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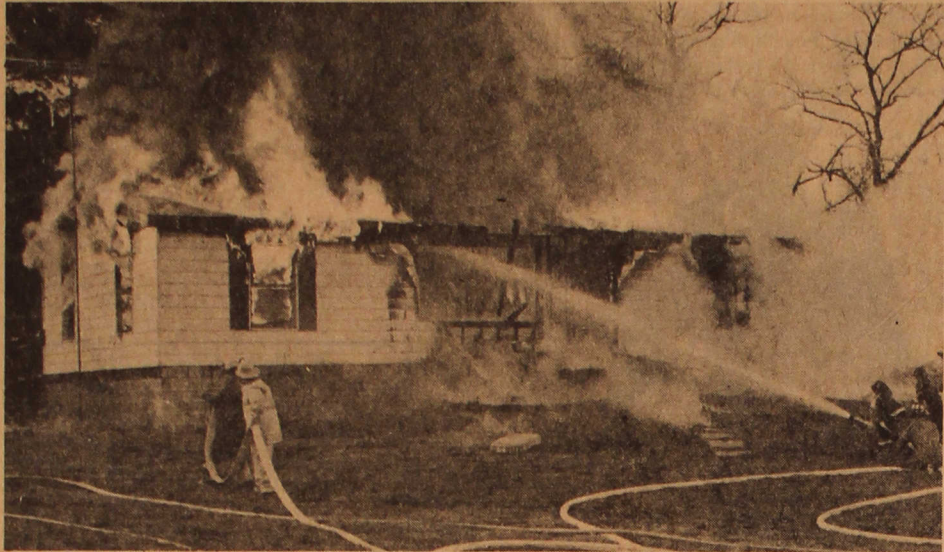
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A GOOD HOME NEWSPAPER

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Waynesburg Area Man Loses Job, Barn And Home (Twice)



Firemen battle flames engulfing the Gaskill home five miles from Waynesburg.

By JIM MOORE
Staff Writer

Jack Gaskill of Waynesburg R.D.5 apparently has a black cloud hanging over his head. In the past few months, fires have destroyed his two homes and damaged his barn. And to top this string of misfortunes, he was laid off from his job, which caused him to postpone his wedding.

It all started last September when his two-story, six-room frame home burned to the ground. Damage was estimated at over \$20,000 and the fire was blamed on an electrical short.

Gaskill, a mechanic for United Airlines, and two of his four sons, Jim and Tim, managed to escape the flames.

Six months later, Gaskill purchased a modular home and placed it on the old foundation. He likes the peacefulness of his 70-acre farm located about five miles west of Waynesburg, just off the Oak Forest Road. He never gave any thought to moving.

Last week, United Airlines furloughed him from his job at Greater Pittsburgh International Airport but offered him a transfer to Boston or Chicago. He refused, saying he preferred to remain on his farm with his two sons. He and his fiancée had planned to be married this past Saturday, but because of his job furlough, they decided to postpone their wedding.

Misfortune struck again at 7 p.m. Sunday when fire of undetermined origin caused \$600 damage to his two-story barn. There is no power to the building and the blaze could have started through spontaneous combustion. Over 50 bales of hay were destroyed.

Only 12 hours later, at 7 a.m. Monday, Gaskill and his son Ed, who was in the service at the time of the first fire, were lucky to escape with their lives when another fire coursed through their home.

Gaskill credits two smoke alarms in the house with saving them. "I heard the alarm and immediately ran to Ed's room on the other side of the house," Gaskill said Monday morning. Ed had heard the alarm on his side of the home and was pulling on his pants by the time his father arrived.

His other son, Jim, had already left for school and was waiting at the bus stop when he saw the flames.

The Gaskills lost everything, including about \$6,000 in checks. "I had my federal tax rebate, my company paychecks and a small settlement from a credit-card suit, but they all burned in the fire," Gaskill said.

Damage in Monday morning's fire is estimated at about \$50,000.

Ed suffered burns of the right arm and leg attempting to save some possessions. His father escaped injury.

Gaskill said the couch was burning when he got to the living room. "We tossed the couch outside and when we turned around, the chair was burning," Gaskill said.

Within minutes, the entire house was blazing. Gaskill said the Waynesburg volunteer firemen responded quickly but the fire had too much of a head start.

Gaskill's other two sons, Tim and Bob, are living in Georgia. He also has two married daughters, one living next door in a mobile home and another living in Clarksville.

Consol Details Plan For New Coal Mine

WAYNESBURG — Consolidation Coal Company has announced production will start in 1984 at its new mine ten miles northwest of Waynesburg and over 600 persons will be employed creating a \$15 million annual payroll.

The new mine, expected to be in full production by 1988, will have a portal and preparation plant located near the village of Enon in Richhill Township near the Washington County line.

Consolidation recently purchased land from U.S. Steel which falls within Richhill, Washington, Morris and Franklin Townships. Much of the land was the former Charmer Farm.

The new mine, which has no official name at this time, is expected to produce two million tons of coal per year from the Pittsburgh seam. The steam coal will be transported over a new railroad system which will generally follow the old Washington-Waynesburg Narrow Gauge right-of-way.

A terminal is currently under construction in Baltimore to receive the local coal. Company officials say the coal will then be available for sale in the eastern United States or to foreign markets.

Punished For Pie 'Attack'

WAYNESBURG — Two Waynesburg College coeds, apparently disgusted with the plight of women's athletics at the school, took matters into their own hands Thursday night and tossed a pie into the face of Athletic Director Hayden Buckley and head baseball coach Bill Hardisty during an all-sports banquet in Benedum Hall.

However, the girls failed to consider the speed and quick reaction of the athletes in attendance. The masked girls, who many in the audience assumed were boys, were caught a short distance from the scene of the "crime" by two football players.

Both girls and their accomplice, who reportedly gave the "attack" signal, were taken before the Judicial Disciplinary Council Friday afternoon. It was the decision of the council to give Sue Tolson, a freshman on a volleyball scholarship, one year's probation and Mary Lee Noval, a sophomore on the softball team with Tolson, a semester probation.

Tom Myers, a junior and an assistant girls' softball coach, was also given a semester's probation.

Miss Tolson said Friday night the incident culminated a long-standing protest about the status of women's sports at the college. "We have been writing letters and protesting all year but apparently we have not reached anyone," she said.

Consol officials say they have no immediate plans for additional mines in the area but said future market conditions could change their plans. The new mine is expected to produce coal for the next 30 years.

Concerning the railway, Consol officials announced that two grade crossings, one in the West Waynesburg area and another near Sycamore, will be constructed above grade. Consol said they will also make every effort to schedule trains at "off hours" so as not to interfere with traffic any more than necessary.

Consol will construct a water reservoir that will impound water from two watersheds — Tally Run and Enlow Fork. The reservoir will be

constructed at the site of the preparation plant and will in no way be concerned with the Wheeling Creek Watershed plans.

The state Department of Transportation has been notified about the plans and will work closely with Consol to prevent problems over machinery movement and coal hauling.

Miners recently furloughed by closings in Moundsville and Washington County will be given first priority on new jobs, according to a Consol spokesman.

Officials in the four townships involved and the county commissioners were invited by Consol officials to a special meeting concerning the mine earlier this week.

\$10,000 Damages Sought

WAYNESBURG — Colleen Domovich of Carmichaels R.D.1 is seeking damages "in excess of \$10,000" for water damage she claims she suffered because of actions by the owners of the neighboring property.

The lawsuit was filed Wednesday in Greene County Court with Fay-Greene, Inc. being named as defendant.

The complaint states the defendant company dug up the land adjoining the Domovich property, clogging drains and diverting normal runoff channels. As a result, it claims, the land and house have been flooded, with water getting into the basement and garage and reaching as high as the kitchen floor.

'Spring Fling' Tour Set For Enlow Valley

WIND RIDGE — The second annual "Spring Fling," a historical and naturalists' tour of the Enlow Valley separating western Greene and Washington Counties, will be held Saturday, May 9, starting at 9 a.m. and lasting from two to three hours.

The tour, which is timed to coincide with the blooming of wildflowers, is being sponsored by the Association for Rural Conservation (ARC). Those taking part are to meet at 9 a.m. at the fire hall in Wind Ridge and are advised to wear appropriate outdoor clothing and pack a lunch.

Accompanying the tour will be nine selected guides, including archaeologists Tom

Viencek, William Ringlebach and William Bennington; ornithologists Ann Eddy (Bethany College), Greg Eddy (professor of biology) and Kathy Reeves, local naturalist Robert Buckbee, nature illustrator and botanist Arabelle Wheatley, and Ed Perry of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

The car caravan and walking tour will first stop at the Sara Ackley monument, dedicated to the first woman settler to bring her family over the mountains, and will then proceed up the Enlow Valley, with side trips up narrow hollows draped with wildflowers and with stops at the site of a prehistoric Indian

village site and burial ground. If possible, it will also include an afternoon tour of the Dunkard Fork valley, site of Crow Rock where an Indian massacre occurred, and various Indian mounds.

The ARC has been a leading force in the battle to block construction of a watershed flood control dam in the Enlow Valley on the basis that it would destroy rare wildflowers, a wildlife habitat, and a breeding grounds for smallmouth bass. Last year's tour attracted 100 people.

All interested people are invited to take part. Additional information can be obtained by contacting tour organizer Marcia Sonneborn at 428-4344.

Pothole Patching Gets Top Priority

WAYNESBURG — Pothole patching remains a top priority for Department of Transportation maintenance crews in Greene County.

"Our pothole crews have been making progress with repairs even though the weather has not exactly been on our side," Ronald H. Langley, county maintenance manager, said Sunday in announcing the schedule of work by PennDOT crews for this week.

Pothole crews will be working on Route 19 from the Waynesburg Lakes area to the Washington County line and from Kirby south to the West Virginia line; on Interstate 79; on Route 30045 from Brave to the West Virginia Line; on Route 30101 from the Knights of Columbus hall to Nemacolin, and on Route 18 in the Sycamore and Beulah areas.

Other crews will be doing storm cleanup work on Route 30001 at Crabapple, Routes

30094 and 30125 in the Nineveh area, Route 30010 near Jollytown, Route 30082 near Hero, and Routes 30088 and 30042 in the Holbrook area.

Pipe placement is planned for Route 19 near Ruff Creek, Routes 30055 and 30050 in the Castle Run area, and on Interstate 79, one-half mile from the Waynesburg interchange.

Shoulder cutting is scheduled for Route 21 from Rush Hill to Paisley.

Tavern Cited

WAYNESBURG — A Waynesburg bar has lost its license for 10 days for liquor sales to minors.

The State Liquor Control Board cited the East End Restaurant, 559 East High Street, which is owned by David L. Hopkins. The suspension is effective May 27.

Horse Show Yearly Delight

By JIM MOORE
Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — Outside of a small circle of local residents, few people are aware of a county organization that has contributed over \$50,000 to various civic, charitable and fraternal organizations in the past 25 years.

The Horseman's Association of Greene County, formed in the late 1950s, currently has over 50 members, but, like most organizations, 15 or 20 people do most of the work necessary for their highly-regarded horse show each year.

This year's show is scheduled for Friday through Monday, May 22-25, at the Greene County Fairgrounds and will once again draw entries from all over the eastern United States, according to Walter Christopher, horse show manager.

Considered a social event as much as a sporting event, the annual show unofficially opens the season for horse lovers in a five-state area. Christopher pointed out that local merchants sometimes fail to realize just how much the show means to the local economy.

"Horse owners and horse show fans regularly leave thousands of dollars here through local purchasing at hotels, restaurants, grocery stores, service stations, and other businesses," Christopher said. "The association alone has handled over \$500,000 during the past several years and much of the money went directly to local groups as a donation," he added.

Another misconception about the show is the "status" of the individuals taking part.

"These are people who bring a \$50,000 horse to show. They are highly groomed animals that receive the attention of a movie star," according to Christopher, who has been associated with the show since 1957.

The show's reputation has spread from coast to coast as evidenced by the fact this year's judges will be Robert Lewis from San Mateo, Cal., and John C. Goodwin of Southern Pine, N.C. Several years ago, a judge came to the Waynesburg show following an appearance in Syracuse, N.Y., and commented on the "far better horse flesh" here as compared to New York.

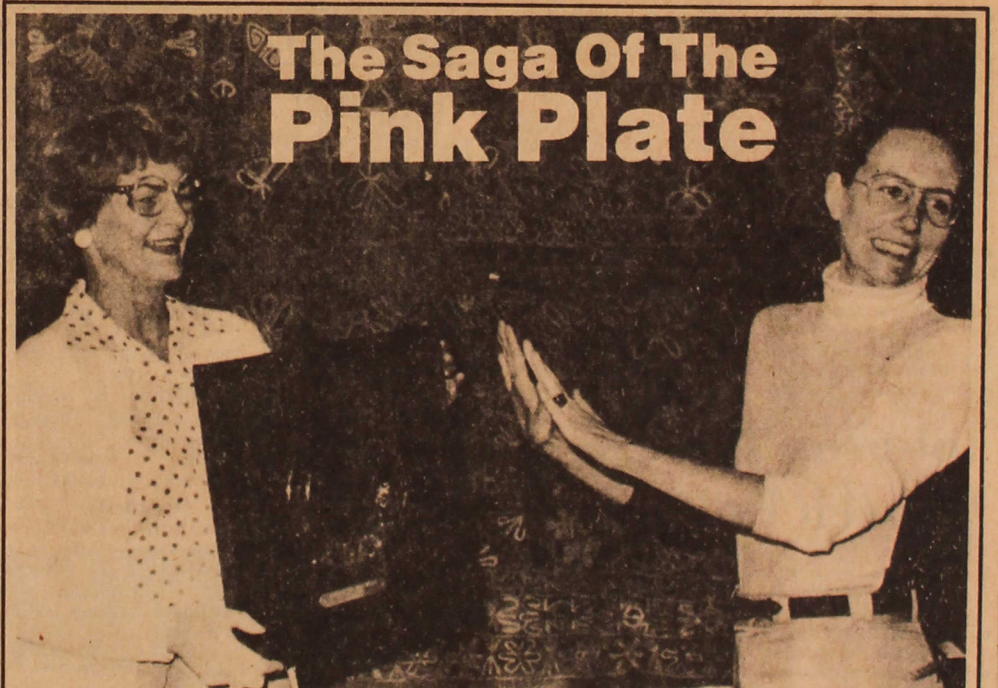
Although the local show is the finest within a 100-mile radius, that is not the prime reason an average of 300 horse owners find their way to Waynesburg. According to

Riley White, long-time show manager and a participant since the late 1930s, it's the hospitality of Greene County folks that appears to be the main reason for the large entry list.

"It's certainly not the prize money because even if a horse owner won every contest, it would hardly pay his expenses," White said. People who no longer own horses continue to support the show with program advertisements and "word of mouth support" every where they go.

This year there will be competition in 104 separate classes with prize money amounting to \$6,000. In addition, trophies and ribbons will be awarded by the association.

Christopher noted that the horse show is one of a few events that remains family entertainment.



Patricia Byers can't even persuade her daughter Becky to take it.

WAYNESBURG — Sometimes, an honor isn't what it appears to be.

That was the case when Patricia P. Byers was recently presented with an "award" by the administrative staff at Waynesburg College. The award turned out to be a pink dinner plate she has been trying to be rid of for nearly a decade.

The "award" ceremony started out simply enough for Mrs. Byers, who is associate dean of student life and director of housing at the college. College President Joseph F. Marsh asked her to join the weekly staff meeting and handed her the gift-wrapped package.

"The first thing that came to mind was that I had earned some special award for having been at the college for nine years," Mrs. Byers said later.

But, unwrapping the package, she realized that her brother had found yet another way to give her the pink dinner plate. This time, the plate was mounted to a plaque, with the inscription, "The Saga of the Pink Plate."

The story behind the white elephant goes back to 1972. While visiting her father, a former resident of Waynesburg, and her mother in New York, she was given the plate as a gift. "I found the plate to be rather ugly, but I accepted it so as not to offend my mother," she said.

On her way home, she stopped to visit her brother, John N. Penn of Scarsdale, N.Y. She decided to pass on the pink plate and gave it to him before she left.

However, upon returning to Waynesburg, she found that her brother apparently didn't want it, having managed to slip the plate back into her suitcase.

"That was the beginning," she said. "For the past eight years my brother and I have tried to surprise each other by having the plate appear in unexpected places and with unexpected people."

Looking back at some of the places where the pink plate has turned up, it seems that "unexpected" may be far too mild a term. For instance, Penn, the manager of The Board Room Restaurant in New York, was once served his dinner at his own restaurant on the plate.

Perhaps the most elaborate scheme for transferring the plate was one devised by Penn. Mrs. Byers explained, "I took a cruise on the Red Sea, and a special dinner was held the last night on board. The maitre d' took my plate away, and brought back my caviar on — what else — the pink plate." She later discovered that this was arranged through her travel agent, who happened to be a friend of her brother.

The plate has also been found hidden under a cheese platter, under cookies at a wedding reception, in Penn's sock drawer, in a tennis racket cover, at a dinner in Connecticut and baked into a layer cake at a Christmas party in San Francisco. "At one time he told me the plate was broken so that I'd be caught off-guard," she said.

For now, the plate is with Mrs. Byers. "But he hasn't heard the last of it," she says. "It will be a matter of time, but he'll get it back."

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly

Bible Honor Roll Camp

MATHER — Miss Reba L. Miller of Mather, administrator of the Release Time Bible program in Greene County, announced that notices for students wishing to attend Camp Sunrise Mountain at Markleysburg Aug. 1 through 8 have been sent to all those who have become eligible to attend by Bible memory work or Bible correspondence lessons.

Miss Miller said a camp registration form will be sent to any person who may have been missed if parents call her at 883-4039. Registration must be made by Friday, May 15. She also said that to encourage milk consumption by children, the Bible Club Movement camp serves milk daily to all children regardless of race, color, national origin or handicap. The cost of the milk is lessened by participation in the special milk program for children administered by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

The honor roll for the Release Time Bible program is as follows:

Aleppo — Hank Dunlay, Ginny Witt, Jo Ann Witt and Lori Cook.

Jefferson-Morgan Elementary — Joseph A. Dott, Joyce Ann Bates, Melissa Dawson and David Efaw. Story Time One: Bonnie Forquer, Joey Jenkins, Rachel Ridenour and Todd Tharp. Story Time Two: Traci Benci, Charles Berger, Melissa Brumley, Susannah Cadle, Peter Grimes, Lynette Hartman, Brian Jones, Ricki Krause, Timmy Menear, Lisa Morehead, Kelly Pierce, Carla Russo, Susan Stover, Christina Welling, Stephe Wolfe and Shawn Wood.

Course "A": Terri Bowlen, Sana Chadwick, Stephanie Deigger, Lee Ann Fonner, Debbie Fox, Donna Hennen, Robert Hewitt, Brenda Jarvis, Steven Kelley, Shalene Krause, Christa Manolas, Melissa Montgomery, Jeff Palmer, James Earl Tharp, Nina Louise Thorne, Natalie Whitlatch and Tony Whitlatch.

Course "B": Billy Bowlen, Katherine Caldwell, Tracy Cox, Melissa Dawson, Calvin Fox, Lynn Henderson, Joseph Lilley, Michelle Mason, Erik McAdams, Terry Gary, Tracy Tharp and Samantha Wolfe.

Course One: Tammy Barlow, Valerie Campbell, Brian Chadwick, Janice Chadwick, Tammy Cox, Barbara Earnest, Joann Marie Fox, Ralph Jarrell, Tina Ray McAdams, Tammy Pelky, Tracy Popp, Lisa Dawn Raber, Michelle Thorne.

Course Two and Three: Shelly Amos, Mrs. Jessie Anderson, Gary Baker, Marjorie Ann Ball, Mary Bedosky, Richard Lee Brock, Marcy Brozik, Mrs. Edna Chaderton, Jason and Joyce Clayton, Tina Marie Cox, Tim Crowley, Pamela Sue Gaines, Christina Gorby, Michelle Hertig, Dianna Jenkins, Joe Julian, Michele Julian, Monica Justice, Mrs. Paula Justice, Cathleen Koast, George Kovach, Dawn Krause, Susan Leighty, Tawnya Menear, Travis Menear, Shannon Nutt, Joy Lynn Phillips, Kelly Rush, Michelle Sappington, Tina Marie Scherich, Dawn Shipman, Eric and Todd Shoup, Tammy Shriver, Myrtle Smity, Sally Sneddon, Martha Statler, Mrs. Helen M. Temple, Kathy Thorne and Tina Lou Tustin.

Imitation of Mama

The most exciting thing about having Mama put up your hair isn't the curls you're going to have.

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not we become models to our children. Their strongest impulse is to imitate grown-ups — especially those they love.

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Sunday Daniel 9:3-14
Monday Solomon 8:5-7
Tuesday Matthew 22:34-40
Wednesday I John 4:7-12
Thursday Nehemiah 1:1-11
Friday Psalms 145:8-21
Saturday I Corinthians 2:1-9

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Sunday School Growth Results

M.B. McMillen, evangelism superintendent of the Greene County Sunday School Association, has announced the results of the first week of competition among Greene County Sunday Schools in the spring enlargement campaign. Twenty-two churches are participating.

The Laurel Run United Methodist Church is in first place with five people, a 100 percent gain in attendance. Others who gained attendance were: second, Rogersville Christian Church, 18; third, Valley Chapel United Methodist Church, nine; fourth, South Wheeling Baptist Church, nine; fifth, Wind Ridge Christian Church, six; sixth place, Holbrook Christian Church,

two; seventh, Nineveh United Methodist, three; eighth, Greene Valley Reformed Presbyterian, 10; ninth, Bates Fork Baptist, three; tenth, Mapletown United Methodist, two; eleventh place, Rogersville United Methodist, one.

Bethany United Methodist, Harmony United Presbyterian, and Macedonia Union had the same attendance as last year.

McMillen said that Sunday schools can still register so long as they send him the attendance figures for the six Sundays following Easter of 1980. Then, by Wednesday of each week, the preceding Sunday's attendance should be reported to him for publication.



GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

- FIRST METHODIST WAYNESBURG**
9:45. Church School: 10:45. Worship: Monday, 3:30. Junior Choir: Tuesday, 8. Senior Choir: Wednesday, 4. Primary Fellowship.
- WASHINGTON STREET METHODIST WAYNESBURG**
9:30. Church School: 10:45. Worship: 6:30. Youth Group: Wednesday, 7. Choir rehearsal: 8. Bible study.
- 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.
- 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.
- CARMICHAELS METHODIST**
9:45. Sunday School: 11. Worship.
- GARARDS FORT METHODIST**
9:30. Worship: 10:30. Church School.
- 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.
- MONONGAHELA METHODIST CHARGE MORRISVILLE:** 9. Church School: 10. Worship.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- WILLOW GROVE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST**
10. Sunday School: 11. Worship: Thursday, 7:30. prayer meeting.
- SUGAR GROVE BAPTIST**
10. Worship: 11. Church School.
- MT. ZION BAPTIST**
10. Church School: 11. Worship: 7:30. Evening Worship.
- CALVARY BAPTIST**
10. Sunday School: 11. Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. prayer meeting and Bible study.
- JEFFERSON BAPTIST**
9:45. Worship: 10:45. Church School: Wednesday, 7:30. prayer service.
- JOHN COLBY BAPTIST**
9:45. Worship: 10:45. Church School: Thursday, 7:30. Bible Study and prayer.
- CARMICHAELS BAPTIST**
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: 7. Evening Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. Youth Choir, Bible Study.
- FIRST BAPTIST WAYNESBURG**
9:30. Church School: 10:45. Worship: 7. BYF: Wednesday, 7:30. Evening Prayer Group.
- BATES FORK BAPTIST**
10. Church School: 11:30. Worship.
- 9:55. Worship: 11. Church School: 6:30. BYF and Jet Cadets: Saturday, 10. Unity Rehearsal.**
- 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.
- 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.
- JEFFERSON PRESBYTERIAN**
9:30. Worship: 10:30. Church School.
- HEWITT PRESBYTERIAN**
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: Wednesday, 6. Westminster Choir: 7. Chancel Choir.
- CARMICHAELS CHRISTIAN**
9:45. Church School: 11. Worship: Tuesday, 6:30. Ch Rho: Wednesday, 3:45. Chancel Choir: 4:30. Youth Choir: Saturday, 11. Cherub Choir.
- WAYNESBURG CHRISTIAN**
9:30. Bible School: 10:30. Worship: 6. Youth Groups: 7. Evening Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. Bible Study: 8:30. Choir rehearsal.
- MATHER CHRISTIAN**
9:30. Bible School: 10:40. Worship: 7:30. Bible Study.
- FIRST PILGRIM CHURCH**
- WAYNESBURG**
9:45. Sunday School: 11. Worship: 6:45. Young People: 7:30. Evening Worship: Wednesday, 7:30. prayer meeting.
- WAYNESBURG CHURCH OF CHRIST**
10. Bible School: 10:45. Worship: 6:30. Evening Service: Wednesday, 7:30. Bible classes.
- 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.
- WAYNESBURG NAZARENE**
9:45. Church School: 10:45. Worship: 7:30. Evening Services: Wednesday, 7:30. Prayer Service and NYPS.
- ROLLING MEADOWS CHURCH OF GOD**
9:45. Sunday School: 11. Worship: 7. Evangelistic Services: Wednesday, 7. Family Training Hour.
- ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC WAYNESBURG**
Saturday Anticipatory Mass, 6:30. Sunday Masses, 8:30 and 11:30. Confessions, Saturday, 3:30 to 4:30.
- CRABAPPLE COMMUNITY**
10. Church School: 11. Worship: 7:30. Evangelistic Service: Wednesday, 7:30. Prayer Meeting.
- 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.
- HATFIELD FERRY LUTHERAN PARISH ST. PAUL'S, Carmichaels:** 9. Worship: 10:15. Church School. JACOBS: 9. Worship: 11. Church School.

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Johnson Resigns Church Position

WAYNESBURG — Dr. Stewart Johnson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waynesburg, announced to his congregation Sunday that he will be leaving the church to accept a position as director of the Pastoral Institute at LaGrange, Ga.

The institute, which he will be developing, will be part of the Bradley Center, a complex of mental health services headquartered at Columbus, Ga. His position will involve counseling people with emotional problems as well as marriage counseling and other forms of pastoral counseling.

"It was a very difficult decision to make because of the wonderful people at the First Baptist Church," he said. "I feel our relationship has been very fine and there has been a lot of growth in the church, but this position will offer me a challenge for which I have been preparing for a long time."

Johnson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson of Blacksville, is a native of Greene County and a graduate of Waynesburg High School and a 1964 graduate of Waynesburg College.

He holds a masters degree in marriage and family counseling and a master of social work from West Virginia Uni-



DR. STEWART JOHNSON

versity, as well as a doctor of ministry degree from the American Baptist Seminary of the West, which is part of the University of California at Berkeley.

Johnson was pastor of a church at Ventura, Calif. before becoming pastor of the Waynesburg church in December 1977.

RETURN HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Anderson of Mather have returned home after visiting their family in Spokane, Wash. Robert Jr. is serving at Fairchild Air Force Base.

Kelly Scores Lopsided Victory In UMW District Election

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Staff Writer
MASON TOWN — James W. Kelly of Uniontown R.D. 3 has scored a lopsided victory in winning his second four-year term as president of District 4, United Mine Workers of America.

Counties, Kelly received 2,086 votes in Tuesday's election while his two opponents each received less than 500 votes. The major surprise of the election was the majority by which Rich Trumka of Nema-colin won the International Executive Board seat which was at stake. The attorney-turned-miner rolled up 2,280 votes to 193 for incumbent

Walter (Fudge) Suba of New Salem. The voter turnout was extremely light, amounting to less than 3,000 of the district's more than 5,000 active miners and more than 4,000 pensioners, all of whom were eligible to go to the polls. "The coal strike undoubtedly contributed to the light vote since a lot of the miners had to

travel a long way to get to their polling places," a District 4 spokesman said. Kelly, 55, resides in Collier and has been a union official since 1957. He worked for 25 years at U.S. Steel's Robena Mine and is experienced in handling grievance and arbitration matters. He was opposed by Cy Rechichar of New Salem,

chairman of the safety committee at the Nema-colin mine, and by Tony Brnusak of Carmichaels, president of Local 2300 at U.S. Steel's Cumberland Mine at Kirby. Rechichar received 420 votes while Brnusak got 342. Trumka, who has worked at the Nema-colin mine for the past five years, breezed to an easy win in his campaign for

membership on the International Executive Board. Don (Al) Albani of Fairchance received 355 votes while incumbent Suba got 193. Both Albani and Suba are members of Robena Local 6321. Trumka has taken an active role in representing individual miners in disputes with coal companies while at the same time maintaining his role as

an active miner. Ed Bytnar (Bitner) of Mason town, also a member of the Robena Local, had no opposition in seeking a third four-year term as district secretary-treasurer. Miners also elected three members of the District Executive Board, a district safety inspector (deep mine), a district safety inspector (construction and surface mines) and three district trustees.

There were five other candidates in the race for the executive board. Their vote totals: Rich Barchiesi, Waynesburg R.D. 1, 747; Vincent Kopec, McClellandtown R.D. 1, 637; Robert Brown, Fairbank, 556; Dan Barzanti, Bobtown, 520; Bob Spence, Isabella, 216. Incumbent Tom Rabbit of Fairbank (Dilworth Local 1980) rolled up 1,362 votes to retain his position as district safety inspector (deep mines). Joe Fedor of McClellandtown R.D. 1 was runner-up with 718 votes while George C. Mateleska of Carmichaels received 387.

Salary Dispute Ends Meeting

WAYNESBURG — Controversy over a salary increase for the authority manager and an apparently illegal sewer tap by Mountainview Gardens highlighted a meeting of the Franklin Township Sewer Authority this week. As its last item of business, authority chairman Charles Carpenter said he would entertain a motion granting authority manager George Scott a pay increase of \$1,200 per year. Tom Albert, a member of the authority, immediately protested, citing the current high rates to consumers and called for a review of salaries after the first of the year.

how Waynesburg Borough could treat the Mountainview sewage considering the Department of Environmental Resources had issued an order which prohibits the borough from adding any more sewage to its plant which is operating over capacity. Indications are the township will initiate action against Mountainview during the regular meeting of the township next Monday. According to a township ordinance. In other action, the sewer authority directed its solicitor and manager to begin legal action against 10 homeowners and 15 renters who are delinquent in paying sewage bills. It was decided not to pursue payment from eight renters who have moved and failed to pay bills. Members felt the costs involved would be more than the m.c.e.y. owed. Liens will be filed against nine property owners who have failed to connect into the system.



Attending 4-H Days were Kim Batcho, Mt. Morris Horse & Pony Club, Rep. H. William DeWeese and Mike Belding, 4-H Market Lamb Club.

After several minutes of heated discussion, Carpenter called for a motion to either deny or grant the salary increase in the amount previously discussed. Albert asked fellow members when a salary increase had been previously discussed. No clear answer was offered by Carpenter.

Albert moved to deny the pay increase but there was no second. Jerry Hardy, the newest member of the board, said he would hate to see Scott take a better paying position and moved to grant the pay raise. Board member Robert Teagarden also expressed a desire to keep Scott and seconded the motion. Board member Mark Morris was not present at the meeting.

UMW Women

Scott was hired as authority manager last December at a salary of \$13,000. He also receives a mileage allowance of 20 cents per mile. Another controversy arose during the meeting when it was revealed Mountainview Garden developers have tapped into the Bonar Sewer District lines at Woodland Estates but have never paid a tap-in fee. Two members of the Franklin Township board of supervisors were at the meeting and neither had any knowledge the housing development was using township sewer lines.

A meeting of the Davistown-Shordon United Methodist Women will be held at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Dusenberry in Dilliner on Thursday, May 14.

State 4-H Capital Day Held

HARRISBURG — County 4-H members, who soon will have a voice in shaping Pennsylvania's laws, met with area legislators and other government officials recently in Harrisburg to take part in State 4-H Capital Day activities.

During the afternoon, 4-H members visited one of the following departments or agencies: Agriculture, Game Commission, Governor's Energy Council, Environmental Resources, Education, Department of Transportation, Commerce, Justice, Health, State Police or Commission for Women.

Those participating from Greene County were Kim Batcho from the Mt. Morris Horse & Pony Club and Mike Belding of the 4-H Market Lamb Club. In Harrisburg, they joined with 4-H members from most Pennsylvania counties to learn more about the operations of state government and to discuss citizenship projects that will strengthen their 4-H programming.

The county delegation received a guided tour of the State Capitol Building, met with local legislators in their offices and took part in educational workshops designed to increase their understanding of the legislative process, according to Roger Smith, extension agent.

Demands Pickets' Names

WAYNESBURG — Gateway Coal Company Tuesday filed a brief in Greene County Court opposing a motion to quash subpoenas asking a state police trooper to reveal the names of eight masked pickets identified near Gateway's mine at Lipencott. Gateway had subpoenaed the names from a trooper but the state attorney general's

office entered the issue on behalf of the trooper and claimed the incident was considered investigative and therefore the names could not be made available to the coal company. The incident occurred when a Gateway official called the local state police barracks and said the pickets were interfering with traffic along the state road. A trooper went to the scene and checked the identification of the pickets. No arrests were made and the pickets were dispersed from the area. Gateway called the state's effort to quash the matter as illogical, scurrilous, unfounded and based on gross conjecture. In the brief, Gateway said the pickets were probably not employees, but the firm demanded "its day in court to attempt to hold those individuals responsible."

Attorneys for the coal company said they could find no previous case exactly like the one now in question. Concerning the question of the trooper possibly being labeled as an informer, the brief stated, "the request for the trooper to disclose the names of the pickets will not adversely affect his image in the community because it will be perfectly clear that he is being compelled to do so by a valid court order and is doing so reluctantly."

UMW Local 1846 Elects Officers

WAYNESBURG — Ron Opel of Lamberton was elected president of United Mine Workers of America-Construction Local 1846 at elections held over the weekend at the local's office in Waynesburg.

Other officers include John H. Hughes, Waynesburg, vice president; Harry Swartz, Republic, recording secretary; John C. Fisher, Holbrook, financial secretary/treasurer; Robert Valenson, Waynesburg, door keeper and the following Compac members: William Clark, Holbrook; Richard Creighton, Waynesburg and Robert Valentine, Waynesburg.

Health Clinic Groundbreaking

ROGERSVILLE — A groundbreaking ceremony was held here Monday morning to mark the start of construction of West Greene Health Services' new clinic. Members of the agency's board of directors took part in the traditional turning of the first spadeful of earth as about 30 persons watched. There was no formal program. Val Colussi and Sons of Eighty Four have 155 working days in which to complete the

\$178,800 building. The health clinic will be built on five acres of land on Church Street Extension, Rogersville. The well has already been drilled and the property has been rough-graded by Equitable Gas Co. as a contribution to the project. The building will provide office space for two physicians and a dentist, consultation rooms, examination rooms and office space for a registered nurse and other employ-

ees. Initially, the clinic will be staffed by a full-time physician and a part-time dentist. The agency now operates in a mobile home adjacent to the Center Township fire hall. A dentist is available three days each week but there is no physician. Two-thirds of the cost of erecting the new structure will come from the Appalachian Regional Commission, with a local fund drive and foundation support providing the balance. Those on the 13-member board of directors which operates the health service are John C. Watson, president; Samuel M. Thomas, vice president; Donald W. Jarvis, treasurer; Bernice Correll, secretary; William Grinage, Max B. McMillen, Byron Hughes, George Marley, Helen Dinsmore, William Shriver, George Blake, Mary Wood and Gene Day.



William Grinage, building committee chairman; John Watson, president, and Samuel Thomas, vice president, turn earth for new West Greene Health Services clinic.

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Railroad Grade Separation Good News For Waynesburg

Officials in Greene County were relieved to learn last week that Consolidation Coal Company has agreed to construct two overpasses to carry a proposed coal line railroad over highways near Waynesburg.

If the coal company had attempted to obtain approval for grade crossings undoubtedly would have triggered a battle before the Public Utilities Commission in light of the experience the county has had with a grade crossing on South Morgan Street in Waynesburg.

The new railroad will be built to service a new mine Consolidation plans to develop near Enon in Richhill Township, in the extreme northwestern corner of Greene County. It will run in a south-eastern direction until it intersects with the route of the former Waynesburg and Washington Railroad, which it will generally follow to a point in West Waynesburg where it will join the Waynesburg Southern Railroad.

One of the above-grade crossings will be on Route 18 near Sycamore. The other will carry coal cars over Routes 18 and 21 in West Waynesburg.

When the Waynesburg Southern Railroad was built almost a decade ago county, township and school district officials fought unsuccessfully to have a grade separation on South Morgan Street in Waynesburg. Time has proven that their fears were accurate, as coal trains at times have blocked access to the borough from the south, creating a hazard in terms of possible delays in response to fire or medical emergencies.

When word got around that another coal railroad was to be built, the county commissioners and their industrial development agency and planning commission joined forces with Franklin Township, Waynesburg Borough and the Central Greene School District to fight any possibility of a repeat performance.

The extent to which this influenced Consolidation Coal's decision to provide grade separations on its line is unknown, but the company had been made aware of the position taken by the various governmental bodies and it must have had some impact.

It was a case in which a certain amount of advance knowledge enabled the various governmental bodies to act in time to protect their people.



Fact and Folklore John O'Hara

The recent death of Roy Clovis of Waynesburg at the age of 91 marked the passing of one of the last of the once numerous groups of Greene County men who were independent and self-financed (individually or in groups) oil and gas well owners.

They were a hardy group, rugged in spirit and wise in the highly hazardous profession of tapping the storehouse of fuels that had gone unnoticed for centuries until the first oil well was drilled near Oil City.

Although Roy was a part of the rear guard of the Greene County producers, he was also one of the most knowledgeable in the technical intricacies of the industry. But he also knew the practical side of sending a drilling bit hundreds and thousands of feet into the earth's surface and still averting the costly "fishing jobs" if all of the intricacies of the process were not observed.

He was among the few of the earlier contractors who had the benefit of a college education and had been a good student, able to apply a theory to a practical day-by-day change of situations.

Many of the other early day Greene County producers lacked this special knowledge of the "why" as well as the "how" of using sophisticated drilling equipment and the expertise in designing more efficient facilities.

Through their collective experiences and abilities, the early oil and gas field independent operators were among Greene County's best sources of enrichment of the county's natural resources as their wealth was channeled into other local enterprises. It also gave employment to many local people who were their friends while the payrolls of outside drilling firms

went mostly to crews that were brought in from out-of-town.

Speaking of the large physiques among the early oil and gas well owners, the largest of all was the late Timothy Ross, a native of the Ruff Creek area. He was more than six and one-half feet tall and weighed at or near 250 pounds. He resembled the prototypes of the giants of Wall Street financial offices, as a ship's captain, or a southern plantation owner which, in a sense, he indeed was.

Besides hundreds of acres from the family estate in Ruff Creek, he amassed a large fortune in Wyoming in both cattle and oil. He also owned many business buildings in Waynesburg and a beautiful buff brick house in the then separate borough of East Waynesburg. It was torn down a few years ago to make room for a privately owned auto body shop.

The late Charles Heasley was another of the early developers of oil and gas holdings in the county as were the late Bart Myers, Floyd B. Long, Henry Doyle, John R. Conklin in a somewhat later era, Ed Milliken and his son, Kenneth, who recently sold the bulk of his holdings in both oil and natural gas.

They were an interesting group of sometimes Devil-may-care sort of men who had to have good judgement, a lot of practical as well as theoretical know-how to conquer the inevitable roadblocks such a hazardous but enriching job for those with the courage of their convictions and the confidence to take a risk.

And Roy Clovis was one of the best of them during his fourscore and eleven years which ended on the 30th day of April, 1981.

Faces From The Past—Do You Recognize Them



Old Time Hay Harvesting

Hay harvesting will soon be starting on Greene County farms but it won't be done in this manner. Most all the hay is baled anymore not thrown loose into the barn as is the case in this picture taken at the Reese Farm at Reece's Mill near Waynesburg 25 years ago. Paul Kent, one of the owners is atop the wagon and Bert Rush, a farm hand is on the ground. Driver of the tractor was not identified.

Around The Town

By The Staff

It's been the homeward trail again for the past several days for Greene Countians who spent the winter in Florida and other southern states. Most of them say the weather was generally good, although a little on the cool side in comparison to some other

years. A surprise visitor in Waynesburg while enroute from Morgantown to his home at Mt. Lebanon was former Waynesburger John Harwick, former publicity director at Wayneburg College. He has

completed his work for a master's degree in journalism at West Virginia University and will participate in commencement ceremonies this year. While at Waynesburg he organized the first A.A.U. sanctioned walking races in Greene County, drawing many participants, and he is still active as a competitive runner.

Speaking of racing, the late Henry Beeler, who lived on South Morris Street, was Greene County's only participant ever to compete in professional footracing when it was one of the principal national sports shortly after the turn of the century. Huge sums of money were bet on the races, which were run over long distances on country roads between metropolitan cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Duffield of Sherman Avenue are back home after spending the past several months at their winter home in Fort Lauderdale. Mr. Duffield is owner of the Waynesburg Hardware Store on East High Street.

Work was started Monday by Bill Hopkins, local construction worker, on the new court house plaza and sidewalk being built by the county. It will fit right in with the downtown revitalization project which is being started.

Craig Erhard, son of former Waynesburg residents Richard and Natali Erhard, placed fourth in the Missouri state amateur wrestling tournament held last weekend at St. Louis by the U.S. State Wrestling Federation. He competed at 105 pounds in the 13-14 year old division and qualified for the Southern

Plains regional tourney at Pueblo, Colo. June 15.

James and Doris Glenn Bell celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on April 8 when they were honored at a party given by their daughter Kathy and her husband, Randy, at the Valley park Baptist Church at Montgomery, Ala. Mr. Bell is a son of James Bell, who was born and reared in Waynesburg. Mrs. Bell is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Glenn of Mountain Creek, Ala. They have three daughters, Kathy, Karen and Kim. Mr. Bell's father was a letter carrier at Wayneburg for several years after his service in World War II.

Former Greene Countians now living in all areas of Arizona are looking forward to a picnic planned for May 24 at Eldorado Park, South Campgrounds, 2311 North Miller Road, in Scottsdale. The committee arranging the affair will appreciate it if any reders having relatives in Arizona or nearby states pass the word along so they can break the former attendance record of 125 made last year. For further information they can contact either of two people at Phoenix, Ariz.: Paul Scott, 992-6557, or Harry Dunn, 955-4595. They can write to Mr. Dunn at 3835 East Mulberry Drive, Phoenix, Ariz., 85018.

Here's a small word item to end all of the same.

Henry Rodney, a native of Uniontown who was graduated from Waynesburg College shortly before World War II, now lives in the Philadelphia suburb of Springfield, where he is an executive in a geographical headquarters of the Sears Roebuck Co. He is also a collector of old-time picture postcards that are sold at auction.

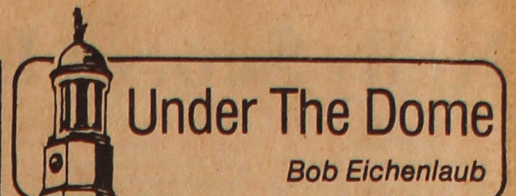
His collection includes several scenes from Waynesburg which were sold at the old W.T. Hayes store. The latest shows a picture of the fountain that used to be in the park on East Greene Street. It was mailed from Waynesburg to a Miss Sylvia Hewitt of Greensboro Oct. 25, 1911 by a person who signed only his first name of Walter. The message said he had seen all the sights in Waynesburg and was ready to return to Paisley, a village near Carmichaels.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Szopo of Mather celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary at a cookout at their home Saturday, May 2, with 34 members of the immediate family attending.

NEW ASSIGNMENT

Airman Rodney L. Amos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Amos, of Sycamore R.D. 1, has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training. He will now learn aircraft maintenance.

Amos' wife, Doris, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Smith of 645 North Main Street, Houston.



The controversy which is current boiling in the Southeastern Greene School District over renovation of three elementary schools seems to have pretty well divided the communities which make up the district, but that is nothing new.

Anyone who has watched the district since Dunkard, Greene and Dunkard Townships and Greensboro Borough were first consolidated into a jointure will remember that controversy, usually along municipal lines, has always been the history of the district.

Principal reason for that jointure 30 years ago was to construct a new junior-senior high school and for the next three years a fight went on about where it should be located. In 1954 the joint board finally agreed to purchase land adjoining Mapletown High School as the site of the school, only to decide shortly thereafter that it would be cheaper to add to the existing building and renovate it as a better and cheaper way of getting the job done.

Planning for the building crept along for another four years until in 1958 the smoldering dispute finally resulted in a lawsuit when Dunkard Township refused to go along and attempted to pull out of the jointure. It was not until 1959 that the State Supreme Court upheld a decision by the Greene County Court that Dunkard Township could not do so, but had to remain as a partner in the venture.

That didn't end it though. Creation of an authority to finance construction of the building was delayed for another two years due to Dunkard Township's refusal to go along with the other three with regard to representation on the authority board.

When bids were finally taken, the \$1.1 million it cost to erect the new addition was about \$600,000 higher than had been estimated at the start, and it was not until 1963 that the new building was finally opened — 12 years after the jointure was formed to build it.

Elimination of the jointure came about through Act 299, passed by the state legislature in 1964. It required the establishment of a school district

reorganization plan in all counties in Pennsylvania and resulted in setting up of the five existing districts in Greene County. Under the plan, the Southeastern Greene jointure eliminated the four individual school districts and merged them into the present school district, governed by one board rather than by a committee representing four individual boards.

The present controversy dates back to 1975 when the board which was then in office, reacting to a strong recommendation in the district's long range plan, decided by majority vote to erect a new elementary school to replace the Bobtown, Glassworks and Penn Pitt buildings, with the earliest estimates being that it would cost \$2.7 million to erect the new consolidated building.

Once again a site was the big question, and, perhaps by coincidence, a decision to build near the junior-senior high school was followed by formation of the Concerned Citizen organization which ultimately sank the project, but only after a lawsuit was filed and a court hearing held in 1977.

After the Concerned Citizens successfully elected enough of their members to obtain control of the board, the plan was drawn up to renovate the existing three elementary schools to meet state requirements. The fact that an architect is currently estimating that it will cost \$5.8 million to accomplish this goal has brought the dispute back to the foreground. Although it is now estimated it will cost an additional \$1 million to erect a new building, a lot of residents seem to feel that is the route to take.

If the estimates are to be believed, the cost of a new school has escalated from \$2.7 million in 1975 to \$6.8 million in 1981, and undoubtedly the \$5.8 million it is expected to cost to renovate the existing buildings has also risen considerably over what it would have been if the work had been done five years ago.

Residents of the Southeastern Greene School District appear to thrive on controversy, but one of these days they may learn that it is expensive to indulge in that kind of fun.

Computer Helps

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the third in a four-part series on the use of computers at Waynesburg College. The college uses the computer in several academic areas, including a major in Computer Science and Mathematics, and in administrative work.

WAYNESBURG — Within the last few years Waynesburg College has "gone computer." With the addition of the PDP 11/70 computing system the school now uses the computer in almost every phase of its operation.

When Waynesburg College put its computer system in operation in 1979 a dual set of books were kept: one being the new system and the other being the old manual system.

"It (the computer changeover) has run fairly well, with only a few minor irritations. The administration can get almost all of the data they need from the computer," said Dr. David Tucker, director of the college's computer center. "The computer provides accurate and more up-to-date information. And does it faster."

Dr. Jerry Beasley, vice president for Planning and Development, said that the computer means a tremendous improvement in the operation of the college. But, he stressed, it will not change the way the college relates to individuals.

"We are not becoming an impersonal institution," Dr. Beasley said. "Rather, we want to use the computer as a tool to further improve our management and efficiency, and to get more from our resources."

In the Alumni and Development Office, the computer enables the college to perform routine, repetitive tasks, which in turn allows more time to be spent with people, according to Dr. Beasley. "The computer enables us to know and reach more people," he said. "This leaves us more time to spend with alumni and to find out the needs of faculty and

students." He said the computer allows the Alumni and Development Office to have an almost instantaneous analysis of fundraising activities as well as being able to locate an alumnus from a particular part of the country or from a particular profession.

The Financial Aid and Admissions Office makes extensive use of the computer. The computer is used to assist in mailings to prospective students, as well as keeping track of potential students. In financial aid, the computer is used to do repetitive mathematic calculations.

Ronald Shunk, director of admissions and financial aid, estimates the computer is able to do much of the work ten times as fast as it used to be done.

In the Registrar's Office the computer is used in the registration and scheduling of classes, compiling both the mid and end-semester grade reports, compiling a student listing according to any number of characteristics, printing class schedules, compiling permanent records and preparing a large number of record-keeping reports.

The Business Office also uses a computer in student billing.

The college library uses a computer terminal hooked to the Ohio College Library Center (OCLC) to properly catalogue books and to take part in inter-library loan arrangements. Theresa Viarengo, college librarian, noted the OCLC terminal has been a valuable addition to the library.

Dr. Beasley commented that the OCLC hookup enlarges the 115,000 volume library to a multi-million volume library, in theoretical terms. He said if the library does not have a particular book or periodical, the computer terminal will indicate where the article can be found so that an inter-library loan can be set up.



Dr. Keith Inskeep examines a Polypay ewe and two-day-old lamb.

Sandra Kay Hoge Weds Robert Eaton

The Mather Christian Church was the setting for the April 18, 1981 wedding of Sandra Kay Hoge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoge of Carmichaels, and Robert Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. David Eaton of Mather are parents of the groom.

The Rev. Leonard Miller performed the 3 p.m. double ring ceremony. Debbie Grooms was organist and Linda Miller and Kim Kerr sang.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a formal length ivory gown of Qiana knit styled with an empire waistline, Queen Anne neckline edged with scalloped floral Venice lace appliques and on the bodice, and long straight sleeves with see-through net edged with Venice lace motifs. Her plain skirt and attached train were edged with Venice lace, and the train fell into a full Chapel sweep.

She wore an ivory fedora hat with a turned up brim on the left side. It was adorned with ivory pearls Venice lace to match her gown, with a band of ivory net and flowing back streamers. She carried a fan with apricot and white silk flowers. Wedding traditions were observed and she wore a



MRS. ROBERT EATON

diamond necklace from the groom's grandmother, a diamond ring from her grandmother and pearl earrings given to her by Wanda Grooms.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore two-piece gowns of Tinsetta knit with shirred cap sleeves, draped side bodice with matching bow and detachable long straight

skirts. Janet Kerr was the maid of honor, wearing an apricot gown. Bridesmaids were Roberta Biel of Carmichaels, wearing a sea-green gown; Angela Medleck of Mather of Mather, wearing a maize gown; and Tyra Braden of Jefferson, cousin of the bridegroom, wearing a baby blue gown. Tiffany Eaton, niece of the groom, was flower girl and wore a pink gown.

David Eaton, brother of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Mike Duke, Clyde Smith and Jerry Eaton, brother of the groom, all of Mather. Mike Ozonohis, a cousin of the groom, was ring bearer.

A reception for 500 guests was held in the Jefferson Legion Hall. Marsha Eaton attended to the guest book. Out-of-town wedding guests were from New York, Ohio, Germany and West Virginia.

The bride is a graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and Pittsburgh Beauty Academy. Her husband is a graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and is employed as a construction worker.

The couple plans a wedding trip to Williamsburg, Va. They are residing in Carmichaels.



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New Club Formed

Kim Byrne, a Mapletown High School student enrolled in the health occupations program at the Greene County Vocational-Technical School, is shown during an installation ceremony of officers for the school's recently formed chapter of HOSA. HOSA is a club for Health Occupations Students of America. Miss Byrne is vice president of the club. Members of the club will attend a state leadership conference to be held in early May at Lancaster. Kathie Bamberger is health occupations instructor at the school and sponsor for the HOSA Club.

Double Ring Ceremony Held In Masontown

MASONTOWN — All Saints Catholic Church of Masontown was the setting Saturday, April 25, 1981, for the marriage of Priscilla Pevarnik and Francis Michalik of Masontown.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pevarnik of Carmichaels R.D.1. The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Leona Michalik of Westland, Mich.

The double ring wedding ceremony was performed at 4 p.m. by the Rev. Andrew J. Charnoki.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, appeared in a gown of silk chiffon featuring a Queen Anne neckline and full bishop sleeves, caught at the wrist in a deep cuff of schiffli lace. A full pleated skirt fell from the gown's natural waistline and the bodice and sleeves were trimmed in silk Venice lace. A deep flounce of crystal pleating edged in schiffli lace extended into a chapel train.

The bride's matching Juliet cap held a double-tier fingertip veil of silk illusion with a rolled edge and matching appliques. Her only jewelry was a matching opal necklace and earrings which were a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a colonial bouquet of sweetheart roses, white miniature carnations, staphanotis and baby's breath.

Ruth Pevarnik of Carmichaels attended her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Carrie Pevarnik of Charleston, W.Va., a sister of the bride; Susan Michalik of Westland, Mich., sister of the bridegroom and Carol Zaiglin of Masontown and Karen Holonich of Glassport, both cousins of the bridegroom. Stacey Hoferka of Masontown, cousin of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

Paul Zaiglin of Masontown was his cousin's best man.

Ushers were Lawrence Michalik of Dearborn Heights, Mich., brother of the bridegroom; Thomas Pevarnik of Carmichaels, brother of the bride; William Hoist of Masontown and Robert Zaiglin of Montalba, Texas, cousin of the bridegroom. Kevin Willis of Jefferson served as ring bearer.

A reception for more than 500 guests was held at the American Legion home at Masontown.

The bride is a graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and is employed at the Dry Tavern office of the Gallatin National Bank. The bridegroom graduated from Wayne Memorial High School and is employed by the United States Steel Corp. at its Cumberland Mine near Kirby.

The newlyweds are residing on Park Avenue in Masontown.



MRS. FRANCIS MICHALIK

Aleppo Grange Visitation Held

ALEPPO — The second in a series of Greene County Grange visitations was held Thursday, April 30, at Aleppo Grange with Carmichaels Grange presenting the drill and filling the chairs and 83 persons attending.

Aleppo Lecturer Pauline Rice presented a program on the theme "Occupations from Yesteryears to the Future" with participants being Mary Whipkey, Josephine Bristor, Margaret Jacobs and Candy Jacobs.

Millie Wunderling of the Bowly Public Library in Waynesburg discussed the mobile library program operated throughout the county,

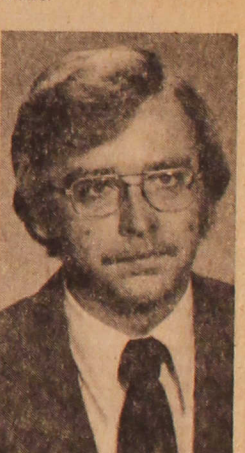
services available at the library, and its proposed building program.

State Deputy George Kozar read a letter from the state master which emphasized membership. He stressed that changes in the Department of Environmental Resources will come about only when grangers and other interested people make their opinions known.

East Franklin Grange Master Albert Laheh announced that the seventh degree banquet will be held at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, June 13, at the First United Methodist Church of Waynesburg. Tickets at \$6 each are available from grange masters.

East Franklin will present a memorial service at the Pomona Grange meeting on June 6. Names for the service are to be submitted to Ethel Laheh, Box 1, Mt. Morris Star Route, Waynesburg.

Pomona Lecturer Mary Jane Kent announced that the next visitation will be held Thursday, May 16, at Carmichaels Grange, with members of Dunkard Grange filling the chairs.



DR. MARK HARBAUGH

Cowan Named Coordinator

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County campaign to elect William D. Hutchinson to the Pennsylvania Supreme Court will be headed by County Commissioner Richard S. Cowan of Waynesburg.

Cowan's appointment as county coordinator was announced during the weekend by attorney Edward Heitmiller of Pottsville, chairman of the Hutchinson state committee.

"I have joined the Hutchinson campaign because I believe that Bill Hutchinson is probably the most outstanding constitutional lawyer in Pennsylvania and will make an excellent justice on the bench of the Supreme Court," Cowan said. "He has 23 years experience as an attorney in both civil and criminal cases and has been an outstanding member of the state House of Representatives for nearly eight years."

He is a former assistant district attorney and solicitor of Schuylkill County and has been a member of the House of Representatives since 1973. He has served as chairman of the House Ethics Committee and House Sub-Committee on Courts and was a member of the Joint State Government Task Force on elected Attorney General's Committee to study a unified court system and the Pennsylvania Judicial Council. He is the author of the Jury Selection and Compensation Act and is presently serving on the House Judiciary and Mines and Energy Management Committee.

Course Canceled

WAYNESBURG — Because of a lack of interest the training course for recreation and park board members and municipal officials scheduled for Thursday, May 7, has been canceled.

Club Honors Women

BOBTOWN — Two Bobtown residents, both members of the Shannopin Civic Club of Bobtown, have the distinction of being the first honorary members of the club.

They received the honor at a Greene County Federation of Women's Clubs meeting held Wednesday, April 29, in Bobtown. The honor carries full membership rights, voting privileges and paid dues.

The first membership went to Mrs. Dorothy Reed, who was one of the organizers of the club and who served as its first president in 1946-47. She

also served a second term as president in 1957-58 and has also held the office of vice president, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Reed went on to serve as president of the Greene County Federation in 1961-62, 1962-64 and 1968-70. During her 35 years as a member of the civic club she had been active in support of the civic club building.

Mrs. Reed is a member of the Bobtown United Methodist Church, where she has held almost every office in every

society and committee of the church, as well as serving as church pianist during all the years she has resided in Bobtown. She is also a member of the Lady Taylor Rebekah Lodge and has been active in other club and community affairs.

The second person honored was Mrs. Eleanor Musick, who served as president in 1961-63 and 1968-70, as well as being vice president for several terms. She has also served as chairman of the club ways and means committee since its inception, with club members noting that "she has probably given more time, more work and more donations to the club than any other member."

Mrs. Musick is a member of St. Ignatius Church of Bobtown and of the church Rosary-Altar Society, as well as participating in other community events.

The two women were presented with corsages and a gift of jewelry by club members.

Engagement Announced

The engagement of Marlys Annette Closser to William F. Greenhalgh is being announced by her mother, Mrs. Sarah V. Closser. Miss Closser is also the daughter of the late Ernest R. Closser Jr. of Sycamore.

A graduate of Penn State, she was an art instructor at West Greene High School. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenhalgh of Baraboo, Wisconsin. He graduated from Princeton University and received his law degree from U.C.L.A.

The wedding will take place June 6 in the Bates Fork Baptist Church, Sycamore.

Actress Engaged For 'Informances'

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Council on the Arts and Waynesburg College will co-sponsor a seven-week residency by actress Christine Von Dohn this summer and fall through Affiliate Artist of New York.

Miss Von Dohn, who presented a preview performance last week, will work with school, civic, social and college groups during her residency.

In addition to the college and the Council on the Arts, major support for the Affiliate Artist series is being provided by the United States Steel Corp. Local sponsors include the Henry C. Frick Educational Commission, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts and Wayne Lumber Co.

During her residency in the

county, Miss Von Dohn will present "informances," which she describes as performances that inform the audience. Her goal, in addition to showing her audience what she does, is to explain how she does it. Each informance includes a question and answer session.

Groups in Greene County who want additional information on scheduling an informance should contact Marcia Biddle, president of the Greene County Council on the Arts, at Box 347, R.D.2, Carmichaels, Pa. 15320, or telephone her at 966-7466.

Curry Plans Home Week

WAYNESBURG — The Curry Memorial Home will observe National Nursing Home Week, which begins May 11, with a series of events using the theme, "Visit Someone Special."

On Monday, May 11, the West Greene stage band will perform at 2 p.m. A group of young dancers representing Barbara Mochetta's Dance School will perform at 3 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, and the staffers will play an indoor softball game at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday to be preceded by a picnic at noon.

The Central Greene stage band will perform at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, May 14, and Friday, May 15, will be dignitary day.

Guests will include Judge Glenn Toothman, State Sen. Barry Stout, Rep. H. William DeWeese and various county officials.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth G. Brown of Waynesburg announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Nancy Lee, to Alvan D. Allison.

Miss Brown, a 1977 graduate of West Virginia University, is currently employed by West Virginia University Medical Center.

Her fiancé, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvan L. Allison of Waynesburg, is a 1968 graduate of Waynesburg College and is currently employed by Triad Engineering Co., Sabraton, W.Va.

An open church wedding will be held at 1 p.m. May 23, 1981, in the First United Methodist Church, Waynesburg.

National Hospital Week Plans Made

WAYNESBURG — In observance of National Hospital Week May 10 through 16, Greene County Memorial Hospital will hold a business community luncheon Thursday, May 14, at the Greene County Country Club.

The luncheon will begin with a social at 11:30 a.m. with luncheon being served at noon and a brief program to follow. The luncheon will conclude at approximately 1 p.m.

Michael Flinn, hospital administrator, said the theme for National Hospital Week, "Looking Well Into The Future," best describes "our commitment in maintaining and continuing to provide quality health care to the community that we serve. Through new patient services, improved techniques, advanced technology and the skills of our professional staff, we are focusing attention on the present and future health care needs of Greene County." Flinn said.

Reservations for the business community luncheon should be made no later than Monday, May 11 by calling the hospital at 627-3101, extension 300.



Observer-Reporter Photo

First Choice Of Seats

Cliff Blackburn, right, chairman of this year's Waynesburg Day at Three Rivers Stadium, sponsored by the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce, gives Walter L. Moore of Waynesburg his choice of the 250 third base line box seats reserved for this year's event. Moore has been the first person to purchase a ticket for Waynesburg Day for the past several years. Waynesburg Day will be Sunday, June 7, when the Pirates play a single afternoon game with San Francisco. Tickets for both the game and bus transportation are available at Chamber office located in the old County Office building at Waynesburg or by calling the Chamber at 627-5926

Obituaries

Hoge

Mary Rinehart Hoge, 91, of Waynesburg R.D.1, died at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, 1981, in the Marcin Rest Home, Carmichaels.

She was born December 13, 1889, the sixth of 13 children of the late William Heaton Rinehart Hoge and Emma Stewart Hoge.

A graduate of California State Normal School, Miss Hoge taught in Franklin Township schools. She received her B.A. degree from West Virginia University and won a Phi Beta Kappa scholarship award.

For several years she taught in rural schools in Greene County, grade schools in Morgantown, W. Va., and at Charleroi High School.

She received her Master's degree in history and social sciences from the University of Pittsburgh. In 1935 she became an instructor of social studies, history, political science and economics at Alderson-Broaddus College, Philippi, W. Va., retiring 20 years later.

Miss Hoge was a member of the First Baptist Church of Jefferson; the historical honor society, Phi Alpha Theta; the American Association of University Women; the Philippi Women's Club and the Barbour County Historical Society.

A published writer and poet, Miss Hoge co-authored two historical pageants for the West Virginia Historical Society and wrote the centennial history "The Philippi Covered Bridge." Her poems were accepted in several collections of poetry and three books of her poems have been published.

Surviving are two sisters, Ellen C. Hoge of Phoenix, Ariz., and Janet H. Stephenson of Carmichaels.

Deceased are three brothers, Alex S., Albert G. and Dr. Solomon F. Hoge and the following sisters: Rachel, Elizabeth, Mrs. Guy B. (Emily) Hoge, Helen, Martha, Mrs. Ben W. (Margaret) Jacobs and Mrs. Harold T. (Catherine) Closser.

Funeral services were held at the Lesako Funeral Home, Carmichaels, on Saturday, May 2 with Rev. Ray Streets officiating. Burial was in the Jefferson Cemetery.

Bane

Arthur T. Bane, 57, of Rices Landing R.D.1, died Sunday, May 3, 1981, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va., after a six-week illness.

He was born July 16, 1928, in Clarksville, a son of Arthur A. and Helen Malone Bane.

Mr. Bane, a retired coal miner, had worked at the Gateway Tiptoe. He was a member of UMW Local No. 6330 and the Filer-Sadler American Legion Post, Jefferson.

A veteran of World War II, he had served in the U.S. Army. He was a Protestant and lifetime resident of Rices Landing.

Surviving are seven daughters, Mrs. Mary Sue Moore, Shirley Bane and Nancy Bane, all of Silver Spring, Md.; Mrs. Thelma Jean Cooley and Darlene Bane, both of Rockville, Md.; Denise Bane of Rices Landing R.D.1 and Brenda Bane of Rices Landing; two sons, Arthur Bane of Rices Landing and Jerry Bane of Rockville; 12 grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Effie B. Norwood of Baltimore, Md.; and two brothers, Carl Bane of Rices Landing R.D.1 and Elbert Bane of Baltimore.

His wife, Ellen M. Bainbridge, whom he married in 1946, is deceased. A sister, June Renard, and two brothers, Issac and Kenneth Bane, are also deceased.

Must Register

MAPLETOWN — The Southeastern Greene School District will register children of the district who will be attending school for the first time in either kindergarten or the first grade as follows:

Tuesday, May 12, at Bobtown Elementary School — 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m.

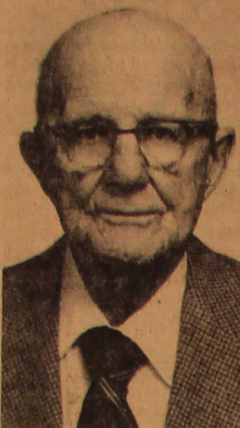
Wednesday, May 13, at Glassworks Elementary School — 9 a.m. to noon.

Each child must be five years of age before Sept. 1, 1981, to be eligible for kindergarten and six years of age before the same date to enter first grade.

Parents must present the child's birth certificate and immunization records at the time of registration. The following immunization must be completed prior to school entrance: three diptheria-tetanus shots; three doses of trivalent oral polio vaccine; rubella (nine day or regular measles) vaccine; rubella (three day or German measles) vaccine and mumps vaccine.

The school nurse and clerical staff will be available to assist parents with registration. Children being registered will receive hearing, vision and speech evaluations at this time.

Any parent who cannot register at any of the registration centers at the above times should contact the office of Charles E. Wyda, assistant superintendent, 839-7241.



DIES — Roy W. Clovis, well-known Waynesburg resident and community leader, died at the age of 91 following a serious illness.

Clovis

A well-known Waynesburg resident and community leader, Roy W. Clovis, 91, of 313 Huffman Street, died at 9:50 p.m., Thursday, April 30, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had been seriously ill for the past several weeks.

He was born June 6, 1889, near Jollytown, a son of Leroy B. and Elizabeth M. Hennen Clovis.

Mr. Clovis spent his early life in the Jollytown-Pine Bank area. He had resided in Waynesburg since 1929. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Waynesburg, the men's Bible Sunday school class and served on the administrative board of the church.

He was a past exalted ruler and life member of BPOE 757, past commander and member of the American Legion James Farrell Post No. 330, a 50-year member of Waynesburg F&AM 153, a 32nd degree Mason of the Coudersport Consistory, a member of East Franklin Grange 1709, and belonged to the Fort Jackson chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution.

Mr. Clovis was a veteran of World War I, having served with the U.S. Navy. He was a 1911 graduate of Waynesburg College and active in the college's alumni association. He was a farmer and breeder of purebred Hereford cattle and served as president of the Southwest Breeders Association. He had been a producer and operator of oil and gas wells since 1927, having worked in Pennsylvania and Michigan, as well as Missouri, Ohio, Texas and Mexico.

He was elected to the state legislature, serving from 1929-31. During that time he was primarily responsible for forming the farm-to-market roads, later called the Pinchot Road System.

He was also a state Republican committeeman of Greene County for several years. In 1933, he was appointed work director for the Civil Works Administration in the county and from 1934-35 was director of the relief work division of the state emergency board in Washington and Greene counties.

During World War II he was chairman of the gasoline rationing board. He was a retired state inheritance tax appraiser for Greene County, having served in that capacity from 1963-71.

Surviving are his wife, May Phillips Clovis, whom he married September 9, 1929; two sons, Dr. William L. Clovis and Dr. James S. Clovis, both of Philadelphia; two granddaughters, Nicole and Christie Lee; and one grandson, Brian Whitfield Clovis.

Mr. Clovis was the last of his immediate family. A brother, Dr. Stanley B. Clovis, is deceased.

Church

Frank E. Church, 87, of Rogersville, died at 6:50 p.m. Monday, May 4, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born September 21, 1893, in Rogersville, a son of Rinehart B. and Florence Burroughs Church.

Mr. Church was a lifelong resident of Rogersville and graduated from Center Township High School. He attended both the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Institute of Technology, graduating with a degree in civil engineering.

He returned to Greene County in 1916 to become engaged in engineering and construction work and served as construction superintendent when Waynesburg High School, now the Margaret Bell Miller Middle School, was built in 1927.

Mr. Church joined the Pennsylvania Department of Highways as an engineer in 1933 and was the department's Greene County maintenance superintendent for 11 years prior to his retirement in 1955. Following his retirement from the state agency, he served as consulting engineer to Waynesburg Borough for several years.

Mr. Church was a life member of Waynesburg Elks Lodge 757 and a member of Waynesburg Lodge 153, F&AM. His wife, Lena Simpson Church, whom he married January 1, 1918, died July 30, 1976.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Arthur (Charlotte) DuCarme of Elizabeth; two sons, Carl Church of Jensen Beach, Fla., and Franklin R. Church of Middletown; nine grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

A granddaughter, a brother, Hal Church, and a sister, Zura Thompson, are deceased.

Henderson

John H. Henderson, 95, Greensboro Star Route, Waynesburg, died in his home at 9 p.m. Saturday, May 2, 1981. He had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. Henderson, a son of Truman and Matilda Main Henderson, was born September 13, 1885, in Jackson Township, near Bluff. He was a retired farmer and stock raiser and had resided at various times in Wayne, Franklin and Greene Townships. He was affiliated with the Spraggs United Methodist Church.

His wife, Flora Etta Cole Henderson, died January 17, 1969.

Surviving are two sons, Lloyd R. Henderson of Greensboro Star Route and Donald W. (Dick) Henderson of Waynesburg R.D.4; seven grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Leota Gallentine of Detroit, Mich.

A grandson, Thomas; three sisters, Ethel, Annie and Cora; and four brothers, Wesley, Thomas, Lindsey and Ronald, are deceased.

Cain

Edward William Cain, 70, of 208 Huffman Street, Waynesburg, died at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, 1981. He had been in his usual health, and death was due to an apparent heart attack.

Born March 12, 1911, in Gilmore Township, he was a son of Daniel B. and Evelyn Ryan Cain.

Mr. Cain resided all of his life in the Waynesburg area. For several years he was employed as an automobile mechanic at various garages in town.

Surviving are his wife, Edith Cain; two daughters, Mrs. Charles (Patricia) Daruda of Gates, Mrs. Floyd (Mary Ruth) Long of Salem, Ohio; four sons, Jack Cain of Waynesburg R.D.5, Jesse Cain of Cortland, Ohio, Fred Cain of Cleveland, Ohio, Donley D. Cain of Waynesburg; 23 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; three sisters, Dorothy Martin Cain of Waynesburg, Mrs. James (Lillian) McHenry of Waynesburg R.D.3, Mrs. John (Virginia) Ullom of Waynesburg; three brothers, Arthur and Dainel Cain, both of Waynesburg, and Charles Cain of Baltimore, Md.; and several nieces and nephews.

A sister, Tillie, and two brothers, Lee and Raymond, are deceased.

Briggs

Glendon Earl Briggs, 76, of Cameron R.D.3, W. Va., died at 5:50 p.m., Wednesday, April 29, 1981, in Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glendale, W. Va.

He was born April 9, 1905, in Marshall County, W. Va., a son of the late Glen T. and Allie Myrtle Dobbs Briggs.

Mr. Briggs was a member of the Presbyterian Church in Dunnellon, Fla., and was a 50-year member of the Cameron Masonic Lodge No. 17.

He served with the U.S. Marine Corps, the West Virginia National Guard and the Merchant Marines.

Mr. Briggs was a former teacher in Marshall County Schools and a retired mail carrier and postal clerk of the U.S. Post Office in Cameron.

Surviving are his wife, Ruby Kerns Briggs; two daughters, Mrs. Dale (Mauna) Hicks and Mrs. Richard (Nina) Fletcher, both of Cameron; five sons, Jack L. Briggs of Cameron, Gerald Keith Briggs of Douglas, Wyo., Robert W. Briggs of Gillette, Wyo., Gary Z. Briggs of Cody, Wyo., Ernie S. Briggs of Atlanta, Ga.; 14 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; seven step-great-grandchildren; three sisters, Crystal Rush of Waterloo, Iowa, Ruth Blake of New Brighton, Sybil Clifton of Baltimore, Md.; two brothers, Jay Briggs of Cameron and Ivan Briggs of Ogallala, Neb.

Courtwright

Earl C. Courtwright, 73, of Wind Ridge R.D.1, died at 7 p.m. Friday, May 1, 1981, in University Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va., after a two-week illness.

He was born April 12, 1908, in Sugar Grove, a son of George W. and Matilda Huffman Courtwright.

Prior to his retirement, Mr. Courtwright had been employed on the Charles J. (Bud) Behm farm for 24 years.

He was a Protestant. Surviving are one brother, Lee Courtwright of Wind Ridge, and three sisters, Mary Brown of Martins Ferry, Ohio, Maude Vares of Steubenville, Ohio, and Blanche Courtwright of Wind Ridge.

Five sisters, Flo Marling, Frances Kerns, Jessie Ball, Add Hull and Rosie Hull, and three brothers, John, who was killed during World War I, Sam and Joseph, who died in infancy, are deceased.

Burnfield

Randy Edward Burnfield, 21, of Waynesburg R.D.1, died at 8:10 p.m. Sunday, May 3, 1981, of multiple injuries received in a motorcycle accident near Holbrook.

He was born July 9, 1959, in Waynesburg, a son of Edward and Mary Haring Burnfield of Waynesburg R.D.1 and was married to Tammy Handord Burnfield, who survives.

He was affiliated with the First Christian Church in Waynesburg and had attended Jefferson-Morgan High School. He was employed by Morgan Township.

Also surviving are a son, Jason; a daughter, Jennifer; a sister, Mrs. John (Debra) King of Waynesburg R.D.1; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burnfield of Waynesburg R.D.1; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haring of Waynesburg R.D.1; and his paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Belle Pyle of Waynesburg R.D.2.

Lewis

Laura D. Lewis, 77, of 2188 Rankintown Road, Finleyville, and formerly of Waynesburg, died at 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, May 5, 1981, in Washington Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born April 1, 1904, in Waynesburg, a daughter of Alfred and Rose Jones Dougal.

Mrs. Lewis spent her early life in Waynesburg. For several years she had resided in the Houston-Canonsburg community, and the last 12 years in Finleyville.

Her husband, Allen Lewis, died February 3, 1973.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Lucille) Dicey of Washington; two granddaughters, Mrs. Howard (Bonnie) Durbin and Judy Dicey, both of Washington; one grandson, Joseph Dicey of Finleyville; six great-grandchildren; and one brother, John Dougal of Fairmont, W. Va.

A sister, Clara, and a brother, Earl, are deceased.

County Tries To Salvage Emergency Medical Office

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Commissioners Thursday offered a possible solution to save two of the three positions in the Emergency Medical Services office which has been threatened by funding cutbacks in the CETA program.

At the present time, all three employees — the director, coordinator of training programs and the secretary — are being paid under the CETA program. However, the director's position was phased out Thursday and the training coordinator will be terminated July 30. With both gone, there will be no reason to retain the secretary.

The EMS office receives \$5,275 from the regional office each year to pay for office supplies, expenses, postage, etc. The office in the Old County Office Building is furnished by the county without charge.

The commissioners questioned if they could absorb the office expenses and then take the regional donation as office rental. In this manner, the county could turn back the money and retain the director of the local office.

Commissioner Joseph Pawlosky explained

that because of the tight budget, the county could not fund the office; however, if the county could receive the \$5,275 from the regional council they could afford to support the office. The commissioners unanimously supported retaining the office and said they would do everything possible to keep it in operation.

Jeannine Jenkins, EMS director, appealed to the commissioners to support the office saying it was a critical time in light of the help needed in the West Greene area and the support needed by the Greensboro ambulance service.

She said only the Richhill Township Volunteer Fire Company supplies an ambulance for the 250 square miles in the western part of the county. Plans are being developed at this time to improve the situation with paramedics and needed equipment in three communities of western Greene County.

The executive committee of the EMS program will meet at 10 p.m. next Thursday with the commissioners to further discuss the situation and possibly come up with an answer.

Hospice Plans Conference

WAYNESBURG — Hospice of Greene County, Inc. will sponsor a conference entitled "Clergy Contributions to the Hospice Concept" from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 19 at Waynesburg College.

The conference is intended to inform, support, and assist area clergy in understanding the Hospice concept of care so

that they may become members of the hospice team.

Sessions include workshops and lectures on "Historical and Theological Implications of the Hospice Concept," "Role of the Clergy in Hospice Care," and "Death Counseling and Human Development." There will also be self-help group presentations, cancer

education and practical issues for clergy involved in terminal cases. The \$25 registration fee includes lunch and printed materials. The conference is also open to non-clergy who are interested in the Hospice philosophy of terminal care. Additional information may be obtained by calling 627-8118.

Training Projects Approved

WAYNESBURG - The Greene County Commissioners have approved four Comprehensive Employment and Training Programs recommended by the Greene County Manpower Advisory Committee which has never been formally appointed by the state Department of Labor of Industry.

George Stennett, executive director, of the "unofficial" council lashed out at the state agency for not having made the appointments official although the local board submitted the nominees for confirmation on June 14, 1979.

Stennett said that on several occasions since the nominees were presented to the state, the Department of Labor and Industry has requested an update to the list. "It would appear there is no valid Greene County Manpower Advisory Council at this time," Stennett said.

The council suggested the \$268,429 available for the training programs be allocated as follows: \$99,319 for the Community Action Corp. for its home improvement training;

\$59,054 to the Pittsburgh Catholic Educational Programs for in-school work experience and \$91,266 to the same organization for adult work experience and also \$18,790 to the Greene County Vo-Tech School for training of licensed practical nurses.

In other action, the commissioners: Reappointed Dr. Earnest DeHaas to the Greene County Housing Authority.

Officially changed the polling place in Jefferson No. 1 precinct to the Central Elementary School.

Announced the county bridge at the Burson Plan at Clarksville will be closed on May 11 to allow for repairs.

Approved an additional \$1,000 appropriation to the Park Commission so the commission could lay a new sidewalk in Ritchie Park. The county donates \$4,500 each year to the park commission.

Discussed the possibility of hiring a full-time grantsman who would concentrate on seeking available grants from the state and federal government. No action was taken.

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

ROBERT R. COX
204 Shirley Drive
Monaca, PA. 15061
ADMINISTRATOR

THOMPSON AND BAILY
Attorneys
5-1, 8, 15

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF VIRGINIA MAE CONARD COX 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
ESTATE OF MATILDA 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. 15222
Executrix

THOMPSON & BAILY
Attorneys
4-24; 5-1, 8

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF EARL STITT late of Carmichaels 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.

WILBERT E. KANE
113 B Walnut Street
Vanderhoff, Pa. 15490
Executor
Rosanna D. Polan, Esquire,
SAYERS, KING, KEENER & NALITZ
Attorneys
5-8, 15, 22

WERC Permitted To Plant Trees

WAYNESBURG — Members of the Waynesburg Economic Revitalization Committee (WERC) met with the Greene County Commissioners Thursday and received approval to add trees in front of the courthouse but were stalled on the possibility of saving the Old County Office Building and a smaller building adjacent to it from being razed in the future.

The WERC group suggested planting four trees in the sidewalk area in front of the courthouse and also the removal of six parking meters to allow for an unobstructed view of the courthouse.

Judge Glenn Toothman added his support to the plan and said the project would enhance the astetic value of the courthouse. The WERC architect told the commissioners the courthouse improvements were important because the courthouse would be the focal point of the downtown improvements.

The trees, expected to be either Calory Pear or Sourwood, would grow to 18 or 20 feet.

WERC members asked for permission to go ahead with plans to renovate the facades of the two buildings since the money was available through their grant. They said \$4,000 has been set aside to renovate the facades.

Public Notices

EXECUTRIX NOTICE
ESTATE OF JAMES BURNIE HARRIS late of R.D.4, Waynesburg, 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.

Iva Pearl Harris
R.D.#4
Waynesburg, PA. 15370
Executrix
SAYERS, KING, KEENER & NALITZ
Attorneys
By: Floyd A. King
5-8, 15, 22

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF BETTY W. HART, B/K/A BETTY W. HIGHAM late of Waynesburg Borough, 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.

John Robert Higham
7 Ridgeway Road
Topsfield, Mass. 01983
Executor
Thompson and Baily, Attorneys
5-8, 15, 22

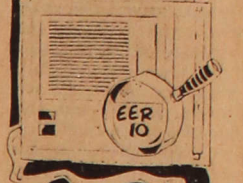
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WILBERT E. KANE
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Vanderhoff, Pa. 15490
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Attorneys
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The Electric Consumer's Corner

How can I find out if an air conditioner is energy efficient?



Check the EER (energy-efficiency ratio) on the nameplate of the air conditioner. The higher the EER, the more efficient the unit.

EER	RATING
10 or MORE EXCELLENT	
8 or 9	Good
6 or 7	Poor
under 6	Bad

An air conditioner in the home with an EER of 10 will cost half as much to operate as one with an EER of 5.

What size air conditioner should I buy?



Ask an air conditioning dealer to estimate your cooling needs so you don't buy a unit with more cooling capacity than required.

A properly-sized air conditioner will keep you more comfortable than an oversized unit. That's because it cycles less and reduces humidity by removing more moisture from the air.

Besides, a smaller-sized unit usually costs less to buy.

How can I hold down cooling costs?



You'll conserve electricity by following these suggestions:

- Insulate your home and properly ventilate the attic.
- Shade sunny windows with awnings, blinds, or draperies.
- Turn off air conditioner and use natural ventilation or fans in mild weather and on cool nights.
- Set air conditioner thermostat at 78 degrees or higher.
- Clean or replace the air conditioner filters at least once a month during the cooling season.

For a free copy of our folder, "Air Conditioning Efficiency," contact the West Penn Power office serving your location. Or write West Penn Power, c/o The Electric Consumer's Corner, Cabin Hill, Greensburg, PA 15601.

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