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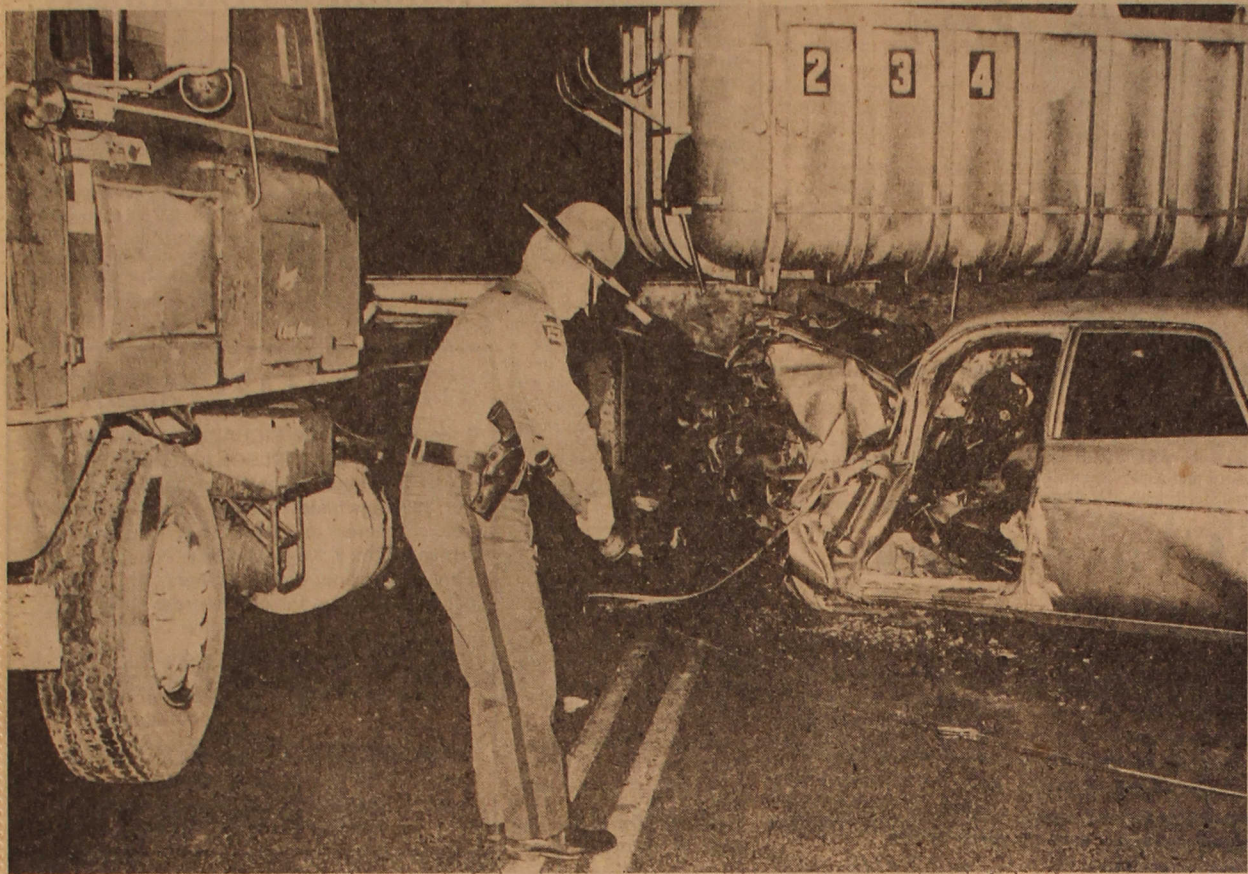
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Scene of Friday night's accident in which Charles E. Montgomery of Waynesburg R.D.2 was killed

Truck-Car Crash Kills Waynesburg Man

WAYNESBURG — A 35-year-old Waynesburg R.D.2 man was killed instantly Friday night when his car slammed into a tractor-trailer pulling from a private drive on old Route 21.

Charles E. (Buck) Montgomery was pronounced dead at the scene at 10:47 p.m. by Greene County Deputy Coroner

Chuck Behm. Behm said Montgomery died of multiple injuries.

State police said Montgomery was driving east on old Route 21 when Larry E. Haver, 41, of Port Washington, Ohio, pulled a tractor-trailer loaded with sand from the driveway of Hoy's Red-Mix into the path of Montgomery's car.

The car hit the truck broadside. An ambulance crew from the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Co. was called and had to use the Hurst tool to remove the body from the car.

Haver was not injured in the accident. As an out-of-state driver, he was required to post \$2,500 bond until a coroner's inquest is held. Behm said the

inquest has not been scheduled.

Montgomery was born July 7, 1945, in Franklin Township. He was the son of Martha Crawford Montgomery of Holbrook R.D.1 and the late Jesse F. Montgomery.

A former construction worker for AT&T and the late Jack Williams, he was a life-

long resident of Waynesburg. For the last nine years he had been employed by Jacobs Petroleum Products Inc.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Elzie (Shirley) Martin Jr. of Licking, Mo., and Mrs. Arthur (Goldie) Morris of Holbrook R.D.1; and two nieces, Rebecca and Patricia

J-M Board Adopts New Budget

By STAN DIAMOND
Staff Writer

JEFFERSON — It looked like the proposed \$3.4 million budget for 1981-82 for the Jefferson-Morgan School District was headed back to the work-sheets for a trimming of its 79-million base Monday night. It took two votes and a quick executive session before it was adopted by a 6-3 vote.

One board member was absent when the first vote was taken and another wanted to hold a budget meeting to try to

"cut a couple more mills" out of it. Instead, an executive session was called during which several "internal changes in the budget" were made but its real estate millage retained.

On the second vote the budget was adopted, 6-3, with board members Louie Baniecki, Robert Goslin and Charles Murray casting the negative votes. The first vote was 5-3, with Robert Harry and Charles Ferencak voting against it along with Baniecki, Goslin and Murray. Board member Robert McCarty was absent for the first vote. Voting

for the budget both times were Paul D'Antonio, Floyd Hane and Stanley Fowler.

The budget is based on a 79-million real estate levy and calls for total expenditures of \$3,474,976, up 8.5 percent over the current year's budget.

In other action, the district's elementary principal for the past 13 years, George L. Misher, announced he would be retiring at the end of the current school year. Although he has not officially submitted his letter of resignation, the board gave its approval to the administration to begin to search for a replacement.

Misher has been with the district for the past 40 years, beginning as a teacher in the former Mather Elementary School, then moving to former Rices Landing and Lippencott Elementary Schools as a head teacher before being named elementary principal.

In a quick look over his 40 years in teaching, Misher said children today are the same as children were 30 and 40 years ago with the exception of a very few and that teaching seems to go in cycles with new teaching theories in many cases being those that were thrown out years ago. But, he said, schools today offer many more services and programs for the child and — probably because of television — children are much more ready for school than they were years ago.

"But still," the veteran educator said, "the most important place for the training of the child is in the home."

A new text book series in English for first through sixth grades was approved by the board. Misher said the new series stresses the basics and more grammar and creative writing. Also being studied for new text books are the social studies and science areas. Misher said the next big move will probably be in science.

The firm of Foreman, Dorsch, Bashford and Wallace was hired as architect for re-bidding a project to replace exterior doors in the high school. The administration said re-bidding would probably see the bids come in at \$7,000 to \$14,000 under the original apparent low bid of \$55,000.

The board approved a request from the Greene County Commissioners asking for use of the former Central Elementary building at Jefferson as a polling place for primary and general elections rather than the high school.

Faced with a probable 25 percent cut in Federal Title I funds for the coming year, the board voted to tentatively delete four remedial math teaching positions.

Surveyor Files Suit

WAYNESBURG — A Waynesburg surveyor has filed suit in Greene County Court seeking payment for services allegedly rendered in November 1979.

Raymond A. Weber of Waynesburg R.D.4 has sued Ralph E. Good of Marianna; his wife, Sandra E. Good of Hoge's Trailer Court, Carmichaels; Dr. Grover H. Phillippi of Greene Street, Waynesburg and Virginia A. Phillippi of Winnetka, Ill., for \$3,000 plus interest.

Weber claims the defendants hired him in November 1979, to survey property known as the Weaver-Miles-Addleman property. Weber claims he completed the work but was never paid.

Woman Missing

DILLINER — State police are looking for a 20-year-old Dilliner woman last seen at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 28.

Emma Jane Anderson is described as five feet, three inches tall, weighing 145 pounds, with frizzy blonde hair. When last seen she was wearing an orange T-shirt and blue jeans. She left her home in a green and blue 1970 Chevrolet sedan with Pennsylvania registration 7X5276.

State police ask that anyone with information contact them at the Waynesburg sub-station.

County Plan Will Try To Save EMS Program

By JIM-MOORE
Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Commissioners have found a "workable solution" to save the county's Emergency Medical Services office which appeared doomed because of cutbacks in federal grants.

All three employees in the office were being paid by CETA funds which will be discontinued this summer. The Pittsburgh regional office of Emergency Medical Services provides \$1,318 monthly toward expenses of the office.

Plans called for the EMS coordinator to be furloughed April 30 and the training coordinator to lose his job July 31. If both these positions were eliminated, the office secretary's job would also have been unnecessary.

The commissioners said they will present their plan at the next meeting of the board to be held Thursday, April 29.

Several members of the Waynesburg Economic Revitalization Committee met briefly with the commissioners to discuss the possibility of placing trees and benches along the sidewalk in front of the courthouse.

Joseph Pawlosky, chairman of the board of commissioners, suggested Judge Glenn Toothman be told of the plans and be given his opinions of the plan.

Pawlosky warned the WERC representatives that renovations will soon be started on the front steps and sidewalk of the courthouse and the matter should be decided as quickly as possible.

Commissioner L.R. Santore questioned whether trees would be noticed considering the utility poles along the block. Santore was told WERC has already signed a contract with West Penn Power Co. to remove the poles and place

the service connections in the rear of businesses in the two blocks between Morgan and Morris streets.

In other action, the commissioners:

✓ Approved a tax anticipation loan of up to \$400,000 because the county has not been regularly receiving state subsidy payments.

✓ Renewed a rental agreement with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee in the Old County Office Building.

✓ Appealed to county residents to take part in the Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful campaign this weekend when volunteers will pick up litter along state highways.

✓ Executed a labor contract with employees at the Curry Memorial Home.

✓ Awarded a contract to Hopkins and Sons for concrete work at the courthouse based on a low bid of \$10,865.

Overpass To Be Built

WAYNESBURG — Consolidation Coal Company officials, at a meeting with local officials Tuesday night, announced that an overpass would be constructed in West Waynesburg to carry coal cars over Routes 18 and 21.

Many local residents, upon hearing about the possibility of the coal company building a railroad to service a new mine in eastern Greene County, protested to township officials and warned of another traffic hazard such as the one on Morgan Street in Waynesburg Borough.

Representatives of the Greene County board of commissioners, Greene County Industrial Developments, Inc., the Greene County Planning Commission and various township supervisors met with Consol officials to hear about future plans of the company.

Youth Injured

WAYNESBURG — A nine-year-old Waynesburg boy was taken to Greene County Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon after he was struck by a car.

Travis Ray Shultz, son of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Shultz of 410 Fourth Avenue, was treated for minor injuries at the hospital. The incident happened at 3 p.m. on High Street near the Good News Shop.

Borough Police, who are investigating the accident, reported the driver of the car was a woman, but had no further details.

Refuse Rate Hike Tabled

WAYNESBURG — The Franklin Township Supervisors Monday tabled action on a proposed rate increase for the franchised refuse collector and several insurance plans proposed at the last meeting.

Carl Long, owner of Long Trucking Company, presented a cost breakdown that he says will force a rate increase of almost 80 percent. Long said he is being forced to increase prices because the Waynesburg Landfill will be closed on May 15 and he will be forced to haul local refuse to a landfill in Fayette County.

Long had earlier made it known he will have to construct a transfer station where trucks will dump into a large trailer which in turn will be hauled to the landfill near McClellandtown.

Long wants to increase household rates from \$13.50 per quarter to \$22.50 per quarter on curbside pickups and a raise from \$15 per quarter to \$24 per quarter for "backdoor" pickups. Commercial rates would go from \$26 to \$38 per quarter.

According to the contract with the township, the supervisors have the authority to mediate with Long over a rate increase. In his report, Long said it would cost him \$275,439 to operate from February 1, 1981, to June 30, 1982.

In other action, the supervisors authorized payments of \$500 to the Waynesburg

Borough Recreation Board toward expenses at Central Playground, \$500 to Bowlby Library and \$1,500 to Greene County Industrial Developments Inc.

The supervisors tabled accepting a package insurance plan from any of the six bidders until they determine the amount of deductible they want.

Duquesne Wants To Sell Warrick Mine

PITTSBURGH — Duquesne Light Co. announced this week it would like to sell its Warrick Mine near Bobtown but the sale would depend on a ruling by the Public Utility Commission.

John M. Arthur, chairman and chief executive officer for Duquesne Light, said the proposed sale of the \$36.3 million mine depends on the PUC. Duquesne has asked the commission to reconsider a February 20 order that removed the mine from the utility's rate base.

Duquesne Light pays \$32.79 per ton for coal from the Warrick Mine and Arthur acknowledged coal can be purchased cheaper on the open market. The utility recently spent \$9.5 million on improvements at the mine which normally employs approximately 600 miners.

Attorney Questions LRB Ruling

WAYNESBURG — Atty. Jonathan L. Alder, labor attorney representing Greene County, has taken exception to a recent ruling handed down by the state Labor Relations Board dismissing a petition by several county employees to join the Service Employees International Union.

In its decision, the LRB took the county to task for not supplying the names of employees who may have been eligible to join the labor organization.

Alder's letter to the chief counsel of the state board read in part, "There were questions concerning the exact extent and scope of the bargaining unit being petitioned for, and under those circumstances, it was impossible to prepare any list of employees prior to the hearing. However, at the hearing, a list of employees was submitted to the board and there was ample opportunity for the board agent at that time to check the showing of interest."

Alder charged the union organizers knew at a hearing on March 24 they did not have enough interest and should have withdrawn their petition. "Accordingly, the discussion of the order of dismissal appears to be singularly inappropriate, and directed at the wrong party," Alder said.

Officials Convene

WAYNESBURG — Township officials of Greene County will convene at 9 a.m. Friday, May 8, in the Greene County Courthouse for their 66th annual county convention.

Taking part will be supervisors, secretaries, auditors, tax collectors and assessors. Over 100 officials are expected for the annual event.

County conventions are held for the purpose of bringing local elected officials up to date with respect to the proper and efficient discharge of their various duties and responsibilities.

Representing the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors will be R. Keith Hite, assistant executive director. Hite will speak on new acts affecting local government, pending legislation and other matters

with respect to the administration of township government. If time permits, Hite will also conduct a question and answer session.

Other speakers will include Judge Glenn Toothman, Rep. H. William DeWeese, Blaine Everley and Gene Galardi, representatives of the municipal services of PennDOT; Donald Taylor, emergency management for Greene County and John Gardner, representing the Greene County Firemen's Association.

New officers will be elected during the convention. Present officers are Carl Hildreth, Morris Township, president; Marvin Moody, Dunkard, first vice-president; William C. Groves, Cumberland, second vice-president and Charles E. Tanner, Washington, secretary-treasurer.

Kidney Patient Returns

BUCKHANNON, W.Va. — Roger Williams, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Williams of Buckhannon, W.Va., returned home late Wednesday night following a ten-week stay at Children's Hospital in Boston where he received a kidney transplant that later failed.

Roger came home in style aboard a donated, twin-engine Navajo from Air Charter Service based at Washington

County Airport. Bonnie Gilbert and Frank Fazolare, partners in the charter firm, piloted the craft and a volunteer paramedic from Peters Township rode with the young patient along with the boy's parents.

Roger is the son of the former Frances May of Carmichaels and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Willard May of Cales Addition, Carmichaels.

After the three hour flight

from Boston to Clarksburg, W.Va., Roger was taken by ambulance to his home in Buckhannon. On Thursday, Roger was taken to the University Medical Center where he underwent dialysis. He will continue on dialysis until later this summer when a kidney donated by his mother will be transplanted.

He had earlier rejected a kidney donated by his father.



50 Years Of Service

Mary E. Collins of Waynesburg was honored by the Greene County Chapter of the American Red Cross Monday night for her 50 years of volunteer service to the organization. Miss Collins, a retired registered nurse, has served as chairman of the local chapter for the past 15 years and, though she is retiring from that position, she intends to continue working with the Red Cross. Shown with Miss Collins is Paul Clutter, who will take over the chairmanship of the local Red Cross chapter.

'We Sterilize Anything From Linens To Instruments'

The following article was written by Marcia J. McEwen, public relations specialist at Greene County Memorial Hospital.

WAYNESBURG — Just about everyone appreciates the significance of sterile bandages and Band-Aids, but only somebody like Nancy Hegan knows how they get that way.

Mrs. Hegan, of Clarksville, is supervisor of Central Sterile at Greene County Memorial Hospital and it's her task, as well as other members of her department, to sterilize items that pass through their doors.

This is not as simple a job as it may seem because within a seven-month period, July 1 to December 31, 1980, over 31,000 items arrived at Central Sterile to have all living microorganisms or germs removed so that patients receiving these articles wouldn't be contaminated.

"We sterilize anything from linens to instruments," said Mrs. Hegan. She emphasized that this also means Central Sterile has something to do with almost every department at GCMH.

"We sterilize not only in-

struments for surgery, obstetrics and emergency but we also sterilize special linens and almost all surgical/medical supplies for the floors," Mrs. Hegan pointed out. She feels that this widespread contact places her department indirectly in touch with more patients than the typical department.

"This feeling of helping many patients is very satisfying to us. We regard our work as a type of nursing, even though it's a different type of nursing," said the department supervisor.

Mrs. Hegan and her crew sterilize approximately ten special trays a day for surgery alone. A typical tray for an abdominal hysterectomy includes 15 different instruments. Some additional items might also be required. A skin tray, use in the removal of moles, requires 21 different instruments.

In addition to the trays, surgery requires sterilized surgical drapes (covers placed around the area involved in surgery), gown packs (apparel worn by the physicians and nurses), and lap packs (major packs for



Naomi Cummins, left, and Nancy Hegan stand in front of one of the many sterilizing machines.

surgery). Besides handling the sterilization of items for the hospital, Mrs. Hegan orders new instruments, supplies

and pre-packaged items. She has been with GCMH for 14 years and supervisor in Central Sterile since 1976 when the

department moved to its 1,694 square feet on the first floor of the hospital.

The department also is re-

sponsible for supplying distilled water and saline from its 50-gallon tank for surgery. Both distilled and saline water, for example, are used for compresses.

Because of the constant need for sterile items, the department is scheduled to open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Since Central Sterile touches almost every other department, too, Mrs. Hegan and her staff regard their department as "the heart" of the hospital.

This enormous sterilization process couldn't be accomplished, however, without the proper equipment.

Central Sterile has at its disposal the following machines: an equipment washer, used for all large metal items such as trays, pitchers, and basins; a washer-sterilizer utilized for all surgical instruments; two steam sterilizers, employed for basic packs; a gas sterilizer used for items that can't be steamed, such as plastics; and a sonic cleaner, employed to remove extra dirt from instruments by supplying electrical current.

Not all items go through each machine when sterilized. Each item, in other words, goes through only certain machines. Instruments, for example are washed first by hand, placed in the washer sterilizer, and then are put into the sonic cleaner. The Central Sterile crew next gives them a milk bath — in order to lubricate them — wraps, and sterilizes the instruments and finally places the sterilized items on the cart lift for delivery to their destination.

Although Mrs. Hegan is already a registered nurse,

she's working on her bachelor's degree in nursing. When not studying for her degree, she enjoys dancing, skiing and skating. Mrs. Hegan is the mother of one child, Paula Marie, 14.

Other members of Central Sterile include Florence Norwich, RN, relief supervisor; Gerry Blaker, Naomi Cummins, Eileen Riess, Mary Lou Sowden, Bedie Kinder, Lu Ann Baxter and Dee Blaker.

Mid-Continent Corp. Announces Earnings

Mid-Continent Telephone Corp. has reported financial results for the first quarter and the 12 months ended on March 31.

Mid-Continent's revenues for the first quarter were \$66.5 million up ten percent from the first quarter a year ago. Net income declined slightly to \$7.1 million from \$7.3 in the first quarter a year ago. Earnings per share of 51 cents in the current quarter were down

three cents from 54 cents in the prior year period, on three percent more average common shares.

During the 12 months ended March 31, total revenues were \$260 million, a 13 percent increase over revenues of \$230 million for the same period a year ago. Approximately one-third of this gain was due to the purchase of two companies in the third quarter of 1979.

"THE ZOLLARS FAMILY"

A family history by RICHARD G. ZOLLARS of Waynesburg and WILSON & RUTH ELLEN STAMPE, is now available. The hardbound, 8 1/2" x 11, 388-page history includes such well-known area surnames as: Bane, Baker, Clendaniel, Santee, Hufford, Keys, McCarty, Pollock, Smith, Ulery, Wise and several others. The history includes 1,137 surnames. To order send:

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Organizations Will Clear Grave Sites

Descendants of Col. John Minor and his brother William are making an effort to have the old Greensboro Hill Cemetery cleared so the graves of the two men can be cleaned up and the gravestones replaced.

The project is being undertaken jointly by the Greene Academy Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Colonel

John Minor Society of the Children of the American Revolution.

If they can be restored, the graves will be rededicated. Any descendant of the Minor's and other interested persons should contact Mrs. Herman Gugliotti at 394-3970. Funds are needed to clear the cemetery, restore the grave sites and replace the stones.

One of the most notable frontiersmen in this area, John Minor, a colonel in the Virginia militia, moved to what is now Mapletown in 1764 and laid out large claims for himself and his brother William.

Many historians claim Col. Minor well deserves the title "Father of Greene County." They say he was a fine soldier,

a brave Indian fighter, a successful farmer and stockman, a boat builder, founder of the first flour mill west of the Monongahela and a dedicated statesman.

In 1778 he and another patriot, John Swan, assumed leadership in doing everything possible to aid Lt. Col. George Roger Clark's army in the

American Revolution. Minor supervised the building of boats on the Monongahela River and aided in recruiting some men for Clark's army.

In 1791 he was elected to the Pennsylvania legislature and served several terms in that body. It was largely through his efforts that Greene County was carved out of Washington County in 1796.

Mock Disaster Drill Held

Greene County Memorial Hospital in conjunction with the Greene County Emergency Services Council and county ambulance services held a mock disaster drill Sunday afternoon.

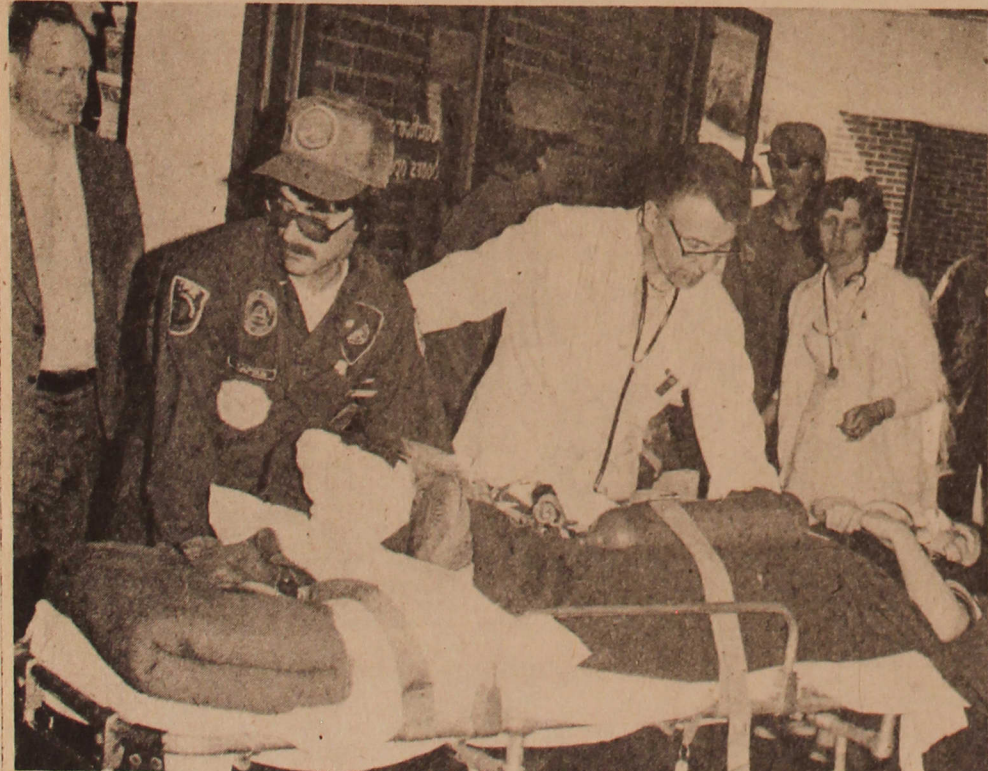
Boy Scouts from the county served as the "victims" in the mock disaster simulating a plane crashing into a Boy

Scout camp out being held in Pumpkin Run Park at Rices Landing.

Injuries included burns, fractures, lacerations, a sucking chest wound and an amputation. The 12 "victims" were given emergency treatment at the scene by ambulance crews from fire companies at Rices Landing, Crucible,

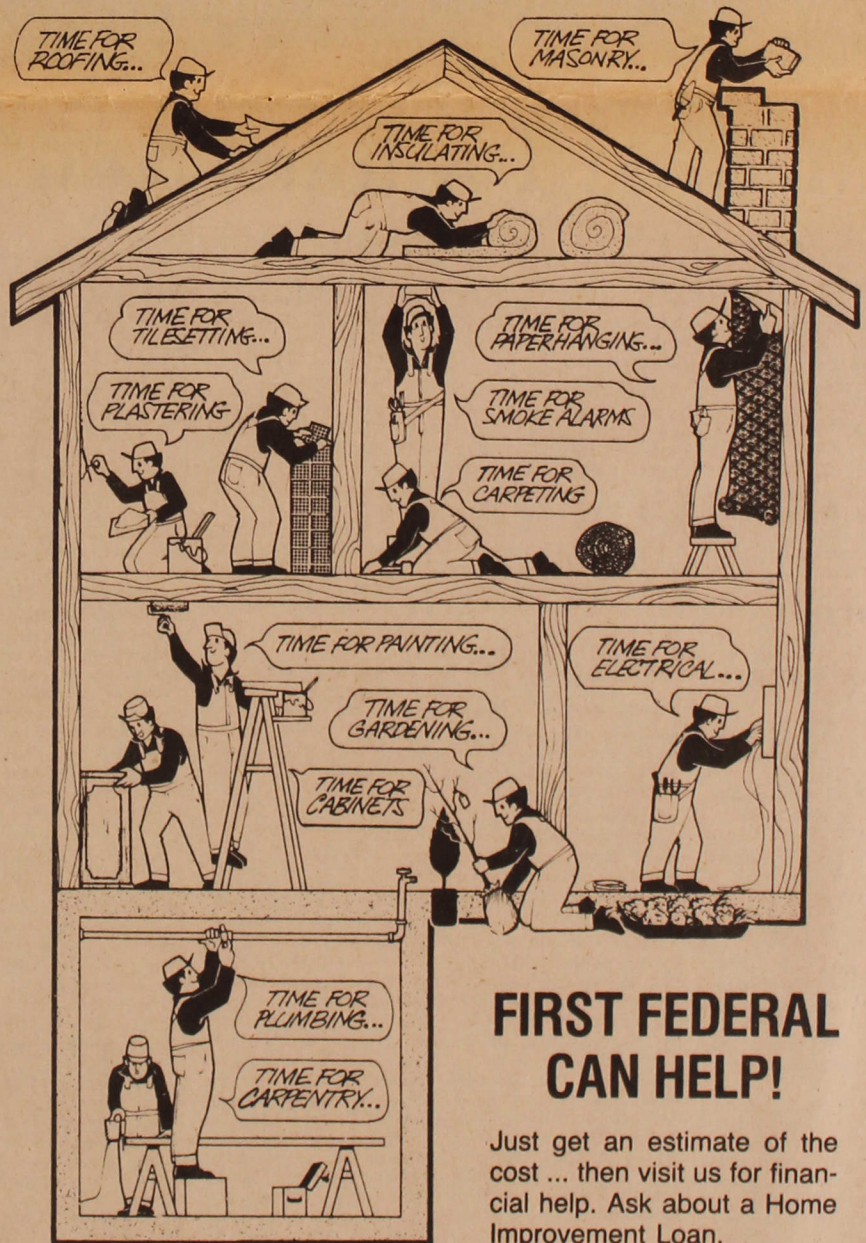
Clarksville, Nemaquin and Jefferson.

Dr. Stanley Falor, director of emergency services at the hospital and chairman of the hospital's disaster committee, and Dr. Garrett Connor, a member of the disaster committee, evaluated injuries to the victims and directed them to treatment areas.



Outside the hospital's emergency entrance, Dr. Falor directs where a "victim" is to be taken. Inside, Dr. Falor and Dr. Connor, evaluate injuries.

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Mikes Capture Sixth In 19-AA

Carmichaels High School edged California 3-2 Monday to extend its Section 19-AA baseball record to 6-0. The Mikes broke a 2-2 tie in the last of the seventh inning on Jerry Townsend's single after a two-base error.

Bob Phillips, who relieved starting pitcher Mark Townsend, was credited with the victory as he struck out four batters in two innings. A double by California's Jeff Bodnar was the only extra base hit of the game. Losing pitcher John Waller had 10 strikeouts.

Bentworth defeated Immaculate Conception 11-2 and Fort Cherry downed Avella 5-2 in Section 12-AA games.

Bentworth's Mike Magera allowed only two hits, singles by Jeff McAfee and Kevin Martin, as the Bearcats improved their section record to 3-1.

Paul Kubincanek had three Bentworth hits including a double and drove in two runs. Shawn Bennett had two hits, including a double, and two RBIs; Doug Miller, a triple and two RBIs and Gary Nucetelli, a double which drove in a run.

Fort Cherry, winning its first section game after three losses, had seven hits, including a triple by Jay Lheureau and a double by George Brown. Winning pitcher John Lauff gave up five hits. Del Walker and Tim Daudet doubled for the Eagles. The loss was charged to Daudet, the second of three Avella pitchers.



Observer-Reporter Photo

State forester Bill Wentzel helps Betty Cole plant yet another tree.

On Arbor Day, State Notes Farmers Protect Forests

The last Friday in April holds special significance for some Pennsylvanians because it is the official observance of Arbor Day. And, according to William C. Wentzel, service forester for Washington and Greene Counties, it is a time to work toward the enhancement of natural beauty, the improvement of the environment and the perpetuation of valuable forests.

Helping mark Arbor Day in

Driver Jailed

WAYNESBURG — James K. Garrett, 18, of Washington R.D. 4, was arrested by borough police at 1:07 a.m. Sunday and charged with driving while under the influence. He was lodged in Greene County Jail in lieu of \$1,000 bond following an arraignment before Magistrate John Watson.

Donley Anniversary

65 Years Together

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Donley of Carmichaels will observe their 65th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 26. They were married in the manse of the Third Presbyterian Church, Uniontown, April 26, 1916, by the Rev. T. M. Thompson.

Donley, who was born in Davistown, is the son of McClelland and Louisa Roberts Donley. He is the great-great-grandson of Jamie Donley who moved from Ireland in 1781 to the Mt. Morris area along Dunkard Creek.

Mrs. Donley is the daughter of Amos and Amanda Pratt Rich who lived near Greensboro. She is a direct descendant of the Rev. John Corby.

A graduate of Mapletown High School, she taught school until her marriage.

The couple has lived for the past 56 years in Carmichaels. Donley was Carmichaels postmaster for 26 years, then served as a tipstaff for Greene County President Judge Glenn Toothman for 12 years.

Donley is still active in the Carmichaels Chamber of Commerce and the King Coal Association. He has been a member of the Carmichaels-Cumberland Township Volunteer Fire Company for 54 years, and a life member of the Elks Club. He belongs to Greene County Industrial Developments and the Patriotic Order Sons of America. He

was honored as Carmichaels Man of the Year in 1967.

Mrs. Donley is a charter member of the Greene Academy Chapter of the DAR and a member of the Carmichaels Area Women's Civic Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Donley are members of the Warrior Trail Association and charter members of the Greene Academy of Art of which he is a member of the board of directors.

They have one daughter, Mrs. William (Thelma) Callaghan, of Carmichaels, two sons, Glenn Donley, of Ogden, Utah, and Harold Donley Sr., of Etters, six grandchildren and six-great-grandchildren.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Donley, who will observe the 65th anniversary of their wedding Sunday

Man Wanted For Forgery

State police are searching for a 1978 Chevrolet pickup truck, silver in color, with Pennsylvania license number CW50139.

According to police, the truck was purchased from Route 21 Auto Sales of Waynesburg R.D.2 on March 28 by an unknown white male with a forged check for \$4,632. The man allegedly used a check issued by the Aetna Insurance Co. to purchase the vehicle. Police report the check was stolen from John Beverly of Kingwood, W.Va., and his signature forged.



RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Rebecca Kelley, a senior at Waynesburg Central High School, has received a full one-year scholarship to West Virginia Career College, Morgantown. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley of Waynesburg and plans to enroll in the legal secretarial course.



Observer-Reporter Photo

May Day Royalty

Diane Rawles, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Forrest Rawles of Pine Bank, and Mike Woods, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Woods of New Freeport, have been chosen queen and prince charming to reign over May Day activities at West Greene High School on Friday, May 1. A coronation will be held at 2 p.m. and again at 7 p.m. in the high school gymnasium.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Services will be held for the first time Sunday in the Oakview United Methodist Church.

First Service In New Church

WAYNESBURG — The combined congregations of the Morrisville and Coal Lick United Methodist Churches will hold their first worship service together Sunday in the new Oakview United Methodist Church located along old Route 21 just east of here.

The two congregations merged in May 1978. Ground was broken in April last year for construction of the Oak-

view Church to serve the combined congregations. The final services in the Morrisville and Coal Lick churches were held Easter Sunday.

The new church can seat 300 persons and is located on a 5.7-acre tract.

Sunday's services will begin at 10 a.m. with Dr. Donald Brown, Washington District United Methodist super-

intendent, delivering the sermon. The new combined adult and youth choirs will provide the music.

Many members of congregations from other United Methodist churches in the county including the Throckmorton, Oak Forest, Fordyce and Mt. Pleasant churches will attend the Sunday service at the Oakview Church.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Building Fund Donation

Members of the Waynesburg Literary Guild made a \$105 donation to the construction fund for a proposed addition to the Eva K. Bowlby Public Library at Waynesburg. Nancy Amis, right, children's department librarian, looks over plans for the addition with Carol Fuller, center, a guild member; and Pam Marcavitch, guild president.

Training Course Offered For Recreation Board Members

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Parks and Recreation Department is offering a training course for recreation and park board members and municipal officers at Buhl Hall, Waynesburg College, beginning May 7 at 7 p.m.

The course will meet one night per week for four consecutive weeks. It will cover basic roles and responsibilities of local recreation and park boards and review a broad range of topics related to parks and recreation, in-

cluding: finance, fees and charges, programming, planning, and maintenance. The purpose of the course is to provide locally appointed or elected recreation and park officials with the basic knowledge they need to function effectively.

The registration fee for the course is \$5. Persons may register by sending their name, address, phone number and name of local board, along with the registration fee to the Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation, County Office Building, Waynesburg 15370, or by calling 852-1171, ext. 278.

The course is being taught by Allen Hughes, director of Greene County Parks and Recreation, and is sponsored by the Pennsylvania Department of Community Affairs, Bureau of Recreation and Conservation, Municipal Training Division.



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May Queen, Prince

Lori Niesley and Bill Skelton have been selected as May Queen and Prince Charming for the Waynesburg Central High School junior-senior prom to be held Friday, May 8 at the George Washington Hotel, Washington. Theme for this year's prom is "Love The World Away." Music for dancing will be provided by The Mad Hatters. Senior attendants will be Lisa Shriver and Mike Patterson, Dawn Harvey and John Tennant, Lori Stiles and Church Wassick. Junior attendants will be Marion Wood and John Kuntz, Jonna Shultz and Mark Anderson and Sandy Shultz and Greg Moore.

Haines Will Attend Pitt

PITTSBURGH — Doug Haines, of Waynesburg High School, 1981 PIAA Class AA wrestling champion at 155 pounds and 1980 WPIAL 145-pound champion, is the first recruit for 1981-82 to be signed by University of Pittsburgh head wrestling coach Rande Stottlemyer.

Haines, a winner at the recent Pittsburgh Wrestling Classic, had a 84-7-3 record at Waynesburg. He was the USWF junior national Greco-Roman runnerup at 154 pounds and won three letters in football as a running back.

He is the son of Lindsay and Barbara Haines of Mt. Morris.

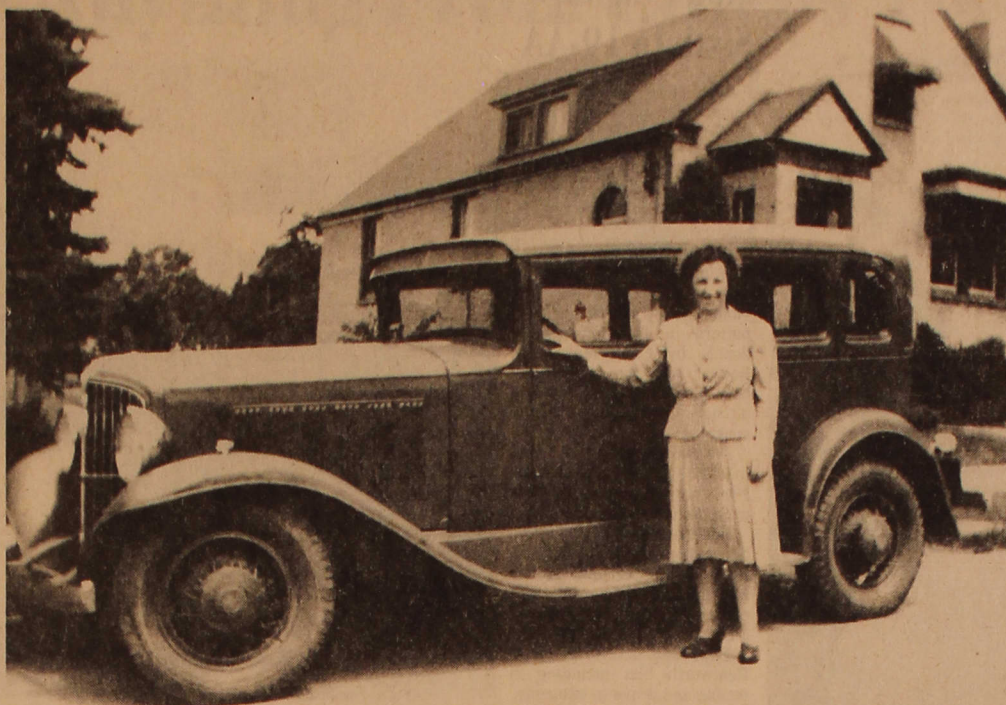
Remove Flowers

Trustees of Blacksville Cemetery Co. asks that all artificial flowers and decorations be removed by Sunday, May 10.

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Faces From The Past—Do You Recognize Them



Pioneer Lady Driver

Many Greene County women were among the first in Southwestern Pennsylvania to drive their own cars because there was no public transportation. Farm women, as well as those living in towns, were among the first to get under the wheel and drive everything from the old Model T Fords to the model from the late 1930s shown above.



Fact and Folklore
John O'Hara

When word came into Waynesburg the other day of the death of Jim Cunningham on March 27, 1981, in Phoenix, Arizona, it was received with a blend of disbelief and the most sincere grief it is possible for anyone other than a close blood relative to experience at such a time.

Jim wasn't born in Waynesburg but he may as well have been so far as his affection for the town and its people were concerned. He was only three or four years old when his parents, the late James and Kate (Constella) Cunningham came to town in the first decade of the 1900s, where Mr. Cunningham, a skilled mechanic, was to work in the shops of the old Waynesburg and Washington narrow gauge railroad.

From the densely populated sections of Pittsburgh in those days such as Sharsburg, the North Side and Braddock, all of them bastions of the smoke filled early day steel capital of the world, the Cunningham family arrived in Waynesburg when it was still little more than a good sized village.

For Jim, then still a pre-school youngster and his younger brother, Leo, and an older brother, Joe, it was like turning a bunch of colts loose after being stabled all winter long.

Fortunately for the two younger boys in the family the Cunninghams moved to a house on South Richhill Street, just a little more than a stone's throw across Ten Mile Creek from the "never never" sort of land of Duvall's Hill. It was owned at that time by the Sayers family and included some 100 acres of what seemed like a wilderness to all the nearby youngsters and especially the two new ones from the crowded city of Pittsburgh.

It was there that under the watchful eye of the late Allen Hill, who's family lived on the north side of the stream, that Jim and others of his generation learned to swim in the summer, skate in the winter and roam the hills gathering walnuts in the autumn and flowers for their mothers in the spring.

It was all part of a Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn sort of life come true in a day long, long before the term juvenile delinquent had been added to the average man's vocabulary, when the older youths instinctively helped keep the younger ones on the right track as they grew from youth to manhood.

In later life these qualities made him one of the best salesman on the road for household utensils, brushes, cooking equipment and other household wares.

His deep sincerity, coupled with every effort he made in any sort of work, positions of responsibility and the constant words of friendship and encouragement with which he greeted his friends in all stations of life.

This was partially true when he was steward of the Waynesburg Eagles Club for a few years before moving to Pittsburgh and from there to a retirement complex in Phoenix, Arizona.

Both Jim and his brother, Leo, now living in Costa Rica, Calif., and his three sisters, two of whom, Mary and Catherine, are both members of the Sisters of Charity at Seton Hill College in Greensburg, and Mrs. Elizabeth Good, of Chicago, were planning for a family reunion in Waynesburg this summer. Their older brother, Joseph, is deceased.

The only relatives of the Cunninghams still in Waynesburg are cousins, Mrs. Nelle Wermecke and Miss Irene Farrell. Two other cousins who had resided here, Robert and James Farrell, are both deceased.

But the memories of many of them will be perpetuated in the folklore of Waynesburg for generations yet to come. Funeral services for Jim were held in Phoenix where he was buried.

Waynesburg Dump Closing Reflects Planning Failure

Scheduled closing of the Waynesburg landfill on May 15 will end more than 10 years of demands by the Department of Environmental Resources (DER) that the facility be replaced, and an equal number of years of futile planning for ways in which the demand could be met.

At one point several years ago, a solid waste management plan was prepared with a state grant which recommended that 10 municipalities in the northeastern quadrant of Greene County join together to develop a regional landfill to serve the entire area.

Waynesburg and Franklin Township, which use the Waynesburg landfill, would have been part of this joint effort and a committee was formed to attempt to carry out the recommendation. It met many times but eventually foundered on the twin problems of finding a suitable location and devising ways to come up with the money which such an undertaking would entail.

Several years later, when the DER again became insistent about closing the Waynesburg dump, the committee got back together and this time devised a plan to build a transfer station in Morgan Township to which all refuse would have been taken for compaction and delivery to a commercial landfill outside the county.

This idea foundered because all of the municipalities with the exception of Waynesburg and Franklin Township have effectively solved their solid waste problems and the transfer station would have increased their disposal costs.

In the past when a plan failed the DER, while unhappy about it, has permitted continued use of the Waynesburg dump. This time it is not and the closing is scheduled to go through as proposed.

For residents of the borough and township it will mean an increase in their refuse collection fees, since the collector will have to haul to a landfill outside the county. There is no other choice.

It may work as a stopgap measure, but the time will come when a more permanent solution will have to be found. The only realistic answer seems to be the development of a regional landfill to serve Greene County municipalities.

And if local municipalities can't get together and provide one, a private company might find it profitable to do so — at a higher cost to users.

Around The Town

By The Staff

Happy May Day for readers of the Waynesburg Republican from coast to coast and wherever else they may have wandered in the years since they have been gone from Greene County

American Red Cross of which Miss Elizabeth Walker of Waynesburg has been the swimming program chairman for several years.

Juveniles and Little Leaguers are not the only ones who will be slamming out home runs and chasing batted balls this coming summer. The Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation will again sponsor softball leagues for both men and women with the men's loop starting May 4 and the women's and church league groups May 19. Last year some 1,200 persons played in all of the county leagues and enjoyed them immensely. Groups of individuals interested in participating can get all the information about where to sign up at the county bureau of recreation offices on the first floor of the "old county office building," also known as the "old Peoples Bank," across the street from the courthouse.

Major Joseph Greenlee, a career officer in the Adjutant General's department of the U.S. Army, visited his mother, Mrs. Paul (Toddy) Greenlee of Seventh Street while enroute back to his base at Frankfort, Germany, after having completed a special assignment in Iowa. He and his wife and their three children will return to the United States next July. Major Greenlee is a graduate of the University of Iowa, where he was a member of the varsity wrestling team. His next assignment will be at Fort Ord, Calif.

The many friends of James Cunningham, a long time resident of South Richhill Street, were sorry to hear of his death last week in Phoenix, Arizona, where he had been living for the past several years. He and his brother, Leo "Coach" Cunningham, and their three sisters, Mary and Catherine of Pittsburgh and Greensburg, and Elizabeth of Detroit, were planning to have a reunion here this coming summer with their cousins, Miss Irene Farrell and Mrs. Nelle Wermecke. Jim's death came as a shock to his many friends back here as he had been enjoying good health since moving there some years ago from Pittsburgh. His funeral and burial was at Phoenix.

Charles Stephen, former Waynesburg resident and now a permanent resident of Mesa, Arizona, visited friends in Waynesburg last weekend while enroute home from Wilmington, Del., where he spent his professional career as a senior auditor in the home office of the DuPont Corp. He also visited friends at Duke University in North Carolina.

Mrs. Lois S. Bower, of Fredericktown, formerly of Waynesburg, has been a patient in Greene County Memorial Hospital for the past several days.

Effects Of Alcohol On Unborn Babies To Be Discussed

WAYNESBURG — Recent research has confirmed what some have suspected for centuries: alcohol consumption by a pregnant woman can harm her unborn child.

As part of a project to prevent such alcohol-caused fetal problems, Greene County Women is sponsoring a program "Alcohol and the Unborn Baby" at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 6, at Waynesburg College.

The program will be presented by the Washington-Greene Prevention Corp. at the McCance Lecture Auditorium of Buhl Hall. A film "Fetal Alcohol Syndrome" will be shown and the effects of alcohol and other drugs on the unborn child will be discussed. Everyone is welcome and there is no charge.

For further information contact Washington-Greene Prevention Corp. at 228-0810.

Both of the county owned Greene County swimming pools, located at Waynesburg and Carmichaels, will be opened for the 1981 outdoor swimming season on Memorial Day. The usual Red Cross swimming and water safety courses will be given at each pool again this year. Thousands—yes, thousands—of Greene Countians have learned to swim and know water safety since these courses were started several years ago under auspices of the Greene County Chapter of the

Mrs. Viola Walker, more intimately known as "Mrs. Walker" to the many children she taught to swim at Waynesburg Central Pool over the past 20 years, continues to recuperate at her home on Ross Street, Waynesburg, following major surgery in Pittsburgh some weeks ago. She is also widely known in area musical circles as a classical violinist who played with numerous groups here and with the symphony orchestra in her former home city of Altoona.

The Rev. John B. Corbett, pastor of St. Ann's Catholic Church of Waynesburg, will celebrate the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood at Mass at 4 p.m., Sunday, May 24 on the campus of Waynesburg College. A dinner will follow at 5:30 p.m. in

Letterbox

Morrisville Church History

It was with great interest that I read the articles in the local newspapers last week of the building of Oak View Church and the closing of the Morrisville and Coal Lick churches.

I was born and raised a proverbial stone's throw from the Morrisville Church where members of our family had attended services from the time that the church was built.

Through the years I have collected historical data on this old church and I would like to share this material with your readers if I may.


The little brick church was not the first church to stand on that site. A sketch of the original plan of Morrisville consisting of 13 lots, all of them lying between the Ten Mile Creek and what is now Route 188, shows a church and adjoining graveyard.

The church appears to be in the same location as is the present one. This sketch was recorded on May 13, 1851, although John Morris and his wife Jemima had "laid out" the lots as early as 1833.

Dr. John Morris Dodd, a noted surgeon, was born in a house located on lot number 13 of the Morrisville plan. This lot is now part of the Barna's Furniture and Appliances Store lying across Route 188 from the present church. Incidentally, the house in which I was born was located on lot number 12, also a part of the Barna property. Dr. Dodd was born in 1866 and in his autobiography he mentions the building of a new church on the same site while he was still a boy.

He carried water to the workers who built the church. From a local newspaper, I learned of a meeting in the summer of 1874 of many friends and members of the Morrisville Methodist Church at the Camp Grounds situated about 1 1/2 miles east of Waynesburg. Coincidentally, the Camp Grounds were located no more than 200 or 300 feet from where the new Oak View Church is now located. The meeting was held to raise money for the purpose of building a new church. They raised about \$600.

Richard Zollars, 47 East Lincoln Street, Waynesburg.



Between The Bookends
Marcia McKenna Biddle

"No one can always be right," said Mrs. Lorrimer coldly.

"I am," said Hercule Poirot. "Always I am right. It is so invariable that it startles me." — from "Cards on the Table," by Agatha Christie.

"Chief Inspector Dalgliesh had the reputation of being good with the bereaved. His condolences might be short, almost formal, but at least they sounded sincere. He didn't connive at the extraordinary psychological interdependence by which the detective and the bereaved were often supported. He made no specious promises, never bullied the weak or indulged the sentimental. At times he seemed cold enough to be barely human." — from "Death of an Expert Witness," by P.D. James.

British writer P. D. James has been called the successor to the late Agatha Christie as the "queen of crime," or top writer of murder mysteries in the world. Christie, of course, was in a class by herself, her books having sold several hundred million copies and still going. It would be silly for another writer to try to imitate her, and James doesn't do that.

As the above quotes show, there is a great difference in style and tone between the two writers. Christie's detective, Hercule Poirot, is an odd little genius who is secure in his own brilliance. His only vice is that he puts too much sugar in his coffee. James' Inspector Dalgliesh, unlike Poirot, has moments of self-doubt, anger, and loneliness. He conceals his emotions, but channels them into the writing of poetry.

In comparison to James, Christie's books are almost lighthearted, as if written with a wink and a secret laugh. When you read an Agatha Christie story, you are playing a game with the author—she has presented a puzzle, and dared you to solve it before she wants you to. You never do.

With James, the game is more like "Heavy, heavy hangs over my head." She lacks Christie's humor, but she is deeply involved in the tragedy of the situation and its effects on the people touched by it. Christie was more inclined to skip over that part in order to get on with the solution and see that justice was done. Although James' criminals are always caught, too, she knows that justice is not so simple.



The Top Ten

The top ten scholastic seniors at Waynesburg Central High School were among those recognized during the annual honors banquet held Wednesday night at the school. Standing in the back — in the order of their ranking — are, from

left Adam Henderson and Barb Young, tied for top honors; Sarah Hoffnagle, Rebecca Gardner and Angela Bruno. In front, from left, are Lisa Wise, Ted Cruze, John Fisher, Ann Baily and Jeanette Sherbondy.

East Pittsburgh Runner Wins County Marathon

"Slice some of those hills off and I could have made better time."

That was the comment of Paul Jost, 26, of East Pittsburgh, who won the Waynesburg to Washington marathon race Saturday with a time of 2:37:31.2.

The race was sponsored by the Washington County Road Runners Club as one event in the County's Bicentennial celebration.

Jost, who has been running "seriously" for about four years, said that the race course was "very challenging and well marked and the race well organized."

Like all marathon races, the course was 26 miles and 385 yards long, starting near

the Greene County Courthouse in Waynesburg and finishing at Trinity Area High School in Washington.

Timothy Reed of Masontown, W. Va., finished second, some 10 minutes behind Jost. In third place was James Buchanan of Washington with a time of 2:54:33.6.

Members of the Greene County Pacers Club assisted in registration in Waynesburg and in manning stations along the course. Race directors were Kathy Guthrie, president of the Greene County Pacers, and John Dorsey of Washington.

There were 75 numbers issued or assigned runners but five of the pre-registered runners did not appear.



Runners lined up on High Street about two blocks from the Greene County Courthouse to await the starting gun.

Waynesburg Basketball: A Time To Share Success

By TOM ROSE
Assistant Sports Editor

They shared a season of success and sorrow, the joy of a championship and the pain of a one-point national tournament loss.

That's why it seems appropriate that the Waynesburg College basketball team — in what could be its final public appearance as a group — share the Observer-Reporter's Sports Headliner Award.

The nine-man team, along with head coach Rudy Marisa and assistants Larry Marshall and Rick Sonneborn, will be honored tonight (7 p.m.) at the Knights of Columbus Coach of the Year Banquet at the Meadow Lands Hilton.

The Yellow Jackets become the fifth recipients of the Sports Headliner traveling trophy and the first team to be recognized for the award. California State College wrestler Bill DePaoli (1977), Notre Dame quarterback Joe Montana (1978), New York Giants' running back Doug Kotar (1979) and U.S. Olympic ice dancer Michael Seibert (1980) were previous winners.

DePaoli is now an assistant wrestling coach at Cal State and pursuing his goal to wrestle in the 1984 Summer Olympics. Montana, after leading Notre Dame to a national championship in his junior season, is the starting quarterback for the National Football League's San Francisco 49ers. Kotar will be entering his eighth season with the Giants while Seibert and his partner Judy Blumberg recently captured the United States Ice Dancing Championship and finished fourth in the World Championships.

And like their predecessors, the Jackets have high hopes for the future on and

off the basketball court.

"On the court these guys played together with their hearts. They were one heckuva bunch of fighters," Marshall said. "Off the court they were close in different ways."

It was a team of experience (seniors Paul Epps, Mike Taylor and Todd Crowley) and youth (freshmen Ray Natili, Mark Doppelheuer and Pete Gause). Sophomores Tim Tyler and Tim Walker and junior Scott Smoggie were players who along with Taylor and Epps knew the frustration of a near-miss.

It was just over a year ago that Waynesburg lost in the NAIA District 3 finals, allowing Clarion State to instead board an airplane for a trip to the American Dream of small college basketball, the NAIA Tournament in Kansas City, Mo.

The Jackets would not allow a second chance at the national tournament slip away, not even in the thrilling District 18 final victory (47-45) over St. Vincent. And they took the school's finest record in history with them, finishing 24-6 for the season.

While District 18 playoff victories over Point Park and St. Vincent before overflow crowds at cozy College Gym electrified the Washington-Greene County district for a week, the Jackets may have been at their finest in the NAIA Tournament. Ranked 31st in the 32 team field, Waynesburg ousted 15th seeded Cedarville 50-47 in the first round before losing to second-seeded Wisconsin Eau-Claire 22-21 in a swirl of controversy. Eau Claire, with three players over 6-7, eventually finished third.

"At the end of last year when we lost to Clarion I didn't feel too bad after the

game," Sonneborn said. "I felt like we had a good chance to get back to the district finals and to get to Kansas City. We played three pressure playoff games and we had five guys coming back who gained a lot of experience. The thought of getting back to the district playoffs and possibly to Kansas City motivated them and motivated me."

"And I hope the team gets back and does well in Kansas City. You could sense that feeling this year, hopefully it will carry over to next season."

The Jackets will have to defend their district title next season without the three seniors, co-captains Epps and Taylor and reserve point-guard Crowley. The challenge has the coaching staff and the players busy on the recruiting trail, but they'll take a break tonight just long enough to share some memories.

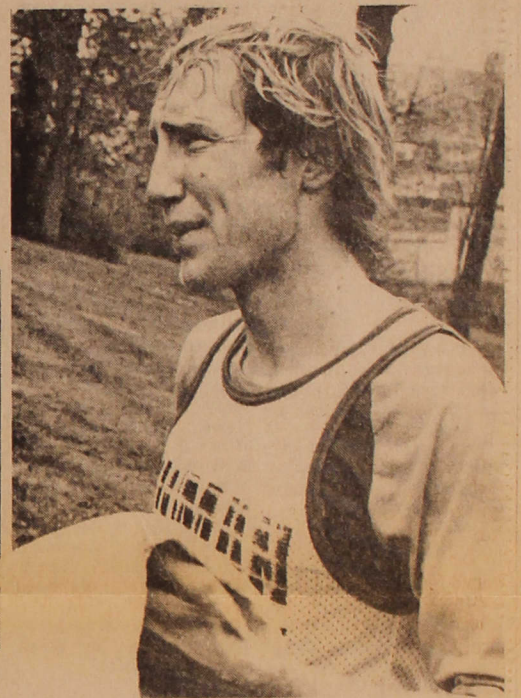
"How we'll ever replace Paul and Mike I'll never know," Marshall said. "They always gave 100 percent and never any B.S. Then again it will be hard to beat this season."

"I've only had the chance to stop and think about what's happened to us once or twice since we've come back from Kansas City," Marisa said. "I started daydreaming about Tyler's shot that went in with two seconds left that beat St. Vincent in the district finals when I was sitting in the bleachers of the gym watching a music show. I don't think it's come upon us quite yet that our hard work has paid off."

If it hasn't, the nine Jacket players and three coaches will have that chance, the last chance, to remember. And to share.



Russ Klenk, Pittsburgh, and M. W. (Buck) Buckalew, Sutton, W. Va., look over a map of the 26.2-mile race course prior to the start of the marathon.



PAUL JOST, Marathon winner



Waynesburg College basketball team: The 1981 O-R Sports Headliners

FINAL RESULTS - WAYNESBURG AND WASHINGTON MARATHON

Place	Name	Time	Age	Home Town	Place	Name	Time	Age	Home Town
1	Paul Jost	2:37:31.2	26	East Pittsburgh, PA	31	Marlin Howsare	3:38:13.6	33	Amity, PA
2	Timothy Reed	2:47:48.3	27	Masontown, WV	32	Wayne Barle	3:28:40.7	35	Wheeling, WV
3	Jim Buchanan	2:54:33.6	34	Washington, PA	33	Kim Stacher	3:40:27.5	32	Washington, PA
4	Robert George	2:54:41.3	35	Pittsburgh, PA	34	James Thom	3:42:26.2	46	Morgantown, WV
5	Ken Balke	2:55:42.2	30	Pittsburgh, PA	35	Phillip Snee	3:43:49.7	35	Pittsburgh, PA
6	Russell Klenk	2:56:47.8	26	Pittsburgh, PA	36	Joe Freeman	3:43:59.6	25	Ligonier, PA
7	Richard Crowley	3:01:47.9	29	Pittsburgh, PA	37	Russell Arndt	3:44:06.3	33	Pittsburgh, PA
8	Johnny Morse	3:08:57.0	22	Clearville, PA	38	Gregory Hulbert	3:45:39.9	25	Greensburg, PA
9	Jim Gorney	3:09:12.3	41	Mingo Junction, OH	39	Conrad Sharps	3:47:11.6	51	Pittsburgh, PA
10	Rick Rhodes	3:12:57.9	29	Morgantown, WV	40	Ken Chengler	3:47:19.4	34	Uniontown, PA
11	D. C. Nokes, Jr.	3:13:26.3	27	Johnstown, PA	41	Thomas Diamond	3:51:31.5	47	Washington, PA
12	Ron Lindholm	3:13:33.9	22	Morgantown, WV	42	Jack Lezek	3:51:31.9	27	Washington, PA
13	Dave Loftstead	3:18:27.5	31	Morgantown, WV	43	Harry Hoffman	3:52:45.8	38	Charleston, WV
14	Tim McArdle	3:20:29.0	21	Hermie, PA	44	Jack Roscetti	3:53:23.3	35	Johnstown, PA
15	M. W. Buckalew	3:24:38.8	40	Sutton, WV	45	Henry Moss	3:56:32.1	36	Canonsburg, PA
16	Bob Pecore	3:26:08.2	24	McMurray, PA	46	John Sweltzer	3:57:26.8	56	West Leisenring, PA
17	Richard Korf	3:26:29.9	24	Pittsburgh, PA	47	Kenneth Frank	4:03:47.8	32	Irwin, PA
18	Sidney Siegel	3:27:13.6	29	Duquesne, PA	48	Marv Kaufman	4:11:47.3	55	Washington, PA
19	Bob Kukan	3:27:55.5	33	Uniontown, PA	49	Ronald Holsinger	4:11:49.8	31	Washington, PA
20	Mike Mannion	3:29:23.2	40	Ligonier, PA	50	Charles Sovinsky	4:14:41.5	51	Elm Grove, WV
21	Mike Hudimac	3:29:42.3	24	Wheeling, WV	51	John Stodolsky	4:18:28.1	53	North Huntingdon, PA
22	Ross Bell, Jr.	3:31:42.5	48	Moundsville, WV	52	Edwin Williams	4:19:46.3	30	Washington, PA
23	David Nierako	3:32:01.3	32	Moundsville, WV	53	David Tallarico	4:20:45.1	14	Washington, PA
24	William Mellars	3:32:53.2	34	Waynesburg, PA	54	John Koval	4:21:41.4	24	Morgantown, WV
25	Roger Townsend	3:33:26.5	37	Scio, OH	55	Edwin Capenos	4:21:53.3	35	Washington, PA
26	Ted Orange	3:35:20.9	47	Morgantown, WV	56	Roger R. Fischer	4:23:21.6	39	Washington, PA
27	Jim Hudson	3:35:30.2	31	Moundsville, WV	57	James Arrigo	4:23:25.7	39	Charleroi, PA
28	Earl Mansberry	3:37:38.1	31	Lemont Furnace, PA	58	Steven Forgione	4:25:54.1	24	New Castle, PA
29	Bob Wilson	3:37:41.2	23	Scottsdale, PA	59	Martin Williams	4:27:35.3	53	Washington, PA
30	David Shuman	3:37:42.5	34	New Athens, OH					

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Trophies were awarded the first three finishers of the marathon by Washington County Commissioner David L. Gilmore. Left to right are Martin A. Howsare, president of the Washington County Road Runners; Commissioner Gilmore and his daughter, Missy, 8; Paul Jost, marathon winner; Timothy Reed, second, and James Buchanan, third.

Obituaries

Conklin

Delmont B. Conklin Sr., 67, of Waynesburg R.D.3, died at 12:09 a.m., Wednesday, April 22, 1981, in University Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va. His death was apparently due to a heart attack.

He was born February 21, 1914, in Sycamore, a son of Nellie Conklin Hopkins. He was a foster son of Mr. and Mrs. Shriver Conklin of Sycamore.

Mr. Conklin was employed by the Fruehauf Tractor Corp. for 23 years, retiring in 1979.

He spent his early life in Greene County. He had lived in Lorain, Ohio, for 10 years, in Harrisburg for nine years and in Waynesburg for the past two years.

Mr. Conklin was a member of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Harrisburg.

His wife, Viola Hollenback Conklin, whom he married May 8, 1933, survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Stanley G. (Mildred) Clarke of North Ridgeville, Ohio; a son, retired Lt. Col. Delmont Conklin Jr. of Waynesburg; two grandsons, James G. Clarke and Michael J. Conklin; one great-grandson, David Clarke; five sisters, Mrs. Aldeen Sanders and Mrs. Lillian Ulrich, both of Waynesburg, Mrs. Evalena Malmgren and Mrs. Eleanor Saggas, both of Charleroi, and Mrs. Hazel Radcliff of Tulsa, Okla.; five brothers, William S. Hopkins and David Hopkins, both of Waynesburg, John Hopkins of Waynesburg R.D.4, Dennis Hopkins of Cleveland, Ohio, and Robert Hopkins of Scenery Hill.

A brother, Wallace Hopkins, is deceased.

Peters
Elizabeth M. Peters, 90, of 10 Buchanan Street, Warren, died Tuesday, April 21, 1981, in the Warren Nursing Home after a short illness.

She was born November 22, 1890, in Forest Hill, Va., a daughter of Jacob and Sallie Ellen Zirkle Whitmire.

Her husband, the Rev. Lester W. Peters, died in 1960.

Mrs. Peters lived in several West Virginia communities where her husband served as pastor and also resided in Mt. Morris, Nineveh and Washington where her husband was pastor of Liberty Church.

She also resided in Waynesburg for a number of years and moved to Warren in 1967 to live with her daughter.

Mrs. Peters was a member of the United Methodist Church of Youngsville, the United Methodist Women and the Dorcas Class.

Surviving are two daughters, Jeannette Nowlin of Warren and Virginia Peters of Silver Spring, Md.; four sons, Dr. Richard Peters of Youngsville, the Rev. Robert Peters of Donora, Lester W. Peters Jr. of Fairfax, Va., and John Peters of Camarillo, Calif.; ten grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and one sister, Kathryn Whitmire of Manassas, Va.

Three brothers and three sisters are deceased.

Yorko
Margaret L. Yorko, 67, of 30 Arbor Apartments, Carmichaels, died suddenly in her home of a heart attack at 9:55 a.m. Monday, April 27, 1981.

She was born December 6, 1913, in Revere, Fayette County, a daughter of Emma Burke McDowell of Claysville and the late Luther McDowell.

Her husband, Stephen Yorko, died in 1947.

Mrs. Yorko was a former employee of Hamilton Supply Co. of Mather and had also worked for the Community Action Corp.'s Head Start Program.

She had resided most of her life in Mather and for the last 18 months she had lived in Carmichaels. She was a member of the Mather Christian Church.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by two sons, Glenn Yorko of Mather and George Ray Yorko of Carmichaels; two daughters, Mrs. Edward (Mary Kathryn) Cipic of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Ernest (Bonnie) Dodds of New Brunswick, Ohio; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Allen McDowell of Clarks-ville R.D.1; three sisters, Mrs. Hazel Widdup of Waynesburg R.D.4, Mrs. Effie Fike of Mather and Mrs. Sarah Rastovsky of Mather.

Two brothers, Lewis and Robert, and a sister, Edith Jewell, are deceased.

Hart

Betty W. Hart, 63, of 299 Bowley Street, Waynesburg, died at 2:05 p.m. Friday, April 24, 1981, in Presbyterian Hospital, Pittsburgh, of a cerebral hemorrhage following an illness of two days. She was the wife of Joseph D. Hart, who survives.

She was born August 21, 1917, in Elizabeth Township, Allegheny County, a daughter of the late Harry E. and Amelia Manns Withrow.

Mrs. Hart was a graduate of McKeesport High School and of Duff's Business College.

For a number of years she was employed in the central office of the G.C. Murphy Co. in McKeesport.

On May 17, 1940, she married James J. Higham, and they made their home in Pleasant Hills, Pittsburgh.

Mr. Higham died April 6, 1968. They were the parents of three children, all of whom survive:

Mrs. John C. (Kay) Anderson of Pleasant Hills, Lt. Col. James L. Higham of Colorado Springs, Col., and Attorney John R. Higham of Topsfield, Mass. There are six grandchildren.

Following her marriage to Mr. Hart on November 17, 1978, they resided in Waynesburg.

Mrs. Hart was a member of the Twentieth Century Club and the Women's Club of Pittsburgh, the Anna M. Rote Chapter, No. 491 Order of Eastern Star and, while residing in Pittsburgh, was a member of the Youghiogheny Country Club and of the Pleasant Hills Presbyterian Church, where she served as a church school teacher and as a member of the church's Board of Trustees.

After moving to Waynesburg, she was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, the Waynesburg Library Association, the Women's Club of Waynesburg, and the Greene County Country Club.

Also surviving are two brothers, J. Lowrey Withrow of St. Clairsville, Ohio, and Boyd Withrow of Temple Hills, Md.; one sister, Mrs. Edward (Rachael) Johnson of Rockville, Md.; two step-sons, James G. Hart of Watertown, S.D., and Dr. John K. Hart of Catonsville, Md.; one step-daughter, Mrs. Lawrence (Catherine) Weiss of Titusville, Fla.; and seven step-grandchildren.

Brown
Geneva R. David Brown, 77, of Dilliner R.D.1, Poland Mines, died at 11 p.m. Friday, April 24, 1981, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va., after a long illness.

She was born July 10, 1903, in Dunbar, a daughter of Huston B. and Lula Hardy David.

Mrs. Brown spent most of her life in the Dilliner area. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church, Poland Mines.

Surviving are her husband, Harry F. Brown; a daughter, Mrs. Ralph (Thelma) Adams of Dilliner R.D.1; three sons, Harry M. of Dilliner and William G. and Kenneth R., both of Greensboro; 13 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Milton and Edwin David, both of Dilliner; and two sisters, Mrs. George (Ann) Brown of Dilliner and Mrs. Jessie Gordon of California.

Two brothers, Wilson and Frank David, and a sister, Marie Anderson, are deceased.

Dow
Lena Moredock Dow, 68, of Rices Landing, died at 10:45 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, 1981, in University Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va., following a year-long illness.

She was born February 1, 1913, in Youngstown, Ohio, a daughter of Clinton and Kathryn Rex Moredock.

On February 22, 1950, she married Ichabod Dow, who survives.

Mrs. Dow was a homemaker and a former clerk at the Rices Landing Post Office.

She was a lifelong resident of Rices Landing and was a member of Hewitt Presbyterian Church and Class Seven of the church.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her step-mother, Mrs. Clinton Moredock of Sharon; a step-son, Raymond Dow of Silver Spring, Md.; two grandchildren, John D. Moredock of Dallas, Texas, and Edward C. Moredock of St. Louis, Mo.; and a cousin, Nellie Ammons of Rices Landing.

Carpenter

Glenn Carpenter, 78, of Holbrook R.D.1, died at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, April 25, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had fractured his hip on April 6 but had otherwise been in his usual health.

He was born February 15, 1903, in Ernschaw, Wetzel County, W.Va., a son of Minnie Scritchfield Carpenter.

He was affiliated with the Church of Christ.

For 20 years Mr. Carpenter had been employed by the Arkwright Mine in Fairmont, retiring in 1965. He was a member of UMW Local 5429, Morgantown.

Surviving are his wife, Eva Carpenter, whom he married May 30, 1945; one son, Roy L. Carpenter of Holbrook R.D.1; a stepdaughter, Lorena Brand of Hundred, W.Va.; two step-sons, William D. Merriner of Langeloth and Delvin J. Merriner of Follansbee, W.Va.; 18 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. Harvey (Grace) Rice of Ernschaw and Mrs. Herbert (Sarah) Baughman of Langeloth.

A stepdaughter, Velma, is deceased.

Langenheim
Leroy E. Langenheim, 78, of 89 Cumberland Village, Carmichaels, died at 3:55 a.m., Saturday, April 25, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

He was born March 4, 1903, in Connellsville, a son of John R. and Catherine Firestone Langenheim.

His early life was spent in Connellsville.

Mr. Langenheim had resided in Burgettstown for 50 years and in Carmichaels for two years. He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church at Hickory.

Prior to his retirement in 1968, he had been a truck driver for the Cowden Trucking Co. of Hickory.

Surviving are his wife, Nettie Cain Langenheim, whom he married July 14, 1943; two stepsons, James Robert Plymire of Jacksonville, Fla., and Paul Kenneth Plymire of Baltimore, Md.; five step-grandchildren; and two step-great-grandchildren.

A sister, Eleanor, and two brothers, Howard and Robert, are deceased.

Clayton
Sallie E. Clayton, 85, of Waynesburg R.D.1, died Friday, April 24, 1981, at 2:20 a.m. in Jones' Rest Home, Carmichaels, after a long illness.

She was born October 15, 1895, in Franklin Township, a daughter of the late Ray and Maggie Nelson McNay.

On November 18, 1925, she married Roy T. Clayton, who died January 4, 1981.

Mrs. Clayton was a long-time resident of Greene County.

She was a member of the Bethlehem Baptist Church at Ruff Creek and was a deaconess of the church.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Lee R. (Bernice) Martin of Waynesburg R.D.1; two brothers, John D. McNay of Washington, Clarence N. McNay of Aspenwald and several nieces and nephews.

A daughter died in infancy.

Congregation Has New Home

CARMICHAELS — After 45 years of worshipping God in the "little white church on the hill," the entire congregation of the Clarksville Church of God has a new building along Carmichaels-Crucible Road and a new name — Greene Valley Church of God.

The new building is 60 by 108 feet and will accommodate 500 people. Greene Valley is the first church in the area to use a metal building.

The tract of land consisting of 3 1/2 acres was donated by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hathaway of Cumberland Town-

ship. The entire structure will be built for under \$100,000, which the congregation says is due to the generosity of many people.

The congregation gave over half of the total cost of the building within two years. All carpeting was donated and shipped from Texas and other donations came from as far as Chicago. Art Boyle, a local coal stripper, donated the excavation of the parking lot and also the drilling of the well.

One of the church's features is a six by 12 foot wall behind the choir loft which is laid with

chunks of coal from the area. The building is fully air-conditioned.

Eight years ago, the Rev. and Mrs. William A. Barnes and their children came from Camden, S.C., to Clarksville. Attendance at that time was about 15. Attendance since then has grown, and last Sunday, more than 250 persons were present for the first service in the new building.

The Rev. Harold Catoe, a pastor and evangelist from Georgia, will conduct the first revival services at the new church at 7:30 p.m. April 27 through May 3.

Regular services include Sunday school at 10 a.m., services at 11 a.m. Sunday and services at 7:30 p.m. Sunday and Thursday. Information on

the church may be obtained by calling 592-5252.

Public Notices

NOTICE
The Greene County Planning Commission at their regular monthly meeting to be held on Wednesday, May 13, 1981, in the Borough Council Chamber of Waynesburg at 7:30 P.M., will consider the Hefferin Subdivision, a copy of which is in the Planning Commission office.
The owners plan to subdivide 88 acres into eight (8) smaller parcels of land.
If you desire to see the plans and/or comment on same, you may do so during regular office hours or at the meeting.
J. Kenneth Willison, Jr.
REALTOR
Agent for
James and Lois Hefferin 5-1

LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF COMMON PLEAS COURT, ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION ON MONDAY, MAY 4, 1981.

The First and Final Account of the Estate of Henry Thomas and Ola E. Thomas, his wife, of Bobtown, Greene County, Penna.

The First and Final Account of the Estate of Gladys Berkeley Crouse, late of Lawrence W. Crouse, late of Morris Twp. Greene Co., Pa.

The First and Final Account of Mildred K. Silveus, Executrix of the Estate of Clarence M. Silveus, late of Orange County, Florida.

The First and Final Account of Valerie Davidson, Administrator of the Estate of Edward M. Phillips, late of Jackson Township, Greene County, Penna.

The First and Final Account of Floy S. Phillips, Administrator of the Estate of Edward M. Phillips, late of Jackson Township, Greene County, Penna.

Al Darney
Clerk of Courts
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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES

BUREAU OF STATE PARKS HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

Sealed bids will be received in Room 518, Executive House, 101 S. 2nd Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, 17120, until 2:00 P.M., Pre-qualifying Time, May 7, 1981 and then publicly opened and read for the FOOD AND REFRESHMENT CONCESSION, RYERSON STATION STATE PARK, GREENE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. A prospectus containing all pertinent information must be obtained from the office of the Park Superintendent, Ronald Duke, Ryerson Station State Park, R. D. #1, Box 77, Wind Ridge, Pennsylvania, 15280, telephone (412) 428-4254.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any informality, defects, or irregularities in the bids.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is an Equal Opportunity Employer and requires conformance with Title IX, Pennsylvania Code, Chapter 49, Contract Compliance Regulations.

PETER S. DUNCAN,
DEPUTY SECRETARY
RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES
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Clarksville Lions Club Honors Two Seniors

CLARKSVILLE — Kimberly Lynn Pushey and Karen Marie Zalom, both seniors at Jefferson-Morgan High School, were honored by the Clarksville Area Lions Club as Students of the Month for February.

Ranked third in her class in the academic curriculum, Miss Pushey is a varsity cheerleader and works as an office aide. She is also a member of the school's Library Club, Varsity Club, Ski Club and Spanish Club.

She was recently among those chosen by the American Legion to go to Keystone Girls State and received the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizenship Award.

She attends the United Presbyterian Church of Jefferson and is the daughter of Mrs. Martha Pushey of Mather. Following graduation, she plans to attend Penn State University.

Miss Zalom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zalom of Clarksville, is ranked fifth in her class in the business curriculum. She is editor of the yearbook and secretary-treasurer of the senior class. She is also a member of the Art Club.

Miss Zalom attends St. Thomas Church and CCD class. Following graduation she plans to attend Waynesburg College for business administration.

Public Notices

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF CALVIN KERMIT COX, SR., of Greene Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE

MA TILDA MULVANEY, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

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

Susan Mulvaney Spano
301 S. Aiken Avenue
Pittsburgh, Pa. 15202
Executrix

THOMPSON & BAILY
Attorneys
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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Albright of Latrobe announce the engagement of their daughter, Jamie L. Sexton, to Charles L. Bryner Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles L. Bryner of Waynesburg.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Indiana University of Pennsylvania and is employed as a media specialist by Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh. Her fiancé is a graduate of Waynesburg College and is a senior medical student at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. The couple has selected May 23 as their wedding date.

Ten Mile Baptist Association To Hold 122nd Annual Session

WAYNESBURG — The 122nd annual session of the Ten Mile Baptist Association will be held Saturday and Sunday, May 2-3, in the First Baptist Church in Waynesburg.

Theme for the session is "Sharing God's Love." Activity will begin Saturday with registration at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. Evelyn Board as moderator. Rev. Robert Barnes, pastor of the John Corby Baptist Church, will deliver the association sermon.

Association business and reports from various committees will be given during the morning session. In the afternoon, a memorial service will be conducted with the missionary message delivered by Mrs. Bernice Lowry Niles.

Mrs. Niles and her husband have recently returned from Zaire after spending five years teaching in the Kikonga Pastor's School, which trains 40 to 50 men and women each year for rural ministries. The Nileses were appointed by International Ministries on March 22, 1949.

The Sunday evening session will convene at 6:45 p.m. when officers will be installed followed by communion under Dr. Stewart Johnson, the host pastor.

Truck Stolen

State police said a 1979 Chevrolet flatbed truck was stolen sometime between Wednesday night and Thursday morning from Car Construction Co., Waynesburg R.D.2.

Police said the truck was stolen from a parking lot along Route 188 near the Triangle Hotel. The vehicle had been parked overnight with the keys left in the ignition.

College Presidents Review Federal Aid

Waynesburg College President Joseph F. Marsh met recently in Washington, D.C. with members of the Pennsylvania Congressional Delegation and staff members. The presidents of the independent colleges and universities were attending meetings of a number of national associations of independent institutions to review federal program policies for the 1980s.

Their primary concerns were for the student assistance programs that frequently enable students to attend the 80 independent colleges and universities in Pennsylvania.

A fact sheet distributed to the legislators illustrated the extent of the service of these institutions on local and regional economies. The presidents noted that the independent sector serves both the educational and financial in-

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REPORT OF CONDITION form for The First National Bank of Carmichaels. Includes sections for ASSETS, LIABILITIES, MEMORANDA, and EQUITY CAPITAL. Signed by Rickie L. Barnhart, Assistant Cashier, dated 4/23/81.