. Then the young invalid officers stuttered out their thanks, the General made a signal, and they were all escorted out of his presence.

## Sen. Byrd Stresses 'Great Faith' in Air Supremacy

—Washington—

Senator Harry F. Byrd, Democrat of Virginia, economy leader of Congress, said Tuesday he has "great faith" that American defense experts have created an air arm superior to that of Russia.

He said the U. S. "might as well give up" if, after all the billions of dollars spent on defense, it finds itself trailing the Soviets in military might.

Byrd's statement was made as the nation's Air Force chiefs were called to explain to two Senate committees, Thursday, just what the relative U. S.-Soviet air strength is.

Air Secretary Harold E. Talbott and General Nathan Twining, Air Force chief, were asked to "brief" the Senate Armed Services Committee on Thursday on recent reports concerning Soviet air power increases.

## Foes Gaining On Military Cutback

—Washington—

Senator Russell, Democrat of Georgia, claimed support Monday for a Senate move to wait a year before going along with President Eisenhower's plan to cut down on the size of the armed forces.

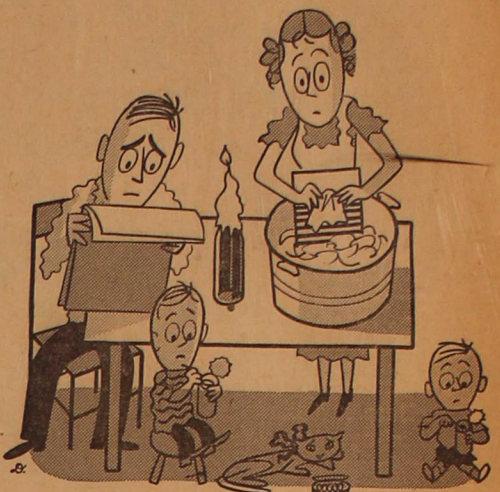
Russell, who heads the Senate Armed Services Committee, said he believes there is a good chance the Senate will vote to delay some of the reductions in Army, Navy and Marine forces approved by the House when it passed the \$31,488,000,000 military budget last Thursday.

"I am supporting the proposal to delay these reductions for one year because I believe the overall reductions are being made too rapidly," Russell told an interviewer.

years ago the splendid mansion where Lafayette was entertained was pulled down, and the site turned into a parking lot.

"It was at her son's home where Rachael Marx Graydon died January 23, 1807, loved and respected. Old residents of the villages which later made up Harrisburg, Maclaysburg, Coxetown, Heckton and Paxtang for long years loved to tell of her beautiful personality and gracious gifts, which made her one of the most favored characters in the annals of Pennsylvania folklore and history."

## 5 ways to save a dime on your electric bill



- 1 Shut off your refrigerator for a week. (Your food will spoil but you'll save ten cents' worth of electricity this way.)
- 2 Miss 20 of your favorite half-hour television programs. (You'll miss several evenings of pleasant entertainment but you'll save ten cents' worth of electricity.)
- 3 Don't iron Dad's shirts for a month. (He'll be unhappy about the wrinkles but you'll save ten cents on 25 shirts.)
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## County Correspondence Rogersville

Mrs. Edward Russell of Chambersburg, is visiting her twin sister, Mrs. Leona White and other relatives and friends in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralphard Tedrow and children, David and Deborah Lee of Cleveland, Ohio, spent the holiday week end with the former's grandfather, William Leonard and daughter, Catherine. Herb Danielson and C. L. Guignan of Oil City, called on O. R. Clark, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pfender were Sunday dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pfender and son, Lee of Masontown.

Mrs. George Weimer of Wheeling, W. Va., was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rush McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sands and son, Carl Frederick of Fort Wayne, Ind., spent Memorial Day week end as guests of Mrs. Sands' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillogly.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Pears and children, Jean, Ann and Daniel of Clarksburg, W. Va., spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Reese.

Mrs. Alice Johnson and daughters, Rebecca and Ann of Ashtabula, Ohio, spent Saturday evening with the former's aunt, Mrs. Alice Throckmorton. They motored to Pittsburgh and were accompanied by Mrs. Johnson's brothers and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wiley and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wiley of near Amity, where they visited their brothers, Willard and Lloyd Wiley, who are undergoing treatment at Veterans Hospital for multiple sclerosis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grove and daughter, Sue, were overnight guests of Mrs. Grove's brother, Gerald Haight and family of Jeannette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Church visited their nephew, Lawrence Stockdale and family of Apollo, one day last week.

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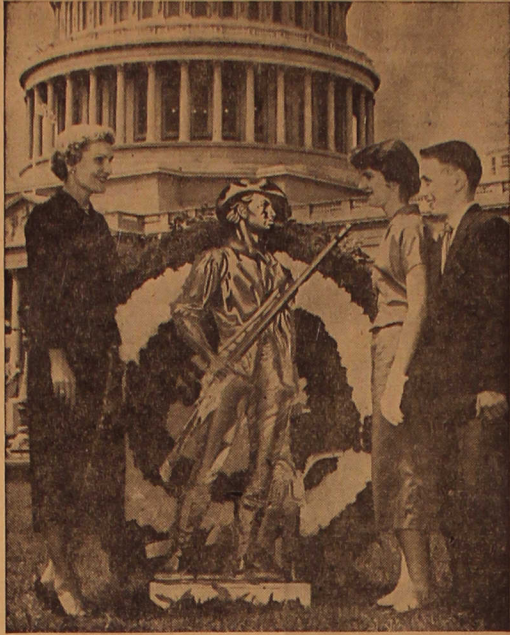
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The popular Series E Savings Bond had a birthday in May—its 14th—and on hand to greet it were the wife of the Vice-President of the United States and two Washington school youngsters who were born in the same month as the first E bond, May 1941. Mrs. Richard Nixon is shown here on the Capitol lawn receiving a floral tribute from Marsha Baker and Thomas Bensing, students of the Alice Deal Junior High School in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Nixon, as honorary vice-chairman of the National Women's Advisory Committee for Savings Bonds, received the offering in behalf of the thousands of women volunteers across the country, who have helped to sell 1.7 billion separate Series E Savings Bonds since 1941. The two youngsters were chosen for the honor not only because they are the same age as the E bond, but because they are regular purchasers of Savings Stamps in their school program. The spectacular 4 1/2-foot floral piece was made of red and white carnations and blue cornflowers, with the Minute Man symbol of the Savings Bond Program in gold. It was donated by the Allied Florist Association of Greater Washington, Inc.

## Jefferson

First Lieutenant Wilbur Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Black, arrived home last week from Camp Rucker, Ala., after serving two and a half years in the U. S. Army, including one year in Europe, at Trieste. He graduated from Penn State University in June 1952, and entered the Army in August. He graduated from Fort Benning Infantry School, Georgia, in 1953, with the rank of second lieutenant. He plans to enter the teaching profession after taking advanced work at Penn State University this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott Minor attended the graduation exercises of their daughter, Lucinda Viola Minor, at the California State Teachers College, on Monday morning, May 23.

Airman 3/c Glenn G. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Turner, is on temporary duty with the 68th Air Refueling Squadron at Labrador. He will return to his Air Base at Lake Charles, La.

John Lucas, local funeral director, attended the funeral directors' convention at Wilkes-Barre last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Waugaman and daughter, Janet of Greensburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Minor on Sunday.

John Wright of Pittsburgh, visited his brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. McNeely, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Filbey of Westville, N. J., visited her mother, Mrs. Belle Pollock and other relatives here over Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Clarkson of Harrisburg, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clarkson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zaverack and daughter, Paulette, spent Sunday with Mrs. Zaverack's mother, Mrs. Gertrude Joliffe of Morgantown, W. Va.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church met at Acklins with Mrs. Betty Lucas as hostess. The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Mildred Pushey. A Mothers Day program was carried out with group singing and readings by Mrs. Ruth Bohn, Mrs. Wanda Haver and Mrs. Blanche McNeely. Gifts were presented to Mrs. Lana Gwynn, as the oldest mother present, and to Mrs. William Barletti, as the youngest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hughes and daughter, Sandra, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hughes, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes and son of West Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Young, Jr., and daughter, Dana, and Miss Marea Bell are enjoying a vacation at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Dyson. Mrs. Dyson is the former Eleanor Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and daughters, Joyce and Carol, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Wells.

Ruth Ann Knisley and Frances Belle Coneybeer, small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Knisley and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Coneybeer, are both ill of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. James Frankenberg, Jr., spent Sunday with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clelland. Mr. Frankenberg is a student in West Virginia University at Morgantown.

Rev. Ferd B. Park, formerly of Homestead, is the new minister of the Methodist Church and

preached the first sermon to this congregation on Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. Park will move into the Methodist Parsonage soon.

Nine members of the Philathea Class of the Methodist Sunday School conspired secretly to hold a "come as you are" breakfast party. While part of the group met at the church to prepare breakfast for their guests, the others went in cars to knock at doors at 7 o'clock in the morning and invite the lady of the house to come to the party in whatever attire she was found in. They were taken to Alabama's Service Station and loaded into a bus which collected more ladies from Mather and vicinity. The driver of the bus, Clifford Haver, then announced the next stop would be for breakfast at the Fort Jackson Hotel in Waynesburg. This created a commotion until the guests learned their destination was the dining room of the Jefferson Methodist Church. Some fifty ladies attired in nightgowns, pajamas, bathrobes, housecoats and dresses of various descriptions, enjoyed a hilarious time and a fine breakfast. Pictures were taken and Mrs. Sada Feitt was crowned queen.

Mrs. Mamie Dunham and daughters, Nelle and Geraldine of Star Junction, and Philip Johnson of Cleveland, Ohio, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin.

## Spraggs

With Mrs. Myrtle Conkle of Waynesburg, and Allie McLaughlin of Prosperity, as demonstrators, a series of Stanley parties will be climaxed through the month of May when Mrs. S. I. Lohr and Mrs. Truman Calvert will be hostesses at their respective homes. Other parties were in the homes of Mrs. William Zimmerman, Mrs. Ferne Phillips, Mrs. James Snyder and Mrs. William Dulaney.

Mrs. Walter V. Dulaney was hostess at a jewelry demonstration recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones have moved from Waynesburg to the George Powell tenant house, formerly the Jobe Moore property.

Mrs. D. A. Yeager visited her son, Raymond Headley, a patient in a Morgantown, W. Va., hospital.

Mrs. Ruth Yeager, Erma and Lonnie Yeager and Mr. and Mrs. Arleigh Yeager of Amity, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Yeager.

Mrs. Forney Dulaney was a Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gutberlet of Waynesburg. Mr. Gutberlet, who was threatened with pneumonia, is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Wilson and children of Wana, W. Va., were Tuesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bally Minor and children of Mt. Morris R. D., were Sunday dinner guests of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Moore.

Gary and Terry Wade of Mt. Morris R. D., are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Moore. Their father, George Wade, entered Presbyterian Hospital at Pittsburgh last week where he underwent surgery.

Mrs. James Snyder and children, Gary and Linda, were Saturday callers of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin

## This Is Carrying Realism Too Far

—Trinidad, Colo.—  
Among flood victims in this southern Colorado city was the Strand Theater, located on Commerce street.  
The picture currently showing is "On the Waterfront."

Blackman of Grafton, W. Va., and were accompanied home by the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Zuckelkowski.

The Spraggs grade school closed Thursday, May 26.

Mrs. Roy Pettit, Mrs. Arthur Randall and sons, Ricky and Bruce of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Strawn of Waynesburg, were dinner guests last week of their sister, Mrs. R. E. Zimmerman and family.

Mrs. Ernest Yeager of Oak Forest, and her son, Harold Yeager of Spraggs, motored to Wheeling, W. Va., Sunday and accompanied home their husband and father, who had been a hospital patient there for three weeks.

Bobby Zimmerman was an overnight guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Calvert.

## Jollytown

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dulaney and daughter, Glenda, of Mt. Morris Star Route; Mina Belford, Jack and Shirlene Morris and Mack Shultz and Florence Morris of Pittsburgh.

James Stiles of Waynesburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor.

Joshua Baysinger spent the week end in Hendersburg, Ohio.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wise were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lapping, Mr. and Mrs. John Tedrow, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lapping, all of Beaver Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wise and son, Terry of Jollytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips and son of Langeloth, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas of Waynesburg, Miss Violet Louise Taylor of Cleveland, and Mr. and Mrs. John Hennen of Pittsburgh, visited Mrs. Ida Taylor.

## Oak Forest

The children of Mrs. David J. Hoge of near Oak Forest, honored her recently at a dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Watkins and daughter, Connie; Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul King, and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Hoge of Waynesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Allen G. Hoge of near Oak Forest; Mr. and Mrs. William Malady of Canonsburg; Mona Jane King and Miss Patricia Hoge of Mt. Lebanon; Mrs. Goldie King of Morgantown, W. Va., and Mrs. Metta M. Turk of Waynesburg. Mrs. Hoge received many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron M. Phillips and daughter, Rosalie of Oak Forest, and Roger Parry of Holbrook R. D., visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stevens of Bristol.

Mrs. W. L. Stewart of Waynesburg, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gadd of Carmichaels.

## Lincoln's Check Part of Estate

—Denver—  
A check for \$100 signed by Abraham Lincoln to his son Todd was ordered distributed by the County Court order Friday as part of the assets of a \$72,000 estate.

Under terms of the will of Mrs. Maude E. Stoddard, her estate was to be divided equally among four children. Thus, each child owned an equal interest in the document with other old letters and publications.

Each of the four children submitted a sealed bid for the check. Mrs. Evelyn S. Gourley of Los Angeles, was high bidder at \$350. The check was dated September 6, 1861, and is drawn on Riggs and Company of Washington, D. C.

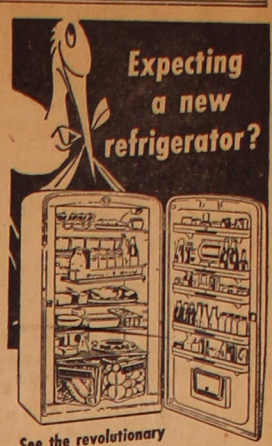
According to legend, the President would write a check to Todd whenever the boy was sick or his father wanted a favor.

## Troopers Alert As Five Split Cash

—Traverse City, Mich.—  
An alert motorist notified state police when he saw five men dividing money from a cash bag along a highway.

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### School Directors to Hold Convention

Greene County school directors will hold their 56th annual convention Thursday, June 9, in Waynesburg High School. A banquet will be held in the evening in Washington Street Methodist Church. Speakers will include Herbert Harrison of New York, entertainer and lecturer; James Hughes, superintendent of Westmoreland County Schools; Harold F. Martin, representative of the Department of Public Instruction, and Assemblyman Stephen McCann of Carmichaels. Association business will include election of officers and adoption of the school calendar for 1955-56.

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## House Receives Compensation Benefits Bill

**—Harrisburg—**  
The administration workmen's and occupational disease benefits bills, calling for \$5 weekly increases and other liberalization, have been introduced in the House.

Democratic and Republican assemblymen sponsored the measures which Governor Leader called "another great step forward" in labor legislation. The governor said current compensation benefits in Pennsylvania were lower than in all but agricultural states of the "deep south" and a few small states such as Maine.

Compensation for total disability would be boosted from \$32.50 weekly to \$37.50 without a time limit. Under existing law the limit for total disability is 700 weeks.

The minimum of \$22.50 would be increased to \$25 unless the claimant earns less than \$25 in which case he would receive 90 per cent of his wages as an incentive to return to work.

The bottom benefit of \$12.50 would be upped to \$15 a week. Maximum payments for partial disability are increased from \$23 to \$27.50 weekly.

Number of weeks for the loss of an eye would be raised from 125 to 150 weeks for a complete loss of hearing from 150 to 180 weeks.

If an employee is totally disabled through a back injury and at the same time suffers the loss of a hand, the hand injury is not compensable as it runs concurrently with the other injury.

## Atomic Fallout 'Ages' Rocks

**—Ann Arbor—**

It's getting harder and harder to tell the age of a rock. Scientists once used Geiger counters to measure the age of some rocks and fossils—by testing their radioactivity. But the readings were thrown off by as much as 10,000 years because of fall-out from atomic bomb tests.

Now the scientists burn samples in a closed container. Then they draw off the carbon dioxide gas, purify it and measure the radioactivity of the residue.

"We had to make the change," said Professor H. R. Crane, supervisor of the Phoenix Radio-carbon Dating Laboratory at the University of Michigan. "We've had a light fall-out in our area, throwing off our calculations."

## State July Draft To Take Only 685

**—Harrisburg—**

The State Selective Service System has fixed Pennsylvania's July draft call at 685 men, six less than the call for May and June.

State Director Henry M. Gross said the July quota, like that for June, will be filled entirely from men who are at least 21 years of age as of July 1, regardless of local board status.

## H. S. STUDENTS RUN RAILROAD



RAIL CLASS—Northampton, Pa., high school seniors line up on an unusual classroom as they study railroad operation and problems under the sponsorship of the Eastern Railroads' local Railroad Community Committee. Twenty-two of the students were trained in railroad operations so that they could instruct other students in a "Youth Runs A Railroad" program. The 22 students took over the operation of the Northampton & Bath Railroad for the day and carried on the course of instruction.

## Obituary Notices

### THOMAS MARZEC

Thomas Marzec, 59 years, of House 235, Nemaacolin, died Saturday morning, May 28, 1955, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He was born December 1, 1895, in Poland, and had resided the past 32 years at Nemaacolin. Mr. Marzec had been employed as a machine operator by the Buckeye Coal Company. He was a member of Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church, Nemaacolin, and of the Carmichaels Moose Lodge, and UMWA Local 6290, Nemaacolin. His wife, Mrs. Stella Chiborski Marzec, survives, with three daughters, Mrs. Cecelia Lenczewicz of Crucible, and Mrs. Mary Martinez and Mrs. Blanche Penza, both of Brooklyn, N. Y. Also surviving are one brother and one sister in Europe, and five grandchildren. Requiem high mass was sung Tuesday in Our Lady of Consolation Church by Father John Hruska. Interment in All Saints Cemetery, Masontown.

### WILLIAM KNISLEY

William Knisley, 80 years, died Tuesday night, May 24, 1955, in his home at Blacksville, W. Va. He was a son of Joseph and Elizabeth Phillips Knisley, and was born February 4, 1875, in Wetzel County, W. Va. He was a retired building contractor. Mr. Knisley was a member of the Methodist Chapel. Surviving, besides his wife, are two sons, Paul E. Knisley of Romney, W. Va., and Woodrow Knisley of Blacksville, W. Va.; four daughters, Mrs. Pearl Shuman of Morgantown, W. Va., Mrs. Edna M. Walters of Clarksburg, W. Va.; Mrs. Dora Gantz of Charleston, W. Va., and Mrs. Edith Kramer of Baltimore, Md.; 25 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Jane Gump and Mrs. Martha Phillips, both of Fairview, W. Va., and a brother, Wesley Knisley of Romney, W. Va.

### M. HAROLD WISE

M. Harold Wise, 56 years, of Waynesburg R. D. 4, died Wednesday night, May 25, 1955, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had been injured in an automobile accident near Blacksville, W. Va., on May 20, when he was returning from the Peoples Gas Company pump station at Brave where he was employed as a pressure man. Mr. Wise had been employed by the company for 30 years. He was a son of Levi and Cora Barr, Wise and was born June 25, 1898, at Brave. During World War I he served in the Navy and was a member of James Farrell Post, American Legion. He was also a member of Kent Methodist Chapel. Surviving are his wife, Betty White Wise; two sons, Wilbur Wise of Park City, Mont., and William Wise of Billings, Mont.; a step-daughter, Mrs. Mildred Snyder of Brave; eight grandchildren; a brother, Clarence E. Wise of McClellandtown, and a sister, Mrs. Betty Armstrong of Los Angeles, Calif. One son and a brother are deceased. Funeral services were held Friday in the Church Funeral Home in Waynesburg, conducted by Rev. Ralph G. Shipley. Interment in Greene County Memorial Park. Military rites in charge of James Farrell Post, 330 American Legion.

### WILLIAM A. WHITE

William A. White, 36 years, bakery truck driver, died suddenly Wednesday afternoon, May 25, 1955, while driving with his wife and children on West Greene street. He was a son of William J. and Goldie Chambers

was married in 1944, and seven brothers and sisters, Mrs. Susie Kubic of Jacobs Creek; Mrs. Mary Sethman of Smithton; John Kestela of Birmingham, Iowa; Joseph Kestela of St. Marys, Ohio; William J. Callaghan of Carmichaels; Otto L. Callaghan of McKees Rocks, and Mrs. Marie Agnes Currie of Masontown. Requiem high mass was sung Monday in Our Lady of Consolation Church at Nemaacolin by Father John Hruska. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery at Crucible.

### WILLIAM CROCKETT

William Crockett, 66 years, of Greensboro, died suddenly Sunday morning, May 29, 1955, in his home at Greensboro. He was a son of William and Sarah Furlong Crockett and was born December 8, 1888, at Coal Bluff. Mr. Crockett was a retired blacksmith for the Duquesne Light Company and had resided at Greensboro 31 years. He had served as a school director and was active in Boy Scout work. His wife, Anna Warner Crockett, died several years ago. Mr. Crockett was a member of Greensboro Methodist Church, and of UMWA Local No. 6310, Greensboro. Surviving is one son, Warner Crockett of Greensboro; one daughter, Mrs. Lenora Yanosh of Greensboro; three brothers, Joseph Crockett of Greensboro; Stephen Crockett of Fredericktown, and James Crockett of Morgantown, W. Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Jane Blakemore of West Elizabeth, Mrs. Pearl Ruble of Winona, Ohio, and Mrs. Emily Binns of West Brownsville, and nine grandchildren. Funeral services were held Wednesday in the home conducted by Rev. Daniel R. Kovar. Interment in Monongahela Hill Cemetery.

### MRS. ROBERT M. CHURCH

Mrs. Goldie Helen Church, 65, widow of Robert M. Church, died suddenly Monday afternoon, May 30, 1955, in Washington Hospital.

Death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage suffered earlier in the day while visiting friends in Waynesburg. She was a daughter of Frank and Lydia Adams Roupe, and was born July 4, 1889, in Greene County. Her husband died in 1953. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Waynesburg. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Edgar and Mrs. Betty Keirs, both of Washington; two sons, Raymond Church and Richard Church, both of Windham, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. Rose Rush of Waynesburg, and nine grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 o'clock in the Church Funeral Home in Waynesburg, conducted by Rev. Henry A. Young. Interment in Rosemont Cemetery, Rogersville.

### RALPH T. WILLIAMS

Ralph T. Williams, 37 years, of Cleveland, Ohio, former resident of Carmichaels, Greene County, died Sunday, May 29, 1955, after a swimming pool accident at Loraine, Ohio. He had been employed at the Fisher Body Company as a press operator. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Ethel Mitchell Sutton of Fairchance, Fayette County, and four brothers, Thomas of Lorain, Ohio; Robert of Uniontown; and Albert Sutton, Jr., of Erie, and three sisters, Mrs. Winifred Rodda of Erie; Mrs. Louise Huntley of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Gladys Albright of Smithfield.



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### Interesting Social Notes

The Women's Society of the First Baptist Church, will hold its annual June luncheon at 1 p. m. Thursday in the church. Mrs. R. E. Loughman, foreign missions interpreter for the Ten Mile Baptist Association, will be the speaker, and Mrs. Roy Buchanan will be in charge of devotions. Members are asked to take covered dishes and table service. Meat, rolls and beverages will be furnished.

Mrs. William Bennett entertained the Waynesburg Woman's Club Friday night in the Presbyterian Parish House. The president, Mrs. Challen W. Waychoff, presided. The program leader, Mrs. Jessie McNay Orndoff, presented John Holleran of the Department of History of Waynesburg College, who talked on the subject, "History Is Amazing." Mrs. William J. Kyle gave a report of the recent State Federation of Clubs convention in Pittsburgh. Catherine Lynch played a viola solo, accompanied by Eileen Wiser, pianist. Mrs. W. Robert Thompson was elected president of the club; Mrs. Frank N. Wolf, first vice president; Mrs. Hugh G. Montgomery, second vice president; Mrs. William W. Bartholomew, recording secretary; Mrs. Samuel P. Weaver, Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ewing B. Pollock, treasurer, and Mrs. Charles I. Faddis, director to the County Federation of Clubs. Refreshments were served with Miss Martha Hartley and Mrs. Harry F. Baily at the table. Mrs. Jesse F. Ullom will entertain the Pleasant Hour Club Friday afternoon in her home on North Richhill street. Aides are Mrs. F. W. John and Mrs. H. L. Leckey. Mrs. Roy J. Waychoff is program leader. Her subject is "What the United Nations Means to America."

Mrs. Fred High entertained at a family dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversaries of her son, Fred A. High, and wife, Mrs. June Flowers High of Fairmont, W. Va., both of whose anniversaries occur on the same date, and also for the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Mrs. Margaret High Pettit of Washington, whose anniversary will occur on June 7.

Greene Academy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Thursday night in the home of Mrs. John Thistlewaite of Jefferson. Mrs. Glen Kope was assisting hostess. Awards were presented to the highest ranking history students in schools in the area as follows: Lippencott School, Violet Vavrick; Carmichaels Borough, William Groves; Central School, Barbara Stofcheck; Crucible, Jack Stofcheck; Rice's Landing, Mary Jane Hixon; Nemaacolin, Robert Orlasky; Greensboro, Nora Ann Yanosh, and Bobtown, Connie Dingle. Program chairman, Mrs. Leslie Sharpnack, introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Maynard McConnell of McKeesport, State DAR American Indian chairman. During the business meeting, Mrs. Lewis Vance, recital, announced that the Greene Academy Chapter recently received a citation for honor roll achievement in the past year. Guests included Mrs. Lulu Drum of McKeesport, and two members of Waynesburg's John Corby Chapter, Mrs. Challen W. Waychoff, and Mrs. Laura E. Morris.

### Recital

Waynesburg College Division of Music presents in recital pupils of Caroline Scott Lynch in Miller Hall, Thursday evening, June 2, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

### PROGRAM

- Captain Kidd Blake
- David George Blake
- Puppet Parade Beissert
- Melodie Anderson Beissert
- The Glider Wagness
- Linda Grimes Wagness
- The March of the Dwarfs Grieg-Schaum
- Marta Maxwell
- Climbing Mac Lachlan
- Nancy Jane Greenlee
- Dance of the Dwarfs Aaron
- William Bell
- From a Lighthouse Window Burnam
- James Blair
- Three Blind Mice Williams
- Sally Gardner Williams
- Elfin Dance Lemont
- Donna Lopp Federer
- Roses at Twilight Federer
- Barry Bell Federer
- Shadows of the Night Podeska
- Lois Rothenberg Podeska
- Rhapsodie Eckstein
- Michael Pincus Eckstein
- Tarantelle Dennee
- Betsy Greenlee Dennee
- Valse Durand
- Mary Cormack Durand
- Improvisation and Melody Brown
- Joyce Grimes Brown
- Valcick Mokrejs
- Samuel Church Mokrejs
- May Night Ward
- Janet Greenlee Ward
- By the Sea Posca
- Linda Thistlewaite Posca
- Polonaise Chopin
- Ruth Ann Sabol
- Artist's Life Strauss-Thompson
- Gitanerias — from "Andalucia Suite" Lecuona
- Gilmer Anderson
- Valse Arabesque Lack
- Jean Blair
- Scherzo Mendelssohn
- Thomas George
- Mazurka in Eb Leschetizky
- Charles Donham
- Valse Brillante Moszkowski
- Georgia Miller
- Valse Caprice Rubinstein
- James Turner
- Ronda Capriccio Mendelssohn
- Nancy Miller
- Valse Op. 42 Chopin
- Nancy Stutler

### Miss Harriette B. Blackshere Dies at 92; Well Known Resident of Greensboro



MISS HARRIETTE B. BLACKSHERE

This photograph was taken in March on Miss Blackshere's 92nd birthday anniversary by Robert Boyle of Carmichaels.

### Recital

Waynesburg College Division of Applied Music presents in recital pupils of Ann Peacock McKenna, Zola Hennen and Mary Duke Inghram, Monday evening at 8 o'clock in Miller Hall. The public is cordially invited.

### PROGRAM

- Yankee Shuffle Christenson
- Roger Honsaker
- Over the Hill to Grandmother's House Eckstein
- James Crabb
- Blue Swan Lindfors
- Jackie Baughman
- May Zephyrs Erb
- Diane Davis
- The Wild Rose Strauss
- James Clarchick
- Mary Jane Waltz Heltman
- Rosa Lee Rush
- The Gypsy Caravan Williams
- Betty Jean Demchak
- Chasing Butterflies Frick
- Daphna Killen
- On a Spanish Balcony Perrin
- Gloria Ravera
- The Carnival Train Baines
- Billy Tom Nichols
- The Little Patriot Krogman
- Lynn Stephen
- Piano Duo:
- Joy of Spring Kohlman
- Patricia and Carol Lazear
- Sunset Eckstein
- Barbara Weaver
- Album Leaf Thompson
- Loralyn Buchanan
- Scherzo Humoresque King
- Susan Honsaker
- March of the Slaves
- Mrimma Mumma
- Sue Ann Dulaney
- Vesper Bells Krozman
- Jackie Graham
- Waltz in c minor Chopin
- Robin Krause
- Sonata Op. 26 Beethoven
- Patricia Lazear
- Petite Gavotte Aletter
- Poeme Fibich
- Catherine Lynch
- (Pupil of Ellen Reid Carter)
- Rondo Capriccioso Mendelssohn
- Marla Lunden
- Grand Processional March Gounod
- Bonnie Willis
- Accompanists:
- Wynona Shearer Willison
- Lucy Baily

Miss Harriette Baird Blackshere, 92 years, well known and highly respected resident of southeastern Greene County, died Thursday morning, May 26, 1955, in the family homestead near Greensboro.

She was a daughter of James E. and Anna Eliza Gray Blackshere, and was born March 5, 1863, in the home in which she died. Both families were prominent in the early history of Greene County. Miss Blackshere had resided for a short time with an aunt in Baltimore, Md., but the rest of her life was spent in the home near Greensboro, where she lived with her sister, Miss Katherine Blackshere, who died in 1953.

Miss Blackshere was a member of Greensboro Presbyterian Church.

The following brothers and sisters are deceased: Luther J. Frank and William Blackshere, Mrs. J. E. Debolt and Miss Katherine Blackshere.

Surviving are two nieces, Mrs. Virginia D. Judd of Rochester, N. Y., and Mrs. Marie Tippen of Masontown, and one nephew, J. E. Blackshere of near Mapletown. Funeral services were held Sunday in the home, conducted by Rev. William A. Auld and Rev. Daniel Kovar. Interment in Monongahela Hill Cemetery.

### Veteran Teacher Honored

Thurman L. Titus of Carmichaels, who retired last week after teaching 41 years, was honored at a banquet in Hewitt Presbyterian Church by the Jefferson-Morgan Teachers Association. He has taught 11 years in Jefferson-Morgan High School. Ralph E. Taylor, vice president, presented him with a gift of money from the association. Mr. Titus is president of the group. Albert M. Hathaway of Carmichaels, also a veteran teacher, was the speaker. The invocation was offered by George Reynolds, assistant principal of the high school.

Mr. Titus attended California Normal School and graduated from Waynesburg College.

Mr. Titus has been active in Sunday School work. He is teacher of the Men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Church of Carmichaels, and is treasurer of the Greene County Men's Bible Class Association. He also served five years as president of the Greene County Sunday School Association, of which he is now an honorary president.

Mr. Titus is the father of eight children, two of whom also are teachers. His children are Margaret, teacher in the Carmichaels Borough School; Claude, a salesman for the Westinghouse Corporation in Philadelphia; Thurman of Carmichaels, a mechanic at the Buckeye Coal Company Mine at Nemaacolin; Glenn, president of the carpenters' union at Durham, N. C.; Marion, a government chemical engineer at Annapolis, Md.; Robert, an electrical engineer at Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Emily Warne of Waynesburg, a teacher in the Franklin Township Consolidated School, and Sessler, a sophomore at Cumberland Township High School.

### Elected Second Grade Teacher

Mrs. Hilda Connor Silveus of Dunns Station R. D. 2, has been employed by the Waynesburg school board as second grade teacher in the South Ward School. Mrs. Silveus, a graduate of Waynesburg College, fills a vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Ethel Smith, who retired last week. Mrs. Silveus had taught school for three years in Greene County, and during World War II she was a teacher in Bethel Borough near Pittsburgh.

### Purely Personal

Mrs. Floyd Strosnider of Smithfield, was a visitor here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. James Chain of Butler, visited friends here Sunday. Both are graduates of Waynesburg College.

Mrs. Arthur Boase of Evanston, Ill., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burns of West High street. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Judd and son, Robert of Rochester, N. Y., were called to Greensboro last week due to the death of Mrs. Judd's aunt, Miss Harriette Blackshere. They also visited friends in Waynesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence S. Brock of Beaver Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. S. C. Brock, and sister, Miss Isabel Brock of South West street. They also visited relatives at Prosperity. Mr. and Mrs. John Love of Charleston, W. Va., were guests on Tuesday of their aunt, Mrs. Brock, and uncle, J. Roy Scott.

Mrs. William J. Kyle of North Richhill street, is visiting her sons, Attorney Richard S. Kyle and family of New York and Long Island, and Attorney and Mrs. Charles D. Kyle of New York and Bucks County, Pa. Attorney and Mrs. Emory R. Kyle of Fox Chapel, Pittsburgh, spent the week end with Mrs. Kyle, and

also with Mr. and Mrs. T. Polard Latta of Crucible.

Attorney and Mrs. James B. Sayers and son and daughter of Pittsburgh, spent the week end with the former's sister, Miss Catherine Sayers of West College street, and brother and sister-in-law, Attorney and Mrs. Albert A. Sayers of North Morris street.

Mrs. C. Austin Dille, executive secretary of the State Legion Auxiliary, spent the week end at her home on North Porter street. Miss Isabel Brock of South West street, returned Sunday from Philadelphia, where she spent a few days.

Miss Lucille Faddis of Washington, D. C., spent the week end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephens of South West street, and her brother and sister-in-law, Colonel and Mrs. Charles I. Faddis of Park avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Schreiber of West Wayne street, spent the week end with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Farmer in Philadelphia.

Miss Jessie Clements of Salina, Kansas, is visiting Mrs. H. C. Stagers of East High street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Morrissey and son, Philip, of Gilmore Acres, Wilkingsburg, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Ullom of Bonar avenue.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dole and daughter, Miss Beatrice Dole of South Morris street, on Saturday attended the wedding of the former's niece, Miss Joan Gille, in the First Presbyterian Church, Hamburg, N. Y., and the reception at Roycroft Inn, East Aurora. On Sunday they attended the Dole reunion at Eden, N. Y., and spent Sunday at Conneaut Lake.

### Local News

James D. Baronie, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mrs. Zola Baronie of Nemaacolin, is serving in the Mediterranean aboard the fleet oiler USS Pawcatuck, a unit of the 6th Fleet. The Pawcatuck has visited the Mediterranean ports and Naples and La Spezia, Italy; Toulon, France; Athens, Greece; Palermo, Sicily; and Golfe Juan on the French Riviera. Before returning late this spring to her home port of Norfolk, Va., she will visit Barcelona, Spain, and Lisbon, Portugal.

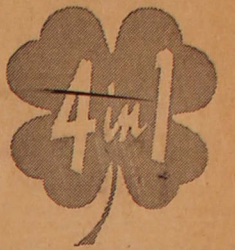
The annual meeting of all members of the board of Greene County Tuberculosis and Health Society will be held in the office in the First National Bank building, Friday, June 10, at 8 o'clock. Directors will be elected and a film, "The Inside Story" will be shown.

### Births

#### BORN IN GREENE COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, TO:

- Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Orban of Carmichaels, May 24, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown of Dilliner, May 24, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carpenter of Brave, May 25, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Amos of Daisytown, May 25, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barney of West Finley, May 25, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zollars of Waynesburg, May 28, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Eddy of Waynesburg, May 28, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. James Christopher of Wolfdale, May 28, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Huffman of Pine Bank, May 29, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Meyers of Vestaburg, May 29, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Levi Harris of Carmichaels, May 30, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Reed of Waynesburg, May 30, a son.

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### Flower Festival at First Methodist

A Flower Festival will be held in the First Methodist Church, Thursday, June 3, at 7:30 o'clock, by the Cherub, Junior and Youth Choirs and Senior Youth Fellowship.

Program:  
Hymn—"This is My Father's World."  
Scripture—Elizabeth Hughes and Carol Craft.  
Prayer—Janet Greenlee.  
Chorus—Fairrest Lord Jesus, and Spirit of the Living God.  
Floral Cross—Cheryl Phillips, Karen Headlee, Barbara Pettit, and Martha Henderson.  
Duet—Margaret and Carol Craft.  
Chorus—June is Bustin' the One Rose.  
Cherub Choir—The Rain Drops Finger Story.  
Cherubs—ABC Verses Prayer.  
Songs—The Birds; Helping Hands.  
Solo—Lawrence Moston.  
Boys' Chorus—Davy Crockett.  
Chorus—We Are Climbing; The Ash Grove.  
Piano Solo—Elizabeth Hughes.  
Solo—Margaret Craft.  
Ballet—Judy Arnold.  
Play—Senior Youth Fellowship.  
Chorus—Mocking Bird Hill; I See the Moon.

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Full Week's Schedule of Radio and Television Programs

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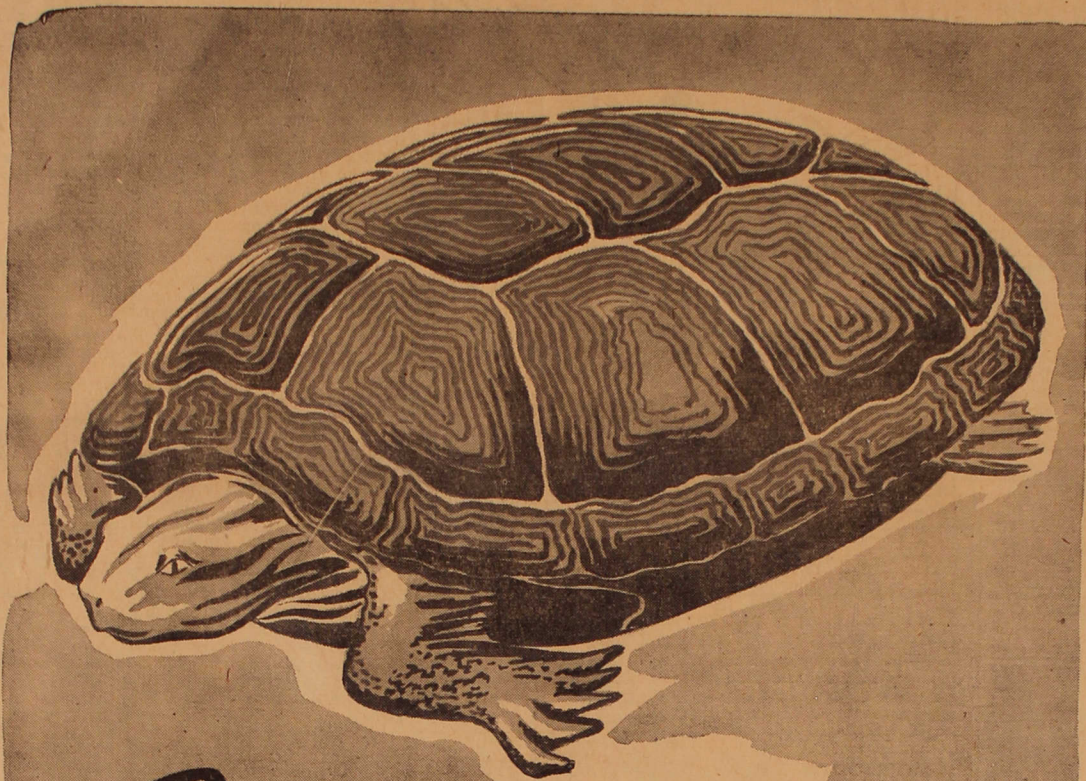
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Don't attend church to obtain a shell. Churches don't make shells. But churches do help men to build for themselves a strong, lasting faith, better than any shell or armor. With it, no man need retreat into himself, hoping to find protection in pretense. With faith, brought to us in our churches by God's holy word, no one need retreat from life.

*We will meet life—and we will meet it fully, joyously, and unafraid.*

All Church Notices must be in The Republican Office not later than 12 o'clock noon, Wednesdays of each week to insure publication.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 1955

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Ronald Moseley, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "The Gift of God."  
11:00 a. m.—Church School.  
H. C. Wilson, Superintendent.  
4:00 p. m. Wednesday—Cherub Choir.  
6:30 p. m. Wednesday—Junior choir.  
7:30 p. m. Wednesday—Youth Choir.  
7:30 p. m. Thursday—Senior Choir practice.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. J. E. Victor Carlson, Moderator  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. Ross Burns, Superintendent. Classes for all ages under competent teachers.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by Rev. Gerald Hollingsworth of Shields Presbyterian Church of Sewickley.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
R. B. Acheson, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School. Darrel Taylor, Superintendent.  
10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
6:30 p. m.—Young People's Meeting. Lucille Rush, president.  
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Services.

**METHODIST CHURCH CARMICHAELS**  
W. L. Young, pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Church School.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Nursery conducted during morning worship.  
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.  
7:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.  
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Choir rehearsal.

**WASHINGTON STREET METHODIST CHURCH**  
William H. Miller, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Church School. James A. Fritz, Superintendent. William Helphenstine, assistant superintendent.  
10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowships.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon by the pastor.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Henry A. Young, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. W. I. Johnson, Superintendent.  
10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Nursery School for children during morning service.  
6:15 p. m.—Junior and Senior Youth Fellowships.  
7:30 p. m. Monday—Trustees meeting.  
7:30 p. m. Tuesday—Deacons meeting.  
7:45 p. m. Wednesday—Hour of Power.  
8:45 p. m. Wednesday—Choir practice.  
4:15 p. m. Friday—Pastor's class.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Earl B. King, Pastor  
9:30 a. m.—Church School. R. E. Bell, Superintendent.  
10:30 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Back Home."  
7:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Give Ye Them to Eat."  
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer service.  
6:30 p. m. Thursday—Boy Scout meeting.

**JEFFERSON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
William D. Auld, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Church School.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
6:30 p. m.—Westminster Fellowship.

**ST. HUGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Carmichaels  
Charles A. Thomas, Pastor  
8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday—Mass.  
8:30 a. m. Daily—Mass.

**MUDDY CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
William D. Auld, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.  
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# Fifty-Year History of Greene County Sports

By GEORGE N. THOMAS

## HUNTING

Greene County once was a hunters' paradise. The early Indians knew it and they treated these woods with utmost regard. When they wanted moose, deer, bears, wolves, panthers and buffaloes, they knew where to find them.

That's what John Swan found when he wandered into the woods that eventually became Greene County. It was 1767.

He settled at what now is Pumpkin Run in Cumberland Township, the first white man to permanently settle and hunt from this region.

Fifty years later all types of these animals practically disappeared, because settlements dotted the once mass forest, and foxes remained. The only plentiful wild animal.

About this time—the early 19th century—old fashioned circle-hunts were common. That practice involved many men converging on prey with only a short distance between the hunters, leaving no escape for the animal.

The last such hunt of any magnitude in the county came off in 1824 when hunters from Virginia and Ohio joined in the fun.

Toward the end of that century, beagle meets and field trials became prevalent.

In 1895, for instance, there was a well-publicized field trial of "high bred bird dogs" on the Monongahela Game and Fish Association Preserve in Jefferson and Cumberland Townships.

That was some preserve. It had 12,000 acres stocked with quail from Tennessee and Arkansas.

And hunters, eyeing that abundance of targets, streamed to the preserve from all parts of Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania.

Greene County not only lived up to all expectations in supplying them with fair game, but also shone in hospitality as the sportsmen were entertained at such warm-hearted homesteads as

those of the A. C. Long's, Tilton Keenan's, Richard Scott's, Ross Sprout's and others.

The same year, five years before the turn of the century, the county could boast of a real sharpshooter.

Dr. O. L. Hertig, who had moved to Pittsburgh, but was county champ, and the son of Dr. Joseph Hertig, was challenged by Washington County Champion, Dr. E. M. Cundall, in a bird shoot.

The match shoot at live birds was staged at Waynesburg's Fairgrounds with a good crowd watching.

Each shooter was permitted shots at 50 birds. Doc Cundall killed 42 of them, but Doc Hertig had the sharper eye, picking out 45.

The county entry repeated his victory in 1896, with even a wider margin as they fired at clay birds instead.

Talk among hunters in 1897 evolved mostly around the new hunting laws which forbade hunters to shoot squirrels before October 15—45 days later than the original date.

Partridge and woodcocks were fair game from early September, and rabbits could be shot after November 1.

What may have frightened many countians into obeying the new laws was the case of the youth from Canonsburg who shot four squirrels in September and was haled into court.

When he couldn't pay the \$10 fine, he spent 40 days in prison.

Also talk around the coal stoves was the young Kirby huntsman who chose to hunt gold and became the first Greene Countian to head for the Klondike.

The old W. & W. Railroad in those days served the community in many commercial and personal ways.

But it puffed into the Waynesburg depot in the fall loaded down with sportsmen and their gleaming guns, and the yelping of their dogs nearly drowned out the W. & W.'s toot and whistle.

No one asked their destination. Everyone knew they headed for the preserve territory near Carmichaels and Khedive.

There was something about hunters and their dogs even in those days, and children along Washington and Morgan streets, delighted in joining them in their troop into town.

## KDKA to Carry Steeler Games

KDKA will broadcast as well as televise the football games of the Steelers next season.

Previously, WWSW carried the broadcasts. WDTV, now KDKA-TV, had the telecasts.

As before, only the out-of-town games will be televised. Both out-of-town and home games will be on radio.

Two Pittsburgh firms have signed a three-year contract to sponsor the Steelers' radio and television coverage.

## Need More of Same

—New York—The Giants had 10 pinch home runs last year. Seven of them won games.

## National Bike Races

—New York—The 1955 National Amateur bike racing championships will be held at the Flushing Meadow Track, August 27 and 28.

## No Running Away

—Lawrence, Kansas—Wes Santee has a two-year hitch in the Marine Corps on tap, following the Northern Pacific Amateur Athletic Union meet in Stockton, California, June 12.

## Robin's Usually First

—Philadelphia—Robin Roberts, Phillies' right-hander, has started four of the past five All-Star games.

## THOUSANDS STILL NEED YOUR HELP...



The final conquest of polio has not yet been achieved. For many the vaccine came too late and many more will not be vaccinated in time. All Little Leaguers, managers, coaches, officers and parents are urged to participate on June 14 and help the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis finish the job.

## Waynesburg High School Presents Annual Scholastic and Athletic Awards

### Little League Polio Day Games Set for June 14

The Little League Baseball organization will be the first to help the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis raise money to cover its anticipated debt as a result of falling short of its goal in the recent March of Dimes campaign.

On June 14, which has been designated National Little League Polio Day, over 500,000 youngsters eight to 12 will play ball to help this worthy cause. Peter McGovern, president of Little League Baseball, has urged the more than 4,000 leagues throughout the country to cooperate by donating all game collections for the day. "It is fitting," he said, "that healthy American boys will honor Flag Day by helping those less fortunate."

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### Bill Meyer Suffers Heart Attack

—Burlington, N. C.—Bill Meyer, 62, former manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, was admitted to Alamance County Hospital after suffering a heart attack here Saturday.

Meyer, a managerial consultant in the Pirates' minor league system, had been here a week to observe the Burlington-Graham farm team in the Class B Carolina League.

Meyer was Pittsburgh manager from 1948 through 1952.

### 'Tis an Ill Wind That Blows No Good

—Albuquerque, N. M.—Dust storms in this area have been profitable for Ron George. While scraping the newly blown dust and sand off his yard last year, he found a five dollar bill. This year he found a \$10 bill. Next year, he says, he hopes to find the lawn.

### Catholics In U. S. Total 32,575,702

—New York—Roman Catholics in the United States, Alaska and Hawaiian Islands numbered 32,575,702 last January 1, an increase of 927,278 in one year.

### The adult story of America's frontier here!

FOUR LOVES HAD DAVY CROCKETT. In between bear hunting, Indian fighting and politicking, Davy found plenty of time for hugging and smooching. Famous novelist Irving Stone turns the spotlight on the romantic life of Davy Crockett, frontiersman and lover, in a new series beginning Sunday in The American Weekly with the PITTSBURGH SUN-TELEGRAPH.

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"John McLeod was a tall, dark, black bearded Scotch Highlander. I came to McElhattan to get the original white pines of Count Logan, but most of them stuck in the rocks and they are still sticking there, and it was a vain job," he told me. "I found a Highland beauty in Lock Haven, and married her, located a log house at home, and settled down. I lost all I saved on those big pines, I am too old to move away. We Highlanders are mostly small men, and my wife took to me, though I am twenty-five years older, because I was so tall, and dark like an Indian. I would never ask my wife to cross the water again, and all my folks in Lethian are dead, so here I will remain, pondering how I can market these pines."

"It is among the old-time pioneers that curious biographies like the above are unfolded which build up chapters of unusual charm in the annals of Pennsylvania Folklore and History."

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CONTAINING 0.916 acres, according to survey made by J. B. Headley, March 16, 1949.

BEING the same lot of ground as conveyed by Ernest Coleman, Ratliff and June Ratliff, his wife, to Edward G. Lemley and Thelma Mae Lemley, his wife, by deed dated the 28th day of November, 1951, and recorded the 29th day of November in Deed Book Vol. 485, page 507.

EXCEPTING a certain lot as conveyed to Perry E. Lemley by deed dated July 29, 1949, recorded in Deed Book Vol. 449, page 331.

HAVING erected thereon a two-story frame, composition roof dwelling situated on west side of Smith Creek Road, Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

Taken in execution as the property of Raymond W. Lemley and Bonnieale R. Lemley, his wife, at the suit of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Greene County, a Corporation.

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## Deeds Recorded

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Having erected thereon a two-story multiple frame dwelling known as Nos. 129, 130, 131, 132 Main Street and West Lane.

BEING a two-story frame, approved roof dwelling, situated at Seventh Pool, Plan of Lots, Monongahela Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

Taken in execution as the property of Victor Kozarek, deceased, and Owen R. Lynn, married, at the suit of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Greene County, a Corporation.

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## CLERK OF COURTS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all legatees, heirs, devisees, creditors, interested parties, that the following trustee accounts have been filed in the office of the Clerk of Courts in Waynesburg, Pa., and will be presented to the Orphans' Court to be held at Waynesburg, Greene County, Pa., on Monday, June 6, 1955, at 10 o'clock a. m., for confirmation and allowance.

RAE BLACK SPRAGG, Clerk of Courts. First and Final Account of J. R. Scott, Administrator of the Estate of John E. Church, Deceased, late of Wayne Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

First and Final Account of First National Bank and Trust Company of Waynesburg, Pa., Administrator of the Estate of William H. Clark, late of Center Twp., Greene County, Pa.

First and Final Account of Ruth Adrian Mills, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of J. Harry Kenney, late of Gray Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, Deceased.

First and Final Account of Mae Craig, Administratrix of the Estate of George W. Craig, late of Perry Township.

First and Final Account of Elma Brewer Day and Mary Day Gray, Admins. of Orland W. Day, late of Richhill Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

First and Final Account of J. Raymond Filbey, Administrator of the Estate of John S. Filbey, late of Jefferson Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

First and Partial Account of Ruth McNeely Auld and Mary McNeely Auld, Executrices of the Will of Jessie E. Groves of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pa.

First and Final Account of John W. Henning, Administrator of the Estate of Martin J. Henning, late of Freeport, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

First and Final Account of Harley Huffman, Administrator of the Estate of John W. Huffman, late of Center Township, Greene County, Penna., deceased.

Final account of Clara Hundertmark, Hettie Hundertmark, Executrices of Olga H. Johns Estate, late of Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

Supplemental Final Account of Hazel I. Cramer, Administratrix of the Last Will and Testament of Mary Virginia Iams, Deceased, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

First and Final Account of Lawrence John, Administrator of the Last Will and Testament of Fannie John, late of Dunkard Township, Greene County, Pa.

First and Final Account of J. Scott Minor, Administrator of the Estate of Ellsworth Minor, late of Jefferson, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

First and Final Account of Ossie Jane Sellers and Gail M. Baldwin, Administratrix of the Last Will and Testament of Rule Moore, late of Waynesburg, Greene County, Pa.

First and Final Account of Stella Finch, Administratrix of the Estate of Bertha McDougall, late of Richhill Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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First and Final Account of O. R. Hughes, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Eden Webster, late of Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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First and Final Account of L. Crawford Zimmerman, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of George W. Zimmerman, deceased, late of Whiteley Township, Greene Co., Penna. 5-11-51

PROTHONOTARY'S NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the following accounts of Assignees, Trustees, Guardians and Committees have been filed in the office of the Prothonotary and will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Greene County, Pa., for confirmation and allowance on Monday, June 6, 1955, at 10:00 a. m., when said accounts will be confirmed and allowed, unless cause be shown to the contrary. LEROY H. MINOR, Prothonotary.

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## OPERA HOUSE

MOVIES ON WIDE-VISION SCREEN

Thursday, Friday Saturday

Daddy Long Legs

starring FRED ASTAIRE LESLIE CARON

Sunday and Monday

A & C

Meet the Mummy

Starring BUD ABBOTT LOU COST