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Court Allows Waynesburg Borough To Increase Millage

WAYNESBURG — Real estate taxpayers in Waynesburg Borough will be paying a 19-mill assessment during 1981, rather than the 17-mill real estate levy which was adopted by borough council in late December.

Greene County Judge Glenn Toothman Monday morning approved a request by the borough to increase its fire protection tax from one to three mills for the new year.

The additional millage will represent Waynesburg's share of the costs of a new fire engine purchased last year by the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Co.

The only witness called during the brief hearing was borough manager James Ealy, who told the court that the borough needs the additional fire tax revenues to pickup Waynesburg's share of the down payment on the new

American LeFrance engine, which carried a total price tag of nearly \$129,000; last year's payment on the truck and this year's truck payment, which is over and above its annual contribution to the fire company.

Ealy also pointed out that a recent state ruling requires that the fire company pay minimum wage to its radio dispatchers, who handle fire and ambulance radio com-

munication for the entire county. The increase in wages will bring the company's payroll to \$36,000 for the coming year. The company's total budget for 1981 is \$83,000. The borough's share of the 1981 budget, with the three-mill fire protection levy, will be \$40,338, which represents 46 percent of the company's new budget. In addition to the real estate levy, the borough makes a \$10,000 contribution

from its general fund and another \$5,000 from its revenue sharing account.

Waynesburg, as all other communities in the county, was not permitted under state law to increase its real estate tax revenues by more than five percent over last year's revenues because the county changed its assessment ratio from 20 to 30 percent.

During his testimony, Ealy told the court the borough and

other municipalities which financially support the fire company have only two options — continue to support the volunteers or attempt to create a paid company, which he said would be much more expensive than supporting the volunteers.

Ealy also pointed out that real estate taxpayers in the borough pay only approximately 20 percent of the entire borough budget.

Judge Toothman in approving the borough request for the additional two mills in fire protection tax, said "the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Co. is one of the most remarkable organizations this county has had," and that he recognizes the fact that the borough and other municipalities must assist the fire company. He also warned that other towns and cities across the nation are converting from

paid companies to volunteer companies and that no thought should be given to changing from a volunteer fire company to a paid company.

Waynesburg will now reopen the fire protection portion of its budget and should probably be ready to adopt the new budget when it meets Jan. 12. The real estate levy will now be 19 mills during 1981. 16 for the general fund and three for fire protection.

Township May Lose Funds

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor
WAYNESBURG — A Greene County municipality faces withholding of all state funds, including its vital Liquid Fuels allocation, for failure to comply with the Pennsylvania Flood Plain Management Act of 1978.

The act is designed to give all residents of Pennsylvania an opportunity to purchase federally-subsidized flood insurance, which is available only in municipalities which take measures to control future construction along streams where flooding can occur.

Dunkard Township was one of four townships in Greene County notified by the Department of Community Affairs that they must enact necessary flood plain management regulations by Dec. 15, 1980, or suffer the consequences. All other municipalities in the county had previously complied.

Wayne Township enacted the necessary ordinance on Dec. 15, and Jackson and Springhill Townships are in process of doing so. But the Dunkard Township supervisors are reluctant to move in the face of strong citizen opposition to the controls which compliance with the act would necessitate.

"Our residents have made it clear that they don't want us to pass these measures and we think the state should have done it themselves instead of putting the burden on the townships," said Joseph W. McClure, veteran Dunkard

Township supervisor and board secretary. "We have written to the Pennsylvania Association of Township Supervisors for advice, but haven't heard from them as yet."

McClure conceded, however, that the township may have no choice if the state carries out its threat to withhold payments it receives through Harrisburg, which would include \$41,000 in Liquid Fuels road improvement funds and \$20,000 in federal revenue sharing funds. They constitute a major part of the township's operating monies.

The supervisors attempted on two prior occasions to enact the necessary ordinances, but on each occasion large numbers of people attended the public hearings which were held and shouted the regulations down, despite assurances that the regulations did not constitute township-wide zoning.

The Department of Commerce, in its letter, pointed out that the Flood Plain Management Act required the department to adopt regulations to carry out its provisions. They became effective June 14, 1980.

"If your municipality does not gain eligibility to participate in the NFIP (flood insurance program) and enact the necessary floodplain management regulations by Dec. 15, 1980, we will have little choice but to initiate formal penalty procedures which could possibly lead to a withholding of all funds payable to your municipality from the Com-

monwealth," the letter stated. "Our department is required by the act to notify the state treasurer of any municipality which does not comply with the act or our regulations. In such instances all funds payable to the municipality from the Commonwealth must be withheld from the municipality until it fully complies."

He explained that in the past the DCA had some leeway in enforcing what began as a federal act to be implemented by the states. But now that state law has been passed and regulations have been adopted to back it up that leeway no longer exists.

"The law is very, very specific and enforcement of the act is no longer a matter of discretion," he said.

Accurti also said that all but 90 of 2,400 municipalities in the state which contain flood-prone areas have already complied, and that most of the 90 are in process of doing so.

In Wayne Township, where there was also considerable citizen resistance when the measure was first proposed, enacted the necessary regulations on Dec. 15 without one person voicing objection. John G. Jenkins, one of the supervisors, said the opposition which had surfaced was pretty much eliminated by the damaging flood which hit the Brave area last August, which demonstrated the importance of enabling residents to purchase flood protection insurance.

Jackson and Springhill Townships, which also were hit by flood damage in August, are in much the same position and the supervisors there are currently involved in enacting the regulations.

The required ordinances provide that any buildings erected in an area identified as being subject to flooding

must meet certain construction standards in terms of flood-proofing, and permits are required before any such construction can begin. Construction in other parts of a municipality which are not in a flood plain are not affected, and does not require a permit. Nor are buildings already located in the flood plain affected.

Once the necessary regulations are adopted, all residents of the municipality become eligible to purchase flood insurance, which covers all damage brought about by rainfall, including mudslides and basement flooding.

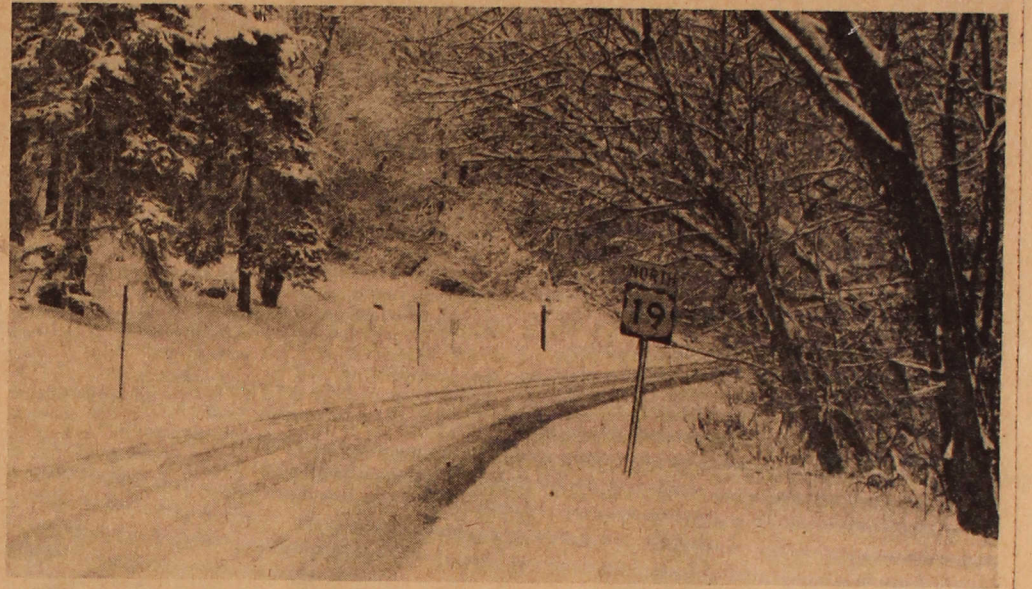
Because the insurance is subsidized by the federal government, it can be purchased through any insurance agency at an annual cost of 25 cents per \$100 worth of coverage on a house and 35 cents per \$100 on contents. The cost for commercial buildings is 40 cents per \$100 on buildings and 75 cents per \$100 on contents.

Joint Sewer Project Is Considered

Discussions between Franklin Township, Waynesburg Borough and the Franklin Township Sewer Authority concerning a complicated sewage problem which could stall a \$4 million housing development were begun this week.

A lengthy meeting was held between James Ealy, the borough manager; Arthur Hall, engineer for the authority and attorney John Hook, township solicitor, in an effort to lay groundwork for a joint project between the two municipalities.

Developers of Mountain View Gardens, a six-building housing project located in Franklin Township, just over the borough line in East Waynesburg, had received approval from the borough several months ago to connect into the borough sewer lines. However, the borough conse-



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Driving In A Winter Wonderland

Driving conditions may have been horrible, but motorists leaving Waynesburg Friday on Route 19 north at least had the compensation of a pretty scene. Weather observers said the 4.5-inch snowfall was the heaviest since the winter of 1978-79.

Franklin Township has no sewer line near the housing development. Sewage generated by township residents in the Bonar Addition, Crescent Hills and Woodland Heights areas goes into the borough system and is treated at the borough plant. Also, sewage from West Waynesburg, located in Franklin Township, is collected by borough lines and treated at the borough plant.

Franklin Township each year pays a pro-rated share of the borough plant operating costs based on approximately 30 million gallons from the Bonar Addition area and 10 million gallons from West Waynesburg, Mountain View is expected to generate about 10 million gallons each year. Based on these figures, the three sewer districts would generate about 150,000 gallons of volume each day.

Plans call for the construction of a gate valve between the new Franklin Township sewer system and the borough system possibly along Ten Mile Creek near the Morrisville bridge where the lines almost touch. Using the gate valve, the township could divert 150,000 gallons of sewage into the township lines for treatment at their new plant along Route 188.

This would reduce the volume being treated at the burdened borough plant and allow for future building expansion in the borough now being prohibited by the DER order. It would also mean township money being paid to the borough for sewage treatment could be diverted to the township authority to cut expenses.

The new plant in the township is capable of handling 500,000 gallons each day but at

the current time is only treating about 190,000 gallons.

The proposal was to have been discussed by the Franklin Township Sewer Authority at its regular meeting last night. Members of the Franklin

Township board of supervisors discussed the plan Monday night and appeared to be in favor of such a move.

Waynesburg Borough council will discuss the project at a future meeting.

Companies Close Coal Transaction

WAYNESBURG — U.S. Steel Corp. and Conoco Inc. have announced that the Manor coal transaction which was announced in October was closed Monday, Jan. 5.

It involves the transfer to Conoco of 26,000 acres of Pittsburgh Coal which U.S. Steel leased in 1977 from the Manor Real Estate Co. and sale of the 3,500-acre Charming Ranch property which U.S. Steel purchased in 1976 for \$2.1 million.

The surface property and most of the coal is located in Richhill Township, with the coal abutting Consolidation Coal Company's untapped Nineveh reserve of Pittsburgh coal in Morris Township. Conoco is parent company of Consolidation.

The two firms had previously expected to close the trans-

action during the fourth quarter of 1980. No documents have been filed as yet in the register and recorder's office at Waynesburg, and neither company has disclosed the amount of money involved in the sale.

At the time the transaction was announced, Consolidation said it had no immediate plans for development of either the Nineveh block or the new Manor block.

U.S. Steel had originally planned to develop two mines to work the Manor reserve, with both to be located on the Charming property. The first mine was originally scheduled for construction in 1980, but softness in the coal and steel industry forced a change of plans, with the steel company announcing it was disposing of the property because it wasn't essential to its future plans.

Curry Home Strike Ends

WAYNESBURG — A five-day strike at Greene County's Curry Memorial Home came to an end Wednesday when members of Local 585, Service Employees International Union (SEIU) voted to accept a two-year contract offer from the county commissioners.

Under terms of the agreement, the 115 union members will receive pay raises of 40 cents an hour immediately; another 10 cents an hour on July 1 of this year, and another 50 cents on Jan. 1, 1982. The union had been seeking pay increases of 50 cents an hour in each of the two years, plus improved employee benefits.

Rosemary Trump of Pittsburgh, Local 585 president, said members voted by an "overwhelming majority" to accept the offer at 6:15 p.m. Some members remained at the county nursing home to complete the 3-to-11 shift, with a complete shift scheduled to work at 11 p.m.

"I think it's a fair contract for both the employees and the county," Mrs. Trump said. "We're all glad the strike's over."

While no estimate has been made of what the new contract will cost the county, County Commissioner Richard Cowan said he calculated that it amounts to annual raises of about 10 percent.

"It's pretty much in line with previous contracts we have negotiated with the union," he said.

In addition to the pay raise, employees will receive one additional holiday in each of the two years — the anniversary date of their employment in 1981 and a personal day in 1982.

Part-time employees will receive partial health and insurance benefits, pro-rated according to time of service; reimbursement for unused sick leave will be increased; a \$75 annual uniform allowance will be paid, and an educational benefit program will be instituted under which, for example, a nurses' aide could enroll in a practical nurses training program and be reimbursed 50 percent of her tuition on completing the course and the additional 50 percent after two years of subsequent employment at the nursing home.

Union members include licensed practical nurses, nurses' aides, cooks and administrative and house-keeping staff members.

During the walkout, which began Jan. 1 with expiration of the union's former contract, care of patients in the 111-bed nursing home has been handled by registered nurses, administrative personnel, a skeleton force supplied by the union, and a large number of volunteers.

"Without the volunteers we would have been in a lot of trouble," Cowan said. "The board (of commissioners) certainly appreciates all they have done, and I'm certain the staff and patients do too."

Sewer Rates In Township Are Increased

The Franklin Township supervisors have announced that sewer rates in the Bonar and West Franklin sewer districts will be increased in 1981.

Citing increased operating costs, the supervisors have raised the West Franklin residential rate from \$4.50 to \$7.50 monthly and the commercial rate from \$9 to \$15 monthly in addition to 60 cents per thousand gallons of water used. The flat rate will be billed monthly and the 60 cents per thousand gallons will be billed quarterly.

In the Bonar sewer district, the rate will jump from 60 cents per thousand gallons of water used to 80 cents per thousand gallons.

The monthly costs in West Waynesburg are necessary because of the debt service on sewer construction. There are no such costs in the Bonar district.

Damage Is Minor

Damage was considered minor and there were no injuries in a two-car accident in Waynesburg Borough parking lot number three at 11:06 a.m. Monday.

Police said Max D. Cox, 19, 132 West High Street backed into a vehicle driven by Kathryn H. Newman, 30, of Graysville.

Salary Schedule Adopted By County

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County commissioners adopted the county's 1981 salary schedule when they met Monday with County Treasurer Joseph Souders to reorganize the salary board for the coming year.

The schedule, which provides for annual pay raises of eight percent, was changed only to the extent of increasing the starting salaries in the lowest-paying positions to bring them into line with the new minimum wage of \$3.35 per hour. They had been paying \$3.10 per hour.

Joseph C. Pawlosky, as chairman of the board of commissioners, was again elected chairman of the salary board, with Commissioner Richard Cowan being named secretary.

The salary board is responsible for all matters involving the salaries of county employees. The three commissioners and treasurer are permanent members, with other elected officials becoming a fifth member when salaries in their departments are being considered.

The board indicated that it will be considering several

matters concerning individual employees in the near future, but did not specify what they are.

McCann Leaves Coal Association Post

Stephen McCann of Carmichaels has retired as president of the Keystone Bituminous Coal Association, effective Jan. 1, 1981.

John C. Shrivinsky, who joined the association as assistant to the president in 1977, has been named his successor.

The association represents the interests of a major portion of Pennsylvania's bituminous coal industry, including more than 90 percent of its underground coal production.

McCann, who has had a long career of both public and civic service, will continue to reside in Carmichaels, where he has made his home since he was a boy.

His public career began in 1952 when he was elected to the first of five terms as a Greene County representative in the General Assembly, during which he served from 1959 to 1962 as Democratic majori-

ty leader. In 1962 he was on the gubernatorial ticket with Richardson Dillworth as the candidate for lieutenant governor, and following that election served on the General State Authority, Joint State Government Commission and State Highway and Bridge Authority.

In 1968 he accepted a position as executive vice president of the Western Pennsylvania Coal Operators Association, becoming president of the Keystone Bituminous Coal Association some five years later.

As a veteran of World War II, with 42 months of service with the Infantry in the Pacific theater, he was active for many years in both the Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion, and is a past commander of both the VFW post and Legion post in Carmichaels, as well as having been active at the district

and state levels. He has also been an active member of the Carmichaels and Cumberland Township Volunteer Fire Company all of his adult life, and was one of the organizers 26 years ago of the Pennsylvania Coal Show, having held virtually all offices on the board of directors, including that of president.

He has also served on the board of directors at Greene County Memorial Hospital and is a long-time member of the Greene County Housing Authority, Greene County Historical Society, Carmichaels Chamber of Commerce and many other organizations, including a number of coal-related state and national associations. He was honored in 1970 as Carmichaels Man of the Year.

He and his wife, the former Eleanor Darrah, have a son, Stephen, and a daughter, Trissa Ann.



STEPHEN McCANN

Plans Announced To Control Emerald Mine Fan Noise

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — Plans to control noise from ventilating fans at the Emerald Mine in West Waynesburg were announced Wednesday by Emway Resources, Inc., new owners of the mine.

Emway is a newly-created subsidiary of Standard Oil Co. of Indiana's Amoco Mineral Corp., which recently purchased the mine from the LTV Corp., parent company of Jones and Laughlin Steel Corp.

Noise from the ventilating fans has been a target of com-

plaints for the past three years by residents of Waynesburg, particularly those residing on the north side. They have claimed that it gets so bad at times, especially during the summer when windows are open, that it interferes with their sleep.

George C. Trevorrow, Emway vice president and general manager, and James R. Morris, manager of engineering, said Wednesday that the company has employed an acoustical consultant to devise the best method of solving the problem.

"We will probably go with mufflers or sound barriers

which will collect and reduce the noise and deflect it to uninhabited areas," Morris said. "We may not be able to eliminate the noise entirely, but we feel we can improve the condition greatly."

The noise abatement work will involve two existing fans and a third one which is to be placed in operation by the end of the year, Morris said they hope to have the corrective measures completed by next summer.

"We were aware of the problem even before Amoco purchased the mine and felt that it needed solving."

Waynesburg Borough Man-

ager James Ealy, who has been working with the Emway officials, said they have been very receptive to ideas and suggestions which he and people who have been annoyed by the noise have been made.

"I'm convinced they are interested in the community and in being good neighbors," he said.

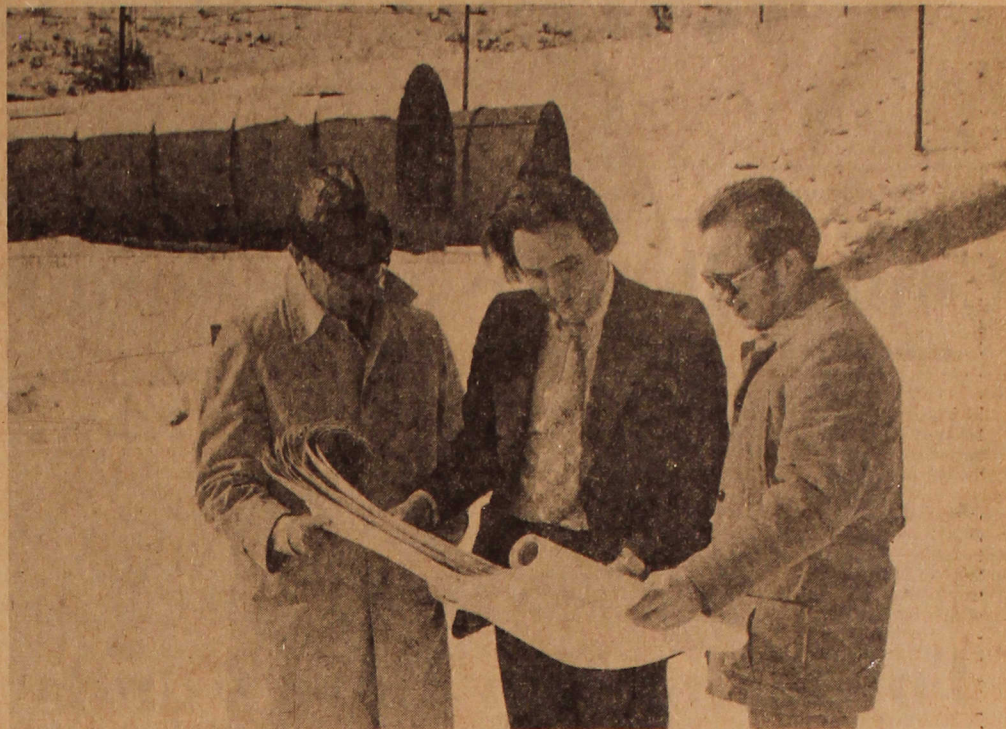
Morris said the principal offender is a pair of ventilating fans located at the main entry off Route 218, south of town. Even though the fans are aimed into the side of a hill, they are pointed in the direction of the north side of town.

"It's particularly bad on cloudy days. The noise seems to bounce off the clouds and come down in town. In fact, it doesn't seem to be much of a problem on a clear night," Morris said.

The other existing set of fans is located further south in "brickyard hollow," where it seems to be a problem primarily for people who reside nearby. The new fans will be located west of town. As development of the coal field advances, additional ventilating shafts will be sunk, and in each case they will be equipped to control noise as far as possible.

Trevorrow said muffling of the fan noise is just part of development work being done at the mine. He said the company is already considering the construction of the second mine which LTV had planned to build to utilize coal from the Emway reserve field which lies to the north of West Waynesburg.

"We have no timetable for construction of the mine as yet, but we are looking at plans," he said, adding that no decision on location of the proposed mine has been made.



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From left, George C. Trevorrow, James Ealy and James R. Morris look over noise control plans.

Recreation Board Eyes Warm Weather Season

WAYNESBURG — Although there is snow on the ground, the Waynesburg Borough Recreation Board is thinking of warm weather and how to finance the many activities scheduled for an eight-week period this summer.

A few years ago, the board sponsored a 10-week program but each summer for the past four years lack of finances has forced the board to cut back on the popular summer activity.

Most of the support for the playground comes from Waynesburg Borough and the Central Greene School District, which donated \$2,500 and \$3,000 respectively last year. Donations were also received from the Social Service League and the Twentieth Century Club last year and totaled about \$500.

Even with the relatively small funding, the board provided a wide-variety of events for over 160 area children each day. On the average day, 70 children will attend the morning session and 95 will attend the evening session, according to William Winters, playground director.

Local businessmen also provided support by donating materials and prizes for special events. The playground staff not only donated their labor on several occasions but maintained vending machines at the playground and supervised a bake sale, rummage sale and Rain Day booth in an effort to obtain badly needed funds.

In addition to the usual playground activities, the staff usually arranged for special events at least three times each week including trips to the zoo, a Pirate game or a museum. Participating children were never charged for the special events.

"The extent of the programs and the length of the season is guided by the amount of support we receive," Winters said. "Much of the work was done without pay on a volunteer basis but funds are needed for many of the events."

A new donor has been found for 1981. As the result of a daily population survey the past two years, it was determined some 30 percent of

those participating were from Franklin Township and as a result the board of supervisors agreed to donate \$500 toward the program this summer.

The recreation board employs five full-time staffers and one part-time employee who is usually a college student. The full-time employees are graduate students with degrees in a variety of fields including arts and crafts.

Committed funds will assure a successful program this summer but additional money is needed to replace worn equipment, buy new equipment, pay for field trips and prizes and to offset the increased minimum wage.

The importance of the summer playground can best be seen in the concern shown by a youngster last summer when it was announced the season would be shortened for lack of funds. "The youngster broke

open his piggy bank and brought his \$2 to me to keep the playground open," Winters said.

Winters is addressing local civic and fraternal organizations this winter and explaining the important role of the playground in the community. He has prepared a slide show of activities at the playground and is willing to appear and plead his program to any organization. He can be contacted by calling the borough municipal building.

"A full program at no cost to the youngsters is our primary aim," Winters said. "We have many children from low income families and they just can't afford to pay for the special events."

About \$6,300 has been promised thus far but to operate a full program for the entire 10-weeks the board must have about \$9,000 in its treasury.



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Police Issue Annual Report

CARMICHAELS — Robert Arameish, Carmichaels police chief, has issued a year-end report for the borough police department.

During 1980, police officers traveled 12,998 miles while investigating 98 complaints which included the following:

Criminal mischief, 14; burglaries, 4; traffic accidents, 32; theft, 9; missing persons, 2; drug overdose, 1; driving while intoxicated, 1; public intoxication, 5; underage drinking, 4; violation of drug laws, 1; assaults, 2; receiving stolen property, 1; runaways from Youth Development Center, 5.

The department also issued 41 parking citations, 185 parking violation letters, 10 criminal citations, 22 faulty equipment notices, 33 traffic warnings, 54 traffic citations and 2,630 parking violations.

Meter collections for 1980 totaled \$12,713.79 and meter fines were \$2,041.55. Police also directed traffic for 30 fire alarms, 28 funerals and five parades.

False Alarm

Waynesburg Volunteer Firefighters were called out about 6 p.m. when a West Waynesburg resident reported a fire in the neighborhood. Firemen could find no fire, however, and returned to the firehall.

Different Styles

These Waynesburg youngsters took advantage of a snow day away from school to do some sledding on a South Washington Street hillside Wednesday afternoon. While Jeff Blake and Hoy Hess are a mass of elbows and feet and seem in peril of going the rest of the way on their backs, Ernie Butler and his brother Cecil demonstrate the correct way to ride one of those things. It's all a matter of style.

Missionaries To Speak

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank Baggott, veteran missionaries on furlough from the Sahara Desert in Africa, will be speaking at several locations in Greene County this month under the sponsorship of the Released Time Bible Program.

Children and adult volunteers in the program have helped support the visit through weekly offerings during the past eight years.

The Baggotts will make their first appearance at 10:45 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 11, at the Pitt Gas Missionary Church at Clarksville to be followed by a 6:30 p.m. appearance at the Greene Valley Reformed Presbyterian Church at Carmichaels.

On Monday, Jan. 12, the Baggotts will be at the Graysville Elementary School auditorium at 9 a.m.; the

Aleppo Elementary School lunch room at 10:30 a.m. and the New Freeport Elementary lunch room at 1:15 p.m.

The Baggotts will meet the Nemaacolin Elementary School students in the Nemaacolin Union Hall at 9:15 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 13; the Jefferson-Morgan elementary students in the high school auditorium at 1 p.m. and will then attend a missionary meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Jefferson Baptist Church.

On Wednesday, Jan. 14, they will visit Carmichaels elementary pupils in St. Paul's Lutheran Church at 9:30 a.m. and then attend a covered-dish dinner at the First Baptist Church in Waynesburg at 11 a.m. Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish, salad or desert and their own table service.

They will end their visit

with a 7:30 p.m. service on Wednesday, Jan. 14, in the Faith Baptist Church at Lippencott.

Rink Opens

RYERSON — Ron Duke, superintendent of Ryerson State Park in western Greene County, has announced that the park's ice skating rink is now open to the public.

The rink, located near the park office, is open from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily for free use by the public.

Duke also announced that the park's new pavilion, near the swimming pool, is completed and reservations are now being accepted for this summer. There is a \$25 fee for reserving the pavilion.

According to Duke, the park's dam is also open to ice fisherman.

Barn Fire Damage Slight

AMITY — Quick action by volunteer firefighters from Amwell Township and Waynesburg prevented damage to a large barn owned by Dr. Grover Phillip located near the Washington-Greene County boundary early Wednesday morning.

The barn, located near the foot of the dividing ridge hill in Greene County, is rented by James Dulaney, 30, of Prosperity R.D.2.

Only a few bales of hay and straw were destroyed by the fire.

Dulaney, who lives in a nearby mobile home, suffered chest pains and was transported to the Greene County Memorial Hospital by the Waynesburg Company.

Damage in the fire was negligible.

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Critically Injured Need Quick Action

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. — Even before the ambulance arrives, the emergency and trauma surgery team of West Virginia University Hospital has begun preparations for quick action that can mean the difference between life and death for the critically injured person.

Alerted by the Emergency Medical Service (EMS), the team is already aware that the patient fell from a tractor and the vehicle ran over him. They know that he is having difficulty breathing because of massive chest injuries. His blood pressure is falling and he has a penetration wound at the base of his neck.

He has received initial care from EMS paramedics who put anti-shock trousers on him to compress the circulation in the lower part of his body and to restore blood volume to his heart and brain. He has been given respiratory support and is receiving an intravenous solution to compensate for the loss of blood. His external bleeding is being controlled.

"I don't think this patient

would have survived without the paramedics' initial care," said Kevin Farrell, assistant professor of surgery in the WVU School of Medicine, who heads the Emergency and Trauma Surgery Service.

"When the patient arrived, his blood pressure was very low and he was having difficulty in breathing. The anesthesiologists were ready in the emergency room and within 45 seconds to one minute he was intubated and his airway maintained," he explained.

"It was necessary to have a chest tube placed on the right side for a hemopneumothorax (lung collapse with bleeding). He had broken ribs and a chest contusion on the other side.

"We established several more large intravenous lines, including one to the right groin, and volume infusion was begun.

"We then went through the standard sort of priorities managements and resuscitation. Cervical spine, chest and pelvic X-rays were obtained and blood transfusions begun.

He also had a peritoneal lavage to determine abdominal bleeding.

"After he was stabilized, he was sent to the angiogram room where an aortogram was made to determine injuries to the major blood vessels."

The case described by Dr. Farrell is only one out of five to 10 seriously injured accident victims taken to University Hospital each month from north central West Virginia, western Maryland or south-western Pennsylvania.

In addition to those requiring intensive care, from 10 to 20 victims with lesser injuries are admitted each month, some for only an overnight stay for observation.

Although University Hospital has provided emergency and extended treatment for accident victims since its inception, it has operated its emergency and trauma surgery service as a unit for little more than a year. The service specializes in care of accident patients, many of whom have multiple injuries.

It also takes care of emergency surgery.

The team consists of two general surgeons, five house

officers and three medical students. It is only the directing authority, however, for the larger number of medical per-

sonnel who are involved in initial treatment and follow-up care of the accident victim.

Treatment of trauma pa-

tients involves the cooperation of emergency physicians, the ICU personnel and other ancillary services. It also uses a large number of specialists including orthopedic surgeons, neurologists and neurosurgeons, urologists, thoracic and vascular surgeons, otolaryngologists, oral surgeons and plastic surgeons.

Sometimes two or more surgeons may work simultaneously on the same patient — for example, neurosurgeons may concentrate on head injuries while general surgeons repair abdominal wounds.

"Quick response in the field, appropriate resuscitation and judgment of better trained paramedics mean that more accident victims are reaching the hospital with injuries that might have been fatal a few years ago."

"Because of the excellent job done by Walter Moran, director of the emergency department, in setting up radio communications and the command position at University Hospital, we have better control of transportation of critically injured patients."

"For example, not all patients are brought directly to University Hospital. Some may be taken to hospitals closer to the accident site and their conditions stabilized before they are brought here. These judgment calls are made from the command position."

"The emergency room physician is an important component of what we do. He's the one who sets up and gets it going. He operates the com-

mand position radio." University Hospital is the medical control for EMS regions six and seven, which encompass 13 counties in north and northcentral West Virginia.

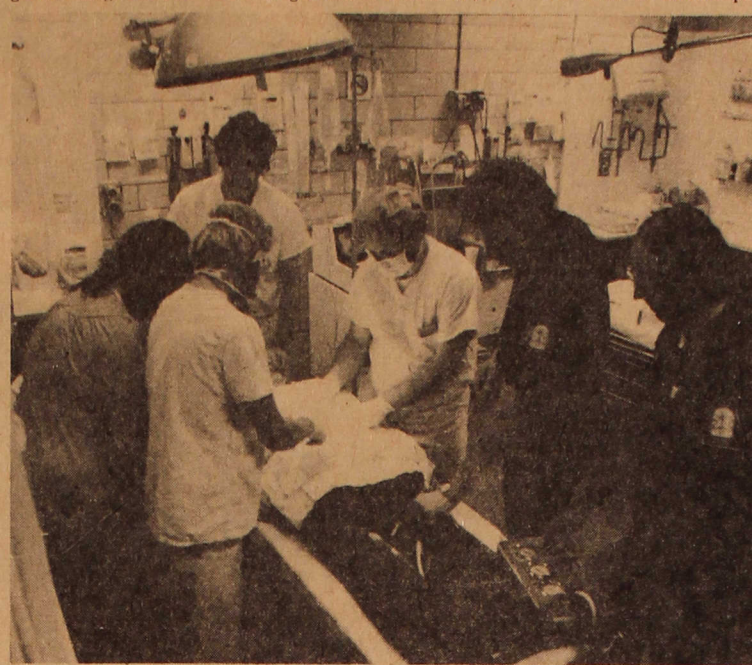
"The trauma service represents a dedicated team of surgeons," said Alvin Watne, chairman of the department of surgery in the School of Medicine. "Not only does it provide a vital service, but it is also a valuable learning experience for medical students and house staff."

"Trauma is the third leading cause of death in the U.S. next to cardiovascular disease and cancer. It is the leading cause of death in the population under 40."

Not only does the hospital have a specialized team to treat trauma, it also has the sophisticated equipment to support multiple organ failure which may develop in the critically injured patient.

Although the causes of multiple organ failure are not fully understood, Farrell said that hypovolemic shock, caused by loss of blood, and sepsis or infection are believed to be the leading contributors.

"The concept in treatment of multiple organ failure is to give intensive support for all the systems that are failing. Sometimes that's not easy to do," he said. "We can support coagulation failure with blood transfusions, nutrition failure with IV feeding, pulmonary failure with respirators and kidney failure with dialysis. But multiple organ failure still has a very high mortality."



Accident victims with multiple life-threatening injuries bring the trauma and emergency surgery team into quick action at West Virginia University Hospital. Here they work to establish respiratory support, control bleeding and treat the injuries.

Game Commission Gets 40 Hunting Offenders

WAYNESBURG — Pennsylvania Game Commission officials in Greene County were especially busy in December with over 40 prosecutions in Western Greene County alone.

During this past deer season, officers noted a heavy increase in road hunting. Information from the public was directly responsible for the apprehension of many game law

violators this year, according to Stephen A. Kleiner, district game protector.

Additional prosecutions are expected pending further investigations.

The following arrests were made: hunting without a license, 5; lending hunting license, 3; illegal deer kills, 3; attempt to kill a second deer, 2; loaded firearms in vehicles,

8; deer tagging violations, 10; shooting after alighting from vehicle, 7; shooting in a safety zone, 3; failure to show license to landowner or officer, 1; and illegal driving on game lands, 1.

"Officers were provided with a vehicle license number, vehicle description or names of offenders by the public, making several prosecutions possible," Kleiner said.

Roads Reported Fair After Heavy Snowfall

WAYNESBURG — Greene County roads were reported to be in fairly good shape Friday evening following the heaviest snowfall of the winter.

"We had all our men out Thursday night and Friday, and will be keeping crews working until midnight, so things should be pretty good unless we get more snow," a department spokesman said.

Mark McCullough, who supervises recording devices at the weather station at the Waynesburg treatment plant, estimated there were 4.5 inches of snow on the ground

Friday afternoon, which is a half-inch more than at any time during last winter.

"It was difficult to get an exact reading because the snow is light and has little moisture content and is blowing around pretty much, but the average is 4.5 inches. There was never more than four inches on the ground at any one time last winter," he said.



This house in Waynesburg took on a Hansel and Gretel cotton candy look under a layer of snow.



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Stacy Sue Summersgill And Douglas Clyde Lemley Wed

Stacy Sue Summersgill and Douglas Clyde Lemley exchanged marriage vows at a double ring ceremony at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, December 12, 1980, in the Bethlehem Baptist Church, Ruff Creek.

The bride is a daughter of Sally H. Summersgill of Waynesburg and John G. Summersgill of Prosperity R.D.2. The bridegroom is a son of Clyde and Betty Lemley of Waynesburg R.D.5.

The Rev. Ronald D. Evans presided at the ceremony, with Sharon Bailey as organist and Autumn Stewart and Bill Minor as soloists.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Jett Summersgill.

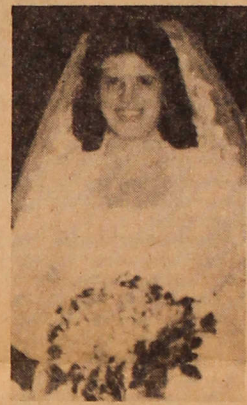
Cindy Bailey attended the bride as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Lisa Coss,

Helen Hopkins and Shelley Summersgill, cousin of the bride. They wore identical floor-length burgandy gowns.

Steve Lemley served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Pat Summersgill, brother of the bride, Ed Cross and Kirk Zollars.

A reception for 200 guests was held in the community building at the Greene County fairgrounds, with Louise Cooley, Liese Summersgill, Diane Headlee, Blenda Kerr and Stuart Summersgill as aides.

The bride graduated in 1976 from Waynesburg Central High School and is employed by Greenway Manufacturing Co. The bridegroom graduated from Waynesburg Central High School in 1973 and from West Virginia University



MRS. DOUGLAS LEMLEY in 1977. He is employed by Fairmont Supply Co. in Waynesburg.

Improper Car Search Charged

WAYNESBURG — A hearing was held in Greene County Court Monday on the petition of a Waynesburg man who claims that police improperly searched his car in connection with his arrest on Oct. 9 on drug charges.

Michael P. Jochynek, 23, is also asking that the court suppress a self-incriminating statement which he gave to police following his arrest, on the grounds that his attorney was not present when the statement was given.

David Clark, detective on the Waynesburg Borough police force, said that Jochynek was identified by George A. Riess III, 22, Waynesburg, as the man who furnished him with marijuana and other drugs which he then sold to a Waynesburg woman on three occasions in September and October. Clark said the woman had come to him in advance of the first sale to tell him

about it, which enabled him to obtain evidence against Riess.

Based on Riess' statement, Clark said, he filed charges against Jochynek on Oct. 9 and obtained a warrant to search his car. When he searched the car he found marijuana and LSD, he testified.

Clark also testified that Jochynek, after being arrested, was advised of his right to keep silent and to have his attorney present when he was questioned, but that he waived the right and gave him a statement.

Riess testified as a commonwealth witness, with his testimony corresponding with that of Detective Clark.

Jochynek admitted in his testimony that he had signed a waiver of his right to an attorney, but said he had told police he was represented by an attorney. He also admitted he signed a waiver of rights when he gave police his statement, but testified he did so only because "they said they were going to come into the jail and get me."

Clark, when called on rebuttal, testified that the only threat Jochynek faced was from his source of supply.

Man Is Charged

Charles E. Jarrell, 26, of Waynesburg R.D.1, was arrested by Waynesburg Borough Police at 11:40 p.m. Monday in an alley near the IGA Store at 174 West High Street. He was charged with burglary of the store.

Jarrell was arraigned before Magistrate John Watson and lodged in Greene County Jail in lieu of \$5,000 bond.

Police recovered \$171 worth of stolen merchandise. Entry was gained by breaking a glass in the front door of the store.

Community Events

SKI TRIP PLANNED

The Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a ski trip to Hidden Valley Ski Resort Friday, Jan. 16. The bus will leave the parking lot across from the Waynesburg Restaurant at 2 p.m. and will return about 1 a.m. Saturday.

Those interested in the trip should contact the Parks and Recreation office at 852-1171, extension 278. Reservations must be made no later than noon, Friday, Jan. 9.

GRANGE MEETING

The East Franklin Grange will meet Friday, Jan. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the grange hall along Route 218 south of Waynesburg. Paul Clutter Jr. will give a program on CPR during the lecturer's hour.

Livestock Prices

WAYNESBURG — The Pennsylvania Livestock Auction held its weekly sale Thursday at West Waynesburg. Prices brought:

Stock steers and bull calves, 200 to 400 pounds, \$60 to \$74 per hundredweight.

Stock steers, \$52 to \$70; stock bulls, \$40 to \$58; stock heifers, \$48 to \$60.

Slaughter steers: medium to good, \$55 to \$61.75; common to medium, \$48 to \$54.50; Holstein steers, \$45 to \$54.

Slaughter heifers: medium to good, \$48 to \$53; common to medium, \$40 to \$47.50.

Bulls: heavy, \$50 to \$57; light, \$45 to \$53.

Cows: stock cows, \$44 to \$51; utility, \$12 to \$45.50; canners, \$38 to \$43.75; com-

mercial to good, \$36 to \$44; cull cows, \$35 and down.

Veals: good to choice, \$82 to \$97; medium to good, \$70 to \$80; common to medium, \$60 to \$68; cull veal, \$60 and down; calves, return to farm, \$35 to \$90.

Chain Stolen

A logging skidder chain, valued at \$1,000, was stolen sometime between Friday and Sunday from the job site of Wilson Forrest Products of Sycamore R.D.1. The job site is located about two miles north of Mt. Morris on Route 30099. Police are continuing their investigation into the theft.



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New Year's Baby

Sheri Renee Robbins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robbins, of Greensboro R.D. 1, was the first baby born at Greene County Memorial Hospital in 1981. The six pound, five ounce infant was born at 4:13 a.m. Friday. She will join her brother Thomas Robbins II, 2½, at home. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William H. Robbins of Greensboro and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Skip Organt of Masontown. The baby was presented with a knitted-layette by Mrs. Veronica Kelley of Waynesburg.

Not A Creature Was Stirring

The brush of early winter paints a bleak scene along this hillside pasture in Franklin Township. Although it looks as though company is expected in the form of livestock with the round bales of hay waiting to provide feed, nothing could be seen moving in the lonely field when the photographer passed by.

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Faces From The Past—Do You Recognize Them



Their Final Walk

The last men to walk the old Waynesburg and Washington narrow-gauge railroad line within a few days after passenger service ended in June, 1929 were two Waynesburgers J. Warren Jacobs, left, and Guy "Moose" Manning both of whom are deceased. Jacobs was an internationally known authority on wild birds and raised birds at his home near the railroad station in Waynesburg. Manning was a skilled carpenter who often helped make repairs on the passenger and freight cars on the "Waynie."

Flood Insurance Mandate Leaves Little Leeway

The state Department of Commerce is making it abundantly clear that it can no longer permit local boroughs and townships to ignore provisions of the Pennsylvania Flood Plain Act if they have areas within their boundaries which are subject to flooding.

Those which are still dragging their heels have been notified they face withholding of all state funds, including their Liquid Fuels allocations and revenue sharing monies.

The state law specifically requires the department to inform the state treasurer when a municipality flouts the law, and also requires the treasurer to hold back all state payments until compliance has been certified.

It was enacted in support of federal legislation which makes low-cost flood insurance available to all residents of a municipality which has adopted regulations requiring that all new buildings erected in a flood-prone area be flood-proofed. Existing buildings would not be affected, but their owners could also purchase the insurance.

Intention of the act is to encourage property owners to purchase protection against water damage, thus lessening the demands on government for assistance when a flood disaster occurs. Municipalities have been slow to accept it because they are reluctant to place the required controls on new construction.

Four townships in Greene County were among 90 municipalities in Pennsylvania which were notified recently that they are violating the law and faced the penalty of having their funds withheld. As a result, Wayne Township has already adopted the required building regulations and Jackson and Springhill Township are in process of doing so. Undoubtedly flood damage which residents of these three township suffered last August had a lot to do with lessening of resistance to the controls.

This leave Dunkard Township as the only Greene County community which is still holding back. The supervisors there ran into extreme citizen opposition on two previous occasions when they attempted to enact the building regulations, and naturally they are very reluctant to do something their people don't want them to do.

But the more than 2,300 municipalities which have adopted the program throughout Pennsylvania do not seem to be having any problem with it. And it is of very definite benefit to people whose property is subject to damage from high water.

Considering the tough penalty they face for non-participation, Dunkard Township and other municipalities which have not as yet complied don't seem to have much of a choice.

Letterbox

To The Editor:
 My husband and I, for the past 13 years, have lived in the same house on the same street, and for the past 13 winters we have had a running battle with Rices Landing Borough Council about having our street maintained.
 They continue to fall back on flimsy excuses when in fact they have no excuse at all. Our street is a borough street, not a private driveway. For that reason alone the borough is obligated to maintain it and keep it passable sand safe in the winter.
 But for some unknown reason our street is always ignored, as though no one lived on it, when in fact there are three families.
 In past winters the street has become so bad that we would not get our cars onto it at all. My point then was "If we can't get on or off how could they expect to get an ambulance to us in case of an emergency or a fire truck to us if there was a fire." These questions were ignored and never answered.
 Why are we expected to pay a wage tax, which the borough receives a percentage of, when we have to maintain our own street? The percentage of wage tax that Rices Landing Borough receives from us personally should in fact be paid to my husband for the work he does on our street, which is legally borough responsibility.
 For example, on Jan. 3, 1981, my husband and I were both at work and the neighbors' cars were not on the street. When the borough truck plowed Millsboro road (which is the hill which passes our street) they passed our street as though it wasn't even there, leaving it untouched

with four or five inches of snow on it. They could have with no problem plowed the entire street, but for reasons unknown did not. So today (Jan. 4) my husband is cleaning the street with a snow blower and will spread ashes on it himself for our safety. This is the second time in a week he has had to do it himself.
 I could go on and on with examples, but I feel the points already made are good enough. I am hoping that some of the Rices Landing Council members will read this and stop to think. If they lived here they would expect to be treated like any other taxpaying resident, and so do we!

In 13 years I have made many phone calls and have been told someone would be out to clean the street, and no one ever shows up. If we refused to pay our taxes we would be fined and probably lose our home, so we continue to pay taxes and receive no satisfaction at all. We are either ignored or lied to, and in many cases are left feeling that we have no right to complain.

I'm just getting a little sick and tired of being treated like an outsider and a "nobody" in the town where we were born and reared and where we have decided to live and rear our own family. I'm tired after 13 years of phone calls begging for the same consideration that other taxpaying residents receive.
 I hope if any council members read this they will feel a little twinge of guilt. If they are human they will. I rest my case.

Mrs. Michael (Dolly) Koratic, Rices Landing Taxpayer



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

In Greene County, as elsewhere from coast-to-coast, gigantic suburban malls reflect the passing of many downtown, conventional department stores and specialty shops.

But Greene Countians, especially the senior citizens, are grateful G.C. Murphy continues to keep its Waynesburg store open for business as usual. To them, Murphy's is something more than just another store.

The generously designed and roomy structure quickly became a sort of social center after it was opened on the site of the former Grossman Brothers store which was destroyed in the Downey House fire in 1925. The High Street store was the best lighted and most spacious store in the county.

With no television sets to dispel their loneliness, Greene County farmers flocked to the county seat during the summer months to shop and just visit. They strolled along main street or attended the outdoor band concerts on the courthouse square. Many spent a pleasant evening chatting with old friends and meeting new ones as more people obtained a new car or a good, used Model T to make their trip to town only a few minutes instead of an hour by horse and buggy.

Besides supplying the town with the first city-style, five and dime store, the Murphy company hired almost all local employees to give an added dimension of its identity as a local business enterprise.

With no intent to be an imitator, the Murphy company used the same method in attracting rural patrons to the new store as King Louis IV of France, who was a weak ruler, conquered the nobles of

the land by erecting a "palace" where the real problems were solved.

The bright lights of the new store was the nearest thing to indoor sunlight most of the patrons had ever seen. The long counters of moderately priced merchandise were a delight to the hearts of the womenfolk as were the reasonably priced tools and work clothes were to the men.

Those were the days of the deep, economic depression of the early 30s and everyone appreciated the value of moderately priced necessities and the occasional costlier luxury items, along with lower priced candies and toys. All were deeply appreciated extras for those living on depression budgets.

The real secret of the popularity of the town's first urban store however was the subtle rapport which the firm's management maintained with its patrons.

No bearded psychologist was needed to realize that "shopping at Murphy's in Waynesburg" on Saturday night was a welcome and well-deserved escape from the loneliness which still prevailed in many rural sections before television and its Lawrence Welks saved them the trip to town for wholesome recreation.

Far from discouraging loitering in the walkways between the long aisles of merchandise, the Pittsburgh-based firm readily granted the store manager, the late John Stoup, special permission to widen the distance in the aisles because the patrons enjoyed standing there to chat and visit.

Many persons stayed in one spot for the entire evening and chatted with a constantly changing group of friends and

acquaintances that cruised from one aisle or one floor to another.

Others were more mobile and chatted as they "looked everything over" from the bed clothing, towels and household wares in the basement to the vast variety of everything from candy, auto accessories, postcards, etc. on the first floor to the curtains, shoes for the entire family, etc. on the second floor.

For the women, the chitchat centered mostly about house work and family affairs, including any new romantic affair in their neighborhood and the church and grange happenings in their village and far-flung rural neighborhoods west of Waynesburg.

The men almost invariably opened their conversation with the expression "Well, how's the world using you?" and the almost equally invariable response was "Oh, sort of old fashioned like, I guess."

From there it would veer to crops if they were both farmers or to jobs if they were construction workers or employed in the gas and oil fields and in later years to who had gotten a "good job" in Ohio but where both pay and the living costs were a lot higher.

A newcomer making his first visit to town would have been bewildered by his constant hum and occasional laughter coming from the long row of men and women leaning comfortably against the display cases.

The mood was one of complete contentment, of hard working, wholesome men and women having an enjoyable evening as they blended their chore of shopping with the delights of conversing with friends and neighbors in one of the most pleasant social ex-

periences of their day-to-day existence.

So great was the impact of the pleasantness that prevailed in Murphy's that the long time manager, the late John Stoup who was reared in the highly urbanized Pittsburgh suburb of Avalon, bought a farm himself up on Hopewell Ridge in Center Township and lived there until moving to Florida after his retirement.

His successor, Cliff Snowden also became equally entranced with the pleasurable atmosphere which the Murphy company created at its Waynesburg store by throwing away some of the restrictive regulations necessary in cities where there were more residents but not as many people—in the nicest sense of the word.

And for a closing comment, it's too bad that the television script writer who created that classic American folklore commercial never got to Waynesburg. If he did he could have expanded his jingle to have said, "Baseball, hot dogs, apple pie and Chevrolet—and Murphy's."

Marijuana Found

Robert H. Santee, 25, of Waynesburg R.D.2, was arrested by Waynesburg Borough Police at 10 p.m. Friday, on drug violation charges.

According to police, a small amount of marijuana was found in Santee's car after he was stopped for a motor vehicle violation. Following arraignment before Magistrate Ruth Hughes, Santee was released on \$5,000 bond.

A preliminary hearing has been scheduled for Thursday 8.

Citizens' Group Opposes Dam

WAYNESBURG — The steering committee of the Association for Rural Conservation (ARC) has voted unanimously to oppose any efforts to construct a dam on Enlow Fork of Big Wheeling Creek.

It is the consensus of ARC that the recent analysis of alternatives for Wheeling flood control exaggerated economic benefits, ignored environmental costs and failed to establish a source of funding of both project completion and long-term maintenance costs.

According to ARC president Marcia Sonneborn, it is the position of the association that the following facts were downplayed or completely overlooked for the purpose of arriving at a predetermined conclusion.

- Dam 648 would provide an unreliable percentage of flood control. This past August, Wheeling was flooded by a storm that deluged Dunkard Fork but not Enlow. The Wheeling Creek Watershed Commission (WCWC) admitted a dam on Enlow, site of Pa. 648, would not have stopped the flooding.
- Dams are not a permanent solution

because of siltation. The Ryerson State Park dam, designed to last 50 years, is already filled with silt after only 20 years. Dam construction provides only false security for residents below.

➤ Maintenance costs will be constant, annual, significant, and taxpayer-financed. In the draft agreement with U.S. Steel, provision was made for maintenance costs to exceed \$2 million over the life of the dam, and then only if there is no inflation for 100 years.

➤ Non-economic environmental reasons were neither prioritized nor considered. Their value to sportsmen and state citizens has been ignored.

➤ Eighty-nine percent of maintenance costs are to be born by "local sponsors." In spite of promises to the contrary, ARC sees no source for these funds except county taxpayers. Unable to fund proposed dam 650, it is unlikely the commission will be able to raise immediate maintenance funds, much less in the long-term.

➤ The Commission has failed to adjust flood control solutions to the signifi-

cant sources of flooding revealed in the Wheeling media in the past six months. These include a lack of zoning to inhibit flood-plain development, encroachment by construction on creek beds and runs; the blockage of natural drainage caused by the misconstruction of Interstate 70 and an outmoded and inadequate system that combines storm drains and sewers with already overloaded sewer systems. Without these problems being solved, Wheeling flooding will continue regardless of dam construction.

"In the interests of taxpayers, sportsmen and environmental concerns in Southwestern Pennsylvania, the ARC remains adamantly opposed to any alternatives involving a dam on Enlow Fork, and further lays the blame for any postponement of flood control for Wheeling on the shoulders of those who oppose such an impoundment," Ms. Sonneborn said.

She went on to say, "the ARC rejects the cost-benefit analysis of alternatives as narrow, biased and callous to the non-economic factors of concern in Western Pennsylvania."

Under The Dome
 Bob Eichenlaub

It came as something of a surprise when the Greene County commissioners announced last week that they would be holding weekly meetings rather than semi-weekly meetings, beginning in January.

For at least 35 years successive boards of commissioners had adhered to the schedule of getting together on Tuesday and Friday mornings to transact county business. It had been done that way for so long it had become a custom, if not a tradition.

Commissioner L. R. Santore first suggested the change, pointing out there really is not sufficient business to be transacted to necessitate more than one meeting a week.

He is correct. Most meetings can be concluded in less than 30 minutes unless some group or agency is on the agenda with a presentation for the board.

The twice-a-week schedule goes back to the time when none of the commissioners came to the courthouse except

for meetings. It was a part-time job and a semi-weekly appearance was sufficient to take care of any matters the staff might have to bring up.

In most ways it's still a part-time job, but in recent years the three members of the board can generally be found in their office at some time each day and are available to the staff and to anyone else who might want to see them about county business.

It's a very rare occasion when anyone attends a board meeting with the exception of newspaper and department heads who have matters to bring to the attention of the board. The sessions are generally brief and informal.

Under the new system board meetings will be held every Thursday at 10 a.m. On the rare occasion when a meeting can't be completed by 12 noon, they will be reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

In terms of its effect on county governmental operations and on public interest the change should be insignificant.

Sewer Service

Authority Okays Plan

WAYNESBURG — The Franklin Township Sewer Authority Tuesday night reorganized and then gave provisional approval to a plan that would provide sewer service to Mountain View Gardens, a new housing development located just north of the Waynesburg Borough line in Franklin Township.

Unofficial estimates indicate the developer would have to pay nearly \$100,000 to have sewage treated at the new Franklin Township plant. This figure includes tap-in fees estimated at \$67,500 and some \$25,000 for the construction of a gate valve between the borough and township sewer lines.

Tap-in fees are already established by the authority but it was not known how many housing units would be included in each of the six buildings comprising the development. For multi-unit buildings, the authority charges \$700 for each of the first ten units and \$440 for each additional unit.

The authority also made it clear the cost of constructing the value would have to be borne by the developer. Arthur Hall, the authority's engineer, said preliminary estimates indicate it would cost \$25,000 but the figure could change by construction time.

The developer would be charged the same rate as that imposed on other customers in the system.

Originally, the development was going to connect with Waynesburg Borough sewers

but the Department of Environmental Resources informed the borough their plan was over capacity and no further tap-ins would be approved.

With the opening of the housing development expected next month, the owners faced the possibility of halting the \$4.2 million project.

The development is expected to generate between 10 and 15 million gallons of sewage each year or about 40,000 gallons per day.

Should the gate valve system be constructed, the township can divert the daily output from the borough line into the township lines for treatment at the new plant. This would also result in the borough plant being able to operate at a permissible level and allow for building expansion within the borough limits.

In other action, the authority elected Charles Carpenter as chairman and Mark Morris as vice-chairman. Other officers are Thomas Albert, secretary and Jerry Hardy, treasurer.

Arthur Hall was reappointed authority engineer and the law firm of Hook & Hook was reappointed solicitor.

For the first time, authority members will be paid \$25 per meeting with the chairman receiving \$35. Also, the clerk will be paid \$25 per meeting. The authority will meet at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the township municipal building.

Richhill Township Assists PennDOT

Only one Greene County municipality is currently participating in a cooperative winter maintenance program sponsored by the state Department of Transportation.

Started in 1976, the quick-service program is designed to get snow and ice cleared rapidly from secondary highways by local municipalities while PennDOT crews concentrate on interstates and primary roads.

"In many cases, local crews must travel over state roads to reach their own local roads," said John Sokol, PennDOT's District 12 engineer. "By putting down the plow or turning on the salt spreader, local crews can clear our highways quickly and at minimal cost without slowing service on local roads," he added.

Richhill Township is committed to clear 25 miles of state highway. The township is reimbursed for their service on a dollars-per-mile basis.

Supervisors Adopt Township Budget

CARMICHAELS — The Cumberland Township board of supervisors adopted a \$450,000 township budget for 1981 at a special meeting Wednesday evening.

The real estate tax levy will be reduced from 11 mills to eight mills, which will include six mills for general government purposes, one mill for fire protection and one mill for new machinery.

The per capita tax was increased from \$3 to \$5, but all persons 65 and older will be eligible to apply for exemption from payment of the levy. No change was made in the \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half of one percent earned income tax or one-half of one percent realty transfer tax.

The supervisors will hold another special meeting at 6 p.m. Monday, Jan. 5, to organize the board for the coming year.

Greene County Township Boards Reorganize

Boards of supervisors of Greene County's 20 townships held their annual reorganization meetings Monday, electing officers, setting meeting dates, making appointments, and handling other matters relating to the start of a new year.

Results of the meetings in each of the townships:

ALEPPO — Howard Gallentine was elected president and Rex McCracken vice president, with Guy Ross being the third member of the board. All three serve as roadmasters. Shirley Cook was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and R. Wallace Maxwell was again retained as solicitor. The Gallatin National Bank was designated as the depository. Meetings will be held on the fifth working day of each month at 7 p.m. at the home of the secretary.

CENTER — Donald E. Main was re-elected president and Floyd W. Pettit vice president. Robert S. McQuay is the third board member and all three serve as roadmasters. Marjorie L. Bristol was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor. The First National Bank in Waynesburg is depository. Meetings will be held at the township office at 7 p.m. on the second of each month and at 3:30 p.m. on the 16th of each month.

CUMBERLAND — William L. Schifko was elected president and Thomas Skiles vice president, with William C. Groves again being named secretary-treasurer. John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor and McDonald Associates as engineering consultants. All three supervisors serve as roadmasters — Groves in the Crucible area; Schifko in the Carmichaels area and Skiles in the Nemacolin area. Philip Donaldson was appointed to the township planning commission to replace Monica Christopher, and Steve Morris was appointed to the Carmichaels-Cumberland Joint Sewer Au-

thority to succeed Richard Hathaway, who had served for 10 years. The First National Bank of Carmichaels is depository. Meetings will be held at 6 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of each month at the township building.

DUNKARD — Thomas Orban was re-elected president, Marvil L. Moody vice president, and Joseph W. McClure secretary-treasurer, with all three supervisors serving as roadmasters. The firm of McCall, Krill, Murphy and Stets was again retained as solicitor and the First National Bank of Carmichaels was designated as depository. Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month at the home of the secretary.

FRANKLIN — Ralph E. Porter was re-elected president. T. Reed Kiger vice president and road supervisor, and Robert K. Morris treasurer, with the position of secretary going to Leslie Smith, a non-member, at a salary of \$4.50 per hour. The firm of Hook and Hook was again retained as solicitor and McDonald Associates as engineer. Donald Forman was previously code enforcement officer but that position has been dropped. He was offered the post of sewerage officer but indicated he would have to consider it. Charles Bryner was reappointed to the vacancy board; John Blosser to a five-year term on the Southeast Franklin Water Authority, and Robert Teagarden to a five-year term on the Franklin Township Sewer Authority. The wages of equipment operator was set at \$7.25 per hour and those of laborers at \$6.55 per hour. The First National Bank in Waynesburg is the depository. Meetings will continue to be held at the township building on the second and fourth Monday of each month, but the time was changed from 7 p.m. to 4 p.m.

FREEPORT — Wayne Grim was re-elected president; Roger Bragg vice president and Sam Cunningham roadmaster. Lucille Haines

was again named non-member secretary-treasurer; R. Wallace Maxwell was again retained as solicitor, and the Gallatin National Bank was designated as depository. James L. Rogers is the sewerage officer. Meetings will be held at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays of the month at the home of the secretary.

GILMORE — Glenn A. Morris was elected president. James L. Shough vice president and J. Robert Rice roadmaster. Deanna Renner will continue as non-member secretary-treasurer and John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor. The First National Bank in Waynesburg is the depository. Meetings will be held at 7 p.m. on the first and third Fridays of each month in the Jollytown community hall.

GRAY — Paul E. Hennen was re-elected president and Oakie Staggers vice president. Harry Fletcher is the third member of the board and all three serve as roadmasters. Martha Bissett was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and William Davis was again retained as solicitor. The street light assessment was raised from 26 cents to 27 cents for the first 75 feet of property frontage. Gallatin National Bank is the depository. Meetings will be held at 7 p.m. on the first Monday of each month in the fire hall at Graysville.

GREENE — All officers were re-elected, with Gail Maser being named president. Robert Howard vice president and Lloyd Henderson roadmaster. Donna Stevenson was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor, with the First National Bank in Waynesburg and the First National Bank of Carmichaels being designated as depositories. Meetings will be held at 7 p.m. on the second Monday of each month.

JACKSON — John Pieson was re-elected president, Donald J. Crawford vice president

and Hallie McCollum Jr. secretary-treasurer, with all three serving as roadmasters. H. Terry Grimes was again retained as solicitor and the Gallatin National Bank was designated as depository. Meetings will be held at 7 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays of each month, unless it falls on a Sunday or holiday, in which case it will be held the following day.

JEFFERSON — Richard Faddis was elected president and William White vice president, with Carl Bane being the third member. All three serve as roadmasters. Dorothy Nelson was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and C. Robert McCall was again retained as solicitor. The Gallatin National Bank is depository. Meetings will be held at the township building at 6 p.m. on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month.

MONONGAHELA — Calvin G. Gallatin was elected president, David L. Brumley vice president, and David C. Malone roadmaster. Kenneth B. Tanner was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and J. William Hook was retained as solicitor. William R. Galanko was named sewerage officer and building permit officer. Meetings will be held at the township building at 7 p.m. on the first and third Monday of each month.

MORGAN — Isaac Gayman was elected president and Edward Burnfield vice president, with George E. Handford being the third member. All three serve as roadmasters. Frances Cipic was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and James Hook was again retained as solicitor. Gallatin National Bank is the depository. Meetings will be held at the township building at 7 p.m. on the

first and third Wednesday of each month.

MORRIS — Carl W. Hildreth was re-elected president and Donald W. Bedilion vice president. Floyd Dille is the third member. All three serve as roadmasters. Judy Moninger was again retained as non-member secretary-treasurer and William R. Nalitz was again retained as solicitor. The First National Bank in Waynesburg and the First National Bank of Carmichaels are depositories. Meetings will be held at the Nineveh community center at 1 p.m. on the first Saturday of each month unless it falls on a holiday, in which case it will be held the following Monday.

PERRY — Ronald R. Minor was re-elected president and L. Carl Phillips vice president, with Herman R. Kiger being the third member. All three serve as roadmasters. Wilma

R. Pyles was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor. Gallatin National Bank is the depository. Meetings will be held at the township office at 4 p.m. on the fifth and 20th of each month, unless it falls on a Saturday or Sunday, in which case the meeting will be held the preceding Friday.

RICHHILL — Harold F. Finnegan was re-elected president, W. Jack Whitlatch vice president, and Paul R. Day secretary-treasurer, with all three acting as roadmasters. Sayers Associates was again retained as solicitor. The First National Bank in Waynesburg and Gallatin National Bank are depositories. Meetings are held in the township building at 7 p.m. on the First Wednesday of each month.

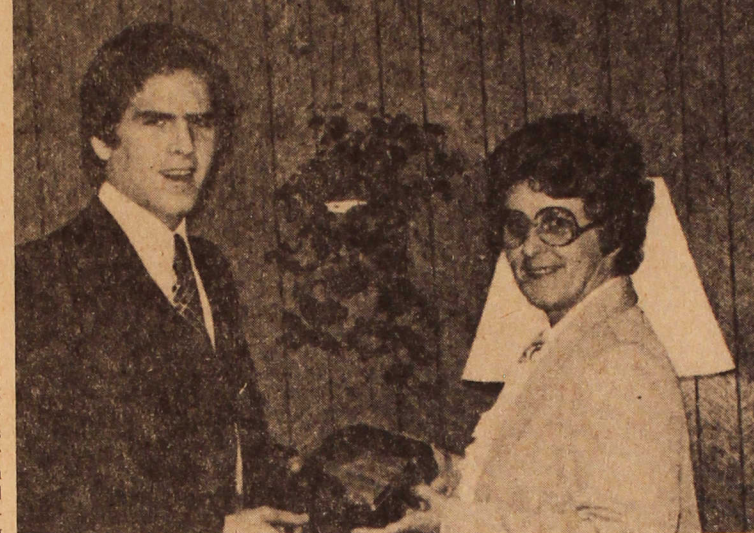
SPRINGHILL — Phillip G. Williams was re-elected president and Bruce D. Johnson vice president. George W. Johnson is the third member. All three serve as roadmasters. Richard Johnson was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and R. Wallace Maxwell was again retained as solicitor. Gallatin National Bank is depository. Meetings will be held in the home of the secretary at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Saturday of each month.

WASHINGTON — M. Wayne Miller was re-elected president, John C. Rizno vice presi-

dent, and Charles E. Tanner secretary-treasurer and road foreman. John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor. First National Bank at Waynesburg is depository. Meetings will be held at 4:15 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the township building.

WAYNE — George M. Adams was re-elected president and John G. Jenkins vice president. Robert Simpson is the third member. All three serve as roadmasters. Donna Simpson was again named non-member secretary-treasurer and H. Terry Grimes was again retained as solicitor. The First National Bank in Waynesburg is depository. The board announced that there is no township per capita tax, as had been incorrectly reported. Meetings will be held in the township building at 7 p.m. on the 15th and last day of each month.

WHITELEY — Robert H. Mooney was re-elected president, George A. Morris vice president and Raymond E. Clark roadmaster. Margaret P. Moore was again named non-member secretary-treasurer, Gene Mankey was again appointed to the vacancy board and John I. Hook Jr. was again retained as solicitor. The First National Bank in Waynesburg is depository. Meetings will be held in the township building at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month.



Carolyn McClure, president of the Intermediate Unit I board of directors, presents the award to Davis.

J-M Senior Gets Award

Dale Davis, a senior representative from Jefferson-

Morgan High School to the Intermediate Unit I Youth Traffic Safety Council, received the council's Member of the Year award for 1979-80.

Davis was chosen for the award by the advisors and consultants of the Youth Traffic Safety Council. He was selected because of his outstanding contribution to the council in achieving its goal of promoting traffic safety throughout the tri-county area.

Currently Davis serves as vice-president of the council,

which is comprised of student representatives from eighteen school districts in Fayette, Greene and Washington Counties. The council also includes an adult advisor, a safety engineer from the state Department of Transportation and a safety education officer from the state police.

The purpose of the Youth Traffic Safety Council is to aid in the reduction of the number of traffic accidents, particularly those involving drivers up to 21 years of age.

Raiders Claim CSC Title

By ROBIN ROBERTS
Sports Writer

CALIFORNIA — It was a five-point move that eliminated 24 teams.

When Waynesburg High School's Doug Haines put a five-point move on Elizabeth Forward's Mark Stivala in the final seconds of their 155-pound championship bout in the California State College Holiday Wrestling Tournament here Wednesday, he clinched the 25-team tournament for the Red Raiders.

Haines, a defending WPIAL champion, was hard pressed to score his 11-6 win over Stivala and the Raiders were equally as harried to stay just a step ahead of Chartiers-Houston in their drive for the team title.

Waynesburg entered the final and consolation rounds leading the Bucs by a 153-143 margin and each team had three individuals vying for crowns. As it ended up, all three of the Buc wrestlers, Phil Mary (105), Jim Vulcano (112), and Frank Vulcano

(185) came away with championship trophies, while Haines was Waynesburg's only champion.

The other two Waynesburg wrestlers, John Kuntz (138) and Bill Skelton (167), were unsuccessful in their quests for individual championships.

But when the final scores, including the results of the consolation bouts had been tabulated, it was Waynesburg which was at the top of the long list of teams with 165 1/2 points and the Bucs had finished with 163 points.

The two leaders were followed by Hempfield with 159 1/2 points and two champions, North Allegheny with 144 1/2 points and three individual winners and Canon-McMillan which finished with 86 points but had no wrestlers in the finals.

The Bucs' sophomore stand-out 105-pounder Phil Mary, won all of the hardware presented by tournament director Frank Vulcano except the team trophy. He was named the meet's most valuable

wrestler and was also given another trophy for the most falls as he pinned every opponent he faced in the tournament. He finished his tourney work by flattening Connelville's Greg Lizza at 5:13 of their championship bout.

Junior Jim Vulcano gave the Bucs their second championship at 112 when he scored an easy 6-0 decision over John Papuga. The third CH title came at 185 where Frank Vulcano was awarded a default over Dave Dillon of Hempfield at the 2:51 mark of their bout.

Haines, who was a runnerup in this tournament a year ago at 155, was trailing Stivala 6-2 early in the second period when the EF wrestler was called four times for stalling and the score of the bout was suddenly tied at 6-6. With less than 30 seconds remaining in the bout, Haines took Stivala down and was also awarded a three-point near fall which gave him the championship.

"The kids all just wrestled real hard in this tournament," said an obviously pleased Joe

Ayersman, coach of the Raiders, as he accepted the team trophy from Vulcano. "It's nice to see their efforts rewarded. This is a heck of a tough tournament. There are a lot of good teams here."

In other championship bouts: Dan Leaf of Mt. Pleasant (98) decisioned Todd Daum of Hempfield 3-2; North Allegheny's Bart Marrow (119) scored an 8-3 decision over Dean Sobersdoh of Connelville; Brad Duvall of Elizabeth-Forward (126) decisioned NA's Tom Kazora 5-3; Sean Braddock (132) of North Allegheny decisioned Mt. Pleasant's Jeff Grosser 9-3; Plum's Geoff Alexander (138) scored a 4-0 decision over Kuntz; Mark Wrigley (145) of North Allegheny became his team's third champion when he pinned Thomas Jefferson's Jeff Patrick at 3:59; Hempfield's Mark Kissell decisioned Skelton 5-0; and the heavyweight title went to Hempfield's Mike Kirkling who pinned Greg Planko of Greensburg Salem at 3:24.

Groundwork for the project was laid at that time and a complete plan drawn up by the Department of Community Affairs to include a ballfield, horseshow courts, playground, bike path, picnic shelter, and tennis court.

During the summer of 1977, with help from volunteers and community organizations, a play area was constructed on one portion of the property. Since then, no work has been done.

Council members noted that with the allocation from the county parks and recreation department and with volunteer work and contributions, the 11 lots behind the borough building can be turned into a recreation area for family use.

Robert Berryman of Waynesburg was retained as solicitor for the borough. The yearly retainer fee of \$100 will include attendance at the regular monthly meeting. All additional services will be based on an hourly fee. Wallace Maxwell, who served as solicitor for several years, submitted his resignation last month.

Council reappointed Claude

Recreation Project Efforts Renewed

CARMICHAELS — A playground and parks project for the property at the rear of the old Carmichaels borough building will be resurrected by borough council.

At the regular council meeting Monday night, committee member David Klimek reported he will meet with the Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation concerning an allocation that was to be made to the borough four years ago. At that time, \$10,000 was allocated to the borough for recreation purposes with \$5,000 to be in cash and the other half in in-kind services.

Police Chief Robert Arameish reported he is in the process of forming an auxiliary police force of volunteers with the approval of council.

Retainer Fee Listed

In Tuesday's article on the Carmichaels Borough Council meeting it was incorrectly reported that the yearly retainer fee for solicitor Robert Berryman was \$100. The correct retainer fee is \$800.

Fair-Georges—45

Thomas 3-8; McDonough 7-21; Martin 4-9; McCoy 4-12; Mickens 10-20. Totals: 28-9 (17) —45

Carmichaels—55

Nichols 6-16; Bill Connor 6-13; Bob Connor 4-12; Lechner 2-8; Ballinsky 1-8. Totals: 19 (17) —55

Score by Quarters

Fair-Georges 12 14 21 18-45
Carmichaels 12 13 13 17-55

Pioneers, 69-54

ROGERSVILLE — West Greene High School, paced by Jay Jones' 26 points,

Sports Summaries

South Park, 70-51

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg High School's basketball team led 29-27 after one half Friday night, but South Park exploded for 43 points in the second half and defeated the Blue Devils 70-51.

The Red Raiders of Waynesburg, now 2-9 overall and 1-3 in Section 9-AA-A, managed just 22 points in the second half, as South Park upped its overall record to 9-4.

Bill Grob led the South Park scorers with 22 points, followed by Tom Malush with 16 and Rusty Moore with 15.

Tim Winters scored 16 for Waynesburg and Brian Sommers had 13.

South Park—70
Warner 10-2; Grob 11-23; T. Detwiler 2-7; Malush 6-16; E. Detwiler 2-7; Moore 5-15; 27 (16) —70

Waynesburg—51
Sommers 3-12; Wassick 4-8; Neubauer 1-2; Winters 6-16; Conklin 1-3-5; Paugh 1-2; Jackovic, 0-1-1; Speelman 1-0-2; Krutke 0-2-12 (25) —51

Score by Quarters

South Park 18 15 15 28-70
Waynesburg 11 18 10 12-51

Officials: Sankovich & Desimone

Runners, 65-55

CARMICHAELS — The Fairchance-Georges Runners broke open a tight game in the third quarter here Friday evening to pick up their fourth win in five Section 16-A basketball games by defeating Carmichaels High School by a 65-55 score.

The Runners, who trailed the section co-leaders Frazier and Mon Valley Catholic by just one-half game going into last night's action, were tied with the Mikes at 26 at the end of the first half, but during the third quarter the winners outgunned the Greene County team by a 21-13 margin and were never threatened the rest of the way.

Carl Mickens took game scoring honors for the Runners, connecting on 10 field goals for 20 points. Pat McDonough had 16 for the winners and Bob McCoy had a dozen.

Three Mikes were in double figures, paced by Dave Nichols who had six field goals and four foul shots for 16 points. Bill Connor had 13 and his brother Bob chipped in with 12.

Fair-Georges—65
Thomas 3-8; McDonough 7-21; Martin 4-9; McCoy 4-12; Mickens 10-20. Totals: 28-9 (17) —65

Carmichaels—55

Nichols 6-16; Bill Connor 6-13; Bob Connor 4-12; Lechner 2-8; Ballinsky 1-8. Totals: 19 (17) —55

Score by Quarters

Fair-Georges 12 14 21 18-65
Carmichaels 12 13 13 17-55

Retainers, 60-17

MCDONALD — Waynesburg Central High School defeated Fort Cherry 60-17 in a Section 9-AA-A girls basketball game here Monday night.

Robin Boyd led the Waynesburg scoring with 19 points.

The win gives Waynesburg a 7-4 record in the section.

Trojans, 73-52

MORGAN — The cold weather didn't hurt Larry Romboski or the California High School basketball team last night as Romboski tossed in a career-high 38 points to lead the Trojans to a 73-52 win over Jefferson-Morgan High School in Section 16-A action Friday.

Romboski accounted for more than half of the Trojans' points while Brenden Folmar chipped in 11.

After holding a 29-27 halftime lead, the Trojans took command and outscored Jeff-Morgan 26-6 in the third quarter.

Keith Green and Kurt Virgin led Jeff-Morgan with 16 points apiece.

The win boosts the Trojans record to 6-5 overall and 2-2 in section while Jeff-Morgan is winless at 0-9 and 0-5.

California—73

Romboski 19-38; Folmar 5-11-11; B. Harrison 2-0-4; Sireel 1-0-2; Waller 2-0-4; Schaub 4-0-8; Husarck 1-0-2; Biltski 2-0-4. Totals: 36 (17) —73

Jeff-Morgan—52

Wolfe 1-4-4; Green 7-21; Virgin 8-0-16; D'Antonio 6-2-14; Brooks 0-0-0. Totals: 22 (14) —52

Score by Quarters

California 16 13 26 18-73
Jeff-Morgan 10 17 6 19-52

Officials: Davis & Hanna

Red Raiders, 58-0

POINT MARION — It was a good practice session for the Red Raiders of Waynesburg Central High School here Wednesday night when they defeated Albert Gallatin 58-0 to remain undefeated in Section 8-AA wrestling.

Recording falls for Waynesburg were John Throckmorton at 112 pounds; Ed Shriver (119); Dan Fuller (126); John Kuntz (138); Doug Haines (155); Bill Skelton (167) and Mark Moore at heavyweight.

Skelton and Moore got their pins in 45 and 46 seconds respectively.

Neither team had a wrestler at 98 pounds.

Waynesburg's Kevin Durkin had the closest decision of the night with a 2-1 win over Tim Chepes.

Waynesburg—58

Albert Gallatin—0

Referee: Constantine



CSC Tourney Champs

Pictured above are the champions of the California State Wrestling Tournament which concluded Wednesday. First row (left to right): Dan Leaf (Mt. Pleasant-98), Phil Mary (Chartiers-Houston-105), Jim Vulcano (Chartiers-Houston-112), Bart Morrow (North Allegheny-119), Brad Duvall (Elizabeth-Forward-126), and Sean Braddock (North Allegheny-132). Second row: Geoff Alexander (Plum-138), Mark Wrigley (North Allegheny-145), Doug Haines (Waynesburg-155), Mark Kissell (Hempfield-167), Frank Vulcano (Chartiers-Houston-185) and heavyweight Mike Kirkling (Hempfield). Waynesburg won the team trophy.

Observer-Reporter Photo

St. Paul's Has New Service Time

CARMICHAELS — The Rev. Paul Markovits, pastor of St. Paul's and Jacobs Lutheran Church, has announced a change in the schedule of services for the two churches.

At St. Paul's Church, located in Carmichaels, Sunday worship services will be held at 9 a.m. and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Plans have also been announced for several upcoming meetings and events at St. Paul's Church.

At 4 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 11, a meeting of Secret Sisters will be held in the Markovits home.

At 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 15, the monthly meeting of Lutheran Church Women will be held at the church, with Mrs. Mary Devecka presiding.

The annual congregational

meeting will be held after the worship service on Sunday, Jan. 18, with church officers to be elected for 1981.

Youth Sunday will be observed on Jan. 25, with young people taking part in the church services. A coffee hour will follow.

At the recent meeting of Lutheran Church Women, students in the church Sunday School presented a program on the birth of Christ, with teachers Sally Lacko, Diane Carros and Diana Crago in charge.

The Sewing Circle of the church presented the students with stuffed stockings and favors, and an exchange student from Finland, who is living at Waynesburg, spoke of her homeland and its customs.

More than 60 persons attended the program and party.

Around Greene

PLAN SKI TRIP
The Department of Parks & Recreation is sponsoring a ski trip to Hidden Valley on Friday, Jan. 16.

The bus will leave from the parking lot across from the Waynesburg Restaurant at 2 p.m. and return at approximately 1 a.m. Saturday. The trip will cost \$21 which includes lift fees, rental, a ski lesson and transportation.

Reservation should be made by calling the parks and recreation office at 852-1171, extension 278. Reservations must be made by noon Friday, Jan. 9.

MEETING POSTPONED
A meeting of the Good Cheer Bible Class of the Rogersville United Methodist Church which had been scheduled for Friday, Jan. 9, has been postponed.

SELF-DENIAL DAY
Members of United Methodist Women of the Bobtown United Methodist Church will hold their annual Call to Prayer and Self-Denial Day at the church at 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 9.

Mrs. Marie Ellenberger will lead a program on "Of Such is the Kingdom," with emphasis on children.

At 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, the church will hold its monthly fellowship covered dish dinner. It will be an evening of fellowship and discussion, with no official meeting.

MISSIONARY MEETING
The Faith Church of the Nazarene at Greensboro will hold its monthly missionary meeting at the church at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 14.

BAPTIST SERVICES
Dr. Stewart Johnson will begin a sermon series entitled, "In '81 — Go For It!" when he speaks on the subject at Sunday's services which begin at 10:45 a.m. Church school will begin at 9:30 a.m.

Former Student Now Supervisor

READING — C.J. Williams, a native of Canonsburg and a former student at Waynesburg College, has been promoted to supervisor of the Pennsylvania Game Commission's southeast field division which covers 13 counties in the greater Philadelphia area.

Until his recent promotion, Williams was superintendent of the Game Commission's training school for five years. He attended Peters Township High School and majored in psychology and education at Waynesburg College.

Williams served as a military policeman in the U.S. Marine Corps and then was employed by the Blaw-Knox Company of Pittsburgh.

He began his career with the Game Commission when he enrolled in the eleventh class of game conservation officers at the training school near Brockway, Jefferson County in 1962.

Williams served as a district game protector in Lancaster County for two years

and then was in a similar position in Bedford County for seven years. He was promoted to assistant superintendent of the training school in 1972, and then was named superintendent of the facility in 1975.

LOBBY SHOP OPEN
The lobby shop at Greene County Memorial Hospital will re-open Monday, Jan. 12, and new hours will be observed. The facility will be open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays and from noon to 5 p.m. on the weekend.

FREE LIBRARY FILMS
The Bowlby Library in Waynesburg has scheduled two films for children age 10 and older to be shown Tuesday, Jan. 13, in the library.

"Blind Sunday," a film telling the story of Eileen, a blind high school student, and how blindness affects her friend, Jeff, will be shown along with a second film, "Mighty Moose and the Quarterback Kid," a film about Benny, a 12-year-old football player who learns the fun of football is more important than competition.

These films are a part of ABC-TV's afternoon specials and will be viewed from 4 to 5 p.m. For further information, you are asked to call Nancy Amis, children's librarian, at 627-9776 or 852-1878.

GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY
The Cornerstone Geological Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 13, in the Waynesburg Borough Council Chambers.

TREE PICKUP
The Carmichaels Area Jaycees will pick up Christmas trees in the Carmichaels, Nemaacolin and Crucible areas beginning at 8 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 10. All trees are to be placed at the curb or roadside.

SPORTSMEN TO MEET
The Dry Tavern Sportsmen's Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 12, in the Rices Landing American Legion. Dues for 1981 are payable now and can be sent to post office box 65, Rices Landing, 15357. Checks for the \$12 dues should be made out to the Rices Landing Sportsmen's Club.

Mrs. Phillips was employed as a sales clerk for Stone & Thomas in Wheeling, W.Va., and was a member of Emerald Chapter 135, Order of Eastern Star in Waynesburg and the Gasco Club of Waynesburg.

She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Waynesburg.

McGalla
Mary Lou McGalla, 41, of Greensboro R.D.1, died January 2, 1981, in the West Virginia University Medical Center in Morgantown.

She was born March 19, 1939, in Mather, a daughter of Charles and Hazel Rock Sowden Sr. of Greensboro.

She was a member of the Mapletown United Methodist Church and was a member and treasurer of the Pennsylvania Coal Country CB Club.

Surviving, in addition to her parents are her husband, Andrew McGalla, and three nieces who resided with the McGallas for four years: Andrea Sowden, Pamela Sowden and Tamela Sowden; two brothers, Charles Sowden Jr. and Charles Sowden III, both of Greensboro; two sisters, Mrs. Robert (Shirley) McCarty of Davistown and Mrs. David (Karen) Wise of Greensboro R.D.1, and several other nieces and nephews.

Windows Smashed
WAYNESBURG — The windshield and driver's side window in a car owned by Christina M. Hughes of Waynesburg R.D.2 was smashed by vandals Wednesday.

State police said the incident happened sometime between midnight and 7 a.m. while the car was parked at her home.

County Obituaries

McClure

Ray McClure, 72, of 1135 Bonar Avenue, Waynesburg, died Tuesday, January 6, 1981, at 8:55 p.m. in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had been ill for five years and seriously ill for the past two years.

He was born October 28, 1908, in VanVoorhes, W. Va., a son of Wilda and Edna Strosnider McClure.

His wife, Julia Elizabeth Woodruff, survives.

Mr. McClure was a retired drilling contractor and had been associated with the family firm, the McClure Drilling Co., founded in 1941, along with his brother, Paul, and his father. He had also worked with the H.D. Freeland Oil and Gas Co. and had been involved with drilling operations in the Eastern United States.

He had resided most of his life in Waynesburg, with the exception of his early life in VanVoorhes.

Mr. McClure was a member of the Washington Street Methodist Church, the Waynesburg Lodge 153 F&M, the Valley of Pittsburgh Consistory, the Syria Shrine, was a lifetime member of B.P.O.E. 757 Waynesburg Elks, and belonged to several other lodges. He was a former member of the Pennsylvania Petroleum Producers Association.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George (Judy) White of Atlanta, Ga., and Ms. Jill Roy of Waynesburg; two sons, Edward M. McClure of Muskogee, Okla., and Harold R. (Kip) McClure of Washington, D.C.; four grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and three sisters, Mrs. Clyde (Helen) Porter of San Diego, Calif., Mrs. Richard (Thelma) Hughes of Orlando, Fla., and Mrs. William (Pauline) Weiser of St. Louis, Mo.

Two brothers, Paul and Donald, and one grandson, are deceased.

Phillips

Jane D. Phillips, 82, of Thompson Gardens, Waynesburg, died Tuesday evening, January 6, 1981, at Greene County Memorial Hospital.

She was born September 7, 1898, in West Virginia to Wilbur and Daisy Platt Cross. Her husband James F. Phillips died in 1963.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Lowell (Helen) Reed of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Francis (Betty) Hutchison of Canton, Ohio; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a brother, Bill Cross in Florida; and a sister, Mrs. William E. Love Green of Shadyside, Ohio.

A son, James R., died in 1974. Also deceased is a granddaughter, Penny Lynn Hutchison.

Mrs. Phillips was employed as a sales clerk for Stone & Thomas in Wheeling, W.Va., and was a member of Emerald Chapter 135, Order of Eastern Star in Waynesburg and the Gasco Club of Waynesburg.

She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Waynesburg.

Clayton

Roy T. Clayton, 77, of Waynesburg R.D.1, died Sunday, January 4, 1981, at 5:30 p.m. in the Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had been ill for two weeks.

Born in Washington Township, August 24, 1903, he was the son of the late Smith and Nannie Filbey Clayton.

On November 18, 1925, he married Sallie McNay, who survives.

Mr. Clayton was a farmer and a stock raiser, and a lifetime resident of Greene County.

He was a member of the Bethlehem Baptist Church at Ruff Creek and served as a deacon of the church.

Surviving in addition to his wife are several nieces and nephews.

A daughter died in infancy.

Mr. Clayton was the last of his immediate family.

Sabo

Pansy Ann Hawkinberry Sabo, 85, of Cameron R.D.5, W.Va., died at 1:10 a.m. Sunday, January 4, 1981, in Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glen Dale, W.Va.

She was born April 9, 1895, in Marion County, W.Va.

Mrs. Sabo was a member of the Christian Church and for a number of years worked at both West Liberty and Bethany Colleges in W.Va.

Her husband, Frank Sabo, died in 1954.

Rohrer

Mrs. Anna M. Rohrer, 78, of Castile R.D.1, Waynesburg, died Monday, January 5, 1981, at 9 a.m. in Greene County Memorial Hospital after a lingering illness.

She was born October 9, 1902, in Washington Township, Greene County, a daughter of George W. and Laura Rachel Ross Franks.

Mrs. Rohrer was a lifelong resident of Greene County. She had attended Grimes School in Morgan Township. Since 1928, Mrs. Rohrer was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Castile, where she had been a Sunday school teacher and member and for several years president of the Missionary Society. She was a member of the Morgan Township Society of Farm Women.

On October 26, 1921, she married R. Hudson (Bud) Rohrer, who survives. The couple had celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ruth N. Kohn Bissell of California; four grandchildren, John R. Kohn of Columbus, Ohio, Jeffrey L. Kohn of Mt. Lebanon, Mrs. Judith Ann Helzinger of Treve, and Mrs. Arlene Yerkey of Charle-roi; three great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Emma Fowler and Mrs. Inez Simmons, both of Waynesburg R.D.1, and Mrs. Bertha Young of Warren, Ohio; a brother, William Franks of Warren, Ohio; and several nieces and nephews.

A son, John Franks Rohrer; a brother, Charles Franks; and a step-grandson, Richard Bissell, are deceased.

Bayard
Lena D. Bayard, 77, of Waynesburg R.D.2, died at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, January 3, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born February 7, 1903, in Fayette County, a daughter of Daniel W. and Mary Roberts Darby.

Her husband, John R. Bayard, is deceased.

Mrs. Bayard was a former resident of Rices Landing and a member of the First Methodist Church of Waynesburg and of the WSCS of the church. She also was a member of the ladies' auxiliary of the Carmichaels Legion.

Surviving are a sister, Elfa Darby of Pittsburgh; a nephew, Richard M. Hayes of Mt. Lebanon; and two nieces, Jacqueline Everhart of San Antonio, Texas, and Elizabeth Bosley of Uniontown.

Mrs. Folman lived in the Millsboro-Clarksville area for the past 36 years. She belonged to St. Michael Church, Fredericktown.

Surviving are five daughters, Rose Ann, wife of Wilbur Hess of Cheektowaga, N.Y.; Mary Lou, wife of Adolph Amborski of Orlando, Fla.; Betty, wife of Frank Collage of Fredericktown, Dorothy, wife of Joseph Scarso of Savannah, Ga.; and Kathryn, wife of Robert Morford of Alden, N.Y.; three sons, William Folman of Waynesburg, Charles Folman of Akron, N.Y., and Robert Folman, at home; 12 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Kathryn Lester of Ithaca, N.Y.; and one brother, James Steinerchur of Drifting.

Her husband, John Folman, died in October, 1961. A son, Joseph Folman, died in July, 1968. A sister, Mildred Hollister, is also deceased.

Reinhart

Edward F. Reinhart, 86, of Jefferson R.D.1, died Friday, January 2, 1981 at 10:55 a.m. in Greene County Memorial Hospital, following a brief illness.

He was born January 20, 1894, in Jackson, Ohio, a son of Fredrick and Amanda Rice Reinhart.

His wife, Una Anderson Reinhart, died in 1974.

Mr. Reinhart was a retired coal miner. He had worked at the Vesta No. 4 Mine. He had resided in the Jefferson area since 1948 and attended the Jefferson Church of the Nazarene. He was a member of UMWA Gateway Local 6330.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. William (Dorothy) Malone of Carmichaels R.D.1; two sons, Robert Reinhart of Jefferson R.D.1, and Harry C. Reinhart of Orlando, Fla.; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

He was the last of his immediate family.

Hart

Lula Evelyn Hart, 91, of 20 Columbia Avenue, Cameron, W.Va., died at 11:30 p.m. Sunday, January 4, 1981, in the Mound View Health Care Center, Moundsville, W.Va.

She was born June 4, 1889 in Jackson County, W.Va., a daughter of the late George and Lucy Johnson Hart.

Her husband, Henry Hart, died in 1953.

Mrs. Hart was a member of the Mormon Church of Latter Days Saints in McMechan, W.Va.

Surviving are one daughter, Mildred V. Hart of Ogden, Utah; two sons, Charles and Leonard (Ben) Hart, both of Cameron; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Leichliter

Word has been received in Waynesburg of the death of James Leichliter, 61, of Waterloo Road, Akron, Ohio, formerly of Waynesburg. He died at 4:28 a.m. Tuesday, January 6, 1981, in Akron.

He was born November 17, 1919, in Rices Landing a son of the late Samuel James and Bertha Workman Leichliter.

He was a plasterer and worked at that trade after moving to Waynesburg in his early years. For the past 20 years he had resided in Akron. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Mr. Leichliter was a veteran of World War II, having served with the United States Air Force as a tailgunner on a bomber, and he also served in the United States Army for three years.

While still residing in Waynesburg, he was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4793 of Waynesburg and the James Farrell American Legion Post 330 of Waynesburg. He was a member of various social organizations in the Akron area.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Etta Miller Leichliter, two daughters, April Elliott and Melonie, both of Akron; three sons, David and Irvin of Akron and James of Columbus, Ohio; and a sister, Mrs. Ginger (Mabel) Kiger of Waynesburg.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Prentice Funeral Home, 1154 Kenmore Boulevard, Akron.

Folman

Mabel Rose Folman, 80, of Millsboro, died at 12:10 a.m. Tuesday, January 6, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital, Waynesburg.

She was born September 21, 1900, in Somerset, a daughter of Chris and Carrie Raymond Steinerchur.

Mrs. Folman lived in the Millsboro-Clarksville area for the past 36 years. She belonged to St. Michael Church, Fredericktown.

Surviving are five daughters, Rose Ann, wife of Wilbur Hess of Cheektowaga, N.Y.; Mary Lou, wife of Adolph Amborski of Orlando, Fla.; Betty, wife of Frank Collage of Fredericktown, Dorothy, wife of Joseph Scarso of Savannah, Ga.; and Kathryn, wife of Robert Morford of Alden, N.Y.; three sons, William Folman of Waynesburg, Charles Folman of Akron, N.Y., and Robert Folman, at home; 12 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Kathryn Lester of Ithaca, N.Y.; and one brother, James Steinerchur of Drifting.

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Cox

Millard (Jack) Cox, 58, of Waynesburg R.D.5 (Eastview) died at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, January 6, 1981, in his home. Death was unexpected of an apparent coronary occlusion.

He was born May 20, 1922, in Rogersville, a son of the late Walter and Bessie Shriver Cox.

He had spent all of his life in the Waynesburg community where he was affiliated with the First Church of the Nazarene. He had served with the Civilian Conservation Corps.

Mr. Cox was a veteran of World War II, having served with the United States Army in the Pacific Theater and in the Korean Conflict with the 28th Division, Company K, 110th Infantry. He was a member of James Farrell American Legion Post 330 and the VFW Post 4793, both of Waynesburg. For several years he was employed by the R.G. Johnson Shaft Construction Co. and in recent years by the Williamson Shaft Construction Co.

Surviving is his wife, Betty Swaniger Cox, whom he married June 20, 1944.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Jeffrey (Vickie) Wilson of Blacksville; three granddaughters, Marla, Genie and Michelle; a grandson, Jeffrey; four sisters, Mrs. Emerson (Audry) Moore and Mrs. John (Virginia) Rae Blosser, both of Waynesburg R.D.2, Mrs. Arden (Martha) Turner of Waynesburg, Mrs. William (Mary) Hopkins of Waynesburg R.D.6, and a brother, Herbert Cox of Waynesburg R.D.4.

A son, David W. Cox, a sister, Ruby and a brother, Andrew Cox, are deceased.

Beabout

George A. Beabout, 61, of Jefferson, died after a long illness at 1:25 a.m. Monday, January 5, 1981, in the University Medical Center Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was a son of Vesta Clutter Beabout of Waynesburg R.D.2 and the late Leo L. Beabout and was born November 2, 1919, in Nineveh.

He had resided in the Jefferson area for 27 years and was employed by the Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority in Jefferson.

Mr. Beabout served in the Air Force during World War II in the African and European Theaters of Operation.

He was a Protestant, and was a member of Filer-Sadlek Post 954, American Legion, Jefferson, and the Waynesburg Moose Lodge.

Surviving in addition to his mother are his wife, Louise McCullough Beabout, whom he married in 1946; two sons, Robert Beabout of Jefferson and Jay Beabout of Morgantown, W.Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Karvan of Nineveh, Mrs. Gertrude Hopkins of Dubois and Mrs. Lois Conaway of Washington; three brothers, Carl Beabout of Wheeling, W.Va., Reed Beabout of Nineveh and Earl Beabout of Marianna.

Two brothers, Wayne and Charles Beabout, are deceased.

Ireland

Lillian C. Ireland, 84, of Waynesburg R.D.2, died at 2 p.m. Saturday, January 3, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

She was born May 22, 1896, in Whetzel County, W.Va., a daughter of Samuel B. and Mary Elliott Taylor.

Mrs. Ireland had spent her early life in the Spraggs community, 20 years in Pittsburgh and the last several years in the Waynesburg area. She was affiliated with the First Church of Nazarene in Waynesburg and was employed by the H.J. Heinz Co. in Pittsburgh for several years before retiring in 1961.

Her husband, Albert S. Ireland, died May 28, 1960.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Pearl Burge of Pine Bank and Mrs. Walter (Mary) Kelley of Pittsburgh; two sons, William Ireland of Waynesburg R.D.2 and Ronald Ireland of Pittsburgh; 12 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Charles (Sarah) Ireland of Waynesburg R.D.3, Mrs. Pearl Schumde of Washington, Mrs. Floyd (Mary) Evans of Waynesburg R.D.6, Mrs. Blanche Sudar of Waynesburg R.D.4 and Mrs. Maude Lewis of Bluff, and several nieces and nephews.

Two sons, John B. and Walter C., two sisters, Emma and Grace, and two brothers, John and Clarence Taylor, are deceased.

Eddy

Bessie M. Eddy, 75, of Brave, died at 8:45 p.m. Thursday, January 1, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. She had been in ill health for some time.

She was born September 6, 1905, in Monongahela County, W. Va., a daughter of Scott and Amanda Karl Huff.

She had spent her early life in Fairview, W. Va., and for the last several years had resided in the Brave and Kutztown communities. She was affiliated with the Methodist Church.

Her husband, Simmie Ray Eddy, died February 21, 1968.

She is survived by six daughters: Mrs. William (Wildene) Brummage of Pentress, W. Va.; Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Walker of Brave; Mrs. Ruth Moore of Brave; Mrs. Vaughn (Jean) Bedlion of Graysville; Mrs. Jane Cole of Waynesburg and Mrs. Richard (Pearl) Stoneking of Waynesburg; four sons, Billy Dale Eddy of Waynesburg R.D.3; James Richard Eddy of New Orleans; Kenneth Eugene Eddy of Brave and Floyd Earl Eddy of Hundred, W. Va. Also surviving are 43 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

Seven brothers are deceased.

Balogh

Mary Frances Balogh, 63, of Nemaacolin, died Thursday, January 1, 1981, in the Presbyterian University Hospital in Pittsburgh.

She was born December 22, 1917, in Blairsville, a daughter of George and Frances Wright Artley