

Saturday Parade Concludes 1980 Coal Show

CARMICHAELS — The 27th State Bituminous Coal Show at Carmichaels will wind down Friday and Saturday, Aug. 29 and 30, with a bike parade, magic show, and gigantic parade.

The outside and indoor exhibits will still be on display through Saturday night, and the carnival in full operation

each night.

The bicycle parade entrants will assemble their decorated bikes at the Central School on South Market Street for judging at 5 p.m. The parade will move at 6:15 p.m. and will be led by the Carmichaels Area High School band and will go through the town square and out Route 112 to the Coal Show

ground where prizes will be awarded.

Joe Nuzum of Clarksville will present a 30 minute show of sleight of hand magic at the Coal Show at 6:30 p.m.

Baked goods stand on the grounds will be operated Friday the King Coal Little and Senior Leagues, and Saturday by the Carmichaels Area

Women's Civic Club.

Saturday, Aug. 30, the antique car parade will move at 4 p.m. from the fire hall, out the Ceylon Road, Maple Street, and out Route 88 and through the town to the coal show grounds.

The main parade begins at 4:30 p.m. with floats, horse division, vehicles originating

at the drive in, and the marching units, convertibles, will assemble on South Market Street at the rear of St. Hugh Church and fall into the line of march on Toure 88.

The parade route goes to Morgantown Street, past the announcer's stand with Stephen McCann, Al Smalara and

Michael J. Lucas, up Market Street, past the judges' stand between Carmichaels Furniture and the newstand, through the town square, down to Greene Street at the post office, out Route 88 to the stop light and out Route 112 to the show grounds.

The floats will be judged at

3 p.m. at the drive in prior to the parade and after the parade will be parked in front of the firehall for the benefit of camera fans.

The 1980 State Bituminous Coal Queen and her court will appear on the Chamber of Commerce float; remaining candidates and the 1979 queen will ride in convertibles.



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The 1980 Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal Queen Lisa Gavlik and her court (from left) are: Sandy Glover, of Mapletown High, first runner-up; Toni Georgiana, Laurel Highland High, second runner-up; Queen Lisa; Vanessa Sofran, California Area, third runner-up; and Giana Mucci, of Frazier Memorial High, fourth runner-up.

Heating System Bids Rejected

JEFFERSON — With two members absent, the Jefferson-Morgan School Board on a 4-3 vote Monday night defeated a motion to accept a bid to change the heating system in the old Central Elementary School. The building has been closed for educational purposes, but will be retained for storage and other uses.

The special meeting had been called to open bids for the project. Of the two bids received, the defeated motion was to accept the low bid entered by Greene Mechanical Corp., of Carmichaels R.D.2. Their base bid was \$28,000.

One of three alternates to the base bid, a boiler room door at \$730, was included in the motion.

Board member Robert Harry, who has expressed his concern at previous meetings over the amount of money which may eventually be spent on the building, said prior to the vote, "I still say it's something we don't need. We still have a coal furnace in the building and someone can go and shovel coal into it."

The planned project was to convert the heating system from the coal-fired boiler to eliminate the problem of hav-

ing to have a janitor go to the building to keep the coal furnace fired. The central school, located in Jefferson, is the only one of five elementary schools closed by the district at the end of the 1979-80 school year which will be retained by the district. The building would not be needed since the district will occupy its new \$4.2 million consolidated elementary school for the 1980-81 school year. It was constructed on land adjoining the junior-senior high school at Jefferson.

The board Monday night authorized its solicitor to begin the process for private sale of the Dry Tavern Elementary School and property for the minimum price of \$62,000, its appraised value. The board had previously rejected a \$42,500 bid during a public auction and a \$43,000 during a sealed bid process. Both bids had been entered by John Pochron of Dry Tavern.

Donald Bruckner, of Jef-

erson R.D.1, who had not been approved by the board as a bus driver in the district and wanted to know why was told by the district's solicitor that he had a right to a hearing on the matter at which time both he and the administration could present their case to the board for their decision.

In other action the board approved a contract with T. and B. Refuse of Jefferson to collect garbage at both the high school and elementary school at \$200 per month.

A letter was read from John Sokol, PennDOT District Five engineer, that approval has been received from the Department of Transportation for the installation of flashing school warning lights along Route 188 near the entrances to the school complex. Forrest Cottle, district business manager, was given permission to negotiate a sharing of the installation and operating costs of the light with the Jefferson Township Supervisors.

Four-Day Blitz Raises \$13,000 For Library

WAYNESBURG — In a four-day blitz of fund-raising efforts last week, the Bowly Public Library received more than \$13,000 toward its library building addition.

Frank VanCleve, chairman of the library campaign committee, said that the total of certified funds received to date is \$31,061, which will be matched dollar-for-dollar for a total of \$62,122.

Months ago, the national Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) challenged the Bowly Public Library with a \$187,500 grant to be matched three dollars to one for the new library building. Aug. 15 was the first deadline in the four-year grant proposal calendar which ends in June 1983.

The library had hoped to raise \$100,000 by Aug. 15 under terms of the NEH grant. The library noted that \$68,939 in federal money was lost because the \$100,000 was not raised in time.

The library board of trustees approved revised architectural plans on Aug. 11 to comply with local zoning ordinances and regulations for lot coverage of the building. These plans will be submitted for approval of the Waynesburg Borough Zoning Board. The architectural renderings and plans are on display at the library and were displayed for several days at First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Noting that contributions raised in cash or pledges ranged from \$1 to \$3,000, VanCleve said, "I genuinely want to thank

everyone who contributed to the building fund and all of the volunteers who did an outstanding job in helping us. We have a long way to go in raising money for the building and we welcome very pledge or contribution that will be forthcoming in the future. We have other deadlines for this grant proposal, and we hope Greene County residents will continue to support us for their library."

Mrs. Jean Wilt, administrative librarian, joined VanCleve in expressing appreciation to those who have supported the effort. "We'll have to work very hard to make up for the lost federal funding, but a hearty thanks goes to all people who responded and to those who worked so hard in those last few days," she said.

Pledges have been received from Greene County residents as well as from Washington County, Pittsburgh and Long Island, N.Y. To date, seven businesses, three organizations and 89 individuals or families have pledged their financial support for the library building.

Parked Car Hit

A car, owned by Duncan Berryman of Waynesburg, sustained minor damage Monday afternoon when it was struck by a hit-and-run vehicle while it was parked on North Washington Street in Waynesburg.

Waynesburg Borough Police are investigating the incident.

Fatal Fight In Clarksville; Fredericktown Youth Charged

CLARKSVILLE — A 19-year-old Clarksville resident was fatally injured during a fight early Sunday morning in the lot of a local service station.

East Bethlehem Township Police Chief Lawrence Despot has filed a general charge of criminal homicide against William Jeffrey Bane, 18, Fredericktown. He is being held in the Greene County Jail.

Dale L. Gallagher, 19, Teagarden Homes, was pronounced dead at Greene County Memorial Hospital at 3:20 a.m. Sunday. Greene County Coroner Frank Behm said an autopsy performed at the Washington Hospital indicated death was caused by a sub-arachnoid hemorrhage at the base of the brain "due to a blow or blows to the head."

Behm said there was no immediate indication if the blow resulted from his being struck or from falling after he was struck.

According to information Despot received, Bane and three other young men were in the service station parking lot on Clarksville's Main Street when Gallagher arrived. A fight broke out between Gallagher and another youth which was broken up by a nearby resident who was awakened by the noise.

After the resident, Ronald Largent Jr., arrived to break up the fight, another argument ensued, and Gallagher and Bane began to fight, police said.

After Gallagher was knocked to the ground, Despot said, Largent told Bane to leave and attempted to revive Gallagher. When he could find no pulse, he administered CPR and called to his wife to summon the Clarksville Fire Company ambulance.

Further efforts to revive the youth by the ambulance crew and at the hospital

failed, and he was pronounced dead at 3:20 a.m.

Despot said the investigation is still under way. His department is under contract to provide police services in Clarksville.

Gallagher, a son of Sara (Becky) Smith Gallagher Burke and the late Charles L. Gallagher, was born February 3, 1961, in Brownsville and resided all his life in Clarksville. He was a 1979 graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School, where he played baseball, and was a student at the Ohio Institute of Technology at Columbus.

Surviving in addition to his mother are his stepfather, Pat Burke; a brother, Dorn Gallagher, and two sisters, Janet and Beth Ann Burke, all at home; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Violet Gallagher of Denbo, and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Smith of Clarksville.

Crash Kills Local Boy

ROGERSVILLE — A Waynesburg youth was killed and his passenger was injured when the motorcycle they were riding slammed into a pickup truck near Rogersville shortly before 4 p.m. Monday.

Rodney Allen Minor, 16, son of Bonnie Victor Minor of 144 1/2 East Greene Street, Waynesburg, was dead on arrival at Greene County Memorial Hospital. Deputy Coroner Charles (Chuck) Behm said death was caused by a fractured neck.

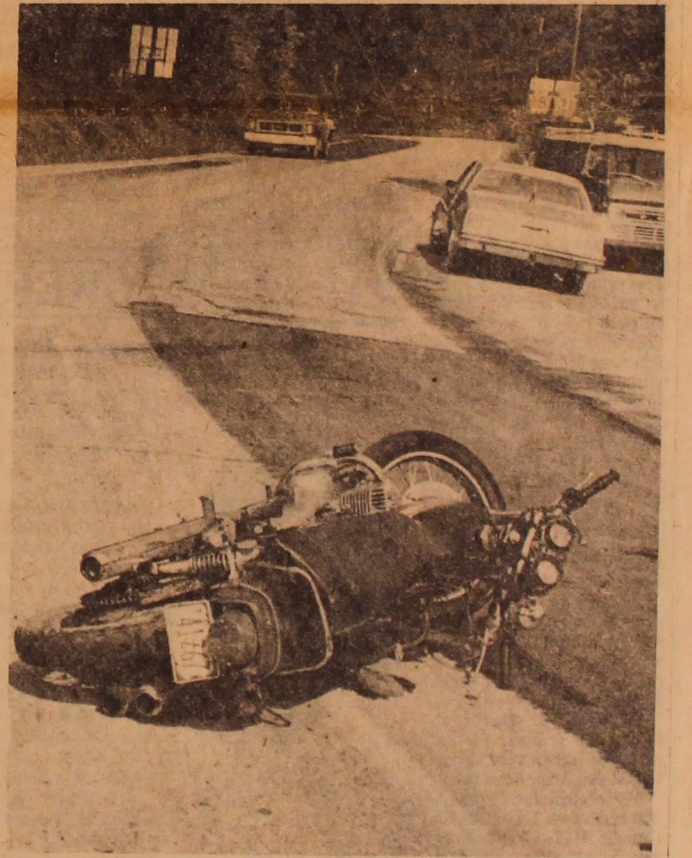
Robert Keller, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Keller Jr. of 293 West Lincoln Street, was treated at the hospital for multiple lacerations and bruises. The accident occurred at Routes 21 and 18 at Golden Oaks, just west of Rogersville.

State police said the youths were traveling east on Route 21, from the direction of Graysville, when they went through the stop sign at the intersection, striking a pickup truck operated by Lynn A. Hoover, 32, Waynesburg R.D.5. She was not hurt. The truck was traveling west on Route 18.

Minor was taken to the hospital by the Waynesburg Fire Company ambulance and was pronounced dead at 4:27 p.m.

He was born January 14, 1964, in Waynesburg, where he resided all his life. He was a student at Waynesburg Central High School and a Protestant.

Surviving in addition to his mother are two younger brothers, Albert and James Minor, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Iva Victor of Waynesburg.



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Scene of fatal motorcycle accident

Carmichaels School Board OKs Increase For Tax Collectors

CARMICHAELS — Carmichaels Area School Board Thursday night approved salary increases for tax collectors, adopted a new policy concerning substitute teachers, employed three secretaries and reaffirmed Stan Ferek as junior-senior high school principal.

The finance committee recommended an increase of \$1,500 to a total of \$9,500 yearly for the next four years for township tax collector Mildred Winger. An increase of \$250 to \$2,000 was recommended for Carmichaels Borough tax collector Marion Smith. The board approved both increases.

A new policy on substitute teachers was recommended and adopted by a vote of 5-3. Substitutes in the district will be governed by the following provisions: They will be considered as

non-contract personnel, will be retained on a day-to-day basis and will be paid on a per diem basis according to rates established by the board. The superintendent, Dr. Dolores Zoldos, will have the right to fill substitute positions from the approved substitute registry.

In a previous policy, substitutes could be hired for the school term for the length of leave of a permanent teacher. The board voted to offer secretarial positions in the district to Elaine Moore, Candace Norris and Nancy Jones, all on a 40 working day probationary period.

The board reaffirmed Stan Ferek to the position of junior-senior high school principal according to the agreement with him until litigation with William Harr is settled. If the litigation, currently in the courts, favors Harr and he

resumes the position of principal, Ferek would return to classroom teaching at the Crucible Elementary School.

The list of bus drivers for 1980-81 was reviewed and accepted by the board. New drivers will be Della Lee and Samuel Hall.

Cafeteria lunch prices were increased for adults from \$1 to \$1.50. The increase was recommended by a state evaluation team from Harrisburg. Student lunch prices remain unchanged at 60 cents and the price of milk at 15 cents.

The use of school facilities was granted to Intermediate Unit I for adult basic education classes to be held Monday and Wednesday evenings during the school year. A request for use of facilities by Carmichaels midget wrestlers was also approved.

Requests for use of facilities must now be submitted on a special form to the office of the superintendent prior to preparation of the agenda for school board meetings, which is completed on the second Thursday of each month.

United Way Will Launch Campaign

WAYNESBURG — United Way of Greene County will launch its fall campaign with a kick-off dinner at 6:15 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 3, at the First Presbyterian Church of Waynesburg.

Frank Bogan, county campaign director, said invitations are being mailed to section chairman and solicitors.

Ray N. Ivey, vice president of the Allegheny County campaign and one of the individuals who helped start the program in Greene County, will be the featured speaker.

Lisa Gavlik Selected Bituminous Coal Queen

CARMICHAELS — Before a packed and enthusiastic audience in the Carmichaels Area High School Sunday night, a panel of judges selected Lisa Gavlik of Beth-Center High School as the 1980 State Bituminous Coal Queen.

It marked the second consecutive year and the fourth time in the 27 years the pageant has been held that a Beth-Center student has won the title.

The new queen was chosen from a field of 16 candidates and won the coveted title by playing a medley of Martin Hamlish songs on the piano. During the evening gown segment of the competition, the green-eyed, brown-haired girl, who will be 17 next week, appeared before the judges in a pink chiffon gown with ruffled skirt and off-shoulder bodice edged with miniature ruffles.

She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gavlik of Fredericktown and in addition to receiving the traditional bouquet of roses and queen's bracelet, was presented with a plaque for having been selected by her fellow contestants as Miss Congeniality.

First runner-up was Sandy Glover, daughter of Mrs. Betty Glover of Dilliner and a student at Mapletown High School, who performed an acrobatic routine to "Main Event."

Toni Georgiana, daughter of Mrs. Loretta Georgiana and a student at Laurel Highlands High School, took second runner-up honors. She performed an acrobatic dance to "Rhapsodie in Blue."

Third runner-up was Vanessa Sofran, a student at California Area High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sofran of Coal Center. She did a tap dance and rifle routine to "March of the Toys."

Gianna Mucci of Frazier Memorial High School, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter



LISA GAVLIK

Mucci of Perryopolis, did a jazz dance to "Love in C Minor" to become fourth runner-up.

Runners-up will comprise the court of honor. They and the queen will be on the Coal Queen float in the parade which climaxes the Coal Show on Saturday, Aug. 30.

Making her final appearance as 1979 Coal Queen, Lore Makusenka of Beth-Center High performed a baton routine, displaying the talent and personality that won her the crown last year. She received a gift from the sponsoring King Coal Association and, in turn, presented the roses and bracelet to Miss Gavlik.

R. E. Samples, chairman and chief executive officer of Consolidation Coal Co., crowned the queen, with Aimee Blasinsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Blasinsky of Carmichaels, serving as crown bearer.

Michael J. Lucas of Carmichaels served as master of ceremonies. Among those he introduced from the audience was Andrea Patrick, the 1978 Coal Queen who this year was selected as Miss Pennsylvania.

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly

Judy Ann Barnhart, William C. Jones Wed

Judy Ann Barnhart, daughter of Mrs. Belva J. Barnhart of Cameron, W. Va. R.D. 5 and the late Dewey Barnhart, and William C. Jones of Holbrook R.D. 1, son of the late Keith and Jean Jones, were married Saturday, August 16, 1980, in the Windy Gap Church at Aleppo.

The double ring service was performed at 2 p.m. by the Rev. Robert E. Borland and was preceded by a recital of nuptial music played by Mrs. Gerald M. Hughes.

The bride was given in marriage by her cousin, Charles Coffield of Graysville. She appeared in a formal-length white gown styled with bishop sleeves with see-through lace of silk venise, modified Queen Ann neckline with sculptured venise lace, plain skirt and empire waistline. The skirt hem, which was trimmed with scalloped daisy silk venise, cascaded into a full chapel sweep.

Her triple-tiered fingertip veil of silk English illusion was attached to a headband trimmed with pearly silk venise lace and she carried a bouquet of apricot daisies, white carnations and baby breath.

Mrs. Kenneth (Maxine) Jacobs, as matron of honor, wore a floor-length gown in peach beige.

Robert Hull of New Free-

port served as best man. Ushers were Mark Fletcher of Cameron, W. Va. and Phillip McCollum of Sycamore R.D. 1.

A reception was held in the Church of God social building, with Christ Clutter of West Finley attending the bride's book.

Both the bride and the bridegroom are graduates of West Greene High School. The bridegroom is employed by the Carnegie Natural Gas Co. as a compression station engineer at the Waynesburg station.



MRS. JONES

Debra Strawn Wed To Richard Wilson

Debra Strawn and Richard Wilson were united in marriage at the foot of the Jumonville Cross in Uniontown Saturday, August 16, 1980. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Bernard Shuey, pastor of the Carmichaels Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strawn of Beaver, formerly of Greene County. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Strawn of Waynesburg and Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Moore of Spraggs. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson of Beaver.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride appeared in a full length lace gown with a fitted bodice, Queen Anne neckline and long tapered sleeves and full skirt with a wateau train. She wore a double fingertip length veil. She wore her grandmother's ruby bracelet, lavender stick pin and amethyst necklace and carried a Bible, a gift from the bridegroom.

Candy Laughlin attended as maid of honor and Suzi Droz was the bridesmaid. They wore floor length lavender gowns of chiffon over crepe with matching capelets.

Ed Wilson of Beaver attended his brother as best man. The ushers were Robert Wilson and Allen Ammons.

A reception for 75 guests was held at the East Franklin Grange Hall, Waynesburg. Serving as aides were Mrs.

Bob Ammons, Mrs. Dwight Headley, Mrs. James Moore, Mrs. Lawrence Mengel and Mrs. Ray Wisener. Paula Ammons was in charge of the guest book. Out of town guests were from Chicago, Beaver, Hookstown and Ambridge.

The bride is a graduate of Beaver High School and Arom Beauty Academy of Beaver. She is employed with Hair Unlimited of Rochester.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Beaver High School, Penn State University and Geneva College. He is employed by the Burroughs Corporation in Pittsburgh.

The newlyweds took a wedding trip to Ocean City, Md. and are now residing in Beaver.



MRS. WILSON

United Way Names Community Chairman

WAYNESBURG — Community chairmen for the 1980 United Way campaign in Greene County were appointed at a meeting of the recently created Pledge-A-Thon Committee held this week in Waynesburg.

The Greene County Division of the Southwestern Pennsylvania United Way hopes to raise \$75,000 during the September fund drive, according to committee chairman Mary C. Parkinson.

Frank Bogan, the 1980 campaign chairman, explained the Pledge-A-Thon Committee will solicit by telephone small businesses in the community and persons not contacted through payroll deduction plans.

Robin Herman, representing the United Way office in Pittsburgh, showed a short film of United Way projects and explained the solicitation process. She also distributed kits with informative material

and pledge cards for each of the following committee members:

Coral Helphenstine, Wind Ridge; Mildred Wilson, Grayville; Ruth Ann Goodwin, Cameron Star Route; Rosemary Andrew, Nineveh; Gertrude DeBolt, Holbrook; Jeannette Sellers, Deep Valley; Leola Smith, Pine Bank; Louise Sprout, Rogersville and Katie Grimes, Sycamore.

Also Pauline Evans, Ruff Creek; Pat Tennant, Brave and Spraggs; Naomi King, Lippencott and Mather; Mary Phelps, Jefferson; Gerry Maley, Rices Landing, Crucible and Nemaconlin; Bonnie Christopher Anne Smalara and Jean Miller, Carmichaels; Doris Cetin, Bobtown and Dilliner; Mary Burich, Greensboro; Marlene Kalha, Mapletown; Mary Collins, Sara Kennedy and Dorothy Matthews and Mary Parkinson, Waynesburg and Virginia Blosser and Edith Urbany, East Franklin.



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As the parable of the talents shows, God expects us to do something with our abilities. Draw fresh inspiration for your life and work in your house of worship this week.



- Sunday
I Thessalonians
4:13-18
- Monday
I Thessalonians
5:1-8
- Tuesday
II Thessalonians
2:7-17
- Wednesday
Hebrews
6:9-19
- Thursday
I Peter
1:3-13
- Friday
I Peter
3:1-15
- Saturday
I John
3:1-3

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| <p>FIRST METHODIST WAYNESBURG
9:45, Church School: 10:45. Worship: Monday, 3:30. Junior Choir: Tuesday, 8. Senior Choir: Wednesday, 4. Primary Fellowship.</p> <p>WASHINGTON STREET METHODIST, WAYNESBURG
9:30, Church School: 10:45. Worship: 6:30. Youth Group: Wednesday, 7. Choir rehearsal: 8. Bible study.</p> <p>ROGERSVILLE-NINEVEH METHODIST CHARGE
VALLEY CHAPEL: 9. Worship: 9:45. Church School: HOPEWELL: 9-15. Church School: 10. Worship: NINEVEH: 10. Church School: 11. Worship. ROEGERSVILLE: 10. Church School: 11. Worship.</p> <p>JEFFERSON METHODIST CHARGE
JEFFERSON: 9:30. Worship: 10:40. Church School: Wednesday, 4:15. Junior Choir: 6:30. Senior Choir: RICES LANDING: 10. Church School: 11. Worship. MILLSBORO: 7:30. Evening Worship.</p> <p>CARMICHAELS METHODIST
9:45. Sunday School: 11. Worship.</p> <p>GARARDS FORT METHODIST
9:30. Worship: 10:30. Church School.</p> <p>JOLLYTOWN METHODIST CHARGE
LAUREL RUN: 9. Worship: 10. Church School. GRANDVIEW: 10. Worship: 11. Church School. PLEASANT HILL: 10. Church School: 11. Worship. JOLLYTOWN: 10. Church School: 11. Worship. MT. ZION: 10. Church School: 11. Worship.</p> <p>MONONGAHELA METHODIST CHARGE
MORRISVILLE: 9. Church School: 10. Worship.</p> | <p>COALICK: 10. Church School: 11. Worship.</p> <p>THROCKMORTON: 10. Church School: 11. Worship.</p> <p>OAK FOREST: 10. Church School: 7:30. Worship (second and fourth Sundays).</p> <p>MT. PLEASANT: 10. Worship.</p> <p>UNION METHODIST CHARGE
UNION VALLEY: 10. Church School: 11:15. Worship: 7:30. MYF.</p> <p>FAIRVIEW: 10. Worship. Church School: Tuesday. Choir practice.</p> <p>NEBO: 9. Worship. 10. Church School: 11. MYF.</p> <p>FAIRALL
CLAUGHTON CHAPEL: 9. Church School: 11. Worship.</p> <p>FAIRALL: 10. Church School: 11:15. Worship.</p> <p>KIRBY: 10. Church School: 7. Worship.</p> <p>VALLEY CHAPEL: 9. Worship: 10. Church School.</p> <p>WILLOW GROVE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST
10. Sunday School: 11. Worship. Thursday, 7:30. prayer meeting.</p> <p>SUGAR GROVE BAPTIST
10. Worship: 11. Church School.</p> <p>MT. ZION BAPTIST
10. Church School: 11. Worship: 7:30. Evening Worship.</p> <p>CALVARY BAPTIST
10. Sunday School: 11. Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. prayer meeting and Bible study.</p> <p>JEFFERSON BAPTIST
9:45. Worship: 10:45. Church School: Wednesday, 7:30. prayer service.</p> <p>JOHN COLBY BAPTIST
9:45. Worship: 10:45. Church School: Thursday, 7:30. Bible Study and prayer.</p> <p>CARMICHAELS BAPTIST
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: 7. Evening Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. Youth Choir, Bible Study.</p> | <p>FIRST BAPTIST WAYNESBURG
9:30. Church School: 10:45. Worship: 7. BYF: Wednesday, 7:30. Evening Prayer Group.</p> <p>BATES FORK BAPTIST
10. Church School: 11:30. Worship.
9:55. Worship: 11. Church School: 6:30. BYF and Jet Cadets: Saturday, 10. Unity Rehearsal.</p> <p>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN WAYNESBURG
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: 6:30. College and Career Group: 7. Senior High Fellowship: Wednesday, 3:45. Youth Club: Thursday, 7:30. Chancel Choir.</p> <p>GREENE VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN
9:30. Church School: 11. Worship: 6:30. Junior and Senior High Fellowship: Tuesday, 3:30. Teen Choir: Wednesday, 7. Calvin Choir: 8. Greene Valley Choir: Thursday, 4:15. Angel Choir.</p> <p>JEFFERSON PRESBYTERIAN
9:30. Worship: 10:30. Church School.</p> <p>HEWITT PRESBYTERIAN
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: Wednesday, 6. Westminister Choir: 7. Chancel Choir.</p> <p>CARMICHAELS CHRISTIAN
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: Tuesday, 6:30. Chi Rho: Wednesday, 3:45. Chancel Choir: 4:30. Youth Choir: Saturday, 11. Cherub Choir.</p> <p>WAYNESBURG CHRISTIAN
9:30. Bible School: 10:30. Worship: 6. Youth Groups: 7. Evening Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. Bible Study: 8:30. Choir rehearsal.</p> <p>MATHER CHRISTIAN
9:30. Bible School: 10:40. Worship: 7:30. Bible Study.</p> <p>FIRST PILGRIM CHURCH</p> | <p>WAYNESBURG
9:45. Sunday School: 11. Worship: 6:45. Young People: 7:30. Evening Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. prayer meeting.</p> <p>WAYNESBURG CHURCH OF CHRIST
10. Bible School: 10:45. Worship: 6:30. Evening Service: Wednesday, 7:30. Bible classes.</p> <p>ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL WAYNESBURG
8. Holy Communion: 9:30. Senior High Class: 10:30. Church School and Holy Communion: Thursday, 7:30. Holy Communion.</p> <p>WAYNESBURG NAZARENE
9:45. Church School: 10:45. Worship: 7:30. Evening Services: Wednesday, 7:30. Prayer Service and NYPS.</p> <p>ROLLING MEADOWS CHURCH OF GOD
9:45. Sunday School: 11. Worship: 7. Evangelistic Services: Wednesday, 7. Family Training Hour.</p> <p>ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC WAYNESBURG
Saturday Anticipatory Mass, 6:30. Sunday Masses, 8:30 and 11:30. Confessions, Saturday, 3:30 to 4:30.</p> <p>CRABAPPLE COMMUNITY
10. Church School: 11. Worship: 7:30. Evangelistic Service: Wednesday, 7:30. Prayer Meeting.</p> <p>WEST GREENE PRESBYTERIAN CHARGE HARMONY
9. Worship: 10. Church School. UNITY-BRISTORIA: 10:10. Worship: 11:10. Church School.</p> <p>WEST UNION: 10. Church School: 11:15. Worship.</p> <p>HATFIELD FERRY LUTHERAN PARISH
ST. PAUL'S, Carmichaels: 9. Worship: 10:15. Church School. JACOBS: 9. Worship: 11. Church School.</p> |
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WAYNESBURG FLORAL

Red Cross To Seek Funds To Offset Flood Work Cost

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Chapter of the American Red Cross will mount a special appeal for funds to assist with the cost of flood relief work in the county and district.

Mary Collins, chapter president, said the chapter will attempt to help offset the drain on the national disaster fund incurred by flood relief work throughout western Pennsylvania and West Virginia following extensive flooding on Monday of last week. Relief work in Greene County alone is expected to amount into many thousands of dollars, Miss Collins said.

On Monday, three Red Cross disaster teams, including personnel from the division office at Pittsburgh, were visiting the homes of county residents who have applied for aid in replacing household furnishings and with making repairs. Emergency aid in the form of clothing and food orders were distributed during the past weekend.

Enlargement Campaign

The Enlargement Campaign of the Greene County Sunday School Association begins Aug. 31. Sunday Schools that have not received a registration card to enter may secure one by contacting M.B. McMillen, Star Route, Holbrook.

Miss Collins said that an effort was made to contact every flood victim. Those who have not been reached and who need help are asked to contact the Greene County Red Cross office located in Room 308 County Office Building, Waynesburg, phone 627-3834.

Those wishing to make contributions to the flood fund can mail their donation to the office.

Memorial Program Is Planned

CARMICHAELS — Plans have been finalized for the Miners' Memorial Service program to be held at 6 p.m. Monday, Aug. 24, during King Coal Week at Carmichaels.

The Carmichaels Area Jaycees, who are members of the King Coal Association, are sponsoring the program and the welcome will be given by Jaycee Chaplain Brice Rush. The service will feature the Ambassadors of Christ gospel group from Waynesburg.

Speakers will include the Rev. Don Gillenwater, the Rev. Bernard Shuey and the Rev. Harold Kelley.

Operation Outreach: Library Sponsored Video Workshop

WAYNESBURG — "Camera One: focus in. Camera Two: fade out."

These were some of the directions learned by three youngsters who participated in a Video Workshop sponsored by Bowlby Public Library's Operation Outreach.

Tom Chockla, outreach librarian, gave six area youngsters instruction in video camera operations Friday, Aug. 15. Three youths received first-hand experience in using TV cameras at Waynesburg College, where Bill Molzon, director of Audio-Visual Services at the college since 1973, expanded the basic knowledge of video production they had learned in the Outreach workshop.

Julie Johnson, Karl Main and John Whiting got a television technical director's eye view through video cameras

at the college study. All attend the Margaret Bell Miller Middle School at Waynesburg. Others who signed up for the program were Wendy Freeland, Todd Randolph and Debbie Throckmorton.

The basic experience shared by the apprentices was use of a Polaroid One Step camera. Now they share new knowledge and new jargon — such as angles, focus, depth of field, f-stops, split screen, telephoto, zoom lens and vidicon.

The three young people had quite a few laughs blending two faces viewed on two cameras into one component. Eyes, noses, and teeth were rearranged on camera for some strange results by "plastic surgery via camera."

Chockla, who is completing credits for his diploma in fine arts at Edinboro State College through the work he is doing at

the library, rated the six-part program a success.

"At first I was disappointed since the most we've had in the program was five per day when more had signed up. Then I found it is far better to have a few and go into depth with individual instruction. It's been a lot more fun," he said.

Molzon differentiated training from training for news broadcasting. His CAMS (Communications/Arts/Media Studies) at Waynesburg College are for English majors in their sophomore year. Use of video equipment for industrial training programs is the goal of these courses, not entertainment.

"Working in the studio with the equipment will give more insight the next time they watch the news and see an image on the TV screen," he

said. While the cameras whirled, John Whiting expressed this enthusiasm. "I want to be a director and am very interested in TV," he said. "I know the parts of the camera, how to focus it, and I collect books on camera shots. Our school has a video club and I want to join it."

Karl Main echoed appreciation of the workshop. "I like it a lot. I take pictures of my sister in her band uniform and of my dog. I know how a camera works."

Julie Johnson agrees. "I signed up because I like to take pictures and I've decided the program is pretty neat."

For Chockla, the most exciting point is that the young people learned something new. "They've had fun and now they'll use it on their own," he said.



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Runner-Up

The Carmichaels-Cumberland Township Volunteer Fire Co. was runner-up in the Greene County Firemen's Association water barrel battle championship. Members of the water barrel battle team are, from left, Charles Buskirk, Bob Tennant, Dan Sherepita, Bill Groves, fire chief; Don Baker and John Chambers.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Draws Attention

One of the inside exhibits at the 27th Annual Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal Show underway this week at Carmichaels drawing the attention of people all ages is this display of Leder Inc., the American branch of a Swiss belting firm, which located a plant this year at Carmichaels. The display features small bobsleds going up a belted ramp, over the top and down around a curve. It is one of over 50 exhibits located in the social room of the Carmichaels-Cumberland Township fire hall.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Championship Team

The water barrel battle team of the Rices Landing Volunteer Fire Co. won its fifth consecutive Greene County Firemen's Association water barrel battle championship held this week as part of the Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal Show underway at Carmichaels. Members of the team kneeling are, from left, Larry Shumaker, Tom Koss and Tim Hogan. Standing, from left, are Murray Kline, fire chief; Gary Roberts, Bill Groves, chairman of the event; Remo Bertugli, Bill Flenniken, Barry Ream and Albert Popielarchek.

Water Line Breaks Ten Are Admitted In Franklin Twp.

WAYNESBURG — Illegal excavation beneath a PennDOT highway right-of-way and heavy rains over the past few weeks were blamed Tuesday for the rupture of an eight-inch water line in Franklin Township.

The water line break, which later triggered yet another line fracture, caused the closing of schools in the Central Greene School District on what had been schedule as the first day of school for the 1980-81 term, and the loss of water service to approximately 180 customers of the Southeast Franklin Water Authority.

The initial break in the eight-inch line near the right-of-way of old Route 21 near the Continental Supply Co., located in the former Coca Cola distributing plant, occurred at about 6 p.m. Monday evening.

Crews from the water authority worked throughout the evening to put a sleeve on the broken line, but when water was allowed to flow through the line again, it was discovered that pressure in some areas was not as high as it should have been, indicating to water authority officials that other problems existed in the system.

Crews found the problem in the form of a break in a six-inch line between Waynesburg Central High School and the Greene Shopping Plaza, at about 12 midnight Monday and worked until mid afternoon Tuesday to repair it.

Dukes Haines, a member of the water authority, and Jack Bryan of the Greene County PennDOT Maintenance barn, said Tuesday that the initial break was caused by excavation which had been done some time ago in the parking lot behind the Continental Supply Co.

Haines explained that authority's water lines run along the right-of-way of old Route 21 in that area and that excavation of the parking lot had all but bared the pipes in the right-of-way.

Both said that recent heavy rains and the excavation, which was done without PennDOT approval, had caused drain waters to wash away portions of the right-of-way, causing the pipe to slip and slide apart.

Both said the owner, or past owner, of the property where Continental Supply is located had been contacted about the problem, but no action had been taken by either party.

Haines said that the second break occurred after the initial problem had been corrected. He said that the renewed flow water into lines probably caused a pressure build up which caused the six-inch line to rupture.

Another spokesman for the authority said approximately 10 feet of water drained from the large storage tank located atop a hill near interstate 79 because of the two water line breaks.

Haines estimated that between 150,000 and 200,000 gallons of water was lost by the authority.

Dr. Ronald Ferrari, superintendent of the Central Greene School District, said he was notified of the lack of water for the high school and the Greene County Vo-Tech School at about 12:30 a.m. Monday and contacted teachers and bus contractors to inform them that there would be no classes on what had been scheduled as the first day of school. He said only a few students, who apparently hadn't heard early morning radio broadcasts, showed up for classes.

WAYNESBURG — Defendants in 10 criminal cases were admitted to the Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition (ARD) program following hearings Thursday in Greene County Court.

Henree Marcellus Steele, Steubenville, Ohio, was ordered to pay \$350 in lieu of fine, make restitution, and was placed on probation for one year on a charge of burglary.

William D. Young, Jefferson, charged with driving while intoxicated, was ordered to pay \$425 in lieu of fine, attend driver improvement school, and was placed on probation for one year.

Richard Lee Cline, Grafton, W. Va., charged with driving while intoxicated, speeding and reckless driving was ordered to pay a total of \$525, attend driver improvement school, and was placed on probation for one year.

Charles D. Fordyce of Charleston, W. Va., who was charged with violation of the drug act, was directed to pay \$500 in lieu of fine and placed on probation for one year.

Lawrence J. Campbell of Millsboro, charged with driving while intoxicated, was ordered to pay \$425, attend driver improvement school, and was placed on probation for one year.

Margaret Wright of 50 East Franklin Street, Waynesburg, who was charged with three violations of the drug act, was directed to pay \$500 in lieu of fine and was placed on probation for one year.

Albert F. Smalley of Uniontown, charged with theft by unlawful taking and criminal mischief, was ordered to pay

\$100 and costs and was placed on probation for three months.

Lisa Marie Stiffler of Nemacolin, charged with theft by unlawful taking, was ordered to pay \$100 in lieu of costs and make restitution and was placed on probation for one year.

Selmond W. Johnson of Steubenville, Ohio, charged with burglary, was ordered to pay \$350 and costs, make restitution, and was placed on probation for one year.

Donald Roy McKahan, Waynesburg R.D.5, charged with driving while intoxicated, speeding and with driving while his license was suspended was ordered to pay a total of \$475, attend driver improvement school, and was placed on probation for one year.

Meeting Theme Is Announced

CARMICHAELS — Theme for the annual fall meeting of the Pittsburgh Coal Mining Institute of America, to be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 28, in Carmichaels will be "The Coal Mining Industry In China Today."

The meeting will be held in the Carmichaels Area High School cafeteria. The meeting is held each year as a part of the State Bituminous Coal Show at Carmichaels.

Admission is free and the unusual program should be of interest to everyone, especially women.

Speaker will be David D. Eyer, vice president of engineering for Consolidation Coal Company. He visited China several months ago and returned with color slides of life in China today.



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Waynesburg HUD Grant Helps Entire Community

More than two years of planning and hard work by volunteer members of the Waynesburg Economic Revitalization Corp. (WERC) paid off last week with formal acceptance of a \$463,540 Community Development Block Grant which will be used to begin refurbishing of the town's downtown business district.

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) approved the application principally because it centers in large part around the development of some 30 additional units of housing for the elderly.

This will be accomplished by converting the empty second floors of several commercial buildings into apartments, with the owners being eligible for grants to help with the cost of conversion and also eligible for rent subsidies once the apartments are completed and occupied.

But in addition, the HUD monies will help finance repair of dangerous sidewalks, removal of overhead utility lines from the main street, restoration of building facades and some landscaping.

WERC President Robert Berryman said the overall project in the two-block pilot area of High Street, between Morris and Morgan Streets, will amount to about a million dollars when funding from the private sector is taken into account. So far as local public monies are concerned, the borough's contribution will be limited to some \$5,000 in cash and \$7,000 of in-kind services.

The project was conceived by WERC following a series of town meetings which explored steps which could be taken to make the business district more attractive and economically viable. The borough, county and county industrial development organization have all supported the plan, but it is essentially a cooperative venture by the federal government and property owners.

WERC's role was to come up with a proposal which would benefit all segments of the community, and its plan seems to be just that—a good deal for the property owners, for elderly people looking for more suitable housing where all services are available, and for the town as a whole.



Between The Bookends

Marcia McKenna Biddle

My friends Mazy and Honey Bunch dropped in again the other morning. Honey Bunch was wearing a crash helmet. I didn't know whether I should mention it or not.

Finally I said "Honey Bunch, aren't you a little warm? Wouldn't you like to take your hat off?"

"What?" Honey Bunch said loudly.

"She can't hear a thing with that monstrosity on her head," Mazy told me.

"Well, may I ask why she's wearing it?"

"She claims it is for protection," Mazy said. "I wish you would talk her out of it."

"I don't know—maybe she needs protection. Maybe she knows something I don't."

"Ridiculous," Mazy snapped.

"Air Force," Honey Bunch shouted.

"Uh, why did she say Air Force?" I wondered. "Does she think we are about to be bombed by the Russians?"

"Duck!" cried Honey Bunch and dove under the table. Mazy and I ducked reflexively, then looked sheepishly at each other.

"What did she think she saw?" I whispered.

"An airplane," Mazy said.

"In my kitchen?" I cried.

"Would you take her helmet off and inform her that there are no Russian planes in this kitchen? There are none upstairs either," I added, as Honey Bunch emerged from beneath the table and looked toward the ceiling.

"It's not Russian planes she's afraid of. It's ours."

"Honey Bunch is afraid that our own Air Force is attacking her?" I cried. "But that doesn't make any sense. Does she think she is a threat to the national security or something?"

"No," Mazy explained. "It happened last week. Honey Bunch was watching TV, but she fell asleep during the news."

"As usual," I said. "But," Mazy went on, "she woke up toward the end, and heard him say that the Air Force now had invisible planes. She has been panicky-stricken ever since."

"Oh, but they didn't mean the planes would actually be invisible," I said. "It's some new technology. Using it, our planes cannot be seen on Russian radar."

"I tried to tell her that," Mazy said, "but you know Honey Bunch."

"Yes, We'll have to prove it to her."

"We certainly will. Right now, she thinks that the air is filled with invisible airplanes. She imagines them swooping down at her, like bats."

"Honey Bunch, take your helmet off!" I yelled in her face. She shook her head and pointed out the window. "If an Air Force plane flies at you, that helmet is not going to help!" I shouted.

"You can't reason with her," Mazy told me. "She says she's going to wear that helmet till the election is over."

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Faces From The Past—Do Your Recognize Them?



People of all ages were involved in the civilian war effort during World War II as this photograph taken at Waynesburg will testify. The elementary school teacher and his pupils were typical of the many groups which collected "tin cans" and other discarded metal which were then sent to a central collection point at Pittsburgh for processing for re-use.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

The curtain closes Monday (Labor Day) on another successful season at Greene County's first public swimming pool on the county owned area opposite the fairgrounds along PA route 21 in Franklin Township.

The pool, an expanded and improved version of the original one built there shortly after World War II, is now taken so much for granted that younger generations seem to assume it was always there, like the trees and grass around it.

But there was a day, back around World War II, when many Greene Countyans were fighting in that conflict all around the world and the only thing they were missing in swimming back home was the typical old time "swimmin' hole" in Ten Mile Creek at West Waynesburg. It was derisively dubbed "Trestle Beach" because of the trestle of the Waynesburg and Washington narrow gauge railroad spanning the creek at that point.

The bridge had two levels for diving from which separated the men from the boys depending on the height chosen.

Likely as not it would have eventually been replaced by a modern pool such as the one built near the fairgrounds but there is also no doubt it was hastened when a metal Service Star was fastened on the trestle by three local swimming enthusiasts.

They were Bob Wilson, who later became a certified Red Cross swimming instructor and lifeguard; the late Lon

McClelland, who worked for years for the Atlantic Refining Co., and Miss Lillian Throckmorton, secretary of the Greene County chapter of the American Red Cross at that time and active in promoting the organization's swimming and water safety program even though only the few from here who had vacationed at Lake Chautauqua in New York State knew anything about it.

A news picture of the three nailing the metal flag in place reached a former Waynesburg woman, Mrs. Frances Dole Bowman, who then and now lives in Hanover, near Harrisburg.

She was so grateful that she immediately responded with the first donation ever received for a modern swimming pool in Greene County.

Accompanying the donation was a letter recalling how worried that she and her mother and sister, Beatrice, were when her brothers, Clarence, who still lives in Waynesburg, and Howard, now of Williamsport, went swimming for fear that they, like others before them, might drown at the unsupervised stream. It was fraught with all sorts of hazards such as underwater snags, horseplay among the swimmers, etc.

Other donations followed and later on the Waynesburg Lions Club took on the burden of raising money to complete the pool which signaled a landmark in the community life of both Waynesburg and the rest of Greene County.

Completion of the pool, however, was only the start of an

entire new era in the community life and physical development of hundreds of county residents.

A few years after it was opened Miss Elizabeth Walker, of Altoona, came to Waynesburg to spend a week-end with her sister, Jean, then working as a reporter at a Waynesburg newspaper.

A graduate of the famous Red Cross swimming courses at Lake Chautauqua, and certified as an instructor in all branches of recreational swimming, she has become a legend not only in her adopted hometown but in Red Cross swimming circles throughout the entire eastern regional division of that organization.

Miss Walker was a strict disciplinarian in the very difficult art of teaching those with a hangup about water or—even worse—like those "head shakers" from the "good ol' swimmin' holes" who never learned the basic skill of rhythmic breathing.

Only the infinite patience of a person truly dedicated to the art-sport of swimming could have pounded that skill and those of floating or treading water which could save their lives into the hard heads of the creek swimmers as she has done.

Along with her teaching she has also completed a course at Pennsylvania State University certifying her to supervise construction and maintenance of a modern swimming pool which requires the related knowledge of construction engineering and water control to meet the high standards of purification required by the

state for public pools.

For many years after the first pool was completed at Waynesburg Bob Wilson was also one of the best teachers in the Red Cross organization here and also in Louisiana during his army service before going overseas to the fighting in the Far East.

Teaching swimming at the pool also has a family touch through Miss Walker's mother, Mrs. Viola Walker, an Altoona native who is still teaching youngsters in the children's classes although she is now at the age of 87.

She is a firm believer that a good example is the best sort of teaching there is. So after classes are over she daily clips off a quarter of a mile in a matter of a few minutes with a variety of strokes from the basic life saving sidestroke to the old time English backstroke.

And all of this is only a part of the heritage which was sprung, in a way, from the truth of the old saying, "one picture is worth a thousand words," especially as it inspired Frances Dole Bowman to make the first donation to Waynesburg's first swimming pool with the hope that it might save the lives of her two brothers, Howard and Clarence Dole.

Freeport Twp. Adopts NFIP

Freeport Township has adopted the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and the new ordinance has been in effect since June 25 according to Lucille Haines, township secretary.

In a story published this week following the flash flood in western Greene County, it was published that five townships do not have the program.

Only Dunkard, Jackson, Springhill and Wayne Townships have not passed the necessary legislation which would allow homeowners to apply for flood insurance.

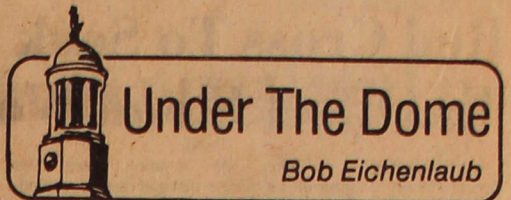
Residents in the townships which have passed the ordinance can purchase flood, mudslide and landslide coverage. The annual cost is 25 cents per \$100 worth of coverage on a house and 35 cents per \$100 on contents. The cost for commercial buildings is 40 cents per \$100 on buildings and 75 cents per \$100 on contents.

GED Testing

WAYNESBURG—Waynesburg College will administer the general educational development (GED) test Saturday, Aug. 30. The testing will begin promptly at 8 a.m.

All persons desiring to take these GED tests will complete the GED application form at the college testing center on the testing day.

Anyone having questions concerning the test should call the college at 627-8191, extension 252.



Greene County residents were not the only victims of flooding last week. Many sections of West Virginia were also ravished by high water from the same storms, among them persons who reside along Wheeling Creek at Wheeling, W.Va.

In some cases, water stood as high as six feet deep in houses, and more than 100 homes sustained some damage. Last week these people were pointing the finger of blame at people in Greene County who have been opposing the construction of two dams in Richhill Township which would complete the Wheeling Creek flood protection system.

Without the water impoundments on Enslow Fork and Dunkard Fork, less than 50 percent of the Wheeling Creek watershed is controlled. So although the five dams already built outside offered some protection, they were not enough to do the job since this particular storm seemed to particularly savage in the big watershed drained by Dunkard Fork, as residents of Aleppo, Ryerson Station and other small communities will attest.

It is easy to sympathize with residents of Wheeling in their contention that opposition mounted by conservation groups has been responsible for interminable delays in completion of the project.

They are impatient with the various alternatives advanced, particularly the one which proposes that their houses be elevated above the flood plain, and would like to see the Wheeling Creek Watershed Commission proceed as soon as possible with construction of the dams they feel they need to be protected in their present locations.

Things do seem to be moving somewhat, however. The commission expects by this fall to receive the new environmental impact study being made for the project. It will assess, in depth, the various alternatives which could be used instead of "wet dams," including those proposed by the environmentalists and others who oppose building of the dams.

At that time, the commission and Soil Conservation Service will be in a better position to judge the relative merits of each idea and to defend the plan finally adopted. Hopefully a lot of the emotional rhetoric which has clouded the basic issues will be set aside.

There have been long delays and they should be brought to an end. Last week showed that damaging flooding is still a very real possibility at Wheeling, and it's time to move ahead with whatever plan proves to be the most practical and economical way to solve the problem.



By THE STAFF

This is it for the summer of 1980, what with Labor Day coming up next Monday. There won't be much change in the weather for at least a month but with shorter days—even with daylight saving time still in effect—it means there will be little outdoor activity after "supper" and those who had been playing golf or fooling around in the evening will now be watching the early as well as the late TV shows. Happy viewing.

Rinehart "Pete" Ganear of South Morgan Street, is a patient at Greene County Memorial Hospital because of a circulatory ailment which has made it impossible to walk without a cane or other assistance. But, he will enjoy visits from his fellow Elk Club members and the myriad of friends and associates he has in Waynesburg and other parts of Greene County for his days "on the road" as a salesman for candy, tobacco and other merchandise to drug and grocery stores. He and his sister, Catherine, still reside at the family home on South Morgan Street, opposite the Moose Lodge.

Odell Cooper, a Waynesburg native who has lived at Salt Lake City since the end of World War II, but if he doesn't know it the president of a bank in that city named Lytle is the son of Mrs. Josephine McKahan Lytle of Salt Lake, originally of Waynesburg, and her husband, the late Guy R. Lytle, who owned Waynesburg's first pop factory on West Lincoln Street, between Richhill and Morgan, where the late Ernest O. Clayton, long-time Waynesburg postmaster, and Walter McVay, later a Pittsburgh attorney who still lives in Mt. Lebanon, were his first two employees. During World War I both Clayton and McVay were succeeded during the summer months by Leo "Coach" Cunningham—then a high school student—and on a part-time basis by the writer of this column.

Miss Carolyn Thomas, a chemistry professor at Waynesburg College, who resides in the former James Hickey property on South Richhill Street, between Greene and South Streets, has returned to town after spending the summer holidays visiting her parents in Maine.

Charles Hook, a grandson of the late Judge J. Inghram Hook, will start to add another member of his paternal grandfather's descendants into the legal profession when he enrolls at a law school in Cleveland next week. He will also be

in the footsteps of his father, Att. James Hook and his paternal uncle, Att. John I. Hook, Jr., and his other paternal relatives. During his summer vacations at Waynesburg Central swimming pool, he progressed from the "puddle jumpers" preschool group through life saving and water safety programs and has volunteered several thousands of hours in teaching, as a life guard and as an adult assistant to the pool director, Miss Elizabeth Walker. He also has played a significant role in the overall creation of the pool's high rating in the American Red Cross National Water Saving Program. He was graduated from Wooster, Ohio, College.

An entire battalion of learned engineers and business executives could have talked all day about the impact of the coal mining industry on Greene County in the next few years but could not have been half as impressive as the hand-written show card in the window of the Ullom and Baily Drug Store on South Morris Street which reads as follows:

"We fill all UMWA extended 65 prescriptions with \$4 co-pay."

About 50 years ago the average Waynesburger who would have read such a sign would probably have said:

"What in the Hell is a Umwa?"

Betty Ullom of the Long Apartments in Waynesburg, spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Thomas in Leisure Time Park at Franklin. The Thomases are former Waynesburg residents.

Wayne Twp. Man Files Lawsuit

WAYNESBURG—A Wayne Township man who was injured in a motorcycle accident last year filed a lawsuit in Greene County Court Tuesday in an effort to recover damages from the township and its former police chief, Albert D. Temple of Spraggs R.D.1.

The complaint by Dennis I. McNett of Spraggs Star Route states that Temple ran the township police car into the rear of his motorcycle during a chase on a township road on July 22, 1979.

As a result of injuries, the plaintiff said, he suffered the loss of some \$2,000 in wages and was required to pay hospital and medical expenses. He is suing Temple for damages in excess of \$10,000, and the township for the same amount on the grounds that it did not provide proper training for the police officer.



Contest Winners

1979 Coal Queen Lore Makusenka congratulated winners of the winning Florence Mining Co. team following the State Mine Rescue Contest at Carmichaels Saturday. Team members were Chris Yeager, Barry Henderson, Jim Irwin, Gary Sowers, Norm Thompson, Merle Baird, Paul Burd and Gary Buckles.



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Short Vacation

Students arrived at West Greene High School Monday morning for the start of classes for the 1980-81 school year following a short summer vacation. Students in the district were in school during last year's term through the end of June. West Greene and two more of the county's five school districts opened for classes Monday. The other two districts held in-service days for teachers and will hold classes Tuesday.

Sewerage Facility Study Results Given To Public

MT. MORRIS — A sewerage facilities study which encompasses built-up sections of Perry Township around Mt. Morris was unveiled at a public meeting held last week by the Mt. Morris Water and Sewer Authority.

Some 27 people attended the meeting at which Fred J. Rupert, project manager for L. Robert Kimball and Associates, recommended that the authority adopt a proposal which would provide sewerage service for 327 households and businesses at an estimated cost of \$3,053,700.

Federal grants would provide 75 percent of the cost, leaving \$992,000 to be raised locally.

Under the plan, \$327,000 would be raised through a \$1,000 tap-in fee, with no front foot charges. The balance would be obtained through a bond issue of \$665,000, with maintenance of the system and retirement of the bonds requiring average monthly user charges of \$18.12 to produce annual revenues of \$71,091.

According to the study, a house-to-house survey indicates that 70 percent of existing on-lot disposal systems are malfunctioning. In addition, several combined sewerage lines discharge raw sewage into Dunkard Creek, creating a potential health hazard.

The engineering firm studied a number of alternate plans for solving the problem, and has recommended the adoption of one which would provide for the laying of lines which would feed by gravity to a treatment plant to be located along Dunkard Creek, near Interstate 79.

It also recommends that in some areas, where the ground is suitable, that existing on-lot systems be upgraded.

Some 30 persons attended the public meeting, which was the second to be held. Another public meeting is slated for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16, by which time recommendations made at the meeting last week will have been incorporated into the plan. This would be followed by a public hearing in October, after which the authority would be in a position to make formal application to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for a construction grant.

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It also recommends that in some areas, where the ground is suitable, that existing on-lot systems be upgraded.

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FmHA Approves County Application For Grant

WAYNESBURG — The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has approved Greene County's preliminary application for a grant of \$33,500 for the preparation of a water and sewage study for the county.

Robert Trauth of Waynesburg, project director for a county housing study which is currently underway, said the grant would be made under the FmHA's 601 Planning Program, with no financial obligation to the county.

The commissioners approved submission of a formal application which is due by August 30, with Trauth explained that approval of the pre-application virtually assures approval of the grant.

He also told the commissioners that FmHA has approved a one-month extension in the original date for completion of the housing study, based on the fact that the study did not begin until one month later than originally planned. Trauth said the housing study should be completed at about the same time as the water and sewage study begins, so that there will be no overlap in staff responsibilities.

Both studies are aimed at identifying sites in Greene County which would be suitable for residential development.

In other developments, the commissioners received a low bid of \$4,965 from Strohnider Printing Co., Waynesburg, for the printing of ballots for the November election. It and a bid of \$5,850 from another company will be referred to the county solicitor for a recommendation.

David Maset of Waynesburg, representing the Greene County Auto Club, asked the commissioners for permission to use the county fairgrounds for a demolition derby tentatively scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 27. The commissioners tabled the request until they have an opportunity to discuss the request with maintenance personnel at the fairgrounds.

It was announced that the county will again this year receive a state grant-in-aid for adult probation services. It will amount to \$1,939.

Purple Panda Heads For Waynesburg

WAYNESBURG — Friday and Saturday, Sept. 5 and 6, will be special days for parents and children of all ages when the Purple Panda and Mr. McFeely — part of Mr. Rogers and his supporting cast of make-believe friends — visit Waynesburg in a special program of child development sponsored by Greene County Memorial Hospital.

The Purple Panda and Mr. McFeely will appear at the auditorium at Waynesburg Central High School from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Friday. A number of additional events will be held the following day, including a visit to the Greene County Vocational-Technical School from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

The two-day event, entitled "The Purple Adventures of Lady Elaine Fairchild," stresses the differences among people in an attempt to help children understand the monotony of living in a purple world, where all things are the same, and the pleasure of living in a world where people and things are different.

"The program is designed to entertain young children and to help them understand their individual differences," Michael Plinn, hospital administrator, said. "We hope the special activities will help children realize that people will like them for themselves."

Events on Friday will include an appearance of the Purple Panda, a character in a film which will be shown, and Mr. McFeely, the elderly neighbor who runs a Speedy Delivery Service on Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood. In addition, a film emphasizing Lady Elaine's visit to the Purple Planet; a talk to adults on being different by Hedda Sharapan, associated producer of Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood, and planned activities for children will be featured. Refreshments will be served.

Saturday's events will consist mainly of activities for children, with emphasis on the advantages of their being different.

The young participants will make their own name tags, put together a three-dimensional planet, use play dough to make a Purple World, create purple paper people, design colorings, make a book about "me," and paste designs on soup cans to create pencil holders. Each child attending is asked to take a soup can.

Aides will serve refreshments in the various rooms in which the activities will take place.

The promotion is a product of the producers of Mister Rogers' Neighborhood and was developed and produced by Family Communications, Inc., Pittsburgh. It has become a popular tool utilized by groups to help children understand that they are different but special.

There is no charge for the hospital-sponsored event. Inquiries can be directed to Linda Mosier, 627-3101, at the hospital.



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Around Greene

90TH BIRTHDAY
Mrs. Nell Wheatley was honored on her 90th birthday at a party hosted by her daughter, Arabelle Buckbee in the social room of the Thomas Campbell Christian Center in Washington on Sunday. Arrangements of red roses and wild flowers from Greene County decorated the room.

RETURNS HOME
Returning home after spending some time with relatives in Ohio were Joetta Patterson and Kathy Morris, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson.

PRODUCT PARTY
A product party sponsored by the Ladies Christian Circle at the Jefferson Baptist Church will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 9.

ACS Golf Tournament Winners Announced

WAYNESBURG — Winners in the 6th annual Walter Hagen Golf Tournament sponsored by the American Cancer Society at Rohanna's Golf Course were as follows:

In the handicap division, a team comprised of Andy Gacek, Dave Wilson, Tim Wilson and Sam Neubauer and sponsored by Bortz Chevrolet, won the title in a sudden-death playoff with the team of Dan Girard, Gary Goletz, Mike Carbonara and Tom Battaglia which was sponsored by Trocadero Lounge of Mason town.

Both teams posted a 17-under-par in regulation play.

Scratch division winners were the 1979 defending champions from the Greene County Country Club. The team was comprised of Frank Benamatti, Gary and Gregg Battistoni and Gary Hribal who shot an eight-under 62.

Second place was won by a self-sponsored team of Bud Cunningham, John Mariner, Bill Diefenbach and Pick Diefenbach which carded a six-under 64.

At the same time, two women's teams competed at the Greene County Country Club. A team sponsored by Kenneth Milliken and comprised of Peggy Milliken, Irene Oneacre, Dottie Bernaducci and Patty Holupka won the title and will represent the Greene County Unit of the cancer society in the state finals to be held in Lebanon in September.

The Milliken team shot a 14-under-par to defeat the First Federal Savings & Loan team comprised of Jane Brewer, Peggy Murdock, Betty Hart and Tammy Waters, which shot a 12-under. They were the defending champions.

Highlight of the tourney came when Dave Cosgray, of Waynesburg, came within inches of a double eagle on the 15th hole which would have won him a 1980 Ram Charger.

41st Annual Tri-County Band Concert Draws Large Audience

CARMICHAELS — More than 300 musicians of all ages took part in the 41st annual Tri-County Band Association concert held Sunday at Carmichaels before the largest audience in many years.

The King Coal Association presented trophies to the three high schools with the most members taking part. They went to Carmichaels Area with 41, Mapletown with 31, and Waynesburg Central with 11. Other high schools represented were Trinity, Charleroi and Bentworth.

Bill Goodrich, 77, Pittsburgh, was recognized as the oldest musician in the band and Karen Dusenberry, 10, Mapletown, as the youngest. Also recognized were Walter Moredock of Waynesburg, who has attended all 41 concerts, and Guido Battaglini, who has missed only one concert, and that because he was in service in Korea.

Ray Battaglini of LaBelle, who has directed the band for many years, did so again this year. Guest conductors were Frank Angiotti, 86, Bentleyville, and Chris Decker of Uniontown, who conducted a march in memory of his father, the late "Dutch" Decker of Mason town. A memorial service was held for Mr. Decker and for Dr. Russell Cook of Pittsburgh.

Minor Damage
Waynesburg Borough Police investigated a minor accident in a borough parking lot at about 3 p.m. Monday afternoon.

Police say a car driven by Karen M. Jones of Waynesburg backed from a parking stall into a car operated by H. E. Peterson of Rices Landing.

Police report that neither driver was injured in the crash and damage to both vehicles was light.

Florence Mining Co. Team Wins Mine Rescue Contest

CARMICHAELS — A team representing the Florence Mining Co. won the 1980 Pennsylvania State Mine Rescue Contest held Saturday at Carmichaels as the opening event of the 27th State Bituminous Coal Show.

Prior to opening of the six-hour contest, in which 23 teams competed, a program was held to officially open the Coal Show, with Walter Vicienly, commissioner of the Office of Deep Mine Safety of the Department of Environmental Resources, delivering the keynote address.

Members of the winning Florence No. 1 team are Paul Burd, Garry Buckles, Norm Thompson, Chris Yeager, Jim Irwin, Merle Baird, Barry Henderson and Gary Sowers. They were presented with a trophy by the National Mines Service and individual plaques by the United Mine Workers of America.

Placing second through fourth, respectively, were the Duquesne Light Co. No. 1 team, U. S. Steel Cumberland Mine No. 1 team, and Florence Mining Co. No. 2 team. They received trophies from the Mine Safety Appliance Co., Keystone Bituminous Coal Association and CSE Mine Service.

The contest was held on the athletic field at Carmichaels Area High School, where five simulated "mines" were set up. Teams were called upon to take a written examination and to carry out a rescue operation in a make-believe mine disaster.

Scoring was close, with the winning team having just one "discount point" and the fourth-place team three points. The event was sponsored by the Pennsylvania State Bituminous Safety Association, which presented individual souvenirs to all participants. Individual plaques were given by the Mine Safety and Health Administration.

In his keynote address, Vicienly called men and women who serve on mine rescue teams "a special breed of individuals," noting that the importance of trained rescue persons is not realized until there is actually a disaster or emergency at a mine.

He said there have been no major mine fires or need to use rescue teams in Pennsylvania since 1977, and expressed the hope that the next times the teams are called out

will be to participate in contests similar to the one held at Carmichaels.

He pointed out that the Commonwealth has established state mine rescue stations at Uniontown, Greensburg and Ebensburg. Each is staffed with two fully-equipped teams to aid smaller mines in complying with new federal regulations which require that rescue teams be available to all miners working underground. Larger companies have their own teams, and they were the ones competing Saturday.

With regard to the present economic condition in the coal industry, Vicienly said he has never seen the coal market as bad as it is today.

"Newspapers and television reports talk of energy problems and that we must rely on coal to resolve our energy crisis," he said. "The Presidential committee has been appointed and reports have been released, but do date there has been no action to increase the use of coal."

"It is time that you and I, union officials, coal operators, community leaders, coal miners and citizens of our Commonwealth support the use of coal to resolve the energy problem."

Stephen McCann, president of the Keystone Bituminous Coal Association, served as master of ceremonies for the brief program. Others speaking were Sara L. Ruth, president of the King Coal Association, and Val Scarton of Ebensburg, president of UMWA District 2.

Health Seminar Scheduled

"Cancer Care Alternatives," a continuing education seminar for nurses, allied health professions and other interested persons, will be held Thursday, Sept. 25, at the Greene County Country Club under joint sponsorship of the Greene County Unit of the American Cancer Society and Hospice of Greene County.

The seminar will begin with registration between 8 and 9 a.m. A number of workshops will be held.

One on "The Meaning of Cancer" will be presented by Carolyn Donkin Nunnally, a nursing clinical specialist on oncology and co-author of "Nutritional Aspects of Cancer Care," a self-learning module for nurses supported by a grant from the Cancer Society. It will include a discussion of the misconceptions and prognosis of cancer, current facts and figures on the incidence of cancer, and the importance of the nurse's role in casefinding, prevention and education.

Barbara E. Lauffer, nursing supervisor of the Joint Radiation Oncology Unit at University Health Center, Pittsburgh, and chairman of the nursing education subcommittee of the Cancer Society, will conduct two workshops.

"What is Cancer?" will review the development of malignant tumors and "Pain Control" will review information on how to assess the pain of a cancer patient and how to achieve maximum comfort for the patient, including both the use of medications and non-pharmacologic approaches.

A workshop on "Ostomy Care," a review of the anatomy and physiology of ostomies, the management of ostomy appliances and peristomal skin care will be presented by Judith Brownell, a consultant on enterostomy therapy.

A workshop on "Symptom Control," dealing with treatment of the side effects of cancer treatments, will be led by Debra Wojcik, patient care manager of Allegheny Home Care Hospice, Allegheny Hospital. She is author of "Home Care Hospice Viable Alternative."

The final workshop on "Nutritional Needs" will be led by Priscilla McCaw, a hospital dietician and will deal with practical suggestions for helping cancer patients with problems of loss of appetite, nausea and weight loss.

The registration fee of \$15 will include coffee and donuts during the registration period and a lunch. Pennsylvania Nursing Association credits have been applied for.

Additional information can be obtained by calling the Greene County Unit office at 627-5259 or Hospice, Inc. at 627-8270. Sept. 16 is the pre-registration deadline.

Grant Requests Are Approved

WAYNESBURG — Two grant requests to the Southwest Regional Advisory Committee, of the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency, have received initial approval.

The grant requests, both dealing with Try Again Homes, Inc., were for \$68,409 for a supervised community living program and \$29,526 for a foster care delinquency program.

Dave Dinich of Try Again, explained Tuesday that the \$29,526 is for second year funding of a program designed to supply foster home care for delinquent and dependent children in the Greene, Washington and Fayette County areas.

The request for the supervised community living program is for the creation of four homes for three three girls and staff members. Two of the homes would be located in Fayette County and two Washington. Two of the homes would be for delinquent girls between the ages of 13 and 18 and the other two for dependent girls between the same ages.

If the two grant requests are given final approval, both programs would be started Oct. 15 of this year.

Dinich said the need for these programs has been indicated by all three counties.

Bike Parade Friday Night

CARMICHAELS — Decorated vehicles will be wheeling all over Carmichaels Friday evening during the annual Bicycle Parade held as part of the Coal Show.

Contestants are to assemble at the Central School on South Market Street at 5 p.m. for judging by Bonnie and Dave Jordan of Adah. The parade will move at 6:15, led by the Carmichaels Area High School band.

No Strike Plans Yet

GREENSBORO — While there is apparently little chance that non-professional employees in the Southeastern Greene School District will have a contract by the time classes open next Tuesday, members of the union are not at this time contemplating a strike.

"We are still negotiating in good faith and are prepared to remain on the job as long as progress is being made," Ronald Weaver, president of the school district chapter of Local 585, Service Employees International Union, said.

The 25 to 30 people who are members of the local include maintenance personnel, janitors and cafeteria personnel. They have been working without a contract since June 30.



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College Classes Begin

Waynesburg College freshman Glenn Sparrow, left, of Brooklyn, N.Y. gets some help Monday from senior Bill Ryan of Waynesburg in selecting books for class at the Waynesburg College Book Exchange. Sparrow is among 283 freshmen and transfer students who arrived on campus over the weekend for the fall semester. Registration was held Monday with classes beginning Tuesday morning.

County Obituaries

Fletcher
Essie T. Fletcher, 89, of Waynesburg R.D.2, died at 8:40 a.m., Wednesday, August 27, 1980, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born March 17, 1891, in Center Township, near the village of Rutan, a daughter of Thomas and Alice Lightner Scott.

Mrs. Fletcher spent all of her life in the Waynesburg community and was a member of the Washington Street United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Frank H. Fletcher, died March 18, 1973.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Harry (Wilma) Efav of Waynesburg and Mrs. Alicia Rosser of Washington; two sons, Raymond Throckmorton of Washington and Fred Throckmorton of Waynesburg; a stepson, J. Donald Fletcher of Pittsburgh; seven grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

She was the last of her immediate family. A sister, Edna, and two brothers, Brantly and Hallie, are deceased.

DeStafano

Charles Richard DeStafano, 74, of 2328 Park Street, Jacksonville, Fla., died after a long illness at 4:20 p.m. Wednesday, August 27, 1980, in St. Vincent Medical Center, Jacksonville.

He was born May 20, 1906, in Moore, W.Va., a son of James Vincent and Hattie DeStafano.

He was a retired coal miner and had resided most of his life in West Virginia.

Mr. DeStafano was married October 19, 1963, to Dortha Grim of Sycamore, and they had resided since then in Jacksonville. He was a member of St. Paul's Catholic Church Riverside, at Jacksonville.

Surviving in addition to his wife are two sisters, Mrs. Madge Grecco of Bradley, W.Va. and Mrs. Theresa Drenon, in Mexico, and a niece, Mrs. James Dolan of Orlando, Fla.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Paul's Church Riverside at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 30, with interment following in Green Lawn Cemetery, Jacksonville. Hardage and Sons Funeral Home, Park Street, Jacksonville, in charge.

Hollis

Joseph G. Hollis, 82, of House 293, Crucible, died Monday, August 25, 1980, at 11:30 a.m. in his home after a long illness.

Born in New Alexandria September 15, 1897, he was a son of the late Samuel and Matilda Jane McKowen Hollis.

On September 5, 1919, he married Mae Osborne, who survives.

Mr. Hollis was a retired coal miner from Crucible Mine. He had resided in Crucible since 1927 and was a member of UMWA Local 1980.

Mr. Hollis was Protestant. In addition to his wife he is survived by one son, Samuel J. Hollis of Kernersville, N.C.; five daughters, Mrs. Mary Rager of Rices Landing, Mrs. Bertha Tallero of Pleasant Hills, Mrs. Lorraine Kerfoot of Rural Hall, N.C., Mrs. Olive Pauza of Fremont, Calif., Mrs. Sally Kerfoot of Lakewood, Ohio; 19 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one brother, James Hollis of Crucible; two sisters, Mrs. Isabelle Shondelmeyer of Greensburg, and Marie of Derry.

A daughter, Betty; three brothers, William, Frank and Dave; and two sisters, Tirzal Smilie and Margaret Fennell, are deceased.

Broadwater

Bruce W. Broadwater, 25, of 1034 Sand Hall Road, Hershey, died at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, August 23, 1980, in Community Osteopathic Hospital, Harrisburg.

He was born August 23, 1955, in Hershey a son of Anne Whitney Broadwater, of Hershey and formerly of Mather, and the late Leroy (Munch) Broadwater.

Mr. Broadwater had resided most of his life in Hershey, where he was a member of the Presbyterian Church. He was employed as a mechanic by USAir at the Middletown Airport.

Surviving in addition to his mother are a brother, Lee Broadwater; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Emma Broadwater of Mather; and several uncles and aunts.

Meighen
Charles P. Meighen, 84, who resided in Pine Bank and New Port Richey, Fla., died after an illness of four years at 2 p.m. Sunday, August 24, 1980, in Richey Manor, New Port Richey.

He was born September 1, 1895, near Pine Bank in Gilmore Township, a son of Dennis and Elizabeth Carpenter Meighen, and was a descendant of early settlers in the Jollytown area.

Mr. Meighen was a veteran of both World War I and II, was a former Waynesburg automobile dealer, and had served for eight years as Greene County detective.

After attending California State College (then California Normal School), he was appointed a deputy collector of internal revenue in 1914 and held the post until March 31, 1918, when he resigned to enlist in the Army.

Mr. Meighen was commissioned a second lieutenant August 23, 1918. After the war he accepted a commission in the Reserve Army and in 1919 opened a Hudson-Essex automobile agency in Waynesburg.

To house the agency he constructed the building where the Jury Box is now located.

In 1930, he sold the Waynesburg agency and moved to Johnstown, where he purchased another automobile agency, operating it until he was recalled to active Army duty following the attack on Pearl Harbor.

After retiring from active duty as a major in 1944 (he remained in the reserves until his retirement on December 23, 1953), he returned to his home at Pine Bank where he was named county detective by Judge Glenn R. Toothman following Toothman's election as district attorney. He held the post until his retirement in 1963.

Mr. Meighen served as a justice of the peace in Gilmore Township from 1945 to 1955 and was president of the Gilmore Township School Board when the West Greene District was formed in 1953. He then became the first president of the merged board and played an active role in planning the construction of West Greene High School.

He was a past president of James Farrell Post 330, American Legion, and a member of Greene County Voiture 1020, Forty and Eight. He was also a member of St. John Church at Jollytown and of the Knights of Columbus.

Following his retirement, he acquired a home in Florida and resided there during the winter months and at Pine Bank during the summer.

Surviving are his wife, Nancy Throckmorton Meighen, whom he married November 17, 1925, and a sister, Mrs. Martha Hagan of New Freeport.

Two sisters, Mrs. Mary Garrison and Mrs. Laura Meighen, and eight brothers, Joseph, Matthias, James, Felix, John, Dennis, Leo and Edward, are deceased.

Kotch

George Kotch, 58, Nemacolin, died Monday, August 25, 1980, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following an illness of two months.

He was a son of the late Mike and Angeliji Popovich Kotch and was born May 24, 1922, in Martin, Fayette County. He was employed as a miner at the Nemacolin mine of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.

Mr. Kotch was a member of St. George's Serbian Orthodox Church at Masontown and of the choir of the church. He was also a member of the Masontown Serbian Lodge; Masontown Post 4584, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Masontown Post 423, American Legion; the Greene County Citizens Club at Nemacolin, and Nemacolin Local 6290, United Mine Workers.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, having served in the South Pacific with Merrill's Marauders.

His wife, Irene Cole Kotch, died in 1974.

Surviving are a son and a daughter, Mike and Nadine Kotch, both at home; five brothers, Steve Kotch of Tucson, Ariz., Nick Kotch of Lake Placid, Fla., Pete Kotch of Cypress, Calif., John Kotch of Allison Park, and William Kotch of Nemacolin, and three sisters, Mrs. L. C. (Mary) Niemetz of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Tom (Dolores) Conlin of Pittsburgh, and Miss Doris Kotch of Crucible.

Warne
Dora Z. Warne, 75, of 1474 Kohl Drive, New Philadelphia, Ohio, formerly of Waynesburg, died at 10:05 a.m., Thursday, August 21, 1980, in the Manor Nursing Home at New Philadelphia. She had been seriously ill for the past three weeks.

She was born May 7, 1905, in Stockdale, Pa., a daughter of George and Maria Droder Zalom.

She spent most of her life in the Waynesburg community and had resided at New Philadelphia for the past six years. For several years, she and her late husband, Body L. Warne, who died June 26, 1971, owned and operated Warne's Gift Shop on East High Street in Waynesburg.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Gary (Nancy) Stoner of New Philadelphia and Mrs. Paul (Jeanne) Wannemacher of Norristown, N.J.; seven grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Emory (Mary) Fabian of Stockdale and Mrs. Paul (Helen) Hubinon of Charleroi; and two brothers, John Zalom of Stockdale and Paul Zalom of Monongahela.

A daughter, Doris, two brothers and three sisters are deceased.

Fischer

Fred J. Fischer, 92, of Jefferson, died at 4:30 a.m. Thursday, August 21, 1980, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

He was born October 5, 1887 in Germany, a son of Joseph and Pauline Fischer.

His wife, Sophia Walters Fischer, died November 4, 1954.

Mr. Fischer was a retired coal miner. At one time he had worked at the Chartiers Mine.

He had resided most of his life in the Jefferson area and was a member of the Jefferson United Methodist Church.

Surviving are one son, Harry Fischer of Jefferson; four daughters, Mrs. John (Dorothy) Seals of Jefferson, Mrs. Harley (Florence) Seals of Elyria, Ohio, Mrs. Edward (Gertrude) Lew of McKeesport and Mrs. Homer (Alberta) Nicholson of Carmichaels; 13 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Ball of Fredericktown, Mrs. Mary Moffitt of LaBelle, and Mrs. Agnes Cagola of Dearborn, Mich.

Brozik

Eugene D. Brozik, 59, of Bobtown, died at 11:05 a.m. Thursday, August 21, in the home of Lucille Allum in Taylorstown.

He was born September 20, 1920, in Footdale, Fayette County, a son of Thomas and Helen Brinsko Brozik. He never married.

Most of his life was spent in the Bobtown area. He attended public schools in Bobtown and Pt. Marion.

Mr. Brozik served with the U.S. Army during World War II and was at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese attacked in 1941. He was a member of the James T. Maxon American Legion Post 992, the Bobtown Post of the FFW, the Polish American Club of Bobtown and United Mine Workers Local 6159 of Bobtown.

He was employed at J&L Steel's Shannopin Mine until ill health forced his retirement.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Richard (Helen) Gabler, of Bobtown; four brothers, Thomas of Smithfield, James and Frank of Dilliner R.D.1, and Max of Bobtown; and several nieces and nephews.

Sequence

John Sequence, 69, of Mt. Morris R.D.1, died at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 23, 1980 in West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown.

He was born January 26, 1911, in Yugoslavia, a son of Martin and Anna Sequence.

He is survived by his wife, Anna Lucille Vlassich Sequence; three daughters, Rose Marie Sequence of Morgantown, Theresa Irene Sequence of Tucson, Ariz., and Jacqueline Elaine Sequence at home; a sister, Cecelia Jolliffe of Morgantown; and a brother, George Sequence of Morgantown.

A daughter, Barbara Jean, and a sister, Rose, are deceased.

Hastings Funeral Home, Morgantown, is in charge of funeral arrangements.

Hathaway
Margaret McMinn Hathaway, 83, of 105 North Market Street, Carmichaels, died after a long illness at 12:45 a.m. Monday, August 25, 1980, in the West Virginia University Medical Center, Morgantown.

A daughter of George F. and Edna Grooms McMinn, she was born July 30, 1897, in Carmichaels, where she resided all her life.

She had taught in the elementary schools in Cumberland Township.

Mrs. Hathaway was a member of the Greene Valley Reformed Presbyterian Church and of the Women's Association of the church. She also belonged to the Carmichaels Women's Civic Club and the Auxiliary to Carmichaels Post 400, American Legion.

Surviving are her husband, Albert M. Hathaway; three sons, William A. Hathaway of Clinton, Md., Jack L. Hathaway of Carmichaels and Wood Hathaway of Alameda, Calif.; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A brother, William McMinn, and a sister, Ruth Sloneker, are deceased.

Pushey

Joseph R. Pushey, 66, of 109 Meadow Lane, Fairmont, W.Va., died unexpectedly at 11:06 p.m. Wednesday, August 20, 1980, in Fairmont General Hospital.

He was born February 26, 1914, in Fredericktown, a son of Harry and Mary Muzenchin Pushey.

Mr. Pushey was a salesman in mining tools for Carboly Systems, a division of General Electric and was a former resident of Greene County.

He was a member of St. Anthony's Church in Fairmont, the Holy Name Society of the church, Lakeview Country Club, Fairmont Elks and was an originator of the Three Rivers Coal Festival at Fairmont.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Wanza Pushey; two daughters, Janet Pushey at home and Mrs. Roger (Carol) Smith of Washington; two grandsons, Matthew and Andrew Smith; two brothers, Frank and Steve Pushey, both of Mather; and two sisters, Mrs. Ann Spishock of Pricedale and Mrs. Julia Simmons of Mather.

King

Charles Ray King, 77, of Pine Bank, died after a long illness at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 21, 1980 in University Medical Center, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was born June 18, 1903, in Jackson Township, a son of David and Hattie Thomas King, and resided in the Pine Bank area all his life. He had operated a lawn mower and tractor sales service business for many years.

Mr. King was affiliated with the Mt. Zion United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Ella Carpenter King, whom he married December 26, 1928; two sisters, Mrs. Edward (Nellie) Hixenbaugh and Mrs. Goldie Taylor, both of Hundred, W.Va.; a niece, Mrs. George (Pansy) Six Jr. of Pine Bank; and two nephews, Jack King of San Diego, Calif. and Neal Edgar of Doyle, Tenn.

A brother, Lindsey, is deceased, and another brother died in infancy.

Gallagher

Dale L. Gallagher, 19, of Teagarden Homes, Clarksville, died Sunday, August 24, 1980.

He was born February 3, 1961, in Brownsville, a son of Sara (Becky) Smith Gallagher Burke and the late Charles L. Gallagher, and resided all his life in Clarksville.

Mr. Gallagher was a 1979 graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School, where he played baseball, and was a student at the Ohio Institute of Technology at Columbus.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are his stepfather, Pat Burke; a brother, Dorn Gallagher, at home; and two sisters, Janet and Beth Ann Burke, at home; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Violet Gallagher of Denbo; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Smith of Clarksville.

Arrested For Theft

WAYNESBURG — Victor D. Barlow Sr., 51, of Pine Bank R.D.2, was arrested Friday by Waynesburg Borough police on a charge of retail theft. He was released after the issuance of a citation.

Central Greene Board Ratifies 3-Year Pact

WAYNESBURG — The Central Greene School Board Tuesday evening ratified a new three-year contract with the district's professional employees.

The new contract covers the district's 160 teachers.

The first year of the pact calls for a \$1,425 across the board salary increase to members of the Central Greene Education Association. The increase is \$1,450 for the second year of the agreement and \$1,475 during the third year.

The new contract also calls for increased benefits in the areas of life insurance, major medical insurance benefits and four dental riders during the second and third years of the contract.

The agreement had earlier been approved by the union.

Furman Wade, board president, voted against the new contract while Mrs. Lila Ayersman, whose husband teaches in the district, abstained.

Wade said he felt the contract was "Too much money, as far as I'm concerned."

Wade noted that the new salary scale represents a 10 percent increase over salaries in the district's last contract. He also pointed out that the increased fringe benefits would cost the district approximately \$23,000 more each year of the contract. "I feel they (the teachers) should have a raise, but I also feel this is too much," Wade said following the brief meeting.

District business manager, Walter Stout, noted that the new contract has a few "language changes" which the board had sought.

Franklin Grange Elects Officers For 1980-81

Election of officers for 1980-81 highlighted a meeting of the East Franklin Grange held Friday.

They are Albert Lahew, master; John Rose, overseer; Lucy Willis, lecturer; Ralph Cousin, steward; Irene Phillips, assistant steward; Iva Rush, lady assistant steward; Florence Hoy, chaplain; Delmont Rose, treasurer; Ethel Lahew, secretary; Joe Willis, gatekeeper; Hilda Rose, ceres; Gladys Rose, pomona; Mary Strawn, flora; Francis Masters, executive committee member; Verona Shahan, finance committee member, and Marine Anderson, pianist.

East Franklin officers will be installed at the East Franklin Grange Friday, Sept. 26, by the Millers Run Grange installation team.

It was also announced that Pomona Grange would meet at East Franklin Saturday, Sept. 6, with Dunkard Grange hosting the covered dish dinner at 6 p.m. The fifth degree will be conferred in full form with Ethel Lahew as degree captain. Members are reminded to get their fifth degree applications as soon as possible.

It was brought to the attention of members that Anna Addison, a member from Brave, had suffered extensive loss in the flood last week. The

Public Notices

EXECUTRICES NOTICE
Estate of Homer G. Mathews, late of Springhill Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

Velma Campbell
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Cameron, W. Va., 26033
Alma Tarulino
1302 Overlook Drive
Weirton, W. Va. 26062
Executrices
William R. Davis, Esq.,
Attorney
8-29, 9-5, 12

EXECUTRICES NOTICE
Estate of Ralph W. ELSWORTH, late of Rices Landing Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

Wendie Koratich
Box 178
Rices Landing, Pa. 15357
LESLIE KORATICH
Box 178
Rices Landing, Pa. 15357
Executrices
THOMPSON AND BAILY
Attorneys
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EXECUTRICES NOTICE
Estate of CHARLES PETRIK late of Monongahela Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

Evelyn Stoneking
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EXECUTRICES NOTICE
Estate of MORRIS M. WISE late of Perry Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

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EXECUTRICES NOTICE
Estate of ESTELITA TINKEY of Dunkard Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

Doris J. Lucas
518 South 7th Avenue
Paden City, W. Va. 26159
Executrix
A. J. Marion
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8-22, 29, 9-5

EXECUTRICES NOTICE
Estate of ESTELITA TINKEY of Dunkard Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

Mrs. Ina W. Conaway
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Dilliner, Pa. 15327
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF MICHAEL E. Hill of Center Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to

Mrs. Faye Wilson
R. D. #5, Box 47D
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Administratrix
James Hook, Esquire
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Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
8-15, 22, 29

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF MARY L. ROSS of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration c.t.a. having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same; and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to

Martha Anne Fulton
225 Linden Avenue
Ellsmere, Delaware 19805
Administratrix
W. Bertram Waychoff
Attorney
8-29, 9-5, 12

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Bertha Amos, late of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary upon the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

LeRoy N. Amos
191 N. Porter Street
Waynesburg, Pa., 15370
Executor
Pollock, Pollock & Thomas
Attorneys
8-29, 9-5, 12

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
ESTATE OF MARY Jo Knight of Freeport Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same; and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to

Mrs. Nancy Hennen
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Administratrix
James Hook, Esq.
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8-15, 22, 29

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Charles A. Medley late of Cumberland Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

First National Bank & Trust Co.
Washington, Pa.
200 W. Beav St.
Washington, Pa.
Executor
Thompson & Baily
Attorneys
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EXECUTRICES NOTICE
ESTATE OF MARTIN KOCIELEK a/k/a Martin M. Kocielek a/k/a Martin M. Kocielek of Cumberland Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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First National Bank & Trust Co.
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Washington, Pa.
Executor
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Attorneys
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EXECUTRICES NOTICE
ESTATE OF GRETHEL VELMA WILSON a/k/a VELMA WILSON a/k/a GRETHEL WILSON of Wayne Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to

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