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Sohio No Longer Interested In Cumberland Mine

WAYNESBURG — U.S. Steel confirmed Monday that negotiations for sale of its Cumberland C mine in Kirby to Standard Oil of Ohio have been broken off, but would not rule out the possibility of a sale to another company.

"I would not say that we are actively seeking a buyer for the property, but it is true that we have held discussions with potential buyers on several occasions since the first of the year," a company spokesman said.

The Cumberland C mine, which employs more than 600 people, was opened in 1977 to provide steam coal to Ontario Hydro, a Canadian electric power company. It was the first of two mines which U.S. Steel had planned to construct at the

site. Last year, however, the Pittsburgh steel company sold Pittsburgh coal in the Cumberland A and B blocks, which had been reserved for use of the future mines, to Sohio for \$205 million. At that time it announced negotiations were still under way for sale of the operating mine and its coalfield to the same company.

No reason was given by either U.S. Steel or by Sohio for cancellation of the proposed sale. A Sohio spokesman also said Monday that his company has no immediate plans for the use of coal in the Cumberland A and B reserve field or for mining an adjoining 32,500 acres of coal it has acquired under a lease-

royalty basis from Pennsylvania Power and Light Co.

Status of the Cumberland C mine sale was questioned after the Central Greene School Board announced last week it was delaying a renovation project at East Franklin Elementary School until the sale was made definite for this year.

The estimated million dollars in realty transfer taxes which the district could expect to receive from such a sale, when combined with revenues the district received in 1981 when the Cumberland reserves were sold to Sohio, would provide all the money the district would need to carry out a \$1.8 million renovation project planned for the school.

Of the \$900,000 the district received through the Sohio sale,

\$400,000 was set aside for improvements to the building. But they would have to be carried out entirely at school district expense, while a complete renovation would be eligible for 50 percent state funding since that project would include provision for eight additional classrooms through utilization of space in the basement of the building.

"We feel it would be to the district's advantage to do the larger project if we get the money we need from the mine sale," School Board President Francis Fox said. "We were aware that the Sohio transaction had broken off, but if there is a chance the mine will be sold this year we feel it would be wise to hold off for a while before we commit ourselves to the smaller project."



Sen. Specter prepares to go "underground."

Sen. Specter Gathers Data To Fight Budget Cutbacks

By JIM MOORE
Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — U.S. Sen. Arlen Specter Friday toured the Emerald Mine facility near Waynesburg on a fact-finding trip to learn more about safety practices.

Specter, a member of the Senate Appropriations Committee, has in the past fought to prevent cutbacks which would reduce the number of federal mine inspectors. With more budget cuts proposed this year, Specter is again fighting against the cuts.

"Past budget cuts have reduced the number of federal mine inspectors from 1,300 in 1978 to only 875 today," Specter said at a press conference held in the hallway of the main office building. "There is a great need for an adequate number of inspectors in our mines," Specter told members of the media.

The senator said 400 new mines have opened since 1978 but the number of inspectors has been reduced by 40 percent.

Specter, after returning from an inspection trip to the face of the mine, said it was an eerie feeling underground. He and a college friend, Dan Stern of Monessen, descended 650 in the mine elevator and then talked to working miners.

"The miners praised the Emerald facility calling it a 'model' mine and one of the safest mines anywhere," Specter said.

The senator said mine safety is especially important to Pennsylvania because the state produces so much coal. Citing the energy problems, Sen. Specter called for higher production and coal exports which could reduce our dependency on foreign oil and also reduce the balance of trade deficit facing the nation. "We are talking about lives and dollars when it comes to maintaining the number of mine inspectors," Specter said. "When I return to Washington and meet with other senators, I can tell them I was in the mines and I talked to the miners. When senators speak about pollution in Vermont and other issues, I can speak from experience about the mines," the senator said.

Specter also cited the rise of mine fatalities in the past few years as another reason for retaining mine inspectors. Speaking of the miners, the senator said, "These guys earn their \$11 an hour." When asked if he could earn his living as a miner, Specter said, "If I should lose the next election you can bet I won't be mining to earn a living."

Specter was largely responsible for the government restoring a proposed \$48 million cutback in mine safety funds last year.

Specter said he will continue to fight against government cutbacks which could harm the mine safety programs. "Coal is too important to the local economy and the national interest to have funding cuts effect that industry," he said.

6 College Faculty Members Ask For Vote On President

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg College President Joseph F. Marsh has come under attack by six members of the faculty.

They have called upon their fellow faculty members for a resolution of "no confidence" in Marsh's administrative policies and have asked that the matter be brought to a vote at the April 1 faculty meeting.

The request that the issue be placed on the agenda for the meeting was presented Tuesday to Dr. G. Wayne Smith, vice-president for academic affairs. It was signed by Carl R. Carnein, associate professor of geology; Edward J. Patterson, professor of psychology; Wilbur H. Bluhm, associate professor of mathematics; and seconded by David K. Walker, professor of physics; John D. Abercrombie, assistant professor of religion; and Paul A. Romano, instructor in business administration.

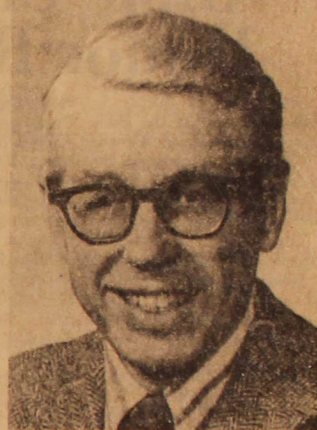
Dr. Smith said he had consulted with President Marsh and they had agreed to include it on the agenda.

"Obviously at this time this represents the feeling of six faculty members," said President Marsh. "There maybe more, I don't know. My only concern is for the college itself, not for myself personally."

The resolution states, in part: "Our displeasure lies in the inability of the president to provide leadership and vision in developing and husbanding the resources of the college, his failure to provide support for under-utilized academic programs, his reluctance to plan effectively, his perception of collegiality as a manipulative management tool, and, his inability to relate with his professional colleagues at this institution."

Most of the professors who signed the letter could not be reached for comment on the letter which was circulated among the college faculty Tuesday. "The faculty would be formally putting President Marsh on notice that we need to start moving in a positive direction," said Dr. Walker in commenting on the purpose of the vote. "We don't wish Marsh any unhappiness, we don't dislike him, we just don't want to continue in this negative direction."

Dr. Walker, a professor of physics since 1971, said that there were a number of small instances which have contributed to the rise of faculty dissatisfaction with Marsh's administration. As an example, he cited the chemistry department, where he teaches:



DR. JOSEPH MARSH

"The President has talked about eliminating courses with low enrollment or cutting back programs in line with student's needs," Dr. Walker said. "As far as I know the President has never talked with the departments in question and I'm not even sure which departments are in question. He's never investigated the programs for himself."

The six faculty members are asking that the resolution be considered by a secret ballot of the approximately 75 faculty members and 14 administrative staff eligible to vote.

Ewing B. Pollock, chairman of the college Board of Trustees, said Tuesday he preferred to make no comment at this time. He did note, however, that the trustees have a meeting scheduled for Friday, March 26 and the matter will probably be brought up for discussion at that time.

Egg Hunt Planned

The Franklin Township Recreation Board meeting Tuesday night voted to sponsor an Easter egg hunt for township children up to the age of 10.

The hunt will be held beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday, April 10, at the Lions Community Park located adjacent to the Central Swimming Pool on Route 21 east of Waynesburg.

Township residents are being asked to donate colored eggs or candy eggs for the hunt. The eggs should be taken to the township municipal building no later than Thursday, April 8.

Carmichaels Cafeteria Program Will Be Run By Custom Management Corporation

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor

CARMICHAELS — The Carmichaels Area School Board voted Thursday to execute a contract with Custom Management Corp., Kingston, to provide management services for the school district's cafeteria program, effective April 1.

The action was taken with the stipulation that the board will have supervision of all hiring and firing of cafeteria employees and with the understanding that all present employees, including the food services manager, would remain on the payroll.

Business Manager Louis Pascuzzo estimated that the annual management fee would amount to from \$25,000 to \$30,000 a year, which the district would

hope to recover from increased student participation in the lunch program.

"It looks like we will do better financially and at the same time provide a better food service," Board President David Antonelli said, adding that the contract would have a provision under which it could be terminated with 30 days notice. "We made the contract effective April 1 so that we would have a chance to take a good look at the program for the balance of this school year to see if it will work."

Three companies submitted proposals to the board at its meeting last month. A board committee subsequently met with representatives of all three companies and recommended that the contract be awarded to Custom Management.

The board turned down a recommen-

dation by a special kindergarten committee that the entry age for kindergarten students be rolled back from Jan. 31 to Oct. 1, with a provision that students who are not five years of age by Oct. 1 could be admitted if it was demonstrated through a readiness test that they were ready socially, emotionally and academically to enter the educational system.

The change, however, would not have affected the admission age for first grade students, who could still enter that grade if they were six years of age by Jan. 31 of the year following the start of classes.

Following a lengthy discussion, during which the committee pointed out that 68 percent of schools in Intermediate Unit I have rolled back the

age requirement and that its recommendation was being made on the basis of lengthy discussions with teachers and administrators, the board voted 4-3 to reject the recommendation.

Antonelli, who cast the deciding "no" vote, said he was doing so because he felt that the four month change would not make that much of a difference in the number of children who have to be held back in the lower grades. "I feel the present date is okay with proper readiness testing," he said.

Dr. Dolores Zoldos, district superintendent, urged people in the audience to write their legislators in opposition to proposed educational block grants contained in Governor Thornburgh's proposed budget.

She noted, for example, that state subsidies would be frozen at their present levels, which would mean that the district in future years would have to pick up all increases in such things as social security and retirement contributions, increases which the state now assumes.

West Greene School District Forbids Acceptance Of Gifts

ROGERSVILLE — West Greene School Board Thursday passed a resolution that states "no employees of the district can receive gratuities from a party furnishing services or supplies to the district."

The resolution came at the conclusion of a lengthy school board meeting which included an hour-long executive session.

The resolution was apparently discussed in the executive session although members of the school board would not confirm that it was discussed. Board President William Ziefel said the dis-

trict has never had a policy of this kind and therefore needed one. The district is currently constructing an addition to its high school but this was not given as the reason for the policy.

The formal resolution states: Employees of the West Greene School District will not receive any gratuity regardless of value from those parties who furnish, or attempt to furnish, services or supplies to the district.

The motion was approved by all board members except Thomas Braddock who voted against the resolution and Roger

Grimes who was absent.

Another resolution passed states that all purchases made by the school district will be for the sole use of the district and will not be for resale unless so authorized.

The board also approved a policy regarding use of school facilities by community and student groups. Organizations who want to use school facilities must submit a request form to the school principal who will insure the activity does not interfere with regular activities at the school. Groups must designate a leader who will be responsible for visitors and children, as well as damages to the building and equipment. Proper liability insurance will also be required unless already provided by district.

Failure by a student activity sponsor to conduct proper supervision may result in possible suspension or elimination of the activity by the board.

A motion that the Future Farmers of America (FFA) chapter at the school be suspended from any other field trips this year was defeated by a tie vote.

The board also defeated a request by the junior and senior classes to hold this year's prom at the Ramanda Inn at Washington.

The board said the reasons for the motions concerning the FFA and hold the school prom out of the district were due because of past incidents on the part of a few students.

Driver Of Truck Sentenced In Vehicular Homicide Case

The driver of the pickup truck in which a passenger from Greene County died in November pleaded guilty to homicide by vehicle and was sentenced this week.

Killed in the accident on Interstate 79 South near Laboratory on Nov. 24 was Harry L. Richards, 41, of Morrisville, Waynesburg R.D. 6.

The driver, Donald D. Riggs, 50, of Waynesburg R.D. 4, was sentenced by Judge John F. Bell to serve 1½ to 23 months on weekends in the Washington County Jail and pay costs.

On a driving while intoxicated charge,

he was sentenced to pay costs and a \$350 fine. After the accident, he was tested for alcohol at Washington Hospital. According to state police, Riggs' alcohol level was .17.

For this offense he is to serve six to 12 months concurrently.

Riggs also was ordered to pay costs and a \$25 fine for reckless driving.

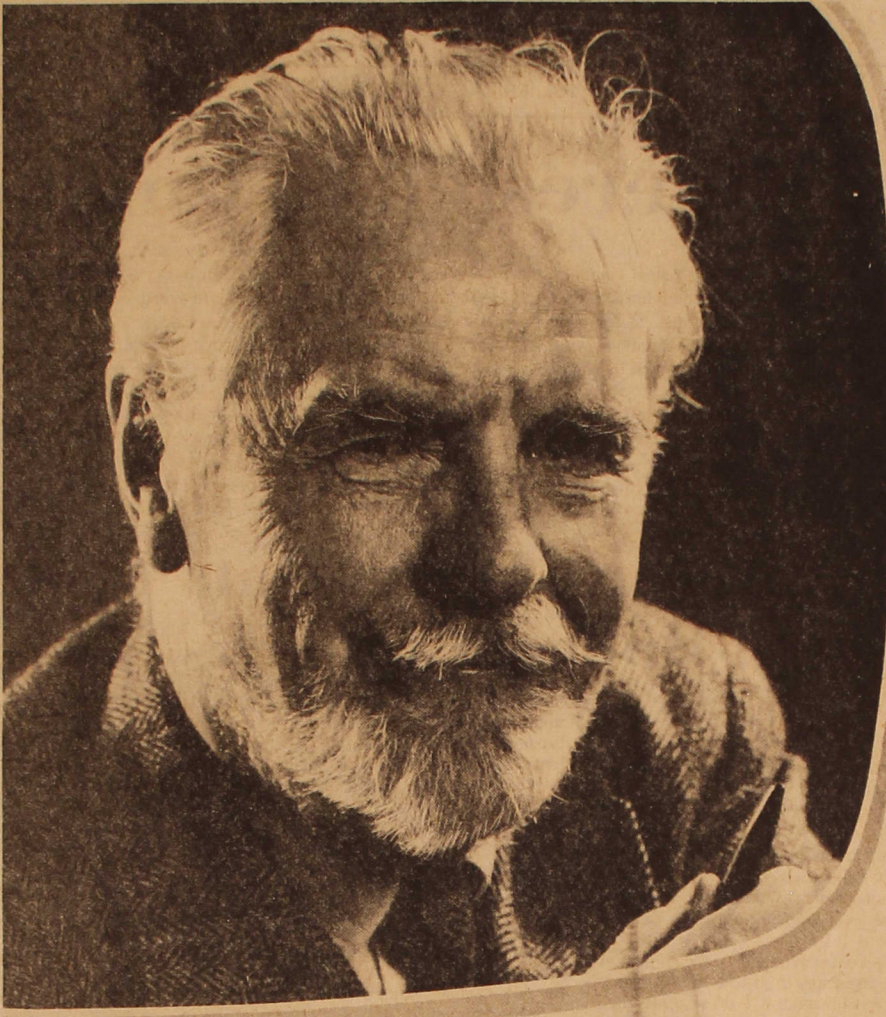
The pickup truck struck the rear of a tractor-trailer stopped on the berm at Richards, Riggs and Thomas W. Barnes, 56, of Waynesburg R.D. 3, traveled home from the Eighty Four Auction.

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly



Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Morris of 714 East Greene Street, Waynesburg, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Monday, March 29. They were married March 29, 1932, in the First Methodist Church in Wellsburg, W. Va., by the Rev. Burt David Evans. Mrs. Morris is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Nelson of Graysville. Mr. Morris is a son of the late Jasper Morris of Garards Fort and the late Nellie Minor Morris of Waynesburg.



Bible Club Honor Roll

MATHER — Reba L. Miller, director of the Bible Club Movement in Greene County, has announced the honor roll for the correspondence lesson program and released time classes. The honor roll for correspondence lessons: Storytime One — Stacy Ankney, Tammy Cox, Shane Evosevich, Rusty Knapper, Chad Ruse, Shawn Wilson. Storytime Two — Royce Baker, Gina Barclay, Jim Bowden, Leona Brown, Veronica Brown, Jason Dotts, Patrick Dudics, Brigitte Forman, Amy Headlee, Jennifer Jones, Carol Lemasters, Michael Mason, Jason Minor, Joanna Modrick, Crystal Thomas, Greg Walters. Course A — David Adamson, Charles Brown, Christy Bedoskey, Carol L. Clark, Bobby Kennedy, Juanita May Phillips, Michaelle Pierson, Regina Rice, J. R. Stump, Amy Lou Temple, Tracey Thomas. Course B — Jeanna Bowman, Stephanie Deiger, Joe Dotts, Regina Hohing, Emily Morris, Richard Pyne, Tracey Stump, Annette Wilson, Lynnette Hartman, Jenny Jacobs, Brenda Jennings, Melinda Leonard. Course One — Suzie Bowser, Denise Sloneker. Course Two and Three — Debbie Allen, Guy Baker, Jan Berdine, Martha Berdine, Michelle Brewer, Joetta Denman, Billy Elliott, Gary Evans, Pamela Gaines, Lori Grimes, Richard Huffman, Brenda Howley, Renee Lutz, Tina McAdams, Mary Louise Phillips, Veronica Pyne, Debbie Sands, Stella Shultz, Helen M. Temple, Michele Thorne, Nina Thorne, Melanie Jo Zimmerman. The honor roll for released time classes: Aleppo — Jocy Wilson, Susan Stover. Graysville — Jeff Grimes, Lynette Hartman. Nemaacolin — Brandy Smith, Richie Black, Kane Mitchell, Billy Everly, Joyce Wagett. Jefferson-Morgan — Kimberly Keys, Emily Morris.

SOMEONE TO THANK



"God is a product of man's imagination," announced the dignified intellectual who occupied our TV screen. "God isn't dead," he argued as our children watched. "He was never alive!" Mary and I felt that Christian children such as ours should realize that not everyone believes in God. Perhaps, knowing this, they could better understand the state of the world. We would encourage and answer their questions as best we could, confident that God would not allow their faith to be destroyed. Later, before I tucked Kristen into bed, she clasped her hands and closed her eyes. "Dear Lord," she prayed, "thank you for Mommy and Daddy. Thank you for Zoomie (her goldfish) and Toddy and my new dress..." She stopped suddenly and I raised questioning eyes to her. "Daddy," she said anxiously, "that man on TV doesn't have anyone to thank!" Do you have Someone to thank? Come worship this week.

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Community Events

PRAYER PROGRAM
United Methodist Women of the two United Methodist churches in Waynesburg will hold their annual "Call to Prayer and Self-Denial" observance at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, March 28, at the First United Methodist Church.
This year's theme is "Support the Struggle Against Racism." The Rev. Marian S. Mazgaj, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal Church in Morgantown, W. Va., will be guest speaker.
All interested persons are invited.

EASTER PROGRAM
The Easter program for the Bobtown United Methodist Church Sunday School will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 31. The Rev. Dan Glover will participate in the program with a Lenten message.

DEANERY MEETS
Representatives of eight affiliated organizations attended a meeting of the Greene County Deanery held Sunday at St. Ignatius Church, Bobtown.
Plans were made for a profile campaign in connection with the observance of Mother's Day. President Kate A. Zupancich announced that anyone wishing to attend the 46th annual convention of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women in Pittsburgh on May 15 should contact her by calling 966-7736.
It was announced that a memorial Mass for the late Estella Manfredi, second vice president of the deanery, will be offered at 7 p.m. May 10 at Our Lady of Consolation Church, Nemaacolin, through arrangements made by the Catholic Daughters of America. The Diocesan Council will also have a Mass said at St. Thomas Church at Clarksville, with the date to be announced.
Responsibility for Curry Home visits during the next three months are St. Hugh Church, April; Holy Family Church, May; and St. Ann Church, June.
The meeting concluded with short talks by the Rev. Daniel L. Dixon and the Rev. Francis A. Nazimek.

104TH BIRTHDAY
Mrs. Belle Blaker of Mt. Morris R.D.1 will observe her 104th birthday on Monday, March 29. No celebration is being planned because of her failing health but cards would be appreciated.

CHURCH SPEAKER
Guest speaker at the Jefferson Baptist Church on Sunday, March 28, will be the Rev. Lowell Meek, director of the Christian Education program at Waynesburg College.
Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. followed by morning worship service at 11 a.m.

GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

- FIRST METHODIST WAYNESBURG**
9:45, Church School; 10:45, Worship; Monday, 3:30, Junior Choir; Tuesday, 8, Senior Choir; Wednesday, 4, Primary Fellowship.
- WASHINGTON STREET METHODIST, WAYNESBURG**
9:30, Church School; 10:45, Worship; 6:30, Youth Group; Wednesday, 7, Choir rehearsal; 8, Bible study.
- WEST GREENE PARISH BETHANY**
9, Worship; 10, Church School.
- VALLEY CHAPEL**
10:10, Worship; 11, Church School.
- ROGERSVILLE**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- JEFFERSON METHODIST CHARGE**
JEFFERSON: 9:30, Worship; 10:40, Church School; Wednesday, 4:15, Junior Choir; 6:30, Senior Choir.
- RICES LANDING**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- MILLSBORO**
7:30, Evening Worship.
- CARMICHAELS METHODIST**
9:45, Sunday School; 11, Worship.
- GARARDS FORT METHODIST**
9:30, Worship; 10:30, Church School.
- JOLLYTOWN METHODIST CHARGE**
LAUREL RUN: 9, Worship; 10, Church School.
- GRANDVIEW**
10, Worship; 11, Church School.
- PLEASANT HILL**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- JOLLYTOWN**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- MT. ZION**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- MONONGAHELA METHODIST CHARGE**
MORRISVILLE: 9, Church School; 10, Worship.
- COALLICK**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- THROCKMORTON**
10, Church School; 11, Worship.
- OAK FOREST**
10, Church School; 7:30, Worship (second and fourth Sundays).
- MT. PLEASANT**
10, Worship.
- UNION METHODIST CHARGE**
UNION VALLEY: 10, Church School; 11:15, Worship; 7:30, MYF.
- FAIRVIEW**
10, Worship; Church School; Tuesday, Choir practice.
- NEBO**
9, Worship; 10, Church School; 11, MYF.
- FAIRALL CLAUGHTON CHAPEL**
9, Church School; 11, Worship.
- FAIRALL**
10, Church School; 11:15, Worship.
- KIRBY**
10, Church School; 7, Worship.
- VALLEY CHAPEL**
9, Worship; 10, Church School.
- WILLOW GROVE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST**
10, Sunday School; 11, Worship; Thursday, 7:30, prayer meeting.
- SUGAR GROVE BAPTIST**
10, Worship; 11, Church School.
- MT. ZION BAPTIST**
10, Church School; 11, Worship; 7:30, Evening Worship.
- CALVARY BAPTIST**
10, Sunday School; 11, Worship; Wednesday, 7:30, prayer meeting and Bible study.
- JEFFERSON BAPTIST**
9:45, Worship; 10:45, Church School; Wednesday, 7:30, prayer service.
- JOHN COLBY BAPTIST**
9:45, Worship; 10:45, Church School; Thursday, 7:30, Bible Study and prayer.
- CARMICHAELS BAPTIST**
9:45, Church School; 11, Worship; 7, Evening Worship; Wednesday, 7:30, Youth Choir; Bible Study.
- FIRST BAPTIST WAYNESBURG**
9:30, Church School; 10:45, Worship; 7, BYF; Wednesday, 7:30, Evening Prayer Group.
- BATES FORK BAPTIST**
10, Church School; 11:30, Worship.
- 9:55, Worship**
11, Church School; 6:30, BYF and Jet Cadets; Saturday, 10, Unity Rehearsal.
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN WAYNESBURG**
9:45, Church School; 11, Worship; 6:30, College and Career Group; 7, Senior High Fellowship; Wednesday, 3:45, Youth Club; Thursday, 7:30, Chancel Choir.
- GREENE VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN**
9:30, Church School; 11, Worship; 6:30, Junior and Senior High Fellowship; Tuesday, 3:30, Teen Choir; Wednesday, 7, Calvin Choir; 8, Greene Valley Choir; Thursday, 4:15, Angel Choir.
- JEFFERSON PRESBYTERIAN**
9:30, Worship; 10:30, Church School.
- HEWITT PRESBYTERIAN**
9:45, Church School; 11, Worship; Wednesday, 6, Westminster Choir; 7, Chancel Choir.
- CARMICHAELS CHRISTIAN**
9:45, Church School; 11, Worship; Tuesday, 6:30, Chi Rho; Wednesday, 3:45, Chancel Choir; 4:30, Youth Choir; Saturday, 11, Cherub Choir.
- WAYNESBURG CHRISTIAN**
9:30, Bible School; 10:30, Worship; 6, Youth Groups; 7, Evening Worship; Wednesday, 7:30, Bible Study; 8:30, Choir rehearsal.
- MATHER CHRISTIAN**
9:30, Bible School; 10:40, Worship; 7:30, Bible Study.
- FIRST PILGRIM CHURCH WAYNESBURG**
9:45, Sunday School; 11, Worship; 6:45, Young People; 7:30, Evening Worship; Wednesday, 7:30, prayer meeting.
- WAYNESBURG CHURCH OF CHRIST**
10, Bible School; 10:45, Worship; 6:30, Evening Service; Wednesday, 7:30, Bible classes.
- ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL WAYNESBURG**
8, Holy Communion; 9:30, Senior High Class; 10:30, Church School and Holy Communion; Thursday, 7:30, Holy Communion.
- WAYNESBURG NAZARENE**
9:45, Church School; 10:45, Worship; 7:30, Evening Services; Wednesday, 7:30, Prayer Service and NYPS.
- ROLLING MEADOWS CHURCH OF GOD**
9:45, Sunday School; 11, Worship; 7, Evangelistic Services; Wednesday, 7, Family Training Hour.
- ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC WAYNESBURG**
Saturday Anticipatory Mass, 6:30; Sunday Masses, 8:30 and 11:30; Confessions, Saturday, 3:30 to 4:30.
- CRABAPPLE COMMUNITY**
10, Church School; 11, Worship; 7:30, Evangelistic Service; Wednesday, 7:30, Prayer Meeting.
- WEST GREENE PRESBYTERIAN CHARGE HARMONY**
9, Worship; 10, Church School.
- UNITY-BRISTOLIA**
10:10, Worship; 11:10, Church School.
- WEST UNION**
10, Church School; 11:15, Worship.
- HATFIELD FERRY LUTHERAN PARISH**
ST. PAUL'S, Carmichaels: 9, Worship; 10:15, Church School.
- JACOBS**
9, Worship; 11, Church School.

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WAYNESBURG FLORAL

Fire Destroys House, Cause Being Probed

Greene County firemen were kept busy Tuesday and Wednesday as one home and several acres of land were damaged by fire in separate incidents.

A house, owned by George Palmer of Castille Run, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Jefferson volunteer firemen, who were called at 10 p.m., said that the cause of the fire was unknown, and is under investigation by the fire marshal. Rices Landing and Clarksville firemen were also called.

Jefferson firemen, assisted by firemen from Waynesburg and Marianna, were called out at 5 p.m. Wednesday to a field fire at the Dick Ball farm near Lippencott, which caused damage to approximately eight acres of land.

Wind Ridge firemen responded Wednesday to a field fire on the property of Nellie Cheek. Damage was limited to under two acres.

Waynesburg firemen responded to two field fires Wednesday afternoon. The first, at 2:10 p.m., was on the Rogersville Road, 100 yards past the Oak Forest Exit. Amount of damage caused by the fire was unknown.

At 2:55 p.m., Waynesburg firemen were called to the Good property, on Crayne's Run near Lippencott. The fire, which began in a trash pile, caused damage to between 60 and 80 acres of land. Assisted by Jefferson and Marianna, the firemen battled the fire for over two hours.

Tax Collector Will Resign

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg Borough Tax Collector James W. Clark confirmed Wednesday that he will resign his position, effective April 2, for reasons of health.

His letter of resignation has been submitted to borough council, which will have 30 days in which to fill the vacancy. Borough officials said that individuals interested in the post can obtain information and a petition form at the borough office.

Clark was first elected tax collector in 1977 and was re-elected last year. He said that he will continue to collect taxes at his home at 643 East High Street until April 1, and will then close out his accounts.

Rest Home Is Licensed

HARRISBURG — The Wise Rest Home, Waynesburg, has been fully licensed to operate a personal care boarding home by the Department of Public Welfare.

To date, 640 personal care boarding homes have received regular licenses and 338 provisional licenses. Approval is pending for another 39.

For more information on the personal care board home program and a list of licensed homes in your area, contact the Western Pennsylvania Boarding Home Field Office, 701 State Office Building, 300 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15222, or call 565-7623.

Election Board Applications Are Accepted

WAYNESBURG — Greene County Clerk of Courts Al Darney announced Wednesday that his office is accepting applications from persons who would like to serve on the election boards in three new Greene County voting precincts which have been formed by mergers.

The consolidations, approved in December by the court, merged the two Center Township precincts into one precinct, the two Perry Township precincts into one precinct, and the Chartiers and Teegarden precincts in Morgan Township into one precinct.

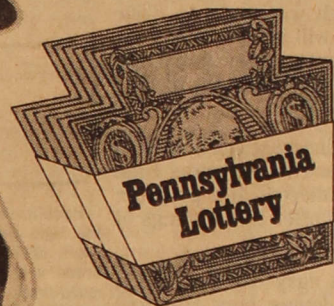
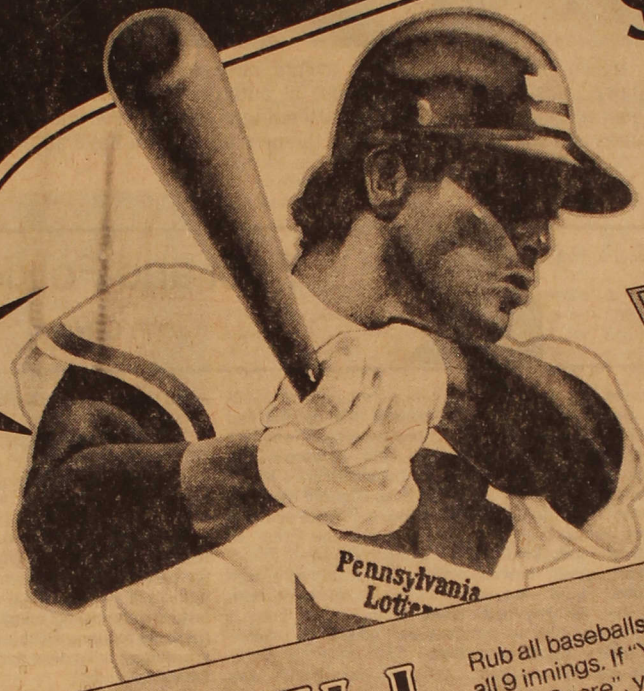
The court is responsible for appointing the election board members in the three new precincts. Each board consists of a judge of election, a majority inspector and a minority inspector. Any resident of the precincts can apply by submitting a petition requesting his or her appointment.

Darney said that interested applicants can obtain the required petition form by visiting or calling his office in the courthouse.

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Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



Murder trials, parades and sports events always seemed to be the big crowd attractions in Waynesburg, plus of course, the scenes at automobile and truck accidents and fires. The groups here is just a small fraction of those attending a murder trial many years ago in Waynesburg but their names and the names or name of the persons on trial have all been lost to history.

Lunch Program Must Go

Action by the Central Greene School District in eliminating its federally-subsidized lunch program is certain to catch the attention of a lot of districts which are facing increasing problems in operating their cafeterias on a break-even basis, or even close to it.

In Central Greene's case, the problem seems to be particularly acute. It has been building for years, and some time back the district employed a management firm to operate the program in the hope of reversing the trend of mounting operating deficits. Despite this, district officials anticipate it will require a contribution of \$100,000 in local tax dollars to subsidize the program this year.

Starting this fall, the Greene County school district will therefore withdraw from the National School Lunch Program, thereby giving up all federal and state food subsidies. It will replace the traditional "Class A" lunch with an a la carte program in which students will be able to buy the type of food they seem to want on a per item basis, at a price determined by what it costs the district to prepare and serve the food.

The district hopes it will increase participation in the cafeteria program and at the same time eliminate waste which is inherent in a program that requires the district to offer full servings of five items in a fixed menu.

The decision was not an easy one because it means the district will no longer have free and reduced-price lunches available to students from families with limited incomes. Approximately 30 percent of lunches now being served are going to students at no charge, while some five percent are sold at a reduced price.

School district officials, however, feel it should not be the responsibility of local taxpayers to subsidize student meals, particularly since \$100,000 is the equivalent of almost two mills of property tax.

Dr. Ronald Ferrari, district superintendent, capsulized the problem when he pointed out that the federal program was set up to provide both cash and commodity assistance so that school districts could serve lunches at, or below, cost 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," he 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."

It's too bad though that boys and girls who might be getting their one good meal of the day at school, however few of them there might be, are the ones who will suffer.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

Back in the first decade of the 1900s young Tommy Orndoff, of Waynesburg, got a brand new pair of old fashioned "rocker type" ice skates for Christmas.

As soon as Ten Mile Creek that circles the southern end of town froze over, Tommy couldn't wait to rush the two blocks down South Morris Street to try out the new blades.

Shortly afterward, he was gasping desperately to climb back on the ice through the same hole that had broken under his slight weight because no one had warned him that a leaking natural gas line laid across the stream to the Jesse Hill residence side had softened the ice at that point.

Down stream a few yards, a group of older boys and better

skaters were having an exciting game of "shimmy" and had no time to give to younger skaters help. It wasn't until Ida McDonald shouted to her older cousin, George Washington Wood, to "come and pull Tommy out of the 'crick' or he's going to drown."

The choice of a rescue squad could not have been better if there had been a thousand others to choose from.

"Wash" as Wood was known to many generations of Waynesburgers, was one of those born with the instinctive ability to skate like an expert despite the crude type of skates available in those days.

He took off at a whirlwind speed as if he had been somewhere south of the Mason-Dixon line with Simon Legree

and a host of his henchmen in pursuit.

The rescue was the talk of the town for several days and then more or less was forgotten by everyone except the near victim.

Years and years before the televised ice shows and Olympic performers were seen by millions of viewers, Wood was instinctively doing many of the basic routines which modern skaters have done during the past decades.

He continued to skate until shortly before his death about 15 years ago. He is still remembered by all those who were young when they first saw him in his informal "shows" still wearing the old type of clamp on skates. He never owned a pair of shoe skates in his life and never had a skating lesson.

In the informal sport of "pond" or "crick" ice hockey which they played by "picking up sides," he was a super charged buzz bomb who never asked, nor gave, any quarter in the furious and intensive pick up games that were played anywhere the ice would bear them.

In his lifetime, Wood also saved others and tried to teach others some of this tricks which he could demonstrate but not explain. And, of course, most of them never knew of his rescue of Tommy Orndoff.

No one, that is, remembered the rescue except one man — Tommy Orndoff who left Waynesburg after graduating from Waynesburg College, going to Pittsburgh for a long career as a banker. He now lives in Kirkland, Washington.

The other day he noticed an item in his home town paper, the Waynesburg Republican, about Wood's cousin, Miss Ida McDonald, and immediately dispatched a letter of appreciation — with a check in true banker-like fashion — and in gratitude for his life having been saved on a cold winter day in Waynesburg long before the Ice Follies were a household word and fortunately there were good skaters around like "Wash" Wood to pull a small boy out of the icy waters of Ten Mile Creek in Waynesburg.

Final Report On Proposed Dam To Be Released Soon

WAYNESBURG — The final version of the energy impact statement (EIS) on the last dam to be built as part of the Wheeling Creek flood control project, will be ready for public distribution within the next two weeks or so.

Ann Bower, executive director of the Wheeling Creek Watershed Commission, reported on status of the EIS at a meeting of the commission board of directors held Monday in Washington.

She said that the technical service branch of the U.S. Soil Conservation Service will incorporate into the report a review of comments received at the public hearing it held last August. No further hearings are scheduled, but the final draft will remain open for possible review and revision for 30 days.

Completion and adoption of the EIS is one of the few steps

remaining before the watershed commission can move toward construction of Dam 648 on the Enlow Fork of Wheeling Creek. It will be a dry dam (no permanent pool of water) and will be located in the extreme northwestern corner of Greene County, on the Washington County line.

Cost of the dam is estimated at \$8.2 million, with \$7.3 million being provided by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and \$992,000 by the watershed commission.

The project is designed to eliminate periodic flooding of Wheeling Creek in Wheeling, W.Va., by construction of dams throughout the watershed. Five dams have been built to date — four in West Virginia and one in Washington County.

Chamber Sends Questionnaire

WAYNESBURG — In an effort to better understand the needs of the local business community, the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce is sending a 15-point questionnaire to area merchants, professionals and manufacturers.

The questions are designed to gather information concerning the image of the chamber in the greater Waynesburg area and ways in which it can improve its services.

In a brief letter accompanying the questionnaire, chamber president Walter Christopher pointed out that "the chamber's activities can be virtually unlimited provided it has the support of its members as well as the community."

Appointed To Court Post

ALMAGORDO, N.M. — Judge George L. Zimmerman, a native of Waynesburg and now judge of the Third Judicial District of New Mexico, has been appointed chairman of the Supreme Court Committee on Family Court Reform.

Judge Zimmerman, a graduate of Waynesburg College, worked for several years as a civil engineer for the Ford Motor Company in Ypsilanti, Mich.

He also attended Temple University law school and was a member of the first graduating class at the University of New Mexico law school in 1947. He was admitted to the bar in 1950.

AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

The real feel of spring in the air was experienced here this week. Despite the days listed on the calendar that special kind of feeling was reflected in the faces of everyone along High Street and echoed in their cheerful tone of voice — just like someone hearing the voice of a good friend after it had been silent for a long time.

Another sure sign of spring is the noise one hears from farm tractor motors and their "little brothers" of the smaller garden tillers all around town and in the rural areas of the county.

Here's a special note for out-of-town readers of the Republican to inform them that James Clark, who has been tax collector of Waynesburg borough for the past five years, is resigning because of his health. Those who are reached by this item within the next week or two may send their taxes to his new address at 654 East High Street, adjacent to the Elks Club. His former address was Ross Street on the north side of town.

For one of the few times since wrestling became a varsity sport at Waynesburg Central High School in the 1930's, grapplers from the local school missed having one or more state champions but did have a runnerup and will be out to improve their rating next year under the director of Coach Joe Ayersman.

Kirke Byers, of San Francisco, Calif., is in Waynesburg this week visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Patricia P. Byers. Mrs. Byers is the Dean of Housing at Waynesburg College and the daughter of John Penn Sr. of Forest Hills, N.Y. Kirke, who manages a restaurant in California, is also an amateur juggler and demonstrated his craft Tuesday morning for the young children at the Warrior Trail School in town. His older sister, Becky, is visiting friends

in New York City and has just completed her thesis for her Masters degree from the University of Chicago.

You are a genuine "old timer" in Waynesburg if you can remember back when April 1 was preserved as the town's "moving day" as a large percentage of those living in rented homes moved from one place to another. Most of the moving was done initially on horse drawn wagons. Before it ended it was all done on trucks of all sizes and vintage. For the first few days after the changes the mail carriers, paperboys and those delivering those big orders from the grocery stores were busy for a week untangling who had moved to some location they didn't live at before. By the time the month was ended it had also been a long headache for the meter readers from the electric, gas and water companies too.

Super Marty, one of the top trotting stallions in North America in 1981 is gradually being nursed and trained back to racing condition at the Greene County Fairgrounds after having broken one leg and having a bad spine chip in the other leg in a race in Holland last year. This heretofore impossible effort is being done by Herman Hylkema, the Holland born horseman who now lives on the former Fuller farm in Whiteley Township. Prior to the new types of therapy available for animals, a horse suffering a broken leg was routinely shot and forgotten.

Now, however, Hylkema and various animal surgeons are feeling confident the animal may be ready for the 1982 racing meets on the Grand Circuit and other tracks. Hylkema, who trains horses almost everyday of the year at the county fairgrounds, is becoming increasingly hopeful that the hoped-for miracle of the horse's return to competitive racing occurs. If it does it will be another "first" for county horse lore.



Between The Bookends

Marcia McKenna Biddle

I recently attended a conference in Harrisburg, at which I was mystified to find a new language being spoken. I attempted to make a study of this language in order to try to discover the meaning of its vocabulary, or break its code. And so I took notes, writing down words and phrases as they occurred. Unfortunately, as I now read over these notes, they seem to have no context. They didn't seem to have one at the time, either, so I have to use quotation marks around them.

One phrase which was popular with the speakers was "base-line realities." I asked the person in the next seat if the "base-line realities" were a rock group. He said no, and added that he thought the term had something to do with basketball. We decided that when sportscasters gave us the basketball scores, they should announce, "Here are the base-line realities." The phrase could also apply to baseball: when a third baseman lets a ball go through him, he would not only commit an error, he would have to live with the "base-line reality" of his incompetence.

The "base-line realities" might also be the same as the "bottom line facts," but I'm not sure. They might be "revealed truth," or they might be merely "arbitrary rationales" and "relatively arbitrary terms."

We were advised to "find the common ground" so I went around looking down at the ground for two days but found nothing that didn't seem common. No doubt I just did not "address the question" in such a way as to "find a commonality within the definition." In other words, I wasn't "prioritizing."

Next, we planned a "break-out session" to "generate communication" among "affinity groups." This activity seemed to involve "interaction," but of what kind I was not sure. A "break-out session" sounded like a jail break to me. I looked around for the exit and prepared to "implement" my escape.

Before I succeeded, a mystery developed. A speaker referred to an "unactivated entity." I stayed to find out what that was. It seemed to be a "corpus," and a "categorizing body." I was alarmed. I was afraid they were really talking about a corpus delicti. Quickly, I scanned the room and was relieved to find that all present were still alive, although not necessarily awake.

Those whose eyes were open were "focusing in" on the need for "facilitation training" and "leadership building" "from a community perspective." I was afraid to ask what kind of training leads to "facilitation" as I spent some time pondering which building was the "leadership building." I couldn't decide whether it was the State Capitol or the White House. Whatever it was, we had to "establish parameters" for it.

Before we could do that, it was announced that we were "not perceived as an aggregate group" and now had to "articulate the legitimacy" of our "circumstantial response" and "implement" a "sense of group." Through "strategic planning" we were to avoid "crisis management" and "extrapolate from our own experience" the "meaningful communication" which would "relationship our constituency."

When I heard "relationship" used as a verb, I got up to leave. I felt "segmented, unstructured and unfocused." However, I was told that there was still more "networking" to do.

When I said I'd had enough of verbs invading the territory of nouns, I was accused of "waltzing around the commitment." For that, I was accompanied, of course, by the "Base-line Realities" who were playing the guitar and harmonica.

TIP TO MOTORISTS

A safe driver drives a safe car—so check your tires, lights and brakes frequently.

LETTERBOX

Questions For Council

To Borough Council:

Concerning your loyal support of Mike Fuller, I would please like to ask you a few questions.

You, as elected officials, are giving your full support to Mr. Fuller. He is still employed by the borough in a position supposedly created for him. Is this true?

Do you think this is in the best interest of the people who elected you? They elected you to speak and act for them in managing the affairs of your municipality. But is seems this is a matter of legality and morality not management. Do you agree?

A jury of 12 good men and true — I believe this is the way it was expressed years ago — found Mr. Fuller guilty of involuntary manslaughter. A few months previously, Mr. Fuller with his partner Dave Clark were accused of police brutality. A jury of 12 good men and true awarded Mr. Kyle Hallam a settlement of \$27,000. Two court trials, 25 persons judging to the best of their ability. My question: Did any of you council members hear either of these trials in its entirety? Do you know firsthand everything that was said at either trial? If you did not attend, how can you judge his guilt or innocence?

You are not only judging Mr. Fuller, you are judging 24 people who sat on these two juries. Are you saying Mr. Fuller is innocent and the 24 jurors are guilty of misjudgment?

I am not saying Mr. Fuller meant to kill an innocent person — I'm sure he didn't. But I believe he had a fair trial. I believe the jury judged to the best of their knowledge of the evidence presented to them. Could they do more? I for one applaud you, ladies and gentlemen of the jury.

It takes a special person to be a police officer and we admire and respect a person who can qualify to hold this position. Are all persons hired to be police officers in the borough checked and re-checked as to their abilities? Have you checked into Mr. Fuller's conduct while on duty as a police officer? Have any of you had any complaints prior to this shooting incident concerning Mr. Fuller's behavior while wearing the uniform of a protector of law and order? Only you can answer these questions.

One last question council members. Monies are being collected to help Mr. Fuller, but have you given any consideration to four motherless children? Have you thought about their loss, their needs and their tears?

Dorothy Phillips D. 6
Waynesburg

LETTERBOX

Judgment Questioned

To The Editor

In respect to the Fuller-McGilton case, I feel as a citizen of a country that promotes equality of all men to do my equal share in promoting justice by writing to the editor and to the people in concern of the overwhelming public promotion of the rightness of Officer (Michael J.) Fuller in the shooting incident involving Mrs. (Celia) McGilton.

We must recognize that the whole shooting incident took place at a time when only the keenest of men could be successful and at a crucial point when the men and the boys would be separated. With that in mind, I would have to therefore conclude that Fuller should be placed with the boys and considered a failure, for Mrs. Celia McGilton is now dead.

I am not condemning Michael Fuller as a person, but I am considering him a failure in the position he has been given. I am not against police officers, but I am against instability in a police officer.

The point I am trying to get across is that I feel the people shouldn't put such support behind an act that has gone to the extremes of death in an effort to save the honor of police authority. I will always honor police authority but I will never respect lack of good judgment when it is most needed.

Hopefully I, as a citizen, have done my part in sharing with you these few comments in an effort to stabilize the views and ideas of the general public, which I am sure will have a bearing on the outcome of the case.

Please analyze the situation for yourself and don't be caught up with the general flow.

Bernie Hallam Jr.
Graysville R.D.1

Dream Becomes A Reality For Wayne Twp. Group

BRAVE — Good neighbors from two states have made the Wayne Township Community Association Inc. an organization that has helped young and old alike in this rural village near the West Virginia border.

Working without the aid of businesses and corporations as many communities do, the association has seen the Wayne Township Community Center become a bee hive of activity for area citizens from Pennsylvania and West Virginia. It has been neighbors helping neighbors in a com-

mon cause to provide recreational activities heretofore missing in the area.

The association talked the Central Greene School Board into leasing to it the abandoned Brave Elementary School which overlooks the village of Brave.

Working without funds or grants from any governmental body, the association banded together and literally begged, scratched, talked and worked until the dream became a reality.

Many of these volunteers will be honored at a special dinner which will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday in the community center. Special guests will include state Rep. Roger Raymond Fischer and Greene County District Attorney Charles Morris. Most of the accolades, however, will be reserved for Mike and Teresa Brewer, relative newcomers to the area, who have worked endless hours to make the center a success.

Although the association formally opened it just this past September, the center is busy six days a week and offers recreational activities to anyone from toddlers to senior citizens.

Following a massive clean-up operation that the building needed because it was abandoned for three years, the association's members rolled up their sleeves and went to work. Much of the work was accomplished with teen-age labor, a fact the adults are proud to proclaim.

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Saturday night is considered an open night and many activities are going on at the same time. This past Saturday evening, there were over 30 youngsters in the building taking part in some event.

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"This is a community effort, and none of this would have been possible without the aid of our neighbors," Mrs. Brewer said.



Wedding In Marion, Ind.

Mayhle-Purdy Vows Exchanged

Patricia Darlene Mayhle and Dwight Edwin Purdy were married at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 6, 1982, in the Wesleyan United Methodist Church, Marion, Ind.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mayhle of West Finley R.D.2. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Purdy of Marion.

The Rev. Don Shoemaker, brother-in-law of the bride, officiated at the double ring ceremony. A recital of nuptial music was presented by soloist Dave Newcomer and organist Luella Hermanson.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She appeared in a white gown of Chantilly lace over taffeta, styled with a Queen Anne neckline enhanced with pearls and sequins, lace bodice, high waistline and full bishop sleeves of organza and lace.

The gown featured a Chantilly lace skirt and chapel train pleated and edged in lace. Her veil of matching lace was attached to a headpiece enhanced with pearls and sequins and she carried a bouquet of silk roses and carnations.

Nancy Maddox served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were the bride's sisters, Viola Shoemaker, Gloria Brightwell and Ruth Hegel. Emily Purdy was the flower girl and Ethen Purdy the ringbearer.

Brian Maddox was best man. Ushers were Jim and Jerry Mayhle.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the fellowship hall of the church, with Dawn Marie Purdy attending the guest book.

Following a wedding trip to the Bahamas, the newlyweds will reside in Marion.

ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McWilliams of Carmichaels announce the engagement of their daughter, Dolores McWilliams of Long Beach, Calif., to Dale Callow, son of Florence Callow of Torrance, Calif. Dolores is a 1977 graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and California State College in 1980. She plans to attend California State College in Long Beach, Calif., to obtain her masters degree. She is a free lance artist. Dale is a graduate of Natchitoches Central High School in Natchitoches, La., and the Los Angeles Sheriffs Agency for law enforcement. He also served in the U.S. Army and is employed at Well's Furniture Co. in Long Beach, Calif. A summer wedding is planned.

Brenda Lutz, Frank Largent Wed

Brenda Ann Lutz and Frank Odell Largent were married in the Clarksville Christian Church Saturday, March 6, 1982.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Lutz of Pine Street, Jefferson. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Largent of Clarksville are parents of the groom.

The Rev. James Donahoo officiated at the 1:30 p.m. double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Clyde Parsons was organist.

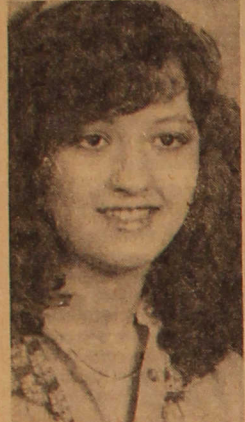
Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a beige Chantilly lace, street-length dress with a Victorian neckline. She wore her grandmother's cameo and carried apricot and beige silk flowers. Sandra Quinn was matron of honor. She wore an apricot gown.

Robert Largent of Windber was best man. Serving as ushers were Homer Reese, Tim Turner, Don Adamson and Scott Adamson.

Following the ceremony a reception for 200 guests was held in the social room of the church.

The bride is a 1978 graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and is employed as a dental assistant to Dr. C.E. Beckham. Her husband is a 1977 graduate of the same high school and is employed by Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority.

ENGAGED — Mrs. Theodore Dragich of Fredericktown announces the engagement of her daughter, Myra, to Tim Bernhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bernhart of Waynesburg. The bride-to-be is a graduate of California State College and is employed as a counselor by the Washington County Employment and Training Agency. Her fiancé is attending California State College and is employed as a salesman by Paul Long Realty, Carmichaels.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Meese of Greensboro announce the engagement of their daughter, Melinda Ann, to Keith A. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson of Garards Fort. The bride-elect is a 1979 graduate of Mapletown High School and is employed in the pathology department at the West Virginia University Medical Center. Her fiancé is a 1975 graduate of Mapletown High School and a 1977 graduate of Pennsylvania State University with an associate degree in mining technology. He is employed by Shannopin Mining Co. A June 19th wedding is planned.

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"This is a community effort, and none of this would have been possible without the aid of our neighbors," Mrs. Brewer said.

Haver, Barcalow Exchange Vows

RICHMOND, Va. — The Westhampton United Methodist Church in Richmond was the setting at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 6, 1982, for the wedding of Sharon Ann Haver and Francis James Barcalow Jr., both residents of Richmond.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ann Haver of Dillwyn, Va., and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Haver of Waynesburg. The bride formerly resided in McMurray. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Barcalow of Danville, Ill.

The Rev. William O. Webster officiated at the double ring ceremony, with the bride being given in marriage by her parents.

The bride wore a wedding gown of white organza over taffeta. It featured an empire waistline enhanced with a sheer yoke trimmed

in Venice lace and seed pearls; Victorian neckline; long bishop sleeves cuffed with English net and matching lace, and a full-length skirt which flowed into a chapel-length train.

Her veil of illusion fell from a Camelot headpiece of beaded Venice lace bordered with matching lace. Her bouquet of white orchids was centered on a prayer book her mother had carried in her wedding.

Donna Kay Haver was her sister's maid of honor. The bridesmaid was Terry Talbott of Richmond.

Robert Shawn Barcalow of Fredericksburg, Va., served as best man for his brother. Ushers were Nathan Allan Haver and William Rice Haver, brothers of the bride.

Following a reception in the church social room, the newlyweds left for a wedding trip to Florida. They are residing in Richmond.



MRS. BARCALOW



MR. AND MRS. CHARLES BLAND

40th Wedding Anniversary

An open house will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 3, in the Wind Ridge Firehall in observance of the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Bland of Wind Ridge.

The family requests that gifts be omitted.

Mr. Bland, now retired, was formerly employed by Braddock Heating & Plumbing Company in Wind Ridge. He is the son of the late Ray and Louisa White Bland of Oak Forest.

Mrs. Bland is the former Edith Bribben, daughter of the late Jesse and Zelma Riggle Gribben of Wind Ridge. They were married April 9, 1942, and are the parents of a daughter, Mrs. Ronald (Laura Lee) Hennen of Georgetown, and a son, Wilson, who is deceased. They also have two grandchildren, Jeffrey and Beth Ann Hennen.

Six Divorces Are Granted

WAYNESBURG — Six final decrees in divorces were handed down by the Greene County Court:

Harry A. Workman, Carmichaels R.D.1, from Rachel Marie Kuntz Workman, Carmichaels R.D.1. They were married March 27, 1966, and have three children.

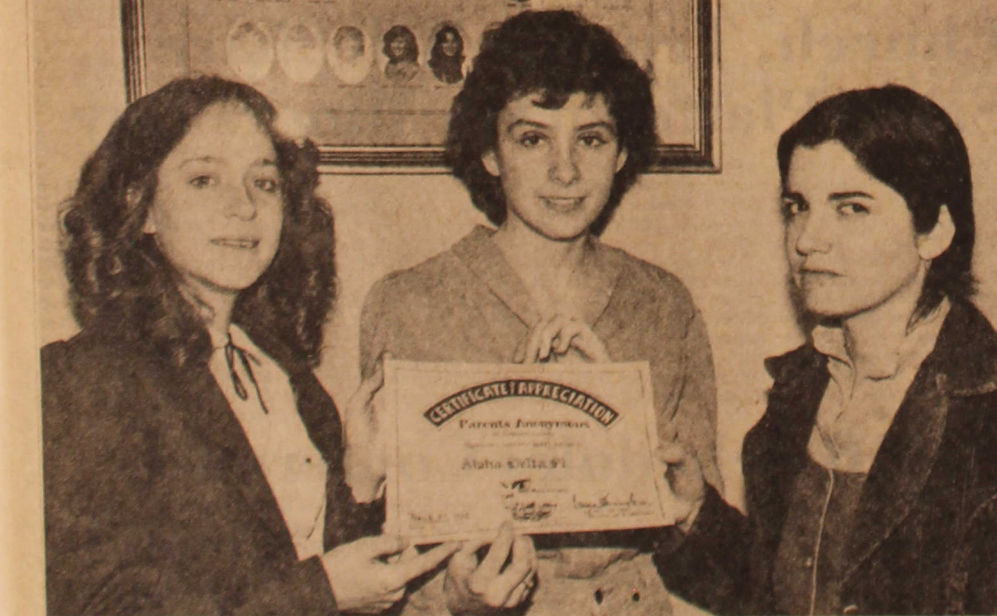
David A. Carter, Pittsburgh, from Doris J. Post Carter, Clarksville. They were married March 19, 1964, and have one child.

Lloyd E. Blair, Cameron Star Route, Waynesburg, from Marcia Jo Eddy Blair, Pine Bank R.D.1. They were married Oct. 1, 1975, and have one child.

David Lee McDaniel, Cameron Star Route, Waynesburg, from Judith Lynn Jacobs McDaniel, Waynesburg. They were married May 12, 1975, and have one child.

Mary C. Maddas Jacobs, Waynesburg R.D.2, from David R. Jacobs, Latrobe. They were married Aug. 1, 1970, and have two children.

Vickie Robert Barchiesi, Waynesburg R.D.4, to Carl A. Barchiesi, Waynesburg R.D.4. They were married Nov. 27, 1976, and have one child.



Observer-Reporter Photo

Sorority Receives Award

Sisters of Alpha Delta Pi sorority received an appreciation award from Parents Anonymous for providing child care while members of Parents Anonymous, a weekly self-help group, meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesdays. Since September, the Waynesburg College sorority has provided child care for youngsters ages 3-6. Persons may obtain more information about Parents Anonymous by calling 627-8759. From left are Lisa Farley, who is in charge of the child care program; Kelley Benyak, president of ADPI; and Lavina Pennington, president of the board of Parents Anonymous.

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Blacksville Woman Fights Dump Fire For 2 Years

BLACKSVILLE, W. Va. — Virgie Shaffer who lives on the Greene County side of Blacksville has been coughing into the telephone for almost two years in an effort to halt burning at a junkyard near her home.

Despite calls to officials in Spraggs, Waynesburg, Uniontown, Pittsburgh and Harrisburg, the smoke continues to roll down the hillside from the O.D. (Oakie) Walls junkyard. The junkyard owner tells officials it amounts to nothing but a neighborhood dispute.

Mrs. Shaffer is quick to show visitors the drainage problems caused by ditching on Walls' 42-acre hilltop property. She points to black spots all over her aluminum siding and says the burning material, some of it as big as dinner plates, comes raining down on her property.

It all started about two years ago. Prior to that time, Walls maintained a junkyard and little or no protest was heard. However, according to Mrs. Shaffer, Walls started allowing garbage to be dumped on the property and started burning tires and refuse. The burning may take place once a week for awhile and then every other week.

Other neighbors are complaining about the rats coming from the site. Mrs. Shaffer said one neighbor had to replace a cord on her refrigerator after rats chewed through it.

Mrs. Shaffer said she contacted the Department of Environmental Resources over a year ago but hasn't seen any action. A check with the DER office in Uniontown Wednesday afternoon, revealed a DER official had inspected the site on Tuesday. When asked what resulted from the visit, the DER

official said Walls had received a warning about burning refuse but refused to discuss anything else saying he needed his superior's approval.

A spokesman in Pittsburgh said the man in charge of the area was not in the office and wasn't expected back until Thursday.

Mrs. Shaffer has contacted Greene County District Attorney Charles Morris in an effort to get some action. She also used a consumer's hotline to Harrisburg without success. Repeated calls to the Wayne Township supervisors have proved fruitless she said.

She said her husband has had lung surgery twice because of the acid smoke and the entire family has trouble sleeping when the garbage burns at night. "I'm telling you we are suffering from it," she added.

"They are burning at night most of the time and sometimes the fire will burn for two days. We can't hang the wash on the line and the black globs from burning tires falls on the family cars," she protested.

The Blacksville volunteer firemen were called out last month when the fire went out of control and threatened a neighboring home, Mrs. Shaffer said.

She also claimed the smoke has bothered residents in Brave several miles away from the junkyard. "Some of my neighbors had just started to eat supper when the dump was fired and they had to get up and leave the table," Mrs. Shaffer continued.

Franklin Twp. Will Amend Trash Burning Ordinance

WAYNESBURG — The Franklin Township supervisors will amend the township's trash burning ordinance to provide stiffer penalties and better enforcement.

The supervisors, at their meeting Monday, said they will take the action at the request of the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Company, which wants both to cut down on the number of such fires and to receive reimbursement when it is called out to fight a fire which is the result of negligence.

While the fire company proposed a model ordinance for adoption, Township Solicitor J. William Hook said the same purpose can be accomplished by amending the existing trash burning ordinance, which was adopted in 1963.

Under that ordinance, those who live in residential areas are permitted to burn trash in a closed container which

meets certain standards and only between the hours of 4 and 8 p.m. In rural areas, trash fires can be set at any time, but the person setting one is required to personally supervise the fire at all times.

In both cases, the person setting the fire is now liable for a fine up to \$20 if the blaze gets out of control, but there is no provision in the ordinance for an enforcement officer.

Under proposed revisions, the possible fine would be increased to a maximum of \$300, with the amount assessed depending on the magistrate hearing the case, and the Waynesburg fire chief would be designated as the enforcement officer.

Hook said that the ordinance which the fire company proposed provided that any fines be paid to the fire company. He questioned the legality of that

provision, however, since it is a township ordinance. He suggested that the township could adopt a policy to increase its annual contribution to the fire company by the amount of any fines which are paid during the preceding year.

The solicitor noted that a \$300 fine is the maximum provided by law, and suggested that it be raised to that amount to provide adequate compensation for large grass fires which require many men and hours of work to bring under control.

In another development at the meeting, Hook said that he had been contacted by the Department of Environmental Resources and was told that the DER will require compliance with the agreement which developers of the Mountainview Gardens housing project entered into last year. That agree-

ment called for the developer to construct the sewer line crossover which is needed to channel effluent from the development out of Waynesburg through sewer lines and into those of the Franklin Township Sewer Authority.

The agreement was demanded by the DER before it would approve the housing development because the borough system is presently overloaded. Signatories to the agreement were Searights Construction Co., developers of Mountainview Gardens; the township, the borough and the sewer authority.

"The DER feels that if Searights refuses to honor the agreement, the township should be responsible for taking legal action to force compliance," Hook said. "But at the same time, it has taken no position on what it will do if we (the township) do not take the developer to court."

The supervisors said they agree that the developer should be forced to honor his obligation, but do not feel the township should have to bear the cost of litigation.

Hook also told the supervisors he will have a proposal ready for presentation to the township sewer authority at its next meeting regarding authority takeover of sewer lines in the Bonar Sewer District, near Greene County Memorial Hospital.

The sewer district was formed many years ago to provide sewer service to homes bordering Waynesburg Borough on the east. The township had no sewer system of its own at that time, so the houses were tied into the borough system under an agreement between the township and the borough, which is still in effect.

The township supervisors maintain

the lines, collect service charges from property owners and make an annual payment to the borough for its treatment of the sewage.

Under the proposed agreement, which has been in the process of preparation for some time, the township authority would take over the responsibility now held by the township, taking the latter out of the sewer business.

Bids for paving materials were accepted and contracts awarded.

Jacobs Petroleum Products, Waynesburg, was awarded a contract for up to 10,000 gallons of gasoline at a cost of 98½ cents a gallon and up to 5,000 gallons of diesel fuel at a cost of 106½ cents a gallon. The price is subject to possible revision, up or down, according to the wholesale price of fuel at the time of delivery.

College, Community Moving 'Forward Together'

WAYNESBURG — A task force of leaders from the local community and the Waynesburg College campus have launched an intensive "Forward Together" campaign

that will lead, if successful, to the start of construction of the recreational center at the college.

The 32-member task force, which met for the first time Monday evening, hopes to raise the remaining \$300,000 needed to start construction of

the recreation center. The group wants to have commitments for that amount by May 15.

"Forward Together" will be a four-phase effort to contact individuals and organizations in the local area, alumni across the country, corporations and individuals capable of major gifts, and donors of gifts-in-kind. Plans call for the first two phases to be completed by May 15, with the other two phases being ongoing efforts.

College Board of Trustees President Ewing Pollock told the group that the board will meet at the end of March to determine the next step in the recreation center project.

"If we have the necessary funding," Pollock said, "I believe the board will vote to let bids and begin construction as soon as possible."

He reminded the group that the board will not take on a burdensome debt in the building of new recreational facilities. To date, more than \$820,000 has been received and earmarked for the recreation center project. An additional \$350,000 in pledges to the project have been made by alumni and friends.

Raising an additional \$300,000 would enable the college to complete the revised recreation center plan without extensive borrowing.

College President Joseph F. Marsh told task force members that the revised plans are in line with available funding. "In some ways, the revised

plans will be a better use of the available space," he said.

"For example, by moving the intercollegiate playing courts into the new part of the building, we will be able to provide two intramural courts, plus the intercollegiate court. Under the initial plan, we would have had one intramural court and one intercollegiate court."

Task force members include: Charles Baily, Paul Stanek; Gary Klinefelter, Don Patterson and Ralph Sommers from the Yellow Jacket Booster Club; John E. Baily, Ewing B. Pollock and John Wiley from the Board of Trustees; Dave Alexander, Mary Ellen Bolish, Mike

Larkin, Pat O'Brien and Stacy Skarlis, all students; Joseph F. Marsh, Bob Bishop, Bob Hurd, and C.B. Stoy from the administration; Hayden Buckley, Lorraine Cassidy, Bill Hardisty and Rudy Marisa from the athletic department; Jerry L. Beasley, J.E. Victor Carlson and Edward Marotta from the de-

velopment office; Richard Cowan, Rosalie Jackson, Bill Pool and William Sipple from the faculty; and Ron Cochran, Roger Gaillard and Bob King from the alumni association.

Each of these groups will report, on a weekly basis, their progress in contacting prospective donors and securing pledges and gifts.

Middle School Students Now Included In Band

ROGERSVILLE — In addition to a number of policies set by the West Greene School Board at a lengthy meeting Thursday night, the board voted to include middle school students in the high school band. The band will include students from the sixth to the 12th grades after the middle school is completed. Construction of the middle school is estimated to be completed by September.

The vote came after a number of board members reported that the band director, Ron Jesso, had told some parents that the junior high students would no longer be a part of the high school band.

Before voting, board member Anne Bower asked for further study on the matter. "It seems to be premature to make policy on this issue," she said. "This should be done when other middle school and high school policies are made."

Questions about how the younger students would be separated from older students were raised by some parents attending the meeting. It was pointed out that Jesso has always adhered to a policy of keeping the junior high students on one bus and the older students another. It was noted, however, that all the band members would be attending practice together.

By a 5-3 vote, the board agreed to pursue the hiring of a business manager, a position the district does not now have. The personnel committee will meet to draw up a job description and salary framework.

Superintendent Elliott LeFavre reported April 5 and 6 have been set aside as days for parent-teacher conferences after students' re-

port cards go out and Elementary Principal Bill Throckmorton reported kindergarten registration for the district has been set for next week. Registration is scheduled for the mornings at the Freeport school, afternoons at Aleppo and all day at Graysville.

A motion to allow any student in one competition who passes on to a higher competition be allowed to participate along with the respective coach or sponsor was approved.

Deborah Hildreth, librarian, and teacher Judith Weeter gave reports on recent conferences they had attended. Such reports are part of a new board policy which requests reports on conferences employees of the district have attended.

Maintenance Superintendent Frank Farley reported that some problems with the high school roof have occurred during recent construction work. However, he said a couple of leaks have been taken care of by the contractor.

Two days previously scheduled as part of Easter vacation were changed to makeup days when school was closed due to snow. The days are April 8 and 12.

Regarding the board's executive session, which lasted a half-hour longer than allowed by the state's Sunshine Law, Solicitor C. Robert McCall said the time was needed to address a problem on a personnel matter.

"Sometimes the board has personnel matters it has to address that, by law, it cannot address in public," he said. "This was a big problem the board had to treat privately and could not treat in the amount of time allotted to it."

Around Greene

DAUGHTER BORN

Gary and Donna Knisely of 815 Bonar Avenue, Waynesburg, announce the birth of a daughter, Juli Diane, on March 8, 1982, in Washington Hospital. She has a 3-year-old sister, Jennifer.

Paternal grandparents are Ralph Knisely of Waynesburg R.D.6 and the late Eleanor Knisely. Paternal great-grandmother is Gladys Gallentine of Waynesburg R.D.2.

Maternal grandparents are Robert E. and Shirley Stockdale of Waynesburg. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John E. Stockdale of Waynesburg and Mrs. Dorothy P. Huffman of Jefferson.

GRANGE MEETS

Dunkard Township Grange, in regular session this week, completed plans for programs and activities for the remainder of the year.

Devotions were led by Zella Kozar and the program was in keeping with St. Patrick's Day. Betty Glover baked a cake to honor those who celebrated birthdays during the first quarter of the year.

ENDS TRAINING

Naval Seaman Recruit Rodney T. Bristor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Bristor of Graysville, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill.

He is a 1980 graduate of West Greene High School.

List Of Carmichaels School Building Repairs Lengthy

CARMICHAELS — A lengthy list of repairs needed at school buildings in the Carmichaels Area District was presented to the school board at its meeting Thursday evening.

"There are quite a few problems and some of them should receive immediate attention," Business Manager Louis Pascuzzo said.

The report was prepared by Pascuzzo and members of the school board building committee — Sigmond Bokot, Henry Kowalewski and Edward Tekavec — following an inspection of the three elementary buildings and the high school building. It includes major items such as roof repairs and window replacement as well as less costly maintenance items.

"The elementary buildings (Central, Nemaconin and Crucible) are all old structures and things need to be replaced," Pascuzzo said.

The building committee was asked to hold a work session as soon as possible to list the recommended improvements in the order of their importance and to obtain estimates of what it would cost to do the work. It was asked to have this report ready for consideration by the time of the April meeting so that provision can be made in the 1982-83 budget to do as much of the work as possible.

In other action, the board:

- Received a report that contract

negotiations with non-professional employees has begun, with another bargaining session scheduled for March 30.

- Eliminated the position of baker at the Nemaconin School, with the job to be replaced by a new cafeteria worker position. The new position will be posted.

- Approved payment of \$1,737 to Baily's garage, as school bus contractor, for the cost of gasoline in 1981 which was in excess of \$1.15 per gallon.

- Awarded a contract of \$2,749 to Frank E. Davis, Rochester, for cleaning and repair of the auditorium curtains.

- After approving a number of field trips, was advised by Pascuzzo that the budgeted amount for this purpose has now been exhausted. The board indicated it will consider no more requests.

- Amended the school calendar to make up seven days lost in January and February due to cold weather and water problems. Some of the days will be made up by reducing the Easter vacation to one day, Friday, April 9, and by retaining May 31 as the only other vacation day. The final day of school will now fall on Friday, June 11, with the high school commencement being held that evening.

- Authorized Dr. Dolores Zoldos, district superintendent, to apply for a com-

petitive industrial arts grant from the state. If approved, the money would be used to obtain offset printing equipment for a new program in visual communications.

- Approved using a \$1,683 homemaking grant for a new course on dealing with family relations, and \$682 to be applied to the purchase of a memory typewriter for use in the business education department.

- Authorized use of the high school softball field by Carl's Softball Team of the Greene County League, with the provision that it work out its schedule with two teams already granted permission to use the field.

- Authorized the Band Boosters to use the cafeteria to serve refreshments to band members and family members in conjunction with the spring concert on May 7.

- Authorized several fund-raising activities, including a smorgasbord by the Band Boosters, a popcorn sale by the Senior High Chorus, sale of designer shoelaces by the National Honor Society, and a volleyball/basketball game to benefit the elementary schools.

- Approved the Intermediate Unit I administrative budget for 1982-83, with the district's share being set at \$3,486.

- Accepted the resignation of Elaine Moore Biletz, a secretary at the Crucible School, and directed that the position be posted.

Church, Trumka Will Share Same Platform On Miners Day

MASONTOWN — United Mine Workers President Sam Church Jr. and the man who is challenging him for the UMWA presidency, Richard L. Trumka of Nemaconin, will be on the same speaker's platform when the annual Miners Day parade and program are held in Masontown Thursday, April 1. Trumka is a member of the UWA international executive board.

The parade is scheduled for 11 a.m., with the speaking program to follow in the Masontown Junior High School gymnasium.

The event has been held in Masontown by UMWA District 4 since 1979, with this year's observance marking the 84th anniversary of the eight-hour work day. It is celebrated throughout the coal fields as a tribute to John Mitchell, who

laid the foundation for the United Mine Workers.

"This year's parade promises to be the best yet," District 4 President James W. Kelly said. "It will feature veterans, color guards, marching bands, cub scouts, antique cars, colorful floats, Coal Queen Lisa Elek, fire trucks and hundreds of parading miners, with local and national dignitaries participating."

Parade Marshals Tom McArdle and Tom Smith have asked that all miners gather at 10:30 a.m. in the Masontown firemen's parking lot on North Washington Street. The parade will proceed south on Washington Street to Cross Avenue, east on Cross Avenue to Main Street, and north on Main Street to Virginia Avenue, where it will disband.

PLRB Schedules Conference

WAYNESBURG — The Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board has scheduled a joint conference to resolve issues raised in a petition from a Pittsburgh-based union which is attempting to organize Greene County employees.

Both county and union representatives have been asked to attend the conference at 10 a.m. Monday, March 29, in the State Office Building in Pittsburgh. The issues will be considered by Matthew J. Purpura, PLRB election investigator.

The petition was filed by Local 585, Service Employees International Union, AFL-CIO, which claims to have a show of interest from more than the required 30 percent of potential union members.

The union has estimated that between 80 and 90 county employees would be eligible to join the union in one of the four bargaining units being proposed.

The largest unit, from 45 to 50 people, would include people

who work under the county commissioners. Other proposed bargaining units are court-appointed personnel, employees in court-related offices, and employees at the county jail, including the guards.

The union has asked the PLRB to schedule an election in which employees in each of the four proposed units would vote on whether or not they wish to join the union, with the outcome depending upon majority vote.

The conference has been scheduled to answer any questions the county or union might wish to raise regarding the inclusion of certain employees in the bargaining units and whether the union has the required number of signatures which must be obtained from potential members before an election can be held.

If either party takes exception to decisions made by the election investigator, it would have the right to request that a full PLRB hearing be held to resolve the issues.



Pinewood Derby Winners

Runoff for the Cub Scouts' Pinewood Derby winners for the General Greene District were held Saturday at Waynesburg College with some 28 scouts, all winners in their local pack Pinewood Derby runoffs, participating. Winners for the district from the left are: Bill Hilverding, second place, from Pack 1222 at the Brave Community Club; Jerrod Bamberger, first place, of pack 1222 in Nineveh; and Jeff Kovach, third, from pack 1160, Jefferson-Mather. The winners will participate in the state runoff to be held May 1 near Pittsburgh. Fourth place winner, Rick Ermlick of pack 1168 in Rices Landing, will be the alternate for the state runoff.

April 19 Through April 22

'I Quit Smoking Clinic' Planned

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Unit, American Cancer Society and Greene County Memorial Hospital will sponsor a "I Quit Smoking Clinic" to be held from Monday, April 19, through Thursday, April 22.

The clinic will be held in room 316 of the Buhl building on the Waynesburg College campus with each session beginning at 7 p.m. The four, one-to-two-hour sessions, will combine lectures, one-to-one consultations and small group activities. The sessions will provide essential knowledge and behavior modifications as well as offering alternatives to smoking, a cancer unit official said.

Sponsors of the clinic cite Surgeon General C. Everett Koop's annual report which states, "Thirty percent of all cancer deaths in the United States are caused by cigarette smoking, and even non-smokers should treat it as a public potential health hazard."

Persons interested in attending the clinic are asked to contact the Greene County Unit office at 90 East High Street, Waynesburg, or call 627-5259.

Public Records

WAYNESBURG — The following deeds were recorded during the past week in the office of Greene County Register and Recorder Thomas Headlee:

- Aleppo Township**
Glenn and Florence E. Grimm, Elyria, Ohio, to Monroe A. and Jean L. Grimm, Burbank, Calif., and others, undivided interest in oil and gas, Aleppo and Richhill townships, no consideration.
- Center Township**
Erma Margaret Tuttle, Holbrook R.D.1, to John Bartolovich Jr. and Cassie R. Bartolovich, Waynesburg R.D.4, four acres, \$2,500.
- Cumberland Township**
Leona K. Baker, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., to Steven L. and Linda M. Wolfe, Bobtown, house and lot, \$60,000.
- Dunkard Township**
Steven L. and Linda M. Wolfe, Bobtown, to Kenneth C. and Cecelia A. Bane of Greensboro, house and lot, Bobtown, \$25,000.
- John and Billie Pigmon, Louisa, Ky., to Herschel F. Mathews Jr., Dunkard Township, lot, \$1,500.
- Ronald D. Pennington, administrator estate of Norman L. Pennington Sr., to Norman L. Pennington Jr., Dunkard Township, tract, \$10,803.
- Franklin Township**
Norma Inghram, Dollar Bay, Mich., to Henderson Mining Co., undivided interest in 114 acres Freeport Coal, \$1,275.
- Harold R. and Evalyn T.

Correction
WAYNESBURG — The Waynesburg College Alumni Association will hold its annual Dinner-Theater Evening Saturday, March 27, on the college campus.

It was incorrectly announced last week that the event would be held on March 20.

The dinner in Benedum Hall at 7 p.m. will be followed at 8:15 p.m. by a performance in the college playhouse of "She Loves Me."

Ticket reservations can be made by calling the alumni office at the college at 627-8191, extension 293. Dinner and theater tickets are \$7 per person, while theater-only tickets are available at \$2 per person.

Sale Corrected

WAYNESBURG — In its "Deeds Recorded" column published Dec. 14, 1981, the Observer-Reporter listed the sale by Paul T. and Melba Shaffer of their house in Crucible to Cumberland Township.

The property was not sold to the township, but was placed under a lien as part of the process of the home rehabilitation section of the federally-funded community renovation project which is currently underway in Crucible.

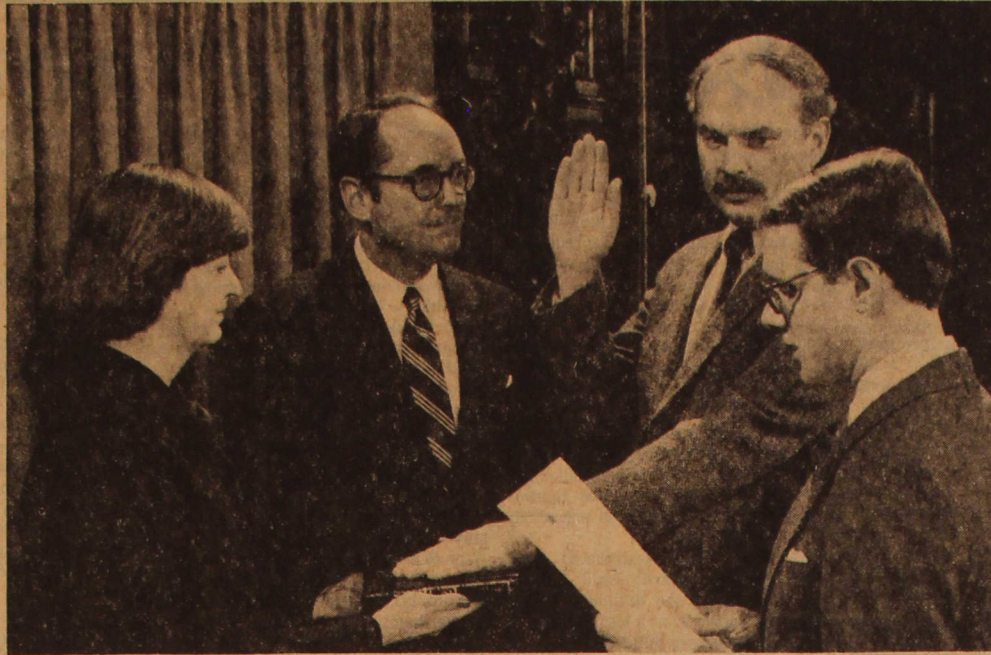
Suit Seeks Damages Against Signode Corp.

WAYNESBURG — A former employee of a Greene County firm which makes railroad ties has brought suit against a manufacturer of metal binding straps for injuries he suffered in a job-related accident.

The lawsuit, asking damages "in excess of \$10,000," was instituted in Greene County Court Monday by Kenneth Cumberland of Braden Street, Waynesburg, Signode Corp., Glenville, Ill., is named as defendant.

The accident occurred April 4, 1979, in Mather, where Cumberland was employed by Gateway Products Inc. The complaint states that the plaintiff was using a tensioner manufactured by Signode to apply metal straps to a bundle of railroad ties. It states the tensioner malfunctioned, striking him in the chest and knocking him from the pile of ties.

As a result, it states, he suffered injuries which required his hospitalization, prevented him from working for nine months and prevented him from returning to his job with Gateway.



Greenlee Sworn In

Waynesburg native Thomas P. Greenlee is sworn in as a member of the Pennsylvania Game Commission by Secretary of the Commonwealth William O. Davis, right. Governor Richard Thornburgh looks on and Greenlee's wife, Cheryl, holds the Bible. Greenlee, a son of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Greenlee, will represent the northwest district.

County Obituaries

Day

James Orville Day, 79, of Teagarden Homes, Clarksville, died at 1:30 p.m. Friday, March 19, 1982, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following an illness of three weeks.

He was born January 16, 1903, in Enterprise, Ky., a son of John and Sarah Margaret Day. His first wife, Althea Blankenbeckley Day, died in 1970. His second wife, Jewell Packett Day, died in 1978.

Mr. Day was a retired miner from the Jones and Laughlin Steel Co.'s Vesta 5 Mine. He had lived most of his life in the Vestaburg and Clarksville areas. He was a Protestant and a member of UMW Local 762, Vestaburg.

Surviving are two daughters, Billie Kuhns of Kingwood, W.Va., and Mrs. William (Eileen) Booze of Clarksville; four sons, James Day of Munich, Germany, Jack Day of Ravenna, Ohio, and Robert and Darrell Day, both of Punxsutawney; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Annabelle Evans of Washington Courthouse; and one stepson, Bucky James Packett of Detroit, Mich.; 15 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; nine step-grandchildren; one brother, Hurndon Day of Olive Hill, Ky.; an aunt and several nieces and nephews.

Cain

John L. Cain, 71, of Stahlstown R.D.1 and Brentwood, died at 2:10 a.m. Tuesday, March 23, 1982, in the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Pittsburgh after an illness of two years.

He was born August 11, 1910, in Shamrock, Wayne Township, the son of Charles A. and Bertha Morris Cain. His early life was spent in Greene County and he was a resident of Pittsburgh for the past 50 years. For two years, he lived in Stahlstown.

He was a member of the East Liberty Presbyterian Church; Guthrie Lodge, F&AM and Chapter 8, Disabled American Veterans. A veteran of World War II, he served with the U.S. Army in Europe and participated in the D-Day Invasion and the Battle of the Bulge. He was awarded a Bronze Star and two Purple Hearts.

He was employed by Peoples Gas Co. for many years and was later self-employed as a maintenance and repairman.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Russell (Lois M.) Cashdollar of Brentwood; two granddaughters, Mrs. James (Millie Ann) Casper of San Francisco and Miss Pamela Cashdollar of Philadelphia; a grandson, Russell K. Cashdollar of Baltimore, Md.; two sisters, Mrs. Harry (Marie) Gainey of Nicholls, Ga., and Mrs. Alice L. Leffler of Silver Spring, Md.

Hartley

Hartford (Hottsey) Hartley, 68, of Carmichaels, died Thursday, March 18, 1982, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was born December 3, 1913, in Vestaburg, a son of Charles and Bessie Mae Davis Hartley.

He lived in the Carmichaels area for the past 54 years and was a member of the First Christian Church, Carmichaels.

Mr. Hartley served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a member of American Legion Cumberland Post 400 in Carmichaels, VFW Post 6303 in Greensboro and the Disabled American Veterans, Fayette Chapter 58, in Uniontown. He was also a member of the Carmichaels Lions Club.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Barnes Hartley; one daughter, Mrs. Ted (Marlene) DeFrank of Dry Tavern; one son, Howard Hartley of Carmichaels; three grandchildren, Candy and David DeFrank and Eric Hartley; and four sisters, Mrs. Leo (Mildred) O'Brien of Nemaocolin, Mrs. Anthony (June) Zalar and Miss Cleve Hartley, both of Greensboro, and Mrs. James (Betty) Ditko of Crucible.

Two sisters and two brothers are deceased.

Bowers

Ethel Raber Bowers, 62, of 458 North West Street, Waynesburg, died at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 23, 1982, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va., following a one-month illness.

She was born March 4, 1920, in Rivesville, W.Va., the daughter of John L. and Anna Bell Horner Raber.

Her early life was spent in the Rivesville, W.Va. area and she was a resident of Waynesburg for the past 45 years. She was affiliated with the Methodist Church. She was employed as a waitress at several local restaurants for many years.

She was married February 14, 1937, to Howard W. Bowers, who survives.

Also surviving are a son Larry M. Bowers of Mather; four granddaughters, Mrs. Harry (Penny) Good of Crucible and Valerie, Tina and Jolene; a sister Anna Alucci of Waynesburg and a brother George Raber of Cleveland, Ohio.

Three brothers and two sisters are deceased.

Hewitt

Paul E. Hewitt Jr., 38, of Nemaocolin, collapsed and died at 11 a.m. Monday, March 22, 1982, while working in the Clyde Mine in Fredericktown.

He was born October 9, 1943, in Wharton Township, Fayette County, a son of Wilma Nelson Hewitt, of Headlee Heights, and the late Paul E. Hewitt.

He was employed as a trackman and motorman at the Clyde Coal Mine and had resided in Nemaocolin for the past 12 years.

Mr. Hewitt was a member of the First Christian Church of Carmichaels, the Nemaocolin Volunteer Fire Company and UMWA Clyde Local 688.

Surviving in addition to his mother are his wife, Patricia Ann Wilson; four daughters, Angela S., JoAnne M., Susan C. and Tresa A. Hewitt, all at home; one son, Paul A. Hewitt, at home; and four sisters; Mrs. George (Irene) Brown of Willoughby, Ohio, Mrs. Donald (Paula) Miller of Garards Fort, and Mrs. Nancy Weathers and Mrs. Frank (Patricia) Sizemore, both of Cleveland, Ohio.

Wood

Arleigh A. Wood Sr., 80, of Waynesburg R.D.6, died at 1 p.m. Sunday, March 21, 1982, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had been ill for the past three years.

He was born January 16, 1902, in Bristoria, a son of Marian and Orpha Cooper Wood.

Mr. Wood had lived most of his life in the Waynesburg area. He retired after 42 years as an employee of Hoge's Bakery in Waynesburg. He had been a driver for the bakery and had worked in the plant.

Mr. Wood was a member of the First Christian Church in Waynesburg and the Men's Bible Class of the church.

He was the last member of his immediate family.

On June 19, 1926, he married Minnie Martin, who survives.

Surviving in addition to his wife are one daughter, Jennie Mae Wood, at home; one son, Arleigh A. Wood Jr., of Waynesburg; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A son, Donald, five brothers, Paul, Elbin, Howard, Randall and Jona Wood, and one sister, Ruth Wood, are deceased.

Nicholson

Silas W. Nicholson, 74, of Carmichaels R.D.2, died at 10:22 a.m., Friday, March 19, 1982, at Greene County Memorial Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

He was born October 18, 1907, in Carmichaels, a son of William and Sarah Jane Guesman Nicholson.

His wife, Mable Christopher Nicholson, survives.

Mr. Nicholson was a retired coal miner from Buckeye Coal Co. and a member of UMWA Nemaocolin Local 6290. He was a Methodist.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are two daughters, Mrs. Everett (Betty Jane) Harshman of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Robert (Mary) Deems of Geneva, Ohio; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and two sisters, Mrs. Mildred Sharpnack and Mrs. Sarah Hixon of Carmichaels R.D.2.

Deceased are a son, Ray; five brothers, John, Harry, Walter, Howard and Thomas; and a sister, Charlene Van Sickle.

Headley

Ocie Phillips Headley, 94, of 136 East High Street, Waynesburg, formerly of Kuhntown, died at 8 a.m. Sunday, March 21, 1982, in the East Liverpool Convalescent Center, East Liverpool, Ohio. She had been ill for the past year.

She was born October 2, 1887, in Kuhntown, a daughter of Leisure and Jane Cole Phillips.

With the exception of 12 years in Beaver, Mrs. Headley had lived all her life in Kuhntown. She was a member of the Pine Bank United Methodist Church and was a member of the former Pythian Sisters Lodge in Pine Bank.

For many years she and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Artie Phillips of Waynesburg, made their home together both in Kuhntown and for a short time in Waynesburg.

Surviving are two granddaughters, Mrs. David (Connie) Clements of Aliquippa and Mrs. Richard (Vicki) Hensley of Gahanna, Ohio; six great-grandchildren; one niece and three nephews.

Her husband, Fred L. Headley, died November 24, 1954. One daughter, Betty, and one son, Phillips, are deceased.

Barn Destroyed

WAYNESBURG — A small barn owned by Charles Bowers of Mt. Morris Star Route was destroyed by fire Tuesday night.

Waynesburg volunteer firemen, who were called at 6:40 p.m., said the blaze apparently started in a hay mow. They estimated the loss at less than \$1,000.

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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 Wozy 5811 Westlake Avenue Parma, Ohio, 44129
Executor
THOMPSON AND BAILEY Attorneys 3-19-26; 4-2

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF Ella 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. 26062
EXECUTOR 3-19-26; 4-2

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF LORETTA E. DIEHL late of Morgan 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.
Thelma Harrison Box 283, Mather, Pa. 15346
Executor
A. J. Marion, Attorney 3-26; 4-2, 9 3-19-26; 4-2

Public Notices

ADMINISTRATRIX 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 all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make payment without delay to:
Frances L. Campbell 2735 Memorial Boulevard Connettsville, 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 required 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

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF ORPHA A. McLELLAND late of Waynesburg Borough Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.
ROBERT M. KEENER, Esquire SAYERS, KING, KEENER & NALITZ, Attorneys 3-26; 4-2, 9

NOTICE
LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY ADARNEY, 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 Partial 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 Westa E. Morris, executrix of the Estate of James S. Morris, late of Jefferson Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Frank J. Behm, 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.
Al Darney Clerk of Courts 3-19-26; 4-2

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