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A GOOD HOME NEWSPAPER

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County Raises Fees At Curry Memorial Home

WAYNESBURG — Private patients at the Curry Memorial Home will be paying \$100 a month more for health care after March 1. After hearing the audit report for the nursing home Thursday night, the county commissioners voted to raise the monthly fee for skilled nursing care from \$1,500 to \$1,600 per month. Private patients receiving intermediate-level care will pay \$1,450 instead of \$1,350.

The annual audit report presented by John Milinovich of Milinovich and Co., Waynesburg, included a recommendation for the fee increase to assure that maximum reimbursement would con-

tinue for patients covered by the Medical Assistance (MA) program.

There are 11 private-paying patients in the nursing home and 100 MA patients.

Milnovich explained that private pay rates must be high enough to cover the cost of patient care if MA payments are to keep pace with rising costs.

Milnovich said the cost of operating the county nursing home was \$1,945,223 in 1980, an increase of \$205,000 over 1979. The reimbursement received under the Medical Assistance program had increased by about \$300,000. As a result, county funds required for the operation

were reduced from \$377,293 in 1979 to \$277,847 in 1980.

This is the first time the annual audit has been completed during the first quarter of the year, and as a result the county will receive its 1980 MA reimbursement later this year, rather than in 1982, providing the county with a double payment in 1981.

The commissioners have decided to stick to traditional medical-insurance coverage for county employees rather than venturing into a Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) which the Centerville Clinic is attempting to establish.

The Centerville health care delivery system, which was first proposed to the commissioners last November, would be set up to provide its members, who would pay a monthly fee, with a complete program of health and medical services which would be provided by physicians employed by the clinic. It would involve Centerville Clinic facilities, including those in Waynesburg and Carmichaels, as well as cooperating hospitals.

L. Burton Page, HMO project director, said rates would be competitive with traditional insurers and would provide the same range of services, except

that emphasis would be on early diagnosis and outpatient care as a means of reducing higher-cost inpatient hospital care.

The commissioners indicated at their meeting Thursday that they have reviewed the proposal and have decided against county participation, primarily because they feel the county's present health care program county is satisfactory. Blue Cross and Blue Shield have held the county medical insurance coverage for many years.

Lydia Aston of Greensboro, administrator of the Southeast Greene County Health Center, met with the com-

missioners to again request county endorsement of the agency's application to the National Health Service Corps (NHSC) for the assignment of two NHSC physicians, rather than one physician and a nurse practitioner.

After the first request for endorsement was made in January, the commissioners referred it to George K. Stennett, county development director, for a recommendation. They said Thursday that the supportive letter will be forthcoming within the next few days.

The commissioners appointed Myra J. Gibson of New Freeport to the board of directors of the Washington-Greene Drug and Alcohol Planning Council.

Gas Well On College Campus Begins Operation

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg College Wednesday tapped a significant source of savings in terms of both

energy and money.

With the twist of a pipe wrench, President Joseph Marsh opened a valve which

started methane gas pouring into the transmission system of Equitable Gas Co. from the college's well on Purman Run,

just north of the football practice field.

The methane, a major component of natural gas, is being recovered from coal seams owned by the college. It will be transported through Equitable's distribution line to campus buildings where it will be used as a supplement to natural gas for heating. Any production in excess of the college's requirement will be purchased by Equitable.

The well is the product of cooperative efforts of the college, Equitable Gas, the Department of Energy and the Appalachian Regional Commission. It could point the way to a valuable source of supplemental gas energy for the future.

"This is a project with a public purpose," C.B. (Pete) Stoy, Waynesburg College vice president for business and finance said. "We hope our experience will be beneficial to others across the country who may have the same kind of opportunity."

John B. Caldwell, executive vice president of Equitable Gas, said the company became involved because "we are interested in promoting

the advancement of methane recovery techniques. We feel that methane, which exists in abundance in this country in combination with vast coal reserves, will supplement conventional natural gas supplies in the future."

The Waynesburg project, which got underway almost three years ago, has several unique features which make it a first in the United States. The first of these is the technique employed.

A single vertical well was drilled using a multiple seam completion process to recover methane from up to three coal beds, including the Pittsburgh and Upper Freeport seams. While the multiple completion technique has been used for many years in the oil and gas industry, the Waynesburg project is the first to use that technique for the production of methane gas from multiple coal seams.

More than a million cubic feet of nitrogen mixed with water was pumped into the 1,475-foot-deep bore in order to fracture the multiple coal seams and release the trapped gas.

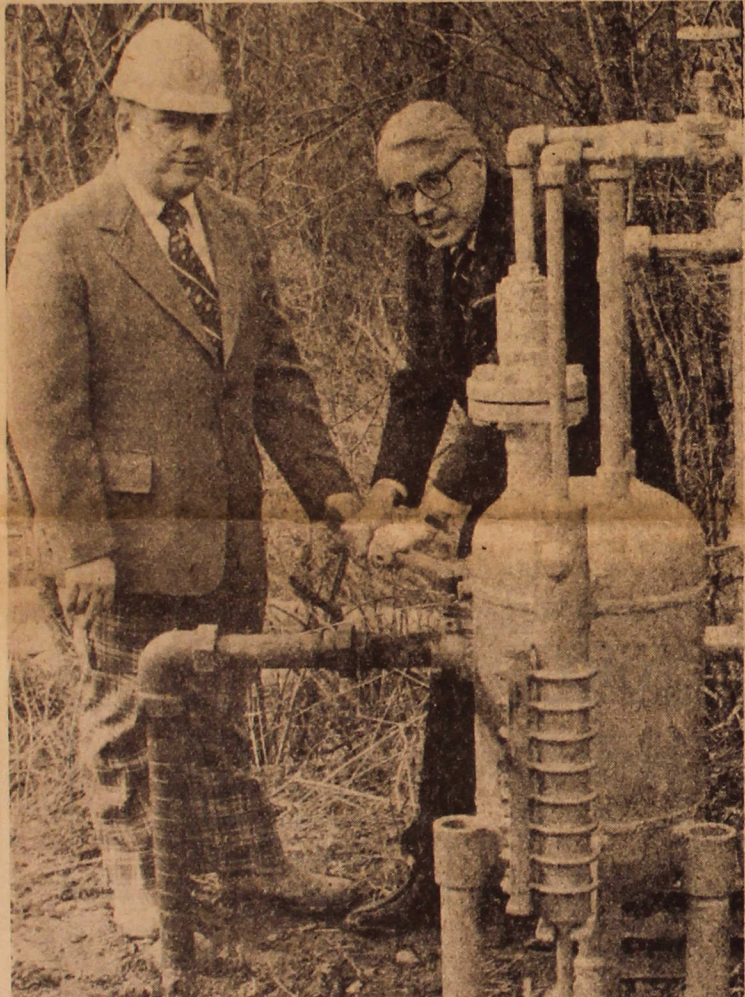
Another unique feature is

the linkage with the Equitable Gas system. In addition to transporting the methane produced to college facilities and purchasing any excess production, Equitable has in-

stalled a meter and necessary regular facilities, as well as odorizing equipment.

A pump jack has been placed on the bore hole to pump water from the well,

thus permitting the gas to come to the surface, where it is channeled through the metering station along the Purman Run road and into an Equitable line.



Waynesburg College President Joseph Marsh, right, and Harry (Mike) Gardner of Equitable Gas activate college gas well.

Apartment Construction Plans Receive Conditional Approval

WAYNESBURG — Plans for construction of a 75-unit complex of family apartment units in Carmichaels were given conditional approval Wednesday by the Greene County Planning Commission.

The combination of garden apartments and town houses is to be built on the Ceylon Road on 7.5 acres of land purchased from Robert Bell by the National Development Corp., Pittsburgh.

It is to be a Section 8 development to provide housing for moderate and low-income families. James A. Cortese, vice president of National Development, said he expects to close the transaction with the Department of Housing and Urban Development on Feb. 25.

Cortese said the development will cost some \$4 million. He hopes to start work in early spring and complete the project within 12 months. It will include 20 one-bedroom apartments, 45 two-bedroom apartments and 10 three-bedroom apartments and will be known as Parkview Knoll.

was considerable discussion concerning the access road, which would remain a private road, and other required permits.

Cortese said he had reviewed the county subdivision ordinance, would comply with all of its provisions, and would be able to provide all necessary documentation before construction begins. The planning commission approved the plan with the stipulation that no construction can start until all necessary permits and guarantees have been obtained.

Final approval was given to subdivision of the Jack Stanley property adjoining the Greene Plaza on Route 21, east of Waynesburg, insofar as tracts to be used for construction of a drive-in bank and a Burger King Restaurant are concerned.

The county solicitor will be consulted with regard to procedures which should be taken in two matters brought before the planning commission. One involves two houses which were built in the Earl Szojka Plan in Jefferson Township without a subdivision plan, and with regard to failure of

the owners of the Osborne Mobile Home Park in Carmichaels to comply with a request for a survey to determine if three of the mobile homes are properly placed on the lots.

Roy Remington of Clarksburg was re-elected chairman of the planning commission, with Robert Lang of Waynesburg being elected vice president and H.B. Arrison of Mt. Morris, secretary-treasurer.

Remington took note of a letter to the editor published recently by Rices Landing Borough Council which took the planning commission to task for its handling of the Voigt mobile home case, in which charges have been brought against the owner of the trailer for non-compliance with county subdivision regulations.

He said there were several factual errors in the letter, but declined to speak to specifics because the case is currently pending in the Greene County Court.

"It would be inappropriate at this time to respond to the letter, but when it is possible to do so we will take exception to some of the specific allegations," he said.

Court Refuses New Trial Bid

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Court has refused to grant a new trial in a case in which three Washington County residents were found guilty of aggravated assault, despite the fact that one of the witnesses testified that he, and not the defendants, was guilty of the crime.

A criminal court jury in August 1980 found that Dale Angelo and Arthur Harris, both of California, and Janet McGavitt of Coal Center were guilty of assaulting Michael Gene Eloschway, 20, of Coal Center.

The incident happened April 28, 1980, at a mobile home at Clarksburg where Eloschway was living. He was beaten to the point where he was hospitalized for a week following the assault.

During the trial, Kenneth P. Pierce Jr., 20, Volant, testified that he had administered the beating and that none of the defendants was involved. The jury, however, discounted his story and found all three defendants guilty.

In appealing for judgement notwithstanding the verdict and for a new trial, the attorney for the three defendants contended the commonwealth had failed to prove its case, particularly in light of Pierce's story. The court, however, agreed with the commonwealth's position that the case came down to the credibility of witnesses; and that the jury was within its authority in electing to believe Eloschway's story about who had assaulted him.

In dismissing the petition by the defendants the court directed that they appear in court next month for sentencing.

Ironically, at the time of the trial the court ordered that Pierce be arrested and charged on the basis of his "confession" and he is currently scheduled for trial dur-

ing the term of court which opened Monday.

On Monday, the court signed an order to bring him to Greene County from the Washington County jail, where he is serving a sentence for disposition of the aggravated assault charge.

Franklin Supervisors Settle Sewer Dispute

WAYNESBURG — The Franklin Township Supervisors Monday afternoon settled a long-disputed damage claim with a sewer contractor, received a good report card on their audit and explained to residents they had no authority to prevent a health center from being constructed in the township.

On the recommendation of their solicitor, the supervisors approved a \$2,500 offer from Massaro Construction Company to pay for damages to a township road. The contractor was held responsible for damages done by heavy-duty trucks hauling fill dirt from the sewage treatment plant site to a private landowner north of Route 188.

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Grim who live on Colonial Drive in the Colonial Plan housing development told the supervisors they and other residents in the development have received letters about the possible construction of a health care facility near their homes.

Claiming the majority of the residents were opposed to such plans, the Grims asked the supervisors if they had any control over the project. They were informed that since the

township had no zoning or land-use ordinance the township had no power to intercede.

Grim said the letter revealed that an architectural firm from Uniontown and Fairchance Lumber Company were the prime movers in the proposed health care construction.

William Hook, township so-

licitor, told the residents they would have to pursue their protest through private channels or through possible deed restrictions on the property.

James Milinovich, of Milinovich & Co. auditing firm, presented the 1980 audit and said there were no areas of concern and the audit revealed a sound fiscal operation during the year.

Facade Architect In Town Friday

WAYNESBURG — The architect responsible for designing the building facades along High Street for the Waynesburg Economic Revitalization Project (WERC), A. Richard Gance of Pittsburgh, will be in Waynesburg on Friday, Feb. 27, to confer with property owners in the project area.

Frances Tompkins, executive director of WERC, said the purpose of Gance's conferences with property owners and tenants is to exchange ideas for the facade designs and to answer any questions about the architectural aspects of the project.

Ideas and suggestions discussed at this preliminary meeting will be incorporated into the architect's plans, which should be completed sometime in April.

Mrs. Tompkins said WERC has invited all property owners in the project area to arrange a time between 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Friday at the WERC office in the borough building to meet with Mr. Gance.

Owners or other persons interested in talking with Mr. Gance should contact the WERC office by Thursday, Feb. 26, by calling 627-8331.



A Burst Of Light

Spring mornings should be so beautiful as the rising sun hits the branches of trees and bushes come to life with new leaves. Make believe this picture represents such a burst of glorious light. It doesn't. As we all know, spring is still a dream in the future. This shot is of a spotlight illuminating the branches of a bush near a Waynesburg College building.

Observer-Reporter Photo By Christie Moizon

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly

Pastor's Trip From India

By CHRISTIE RAITT MOLZON
Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — Padre I.B. Dass' first trip to the United States has become more of a homecoming than a visit. Both chance encounters and help from readers of the Observer-Reporter have led to reunions with some of his old friends.

A minister from the Church of North India in Mussooree, Padre Dass came to this country to visit his son, never realizing how many old friends he would run into.

During an interview last month, he told of his coming to Greene County to preach in several local parishes and visit with the Rev. and Mrs. Francis Browne of Rices Landing. The article in the Observer-Reporter told of his discovery that two Waynesburg women had studied at the Woodstock School in his hometown in India. And there have been other discoveries.

While traveling with friends in Ft. Worth, Texas, Padre Dass flagged down a car when he recognized its two occupants. There, on a busy street, he had a joyful reunion with two people who had lived in Mussooree.

He had a similar experience while speaking at Washington & Jefferson College. In the audience was an Indian student he recognized from Woodstock.

Dass came here thinking the Brownes were the only local people familiar with the Woodstock School since Mrs. Browne had gone to school there and Rev. Browne was the school's chaplain. But he later met Pam Abbe of Waynesburg who had been a student at Woodstock in 1971, arriving a month after the Brownes left, and learned that Colleen Connor, also of Waynesburg, studied there in 1975.

Two women who saw the article in the Observer-Reporter also contacted Dass. Blanche Sample of Venetia visited him last week. Miss Sample had done missionary work for 36 years in Dass' country and spent the last four years as a dormitory director at Woodstock, where she met the Brownes.

Over the weekend a woman from New York called the Rev. Robert Borland residence where Padre Dass has stayed. Mrs. Bessie Lehman who, along with her husband, had lived at Mussooree for three years in the 1960's and from 1970-79, had received the article on Padre Dass and arrangements were made to have him stop in New York for a short visit before flying home next week.

Dass has enjoyed meeting so many old friends but he laughs while telling what happens when he does. Throwing up his hands to show a big bear hug, he exclaims, "they just grab me."

- Sunday Romans 12:13-18
- Monday Philipians 4:2-7
- Tuesday Mark 9:42-50
- Wednesday Zechariah 9:9-10
- Thursday II John 7-11
- Friday I Corinthians 7:12-16
- Saturday II Corinthians 13:5-11



LOOK INTO A MIRROR

Some people claim that they can match husbands and their wives in any large group. It is true that many couples seem to resemble each other the longer they live together.

Children often resemble their parents both in looks and actions. Although many times parents may hesitate to acknowledge it, children's actions, moods, speech and attitudes are often merely reflections of our own. We need not look into a mirror to observe our likeness. Watch the children. They are miniature replicas of us.

Among humans this tendency to imitate may not always be for the good. But the Heavenly Father wants His children to be like Him. He has given us an example to follow. Our lives should reflect the actions, talk and attitudes of Jesus Christ. The more time we spend worshipping Him, the better replicas of Him we become. That is a good reason for worshipping together this week.



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Marriage Vows In West Union

WEST UNION — Ruth E. Loughman of Sycamore R.D.1 and Peter Ferrari of 166 Colonial Drive, Waynesburg, were united in marriage February 6, 1981, in the West Union Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Robert E. Borland officiated at the 7:30 p.m. single ring ceremony attended by members of the immediate families.

The bride was given in marriage by her son, David L. Loughman. She wore a silver gray suit with white accessories and her flowers were white carnations. She was attended by her daughter, Ruth E. Loughman. Dr. Ronald J. Ferrari attended his father as best man.

A reception was held in the social room of the church immediately following the ceremony. Out of town guests were present from Heidelberg and Mentor, Ohio. A second reception, planned by the Senior Citizens, was held Feb 13 at the Senior Citizen Center in Waynesburg.

The couple plan a trip to Florida in March.

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GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

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

Stage Band Festival

WAYNESBURG — The annual Stage Band Festival at Waynesburg Central High School will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 4, in the school auditorium.

Gene C. Cappellini, director of music at Waynesburg Central, said this year's festival will feature stage bands from five schools.

In addition to Waynesburg, stage bands participating will be from West Greene High, Trinity, Morgantown, High, and Keystone Oaks.

Tickets are available from any stage band member or at the door the night of the festival. Children under 12 years of age will be admitted without charge.

Painting Workshop

CARMICHAELS — The Greene County Council on the Arts will sponsor a one-day workshop on rosemaling to be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 28 at the Greene Academy in Carmichaels.

Rosemaling, flower painting, is a form of Norwegian folk art which dates back to the early 1700s. The workshop will be taught by Karen Rudy of Midway, who specializes in tole and decorative paintings. She is one of the few artists in this area practicing the graceful art of rosemaling.

Fee for the class is \$10 and materials should cost about \$10 also. Painting supplies included will be a 12-inch round basswood plate already prepared for painting, oil paints and color mixing instructions and patterns.

Painters will need to bring their own pallet, turpentine and No. 2 and No. 4 flat brushes, No. 1 round brush and a liner. Brushes may be ordered in advance. Participants are reminded to bring a sack lunch.

Pre-registration must be made no later than March 7 by calling 966-2731 or 883-2815 or by writing to the Greene County Council on the Arts, Box 309, Carmichaels, Pa. 15320.



ENGAGED — The engagement of Brenda M. Smith and John L. Behm is announced by their parents Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith of Prosperity R.D.2 and Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Behm of Jefferson. Brenda is a graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is attending Waynesburg College, majoring in business administration. Her fiancé is a graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School, attended Waynesburg College and is a graduate of the Pittsburgh Institute of Mortuary Science. A wedding is planned for the spring of 1981.

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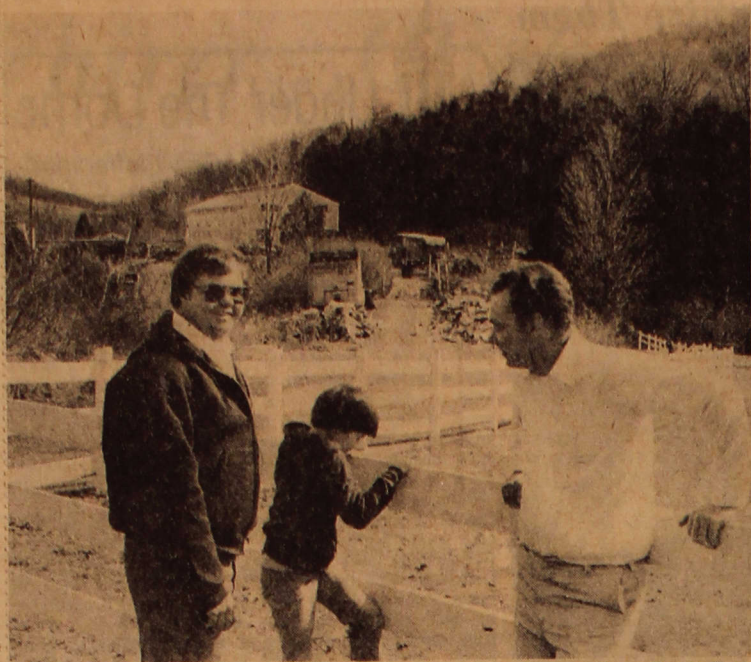
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WAYNESBURG FLORAL



Mark Headlee, Scott Headlee and Bill Wilson view collected refuse.



Refuse on driveway leading to Phillippi Land Co. property is the subject of protests.

Grant Cuts Hurt Sewer Systems

HARRISBURG — Operators of Greene County sewer systems stand to lose close to \$24,000 per year under a proposal by Governor Dick Thornburgh to abolish state grants for the operation and maintenance of sewer facilities.

The grant program has been in existence since 1953. Each year it pays to local government two percent of the total money the local government originally spent to build or modify sewer facilities.

In recent years the state has been using federal revenue sharing money to fund the program, which is among programs the Thornburgh administration says it must end or curtail because the federal government is cutting off revenue sharing for states. Termination of the program would save the state some \$14 million a year.

Largest amounts received in Greene County go to the Carmichaels-Cumberland Joint Sewer Authority, \$13,000, and Waynesburg Borough, \$8,000. The county itself receives \$250 a year for the sewer system at the Curry Memorial Home.

The balance of the subsidies go to school districts which have package treatment plants. The Central Greene and West Greene Districts each get some \$2,000 a year and the Southeastern Greene District \$500.

Anthony Maisano, the Department of Environmental Resources (DER) official who has been administering the grant program, noted that municipalities expecting the money in 1981 have probably already included it in their new budgets and would have to make some revisions if the governor's proposal is accepted.

Land Co. Buys Coal

WAYNESBURG — Cohsland Land Development Co., Pittsburgh, has purchased just under 1,000 acres of Mapletown (Sewickley) seam coal in Greene County from the CNG Coal Co., Washington, a subsidiary of Consolidated Natural Gas Co.

According to a deed recorded Monday at the court house in Waynesburg, the transaction involved 13 tracts of Mapletown coal in Gilmore Township totaling 995 acres. The purchase price was listed as \$102,677.

CNG is one of the major coal owners in the extreme western portion of Greene County, with their holdings including both Pittsburgh and Mapletown coal.

VIA MEETING
Volunteers in Action (VIA) at the Curry Memorial Home will meet at 1 p.m. Wednesday, March 4, at the home.

Land Co. Trash Buildup Sparks Citizens' Protests

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor
SYCAMORE — People who reside along Route 18 near Sycamore are protesting the buildup of trash on Phillippi Land Co. property and have taken their complaint to both the Department of Environmental Resources and the Franklin and Washington Township supervisors.

"With warm weather coming, I'm afraid we'll be getting rats, and wind is sure to blow rubbish around, not to mention what we have to look at from our windows," said Bill Wilson, who lives in a house across the highway.

The cardboard and garbage is being stored at the former New York Natural Gas compressor station which was closed about 1967 and subsequently sold to Dr. Grover Phillippi of Waynesburg. The cardboard is being ac-

cumulated for baling and recycling, while the garbage is intended as feed for hogs. Wilson and Mark Headlee, whose house adjoins the Phillippi property, are primarily affected by the situation, but they said other property owners in the area are also unhappy about the way in which refuse is being dumped on the property, and particularly along the private driveway leading to the former com-

pressor station. Phillippi, when contacted Tuesday, said the cardboard has been collected as part of a recycling program his company is carrying out as a means of saving energy. "We have contracts with places which take the material. The problem has arisen because our baler is broken and we're waiting for a new cylinder to repair it. We hope to have the situation under control in the near future," he said.

Franklin Township Supervisor Reed Kiger said Phillippi has been contacted and has promised to clean up the property. He confirmed that Phillippi had told him about the problem with the baling machine. "I feel he'll clean the place up all right," he said, adding that the township is prepared to take action under a township ordinance if it is not.

While most of the property is in Franklin Township, the driveway leading to the site is in Washington Township, and the supervisors there said they have no ordinance to cover the situation. "We've been told a delegation of residents will be at our next meeting to complain about what's happening, but we are already having an ordinance prepared," Washington Township Supervisor Charles Tanner said. He also said that he had called Bruce Santemeyer of the DER's solid waste division in Uniontown and was told the DER would take action.

Couple Files Damage Suit

TONY ORLANDO, a DER official in Pittsburgh, confirmed that Santemeyer had visited the site and had contacted Phillippi. He said a citation was being prepared and that Phillippi would be given an opportunity to clean up the property. "We can understand the concern of people who live nearby and hope the situation can be resolved," he said.

A Washington County couple is seeking compensation for damage done to their farm when a pipeline was laid across it a year ago. The lawsuit was filed Tuesday in Greene County Court by Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Downer Jr. against the Columbia Gas Transmission Corp., Washington.

The complaint states the 10 inch pipeline was laid across 300 feet of their farm in March 1980, with the work being done in such a way that it interfered with a water course. As a result, it says, part of their reddog road was washed away and there has been abnormal flooding of their land. The lawsuits asks for damages in excess of \$10,000 to cover the cost of rebuilding the road and to compensate the Downers for loss of the use of part of their pasture land.

The cost of student lunches also varies, with the 75 cents charged in the Jefferson-Morgan District being the highest amount. The Southeastern Greene District is at the other end, charging elementary students 45 cents and secondary students 50 cents.

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Water Line Breaks Cause Problems For Residents

GREENSBORO — Residents in the Greensboro-Mapletown area were without water service from early morning until 2 p.m. Friday because of a break in one of the lines of the Dunkard Valley Joint Municipal Authority. Classes in the Southeastern Greene School District were dismissed at 11:30 a.m. when the break left Mapletown High School and the Glassworks and Penn Pitt Elementary Schools without water.

A spokesman for the water authority said the break apparently occurred early Friday morning in a line serving the Duquesne Light Company Warwick mine, draining the company storage tank dry. It is the latest in a series of service interruptions caused by line breaks resulting from freezing and thawing conditions.

'No Such Thing As A Free Lunch'

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor
WAYNESBURG — Some one once said "there's no such thing as a free lunch." The point may be valid, but just under 1,600 Greene County students are currently enjoying free lunches as part of their daily school routine. And another 400 are getting lunches at reduced prices.

There will be less in the future, however, as the federal government has revised the income standards which families must meet if their children are to be eligible for free and reduced-price lunches. According to officials in the county's five school districts, the new guidelines differ from previous guidelines in three ways — they are based on Office of Management and Budget guidelines that are not adjusted by the U.S. Department of Agriculture; they remove the special hardship provisions, and in place of the hardship provisions they include a standard deduction for each family size.

The end result, school officials say, is a tightening of the guidelines to the point where some students who are now getting free lunches will be eligible only for reduced-price lunches, while others will be required to pay the full price set by the school district for paying students. The new guidelines, based on family size and annual income:

Free Meals — One person, \$5,700; two people, \$7,220; three people, \$8,750; four people, \$10,270; five people, \$11,800; six people, \$13,320; seven people, \$14,850; eight people, \$16,370; each additional family member, add \$1,530.

Reduced-Price Meals — One person, \$5,701 to \$8,350; two people, \$7,221 to \$10,730; three people, \$8,751 to \$13,110; four people, \$10,271 to \$15,490; five people, \$11,801 to \$17,870; six people, \$13,321 to \$20,250; seven people, \$14,851 to \$22,620; eight people, \$16,371 to \$25,000; each additional person, add \$2,380.

Officials in all five school districts said they would be reviewing the applications filed under the former guidelines by all persons who are now receiving free and reduced price lunches. In cases where eligibility is changed, the parents will be notified. They also said they will be accepting new applications under the revised guidelines from eligible families.

Another change which has been made already is an increase from 10 cents to 20 cents in the cost of reduced-price lunches, a change which was mandated when the federal law was changed to reduce reimbursements, effective Jan. 1. The reductions in reimbursements also affect subsidies the school districts receive for paid lunches, increasing the amount of general fund monies which schools will have to channel into their lunch programs to make up operating deficits.

Cost Control Needed For Schools

PUPIL/TEACHER RATIOS GREENE & WASHINGTON COUNTIES SCHOOL DISTRICTS			
District	1970-71	1975-76	1979-80
GREENE COUNTY			
West Greene	22.7	21.6	21.6
Central Greene	24.5	21.9	20.4
Jeff-Morgan	21.4	18.8	21.3
Carmichaels	21.7	18.8	20.6
S. Eastern Greene	24.0	21.1	20.6
MEDIAN	22.7	21.1	20.6
WASHINGTON COUNTY			
Avella	22.6	19.4	17.3
Bentworth	23.6	22.0	20.0
Beth-Center	22.4	20.1	20.7
Burgettstown	25.5	23.3	20.8
California	22.1	19.4	20.0
Canon-McMillan	25.4	22.7	19.2
Charleroi	21.7	20.0	19.2
Chartiers-Houston	23.2	21.8	19.6
Fort Cherry	22.6	20.2	19.3
McGuffey	23.8	22.9	20.2
Peters	20.4	20.7	17.4
Ringgold	21.4	20.1	18.5
Trinity	22.4	21.1	19.5
Washington	22.5	20.4	19.4
MEDIAN	22.5	20.4	19.4
STAFF PER 1,000 PUPILS			
District	1970-71	1975-76	1979-80
GREENE COUNTY			
West Greene	49.9	55.8	56.8
Central Greene	48.3	53.0	58.9
Jefferson-Morgan	54.2	59.5	52.8
Carmichaels	49.7	52.9	57.8
Southeastern Greene	46.2	55.8	56.8
MEDIAN	49.7	55.8	56.8
WASHINGTON COUNTY			
Avella	50.4	57.6	65.9
Bentworth	48.6	52.7	58.2
Beth-Center	50.3	56.2	55.5
Burgettstown	43.4	48.5	53.9
California	50.9	59.5	59.1
Canon-McMillan	44.9	49.4	58.3
Charleroi	53.0	57.3	60.1
Fort Cherry	48.7	55.1	59.2
McGuffey	46.8	50.0	56.7
Peters	54.7	55.9	66.1
Ringgold	51.5	56.1	61.5
Trinity	49.9	53.2	57.9
Washington	54.1	61.5	66.6
MEDIAN	50.1	55.5	59.2

WAYNESBURG — Greene County school districts, along with those in Washington and Beaver Counties, are being urged to take a close look at their professional staffing requirements as one means of controlling accelerating costs. The recommendation comes from the Pennsylvania Economy League in the form of an open letter to members in Region II of the Western Division, which encompasses the three counties. The League is a privately-financed research organization which has been utilized by state and local governments for many years in making studies.

"Since personnel costs represent the single most expensive item in a school district budget, careful attention must be given to keeping the staff complement in line with enrollment declines," the League letter states. It points out that public school enrollment in Washington County has declined from 47,189 in 1970-71 to 38,195 in 1979-80, a decrease of 19 percent. The decrease in Beaver County in the same nine-year period was from 48,041 to 36,792, or approximately 24 percent. In Greene County, on the other hand, school enrollment in the nine-year period has been relatively stable, amounting to 8,452 in 1970-71, 8,324 in 1975-76 and 8,361 in 1979-80. The point which the study makes is that the pupil/teacher ratio has decreased substantially in most school districts, while the ratio of professional staff per 1,000 students has increased. In Washington County, for example, the 13 school districts in 1970-71 had an average of 22.5 students per teacher. This fell to 20.4 in 1975-76 and to 19.4 in 1979-80. The median number of teachers per 1,000 students stood at 50.1

Office Closes
The Greene County office of the Washington-Greene County Association for the Blind will not be open from March 26 to April 26. Anyone needing the services of the association may call the Washington office at 222-7010.

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Soaring School Costs
Target of League Study

The Pennsylvania Economy League has called upon school districts in Greene, Washington and Beaver Counties to take a close look at the possibility of reducing professional staff as a means of controlling soaring educational costs.

"The goal of quality education at reasonable cost must be pursued by all," a recently published newsletter states. "The League recognizes that it is never pleasant to cut back programs, reduce staff and close buildings, but such actions are necessary as enrollments continue to decline and fiscal resources of school districts are not able to keep pace with rising costs."

The recommendation is based on a study of school staffing trends in the three counties, which comprise Region II of the Economy League's Western Division, with the two principal indicators being pupil/teacher ratio and the number of professional staff members per 1,000 students.

In Washington County, the League points out, pupil enrollment in the 14 school districts has declined from 47,189 in 1970-71 to 38,195 in 1979-80, a decrease of 19 percent in the nine-year span. The average pupil/teacher ratio decreased from 22.5 to 19.4 in the 14 districts, while the number of professional staff people increased from 50.1 to 59.2 per 1,000 students.

During those same nine years, student enrollment in Greene County has been much more stable, decreasing only one percent from 8,452 in 1970-71 to 8,361 in 1979-80. Pupil/teacher ratio in the county's five school districts dropped in those nine years from 22.7 to 20.6, while the number of professional staff members increased from 49.7 to 56.8 per 1,000 students.

The League is quick to point out that this is an overall picture, with some individual districts having made efforts to cut back on staffing, particularly in recent years. In Greene County's Jefferson-Morgan District, for example, the number of staff members per 1,000 students has been reduced from 54.2 in 1970-71 to 52.8 in 1979-80.

At the other extreme is the Avella District in Washington County, where it has increased from 50.4 to 65.9 staff members per 1,000 students in the nine year period.

"It is clear that some districts have made strong efforts to adjust staffing levels to declines in enrollments. Those which have not have an obligation to do so," the letter states, with the final sentence being underlined to provide emphasis.

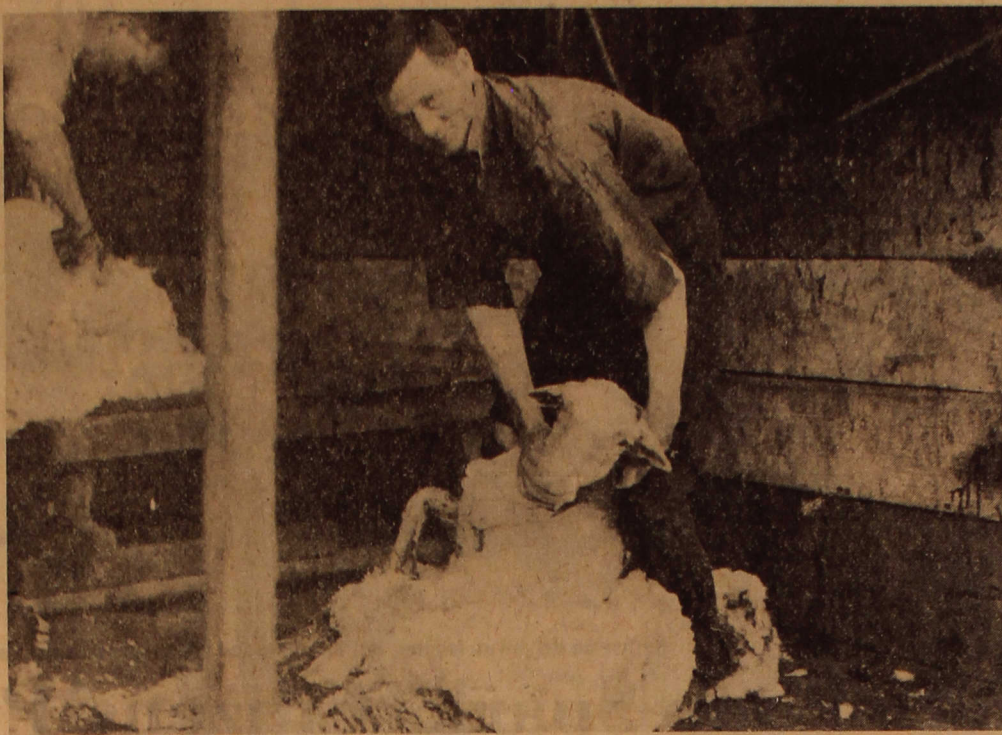
The League further points out that programs staffed by the intermediate unit are not included in the statistics on ratios, nor are librarians, school nurses and other staff members who do not have teaching duties. It does include administrative and supervisory personnel and coordinate service personnel.

Most telling is the citation of studies which indicate there is little relationship between class size and scholastic achievement, within a given range, and the estimate that Washington County school districts could save \$1.3 million and Greene County school districts \$346,000, at current salary and fringe benefits levels, by no more than a one-pupil increase in the pupil/teacher ratio.

The Pennsylvania Economy League for many years has maintained an excellent reputation as a privately-funded research organization with an objective viewpoint, so any recommendation it makes should be given serious consideration.

It's a study that every school district should think about.

Faces From The Past—Do You Recognize Them



The lost art of shearing sheep by hand with hand powered clippers, now replaced entirely by electrically powered shears, is pictured here in the late 1920s on a farm in the Coallick Run section of Franklin Township. It was a tiring and time taking job in those days. The two shearers are Irving Haines, left, Russell Scott.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

If the 1980-81 basketball team from Waynesburg College gets into the national tournament of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) at Kansas City, Mo. during the week of March 9 none of the other entrants in the small college competition will have any richer historical background in the sport than the Yellow Jackets.

In fact, they may well be the only school in the country whose participation in basketball goes all the way back to the days when the games were played in the wire fenced areas known then as "cages."

They were also the early product of the father of the game, Dr. Naismith, who was a physical culture teacher in Kansas and invented the game to make up the gap for undergraduates between football in the fall and baseball, tennis and track in the spring.

Waynesburg's first participation in basketball dates back to the "cage age" of the sport prior to and just after 1900. Waynesburg's cage was located in a partially finished portion of the fourth floor of Alumni Hall.

It was reached by a narrow, winding stairway similar to those used in log cabins to conserve space.

Waynesburg College's first basketball players played in quarters so cramped there was little room for the few spectators who could be coaxed to the lofty perch. The sport received little support from the baseball and track buffs and the handful of "rowdies" that played football. The latter group included a future minister Henry Whittles who brought football with him from Princeton in 1898.

Later on, when basketball started catching on, the games were played in the national guard armory in the Ross Building on South Morris Street and later to the state armory on North Washington Street. The present gym was erected after World War II.

The original location of the basketball cage in Alumni Hall later had a different identity in Waynesburg College sports history.

During the depression of the early 1930s and long before there were any men's residence halls on the campus, some athletes who has basketball scholarships used scrap lumber, old tin and burlap or other materials to keep out the drafts to create makeshift living quarters.

Because of their lofty perch in the ancient brick structure that housed all of the class rooms and office facilities for the slightly less than 400 students, they became known as "the bats."

Another group of scholarship undergraduates improvised quarters that resembled the catacombs or the bunks of a submarine in the cellar of Miller Hall and because of their subterranean environment, they were known as "the rats."

Under the relentless coaching and conditioning of the late Frank Wolfe and the lack of comforts enjoyed by undergraduates at more affluent schools of their own size and the big universities they played in football (including Pitt, West Virginia and Penn State) they proved to the world that the hard try does pay off on the scoreboard and also in later life.

No less than three all-american football players were at-

tracted as coaches to Waynesburg by the extraordinary type of athletes who preferred its challenge to be part of the giant killer role they etched out for themselves in the panorama of the Western Pennsylvania small college sports scene.

They were Red Roberts from Centre College, Ky. in 1923; Brit Patterson from the glory era of nearby W&J in 1924 and Stan Keck from Princeton.

Wolf, a three-sport letterman from Penn State, played the multiple role of football and basketball coach, athletic director and class

room teacher.

Ordinary students were doing the jobs usually handled by professional adults at other schools. These included Henry Rodney from Uniontown, now an executive with Sears-Roebuck in West Chester; Michael Talpas, equipment director and business manager from Monessen who stayed on as registrar until his retirement last year.

There was also other hometown Waynesburgers who played significant support roles in the "do it yourself" era of college sports which elevated the Yellow Jackets to national recognition, more to come.

AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

Miss Ida McDonald, lifelong resident of Waynesburg whose home was on West Elm Street, is a patient in Greene County Memorial Hospital. She has been a guest at a rest home near Holbrook for the past year. For several years Miss McDonald was employed as a housekeeper in the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Goldberg of West Greene Street.

Greene County's spring primary election for May 19 is already shaping up as one of the liveliest voting days in the county for many years. All of the usual local officials at the township and borough levels, such as township supervisors, borough burgesses and council members, will be among the jobs to fill that always bring a heavy turnout of the voters.

And next weekend will be a big day for Greene Countians now spending the winter in Florida or living permanently in that state when the annual Greene County Day reunion will be held at Largo. A committee headed by Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lemley has been planning the affair for several weeks.

Clair Bee, the Grafton, W.Va. native who graduated from Waynesburg College in 1925 to later become the most winning basketball coach in major college competition while at Long Island University in New York is following the present Yellow Jacket team in its bid to win the 1981 small college championship in the NAIA tournament at Kansas City March 9. Waynesburg plays Point Park College of Pittsburgh Monday evening, March 2, at Waynesburg and, later in the week, the winner of the St. Vincent-Behrend game to represent this district at the Kansas City title rounds. Bee, now retired, lives in Roscoe, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Sayers Bailly have returned home from an ocean cruise to the West Indies. They formerly lived on

U.S. Route 19 north, but now live in their new home in the residential development on the former Asa Rinehart farm on Old Route 21 in Franklin Township, east.

Mrs. Mary Jane Reed Adamson, who has lived in St. Cloud, Fla., is spending several days in Waynesburg following the funeral of her husband, the late Raymond Adamson. The funeral was held here last week.

Miss Anna Hoffnagle, a junior at Waynesburg College, will study this year in France and also travel through many European countries as the recipient of the Vira I. Heinz award at the college. She is the daughter of Professor and Mrs. Warren Hoffnagle. Her father teaches history at the college. Besides France, she will also visit England, Switzerland, Spain, Portugal and Germany.

Several File For Election

WAYNESBURG — Six more persons filed nominating petitions in the county registration office at Waynesburg Thursday as candidates for municipal offices in the May 19 primary election. All six filed as Democratic candidates.

Those filing: T. Reed Kiger, supervisor, Franklin Township; Betty Wayhoff, inspector of election, Morgan-Lippincott; Robert Simpson, supervisor, six-year term, Wayne Township; Nick Maddish, supervisor, Cumberland Township; Margaret L. Scott, judge of election, Center-East; Betty L. Cole, tax collector, Wayne Township.

Filing were Democrats Pamela Cole Kiger, a candidate for tax collector, and Charles E. Tedrow, a candidate for a six-year term as supervisor, and Republican Reason E. Phillips, a candidate for assessor.

Under The Dome
Bob Eichenlaub

It's difficult to understand what's going on what is going on at Brodak's Shop 'N Save stores at Carmichaels and Millsboro.

Local 1407, United Food and Commercial Workers (AFL-CIO), has been picketing the two stores since Jan. 21 in what it terms an "informational strike," apparently in an effort to force recognition of the union as the bargaining agent for Brodak employees.

Both the union and John Brodak, president of the grocery store company, have filed unfair labor practice complaints with the National Labor Relations Board, with the union claiming the company is using coercion to keep employees out of the union and the company countering with a claim that the Pittsburgh-based union is trying to force recognition on the company.

Significantly 45 of the company's 50 employees issued a statement this week disclaiming interest in joining Local 1407 or any other union and expressing satisfaction with their current conditions of employment.

"We object strenuously to

the pressure, harassment and intimidation being directed at us...to force us to join the union," they said in their statement, which each of them signed.

If the statement is taken at its face value, and there's no reason not to do so, it's difficult to see what the union hopes to gain by continuing its picketing. If the question ever comes to a vote, it seems obvious that it will go against the union.

Local 1407 states that it represents most Shop 'N Save stores in the Pittsburgh area, and this perhaps explains why it is trying to get Brodak's two stores into the fold.

But it's difficult to understand why the National Labor Relations Board doesn't act to schedule an election and let the employees make their wishes known in an official way. Instead, as of the last report, it won't hold a hearing on the counter-complaints for several months. In the meantime the Brodak markets can't help but suffer damage from the continuing picketing, and that can't help anyone concerned.



Between The Bookends

Marcia McKenna Biddle

In rummaging through my desk drawers for the first time in longer than I care to admit, I found an old newspaper—the "Special Illustrated Industrial and Trade Edition" of the "Waynesburg Semi-Weekly Messenger," of November, 1903. It is much like the Observer-Reporter's recent Progress Edition, although with less progress to report.

Still, times looked good. "Waynesburg has 4,000 inhabitants," the paper said, "and it has just started on a new era of growth. Prospective coal and coke development and the certainty of the extension of the great Wabash railroad into the territory are responsible for the growth. The town is bound to be an industrial and railroad center." Well...

The 1903 paper mentions Waynesburg College as "the town's pride," but refers to another local institution with less enthusiasm. "The Waynesburg & Washington Railroad," it said, "is not exactly the town's pride, but it is the only railroad this great and growing county has had to handle its traffic and develop its rich resources."

Despite the W & W being our only railroad, the editors had many reasons for being proud of Waynesburg. The gas well derricks surrounding the town, for instance. "This unlimited supply of cheap fuel is itself a guarantee of the town's industrial progress."

But of course Waynesburg had more to recommend it than unlimited cheap fuel. "Its broad and well paved streets, business buildings, extensive and well kept parks—remarkable for a town of its size—impress the visitor at once with the idea that Waynesburg is a beautiful, busy and progressive little city. The longer he stays the stronger this impression grows. He finds it an ideal home place. No liquor is sold here. The spirit of culture is abroad."

The spirit of culture, but fortunately not the gas derricks, extended to the Parks or Commons. These Commons were set apart by the founders of Waynesburg for public use, and were not to be sold. Over the years, a few problems developed. According to this paper's article, at least, "The Commons were neglected for many years. They were covered with forest trees which were finally cleared away. As the town grew they became a common playground for the town boys and girls and a common pasture for the ever-present town cow. (The duties of the town cow remain unspecified.)"

"The Commons were put to all sorts of uses. Even a graveyard was started there; but after a sharp legal battle the graves were removed." Then came real trouble. In 1870, the county commissioners "fathered" a bill which passed the state legislature, authorizing the county com-

missioners to sell the Commons, "which were now immensely valuable, and turn the money into the county treasury. It went through both houses, but Governor Geary vetoed it as unconstitutional."

With the Parks rescued, we might return to the stated fact that "no liquor is sold here." This fact is rather offset by the statement, "That customers in general really appreciate a good and pure beer is shown by the wide popularity and great sales of the product of the Waynesburg Brewing Company." This product was evidently used only for medicinal purposes. "It is mildly stimulating, supplies the tissues and fluids, sustains the physical conditions under severe strain, regulates all bodily functions and has become the favorite beverage of all classes of the community. The beer's splendid merits have come under the notice of physicians and they prescribe it for invalids, wasted constitutions or anyone needing an invigorating tonic which will enable them to rapidly regain health."

It sounds like there were few wasted constitutions in Waynesburg.

Candidates

WAYNESBURG — Nineteen persons filed nominating petitions at the registration office in Waynesburg Monday as candidates for local offices in the May 19 primary.

Three school director candidates cross filed as both the Democratic and Republican candidates. They were Larry W. Adams in the Carmichaels Area School District; Carolyn D. McClure as a candidate from Wayneburg in the Central Greene School District; and Mark D. Brozik in the Southeastern Greene School District.

Democratic candidates filing for various local offices: Donald Jarvis, supervisor, Center Township; Calvin G. Gallatin, supervisor, Monongahela Township; Ernest Phillips, tax collector, Perry Township; Irene McVay, inspector of elections, Alleppo Township; Lynda Pyle Smith, judge of election, Morgan-Lippincott.

Rosedale Miller, auditor, Freeport Township; Thomas Orban Jr., supervisor, Dunkard Township; Doris Engle, tax collector, Franklin Township; Loreen Kiger, judge of election, Wayne-East; Donald L. Baker, auditor, Cumberland Township; Charles E. Bland, auditor, Franklin Township.

Charles K. Mitchell, supervisor, Jefferson Township; Dorothy Ullom Cline, tax collector, Greene Township; Janice E. Warman, auditor, Morgan Township.

Those filing as Republican candidates: Dorothy Hewitt, tax collector, Richhill Township; Melvin S. Houston, auditor, Jackson Township.

County EMS Launches Program

Greene County Emergency Medical Services has launched a program to provide the best possible emergency health care to all citizens in Greene County, with a special effort in the western townships.

Jeanine Jenkins, EMS coordinator since February 1, said there are currently 13 separate ambulance services in the county but only one in the western section of the county.

For this reason the local EMS group is rapidly training Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) in three particular areas including Graysville, New Freeport and Nineveh. Because the nearest ambulance is located at Wind Ridge, medical personnel feel EMTs must be available in the more rural areas to keep an accident victim or sick person in stable condition until they can be transported to a medical facility.

There are now 15 certified EMTs in the Graysville area and a lesser number in the New Freeport and Nineveh areas. More are needed to cover the 250-square mile area of western Greene County according to Jenkins.

Plans call for the EMTs to be provided with an Immediate Response Personnel kit which will contain such items as oxygen, blood pressure cuff, trauma dressings and other items needed in an emergency. EMTs would keep the emergency kits at their home and be dispatched from a central switchboard.

EMT training has been provided since 1977 and there are now 70 state-certified persons. Every member of the recent class of 23 persons passed the state test — the first time an entire class qualified. Candidates are required to take 110 hours of instruction before they are tested.

There are 30 persons in the current class. They are receiving instruction from several medical people including Doctors Stanley Falor, Alice Cruz, Eric Stacher, Garrett Connors and Prayton Chayapruks. State evaluators Wayne Long, John Dattalo and Murray Kline have also been instrumental in the program over the years.

Jenkins said the EMT program is drawing an equal ratio of men and women and the age of the candidates ranges from 17 to 60 years. More women are entering the program each year,



Jeanine Jenkins, EMT Council coordinator.

Jenkins said Jenkins was also quick to cite Greene County Memorial Hospital for help receiving in the past and for future aid to be given when EMTs take advance training to become paramedics.

Whirrr...Click... Waynesburg College Is No.1!

By TOM ROSE
Assistant Sports Editor

WAYNESBURG — The computer has spoken.

Waynesburg College is No.1. Less than 24 hours after securing their 20th win of the season (a 94-55 rout of Alliance) the Jackets were named Sunday as the No.1 seed in the upcoming NAIA District 18 playoffs at the district executive committee meeting at Westminster College.

The Yellow Jackets will have one week to savor one of the most profitable weekend's in the school's basketball history before embarking on the last leg of an ambitious schedule.

Waynesburg (20-5) will host fourth-seeded Point Park (15-10) at College Gym Monday, March 2. Second-seeded St. Vincent (20-6) will host Penn-State Behrend (18-8) in the other district semi-

final round game.

The semifinals winners will meet Wednesday, March 4 on the home court of the highest surviving seed with the district champion advancing to the NAIA National Tournament in Kansas City, Mo., which opens March 9.

According to Waynesburg head coach Rudy Marisa there was little doubt at the district meeting that the Jackets had earned the top rating after the criteria had been tabulated. There was also little opposition to Waynesburg's home court.

"We were number one on the computer and that machine knows what it is talking about so we've got to be the number one seed," Marisa said. "And there's no problem with our floor. I get the feeling since we had a clean sweep (best overall record, best district record and top rating by the Liktenhouse com-

puter) that cut down the debate about our playing at home."

It will be the first time Waynesburg will host a District 18 playoff game and, should the Jackets avenge an earlier 77-72 loss to Point Park, they will host the district final against the winner of the St. Vincent-Behrend game. It will also mark Waynesburg's fifth playoff appearance in as many seasons.

"A lot of nice things have happened this weekend, that's true, but we can't lose perspective at any time," Marisa said. "We have to win on the court."

The district committee's decision to limit the playoffs to four teams leaves three other contenders — LaRoche, Pitt-Bradford and Westminster — with a sudden ending to their seasons.

LaRoche's omission from the playoff bracket was the only surprise. But a late

season slump, which included lopsided losses against Waynesburg and Point Park, dropped LaRoche (15-8) from the top position in the coaches poll to elimination.

Overshadowed by the announcement that Waynesburg had earned the district's top ranking was the Jackets' 20th victory of the season Saturday over Alliance. It marked the third straight year that Waynesburg has won 20 or more games in a season.

"I was surprised at 20 wins three years ago. I'm agast at doing it three years in a row," Marisa said after the game. "You need to only look around and see how others have not been able to accomplish 20-win seasons to appreciate this. We have accumulated a 63-16 record in the past three seasons and frankly I'm not sure what more could be

asked of these guys."

Alliance, now a dismal 1-21 overall, gave the Jackets just a few anxious moments in the game. Those came when Waynesburg freshman Mark Doppelheuer was decked by an accidental elbow by the Eagles' Harold Mong, and when senior center Paul Epps limped to the bench in the second half.

"This is an old injury," Epps said after the game. "I hurt my knee my freshman year and it just comes back to bother me once in a while. It will be OK with a little rest."

Doppelheuer was dazed by the elbow he received in the jaw but according to Marisa had recovered by Sunday.

Alliance never managed to implement its slowdown offensive tactics as the Jackets jumped to an early lead and then outscored the Eagles 14-5 in the

final eight minutes for a 35-23 halftime lead.

Alliance could move no closer than 12 points (51-39) and in the final 12 minutes of the game the Waynesburg rout was on. The Jackets outscored Alliance 43-16 during the remainder of the game for the impressive win.

Tim Tyler led Waynesburg with 25 points while Tim Walker added 23, Mike Taylor added 20 and Ray Natili 10. Natili also had 14 assists.

Steve Crone led Alliance with 14 points while Mong added 13.

Following tonight's regular-season finale at Frostburg (Md.) State, the Jackets will prepare for the playoff opener in a week against Point Park.

"This weekend in general was one of our better experiences but we have Point Park ahead of us," Marisa said. "Our task is still at hand."

Richland Scares Raiders Second Best For WHS?

By JIM MOORE
Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — There appears to be a rocky road ahead for the Waynesburg High School wrestling team seeking its third straight WPIAL Class AA team title.

In fact, the Red Raiders were very fortunate to clear the first hurdle here Tuesday night in defeating Richland 31-25.

Waynesburg coach Joe Ayersman had nothing but praise for the Section 7-AA runnersup but said after the match, "I knew we were in for a rough time. We have too many wrestlers out of the lineup."

Missing from the Red Raider team were John Throckmorton (105) who had a temperature of over 100° Tuesday afternoon; Ed Shriver (112) recovering from an appendix operation; Brian Bartholomew (145) who injured his hand when he got angry and struck a pinball machine, and heavyweight Mark Moore, who cut his hand and required seven stitches.

Ayersman found replacements in three of the weight classes but was forced to forfeit the 112 pound bout. The three replacements lost, one by a fall.

Hopefully, two of four missing starters will be back in the lineup Thursday, according to Ayersman. "Bartholomew should be healed and Throckmorton may be well enough to go," the veteran Red Raider coach said. "We had to get some falls, I knew that from the beginning," a calm Ayersman told a small crowd of well-wishers grouped around him at the edge of the

mat. His defending champions gave him four falls and two decisions Tuesday night.

Waynesburg iced the match in the 167 pound class when Bill Skelton in one motion took down Bill Price and flattened the Richland junior in only 23 seconds. The fall put the Raiders ahead 31-18 and put the match out of reach.

Defending WPIAL champ Doug Haines (155) had given the Raiders a 25-18 lead moments earlier when he pinned sophomore Tom George in 3:06 to remain unbeaten in 25 matches. The other Waynesburg fall came in the 98 pound class when Marty Stewart pinned Phil Canzian in 3:35.

With the forfeit at 105 and Scott Heim's fall over Doug Temple at 112, Richland went ahead 12-6. Todd Eddy (119) put four points on the board for Waynesburg when he gained a 12-1 major decision over Sahab Parva.

Richland extended its lead to 15-10 when twice-beaten Gary Piehler scored a reversal and takedown in the second period to defeat Ed Henderson. John Kuntz brought the Raiders to within two points when he broke a 2-2 deadlock in the final period with an escape and takedown in the final minute to beat Andy Williams 5-2.

Kevin Durkin (138) put Waynesburg ahead to stay when he pinned Joe Vogliano at the 5:18 mark. Durkin, a junior with a 22-2-1 record this season, was leading 13-2 when he got the fall that put Waynesburg in front 19-15. Ed Fotta brought Richland back to within a point when he broke a scoreless tie in the final period with an escape and takedown to

beat Bill Gerace 3-0. Gerace was substituting for Bartholomew.

The smaller than expected crowd in the Raider gym came alive when Haines scored his fall and then went crazy when Skelton flattened his opponent and assured the Raiders of their first victory in a series of three necessary to retain their championship crown.

Waynesburg lost the final two bouts when Paul Kubiatko scored six points in the second period and eventually held on for an 8-5 victory over Ernie Throckmorton. Troy Hare, wrestling his third match for the Raiders at heavyweight, was a 9-1 major decision victim of freshman Doug Hintemeyer.

Richland coach Mark Honess said after the match he was surprised only by Waynesburg's leg wrestling. "They went for the legs much more than we expected from scouting reports," Honess said. "I'm proud of my boys. They didn't choke. We have a lot of good juniors coming back next year and we should have another good team."

Honess praised the large crowd supporting the Waynesburg team. "I admire these people for backing their kids. I just hope in the future we can have the same type of support for our team."

Honess had special praise for Piehler in his defeat of Henderson in the 126 pound bout. "He is going to be a great one," Honess said.

The next hurdle for the Raiders will be a 8 p.m. match Thursday at Chartiers Valley High School against Jeannette which defeated WPIAL Class AA runnerup Burgettstown 29-28.

By JOE TUSCANO
Sports Writer

When the WPIAL announced Waynesburg High School as the top team seed for the upcoming Team Championship over Washington High School, it would have been reasonable to expect Wash High's head coach Bill Solominsky to be upset.

After all, Wash High was a 29-24 winner over the Red Raiders in mid-January and also finished with one less overall loss. But the way Solominsky sees it, the WPIAL didn't seed Wash High, but the winner of Section 9-AA, in the No.2 spot.

When WPIAL wrestling steering committee put the finishing touches on the pairings, Wash High did not the Raiders a No.1 seed. "I'm just tickled about it," Ayersman said. "I really thought Wash High would get it because they beat us. The name and, if victorious, will face the winner of the Burgettstown-Jeannette match in the semifinals at Chartiers Valley High School.

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WPIAL tried to seed the top two teams in AA so they wouldn't meet until the finals."

Ayersman said he is satisfied with the process of choosing a No.1 seed but knows that pressure goes along with the honor.

"When you are No.1, some teams wrestle better because they are gunning for you," he said. "We have a lot of pride and tradition at Waynesburg and I think to a certain extent there will be pressure on us."

The Red Raiders have lost Ed Shriver with appendicitis and he has been replaced by junior Doug Temple, at 112 or 119 pounds.

"Hopefully we can keep everybody in good shape," the Raider coach said. "I don't know about wrestling three times in one week. I feel we are an improved team since we met Wash High and they have improved also. If we both get to the finals, I think it will be a good match."

"Wash High and we are in the same boat where we can't afford to get guys sick or hurt. We are going to try not to look ahead to the match. We have to take them one at a time so we won't worry about meeting them until we get there. Still, I'd like to think we'll meet them in the finals," Ayersman added.

Basketball

Raiders, 52-51

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg High School's basketball team may not be in the WPIAL playoffs, but the Red Raiders had the satisfaction Friday night of defeating a playoff-bound team.

The Raiders' 52-51 win over Bentworth, which came into the game with an 11-4 section mark, was forged in the final seconds and gave the Red Raiders their third section win in a row to conclude the season with a 7-9 record.

Waynesburg saw Bentworth come back from a 40-35 third quarter deficit to tie the score before a Brian Sommers basket won the game. Bentworth could not score in the final 15 seconds.

Both teams sank 22 field goals, with the margin of victory coming at the foul line, where Waynesburg converted eight of 15 free throws while Bentworth made seven of 14.

Chuck Wassick led Waynesburg with 18 points while Sommers had 16. Jeff Conn, with 16, was high man for Bentworth.

Girls Race Deadlocked

CARMICHAELS — The Section 16-A girls basketball race went into a three-way second place tie here Friday night when Carmichaels High School easily defeated cross-country rival West Greene 54-32.

The win put Carmichaels into a tie with California and Mon Valley Catholic, all with 13-5 records behind first place Geibel.

Carmichaels jumped to a six-point lead at the end of the first quarter and increased it to eight by halftime. West Greene fell apart in the second half being outscored 13-8 in the third period and 13-4 in the final quarter.

Hitting double figures for Carmichaels were Candy Mieter with 15 points, and Valerie Gallatic and Leslie Biddle with 14. The only double figure scorer for West Greene was Helen Wise with 12 points.

Mikes, 80-44

CARMICHAELS — Five players scored in double figures for Carmichaels High School as the Mikes whipped West Greene 80-44 in their final Section 16-A game of the season Friday night.

J. L. Lechner's 19 points led the Carmichaels while Bob Connor added 18 and Dana Nichols, John Townsend and Bill Hanuschock had 10 apiece. Carmichaels finished with a 5-13 record in the section and 7-15 overall.

Steve Burns scored 16 and Chip Lightner 11 for the Pioneers, 1-17 in the section and 2-18 for the season.

Sweet Wheats Win

WAYNESBURG — The Sweet Wheats of Waynesburg High School increased their overall record to 17-6 by defeating Bentworth 57-35 in Section 9-AA-A girls basketball Thursday night.

Waynesburg has secured a playoff berth with a second-place finish in the section under the AA classification.

Pam Berry with 20 points and Robin Boyd with 13 were high scorers for Waynesburg. No one from Bentworth scored in double figures.

Wrestling

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg Central High School stayed undefeated in Section 8-AA wrestling here Wednesday night with a 41-16 win over Beth-Center.

Unless Waynesburg is required to make up a match with Carmichaels, it will take its 8-0-0 section record into the WPIAL championship matches here Thursday at 7:30 p.m. against Richland High School, a Section 7-AA team.

Three falls highlighted Waynesburg's win Wednesday night. John Throckmorton got a fall on Beth-Center's Larry Morgan at the 1:33 points in their 105 pound match; Ed Henderson got a quick 33 second fall on BC's Dave Stay at 126 pounds; and Doug Haines (155), pinned David Trout in 2:30.

Basketball

NAIA DISTRICT 18 PLAYOFFS SEMIFINALS Monday March 2 Point Park (15-10) at Waynesburg (20-5) 8 p.m. Behrend (18-4) at St. Vincent (20-6) 8 p.m. Wednesday March 4 Finals at surviving school with highest seed. 8 p.m.

Westminster—54 Woods 50-10; Davis 41-9; Luckey 20-4; King 8-4-16; Janssen 6-13; Kachulis 1-0-2; Rice 1-5-2. Totals: 25-41(1)—54

Waynesburg—44 Taylor 43-11; Tyler 34-10; Edds 23-4; Walker 2-11-15; Natili 5-8-18. Totals: 19-28(37)—44

Halftime Score: Waynesburg 30; Westminster 27

Alliance—55 Mong 6-1-13; Coleman 40-8; Carone 1-0-2; Henderson 3-6-6; Crone 7-0-4; Hruby 0-1-1; Wisniewski 2-0-4; Griffin 3-1-7. Totals: 26-38(1)—55

Waynesburg—94 Taylor 10-20; Tyler 10-25; Epps 10-2; Walker 7-23; Natili 3-10; Crowley 3-17; Dollenheuer 1-0-2; Gause 1-2-4; Smoogie 0-1-1. Totals: 36-22(30)—94

Beth-Center—31 J. Conn 8-4-14; Sames 4-1-9; Hollandsburg 6-0-2; Miller 2-0-4; T. Conn 4-2-10. Totals: 22-11(41)—31

Waynesburg Wins Tuneup

FROSTBURG, Md. — If Waynesburg College was looking for a physical warmup for the upcoming NAIA District 18 playoffs, they got it Monday night here.

While the Frostburg Bobcats were trying to master the bump — and it's not that 1970's dance either — it didn't work out too well as the Yellow Jackets cashed in on their parade to the foul line for a 99-72 win.

The victory gives the Jackets a 21-5 record as the regular season closes. Waynesburg, with the district's top seed, will open the playoffs Monday, March 3 at home against fourth-seeded Point Park.

The Frostburg game also gave freshman point guard Ray Natili of Washington Immaculate Conception his best output of the year as he scored eight baskets and 13 of 14 free throws for 29 points. He also had nine assists.

Tim Tyler, last week's NAIA District 18 Player of the Week, followed with 24 points while Mike Taylor added 17 points and Tim Walker 11.

After Waynesburg had rolled up a 15-point lead in the first half at 48-33, Frostburg came back after the intermission to cut the lead to four points at 54-50, scoring nine unanswered points at one stage as the Jackets were guilty of sloppy ballhandling, committing six of their 19 turnovers in the cold streak.

But Taylor, who has spearheaded the Jacket attack all year, shoved the lead back to nine points on two baskets and a free throw, and from there on there was no doubt about the final outcome as the game deteriorated into a foul shooting contest. Of Waynesburg's final 43 points, 26 came via free throws, with the Jackets converting 33 of 40 chances.

Four of the Frostburg starters fouled out, Kevin Walsh with 12:32 left in the second half; Steve Liller with 12:08 left, Steve Seker at the 3:59 mark and Tom Dudley with 3:09 left.

Seker led the Bobcats with 17 points, followed by Liller with 14 and Dave Porter with 10.

Frostburg committed 17 turnovers to 19 for Waynesburg, but the Jackets dominated both the offensive and defensive rebounds, bringing down 35 rebounds to 22 for the Bobcats.

Walker, who scored all 11 of his points in the second half, was the top Jacket rebounder with 10, followed by Tyler with eight and Paul Epps with seven.

The victory gives Waynesburg a record of 64-16 losses over the past three years, and set the stage for the playoffs. It will be the fifth straight year Waynesburg has appeared in the playoffs, but the first time the Jackets have gone in with the top ranking and a chance to play on their home court.

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg laid an impressive claim to the top position, and the subsequent home-court advantage it carries throughout the tourney, by defeating arch-rival Westminster 66-56 here Wednesday night.

Waynesburg, now 19-5 overall and 7-3 in district games, set the tempo throughout the intense game, using its lightning quick fast break to grab the lead and an effective ball control offense to protect it in the final minutes.

While Waynesburg led most of the game, it was the clutch foul shooting of sophomore forward Tim Walker that clinched the victory and gives the Jackets a chance for their 20th win of the season Saturday at home (2:30 p.m.)

against weak district sister Alliance.

Walker's accomplishments should not be taken lightly, as the good-natured ribbing by his teammates in the locker room following the game proved.

"The guys do get on me a little bit," Walker said with a slight grin.

"We only get on him when all he hits with his shot is the floor," teammate Mike Taylor said quickly.

Walker converted six of seven chances in the final 1:34 of the game, preserving Waynesburg's lead. While he added 15 points, Walker also played a key defensive role along with center Paul Epps against Westminster's 6-11 junior center Doug Janssen.

Janssen scored 13 points but failed to dominate the inside game. "I just try to use my quickness against the bigger guys," Walker said. "Even though we're smaller inside than most of the teams we play we just try to utilize our speed. And personally I like to take the big guys to the hoop."

It was Waynesburg's consistent drives to the basket that resulted in the lopsided foul difference between the teams. The Yellow Jackets converted 28 of 37 chances while Westminster shot just 11 free throws, converting six.

Freshman point guard Ray Natili led Waynesburg with 18 points while Tim Tyler, named player of the week in the district for his play against LaRoche Saturday, followed 16. Taylor also scored 11 for the Jackets.

Tommy King led Westminster, now 11-11 overall, with 16 points while Janssen added 13 and Jerry Woods 10.

Cougars Slam

Door On J-M

CARNEGIE — An illegal slam by Jefferson-Morgan's tough 185-pound Albert Starostanko cost the Rockets any chance of coming back to defeat Carlynton as the Cougars took home a 31-24 win to advance in the WPIAL Class AA team wrestling tournament.

"We were snakebit. I guess it just wasn't meant to be," Jeff-Morgan coach Tony Barbetta said.

To begin with, the Rockets had to forfeit the 105-pound bout when Gary Basinger, with a 16-2 record, was declared ineligible. Then reserve 112-pounder Alan Tretnik had to move up to 119 when Mike Knight couldn't make weight and the move helped Carlynton its only fall of the night.

It also forced Barbetta to move Barry Thistlethwaite up to 126 where he gave undefeated Ron Hatcher (25-0) a tough bout before bowing 6-2.

The Rockets were trailing 25-12 when they started a comeback with a fall by Rick Lawrence at 167.

Wrestling

Waynesburg—31 Richland—25
98—Duffy Stewart (W) pinned Phil Canzian 3:35
102—Clint Rabold (R) won by forfeit
112—John Hein (R) pinned Doug Temple 5:10
119—Todd Eddy (W) dec. Sahab Parva 12:1 (major)
126—Paul Kubiatko (R) dec. Ed Henderson 4:1
132—John Kuntz (W) dec. Andy Williams 5:2
138—Kevin Durkin (W) pinned Joe Vogliano 5:18
145—Ed Fotta (R) dec. Bill Gerace 3:0
155—Doug Haines (W) pinned Tom George 3:06
167—Bill Skelton (W) pinned Bill Price 0:23
197—Paul Kubiatko (R) dec. Ernie Throckmorton 8:5
Hvy.—Doug Hintemeyer (R) dec. Troy Hare 9:1 (major)
Referee: Seidlik

Carlynton—23 Jeff-Morgan—24
105—Dan Basinger (W) dec. Dennis Solt 5:2
105—Bill Scott (W) won by forfeit
112—Ron Miller (C) dec. Eric Cottle 11:5
119—John Pugilano (C) pinned Alan Tretnik 1:12 (major)
124—Ron Hatcher (C) dec. Barry Thistlethwaite 6:2
126—John Kuntz (C) dec. Rob Knight 4:1
132—Jerry Nelson (W) won by default
145—Rob Knight (W) dec. Dan O'Keefe 9:4
155—John Hein (W) dec. Art Sullivan 8:27 (major)
167—Rick Lawrence (W) pinned Mike Thistlethwaite 1:12 (major)
197—Jeff Haag (C) won by default over Albert Starostanko
Hvy.—Brian Forman (W) won by forfeit
Referee: Maggi

West Greene—30 Beth-Center—29
98—Main (B)

County Obituaries

Baily

William E. Baily, 95, of Waynesburg R.D.5, died at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, February 21, 1981, in his home following a long illness.

He was born March 15, 1885, in Cumberland Township, a son of J. Ewing Baily and Dora Mitchner Baily.

Mr. Baily was a retired partner in the Baily Insurance Agency at Waynesburg.

He had attended public schools in Cumberland Township and also Waynesburg College. He had resided all his life in Greene County.

Mr. Baily had served for many years as a Republican State Committeeman. He was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church at Waynesburg, F. & A.M. 153, Waynesburg, Pittsburgh Consistory, Sryia Shrine, and had been inducted into the Waynesburg College Hall of Fame.

Surviving are one brother: Richard L. Baily of Carmichaels; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are his wife, Mary Miller Baily; one sister, Mrs. Edna B. Pollock; and four brothers, Harry F. Baily, Jay Howard Baily, Kenneth G. Baily and Karl M. Baily.

Quintana

Flores Quintana, 86, of 204 Hilltop Court, Nemaconin, died at 11:15 a.m. Friday, February 20, 1981, in Uniontown Hospital after a long illness.

He was born November 11, 1894, at Cordova, Spain, a son of Joseph and Maria Quintana, and had resided in the Nemaconin area for the past 50 years. He was a retired miner, having worked at the Buckeye Coal Company Nemaconin mine.

Mr. Quintana was a member of Our Lady of Consolation Church at Nemaconin, the Greene County Citizens Club, Nemaconin, and Nemaconin Local 6290, United Mine Workers of America.

Surviving are his wife, Benita Garrido Quintana; five daughters, Mrs. Frances Zaubi of Nemaconin, Mrs. Joseph (Mary) Ustupski of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. John (Virginia) Zaubi of Strongsville, Ohio, Mrs. Charles (Cecelia) Gregorich of Nemaconin, and Mrs. William (Carmen) Kerr of Smithfield; two sons, Nick Quintana of Masontown and Joseph Quintana of McClellandtown; 20 grandchildren, and 25 great-grandchildren.

A daughter, Carmecita, and a grandson, John Zaubi Jr., are deceased.

Church

George William Church, 73, of 61 East LaPera, Green Valley, Ariz., a native of Greene County, died Saturday, February 21, 1981, at St. Mary's Hospital, Tuscon, Ariz.

He was born July 21, 1907, in East View. He owned and operated the Greene Street Garage in Waynesburg and later worked as a barber at the Fort Jackson Barber Shop before moving to Columbus, Ohio, where he was employed by the Town and Village Insurance Co. He subsequently was employed for 18 years as a shipping foreman for the Therm-O-Disc Co.

Surviving are his wife, Betty Dinsmore Church, and a brother, Robert Church of San Antonio, Texas.

A daughter, Sarah Church Rabel, and a son, Harold Robert Church, are deceased.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 25, at the Finerock Funeral Home in Mansfield, Ohio, with interment following in Mansfield Memorial Park.

McCabe

Raymond B. McCabe, 57, of Rices Landing R.D.1, died at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, February 21, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

He was born February 11, 1924, in Allegheny County, a son of William and Lillian Guthrie McCabe. His wife, Alice Crawford McCabe, survives.

Mr. McCabe was a retired coal miner. He had resided most of his life in Greene County. He was a Protestant by faith and was a social member of the Crucible Volunteer Fire Co.

Surviving are one son, John of Rices Landing R.D.1; three grandchildren; and two brothers, Herbert McCabe of Bald Hill and Robert McCabe of Carmichaels.

Two brothers, Glenn and Russell McCabe, are deceased.

Holden

Dr. Paul C. Holden, 87, of 535 Walnut Street, Waynesburg, died at 8 a.m. Tuesday, February 24, 1981, in Laurel Rest Home in Uniontown following an extended illness.

He was born October 17, 1893, in Mt. Claire, W.Va., to Charles S. and Alcinda Jenkins Holden and was married to Lily Speir Holden, who died October 15, 1976.

A pastor in the Waynesburg area since 1930, he attended public school in Buckhannon, W.Va., and graduated from West Virginia Wesleyan College and the Wesleyan Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. He received his doctor of divinity degree from Salem College in 1949.

Following his ordination in Clarksburg, W.Va., he served churches in Fairmont, Bridgeville and Clarksburg, W.Va., before serving the Washington Street Methodist Church in Waynesburg from 1930 to 1938. He returned to the same church and served again from 1951 to 1955. When he retired he was pastor of the Perryville Avenue United Methodist Church in Pittsburgh.

Following his retirement, he served as an interim pastor for several churches in the area.

He was a member of the Western Pennsylvania Conference of United Methodist Churches and Lake Lodge No. 63, AF&AM in Bridgeport, W.Va.

Pierson

Frank E. Pierson, 70, of New Freeport R.D.1 (Alleppo Township) died at 10 p.m. Saturday, February 21, 1981, in his home. He had been seriously ill for the past four months.

He was born May 24, 1910, near Deep Valley, a son of George W. and Onie Winters Pierson.

Mr. Pierson was a retired farmer. He was a member of the Windy Gap Church of God.

Surviving are his wife, Lucille Grinage Pierson, whom he married March 16, 1933; three daughters: Mrs. William (Irma) Urey of Waynesburg R.D.4, Mrs. Russell (Ruth) Morris of Bergholz, Ohio, and Mrs. Karl (Wooneda) Gary of West Finley; five sons: James, George and Franklin Pierson, all of Wind Ridge, Johnny Pierson of West Finley, and Gary Pierson of New Freeport; nine grandchildren; five sisters: Mrs. Pearl Pierce of Steubenville, Ohio, Mrs. James (Goldie) Kimbel of Irontdale, Ohio, Mrs. Clyde (Sue) Miller of Richmond, Ohio, Mrs. Emma Pierce of Burgetstown, and Mrs. Leasure (Mary) Crawford of Waynesburg; and three brothers: Kenneth Pierson of Newton Falls, Ohio, John Pierson of Holbrook, and Orville Pierson of Waynesburg R.D.4.

One daughter, Rose, one sister and two brothers are deceased.

Adamson

Raymond C. (Pete) Adamson, 70, of St. Cloud, Fla., formerly of Greene County, died Thursday, February 19, 1981, in Community Hospital, Kissimmee, Fla. following a long illness.

He was born June 11, 1910, in Greene County, a son of the late Albert and Margaret Bowler Adamson.

His wife, Mary Jane Reed Adamson, survives.

Mr. Adamson was a 1928 graduate of Waynesburg High School.

He served for two terms, from 1938 to 1946, as Greene County Coroner. He had owned and operated the East View Service Station prior to moving to Florida.

Mr. Adamson had resided in St. Cloud for the past 21 years. He was a member of the Throckmorton Methodist Church at East View and a past member of the Waynesburg Elks.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two brothers, William F. (Brig) Adamson of St. Cloud and Robert P. Adamson of West Palm Beach, Fla.

Minnick

Elsie Minnick, 61, of Nemaconin, died Tuesday, February 24, 1981 in Summit, N.J.

She is survived by her husband, Steve J. Minnick.

Also surviving are two daughters, Audrey Maryott of New Jersey, Lila Klott of Cleveland Heights, Ohio; two granddaughters; one sister, Nina Walchock of Queens, N.Y.; and a brother, Stanley Walchock of Norfolk, Va.

Busti

Mike Busti Jr., 67, of Rices Landing, died Saturday, February 21, 1981, in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, following a long illness.

He was born April 26, 1913, in Crucible, a son of Mike and Kate Busti Sr. His wife, Mary Jurmic Busti, survives.

Mr. Busti was a retired coal miner with the U. S. Steel Corp. Maple Creek Mine. He had resided all his life in the Rices Landing area. He served with the Merchant Marines in the north Atlantic during World War II.

Mr. Busti was a member of Sacred Heart Church, Rices Landing; UMWA Maple Creek Local 1284; Knights of Columbus Lodge, Carmichaels; Waynesburg Moose Lodge 461; the Crucible Slavonic Club; and was a lifetime social member of the American Legion Post at Rices Landing. He served as the Greene County Sealer of Weights and Measures for 23 years.

Surviving in addition to his wife are two daughters: Mrs. Michael (Patricia) Zappone of Legonier, and Mrs. Bill (Lucille) Stoerkel of Madison, Ohio; one son, Andrew J. Busti of Killeen, Texas; seven grandchildren; six sisters: Mrs. Mildred Mashburn of Jacksonville, Fla., Mrs. John (Sue) Polosky Toledo, Ohio, Mrs. Mike (Stella) Maletta and Katie Busti, both of Rices Landing, Mrs. Richard (Dolores) Drury of St. Aldins, W.Va., and Mrs. James (Theresa) Waters of Carmichaels; and two brothers: George Busti of Detroit, Mich., and Pete Busti of Crucible.

One sister, Ann, and one brother, Rudy, are deceased.

Carter

Maude L. Carter, 90, of Waynesburg R.D.2, formerly of Wind Ridge, died at 10 a.m. Saturday, February 21, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

She was born April 16, 1890, in Richhill Township, a daughter of George and Sarah Dunn Carter.

She had lived all her life in Wind Ridge where she was a member of the Wind Ridge Christian Church, had served for several years on the Richhill Township Board of Elections and was superintendent of the Floral Hall exhibit at the Jacktown Fair for over 50 years. She was the last of her immediate family.

Surviving are a daughter-in-law: Julia Ewing of Pittsburgh; two granddaughters: Mrs. Thomas (Phyllis) Vandergift and Miss Nancy Ewing, both of Pittsburgh; one grandson, Robert Ewing of Pittsburgh; seven great-grandchildren and four great-nieces and nephews.

One son, Gaylord Ewing, is deceased.

Mooney

Goldie Mooney, 88, of Carmichaels R.D.1 and formerly of Whiteley Township, died at 3:10 p.m. Tuesday, February 24, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. She had been ill for two and one-half years.

She was born September 8, 1892, in Davistown, a daughter of Samuel L. and Margaret Rose Evely.

Her husband, Tracy Mooney, died in 1926.

Mrs. Mooney had resided most of her life in Whiteley Township where she worked on the family farm.

She was affiliated with the Fairall Methodist Church.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Texa Williamson of Carmichaels R.D.1.

A sister, Mrs. Rose Smith, and a brother, Fred Evely, are deceased.

West

Ister West, 67, Cameron, W.Va., R.D.5, died at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, February 19, in his home at Beton, near Cameron.

He was a son of John L. and Mary Walls West and was born January 1, 1914, at King Mont, Marshall County, W.Va. He was a retired employee of the Sears and Roebuck Company and a member of the Pleasant Valley United Methodist Church at Weirton, W.Va.

Surviving are his wife, Edith Ealy West; a daughter, Mrs. Paul (Tresa) Ward of Gallipolis, Ohio; a son, John West of Weirton; five grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Wilbert (Roxie) Anderson of New Martinsville, W.Va.; and two brothers, Thomas O. West of Cameron R.D.5, and William West of Ellamore, W.Va.

Two brothers William and Robert are deceased.

Toland

Clarence Toland, 75, of West Finley, died Tuesday, February 24, 1981, at 8:15 a.m. in the Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va., following a five week illness.

He was born October 8, 1905, a son of Frank and Phoebe Ewing Toland.

Mr. Toland was a pipe layer and a farmer by trade.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Norma Jean Gregg of Washington, Mrs. Clyde (Shirley) Riggle and Elsie Huntsman, both of Cameron, W.Va.; one son, Clarence Toland Jr. of Cameron; eight grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; seven sisters, Olive Amos and Mrs. George (Minnie) Miller, both of West Alexander, Mrs. Vesta Yoders of Washington, Mrs. Wesley (Wilma) Amos of Waynesburg, Annabelle Dailey of Brave, Mrs. Morgan (Lula) Stollar of West Finley and Mrs. Don (Bernice) Hewitt of Graysville.

Four brothers, Marvin, Howard, Kenneth and Frank; and a sister, Gertie, are deceased.

Wise

Mary E. Wise, 77, of Brave, died at 9 a.m. Tuesday, February 24, 1981, in the West Virginia University Hospital following a brief illness.

She was born November 2, 1903, in Hero to Armstrong and Elizabeth Jones White and spent most of her life in the Brave area.

Her husband Ralph F. Wise died January 3, 1969.

She is survived by a son F. Lyle Wise of Dallas, Texas; a daughter Mrs. Ralph (Aileen) Berkey of Cleveland, Ohio; a sister Mrs. Arthur (Rose) Harker of Wadestown, W.Va.; a brother Thomas White of Fort Meade, Fla.; seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Two sons Kenneth and Thomas A., two sisters and four brothers are deceased.

Burella

Anna Bankovich Burella, 88, of 311 Grant Avenue, Nemaconin, died Saturday, February 21, 1981, in Canonsburg Hospital following a long illness.

She was born February 21, 1892, at Trauger, a daughter of John and Susanna Mishko Bankovich.

Mrs. Bankovich was a member of Our Lady of Consolation Church, Nemaconin.

Surviving are two sisters: Mrs. Elizabeth Barnhart of Nemaconin, and Mrs. Marie Barbe of Cleveland, Ohio; and two brothers: George Bovankovich and John Bankovich, both of Nemaconin.

Deceased are her husband, John Burella, and a son, John.

Kimble

Emma Kimble, 92, of Garrison, died Tuesday afternoon, February 24, 1981, at the Morgan Manor Convalescent Center, Morgantown, W.Va.

She was born in Greene County, January 14, 1889, a daughter of Rufus and Adelaide Johnston Gover.

Her husband, Francis L. Kimble, died in 1963.

Mrs. Kimble was a member of the Grandview United Methodist Church at Garrison.

She was the last of her family. Several nieces and nephews survive.

Kennedy

Mary Elizabeth Kennedy, 65, of 93 Balch Street, Akron, Ohio, formerly of Waynesburg, died at 4 a.m. Wednesday, February 25, 1981, in Akron General Medical Center following a long illness.

She was born March 29, 1915, in Uniontown, the daughter of William and Elizabeth McCafferty Brown.

Her early life was spent in Uniontown and for many years lived in Waynesburg before moving to Ohio several years ago. She was a member of the St. Vincent R.C. Church in Akron and the VFW Auxiliary. Surviving are her husband, Joseph F. Kennedy; her stepmother, Mrs. Margaret Brown of Waynesburg; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Ann Munn of Akron, Ohio; a son, Robert J. Kennedy of Akron, Ohio; two grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Rita Koslosky of Columbus, Ohio and three brothers, James in California, Charles in West Virginia and Jack of Akron, Ohio.

Two brothers William and Robert are deceased.

Clark

Richard F. Clark, 76, of Mt. Morris Star Route, Waynesburg, died at 2:15 a.m. Thursday, February 19, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was a son of the late Marshall and Anna Jane Stickle Clark and was born January 18, 1906, in Fayette County, near Uniontown, where he resided during early life.

Mr. Clark was a retired coal miner, having been employed at Jones & Laughlin's Vestaburg mine.

He was a member of the First Christian Church of Waynesburg, a past governor of Waynesburg Lodge 461, Loyal Order of Moose, and a member of Vestaburg Local 461, United Mine Workers of America.

His first wife, Helen Stroman Clark, is deceased.

Surviving are his second wife, Melvina Staggers Clark; three daughters and a son by his first marriage, Mrs. Patrick (Nancy) Stoneking of Mt. Morris Star Route, Mrs. David (Linda) Ward of Dallas, Texas, Mrs. Roy (Donna) Porterfield of Waynesburg, and Richard Francis Clark Jr. of Charlotte, N.C.; eight grandchildren; two great-granddaughters; five stepdaughters, Glennetta Sappington of Pine Bank, Kay Warwick and Kathy Popham, both of Las Vegas, Nev., Donna Kennedy of Wayneburg R.D.1, and Betty Provance of McKeesport; 20 step-grandchildren; two step-great-grandchildren; seven sisters, Violet, Lucy, Edith, Mabel, Hester, Mildred andONEY, and three brothers, Earl, Paul and Ray.

Two brothers, Willis and Lesley, are deceased.

Varto

John J. Varto, 70, of Carmichaels, died Saturday, February 21, 1981, in Washington Hospital following a long illness.

He was born June 10, 1910, in Uniontown, a son of Rocus and Mary Varto. His wife, Anna Bokot Varto, survives.

Mr. Varto was a retired miner with the Buckeye Coal Co. He had resided for the past 46 years in the Nemaconin and Carmichaels areas and was a member of St. Hugh Church at Carmichaels, UMWA Nemaconin Local 6290, American Legion Post at Carmichaels, and the Greene County Citizens Club, Nemaconin.

Surviving in addition to his wife are three grandchildren: Linda Faieta of Salem, Ohio, Mary Ann Faieta of Virginia Beach, Va., and Danny Faieta of Hollywood, Calif.; two sisters: Mrs. John (Catherine) Markutsa of Leith, and Mrs. John (Mary) Radolec of Uniontown; and three brothers: Paul Varto of McClellandtown, Frank Varto of Continental No. 1, and Mike Varto of Detroit, Mich.

One daughter, Joan Faieta, and two brothers, Joseph and Albert Varto, are deceased.

Public Notices

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of EVELYN B. ESINGER late of Whiteley Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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

Howard N. Esinger
R.D.#1 Box 17-A
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Executor

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Attorneys
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Abner E. Tharp late of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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

Erma Jean Carroll
116 Lynnwood Ave.
Belle Vernon, Pa. 15012
Charles Raymond Tharp
R.D.#1
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Executors
H. Terry Grimes
Attorney
2-13,20,27

NOTICE TO DISOLVE CORPORATION
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested in or who may be affected by P. RIES ENERGY SYSTEMS, INC., of R.D. #5, Box 145, Route 19, Waynesburg, Pennsylvania 15370, a business corporation, that filed with the Department of State, of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on the 5th day of January 1981, a certificate of election by its shareholders to dissolve the said corporation, and that the board of directors is now engaged in winding up and settling the affairs of said corporation, so that its corporate existence shall be ended by issuance of a certificate of dissolution by the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Business Corporation Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved May 5, 1933, as amended.

STEPHEN L. WHITE, Esq.
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Solicitor
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NOTICE
LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, ORPHAN'S COURT DIVISION ON MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1981.

The First and Final Account of Harry Milton Sprague, Executor of the Estate of Beryl Sprague Harkins, late of Wayne Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Raymond J. Stockdale, a/k/a Jack Stockdale, late of Washington Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Wayne E. Smith, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Jessie B. L. Ulom, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Zenia Gilbert Executrix of Theodore R. Fordyce, Estate, late of Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of John Robuck, Administrator c.l.a. of the Estate of Frank Guy, deceased, late of Jefferson Township, Greene County Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Donald Paul Ruffland, Jr., Executor of the Estate of Donald P. Ruffland, late of Jefferson Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Jane S. Atkinson, Executrix of the Estate of Kathryn Fox McKee, late of Perry Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

Al Darney
CLERK OF COURTS
2-13,20,27

Public Notices

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION
In compliance with the provisions of Section 906 of the Act of June 3, 1937, P. L. 1333, known as the "Pennsylvania Election Code," supplements thereto and amendments thereof, the undersigned County Board of Elections of the County of Greene, hereby gives public notice to the electors of Greene County, Pennsylvania, that on TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1981, from 7:00 o'clock A.M. to 8:00 o'clock P.M., Daylight Savings Time, a Municipal Primary Election will be held in the several Election Districts of Greene County, Pennsylvania, and at the regular polling places in each district. The purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices, to be voted for at the Municipal Election to be held November 3, 1981.

The Republican, Democratic and Anderson Coalition Parties are eligible to nominate candidates in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The Republican and Democratic Parties are eligible to nominate candidates in the County of Greene, Pennsylvania.

The State, County, Township and Borough Offices for which nominations are to be made are as follows:

STATE OFFICES
Two Justices of the Supreme Court
Four Judges of the Superior Court
One Judge of the Commonwealth Court

COUNTY OFFICES
One Sheriff
One Coroner
Two Jury Commissioners

TOWNSHIP OFFICES
One Supervisor, One Tax Collector, One Assessor, One Auditor in each Township, with the exception of Greene Township which will nominate Three Supervisors for terms of Six Years, Four Years and Two Years, and Wayne Township which will nominate Three Supervisors for terms of Six Years, Four Years and Two Years.

Gray Township will nominate Two Auditors for terms of Six Years and Two Years, Monongahela Township will nominate Three Auditors for terms of Six Years, Four Years and Two Years, and Perry Township will nominate Two Auditors for terms of Six Years and Two Years.

BOROUGH OFFICES
One Mayor and One Tax Collector in each Borough. One Auditor in each Borough, with the exception of Clarksville Borough which will nominate Three Auditors for the terms of Six Years, Four Years and Two Years, and Rices Landing Borough which will nominate Three Auditors for the terms of Six Years, Four Years and Two Years. Waynesburg Borough has no Auditor.

Members of Council will be nominated in each Borough as follows:

Carmichaels Borough, One for Two Years and Four for Four Years each.
Clarksville Borough, One for Two Years and Four for Four Years each.

Greensboro Borough, Two for Two Years and Four for Four Years each.
Jefferson Borough, Four for Four Years each.

Rices Landing Borough, Four for Four Years each.
Waynesburg Borough, One in Ward I for Four Years. Two in Ward II for Four Years. Two in Ward III for Four Years each.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS
Carmichaels Area School District which is comprised of Carmichaels Borough and Cumberland Township will nominate Two Directors At Large for Four Year Terms each.

Central Greene School District Directors will be nominated as follows:

Franklin and Washington Townships voting jointly will nominate One Director for a Four Year Term. Perry, Wayne and Whiteley voting jointly will nominate One Director for a Four Year Term. Waynesburg Borough will nominate One Director for a Four Year Term.

Jefferson-Morgan School District which is comprised of Clarksville Borough, Jefferson Borough, Rices Landing Borough and Jefferson and Morgan Townships will nominate Three Directors At Large for Terms of Four Years each.

Southwestern Greene School District which is comprised of Clarksville, Greene, Monongahela Townships and Greensboro Borough will nominate Three Directors At Large for Four Year Terms each.

West Greene School District Directors will be nominated as follows: — Center and Morris Townships voting jointly will nominate One Director for a Four Year Term. Alleppo, Freeport, Gilmore and Springhill Townships voting jointly will nominate One Director for a Four Year Term.

One Judge and Two Inspectors of Election will be nominated in each voting precinct in every Township and Borough.

One District Justice will be nominated in Magisterial District I