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Faces From The Past—Do You Recognize Them?

These youngsters were students in the seventh grade in the South Ward School in Waynesburg when this photograph was taken in 1897. Those who have been identified are Walter Glennen; John (Jack) McCullough, near the center of the second row, who became an attorney and practiced law in Georgia; and Dr. John Garvin, near the center of the third row, who became a noted Pittsburgh physician. Readers recognizing others in the picture are requested to mail their names and locations in the photograph and other pertinent details to this newspaper.

Project Causes Increase

By CHRISTIE MOLZON
Staff Writer

MAPLETOWN — The Southeastern Greene School District is facing a millage rate of 90 to 96 mills — at least ten mills more than previously anticipated — because of the proposed \$5.6 million elementary school renovation project.

At a special meeting Tuesday night the board learned a mistake in figuring made by the district's architect has increased the annual rental payment by \$124,702.

It was previously reported that the yearly local debt would be \$361,758. But the board has learned that the actual annual cost to the district will be \$486,460 from an annual project debt of \$750,000.

The project for the Bobtown and Penn Pitt Elementary Schools is expected to cost the district an additional 33 to 39 mills each year. Currently the district's millage is 57 mills, with one mill generating about \$12,000.

A public hearing on the proposed school project will be held Thursday, Jan. 7, at 7 p.m. in the Mapletown High School cafeteria.

The decision to close the Glassworks school and substantially upgrade both Bobtown and Penn Pitt was made after years of fighting in the district over whether or not a new elementary school should be built. The project the board opted to take was chosen from four options: leave the schools in their present condition, maintain the buildings with a minimal amount of maintenance, build a new consolidated elemen-

tary school or — the plan the board agreed to take — close one school and substantially upgrade the two others at a cost of \$5,680,000. A project report estimates a new building would cost the district \$6.6 million, excluding the cost of site acquisition and site preparation.

One reason the current plan appealed to the board was that it enabled the district to remove the sixth grade from the high school building and return it to the elementary level. Southeastern Greene now has a kindergarten through fifth grade elementary format, a sixth through eighth grade middle school and a four-year high school. The middle school and the high school are housed in the same building with no physical separation. "It is difficult enough for seventh graders to make the transition from elementary school to the high school atmosphere; to ask the sixth graders to do so places an extra burden on them that should be avoided," the project report states.

The renovations planned for

the two schools are so extensive that even one board member once remarked that when they are completed the district will have two new elementary schools. A number of educational facilities primary students do not now have will be available.

All three of the elementary schools were built in the 1920s. An auditorium and five classrooms were added to the Bobtown school in 1938. Numerous citations were levied by the Department of Labor and Industry against the buildings, and repairs were completed by the district in 1979.

Plans for Penn Pitt, which now houses only four classrooms, call for an addition to add 12 classrooms, an art room, kindergarten, multi-purpose room, kitchen and portable stage and a new main entrance. The existing building will be remodeled to contain the library, one classroom, rooms for special education, music, faculty, an office and health suite. The basement will be remodeled

for a music instruction and practice area, storage space and faculty room.

At Bobtown, all academic spaces will be accommodated within the existing school. A large addition behind the building will contain a library, administration offices, multi-purpose room, kitchen, large group instruction room with a portable stage, an elevator and a new main entrance. The existing cafeteria and teacher's lounge will be moved from the basement and the area remodeled for an art room, music instruction, music practice and storage spaces. The interior of the auditorium and stage are to be demolished to make way for five classrooms, including a special education classroom and two kindergartens.

Out of the total \$5.6 million project, \$3,039,000 is for work on the Bobtown school and \$2,641,000 for work on Penn Pitt. The annual debt service is \$750,000, with \$401,325 of that for Bobtown and \$348,675 for Penn Pitt.

The reimbursable amount for Bobtown, at approximately 56 percent, is \$152,956 in state aid. Forty-seven percent of the Penn Pitt project, or \$110,584, is reimbursable from the state. The total annual state aid is \$263,540.

The project estimates that .92 mill will be saved by the renovation in conjunction with the closing of Glassworks. There will be decreases in operational supplies and service, student activities, professional staffing and food service. Utilities are expected to increase and transportation should remain the same.

State Sues Driver For Dumping Coal

WAYNESBURG — The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation filed suit in Greene County Court Wednesday in an effort to recover \$290 which it cost the state to clear coal from a highway after it had been dumped from a truck.

The action was filed against William S. Hopkins of Waynesburg R.D.6, owner of the truck, and Richard W. Hopkins of Waynesburg, who was driving the vehicle.

According to the complaint, the driver intentionally dumped part of a load of coal on Route 88 in Jefferson Township on Oct. 3, 1979.

The court action is in the form of an appeal from a decision by Magistrate Ruth Hughes, who ruled against the state when the case was brought before her.

Wayne Twp. Employees Join AFL-CIO

SPRAGGS — Wayne Township employees, afraid they would lose their jobs when a new board of supervisors takes office in January, have voted to organize with the AFL-CIO.

It has been learned nine employees have signed a contract which calls for a 10-percent wage increase in 1982. Salary hikes were apparently considered when the proposed 1982 budget was prepared and a 41 percent tax hike recommended.

The proposed budget will be considered at 3:30 p.m. Thurs-

day, Dec. 31, at the township building in Spraggs.

Regular employees are currently receiving \$4.75 per hour and working supervisors receive \$5.25 as established by the township auditors. At the present time, there are only two supervisors in office. George M. Adams and Robert L. Simpson are both working supervisors. A third member of the board, John Jenkins, recently resigned as a supervisor but is still employed by the township on the road crew.

Adams and Simpson recently signed the labor con-

tract. Neither will retain office in 1982. Taking office in January will be Charles E. Tedrow, Charles Raber and Kenneth R. Kerr.

According to one employee, the decision to join a union came about when the incoming supervisors made it known they would "clean house" when they took office. "We had to protect our jobs," the employee said.

The proposed tax increase by Wayne Township was the largest of the 20 townships in the county. Because of the

change in the tax assessment formula last year, the township was required to reduce the tax rate by six mills; however, they tacked the six mills back on for next year.

The township was forced to make a tax anticipation loan in October of this year in order to continue operations. They are budgeting \$30,000 in 1982 for debt service.

According to the 1982 budget, it will cost \$226,801 to operate the township with almost half this amount, \$126,563, earmarked for high-

Firm May Build Units For Elderly Near Mall

WAYNESBURG — A representative of a Pittsburgh development company Monday approached the Franklin Township supervisors to reveal tentative plans to con-

Budget Increase

WAYNESBURG — A 1982 budget calling for total expenditures of \$739,867 was adopted by Waynesburg Borough Council during a meeting Monday evening which lasted no more than ten minutes.

No one showed up for the scheduled budget hearing and Borough Manager James Ealy said he had received no comments on the proposed budget, which had been approved by council on Dec. 14. It was adopted without change.

Also adopted was an ordinance increasing the property tax levy from 18 mills to 22 mills, with revenue estimated at \$198,000. Of the 22 mills, 18 mills are earmarked for general government purposes, three mills for fire protection, and one mill for establishment of a capital improvement fund designated for street improvements.

The budget also provides for an increase from \$100 to \$125 in the annual business privilege tax and for the levy of a new tax on coin-operated amusement devices, such as electronic games. It will be collected at a rate of \$75 per machine and will be assessed against the owner of the machine.

There are no changes in the \$10 occupation privilege tax, \$5 per capita tax, one-half percent earned income tax and one-half percent realty transfer tax.

The general fund budget of \$659,616 is bolstered by \$80,251 in federal revenue sharing funds.

The biggest single item in the budget is \$190,000 for police protection. Other categories: general administration, \$83,000; tax collection, \$11,132; municipal buildings, \$8,755; planning and zoning, \$500; civil defense, \$200; general health, \$7,500; sanitary sewers, \$59,000; highways, \$95,500; street lighting, \$28,000; recreation, \$8,700; miscellaneous, \$99,700; temporary loan repayment, \$107,200; non-governmental expenditures, \$11,800; transfers, \$8,000.

Council scheduled its organizational meeting for 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 4. At that time, three members who were re-elected in November will be sworn in. They were Frank VanCleve, Glenn Richards and Thomas Brown.

It is anticipated that a vacancy will be declared at the meeting since Mark W. Fischer, who was elected from Ward Three, no longer resides in the ward.

struct either a nursing home or housing units for the elderly on a 4.4-acre site immediately south of the Greene Plaza shopping center along Route 21.

Edward M. Ruyak, representing Property Development Associates, Ltd., told the supervisors his firm was in the process of obtaining an option on the land which is owned by PennMark and adjoins the shopping center property.

According to Ruyak, the primary objective of the development firm is to construct a 60-to-75 bed facility for elderly residents. Working through the federal agency, the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the developers feel they have about a 50-50 chance of receiving HUD approval for the project.

Ruyak went on to say that should the housing project not be funded, his firm would then pursue the possibility of constructing a nursing home facility that could contain 120 beds. According to recent studies, the district is in need of 1,500 more nursing home beds. For this reason, Ruyak, said it would probably be easier to receive nursing home funding.

Property Development Associates, Inc. is normally involved with housing packages whereby they do most of the groundwork and applications and then turn the project over to a contractor. However, the firm has expressed a desire to operate the finished product in this case.

Should the project be housing for the elderly, the firm has expressed an interest in

having the Greene County Housing Authority take part in the management of the facility.

Monday's meeting with the supervisors was the first step taken by the Pittsburgh firm in obtaining all the necessary permits and approvals from local agencies. They will now schedule meetings with the Greene County Planning Commission, the Greene County Housing Authority and the Hospital Services Administration.

The township supervisors expressed no opposition to the plans but directed the developer to check with the Franklin Township Sewer Authority and Southwestern Water Authority about service connections. The township engineer will be asked to check highway entrance plans.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Sheriff Remo Bertugli and Coroner Frank J. Behm take their oaths of office in Greene County Court.

Local GARC Entries Win Awards For Art

WAYNESBURG — The GARC Opportunity Center has received notice that several of the entries submitted by its clients in the art contest sponsored by the National ARC (Association for Retarded Citizens) have won awards at the state level of competition.

Winners in the 1982 contest include two first places in Pennsylvania, Darrell Galloway in the calendar division and Bonnie Voytasek in the Christmas card division. Finalists in the calendar division were Virginia

Hanlan, William Davis, Michael Pierce, Robert Chapman and Brenda Burkett who had two of their drawings chosen.

Entries were submitted through the local Greene County ARC to the Pennsylvania ARC. Winners selected by the Pennsylvania ARC will be submitted to the National ARC to be judged by a panel of professional artists and illustrators.

The first place state winners will receive a trophy and the national winners will be presented with U.S. Savings Bond. National winners will also receive recognition for their talent through having their designs appear on the Christmas cards and the calendar published and sold every year by the ARC.

Clients at the GARC Opportunity Center have received some instruction in art through a program at the Bowlby Library in Waynesburg.

Waynesburg Company Has New Officers

WAYNESBURG — Pete Walker has been elected chief of the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Company.

Other line officers are Ron Fox, assistant chief; Mark Fox, Ryan Hartley, Miles Davin Jr. and Craig Younken, captains; Tim Chapman, Jeff Patton, Neil Dukate and Chuck Behm, lieutenants and Rick Owens, traffic captain.

Executive officers are Jack McCracken, president; Chuck Behm, vice president; Tim McClure, secretary; Mark Fox, treasurer; Dave Fox, ambulance treasurer; Ryan Hartley, Dave Fox and John Gardner, relief association; Ted Chapman, nominating committee; Tim Fox, inner guard and Charles VanDruff, trustee.

Officials Take Oaths Of Office

WAYNESBURG — A number of county and local officials who were elected in November took their oaths of office Wednesday in Greene County Court.

Judge Glenn Toothman presided over the brief ceremony. The officials will take office the first Monday of January.

County officials sworn in were Sheriff Remo Bertugli, who will be starting a second term, and Coroner Frank J. Behm, who was elected to his third consecutive term in office.

Two other county officials elected in November — Jury Commissioners Margaret Perrin and Bernice Kuharek — had been sworn in earlier by Judge Toothman.

Also taking their oaths were District Magistrates John Watson and Ruth Hughes and eight township supervisors: Kenneth R. Kerr, Charles Raber and Charles E. Tedrow of Wayne Township; Charles F. Martin Jr., Aleppo Township; Charles S. Caldwell Jr., Dunkard Township; Kenneth Curfman, Jackson Township, and Donald L. Baker and Nick Maddish, Cumberland Township.

Several appointed officials were also sworn in. They were deputy coroners Frank C. Behm and William F. Lewis and Chief Deputy Sheriff Charles R. King.

State Mails County Check

The Pennsylvania Department of Revenue played Santa Claus to county governments throughout the state over the Christmas holiday weekend by mailing checks representing the county government share of liquid fuels taxes collected for the second half of 1981.

Greene County will receive a check for \$47,863. The money is used for local road maintenance program.

Protests Cable Prices

WAYNESBURG — Walter Sanner, a resident of Franklin Township, protested Monday to the board of supervisors about rates being charged for cable television subscribers and inquired if the cable firm had a contract with the township.

Sanner said it seemed unfair that Waynesburg Borough should be receiving compensation from Tele-Media on the basis of 25 cents for each utility pole being used and yet the same company is not paying Franklin Township any such compensation.

Subscribers in the borough are paying \$8.25 per month for basic service and township residents are paying \$9 per month. "Considering the 25 cent rebate, township residents are paying \$1 more each for the same service," Sanner said.

None of the supervisors nor the township solicitor could recall any previous contracts made between any utility and the township.

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly

Local 'Santa' Has Answers For Children

By SUSAN ISOLA
Did you ever wonder what happens when a child pulls on Santa's beard and it comes off?

Terry Tanner, a resident of Waynesburg, has been "playing" Santa Claus for three years and has had to answer that question as well as a few others.

"Children are innocent and if I say something like, 'I was shaving this morning and I accidentally cut it off' they are satisfied," Tanner explained. He tells children the false beard is so that everyone will be able to recognize him and that he is letting his real beard grow back.

Tanner became Santa Claus when a friend of his died and left him the Santa Claus outfit in the will with a note saying, "Do a good job or I'll come back and haunt you."

Tanner's friend, known as Uncle Jack, had played Santa for many years before his death and Tanner has chosen to carry on the tradition in the Waynesburg area.

Santa, ...er, Tanner, has listened to hundreds of lists, answered questions about why the roof doesn't fall in under the sleigh and reindeer, if the Easter Bunny lives with him and whether he and Mrs. Claus have any children.

Stuffed with four pillows, he explains the reindeer are very light on their feet and will jump into the air if they suspect something will happen and he really doesn't know where the Easter Bunny lives

but he's sure the bunny isn't out in the snow all winter. And what happens when a child demands to know why he didn't receive a gift "another Santa" had promised him? Tanner explains to the little boy, "Often there are toys more popular than others. I have to make a choice about who gets which toys. In your case, there was another little boy who was sick and I felt he would be especially happy to get the toy. I felt you were old enough to understand the situation and wouldn't mind if you didn't get that toy last year."

In a sense, Santa (Tanner) helps the kids grow up and realize there are others who also need things. "Talking to Santa is one way for the kids to realize Christmas is a time for sharing," added Tanner.

Tanner portrays Santa Claus throughout the Christmas season and says Christmas Eve is his busiest time. He has visited the nursery school class at Waynesburg Central High School and is appearing in the Mount Morris Christmas Parade as well as visiting private Christmas parties.

Susan Isola is a junior at Waynesburg College. She is a resident of Mt. Pleasant.

Around Greene

PROMOTED

Douglas E. Headley, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Craig of Mt. Morris R.D.1, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of airman first class.

He is an aircraft maintenance specialist stationed at RAF Bentwaters, England, with the 81st Equipment Maintenance Squadron.

Headley is a 1979 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School.

ASSIGNED

Airman Jeffrey L. Frye, son of Charles R. Frye of Holbrook and Janet E. Frye of Rogersville, has been assigned to Chanute Air Force Base, Ill., following basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

He will now receive specialized instruction in the field of aircraft maintenance.

Frye is a 1981 graduate of West Greene High School.

GRADUATES

Pvt. Scott D. DeShields, son of James DeShields of Fredericktown and Carol Cork of Weirton R.D.1, W.Va., has graduated as an armor crewman at the U.S. Army Armor School, Fort Knox, Ky.

His training as a tank crewman included firing the tank's armament and small weapons, field radio operations, map reading and tank maintenance and repair.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Waronoff of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Shari Lynn, to Joseph Cooke Maize, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Maize of Waynesburg. The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Ft. Lauderdale High School and is attending Florida Atlantic University in Boca Raton, Fla. Her fiancé is a graduate of Waynesburg Central High School, Slippery Rock State College and West Virginia University. The wedding date has been set for June 20, 1982.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hildreth of Sycamore R.D.1 have announced the engagement of their daughter, Susan C. Hildreth, to Brian Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Jackson of Wind Ridge. The bride-elect is a 1980 graduate of West Greene High School and is employed as a secretary in the office of Magistrate John Watson. Her fiancé is a 1978 graduate of the same high school and is a senior at Waynesburg College, where he is majoring in history and social science. The couple has selected June 19, 1982, as their wedding date.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Boggs of Scotland Lane, New Castle, are announcing the engagement of their daughter Karen to Charles J. Behm III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Behm Jr. of Wind Ridge. The bride-elect is a graduate of Union High School and Clarion State College. She is currently doing graduate work at Slippery Rock State College and is employed as a teacher at Graysville Elementary School. Mr. Behm is a graduate of West Greene High School and is self-employed as an auctioneer. The couple plans a June 12, 1982, wedding in Waynesburg.

CHECK-UP TIME

Periodically my company requires me to have a "physical." My health is too important to them — and to ME — to neglect it.

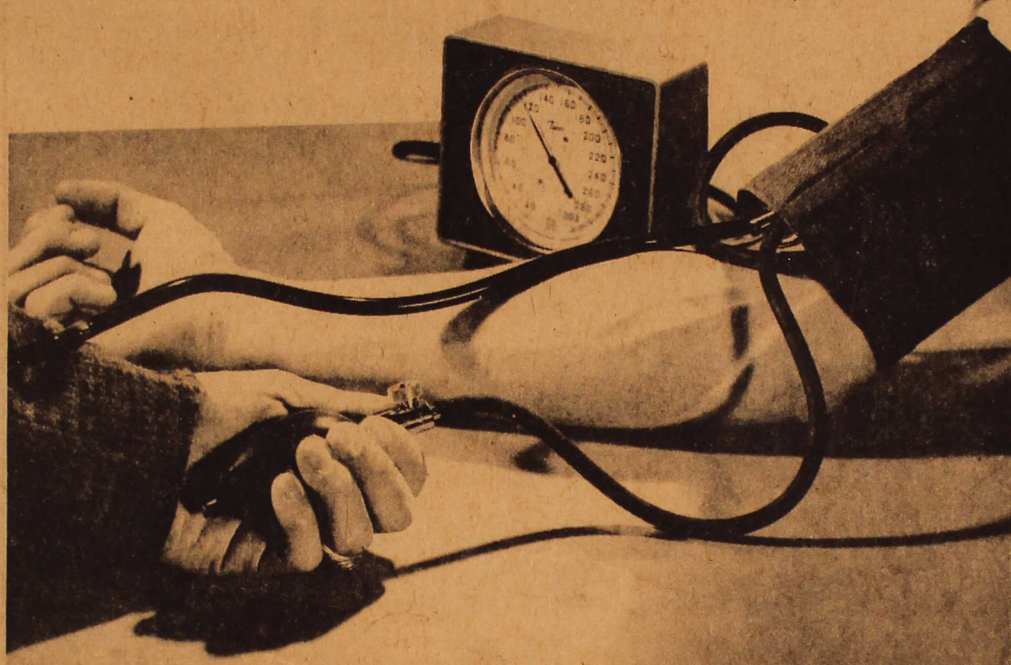
Nobody requires me to have a "spiritual." The world figures rightly that a person's religious vitality is his own business.

Unfortunately, check-up time for our spiritual health is often some unexpected crisis. We learn the hard way that the soul as well as the body must be strong.

Each week brings opportunity for worshipping God, for deepening our religious insights, for cultivating spiritual strength. What our churches and synagogues provide is vital.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Matthew	II Corinthians	Revelation	Romans	Proverbs	Habakkuk	Proverbs
6:19-24	2:14-17	5:9-14	2:12-16	25:20-25	2:1-4	3:13-20

GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

- FIRST METHODIST WAYNESBURG**
9:45, Church School; 10:45, Worship; Monday, 3:30, Junior Choir; Tuesday, 8, Senior Choir; Wednesday, 4, Primary Fellowship.
- WASHINGTON STREET METHODIST, WAYNESBURG**
9:30, Church School; 10:45, Worship; 6:30, Youth Group; Wednesday, 7, Choir rehearsal; 8, Bible study.
- WEST GREENE PARISH BETHANY**: 9, Worship; 10, Church School.
- VALLEY CHAPEL**: 10:10, Worship; 11, Church School
- ROGERVILLE**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship
- JEFFERSON METHODIST CHARGE**
JEFFERSON: 9:30, Worship; 10:40, Church School; Wednesday, 4:15, Junior Choir; 6:30, Senior Choir.
- RICES LANDING**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- MILLSBORO**: 7:30, Evening Worship.
- CARMICHAELS METHODIST**
9:45, Sunday School; 11, Worship.
- GARARDS FORT METHODIST**
9:30, Worship; 10:30, Church School.
- JOLLYTOWN METHODIST CHARGE**
LAUREL RUN: 9, Worship; 10, Church School.
- GRANDVIEW**: 10, Worship; 11, Church School.
- PLEASANT HILL**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- JOLLYTOWN**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- MT. ZION**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- MONONGAHELA METHODIST CHARGE**
MORRISVILLE: 9, Church School; 10, Worship.
- COALLICK**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- THROCKMORTON**: 10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- OAK FOREST**: 10, Church School; 7:30, Worship (second and fourth Sundays).
- MT. PLEASANT**: 10, Worship; 11, MYF.
- 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, Westminister 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, Worship; 11:10, Church School.
- WEST UNION**: 10, Church School; 11:15, Worship.
- HATFIELD FERRY LUTHERAN PARISH**
ST. PAUL'S, Carmichaels: 9, Worship; 10:15, Church School.
- JACOBS**: 9, Worship; 11, Church School.

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WAYNESBURG FLORAL

Activities Announced For Senior Citizens

WAYNESBURG — The Washington-Greene Community Action Corp. has announced the schedule of activities for the coming week at Greene County's four senior citizen centers:

Carmichaels — Daily activities: quilting, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; meal, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday: crafts, 10 a.m. Tuesday: exercise, 10:30 a.m.; crafts, 1 p.m. Tuesday: exercise, 10:30 a.m.; crafts, 1 p.m. Wednesday: exercise, 10:30 a.m.; bingo, 1 p.m.

Thursday: crafts, 10 a.m. Friday: center closed. Hostesses for the week are Goldie Hixon and Harriett Jones. Transportation arrangements can be made by calling 966-2290.

Clarksville — Daily activities: exercise, 11:30 a.m.; meal, noon Monday; general discussion, 11 a.m.; cards and games, 12:30 p.m. Tuesday: general discussion, 11 a.m. Wednesday: craft club, 10 a.m. Thursday: study group, 11 a.m. Friday: center closed. Hostess for the week is Evelyn Robison. Volunteers will be from the Christian Church.

Mt. Morris — Daily activity: meal, 11:30 a.m. Monday: quilting, 10 a.m.; Tuesday: Bible study, 10 a.m. Wednesday: crafts, 10 a.m. Thursday: quilting, 10 a.m.

Waynesburg — Daily activities: quilting, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; meal, 11:45 a.m.; pool game, 12:30 p.m. Monday: local shopping trip, 9:15 a.m. (call 627-6774 for reservation); craft class with Florence Mancuso, 9:30 a.m.; dartball game, 12:30 p.m.; ceramics class with Gloria Jones, 1 to 3 p.m. Tuesday: discussion group at Presbyterian Church, 10:30 a.m.; sing-along with Otto Hohing, 11 a.m.; bingo, 1 p.m. Wednesday: group singing with Kathryn Ross at piano, 10 a.m.; bowling, 1 p.m. Thursday: cards and games, 12:30 p.m. Friday: center closed.

College National Leader

WAYNESBURG — According to statistics released by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) for basketball games played through December 16, Waynesburg College is leading the nation in field goal percentage.

Statistics covered the first six games of the season. The Yellow Jackets, 6-1 at that point, had made 139 field goals in 239 attempts for a .582 average. Oklahoma Christian was a close second with 563 goals in 969 attempts for a .581 percentage.

Waynesburg is also listed third in the nation in team free throw percentage with 100 conversions in 130 attempts for a .769 percentage. Maine-Farmington leads the NAIA with 70 conversions in 89 attempts for a .787 percentage.

In team scoring defense, Waynesburg is ranked 13th in the nation. The Jackets have allowed 57.7 points per game. The nation's leader is the College of Charleston, S.C., which has surrendered only 52.8 points per game.

HOSPITALIZED
George Kozar of Waynesburg R.D.1, state deputy of granges, is a patient in Uniontown Hospital, Room 1220.

Museum Receives Large Gift

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Historical Society announced Tuesday that it has received a "generous year-end donation" for its museum as a memorial to two men who had spent their working lives in Greene County as pioneers in their respective fields.

The donors, who asked that their names not be published, made the gift in memory of Lewis R. Hawn and Dr. Charles M. Hench.

Hawn, who attended Slippery Rock Normal School, came to Greene County from Butler in 1897. He worked in the county oil fields for a subsidiary of the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey as a gauger, being responsible for measuring and reporting on the number of barrels of oil produced by county wells for transportation to refineries at Erie.

He lived in New Freeport for much of his working life, and later moved to Waynesburg. He died in 1960.

Dr. Hench, who came to Greene County in 1906, was a graduate of Central State Normal School (now Lock Haven State College) and earned his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree at the College of Veterinary Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia. He held the sixth license issued by the Pennsylvania State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners.

During his many years of practice in the county he was a

strong supporter of the testing of cattle for bovine tuberculosis, which could be transmitted to humans. He resided at Waynesburg until 1950 until, at age 76, he moved back to his ancestral home in Perry County. He died in 1968, two days before his 94th birthday.

A spokesman for the historical society said the donors, who reside in Florida, expressed the hope that their gift would stimulate similar contributions from other supporters of the museum prior to Dec. 31 as a means of taking advantage of federal income tax charitable provisions that will not be as liberal in 1982.

The spokesman said that a number of former county residents make annual contributions over and above their membership fees of \$5 and \$10, which are also being accepted currently.

"We very much appreciate support in any amount," the spokesman said. "It all helps to keep the museum open and provides us with the means to carry out our program to make it as attractive as possible."

All Around Greene

HOSPITAL DONATION
A group of employees in the finishing department at Greenway Manufacturing Co. in Waynesburg recently contributed \$406 to the Pittsburgh Children's Hospital fund drive.

Charlotte Johnson, department supervisor, said the money was raised through various projects during the year.

WINS TOUR
Sam Boyd, owner of Boyd Remodeling in Waynesburg, has won an eight-day trip to London according to Herb Stien, district manager of U.S. Steel.

Boyd, who has won several awards in the past, will be staying at the London Hilton and will be attending seminars on foreign-style windows, siding and energy conservation.

BRIDGE RESULTS
The Greene County Duplicate Bridge Club held its weekly game Monday evening at the Waynesburg Elks Club. The winners:

North-South: First, Sophia Fahey and George Nader Jr.; second, Inis Baily and Lucille White.

East-West: First, Manuel Levine and Charles Frascioni; second, Lucille and Willis Hawkins.

GRANGE MEETS
Members of Aleppo Grange No. 2054 held their annual Christmas party this past Monday with several members taking part in the program.

Readings were offered by Josephine Bristor, Keith McDowell and Ronnie Jacobs.

Police Report

Stolen Car Recovered

State police from Waynesburg recovered a stolen car Thursday morning after it had been burned along Piper Road in Deemston Borough.

The 1976 Pontiac Grand Prix, owned by George Dean of Bentleyville, had been stolen on Dec. 22 from a parking lot at the Franklin Mall in Washington.

Utility Pole Severed

CLARKSVILLE — Joseph D. Hornick, 34, of Crucible, escaped injury in an accident at 3:20 p.m. Wednesday along LR 30051 approximately three miles east of Clarksville.

State police reported that Hornick ran off the road, struck a fence then hit a utility pole, severing it. Damage was estimated as moderate.

Waynesburg Driver Cited

JEFFERSON — Joseph E. Ross, 37, of Waynesburg R.D.1, was cited for failure to stop at the scene following an accident at 8:10 p.m. Wednesday on Route 188, one mile east of Jefferson.

State police said Ross' vehicle ran off the highway, struck a tree, two highway signs and a power unit servicing a mobile home. He left the scene without stopping.

Foodland Store Burgled

WAYNESBURG — An undetermined amount of money was taken from a safe at the Waynesburg Foodland store in a burglary sometime late Wednesday night or early Thursday morning.

State police said the thieves forced open the front door to enter the building and then "ripped the safe open." The store is located at the intersection of Routes 21 and 19 in the Morrisville section of Franklin Township just east of Waynesburg.

The burglary occurred sometime between 9:30 p.m. Wednesday and 6:30 a.m. Thursday.

School Bus Hit

MATHER — A Jefferson-Morgan school bus loaded with 47 students was involved in a three-vehicle accident on LR 30103 early Tuesday morning but there were no injuries.

Clara Stickovich, 49, of Fredericktown, driver of the bus, said the road surface was just wet when she left Chartiers Hill but "within five minutes the road was a sheet of ice."

Stickovich said the bus was stopped behind a vehicle operated by Sandra Silbaugh, 36, of Clarksville when the accident occurred at 7:40 a.m.

According to Stickovich, a car operated by Kathleen Davis, 34, of Clarksville, was traveling in the opposite direction when the driver lost control and struck the bus and the Silbaugh vehicle.

The students were transferred to another bus and Stickovich drove her bus to the garage. Damage was confined to the front bumper, she said.

The section of road is known locally as Fletcher's Hill.

No One Is Hurt

WAYNESBURG — There were no injuries in a two-car crash at the intersection of Routes 19 and 21 in Franklin Township at 10:05 a.m. Tuesday according to state police.

Police said Esther M. Rutan, 33, of 25 Valley Farm Drive, Waynesburg, was traveling south on Route 19 and was turning onto Route 21. Earl R. Whipkey, 56, of Waynesburg R.D.6 was traveling north on Route 19 and when he applied his brakes and his car slid into the other vehicle.

Car Misses Hill

Shortly after the accident involving the school bus, a car driven by Linda Kolat of Clarksville skidded off the highway on Fletcher's Hill, glanced off a tree, and stopped just short of going over a steep embankment.

Neither Miss Kolat nor her mother, who was a passenger, was injured.

Injuries Slight

WAYNESBURG — Patricia Headlee, 48, of Brave, suffered minor injuries at 8:15 a.m. Tuesday when she lost control of her vehicle on LR 30009 in Center Township and crashed into a tree.

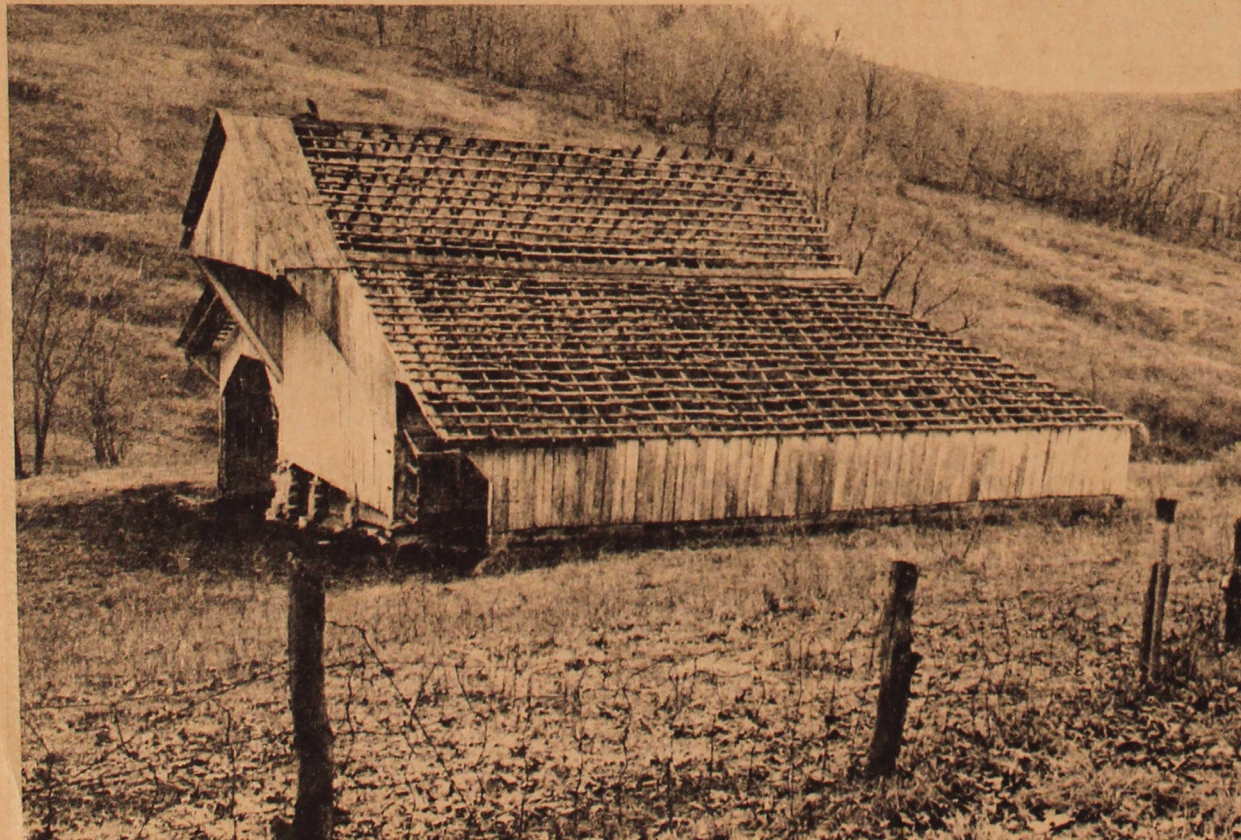


Observer-Reporter Photos

Farm Buildings Dismantled

The many outbuildings on the once vast Charmar Cattle Farm in Richhill Township, itself a consolidation of many smaller farms, are being dismantled to clear the property for development of the first of a proposed five coal mines to be developed by the Consolidation Coal Company. Construction of the first of the mines began early this month with plans for

it to produce its first coal in the middle of 1983 and reach full production in 1986 when it will produce an estimated 2.3 million tons per year. With its roof dismantled, one barn (below) takes on a waffle iron appearance. Another large barn (above) its partial siding still bearing a faded Charmar Farms designation, and its large silos will soon be a sight of the past.



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



The late Atty. William Sayers, member of an early Greene County family, was the first person ever to head the Greene County Tax Bureau when it was created. He was born and reared in Waynesburg and was a son of the late Atty. and Mrs. H.C. Sayers. He later lived in New Jersey after leaving Waynesburg.

**Coal Mining Conflicts
Become More Prevalent**

Two recent Greene County Court cases have focused attention on a problem which will become more and more prevalent with increased use of the longwall method of mining coal.

Longwall mining, as the name implies, involves cutting coal in long sections rather than removing it through the traditional "room and pillar" method. It is much more efficient and is being favored, when the coal seam permits, in newer mines.

Where it is employed, however, new ventilation problems arise which require the drilling of boreholes from the surface at regular intervals to permit the venting of methane gas into the atmosphere.

Both of the Greene County Court cases arose when owners of surface properties objected to drilling of such boreholes on their land without the payment of what they considered to be adequate compensation.

Central to the issue is a clause contained in every coal deed, some of which date back 80 years or more. When coal is sold, the deed stipulates that the coal owner has the right to enter upon the surface to do any work which is necessary for removal of the coal.

Since most parcels of land have changed ownership many times since the coal was sold, many property owners aren't even aware that they are subject to such an encumbrance. And for all practical purposes, no coal company can expect to invoke a right of this type without being willing to pay the land owner adequate compensation.

It is one more example of the type of accommodation which, to an increasing degree, will become necessary between conflicting interests as companies begin to mine long-dormant coal reserves.

**Greene Letterbox
EMS Congratulated**

The Greene County Emergency Medical Services Council congratulates the people who completed the First Responders Course in Graysville.

They have taken on a great responsibility. They have been trained to render Basic Life Support (BLS) techniques to ill and injured persons until an ambulance arrives. In some of the rural areas of this county, this could be as long as 20 minutes. Their training could make the difference between life and death.

The course and the kits that are to be used by these people were made possible by the generosity of local residents, businesses, and organizations. They did this by donating over \$4,000 to the EMS during our radio-thon when we were in danger of losing our training programs due to lack of funds.

It is gestures such as this that should make one very proud to live in Greene County. We should all be very grateful to these people that put their time and energy into becoming First Responders, Emergency Medical Technicians, and paramedics to serve this county.

These are special people. They are available at all hours of the day and night and in all kinds of weather. They are called out of bed and away from dinner. They sometimes miss work because they respond to emergencies.

And they are the ones that must return home after seeing a life come into the world or one taken away, and deal with the turmoil of their own emotions.

They are volunteers and get paid nothing. They get little thanks yet take a lot of abuse.

Why then, do they do it? It's the pride of knowing they helped someone in great need, of saving a life, of helping a new life into the world... and so much more.

To these people we say congratulations; we applaud you and we give you a well deserved, long overdue—thank you.

Sincerely,
Wayne Rearick
Chairman
Greene County EMS Council

Teachers Praise Middle School

The following letter was signed by 12 teachers from the Springhill-Freepport and Alleppo elementary schools in the West Greene School District.

We, as teachers, look upon the opening of the middle school as an exciting time in the educational future of the West Greene School District. With the middle school proposal and the reorganization in the Springhill-Freepport and Alleppo schools, we now have single grades in all the elementary buildings.

We feel that this is an immense educational benefit to our students and a giant step in the improvement of the educational quality of West Greene.

Realizing that these decisions are not easily made, we commend the board for its actions and extend our complete support for the reorganization plan adopted by the district.

Vandalism Reported

WAYNESBURG — Three incidents of criminal mischief that occurred on Route 88 in the Dry Tavern and Poland Mines areas were reported to state police over the Christmas holiday weekend.

According to state police, charges are expected to be filed against a juvenile who caused an estimated \$30 damage to the residence of Earl W. Lewis, Rices Landing R.D.1. The incident occurred at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Police also indicated charges are expected to be filed against someone who broke several windows and set fire to

curtains in Helen's Place, a tavern owned by Helen Rice of Nemaacolin and located on Route 88 in Poland Mines.

Damage in the incident, which happened at 3:30 a.m. Friday, was estimated at \$100.

Charles Bane of New Geneva reported to police over the weekend that someone broke 18 panes of glass in an unoccupied house which he owns and is located on Route 88, approximately two miles north of Dry Tavern. Damage was estimated at \$180.

The damage occurred sometime Dec. 5 and Dec. 26.



**Between
The Bookends**
Marcia McKenna Biddle

In 1924, a little paper was published in Greene County and was said to be read by "more than fifteen thousand people." Called the "Greene County Farm and Home News," its "Christmas Number" showed what people were thinking about at the time. Well, more or less.

Articles ranged from instructions on drenching sheep with copper sulphate to a history of the naming of Greene County, to a short story about a society snob and a salesgirl. The salesgirl was overcome by gratitude when offered a job at \$20 a week, double her previous salary.

The many advertisements are also interesting. Paterson's Variety Store invited the "Kiddies" to come and see Santa Claus who would be at the store in person. There you could also buy Lionel Electric Trains at \$5.75 to \$40. Kiddie Cars were three dollars, sleds were \$1.50 to \$10, and Tinker Toys were 75 cents.

Long & Co. was advertising the kind of oak furniture you now see in antique shops, and McGarvey Blair Hardware suggested anything from gas ranges to roller skates as gifts. Grossman Brothers pictured coats for ladies and gentlemen which still look stylish. Ullom and Baily, Druggists, had Brownie Cameras for two dollars, and Brunswick Radiolas, a combination radio and phonograph, from \$285 to \$650.

An opening Christmas poem by John Dickinson Sherman seems surprisingly pessimistic for 1924. It seems to belong more properly to 1929, or the despairing 1930's. One stanza goes, "Yet I go on crutches, My soul in the clutches, Of motives and thoughts that naught bring but ill; I am as one sneering, When I should be cheering, For 'Peace upon earth to men of good will.'"

Possibly to offset the effects of reading that poem, a humor column was also included. If the jokes seem a bit racy for a farm and home paper, the title of the column was there to warn the readers. It was, "What College Boys Think About." Well, "She was as

pure as the snow; but she drifted."

Or, "He: I understand that your father said that if he found me here again, he would kick me out of the door. She: Oh, don't mind that! Father's punting is wretched."

Oh, well. The Federal Farm Census was coming, and farmers in Greene County were urged to cooperate in answering 158 questions Uncle Sam was going to ask. Prospects of such cooperation were not seen as bright, considering the history of the county as told in the lead article. In a version copied in a somewhat garbled fashion from Bates' History, the article states, "Having just gotten out of one controversy, Greene County soon found itself in another. This time over the county boundary lines."

"No sooner had this dispute been settled," says the author, or copier, "when people in the western section became restless under which they regarded as an injustice in being compelled to travel so great a distance to the county seat than those dwelling in the northern portions; that is, forcing them to go to the city of Washington for the transaction of legal and other business." The story was, as I mentioned, a little garbled.

However, a happy ending came when the county seat was finally settled at Waynesburg, which "has come to be the home of a numerous and busy population, distinguished for intelligence." Of course. We all knew that.

**Community
Events**

BOBTOWN SENIORS
BOBTOWN — Officers of the newly formed senior citizens club in Bobtown were elected recently at the club's first meeting.

Elected were Mrs. Martha Pecjak, president; Mrs. Ann Miller, vice president; Mrs. Mary Forkin, secretary and Mrs. Dorothy Reed, treasurer. The next meeting will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 14.

SEWING CIRCLE
The Lutheran Sewing Circle of St. Paul's Church in Carmichaels will meet Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Irene Krupinsky in charge. Many projects are still in progress and all ladies are being asked to participate.

GRANGE MEETS
Harvey's Grange 1444 met recently for their annual Christmas party and dinner.

Taking part in the program were Trisa Kent, Asher Dee Lapping, John Iams, Amy and Inez Temple, Lisa Stewart, Andy Scott, Connie Lewis, Emma Morris, Diane Hughes, Gladys Day and Jean Lantz. Santa Claus presented treats to all the children.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

Years ago, when lyrics of a popular song told a story, one hit tune was "Tell me Little Gypsy," and its opening line continued, "what the future holds for me."

In effect, hundreds of Greene County residents would like to ask the same question about what the expanding coal mining industry has in store for the county.

In fact, from their conversations many give the impression that in the years ahead the county will be changed from an area of rugged beauty with its high hills and ridges, its beautiful meadows of lush blue grass on which livestock graze through the summer and its numerous streams full of fish to an urban and industrial complex. Somehow their picture of the future is blurred with images of huge smouldering gob piles of slate as the refuse coal elements are dumped in ravines and hollows to burn in a sort of endless fashion until it becomes "red dog" to be used for semi-permanent covering for driveways and narrow backroads. There are also visions of densely packed area of row houses as characterized by the early day coal mining industry in this area.

The long awaited arrival of the make-believe folk figure of "Old King Coal," isn't expected by those familiar with the situation to make a compacted chain of dwellings as a minor chord in economic growth or a by-product of recovering the vast stores of soft coal underlying almost the entire county.

Instead it will be emphasized by well planned communities with full regard for the esthetic values of modern living rather than the back-to-back stereotype of the early day "patch towns."

Pennsylvania was shamefully behind in banning such structures which were a blur on the state for many years. In fact, John Matta, who later was editor of the Brownsville Telegraph for several years, was associated with his father in the ownership of a coal mine in Charleston, W.Va. In the early 1920's such towns were already banned there as they are now in Pennsylvania.

Crucible was the county's first such patch town and it was a model one for its day as were those that appeared at Mather and Nemaacolin a few years later.

Greene County will also have protection from the ancient "row houses" and outdoor plumbing when the new mines are opened in the western end of the county thanks to stringent housing codes that can be enacted at the township and borough levels of local government.

Farming will in no way be

acquired the equivalent of 1,389 acres of coal from Penn Central for \$694,685. Most of it is located in Springhill, Gilmore and Alleppo Townships, with smaller amounts in Freeport, Richhill and Morris Townships.

The transaction produced \$3,503 in realty transfer taxes for the West Greene School District and \$3,068 in transfer taxes for the Central Greene School District and Wayne Township.

Springhill Township received \$1,540, Gilmore Township \$956, Alleppo Township \$587, Freeport Township \$112, Jackson Township \$30, Richhill Township \$4.70 and Morris Township \$2.75.

Consolidation has

Deeds Recorded

**Consol, Penn Central
Exchange Coal Blocks**

WAYNESBURG — An exchange of blocks of Pittsburgh coal in Greene County by the Consolidation Coal Co. and Penn Central Corp. was indicated by deeds recorded Monday in Waynesburg.

Penn Central has acquired 1,239 acres from Consolidation for \$619,535. Virtually all of the coal is located in Wayne Township, with just 12 acres of it being in Jackson Township.

In return, Consolidation has

come a lost art in Greene County. In fact, in many ways it would be an eye opener for the average person to know how many miners working in the area have purchased and are rearing their families on farms, some of which were previously owned by local families for many generations.

Coal miners, because of their appreciation of good equipment and the need to keep it in good repair and the observance of safety practices, generally make good farmers. Farmers, on the other hand, make good coal miners because of their willingness to work to their capability of handling high speed equipment, and their appreciation of a steady income. Nor do they have to depend on that most fickle dame of folklore — Old Mother Nature, who is always pictured as the ultimate in being benign, but can also destroy an entire crop of fruit, corn or

hay with one storm, flood or other natural catastrophe.

Naturally there will be a

AROUND TOWN
By THE STAFF

Happy New Year!

Peace and happiness to Waynesburg Republican readers everywhere from coast to coast from all your friends and kinfolk back in the old home town.

While we didn't have a white Christmas in Waynesburg last week, it looks like it's going to be a cool night for welcoming in the new year of 1982.

Greene County had a pretty good year in 1981, what with an expanding coal industry and numerous new residential complexes started throughout the county, with still others blueprinted for the years ahead.

Nice to see another hometown Wayneburg boy, Larry Murdock and his wife, back for Christmas. Thanks, he says, to his rigorous training as an undergraduate assistant to Michael Talpus, he was able to step right into the position of registrar at Granville University in Dennison, Ohio the day after he was graduated from Wayneburg College.

He and his wife were in town to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Murdock of East Greene Street.

Talpus, who is nationally known in the college registrar's organization, received his undergraduate training under Mrs. Ruth Brock Morris, wife of a classmate, Paul Morris of Carmichaels. Morris was later with the U.S. State Department in Germany and India as well as at Washington, D.C. Mr. and Mrs. Morris now live at Chapel Hill, N.C.

Dr. Helen Cafferty, a professor of modern languages at Bowdin University in Maine, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cafferty of Waynesburg. Since completing her graduate work she has traveled extensively abroad. Her maternal grandparents are the late Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Scott of Waynesburg.

David and Valerie Beecher of Sheffield, Mass. spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Patty B. Byers of Waynesburg, and with Mrs. Byers' older daughter, Becky. Also celebrating Christmas with the family were Billy and Christie Molzon of Waynesburg R.D.2.

Robert and Elizabeth Calvert and daughters Shannon and Erin of Laurel, Md. spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Haven and Betty Calvert of Waynesburg R.D.3, and with her mother, Mrs. Phyllis Edwards of Morningside.

Among others spending the Christmas holidays with Greene County relatives were Harold and Shirley Romine of Dallas, Texas; Doreen Dew of Harrisburg; James and Colleen Kuran Walkley of Stratford, Conn.; Joyce Simmons of Dover, Del.; Tom and Colleen Filer Simmons and son Nathan of Cincinnati, Ohio; Kathleen and Cheryl Christopher of Traverse City, Mich.; and Carolyn Christopher of Fort Myers, Fla.

Holiday season visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Milliken were their sons, Gary Milliken of Pittsburgh and Kenneth Milliken Jr., of Masontown, along with their wives and members of their families, and Miss Joy Milliken of St. Petersburg, Fla., who is a pathology technician in a medical center in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Moore of Pittsburgh and their two children spent Christmas with their parents in Waynesburg. Mr. Moore is an X-ray technician at a Pittsburgh hospital.

Mrs. Mary M. Rinehart and Miss Dorothea Rinehart have returned home after spending the Christmas holidays in the state of California.

Glenn DePoe of Waynesburg has been released from Greene County Memorial Hospital, where he was a patient for several days. He is a former resident of Jefferson and made his home in Hawaii for 10 years before returning recently to Greene County.

Scott, Carla and Sean Hogue of Charlott, N.C. have been vacationing in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward collage of Braden Plan, Clarksville, On Christmas Eve, the three youngsters, along with Billy Watson of Braden Plan, spent part of the day collecting for the Children's Hospital fund.

They collected \$75 from residents of the Braden Plan and Burson Plan, and want to express their appreciation to all those who donated so generously.

Around Greene

CHARITY HELPERS

Four youngsters in the Clarksville area spent part of their Christmas vacation collecting donations door-to-door for the Pittsburgh Children's Hospital fund drive.

Taking part were Billy Watson and Scott, Carla and Sean Hogue of Charlotte, N.C. who were spending the holidays with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Collage of Braden Plan.

The children collected \$75 from residents in the Braden and Burson Plans.

SECOND BIRTHDAY

Loribeth Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hardy of Bobtown, celebrated her second birthday with a party in her honor at the home of her parents.

She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Ann Salosky of Bobtown and Mr. and Mrs. John Hardy of Greensboro and the granddaughter of Mrs. Bessie Hardy of Greensboro.

DAR MEETING

The Christmas meeting of the Greene Academy Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held in the home of Mrs. John Minor near Jefferson. Mrs. Walter Atalski was co-hostess for the covered-dish dinner which preceded the meeting.

Elected as delegate to the Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. in April was Regent Mrs. William Mundell. Alternates will be Mrs. Atalski, Mrs. William Callaghan, Mrs. John Porter, Mrs. Wayne Harvey or Mrs. Leon Seals.

A program, "Christmas Salute to America, 1775," was presented with Mrs. Lewis Vance as narrator. Taking roles were Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Atalski and Mrs. Harvey in appropriate costumes.



MR. AND MRS. HENRY R. ROBISON SR.

Anniversary Celebrated

CLARKSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Robison Sr. of Clarksville will celebrate their 62nd wedding anniversary on Friday, Jan. 8.

No special observance is planned. They were married Jan. 8, 1920, in Waynesburg and resided for many years in West Union, where Mr. Robison operated their farm until his retirement.

Mrs. Robison is the former Inez Ullom, daughter of the late Jesse and Dessie Morris Ullom of Ruff Creek. Mr. Robison is a son of the late John Robison and Emma Robison Willard of Rices Landing.

They have six sons, Henry Robison Jr. of Holbrook, Jesse Robison of Waynesburg, Joseph Robison of Marianna, Charles and Harley Robison, both of Washington, and Russell Robison of Clarksville; and three daughters, Estella Morris of Waynesburg, Margaret Rice of Graysville and Betty Lee Daugherty of Washington. They have 44 grandchildren, 61 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Natural Gas Boom

GARARDS FORT — While it may not rival the big oil and gas boom which Greene County experienced 75 years ago, recent natural gas developments in the Garards Fort area are the biggest which the county has seen in over 40 years.

The newest is the laying of a natural gas pipeline by a private company which made a substantial "strike" in July of this year, and which plans to drill at least three additional wells in the next few months.

The Muddy Creek Gas Co. confirmed Monday that it is laying the pipeline along Route 616 from Garards Fort toward Bobtown as a means of tying its first producing well into the distribution facilities of the Carnegie Gas Co., which has agreed to buy all the gas the company can provide.

Partners in the company are Douglas Black of Carmichaels R.D.1, Gene D. Yost of Mt. Morris, John Hempell of Dilliner and Paul Balcar of St. Clairsville, Ohio.

Balcar represents the B.B.R. Drilling Company of St. Clairsville, which last July drilled a gas well on Black's 125-acre farm at Garards Fort. The well struck gas in the "Big Injun" sands at 1,674 feet, with production measured at more than three million cubic feet of gas a day at 440 pounds of rock pressure.

"The pressure has held up very well," Black said. "We think we'll be able to furnish

Carnegie with a substantial amount of gas."

Black said the company plans to start drilling a second well within a month, and eventually plans to have three or four more wells. They will be drilled on farms which adjoin Black's.

Muddy Creek is not the only one operating in the Garards Fort area.

The "mini-boom" was kicked off in January 1980 when Peoples Natural Gas Co. brought in a well on the Frank R. Headley farm on Route 616 just east of Garards Fort, about 100 feet from where Muddy Creek later sank its well.

The Headley well produced just under nine million cubic feet of gas per day, making it a major strike.

When contacted Monday,

Edward Campbell, manager of production and storage for Peoples Gas, said the Headley well has held up very well. Gas from the well is being piped into the gas company's distribution system in the Bobtown area.

Campbell said the company drilled one additional well after the Headley strike, but that it did not work out too well. "We didn't get gas in commercial quantities, so we turned the well over to the property owner," he said.

Equitable Gas has also drilled four wells in the immediate area since the Headley strike was made, with one of them reaching down to 5,100 feet, or well below the Big Injun sands.

All four wells produced gas "in payable amounts," a company representative said.

Burglary, Theft Investigated

State police are investigating a burglary and a car theft which occurred early Tuesday morning at the Shannopin Mine located along LR 30130 in Dunkard Township.

The car stolen from the mine parking lot, a 1976 Oldsmobile owned by George Zappone of Crucible, was later found several miles away where it had been destroyed by fire.

In the burglary of the wash room of the mine an estimated \$169 worth of various items were taken. Both incidents happened between midnight and 8 a.m. Tuesday according to state police.

Pinball Machine Theft Probed

State police are investigating the theft of money from six pinball machines at the R. and P. Oil Co. truck stop located along LR 30099 east of Mt. Morris.

According to state police the pinball machines were broken into and about \$40 was taken from each of them Monday.



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Spanning Time

This over 80-year-old bridge and relatively new railroad bridge seem to meet as they span a branch of Whiteley Creek along Greene Township Route 604 near Fordyce. The covered bridge — White Bridge — and the new bridge, for

the coal-hauling Waynesburg Southern Railroad, are just one example of the meeting of old and new in Greene County.

Police Report Car Overturns

Two persons escaped serious injury when the car they were in rolled onto its roof in an accident at 1 p.m. Sunday on Route 218 south of Waynesburg.

The driver, James Smith, 19, of Waynesburg, was treated for a hand injury at Greene County Memorial Hospital. A passenger, Stacy Engle, 16, of Prosperity, was taken to the hospital but did not require any treatment.

According to state police, Smith lost control of his car while rounding a curve, hit a tree and an embankment which cause the car to roll onto its roof. Investigating officers said the car was destroyed.

Car Hits Deer

A passenger in a car that struck a deer suffered minor injuries but refused treatment, state police said.

The accident occurred about 2 p.m. Saturday on Interstate 79, almost a mile north of Ruff Creek.

The car was driven by Constance J. Withrow of Oakhill, W.Va. No address was available for her passenger, Teresa Hardman, 22.

Man Is Injured

WAYNESBURG — One person was injured in a two-car crash on LR 30005 in Gilmore Township at 8:55 a.m. Monday according to state police.

Police said Lawson D. Guthrie of Pine Bank was traveling north and Edward F. Porter of Holbrook R.D.1 collided on the snow-covered road. A passenger, Linda Porter, was taken to Greene County Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Damage to both vehicles was considered severe.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Muddy Creek Gas Co. pipeline under construction near Garards Fort

Gypsy Moth

Severe Damage Not Here Yet

GYPSY MOTH UPDATE

This past summer I saw severe gypsy moth damage for the first time.

Along the mountain range south of State College there were many acres of trees stripped of their leaves by the last week in June. I'd heard about this damage for several years, but actually seeing it was indeed a sobering experience.

The USDA has had moth traps in Greene County for the past few years. Populations of moths have been increasing, but based on USDA observations we are still about two years away from any severe damage. The normal cycle is two years of light damage followed by two years of moderate to severe damage, followed by moth population collapse.

Light defoliation is zero to 30 percent loss of foliage. The damage is hardly noticeable and controls are not recommended.

Moderate defoliation is from 30 percent to 60 percent leaf loss. No tree mortality is expected at this level. Control measures will depend on how much of a nuisance the moth caterpillars make of themselves.

Heavy defoliation means more than 60 percent leaf loss. New leaves will be developed by mid-July on these trees. However they cannot survive several successive years of defoliation. Controls are recommended for valuable trees at this level.

Non-chemical and emergency chemical control will be available from the Extension Service office when the need arises.

CORN INSECT CONTROL

The Armyworm has surfaced as a major corn pest since the use of no-till practices began to grow. Furadan 10 percent granules applied in the furrow at planting time has shown good control.

This same material will control rootworm. However it should be pointed out that research data on numerous test plots all over the state for the past five years show no significant increase in yield from treated fields. This control is most important in continuous corn where adult rootworm



FARM AND HOME NOTES

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beetles or damage has been previously observed.

The black cutworm caused extensive damage this past year. Pre-plant treatments have not been effective. Observe the field the last two weeks in May and the first week in June. If more than five cutworms are observed per 100 plants a spray is justified. Lorsban is one of the recommended materials.

ALFALFA INSECT CONTROL

The Blotch Leafminer has been showing up in Greene County fields for a few years. Recent research has shown a slight decrease in protein content in hay taken from heavily infested fields. Specialists, however, still feel losses are not significant enough to justify control measures.

Alfalfa weevil damage was spotty last year. Fields should be monitored closely before spray applications are made. Materials which can be used are basically the same as last year. Late April or early May applications should be avoided because of the damage they do to weevil parasites.

In a few areas Black Cutworm caused considerable damage. Parathion 8E is recommended in fields where heavy infestations are observed.

Potato Leafhopper is still the most destructive insect in alfalfa plantings. Damage is done to plants under six inches in height for the most part. It is important to watch new seedlings and regrowth very closely from June 1 to September 1. Control materials are basically the same as last year.

Details are available on management recommendations for these crops and others in the 1982 Agronomy Guide. The guide is available for \$2 per copy from the Agricultural Extension office.



Bowling

MONDAY NIGHT LEAGUE
WAYNESBURG — Baily Insurance was the only four-game winner in Monday Night Women's Bowling League action this week at the Arbor Terrace Lanes, Waynesburg.

Betty Seamon rolled a 204 high game and 554 high series as Baily's swept Hopkins and Son, led by Mary Hopkins with a 140 high game and Viola Conklin with a 384 high series.

Jacobs Petroleum, led by Sue Marshall with 223-483, won three games from Piper's Construction, who got a 180 high game from Barb Morris and a 480 high series from Dorothy Nelson.

Mankey's Engineering and Koci's Tavern split their four-game series. Bonnie Baily rolled a 187 high game and Marilyn Whiting a 480 high series for Mankey's. Bernie Stutchick and Sheila Phillips each had a 170 high game for Koci's, with Carol Ewart turning in a 480 high series.

June Stewart rolled a 166-474 for the Cokettes, who were unopposed.

Boys Basketball

Section 9-AA-A

Washington	5	0	1,000	—
Burgess	4	1	800	1/2
Bentworth	3	1	750	1/2
South Park	3	1	750	1/2
IC Catholic	1	2	333	3
McGuffey	1	3	250	3 1/2
Waynesburg	1	3	250	3 1/2
Char-Houston	1	3	250	3
Avella	0	5	000	5

Section 15-A

California	5	0	1,000	—
Fair-Georges	4	1	800	1
Frazier	4	1	800	1
Delbet	4	1	800	1
Carmichaels	3	2	600	2
MV Catholic	2	3	400	3
German, Twp.	1	3	250	3 1/2
Mapletown	1	4	200	4
West Greene	0	4	000	4 1/2
Jeff-Morgan	0	5	000	5

WPIAL Alignment

Revised football alignments for the 1982 WPIAL season are as follows:

Class AA
Section 4
Brownsville, WAYNESBURG, MCGUFFEY, CHARLEROI, BURGESS, BENTWORTH, ALBERT GALLATI, WASHINGTON, BETH-CENTER

Class A
Section 4
Frazier, BENTWORTH, CALIFORNIA, GERMAN, FAIRCHANCE-GEORGES, MON VALLEY, CATHOLIC, JEFFERSON-MORGAN, CARMICHAELS, MAPLETOWN

Final Game

Jaime Yarish strains to give that extra effort during a jump ball that gave Carmichaels a 78-54 victory over Mapletown in the final game of the 12th annual Coal Bowl Tournament in Carmichaels Tuesday night. Also pictured is Carmichaels Assistant Basketball Coach John Menhart talking to his players at the start of the final game. Jeff-Morgan won the semi-finals over West Greene 54-24.

O-R Photos By Christie Molzen

Obituaries

Long Nellie D. Long, 84, of 128 Thompson Gardens, Waynesburg, formerly of Mt. Morris, died at 9 a.m. Friday, December 25, 1981, in the East Suburban Health Center, Monroeville, following a brief illness.

She was born September 4, 1897, in Dunkard Township near Davistown, a daughter of James and Winnie Cook Cumpston. Her husband, Clarence C. "Pete" Long, died May 29, 1977.

With the exception of the last eight years in Waynesburg, Mrs. Long had lived her entire life in the Davistown and Mt. Morris areas. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church at Mt. Morris.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Primo (Barbara) Bruno of Morgantown, W. Va.; one son, John W. Long of Morgantown; three grandchildren, Rebecca Nebra, Nancy Bruno and Lori Long; three grandsons, Frank, Michael and Jimmy Long; two great-grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Laura Patterson and Velda Hester Cumpston, both of Waynesburg, Mrs. Vivian Minor of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Pearl Crapsi of San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. June Troxell of Cocoa, Fla.; and one brother, Charles Cumpston of Dormont.

One son, James L. Long, two sisters, Clara Belle McClellan and Ruth Molte, and two brothers, Furman and Forest, are deceased.

Cochran Laura A. White Cochran, 81, of 276 Benwood Avenue, Buffalo, N.Y., formerly of Waynesburg and St. Petersburg, Fla., died Saturday, December 26, 1981, in the Georgian Court Nursing Home in Buffalo.

She was born January 28, 1900, in Oak Forest, a daughter of Charles A. and Arabelle Lemley White. Her husband, John F. Cochran, is deceased.

Mrs. Cochran spent her early life in Waynesburg and for several years had resided in Pittsburgh and St. Petersburg, Fla. For the past year she had made her home with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Craft in Buffalo.

Mrs. Cochran had been employed at Kaufmann's Department Store in Pittsburgh for over 32 years.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Mary McJoy of Uniontown, Mrs. Ruth Craft of Buffalo and Mrs. Margaret Enstrom of Wisconsin.

One sister, Mrs. Irene Taylor, and one brother, Albert White, are deceased.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, December 28, 1981, in Buffalo with the Rev. Robert Pebley officiating. Burial in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Chernisky Elizabeth Chernisky, 69, of Rices Landing, died at 12:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 29, 1981, in the University Medical Center in Morgantown, W. Va., following an extended illness.

She was born October 18, 1912, in Washington County, a daughter of Frank and Julia Senta Sabo.

A homemaker, Mrs. Chernisky spent the past 38 years in Rices Landing.

Her husband, John, died April 21, 1981.

She is survived by one son, George of Rices Landing; two grandchildren; one brother, Frank Sabo of Vesta Six; and four sisters, Mrs. Ann Bilbush of Grindstone, and Mrs. Julia Rohan, Margaret Sabo and Rose Sabo, all of Donora.

Kraft Edward G. Kraft, 68, of Greensboro R.D.1, died Tuesday, December 22, 1981, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va.

He was born May 18, 1913, in Dunlevy, a son of Howard and Mary Ann Wilkens Kraft.

Mr. Kraft was a retired coal miner for the Duquesne Light Co. and was a member of UMWA Local 6310.

Surviving are his wife, Goldie Gary Kraft; five sons, Melvin of Crown Point, Ind., John, Paul and Larry, all of Bobtown, Michael, at home; eight grandchildren; one brother, Richard, and two sisters, Lorraine Kraft and Mrs. Margaret Paci, all of Pittsburgh.

Three brothers and one sister are deceased.

Wrestling California State College Tournament Team Standings

Table with 2 columns: Team, Standings. Includes Hemfield, Chartiers-Houston, Connellsville, Trinity, Plum, Derry Area, Elizabeth Forward, Thomas Jefferson, Waynesburg, North Allegheny.

CSC Holiday Tournament Second Round

Table with 2 columns: Match, Result. Includes Bucholtz (TJ) vs. Blichewski (Hemp), Hartle (GS) vs. Borlino (Wb), etc.

Bacan Mary L. Bacan, 78, of 68 Mayflower Drive, Uniontown, formerly of Gates, died Wednesday, December 23, 1981.

She was born in Gates. Her husband, Steve, died in 1971.

Mrs. Bacan was a member of St. Mary's Church of Leckrone.

Surviving are a son, Henry Bacan of Carmichaels; a daughter, Gertrude Horvat of Uniontown; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; a sister, Anna Klemenc of Edenborn; and two brothers, Rudy Miner of Edenborn and Louis Miner of Waynesburg.

Wolfe Virginia C. Wolfe, 72, of 152 Thompson Gardens, Waynesburg, died unexpectedly Sunday, December 27, 1981, in her home.

She was born July 19, 1909, in Parkersburg, W. Va., a daughter of James and Amanda Sprague McConnell.

Mrs. Wolfe had lived most of her life in Greene County and resided for several years in both the Kirby and Jefferson areas.

Mrs. Wolfe was a member of the Waynesburg Church of Christ and the Keystone Senior Citizens.

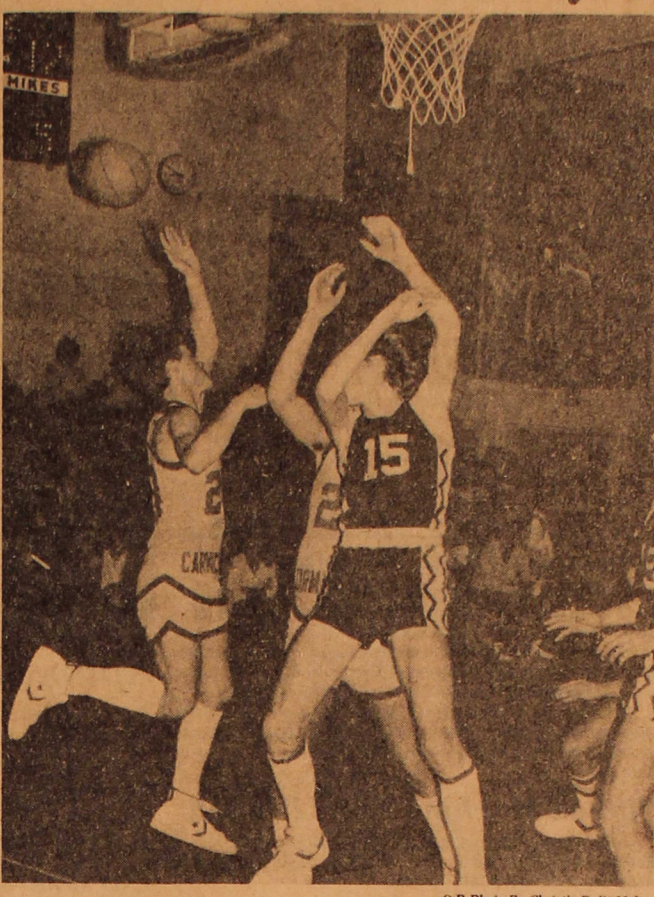
Surviving are one son, James Pullings of Pittsburgh; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and two sisters: Mrs. Thomas (Helen) Burch of Fairview, W. Va., and Mrs. Garnet Johnson, of Chesapeake, Ohio.

Her first husband, John Pullings, her second husband, Braden "Bud" Wolfe, and one daughter, Charlotte Jacko, are deceased.

Wrestling Terry Wilson of Waynesburg, a former state wrestling champion and now head wrestling coach at Sandusky High School, recently collected his 100th career win as a coach.

Mikes Win Lions' Tourney

Bowling



O-R Photo By Christie Raitt Mazon

Mapletown's Jim Dugan (15) and Mikes' Dick Krause try in vain to catch the basketball.

By JOHN BARKER O-R Sports Staff CARMICHAELS — There are two versions to this story. A story that unfolded at the Carmichaels High School gymnasium Tuesday night.

One version is that the Mikes basketball team soundly defeated Mapletown High School in the finals of the Carmichaels Lions' 12th Annual Holiday Basketball tournament and to win the Coal Bowl trophy and the mythical Greene County championship.

The other side of the story, and one which may be more accurate, is that Carmichaels defeated a scrappy, determined Mapletown team 78-54, in a game that was anything but a runaway.

"We came to play and we did," said Carmichaels head coach Don Williams. "We came out of the blocks fast tonight and never let up. My kids did a hell of a job."

What Williams was referring to was a 17-3 lead that the Mikes held after the first quarter. That was a lead that Carmichaels would never relinquish and eventually built on.

But perhaps the key to Mikes early success was their ability to slow down Washington-Greene County scoring leader Jim Dugan (24.4 point average). Carmichaels was able to contain the high-scoring Maple with a box-and-one defense.

"We used that defense on him in our earlier meeting with Mapletown and he shot four-for-20 from the field. We were confident that it would slow him down," said Williams. "They had trouble getting the ball to him thanks to the excellent defensive play of (Jaime) Yarish and (Dick) Krause. They were the two who played man-to-man defense on him and they did a heck of a job. I think that was the key to the game."

Mapletown attempted to comeback throughout the game but were unable to come any closer than 11 points to the tall and talented Mikes. That was due to a full-court press that the Maples tried and successfully worked until Carmichaels' J.L. Lechner took over. The six-foot guard took over at point guard and single-handedly broke Mapletown's press midway through the second quarter. Lechner finished with 22 points and 14 assists.

"He (Lechner) played one heck of a game," said Williams. "He did a great job running the team, I'm pleased with his performance and the team's. This is a good rivalry with Mapletown and I think the whole tournament was a success."

"We played a decent game except for the first quarter," said Mapletown assistant coach Gary Cole. "They controlled the ball and that was the key to the game."

Jim Dugan managed to finish with 25 points to take scoring honors but Carmichaels' Bob Connor won the tournament's Most Valuable Player trophy. Connor scored 14 points for the Mikes and was a force on both ends of the court for rebounds.

TEA LEAGUE CARMICHAELS — Results from Afternoon Tea League competition this week at the Carmichaels Bowling Arena have been announced.

The Mariners, with Stella Culp rolling 186 high game and 452 high series, won three of four games from the Angels, led by Connie Vernon with 177-505.

The Pirates, paced by Zella Davidson's 164 high game and Laraine Kelly's 422 high series, won three games from the Dodgers, led by Jean Barnhart with 147-403.

Judy Reynolds rolled a 175-434 for the Astros as they split their four-game series with the Redsocks, led by Carol Huffman with 151-427.

The Orioles were awarded four games on a forfeit. Their leading bowler was Joyce Wilson with 175-486.

Public Notices

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE ESTATE OF CLARENCE A. DIVINE, DUNKARD TOWNSHIP, GREENE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, DECEASED.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION HAVING BEEN GRANTED BY THE REGISTER OF WILLS IN AND FOR GREENE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, ON THE ESTATE OF THE ABOVE NAMED DECEDENT, TO THE UNDERSIGNED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF SAID DECEDENT TO MAKE KNOWN THE SAME; AND ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE SAID DECEDENT ARE REQUESTED TO MAKE PAYMENT WITHOUT DELAY TO THE UNDERSIGNED AT HIS OFFICE AT DILLINER, PA. 15327.

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LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, GREENE COUNTY, COURT DIVISION ON MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1982.

THE SECOND AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF Linda S. Wood, Executrix of the Estate of Charles J. Coyle, Jr. late of Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

THE FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF Doris G. Hartley, Guardian of the Estate of Iva M. Griffith, Incompetent, Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

THE FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF Sharon Hughes McCain, Executrix of the Estate of Ray Hughes, late of Center Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

THE FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF John E. Bailly, Thomas S. Bailly and Charles R. Bailly, Executors of the Estate of W. E. Bailly, a/k/a William E. Bailly, late of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

Buc JVs Rule Tourney

By JOE TUSCANO O-R Sports Staff

CALIFORNIA — When you're the younger brother of a state wrestling champion, life can be pretty tough. Everyone tries to compare you with him, even if your styles differ.

But Chris Mary, a 119-pound sophomore from Chartiers-Houston High School, is making a name for himself in grand style as he defeated Waynesburg's John Throckmorton, a WPIAL champion last season, 11-4 to advance into the semifinals of the California State College wrestling tournament.

Mary was one of six Buc wrestlers to advance to the semifinals, scheduled for 1 p.m. today. Finals will be held at 7 p.m.

With two sessions remaining, Hempfield is the team leader with 86 points followed by Chartiers-Houston with 80½, Connellsville at 78½ and Trinity with 67½.

Both Mary and Tim Gump (126), who advanced with a 4-3 upset of Trinity's Sam Romano, won't be able to win team points for C-H because they are entered as junior varsity wrestlers.

But that hasn't detracted from their accomplishments. The only reason the two are not in the Buc's regular lineup is because of two quality wrestlers in front of them: Jim Vulcano and Phil Renko.

"They could be starters on any other team in the area," said Chartiers-Houston head coach Tim Mousette. "Both are really tough wrestlers. If they didn't improve each year, then I'm not doing a good job coaching."

Mary, whose brother Phil was the 98-pound state champion last season, has to eliminate Vulcano, who was a WPIAL runnerup last year, to make the varsity.

Raiders Hold Jinx Over Jeff-Morgan

By DENISE BACHMAN O-R Sports Staff

JEFFERSON — Some things just never seem to change. Such was the case when Waynesburg High School's wrestling team came here Wednesday night to tangle with Jefferson-Morgan.

The Red Raiders, like they've done for more than the past 20 years, held on to down the Rockets 28-24 and, at the same time, take firm hold of the top spot in Section 8-AA.

The Red Raiders are now 2-1 overall and 1-0 in the section, while the Rockets are 4-1 and 0-1.

"We knew Jeff-Morgan was a tough team and we thought it would be close," Raider head coach Joe Ayersman said. "Everybody thought that the winner would decide the section champion. And that could possibly be true."

And a disappointed Tony Barbetta, the Rockets' head coach, reluctantly had to agree.

"We really had a shot to win," he said. "Everybody thought we were second best but before tonight we thought we were first best. Now we think we're second best."

At the outset it appeared as though the Rockets would have enough as they jumped out to a 6-0 lead after Dan Basinger recorded a 3-0 decision at 98 pounds and Gary Basinger (105), who is now 6-0 on the season, followed with a 7-2 decision.

Mikes, Maples In Finals Of Tourney

By JOHN BARKER O-R Sports Staff

CARMICHAELS — Mapletown High School and host Carmichaels entered tonight's finals of the Carmichaels Lions Club basketball tournament with victories in Monday's opening round.

The Maples, who edged Jefferson-Morgan 44-40, had a more difficult time than the Mikes, who breezed past West Greene 83-35.

The Rockets got off to an 18-10 lead at the end of the first quarter with the Maples taking a 26-25 halftime edge.

Mapletown still led after three quarters 35-29 and managed to hold off the winless Rockets, who held an 11-9 advantage in the final eight minutes.

Jim Dugan, the district's leading scorer, paced the Maples with 10 field goals for 20 points. Dave Mcle added 10 for Mapletown, which has a 3-7 record.

George Taylor with 17 points and Curt Virgin with 10 were in double figures for the Rockets, whose record fell to 0-7.

The Mikes had no trouble with the Pioneers as they held quarter leads of 20-11, 38-19 and 63-22.

Carmichaels' Bob Connor won scoring honors for the opening doubleheader as he poured in 13 baskets for 26 points.

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