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Auditors Seek \$18,000 From Former Wayne Twp. Supervisors

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — The Wayne Township board of auditors has filed surcharges totaling \$18,089 against the three township supervisors who left office on Dec. 31, 1981.

The action climaxed several months of speculation by the present supervisors about financial mismanagement by members of the board which preceded them — George M. Adams of Waynesburg R.D.4, John G. Jenkins of Pine Bank R.D.1, and Robert L. Simpson of Spraggs R.D.1.

The surcharges were filed Friday in the office of the Greene County Clerk of Courts as part of the 1981 township audit. Through them, the auditors will attempt to obtain reimbursement for alleged discrepancies they found in auditing township accounts for the past year.

In addition to listing specific irregularities for which they are seeking reimbursement, the auditors noted they found many other cases of mismanagement but were unable to obtain sufficient information about them to include them in the surcharges.

Attorney Ewing B. Pollock of Waynesburg, who was appointed township solicitor on Jan. 1, 1982, when the new board took office, said the former supervisors have 45 days in which to file exceptions in court if they wish to contest the surcharges. If they do not do so, he said, it would be the responsibility of the present supervisors — Charles Raber, Charles Tedrow and Kenneth Kerr — to institute proceedings to collect the \$18,089.

The auditors claim all three former supervisors are jointly responsible for repayment of \$11,831.03.

The largest items are \$2,205.80 plus penalties for unpaid federal withholding taxes, \$7,846.44 plus penalties for unpaid Social Security, \$283.85 plus penalties for unpaid wage taxes and \$523.94 plus penalties for unpaid state taxes. They note that money to make the payments was set aside but was then transferred into the payroll account.

The balance is for items which were purchased and are missing. They include a starter, \$43.40; three U joints, \$35.91; a starter cell switch, \$19.39; a vise, \$111; two jumper cables, \$63.75; two CB radios, \$80; two tires, \$39.90, and three tubes,

\$23.25.

George Adams is being held responsible for repayment of \$2,899.11. It includes 213½ hours of improperly claimed work on Saturdays at the township landfill, \$1,227.63; claimed mileage for driving to the dump, \$83.81; one week of unauthorized paid vacation, \$230; five unauthorized paid holidays, \$203.

The balance of the claim against Adams covers materials alleged to have been improperly charged to the township. They include roofing materials, \$406.23; gas tank and U joints, \$125.30; drive shaft, \$200; brake pads, \$27.68; tie rods, \$41.50; shock absorbers, \$63.80; five sheets of plywood, \$93, and two tires and one rim, \$150.

Jenkins is being charged with \$2,130.34, made up of 163½ hours of claimed dump operations, \$930.13; five unauthorized paid holidays, \$230; purchase of various auto parts totaling \$275.85; 110 gallons of diesel fuel, \$127.49; repair of a personal chain saw, \$38.90; purchase of two 12-ply tires, \$496.56, and purchase of two tubes, \$46.90.

Simpson is being charged with 175½ hours of claimed dump

operations, \$1,009.13, and five unauthorized paid holidays, \$230, for a total of \$1,239.13.

"There were other discrepancies involved, but due to the fact that the auditors were unable to obtain sufficient information they were unable to make surcharges on the said discrepancies," the audit states.

"They wish to bring the same to the attention of the board of supervisors with a view of more strict formal control being instituted in the future."

These discrepancies are listed as excessive mileage, bidding procedures (I.F.G. leasing), questionable use of gasoline and diesel fuel, questions about some lumber which was purchased, service charges on the unpaid balance for gravel which was purchased, questions about some long distance telephone calls, missing hand tools and missing oxygen and acetylene bottles.

The audit shows total township expenditures of \$439,852 in all funds during 1981. It notes that the township ended the year with \$35,000 owed on two unpaid loans, and with outstanding bills totaling \$45,171.89.

Wayne Twp. Supervisors Want More Detailed Audit

SPRAGGS — The Wayne Township supervisors are less than satisfied with the township's 1981 audit report which includes surcharges totaling \$18,089 against members of the board of supervisors who preceded them in office.

After discussing the audit at their semi-monthly meeting Monday, the supervisors indicated they plan to meet with the township solicitor to discuss the possibility of filing exceptions to it.

"We realize that the auditors concentrated on big things that they felt could be proved, but we called a number of other items to their attention which were never mentioned in their report,"

Charles Raber, chairman of the board, said.

The township auditors, in their report filed Friday, surcharged the three former supervisors jointly in the amount of \$11,831, covering neglect to make required payments to state and federal agencies and for items which were purchased and are missing.

In addition, individual surcharges of \$2,899 were filed against George M. Adams, \$2,130 against John G. Jenkins, and \$1,293 against Robert L. Simpson. They primarily cover materials and parts which the auditors claim were

improperly charged to the township, and time claimed for Saturdays worked at the township landfill and for unauthorized paid holidays.

The auditors also mentioned a number of other alleged improprieties that they uncovered, but added they were unable to obtain enough information about them to justify surcharge action.

One of them, excessive payment for mileage, was brought up by the supervisors as an example of an item which should be included in the surcharge. They noted that mileage payments dur-

ing 1981 totaled close to \$7,000, with the former township secretary, Donna Simpson, having collected \$1,986, an amount which required travel of 11,415 miles during the year.

"We think the former supervisors and Mrs. Simpson should be required to prove all of that travel was done on township business," Raber said.

It was brought out that the surcharge constitutes a civil proceeding through which the township will attempt to recover money which the auditors feel was improperly spent. Anyone who is dissatisfied with the findings of the

auditors, including the former supervisors, have 45 days in which to file exceptions in court if they feel it is inaccurate.

In other action Monday, the supervisors, on recommendation of the solicitor, authorized the payment of \$100 to Donna Simpson for her work with the auditors on eight evenings in assembling data for the audit. The auditors suggested that she be paid, without mentioning an amount, and the solicitor suggested that the supervisors authorize that she receive between \$100 and \$150.

The action was taken despite protest

from several people in the audience, who expressed the opinion that it should have been part of her duties while still employed to have her records ready for audit.

The supervisors also approved the employment of George Marley to change all locks on the township building, and if possible on office filing cabinets.

They indicated they were doing so because there are a number of keys in circulation and because, on several occasions, they have seen evidence that people have been in the building at night without their knowledge.

Kindergarten Dates Are Scheduled For Jefferson-Morgan

By STAN DIAMOND
Staff Writer

JEFFERSON — Kindergarten registration for the 1982-83 school year in the Jefferson-Morgan School District has been set for next month it was announced Monday night during the school board meeting.

Vicki Monas, elementary principal, reported that kindergarten registration has been set for Monday, April 26, from 8:45 a.m. to noon and 12:30 to 2:45 p.m. and on Tuesday, April 27, during the morning hours only. To be eligible to enter kindergarten in the district, a child must be five years old before December 1.

Miss Monas said children will be given hearing, speech and vision tests at the time of registration.

Kenneth Macek, district superintendent, reported approximately seven seniors have been admitted or are considering early admission to college in order to be eligible for tuition reimbursement under Social Security. He said three seniors have pre-enrolled in college and four others have sent letters of intent to various learning institutions.

Macek also reported on the project to replace exterior doors in the high school building. He said the architect and contractor are waiting to receive replacements for several doors which were up to two inches short. He said some replacement hardware has been received and installed.

The board approved a motion to participate in the Federal ESEA Title I and business education and home economics programs. Macek said the federal program for home economics has been cut some 50 or 60 percent for the coming year.

C. Robert McCall, district solicitor, reported on the Greene County Court's approval earlier this month of the sale of the district's former Dry Tavern elementary school building to John Pochron, of Dry Tavern, on a bid of \$42,000. McCall said he is prepared to go forward with a deficiency judgement against John C. Gill of Rices Landing R.D.1 who had defaulted on an early agreement to purchase the building for \$62,000. A hearing has not been set in the matter.

The school board will ask the court to assess a \$32,347 deficiency judgement against Gill to cover the difference between his bid and that of Pochron and to cover legal fees and other expenses the district has incurred as a result of his default.

A \$100 annual contribution to the Jefferson Volunteer Fire Company was approved by the board. The contribution is made each year in recognition of the fire company services, including an ambulance at home football games.

A request from Mary Ann Buray, a secondary French and English teacher, for a three-day leave without pay early next month was approved. She requested the leave because she is getting married.



Complaints Filed

Kenneth O. Tompkins, attorney for a group of Greene County residents opposed to a rate increase request by Mid-Penn Telephone Company, presents a formal rate complaint and service complaint to Renee McClinton, a clerk in the Public Utility Commission's Harrisburg office, last Friday. Over 5,000 signatures were collected on local petitions opposing the rate hike. No date has been set for the PUC hearing.

Tentative Agreement Reached In Church Ownership Dispute

WAYNESBURG — A tentative agreement has been reached which could lead to an out-of-court settlement of a legal dispute over ownership of property of the Greene Valley Reformed Presbyterian Church at Carmichaels.

The Rev. Harold O. Kelley, pastor of the church, said Friday that the proposed agreement was reached through negotiations between elders of the church and a committee representing the board of directors of the Washington Presbytery of United Presbyterian Churches in the U.S.A.

The Presbytery brought suit in Greene County Court against the Carmichaels church in August of last year after its congregation voted to leave the UPC and join the Reformed Presbyterian Church of the Evangelical Synod. The Presbytery contended that Greene Valley articles of incorporation stipulated that the church would be governed by the constitution of the United Presbyterian Church. That constitution, it claimed, provides that when a church is dissolved its property remains with the UPC.

The Rev. Kelley said that the proposed settlement calls for the Greene Valley church to make a cash payment

of \$24,000 to the Presbytery. The church would also pay off mortgages of \$54,725 and \$23,854 which the Presbytery holds on the church educational building and a \$10,000 mortgage on the former church building at Nemaquin, now rented for use by the Head Start program.

In addition, the church would pay the \$1,600 Presbytery assessment for 1980, prior to the church's withdrawal, and a 1980 pledge of \$8,000 which the church made in 1980 to the UPC's Major Mission Fund.

Concert Season Is Ending

WAYNESBURG — The Community Concert Association will present Edmond Karlrud, who has appeared in over 400 Metropolitan Opera performances, and The Men of Song at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, March 21, in the Waynesburg High School auditorium.

The concert will mark the end of the current season for the local concert association. For those who wish to join the association next year, the performance will be offered free of charge to prospective new members.

"We regard the assessment and mission pledge as moral obligations which we still owe," the Rev. Kelley said. He added that the congregation of the church, at a meeting held Sunday, March 7, had approved the proposed settlement.

"The members of our session (elders) and the committee from the Presbytery board of directors decided to try to work out an agreement without our attorneys being involved," the Carmichaels minister said. "We felt that Christians didn't have any business being in court in this kind of case."

A spokesman for the Washington Presbytery confirmed Friday that the proposed settlement was brought before the Presbytery at a meeting on Tuesday, March 9.

"The Presbytery has approved a tentative settlement of property issues resulting from withdrawal of the Greene Valley Church," the spokesman said. He stressed, however, that the settlement is subject to financing arrangements, preparation of final documents, and finally, to a conformation by the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church at its meeting to be held in June at Hartford, Conn.

County Citizens Speak Out Against Mid-Penn

WAYNESBURG — An outspoken group of Greene County citizens have filed two separate complaints with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission against Mid-Penn Telephone Corporation's South Penn District which serves most of Greene County.

One complaint, which contains the names of 2,826 citizens, opposes the rate increase being sought by the phone company. Mid-Penn is asking for a 22.74 percent increase which amounts to \$8.8 million annually.

The complaint claims the increase will produce an excessive return in violation of the Public Utility Code. Also, the protest states, "there are so many service areas within the South Penn District ... that normal phone use obliges subscribers to make a large percentage of toll calls."

Protesters are asking the PUC to suspend the rate hike which could become effective March 27.

The second complaint, which contains the names of 1,975 citizens, charges Mid-Penn with failure to furnish and maintain adequate, efficient, safe and reasonable service by failure to provide reasonably continuous service without unreasonable interruption and by failing to provide timely repair service.

The complaint, authored by attorney Kenneth O. Tompkins II, calls for the PUC to investigate alleged problems with Mid-Penn and to make a detailed study of the firm's plant, equipment and facilities to determine the nature, extent and causes of difficulties experienced by local subscribers.

Local subscribers also demand PUC hearings be held in Waynesburg. The complaint said in part, "To schedule a hearing on a Greene County problem anywhere but in Greene County would be to deny local residents a fair opportunity to be heard and to insure that witnesses would appear."

Although hundreds of citizens have joined the protest movement, Carol J. Webb of 190 South Morgan Street, Waynesburg, is the principal listed on

Arson Blamed In Barn Fire

State police are blaming arson for a fire early Thursday morning that damaged two barns and killed five horses on Route 611 in Richhill Township.

Investigating officer Wayne Fleming reported the fire was set in two barns on property owned Consolidation Coal Co. and used by Ray Anderson of West Finley RD.

Damage was set at \$60,000 to the two barns and \$8,000 for the loss of the five horses due to smoke inhalation.

Anyone with information on the fire are asked to contact the Pennsylvania State Police Fire Marshal at 225-2000 or the arson hotline at 1-800-462-0322. State police say a reward has been offered for information.

the formal complaints. The names of 21 other citizens also are listed, including two protesters from Brownsville. Also included on the list are pharmacists Jack McCracken and Tom Jackovic, attorneys John W. Hardisty and H. Terry Grimes, businessmen Terry Towell and Ray Scott, both of Waynesburg, and Dr. Michael L. Webb Jr.

In the complaint about service, the petitioners charge Mid-Penn operators and public contact personell are often misinforming, unhelpful or argumentative.

Another section of the complaint reads, "Some of the errors might sound humorous to those who are not victimized by them, but they are a constant source of public frustration and exemplify the harassment-by-inefficiency which often forces normally well-tempered people to become enraged..."

Among the 11 separate charges in the complaint is a charge that Mid-Penn has failed to provide efficient pay-phone service and the firm's service deteriorates even further in response to changes in the weather.

The PUC has not scheduled a hearing at this time.

A Thousand Coal Miners Furloughed

WAYNESBURG — Mines in U.S. Steel's Robena Division will be shut down again next week because of a lack of orders for steel.

The company confirmed Friday that it will furlough the approximately 1,000 people employed at the Robena Mine, Robena Slope and Dilworth Mine in Greene County and the Mt. Braddock Mine in Fayette County. The layoff will be effective Monday and is expected to last for one week, but could last longer.

The same mines were furloughed for the same reason during the week of March 1. They reopened this week but worked for just three days.

"At this time, the layoffs are being handled on a week-to-week basis, a U.S. Steel spokesman said. "However the potential is there for the layoffs to last longer."

The spokesman explained that coal from the mines is converted to coke which is used in making steel. With steel orders slackening off, the need for metallurgical coal is declining.

He added that the company is reviewing the situation on a daily basis, with future steel orders dictating the policy regarding recall of employees. The spokesman said only two of the company's 14 blast furnaces are currently operating at U. S. Steel facilities in the Mon Valley. In addition, the Clairton works has only four coke ovens out of 19 running, and they are only operating at three-fourths capacity.

"Everything concerning coal and steel is interrelated," he said.

County Offered Insurance Policy At Cheaper Rates

WAYNESBURG — A Waynesburg insurance agent told Greene County commissioners that he can provide them with a comprehensive insurance policy during the coming year for \$8,000 less than they will be paying for coverage with their present insurance carrier.

William J. Morris, owner of the Morris Agency, said at Thursday's meeting of the commissioners that he could duplicate the county's master policy through the American International Group at an annual cost of \$48,719. It would include, among other things, fire insurance on county buildings, liability insurance, comprehensive coverage, vehicle insurance and professional liability coverage for Curry Home employees.

The unsolicited offer was made to coincide with the Feb.

28 annual renewal date on the county's present coverage with the Continental Insurance Co., provided through the Baily Insurance agency in Waynesburg. The 1982 premium on that policy would be \$56,300.

Morris attended Thursday's meeting to ask if the commissioners had made any decision in the matter. He was told that no action must be taken, but that they have been well satisfied with service provided by the present carrier.

Morris said he had prepared his proposal through examining the present policy on file in the commissioners' office and was confident American International Group policy would exactly duplicate coverage provided by Continental. He also said the county was first told that

its 1982 premium would be \$74,000 and that the quotation was reduced to \$56,300 only after he stepped into the picture.

A member of the Baily agency denied that such was the case. He said the county was notified of the reduction much earlier, adding that it reflected the competitive situation in the insurance field.

He also said it would be impossible to submit a valid proposal based on provisions contained in the original policy without the preparation of specifications reflecting changes which have been made since the policy was issued.

Baily was awarded the county's master coverage four years ago when competitive bids were solicited. The policy was renewed in 1981, without bidding, for a three-year pe-

riod. The 1981 premium amounted to \$69,000.

Also at Thursday's meeting, commissioners were notified by William R. Davis, secretary of the Commonwealth, that Greene County has officially been given sixth class status.

The decision to move from seventh class to sixth class was made by the commissioners in January as a means of increasing by \$1,500 the annual salaries of county officials who are elected in 1983 and thereafter.

Greene County had had the option of being a sixth class county since the 1970 census, when the state Legislature changed the law to provide that any county with population ranging from 35,000 to 45,000 could elect to become sixth class. Greene County is the last of five counties in that

category to exercise the option.

The commissioners approved a contract with certified public accountant John Milinovich to make a financial feasibility study which is required by the Health Systems Agency as part of the county's application for permission to add a

new 48-bed wing to the county nursing home. Fee for the study will depend on the time required to make the study, but the agreement sets the maximum fee at \$6,000.

In a related matter, the commissioners took under advisement a suggestion by Wallover and Mitchell, Curry Home architects, the county

apply for a grant from the Governor's Energy Council for energy-savings improvements at the Curry Home. If the application is accepted, the firm said the county could possibly obtain 50 percent of the cost of window replacement and roof insulation.

Payment of the \$4,500 which the county budget for 1982 to

the Waynesburg Park Commission was approved. The commission is supported jointly by the county and Waynesburg Borough to provide maintenance of the commons on the borough's North Side. The \$4,500 will include \$1,000 for a continuing program of replacing sidewalks in the commons.

Two Lawsuits Are Filed Against Rices Landing Fire Company

WAYNESBURG — The owners of two houses which were damaged in an accident involving a fire truck have brought suits against the Rices Landing Volunteer Fire Company.

The lawsuits were filed in Greene County Court Monday by Mary Matyk, who is asking for \$34,738, and Helen Stofko

Slavina, who is seeking \$1,150. They also asked the court to award them costs and interest from the date of the accident on Dec. 3, 1980.

Mrs. Matyk's house on Bayard Avenue was rammed by the fire truck when the driver, Harold (Hocky) Kline, suffered a fatal heart attack while driving the vehicle to the

scene of a fire. Debris from the Matyk house was thrown into the neighboring Slavina residence. The complaints state that the amounts being sought are what it cost to repair the homes.

The complaints charge that the fire company was negligent in permitting a 78-year-old man to drive the fire truck

under stress conditions "when it should have known he was subject to possible heart failure."

Kline had been a member of the fire company for 55 years and had served as fire chief from 1953 to 1978.

Defense Attorney Requests New Trial For Two Police Officers

WAYNESBURG — An attorney representing Waynesburg Borough Patrolmen Michael Fuller and David Clark argued in Greene County Court Wednesday that a jury which returned a \$27,700 verdict against his clients was improperly influenced by plaintiff's counsel during his closing address.

The civil verdict was returned in November in favor of Kyle Hallam of Graysville R.D.1, who claimed that the two police officers took him to the borough building and beat him after arresting him for failure to respond to several traffic citations.

The jury held that Hallam should receive \$17,700 to cover medical expenses, lost wages, legal expenses and pain and suffering. It awarded another \$10,000 in punitive damages on Hallam's contention that the officers had instituted a malicious prosecution by

charging him with resisting arrest to mask their actions.

Attorney Ray Conway, who represented the two police officers, subsequently filed a motion for judgment "notwithstanding the verdict" and for a new trial. He claimed, among other things, that the verdict was excessive, contending that Hallam's medical expenses amounted to just \$190 and that he had claimed just 10 days of lost work because of his injuries.

One of his principal contentions, as expressed during oral arguments Wednesday, was that Hallam's attorney, Oliver Hormell, had inflamed the jury during closing arguments by characterizing the actions of the officers as "gestapo tactics."

He also argued that Hormell, in telling the jury that his client deserved "thousands and thousands of dollars" on

one occasion and "wants lots of money" on another had violated the legal ban which prohibits an attorney from making any indication to the jury of the amount of money being sought through a lawsuit.

"There was nothing in any of the comments I made to the jury which would justify a new trial," Hormell argued in response. "I happen to have a flair for the dramatic, but so long as an attorney does not take liberties with evidence presented in a case, being dramatic is considered proper practice."

He also argued that the ban on letting a jury know the amount being sought through a lawsuit is "archaic."

"A lot of people in this community have gone through torture because of this case and still are," he told the court in asking that the appeal be dismissed as a means of laying the matter to rest.

County Man Agrees To Repay \$2,505 To State

HARRISBURG — A Greene County resident has pleaded no contest to charges that he had defrauded the state unemployment compensation fund by collecting benefits while working at an unreported job, the state Department of Labor and Industry reported this week.

Bernard Bealko, 46, of Carmichaels R.D.2, agreed to repay the \$2,505 he had illegally accepted. In a separate action, he was fined \$250 plus costs by Magistrate Emil Bertugli.

"In keeping with the Thornburgh administration's efforts to detect and prosecute persons who fraudulently obtain unemployment benefits," said Barry Stern, secretary of the department, "a toll-free hotline has been installed to report suspected cases of claimants illegally collecting jobless benefits."

The toll-free number is 1-800-692-7469, and it is in operation from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Monday through Friday. All information received is confidential.

Pennsylvania law permits those who are collecting unemployment benefits to earn wages, provided that all money earned by promptly reported. Up to 40 percent of the regular weekly benefit amount may be earned without affecting the benefits, but any money earned in excess of 40 percent will be deducted from checks, dollar-for-dollar.

The law allows a fine of up to \$200 and a 30-day jail sentence for each weekly check illegally accepted. The person cannot receive unemployment benefits for a full year from the date of conviction, and if full restitution is not made, a lien can be filed to recover the money.

The stepped-up fraud detection effort produced a 15 percent increase in collections during 1981 over 1980 as well as a 65 percent increase in the number of persons convicted

for defrauding the state UC fund.

During 1981, 973 individuals were convicted of defrauding the unemployment compensation fund, together owing \$1,215,345.

Collection proceedings in 1981 recovered \$2,453,371 from persons who had knowingly accepted benefits to which they were not entitled.

BAND BOOSTERS CLUBS
WAYNESBURG — A meeting of county-wide band booster clubs will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 22, in the meeting room of Gallatin National Bank in Waynesburg.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss problems common to all the groups and to foster a spirit of cooperation and friendliness among the booster organizations in all five county school districts.

Formation of a county-wide organization will be considered at the meeting.

Legislator Feels Legion's Endorsement Is Premature

HARRISBURG — According to state Rep. William DeWeese of Waynesburg, the Pennsylvania American Legion leaders are "signaling a retreat on the issue of veterans' rights" by prematurely endorsing the Republican gubernatorial slate.

A former Marine, DeWeese has released a letter he wrote to the commander of the Pennsylvania American Legion asking "Why the organization could not have waited until the Democratic party had at least announced its ticket, as it did following the Feb. 26-27 weekend endorsement meeting? Only a day or two would have elapsed before our party had selected its slate."

"Besides ignoring the service record of the Democratic gubernatorial nominee Allen Ertel, a U.S. Navy veteran, in favor of the governor's 'pre-

pie" past that shunned military service," DeWeese wrote, "these Legion leaders did not solicit the opinions of their rank and file and as an American Legion member myself, I do not appreciate this arbitrary show of support in his behalf."

DeWeese recited a string of legislative accomplishments in the area of veterans' affairs. DeWeese felt, "It's wrong for the Legion to give the governor exclusive credit for pension increases to blind veterans and for long-planned capital improvements at the Erie Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and for the veterans' home in Hollidaysburg. We in the legislature voted these funding increases — not the governor."

DeWeese continued, "The Legion has also neglected the importance of House Bill 1575,

which Democrats Reps. Cordisco and Belfanti have long been concerned with. This measure would establish the Vietnam Herbicides Information Commission to investigate health problems posed by Agent Orange."

DeWeese pointed out that the administration has been "noticeably silent" on this bill after it gained strong support in the House, passing finally by a vote of 191-1.

Lottery Winners
WAYNESBURG — Major prize winners in the Pennsylvania Lottery during the month of February included Sarah Balsinger of Mather, Anthony Tekely of Nemaquin and David Yanak of Carmichaels, all of whom won \$500.

Biggest winner was Marie Capiot of Carmichaels who won \$5,000.

School District Denies Liability

WAYNESBURG — The Southeastern Greene School District Thursday denied any liability for injuries suffered by a Mapletown High School football player during practice. The district contended its insurance coverage would have taken care of all medical bills if the player's family would have cooperated with the insurance company.

The district filed the statement Thursday in response to a lawsuit brought against the district last year by Victor Shine of Greensboro, parent and guardian of Joseph Shine who was injured.

The 17-year-old youth suffered a fractured vertebrae in

his neck Aug. 13, 1979, while taking part in practice at the high school athletic field. The lawsuit filed on July 20, 1981, asked for damages in excess of \$25,000, stating that the plaintiff's medical bills exceeded that amount. The complaint stated the school district had failed to provide sufficient insurance to cover the costs.

"On the contrary, it is averred that the plaintiffs have refused to cooperate with the district's insurance plan which would have resulted in full payment of all medical expenses," the answer states, adding that the school district "provides adequate health in-

urance to cover ... the general needs of the athletic program."

The district also asked the court to dismiss the claim on the grounds that the cause of action does not fall into any of the eight categories under which a governmental unit can be sued.

Following filing of the complaint in July, the school district asked the court to dismiss the action on the grounds that it did not receive timely notification that the lawsuit was being filed. The Greene County Court dismissed the objections Feb. 25, ordering that an answer be filed within 20 days.

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Waynesburg College Offers Fine Arts For Everyone

WAYNESBURG — If you are an aspiring musician or actor, or if you would just like to learn to play an instrument or sing, Waynesburg College may be the place for you.

While music or drama majors are not offered at the college, all of the components of fine arts training are present, according to Professor James Randolph, who instructs several music courses and directs the college's touring choir — the Lamplighters.

"There are plenty of opportunities for performance here at Waynesburg," Randolph said. "Students can sign up for the Gospel Choir, Lamplighters, and local church choirs. And, as part of our classes, we have the College Choir, Pep Band, Wind Ensemble and Jazz Band."

Allen Emerick, chairman of the Fine Arts Department agreed. "Students here can try anything that is offered.

Since we don't have a major in drama or music, they don't have to worry about competing for a spot with a music major or a drama major," he said.

"My philosophy in teaching music has always been that the arts should be fun," Randolph added.

Students interested in performing can sign up for the college choir, which performs one concert each semester and whose members receive academic credit for participation; the Wind Ensemble, which also gives one performance a semester; the Pep and Jazz Bands, which perform at various sporting events throughout the school year; or the Lamplighters, who perform several concerts in local churches as well as taking an extended tour in the spring, for no academic credit.

In addition to these performing groups, the Fine Arts Department offers

voice classes, private voice lessons, and private piano lessons.

"Sometimes we find students who are really talented taking part in these groups of lessons. It's a great way to develop a gift without feeling pressured into developing a career," Emerick noted. "In this sense, I'm glad we're not offering a music major."

For those students interested in drama and production, the Waynesburg College Players are always on the lookout for new talent and willing hands. The Players generally put on two productions a year. Last semester Thornton Wilder's "Our Town," played to full houses and a musical, "She Loves Me," is under way for the spring.

"The Players are always looking for participants," Emerick noted. "Actors and students interested in the technical side of productions such as set design,

props, costuming, lighting, sound and publicity are always welcome at the

Playhouse."

The music and drama programs at

Waynesburg boast as many as 75 participants each semester.

Middle School Honor Roll Listed

WAYNESBURG — The honor roll for the second nine-week period at the Margaret Bell Miller Middle School in Waynesburg was announced:

EIGHTH GRADE
HIGHEST HONORS — Diana Boyd, Ani Mishra, Rod Rodavich, Joni Rush, Kathy Stoneking.

HONORS — Amy Celento, John Fowler, David Helms, Joselyn King, Heath Lemley, Marjorie Marotta, Anna Parry, Cathy Pavick, Lori Smith, Virginia Stewart, Julie Tewel, Michael Weinberger, Joe Widdup.

HONORS — Todd Berry, Debbie Bortz, Michelle Bowers, Debbie Brumley, Lisa Burich, Jim Cowie, Teresa Cox, Joe Craver, Heather Durkin, Mollie Haney, Ginny Ingram, Darlene Lint, Rhonda Mankey, Kip McConville, Jodie Moore, Marcy Morgan, Jim Phillips, Pam Sheets, Steve Sluck, Lisa Torri, Jenny Varner, Tracy Wallis, Jim Wood, Margie Wood.

SEVENTH GRADE
HIGHEST HONORS — Kevin Amos, Crystal Evans, Amy Gerner, David Glaser, John Hagan, Melissa Kelley, Parwin Khorsandian, Robert LaCount, Bernie Martinielli, Jenny Smith, Tamara Wentzel, Michelle Younkey.

HONORS — Juleen Folman, William Hatfield, Joe Headlee, Amy King, Dreama Mullins, Paul Orbin, Cherie Rumskey, Michelle Skelton, Sheila Wright.

HONORS — Jeff Baird, Tracy Blair, Kristi Davis, DeVonne Doney, Scott Faddis, Pat Fitch, Kathy Gifford, Mary Greenwood, Charlotte Haines, Alex Halow, Jim Herrod, Shirley Holbert, Shari Jarrell, Bill Kazee, Scott Keener, Kathy Mack, Kim Mankey, Ed Marotta, Cheryl McFarland, Judy Mefford, Charles Morris, Kelly Morris, Kim Palmer, Dale Phillips, Kimberly Riley, Mike

Rohanna, Wendy Shriver, Melissa Shultz, Pam Sidebotham, Valerie Simmons, Kevin Wilson.

SIXTH GRADE
HIGHEST HONORS — Scott Adamson, Janet Bolam, Tracy Brown, Mia Celento, Phillip Cook, Eric Fawley, Steve Fowler, Kerry Marisa, Sharon McDougal, Vijay Mishra, Mike Morris, Sean Mosley, Jenny Nalitz, Travis Shultz, LeAnna Sommers, Kelly Sonneborn, Chris Wilson.

HONORS — Janet Barna, Kenny Hope, Pam Knisely, John Lemley, Sandra Lemley, Grant Meacci, Carrie Morris, Shari Pawlosky, Robin Phillips, Amy Remaes, Joey Tennant, Kim Wood.

HONORS — Gabriel Alegria, Ronald Bailey, Kristi Brown, Kelly Brownfield, Andi Buchanan, Billy D'Eleto, Jodi Guffy, Gus Marx, Samantha McHenry, Heather McIlvaine, Jim Milinovich, Jean Parry, Helen Pavick, Chris Phillips, Cindy Pultorak, Lisa Richmond, Becky Ruis, Katrina Snyder, Linda Stafford.

FIFTH GRADE
HIGHEST HONORS — Drew Aires, Kathy Caldwell, Sean Davis, Heather Lemley, Clint Morris, Brian Mudry, Shawn Shultz, Brad Wentzel.

HONORS — Corri Baird, Kathy Bever, Terri Blair, Sherri Hunnell.

HONORS — Christy Barclay, Jenny Blair, Lisa Boudreau, Jason Bowden, Christy Brown, Sharon Burghy, Rusty Cain, Terri Cooley, James Crislip, Lauran Dukale, Wayne Fetterman, Lori Gallagher, Scott Henderson, Lori Herrington, Susie Jenkins, Steve Kleiner, Charles Kowlsen, Robert Lemley, Cheryl Lohr, Tim Mariner, Jennifer Petros, Lisa Raber, Mike Saunders, Jenny Scott, Greg Shipe, Tanjane Siewert, Stacey Stagers, Robert Tennant, Eric Tomlinson.

Greene Community Events

PHILATHEA CLASS
 The Philathea Class of the Jefferson United Methodist Church will have a banquet for area dartball teams on Monday, March 29, it was decided at a recent meeting hosted by Mrs. Mabel Fitch.

ENDS TRAINING
 Navy Seaman Eric D. Wingard of Carmichaels has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

He is a 1978 graduate of Carmichaels High School.

CLASS REUNION
 The Mapletown High School class of 1947 will hold their 35th-year reunion on July 3 at Albert's Restaurant in West Waynesburg.

Former class members who did not graduate with the class are welcome to attend. Reservations should be made with Margaret Kalis of Greensboro or Mrs. Mary Lou Miller Evely of Greensboro R.D.1.

PTO MEETING HELD
 The Penn Pitt-Glassworks Parent-Teachers Organization has elected Beverly Carnamah as president to replace Donna Washko who recently resigned.

The group will sponsor a school picnic on May 28 at Mon View Park and a skating party the last week in March for both schools at Mon View Park.

The regularly scheduled meetings will begin at 1:15 p.m. instead of 1 p.m. from now, PTO president said.

METHODIST WOMEN
 The Jefferson United Methodist Women met recently in the church with Mrs. Patricia Wilson as hostess. The program was in charge of Marjorie Shaffer.

During the business meeting, members were urged to participate in the renewal services which are scheduled for March 1-17 with the Rev. Forrest Rawles as guest speaker. The group will serve a luncheon to the Washington District Council on Ministries on April 24.

It was also announced that the Washington District spring meeting of the United Methodist Women will be held Wednesday, April 21, in the West Washington Church in Washington.

The next meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 6, in the home of Mrs. Jean Broadwater of Mather. Mrs. Lin Bauer will lead the program.

RETURN TO U.S.

Two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Morgan of Waynesburg R.D.3 have returned to the United States following long terms of service in foreign countries.

Linda Morgan has accepted a position with the Center for Neurological Services in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., after serving five years with the Peace Corps in Brazil.

While there, she worked as a physical therapist with the APAE school for indigent, handicapped and retarded children in Aracaju, near the equator.

Her sister, Mary Beth Pastorius, along with her hus-

band Tom and son Tommy, have returned home from Waldorf, West Germany. While living in Germany the last eight years, she was employed as a home economics teacher in several schools for American dependants.

The Pastorius family will reside in Swickley.

BOWLING SCORES
 Pine Bank and Scott's Delite each won three points in Wednesday Night Community Women's League action this past week.

Janice Stils rolled a 204 single and 555 series to pace the Pine Bank team over Watson's Meat. Tammy Miller was top roller for the losers with a 173 single and 455 series.

Trish Fox rolled a 210 single and 483 series to lead the Scott's Delite team over Wayne Lumber. Brenda Cole rolled a 165 single and Chris Shifko tossed a 406 series.

Walton Consumer and Barna's split four points. Beverly Hamilton rolled a 188 single and 465 series for Waltons while Louise Powell had a 176 single and Dianne Toothman, a 457 series for Barna's.

Team 3 forfeited to Brunofsky's with Martha Smaljanovich having a 187 single and Barb Trempus a 484 series for Bruno's.



Jaycee Shooting Team

The seven-member Carmichaels Jaycee shooter's education team will be competing in the western regional competition in Franklin on March 27. Chosen last week on the basis of all-around scores were left to right, first row: Doug Maurin, Jim Maskil and Kelly Rush; second row: Jennifer Phillips; back row: Bill Kalasky, Brian Machesky and Kevin Rush. The program includes boys and girls between 8 and 14 years of age. The state competition will be held in Hamburg.

Observer-Reporter Photo

No Cuts In Nutrition Program

NUTRITION MONTH

Budget cuts may be on the horizon for many government agencies this year, but not for the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP).

EFNEP is designed to assist families with limited resources and has been nationally recognized for its continued success in the field of nutrition education. The U.S. Congress has reaffirmed its commitment to EFNEP programs by increasing the program budget for this year.

Greene County has three nutrition aides who work in the EFNEP program. They are Helen Fonner of Waynesburg, Mary Jane Kent of Wind Ridge and Mabel Miller of New Freeport.

Mrs. Fonner and Mrs. Miller are helping families to help themselves by teaching them how to improve their diets through education and better use of family and community resources. Time is spent with homemakers discussing budget, meal planning and recipes. Demonstrations are used to show how various things are done.

Mrs. Kent works with country youth and nutrition programs. The emphasis of the youth program is on developing awareness of nutrition, encouraging improved diets and influencing family diets.

This successful approach may be the reason for the federal increase in the EFNEP budget. Each state receives a proportionate share of the federal budget. Currently the EFNEP program is active in 59 Pennsylvania counties. The program was initiated in 1969 by Penn State's Cooperative Extension Service in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

March is National Nutrition Month and is a good time



FARM AND HOME NOTES

CAROL A. CHRISTEN
 GREENE COUNTY
 EXTENSION HOME ECONOMIST

for all of us to do some evaluation of our own nutrition. Do you remember the basic four food groups? Here's a quick refresher.

Milk and Milk Products — Young children need three servings; teenagers need four servings, adults need two.

Meat, Fish, Poultry and Beans — All ages need two servings.

Fruits and Vegetables — Children and adults need four servings every day. One serving should be a citrus fruit and at least one should be a dark green or yellow vegetable.

Breads and Cereals — All children and adults should have four servings per day.

We often eat a group of foods that contain fats, sweets and alcohols. Little nutritional benefit is received from them but calories are!

If you balance your daily eating habits according to the Basic Four, you will receive an adequate supply of protein, carbohydrates, fats and most of the vitamins and minerals you need. Knowing these groups and the nutrients they provide, then eating each day according to them, is the wisest way to protect your health.



Contest Winners

Three Carmichaels High School students were prize winners in the regional rehabilitation poster contest sponsored by the governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped. Pictured left to right, Joe Belan, third place; Christina Hanko, first place; Kim Blumish, third place and Robert Watson, art instructor at the high school. Miss Hanko's poster will be judged on the state level.

Class Of 1957 To Hold 25th

The 25th reunion of the Waynesburg High School class of 1957, will be held at 6 p.m., Saturday, July 10 at the Waynesburg Elks Lodge, Greene and Porter Streets.

The reunion committee consisting of James Husk, Patricia Soisson Hughes and Angela Lacava Raitano, is having difficulty obtaining addresses of several class members. Persons having any knowledge of any of the following, should contact Patricia S. Hughes, 2696 Diane Drive, Washington, Pa. 15301.

Jane Price, Thomas Reynolds, Carole Rhinehart, Naomi Schultz, Carolyn Stagers, Gaylord Stagers, Linda Thistlewaite, Margaret Ward.

Lonnie Webster, Louis Moore, James Bernaducci, Theresa Bucciarelli, Janet Carpenter, Carmen Cooper, Charles Craig, Sarah Lantz, John Moore, Marjorie Moore.

Charles Cumberledge, Betty Davis, Charles Donham, James Garretson, Evelyn Grandel, Bonita Graybell, Sue Ann Hartley, Patricia Hilberry, Eleanor Hipala, Donald Morris and Helen Parry.

Pinewood Derby Results

JEFFERSON — Cub Scout Pack 1160, comprised of youths in the Jefferson and Mather areas, recently conducted their annual Pinewood Derby.

The small wooden cars of specified dimensions, are carved by the scouts under the guidance of their parents and raced down a regulation track. The cars are gravity powered.

Winners were Adam Tekavec, first; Jeff Kovach,

second; and Kent Broadwater, third. The first three alternates are Gary McNeely, Damian Virgili and Robert P. Simmons.

The troop is starting a uniform bank for Cub Scouts. Anyone who has a uniform or part of a uniform to donate is asked to contact Robert Simmons at 883-2847 or Mary Lou Broadwater at 883-4844. Uniforms can be picked up or dropped off at the Jefferson Legion Hall from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, March 25.

Girl Of Month

Robin McWilliams, a senior at Carmichaels Area High School, was honored by the Carmichaels Area Women's Civic Club as the March girl of the month.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McWilliams of Carmichaels and is a member of the National Honor Society, the Senior Standing Committee and the Varsity "C" Club.

A member also of the basketball and softball teams, she also named to the Society of Distinguished American High School seniors.

She plans to attend California State College.



ROBIN McWILLIAMS



ENGAGED — Cheryl Demaske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Demaske of Rices Landing, will become the bride of Gary J. Block, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Block of Crucible on July 3.

Miss Demaske, a graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School, is employed at Greenway Manufacturing Co. He fiance, a graduate of Carmichaels Area High School, is a student teacher and will graduate from California State College in May. He is employed part time at Manton Printing.



Lions Project

The Clarksville Area Lions Club recently helped distribute 125 five-pound blocks of government surplus cheese to eligible persons in Clarksville and surrounding areas. Participating, left to right, are Mike Murphy, Al Cromika, president and Clyde Parsons. Standing left to right, Pete Dowlin and Ike Brown. Missing from the group is Brent Williams.

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Township Financial Mess Difficult To Conceive

It's almost inconceivable that a municipality as small as Wayne Township could get into the kind of a financial mess that it faces.

The Greene County township, with a population of less than 1,500 people and an annual budget of less than \$350,000, has been in a state of political upheaval for several years. The climax came at the end of 1981 when it was learned that the three supervisors who left office at that time had left behind unpaid debts of \$58,000 and unpaid loans of \$35,000.

They also bequeathed the new board which took office in January a work force of nine men, by far the largest of any township in the county; a newly-signed labor contract designed to protect the jobs of those men and give them a 10 percent wage increase; a road system badly in need of repairs, and a 17-mill property tax, which is 10 mills higher than any other township in Greene County. (Center Township, with a comparable assessment base and budget, operates on 3½ mills.)

The new board of supervisors promptly furloughed all of the employees and disclaimed the validity of the union contract, as a result of which they face a union claim before the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board of unfair labor practices.

With no money, gasoline or materials on hand, the three supervisors went through the winter attempting to do no more than keep the roads free of snow and passable. They won't be able to do more until the financial situation improves.

On top of this, there were widespread reports that the outgoing board had engaged in illegal practices — reports which were given credence when the township board of auditors last week filed a report surcharging the former supervisors a total of \$18,089.

Through the surcharge, which is a civil court procedure, the township will attempt to recover money for articles which were purchased and cannot be accounted for, for pay collected for work the auditors feel satisfied was not done, and for failure to make required federal and state tax payments.

The new board feels the surcharges by no means cover the misdoings of their predecessors, and still unresolved is the question of whether criminal charges can be sustained.

It's ironic that the three men currently under fire held their office because Wayne Township citizens forced the board which preceded them out of office. One of the three was appointed by the court and the other two got on the board through supervisor appointments to fill two successive vacancies.

Prior to the primary election in 1981, the three men were quoted as stating they had been appointed for the express purpose of straightening out Wayne Township's financial problems, and they bragged that they had done just that. They lost their bids for re-election and the emptiness of their boast has been exposed.

The present board has a responsibility to township residents to recover all that they can. They also have a responsibility to provide good government in the future so that the pattern won't be repeated.

Return Of 17-Year Locust Expected

One of nature's alarm clocks will go off again in Washington, Fayette and Greene counties in late May this year.

After 17 years of obscurity, the periodic cicada (17-year locust) will emerge to complete its life cycle. The 1965 brood was first sighted in the Marianna area, with heaviest populations occurring along the Monongahela River.

The cicada does not eat leaves but can do extensive damage to trees by splitting the young wood during the female's egg laying process. Small twigs and branches are weakened by the egg-laying puncture and often break. Homeowners may wish to protect valuable shrubs and young fruit trees to prevent damage.

Sprays for control should be applied on a seven-to-10 day interval throughout June during the egg-laying period. The recommended spray material for homeowner use is carbaryl (Sevin) 50 percent wettable powder. If properly applied, it will give good control and is safer than many chemicals for home use. It is toxic to honey bees and should not be applied during periods of bee activity.

Each female can deposit from 400 to 600 eggs during the month-long egg-laying period. The young will hatch in from six to seven weeks, drop to the ground and burrow into the soil to suck sap from tree roots for the next 17 years. Fully grown nymphs can already be found working their way into the top four to six inches of soil.

Extension specialists at Penn State anticipate that Brood V will reach moderate levels throughout most of our area. Even though females prefer to lay eggs in oak, hickory, apple, peach, pear and grape, delaying planting these and other plant materials until next year was not recommended.

With proper care, injury to trees can be minimal.

To Select New Officer

WAYNESBURG — Wayne appoint a police officer to fill a burg Borough Council will vacancy created earlier this hold a special meeting at 7:30 year by the resignation of Pa. p.m. Wednesday, March 31, to trolman Terry Livingston.

Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



National Guard Takes Hike

Members of Company K, 110th Infantry, stationed in Waynesburg, are shown here just prior to World War II while on a training march from the armory to the Greene County Fairground. Identified in the foreground are Robert Moore, Robert Inghram, James (Duke) Haines and Harold Cowell. They later trained at Indiantown Gap.

District Withdrawing From National Lunch Program

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — The Central Greene School District has decided to combat rising deficits in its cafeteria operation by withdrawing from the National School Lunch Program.

In doing so, it will give up federal subsidies and the free and reduced-price meals the program provides.

It will be replaced next fall by an "a la carte" program which will give students a number of lunch choices at a price determined by what it costs the district for labor and food.

The school board, which approved the move at its meeting Tuesday, expects the new program to be much more attractive to students and thus increase participation and reduce its cafeteria staffing requirements. It is also expected to eliminate the food waste it feels is inherent in a program that forces the district to offer full servings of five items in a fixed menu.

While the Central Greene School District is not alone in being forced to use local tax revenues to subsidize its lunch program it is, so far as can be determined, the first district in this area to give up on the traditional "Class A lunch" which first came into being with passage in 1946 of the National School Lunch Act.

A check of other school districts in Greene County indicates that all of them are having increasing problems financing their cafeteria programs, but none has reached the point being experienced in Central Greene.

Business Manager Walter Stout said it required nearly \$70,000 to subsidize the program during the 1980-81 school year. This year, he estimated, the cafeteria fund will require a contribution of about \$100,000 from the general fund.

Dr. Ronald Ferrari, district superintendent, noted in his presentation to the board that the federal program was established to provide both cash and commodity assistance to school districts that wanted to serve lunches at, or below, cost to children. It was set up on a non-profit, no-loss basis.

"It is a classic example of an entitlement program which started small, achieved worthy results, but grew to dimensions never initially envisioned," Dr. Ferrari said. "The no-loss premise, although laudable, has been difficult to achieve due to the fact that state and federal subsidies needed to support the program have fallen while, at the same time, labor and food costs have risen dramatically."

He added that approximately 40 school districts in Pennsylvania and 1,500 nationally have dropped out of the program since federal budget cuts went into effect a little more than a year ago.

As an example of Central Greene's problem, Stout said the district served a total of 28,085 student lunches, for an average of 1,652 per day in January. Of these, 17,705 paid full price — 75 cents at the secondary level and 65 cents in the elementary schools. Of the balance, 8,870 were free lunches and 1,507 reduced-price lunches.

Subsidies are currently being received at a rate of 10½ cents for a paid lunch, 58½ cents for a reduced price lunch and 98½ cents for a free lunch. But it is costing the district about \$1.25 to prepare and serve the meal.

Under the "a la carte" program, the district expects to be able to reduce its cafeteria staff from 27½ full-time employees to about eight full-time and 10 part-time employees. Employees will be furloughed on the basis of seniority.

The "a la carte" program will be based on a food preference survey conducted among students at each school. Each school will provide students with a number of choices for lunch (hamburgers, french fries, salad, hoagies, fish sandwiches, fruit, etc.). They would be charged for each item purchased, according to what it cost to prepare.

"We will attempt to operate on a break-even basis and keep prices as low as possible," the business manager said.

Other school districts in the county, while smaller, are experiencing the impact of rising costs in varying degrees. Officials said the key to solvency lies with a high percentage of student participation in the lunch program, which precludes raising prices to the point where a break-even point can be reached.

Carmichaels Area

In the Carmichaels Area School District, Business Manager Louis Pascuzzo said the school board has been forced to subsidize the payment of utility costs and employee benefits out of the general fund, which amounts to between \$20,000 and \$30,000 per year. The district charges 75 cents for a lunch and could get along with participation of between 60 and 70 percent.

But the average of 670 lunches served per day constitutes less than 50 percent participation. They include 393 paid lunches, 241 free lunches and 36 reduced-price lunches. The district has seven full-time and six part-time cafeteria employees. It is currently considering the possibility of hiring a food management firm to take over the program.

Jefferson-Morgan District

Forrest Cottle, business manager of the Jefferson-Morgan School District, estimated the school lunch program will require about \$40,000 in subsidization this year, even with 60 percent participation. He estimated it will cost about \$1.50 to prepare a meal which is sold for 90 cents in the high school and 80 cents in the elementary school.

The district serves on an average of 800 meals per day, of

which 220 are free or reduced-price meals. There are 13 people employed, some of whom are part-time, in preparing and serving the meals.

Southeastern Greene District

The Southeastern Greene School District serves an average of some 800 meals per day, of which 25 percent are free or reduced-price. This figures out to about 70 percent participation and Assistant Superintendent Charles Wyda said the district in prior years has always operated its lunch program "in the black." This year, however, he anticipates a deficit of about \$8,000, which will be partially offset by a carry-over surplus from last year.

Southeastern Greene lunch prices are the lowest in the county, being 65 cents at the high school and 60 cents in the elementary school, with five cents being cut from the price for students who buy a weekly lunch ticket. The district employs 12 people in the cafeteria program and estimates that it is currently loses approximately \$50 per day in running the program.

West Greene District

The West Greene District, with 74 percent participation in its lunch program, appears to be in the best financial position of any district in the county. Superintendent Elliott LeFaiver said the district loaned \$37,000 to the cafeteria program several years ago, but that it should be possible to repay some \$10,000 of that loan at the end of this school year.

He said that of the 632 students who participate, about 50 percent are eligible for free or reduced-price lunches.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

One of the big song hits of an earlier generation ran something as follows:

"A little bit of heaven fell from out of the sky one day and it settled on the island of Ireland so many miles away."

The song has mostly been forgotten by inhabitants of a jet age that exists in modern America.

But, according to word received from Largo, Florida, where the annual Greene County Night was started several years ago there was a sort of celestial touch to this year's event as natives and former residents of Greene County renewed old friendships and started new ones as they gathered for another day of pleasant reminiscing of life as it was lived in this southwestern corner of western Pennsylvania years ago.

There was also a distinct "town and gown" touch to this year's conclave by the presence of many former students and graduates of Waynesburg College who joined with the former townspeople in reliving for a few happy hours the days of years gone by. Many of them were of mutual interest to both segments of the entire group.

Among the well known participants in the sports history of Waynesburg College now living in Florida and who attended the Greene County Night gathering was Moe Scarry. He played both football and basketball at Waynesburg prior to World War II. He never returned as an undergraduate but became a professional football player and later a coach.

Besides starting his education at Waynesburg, he also met his future wife, the former Elizabeth Sears from Moundsville, W. Va. They later returned here with their family of several sons and daughters when Scarry returned here for a three year coaching stint and built the foundation for the Waynesburg team which won the school's first national football championship after he had joined the ranks of the professional mentors.

Among those still living in Waynesburg who made the trip to the Florida get-together were James (Duke) and Betty Haines and Kenneth and Peggy (Scott) Milliken.

Long time Waynesburgers now living elsewhere but making the trip to Florida included among many Henry Dembo and his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. William Dembo and his sister, Pearl, all of suburban Washington D.C.

Others attending the 1982 edition of the Greene County Night in Florida included Frank (Pete) Ullom and his wife, Ellen, Glenn and Mae Cosgray, John and Hilda Blair, William and Evelyn Funk, Tom Brown, James and Juniata Bryan, Bob and Cora Marie (Ross) Carroll, Everett Baily, Harold (Bud) Moore, Donovan and Janet Moore, Ed and Delores Cowie, Marshall and Alfretha (Blair) Lemley, the originators of the annual reunion.

Also, James Elliott, Jack and Virginia Brummage, William Ross, Shirl and Margaret Headlee, William Bracey, Ross and Beverly McCracken, Francis and Edna Brickett, Ralph and Evelyn Lightner.

Dr. Albert and Eileen Blair, Harry and Faye Smalley, Stanley and Artus Headley, Richard and Wilma Hathaway, James and Ruth Davis, Gene and Helen Downer, Samuel and Jeanette Iams, Robert (Dave) and Patty King, Robert and Sue King, C. E. (Bud) Baldwin, Loretta Bruno, Louise Weaver, Glise and Betty Mariner, Glenn and Pat Roher, Carl and Hazel Stockdale, Ean Bissett, Randolph and Margaret Stockdale, Joseph and Margaret Rose, Owen and Wanda Flynn.

Kathy Thomas, H. Vance and Marjorie J. Day, Jack and Libbie Fritz, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Stewart, Marvin and Althea Stewart, Sam and Mary (Libb) Huffman, Jack Bell, Judson Bell, William and Alice Bell, Mike and Virginia Baker, Bill and Marge Bracy.

William and Mildred Turner, James and Ruth Huffman, William and Clarice Patterson, Marjorie Carpenter, Rita Bealko, George and Hazel Stockdale.

William and Nedra Zahniser, Norma Brewer, Henry and Jan Dembo, Albert and Lena Zimmerman, Ruth Katowskis, Asa and Mildred Wiley, Dudley and Jayne Ranier, John and Hazel Areford, Kenneth and Peggy Milliken, Carter Funk, John Carroll, Jerry and Bonny Areford, Charles and Elliott, Lemar Watson.

AROUND THE TOWN

By The Staff

Mrs. Alice G. Troutman of Waynesburg has returned home after spending the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Wayne McCoy of Dayton, Ohio, where Dr. McCoy is pastor of the Presbyterian church.

She also visited at the home of her son, Phillips Troutman and family at Atlanta, Ga., where Mr. Tourman is in the technical department of the Weyerhaeuser Co., a national producer of wood products.

A brief electrical storm passed through Waynesburg about 9 p.m. Tuesday but did not cause any damage.

The Waynesburg office of the State Transportation Department has been battling a large slip on Route 19 about two miles north of Waynesburg. Thousands of tons of clay soil is involved, and it may require several months before the situation can be returned to normal.

The death Saturday, March 13, of Saa M. McMasters of West Waynesburg marked the passing of another member of the World War I roster of Company K, 110th National Guard, which participated in several major battles during the last six months of the war in France during 1918.

Mrs. Helen Clark Moore, well-known resident of Waynesburg's South Side, has been hospitalized this week with a bronchial ailment but is considerably improved. She was formerly employed in the restaurant at the former Fort Jackson Hotel.

The expression "Grow With Coal" has been selected as the slogan for the 1982 state Bituminous Coal Show to be held Aug. 21-28 at Carmichaels. It is held under auspices of the King Coal Association, composed of public spir-

ited residents of that area who work as volunteers in staging the event.

The 1981 coal queen, Lisa Elek, and the queen committee chairman, Connie Morris, will attend a dinner and other functions at Harrisburg on April 23, where they will meet Governor Thornburgh.

Paula Benion and Missy Chess of Carmichaels will represent Greene County in a statewide basketball foul shooting tournament at Pennsylvania State University on March 27 as representatives of the John F. Kennedy Council of the Knights of Columbus. They are pupils at Carmichaels Area High School.

Only a few splintered oak beams and heavy stones from the old mill dam are left from Greene County's Reese's Mill two miles west of Waynesburg. It was cleared out to make room for a railroad that will be built through the Reese farm to coal from new mines being built on the northwestern part of the county.

The Reese two-story brick homestead across the highway from the dam has also been sold to the railroad company by Robert Reese of State College.

Two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morgan of Waynesburg R.D.3 have returned to the United States after long terms of public service overseas.

After serving for vice years with the Peace Corps in Brazil, Linda Morgan has accepted a position with the Center for Neurological Services at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. While in South America she worked with a physical therapist at the APAE school for indigent, handicapped and retarded children near the equator.

Her sister, Mary Beth Pastorius, along with her husband Tom and their son

Tommy, have returned from Walldorf, West Germany. During their eight years there, Mrs. Pastorius was a home economics teacher in several schools for American students. The Pastorius family is now living at Sewickley.

St. Patrick's Day in Waynesburg again recalled exciting memories for many Greene Countians of the disastrous floods which struck on that date in 1936 in the

three-river area of the Monongahela, Allegheny and Ohio.

Two Waynesburg truck owners, Walter Bruce and Dennis Loughman, both now deceased, were among the first to reach people at Wheeling with clothing and food which was donated by Waynesburg residents. Their efforts centered around the island end of the steel bridge, an expression heard so often it became a byword for weeks after the flood had subsided.

Plan Activities

WAYNESBURG — Senior citizen groups in Greene County are planning the following events during the week of March 22:

CARMICHAELS

Craft classes will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday and Thursday and also 1 p.m. on Tuesday. Exercise classes are set for 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday and Friday. Francis Lemley, the para-legal representative, will be available at 11:30 a.m. Monday. A card party with Julia Ketz is scheduled for 7 p.m. Wednesday.

Hostesses for the week are Mary Ringer and Ruby Krossinger. Those needing transportation are asked to call 966-2290 for reservations.

An Easter dinner-dance will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday, April 1. A free concert by the Uniontown 43-piece orchestra will be given at 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 13.

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Daily activities include quilting from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; meals at 11:45 a.m. and pool at 12:30 p.m. On Monday, the craft class will meet at 9:30 a.m.; ceramics will be taught from 1 to 3 p.m. and a local shopping trip begins at 1 p.m. Reservations should be made by calling 627-6778. A free health screening is available by calling 627-6366 for an appointment.

On Tuesday, the discussion group will meet at 10:30 in the Presbyterian Church; a sing along with Otto Hohing and Charles Williamson at 11 a.m. and a representative of the assistance office will be at the center to help citizens fill out fuel rebate cards.

On Wednesday, there will be singing with Kathryn Ross at the piano at 10 a.m. and bowling at 1 p.m.

On Thursday, there will be a movie from Operation Outreach at 1 p.m. This week's presentation is "Gigi." Friday activities include a visit to the Curry Home at 12:30 p.m. but members must register on Thursday. Francis Lemley, the para-legal rep, will be at the center from 11:30 to 12:30 p.m.

Looking ahead, the center will sponsor a trip to the Century III mall on Tuesday, April 6. The trip will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and will cost \$9 per person. Ten riders are necessary to finalize the trip. The trip is not limited to senior citizens.

Basinger, Edwards Put On The Perfect Touch

By DENISE BACHMAN
O-R Sports Staff
CALIFORNIA — They are in a class by themselves.

Jeff-Morgan's Gary Basinger (98) and Charleroi's Jim Edwards (167) were crowned WPIAL District 7 Class AA Champions Saturday night at California State College's Hamer Hall in their respective weight classes.

Granted, 10 other wrestlers, including six from the Washington-Greene County area, also captured WPIAL titles, but unlike Basinger and Edwards, none of them can boast perfect records.

Basinger, who scored a 6-2 decision over Northgate's Dave Wisniewski in the finals, will take a 26-0 record to the PIAA Wrestling Championships in Hershey, Pa., while Edwards, who pinned Mapletown's Chris Homistek at 2:30, upped his record to 24-0.

"He's worked a long time for that," said Jeff-Morgan head coach Tony Barbeta, referring to Basinger's WPIAL title. "This year he worked hard and overcame injuries and other obstacles."

"He's a changed individual, he wanted to wrestle. He went to states three times and watched."

Teammate Al Starastanko (185), who entered the tournament with just one loss, to Edwards, notched his 26th win and joined Basinger as the Rockets' other champion, beating Jeannette's Charles Cook 10-0.

"Albert wrestled a good, sound match

and didn't take any chances," Barbeta said. "I knew if he got past (Kittanning's Steve) Gould (in the first round), he could win."

"It's just great having two WPIAL champions. I'm real proud of both of them."

Neither the perfect record nor the WPIAL title came easily for Edwards, who will attend Indiana State at Terra Haute on a football scholarship next year, even though he was just as impressive in the finals as he was in the first round.

"I practiced three times a day for the past two weeks, lifting weights and running," said Edwards, who also pointed out that he had to lose 25 pounds to get down to 167. "I finally got in tip-top shape. That's why it seems that I can keep going. I feel a lot stronger than in the beginning of the season."

Edwards doesn't put much emphasis on his perfect record, but it has increased his confidence.

"I'm going to go up to Hershey with the attitude of doing my best and not let anything bother me," Edwards said. "I didn't relax one bit in the finals because by winning you get into an easier bracket at states. And I'd really like to get the first state championship at Charleroi."

Even though Charleroi has one chance for a state title this year, Waynesburg Central, the Class AA Team runnerup, will have a shot for four, which is the most entries from any

Double-A team in the WPIAL.

The Red Raiders produced two winners in Ed Shriver (126) and Todd Eddy (132), while Greg Eddy (105) and John Kuntz (145) were runnersup.

"We'd like one or two more, but it's tough," Waynesburg head coach Joe Ayersman said. "We're well-satisfied."

It was especially satisfying for Todd Eddy, who was sidelined for a month with mononucleosis. He still entered regionals with an impressive 18-1 record, and had no trouble with Richland's Gary Piehler in the finals, securing a 10-0 win.

"When I came back, I was at 138," Eddy said. "I was beating pretty decent guys then, so I knew I had a pretty good shot at winning regionals."

"I feel great now, both mentally and physically. I definitely want to place in the top three at states."

Teammate Shriver totally dominated his opponent, top-seeded Rick Sanders of Swissvale, too, building a 19-3 lead before pinning Sanders at 5:47. It was Shriver's third pin in as many matches for Shriver in the tournament.

"I thought if there was an outstanding wrestler award given, Shriver would get it," Ayersman said. "He's had a heck of a tournament and he looked terrific tonight (Saturday). He's a hard worker and deserving of the championship."

"I just went out after him (Sanders)," Shriver said. "I knew I had as good a shot as him. When you get this far, it doesn't matter where they're seeded,

it's going to be tough."

Washington's Lonnie Barnes (138) and Jim Frazier (155) proved that. Both struggled early in their matches but came on strong toward the end in defense of their titles.

Kittanning's Pete Picardi held a slim 3-2 lead at the end of the first period, but Barnes put any possibilities of an upset to rest in the second period. Barnes, who has suffered just one loss all season (30-1), went up 7-5, and never trailed again.

"I give the kid credit," Barnes said. "He really came out after me and woke me up, especially when he took me down."

"I still have more confidence now than I did last year. I know now what it takes to be a state champion."

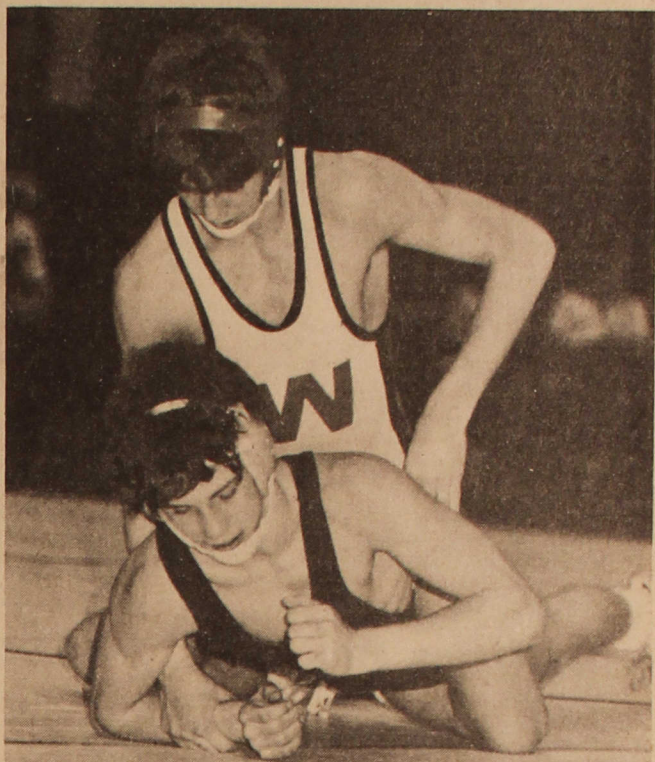
According to Washington head coach Bill Solominsky, Picardi was a big help to Barnes in his quest for a state championship.

"He's one of the toughest kids Lonnie's wrestled," Solominsky said. "He needed a match like that. He hasn't had many guys push him."

Frazier's title was also in jeopardy. The decisive points weren't scored until just 19 seconds remained as Frazier picked up a reversal to edge Carmichaels' Bill Mundell, 7-6.

"Most of the pressure was gone in the final round," Frazier said, "and I didn't wrestle as good as I have been, but I still won."

Beth-Center's Marc Bartolomucci (112) was the only local wrestler to win a championship, holding off Avella's Rich Harris, 9-7.



Waynesburg's Todd Eddy (top) makes it difficult for Richland's Gary Piehler to take control.



WPIAL Class AA Champions

Pictured above are the recently crowned WPIAL Class AA champions. In the front row (from left) are: Gary Basinger (98-Jeff-Morgan); Larry LeGrand (105-South Park); Marc Bartolomucci (112-Beth-Center); Scott Heim (119-Richland); Ed Shriver (126-Waynesburg) and Todd Eddy (132-Waynesburg). Second row: Lonnie Barnes (138-Washington); Mike Dudek (145-Kittanning); Jim Frazier (155-Washington); Jim Edwards (167-Charleroi); Al Starastanko (185-Jeff-Morgan) and Roy Hall (heavyweight-Jeannette).

AA Regionals

- WPIAL Class AA Tournament**
- 98-G. Basinger (Jeff-Morgan) d. Cleare (Riverview) 13-3; Iapennema (South Park) 11-3; Hartzell (West Greene) 10-3; Fuzua (Washington) 8-5; Wisniewski (Northgate) dec. Watkins (Charleroi) 12-2.
 - 105-King (McGuire) pinned Flament (Charleroi) 3:40; G. Eddy (Waynesburg) dec. Canian (Richland) 11-3 (major); Corman (Kittanning) dec. Main (Beth-Center) 4-3; LeGrand (South Park) pinned Foster (Avonworth) 11-3.
 - 112-Throckmorton (Waynesburg) pinned Nelson (Kittanning) 3:22; Harris (Avella) dec. Lynch (WM South) 6-2; (Avella); Bartolomucci (Beth-Center) dec. Anwe (Washington) 6-5; Wandrico (Canevin) dec. Strinsky (South Allegheny) 12-0.
 - 119-Heim (Richland) dec. D. Hall (Jeannette) 15-3 (superior); Hornickel (Beth-Center) dec. Slaven (Fort Cherry) 14-7; Gaudi (McGuire) dec. Manderano (Mapletown) 4-2; Small (Kittanning) dec. DeAugustino (WM South) 12-0 (superior).
 - 126-Sanders (Swissvale) won by forfeit; Roberts (Riverview) dec. Walters (West Greene) 8-1 OT (2-2 reg.); Shriver (Waynesburg) pinned Rabold (Richland) 1:01; Turner (Burgettstown) dec. McGovern (Boyle) 16-1 (superior).
 - 132-T. Eddy (Waynesburg) dec. Bonzo (Freedom) 4-2; Simonelli (Avella) dec. Mihoces (WM South) 12-9; Jeff Frazier (Washington) pinned Campbell (Charleroi) 1:24; Piehler (Richland) pinned Smith (German) 2:41.
 - 138-Barnes (Washington) pinned Patterson (Riverview) 1:24; Gerace (Waynesburg) dec. Bikel (WM South) 7-5; Grondowski (Jeannette) dec. Pelronka (McGuire) 6-1; Picardi (Kittanning) dec. Mc Knight (Jeff-Morgan) 8-1.
 - 145-Dudek (Kittanning) pinned Johnston (S. Allegheny) 3:41; Garrison (Washington) pinned Goetsch (Beth-Center) 4-43; Kuntz (Waynesburg) dec. Culewitz (McGuire) 16-9; Veltoro (Jeannette) dec. Peck (Northgate) 8-2.
 - 155-Jim Frazier (Washington) pinned Carr (Swissvale) 1:47; Closser (West Greene) pinned Clawson (Kittanning) 1:53; L. Hall (Jeannette) pinned Kramer (Avonworth) 4-6; Mundell (Carmichaels) dec. Shaffer (Edorton) 21-7.
 - 167-J. Edwards (Charleroi) pinned Midea (Washington) 5:34; Helbig (Freedom) dec. Virgin (Jeff-Morgan) 9-8; Homistek (Mapletown) pinned Moyer (South Park) 11-3; Piehler (Northgate) won by forfeit.
 - 185-Starastanko (Jeff-Morgan) pinned Whoolery (Fort Cherry) 1:27; Gould (Kittanning) dec. Montalbano (Swissvale) 13-5; Carter (South Fayette) pinned Levato (Freedom) 5:02; Cook (Jeannette) dec. Blazus (Beth-Center) 3-0.
 - Hvy-R. Hall (Jeannette) pinned Altmeyer (Avonworth) 3:42; Schoenes (Kittanning) dec. Gardner (Beth-Center) 3-1; Manley (West Greene) pinned Golschalk (Freedom) 4:33; Ozenbaugh (Avella) pinned McConville (Swissvale) 3:36.
- WPIAL Class AA Regionals Finals**
- 98-Gary Basinger (Jefferson-Morgan) d. Closser (West Greene) 10-0 (Northgate) 6-2.
 - 105-Larry LeGrand (South Park) pinned G. Eddy (Waynesburg) 5:29.
 - 112-Marc Bartolomucci (Beth-Center) dec. Rich Harris (Avella) 9-7.
 - 119-Scott Heim (Richland) dec. Rich Gaudi (McGuire) 8-4.
 - 126-Ed Shriver (Waynesburg) pinned Rick Sanders (Swissvale) 5:47.
 - 132-Todd Eddy (Waynesburg) dec. Gary Piehler (Richland) 10-0 (major).
 - 138-Monnie Barnes (Washington) dec. Pete Picardi (Kittanning) 13-4.
 - 145-Mike Dudek (Kittanning) dec. John Kuntz (Waynesburg) 12-8.
 - 155-Jim Frazier (Washington) dec. Bill Mundell (Carmichaels) 7-6.
 - 167-Jim Edwards (Charleroi) pinned Chris Homistek (Mapletown) 3:20.
 - 185-Albert Starastanko (Jefferson-Morgan) dec. Charles Cook (Jeannette) 10-0 (major).
 - Hvy-Roy Hall (Jeannette) dec. Larry Mankey (West Greene) 7-2.
- Semifinals**
- 98-Basinger (Jeff-Morgan) dec. Iapennema (South Fayette) 8-5; Wisniewski (Northgate) pinned Hartzell (West Greene).

Haines Bows In NCAA Meet

AMES, Iowa — The University of Pittsburgh's 150-pounder Doug Haines, a former Waynesburg Central High School wrestler, was defeated by Wes Roper of the University of Missouri in the first round of the NCAA Division I wrestling championships Thursday at Iowa State University.

Roper scored a 13-3 major decision.

PIAA Wrestling

PIAA WRESTLING SCHEDULE
Wednesday March 17
Workout (4 p.m.)
Registration (5 p.m.)

Thursday March 18
Class AA Weigh-ins (6 a.m.)
Late Registration (8 p.m.)
Class AA Preliminaries (9 a.m.)
Class AA Quarterfinals (2 p.m.)
Class AA Consolations (4:30 p.m.)
Class AA Weigh-ins (4:30 p.m.)
Class AAA Preliminaries (7 p.m.)

Girls Enter State Finals

CARMICHAELS — Paula Benion and Missy Chess, representing the John F. Kennedy Council, Knights of Columbus, in Carmichaels have qualified for the state finals of the basketball free throw contest to be held at State College on March 27.

Wrestling Roundup

CALIFORNIA — For many, their dreams were abruptly shattered.

But for Marc Bartolomucci, the dream of reaching the PIAA Wrestling Tournament is still a reality.

The sophomore from Beth-Center High School held off Washington's Randy Agnew, 6-5, in their 112-pound bout at the WPIAL District 7 Class AA wrestling tournament at California State College last night to advance to the semifinals, which begin at 12:30 p.m. today. Finals are scheduled to begin at 7:30 tonight.

Waynesburg, the WPIAL Class AA team runnerup, dominated the first round of competition last night, advancing all six of its wrestlers.

John Throckmorton (112) and Ed Shriver (126) recorded falls, while Greg Eddy (105), Todd Eddy (132), Bill Gerace (138) and John Kuntz (145) all picked up decisions for the Red Raiders.

"We couldn't have hoped for anything better," Waynesburg head coach Joe Ayersman said. "We just come to wrestle and hope for the best. But today we're really going to have to wrestle."

"Todd Eddy, Gerace and Kuntz had to fight to the end. They won but they had to struggle. But Throckmorton, Shriver and Greg Eddy looked real good."

Jeff Frazier (132), Lonnie Barnes (138), Bill Garrison (145) and Jim Frazier (155) all survived for the Little Presidents, with each one notching pins.

Avella came out of the first round with all three of its entries still in the running for a trip to Hershey.

Rich Harris (112) and Dean Simonelli (132), both runnersup at the section tournament last weekend, won by 6-2 and 12-9 decisions, respectively. Heavyweight Vince Ozenbaugh, who pinned all three of his opponents en route to winning the section title, pinned Swissvale's

Chuck McConville at 3:36.

Although Ozenbaugh's victory came as no surprise to head coach Jay Hochenbrock, he wasn't as sure of Harris and Simonelli.

"They did better tonight than I thought they would," Hochenbrock said. "I think they'll have confidence today, but it's going to be a lot tougher. Today's all mental and they're wrestling the No. 1 seeds."

Other local wrestlers to advance to the semifinals included Jeff-Morgan's Gary Basinger (98) and Al Starastanko (185); West Greene's Jeff Hartzell (98), Arleigh Closser (155) and heavyweight Larry Mankey; Charleroi's Jim Edwards; Burgettstown's Adrian Turner (126); Carmichaels' Bill Mundell (155); McGuire's Rich King (105) and Rich Gaudi (119); Beth-Center's Howard Hornickel (119) and Mapletown's Chris Homistek (167).

A Pair Of Dreams For State Title

By TOM ROSE
O-R Sports Editor

CALIFORNIA — With the start of each wrestling season Buzz Walters hopes it will end with the magic that has escaped him.

For the past 22 years Walters has been the head wrestling coach at tiny West Greene High School. They've been fruitful seasons — his career record is now 186-93-3 — but they've all ended prematurely.

That is, the Pioneers have never won an individual state championship.

So it's not surprising to see Walters wriggle in his seat, twisting about in what appears to be an effort to transmit a hold to his wrestler on the mat by telepathy.

And he was at his best here Friday night, squirming about as he watched three of four West Greene wrestlers advance to today's (12:30 p.m.) semifinal round of the WPIAL Class AA Tournament at California State College's Hamer Hall.

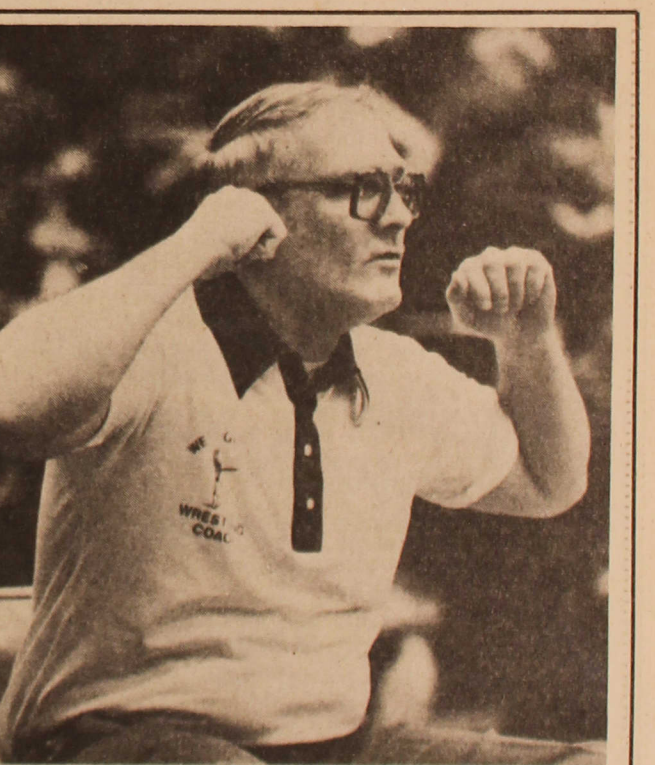
Ironically, the only Pioneer wrestler to lose in the first round was Walters' son Rikk, who dropped an 8-1 overtime decision to John Roberts of Riverview.

"Yeah, I was a little excited to tonight," Walters said with a grin. "It's been a little dry spell since we've had someone get to state from West Greene so I'll fight like crazy to get someone there."

The last West Greene wrestler to appear in the PIAA Tournament was Scott Orndoff and that was five years ago. But this is just another step up the ladder here. The key will come Saturday.

That's when Scott Hartzell (98), Arleigh (you call him Scuffy) Closser (155) and heavyweight Larry Mankey will try to end the Pioneers' PIAA drought and earn a trip to Hershey. But Walters couldn't hide a tinge of disappointment over his son's defeat in overtime.

"He just didn't wrestle. He wasn't ready for the overtime," Walters said. "But he's a good boy and a hard



An intense Buzz Walters watches action Friday night at the WPIAL Class AA regionals.

worker and he's a good boy to coach. Sure, I want my boy to excel but I want 11 other kids on the team to excel too!"

While West Greene's Walters is looking for the wrestler to unlock the door to a state championship, Charleroi High School may have the skeleton key in senior Jim Edwards.

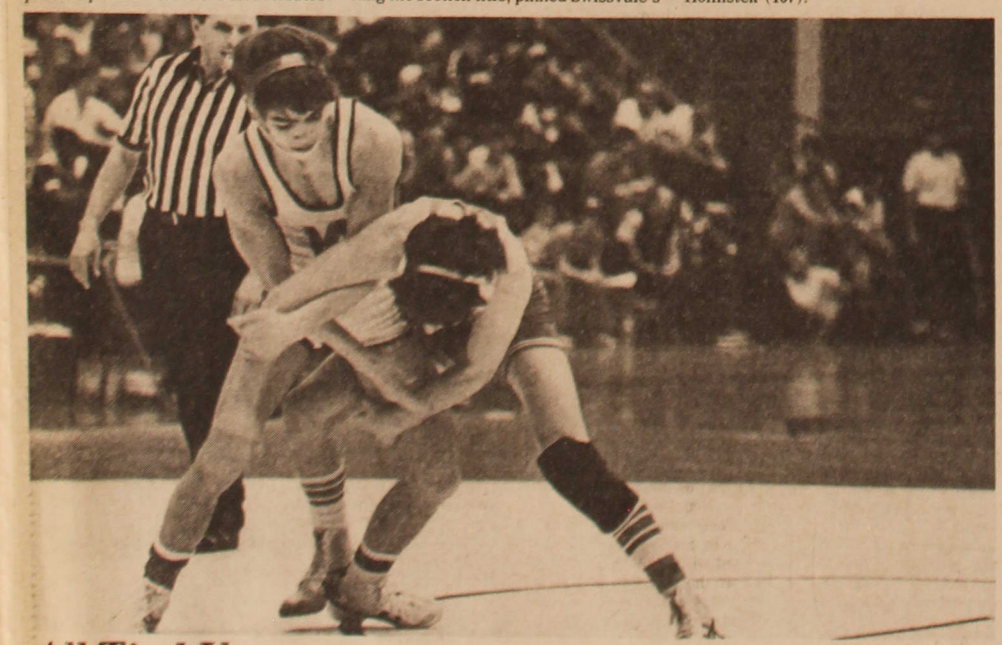
While Edwards has already signed a letter-of-intent to play football at Indiana State University (Terre Haute) he has also dominated the 167-pound weight class in the WPIAL to this point, raising his overall record to 22-0 with a third period fall over Washington's John Midea.

"We've had Derek Santini and Ron Nutt win WPIAL championships at Charleroi but we've never had anyone

as capable of winning it all as Jim," Charleroi head coach Lee Hall said. "Guys like him come along once in a hundred years. I'm just lucky to be coaching him."

Hall has worked with Edwards in both sports and agrees with Edwards' decision to pursue football in college. But both Edwards and Hall seem pointed only in the direction of the wrestling tournaments at this time.

"We talked about it and the only reason he's going into football is, to be realistic, because that's where the best opportunities are," Hall said. "In wrestling where can you get if you make it big? You get to be a coach. "But if he has problems in football the wrestling will be waiting for him." He has the kind of talent you just can't take away."



All Tied Up

Waynesburg's John Throckmorton (left) and Ken Nelson of Kittanning try to escape each other's grasp in their 112-pound bout. Throckmorton came up the winner, however, pinning Nelson at 3:22.

Repairs Hinge On Mine Sale

WAYNESBURG — The Central Greene School Board is planning a complete renovation of its East Franklin Elementary School if proposed sale of U.S. Steel's Cumberland Mine in Whiteley Township is completed in 1982.

The estimated million dollars in realty transfer taxes which the district could expect to receive from the sale, combined with revenues the district received last year when the Cumberland reserves of Pittsburgh coal were sold, would provide all the money the district would need to carry out the \$1.8 million project.

Negotiations between U.S. Steel and Standard Oil of Ohio have been under way for a year, with reports indicating the mine would bring about \$100 million. When Sohio purchased the reserve coal in 1981, the district received \$900,000 through its realty

transfer tax.

"We have already set aside \$400,000 of that money for an energy renovation project at East Franklin, but we've decided to delay carrying out that project to see if it can't be made part of a complete renovation project," Board President Francis Fox said.

"The one thing we want to stress is that the job will be done only if the mine is sold. We will not borrow any money or add to the tax levy for the project."

A major consideration, Business Manager Walter Stout said, is the fact that a complete renovation project would be eligible for about 50 percent funding from the state, which would reduce the local share to about \$1 million. The proposed energy renovation project (which would include putting in new windows, lighting and other facilities) would have to be done entirely

at school district cost.

"What we're talking about is the need for an additional \$600,000 or so to do the complete job," he said.

The first section of the East Franklin building was constructed in 1939 and an addition was built in 1952. Current plans do not call for any addition, but would include provision for eight additional classrooms by using space on the basement floor, part of which now houses the instructional materials center and offices.

At a school board meeting Tuesday, the administration was authorized to prepare "Plan Con A" for submission to the state Department of Education. It is the initial submission required to inform the department the board may be considering a building project in the future.

In other action at the meeting, the board unanimously approved a proposal to withdraw from the National School Lunch Program, effective with the beginning of school next fall. (See related story Page A-1.)

A large percentage of the district's cafeteria personnel were present but made no comment as the board action was taken without discussion.

In a related matter, the board authorized the itemization of all cafeteria equipment so items not needed for the "a la carte" lunch program can be advertised for sale.

The board also:

- Received and tabled for examination apparent low bids of \$62,925 from Green Lands, Inc. for replacement of another section of the high school roof and \$72,290 from Keystone Information Systems for purchase of hardware and software for a micro-computer for the business office.
- Scheduled classes for Thursday, April 8, and Friday, May 28, to make up two snow days lost in January. The last day of classes for seniors will be May 25, with both baccalaureate and commencement being held that evening.
- Authorized the administration to conduct a district-wide testing program to determine academic achievement and aptitude, with high school students to be included

at no cost to the district under an offer from McGraw-Hill.

- Approved three new high school course offerings for 1982-83 — Drafting I for academic students, home maintenance and TV workshop, with the latter being designed to take advantage of installation of a cable television station at the school.
- Agreed to lease the Crawford Field property in Waynesburg to the Waynesburg Little League for \$1 for its summer baseball program.
- Received a report from Warren Bowers, chairman of the personnel committee, that board member Delmont Blue has been ill and is currently evaluating his position relative to continued board membership. Blue has been unable to attend a meeting since early in December.
- Authorized board members Francis Fox, Furman Wade and Robert Stephenson and the business manager to begin negotiations with service personnel on wages. The employees have a three-year wage reopener in their current contract.

Received a report from Dr. Ferrari that Greene County Memorial Hospital will make available an unqualified \$1,000 scholarship to a senior from each of the five high schools in the county who plans to seek a college nursing degree.

- Approved the Intermediate Unit I budget for the coming year in the amount of \$828,461, with Central Greene's share being \$10,074.
- Accepted the resignation of Diane Kayla as assistant girls' basketball coach, and announced that both that job and the position of head girls' basketball coach will be posted since Kim Eisiminger has informed the team she does not plan to return next year due to work commitments.
- Accepted the resignation of Sandra Kiski as Title I reading specialist at East Franklin. Since the Title I staff will be reduced from 10 to eight persons next fall, the position will be filled with a substitute for the balance of this year and will then be eliminated.
- Granted a maternity leave for the balance of the school term, effective April 5, to Charlene Monas, a teacher at East Franklin.
- Granted tenure to Mrs. Beth Stiles following two years of satisfactory teaching service.
- Approved an overnight camping trip in May to the Grove Scout Camp near Kirby by students in the fourth grade at the Perry School. Award contracts totaling \$43,792 to 14 companies for general, art and duplicating supplies.

County Obituaries

Cummins

Marilee Cummins, 51, of Waynesburg R.D.6, died at 5:05 p.m. Monday, March 15, 1982, in her home. She had been ill for the past four years.

She was born September 6, 1930, in Waynesburg, a daughter of Lorena Ferguson Eisiminger, who survives, and the late Clyde Eisiminger.

Mrs. Cummins had lived all her life in the Waynesburg area. She was a Protestant.

She had been employed for several years as a nurses' aide at Greene County Memorial Hospital and had worked at several Waynesburg area restaurants, including the Airport Restaurant and Albert's Restaurant.

She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Waynesburg VFW Post.

Surviving in addition to her mother, Lorena Eisiminger, are her husband, Charles Cummins, two daughters, Lorena Kay Stoy, at home, and Loretta Kay Cummins, of Costa Mesa, Calif.; one son: Robert L. Eisiminger, at home; five grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Job (Betty) Grimm of Waynesburg and Mrs. Jack (Dorothy) Swan, of East Liverpool, Ohio; and two brothers, Jack P. Eisiminger and Tom A. Eisiminger, both of Waynesburg.

Gwynn

George E. Gwynn, 75, of Holly, Mich., formerly of Jefferson R.D.1, died at 5 p.m., Monday, March 15, 1982, in Holly.

He was born July 17, 1906, in Jefferson Township, a son of Remembrance and Lana Cree Gwynn.

Mr. Gwynn was a retired miner from the Chartiers Coal Mine. He lived most of his life in Greene County and the last three years in Holly, Mich. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Holly.

His wife, Myrtle Crayne Gwynn, survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Marie DeWitt of Holly, Mich.; four sisters, Martha Gwynn of Jefferson, Edna Fuller of Waynesburg, Pearl Cramer of Spring Grove and Sara Reynolds of Khedive; four brothers, Thomas and Jessie Gwynn, both of Jefferson R.D.1, Howard Gwynn of Carmichaels and Floyd Gwynn of Waynesburg; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are one son, Ronald, and one sister, Velma.

Martin

Ralph L. Martin, 68, of Waynesburg R.D.1, died at 1 a.m., Thursday, March 11, 1982, at home. He had been ill for the past three years.

He was born August 17, 1913, in Fairmont, W.Va., a son of the late Charles T. and Darla Davis Martin. He spent his early life in Fairmont, moving to Waynesburg in 1937.

A veteran of the U.S. Navy, Mr. Martin was a member of the Winnett Chapel United Methodist Church and the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 461, Waynesburg.

A well-known farmer and stock raiser, he was employed by the Mather Collieries at the Mather mine until its closing, at which time he was employed by the R.G. Johnson Co. in Washington.

On December 24, 1937, he married Wretha Blaker, who survives.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Diane Caulfield of Philadelphia; one granddaughter, Mrs. Marie Nichols of Hollywood, Fla.; two grandsons, Christopher and Michael Brosnan, both of Philadelphia; and one great-grandson.

One son, Gordon V. Martin, is deceased.

McMasters

Asa M. McMasters, 86, of Waynesburg R.D.4, died at 9:45 a.m. Saturday, March 13, 1982, in the Veterans Hospital in Oakland following a one-month illness.

He was born March 17, 1895, in Whetzel County, W.Va., the son of Silvey and Kizzy Rohm McMasters.

A retired farmer, he also worked for the Beaver Falls Cork Co. for several years while a resident of East Palestine, Ohio. He was a veteran of World War I and was affiliated with the Church of Christ.

He had lived in the Waynesburg area for the past 23 years. His first wife Ona is deceased and he was married March 2, 1959, to Marie Crane, who survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Helen Phillips of Waynesburg; a son, Chester in Ohio; five stepchildren, Martha Jean Richards of Blairsville; Patricia Neshta and John Crane, both of Long Island, N.Y.; Mary Lamb of Gallion, Ohio; and Rose Smith of Waynesburg; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was the last of his immediate family. Deceased are three brothers, four sisters and a daughter who died in infancy.

Couple Seeks Damages After Death Of Son

WAYNESBURG — A Waynesburg area couple has filed suit in Greene County Court to recover damages for the death of their son as a result of injuries suffered in a highway accident June 23, 1980.

The action was instituted Tuesday by Lawrence J. and Grace B. Sanders of Waynesburg R.D.5. It asks the court to award them damages "in excess of \$10,000" in the death of Lawrence B. Sanders, who was 19 at the time of his death July 31, 1980.

Named as defendants are Kevin G. Hayes of Clarksville; Guaranteed Transportation of Waynesburg, Inc.; Samuel Crockett, William Rankin Allan Hughes of the Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation; Greene County Industrial Developments, Inc. (GCID); and Greene County.

At the time of the accident, Sanders was working for the Department of Parks and Recreation under an assignment by GCID and the Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh, administrators of a CETA Youth Employment Training Program.

Hayes was driving a truck which was leased by the county from Guaranteed Transportation for use of the Department of Parks and Recreation. The vehicle struck a tree along Route 62099, near Old Concord in Washington County.

According to the complaint, Hayes and Sanders left their job sites to locate a bar at which they could purchase beer. It states that the accident happened when Hayes lost control of the truck due to a malfunction of the steering mechanism.

It states that Hayes was negligent in his operation of the truck, that the county and CETA officials were negligent in failing to provide proper job supervision, and that Guaranteed Transportation was negligent in failing to provide proper maintenance of the truck.

During the 10 days that Sanders lived following the accident, it states, the plaintiffs became liable for hospital bills of almost \$16,000, as well as other expenses of more than \$3,000. It also states that the parents lost the support of their son, and will be deprived of benefits from future earnings he might have had.

Public Notices

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Mary Ann Yancey late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.
John R. Yancey,
1600 Terrie Drive,
Pittsburgh, Pa. 15241
Executor
3-5, 12, 19

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF ELIA C. GRAY, of New Freeport, 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.
Gerald Gray,
3736 Orchard St.,
Weirton, W. Va.
60602
EXECUTOR
3-19, 26; 4-2

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF GERTRUDE M. McLAUGHLIN of CARMICHAELS, Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.
Elizabeth McLaughlin Wozny
5811 Westlake Avenue
Parma, Ohio, 44129
Executor
THOMPSON AND BAILY
Attorneys
3-19, 26; 4-2

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES
Notice is hereby given to all the candidates of all the voting precincts in Greene County, Pennsylvania, for election at the General Primary Election, to be held May 18, 1982, that Thursday, March 25, 1982, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A.M., has been fixed as the day, and the place, for the undersigned at 102 County Office Building, in Waynesburg, Pennsylvania, as the place, for the casting of lots for position upon the Primary Ballots for said election.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the seal of the County Board of Elections of Greene County, Pennsylvania on this 19th day of March, 1982.
JOSEPH C. PAWLOSKY
LEONARD R. SANTORE
RICHARD S. COWAN, Jr.
Greene County
Board of Elections
ATTEST:
Beatrice Ray
Chief Clerk
3-19

NOTICE
LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY ALDARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, ORPHANS' COURT, DIVISION ON MONDAY, APRIL 5, 1982.
The First and Final Account of Jane Ullery and Ralph E. Ullery, Executors of the Estate of Margaret M. Reed, late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
The First and Final Account of Randolph McCracken, Executor of the Estate of Brooks P. Weimer, late of Gray Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
The First and Final Account of Glise E. Mariner, Executor of the estate of Goldie T. Funk, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
The First and Final Account of Helen E. Bell, Executrix of the Estate of Gilmore F. Bell, of Carmichaels, Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
The First and Final Account of Frank J. Bahm, Executor of the Estate of Aldra R. Hartley, late of Rices Landing, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
The First and Final Account of R. Wallace Maxwell, Esq., Executor of the Estate of Frank Rose, late of Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
All
Clerk of Courts
3-19, 26; 4-2

Catalano

Morris (Chickie) Catalano, 62, of House 631 in Mather, died at 6:50 a.m. Sunday, March 14, 1982, in Shadyside Hospital, Pittsburgh, after being ill for the past five months.

He was born May 19, 1919, in L'Aquila, Italy, to Frank and Rose Nardis Catalano and came to the United States in March 1937.

A retired coal miner, he was employed by Gateway Coal Company. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II in the European Theater. He was married June 30, 1951, to Wanda Funk who survives.

He was a member of St. Marcellus Roman Catholic Church and the American Legion, Filer-Sadlek Post 954. He was also a member of United Mine Workers Local 6330.

Surviving are a son Ben of Waynesburg R.D.1; two daughters, Miss Christina Catalano of Pittsburgh and Mrs. James (Carmella) Nichols of Waynesburg and two granddaughters, Angela and Vanessa.

A brother Anthony is deceased.

Chambers

Joshua C. Chambers, 82, of Cameron R.D.4, W.Va., died at 8:12 p.m. Friday, March 12, 1982, in Reynolds Memorial Hospital in Glen Dale, W.Va.

He was born November 23, 1899, in Marshall County, W.Va., the son of William F. and Anna Brewer Chambers.

A retired farmer, he was a member of the House of Prayer in Cameron, W.Va.

Surviving are his wife Sylvia Reynolds Chambers; a daughter, Mrs. Genevieve Young of Moundsville, W.Va.; a son, Charles E. Chambers of Cameron, W.Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Lilly Glover and Mrs. Della Cumpston, both of Andover, N.Y.; a brother Orville (Pete) Chambers of Whitesville, N.Y.; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Watson

Robert F. Watson, 78, Greensboro R.D.1 (Mapletown), died Thursday, March 11, 1982 in West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown, after a brief illness.

He was born April 18, 1903, in Wadestown, W.Va., a son of William and Sarah Pettell Watson, and resided most of his life in Mapletown, where he owned and operated Watson's grocery. He was a member of the Mapletown United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mabel Tanner Watson; two sons, Robert L. Watson of Greensboro R.D.1 and William L. Watson of Garards Fort R.D.1; two daughters, Mrs. Leroy (Betty Mae) Waggett of Carmichaels and Mrs. Jack (Jean Marie) Keener of Greensboro R.D.1; 14 grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

Three brothers and six sisters are deceased.

Gas Stolen

PennDOT employees reported to state police Wednesday that someone took 40 gallons of gasoline from a PennDOT truck parked along Route 21 in Gray Township

Masters

Goldie E. Masters, 59, of Mt. Morris, died at 12:50 p.m. Saturday, March 13, 1982, in the West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

She was born October 9, 1922, in Springhill Township, the daughter of James and Bessie Rogers Debolt.

Most of her life was spent in Springhill Township.

Surviving are a son, Thomas D. Debolt of New Freeport; a brother, James H. Debolt of New Freeport; three sisters, Pauline Prendergast and Marne Debolt, both of New Freeport and Naomi Beatty of Warren, Ohio.

Her second husband, Homer Conner, and a sister Helen Stoenking, are deceased.

Dowlin

Donald J. Dowlin, 77, of Farmington, formerly of Rices Landing, died unexpectedly Friday, March 12, 1982.

He was born November 30, 1904, in Rices Landing, a son of John and Leona Guesman Dowling. He was employed for 42 years by Crucible Fuel Co.

Surviving are his wife, Lucille Lighty Dowlin; three sons, Carter, at home; Leon of New Brighton and Donald Jr. of Midland; seven grandchildren; a brother, Ralph E. Dowlin of Rices Landing and a sister, Olive Martin of Lafayette, La.

Public Notices

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF PURL H. ROSEBERRY OF RICES LANDING, 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:
R. Benjamin Roseberry
Rices Landing, Pa. 15357
Administrator
A. J. Marion,
Attorney
3-5, 12, 19

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF JESSIE D. EWART of Waynesburg Borough, 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:
Frances L. Campbell
2735 Memorial Boulevard
Connellsville, Pa. 15425
Administratrix
William R. Davis
Attorney
3-12, 19, 26

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF DONOVAN H. WATTERS of Waynesburg Borough, 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:
Mr. Arthur Wilson
South Morgan Street
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Administrator
James Hook, Esquire
P.O. Box 792
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Attorney
3-12, 19, 26

Public Notices

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF SAMUEL E. TURNER of Washington 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:
Kenneth E. Turner
R.D. 2
Prosperity, Pa. 15329
Administrator
Maxwell & Davis,
R. Wallace Maxwell
Attorney
3-5, 12, 19

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR PERMISSION TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE A COAL MINE AND FOR A MINE DRAINAGE PERMIT
Notice is hereby given that Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company intends to apply to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources for a Mine Drainage Permit and for permission to operate an underground coal mine in Richhill Township, Greene County. The proposed mine has been designated as the Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company, Greene County No. 2 Mine.
The shaft, slope and other surface facilities for the No. 2 Mine will be within the permit area designated in Mine Drainage Permit Application No. 3081302 submitted in September, 1981, by Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company for its Bailey Mine. No additional surface disturbance will be created outside of the area covered by the Bailey Mine Permit.
The application will be filed with the Department under the provisions of the Act of June 22, 1937, P.L. 1987, as amended.
2-26, 3-5, 12, 19

Public Notices

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Articles of Incorporation were filed with the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania on the 27th day of March, 1982, for the purpose of obtaining a Certificate of Incorporation of a proposed business corporation to be organized under the Business Corporation Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved May 5, 1933, as amended.
The name of the proposed corporation is Marks Properties, Inc. The purpose for which it is to be organized is to do any lawful act concerning any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law of 1933, as amended, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to engage in the business of acquisition of real estate for rentals.
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3-19

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• Notice: Government requirements mandate substantial interest penalty for early withdrawal of savings certificates.

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Fire Destroys Barn, Garage

NEW FREEPORT — A two-story barn and a one-car garage on the Thomas A. Wood property along the Jollytown Road were destroyed by fire at about 4:15 p.m. Tuesday.

The fire was believed to have been ignited by lightning. Mrs. Wood said Wednesday the house was saved because the wind was blowing away from the house.

There were no animals in the barn but several household items such as ladders and tools were destroyed. The garage was empty at the time but other tools and supplies were destroyed according to Mrs. Wood.

No one was at home when the fire started and Mrs. Wood discovered the blaze when she came home at 4:15 p.m. Mr. Wood was out of town at the time.

A car parked near the garage suffered minor damage.

CPR Class Completed

WAYNESBURG — Members of the Waynesburg Borough Police Department have completed a CPR course in order to receive recertification.

The officers took instruction from Red Cross instructors Jud Lacko and Paul Clutter.

GETS PROMOTION

Marine Pfc. David A. Yakubac, son of Michael Yakubac Sr. of Nemaocolin, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with the 2nd Landing Support Battalion at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

A 1980 graduate of Carmichaels Area High School, he joined the Marine Corps in May 1980.