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Parents Win Custody Battle Won, But Not Resolved Settlement

WAYNESBURG — The parents of a Carmichaels man who was fatally injured in a ditch cave-in more than three years ago have been awarded an unspecified amount of damages as the result of a lawsuit filed in Greene County Court.

Attorneys representing the parties reached agreement on a settlement after a jury had been selected to hear the case, but at their request the amount of the settlement was withheld by the court.

The damages will go to William H. Mosholder of Niagara Falls, N.Y. and Delores McMinn of Carmichaels, parents of Daniel W. Mosholder, who was 21 years of age when he died following a cave-in on July 20, 1977.

Sharing in payment of the damages will be the state Department of Transportation, Sherwood Builders, McMurray, and Greene County Industrial Developments, Inc.

The accident happened in the Paisley-Industrial Park at Carmichaels, where Sherwood Builders had been employed by GCID to install roads, water and sewer lines under supervision of the Department of Transportation.

Mosholder was employed by the Carmichaels Water Authority and was working in a ditch which had been dug for the laying of a storm sewer.

The plaintiffs contended that the Department of Transportation was responsible for seeing that state safety regulations were carried out on the job, and that the defendants were negligent in failing to crib the excavation.

The attorneys agreed on the settlement despite the fact that the Greene County Court received a last minute order which would have halted trial of the case in the county court.

Judge Glenn Toothman said the Commonwealth attorney representing the Department of Transportation filed a petition on the morning of the scheduled trial challenging the jurisdiction of the local court and contending the case should be tried in Commonwealth Court because a state agency was involved.

Deputy Sheriff Faces Charges

WAYNESBURG — A Waynesburg businessman, who is also an assistant deputy sheriff, has been charged with official oppression after allegedly using his badge in an effort to recover a vehicle for a private firm.

Linda Sue Johnson Johnson, of New Freeport, filed the charges against Richard Kalsey, of 238 West High Street, who apparently was acting as an agent for Greene County Recovery, a firm that recovers vehicles.

According to the complaint filed with Magistrate John Watson, Kalsey is charged with going to the Johnsons home on Nov. 4 to recover a leased car owned by Big Country Exploration, Inc. and "taking advantage of a purported capacity as assistant deputy sheriff" to determine the location of the vehicle.

A preliminary hearing will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 9.

Art Show Being Planned

Elementary and secondary art students in the Jefferson-Morgan School District will have an art show in the Greene Academy at Carmichaels in conjunction with the Christmas Craft Show and Sale sponsored by the Greene Academy of Art.

Two and three dimensional work of the students will be on display on the second floor of the academy from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 15, and from noon to 6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 16.

When Judge Toothman refused the motion, the attorney contacted Harrisburg and an order staying the case was granted by Commonwealth Court Judge Genevieve Blatt. The order was then relayed by telephone to Judge Toothman.

Sewer Authority Seeks Meter Reading Method

WAYNESBURG — Many customers of the Franklin Township Sewer Authority will have to wait a while longer for their first official bill because of stalled negotiations with the Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority.

The sewer authority, at its regular meeting this week, instructed its solicitor to investigate other methods of obtaining water meter readings. The township body had hoped to obtain meter readings from the Southwestern Water Authority but there appears to be a disagreement over the charges for such services.

Southwestern had sent the sewer authority a prospective agreement in October which called for a rate of \$1.25 for each water meter reading. The sewer authority agreed to the basic agreement but sent a cover letter asking for clarification of certain sections of the agreement.

According to a spokesman for the sewer authority, the agreement had been discussed for six months before a final two-page copy was forwarded to the sewer authority.

Apparently upset over the long delay, the sewer authority took action this week to begin looking for alternative methods of billing. The possibility of sending postcards to each customer, who would record his own water meter reading, was discussed as an alternative to having Southwestern send readings to the sewer authority.

Many township residents receive their water from the Southeastern Water Authority which has already furnished

Schools Set Open Houses

WAYNESBURG — The schedule of activities for five elementary schools in the Central Greene School District for American Education Week, Nov. 17 through 22, has been announced.

Monday, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., there will be open house at the East Ward and Whiteley Township buildings. Open houses will be held from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Spraggs School; from 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the East Franklin School and from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday at the Perry School.

The parent organization at each school will be serving refreshments.

Harrassment Charges Filed Against Police

WAYNESBURG — Kyle Hallam, 26, of Graysville R.D.1, who is attempting to file brutality charges against two Waynesburg Borough police officers, has now filed harrassment charges against the same two policemen over a separate incident.

Hallam filed a complaint with Magistrate John Watson on Oct. 30 charging that Detective David C. Clark and Patrolman Michael J. Fuller harrased him on the night of Oct. 25 by following him in the police car.

The police officers will have 10 days to answer the charge.

WAYNESBURG — The five-year custody battle for two children between a father who resides in Greene County and a mother who makes her home in Denmark has been won by the mother.

But it remains questionable that she will be able to have the children unless she moves to the United States.

That, in essence, is the current situation in the case involving 10-year-old Thomas Zaubi and his seven-year-old sister, Kristine, who have been living for almost three years with their father, Thomas Zaubi, and their grandparents at Nemaconlin.

The state Supreme Court has upheld a court order

which grants custody to their mother, Marianne Hoejmi, a nurse living in Copenhagen. But Zaubi's attorney has gone into federal court with the argument that the children, being citizens of the United States, cannot be forced to move to a foreign country against their wills.

At a hearing held Wednesday in U.S. District Court at Pittsburgh, Judge Hubert I. Teitlebaum ruled that the children are to be surrendered to their mother when and if she arrives in the United States, but also ruled that she cannot remove them from Western Pennsylvania until there is a final ruling on the citizenship question. Zaubi has already

posted a \$15,000 bond in Greene County court to guarantee their appearance in any court action in which they are involved.

Waynesburg attorney Ewing B. Pollock, who represents the mother, said the District Court will have to decide if the children, as minors, can make an intelligent decision about remaining in the United States. It will then have to determine if their nearly three years of residence with their father would unduly influence such a decision, and if the court should have to respect any decision they might make.

Attorney John L. McIlvaine, who represents Zaubi, was told at the District Court hearing that the federal court has no authority to change the custody decision, since that is a matter resting with the state court. Judge Teitlebaum agreed, however, that the question of violation of the children's citizenship rights does rest with the federal courts.

Zaubi, a Westinghouse Electric Corp. computer systems analyst, met his wife in Gibraltar in 1968 while he was in the U.S. Air Force. They were married shortly thereafter and were divorced in 1977.

The five-year custody battle has spanned the Atlantic Ocean twice, going from Cleveland to Copenhagen and then back to Greene County, and each parent has snatched the children from the other's custody.

The mother took them from Cleveland to Denmark in 1975, where she was awarded custody by the Danish Courts. The father then went to Copenhagen and brought the children back to Greene County in September 1977. They have been living with him since that time, despite repeated efforts by the mother to have the Greene County Court and other state courts enforce the Danish Court order.

"One of the prime considerations in cases like this is there should be a finality to them," Judge Teitlebaum said at the hearing Wednesday. "I realize this is a painful proposition for these two children...but the situation is already there."

He indicated that a decision will be made in the case by the end of next week.

Scheduled Conferences Upset Parents

ROGERSVILLE — A specially scheduled day of parent-teacher conferences, set for Tuesday, Nov. 18, has upset some parents of the West Greene School District.

Elliott LeFaiver, district superintendent, said that he feels some of the parents of the district don't understand the purpose of the conferences.

"The purpose of these conferences is simply to open lines of communication between the teacher and the parent and the teacher. Just a better two-way line of communication."

The conferences are scheduled for Tuesday from 8:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. "That's the same day report cards go out and we've asked all parents in the district to attempt to make arrangements to visit their child's teacher on that day. We've had some people tell us that they were told their child would be failed if they didn't schedule a conference time. That is not true at all. As a matter of fact, if a parent can't attend on the scheduled day, we will make every effort to schedule them for a different day," LeFaiversaid.

"We want the teachers and parents to positively discuss the child's education for this year and improve communications between the school and the home."

Randolph Resigns

RICES LANDING — William Randolph's resignation as the borough's part-time police officer was accepted by Rices Landing Borough Council at its meeting Wednesday.

Randolph, the town's only police officer, said he was resigning for reasons of health and because he lacked sufficient time to perform his duties. He agreed to remain on duty until a replacement is found.

Council announced it will accept applications and begin screening procedures to find a successor as soon as possible.

Council discussed a proposal from the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation which outlined a program for turning over responsibility for maintenance of sixth class state roads to the borough. No action was taken.

A request for a borough allocation for Greene Valley Youth Activities was tabled for future action.

It was announced that the borough is in process of preparing a subdivision and land development ordinance to give the borough more authority of land-use decisions in the borough.

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Borough Completes Budget

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Herman Riffle, borough secretary, said the figures will be used to give council members an idea as to how much money will be available for use during the coming year. He said the final figures will be released when the final budget is completed and should be approved at the Dec. 5 council meeting.

Illegal parking along council streets drew a warning from council to residents who are violating parking areas along curbs which have been painted yellow to signify no parking zones.

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In an effort to ease the situation, council decided to order all cars illegally parked to be ticketed and asked that all unlicensed vehicles be removed from the streets.



Loraine Jensen and his mystery balloon

Did Politician Who Used Balloons Win?

By JIM MOORE Staff Writer
CARMICHAELS — Did Wittenberg win the election?

Where is Wittenberg running for office? These and other questions are on the mind of Loraine Jensen of Carmichaels R.D.1. In any other election year, Jensen probably wouldn't care but he has a special interest this year because of the balloons.

KKK Recruiting Unsuccessful

CARMICHAELS — Robed members of the Ku Klux Klan were in Cumberland Township over the weekend in an apparent attempt to recruit members; however, there appeared to be little interest according to one witness.

Paul Connor, mayor of Carmichaels, said Sunday night the Klan members never entered the borough to his knowledge. "I saw five or six of them near the Carmichaels Drive-In Theater at about 3 p.m. Saturday," Connor said.

Connor said it was one situation which if ignored would go away. "I have no time for those people and I hope no one else does."

William Grover, a Cumberland Township supervisor, said he was not aware the Klan was in the area but reported they had been soliciting donations in the area about four days before a rally at New Geneva.

"Two or three of them were standing in the middle of the road passing out pamphlets and asking for \$20 donations," he said, adding the klansmen were only there for about seven minutes.

Groves said there is no regulation against the Klan assembling in the township but they are not permitted to solicit money or interfere with traffic.

Vallejo are common to the western part of the nation, especially California, we checked the postal guide and found streets named Vallejo in 17 cities. Concerned about an astronomical phone bill, we decided against calling at least 17 cities.

A call to the election bureau in California revealed no such person in the state legislature. But that's assuming Wittenberg won the election. Possibly he was the losing candidate.

California seemed the logical place to check anyway because of the ill-fated flight of "Super Chicken" which began in Oceanside, Calif., last September and ended along Route 18 near Waynesburg three days later. If a big balloon could make the trip, why not two smaller ones?

For economic reasons, we have decided that one of the estimated 145,000 readers of the Observer-Reporter would know of a Wittenberg who ran for office and give us a call.

On Sunday, Nov. 2, Jensen was walking on his farm and found two balloons — one inflated and one in shreds. On the inflated balloon was the message, "Wittenberg-State Representative." In smaller letters was printed, "Dennis F. Keller, Treas., 4729 Vallejo."

They would walk toward the road with literature in their hand when cars passed but I didn't see anyone slow down and take the material," he added.

Connor said he came back an hour later and there was no sign of the robbed men. "I talked to a man at a nearby service station and he told me the Klansmen were only there a short time. The man told me only two drivers slowed and took literature," he added.

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Jury Awards \$15,000 In Damages To Youth

WAYNESBURG — A Greene County youth has been awarded \$15,000 in damages for injuries suffered when he was run over by a car while lying in a sleeping bag at the Waynesburg drive-in theater more than four years ago.

A civil court jury returned the verdict Friday in favor of Raymond H. Rechtenwald, 13, directing that it be placed in a trust fund until he becomes 18 years of age. He is a son of James Rechtenwald of Washington and Judith C. Rechtenwald of Spraggs.

The verdict was returned against the boy's father and the Cinemet Corp. of America, owner of the drive-in. The jury ruled that they had been negligent. It absolved from any negligence James H. Walters Jr. of Waynesburg

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Art Council Picks Leaders

CARMICHAELS — The Greene County Art Council recently elected directors, discussed future aims and made plans for a new project.

Elected to one-year terms were Norma Kline, Jim Hopton, Kim Barr and Frank Melega Jr. Two-year members are Marcia Biddle, Ruth Atalski, Arden Melzer and Chris Holzworth. Viola Donovan, Barbara Perkovic, Priscilla Jack and Dorothy Peccion will serve three-year terms.

New officers will be elected at the Jan. 20 meeting.

Joan Stern, a consultant to community art groups for the State Art Council and an adviser in the formation of the local council, spoke on the future of arts programs and councils in the 1980s.

She told the group the arts council movement is fairly new, starting in the United States in 1966 with 125 councils. By 1980, there were 2,000 in the nation.

Mrs. Stern explained the Greene County council is a private agency but is publicly designated by the county commissioners. She believes the local council will be successful because of the intense interest and the benefit of having a person knowledgeable on grants on the board.

Because of the fuel and energy costs in the 1980s, Mrs. Stern said it will be better to bring performances to the county rather than residents driving to performances or classes in distant locations.

She recommended present students of art classes be surveyed to ascertain future classes to sponsor; that an

effort be made to hold arts and craft classes and workshops in all areas of the county; and to take advantage of the amateurs who are prone to pursue a hobby.

Mrs. Stern noted that schools in the future may be curtailing art classes because of lack of money and the art council could aid in filling the void.

She advised the council to set a specific annual time to conduct a structured and active membership campaign; that the American Wind Sym-

phony one week residency in the county was an excellent first project and more such projects can be undertaken with a large membership which is willing to contribute financially.

The county council is now pursuing an Affiliated Performing Artist Residency program for 1981. The State Art Council has been notified that the U.S. Steel Foundation is willing to provide a substantial grant to underwrite costs for the artists residencies and it is fairly certain the Greene

County Art Council will be included in the program.

Council secretary Nancy Dukate reported that 304 persons in all age groups were registered for the fall arts and crafts classes which are now concluding. A newsletter is prepared and sent to the council members periodically and the council has purchased a copier to aid in distribution.

The council also appointed a long-range planning committee comprised of Marcia Biddle, Jim Hopton, Arden Melzer and Barbara Perkovic.



United Way Reaches Goal

Tipping their hats to the success of United Way of Southwestern Pennsylvania's first fund-raising campaign are, from left: James E. Lee, president of Gulf Oil and general chairman of the drive; Frank Bogan, associate campaign chairman; Wanda B. Smith, treasurer of Greene County United Way; Leonard Santore, county commissioner; Greg Peccon, president of Greene County United Way; Virginia Blosser and Mark Parkinson, Pledge-A-Thon co-chairwomen and Dick Cowar Jr., county commissioner.

Name Outstanding Students

The Waynesburg Lions Club has honored four Waynesburg Central High School students as students of the month for September and October.

Beckie Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gardner of Waynesburg and Doug Haines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Haines of Mt. Morris are September students of the month.

Miss Gardner, who has a 4.0 scholastic average, has been a member of the school band for four years and is the drum major. She is a four-year member of the student council and three-year member of the National Honor Society. She is also sports editor for the school paper and an award winner in French and English classes. A member of the First Presbyterian Church, she plans to attend Alma College and major in pre-law.

Haines, a WPIAL wrestling champ and an all-conference football player, has a 3.4 scholastic average. He was runner-up in the U.S. Wrestling Foundation's national Greco-Roman wrestling tournament. He is a member of the Interact Club, Ski Club, student council and enjoys hunting. A member of the Mt. Morris Assembly of God Church, he plans to attend college to obtain a civil or architectural engineering degree.

Barbara Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Young

lastic average, is the top-ranked student in her class. She is a member of the National Honor Society, Interact, Alpha and student council. She is also the head varsity cheerleader. She received the top junior English award, the outstanding junior award, and the French award during her sophomore year. She attends the First Baptist Church and plans to major in special elementary education in college. Waynesburg and Todd McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McClure, were honored as October students of the month.

Miss Young, with a 4.0 scho-

legue. McClure, with a 3.4 scholastic average, has lettered in track, football and wrestling and is also a member of the Spanish Club, Ski Club, Interact, student council, the Weightlifting Club and the National Honor Society. He received the school's Spanish Award. A member of the First Church of the Nazarene, he plans to attend college and major in biology.

Engagement Announced



NANCY J. DE VITO

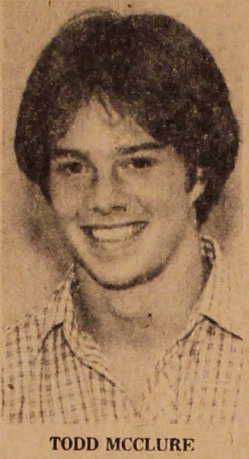
Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. De Vito of Pine Street, Jefferson, announce the engagement of their daughter Nancy J. De Vito to Charles P. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee G. Brown of College Park, Md.

Miss De Vito is a 1974 graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and a 1978 graduate of California State College, and is now teaching at Prince William County School in Virginia.

Her fiancé, a 1973 graduate of Towson State College, is employed in Prince Georges County School as a teacher and coach.



BARBARA YOUNG



TODD MCCLURE

Club Making Plans For Charity Ball

WAYNESBURG — The Social Service League of Waynesburg has announced the annual Christmas charity ball will be held Saturday, Dec. 6 in the Waynesburg Elks Club. The theme will be "The Year of the Family."

A buffet dinner will be served from 9 to 10 p.m. Dancing will be from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. with music provided by "Colony."

Ticket and table reservations should be made by calling Mary Zimmerman at 627-5005 or Donna Stephenson at 627-6343. Because seating is limited, early reservations are suggested.

Woman Hurt In Collision

A Clarksville woman was listed in critical condition at Greene County Memorial Hospital Thursday night following a two-car collision near the Waynesburg Shopping Plaza.

Martha Gooden, 77, a passenger in a car being operated by Ervin Gooden, 77, of Clarksville R.D.1 was admitted to the hospital's intensive care unit with two fractures yesterday afternoon.

State police said Gooden was leaving the shopping center and attempted to make a left-hand turn onto the Sugar Run Road. At the same time, Lavina Pennington of Waynesburg, driving a 1979 Jeep, was also making a left-hand turn to exit the plaza. Gooden struck the front of the Pennington vehicle and then swerved across the road and struck the R & H Cabinet Co. building.

State troopers said Gooden's 1979 Pontiac was totaled in the wreck while the Pennington vehicle received minor damage. No damage estimate was given for the R & H Cabinet Co. which is leased from Robert Elliot of Waynesburg. The accident occurred at 2:15 p.m.

Born

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Wright, Waynesburg, a son, November 11, 1980.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harbaugh, Jefferson, a daughter, November 11, 1980.

In other business, the Social Service League welcomed six new members including Jane Schomp, Susan Cleavener, Debby Dobish, Linda Ferrari, Sandra Johnson and Susan Fritz.

The group promotes the physical, mental and social welfare of children in the Waynesburg area.

Officers for the coming year are Carol Stephenson, president; Jeanette Lindsay, vice president; Nancy Ketchem, secretary; and Brenda Boyd, treasurer. On the board of directors are Sherry Arnold, Chris Kerr, Robin Martin, Jan Shipe, Joanna Throckmorton and Mary Zimmerman.

The next meeting of the League will be at 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 20, in St. Ann R.C. Church, Waynesburg. An introductory meeting will precede the regular meeting at 7 p.m.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Carl Phillips of 712 Oakhurst Street, Amherst, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter, Cathy Colleen, to John H. Deitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deitz of 363 Spring Street, Amherst, Ohio. Miss Phillips is a 1976 graduate of Marion Steele High School and is employed by S.H. Alpern, O.D. Her fiancé is a 1977 graduate of the same high school and is employed by Oasis Petroleum Co. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. John Wildman of Waynesburg and Robert Wells of Carmichaels. A Sept. 26, 1981, wedding is planned.

Mine Safety Inspectors Seek Cause

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP) — Safety inspectors began searching Sunday for the cause of a methane gas explosion that killed five men two miles deep inside a coal mine, company officials said.

The five miners, assigned to repair trolley tracks in an unused section of the southern West Virginia mine, died early Friday morning when a pocket of the gas exploded. Rescue teams were unable to remove the bodies until late Saturday night.

A spokesman at West-

moreland Coal Co.'s Ferrell No. 17 mine in Robinson said inspectors from the federal Mine Safety and Health Administration, the state Department of Mines, the United Mine Workers of America and the company were assessing the damage and trying to determine why the mine's ventilation system allowed methane to build up.

Steve Anderson, Westmoreland's chief spokesman, said the cause of the accident appeared to be "improper ventilation that was not carry-

ing off the methane." "There was not enough air flow," he said. "I don't know why."

"It could be a long, drawn out affair," Jack Perry, president of UMW's District 17, said Sunday. "It's going to take a week to thoroughly inspect things."

Mine ventilating systems are designed to circulate fresh air to miners and prevent a buildup of explosive gases. Large fans force air down ventilation shafts, and canvas sheets draped at intervals

across the mine shaft funnel the air into the various tunnels.

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REV. RON CHITESTER

Union Valley Holds Revival

Revival services will be held at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 14-23 at Union Valley United Methodist Church with Rev. Ron Chitester as evangelist.

Chitester, a native of Brookville, is a graduate of Asbury College, Wilmore, Ky., Asbury Seminary and Westminster (Md.) Theological Seminary.

He has served on various commissions in the Western Pennsylvania Conference during his ministry.

Music will be provided for the services.

Commissioners Approve Test Bore On County Land

WAYNESBURG — Extensive core borings made during the past few months show that Freeport Coal in northeastern Greene County is a high quality metallurgical coal with the vein being sufficiently thick for mining.

The informal report was given by a Jones & Laughlin Steel geological engineer at Friday's meeting of the Greene County commissioners.

William Andrews met with the commissioners and received their permission to drill a bore hole on county property near the Curry Memorial Home, with the company paying \$200 for the right. He said the hole will be completely refilled and the ground resodded after the test has been completed.

Andrews said the coal testing procedure is being made in connection with the sale of some 37,000 acres of Freeport Coal to Emway Resources, Inc., a new subsidiary of Standard Oil Co. of Indiana's Amoco Mineral Corp. Emway is purchasing the Freeport Coal from the LTV Corp. of Dallas, Texas, parent com-

pany of Jones & Laughlin.

The core borings, which are 90 percent complete, were required to prove the mineability and quality of the coal before the sale can be completed, Andrews said. To date, he and his crews have sunk about 70 of them in Jefferson, Morgan, Washington and Franklin Townships.

Andrews said that while the Freeport Coal "pinches out" on the fringes of the field — near Ruff Creek for example — that virtually all of the 37,000 acres contain a substan-

tial seam of coal which is low in sulfur content (slightly over one percent).

"It is an excellent metallurgical coal with a seam which varies somewhat in thickness," he said.

Andrews explained that it is unlike Pittsburgh Coal, which is an even seam from six to seven feet thick. "The Freeport Coal is lenticular," he said, explaining that it was laid down in geological "bowls" which pinch out at the edges.

"We were fortunate in that our holdings are in such a bowl," he said, adding that there "is a good possibility that it does pick up in other parts of the county."

He also said that the Freeport Coal is from 900 to 1,100 feet deep, which places it about 400 to 500 feet below the Pittsburgh seam.

The 37,000-acre field was assembled over a period of years by the Henderson Mining Co., a subsidiary of J&L, through purchases and leases from property owners.

Andrews said that J&L at one time had plans to mine the coal through the Gateway Mine at Clarksville. Just this week it was announced that the Gateway Mine had been sold to Wheeling Pittsburgh Steel Corp. rather than to Emway, so that the Pittsburgh Coal and the Freeport Coal which lies under it will have different owners.

In other action at the meeting, the commissioners authorized the re-employment of Lorraine Ruddy by the Washington-Greene Community Action Corp. in an effort to get a Greene County transportation

program back on track.

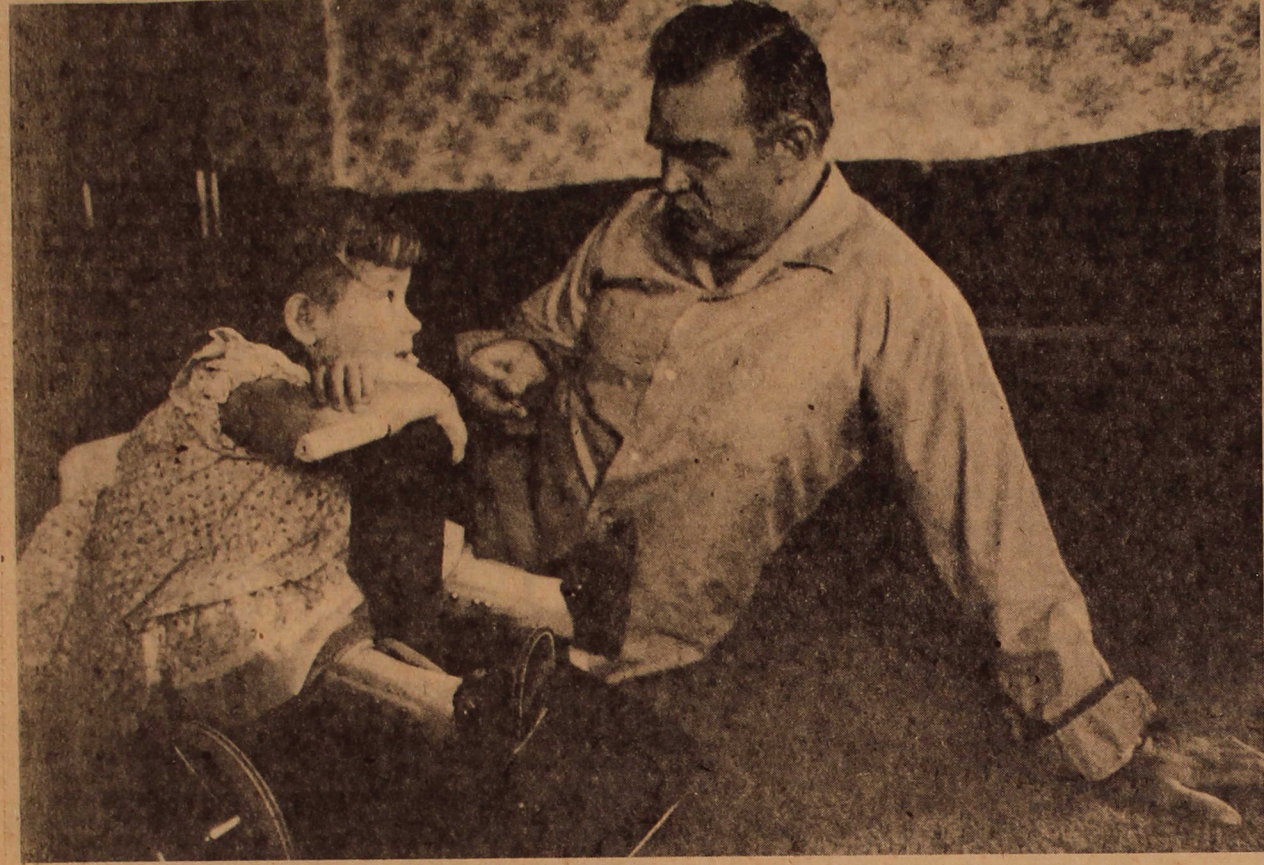
Miss Ruddy was in charge of the pilot rural transportation program which was funded through June, and will again administer the program when funding is received through the Department of Transportation. Joan Owens, CAC director in the county, explained that Miss Ruddy's services are needed now to process the application.

The commissioners authorized that she be employed out of county funds which were allocated to the transportation program in the 1980 county budget.

Bids were opened on behalf of the Greene County Emergency Medical Services Council for equipment for two ambulance services in the county.

United Medical Products, Pitcairn, submitted a bid of \$6,095 for a defibrillator and other equipment, and Conway Enterprises, Inc., Markleburg, a bid of \$975 for three pairs of MAST III trousers, used in cases of shock.

The county commissioners said they will begin work on the 1981 budget next week.



Little Kara, intently listening to Daddy tell a story, sits on a hand-pumped go-cart used to exercise her spastic arm.

Cable Decision Soon

WAYNESBURG — The long-awaited decision on the proposed non-exclusive cable television contract for Waynesburg Borough will probably be resolved during next Monday's meeting of borough council.

Bids on the cable system were solicited and received approximately three months ago. Since that time, a special committee has studied proposals from Commonwealth Cable, Central Video Cable Television and Tele-Media Corp., all Waynesburg-based companies which bid for the cable television rights for Waynesburg Borough.

In early October, the com-

mittee, appointed by council for the purpose of conducting a study of all bid proposals, held a public hearing to discuss all three proposals. All three bidders were present for the session to explain in detail their proposals.

A decision on the contract was expected during the October meeting of council, but at the last minute it was decided that further study and discussion on the committee's recommendation was advisable before the decision was made public.

Wednesday, however, borough manager James Ealy said he felt it is time for the committee to present its recommendation to council so some action on the bid proposals can be taken.

"In all fairness to the vendors and the public I feel it's time to address the issue and that is what I will recommend to the committee, that they make their recommendation. I anticipate a solid statement on the cable television issue and encourage it," Ealy said.

Currently, Tele-Media Corp. is operating the cable television system in Waynesburg, having purchased the former Kleer Cable system, which had operated in the borough and neighboring areas of Franklin Township for 16 years.

Comprehensive Plan Goes To Supervisors

By THELMA CALLAGHAN
Staff Writer

CARMICHAELS — A Comprehensive Plan for Cumberland Township was presented to the supervisors Thursday night by the Township Planning Commission.

The supervisors and the township solicitor, John Hook, will review the plan before giving final approval for its adoption.

The report is composed of three sections covering the

three phases of planning procedure — Master Plan, which is the recommendations for future township development; Implementation, which encompasses capital improvements needs and recommended development ordinances to carry out planned recommendations; and Background Analysis, which is a compilation of data on existing and projected conditions in the township.

Adoption of the Master Plan by the supervisors would provide a guide for township growth, insuring the development of Cumberland Township according to sound planning principals, and maintenance of the township as a desirable residential community.

Commission chairman Richard Swift conducted the meeting and final payment of \$1,500 was made to Candeub, Fleissig, & Association, who have served as community development and environmental consultants to the local commission for the past year. The total fee was \$5,500.

Christmas Craft Show Scheduled

CARMICHAELS — The second annual Christmas Craft Show and Sale, sponsored by the Greene Academy at Carmichaels, will be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15 and from noon to 6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 16, in the Greene Academy.

Craftsmen will display and sell handcrafted wares for ideal Christmas gifts.

Craftsmen should register by calling 966-5000, 966-2731 or 966-7466. The fee for a booth is \$7 for one day or \$10 for the weekend.

A popular feature of the show is a special Christmas tree decorated with antique ornaments by Mrs. Sandy Matyk.

This year, after much research, she has selected the 1890 Renaissance period of the Victorian era as the tree theme. The ornaments are all hand-made, woven or stitched and the patterns feature lace and delicate shades of blue, pink, gold and mauve. Each ornament takes three to four hours to complete and the tree-top angel took eight hours to fashion.

Although the ornaments will not be for sale, Mrs. Matyk will provide information as to where the patterns and material can be purchased.



Pageant Winner
Lisa Elek, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Elek, of Carmichaels, was recently crowned "1981 Miss Northeastern United States Talent" at the Sunshine Pageant held at the Holiday Inn in Washington. She did an acrobatic gymnastics routine to "Gypsy Medley." In a separate beauty contest, Lisa was chosen as an alternate to "Miss Northeastern U.S.A. Beauty." The reigning "Ideal Miss Talent of Pennsylvania," she is an acrobatic teacher at the Rebecca Wilson School of Dance in Waynesburg, and a varsity cheerleader at Carmichaels Area High School.

Little Kara At Home With Vargos

Little Kara Vargo was recently featured in a United Way film that is being shown in Portage County. When asked in the film if she knew what being adopted meant, Kara replied, "It means I'll love them forever and they will love me."

By JIM MOORE
Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — Fairy tales aren't just for kids anymore. Just ask a former Greene County couple now living in Streetsboro, Ohio.

Jim and Peg Vargo of 90

McCracken Road are the proud parents of a four-year-old daughter who officially joined their household last August after months of paper shuffling by state agencies.

Kara Angeline Editha Vargo came into their lives in October, 1976, when she was only six-weeks old. Kara was born with an open spine and was admitted to the Hattie Larlham Foundation for medical treatment.

Her spina bifida was corrected at Childrens Hospital in Akron, Ohio. Further surgery

to close the open spine and to correct club feet followed. The attachment between Kara and Peg Vargo, a licensed practical nurse at the Foundation, grew each day.

"She showed good signs," Mrs. Vargo recalled. "When I was off duty I'd think about her and tell my husband about this very special little girl. On occasion, I was permitted to bring her home with me for short visits."

That's when her husband Jim became smitten.

When Kara was 19-months old, it was decided that nothing more could be done for her at the Foundation, so she was sent home to her natural parents. Mrs. Vargo missed her and she finally approached a social worker at Hattie Larlham to tell Kara's parents she and Jim would be willing to help with Kara if they needed them.

Within a month, Kara's natural parents called and said they planned to place Kara in a foster home.

"Jim and I jumped at the chance to have her and drove six hours to get her and all the paraphernalia needed for her care," Mrs. Vargo said.

The Vargos became licensed foster parents through the Ohio Department of Mental Retardation and Kara became an important part of the family. She was showered with love and learned quickly. She won the hearts of the family, including sons, Jim, 21, and Tim, 19, both of whom live at home.

Within a short time, the Vargos were not satisfied with being foster parents—they wanted desperately to adopt Kara.

Although Kara's natural parents agreed to the adoption, it was to take many months before it became official on August 15. Meanwhile, Kara received physical therapy daily and went to school in Ravenna.

Mrs. Vargo, the daughter of Jacob Rudolph, of Carmichaels, juggled her schedule, taking Kara with her when she reported for the afternoon shift. Jim, a press operator at the Ford plant in Walton Hills, would get Kara on the way home from work.

Kara made such great progress, she was accepted for the Early Intervention Program at Kent State University. Mrs. Vargo has reduced her working hours to weekends only, leaving her days free to work with Kara.

"Kara has filled a huge void in our lives," Mrs. Vargo said. The Vargos lost their only daughter five years ago when she was killed in a bicycle accident at the age of 13.

College Professor Co-authors Chapter

WAYNESBURG — Dr. Mildred Maguire, professor of chemistry at Waynesburg College, and co-workers at the Pittsburgh Energy Center of the United States Department of Energy (DOE), are the authors of a chapter in the American Chemical Society's recently published book, "Advances in Chemistry."

The chapter, "Nature of Free Radicals in Coals, Pyrolyzed Coals, Solvent Refine Coal, and Coal Liquefaction Products," outlines the work conducted by the DOE research team in the detection and properties of reactive chemicals in coal. These chemicals play an important role in the production of synthetic fuels from coal in the process of coal liquefaction.

Dr. Maguire has been an

Cake Auction Raises Funds

WAYNESBURG — Members of the Greene County 4-H Market Hog Club and bidders at the club's annual show and sale Wednesday, took time during the sale to auction a cake to help raise funds for a former 4-H Market Lamb Club member who was seriously hurt in an automobile accident two months ago in Wyoming.

The money raised through the sale of the cake, donated by the Rick Thistlethwaite family, was contributed to the Chuckie Roberts Fund, an account which has been opened with the Carmichaels National Bank in Waynesburg to help the Charles Roberts family of Waynesburg R.D.3 defray medical expenses for their son Chuck, who was critically injured during September in a truck accident.

A group of 17 persons pooled their funds and bid \$340 for the cake. In addition to the sale of the cake another \$32 was donated to the fund by others at the sale. Young Roberts was a former member of the 4-H Market Lamb Club.

He was working in Wyoming when the accident occurred and was hospitalized for several weeks in a Salt Lake City, Utah, hospital before being able to return to Greene County and his family.

Young Roberts, according to a member of the fund drive committee, will have to undergo extensive medical rehabilitation over the next several months.

Charles J. (Bud) Behm was the auctioneer at the sale and also handled the sale of the cake.

Special Registry Assures Supply Of Rare Blood

EDITOR'S NOTE — The following article was written by Mrs. Marcia J. McEwen, public relations specialist at Greene County Memorial Hospital, as part of a series about activities of various departments at the hospital.

WAYNESBURG — In today's society, being unique is usually considered admirable. There are some people, however, for whom that distinction is less than enviable. These are the people who have a rare blood type.

A person with rare blood, just as do persons with a common blood type, must receive

blood that matches exactly when they are in need of a transfusion. The American Red Cross therefore maintains a Rare Donor Registry for these special people with rare blood.

There are four main types of blood — A, B, AB and O. Persons requiring blood transfusions must have blood that matches their group. Under unusual conditions, group O blood may be given to group A, B, or AB patients. Compatibility tests between a patient and donor are compiled and take about 45 minutes for proper execution.

The Rh factor also is important. Like the A, B, O groups, the Rh factor is an inherited blood group. Approximately 85 percent of the population possess the Rh factor. Those who do are said to be "Rh positive." The remaining 15 percent, who do not possess the Rh factor, are said to be "Rh negative."

There are many more blood factors, in addition to those mentioned, that make hundreds of millions of factor combinations. Most of these blood factors or profiles of blood factors are common. Some, however, are not. When

a factor occurs in less than one person out of 200 it is said to be rare.

The Johnstown Region of the American Red Cross, of which Greene County Memorial Hospital is a part, maintains a blood bank from which the hospital obtains its blood. It participates in this Rare Blood Registry.

Personnel at the Johnstown headquarters maintain a computer which is tapped into national headquarters in Washington, D.C. When a patient requires an uncommon blood it can be obtained from a compatible donor discovered through the computer.

This donor may be in San Diego, Boston, Philadelphia or any other city or town, but that blood is immediately transferred to Johnstown. From there it is delivered to the hospital which needs it.

Although a regular unit of blood has a life span of 35 days and is refrigerated, rare blood is frozen and has been used as much as three years later with great success. Small hospitals, however, are quipped only to use fresh rare blood.

Tom Engel and Nancy Stessey serve as coordinators

of the Rare Blood Registry at the Johnstown Region bank.

"It's not so much the number of times that the registry is used by hospitals in our region which is important," Engel said. "It's the fact that when it is used it is desperately needed. The registry is used, as a matter of record, only two or three times in a year, but that means that three persons lived because we were able to locate the kind of rare blood they needed."

Engle said use of the registry is not restricted to hospitals which obtain blood from the American Red Cross. It is also available to hospitals which secure blood from other agencies.

He also stressed that donors with rare blood not only donate for others, but for themselves. "It's an insurance plan for themselves," he said.

Approximately 54 hospitals are located within the 32 Red Cross chapters which make up the Johnstown Region. About 75,000 units of blood are required each year in the area serviced by the Johnstown Region.

Between July 1, 1980, and June 22, 1981, there are 12 bloodmobile visits schedule in Greene County. The next visit will be held from 12:30 to 6 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 13, in the fire hall at Carmichaels.

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Faces From The Past—Do Your Recognize Them?



First Auto In County

Back in 1909, this chain-driven Dayton automobile owned by George F. Luse, of Carmichaels, was thought to be the first auto ever brought into Greene County. It was delivered by freight to Rices Landing and driven to Carmichaels. Admiring the machine, left to right, in the rear row are Mary Luse Milliken; George F. Luse, the owner; Jesse B. Luse, then living in Chicago; Mrs. George Luse, Heaton Luse, Jessie M. Luse, Mrs. Jessie Luse. In the immediate foreground are Edwin F. Luse, Harriet Luse Bell of Jefferson and Ruth Luse.

School Pressure Groups Have Valuable Function

Citizen involvement has become an increasingly significant factor in the operation of schools in Greene County.

A trend which began several years ago with establishment of Concerned Citizens for Responsible Government in the Central Greene School District has since continued with formation of Concerned Citizens for Education in the Southeastern Greene School District and P.R.I.D.E. in the West Greene School District.

All three were created in response to plans for major building programs and quickly obtained the backing of people who feared the increased taxes needed to finance the programs. In the Central Greene and Southeastern Greene School Districts, in fact, candidates who were brought out or supported by the concerned citizen organizations now comprise a majority of the school boards.

The latest group to be formed has arisen in the Carmichaels Area School District, where Parents Against Drugs (PAD) is concerned primarily with trying to eliminate drug use in the schools by campaigning for stricter supervision and tougher penalties for offenders.

In each case, these groups have involved people who are sincerely worried about rising taxes, lack of discipline and the other ills which plague modern society. The success they are enjoying indicate that a lot of people agree with the fears they epitomize.

It is not surprising that the groups have drawn fire, particularly those which opposed school building programs, since there are a lot of people who don't agree with either their positions or the pressure tactics they sometimes have brought to bear.

But it is completely wrong to condemn them for existing, as some people do. These groups are exercising their right to attempt to influence matters of public interest which concern themselves and their families. Those who don't agree with them have the same right and are remiss if they don't take advantage of it.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

Although another Veteran's Day observance will have come and gone by the time this article appears in print on Friday, Nov. 14, the occasion will stir many memories of older Waynesburg residents dating back to the holiday's origin, Nov. 11, 1918.

That was the date on which the Armistice that ended fighting in World War I was reached and gave the event its original designation of Armistice Day.

It was known by that name until after World War II when it was changed to the current Veterans' Day "as an occasion for honoring the memories of those who died in both wars.

In Greene County, as elsewhere throughout the nation, the day was observed with great fervor for many years through the fact that the nation had suffered so many casualties and locally the fact that Greene County was particularly hard hit in World War I through its representation by some 150 of its own residents in Co. K of the 110th Pennsylvania Infantry Regiment.

Scores of other Greene Countians also lost their lives in the First World War, but their deaths were more scattered through various units of the U. S. troops and occurred over a wider spread of time.

It was because of the intensity of the emotional impact of the heavy losses in a short time span of smaller communities such as Greene County that the army broke up such units in World War II.

World War I was the first "big war" in which the United States was involved since the Civil War and the tensions of the civilian population increased by the day when the German Army gave signs of collapse in early autumn.

By early November signs of Germany's collapse grew stronger and two days before the end of hostilities on Nov. 11, a false armistice report was sent out and reached Waynesburg in the form of a Western Union telegram.

The response was spontaneous and by twilight a group of men and boys had gathered most of the empty wooden shipping boxes, wood barrels of all sizes and other flammable

materials which sent long tongues of flame darting into the air, scattering sparks and burning embers over the streets. The sidewalks were thronged and friends and neighbors were grasping one another and yelling "To Hell with the Kaiser" and other familiar expressions of that day.

The next day plans for a more controlled celebration were made at a public meeting in the Opera House Theater at which the late Attorney, J. A. "Boss" Garrison presided. Speakers were Judge T. C. Jones and Atty. W. D. Grimes, both of Pittsburgh.

Plans were completed for a big parade the following Saturday which included Co. F, the local reserve militia unit; the unit of the Student Army Training Corps (reserves) at Waynesburg College; fraternal lodges, college, high school and grade school pupils, a band from Washington, and, of course, Asa Sellers' martial band.

It was followed by a big barbecue at the "ball diamond", now College Field, and touched off by two of the town's best orators, the late Dr. J. W. McKay, then the president of Waynesburg College, and Atty. Thomas Shannon.

Dr. McKay was an ordained Presbyterian minister, as well as an educator and an orator of the old school, as was Shannon, whose addresses to juries were masterpieces of that art.

In contrast to the first premature "Armistice Day" celebrations there were no Colonial Day-type of bonfires as at the first one on the initial "false alarm" that the armistice had been signed, when the fighting actually did stop.

Borough Council banned the bonfires when the statue of General Greene atop the courthouse nearly being burned by flying embers some 17 years before it was burned by the flying embers from the Downey House Hotel fire two days before Christmas in 1925.

Legion, the Company K veterans annual reunion and as an early day car salesman and as a barber in the former Fort Jackson Hotel barber shop.

Mrs. Jane Faddis of Waynesburg entertained two of her grandchildren, Bonnie Faddis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Faddis and Julia Reggetts, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reggetts, all of Waynesburg.

The parents of Waynesburg College lineman Pete Davis tape the local broadcast of all Yellow Jacket games and send the cassette to their son Lou, who is serving with the U.S. Coast Guard in Alaska. They are from Masontown.

Waynesburg's Main Street business section won't be the same for hunting and fishing enthusiasts now that Joe Riggs has sold his outdoor sports apparel shop to two Washington residents. It has been the unofficial headquarters for those who enjoy the thrill of landing a big fish or tramping up and down Greene County's steep hills in the unending quest for trophy winning buck or all kinds of small game. He has been a part of the Waynesburg scene since he was about 16 and took a job at the soda fountain in the former Daily and Spragg Drug Store just across the street from the courthouse.

Confusion continues to prevail about which system or firm will have the cable television franchise in Waynesburg Borough. At its meeting this week, the council declined to accept any of the three proposals made to date but will continue to negotiate the matter with a possible decision being made before Christmas.

"Chuck's Collision" is the appropriate name for Waynesburg's newest auto repair shop. It is owned by Chuck Cruser of Nineveh, and is located in the former Cosgray-Brewer garage on Cherry Alley, a half block east of Richhill Street.

Speaking of new locations for local business firms, Ron's Locker Room which was located in the Hillcrest Shoppes at East High and North Morgan Streets is now doing business in the Fort Jackson Building in the room formerly occupied by Mickey's Men Store, which moved across the street to the Old Messenger Building. Greene County Office Supply has moved from the former Hook Building to the old location of Sun Drug at the corner of High and Morris Streets.

Mrs. William H. Ullom of First Avenue, Waynesburg, is a patient in Greene County Memorial Hospital for observation and treatment. She was among the first group of state social workers and home visitors in the Greene County branch of the state welfare department.

Mrs. Mabel Pollock, of 441 North Richhill Street, Waynesburg, celebrated her 94th birthday on Sunday, Nov. 9. She was honored at two cake and candle parties in her home given by friends. The choir of the First United Methodist Church sang her favorite hymn "Living For Jesus" during the Sunday morning worship service. On Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Pollock attended an open house in celebration of the 90th birthday of Mrs. Goldie Williamson of Waynesburg.

Trees Are Still Available From Forestry Bureau

WAYNESBURG — Service Forester for Greene County, William C. Wentzel, reminds area residents that trees may still be ordered from the State Bureau of Forestry, but that the state's supply of seedlings is quickly running out.

Landowners can now purchase these low-cost forest tree seedlings for reforestation purposes. To be eligible, one must have at least one and one-half acres of open ground to plant the minimum order of 1,000 trees in rows eight feet apart. The seedlings cannot be used for Christmas trees or ornaments.

Lung Association Offers Program On Choking For Pre-Schoolers

ROGERSVILLE — An educational program designed to teach pre-school age children how to avoid accidental choking was presented to children at the Warrior Trail School by Carla Sue Cater, program associate with the Southwestern Pennsylvania Lung Association.

"Keep Your Child From Choking" makes use of Max the Mouse hand puppet to introduce the children to the concepts of breathing, chewing, swallowing and choking



Carla Sue Cater presents program on choking to pre-schoolers.

Under The Dome
 Bob Eichenlaub

When commentators talk about a 50 percent voter turnout in the nation in last week's presidential election, they aren't talking about Greene County.

For many, many years, between 80 and 85 percent of the county's voters have gone to the polls in a presidential election, and this year was no exception. The average in all 51 precincts was 81.2 percent.

As Democrat Chairman William Groves said, that's a record to be proud of.

Top honors this year went to Clarksville Borough, where 126 of 137 registered electors voted for a 92 percent showing. Four others — Carmichaels, Center-West, Greensboro and Jefferson No. 3 — hit 89 percent.

At the low end were Springhill Township and Waynesburg's Ward 1, Precinct 1, with 64 percent each. For Waynesburg as a whole the vote was 74 percent.

The borough was also a Republican stronghold in a Democratic sweep of the county. The two GOP candidates who ran best in the county, President-elect Ronald Reagan and Attorney General-elect LeRoy S. Zimmerman, both won in Waynesburg — Reagan by 34 votes, 824 to 790, and Zimmerman by 28 votes, 833 to 805. Both carried Ward 1, Precinct 2 (the northwest section). Reagan also won by 34 votes in Ward 3, where Zimmerman lost by one vote.

Reagan also won in Aleppo, Gray, Jackson and Morris Townships and in Center-East and Washington-Sycamore. In addition to carrying the one precinct in Waynesburg, Zimmerman won in Franklin-East, Washington-Ruff Creek, and Gray and Jackson Townships, and tied in Washington-Sycamore.

Arlen Specter, who defeated Pete Flaherty for the U.S. Senate, and James W. Knepper Jr., who lost in his bid to unseat Auditor General Al Benedict, each carried just one precinct in the county. Ward 1, Precinct 2 in Waynesburg. R. Budd Dwyer, who defeated Bob Casey for state treasurer, carried Gray Township.

The other biggest block of votes for Reagan and Zimmerman came in Franklin Township, where President Carter won by 102 votes, 871 to 769, and Michael O'Pake defeated Zimmerman by 108 votes, 892 to 784.

All Democratic candidates ran exceptionally well in the big municipalities in eastern Greene County. Carter, for example, won by 819 votes in Cumberland Township, 1,599 to 780.

In that way it was a normal election for Greene County, with Carter defeating Reagan 8,196 to 5,333. But then only two Republican presidential candidates — Herbert Hoover in 1928 and Richard Nixon in 1968, have ever won in the county.

Parade Will Open Christmas Season

WAYNESBURG — The annual Christmas Parade in Waynesburg will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 6, to open the holiday shopping hours for local businessmen.

The parade will form on West Street and march east on High Street to Porter Street where units will disband. The best float will receive a \$100 prize. Second place will receive a \$75 prize and third place, \$50. There will also be two \$25 special award prizes.

Chamber of Commerce officials have requested that Santa Claus not be used on other floats because he will be afforded a place of honor by the Chamber of Commerce.

Marching participants in the parade will distribute candy to children along the parade route. No treats will be tossed from moving vehicles as in the past.

Organizations planning to have a unit in the parade should contact the Chamber office in Room 104 of the County Office Building.

Taxpayers Name New Officers

GREENSBORO — Jim Minor has been re-elected president of the Concerned Taxpayers for Quality Education for the Southeastern Greene School District.

Other officers elected were Floyd Hornick, vice president and Mrs. Winnie Cech, secretary-treasurer.

It was announced that the annual Christmas party will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 13, in the Mon Center. The group will furnish meat and rolls and those attending should bring a covered dish.

The party is open to the public and reservations can be made by calling Mrs. Carol Minor at 943-3207 or Mrs. Winnie Cech at 943-3516 no later than Dec. 1.

Anyone wishing to participate in a gift exchange is asked to bring a gift. Santa Claus will make an appearance.

The next meeting of the group is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 17, in the Monon Center.

Addresses Lions Club

CARMICHAELS — Ruth Mecera, librarian at Fleniken Memorial Library, addressed the Carmichaels Lions Club and related how the 36-year-old facility has grown from \$100 worth of books to a building now housing 17,000 volumes.

She said the Carmichaels library has been judged one of the best small libraries in the state by the State Library Association.

She told the Lions that the library also has film strips, records, projectors and screens available for loan to clubs and organizations free of charge.

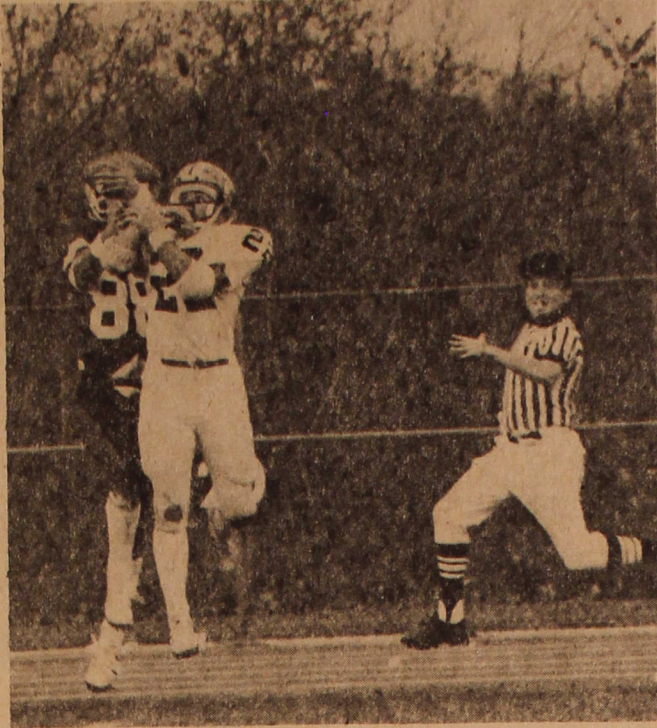
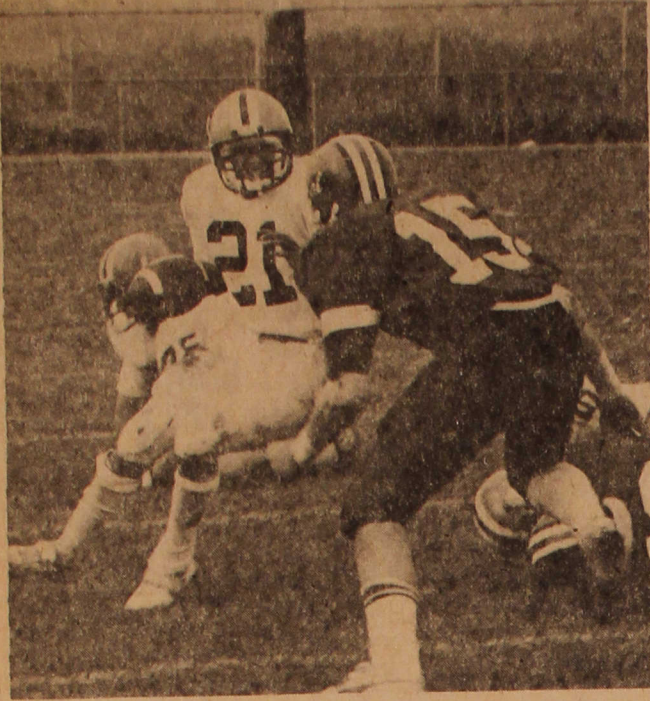
Mrs. Mecera noted the reference service is the least used of all services available. The library staff has all types

of reference books available and can answer most questions.

Members voted to initiate a community Christmas party with the Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, Jaycees, Jaycettes and the Junior Women's Club also taking part.

It was voted to make a \$50 donation to People Against Drugs (PAD) for miscellaneous expenses and to take part in the 40th anniversary celebration of the Waynesburg Lions Club.

Special guests were Joseph Durco and his father, Stephen Durco, of Crucible and John Siko and his mother, Mrs. Josephine Siko, of Carmichaels, who were honored as boys of the month at Carmichaels Area High School.



Waynesburg, 21 Cal State, 0

WAYNESBURG — All in all, Saturday was a very good day for the Waynesburg College Yellow Jackets, who upped their season football record to 4-3 with a 21-0 shutout of arch-rival California State College. Pictured above at left, Waynesburg tailback Keith Davis tries to avoid oncoming Vulcan Jeff Casteel. In the center picture, the official gets a leaping look at a tussle for possession between Wayneburg's Tom Manzari and Cal State defender Ted Seigel. At right, Manzari clears the outstretched arm of defender Dan Caumo en route to a good gain.

By TOM ROSE
Assistant Sports Editor

CALIFORNIA — No one's more anxious for the warm breezes of spring to arrive than Waynesburg College head coach Hayden Buckley.

It's not that he dislikes snow or cold weather so much. Buckley's just impatient to begin work on the 1981 football season.

"We only lose four starters," he said illustrating the number of seniors on the Waynesburg team and rubbing his hands.

The young Yellow Jackets have lost three tough games this season but may have reached puberty Saturday here with an impressive 21-0 victory over arch-rival California State.

"We're not a 4-3 football team," Buckley said referring to Waynesburg's record entering the team's final game Friday night (7:30 p.m. at Pittsburgh's South Stadium) against Duquesne. "We were so young at the start of the season so we had some problems to start with but the team has really responded."

It didn't take long for Waynesburg to respond against Cal State, which finishes the season with a 2-8 record. Freshman fullback Bob Astleford completed a 67-yard, eight-play drive by scoring on a three-yard run on the Jackets' first offensive series of the game. Two key plays kept the drive going, as quarterback Mike Forbes picked up a first down on a fourth and one situation at the Waynesburg 32 on a quarterback

sneak. Forbes also had a hand in the second one, a 32-yard pass to flanker Don Dock that immediately preceded Astleford's touchdown run.

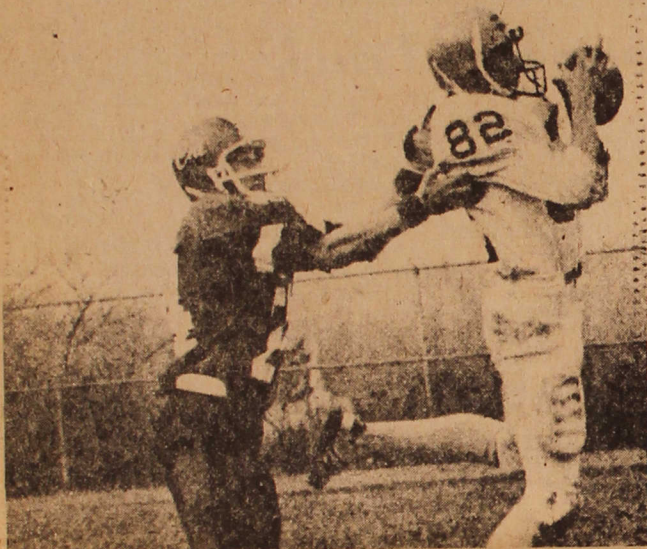
"I was scared to death to go for the first down in that situation, it's just not my nature," Buckley said. "But Cal State went for it on fourth down and got it so we had to show them what we could do instead of just punting it."

Waynesburg extended its lead to 14-0 in the second quarter when Forbes hit tight end Dom DeCiccio on a 46-yard pass that carried to the Vulcan 12-yard line. Three plays later Forbes hit freshman split end Mark Hess with a pass, who evaded a tackle by CSC's George Winghart to score on the eight-yard play.

"Waynesburg has nice speed with their wide out receivers," Cal State head coach Hal Hunter said. "And I think it's evident we don't have good speed in our secondary. But our kids have a lot of heart."

Astleford scored the final touchdown of the game on a third quarter three-yard run. Carmichaels High School graduate Ted Rodavich, who hooked up with Forbes on a spectacular 60-yard pass and run play in the fourth quarter, also successfully kicked all three extra-points for Waynesburg.

The Jackets amassed 464 yards total offense, with Forbes completing nine of 20 passes for 211 yards. Sophomore Keith Davis rushed for 142 yards on 29 carries while Astleford had 96 yards.



Ted Rodavich catches pass in front of CSC's George Winghart.



Carmichaels' players celebrate their upset victory over Serra.

Mikes Start Off On Right Foot

By ROBIN ROBERTS
Sports Writer

McKEESPORT — It's a long way to McKeesport from Carmichaels, and it's an equally long distance from Carmichaels to the WPIAL Class AA football championship.

But the Carmichaels Mikes traveled to Serra Catholic High School Saturday afternoon and took their first step toward that long drive to the WPIAL title by defeating the Eagles 20-18.

The victory was the first in the Mikes' last three WPIAL playoff appearances, dating back to 1977 when Vic Lapkovic was the Carmichaels coach.

"It feels good to win this one," said the Mikes' second-year coach Tom McCombs. "We gave up the big play all day, like we've been doing all

year, but we didn't give up those two or three yards when we had to hold them (Serra)."

Indeed, the Mikes did give up the big play.

After a scoreless first quarter the Mikes finally broke the tie with just 17 seconds remaining in the first half as Rick Hribal, who has been a steady performer for the Tri-County South runnersup all season, crashed into the Eagle end zone from a yard out. John Townsend's kick for the point after gave the Greene County team a 7-0 lead at the end of the half.

But, with 2:11 gone from the third quarter the Mikes' defense was burned for the first time of the day when Serra quarterback Rich Bowen found split end Ed DePaulis open deep in the Carmichaels backfield and connected for a 41-yard scoring pass which cut the Mike lead to 7-6.

The Eagles' outstanding back, Corry Pettiford attempted to carry the ball over for the two-point conversion but was stacked up in the middle of the line and the Carmichaels lead continued to hold at 7-6.

The big play didn't belong exclusively to the Eagles. Less than five minutes later Carmichaels quarterback Dick Krause pitched to fullback Mike Rumanick on an option. Rumanick cut between his guard and tackle, followed a crushing block by the other Mike setback Hribal, and rambled 58 yards for the second Carmichaels touchdown of the afternoon. Townsend's attempt for the point after failed, but the Mikes had increased their lead to 13-6 over the Eastern Eight Conference champions.

It didn't take long, however, for the Eagles to cut the lead to one point again as Bowen, on a third and long from his own 10, flicked a short pass to halfback Francis Brancato who slipped by Mike safety Brent Burnett and sprinted 90 yards for the Eagles. Serra again attempted to run the ball for the two point conversion which would have given it the lead, but Pettiford was stopped at the line of scrimmage, turned and lateraled the ball to Bowen, who rounded his right end for what appeared to be the go-ahead points. But, the officials ruled Pettiford had been stopped and did not allow the conversion points.

Carmichaels came right back, with Hribal capping a 70-yard drive, highlighted by Krause's passing, by diving into the Eagle end zone from a

yard out for his second touchdown of the game. Townsend this time converted to put the Mikes ahead by an eight point margin, the biggest lead of the afternoon.

The Serra offense, led by Bowen, wasn't ready to surrender. The Eagles stormed back with a 62-yard drive which ended with 1:03 remaining in the game when Pettiford dove in from the Mike one yard line. But, for the third time during the game, the Eagles elected to go for the two-point play and once again the Carmichaels defense held and the margin of Townsend's two conversion points were the difference.

Serra attempted an on-sides kick following the touchdown, but Todd Allison of Carmichaels recovered the kick.

"They (Serra) got those two or three big plays, but when we had to stop them on the conversion attempts we did," McCombs said. "These kids didn't give up they just kept coming back."

Serra coach Dick Bowen was equally as pleased with the performance, but not the final score.

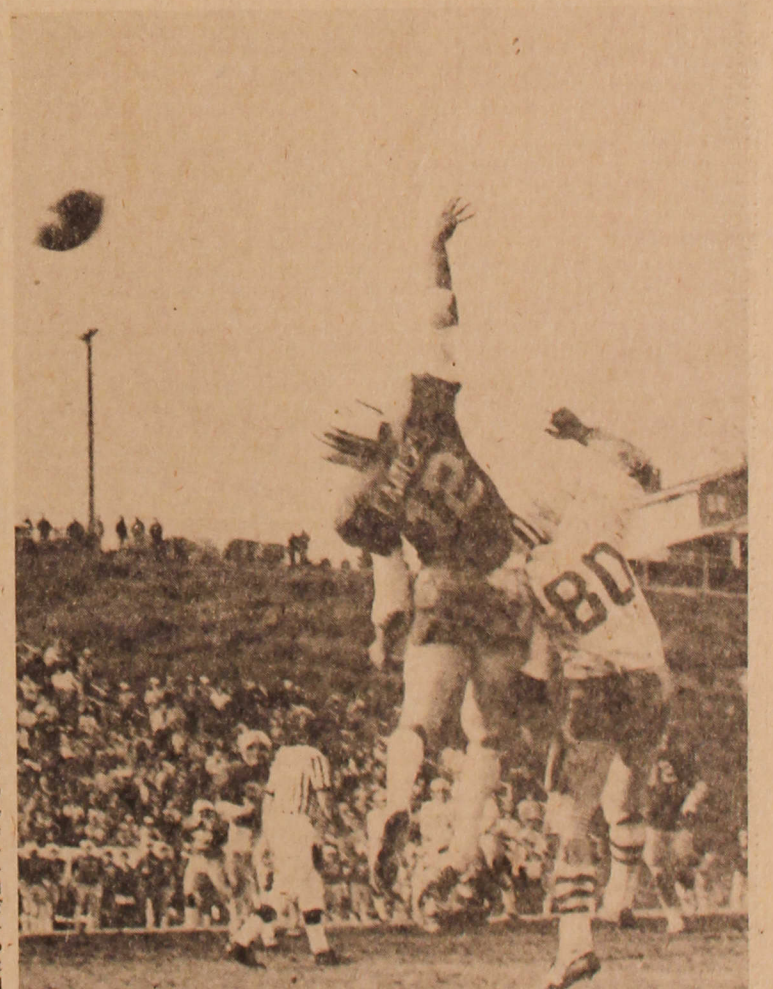
"Our kids never gave up, they came back after each Carmichaels score. We were confident we could score points, but you also have to stop the other team from scor-

ing, and that's what we didn't do.

"I was impressed with their quarterback and the way he threw the ball. They shut down Corry (Pettiford) who has been our bread and butter all year and that took a lot of our game away from us. I think they'll play pretty even ball with anybody in the playoffs."

Score By Quarters
Carmichaels 0 7 6 7-20
Serra 0 0 6 12-18

Scoring Summary
C-Rick Hribal, one-yard run (John Townsend, kick) 11:43 2nd
S-Ed DePaulis, 41-yard pass from Rick Bowen (run failed) 2:11 3rd
C-Mike Rumanick, 58-yard run (kick failed) 5:44 3rd
S-Francis Brancato, 90-yard pass from Bowen (run failed) 1:11 4th
C-Hribal, one-yard run (Townsend, kick) 8:23 4th
S-Corry Pettiford, one-yard run (run failed) 10:37 4th



Heads Up Playoff Action

Fortunately for the Carmichaels High School football team, the outcome of the WPIAL Class A playoff game at Serra Saturday was more successful than this errant pass to No. 80 Joe Durco. Serra's Rich Bowen knocked the ball away, but the Mikes knocked the Eagles out of the playoffs, 20-18.

Waynesburg College Names Week's Players

Selected as Yellow Jackets of the Week were defensive lineman Pete Davis, offensive lineman Mike Kaldor and kicker-receiver Ted Rodavich. All played an outstanding game against the Vulcans according to Hayden

Buckley, head coach at Waynesburg.

Rodavich, a sophomore from Carmichaels, booted all three extra points and also made four receptions for 90 yards from his wide receiver position. Davis, a senior from

Masontown, was in on 14 tackles and also had a pass deflection in the shutout victory. Kaldor, a junior center from Bellaire, Ohio, was the focal point of Jacket blocking which was responsible for over 300 offensive yards.



TED RODAVICH



PETE DAVIS



MIKE KALDOR

TOYS FOR TOTS CARMICHAELS

Jaycees, in conjunction with the U.S. Marine Corps Reserves, will sponsor a "Toys for Tots" program for the third straight year.

New or virtually new toys will be collected at the Ferek Service Station on South Vine Street in Carmichaels until Dec. 13 when they will be taken to a distribution center to be given to needy children in the Greene and Fayette County areas.

Obituaries

Wood

Duane M. Wood, 75, of 210 Bonar Avenue, Waynesburg, died at his home of an apparent heart attack at 8:15 p.m., Wednesday, November 5, 1980.

He was born October 30, 1905, in Rogersville, a son of the late Cordyn and Artie Adamson Wood.

Mr. Wood graduated from Center Township High School in 1925 and cum laude with a B.S. degree from Waynesburg College in 1929. He also did graduate work at the University of Pittsburgh, Slippery Rock State College and California State College.

In 1929 he began his teaching career in Aleppo Township and in 1937 was named school principal. He later taught at Midway High School and in 1947 joined the Bethlehem Center School District where he remained until his retirement in 1971.

He organized the first six-man football team, the Pioneers, in Greene County, coached softball and volleyball and played on several of the county's sandlot baseball teams.

Mr. Wood was a member of the First Christian Church of Waynesburg where he served as a deacon and Bible school teacher for many years.

Surviving is his wife, Fayne Murray Wood, whom he married August 10, 1935.

Also surviving are two sons, Holly and James, both of Waynesburg; one daughter, Darlene Joy Wood, at home; four grandchildren, Shawn, James, Kimberly and Dawn Wood, all of Waynesburg; two sisters, Mrs. Leo (Kathleen) Hill and Mrs. Alice Stockdale, both of Fredericksburg, Va.

Stagers

Robert L. Stagers, 69, of Lakeland, Fla., a former resident of Greene County, died Friday, November 7, 1980, in Lakeland General Hospital following an illness of 13 days.

He was born April 5, 1911, in Jackson Township, a son of Harry I. and Blanche Smith Stagers.

He was a graduate of Richhill Township High School, Wind Ridge, and of Indiana State College.

Mr. Stagers taught school in Greene County for several years and later operated a plumbing and heating contracting business in Waynesburg. He had resided in Florida since 1957, where he worked as a steamfitter until his retirement.

He was a Protestant by faith and was a member of the Masons and several other fraternal and civic organizations in Florida.

His first wife, Helen Haviland Stagers, died several years ago.

Surviving are his second wife, Gerry Stagers; a son, Joe Stagers of Bausman, Pa.; a granddaughter; a sister, Mrs. Helen Hewitt of Madsville, W.Va.; and a brother, John Stagers of Downingtown.

A sister, Margaret, is deceased.

Chambers

William Chambers, 76, Merritt Island, Fla., a former resident of Cameron, W.Va., died Monday night, November 10, 1980 in Westhoff General Hospital, Rockledge, Fla.

He was a son of the late George and Anna Frye Chambers and was born February 11, 1904, in Marshall County, W.Va., where he resided most of his life.

Mr. Chambers was a veteran, having served in the Army, and was a retired employee of the Columbia Gas Company. He was a member of the company's Quarter Century Club and of the First Christian Church of Cameron and Cameron Lodge 36, Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Surviving are his wife, Clarice Emery Chambers; a stepson, Joseph Wayne Allen of Wadsworth, Ohio; a sister, Mrs. Laura Mackey of Cameron; and several nieces and nephews.

Pester

Katherine Black Pester, 71, of 1314 Avenue D, Brownwood, Texas, died Tuesday, November 11, 1981.

She was born June 28, 1909, in Nineveh to Edward R. and Mary McDonald Black and was married to the late Frank R. Pester. She had also lived in Washington and moved to Texas in 1945.

Surviving are a son, Kenneth Black of Virginia Beach, Va.; a brother James A. Black, of San Antonio, Texas and two grandchildren.

Bosworth

Charles L. Bosworth, 87, of Waynesburg R.D.5, died at 6:30 p.m., Monday, November 10, 1980, in his home.

He was born August 23, 1893, in Jackson Township, near Holbrook, a son of the late David and Nora Weaver Bosworth.

He had spent all of his life in the Greene County community and for the past 55 years had resided in Waynesburg. He was a member of the Washington Street United Methodist Church and a member of the Men's Bible Class of the church. He was a veteran of World War I, having served with Company K, 110th Infantry in Europe.

He was involved in the Battle of the Argonne Forest in France. He was a member of James Farrell American Legion Post 330 of Waynesburg. For several years he had been an automobile salesman in the Waynesburg area and in 1955 he retired as steward of the James Farrell American Legion Post.

His wife, Pearle Weimer Bosworth, died May 29, 1978.

He is survived by a daughter, Mary Ann Medlick of Waynesburg; two sons, John P. Bosworth of Brownsville and James D. Bosworth of Waynesburg R.D.4; eleven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren and a brother Andrew of Holbrook.

A son Charles J. Bosworth, a daughter Sarah Lou, and a sister Goldie Kerns, are deceased.

Reed

Margaret M. Mathason Reed, 59, of Carmichaels R.D., died at noon, Monday, November 10, 1980, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born August 5, 1921, in Waynesburg, a daughter of George and Ada Donahue Mathason.

Her husband, Homer J. Reed, died in 1974.

Mrs. Reed was a lifelong resident of Greene County and a member of the Fairdale Free Methodist Church of Carmichaels.

Surviving are a stepdaughter, Mrs. Donald (Violet) Christopher of Washington; a stepgranddaughter, Candace Christopher; a sister, Miss Eva Mathason of Carmichaels; a brother, Solomon Mathason of Carmichaels; and two stepbrothers, Paul and George in Ohio.

Isiminger

Mrs. Eliza Rebecca Isiminger, 71, Cameron R.D.5, W.Va., died at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, November 6, 1980, in Mound View Health Care Center, Moundsville, W.Va.

She was born February 9, 1909, in Whetzel County, W.Va., a daughter of Coan and Margaret McBride Hartley, and was a member of the Church of Christ at Manington, W.Va.

Her first husband, Minor M. Horner, died in 1935, and her second husband, M.O. Baker, in 1957.

Surviving are her third husband, Ray Isiminger; a daughter, Mrs. Sammy (Nancy) McFadden of Cameron; two sons, John Horner of Moundsville and Charles Horner of Cameron; six grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; four half-sisters, Mrs. Virginia Wade of New Martinsville, W.Va., Mrs. Catheline Williams of Claysville, and Mrs. Sarah Blake and Mrs. Bessie Shep, both of Thomas, W.Va.; and a half-brother, Lawrence Hartley of Thomas, W.Va.

Littell

Betty Shields Littell, 52, of Rogersville, died Wednesday, November 12, 1980 at 7:40 a.m. at her residence. She had been ill for the past two years.

Born July 17, 1928, in Rogersville, she was a daughter of Lena Huffman Shields of Rogersville and the late Robert S. Shields.

Mrs. Littell was a 1945 graduate of Center Township High School.

She was employed at the snack bar at Waynesburg College and was a member of Local 585 of the Services Employees International Union.

She had resided all of her life in Rogersville and was a member of the Rogersville Christian Church.

Surviving, in addition to her mother, are a brother, Robert B. Shields of Rogersville; and four nephews, Bob, Mike, John and Mark Shields.

An infant daughter is deceased.

Arnold

Sarah (Sally) J. Arnold, 61, of 44 Carmichaels Arbors Apartments, Carmichaels, formerly of Clarksville R.D.1, died Tuesday, November 11, 1980, in Washington Hospital after a lingering illness.

She was born November 25, 1918, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of George and Nannie Beneridge McCausland.

She was married in Clarksville May 30, 1943, to David Miles Arnold, who died May 23, 1972.

Mrs. Arnold had lived at Clarksville R.D.1 from 1951 to 1979. She attended the Clarksville Christian Church and she operated the Marianna Dairy Bar from 1970 to 1972. Mrs. Arnold was a member of the Lady Rebecca Lodge and the Business and Professional Women's Club, both in Clarksville.

Surviving are two sons, David Miles Arnold Jr. of Clarksville and Earle Walter Arnold of Clarksville R.D.1; five daughters, Vera, wife of Isaac Gayman of Mather, Mrs. Ola Eaton and Penny Eileen Arnold, both of Cleveland, Ohio, Bonnie, wife of Paul Pilesik of Mather, and Sharon, wife of John Pyles of Marianna; 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a son, Quinton Albert Arnold II, who died November 1, 1958, and a brother, George McCausland.

Jewelry Taken

NINEVEH — Some \$1,500 worth of jewelry was stolen from the home of James Webb, of Nineveh, located along LR30070 in Morris Township. The incident occurred sometime between noon and 5 p.m. Saturday, according to state police.

No Cable TV Franchise Awarded

WAYNESBURG — Once again Waynesburg Borough Council sidestepped a firm decision to either award or reject bids opened in mid-August for a non-exclusive franchise to operate a cable television system in the borough.

The sidestepping motion passed by council at its meeting Monday night was to take under advisement a recommendation from its cable television review committee not to award a franchise for cable television operation in the borough and to allow the three firms bidding for the franchise 15 days to submit written comments to the borough manager for council's further consideration.

Jim Eichenlaub, chairman of council's public utility committee, read the following statement on behalf of the cable television review committee:

"After due consideration, the cable television review committee recommends that borough council award no franchise for cable television operation and that all proposals be rejected.

"It is the consensus among committee members that in the best interest of the borough, cable television is best left to the private sector in an open and competitive market."

The firms which have entered bids are Commonwealth Cable Co., Central Video and Tele Media Cable Television Co., all of Waynesburg. Tele Media recently purchased the Klear Cable television system which had operated in the borough and surrounding Franklin Township.

Since the bids were opened in August, council formed its cable television review committee. The committee held a public hearing in September during which the three firms entering bids presented their proposals and answered questions. A decision was expected to be made by council during their October meeting but no action was taken.

In other action at Monday night's meeting council granted borough manager James Ealy permission to make application for the borough to become a member of the Pennsylvania State Association of Borough's Unemployment Compensation Plan. Membership in the plan would mean a 1.5 percent savings on the borough's unemployment compensation insurance premium.

Council approved the appointment of Robert Trauth of Waynesburg as the third member of the borough's zoning hearing board to replace

Community Events

BUSINESS SEMINAR

The Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a seminar on advertising from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday, Nov. 17, in the community room of Gallatin National Bank.

Cynthia A. Rossi of C.A. Rossi and Associates, Washington, will present the program, "Advertising to the Small Community."

GRANGE MEETING

East Franklin Grange will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, November 14, in the grange hall with Albert Lahew in charge of the program. A report on the state session held in Lewisburg will be given.

SENIOR CITIZENS

The Keystone Senior Citizens will meet at 10 a.m. Monday, Nov. 17, in Avalon Court for their monthly meeting. There will be games in the morning. Members are asked to bring a sack lunch. Those having birthdays in November will be in charge of the entertainment.

ST. ANN'S GUILD

St. Ann's Womens Guild will hold a "Breakfast with Santa Claus" on Saturday, Dec. 6, and the event will be open to the public. Further details will be announced later.

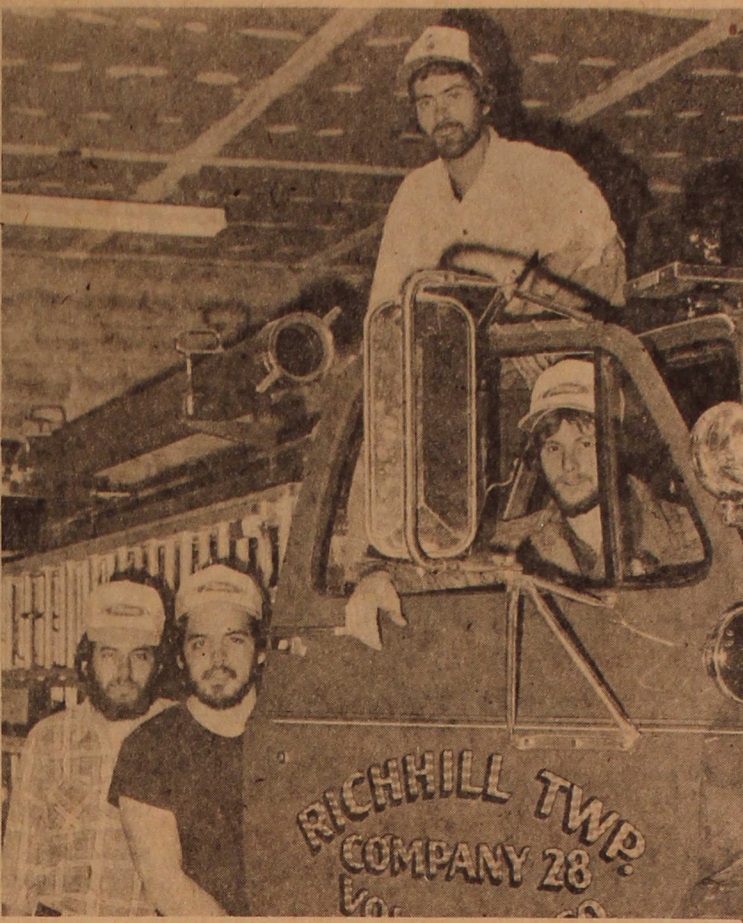
Michael Flinn, administrator of Greene County Memorial Hospital, showed two films which are currently being shown at the Teen-age Health Center. A discussion on the teen program followed.

Other events planned include a Bible study to be held Nov. 19 in the home of Donna Glazer and a Thanksgiving clothing drive from Nov. 9 to Nov. 16. Clothing may be left at the church.

William Ross

A resolution was passed to endorse a petition from residents of Porter and Walnut streets in an attempt to have the state erect stop signs on Porter Street at its intersection with Walnut Street. Porter Street is a state maintained highway.

Although council passed the resolution to endorse the petition, they explained to those presenting the petition that council had attempted to in



Observer-Reporter Photo

Richhill Township firemen with new 750-gallon pumper truck

Richhill Firemen Buy Truck

WIND RIDGE — The Richhill Township Volunteer Fire Co. No. 28 this weekend received its new fire truck, a 750-gallon pumper which has a pumping ability of 1,000 gallons per minute.

The new vehicle will be featured in an open house the company plans to hold in the near future. The truck, which arrived Saturday, cost \$55,000.

Firemen will mount a letter campaign, soliciting funds to help defray the cost of the new piece of fire fighting equipment.

Residents of Richhill Township, which is served by the fire company, will receive letters requesting their help in defraying the cost of the truck and its outfitting.

Firemen from the company are also planning a number of activities, such as a deer hunters' breakfast to raise funds.

opened portion of West Street

located north of Hillcrest Avenue to Sixth Avenue.

Public Notices

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Rose Stypula a/k/a Rose A. Stypula 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.

Michael A. Stypula, Jr.
260 Oak Hills
Butler, Pa. 16001
Executor
J. William Hook, Esq.
Attorney

11-7-81

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Goldie T. Funk late of Waynesburg 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.

Glise E. Mariner
197 North Maiden St.
Waynesburg Pa. 15370
Executor
R. W. Maxwell, Attorney

11-7-81

EXECUTRIX NOTICE
Estate of Ray Hughes late of Center 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.

Sharon McCain
121 Lincoln St.
Oak Hill, OH. 45656
Executrix
H. Terry Grimes, Attorney

11-14-28

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF Evelyn R. Cummins of Jackson 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

Cecil Cummins
R. D. 4
Pine Bank, Pa. 15354
Administrator
H. Terry Grimes, Attorney

11-14-28

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF Paul Morsan Harding of Waynesburg 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.

Mr. Allen W. Harding
252 East Lincoln Street
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Executor
James Hook, Esquire
P.O. Box 792
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Attorney

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EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF GAYNELLE DAVIS CLEAVINGER a/k/a GAYNELLE E. CLEAVINGER, a/k/a GAYNELLE CLEAVINGER 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.

RUTH L. DAYTON
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Executrix
THOMPSON AND BAILY
Attorneys

11-7, 14, 21

County Farm Group Elects Officers

Ruth Morris was elected president of the Greene County Society of Farm Women at the group's 23rd annual convention held recently at the Jefferson United Methodist Church.

Other officers elected were Carrie Snyder, vice president; Joyce Fortney, secretary and Edith Van Druff, treasurer. The new officers will begin their duties in January, 1981.

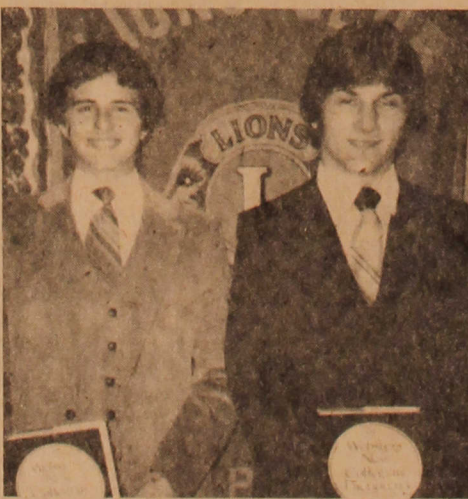
Winners of the state crocheting project were Louie Farrel, Margaret Plumley and Amy Gideon.

Special guest at the convention was Helen Hess, state

president, who discussed the state convention to be held in Harrisburg on January 12-13, 1981.

Entertainment was provided by the Fashion Shop of Waynesburg, which presented at fashion show narrated by Doris Kovalec, and by Pat Wechter of the Garden Spot in Waynesburg, who spoke on "Window Sill Herb Gardens."

Maxine Anderson and Beverly Kerr were named to the bus transportation committee and Verona Shahan, Blanche Bigler, Phoebe Shriver and Rachel Workman were named to the Ways and Means Committee.

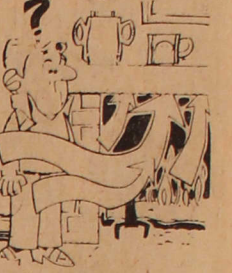


Students Honored

The Carmichaels Lions Club recently honored two students from Carmichaels Area High School for being selected boys of the month. Joseph Durco, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Durco of Crucible and John Siko, of Carmichaels, son of Josephine Siko and the late John Siko were honored. Both are members of the football team and both plan to attend college.

The Electric Consumer's Corner

Will using a fireplace or wood-burning stove reduce my heating bills?



It may or may not. It depends on the efficiency of your fireplace or stove.

Certain free-standing fireplaces (ones not built into the wall) and most airtight circulating stoves are fairly efficient. But conventional fireplaces generally are very inefficient. That's because most of the heat from the fire goes up the chimney.

Can I improve the efficiency of my present fireplace?



Yes, there are several ways. If possible, provide air for combustion from the outside or from the unheated basement.

If your fireplace has an ash pit, for example, slightly open both the cover plate in the fireplace floor and the one to the outside or basement when building a fire. This procedure will prevent the fire from pulling all air for combustion from pre-heated air in the house.

Also, you can buy fireplace devices that transfer more of the heat back into the room. And a tight-fitting glass screen will decrease the intensity of the fire and the loss of heat up the chimney.

Is there any other information available on fireplaces and stoves?



Yes. One of many articles, "The wood-burner is back," may prove helpful to you. The author offers his opinion of the advantages and comparative efficiency of various types of fireplaces and wood-burning stoves.

For a free copy, contact the West Penn Power office serving your location, or write West Penn Power, c/o The Electric Consumer's Corner, Cabin Hill, Greensburg, PA 15601.

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