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VFW Members Man Who Was Its First National Commander

WAYNESBURG — For many years, national headquarters of the Veterans of Foreign Wars has made annual arrangements to have a Memorial Day wreath placed on the grave of Thomas Spencer Crago in Green Mount Cemetery in Waynesburg prior to Memorial Day.

It's been done without fanfare as a tribute to a man who played a major role in the establishment of an organization that now claims 1.7 million members.

"Although very few people are aware of it, Col. Crago was the VFW's first national commander, and that's something the county can be proud of," County Commissioner L.R. (Butch) Santore of Greensboro said Wednesday. "He was one of its organizers and served as commander-in-chief in 1914-15."

Santore said he first learned about Col. Crago when he was contacted by national headquarters in 1952 to make arrangements for placing of the wreath. At that time he was the VFW's district commander, and he has been doing it every year since then.

On Wednesday he and Richard Baysinger, commander of the Waynesburg post, went to the cemetery to place the wreath in preparation for the coming weekend.

"There's never been any ritual connected with it," Santore explained. "It's just been a quiet tribute each year that has never attracted any public notice. Somebody else probably took care of it before I was first called 30 years ago."

According to his information, Crago, along with James VanZandt and Robert

Woodrich, were three of the men from the Pittsburgh area who helped organize the Veterans of Foreign Wars about 1913 as a successor to an organization called Army Veterans of Overseas Service.

There was no local post at that time (the Waynesburg post was established in 1922), so he was enrolled as a member at large, holding the national commandship in that capacity.

Santore, who is a past state commander, obtained a copy of Crago's Army discharge which shows he served as a captain of Company K, Tenth Infantry Regiment, from April 27, 1898, to Aug. 22, 1899. During the Spanish American war he took part in the battles of Malate and Manila, and during the Spanish Insurrection which followed he saw action in the battles of LaLoma Church, San Francisco del Monte and Polo Guiguinto Malolos, receiving special mention for gallantry on Feb. 5, 1899.

After his return from the war, he helped reorganize the Pennsylvania National Guard and served with the 10th Pennsylvania Infantry for a number of years until his retirement with the rank of colonel.

He was an attorney and, according to his biography in the necrology of the Greene County Bar Association, he was also very prominent in both local and national affairs, particularly in the political arena, where he was a staunch Republican.

After serving as a presidential delegate to the national conventions in 1900 and 1904, he was elected in 1910 as congressman from the 23rd district, comprising Somerset, Fayette and

Greene counties. He then served an additional four terms (eight years) as a congressman-at-large.

It notes he was an active and influential member of several important committees, especially pension, census and military affairs.

"As a member of the latter committee he performed his greatest and most lasting work, being largely instrumental in framing the military policy of the United States in the late war (World War I)."

Following his retirement from Congress, he was appointed special assistant United States attorney general and assigned to the war frauds division, handling many important cases.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Waynesburg and served as a member of the boards of trustees of Waynesburg College and Waynesburg Hospital. He was one of the organizers of the Union Deposit and Trust Company of Waynesburg, serving as its vice president for many years.

He was married Oct. 27, 1897, to Margaret L. Hoge. They had three children, Leah Crago, John H. Crago and Ruth C. Crago.

Noting that Col. Crago died Sept. 13, 1925, the necrology sums up:

"Col. Crago was a man of wide information, sound judgment, high character and unquestioned integrity, commanding the respect of all. He was intensely loyal and patriotic and a man of broadest sympathies, ever kindly and courteous, and of refined tastes, just and fearless, and in his public and private life an example of unselfish, devoted service."

Carmichaels School Board Rejects Tentative Budget

CARMICHAELS — A proposed operating budget for the 1982-83 school year presented to the Carmichaels Area School Board Thursday night by its finance committee for tentative approval was rejected.

A motion to approve the tentative budget in the amount of \$3,718,047 was defeated by a vote of 6-2. Board President David Antonelli said he will call a board workshop to review the budget prior to adoption in June. Details of the budget were not made available since it was not approved.

The contract for the district's audit for 1982-83 was awarded to McClure and Wolfe, of Uniontown. The general audit will cost \$4,200 and the Title I audit \$600. Business manager Louis Pascuzzo was elected non-board member secretary for a four-year period at \$500 per year. Board member Ziggy Bokak was re-elected board treasurer for one year at a salary of \$200. First National Bank of Carmichaels was designated school district depository for the coming year.

Gary White was offered the position of head wrestling coach at the salary stipulated in the district's contract with its professional staff.

The board approved the 1982-83 Greene County Vocational-Technical School budget for the coming school year which reflects a 6 percent increase over the current year's budget. The Carmichaels district's share of the \$634,103 budget will be \$101,456. The four other school districts in the county also share the cost of the total vo-tech budget.

The board also approved the special education budget for district operated classes in the amount of \$96,716.

District Superintendent Dr. Dolores Zoldos recommended, and received approval, to send four elementary teachers to a training workshop at Chatham College on July 19 to 23. It is sponsored by the Gesell Readiness Institute and will train teachers to do testing on pre-kindergarten registrants. This is a new concept in testing in the Carmichaels Area School District.

William Harr, high school principal, presented the 1982 graduation list of 94 seniors. Commencement will be held at 7:15 p.m., Friday, June 11 at the high school stadium, weather permitting.

The elementary music department has submitted an application for a Rockefeller grant in the arts for \$10,000. If the grant is awarded to Carmichaels area it would be used to improve and expand the music program.

Security guards used during school activities requested, and received, an increase in salary from \$18 to \$25 per activity. They were commended by the board for their excellent performance.

The business manager is accepting applications for two part-time maintenance workers for the summer. The district has also applied for five workers through the Summer Youth Employ-

ment program. The district's architect has recommended the field house at the football field be either repaired, fenced off, or torn down for safety reasons. It will be barricaded for the elementary schools track event to be held next week at the football field and alternatives for the building will be studied. The building is only used for some storage purposes.

The non-professional contract nego-

tiations will continue the first week in June according to board member negotiator Frank Andria. He expressed the opinion that negotiations are making satisfactory progress.

Dr. Zoldos reported that California State College has requested the district accept Sally Aglio for the summer as an elementary principal intern. She said the district was honored to receive the request.

West Greene

Busing, Budget Stormy Issues

By CHRISTIE R. MOLZON
Staff Writer

ROGERSVILLE — When it recessed its meeting at 11 p.m. Thursday, the West Greene School Board had still not made a decision on whether to eliminate kindergarten busing and interscholastic junior high athletics, nor did it act on a tentative operating budget for the coming school year.

The meeting was recessed until 9 p.m., Wednesday, May 26.

A number of residents were at the meeting Thursday night to discuss both the kindergarten busing issue and the junior high athletic program.

Superintendent Elliott LeFaiver noted that it was costing the district \$650 per child to have two way kindergarten busing with a half-day program.

"The board must vote on whether they think \$650 per child, per year for a half-day session is an expenditure they can make during these times," LeFaiver said.

Elimination of the kindergarten busing would equal the savings of \$66,000 or 1.5 mills of real estate tax. At 11 p.m. Thursday the board had yet to vote on whether to eliminate kindergarten transportation for the coming school year.

It was brought out that a number of options for the kindergarten program are available: one is having all-day sessions, another is all-day sessions every other day, or keeping half-day sessions but providing one way transportation.

One woman who objected to the board considering eliminating kindergarten busing said, "You're putting the cart before the horse, you're voting on eliminating busing before knowing what kind of kindergarten program you'll have."

Another issue that raised objections

from people in the audience was a suggestion that interscholastic junior high athletic programs in football, boys' basketball and wrestling be replaced by a middle school intermural sports program.

Board member Anne Bower said the idea of eliminating the current junior high program was to keep it in line with the curriculum program.

"We want to put emphasis on developing good basic skills in the middle school," she said. "Students will still have four years of high school for competitive play."

Addressing persons in the audience that did not favor elimination of either busing or athletic programs board president William Ziefel said, "When we look at people in this district who are unemployed and it looks like they will not have a job for two years, how can we go to them and ask for 22 more mills? How can we go to the taxpayers after asking them for an addition last year," he said in referring to construction of an addition to the high school.

The tentative operating budget for the 1982-83 school year totaling \$4,574,226 was on the agenda but had not been acted upon by late Thursday night.

The proposed budget, based on a 47-mill real estate tax, would be an increase of three mills over the current budget.

In other business, the board refused to allow the high school band to attend band camp this summer at West Liberty State College. It would cost \$2,100.

A report was given that teacher contract negotiations have made "small progress," with the next negotiating meeting set for June 3.

Dan Morris presented a check for \$103 to the district for its academic achievement banquet. Morris said the money was left over from the citizens group PRIDE, which disbanded.

Jefferson-Morgan Board May Borrow Money For Investment

By STAN DIAMOND
Staff Writer

JEFFERSON — The Jefferson-Morgan School District may soon be in the money market, and they have legal arbitrage to thank for it.

During a special meeting Wednesday night, the board heard a presentation on borrowing money on a tax and revenue anticipation loan and reinvesting the money or unused portions of it at a higher interest rate than it cost to borrow. The arbitrage being the money the district would make on the interest difference which is legal for a school district.

The board liked the idea and passed a resolution authorizing West Penn Municipals to prepare a proposal for a tax and revenue anticipation loan in an amount to be determined at a later date.

The presentation was made by Steve Drizos, a representative of West Penn Municipals which is a unit of the First National Bank of Pennsylvania.

Drizos explained the procedure of such borrowing to the board as well as

the formula use to determine how much any one school district is eligible to borrow. He also said that this type borrowing is more like floating a bond issue rather than negotiating a loan because of the way it is handled.

Drizos said the Jefferson district would probably be eligible to float an issue of \$500,000 to \$600,000 at an interest cost of 10 percent while it could invest the money in certificates of deposit or similar investments with an interest yield of 13 percent. The district could expect to earn between \$14,000 and \$18,000. The bond issue could only be for one year with a due date of June 1983.

West Penn Municipals would make the transaction for the district at a cost that is not expected to exceed one percent of the total amount of the issue, Drizos said. That one percent would also include all costs of the transaction such as bond counsel fees.

The district's solicitor and auditor gave their approval to the district entering into such a transaction.

Forrest Cottle, district business man-

ager, told the board that in past years the district's auditor seemed to discourage entering into such a transaction because he felt the district was solvent enough. He said the auditor still feels the district is solvent but since the board expressed interest in such a transaction he would give his approval.

Tax anticipation loans are common transactions for school districts and municipalities for operating funds during the time between when tax notices are sent out and revenues begin coming in.

It was generally felt by the Jefferson school board that since they had the opportunity to make the extra revenues they should take advantage of it.

Cottle indicated the district would probably be able to invest the total amount it borrowed.

The board is expected to receive the formal proposal by West Penn Municipals the first week in June, and if the board members accept it, would receive the loan amount on July 1 — money market day for the Jefferson-Morgan School District.

Official Count Shows Murphy Leading Vote-Getter

WAYNESBURG — The official count of ballots cast in last week's primary election was completed Tuesday by the Greene County Board of Elections.

Leading vote-getter in the Democratic primary was U.S. Rep. Austin J. Murphy with 4,023 votes, followed by state Sen. J. Barry Stout with 3,875 and state Rep. H. William DeWeese with 3,870. All three ran without opposition as the first step in seeking re-election in November.

Other results of the Democratic primary: U.S. Senator — Cyril H. Wecht, 2,977; John J. Logue, 540; Cyril E. Sagan, 500.

Governor — Earl S. McDowell Jr., 1,860; Allen E. Ertel, 1,540; Steve Douglas, 431; Eugene Knox, 138.

Lieutenant Governor — James R. Lloyd, 3,413. Justice of the Supreme Court — Stephen A. Zappala, 2,410; Forrest G. Schaeffer, 1,337.

Member of State Committee — Gregory F. Peccon, 2,256; William A. Fleming, 1,720.

In the Republican primary, John R. Gardner of Waynesburg, a candidate for the Republican State Committee, led all candidates with 1,000 votes.

The only contest on the ballot was for Supreme Court justice. The top vote-getter in Greene County was Stephen A. Zappala with 436 votes, followed by Forrest G. Schaeffer with 339 and James R. Cavanaugh with 164.

Running unopposed were U.S. Sen. John Heinz, 975; Gov.

Dick Thornburgh, 919, and Lieutenant Governor Bill Scranton, 965, as well as three candidates who will oppose Democratic incumbents this fall — Frank J. Paterra, for congress, 817; George H. Stewart, for state senator, 873, and H. Leonard Frye, for state representative, 920.

Also elected were members of both the Democratic and Republican County committees. Because of write-in votes, there were ties in several precincts. The Election Bureau will cast lots at noon Friday, June 4, to break the ties.

Those involved in the ties are:

DEMOCRATS
Dunkard-Dilliner — Eugene Dingle, Herman S. Gugliotta Jr.

Franklin-East — Joseph Ayersman, N. W. Shultz, Dana Filer, R. E. Wilson, Homer Knisely, Robert Brendel, Harold Strossnider.

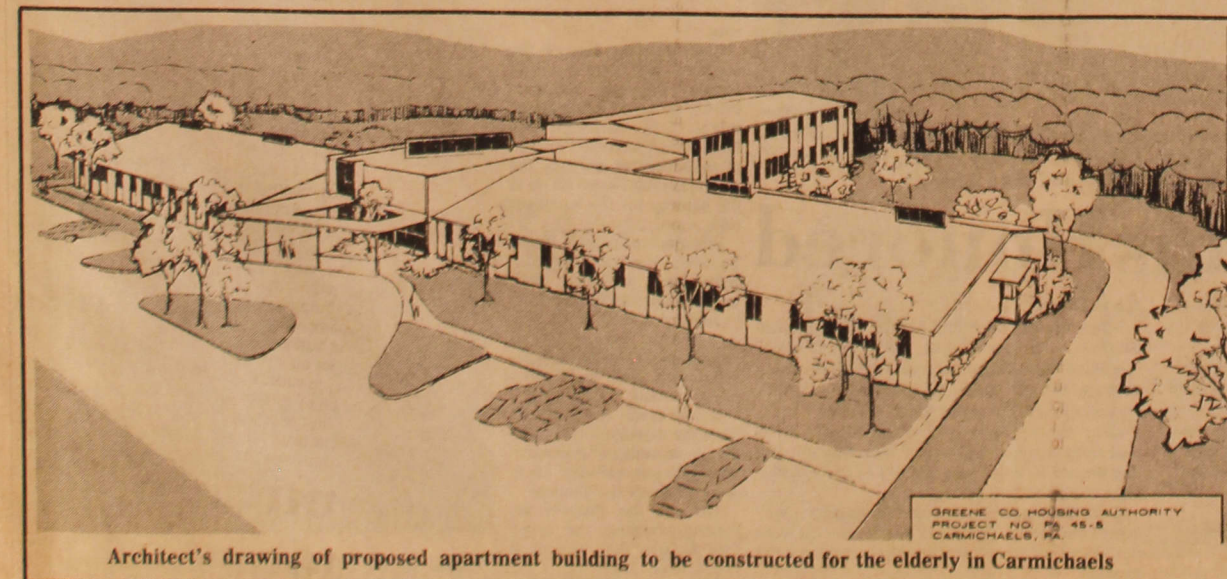
Morris (two to be elected) — Carl W. Hildreth, Wayne K. Wise, G. Stewart Ealy.

Springhill — James E. Fonner, Bryan L. Mason.

REPUBLICAN
Dunkard-Lower (two to be elected) — Lois Burwell, Sylvia Mathews, Margaret Barzanti.

Gilmore (two to be elected) — Jacob Rice, Alberta Jones, Robert Rice.

Morris (two to be elected) — James J. Dunn, Donald Bedilion, Lucille Bedilion, Neil D. Cole.



Architect's drawing of proposed apartment building to be constructed for the elderly in Carmichaels

County Planning Housing Project

WAYNESBURG — Plans and specifications will be completed next week for 50 units of housing for the elderly in Carmichaels, and construction is expected to begin by Aug. 1.

Louis DeMola, executive director of the Greene County Housing Authority, said a meeting of the authority board of directors will be scheduled to review the plans, after which they will be submitted for final approval by the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The proposed building is being designed by Uniontown architect Michael Molnar to contain 50 one-bedroom apartments, with five of them designed for the handicapped. It will be built in the area of Joyland Park, just off Route 21 east of Carmichaels. The front part of the building will be a one-

story structure, with a two-story wing at the rear. A community room and other service facilities will be provided.

The building will be erected and operated by the housing authority, which is already accepting applications from potential occupants. The units will be available for rent to individuals or couples who are 62 old or older.

Rents will not be subsidized and the rental scale has not yet been established. DeMola said the amount tenants pay will depend upon their income.

The housing authority executive estimated that it will take about eight months to complete the building.

"We are hoping that we will be in a position to move people in by May of next year," he said.

School's 'Helping Hands' Assist The Handicapped

WAYNESBURG — Richard Conaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Conaway of Waynesburg R.D.4 and an eighth grade student at the Margaret Bell Miller Middle School, has received the school's top Helping Hands Award this year.

Helping Hands was organized at the school three years ago and currently has about 200 members. Dennis Mattei and Donna Elliott, instructors of classes for the handicapped, are the club's sponsors. Students in the club volunteer their time and talents to help handicapped students feel they are part of the regular student body.

Richard, who is 13 years old and has been a member of Helping Hands for the past three years, received the Pamela Bongiorno Memorial Award which was instituted last year. It is presented in the memory of the Margaret Bell Miller School student who died last year.

The award is presented to the Helping Hands student who best exemplifies consistent attendance and service to the handicapped, shows evidence of exceptional compassion and understanding for the handicapped, a willingness to perform required duties, overall improvement of school behavior and grades, devotion to the projection of a positive image towards the handicapped in both school and in the community and

an understanding of handicapping conditions and their related problems.

The award was open to 85 students in grades five through eight. The field was narrowed to 25 and later 10 finalists were screened by judges.

Other students named to the top ten Outstanding Helping Hands in addition to Richard Conaway were Jodi Moore, Annette Simpson and Debbie Tedrow, all eighth graders; Ronnie Cox, Jerry Wayman and Brian Kesner, seventh graders; Susie Welsh and Vicky Hall, sixth grade students; and John Rodgers, a fifth grader.



Richard Conaway, center, shows his award to his mother, Mrs. Floyd (Evelyn) Conaway. Also pictured, from left, are Dennis Mattei, teacher; Donna Elliott, teacher aid; Roberta Boyd, guidance counselor; and Cathy Cates, a teacher.

School Bids Less Than Estimate

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor

MAPLETOWN — The Southeastern Greene School Board received bids for just over \$5 million Tuesday for its elementary school renovation project.

It also approved a tentative 1982-83 budget of \$2,870,322, representing an increase of some \$175,000 over estimated expenditures for the current year. Tax levies will be fixed at the time the budget is adopted.

Architect Robert T. Scheeren said he was quite pleased with the bid total of \$5,066,322 since it is slightly lower than the estimate. "We seem to be pretty much on the money in terms of what we had figured the cost to be," he said.

Apparent low bids for renovation of the Bobtown School totaled \$2,895,257. Low bids for the Penn Pitt building came in at \$2,111,065.

A number of alternates also were stipulated which, if adopted by the board, could cut the cost even further. The major cost reductions would come in the general contract if the board elects to use enamel glazed paint in lieu of tile in corridors, rest rooms and others sections of the buildings.

Apparent low base bids for the Bobtown project were submitted by William Garlick and Sons, Connevilleville, \$1,928,000 for general construction; Tamasy Brothers, Inc., North Huntingdon, \$438,000 for heating and ventilating; Whitby Plumbing and Air Conditioning, Uniontown, \$216,420 for plumbing, and Electrical Services Co., Uniontown, \$312,837 for electrical work.

Apparent low bids for the Penn Pitt project were submitted by Walter Mucci, Smock R.D.1, \$1,383,915 for general construction; Tamasy Brothers, \$292,000 for heating and ventilation and \$188,700 for plumbing, and Electrical Services Co., \$246,447 for electrical work.

Bidding was highly competitive and close, with 15 firms submitting proposals for the general construction work. All of

the bids were turned over to the architect and solicitor for evaluation and recommendations to be submitted at the next meeting.

Work at the Bobtown building would include complete remodeling and conversion of the present auditorium and stage into five classrooms. An addition would be erected to house a library, administrative offices, multi-purpose room, kitchen, group instruction room with portable stage, an elevator and a new main entrance.

The basement would be converted to provide rooms for art, music and storage.

At Penn Pitt, the present four classrooms contained in the building would be remodeled to provide a library, one classroom, and space for a special education room, faculty room, music room, health suite and office. A major addition would contain 12 additional classrooms, an art room, kindergarten room, multi-purpose room and kitchen.

Upon completion of construction, the Glassworks Elementary School would be closed.

While the tentative budget was approved at the special meeting, the board indicated it will be subject to possible changes prior to its adoption in June, particularly with regard to possible changes in debt service in light of the construction bids.

For this reason, no action will be taken on setting the property tax for the coming year until the budget is ready for final adoption. It currently stands at 57 mills.

The \$2,870,322 budget, as presented, contains the following breakdown:

Administration, \$146,700; instruction, \$1,149,840; pupil personnel services, \$15,000; health services, \$24,900; transportation, \$280,000; operation and maintenance, \$395,800; fixed charges, \$350,000; food services, \$6,000; student activities, \$73,000; community services, \$3,732; capital outlay, \$134,560; debt service, \$57,100; intersystem payments, \$148,700; budgetary reserve, \$85,000.

County Planning Commission Approves Two Water Projects

By BOB EICHENLAUB
Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — Clearinghouse approval was given to two municipal water projects at a meeting Monday of the Greene County Planning Commission.

The commission endorsed funding applications being submitted to the state Department of Commerce by the Southeast Franklin Water Authority and the Mt. Morris Water and Sewer Authority — each of which is seeking a grant to assist with the cost of making improvements to its system.

The Southeast Franklin Authority serves 348 households and a number of commercial and industrial users east of Waynesburg. It is requesting \$50,000 to complete development of two wells as its primary source of water, thereby reducing its dependency on water purchased from the Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority.

John Higgins, authority president, noted that its contract with Southwestern limits the Franklin Township authority to 125,000 gallons a day, which is a restricting factor in one of the prime growth areas of Greene County. He added that once the wells are in service the authority should be in a position to reduce its user charges.

Bruce R. Chambers, authority engineer, said the wells have already been drilled and are capable of providing up to five million gallons of water a year. What remains to be done is the installation of submersible pumps, a 50,000 gallon raw-water tank, chlorination and softening equipment, a pump, and lines to the authority's 300,000 gallon storage tank.

While the total project cost is listed at \$294,900, Higgins said that the cost to the authority would be no more than a fraction of that amount since the wells were drilled by a coal company and much of the work will be done by the authority itself.

The Mt. Morris Water and Sewer Authority is applying for \$34,500, representing half of the estimated cost of laying 5,100 feet of waterline to extend its service to an area east of Interstate 79, where coal

mining has depleted the supply of well water.

The application notes that one recently constructed home is vacant because of a total lack of available water and that six other houses are experiencing severe water shortage. The area which would be served also includes a greenhouse, a service station and truck stop and a junk yard.

"The precariousness of continued availability of well water is a matter of great con-

cern for families living in the project area," it states.

In other action, the planning commission gave preliminary approval to Guardian Foods, Morgantown, W.Va., for the construction of a Hardee's restaurant on 1.3 acres of land on Route 21 near the East Franklin School.

William Chaff, a company representative, said the firm hopes to start construction of the 72-seat restaurant in July and have it completed within 60 days.

Polio Vaccine Pioneer Dr. James Lewis Dies

Word has been received of the death of Dr. L. James (Sleepy) Lewis, 67, of 117 Countryside Drive, Chagrin Falls, Ohio, on Friday, May 21, 1982. He and Dr. Jonas Salk were nominated for a Nobel prize for their work in developing a polio vaccine.

He was born September 4, 1914, in Washington. In 1915, his family moved to Waynesburg where he attended public schools. A 1939 graduate of Waynesburg College, he earned his doctorate from the University of Pittsburgh in 1943.

At the time of his death, he was director of cell research at Cleveland Clinic and the

author of 24 articles published in scientific journals, many in collaboration with Salk.

Dr. Lewis was associated with Salk at the University of Pittsburgh Medical School from 1949 through 1957. Their research team isolated and identified the third (and last) type of polio virus and produced the first polio vaccine that was both safe and effective against all forms of the disease.

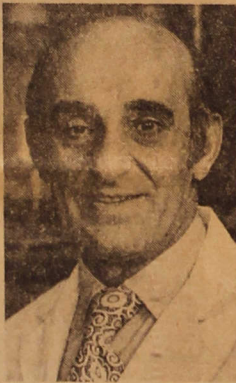
This vaccine turned out to be the prototype for all recent vaccines against virus diseases, including the vaccines against red measles, rubella and rabies.

Dr. Lewis left Pittsburgh to

become director of virus research at Sterling-Winthrop Research Institute in Rensselaer, N.Y. It was there, through tissue culture, he developed the first purified influenza vaccine.

He later accepted a position with Abbott Laboratories where he was director of research and senior scientist. He started work on blood clotting and developed a method which stimulated the kidneys to produce uricase in greater quantities.

Dr. Lewis received the Distinguished Alumnus Award at Waynesburg College in 1973. He was a member of the American Society of



DR. L. JAMES LEWIS

Bacteriologists, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Phi Sigma Fraternity and Sigma Xi, the honor scientific societies.

He presented a paper on leukemia to the Congress of the United States.



Observer-Reporter Photo

The 16 World War I veterans honored were, from left, seated, George F. Six, John M. Supler, Morgan Henderson, Henry Robison, John Christopher, John Teegarden, Russell

Moninger; standing, Austin C. Dille, Lancelot Lint, Frank G. Orndorff, Glenn J. Brewer, Harley Swart, Worthy Scott, Roy R. Lynch, Albert Ball and Fred Gillogly.

World War I Veterans Honored

WAYNESBURG — Members of a select group of Americans whose ranks decrease every year were honored Saturday by Waynesburg Post 4793, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Sixteen veterans of World War I, ranging in age from 80 to 92, were guests at a dinner attended by more than 100 people. Each spoke briefly of his service and was presented with a framed testimonial.

The senior member of the group was John M. Supler of Graysville, who is 92. The youngest was Roy R. Lynch of Waynesburg, who is 80. Lynch said he had managed to enter the army at the age of 15 and served with an ambulance company in

Belgium, France and Germany, remaining overseas with the army of occupation for 33 months following the armistice on Nov. 11, 1917.

Others who attended were George F. Six of Pine Bank, Henry Robison of Clarksville, Lancelot Allen Lint of Mather, John Christopher and John Teegarden of Carmichaels, and Morgan Henderson, Russell Moninger, Austin C. Dille, Frank G. Orndorff, Glenn J. Brewer, Harley Swart, Worthy Scott, Albert Ball and Fred Gillogly, all of Waynesburg.

Featured speaker was Allen Q. Jones of Dunbar, a Waynesburg College graduate and World War II veteran who is a teacher in the Connevilleville Area

School District.

Jones, who has been active in the VFW for about 30 years on the local, state and national levels, recounted the contributions made by World War I veterans not only during the war, but to veterans' organizations in the years which followed.

L.R. (Butch) Santore of Greensboro, a VFW past state commander, served as master of ceremonies and installed new officers of the Waynesburg post prior to the program.

Rich Baysinger, outgoing commander, welcomed the guests. The World War I veterans were introduced by Joseph Watson, the incoming commander.

Lightning Hit Closes School For Three Days

WAYNESBURG — East Franklin Elementary School will be closed for three days because of severe damage to its chimney which was struck by lightning early Monday during the height of a thunderstorm.

The lightning bolt hit sometime between 5 and 5:30 a.m. Falling bricks also caused heavy damage to the school's roof.

Students were kept on the northern side of the school Monday for fear additional bricks, or the entire chimney, might fall. Although the kitchen staff members worked at their regular stations, the cafeteria tables were set up in the hallway for the lunch period.

Building principal Craig Younken dismissed the students early and said there would be no school at the East Franklin building until Friday. At that, there will be no regular classes as the students will have a "play day" and a picnic instead.

Walter Stout, the district's business manager, met with the school architect and insurance officials Monday afternoon to survey the damage.

Although the chimney remained standing, the upper four or five feet was at a precarious angle.

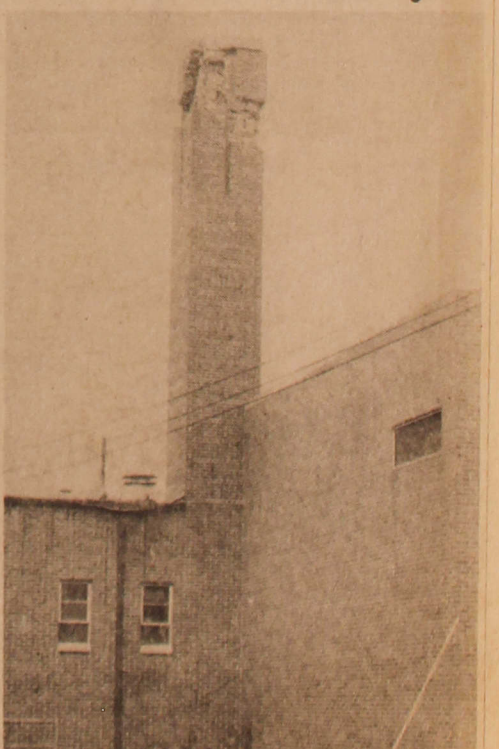


Photo shows how lightning damaged chimney.

Greene County Readies For Annual Horse Show

WAYNESBURG — The vanguard of the many fancy show horses which will be participating in the Memorial Day weekend Waynesburg Horse Show at the

Greene County fairgrounds are beginning to arrive in their ornate vans.

The show opens at 7 p.m. Friday and will continue with 1 and 7 p.m. sessions on Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

As in past years, those visiting this year's show will see spirited competition among the riders in the various show classes.

These will include three- and five-gaited animals performing with precision and the jumpers that sometimes pitch their riders from the saddle as they lunge over the barriers.

The excitement of the fox hunt that used to be done on horseback over the hills of Greene County long ago will be recaptured in the hunter classes as they compete in simulated chases.

The Waynesburg Horse Show, sponsored by the Greene County Horseman's Association, is one of the largest shows of its kind in western Pennsylvania. Proceeds from the show are annually donated to various charitable and non-profit organizations from throughout Greene County.



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First Place

The Waynesburg Central High School marching band won first place as the best senior high band in the large Mitchell Day Parade held April 1 at Masontown. The annual parade is sponsored by United Mine Workers District 4 headquartered in Masontown. Gene Cappellini, right, band director at Waynesburg Central, presents the trophy to John Barbero, high school principal.

Bible School Scheduled

WAYNESBURG — The Central Greene United Methodist Larger Parish has made plans for its annual Bible School program using the theme, "We Work With God."

Classes for ages three through 15 will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Oak View Church June 21-25. Bible study, songs and crafts will be included in the evening sessions.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of 275 Duff Street, Bobtown, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Carol Ann, to Charles W. Jeffries, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Jeffries of 142 Larimer Ave., Bobtown. Miss Adams, a 1980 graduate of Mapletown High School, will graduate in June from the West Virginia Career College. Her fiance is a 1970 graduate of Mapletown High School and is employed by Solomon & Teslovich of Masontown. A July 10 wedding is planned.



CANDIDATE — Brooks-Crago Post 816 of the American Legion Auxiliary has announced its candidate for attendance at the 37th annual Keystone Girls State session to be held at Mansfield State College on June 13-19. Miss Valerie Sue Grash was selected from candidates at Jefferson-Morgan High School having just completed her junior year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grash. Valerie is a member of the National Honor Society, Varsity Club, French Club, Spanish Club and the softball team. She is also a colorguard. While a sixth grade student, Valerie received an Americanism Award from Brooks-Crago.



BOY OF THE MONTH — Stephen Vargo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Vargo of Carmichaels, was honored by the Carmichaels Lions Club as Boy of the Month for May at Carmichaels Area High School. He is a member of the National Honor Society, has been a band member for six years, participates in the Gifted Program and has been named to "Who's Who Among American High School Students" and the "Distinguished Society of High School Students." He is a recipient of the DAR Good Citizen Award and the Presidential Award for an environmental program. He plans to attend the Fayette Campus of Penn State.



GIRL OF THE MONTH — Leslie Biddle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Biddle of Carmichaels, was selected May Girl of the Month from Carmichaels Area High School. She was honored by the Carmichaels Area Women's Civic Club at its spring luncheon. She is currently a member of the National Honor Society, Senior Standing Committee, and was named to Who's Who Among High School Students and the Society of Distinguished American Students. She is on the varsity basketball team, and was named to the All County team the past two years. She plans to attend Washington and Jefferson College.



FALL WEDDING — Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Baker of Waynesburg announced the engagement of their daughter, Amanda Jane, to Charles McBride Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. McBride of East Brunswick, N.J.

A 1974 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and a 1978 graduate of Allegheny College, Miss Baker is continuing her education in exercise physiology.

Her fiance is a 1979 graduate of St. Pius X Prep in Uniondale, N.Y., and a 1981 graduate of Allegheny College. He is a data base computer programmer for Alpha Wire Corp. in Elizabeth, N.J.

A September 11 wedding is being planned.

Long, Francher Marry

A wedding trip to Hawaii followed the May 15 ceremony which united in marriage Patricia June Long and Ibra S. Francher III. The Rev. Ralph V. Stack officiated at the 4 p.m. double-ring ceremony in St. Hugh Roman Catholic Church, Carmichaels. Stan Ferek was the organist and Sandy Yarish, the soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Long of 506 Old Waynesburg Road, Carmichaels. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Ibra S. Francher II of R.D.1, Greenhills Lake, Birdsboro, Reading.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a full-length gown of organza featuring a fitted bodice with a high neckline and long tapered sleeves trimmed with Schiffler lace and adorned with seed pearls. A matching lace cap held her lace appliqued Mantilla which ended in a chapel train. She carried an arm bouquet of silk pink and white roses. She wore a 60-year-old diamond brooch worn by her great-aunt Mabel Sharpnack on her wedding day and a cross from her grandmother, Margaret Markulik. Sally Sethman of Pittsburgh attended as matron of honor.

The bridesmaids were Melanie Long, Melanie Markulik, Cindy Geideman, Debbie Riggi, Patty Jo Mowrey, Bunny Citron, Sherry Ullom, Susan Markulik and Sharon Markulik. The attendants were identically attired in full-length gowns of off-white with a pink and burgundy print. They carried fans with silk floral arrangements. Amice Cintron, Godchild of the bride, was the flower girl.

Chris Wegman of Stanhope, N.J., served as best man. The ushers were Michael Long, Marc Long, Todd Fancher, Terry Fancher, Donald Mowrey, Dave Smith, Dale Warrick, Robert Ludwig and Andy Ludwig. The ring bearer was Garath Long, cousin of the bride.

Over 1,000 guests attended the reception held in the Carmichaels-Cumberland Township Fire Hall where Maury Wegman and Mary Lou Ludwig were in charge of registering guests. Out of area guests were from Maryland, Virginia, Michigan, Ohio, West Virginia, Florida, New Jersey, North Braddock, Pittsburgh, Conellsville, West Newton, Washington, Greensburg, Reynoldsville,



MRS. FRANCHER

The bride, a graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and the Art Institute of Pittsburgh of Interior Design, is employed by the Scandinavian Furniture Company of Wayne, N.J.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Twin Valley High School in Reading, graduated with highest honors from The Art Institute of Pittsburgh and is employed by Wegman Associates of Wayne, N.J.

The newlyweds will reside at 2011-A Stonegate Lane, Stanhope, N.J.



AWARD WINNER — The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Heidi Sue Mosier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Mosier of Dry Tavern, has been named a 1982 national award winner in Spanish studies. Heidi, who attends Jefferson-Morgan High School, was nominated for the award by Carol Skirchak, her high school Spanish teacher. In addition to being an honor student at Jefferson-Morgan, Heidi participates in the Secondary Enrichment Program at the Greene County Vo-Tech School. Her extra-curricular activities include the study of dance with Barbara M. Moschetta, and active participation in the Medical Explorer Post affiliated with Greene County Memorial Hospital. She is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Rices Landing where she attends CCD classes. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Elliott of Clarksville and Mrs. Erma Mosier of Dry Tavern.

BIBLE SCHOOL

The Sprags United Methodist Church will hold its annual Vacation Bible School June 7-11 with the children's program being held at 11 a.m. Sunday, June 13.

The Rev. Kosarek invites all children in the area to attend.



Student Council

Student council officers at Waynesburg Central High School for the school term starting next fall are, from left, Brian Popp, vice president; Marge Held, treasurer; Amy Osso, secretary, and Tom Majernik, president.

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Local Students Receive Top Honors At College

WAYNESBURG — Several local students were among those attaining top honors in the sophomore, junior and senior classes at Waynesburg College this year. They received special recognition during the annual Academic Honors Banquet.

The students were given special honors recognition by G. Wayne Smith, vice president for academic affairs at the college, and College President Joseph F. Marsh.

Seniors attaining top honors were Patricia

S. Harvey of Fredericktown and Charles R. Guthrie of Wind Ridge, both of whom were class valedictorians and finished their baccalaureate degree work with perfect 4.0 academic averages. Also honored was senior Anna M. Hoffnagle of Waynesburg.

Recognized from this year's junior class were Judith L. Kalafsky of Greensboro and Lisa A. Lemley of Waynesburg.

Susan E. Pool of Waynesburg was recognized for attaining the highest grade point average in the sophomore class.



Patricia Harvey

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Badly Needs Renovation

The Greene County courthouse at Waynesburg has been recognized by the Department of Architecture at Pennsylvania State University as one of the finest examples of Greek revival courthouse buildings in Pennsylvania.

The assessment is contained in a study of all state courthouses made at the request of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court.

But while the study gives the 1850 building high marks for architectural character and historical significance, it notes that it has many problems which are common in aging structures. It also points to antiquated public rest rooms, lack of adequate space for records, absence of facilities for the handicapped, and functional planning problems relating to the location of court facilities.

Anyone who is familiar with the building will confirm the accuracy of the evaluation.

It is a definite asset in terms of lending character to the community, but at the same time it is long overdue for some badly needed repairs. And beyond that, the time is rapidly approaching when the commissions will have to give serious consideration to plans for the expansion of court offices and facilities.

Fortunately the now-vacant section at the rear of the building, which formerly housed the county jail, offers ready-made space for an expansion project. If it were converted to house additional offices many of the shortcomings which were observed by the Penn State architects could be overcome.

The historical character of the Greene County courthouse does not mean that it should be allowed to continue its drift into obsolescence.

Court Rejects
Damage Award

WAYNESBURG — Greene County Court dismissed Friday a local jury's verdict to award Kyle Hallam of Graysville \$10,000 damage for malicious prosecution by two Waynesburg Borough officers.

Damages for assault and battery were sustained, however. Hallam had brought charges of assault and battery and malicious prosecution against Patrolmen Michael J. Fuller and David Clark following an incident on East High Street on May 16, 1980.

Fuller noticed Hallam walking near the police station and attempted to serve three warrants for traffic violations. Police said Hallam resisted arrest and force had to be used by Fuller and Clark. Hallam charged the police officers punched him inside the police station while he was handcuffed.

Police in turn charged Hallam with aggravated assault and battery and resisting arrest. In separate jury trials, Hallam was found innocent

and he then brought action against the officers for assault and battery and malicious prosecution. A jury awarded Hallam \$17,700 damages on the assault charge and \$10,000 for malicious prosecution.

Attorneys for the police officers appealed the verdict and asked for a new trial.

In his ruling Friday, Judge Glenn Toothman said in order to convict a police officer of malicious prosecution, it must be proven the person was arrested without probable cause, with malice. The prosecution was terminated in favor of the plaintiff. Toothman ruled the officers did have probable cause and the determination of malicious prosecution should be made by the court and not the jury.

Toothman let stand the \$17,700 damages awarded for assault and battery, less the attorney fee of \$2,500. He also ruled there was insufficient evidence presented by the defense attorney to warrant a new trial.



Cumberland Class of 1907

Members of the class of 1907 at Cumberland Twp. High School at Carmichaels (now the Central Elementary School) are pictured. First row, left to right: Leslie Sharpnack, Richard Baily, unidentified, Ethel Rae, Pearson Minor, Edwin Frost, Lindsey Sharpnack, Hettie Mt. Joy; second row: Blanche Burnette, Bernice Kelley, Ella Warne, Ruby Baily, unidentified; third row: Sylvia Minor, unidentified, Frank Sharpnack, Elizabeth Kerr, unidentified, unidentified, Guy Dulaney, unidentified; fourth row: Ruth Luse, unidentified, Goldie Stewart, Harry Hunnell, Mary Stone, Alice Hathaway, Flora Livengood, Mary Longanecker, Prof. J. Williamson; fifth row: unidentified, unidentified, Mary Bell, unidentified, Cecil Morris, unidentified, unidentified, unidentified. The photo is the property of Mrs. Mabel Sharpnack, widow of Leslie Sharpnack.

Between
The Bookends

Marcia McKenna Biddle

I see that Sports Illustrated once contracted with William Faulkner to write a story on the Kentucky Derby. The magazine agreed to pay him \$500 a day plus expenses, including a limousine. Faulkner, of course, wrote a wonderful story, neglecting only to mention the name of the Derby winner.

Faulkner knew what his priorities were. By the time the story came out, everybody probably knew which horse won, anyway. But the story has been gnawing at me, and I have been trying to figure out how to work one of these deals for myself.

I once thought of trying to get this paper to send me to Paris to cover the spring fashions, but I gave it up. Somehow, I didn't think they'd go for it. But I have other ideas. I'd be willing to cover the super Bowl for a lot less than \$500 a day. And if some kindly editor would send me to the World Series, I wouldn't demand a limousine. I'd be willing to go on the bus, and eat nothing but hotdogs. I'd probably even remember to include the name of the winning team in the story.

An article in Harper's Magazine this month tells another freeloading story, and illustrates the advantages of living in New York City. Rhoda Koenig, who is literary editor of New York magazine, set out to prove a point. She agreed to eat nothing for five days except the free food she

could find at press parties.

She did not starve. And she even had the nerve to critique the free food. Accepting all the invitations she seems to say are available in imposing numbers to all New York writers and reporters, she ricocheted from one sumptuous feast to the next.

First she attended a lunch and economic discussion spon-

sored by the Manhattan Institute for Policy Research. They had smoked salmon ("a bit thick, but not"), with capers and minced onion, three baby lamb chops, "overcooked but edible French beans," a tomato stuffed with bread crumbs, some small, "undistinguished" cookies, and ice cream. Most of the crowd, she says, got up and

left before the speeches started.

Lunch at a University Club, with a forum on "problems of higher education," was even less successful. "An inadequately heated frozen seafood casserole in gluey orange sauce, rice, and summer squash. As the discussion begins, we are brought coffee and a slice of crumb-topped apple pie that looks as if it has crawled here to die." Evidently, the problems of higher education were not solved, either.

But it is hard not to envy her attendance at some of the parties. "What sort of food do the heavy hitters eat?" wondered Koenig. "I hoped to get a clue at Happy Rockefeller's publication party for Henry Kissinger, held at her Fifth Avenue apartment." Well, the buffet there included "squares of pumpernickel topped with thinly spread cream cheese and smoked salmon and a heated dish of chicken chunks, red pepper, and onion threaded on toothpicks." But even Mrs. Rockefeller's food isn't perfect. "On the minus side are cherry tomatoes filled with library-paste cream cheese, horrible cheese puffs, and awful finger sandwiches — unidentifiably thin fillings between slices of dry, non-descript bread. I wish the editors would start sending me to such parties around here. I could probably find nice things to say about rigatoni.

'College Memorabilia'
To Be Placed On Display

WAYNESBURG — The special "College Memorabilia" collection at the Waynesburg College Museum will be placed on public display from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, May 30. The museum is located on the first floor of the Paul R. Stewart Science building.

The collection was put together by museum curator James Randolph and was opened for the first time during the week preceding the May 16 commencement. During that weekend hundreds of alumni, parents, students and campus guests visited the museum.

The collection includes original documents from the founding of Waynesburg College in 1849, artifacts highlighting the college's history, photographs and newspaper clippings. A display developed by Alvin Laidley of the Greene

In Arts Festival

PITTSBURGH — At least two Greene County artists will be participating in the Three Rivers Arts Festival to be held in downtown Pittsburgh June 4-13.

Gene Credford of 655 Bonar Avenue and Joel Guthrie of 345 Rolling Meadows Road, will be exhibiting photographs.

Over 600 artists from four states will be participating in six categories.

The 17-Year Locust Has Returned

EDITOR'S NOTE: An insect that last made its appearance 17 years ago has been emerging in large numbers from its underground home. This is the year of the Periodical Cicada, or locust as it's often called, last seen in this area in 1965. Bill Wentzel, service forester with the state Bureau of Forestry, and Roger Smith, county extension agent, have received many calls in the past week from people unfamiliar with the insect. The following information has been provided by them to alleviate fears and misconceptions of the cicada.

FALSE BELIEFS

The periodic emergence of the cicada has often been one coupled with superstition and fear. The early colonists, more familiar with the Biblical story of locust plagues in Egypt than the local cicada, thought a plague had come upon them as millions of the insects emerged together.

Another misconception is that the cicada, like locusts, feed on leaves, destroying plants. True, the cicada does injure some trees, but the injury results from females who lay 400-600 eggs in the limbs of trees.

One old tale, not often heard today, held that the distinct black W toward the outer end of the front wings of the cicada foretells the coming of war.

Furthermore, the cicada does not sting.

LIFE CYCLE

Although people are now first noticing the cicada, the insect is not new "hatching," for, in fact, the insect has been alive for many years below ground.

After the eggs hatch the immature insects — or nymphs — fall from tree limbs or bushes to the ground where they burrow until reaching suitable roots, about one and one-half to two feet underground. The nymphs suck the juices from the roots for 17 years.

In the spring of the 17th year, when the nymphs are fully grown, the transformation to the adult stage begins. The nymphs begin burrowing upward to about an inch from the surface. One night in late May they leave the ground in vast numbers and latch on to trees, blades of grass, posts, even



Periodical Cicada

Family name: Cicadidae
Common name: Locust
Size: 1½ inches long

Black, stout body with reddish legs and orange veins in wings

telephone poles. They cling tightly, meanwhile splitting open the nymphal skin and working their bodies out, a process that takes about an hour.

The insects mate within a week after transformation to the adult stage. A few days after mating the female lays its eggs. The adults live for five or six weeks.

CICADA'S APPEARANCE

The adult cicada is about 1½ inches long. Most of its body is black but its legs are reddish, some of the veins in the nearly transparent wings are orange and the eyes are red.

When the cicada emerges from its young, nymphal skin it appears soft and white. In a few hours the body hardens and becomes darker in appearance.

THE CICADA'S SONG

A few days after the cicada appears its singing can be heard. Only the males have the two shell-like drums on the sides of its abdomen and uses its muscles to set the drums in motion.

The cicada's song begins at dawn and increases through-

out the day, ceasing at evening. From a distance the drumming resembles a whirring monotone. If one concentrates on an individual insect, the note sound like the syllables: "tsh-ee-EEEE-e-ou," sustained 15-20 seconds or "AH-O-oo," for about three seconds.

TREE DAMAGE

Females who lay their eggs in trees and bushes can cause severe damage to young, transplanted trees in nurseries and orchards and some damage to older trees. Those trees most preferred are oak, hickory, apple, peach, pear and grape.

The female has a sharp apparatus on the end of her abdomen which she uses to puncture the bark of a twig to make a pocket in the wood. Here she deposits 24 to 28 eggs in two rows before moving on, cutting another pocket, and depositing more eggs. One female cicada lays between 400 to 600 eggs which hatch in six or seven weeks.

Egg punctures can wilt the twigs and branches of immature trees and the wounds may make the trees susceptible to disease. Other insects may infest the wounded area. A large number of egg pockets can partly break a tree limb and some fruit may be lost from severely injured trees. However, cicadas do not feed on the tree leaves.

CONTROLLING THE CICADA

Birds are natural enemies of the periodical cicada and therefore, in open areas where birds are populous, the cicada should be diminished.

The insecticide Carbaryl (Sevin) is effective against the cicada and spraying should begin as the eggs are being laid, a seven- to ten-day period throughout June. Repeated applications are often needed. The insecticide is toxic to honey bees and should not be applied during periods of bee activity.

Young fruit trees may be protected by simply covering them with an open-weave cloth, such as cheesecloth, as soon as the insects appear and be left on for about five weeks until most of them are gone.

When practical, pruning out and burning wood injured by the insect will destroy the eggs in completed within six weeks of when the egg-laying started.

Other insects and mites attack cicada eggs and a fungus disease kills some adults.

Fact and
Folklore
John O'Hara

The "first invasion" of what is now Greene County was by the white man who found nothing but Indians and plenty of wild game when they finally completed the long trek on foot with a packhorse across the Allegheny Mountains.

That was some years before the Revolutionary War in which many local residents took part after walking for hundreds of miles to battle the English troops.

Now in 1982, another invasion is taking place. However there are no sounds of beating drums or marching men with flint locks slung across their shoulder.

This invasion is one which goes on quietly with no blaring trumpets nor with threats being shouted to those along the way.

On the contrary, the invaders find the hand of welcome being extended and in almost all cases has been preceded by a visit to their favorite realtor in Pittsburgh or with a letter of introduction from a Waynesburg-based real estate man.

In the real estate industry, land in Greene County is now regarded as the region's last stand for any large exodus from the inner city sections of Pittsburgh and the bulging suburban areas. People are now willing to make the 100-mile, round trip each day to have the luxury of privacy in Greene County. Now they can work in Pittsburgh and be "home" in the hills by evening.

They no longer judge dis-

tance by miles but in travel time.

Breezing along on the interstate and not wasting expensive gasoline while idling in a traffic jam is a definite benefit to the nervous system and the pocketbook.

Neither the parents or the children of the new residents have any hangups about being lonely in the middle of the woods or perched on top of a windy hill—even in the middle of winter—let alone during the richly rewarding Indian summer and multi-color fall foliage and early spring.

Earlier generations of rural Greene County families erected their homes where they could—as expressed in the famous poem: "Oh to live by the side of the road and be a friend to man" and waiting anxiously for some passerby to relieve the loneliness they sometimes now prefer to the endless boredom of TV.

Many of the new generation of Greene Countians express their appreciation of privacy by leaving no indication a house is at the end of a new driveway excavated in the middle of a wood lot. Others frankly erect a terse announcement that the driveway and presumably the farm, is private property.

Most of the new homes in fact are at the end of a narrow trail leading through a dense wood much like those supposedly leading to the magic of the interior of a "Big Rock Candy Mountain" which they say the solitude of Greene County means to them.

AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

That old-time, fictional man in the cigarette ad who boasted he would walk a mile for a Camel had nothing on Audley Stephenson of Waynesburg (in the summer) and Boca Rotan, Fla. (in the winter).

He came all the way from Florida this week just to attend the Waynesburg Horse Show, of which he and his brother, the late Edward Stephenson, were among the founders. They had also owned some runners during the late 1930s that were raced on area tracks.

Mrs. Edith Baily and daughter Clair of Lancaster, formerly of Waynesburg, spent the past weekend in Waynesburg and attended commencement activities at Waynesburg College. Both are graduates of the college. Mrs. Baily was a superintendent of the former Waynesburg Hospital when it was located in Walton Hall on the Waynesburg College campus.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Grandon of Waynesburg have returned home from Virginia where they visited her uncle Lt. Col. Paul Campbell, a retired army officer, who has been hospitalized at an army hospital for several months. After his retirement from the service, he attended all of Waynesburg College's home football games and many away games for several years while health permitted.

Speaking of college football, The Wolfmen's organization of players who were on the teams coached by the late Frank N. Wolfe through the 1920s and 1930s will hold another get-together in Waynesburg on Sept. 18 and attend the college game here.

Mrs. Mary Munhall Rinehart and Miss Dorothea Rinehart, both of Waynesburg, have returned home from a brief western trip for the past few weeks.

A sad note for many former residents of Mather, the original elementary school which many of the town's early residents attended, is to be razed. The building was erected by the coal company when the mine was first opened in the early 1920s and had not been used for school work in years. The type of structure material used in it does not meet the standards required for public use today.

Dr. Donald Jacobs, a dentist in York who was born and raised in Waynesburg, attended the college commence-

ment last Sunday. He has been a member of the board of trustees for several years, having followed his father, the late Dr. Donald Jacobs, to the board after the latter's death.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman Wallace of Youngstown, Ohio, formerly of Waynesburg, attended the commencement also. She was a graduate of both the music department and academic department.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ely of McKeesport, formerly of Waynesburg and both graduates of Waynesburg College, were here for the activities of commencement week. Mr. Ely was superintendent of a large steel mill for U.S. Steel before his retirement.

For readers living near Waynesburg, don't forget the annual Waynesburg Horse Show to be held Memorial Day weekend at the fairgrounds. Events begin on Friday night and continue through Monday.

Students
Awarded
Diplomas

WAYNESBURG — Thirty-eight Greene County students were awarded diplomas in the 131st Commencement Exercises at Waynesburg College May 16. They are:

Bachelor of Arts

Leslie Ann Cahn, Waynesburg; John Joy Cassidy, Waynesburg; John D. Corwin, Waynesburg; Brian R. Jackson, Waynesburg; Diana J. Lubich, Rices Landing; Cristy D. McNeil, Waynesburg; J. Brett Moore, Waynesburg; Scott B. Roberts, Rices Landing; Kathy L. Santillo, Sycamore; Michael J. Schlesinger, Farley D. Toothman, Waynesburg.

Bachelor of Science

Gary Ames, Spraggs; James H. Bandish, Carmichaels; Charlene R. Daniels, Sycamore; Darlene K. Daniels, Sycamore; Stanley D. DeBolt, Spraggs; Gregg L. Dault, Waynesburg; Richard A. Gibson, New Freeport; Charles A. Helms, Waynesburg; Suzanne M. Hunt, Rices Landing; Linda L. Jackson, Waynesburg.

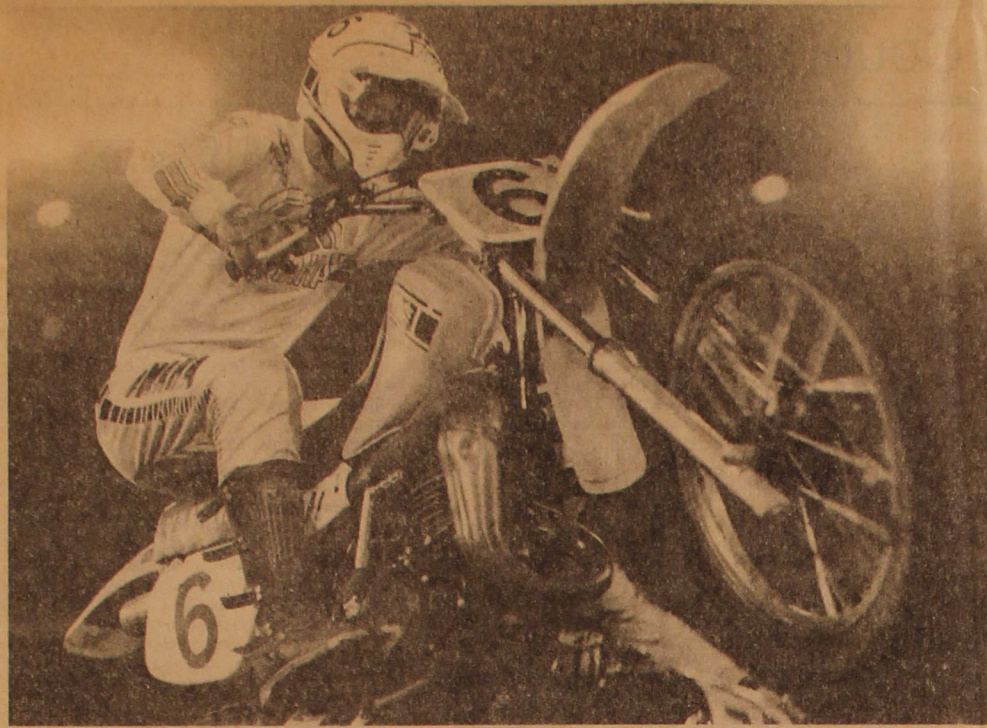
Bachelor of Science

John G. Antonelli, Carmichaels; Mark A. Grimes, Graysville; Charles R. Guthrie, Wind Ridge; Gary E. Jackson, Wind Ridge; James E. Jacobs, Waynesburg; Thomas J. Jordan Jr., Waynesburg; Christopher D. Knight, Jefferson; Keith D. Martin, Carmichaels; Charlene D. Orndoff, Waynesburg; Richard A. Podolinski, Greensboro; Jeffrey E. Tawell, Waynesburg; William S. Vartsh Jr., Carmichaels.

Associate in Secretarial Science
Tamara C. VanScyoc,
Sycamore; Ellen P. Yakubic, Carmichaels.

Associate in Business Administration
Bret L. Elmsinger, Waynesburg; Donna F. Porterfield, Waynesburg; Gary M. Watson, Waynesburg.

Associate, Christian Education
Cristy D. McNeil, Waynesburg.



Broc Glover of San Diego will be among the competitors at the High Point Raceway at Mt. Morris.

Annual Motocross Nationals Begin Friday In Mt. Morris

MT. MORRIS — The powerful roar of motorcycles will be heard once again at High Point Raceway this weekend when the annual Motocross Nationals are held.

The four-day event annually draws thousands of spectators and turns this small Greene County community into a scene reminiscent of Woodstock. But the music will be the roar of engines from hundreds of motorcycles.

Activity will begin with a free racing seminar at 4 p.m. Friday when riders will be shown tricks on how to get the most from a bike. Door prizes will include T-shirts, oils, pistons, caps and other items.

It will be amateur racing on the national track beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday, with competitors paying an entry fee. Practice runs will begin at 7 a.m. The winner will receive \$1,000 and many others will be awarded trophies.

Sunday is the big day with nationally known riders

competing in the Professional National Championship MX. The race, sanctioned by the American Motorcycle Association, will begin at 1 p.m. and feature a \$15,000 purse.

Entries include Broc Glover who has captured many championships including the Trans-USA crown. He finished the 1981 season with two Supercross wins, one in his home town of San Diego and the second in Melbourne, Australia. With the 125cc and 500cc championships behind him, Glover wants to win the 250cc crown to become the first rider in history to win all three championships.

Amateur racing will return on Monday with practice starting at 7 a.m. and the race at 9 a.m. There will be an entry fee and the prize will be \$1,000.

Admission will be charged Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

The raceway is located just off Interstate 79 at Exit 1. Overnight camping facilities are available for AMA members and their families.

West Greene Votes To Retain Junior High Athletic Program

ROGERSVILLE — The West Greene School Board voted Wednesday to retain its junior high interscholastic athletic program and hire a new head football coach.

They also voted to eliminate noon time transportation for kindergarten students effective with the 1982-83 school year.

The two controversial issues attracted a crowd of some 75 people to the board meeting, with those in the audience strongly expressing support for both the junior high athletic program and the kindergarten busing. Both issues were decided on 5-4 votes of the board.

Anne Bower, chairman of the athletic committee, made

the motion that the interscholastic junior high athletic programs in football, boys' basketball and wrestling be replaced by a middle school intramural sports program, emphasizing sportsmanship, basic fundamentals, skill development and peer competition. She said she could not agree with those in the audience that it was a move which would harm pupils.

"What one of us sees as being a move that will hurt students, others see as a move to help them. From my point of view, this is for the kids," she said.

Her motion was defeated when Lawrence Helphenstine, Thomas Braddock, Roger Grimes, Frank Johnston and

William Ziefel voted to retain the interscholastic program.

The vote to eliminate the noon time transportation for kindergarten children with saving projected at \$66,000 a year passed with a 5-4 vote. Those voting no were Frank Johnston, Lawrence Helphenstine, Roger Grimes and Thomas Braddock.

It was brought out that there is a possibility that the Department of Education will permit the district, if it wishes to do so, to hold full-day kindergarten sessions on an every other day basis. This would give students the same amount of time in class but would eliminate the need for parents to transport them to and from school at the noon

hour. Eugene Falvo, of Waynesburg, a physical education teacher at the high school was elected head football coach on a 5-4 vote, with Roger Grimes, Thomas Braddock, Roy Barnhart and William Ziefel voting against the motion.

Although he did not coach in the present school year, Falvo had served as an assistant coach in the district for eight years under five separate head coaches.

The board also voted to open all assistant coaching positions.

By late Wednesday night, the board still had not acted on its tentative operating budget for the 1982-83 school year.

Archaeologists Surveying Land In West Waynesburg

WAYNESBURG — Local Indian buffs have known for a long time that a piece of bottom land in West Waynesburg is a pretty good place to look for arrow heads.

Just how significant the site is will be determined by an archaeological survey currently being conducted by N.P.W. Consultants Inc. of Uniontown, a private firm headed by Dr. Ronald L. Michael, a well-known archaeologist who also is on the faculty at California State College.

Consolidation Coal Co. confirmed Wednesday that one of its subsidiaries has engaged the Uniontown company to conduct the survey. It is part of the preparation for construction of a railroad line to its new complex of coal mines in northeastern Greene County. The railroad line will cross the bottom and the land will necessarily be torn up when it is built.

"We decided 14 weeks ago that the site was worth looking at to determine its archaeological significance," Paul Kvederis, Consol public affairs officer, said. "We realize that people are curious because the work is being done so close to the road, but we've been reluctant to say much about it because we didn't want curiosity seekers overrunning the site and possibly disturbing the work area."

The bottom, located at the intersection of Routes 21 and



Observer-Reporter Photo

Archaeologists conduct survey at prehistoric Indian site.

18 opposite the former drive-in theater in West Waynesburg, has been posted with "no trespassing" signs. In addition, Kvederis said, arrangements have been made, beginning today, to have a guard posted at the property at night.

"A complete report on findings will be made available to the public after the survey has been completed," the Consol official said. "In addition, arrangements will be made to

have anything of significance which is found turned over to an appropriate local group. Our only concern is that we don't lose anything because of publicity."

Dr. Michael declined to comment on any findings to date or to make any estimate of how long it will require to complete the survey.

James Randolph of Waynesburg, curator of the museum at Waynesburg Col-

lege and an active member of the Paul R. Stewart Chapter of the Pennsylvania Archaeological Society, doubts that any significant findings will be made because of the location of the bottom along the bank of Ten Mile Creek.

Randolph said he has walked over the land many times, finding weapon points, knives and some shards of pottery.

Franco Mikettes' Ace

By JOHN BARKER
O-R Sports Staff

CARMICHAELS — There's something special going on with the Carmichaels High School girls softball team. Something special that produces more than just wins. It produces a team.

"This school has a dedication to sports," says girls softball coach John Krajnak. "At many schools girls' sports are second but not here. We have a lot of girls who are dedicated and that's the difference."

One of those players is senior Carmella Franco.

According to Krajnak, Franco is not the star of the team. But when you consider that she has compiled a 44-3 record as a pitcher for Carmichaels, you know that she's more than just an ordinary player.

"All I do is throw strikes and let the team back me up," said Franco. "The support of the team keeps me going. We have a very good team and they all contribute to my success."

And success is what she and the Mikettes have found. Carmichaels won Section 15-AA this season with a 16-0 record.

"We have the people who really want to play the game," said Krajnak. "This team is team oriented, that's just our style."

"Carmella happens to be a very gifted

player on our team but not necessarily the most important. She pitches very slow, perhaps the slowest in the league. She is definitely not a fastball pitcher but she plays an all-around game on defense and she helps herself."

Franco broke in as a pitcher during her freshman year in a precarious situation. Carmichaels was trying to clinch Section 15-AA for the third consecutive year when its regular pitcher was injured and had to be removed from the mound.

Franco was called on in the fifth inning of a 6-6 game and held the opposition to one run as the Mikettes pulled out a 9-7 win.

Ever since that impressive showing, Franco's pitching has improved and only three losses show on her record.

"She had great composure as a 14-year-old freshman and helped us clinch the section in 1979," said Krajnak.

"She has pitched every game since then for me — that's a lot of pitching and I am thankful that she and the other players have done so well."

Doing well is one thing that Krajnak's teams have mastered. The Mikettes finished with a 15-1 record in 1980 and advanced to the playoffs where they won two games and lost one, just missing a berth in the PIAA playoffs.

In 1981, Carmichaels finished the sea-

son 12-2 and they won 16 games this year without a loss.

"I can't emphasize enough that this is just a special program," Krajnak said. "I just hope it stays for as long as I'm around. This is something that I don't say I helped create, but rather had opportunity to be part of. I'm flattered to be a part."

And Franco is flattered to be a part, too. The success has not gone to her head.

"I really wasn't even sure that I had so many wins," said Franco. "I don't try to think of individual goals but rather team goals. It wouldn't be any fun without all my teammates."

Franco has decided to attend Indiana University of Pennsylvania this fall and play softball on an intercollegiate level. Surprisingly, she doesn't see herself pitching when she gets to Indiana. Due to the fact she pitches so slowly, the college players would be able to hit her pitching relatively easily.

So instead of pitching, Franco plans to play in the outfield.

"I have a few goals I want to see," Franco said recently. "One is to get girls' softball more recognition and the other is to give my coach a good year and hopefully a section championship."

She has already accomplished the latter, and by doing so, made giant strides toward the other.



O-R Photo by Jim Fuller

That Losing Feeling

Sometimes not even yelling and cheering can spur a team on to victory. Carmichaels High School's girls softball team went down to defeat at the hands of Charleroi 12-7 in eight innings to advance to the WPIAL semifinals. And not even the urging of the Mikettes' team members could change that.

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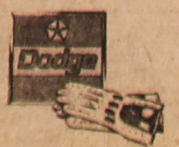
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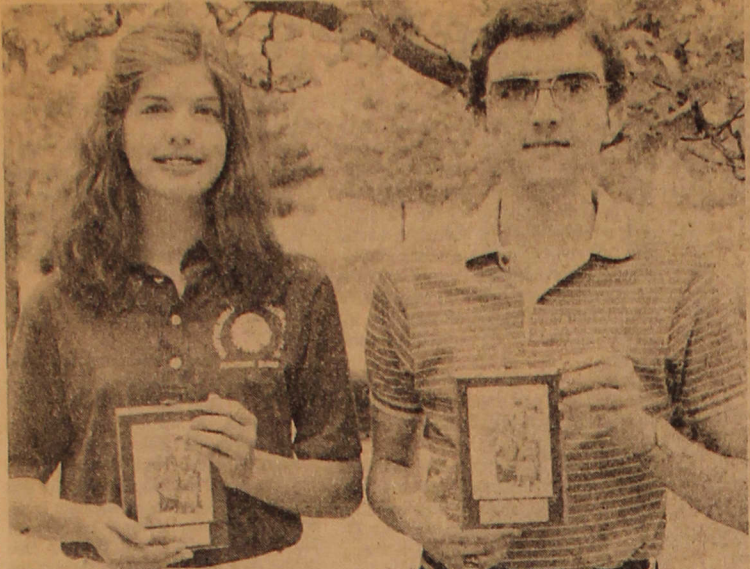
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Greene County Obituaries



Optimists Honor Students

Ann Main and Karl Jarek, valedictorian and salutatorian respectively at Waynesburg Central High School, were honored by the Waynesburg Optimist Club during the club's Youth Appreciation Week. The special week was initiated in 1954 by the Optimist Club in North Carolina.

Carmichaels

Honor Roll For Junior High

CARMICHAELS — Junior high students named to the third, nine-week honor roll of Carmichaels Area Junior High School were:

HIGHEST HONORS — Rita Bayard, Scott Bowser, Eugene Bradman, Andria Hillsman, Thomas Rumanick, Ann Marie Timcheck, Annelise Visnesky and Michael Zalar.

HIGH HONORS — Joseph Belan, Tracey Cohen, Chris Durco, Nancy Hanley, Harold Kerley, Johnathan Klimek, Rebecca McCann, Peter Pratt, Penny Rahl, Kimberly Rathburn and Matthew Vohlter.

HONORS — Kimberly Boyle, William Boyle, Dayna Cochran, Randy Durr, Christina Hanko, Deanne Hanuschock, Staci Hunn, Richard Juliani, Robert Kowalewski, Lisa Nara, Mary

Phillips, Lisa Shillings, Deanne Stanley, Gerald Swift and William Wilcox.

GRADE EIGHT
HIGHEST HONORS — Brian Blasinsky, Jeff Krause and Marc Long.

HONORS — Louis Aspey, Christine Blair, John Baniecki, Mike Blumish, Lisa Bednar, Raiko Jack, Elizabeth Keebaugh, John Krause, Tamylia Lesko, Linda Phillips, Deborah Policz, Mary Rankin and Roser Waters.

HONORS — Eliza Banev, Natalie Beal, Mary Betchy, Stephanie Bregan, Christine Clovis, Diane Cutwright, Lynn Draglich, John Evans, Richard Allen Fox, Karen Franks, John Hines, Robert Hopkins, William Kirk, Katherine Lee, Joseph McCann, Carla Morris, Scott Patterson, Scott Pecjak, Jeff Phillips, Kelley Ponek, Pam Riley, Janette Schuster,

Richard Shillings, Lisa Shipley, Suzanne Sova, Janet Temple, Franee Walczak and Jodi Whipkey.

GRADE SEVEN
HIGHEST HONOR — Shannon Nutt.

HIGH HONORS — Edward Abbot, Melissa Brozik, James Crockard, Gary Davis, Janine Johnson, Dawn Krause, Rebecca Malv, Carla Marklewich, Donna Jezewski, David Lawrence, Michael Mundell, Brian Nicholson, Dwight Phillips, Richard Rodavich, Jeffrey Swift, Helene Wilson, Douglas Wynn, Karolee Yorko, Pamela Yurik and Robert Zalar.

Girl, Boy Of Month Chosen

William Cain and Melody Rose Bennett, students at Waynesburg Central High School, have been chosen as Boy and Girl of the Month for May, by the Waynesburg Lions Club.

The son of Donley and Mary Cain of Waynesburg, William is active in wrestling, Spanish and Grapplers Club. He is secretary of his senior class and the Grapplers Club, and was senior attendant at the prom. He attends the Christian Church of Waynesburg. He enjoys hunting, fishing and working with metal and hopes

to be an Industrial Arts teacher or work in a metal shop.

Melody is the daughter of Junior and Jean Bennett of Mt. Morris. She is a member of the National Honor Society, is Art Club president, the Art Editor for the school yearbook and newspaper, served as publicity chairman for the prom and is a member of Graphic Girls. She is interested in arts and crafts and showing horses.

Active in 4-H, she is president of the Mt. Morris Craft and Horse and Pony Clubs,

and served for four years as the Horse and Pony Christmas Queen as well as senior attendant for the Greene County Christmas Queen's Court in 1980.

She also is active in the West Virginia Horsemen's Association, the West Virginia Contest Riders Association, the Interstate Horsemen's Association, and the Monongahela Riding for the Handicapped Association.

She attends the Mt. Morris United Methodist Church and hopes to attend the Art Institute of Pittsburgh.



SAT Award

J. Michael Roebuck, a seventh-grade student at Mapletown Junior-Senior High School, has been recognized for scoring higher than the average college-bound 12th-grade student on the college board's Scholastic Aptitude Test. Michael is the son of John and Irene Roebuck of Dilliner. He was recommended for the talent search by his guidance counselor, Valerie Burchianti, pictured presenting him with his award which noted his placement of distinction in the verbal category. The 1982 Mathematics and Verbal Talent Search included over 17,000 of the ablest seventh-grade students from Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

Murdock

Clara E. Murdock, 92, of Cameron Star Route, Waynesburg, died at 2 p.m., Sunday, May 23, 1982, at the residence of her daughter, Sue Throckmorton, following a decline in health.

She was born June 14, 1889, in Waynesburg, a daughter of Lindsey and Bertha Pettit Davis.

With the exception of three years in California, Mrs. Murdock had lived all of her life in the Waynesburg area. She was a member of the Christian Church of Waynesburg. While in California, she worked in a Baptist church camp.

Her husband, Lee (Ted) Murdock died in February 1969.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Iona Fisher of Needles, Calif., and Mrs. William (Sue) Throckmorton of Cameron Star Route, Waynesburg; two sons, Robert L. Murdock of Waynesburg and John R. Murdock of Waynesburg R.D.5; 11 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; three brothers, Harry Davis of Waynesburg, Irwin and Orville Davis, both of Ohio; and one sister, Emma McClelland of Waynesburg.

A brother, Louis Davis, and a sister, Goldie Jones, are deceased.

Robinson

Ada Hannah Robinson, 83, of 305 Porter Street, New Cumberland, W.Va., died Friday, May 14, 1982, in Weirton Medical Center.

She was born August 20, 1898, in Meadville, a daughter of Frederick and Sarah Richardson Robinson.

She was a member of the Christian Church in New Cumberland, the New Cumberland Woman's Club and Order of the Eastern Star, Crescent Chapter No. 49. For many years she was the payroll clerk for Starvaggi Industries of Weirton.

Surviving are four cousins, Glenn and Charles Robinson, both of Waynesburg; Mrs. Lawrence (Fedelia) Schreck of Meadville and Mrs. Kenneth (Betty) Slack of Warren, Ohio.

Services were held May 17 with burial in New Cumberland Cemetery.

Shriver

Freda Shriver, 58, of Blacksville, W.Va., died Tuesday, May 25, 1982 in the West Virginia University Medical Center.

She was born November 26, 1923, in Pine Bank, a daughter of Elza and Ethel King Wise. Her husband, William Allen Shriver, died in July 1977.

She is survived by two sons, Charles Clark Shriver of Blacksville and Gary Shriver of Wayland, Mich.; a brother, Clarence Wise of Carmichaels; a sister, Gladys Tedrow of Pine Bank; and five grandchildren.

Two sons are deceased.

Murphy

Delbert L. Murphy, 76, of El Paso, Texas, formerly of Dilliner R.D., died Wednesday, May 26, 1982, in the Serra Medical Center, in El Paso.

The Paul Lesako Funeral Home, Carmichaels, is in charge of arrangements. A complete obituary and arrangements will appear in Friday's Observer-Reporter.

Worship Services At Ryerson Park

WIND RIDGE — The West Greene Ministerium will again provide worship services for campers at Ryerson Station State Park on Sunday, May 30.

The service will be held at 9 a.m. in the worship area located directly opposite the entrance to the park camping area. The speaker this Sunday will be Mark McMillen.

Lynn

James P. Lynn, 78, of Clarksville R.D.1 (Pitt Gas), died at 12:10 a.m. Monday, May 24, 1982, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born April 13, 1904, in Perryopolis, a son of John and Laura Lynn.

His wife, Helen Leighty, died in 1962.

Mr. Lynn was a retired coal mine foreman. He had been employed at Republic Steel's Clyde Mine in Fredericktown. He also served as a custodian at the Jefferson-Morgan High School for several years.

He spent most of his life in the Clarksville area and attended the Pitt Gas United Missionary Church. While his health permitted, he was an active member of the Clarksville area Lions Club.

He is survived by a son, George W. of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, one daughter, Mrs. Stephen (Doris) Yourchik of Clarksville R.D.1, with whom he made his home; seven grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Otis and Sandy Lake and Kemp of Fredericktown R.D.1; one sister, Mrs. Maude Kelley of Fredericktown; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a son, Robert; two sisters, Bertha and Alice; and one granddaughter, Karen Yourchik.

Lawrence

Harry Lawrence Sr., 72, of Thompson Gardens Apartments, Waynesburg, died at 9:30 a.m. Monday, May 24, 1982, in Byerl Hospital, Hartsville, S.C., following a long illness.

He was born October 14, 1909, in Westmoreland County, a son of Charles and Maude Goney Lawrence.

A retired coal miner from the Mather mine, he spent most of his life in Greene County.

He was a member of UMWA Local 6330 and the First Church of the Nazarene in Waynesburg.

Surviving are one son, Harry Lawrence Jr. of Chesterfield, S.C.; two grandchildren, and two brothers, Charles Lawrence of Clarksville R.D.1 and Daniel Lawrence of Hopwood.

Four brothers and three sisters are deceased.

Funeral arrangements, in charge of Behm Funeral Home Inc., are incomplete.

King

Earl King, 80, of Jefferson R.D.1, died at 9:22 p.m. Tuesday, May 25, 1982, in the Brownsville General Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born April 7, 1902, in Pike County, Kentucky, a son of Jenkins and Alice Blankenship King.

On April 16, 1926, he married Ida Mae Kelley, who survives.

Prior to his retirement, he was a miner in the Crucible mine.

Mr. King, a peacetime member of the U.S. Army and Navy, spent most of his life in Greene County. He was a Protestant.

He was active in the UMWA on both the district and local level, serving as president of UMWA District Local 4731 in Crucible. At the time of his death, he was a member of the Dillworth UMWA Local.

In addition to his wife, who resides at Jefferson R.D.1, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Jack (Betty) Baker of Cheswick; one son, Earl J. King of Bellflower; two grandchildren, Keith and Brenda Baker; two half brothers, Trimble Leslie of Huntington, W.Va., and Victor Leslie of Titusville, Fla.; and two half sisters, June Gilliam of Ashland, Ky., and Vonie Cox of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Two brothers, Kelly and Arthur King, and one half-sister, Mae Boals, are deceased.

Longstreth

Annie M. Taylor Longstreth, 81, of Waynesburg R.D.1, died at 2:35 a.m., Saturday, May 22, 1982, in Washington Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born September 19, 1900, in Greene County, a daughter of John and Mary Montgomery Taylor.

Mrs. Longstreth had spent most of her life in the Waynesburg area. She was a homemaker and affiliated with the Mount Zion Baptist Church.

Surviving is her husband, Layton Longstreth, whom she married April 30, 1927.

Also surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a brother, Floyd Taylor, and a sister, Goldie Funk. Mrs. Longstreth was the last of her immediate family.

Clark

Willis A. Clark, 68, of Altoona, formerly of Waynesburg, died Friday, May 21, 1982, at 5:30 p.m. in the Valley View Nursing Home, Altoona. He had been ill for two years.

He was born March 5, 1914, in Waynesburg, a son of Jason and Bertha Clark.

His wife, Juanita Clark, died July 17, 1969.

Mr. Clark was a retired employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad. A former resident of Waynesburg, he had resided for several years in Beaver County and in Altoona since 1957. He was a Protestant.

He was a member of the Allegheny Club and a social member of the American Legion and VFW in Hollidaysburg. He belonged to the F.O.E. in Altoona.

Surviving are two sons, Charles W. Clark of Altoona and Ronald B. Clark of Phoenix, Ariz.; a daughter, Winona McLaughlin of New Brighton; 17 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Donald (Mary) Waugh of Fresno, Calif., El-lave Bowman of Greensboro; a half-sister, Lorena Hess of Masontown; and his brother-in-law, Russell Bowman of Greensboro.

Deceased are a brother, Jason Clark Jr., and a sister, Melva Yeager.

Public Notices

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
 Estate of John F. Pauley late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
 Letters Testamentary upon the above 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.

Charles H. Ganier
 Soraggs Star Route
 Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
 Executor

William R. Davis, Esq.
 Attorney
 5-28; 6-4-11

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
 Estate of JOHN W. BURGESS late of Franklin Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
 Letters Testamentary upon the above 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.

Irene Burgess
 R. D. #4
 Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
 Executor
 W. BERTRAM WAYCHOFF
 Attorney
 5-28; 6-4-11

COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
 The County Board of Elections will meet at the office of the undersigned at 102 County Office Building, Waynesburg, Pennsylvania, on Friday, June 4, 1982 at 12:00 o'clock noon, EDT, for the purpose of permitting candidates receiving a tie vote to cast lots before said Board as to whom shall be entitled to the Election.

If any candidate receiving a tie vote fails to appear before 12:00 o'clock noon on said day, the County Board or Clerks shall cast lots for him or them.

Any candidate may appear in person or by proxy appointed in writing.

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 GREENE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

ATTEST:
 Betty Jennings Ray
 Chief Clerk
 5-28 5-14, 21, 28

Howell

Gene F. Howell, 43, of Glasshouse Hill, Cameron, W.Va., died Thursday night, May 20, 1982, in his home.

He was born February 19, 1939, in Marshall County, W.Va., a son of the late Albert and Martha Howell.

Mr. Howell was a Protestant. He had been employed as a caretaker at the Hi-Way Inn in Cameron.

Surviving are three brothers, Robert (Hade) Howell of Cameron, W.Va., and Jack and James Howell, both of Cincinnati, Ohio.

One brother, Albert Howell, is deceased.

Vunjak

Danica Vunjak, 87, of Clarksville R.D.1, died at 12:15 a.m. Friday, May 21, 1982, in the Greene County Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born October 30, 1894, in Yugoslavia, a daughter of Nicholas and Rose Rajak.

Her husband, Mike Vunjak Sr., died in 1956.

Mrs. Vunjak spent most of her life in the Clarksville area.

She is survived by three sons, Mike Jr. and Wesley, both of Clarksville, and Donald of Cleveland, Ohio; three daughters, Mrs. Diana Furman of Clarksville, Mrs. Zorka Zets of Fredericktown R.D.1 and Mrs. Mary Durdines of Azusa, Cal.; 15 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

She was the last of her immediate family.

Public Notices

NOTICE
 Notice is hereby given that the Greene County Planning Commission at its regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, June 28, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. in the Commissioners meeting room on the first floor of the New County Office Building, will consider two subdivisions: Orange Subdivision in Dunkard Township and Idle Acres Subdivision in Wayne Township. Said subdivision submitted by J. K. Willison Real Estate, Inc. Agent
 5-28; 6-4

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
 Estate of ANNA M. VARTO late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
 Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

STEVE REPKO
 Box 286
 Newcombin, Pa. 15351
 Executor
 A. J. MARION,
 Attorney
 5-21, 28; 6-4

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE
 ESTATE OF CHESTER SAMUEL PHILLIPS, a/k/a CHESTER S. PHILLIPS of Washington Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
 Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make payment without delay to the undersigned, and to those persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to the undersigned.

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 Waynesburg, Pa.
 5-21, 28; 6-4

NOTICE
 IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF GREENE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.
 IN RE: HARRY FRANCIS KIRBY MISC. No. 19, 1982.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the 4th day of May, 1982, the petition of HARRY FRANCIS KIRBY was filed in the above-named Court, praying for a decree to change his name to FRANCIS HARRY KIRBY, JR.

The Court has fixed Monday, the 7th day of June, 1982, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m. in the Court Room at the Court House in Waynesburg, Pennsylvania as the time and place for the hearing of said petition, when and where all persons interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

Pollock, Pollock & Thomas
 60 West High Street
 Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
 5-21, 28; 6-4

Iams

Samuel G. Iams, 70, of Bradenton, Fla., formerly of Greene County, died Monday, May 17, 1982, in Bradenton.

He was born in Greene County, a son of Samuel and Florence Goodwin Iams.

A school teacher, he was a member of the Ohio Retired Teachers Association.

Mr. Iams was a member of Christ United Methodist Church of Bradenton.

Surviving are his wife, Jeanette Iams of Bradenton; a son, Dr. Samuel Gregory Iams of Greenville, N.C.; two daughters, Mary Burkhardt of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Sara Mitchell of Muncie, Ind.; two brothers, John of Westminster, Md., and James of Aliquippa; a sister, Mary Grimes of Bradenton; and one grandchild.

Services were held Wednesday, May 19, in Bradenton. The family suggests memorial donations to Christ United Methodist Church in Bradenton or the American Heart Association.

Public Notices

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
 ESTATE OF HELEN SALAGOVICH of Monongahela Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
 Letters of administration, C.T.A. having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same; and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to

Sister Theosetta
 4435 Almond St.
 Philadelphia, Pa. 19137
 ADMINISTRATOR
 W. BERTRAM WAYCHOFF
 Attorney
 5-28; 6-4, 11

LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON PLEAS COURT OF GREENE COUNTY, DIVISION ON MONDAY, JUNE 7, 1982.

The First and Final Account of R. Wallace Maxwell, Trustee of the Estate of C. Grant Shanes, late of Brave, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Janet Hose Stephenson, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Mary R. Hoge, late of Carmichaels Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of John R. Barna, Jr., and Thomas D.J. Barna, Executors of Estate of Winifred L. Barna late of R.D. #2 Waynesburg, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Abel Marriner, Administrator of the Estate of Jesse Estel, late of Marshall County, West Virginia.

The First and Final Account of Nick Muskovac, Executor of the Estate of Agnes Muskovac, late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of William Logsdon, Jr., Executor of the Estate of Mae N. Parrshall, late of Jefferson Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Georgiann Klein, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of George W. Balogh, late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Lois McClay, Executrix of the Estate of Lois E. Tawford, late of Morgan Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Craig S. Church, Administrator of the Estate of Frank E. Church, late of Center Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Devonnah Jolly, Administratrix of the Estate of Clarence A. Divil, late of Dunkard Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

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