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## Burglary Case Could Hinge On Boundaries

By BOB EICHENLAUB  
Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — An accused burglar who was arrested while hitchhiking out of town with a box filled with bottles of whiskey is relying on the location of the Waynesburg Borough line to save him from prosecution.

Public Defender John Hardisty argued in Greene County Court Friday that borough police improperly arrested Robert Dale Stockdale, 20, at 4:25 a.m. Aug. 13 because the suspect was some 300 feet beyond the borough line on East Greene Street when he was picked up.

The Clarksville resident was subsequently charged by state police with burglarizing the state liquor store in Waynesburg, but at the time the arrest was made police had no knowledge that the burglary had taken place.

Borough Patrolman Terry Livingston gave the details at the suppression hearing.

He said that he was at the borough police station when a private citizen stopped to tell him that he had stopped to pick up a hitchhiker on Greene Street. When he saw that the man had the box of whiskey bottles, some of which fell to the street and broke, he ordered him out of his car and looked for a police officer.

When Livingston acted on the information, he spotted the hitchhiker still attempting to get a ride but saw he was across the line into Franklin Township. He then radioed the state police dispatcher to ask for help, but was told there was no car in the vicinity. The state police officer on duty then gave him verbal permission to assist them by detaining the man.

Livingston said he accosted the man, who was intoxicated, and told him he was being detained for state police. After getting Stockdale into the police car, he drove to the state store to see if it had been entered and found a broken window in the front door.

By that time, state police had been alerted and met Livingston at the store, where they made the formal arrest.

Under cross examination, Livingston agreed that he had no more than a suspicion that Stockdale might have stolen the whiskey when he detained him and agreed that the suspect, at that point, was not free to go since he would have been charged, in any event, with public drunkenness.

Hardisty argued that since the police had no knowledge of a crime and since public drunkenness is a summary offense that Livingston acted illegally in apprehending the suspect.

"This is not one of the cases where a borough police officer has the power to make an arrest outside the jurisdiction of the borough," he argued. "Suspicion does not justify an arrest, and any time an individual is not free to leave he has been arrested."

District Attorney Charles Morris argued, on the other hand, that Livingston had contacted state police and been told to act in their behalf. He also argued that the arrest was not made until charges were brought by state police after the burglary was discovered.

Both Hardisty and Morris were asked to submit briefs to the Court setting forth their positions, after which a decision will be made as to whether Stockdale can be prosecuted for the burglary.

## Waynesburg Man Killed On Tractor

A Waynesburg area man was killed Thursday afternoon in an accident on his cousin's farm in Amity.

Glenn W. Doty, 60, of Castile, Waynesburg R.D.1, was pronounced dead at 3:40 p.m. by Deputy Coroner E. Richard Nichol at the Ray Doty Farm on Lone Pine-Ten Mile Road.

Doty and his son, Roger, were pulling fence posts from the ground with a tractor when the vehicle upset. Doty's head was caught under the wheel and he suffered a broken neck.

A former resident of the Ten Mile / Amity area, he had lived for the past 29 years in the Waynesburg R.D.1 area. He had been employed at the Allenport plant of Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp. since 1965.

Surviving along with his son, Roger of Waynesburg R.D.1, is a Paul B., also of Waynesburg R.D.1; two daughters, Jane Yost of Prosperity R.D.2 and Mrs. June Ondash of Waynesburg R.D.1; three sisters and three grandchildren.

## Crash Kills 3 Passengers

SLOVAN — Three Washington County residents were killed early Saturday morning when the car they were riding in crashed on Route 18 in Slovan.

Victims were Gary Lee Bongiorno, 20, of Burgettstown R.D.3; John Kevin Cowden, 18, of Hickory, and Leslie Ann Yater, 19, of West Finley R.D.1. The three were pronounced dead at the crash at 3 a.m. Saturday by County Coroner Farrell Jackson.

The driver of the car, Thomas W. Cowden, of McDonald R.D.4, a cousin of the younger Cowden, was taken to Washington Hospital where he was reported in good condition.

State police said the car was traveling south on Route 18 at a high rate of speed when it failed to negotiate a left curve. The car left the roadway on the west berm and struck a concrete bridge abutment just north of Second Avenue.

Police said the car broke apart on impact and the passengers were thrown out of the car.

Jackson said an inquest into the accident will be held.

Bongiorno was a son of Robert William and Mary Ann Esno Bongiorno. Cowden was the son of Joseph A. and Lois Gladden Cowden Jr. Both had attended Fort Cherry High School.

Miss Yater was the daughter of DeLores Ramsey and the late Earl H. Yates Sr. She had attended McGuffey High School.

In addition, Cowden and Yater are survived by a son, Kevin Michael.

The three fatalities bring to 24 the number of deaths that have occurred on Washington County roads this year.

## PennDot Renovating Two Area Roadways

The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation plans renovations for East Greene Street in Waynesburg Borough and Routes 19 and 21 in Franklin Township from the corner of Porter and Greene Street to the stoplight near Foodland Market.

It also awarded a \$1-million contract for improvements to a bridge on Interstate 70 in Washington County.

PennDOT announced this week it will be accepting bids for the resurfacing of 2,499 feet of highway, the construction of sidewalks, shoulders and storm drains, and the installation of a concrete divider and guard rails.

A spokesman in the Greene County office of PennDOT said Friday that

plans also call for lowering of the highway under the railroad overpass in Morrisville. The site has been responsible for many traffic tie-ups in the past few years because of the low clearance.

The project calls for the removal of 218 feet of existing blacktop and brick pavement and milling of another 1,655 feet of highway. About 550 feet of new highway will be constructed and 2,073 feet of old highway will be blacktopped.

Bids on the project will be opened at 11 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 29, in Harrisburg.

The Washington County bridge, which carries I-70 over railroad tracks east of West Alexander, will be rehabilitated under the contract awarded to Broadhead Construction Co. of Zellenople.



## You're Kidding

Despite what the sign indicates, there are guard rails along Porter Street extension in the Morningside section of Franklin Township. In fact, they were recently installed as were storm drains and blacktop. Blacktop Paving had the PennDOT contract for the work.

## Three Sentenced On Drug Charges

WAYNESBURG — Three of the 16 individuals who were arrested by Waynesburg Borough Police in June on drug charges were sentenced Friday in Greene County Court.

All three were fined \$500 and given jail sentences which were imposed in such a manner that they can continue to hold their jobs.

Defendants were John Henderson, 19,

of Wayneburg R.D.4, who was charged with selling two ounces of marijuana to a police informant; Debbie Crawford, 20, of Marianna, charged with selling a ounce of marijuana, and Cecil David Phillips, 26, Garards Fort, who was charged with directing the informant to an individual who sold him marijuana.

Since none of the defendants had records of prior arrests, their cases were disposed of under a provision of the drug code which says no record will be made of the sentence unless they again get into trouble.

Judge Glenn Toothman directed that they serve sentences of four months to 23 months in jail. Henderson and Phillips will serve the sentence on weekends in the Greene County jail, while Crawford will serve two weekends in the Washington County jail.

Judge Toothman directed that after the two weekends have been served that she serve the balance of her sentence by working as a volunteer for two days each week with CARE, Inc., a local agency which deals with drug and alcohol abusers.

## Cable TV Suit Settled Out Of Court

WAYNESBURG — A suit filed by Central Video Cable Television against Tele Media Co. of Waynesburg and Waynesburg Borough Council was settled out of court this week with a \$35,000 cash settlement.

Central Video filed the suit in U.S. District Court last month claiming that awarding of the borough franchise to Tele-Media was discriminatory, arbitrary and unlawful.

Farley Toothman of Waynesburg and Norbert P. Moore of Somerset, trading as Central Video Cable Television, asked the court to void the franchise, to order the borough to give Central Video the exclusive franchise and award Central Video damages of more than \$10,000.

Eight members of borough council were named as defendants. The ninth member of council was not named because she abstained from voting on the franchise.

John R. Previs of Pittsburgh, the attorney representing Tele-Media, told the Observer-Reporter Wednesday afternoon, "Tele-Media is currently involved in expanding and improving the system and rather than get involved in a long court battle the firm felt it was better for all concerned to reach an out-of-court settlement."

Previs said the settlement figure, which is not normally announced, was made public because the firm did not want the public to feel Tele-Media was simply "paying-off" someone to prevent trouble.

"We would probably have spent more money defending our position in court," Previs said.

Central Video, in its suit, also claimed expenses of \$22,075 for work done on bid proposals.

## Carmichaels Teachers Sign Pact

By BOB EICHENLAUB  
Staff Writer

CARMICHAELS — A contract agreement reached last week to end a six-day teachers' strike in the Carmichaels Area School District was ratified Thursday by the district school board.

It calls for an immediate annual pay increase of \$1,650, and increases of \$1,750, \$1,850 and \$2,000 in subsequent years of the four-year contract.

"This is not an inflationary contract," said Dan Bailey, who headed the school district negotiating team. "Even with the increases, our teaching salaries are in line with the mass of those paid by districts in this area."

The salary for a beginning teacher starting on Step I was increased from \$8,500 to \$10,000. Bailey explained this was done at the instigation of the board

to place the district in a competitive position when it came to hiring new teachers. One of the biggest increases comes in the second year, when a teacher will move from \$10,000 to \$13,900. Wages for "casual" substitutes will continue at \$40 a day.

Eye care benefits are among new fringes offered. The district agreed to form a group with teachers themselves paying benefits in the first two years. In the third year the district will pay the premiums for the teachers, and in the fourth year will expand it to provide family coverage.

Effective immediately, the district will pay for dental coverage. Under the previous contract teachers had been paying 25 percent of the premium. The same number of sick leave and personal days are provided, but under the new contract teachers will no longer be able to ask for a half-day personal day but must request a full day.

Seven of the nine board members were present. Only Erma Jean Thomas voted against contract ratification.

The six teaching days lost during the strike will be added to the end of the school year, making Friday, June 4, the last day of school.

In response to a question from the floor, the board said the only restriction in the 1967 deed by which the district gave the former Carmichaels Elementary School property to Carmichaels Borough is that the property continue to be used for borough purposes.

The question had been raised at a recent meeting of borough council during a discussion of plans to erect a new borough building to replace the old school building, which burned three years ago.

"As long as the borough continues to use it for borough purposes it will have no problems," a board spokesman said.

In other action at its meeting the board:

Accepted the resignation of Gary White as wrestling coach, for personal reasons, and of Barbara Brant as girls' basketball coach, due to birth of her daughter.

Approved a request for sick leave during the first semester and a sabbatical leave during the second semester for William Grishkin, high school industrial arts teacher. Jay Livak of California was offered employment as a full-time substitute to fill the vacancy.

At the request of Carmichaels Area Band Boosters, authorized the preparation of plans for a new concession stand at the athletic field but deferred action on authorizing its construction.

Because of an increase in the number of students being transported to the Father Kolb School at Masontown (from nine to as many as 18), approved an amendment to the contract for transporting the students. With two vehicles being required, the district will pay \$98 per day for the service.

## Pamphlets List Security Tips

WAYNESBURG — Pamphlets are now available at the Waynesburg Police Station which give tips to homeowners about security, said Police Chief Tim Hawfield.

Although the burglary rate has been decreasing in the borough, the incident rate across the county is rising. A check of the last 24 incident reports at the local state police barracks revealed half of them were burglaries.

The pamphlets, offered free of charge, are distributed by AMF Pargon, Consumer Products Division.

## Water Problem Leads To Suit

WAYNESBURG — A Whiteley Township couple have brought suit in Greene County Court in an effort to recover money they paid for their house on the grounds that the seller incorrectly told them that there was an adequate supply of water on the property.

The equity action was filed Monday by Eugene and Barbara Angeletti of Waynesburg R.D.3. Margaret P. Moore of Waynesburg is named as defendant.

The complaint states the Angelettis purchased the house on Aug. 8, 1981, for \$60,000 and have since made improvements at a cost of \$2,445.

The plaintiffs claim they were told that there was an adequate water supply for family use on the land, but have since learned that it is "extremely inadequate" and that the former owner had been having water problems before selling the property.

They are asking the court to negate the sale and to direct the defendant to return the purchase price plus the money they spent for improvements.

## Supreme Court May Decide Church Case

PITTSBURGH — The Greene Valley Church in Carmichaels is one of 10 Presbyterian churches in Pennsylvania which have asked the state Supreme Court to help them settle a dispute with the United Presbyterian Church in the United States.

Attorneys for the congregations, all of which have seceded from the UPC, have asked the court to assume original jurisdiction in a Philadelphia test case which centers on buildings and other property being held by the rebel churches.

The dissident churches, which have severed their ties with the UPC in a liberal-conservative rift, contend they own the church property, which they purchased and hold in their individual names. The UPC and its presbyteries contend they were chartered as UPC churches and agreed to abide by its constitution, which provides that when a church is dissolved its property reverts to the national denomination.

Since the issues in all ten cases are virtually identical, they are asking the high court to allow one case to proceed to conclusion so it can serve as a precedent.

The petition filed Thursday asks the Supreme Court to order the president judge of Philadelphia County to assign the case brought by the Presbytery of Philadelphia against the Tenth Presbyterian Church to a specific judge.

The judge when then supervise progress of the case, oversee all pretrial matters, and preside over the trial.

The plaintiffs also want any appeals from that judge's decision to be reviewed by the Supreme Court. They have also asked that the defendants be prevented from initiating any other litigation in any other Common Pleas court in Pennsylvania until the test case has been litigated.

The Greene Valley church is currently defending a case in Greene County Court in which the Washington Presbytery is seeking title to its property because it left the UPC to join another national Presbyterian denomination. That case is in the early stages of litigation.

## Waynesburg Zoning Board Acts On Variance Requests

WAYNESBURG — Requests for several variances were acted upon by the Waynesburg Borough Zoning Board at a meeting Monday.

A request from the Waynesburg VFW Post for permission to erect a lighted sign was denied.

The board indicated that the post proposed to erect a five-by-nine foot sign along Greene Street to advertise the nearby location of the post home. The sign would have been set on high poles to bring it to street level and would have been lighted at night.

Refusal was based on a provision of the zoning ordinance which prohibits the erection in an R-1 zone of any sign larger than one-by-one foot.

The board took no action on a request from Barbara Richards for permission to take roomers at her home at 545 Huffman Street since it is in an R-1 zone, where operation of such homes is not permitted.

A petition signed by 23 residents of the neighborhood protesting granting of a variance was presented, but the board said that even if it wanted to do so, the ordinance does not permit such a variance.

Mrs. Richards said that people currently staying in the house are friends of the family, and the board agreed that it



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## 59TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Hoy Sr. of Waynesburg will celebrate their 59th wedding anniversary Monday, Sept. 21. They were married Sept. 21, 1922, in the First United Methodist Church, Waynesburg, by the Rev. F.D. Esenwein. They are the parents of five children, Carl Hoy Jr. of Spraggs, Mrs. Mack (Lois) Phillips of Monongahela, Ruth Miller of Waynesburg R.D.1; Mrs. Robert (Betty) Fischer of Punxsutawney and Mrs. Robert (Carol) Zolinger of Morgantown, W.Va. They have 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Mr. Hoy is a retired mail carrier and both are members of the Oak View United Methodist Church, Hoovers Run Grange, Pomona Grange and the state grange.



## Local Club Logs Years Of Service

WAYNESBURG — The Twentieth Century Club of Waynesburg, which was largely responsible for kindergarten and art classes in the local school district and the creation of the playground, celebrated its 50th anniversary of service to the community with a program.

Present at the event held in the First Presbyterian Church were four charter members including Kerma Hoge, Nell Wermecke, Delilah Ullom and Ethel Spragg. Hostesses for the event were Vanda Wall and Donna Quackenbush.

Richard Morgan, president of the club, welcomed members and guests and the blessing was given by Mrs. John Buterbaugh. Mrs. Robert LaCount, assisted by Kerma Hoge.

The club was officially organized Oct. 14, 1931, with these officers: Emily Baily, president; Ethel Spragg, vice president; Laurena Granger, secretary, and Von McMillan, treasurer.

Serving on the constitution committee were Wilmot Freeman, Ann Thompson and Mary Hoffman; program committee: Thelma Wolf, Nell Wermecke and Jo Hill (now Fuller); ways and means: Sara Minor and Beatrice Headlee; and membership committee: Ellen Drury, Ruth Henry and Ann McKenna.

The club, with a motto of "Service is the Greatest of All Arts," was taken into the Greene County Federation of Women's Clubs in February 1932. One of the early projects was petitioning the local school board to begin kindergarten classes, which were started in September 1938.

Over the past 50 years, the club has been the prime sponsor of the Central Playground. The club held many bridge parties, style shows, plays and other events to raise money for the playground.

## Church Marks Its 200th Anniversary

JEFFERSON — The Presbyterian Church of Jefferson will celebrate its 200th anniversary.

Although the earliest records of the Jefferson Presbyterian Church date back to September, 1781 when the church requested its first minister from Redstone Presbytery, information found during preparation of the new church history points to an earlier date, perhaps 1776.

In the early days, Jefferson was "yoked" with the New Providence (or Glades) Church in Carmichaels, sharing ministers. Rev. John McClintock, pastor of the Glades Church for 50 years (1659 to 1809), was also part-time pastor of the Jefferson church.

The church bought its present property for \$40 in 1814 from Thomas Hughes, who founded the town of Jefferson. The first church was a small frame building, which Rev. McClintock had replaced in 1816 with a brick structure.

In 1958, Jefferson became a United Presbyterian Church, and the present modern sanctuary was built beside the old church.



## Five Generations

James W. Piper, 92, of Waynesburg R.D.1, holds his great-great-granddaughter four-month-old Jennifer Krusinski on his lap at a recent family gathering. Others in the five-generation picture are Nanming Higginbotham, 67, of Cumberland Village, the daughter of James Piper; Mary Farmer, 42, of Brunswick, Ohio, the daughter of Mrs. Higginbotham; and Janet Krusinski, 19, of Brunswick, Ohio, daughter of Mrs. Farmer. Mr. Piper has another great-great-grandchild, Charles Michael, three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Higginbotham of Westminster, Pa.

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I Timothy  
1:15-20  
Monday  
Hebrews  
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Tuesday  
Hebrews  
12:1-11  
Wednesday  
James  
1:1-8  
Thursday  
II Peter  
1:1-9  
Friday  
Revelation  
13:1-10  
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Psalms  
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- 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; 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, Chi 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, 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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# Waynesburg Woman Finds Her Family After 40 Years

By JIM MOORE  
Staff Writer  
WAYNESBURG — A

Waynesburg woman has finally found her three sisters and four brothers after almost 40 years of separation. Mrs. Louis A. Doult of Waynesburg R.D.3 was born in December 1941 to Ray and Leatha Hartley Courtwright of Wind Ridge. Her mother died the following month, leaving eight children. Finding the situation impossible, Courtwright allowed his infant daughter to be adopted and placed the other children with various aunts and uncles. Following a short stay in the Children's Home, the infant was adopted by Hiram and Inez Dulaney of Waynesburg who changed the little girl's name to Suann Dulaney. She was raised in Waynesburg and attended Waynesburg High School until her senior year when she married Louis A.

Doult of Midland on Nov. 7, 1959. Someone — it's never been learned who — sent a clipping of the wedding to all three of Suann's sisters. "I have known since I was two years old that I was adopted, but I never knew who my real parents were," Suann said this week. All three sisters, then living away from Waynesburg, tried to contact Suann but finally gave up the search. About eight years ago, Suann and her husband were planning a trip to Mexico and needed Suann's birth certificate for the passport applications. When Suann's adoptive parents gave her the birth certificate, it was the first time Suann learned her real name. After learning her real name, Suann debated for eight years over whether she should contact her real family. "We debated if I could handle any

bad with the good. So for eight years, we did nothing," Suann said. On Aug. 13, during a rare quiet moment when her three children were still in bed and her husband was away, Suann picked up the phone book and randomly selected a Courtwright. Ironically, the name she selected happened to be her aunt, Mrs. William Courtwright, who immediately asked her to come visit. Suann and her husband couldn't find the Courtwright home in Wind Ridge and stopped at a home to ask directions. It was suggested they stop at the post office and talk to the postmaster. They did. The postmaster just happens to be Roger Courtwright. "I walked into the post office and laid my birth certificate in front of him. He stood there for a couple of minutes and then told me he

was my first cousin," Suann said. She learned the postmaster's father and her father were brothers. Mr. Courtwright knew where Suann's brothers and sisters were living, where her parents were buried and also commented on how much Suann resembled her sister Sadie. Suann and her husband were invited to the Courtwright home that evening. Moments after they arrived, Suann received a call from her sister, Mrs. Paul (Betty Lou) Marshall of Alliance, Ohio, whom she had never met. Two of Suann's sisters, Betty Lou and Sadie, had married brothers, Paul and Glen Marshall and, as luck would have it, the Marshalls were having a family reunion in Cameron, W.Va., the following Sunday. Suann was among the first to arrive and held a

tearful reunion with her sisters. Another surprise was the visit of her brother Donald Courtwright of Washingtonville, Ohio. They managed to have another family reunion during the last week of August in Ohio. On Sept. 6, Suann finally met her oldest sister, Mrs. William (Gerry) Schaefer, who now lives in Chambersburg. In the last week, Suann's adoptive parents have had the opportunity to meet several of Suann's relatives. Suann has yet to meet two other brothers, Guy, who lives in Florida, and Mack, who makes his home in Kentucky. Another brother, James Courtwright who served in Korea and Vietnam in the U.S. Army, died Oct. 27, 1976. Another sister Virginia died at the age of six in 1940. Suann never knew her father who died in July 1968.



In front are Mrs. Doult's aunt and uncle, Mrs. Myrtle Caldwell and William Courtwright of Sugar Grove. From left to right in the back row are Mrs. Doult and sisters, Gerry Schaefer, Sadie Marshall and Betty Lou Marshall.

## Mother Turned To Drink—Then To CARE

EDITOR'S NOTE — This is the first in a series of articles prepared by United Way to note some of the services provided by agencies supported in part by dollars donated to the United Way campaign.

WAYNESBURG — Myra Gibson was young, educated, a good wife and a proud mother of two children.

Her husband, Richard, was a psychologist. During his career travels the family had the chance to see some of the nicest parts of the country. They lived on both coasts.

She was also an alcoholic. "A typical housewife alcoholic," she says in reflecting upon her past.

But thanks to the support she received from the United Way-sponsored CARE Inc., Mrs. Gibson was able to leave the alcohol behind. The \$4,000 that the United Way of Greene County allots CARE helps operate two clinics, one in Waynesburg and the other in Washington, that provide counseling to persons of all ages with drug or alcohol problems.

Mrs. Gibson started drinking at beer parties while attending West Virginia University in the 1950s. It was at school that she met her husband, Richard A. Gibson Jr. After he received his masters degree, Mrs. Gibson dropped out of school and the two married in 1957. They moved to New Jersey, where Gibson had received a job offer. It was there that their first son, Richard III, was born a year later.

Eight years and several job-related moves later the family wound up on California where their second son, Andrew, was born. Mrs. Gibson's drinking hadn't been a problem until they moved to California.

While living on the west coast her drinking escalated due to personal problems and frequent social drinking. She began craving alcohol. Like many women alcoholics, Mrs. Gibson mostly drank in her home, and not in a bar.

"I drank anything then — martinis, beer, wine," she recalls. "I began hiding bottles. I had alcohol everywhere — in the basement, under the sink, in canned goods. . ."

Tired of being sick and hungover and coming under mounting family pressure, Mrs. Gibson finally sought help. She went to St. Francis Hospital in Pittsburgh for a seven-day detoxification period and then to Gateway Rehabilitation

Center, near Aliquippa, for a 28-day drying-out period. In the meantime, her husband and two sons had rejoined her in Pennsylvania and Richard had started a psychological testing period there. On a recommendation from Gateway, Mrs. Gibson was introduced to what is known as CARE. Mrs. Gibson attended sessions once a week for individual and group therapy. She kept going for a couple of years until she was finally discharged from the program.

The first real test came sooner than expected. Her husband, who was only 45, died in 1975 of lung cancer. It was a trying period for Mrs. Gibson, who could easily have turned back to the bottle.

But instead she turned to CARE. "I knew them and they knew my problems," she says. "I thought they would be the best people to help me."

They were. With their help, Mrs. Gibson overcame the loss without resorting to alcohol and began planning a future for herself and her family. They encouraged Mrs. Gibson to return to school and even helped her apply for grants.

Today she attends Waynesburg College along with her son Richard. She is majoring in public service administration and wants to counsel alcoholics after she graduates.

She is currently working toward that goal by serving on the board of directors of both Greene Valley Farms Inc. "I just want to help others," she says. Thanks to CARE she will be doing just that.

## Fall Fashions

WAYNESBURG — A fall fashion show featuring apparel from downtown stores will be held this (Wednesday) evening by the Waynesburg Chamber of Commerce.

It will be held at 7:30 p.m. at Albert's Restaurant as a project to help with expenses of the annual community Christmas parade.

Kim Huffman, 1981 Miss Rain Day, will be the featured

model and will show outfits from each of the women's apparel shops.

Fashion Shop, Maria Tedrow, Dolly Goodwin, Jonna Shultz and Ann Call; Carol Lee Shop, Donna Henderson, Marla Fox and Marge Higgins; Chenode Fashions, Lori Kelley and Valery Quesada; McCall's Men's Store, Tim and Suzie Stephenson.

## Married In Pursley Church

In a double-ring ceremony held Saturday, Sept. 5 in the Pursley Baptist Church, Linda Lea King, daughter of Thomas I. King of Waynesburg R.D.4 and the late Coral Leah King, became the bride of Frank Richard King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. King of Wind Ridge R.D.1.

The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Andrew Hobbs.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, appeared in a floor length, scoop neck, pink taffeta gown. The gown had a white lace overlay and was trimmed with pink, satin ribbon and a matching picture hat. She carried a corsage of white carnations tipped in pink on her mother's Bible.

Her jewelry consisted of a gold birthstone necklace.

Shannon Ankom, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor and wore a long, mint green gown with a matching picture hat. Bridesmaids included Sandy King, sister of



MRS. FRANK R. KING

the bride, who wore a long, peach colored gown with a matching picture hat. Melissa King, daughter of the bride, served as flower girl and wore a short, white dress with matching hat. Beverly Ankom, the bride's niece, was ring bearer and wore a short, pink dress with matching hat.

Kevin Phillips of Spraggs was the best man while Thomas R. King, brother of the bride and Robert Berdine, step-brother of the bride, served as ushers.

A reception for 75 guests was held in the basement of the church.

The bride is a 1971 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is employed by Greenway Manufacturing Company. The bridegroom, a 1971 graduate of West Greene High School, is employed by the R.G. Johnson Shaft and Slope Construction Co.

The couple spent their honeymoon in West Virginia.



TO MARRY — Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Rizer of New Freeport have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Karen Sue, to Michael Chaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Chaney of New Freeport. The bride-elect is a 1978 graduate of West Greene High School and is employed by E-Z Way Inc. Her fiance, who graduated from West Greene High School in 1974, is employed as an ironworker. An open church wedding will be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10, in the New Freeport Church of Christ.

## Wedding In West Leisenring

A delayed wedding trip to Paris, France, will be taken by newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gregory Gabeletto who were married Saturday, Sept. 12, 1981, in the St. Polycarp R.C. Church in West Leisenring.

The bride is the former Rose Mare Zavatchan, daughter of Mrs. Michael P. Zavatchan of 58 Second Street, West Leisenring, and the late Michael Zavatchan. Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Harry Gabeletto of Nemaocolin and Harry Gabeletto of Ronco.

The 2 p.m. double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Edward C. Tajc, uncle of the bride and the Rev. Thomas Bayne. Stan Ferek of Carmichaels was the organist and Christine Ann Bendig was the soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her mother. She wore a full-length gown of white

knit quiana featuring a Queen Anne neckline, fitted bodice and long tapered sleeves enhanced with Venise Lace appliques with pearl accents. The skirt of pleated panels fell from a natural waistline and ended in a chapel train.

An open crown half-hat covered with matching Venise lace held her fingertip length veil of silk illusion. She carried a cascading bouquet of Sonya roses, miniature apricot carnations, mums, stephanotis, baby's breath, fern and rosemary.

Monica Ann Zavatchan and Karen Elaine Zavatchan of West Leisenring, both sisters of the bride were maids of honor. The bridesmaids were Mary Catherine Durco of Nemaocolin, cousin of the bridegroom, Rebecca Lynn Dwire of Lancaster, Ohio, and Joy Lynn Cochran of Lower Burrell. They were identically



MRS. MICHAEL G. GABELETTO

attired in apricot colored gowns. Frank Mark Gabeletto of Nemaocolin served as best man

for his brother. The ushers were Ronald William Zavatchan and Raymond Paul Zavatchan of West Leisenring, brothers of the bride, Robert Paul Solarchick of Uniontown and Robert Andrew Korcheck of Nemaocolin.

The ceremony was supplemented by a reception for 400 guests in the American Legion Home in Masontown. Suzanne Pabst was in charge of the bride's book.

The bride received her B.A. degree from Waynesburg College in 1978 and is employed as a French and English instructor in Carmichaels Area High School.

The bridegroom is a 1976 graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and is owner and operator of G and Z Oil Burner Service in Nemaocolin.

The couple took a short trip to Seven Springs and are residing in Nemaocolin.

## Vows Exchanged In Fairchance

Michelle Smith, daughter of Allen N. and Linda L. Smith of 222 North Washington Street, Masontown, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Grimes of Eastview, Waynesburg, became the bride of Fred H. Voithofer Jr., son of Fred H. and Deloris Jean Voithofer of Smithfield R.D.2.

The 2 p.m. double ring ceremony on Saturday, Sept. 5, 1981 was performed by the Rev. Joseph Turek in the Cyril and Methodius R.C. Church in Fairchance. Linda Moore was the organist and soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of candlelight satin and imported Alencon lace. The high empire bodice was enhanced with lace and studded with tiny seed pearls and featured a Queen Anne neckline, long tapered sleeves enhanced with lace and an A-line silhouette skirt with a deep edging of



MRS. FRED H. VOITHOFER JR.

lace bordering the skirt and train which fell into a cathedral sweep. Her veil of silk illusion was edged with Alencon lace and attached to an Alencon lace Camelot studded with tiny

seed pearls. She carried a cascading bouquet of ivory rosebuds, apricot tiger lilies, stephanotis, lily of the valley, baby's breath and Swedish ivy.

Beth Ann Smith of Masontown attended her sister as maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Mary Jean Cappellini and Christal Oravets of Masontown, Dolly Radosevich of Norfolk, Va., Cherie Halowich of Morgantown, W. Va., Pamela Voithofer, sister of the bridegroom and Jodie Voithofer, cousin of the bridegroom, both of Smithfield. Amy Lynn Smith, sister of the bride, was the junior bridesmaid. The attendants wore apricot colored gowns.

Jerry Voithofer of Smithfield attended his brother as best man. The ushers were Phil Butcho and George Messich of Greensboro, Dave Van Sickle, Ted Everly and Reed Swaney of Smithfield

and Randy Henigin of Washington, D.C., cousin of the bridegroom.

The reception for 150 guests was held in the Carmichaels Fire Hall. Assisting in serving were Frank Stager and Kent McLaughlin of Smithfield. Amy Lynn Smith was in charge of the bride's book.

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Albert Gallatin High School and received a B.S. degree from the University of Pittsburgh, School of Health Related Professions in 1981. She is employed as assistant records administration in the medical records department at West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown.

The bridegroom is a 1972 graduate of Albert Gallatin High school and is employed by Duquesne Light Company in Greensboro.

The newlyweds took a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, S.C., and are now at home at Box 342 A-1, Smithfield R.D.3.

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**Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?**



**The Start Of It All**

This was the first varsity football team at Waynesburg College in 1895. Football was regarded as a game for ruffians and the trustees approved the sport only because the player-coach named Whittles (holding the stopwatch) was preparing to enter the ministry. He later became a missionary to lumberjacks in Minnesota and Michigan. The first game was won by Waynesburg when Jesse Hazlett, later a physician in Waynesburg, stole the ball from a West Virginia runner and ran for a touchdown. However, West Virginia refused to credit Waynesburg with the win saying it was only an exhibition. Waynesburg's present team will open its home season this Saturday against Canasius College from New York.

**Brave Community Center  
Tribute To Civic Effort**

Residents of Brave were understandably proud when they got together last Saturday to dedicate their new community center and show it off to visitors. It was obvious that a lot of time and effort had been spent in converting the former elementary school into a place where both young people and adults can get together to have a good time, both informally and in scheduled activities already being planned by directors of the Wayne Township Association.

The non-profit association was formed when the Central Greene School District closed the town's school after the new middle school at Waynesburg was opened. It was organized by parents who, while they were not particularly happy about the school being shut down, recognized the opportunity to do something constructive for their children in terms of providing them with a place for recreation.

Happily the Central Greene School board went along with the idea and gave the association a long-term, rent-free lease. Residents of the town of several hundred people did the rest, and without the aid of any governmental money.

The story at Brave stands in sharp contrast to what happened a few years earlier when the South Ward School in the middle of Waynesburg was closed by the same school district.

At that time the borough and its recreation board also envisioned use of the building as a recreation center for young people and asked the school board to donate it to the community for that purpose. The board, however, decided it should bolster its budget by selling the property. It exposed it to public bid and received some \$65,000 for it.

Since then the owner has been unable to find any use for what is essentially a solid and well-constructed stone structure. As a result deterioration which began when it was still owned by the school district has continued, with children breaking out windows and causing extensive damage to the interior. It has become an eyesore in the midst of a residential district, with no concrete prospect for its utilization.

The \$65,000 which the school district received may have helped at the time, but the decision made with regard to the building at Brave was of much greater benefit to the community.

**Bowling Event  
Will Help ARC**

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Association for Retarded Citizens (GARC) will take part in the first Keystone bowl-a-thon to be held Sunday, Sept. 27.

Goal of the statewide event is to raise \$30,000 for services provided by the Pennsylvania ARC to mentally retarded adults and children.

At each participating bowling center, a 13-inch color television set will be awarded to the bowler who collects the most money for ARC. The second highest money raiser will receive a nine-inch black and white television set. A gift certificate for \$25 will be awarded to the person raising the third highest amount of money. All qualified participants will receive bowl-a-thon patches.

Bowlers must have a minimum of five sponsors to participate and 20 sponsors to be eligible for prizes. Participants who collect from at least 20 sponsors will receive a bowl-a-thon patch and have the \$4 registration fee returned. The registration fee covers three games and shoes, if needed.

Sponsor sheets and registration forms for the Greene County event are available at Arbor Terrace Center at Waynesburg. Additional information can be obtained by calling Bonnie Pecjak, GARC executive director, at 627-5511.

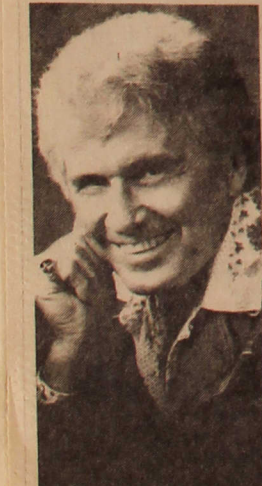
**Actor John Raitt  
Will Appear Here**

The Greene County Community Concert Association has announced three concerts for the 1981-82 season including a November 22 appearance by international screen star John Raitt.

Raitt is probably best remembered as Doris Day's costar in "Pajama Game." He has also performed in such hit plays as *Destry Rides Again*, *Annie Get Your Gun*, *Seesaw*, *Oklahoma*, *The Music Man*, *Camelot*, *Kismet*, *I Do, I Do* and *Man of LaMancha*.

Also scheduled for performances at the Waynesburg Central High School auditorium are Earl Rose, a pianist composer on November 1 and a joint concert on March 21, 1982, by bass-baritone Edmond Karlsrud and *The Men of Song*.

The local concert group has a reciprocity agreement with the Uniontown Community Concert Association which will be presenting the William Carter dance ensemble, Linda Maxey, the Serendipity Singers and the piano duo of Veri and Jamanis.



JOHN RAITT

**House Restoration Project  
To Begin In Crucible**

CRUCIBLE — A three-year project in the Cumberland Township village of Crucible is scheduled to begin within the next few weeks.

The project will include the rehabilitation of 90 houses and the installation of sanitary sewers and storm sewers to serve the entire community. It will be funded with a \$2.1 million federal grant which the Cumberland Township supervisors received from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under its Comprehensive Community Development Block Grant program.

The program will be completed over a period of three years, starting Oct. 1.

During the first year, 26 houses will be rehabilitated, sewer lines will be installed and property and rights of way for the sewage treatment plant will be acquired. Another 37 houses will be rehabilitated in the second year and the sewage treatment plant will be built. In the third year the final 30 houses will be renovated, storm sewers will be installed, paving work will be completed and several blighted houses will be removed.

Gail Modrick, who has been selected by the supervisors as project coordinator, said Tuesday that work on the first six houses will start within the next few weeks.

Of the \$2.1 million, \$900,000 has been set aside for housing improvements, with eligible property owners qualifying for grants of up to \$10,000 each. The object, Mrs. Modrick said, is to bring the houses up to HUD Section 8 standards in terms of safety and livability. She explained the process:

"As soon as a property owner is found to be eligible, our housing inspector (Brice Blaker of Carmichaels) inspects the house and determines what it needs to bring it up to standard. Maybe it will be a roof and aluminum siding, or maybe it will also need a new heating system and plumbing.

"If the work can be done for \$10,000 or less, the property owner has no obligation. But if the job costs more than that, say \$15,000, the property owner can receive a no-interest loan for the \$5,000 he must pay. If he can't pay back the loan, he can agree to have us place a lien on the property for the amount of his share."

She stressed that the home owner must agree to have the entire job done and cannot just do part of it to get in under the \$10,000 ceiling. "The object, after all, is to bring the house up to standard and we can't agree to do just part of the job."

She explained that property owners can select a firm or individual to do the work from a list approved contractors, or can also select a contractor who is not on the list provided

they are checked out and approved. She said that home remodeling contractors who are interested in being considered for contracts should contact her at her office in the Crucible fire hall or by calling 592-6816.

She also stressed that property owners should beware of contractors who are reported to be going from house-to-house asking them to sign contracts in advance. "If a home owner has an application in or plans to submit one, he should not sign any agreement with any home improvement corporation or home remodeler until program personnel get in touch with him to arrange a conference. If he signs an agreement with a contractor who is not working with the HUD program he will have to pay for the work done on his home and it will not be covered by the grant program.

"Each home owner who qualifies will be given the option of selecting a contractor through bidding or negotiated procurement method. When bidding is used only responsible bidders will be considered and the home owner will not be obligated to accept the low bidder if there is a legitimate reason for it. When negotiated

procurement is used, the housing rehabilitation contractor will prepare cost estimates, which must be within 15 percent of the estimated cost established by the housing inspector."

Home owners must qualify in terms of maximum income to be eligible, with the income standards being set by HUD.

A household of one person can qualify with an annual income of \$10,400 or less. Maximum income for a household of two persons is \$11,900; three persons \$13,400; four persons \$14,900; five persons \$15,800; six persons \$16,750; seven persons \$17,650 and eight persons \$18,600.

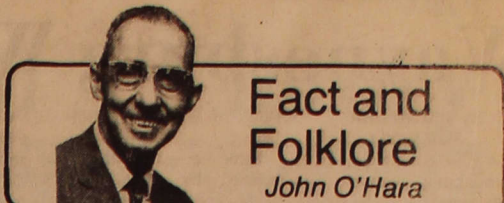
Mrs. Modrick said that the files of applicants are kept confidential and are not accessible to contractors or any other unauthorized persons.

Crucible was the first "coal town" which was built in Greene County and was developed shortly after World War I when the former Crucible mine was opened. The houses were owned by the company until the 1940's, when they were sold to residents.

While interviewing low-lives in colorful dives and getting into other dangerous situations, Joshua is also amused by the office betting pool on whether he or office manager Hamish Hooter is going to win the hand of beautiful secretary Yetta Apatoff. He also highly amuses the reader.

Joshua was bright, in contrast to the heroine of "Sweet & Deadly," by Charlene Harris (Houghton Mifflin). The heroine, Catherine Linton, goes home to her small southern town after her parents are killed in an auto accident. She sits around wondering if they were murdered, until other people start getting murdered around her. Then she sits around wondering about that.

It's a fairly interesting story, but Catherine is just too hard to take. Although she is society editor of the local newspaper, she talks and acts like a twelve-year-old. "I am smitten, Catherine said silently as she gave her hair a hasty brushing in the bedroom. How long has it been since I was smitten?" Ugh.



**Fact and Folklore**  
John O'Hara

As remembered now by older residents of Waynesburg, it seems like something from the early age of mankind than the relatively few decades it has been when the autumn air at this time of year in mid and late September that literally dozens of piles of burning leaves were lighted the streets all over town for an hour or two after sunset.

There was no daylight saving time in those years before World War I and most families had finished their evening meal by 6 p.m. Soon the streets were aglow as darkness fell amid various sized fires, depending on the leaf growth in the different species of shade trees which lined practically every street in town.

The fires glowed brightly as they first caught fire and perfumed the crisp air of early autumn. The physical warmth which the burning leaves generated stimulated the pleasantness of that time of day. It also was inductive to pleasant conversation as any fire of that sort always is outdoors when the weather is just cool enough to enjoy the heat of a small blaze.

The evening bonfires were also the favorite background for youngsters who danced around in what was in their minds. A good imitation of Indians doing a war dance as they jumped up and down and chased each other from one fire to another.

It was a mild sort of street fair and a perfect way to get ready for a night's sleep as the final phase of sunset was melded into the heavier darkness of the night back of and beyond Duvall's Hill for those who lived near the fog line of that street down on the South Side.

It seems almost unbelievable in this age of a near 18-hour day—and night—of continuous activity either at work or in recreation and the ritualistic homage paid to the almost-sacred tube of network television.

Besides giving pleasure to those who built or watched them, the piles of burning leaves served the useful purpose of getting the leaves removed from the streets and sidewalks so that they wouldn't be washed into the sewer system by the first heavy rainfall. Nor would they be blown from one person's front yard or sidewalk to those of their neighbors.

Disposing of the ashes from the nightly bonfires somehow or other never seemed to be much of a problem as only a few streets were paved at that time and the ashes were so light they just seemed to disappear within a few days and no one ever worried about them.

The streets, mostly dirt, were not damaged by the fires except for the comparatively few paved streets—all with brick of course—but no black-top surface of the present ones which would be damaged by the burning leaves.

It's no doubt impossible for present day children to envision the fact that there was a time when there not only were any television sets bringing the news and entertainment of the world in pictures and palaver to every home.

Children in today's culture can't have the slightest idea of the loneliness of children before such swift communications nor cannot realize the enjoyment of burning leaves after supper meant to children or an earlier era.

It was also a long, long time before such planned and organized sports programs for youngsters and neither can they imagine the fun the youngsters had from improvised forms of basketball. Principally the one known as "Striking Dog." It was played with only one base; two batters, a pitcher and catcher and as many outfielders that joined in to work their way to be the batter. As they two "at bat" players were put out either by any fielders catching a fly ball, or failing to make it safe to the first base on a hit ball or for the runner on first base to get home on a hit ball.

When enough youngsters came around two of the older players would choose two sides and played regular baseball as long as there were enough for two full teams or at least six or seven on a team.

Like the youngsters and adults burning leaves, the activity ceased at nightfall and all of those except the lucky few who had enough money to spend for a two-reel movie—either western or comedy—at the former Eclipse Theater of Opera House and by 9:30 p.m. the town could have been locked up tight as the lone "night cop" took over the town's entire job of preserving law and order until he ended his 12-hour shift at 6 a.m.

Every year it seems to be a longer and longer time since those days when each session had its particular pleasures and burning the leaves as they cascaded from the trees aroused the first twinges of the winter weather to follow. Also, as children and adults alike spent the evenings burning the leaves as they fell in one of the seasonal rituals before the complicated world of space flights, four on the floor cars, endless installment bills and interest payments of 20 and 25 percent on almost everything from a cabin to a castle or maybe, even on a second hand car or a load of dry leaves.

**Around The Town**

By The Staff

After several weeks of pleasant autumn weather, Greene County residents were shivering under a heavy overcast last Tuesday as they scurried back and forth on High Street without pausing to do much "visiting." They scooted from store to store, office to office and a few gathered in their favorite watering hole where everything but that beverage was on tap.

After a loss to Indiana in their first game and a tie with Geneva in their second, the Waynesburg College football team will play at home this Saturday against Canisius College of New York in their home opener.

Miss Mary Jane Osso, a former Waynesburg resident who now has her own real estate agency in Pompano Beach, Fla., adjacent to Palm Beach, in the heart of the most exclusive residential area in the state, attended her high school reunion here last Saturday night and remained for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Osso of West High Street, and her brother Herman.

William Gray, a retired employee at the old Eclipse Theater in Waynesburg and for several years an employee at theaters in Washington and Canonsburg, is a patient in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He served with Company K of the 110th Infantry Regiment of the 28th Division in World War I. He was an orderly for the late Gen. Ed-

ward Martin who was division commander. Mr. Gray now resides at the Scott residence on South Morris Street.

Atty. and Mrs. Joseph Christoff of Gresham, Pittsburgh, attended christening services held last Sunday for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kay Rohanna of Waynesburg. Mrs. Christoff is a relative of Mrs. Rohanna. Mr. and Mrs. Christoff also visited the home of her aunts, Miss Irene Farrell and Mrs. Nell Wermecke of Waynesburg.

Willis Taylor, an employee of Equitable Gas Co., at its Waynesburg office, is a patient in Greene County Memorial Hospital where he is undergoing treatment for a recent heart attack. He is a World War II veteran of Company K, 110th Infantry. He has been employed by Equitable for several years.

Mrs. Violet Pettit Nagy, a native of Swarts, who now resides in San Bernadino, Calif.

has been visiting with her mother Mrs. Albert Pettit at Swarts for several days. She has been involved in religious musical educational organizations for several years and is presently associated with the national Campus Crusade for Christ program and is the author of a monthly reminder to ministers. The organization has 1,500 missionaries on its staff in 150 nations. Her musical compositions on sacred themes have been featured on the Voice of America broadcasts for which her husband was a top official and who was also an attorney, judge and director of the Great Lakes Navy Band.

Two western Greene County youths, Ron and Randy Amos, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Amos of West Finley, suffered serious injuries in an auto accident recently near Cameron, W.Va. and were patients at hospitals in Glendale, W.Va. and Pittsburgh for several days.

**Explains Loan**

ROGERSVILLE — A spokesman for West Greene School District Friday issued a statement to clarify a news story concerning action taken at a board meeting held earlier this week.

Directors were told that First National Bank of Carmichaels had rejected a request

from the board for a tax anticipation loan. It should be noted the bank rejected a long-term loan but did offer the usual, short-term loan.

The board, however, is still attempting to find a bank that will offer a long-term note so they may be able to draw more interest after re-investing the money.



# Mikes Back On Track Jackets Need A Victory

By JOHN BARKER  
Sports Writer

**CARMICHAELS** — "It's the best we can do with only 21 kids," said West Greene High School football coach Earl Finney.

But the best was not quite enough as the Pioneers lost to Carmichaels Friday night, 28-7.

"If we play like this every game then we're going to win a lot of football games," said Tom McCombs, Carmichaels head coach. "We didn't make very many mistakes tonight and we controlled the ball. I guess that's the reason we won tonight."

Control the ball was exactly what the Mikes did as they rolled up 284 yards in rushing offense. Senior halfback Jerry Townsend led that grinding attack with 169 yards on 23 carries.

"He made some really nice runs," McCombs said of Townsend. "Last week he ran for 93 yards so I was expecting a big game from him. The holes were there tonight and we took advantage of them. It was just the opposite from last week when we drove the ball but missed the holes on the big plays. That caused our loss to Fairchance in an 8-7 squeaker."

"I liked the way we ran the ball tonight. I believe that if we can run the ball and pick up yardage then why pass. It's much safer to run the ball, if you can, than to put the ball in the air. But that's not to say that we can't throw the ball, I think we have one of the best passing attacks in the conference."

West Greene started the game with promise. The Pioneers took the ball after opening kickoff and drove the ball convincingly from their own 40-yard line down to the 33-yard line of Carmichaels until halfback Scott Yurt fumbled the ball.

It was all downhill from there as far as Pioneers were concerned as Carmichaels drove for a touchdown on its first possession. Quarterback Dick Krause capped the drive with a one-yard plunge into the endzone.

"We cut down on the mistakes and

that first drive was a good example of that," said McCombs. "We ran the ball well on the opening drive and we sustained that running game throughout the game."

Townsend picked up 41 yards on that opening drive including a 18-yard run to open the drive.

Carmichaels continued its dominance during that first quarter and added a second score near the end of that quarter as Townsend rushed in from seven yards away to put the Mikes up, 14-0.

West Greene hardly moved the ball the remainder of the first half and committed numerous penalties.

"We're a young team and I expect a lot of mistakes. They really have heart though. And their tough. My boys are the type who give up four punches to get in one good one," said Finney.

Carmichaels added another touchdown before the half as Townsend scored from a yard away and the Mikes went into the locker room with a 21-0 lead.

The second half was more of the same on the rainy, cold evening. Carmichaels completely dominated the game up until the end when McCombs sent the second team in.

West Greene avoided a shutout in the fourth quarter when halfback Mark Horr ran in with three minutes left in the game.

"The kids are used to winning. Last week's loss to Fairchance not only shook up the coaches but it shook up the players," added McCombs.

"We want to get rolling, no more games like last week. Next week's game against California is going to be tough but we're ready. The boys played well tonight. I'm totally pleased. But then again so did West Greene, they're a tough bunch of guys."

But unfortunately for West Greene, there's only 21 of them.

## Jeff Morgan, 7-0

ELLSWORTH — Jefferson-Morgan High School survived a strong upset bid

by Bentworth here Friday night, edging the Bearcats 7-0 in a Class A Tri-County South Conference game.

"I'm glad we got Bentworth this week instead of three weeks from now," said J-M head coach Bob Antion. "They're a coming team."

The game was scoreless until the final three and a half minutes when the Rockets' Mike Knight scored on a six-yard run. Knight finished with 120 yards in the game while teammate Albert Starostanko added 80.

Bentworth took the kickoff after the Jeff-Morgan touchdown and marched down the field, but on the final play of the game and the Bearcats threatening at the J-M 20-yard line, a desperation pass fell incomplete in the end zone.

Jeff-Morgan is now 2-0-1 overall and 2-0 in conference play while Bentworth is 0-3 overall and 0-2 in league play.

## MV Catholic, 44-6

MAPLETOWN — Jon Green extended his Washington-Greene County scoring lead here Friday night, gaining 161 yards and scoring three touchdowns as Mon Valley Catholic High School ripped Mapletown 44-6.

Green scored on runs of one, 44 and 51 yards in the first half en route to his fine rushing performance. He carried the ball 16 times in the game.

Mon Valley Catholic led 28-0 at half-time behind Green's three touchdowns and a 40-yard run by Greg Stefan. The Spartans, now 3-0 overall and 2-0 in the Class A Tri-County South Conference, scored in the third quarter on a one-yard run by Scott Phillips and a 61-yard run by Duane Homa.

The Spartans completed their scoring when Gary Smith tackled Mapletown quarterback Ed Pekar in the end zone for a safety.

Mapletown's fourth quarter touchdown came when John Gaynor scored on a 23-yard pass from Pekar.

Mon Valley Catholic outgained Mapletown 419-167 and had nine first downs to the Maples four.

By DENISE BACHMAN  
Sports Writer

**WAYNESBURG** — Waynesburg College has almost everything a football team could ask for.

Star running back Keith Davis has returned to the lineup, quarterback Mike Forbes is healthy again and the Yellow Jackets are playing on their home field for the first time this season at 1:30 p.m. Saturday against Canisius.

With all these points in the Yellow Jackets' favor, they will attempt to pick up something they don't have — a win.

"We are most happy to be at home for a change," Waynesburg head coach Hayden Buckley said. "But Canisius is going to be a very formidable opponent. They're not big guys but they're quick. They're not any weaker than last year."

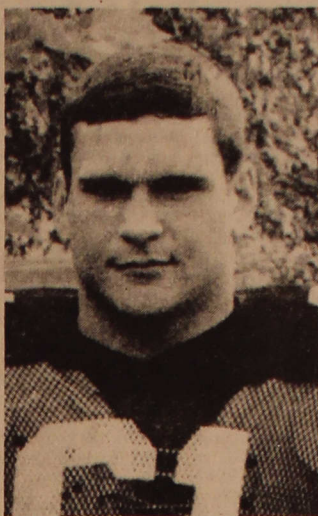
And last year the Yellow Jackets bowed to Canisius 21-17. This season, Canisius comes into the game two wins richer than Waynesburg, having beaten Rochester 26-10 and Mansfield 24-21, with its winning drive spanning 97 yards in the final four minutes of the game.

According to Buckley, Canisius has a potent passing game, and he expects it to go to the air just like last year. In the Yellow Jackets' first two games this season, they've given up 211 yards passing.

"We're just waiting for Canisius," middle guard Ralph Pantalone said. "We're not thinking past that right now."

Pantalone turned in a spectacular performance in the Yellow Jackets' 16-16 tie at Geneva last week. The converted offensive guard racked up 18 unassisted tackles and five assists.

"He probably played as well as any middle guard we've ever had," Buckley



RALPH PANTALONE

said.

The 5-11, 230-pound sophomore played both offense and defense at Greensburg High School, earning all-conference honors on both units, so he said switching from offense to defense at Waynesburg has not been a major adjustment.

"The first couple of weeks it was a hard adjustment, but after that it was pretty easy," Pantalone said. "I don't care where I play. Anywhere's all right with me. Anywhere I can help the team."

Freemont Catlin, a freshman linebacker out of Washington High School, also earned praise from Buckley for his performance against Geneva.

But the offense has been struggling, even though Forbes has recovered from two hamstring pulls and Davis is back after sitting out the first game with a back injury. The Yellow Jackets have gained just 232 yards passing and 242 yards rushing in two games.

Freshman Otto Birkhead and sophomore Bob Astleford have been carrying the Yellow Jackets on the ground. Birkhead is the leading rusher with 116 yards on 29 carries and Astleford has 32 carries for 98 yards. Davis carried the ball just seven times last week, gaining 31 yards.

"Forbes is mobile now and Keith (Davis) will be ready again this week. He's fine, but a little sore," Buckley said. "But I'm not pleased with the offense. We haven't moved the ball and it hasn't been consistent. We scored two times last week, but not on long drives."

Buckley said he'd like to pass more but the offense's inability to move the football has made it difficult. Forbes has completed only 14 passes in 37 attempts.

"We didn't pass enough last week, but it was hard to do a lot of passing when we didn't have the ball that much," Buckley said. "But we'll pass more."

He also feels the Yellow Jackets have the potential to become a greater threat on the ground.

"Birkhead is a good athlete," Buckley said, "and if we could utilize his talent with Keith (Davis) and Bobby (Astleford) we'd be in good shape. But right now we're lacking just a tad in the outside speed we've had over the years."

**FLAK JACKETS** — Sophomore wide receiver Cline Hunt is listed as doubtful for Saturday's game after he suffered a jammed neck.

# Scoring Leaders

By FRED SIGLER  
Sports Writer

One of the main reasons for the strong early start of undefeated and untied Chartiers-Houston High School in district scholastic football competition has been the hard running of senior tailback Brian Bell.

Bell, a squad member for three years and a letterman last year, has made the most of his first starting opportunity by gaining more than 400 yards in his first three games.

In the Bucs' 20-0 win over Washington last Saturday, he accounted for an unofficial total of 231 yards in 31 carries. Bell had gained approximately 115 yards in the opening game against Bentworth and 75 against Waynesburg. He has also scored one touchdown in each game.

"Brian's not big but he's got good balance and he's very hard to bring down," Haught said describing the talents of the 5-9, 165-pounder, who was the PIAA 1981 Class AAA wrestling champion at 145 pounds.

"He's not real fast but he's got a deceptive kind of speed and makes quick cuts," said Haught. "He's intelligent, a hard worker and a fine all-around athlete as is obvious by his wrestling ability. He'll probably get a lot of college offers and he may decide to concentrate on wrestling. Meanwhile,

he's helping us a lot in football."

Bell succeeded Dwayne Finney, a 1,000-yard gainer last season, at the key tailback position in the Chartiers-Houston offense.

"He was overshadowed during his first two years but he's really accepted the challenge well this season," said Haught.

The Bucs, with four players including Bell among the top 15 individual scorers, are tied for second in team scoring with Canon-McMillan. Both teams have totaled 87 points.

Mon Valley Catholic, last year's leader with 255 points, is again in first place with 102. The Spartans are also team defense leaders yielding their only points of the season in last Friday's 44-6 win over Mapletown.

Chartiers-Houston is a close second in defensive standings, allowing eight points in three games.

MVC's Jon Green continues to hold a commanding lead in defense of the district individual scoring championship which he won last season with a record total of 156 points.

Green added three touchdowns against Mapletown to increase his season total to 80 points on 10 scores. He also gained 161 yards rushing to raise his total to an unofficial 366.

George Dudley of Canon-McMillan, who scored three touchdowns and two extra points and ran for 200 yards in a 41-6 rout of Trinity is in second place with 40 points.

Charleroi's Jim Edwards, last year's runnerup to Green with 138 points, is third on the individual list with 36 on six touchdowns.

Kevin Bryner of Avella, who has scored all of his team's points, is fourth with 25, one point ahead of Chartiers-Houston's Steve Williams and Ringgold's Ed Alford.

Scott Stillmak of McGuffey occupies seventh place with 22 points, while seven players are tied at 18 apiece.

They include Bell and CH teammate Dan Schwarzel; Brian Schaum, California; Jim Frazier, Washington; Chris Maropis, Burgettstown; Gil Fullum, Canon-McMillan, and Jerry Townsend, Carmichaels.

Chartiers-Houston, Mon Valley Catholic and McGuffey, all 3-0, are the only Washington-Greene district teams with spotless records, while Jefferson-Morgan has a 2-0-1 mark.

Six district teams, Bentworth, Fort Cherry, Mapletown, Peters Township, Trinity and West Greene, are winless in three games.

# Jackets Fit To Be Tied

By JOE TUSCANO  
Sports Writer

**BEAVER FALLS** — Waynesburg College's football team traveled to Geneva full of optimism.

After all, the Golden Tornadoes were a decided underdog and Waynesburg, still smarting from a 14-7 season-opening loss to Indiana University of Pennsylvania, was looking to take out some frustrations from that loss on Geneva.

But the Yellow Jackets were lucky to get out with their uniforms surviving a 16-16 tie, leaving Jacket fans, some who were confident of an undefeated season, wondering when Waynesburg will win its first game.

"Well, it wasn't a loss," Waynesburg head coach Hayden Buckley said. "We battled them but hell no I'm not happy with a tie."

## Devore Leaves

**ROGERSVILLE** — The West Greene School Board Thursday night accepted with regret the resignation of William Devore as head basketball coach. The position has been declared open and applications are being accepted by the board. The position of assistant girl's basketball coach has also been posted.

The Pioneers, handicapped by lack of numbers and facilities, had a 2-18 regular season record in 1980-81 and were 1-17 in Section 16-A.

What angered Buckley most was the way Geneva pushed the Yellow Jackets all over the field racking up 370 total yards to Waynesburg's 200.

Geneva's two scooter backs — 5-6, 160-pound Bob Perrotta and Alan Rose (5-9, 180) — sliced through the Waynesburg defense for 163 yards, many of those coming after Waynesburg made the initial stop. Perrotta, Geneva's all-time leading scorer, led all rushers with 98 yards on 22 attempts.

"We didn't feel they'd push us over the field," Buckley said. "We missed a lot of tackles out there and killed ourselves with penalties. We also over-pursued a lot."

Geneva, using counters and slants to keep the Yellow Jacket defense off balance, scored on its first possession when Rick Kosecki went over from four yards out to complete a seven-play, 77-yard drive.

Waynesburg answered near the end of the first quarter after linebacker Doug Shaffer intercepted a pass from Geneva quarterback Ed Hartman and returned it to the Golden Hurricane 15-yard line. Three plays later Ted Rodavich booted a 32-yard field goal to cut Geneva's lead to 7-3.

Waynesburg took the lead in the second quarter when Jeff Standish recovered a Geneva fumble at the Golden Tornadoes' 34. Four plays later, Otto Birkhead ran 21 yards for a

touchdown to give the Jackets a 9-7 lead as the extra point failed.

Waynesburg added to the lead on its next series when quarterback Mike Forbes hit running back Brian Astleford with a 25-yard scoring pass for a 16-7 lead at half-time.

But the second half was a different story. After holding Waynesburg on the first series of the third quarter, Geneva drove 67 yards on 15 plays before Frank Dell Estate kicked a 32-yard field goal to cut the Waynesburg lead to 16-10.

The final Geneva drive consumed the first nine minutes and 21 seconds of the fourth quarter and ended in a four-yard touchdown run by Perrotta. But Dell Estate missed the extra point for a 16-16 tie.

"I'm very happy that the extra point went to the left," Buckley said. "On many fourth down plays Geneva would just make it. They played good football."

"Our defensive tackle position is still a problem for us. We had problems... breakdowns. We didn't keep the ball long enough on offense."

Buckley bemoaned an official's call early in the second half. After Forbes completed a first-down pass to tight end Dom DiCicco to the Geneva 44, Waynesburg was called for a dead ball foul at its own 35. The officials marched off 15 yards from the point of the infraction to the Jacket 20 making it a 36-yard penalty.

"We were moving the ball right off the bat in the second half and then we got that penalty," Buckley said. "I felt that was the turning point in the game. It seemed that Geneva got the close calls out there."

"You know, we went into the game without two of our linebackers. If we get them back we can move Shaffer back to defensive end. We've got to go to work and just go out there and do what needs to be done."

And to many Jacket fans, that means win.

## Football

Score By Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Jeff-Morgan	0	0	0	7	7
Bentworth	0	0	0	0	0
Scoring Summary					
JM—Mike Knight, six-yard run (Knight kick) 7:43 4th.					

Score By Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
West Greene	0	0	0	7	7
Carmichaels	14	7	7	0	28
Scoring Summary					
C—Dick Krause, one yard run (kick failed) 3:14 1st					
C—Jerry Townsend, seven yard run (Krause run) 9:10 1st					
C—Townsend, one yard run (Brent Burnette kick) 3:41 2nd					
C—Townsend, 25-yard run (Burnette kick) 2:51 3rd					
WG—Mark Horr, four-yard run (Rick Yoders kick) 3:05 4th					

Score By Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
MV Catholic	14	14	14	2	44
Mapletown	0	0	0	6	6
Scoring Summary					
MVC—Jon Green, one-yard run (Pat Cantini kick) 4:19 1st					
MVC—Greg Stefan, 40-yard run (Cantini kick) 9:28 1st					
MVC—Green, 44-yard run (Cantini kick) 0:10 2nd					
MVC—Green, 51-yard run (Cantini kick) 11:02 2nd					
MVC—Scott Phillips, one-yard run (Cantini kick) 0:40 3rd					
MVC—Duane Homa, 61-yard run (Cantini kick) 9:28 3rd					
MVC—Gary Smith tackled Ed Pekar in end zone 6:00 4th					
M—John Gaynor, 23-yard pass from Ed Pekar (pass failed) 11:17 4th					

# Jeff-Morgan Hires Coaches

**JEFFERSON** — The Jefferson-Morgan School Board Monday night offered employment to a cafeteria manager, a secretary and several coaches in a brief meeting.

On the recommendation of Custom Management Co. which operates the cafeteria, Lynn Armstrong of Greens-

burg was hired as local manager. Ms. Armstrong holds a bachelor of science degree from West Virginia University.

Patricia Bowden of California was hired as secretary to the superintendent at an annual salary of \$10,280.

Howard Hair was hired as head basketball coach and John Curtiss as assis-

tant coach. Hired as head wrestling coach was Tony Barbetta with Allen Rafail as assistant. Ernest Benedict was hired as junior high wrestling coach.

Melva Luba of Canonsburg was added to the substitute list.

School officials reported 1981-82 pupil registration is down by 18 students.

# Are Yellow Jackets Starting To Panic?

By DENISE BACHMAN  
Sports Writer

**WAYNESBURG** — It's no secret Waynesburg College's football team has not measured up to its expectations en route to posting a 0-1-1 record.

Before the 1981 season opened, the Yellow Jackets were deemed playoff contenders. So far, however, they have failed to take any steps to show they are worthy of an NAIA playoff bid, opening their season with a 14-8 loss to Indiana University of Pennsylvania and last Saturday battling to a 16-16 tie with Geneva.

But it's not as though the ability and desire to gain a playoff berth are missing.

"The kids possibly want to be so good that they're trying too hard," Waynesburg head coach Hayden Buckley said. "Since we're an independent, we put ourselves in a pressure cooker every Saturday. Maybe we put too much emphasis on the playoffs."

"Sometimes when things don't go right, you see your dreams shatter and you panic."

According to senior tight end Dom DeCicco, there's no reason the Yellow Jackets should.

"They (the Golden Tornadoes) were pretty keyed up for us, but I don't think we played anywhere near our potential," he said. "It's frustrating for everybody. Maybe it's like the

coach said, maybe we're trying too hard."

Hayden said he met with the seniors Sunday night to discuss the Yellow Jackets' problems, but they were unable to pinpoint the cause.

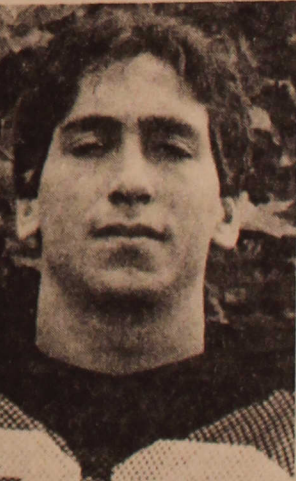
"We went down a list to find some answers," Buckley said. "Potentially, we're a pretty good football team, but there's a spark missing; we're not hitting on all cylinders."

In an attempt to get Waynesburg on the right track, Buckley held a more vigorous practice than the Yellow Jackets are accustomed to on Mondays. He was primarily concerned about working on the sprint-draw, a play which had the Yellow Jackets fooled for the better part of the night at Geneva.

"The thing that hurt us more than anything else was the sprint-draw," Buckley said. "We overran that play a couple of times. They'll see that play today (in practice on Monday) at least 20-25 times."

But Waynesburg's problems did not hinge on the sprint-draw. The Yellow Jackets didn't help their cause any with missed tackles and a few mental mistakes.

"Whatever mistakes we made can be corrected," Buckley said. "Our techniques need work. We missed tackles, didn't knock off people at the line and we had a tendency to run the wrong holes."



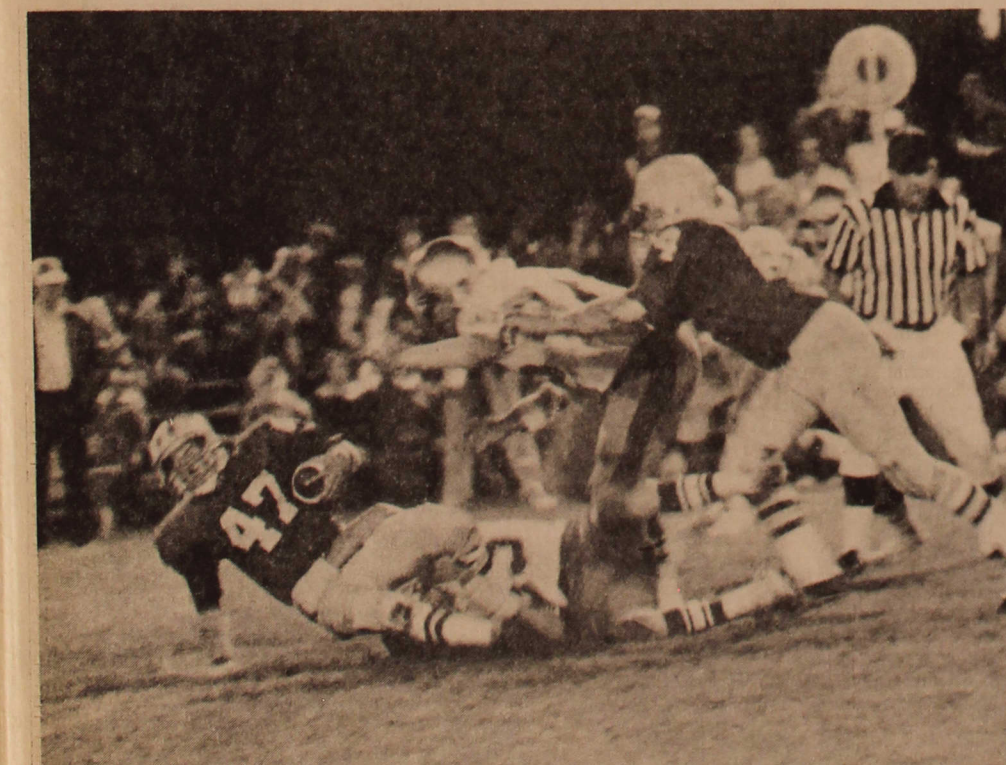
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There's no need, however, to do a total revamping job as Waynesburg did show Buckley some encouraging signs.

"Offensively, we moved the ball when we had to," he said, "it's just that we didn't move it far enough. On defense, we stopped them that last time when they were going for the win."

Improved techniques and stiffer practices aren't a cure-all, however. So Buckley has a simple solution to remedy Waynesburg's woes.

"There is nothing wrong with us," Buckley said, "that a win wouldn't take care of."



Carmichaels' Mark Meiter breaks through the West Greene defensive line for a gain.

Observer-Reporter Photo By Christie Raitt Molzon



# Property Taxes Throughout County Vary Widely

By BOB EICHENLAUB  
Greene County Editor  
WAYNESBURG — Clarksville Borough and Jackson Township are about as far apart as you can get in Greene County.

Clarksville is in the extreme northeastern corner of the county, while the rural township is in the southwestern corner.

And just as great as the distance which separates them geographically is the gap between the amount their residents must pay in property taxes.

A breakdown of 1981 local tax levies for all townships and boroughs in the county is contained in a compilation distributed this week by the Pennsylvania Economy League, a privately-financed organization which provides research services to local governments.

It shows that Clarksville residents this year will bear the heaviest real estate tax burden in Greene County. The

combined borough (11 mills), school (79 mills) and county (18½ mills) property tax levies add up to 108½ mills.

That means that a person owning a home in Clarksville which is worth \$30,000 must pay a total of \$76.50 in property taxes this year. Since all real estate in Greene County is assessed at 30 percent of market value, the tax bill would be based on an assessed value of \$9,000 and would exceed 3.2 percent of the market value of the property.

Jackson Township residents, on the other hand, will pay a total levy of 63.95 mills, which includes the same 18½ mills county tax, a school tax of 44 mills and a township tax of 1.45 mills.

The tax bill on that same \$30,000 house in Jackson Township will be \$575.55, or about 1.9 percent of its market value and \$400 less than the Clarksville resident will pay.

Total tax levies in the other boroughs and townships in the county fall somewhere be-

tween these two extremes, with the higher levies, in general, being in the eastern part of the county and the lower ones in the western section.

The key factor is the total assessed value of all taxable property in a municipality, which includes not only land and buildings but minerals — and in Greene County that means coal.

Residents in western Greene County enjoy the advantage of having all of the coal under their property still intact. This means that companies which own the coal pay a larger percentage of the tax bill than they do in the eastern part of the county, where much of the coal has already been mined out and owners of surface properties must pick up the slack.

By far the largest share of property tax revenues go to the county's five school districts.

Clarksville is in the Jefferson-Morgan School District, which has a 1981 levy of

79 mills, highest in the county. Jackson Township is in the West Greene District, which has the lowest at 44 mills. In between are the Central Greene District, 53 mills; Southeastern Greene District, 57 mills; and Carmichaels Area District, 68 mills.

In addition to being subject to property taxes, all residents of Greene County pay a one percent earned income tax, with the revenue being divided equally between their school district and municipality. All of them are also subject to varying amounts of per capita (head) taxes and real estate transfer taxes, and most pay an occupation privilege tax.

Here is a breakdown of local tax levies in each of the county's 20 townships and six boroughs (all are subject to the 18½ mill property tax and \$5 per capita tax levied by the county in addition to those listed):

## TOWNSHIPS

**Aleppo** — Total assessment \$5,961,665. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 3-mill property tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Center** — Total assessment \$8,288,705. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 2½-mill property tax, \$3 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Cumberland** — Total assessment \$16,195,480. School taxes: 68-mill property tax, \$15 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 8-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Dunkard** — Total assessment \$5,802,945. School taxes: 57-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 11½-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax and one-half percent earned income tax.

**Franklin** — Total assessment \$20,103,915. School taxes: 53-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 7.7-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$10 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Freeport** — Total assessment \$1,694,505. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 4-mill property tax, \$3 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Gilmore** — Total assess-

ment \$3,947,015. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 3.2-mill property tax, \$3 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Gray** — Total assessment \$900,075. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 2-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Greene** — Total assessment \$2,362,290. School taxes: 57-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 5.75-mill property tax, \$3 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Jackson** — Total assessment \$5,699,770. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 1.45-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Jefferson** — Total assessment \$8,106,875. School taxes: 79-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 9½-mill property tax, \$3 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Monongahela** — Total assessment \$3,801,435. School taxes: 57-mill property tax, \$5

per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 5-mill property tax, \$2 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax and one-half percent earned income tax.

**Morgan** — Total assessment \$7,025,555. School taxes: 79-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 8-mill property tax, \$5 occupation privilege tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Morris** — Total assessment \$5,690,420. School taxes: 44-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 4.4-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

**Perry** — Total assessment \$1,257,600. School taxes: 53-mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax. Township taxes: 5.75-

mill property tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent real estate transfer tax.

## Public Notices

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of CLARA LOUISE CHAPMAN 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.

Samuel P. Weaver Jr.  
Attn: Morris Star Route  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
Executor

Maxwell & Davis  
R. Wallace Maxwell,  
Attorney

9-25; 10-2, 9

### EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Estate of Grace Ellen Haywood late of Jefferson 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.

Ellen Johannes Morris  
R. D. #6, Box 123  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
Executrix

William R. Davis, Esq.  
Attorney

9-25; 10-2, 9

### FICTITIOUS NAME NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Act of May 24, 1945, P. L. 957 as amended, of intention to file in the office of Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at Harrisburg, and in the Office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Greene County, on Monday, the 28th day of September, 1981, a Certificate for the conduct of a business in Greene County, Pennsylvania, under the assumed or fictitious name, style or designation of CIR ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING, with its principal place of business at R. D. 4, Waynesburg, Pa., 15370. The name and address of all persons owning or interested in said business is Christine R. Bruno, R. D. 4, Waynesburg, Pennsylvania 15370.

### ADMINISTRATOR CTA NOTICE

ESTATE OF Bertha M. Grimes of Washington Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.  
Letters of administration c.t.a. 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.  
Larkin Dellinger  
R. D. 1, Box 210  
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370  
ADMINISTRATOR CTA  
Thompson & Bally Attorneys

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### NOTICE

LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON COURT, ORPHAN COURT DIVISION MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1981.  
First and Final Account of First National Bank & Trust Co. Executor of the Estate of Charles A. Medley, late of Greene County, Pennsylvania.  
First and Final Account of Evelyn Stoneking, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Charles Petrick, late of Monongahela Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.  
The First and Final Account of Caroline Schiffbauer and Audrey Jean Lewis, Executrices of the Estate of Frank P. Waggett, late of Carmichaels Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.  
Al Darney  
Clerk of Courts

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## Obituaries

### Doty

Glenn W. Doty, 60, of Castle, Waynesburg R.D.1, died at 3:40 p.m. Thursday, September 17, 1981, as a result of injuries received in a tractor accident on his cousin's farm at Amity R.D.1.

He was born February 24, 1921, in Castle, a son of J. Wilbert and Tennie Watson Doty.

A former resident of the Houston and Ten Mile-Amity areas, Mr. Doty lived for the past 29 years on the family farm in Castle. He attended Westland and Lippincott schools and he was a member of the Lower Ten Mile Presbyterian Church in Amity. Mr. Doty was a veteran of World War II, serving with the U.S. Army, Battery B, 675th Paraglider Artillery. He was a member of the VFW Post in Waynesburg. Mr. Doty had been employed in the Allenport plant of Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp. since 1965.

On August 25, 1946, he married Erma Swart, who died June 26, 1981.

He is survived by two sons, Roger G. Doty and Paul B. Doty, both of Waynesburg R.D.1; two daughters, Mrs. John (Jane D.) Yost of Prosperity R.D.2 and Mrs. June Ondash of Waynesburg R.D.1; three sisters, Mrs. Lloyd (Pearl) Patterson of Wellsburg, W.Va., Mrs. Helen Kinder of Washington R.D.7 and Mrs. James (Grace) Bebout of Waynesburg; and three grandchildren.

A sister, Opal, died in infancy.

### Lardin

Miles M. Lardin, 72, a former resident of Masontown, died Saturday, September 19, 1981, after a long illness.

A son of Ben R. and Margaret Martin Lardin, he was born at Lardin Station near Masontown. He was formerly employed by the Fayette County board of commissioners as a toll collector on the Route 21 bridge between Greene and Fayette Counties.

Mr. Lardin, who never married, was a member of the Masontown United Methodist Church and of the Valley Masonic Lodge at Masontown.

Surviving are a brother, Beryl Lardin of Masontown; five sisters, Mrs. Adeline Richter of Camp Springs, Md., Martha Lardin and Mrs. Margaret Murphy, both of Masontown, Mrs. George (Virginia) Gopen of Garards Fort and Mrs. James (Jeyne) Hartley of Carmichaels, and eight nephews and nieces.

A brother, Ben R. Lardin, died in 1979.

### Henry

Vera L. Henry, 51, of Millsboro, died Monday, September 21, 1981, at 6:45 p.m. in Washington Hospital following a short illness.

She was born January 24, 1930, in Millsboro, a daughter of Florence Boozie Giles of Millsboro and the late George Giles.

Surviving are the following children, Robert L. Henry Jr., George Henry, Charlotte Henry, Mary Ferea and Jerry Henry, all of Millsboro; two brothers, Charles E. Giles and Albert Giles, both of Millsboro; two sisters, Clara Dee Stuckovich of Fredericktown and Alverda Starkey of Millsboro; and two grandchildren.

Her husband, Robert L. Henry Sr., is deceased.

### Wise

R. Pauline Stockdale Wise, 62, of Graysville R.D.1, died at 11:30 p.m. Sunday, September 20, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

She was born August 21, 1919, in Holbrook, a daughter of Ray and Nellie Cumberledge Stockdale.

Mrs. Wise was a homemaker and previously was employed by the Bishoff Creamery and the Credit Bureau in Waynesburg.

She was a member of the Church of Christ in New Freeport and the Aleppo Grange.

Surviving are her husband, Allen Wise; seven sisters, Mrs. Wilfred (Blanche) Brannon of Oil City, Helen Singleton of Zephyr Hills, Fla., Mrs. Charles (Marie) Stewart and Hope Basore, both of Toledo, Ohio, Mrs. Lee (Grace) Isminger of Graysville, Mrs. Jack (Faith) Gilgoly and Mrs. Dennis (Joy) McCollum, both of Holbrook; and one brother, Harry Stockdale of Delmont.

A brother, Jack, and a sister, Fern Stockdale, are deceased.

### Brozik

George Brozik, 64, Bobtown, an international organizer for the United Mine Workers, died Friday, September 18, 1981, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was a son of the late Eli and Stanka Brozik and was born April 27, 1917, in Midland. He served with the U.S. Army in the South Pacific during World War II, receiving three Silver Stars, a Bronze Star and the Purple Heart. He was a retired miner who had been employed at the Jones & Laughlin Shannopin mine, Bobtown.

Mr. Brozik was a member of St. George Serbian Orthodox Church, Mason Heights, and was a past commander of Gold Star Mothers Post No. 5567, Veterans of Foreign Wars, in Bobtown. He also served as a Republican committeeman in Dunkard Township and was a former cubmaster of the Bobtown Cub Scout pack.

He was also a member of Point Marion Post No. 747, VFW; Point Marion Post No. 499, American Legion; Point Marion Aerie No. 1932, Fraternal Order of Eagles; the Bobtown Polish-American Citizens Club; and Bobtown Local No. 6159, UMW.

Surviving are his wife, Olga Rohulich Brozik; a daughter, Nancy S. Brozik, and a son, Mark D. Brozik; both at home; two sisters, Mrs. Mildred Woatich of Newtown and Mrs. Mary Polievka of Elizabeth; and a brother, Dmitri Brozik, in Yugoslavia.

Two sons died in infancy and a brother, Michael Brozik, died in World War II.

### Warman

Word has been received of the death of Charles E. (Red) Warman, formerly of Masontown, who died Friday, September 4, 1981, in Lake Worth, Fla., of an apparent heart attack.

Born December 12, 1912, in Masontown, he was the son of James A. and Maude Hamilton Warman.

For many years he worked at the Mather mine. A U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, he moved to Florida in 1951.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Bonnie Lee Ward of Orlando, Fla.; a brother, James R. Warman of Waynesburg; and a granddaughter.

### Brant

John J. Brant, 81, of New Freeport R.D.1, died at 2:15 a.m. Monday, September 21, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was born July 23, 1900, in Aleppu Township, a son of Elihue and Marinda Minor Brant Moore.

He spent all of his life in Greene County.

Mr. Brant retired in 1965 from the Dun-Mar Oil & Gas Co. He was a member of St. Ann Church, Waynesburg.

Surviving are his wife, Mona Moore Brant; two sons, Alfred David Brant of Wood Park, Colo., and John Ed Brant of New Freeport R.D.1; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Sudie Jones of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Mary Locke of Altoona; a brother, Ronald Brant of New Freeport; and two step-brothers, Harry and Walter Moore of Waynesburg.

A daughter, Rhea Jean, died in infancy. A sister, Sara Radar, is also deceased.

### Ely

Margaret V. Ely, 83, of Waynesburg R.D.4, died at 5:50 a.m. Monday, September 21, 1981, in Greene County Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born September 4, 1898, near Davistown, a daughter of Josephus and Rutha Brewer Vance.

Mrs. Ely was a 1918 graduate of Waynesburg College School of Music and had given music lessons for several years. She was a member of the Pursley Baptist Church where she served as church pianist for many years and taught Sunday School. She was a lifetime resident of Greene County and a member of Hoover's Run Grange.

On September 8, 1920, she married T. Wilbur Ely, who survives along with a daughter, Mrs. Fred (Ruth) Weaver of Jackson, Mich.

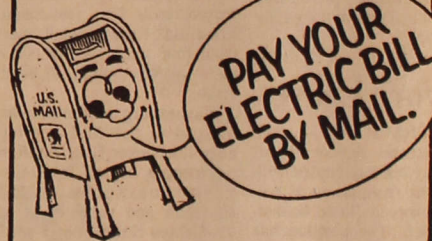
Mrs. Ely was the last of her immediate family. A daughter, Ruby Evalin Ely, and a granddaughter, Janet Weaver, are deceased.



## Membership Drive

The Greene County Community Concerts Association held a membership kick-off meeting Tuesday night for this year's series of concerts. The membership drive will be held the week of October 5. Membership headquarters will be in the lobby of the Ft. Jackson Building in Waynesburg. The telephone number for the headquarters during the membership week will be 627-9174. From the left are Ina Vance, Robin Martin, Ruth Atalski, all membership captains; Mary Jane Blair, membership committee chairman; and Jean Scott, membership captain.

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