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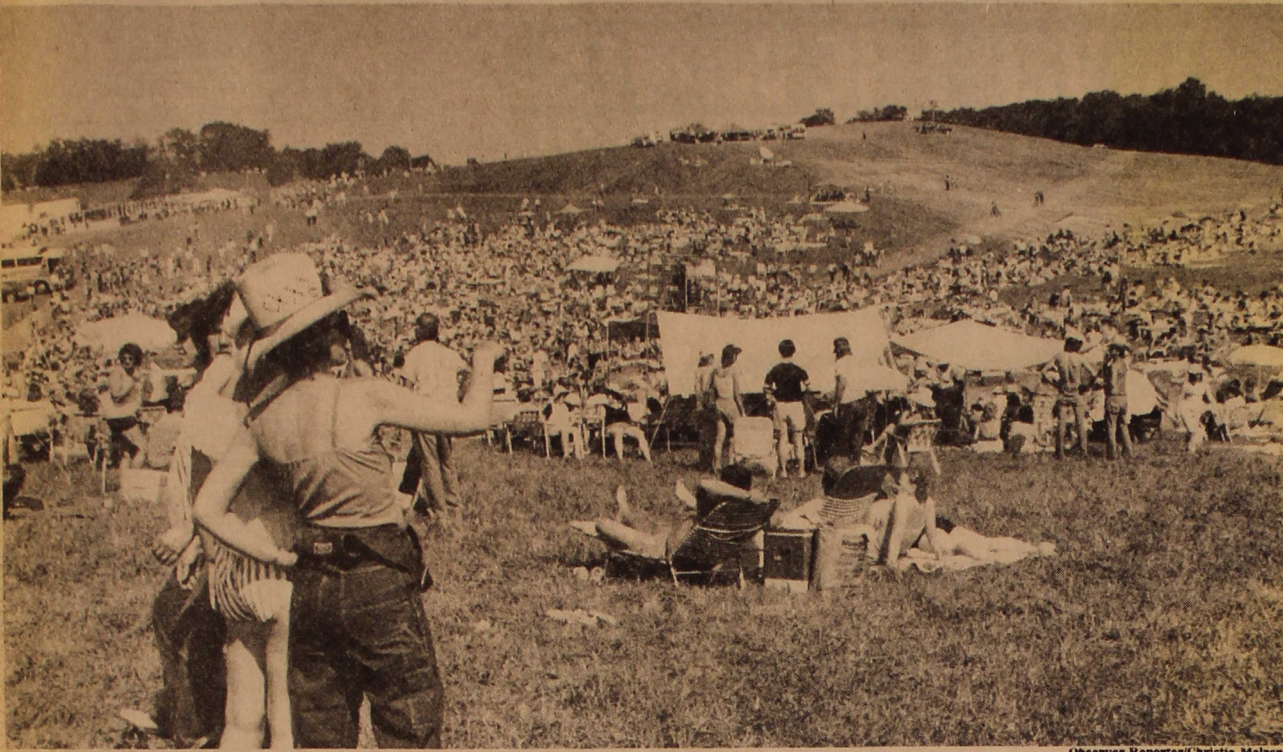
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Crowd gathered near Waynesburg to hear Billy "Crash" Craddock (below) and others.

Thousands Flock To Jamboree Site

By Dan Duke, Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — It was hot enough to work up a sweat watching the grass grow on Chidester Farm Sunday, but there was much more to see — and hear — than that.

The little spot of Greene County country near Waynesburg was the site of the "first annual" Coal Miner's Jamboree, a day full of country sunshine and country music.

Of the thousands of people who came to see acts such as Frizzell and West, Jerry Reed and Billy "Crash" Craddock, not one left without an earful of country music, and many left with sunburns.

The crowd started gathering Saturday night, maybe to secure a prime spot on the grassy hill that formed a natural amphitheater, or maybe to get a head start on the partying.

"They were lined up 100 yards outside the gate when I got here at 7 a.m.," said Frank Carter, a constable for the state police working as a crossing guard. "They were just packed in. I think I was born 20 years too soon."

Public relations man Bill Watkins estimated there were about 25,000

people at 1:30, but other estimates were much lower.

Many spectators came prepared for a day in the torrid sun, bringing umbrellas, tents, suntan lotion, lawn chairs and coolers. Some people anticipated such a thirst that they carried in their own barrels of beer on ice. And two young women struggled through the gates and up the hill with two large coolers strapped on a dolly.

The Jefferson Volunteer Fire Co. helped many people stay cool by periodically turning their hoses on crowds that would gather by their fire trucks.

However, dozens of people were overcome by the heat and required treatment in the first aid tent. Dr. Stanley Falor of Waynesburg said 63 people had been treated by 5 p.m., most of them for heat exposure. "Nothing serious yet," the doctor said. "We hope it stays that way."

Promoter Jack Litten had said he was going to make a substantial donation to UMW District 5 Food Fund with proceeds from the concert. Not surprisingly, many in attendance were coal miners, former coal miners and relatives of coal miners, as well as country music fans.



For instance, Tim Filneck of Collier, near Uniontown, is a coal miner and the grandson, son and father of coal miners. An amateur country musician himself, Filneck said there was one song not played that he and his friends really wanted to hear, "Coal Miner's Heaven" by Tim Filneck. "It's a wonderful song with wonderful words and music," said George Oros, also of Collier, a retired mineworker with 23 years experience. "Everybody likes it." Filneck said he would like to see one of the performers record his song. One Daisytown man said "We came because we're firm supporters of Rick Trumka and the coal miners and we think something like this would be good for the coal miners." "And we could have a good time ourselves," added a friend who had been a strip miner until a recent shutdown.

Greene One Of Few Counties To Get High Mark

WAYNESBURG — Greene County has been given high marks for its job in assessing real estate.

According to the state Tax Equalization Board, which is required by law to check each year, Greene is one of only seven counties in Pennsylvania which meet the tax board's standards for accuracy.

In order to meet state criteria, the average assessment on properties sold must be within 15 percent of the county's assessment rate. In Greene County, where all property is theoretically assessed at 30 percent of its fair market value, the state board found the average assessment in 1982 to be 27.8 percent.

Only four other counties — Huntingdon, Potter, Allegheny and Bradford — had a better track record for accuracy. Sixty of the 67 counties failed to meet the acceptable 15 percent margin for error.

In making the study, the tax board compared the sale prices of properties sold last year with the assessments set by the counties. Purpose of the comparison was to determine whether counties were assessing properties at the rates they claimed they were.

Greene County Chief Assessor Perry Bavera said he was pleased, but not particularly surprised, at results of the study. He pointed out that with 26,000 parcels (land and buildings) on the property tax rolls, only 11 assessment appeals were filed last year, which he believes is a testament to the accuracy of the county program.

"Keeping the rolls up to date is an everyday procedure," he said. "Uniformity is the key. We try to make sure that assessments are accurate so that no property owner is required to pay more than his fair share of real estate taxes."

Greene County went through its last general reassessment in 1976. The job since that time has been to make any changes which are necessary as new homes are built, older ones are remodeled or added to, or properties deteriorate.

A lot of things go into that process, Bavera said.

Field assessors who operate out of the county office are constantly on the lookout for new construction which could affect the value of a property. Additional information comes from elected assessors in each of the county 27 municipalities. Anonymous tips are another source.

"People will call us and tell us about an improvement which has been made by their neighbor and we go out and check it," he said. "I guess it's just human nature to want everyone to pay a fair share of taxes if you are."

He said that local township officials also are interested in seeing that all properties are on the tax rolls at the correct level. "They are responsible for levying taxes and they want their assessment base to be as complete and correct as possible," he said.

The assessment office also keeps a watchful eye on all real estate sales in the county.

"If a house is sold for \$80,000 and we have it on the rolls with a \$50,000 market value we have a field assessor look it over to see if an improvement has been made which accounts for the higher sales price. If this has happened, the assessment is adjusted to reflect the higher value."

"On the other hand, if a property is on the rolls with a value of \$50,000 and is sold for \$35,000, we also check to find out why. Sometimes we find that the property has deteriorated and that the assessment should be lowered."

Bavera is proud of the fact that Greene County has been having a lot less assessment appeals than most counties.

One of the reasons, he said, is that the assessment department responds to complaints as they are received, rather than waiting for an appeal to be filed.

"If we find out that the complaint is a valid one, we make the necessary adjustment before the appeal date rolls around. If we feel the assessment is accurate, we try to show the property owner why we reached the figure we did for his house. In that way the (county) commissioners are spared the job of holding appeal hearings in a lot of cases."

Bavera also said that records in his office are open to all county residents at all times.

"Anyone can come in and check on the assessment placed on any property at any time during office hours," he said.

Twp. Won't Accept Bill

WAYNESBURG — Franklin Township Monday refused to accept a bill from Waynesburg Borough for its pro-rated share of operating the sewage treatment plant.

No specifics were brought out during the meeting but it was indicated the bill was \$30,000 higher than previous bills. The West Waynesburg and Bonar sewer systems of the township flow into borough lines.

Each year the borough sends the township a bill computed on the amount of water used by residents of the two sewer districts. Supervisors T. Reed Kiger and Ralph Porter directed the solicitor to review the contract between the two municipalities to determine if there is a legal basis for the extra charges.

Following a discussion about parking restrictions along Route 21 adjacent to the county fairgrounds, the supervisors directed Solicitor Bill Hook to work with fair board members T. Riley White and Larry Marshall to determine if the state could enact an ordinance prohibiting parking during the fair.

The supervisors again pointed out that even with a township ordinance prohibiting parking, they would have no way to enforce the law. State police are not permitted to enforce township laws.

Permission was granted to Equitable Gas Company to extend a road past Greenway Manufacturing Company into the gas company's new building site. The 40 feet of additional road will be constructed by the gas company to meet township specifications.

Supervisors also agreed to become a part of a \$149,428 sewer improvement project involving the borough and township. Included in the project is 441 feet of sewer in the Bonar district which must be cleaned, sealed and tested.

County Endorses Application For State Water Line Grant

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — An application by the Mt. Morris Water and Sewer Authority for a \$34,500 state grant to partially finance a \$69,000 water line extension project was endorsed Monday by the Greene County Planning Commission.

The application for the Community Facilities grant, which has been submitted to the Pennsylvania Department of Commerce, represents the third effort by the authority to obtain the funds it needs to lay 5,100 feet of water line to service busi-

nesses and homes in the area of the Interstate 79 interchange. Similar applications in 1981 and 1982 failed to gain approval.

The authority said the homes that would be serviced by the new lines currently experience period well failures, while businesses not only experience periodic water shortages but also lack adequate fire protection.

The planning commission, in endorsing the application, noted that the proposed water line extension confirms with the county comprehensive plan and would be a

great asset in promoting further development of the interchange area.

Plans for construction of a new divisional headquarters building for the Equitable Gas Co. were reviewed by the commission and were given final approval conditional on approval by the Department of Environmental Resources, submission of a road agreement with Franklin Township, and a report from the Soil Conservation Service on the adequacy of a holding pond to control the runoff of surface water.

The building will be erected for Equitable by McKnight Plaza, Inc. of Pittsburgh and will be located on a tract in the Greene County Industrial Park on Route 21, opposite the county airport. The 21,424-square-foot building will provide office space and facilities for maintenance work, storage and vehicles.

Plans for the Cedarwood Project off the Nemacon Road in Cumberland Township were given preliminary review, but no action was taken pending receipt of additional information.

The project would involve the construction of four apartment buildings containing a total of 31 units by A & R Builders of Pittsburgh on property owned by Joseph Vuknic.

The planning commission spelled out a number of areas in which additional information is required before final approval is given, with one of the major concerns being certification by the DER that the development could be serviced by the Carmichaels and Cumberland Township Sewer Authority.

Narrowing from 26 feet to 20 feet of the entrance road to the Greene Health Center nursing home being constructed in Franklin Township was approved by the commission since it had already been approved by the Franklin Township supervisors.

Waynesburg Council Vows To Enforce BOCA Codes

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg Borough Council Monday promised to become more active in enforcing BOCA Codes in the battle to raze condemned structures and rid the community of eyesores.

Council members were especially vocal over conditions at the home of Dr. Grover Phillippi on East Greene Street. Borough officials have sent three registered letters to Phillippi about code violations, but the letters have not been accepted.

Phillippi has been cited for past violations and council expressed anger Monday night over what they termed "junked" cars parked in the yard at the house.

One council member expressed concern about a rooming house on South Morgan Street in which 23 people were living with only one bathroom. Situations such as this should be investigated and citations issued, council members said.

Council members will schedule a meeting with their solicitor and code enforcement officer David Gregg to determine further legal methods.

A member of the borough zoning board appeared before council and explained his office is receiving complaints that should be handled by council. Council President Glenn Richards told the zoning officer that any complaints that fall under the BOCA codes should be referred to council.

Council accepted a low bid of \$5,771 from Donald George Roofing Co. to replace part of the roof over council chambers. The only other bid was received from Donley Contracting for \$8,897.

A resolution was passed increasing the maximum income that a senior citizen could receive and still be exonerated from paying the \$5 per capita tax. The previous maximum was \$3,600 and the new limit is \$5,000.

A request from the police department to have new carpet placed in three rooms was tabled until the next meeting. A bid of \$767 for the carpet and new blind was offered but the majority of the council members cited the budget squeeze and tabled the request.

Construction Begins On Apartment Building

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Housing Authority announced Friday that construction has begun on a 50-unit apartment building in Carmichaels for the elderly.

Following approval by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, contracts were awarded on the basis of low bids received in early May.

Housing Authority Executive Director Louis DeMola said construction bids were lower than expected, reducing the overall cost of the project by \$234,000 to \$1,914,000.

The general contract of \$957,000 was awarded to Westmoreland Construction Co., South Greensburg; the electrical contract of \$124,868 to Ralph W. Brono Electric, Waynesburg; the plumbing contract of \$180,530 to Greene Mechanical Corp., Carmichaels R.D.2; and the heating, ventilating and air conditioning con-

tact of \$159,740 to Whitby Plumbing and Air Conditioning Inc., Uniontown.

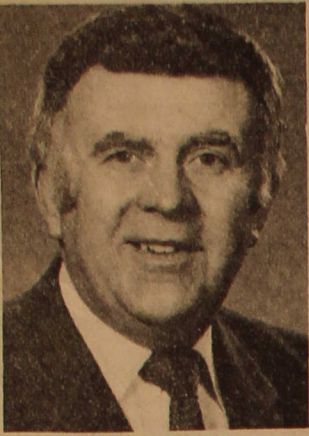
The building, designed by Uniontown architect Michael Molnar, is being erected on land the housing authority purchased last year on Route 21, just east of Carmichaels. It will contain 50 one-bedroom apartments, with five of them being designed for the handicapped.

The front section of the building will be a one-story structure, with a two-story wing at the rear. A community room and other service facilities are included.

DeMola said the units will be available for rent to individuals or couples who are 62 years old or older. The rents will not be subsidized. While the rental scale has not been established, the amount tenants will pay will depend upon their income.

The housing authority anticipates that construction could be completed as early as the end of this year.

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly



MYRON GUILER

Bob Jones Staffer Will Speak

Myron Guiler, staff evangelist at Bob Jones University, will speak at an old-fashioned camp meeting to be held next month at the Living Waters Bible Ranch near Graysville.

Meetings will begin at 11 a.m. Monday, July 4, and continue each night through Saturday, July 9. On Monday, the public is invited to bring picnic lunches for the afternoon.

Guiler was a pastor at Marietta (Ohio) Bible Church Center and in 1977 founded Marietta Bible College.

He is a 1959 graduate of Bob Jones University, where he received an honorary doctoral degree in 1975. He also attended Muskingum College. In 1981, Hyles-Anderson College in Crown Point, Ind., awarded him an honorary doctor of humanities degree.

Swimmers Sell Charity Laps

WAYNESBURG — Swimmers will be helping to eliminate cancer a lap at a time at the American Cancer Society's Save-a-Life Swim for Cancer scheduled for the week of July 11-15.

In the Save-a-Life Swim, swimmers will seek sponsors and swim up to 40 laps a day with each lap being verified. At the end of the week, they will return to their sponsors to collect the pledges.

Contributions received from this event will help provide for educational programs, service to cancer patients in Greene County and research into the causes and cure for cancer.

Anyone of any age may participate and, of course, there is no limit to the number of sponsors.



WHEREVER SHE WAVES

It's a thrilling sight to see our flag in a parade. We react in different ways. The stars and stripes make some of us think of Washington and his gallant men at Valley Forge. Others remember Pearl Harbor, the Normandy Invasion, Vietnam or some we may have known who gave their lives in one of this century's too frequent wars.

The flag of our nation is beautiful but it's what the red, white and blue stand for that makes us proud to be Americans. Wherever she waves, all the sweat, blood, sacrifices, honor, loyalty, heroic deeds and accomplishments of our 200 plus years are symbolized in Old Glory.

Just as our flag represents our country and the American people, the Church is God's major tool for continuing His witness and work in the world.

You are always welcome in the House of the Lord. And you will find a lasting inspiration there for your life.

VALLEY FORGE . . . TO VIETNAM



Scriptures selected by The American Bible Society

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| | Sunday Acts 3:11-26 | Monday Acts 10:34-48 | | | |
| Tuesday Acts 9:1-19 | Wednesday Acts 9:20-31 | Thursday Acts 11:19-30 13:1-3 | Friday Acts 19:1-10 | Saturday Acts 28:16-31 | |



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GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

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

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WAYNESBURG FLORAL



GRADUATE — Beth R. Pheffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rush of Waynesburg, recently graduated from Clarion State College with a bachelor of science degree in communication. While at Clarion, she was a member of the International Association of Business Communicators, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the FCA Evangelism Team. She was also a crew member at Channel 5, the campus television station and served for two semesters as editor of The Advocate, the Christian newsletter on campus.



GRADUATE — Shari E. McCollum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. McCollum of Waynesburg R.D.5, graduated May 14 from California State College. She graduated magna cum laude with a bachelor's degree in education. She is presently a substitute teacher for Greene, Washington and Fayette counties.

Rebecca Susan Rutter, C. Stephen Zoric Wed

HOLBROOK — Rebecca Susan Rutter and C. Stephen Zoric, both of Alexandria, Va., exchanged wedding vows during a double-ring ceremony at 5 p.m. Saturday, June 25, 1983, at Holbrook Christian Church.

The bride is a daughter of Sharon Rhodes of Little Rock, Ark., and Richard Rutter of Washington, D.C. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Zoric of Holbrook.

The Rev. Robert Borland officiated at the ceremony. Jeannie Gordon of Waynesburg was the organist and Michael Zoric of Springfield, Va., was the soloist.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by her three sisters. Alexandra Florez of Little Rock served as matron of honor and Catherine Florez of Little Rock and Anouk Rutter of Washington, D.C., were bridesmaids.

Michael Zoric of Springfield

served his brother as best man. Ushers were Randy Bristor and Ralford Welling of Holbrook.

Out-of-state guests attended from Boston, Mass., Louisville, Ky., Washington, D.C., Kansas, and Virginia.

The bride is attending Northern Virginia Community College and is employed by Best Business Service, Word Processing, in Arlington. The bridegroom, a graduate of West Greene High School and Pennsylvania State University, is a senior analyst at Syscon Corp. of America, Washington, D.C.

The newlyweds will reside in Alexandria, Va.

Maslanka, Rhodes Marry

Josephine Maslanka and Roger C. Rhodes were united in marriage Saturday, June 11, in the First United Methodist Church, West Newton.

The Rev. John E. Duvall performed the 3:30 p.m. double-ring ceremony.

Soloist Bryan Stevenson, cousin of the bridegroom, was accompanied by the organist Lois Ohlak.

The bride is the daughter of Robert and Myra Maslanka of Nemaconil and the bridegroom is the son of Charles and Dolores Rhodes of Smithton.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white chantilly lace fashioned with a high ruffled neckline, sheer yoke and long, fitted sleeves and bouffant skirt with tiers of ruffles cascading in a cathedral train.

Her veil was of a Juliet cap with seed pearls and a two-layer veil of illusion. The bride carried a bouquet of carnations and daisies.

The maid of honor, Caroline Mofat from Arleta, Calif., wore a dusty rose gown.

The bridesmaids, Susan Maslanka, sister of the bride; Rhonda Rhodes, sister of the bridegroom; Teresa Oberly, and Rosemary Shenal, all wore gowns of ivory suede rose.

Tom Bowman served as the best



50TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. William C. Atkinson of West Finley will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, July 3, with an open house at Harvey's Grange Hall near Graysville. The affair from 2 to 4 p.m. is being given by Mrs. Atkinson's two sisters, Mrs. Kenneth (Mattie) Bowers of Norwich, Ohio, and Mrs. Sadie Phillips of Waynesburg. Mrs. Atkinson is the former Mary Ross, daughter of the late Frank and Ollie Workman Ross, and Mr. Atkinson is the son of the late Alice Atkinson. They were married in the parsonage of the Old Concord Presbyterian Church by the Rev. John B. Miller. They are members of Crabapple Community Church. Mr. Atkinson is a former gas company employee and retired farmer. They have one daughter, Melissa Atkinson at home.

Cynthia Lang And Paul Puglia Wed

Cynthia Louise Lang became the bride of Paul Francis Puglia during a double-ring ceremony performed June 4, 1983, in St. Ann Church, Waynesburg, by the Rev. John Corbett.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Lang of 642 Elaine Drive, Pittsburgh. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Puglia of 294 Wayne Street, Waynesburg.

Connie Lang attended the bride and Larry Puglia attended his brother as best man. Ushers were Tim Lang and Joe Puglia.

A reception for 150 guests was held at Lone Pine Golf Club.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Penn State University, where she was a member of Chi Omega. Her husband is a 1980 graduate of the University of Notre Dame.

Following a wedding trip to Bermuda, the newlyweds are residing in North Fayette.



MRS. ROGER RHODES

man and groomsmen were Rodney Rhodes, brother of the bridegroom; Fred Mitchell, John Oblak and Tod Oblak.

A reception was held at the North Belle Vernon Social Hall.

The newlyweds will reside in Smithton.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moredock of Jefferson announced the engagement of their daughter, Christine Denise, to Gregory Charles Ferencak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferencak of Mather. The bride-to-be is a 1975 graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and a 1979 graduate of Indiana University of Pennsylvania. She completed a dietetic internship at St. Luke's Hospital in Cleveland and is presently employed at West Virginia University Medical Center. Her fiancé also was graduated from Jefferson-Morgan High School in 1975 and is employed by Emerald Mine Corp., Waynesburg. An open church wedding is planned for Oct. 22 at Greene Valley Presbyterian Church, Carmichaels.

Fifth Graders Study Lifestyles: Then And Now

WAYNESBURG — Fifth-grade students in Greene County schools will have an opportunity this fall to become more familiar with their heritage through tours of the 35 rooms and grounds of the Greene County Historical Society museum.

The Pennsylvania Humanities Council has awarded the museum a \$5,176 grant to develop a workshop and sponsor field trips for the nearly 500 fifth graders in the county's five school districts.

The project, "Greene County Lifestyles: Then and Now," will be funded through the Phc's Phaedrus Program, which provides money for educational projects in the humanities on a statewide basis.

Lenley Lewis, museum administrator and director of the Lifestyles project, said the field trips will include three types of activities for students.

The first, a segment on the lifestyles and artifacts of the Monongahela Indians and early Greene County settlers, will center around a slide show and the museum's dioramas of an Indian village and a log homestead. It will include tasting wild foods, spear throwing and a folk song accompanied by early instruments.

The children also will observe firsthand how their great-grandparents lived and worked as they tour the museum's Victorian

rooms and country store. Here they will play the Victrola, look through a stereopticon and see some early household "time savers," such as an unusual dog-powered churn.

The students also will learn old-fashioned skills through demonstrations of spinning and weaving and a session in which they will make pierced tin candle holders. They will take an illustrated workbook back to their classrooms to stimulate discussion and to consolidate what they have learned during the museum field trips, which will be held in September and October.

Greene County Historical Society President Eleanor Huffman said the

program will be a great asset in giving children a better insight into their historical background.

"We are proud of our museum and believe it is a great educational resource," she said. "This grant will enable hundreds of school children to learn more about history than dates and names."

A number of county residents will assist with the project, including Jim Randolph, associate professor of music at Waynesburg College; Carol Randolph, owner of the Greene County Craftsman shop, and Jody Meighen, administrative assistant at the museum. Dan Morris, chairman of the art department at Waynesburg College, will design the workbook.

Cheryl Ann Stang Weds Douglas Mark Johnston

RUFF CREEK — Cheryl Ann Stang and Douglas Mark Johnston exchanged nuptial vows during a wedding ceremony Saturday, June 18, 1983, in the Faith Baptist Church, Lippencott.

The bride is a daughter of Marvin F. Stang of St. Joseph, Minn. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Johnston of Waynesburg R.D.1.

The Rev. Paul W. Roufner officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Kathy Kern was the organist and Mrs. Jann Pust the soloist. Readings were given by Barbara McMillen, sister of the bride, and by Sharon Fordyce, sister of the bridegroom.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She selected a floor-length gown with a Queen Anne neckline and a pleated front skirt trimmed in lace to form a full train. Seed pearls adorned the fitted bodice, shoulders and cuffs. Her Juliet cap, accented with white silk rosebuds, held a veil edged in lace.

Her bouquet featured cascading white silk roses and miniature rosebuds in blue, peach and pink. She wore diamond earrings given to her by her parents and a pearl necklace which was a gift from her grandmother.

Debbie M. Stang of Rockford, Minn., attended her sister as maid of honor. Debbie Spitznogle was bridesmaid and Lisa McMillen, niece of the bride, was the flower girl. Their gowns were blue, peach and pink, respectively.

Greg Weaver of Waynesburg served as best man and Carl Spitznogle as usher. Aaron Johnson, nephew of the bridegroom, was the



MRS. JOHNSTON

ringbearer. A reception for approximately 140 guests followed in the church fellowship room. Tracy Johnston, niece of the bridegroom, attended the guest book. Patricia Rhodes, sister of the bridegroom, cut the wedding cake. Out-of-state guests attended from Minnesota, Missouri and Georgia.

The bride graduated from Jefferson-Morgan High School in 1979 and from the practical nursing program at the Greene County Vocational-Technical School in 1982. She is employed as a licensed practical nurse at the Washington Hospital Extended Care Facility.

The bridegroom is employed as a truck driver by 84 Agway.

Following a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Gettysburg, the newlyweds will reside at Marianna R.D.1.



Officers for the Greene Academy Chapter of the DAR were installed Saturday at Century Inn. From left are Carol Harvey, regent; Hope Hathway, vice regent; Betty Seals, treasurer; Elizabeth Porter, chaplain; Margaret Conway, corresponding secretary and Thelma Osborne, librarian.

DAR Installs Officers

CARMICHAELS — Officers of the Greene Academy Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution were installed at ceremonies held Saturday, June 25, at the Century Inn in Scenery Hill.

Taking office for the next three years will be Carol Harvey, regent; Hope Hathway, vice regent; Betty Seals, treasurer; Thelma Callaghan, recording

secretary; Margaret Conway, corresponding secretary; Elizabeth Porter, chaplain; Freda Brown, registrar; Thelma Osborne, librarian and Carol Harvey, historian.

Past president Jean Mundell and the new regent exchanged president pins and Mrs. Mundell thanked everyone for their cooperation during her term in office.

Ina Vance showed slides of the historic Century Inn which has been in continuous operation as an inn since 1794. The inn is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The slides were prepared by the Philip Freeman Chapter of DAR of Connellsville.

Guests for the luncheon were Dalene Watson and Mary Catherine Kirk.

all around greene

ENGAGEMENT TOLD — Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson of South Morris Street, Waynesburg, are announcing the engagement of their daughter Kathleen Morris to Raymond P. Eddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eddy of Waynesburg R.D.3.

The bride-elect recently graduated from a secretarial training program and her fiancé is employed by Consolidated Coal Company in Fairview, W.Va.

A September wedding is planned.

MAY WEDDING — All Saints Roman Catholic Church, Masontown, was the setting for the May 14 wedding of Joyce Ann Orlick and Samuel Joseph Stennett. The exchange of vows was heard by the Rev. Andrew J. Charnoki, the Rev. Joseph Portasik and the Rev. Matthew Bory. Carol Jean was the organist and Autumn Stewart the soloist.

25TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. P. Edward Wilson of Phoenix, Ariz., former residents of Waynesburg, will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary Thursday, July 7. They were married July 7, 1958, in Florida.

Mr. Wilson is a son of the late Mrs. Glenn Arnold and the late Paul Wilson. His wife is the former Jessie Cain, daughter of Arthur Cain of Waynesburg and the late Mrs. Cain.

They have three daughters, Mrs. Lesie Katusa of Carmichaels, Tracey Wilson of Sedona, Ariz., and Mrs. Amy Downing of Phoenix, Ariz., and one grandson, D.J. Katusa.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Valent Rumanick of Rices Landing announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy, to Denny McIntire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil McIntire of Greensboro. Miss Rumanick is a 1977 graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and received a Bachelor of Science degree from Pennsylvania State University in 1981. She is employed by the First National Bank in Carmichaels. Her fiancé is a 1972 graduate of Mapletown High School and received an associates degree in mining technology from Pennsylvania State University in 1976. He is employed by the U.S. Steel Mining Company's Cumberland Mine. A November 5, 1983, wedding is being planned by the couple.



30th Class Reunion

Jefferson High School class of 1953 held its 30th anniversary reunion Saturday, June 25, at the Waynesburg Elks Club. From left, front row, are Fred Zetti, Gerald O'Neil, Clyde Moore, Bill Welsh, James Renn, Michael McMannes. Second row: Dolores Frameli Jankowski, Gloria Underwood Jamison, Betty Regets Crayne, Mary France Suchowicz Pochran, Audrey Pinkney Flenniken, Bonnie Miner Watson, Mary Kathryn Doney Millar, Jean Miner Szopa, Loretta

Gilmore Furman, Barbara Schulmeister Murray. Third row: James Ulintz, Audrey Davidson Bucciarelli, Dolores Rota Jozura, Beverly Calhoun Pollock, Rose Balezick Iwanchi, Norma Seese Halthcock, Shirley Huffman Stockdale, Dan Zabo. Fourth row: Ernest Benedict (sponsor), James Roberts, Edward Malanosky, Ralph Black, John Blosser, Elroy McMannes, Richard Cooke, George Malanosky, John E. Rush. Virginia Mullen Spena and Chauncy Morris also attended.

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Zoning Often Unpopular, But It Can Do A Job

Whenever a zoning ordinance is proposed, there is no scarcity of horror stories about the injustices which they can cause. Some are valid, while others are greatly exaggerated.

They reflect the reluctance which everyone feels about accepting restrictions on free choice. But like all laws, zoning regulations are designed for the protection of groups of people. Specifically, they are intended to protect property owners from the abuses of uncontrolled growth, and as such are particularly valuable in a community where the integrity of residential areas needs to be preserved.

Zoning is controversial, but a well-drawn ordinance, fairly administered, can be a very valuable tool in directing the way in which development occurs.

An example of its benefits occurred last week in Waynesburg, which has had a borough zoning ordinance for a number of years.

The zoning board there, through refusing to grant variances, was able to prevent the establishment of commercial operations in three residential neighborhoods.

Without zoning, a warehouse would have been built opposite a church, an auto body shop would have been opened next to several homes, and a health spa would have gone in where no other businesses exist.

Undoubtedly the individuals who sought the variances felt aggrieved by the zoning board decisions, and it's true that they were denied the right to utilize property which they own in a way they felt was perfectly proper. But at the same time, the decisions came as a definite relief to home owners in the area where the businesses would have been established.

Zoning might not be needed in rural areas where people don't live close together and aren't likely to step on each other's toes. But where elbow room is at a premium, it can prevent many a job in the ribs.

Curry Employees Accept Contract

WAYNESBURG — Union employees at the Curry Memorial Home voted Tuesday to accept a pay raise package offered to them by the Greene County commissioners.

Under the agreement, the employees will receive a raise of 30 cents an hour on July 1 of this year, another 30 cents an hour on Jan. 1, 1984, and a final 20 cents an hour on July 1, 1984, with the contract running until Jan. 1, 1985.

The commissioners said the July 1 raise amounts to an increase of approximately five percent. It will cost the county some \$22,500 for the balance of this year.

The 113 employees covered by the contract at the county nursing home are members of Local 585, Service Employees International Union (AFL-CIO).

Mrs. Alice Bialko of Nemaconin, president of the Curry Home chapter of the union, said there are no increases in fringe benefits included. She said that 74 members voted on the agreement Tuesday, with 65 of them voting for ratification.

"I feel we did the best we could and I feel they (the commissioners)

offered us the best they could. So all in all there are no complaints," Mrs. Bialko said.

The agreement was worked out at a negotiating session Monday with the assistance of state mediator August Turak, who was called in by John Haer, negotiator for Local 585.

While the Curry Home contract had expired on Jan. 1 of this year, the service employees had agreed to continue working with no pay increase because the commissioners had imposed a wage freeze in adopting the 1983 budget. They did so with the understanding that they could negotiate for a raise after the first six months of the year if the county's economic position improved.

Although the Curry Home contract has been settled, the commissioners are still negotiating with three other groups of employees who voted last year to join Local 585. The groups, involving about 65 people, include employees hired by the commissioners, jail guards, and court-appointed employees.

Negotiations with these groups, also represented by Haer, will resume on July 6.

Elect Former Countian

MONSON, Mass. — Margaret C. Fabbre, a former resident of Rices Landing, has been elected president of the Western Massachusetts Personnel and Guidance Association for the 1983-84 year.

The WMPGA, with a membership of approximately 250, is one of the largest student personnel service groups in the eastern United States. It consists of guidance counselors, guidance directors, admissions directors, college administrators, school psychologists and high school administrators and teachers from schools and colleges throughout western Massachusetts and northern Connecticut.

Mrs. Fabbre, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Clarchick of Rices Landing, is guidance counselor at Monson (Mass.) Junior-Senior High School. She has been active in

the WMPGA for several years, having served as counselor advocacy committee representative, as secretary and as president-elect.

Prior to joining the faculty at Monson High, she taught English and social studies at McGuffey High School, was director of guidance at Mapletown High School, and was elementary counselor at the Hillside School at Monson.

She is a graduate of Seton Hill College at Greensburg and earned a master of arts degree from West Virginia University. She has taken additional courses at Pennsylvania State University, the University of Massachusetts and Westfield State College.

She is married to Albert J. Fabbre, a former resident of Masonstown. They have two children, Linda and David.

Carmichaels Whittling Budget

CARMICHAELS — Board member Henry Bacan was taking the Carmichaels Area School Board through a virtual line-by-line review of the proposed 1983-84 budget late Wednesday night in an apparent move to get the spending plan reduced to the least possible amount.

When the board convened shortly after 10 p.m. following a two-hour workshop, board member Erma Jean Thomas moved for the adoption of a budget in the amount of \$3,789,532, which was essentially the same figure

proposed last week. Before a vote was taken, however, Bacan began questioning each line item and asked Business Manager Louis Pascuzzo to bring in records to support the budget figures, with the solicitor ruling that he had the right to do so. At 11 p.m., the review was still under way, with no indication of how long it would take or if there were enough votes for adoption.

At last week's meeting, Bacan protested the fact that the budget contained \$7,000 for attendance at school board conventions.

Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



First bottling plant being razed in South Side

Southeastern Greene Still In Recess Over Contract

MAPLETOWN — The recessed meeting of the Southeastern Greene School Board, which was supposed to reconvene Wednesday night did not. The meeting was to start at 6:30 p.m. But, instead, the board met privately for an hour, came out and said the meeting would not be held and was still in recess until a later date. Solicitor John Stets said the media would be notified when the meeting would reconvene, but noted it could be kept in recess until the next regular meeting July 12.

The board was attempting to reach a settlement on the non-professional contract which is due to expire June 30. What has complicated the matter is the non-professional employees, on June 21, elected to have a new union represent them.

At the special meeting Tuesday night, Stets said the board has been unable to meet with representatives

of the union since the non-professionals were in the process of decertifying SEIU Local 585 and certifying the PSEA union. No one, Stets said, was willing to negotiate until there was some certainty as to which union would be certified. Approximately 25 employees are members of the union. Tuesday night the board agreed to have a service company make a study of what it would cost the district to have the cafeteria, janitorial and maintenance work contracted out.

Also at Tuesday's meeting, a representative from Architect Bob Schereen's office raised the possibility of doing some exterior work on the Bobtown and Penn Pitt elementary schools. This work was not in the original plans and there was some debate as to whether it would be covered under the contingency fund or would have to be bid.

It was suggested that some re-pointing on the masonry and brick, especially on the chimney stacks, should be considered. The additional cost for this work, as quoted by the contractor, is \$41,549. The possibility of having the existing building sandblasted was also raised. This estimate was \$24,500, but it was noted that the repointing work is needed more than sandblasting.

The representative also asked the board to consider having a plastic or cement mixture spread over the exterior of the existing Penn Pitt school. This mixture would include two inches of insulation and the contractor's quoted price was \$117,000 for the cement mixture and \$110,000 for the plastic mix.

An inspection also has been made of the high school roof since there have been a number of leaks in the building and the report stated a new roof is needed. It was recommended the board consider re-roofing and add three inches of insulation at a cost of between \$175,000 and \$200,000.

The board took no action on either the exterior work for the elementary schools or on the high school roof.

The board voted to approve light control shades for Penn Pitt at a cost of \$18,982, but a motion to open bids on furniture for the school was voted down. The board tabled any action on a chain link fence around the perimeter of the Bobtown school property and agreed to seek at least three quotes on playground equipment for the two elementary schools.

In the \$3.3 million budget for 1983-84, a breakdown of the figures is as follows: administration, \$149,522; instruction, \$1,352,265; pupil personnel services, \$19,730; health services, \$25,962; transportation services, \$284,325; operation and maintenance, \$327,100; fixed charges, \$349,465; food services, \$2,000; student activities, \$54,500; community services, \$3,800; capital outlay, \$2,350; debt service, \$544,868; intersystem payments, \$190,812; budgetary reserve, \$60,000.

Last night Floyd Hornick noted the biggest increase in the budget was the amount for teacher salaries, a 15 mill increase. The property tax levied was 26 mills. The board also voted to approve the 1 percent earned income tax, 1 percent real estate transfer tax, \$10 occupational privilege tax and \$5 per capita tax.



Observer-Reporter

Borough Secretary Dreama Swanson stands next to an old vending machine which will be up for auction next month.

Basement Sale Helps Borough To Clean Up

WAYNESBURG — What started out to be a chore "suggested" by their insurance company may turn out to be a money-maker for Waynesburg Borough.

A few weeks ago an insurance investigator, while inspecting borough property, noticed the cluttered condition in the basement of the borough building. He suggested the area be cleaned.

Borough council Monday night decided to kill three birds with one stone. They would clean their basement to satisfy the insurance company, they would sell the items not needed and, in the process, do some inventory work.

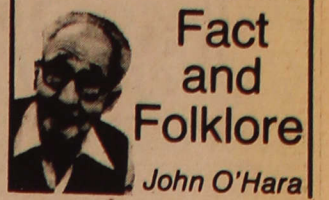
Although plans are incomplete, borough officials have tentatively set

Saturday, July 30, for a gigantic auction sale. The sale will become a part of the annual Rain Day celebration when a crowd is assured.

Department heads have been directed to inventory and possibly find other items to be placed on sale.

Among the items already set for sale is a Coke machine so old that it requires but a nickle to purchase the 6½-ounce bottle. No one knows for sure but apparently the machine was recovered by the police after it was rifled. Several bottles of Coke remain.

Borough officials hope to use proceeds from the sale to help with the cost of repairing the roof on the council chambers. Facing a \$70,000 budget deficit, the borough will be glad to receive any proceeds.



Fact and Folklore
John O'Hara

The last chapter in a classic "might have been" story of the early American scene in Waynesburg was enacted this week.

To passerbys of later generations walking along West Lincoln Street in Waynesburg, the only thing they could relate to the story behind the story was the removal of a rambling, old, two-story, badly weathered structure on Lincoln Street about midway between South Richhill Street and Blackberry Alley.

The deeply weathered structure was built years ago for use as a plumbing shop by members of the Hunnell family. Then it was rented for several years by the late Guy Lytle as the site for the first soft drink bottling plant in town.

Later Lytle moved his equipment to the former Waynesburg brewing plant on the south end of the Smith Creek road and later to a site near the corner of South Morgan street.

At both locations representatives of the Coca-Cola Co. tried in vain to get Lytle to devote his plant exclusively to the then new soft drink. Year after year the Cameron family of Washington, Pa. urged Lytle to put the Coca-Cola franchise into his plant but he persisted in saying no.

Within a few years another operator took over the franchise to bottle "Coke" and in every case the operators quickly made themselves a fortune while the others gradually went into other less lucrative pursuits that barely produced them a living. Meanwhile those with the exclusive Coca-Cola franchise continued to get fabulously wealthy as they still are today.

Had Lytle been the holder of the Coca-Cola franchise in Waynesburg he would have become wealthy but he never lamented the loss as he thought he was making the right decision at the time he made it.

Undaunted and pleasant as ever, even though he realized he had let a real fortune slip through his fingers, Lytle and his beautiful wife, the former Laura McCann, and their family headed for the west coast, where he died some years later and where she still resides. Now in her 80's, the gracious lady to this day continues to regard Waynesburg — and the South Washington Street part — as home.

During the first World War, Lytle's two employees, Ernest Clayton and Walter "Brainy" McVay were both fighting in France with the 110th infantry and Lytle had to replace them with two teenagers, Leo "Coach" Cunningham, a future star in football at Waynesburg College and this writer, John O'Hara, who was the low man on the totem pole as the bottle washer. I was a year younger than Cunningham but drove the delivery truck even though I was only 14.

For many years later it was the late Lawrence and Sophia O'Hara who rented the building as a garage for housing trucks for the Manufacturers Light and Heat Co. of which Mr. O'Hara was the superintendent until his retirement and for some years after that.

In later years it was also used by Mr. O'Hara's grandson, Albert Churney, a local plumber, and presently is being dismantled by Churney's son, Michael, who is a Vocational Ag teacher at Trinity High School and lives on a farm near Sycamore. They have been helped in dismantling the former plumbing shop in Waynesburg by the third generation in the family, Michael Churney, a science major at Waynesburg College and his younger brothers, Thomas and Timothy, who are pupils at Waynesburg Central High School.

The ancient wooden structure is being razed because of its age and deteriorated condition, but it did good service as a plumber's shop, bottling factory and later as a garage before passing into the folklore of Waynesburg.

Heritage Focus Of Program

CARMICHAELS — Flenniken Memorial Library, Carmichaels, will again this summer provide children of eastern Greene County with an opportunity to have fun while they learn.

This year's summer reading club is entitled Festival of Heritages. It will help children trace their family histories and give them an expanded appreciation of countries throughout the world.

Sessions will be held from 10 a.m. to noon Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, beginning Wednesday, July 6, and concluding Friday evening, July 29, with an ethnic food fair.

The program will include many events and activities to emphasize to the children how their heritage influences both their lives and Greene County's history.

Art instructors Jim Hopton and Chris Holzworth have planned crafts which include ceramic family trees and an ancient method of making marble paper with which the children will bind their biographies.

Pre-registration is mandatory for the program.

AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

George Moore, former manager of Potter-McCune and Hudson Jewelry Store in Waynesburg, is now a patient at the Curry Memorial Home after suffering a severe stroke at his home several weeks ago.

John W. Yeash, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Yeash of Carmichaels, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force following graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. He is a 1982 graduate of Penn State University.

Russell Caldwell, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Caldwell of Waynesburg, has been admitted to Children's Hospital in Pittsburgh, where he is expected to be a patient for about two weeks. His room is located on "Four Medical" for those who wish to send cards.

Jamboree Falls Short Of Financial Success

JEFFERSON — "With another 5,000 people, the show would have been an all-around success." Promotions Director Bill Watkins said Wednesday during a discussion of the Coal Miner's Jamboree.

The jamboree pleased everyone but promoter Jack Litten who took a financial bath and now faces the possibility of losing his home and business.

The spectators enjoyed the show and the performers lauded the fans and those involved with staging the jamboree. However, there were not enough fans to offset the staggering expenses incurred by the venture.

Watkins, a college teacher who became involved with the public relations, said he wouldn't make a dime but the

experience was invaluable. "Mickey Gilley only drew 4,000 to his first jamboree and the now-famous Jamboree in the Hills held each year near Wheeling (W.Va.) took three years to draw as many fans as we had last Sunday," Watkins said.

Although no official figures have been released by Litten, police estimated the jamboree crowd at 10,000 and 15,000 fans.

Litten, making his initial venture into the promotion field, told an area newspaper Tuesday, "This thing is going to wipe me out. I didn't even break even." Litten is now concerned he will have to sell his home and the Twin

Angels tavern.

Litten believes a lack of support by fans from the immediate area caused his downfall. The event drew fans from as far away as Canada. He said the lack of local support was "really the biggest disappointment for me."

When questioned about the possibility of another show next year, Litten told the press, "I owe too much." He did say, however, that some of his staff was considering an attempt to stage another jamboree.

Although some workers involved with the show have not been paid, Litten said, "Everyone will be taken care of, but it's a matter of time."

Litten said all of the performers were paid along with the stage, lighting and sound crews. "After they were paid, there was nothing left." Although Litten refused to say what each of the country stars received, he said headliner Jerry Reed's contract was between \$20,000 and \$30,000.

Revenues were less than expected at the concession stands also. Litten said many fans brought their own food and drink. Litten was to split 50-50 with the vendors.

Although not a financial success, the performers praised the show. Each of the performers all told the staff they would like to return to Greene County and be a part of the next jamboree.

Carmichaels School District Announces Honor Students

CARMICHAELS — The honor roll for the fourth nine-week period for elementary students in Carmichaels Area School District has been announced by Terry K. Ganocy, principal of Crucible and Central schools, and Jim Zalar, principal of Nemaquin School.

CENTRAL

Grade 4 — Stephen Barnes, Anthony Bigi, Dawn-Crago,

Patrick Dudics, Bethann Fetso, Jennifer Fortney, Janette Hanson, Staci Meyers, Danielle Neel, Coleen Tolan, Dawn Marie Voytek, Stacey White, Jonella Wozny, Pamela Ziots.

Grade 5 — Susan Aspey, Leslie Aultman, Mary Lynn Baniecki, Aimee Blasinsky, Lisa Christopher, Christopher Clark, Bill Dzyzewski, Shay Decker, Jami Diamond, Kathleen Frankenberg, Andrew Lilja, Susan Mawhinney, Tina Metcalf, Brian Palone, Lisa Shrader, Edward Streit, Brian Swartz.

Grade 6 — William Cree, Beth Ann DeMasse, Debbie Fox, Brian Jolly, Cynthia Luona, Lisa Maken, Christine Posey, Tricia Prodan, Mike Reynolds, Stacey Ruth, Linda Smell, Erin Williams.

EMR Class — Ray Lavigne, Opal Riley, Paul Stanley, Patty Workman.

CRUCIBLE

Grade 4 — Billy Bainbridge, Terri Bowen, Tracy Harden, Dawn Hardy, Tricia Journic, Tammy Kowalczyk, Ricki Krause, Shalene Krause, Todd Olshock, Jim Schooley, Amy Wainwright, Kevin Willis, Leslie Wynn, Tom Davidson.

Grade 5 — Tanya Adams, Diane Blasinsky, David Bogden, Phillip Bogden, William Bowen, Angela Estle, Pamela Hako, Joy Harden, John Kazimer, Jack Maskil, Heidi Rex, Scott Reynolds, Chris Romanakis, Kevin Shefcheck, Kenneth Shumaker, Alex Uveges, Connie Walters.

Grade 6 — Eric Arnel, Tina Ball, Ira Brock, Marcia Brozik, Lori Burkholder, Harold Scott Clark, Theresa Danforth, Michael Harden, George Kovach, Mark Murphy, Monique Patterson, Donald Shipley.

NEMACOLIN

Grade 4 — Ronnie Areford, Janel Bailey, Nicole Beal, Tracy Beal, Cathy Belan, Charles Berger, Tamara Black, Tracy Blaker, Keith Bowser, Brian Brady, Jonathan Buttermore, Robert Chissell, Joey Dickey, Michael Estanich, Michelle Harrison, Scott Jones, Regan Lough, Karey McWilliams, Patrick Mesich, Jennifer Montgomery, Jennifer Morgan, Craig Muzyda, Regina Rice, Nicole Riggi, Kathy Ross, Robert Rush, Joe Simon, Jonathan Smoody, David Sokol, Andrea Suppok, Nina Thorne, Joey Vukneec.

Grade 5 — William Arbuckle, Thelma Areford, Ruth Ann Baker, Tammy Basiorka, Elizabeth Carroll, Renee Curtis, Kimberly Diale, Glenda Dugan, Nicole Gabeletto, Mary Hanley, Shawn Hennessey, Chris Homrock, Kristina Jettan, Jay Johnson, Renee Kalist, Lori Kerr, Michelle Kraynak, Diana Magee, Samantha Moats, Patricia Morris, Kathy Newman, Tara O'Donoghue, Denise Okeita, Christine Oederko, Kimberly Oplinger, Belinda Pelkey, Tammy Pelkey, Kristy Prohira, Kimberly Rah, Lelia Rankin, Vicki Repa, Anita Rouse, Charlene Sands, Kelly Sethman, Minda Shipley, Peter Stofcheck, Danny Suppok, Pamela Titus, Krisann Walker, Christine Weimer, Aaron Waters, David Whipkey, Edward Woodring.

Grade 6 — Cheryl Abbott, Kelly Adams, Janice Babyak, Marcia Blair, Earl Blaker, Ricky Blaker, Christine Blumish, Allen Brady, Wendy Carter, Lori Curtis, Marty Elek, Kelly Franks, Dayna Gwynn, Marella Hardin, Sarena Headley, John Henry, Madeleine Hickman, Bill Johnson, Rhonda Johnston, Rhonda Johnston, Bobbie Jo Jordan, Tiffany Keebaugh, Glenn Kerr, Lisa Kirk, Jason Klimek, Gerri Lapana, Brent Lechner, Teddy Lessick, Dawn McCann, Kathleen McDermott, Stacey Modrock, Robert Phillips, Jennifer Pizzuti, Shannon Pratt, Jennifer Rex, Tricia Ricco, Chylene Ross, Brian Rush, Scott Rush, Audra Russell, Cindy Sabol, Christine Sacco, Tricia Shipley, Tracy Shuckhart, Mike Shultz, Matthew Swift, Jason Voithofer, Mike Pollock.

Pleader Sentenced

WAYNESBURG — A 36-year-old Fayette County woman was sentenced in Greene County Court Friday when she pleaded guilty to issuing a worthless check in the amount of \$627.

Patricia Lightner of 30 Maple Glen Road, Brownsville, was fined \$100 and given a three-to-12-month jail sentence. The jail sentence, however, will run concurrent with a similar sentence imposed in Washington County, where she also faced bad check charges.

Delayed

The annual Winnett reunion scheduled for Sunday has been delayed until September.

Kirby Makes Waynesburg His Choice

By Tom Rose, O-R Sports Editor

The collegiate saga of Roosevelt Kirby, which had a brief beginning in the district, has apparently returned to this area for the epilog.

Kirby, a 6-7, 220-pound strongman center, has enrolled at Waynesburg College for summer classes with plans to complete his senior year at the school.

And at the same time, Waynesburg's head basketball coach Rudy Marisa said in a telephone interview Kirby will be able to lend a large hand for one semester to the Yellow Jackets' program.

"A lot depends on Roosevelt," Marisa said in a telephone interview Tuesday night, confirming Kirby's commitment. "We've had a couple of talks and I must admit I've been very impressed with his cooperation. It's up to him if he wants to further his education and at the same time play ball, and I think he realizes this."

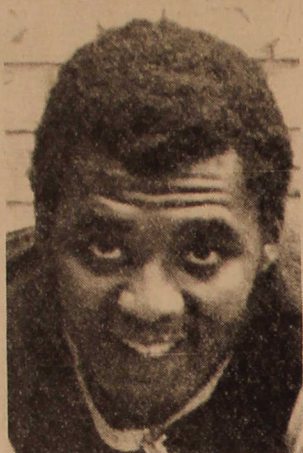
Kirby's college basketball career had a brief beginning in the area, as the Midland High School graduate was the first recruit signed by Eddie McCluskey at California State in 1978. But Kirby never wore a Vulcan uniform, as he mysteriously disappeared from campus and resurfaced at Connors (Okla.) Junior College, where he stayed for two years.

"He told me he never did go to Cal State," Marisa said. "It's important to note that he never showed up for day one there. He went out to the junior college and the reports from there are quite favorable."

Kirby then transferred to the University of Pittsburgh, where he averaged nine points and five rebounds per game in his junior season of eligibility. But he also encountered academic problems, which led to his venture to Waynesburg.

"(Pitt coach) Roy Chipman called a year ago and told me that Roosevelt was available and he thought I would be the coach that could handle his situation," Marisa said. "Roy and I met in Pittsburgh but for reasons that are too complicated to get into, nothing really materialized."

"Then during this past spring Seth Greenberg (a Pitt assistant coach) called and asked if we were still interested in Roosevelt, but this time Roosevelt took an active role in helping us get together. The fact that Pitt wants to help him continue his education and career is very



ROOSEVELT KIRBY

noteworthy. Instead of saying good riddance, they took an active role in helping him."

Ironically, Kirby's first appearance in a Waynesburg uniform would be during the January 6-7 Holiday Basketball Tournament at Washington & Jefferson. And his presence, along with returning veterans Ray Natili, Paul Stanley, Mark Doppelheuer, Keith Coleman and 11 possible new faces would certainly vault the Jackets into serious contention for the NAIA District 18 title.

But first, Kirby must complete 22 credits of classes before the January, 1984 term. At this point Marisa, true to form, is cautious but optimistic.

"It's a mutual thing," Marisa said. "The thing he gets is that he's off the playgrounds of Midland and getting a chance to finish school and play ball. And for us, we're getting a chance to utilize his talents. If he responds as expected, he'll remove the trauma of losing (Tim) Walker and (Tim) Tyler. He would give us some much-needed rebounding and inside strength."

"He admits he didn't do his schoolwork at Pitt, and he's open and honest about that. But this is his last chance, and I'd like to believe he recognizes this."

"He can't fool around."

GENERAL ADMISSION — Among Marisa's recruits is 6-3 guard-forward Olabi Faloni of Philadelphia, who is a native of Nigeria. Waynesburg will open its 1983-84 season Wednesday, Nov. 30, at home against arch-rival California. The site is still tentative, since the new gymnasium is still under construction. The NAIA District 18 has approved its playoff structure, which will be identical to last year's format with one exception. The district championship game will be held at a neutral site, but the semifinal doubleheader round will still be played at Geneva.

Throckmorton, Durkin Win State Honors

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. (AP) — Thirty-three of Pennsylvania's best high school wrestlers will vie for national honors at the U.S.A. Wrestling Nationals next month in Iowa.

Just three months after his high school teammate registered a 15-second pin in the PIAA state championship finals, Solomon Carr of Erie flattened Jody Karam of Easton Sunday to win the 165-pound division in the Pennsylvania Free Style Wrestling Championships held at Penn State University.

Carr, third in the PIAA tournament, defended his championship, winning a spot in the nationals scheduled to begin July 26 at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Rapids.

In addition to Carr, Meadville's Doug Stanford at 114 pounds and Scott Pifer of State College, at 123 pounds, defended their titles. Pifer was a PIAA champion in the spring.

Also capturing individual championships were David McMillan of Johnstown at 98 pounds, Jim Martin of Danville at 105 pounds, John Throckmorton of Waynesburg at 132 pounds, Joe Cesari of North Schuylkill at 143 pounds, Rob Koll of State College at 154 pounds, Kevin Durkin of Waynesburg at 178, Bill Zimmerman of Du Bois at 191 pounds and Tony Koontz of McSherrystown in the unlimited division.

Pappys's In First Place

Pappy's moved into a first place tie with Daddy Jim's in the Greene County Men's softball League Monday by sweeping Crucible 6-2 and 3-2. The co-leaders have 26-6 records.

West Greene Honor Roll

WAYNESBURG — The honor roll for the fourth nine-week period at West Greene High School and Middle School has been announced:

SENIORS

Highest Honors — Arleigh Closser, KittyLyn Crowley, Leslie Durbin, Susan Fox, Debbie Hooker, Roger Johnson.

High Honors — Melinda Hull, Sharon Bradley, Carol Kennedy, Sherry Shriver, William Kerr, Tom McGowan, Debra Tedrow, Sally Dietz, Debra Fox, Annetta Snell, Helen Wise.

Honors — Robin Hamilton, Randy Yoss, Lisa Stalnaker, Marie Cooper, Denise Wojnarowski, Stanley Eddy, Connie Ross, Joann Smith, Charles Johnson, Carolyn McClellan, Teresa Henry, Nancy Zimmerman, Doug Bedilion, Charles Delaney, Alberta Lavigne, Kathryn Maher, Doug Martin, Tim Keenan.

JUNIORS

Highest Honors — David Whitlatch, Kim Katchmark.

High Honors — Dawn Blackman, Lori Piper, Amy McClelland, Rhonda McLaughlin, James Reed, Mark Murin, Sue Burns, John Hogue, George Crowley, Shelly Miller.

Honors — Kim White, Jim Yoders, Andrea Melzer, Susan Gilbert, Chris Grim, Kim Preston, Kurt Jones, Heidi Polen, Linette Welling, Cheryl McDonnell, Nick Pablonis, Yvonne Smith, Sheila Yeager, Teresa Briggs, Dave Coffield, Helen Patrick, Melissa Atkinson, Melissa Bish, Anna Mae Brosovich, Lorraine Brown, John Jones, Larry Kisner, Jan Mitchell, Don Ross, Debbie Tewell.

SOPHOMORES

Highest Honors — Lisa King.

High Honors — Keith Hughes, Barbara Bamberger, Amy Headlee.

Honors — Roger Bateman, Sally Closser, Christine Hako, Charles Grimes, Wretha Courtwright, Leigh Ann Carroll, Ricky McClellan, Annette Tharp.

FRESHMEN

Highest Honors — Tami Hooks, Bob White, Shelly Amos, Lori Scherich, Denise Henne, Ginger Hughes.

Honors — Jeanne Fox, Isaac Bower, John McLaughlin, Tracy Williams, Melody Hennen, Paul Kreuzer, Shelly Smith, Darlene Wojnarowski.

EIGHTH GRADE

Highest Honors — Jennifer Shumaker, Diana Stewart.

High Honors — Kelly Campbell, Eddie Kiger, Lori Cook, Loletta McClelland, Stacy Nardis, Karla Nelson, Michael Newman, Gary Hopkins, Kevin Main, Keith Main, Kim Montgomery, Tracy Sterling, Danny Morris.

Honors — Theresa Orum, Michele Sneer, Jacob Courtwright, Diana Horr, Laura Hull, Camilla Inghram, Charles Kreuzer, Troy

McCullough, Lisa Parson, Lisa Stewart, Ann Stalnaker, Lori Grimes, Trudy Wright, Lisa Barlow, Beverly Finnegan, Shelley Hamilton, Sandra Stickle, Pam King, Melinda Shumaker, Karen Yoders, Amy Gaines, Robin Kerr, Cindy McClellan, Athena Medlan, Robin Sappington.

SEVENTH GRADE

Highest Honors — Lynette Pryce, William Simms, Candance Thomas, Heather Yurt.

High Honors — Denise Rutan, Ken Wojnarowski, Marna Ely, Lori Tyler.

Honors — Jennifer Reed, Melissa Rizer, Tim Bird, Deedra Bland, Teresa Anderson, Lee Piper, Pam Amos, Michael Brown, Joetta Denman, James Hako, Deborah Sands, Tammy Cross, Rhonda Furmanek, Louis Jenkin, Keith McDowell, Rannette Rizer, Cassie Bartolovich, Misti Mazurik, Rodney Bateman, Diana Bunch, Ron Fox, Scott Grenz, Ed Harmon, David Jacobs, Brad Lyons, Tami Parry, Mark Pierson, Scott Woods.

SIXTH GRADE

Highest Honors — Bradley Jarvis, Stacy

McCullum, Dyan Wojnarowski, Ravi Wagh, Lori Cheek, Jeremy Lees, Scott Whipkey, Tina Scherich.

High Honors — Camille Diges, Katherine Usnick, Mary Usnick, Carol Inman, Nina Hartlage, Tracy Miller, Charles Newman, Carolyn Crawford, Roger Dietz, Sandra Goodwin, Karen Hennen, Regina Hohing, Staci Huffman, Elaine Keller, Kristina Thomas, Chris Cipoletti, Brenda Patterson, Bryan Somerville, Rhonda Tharp, Tiffany Carpenter, Stacy Parson, Denise Bland, Lori Johnson, David Logan.

Honors — Melissa Riffle, Heather Klaner, Jan Berdine, Vicky Hamilton, Sue Puckett, Dawn Hako, John Kupfer, Chris Burns, Roy Cross, Tiffany Barney, Er Wright, Erzhi Langstaff, Roberta Keller, Virginia Barnhart, Shawn Lohr, Michael White, Mark Shields, William Shumaker, John Pierson, Jarrod Richter, Shelley Lemley, Jessica McClure, Michelle Bragg.

Honors Three Of Its Members

CARMICHAELS — Three members of the congregation of St. Paul's Lutheran Church were honored last week for their work in support of the church.

Lutheran Church Women and the Sewing Circle presented gemstone tie tacks to George Riese, Max Devecka and Dr. James Arter.

Riese is a member of the church council and pulpit committee and has served as treasurer for a number of years. He also does extensive volunteer work on the church building and grounds.

Devecka, a past council member and council treasurer, is a member of the pulpit committee and does much of the electrical work needed by the church.

County's Share Is \$40,000

WAYNESBURG — Greene County will receive \$40,662 as its share of \$10.8 million in Liquid Fuels tax money to be distributed this week to county governments in Pennsylvania. The money must be used for local highway and bridge maintenance.

Liquid Fuels tax funds are distributed to county governments twice a year — in June and December, Revenue Secretary James Scheiner said. One-half cent of the

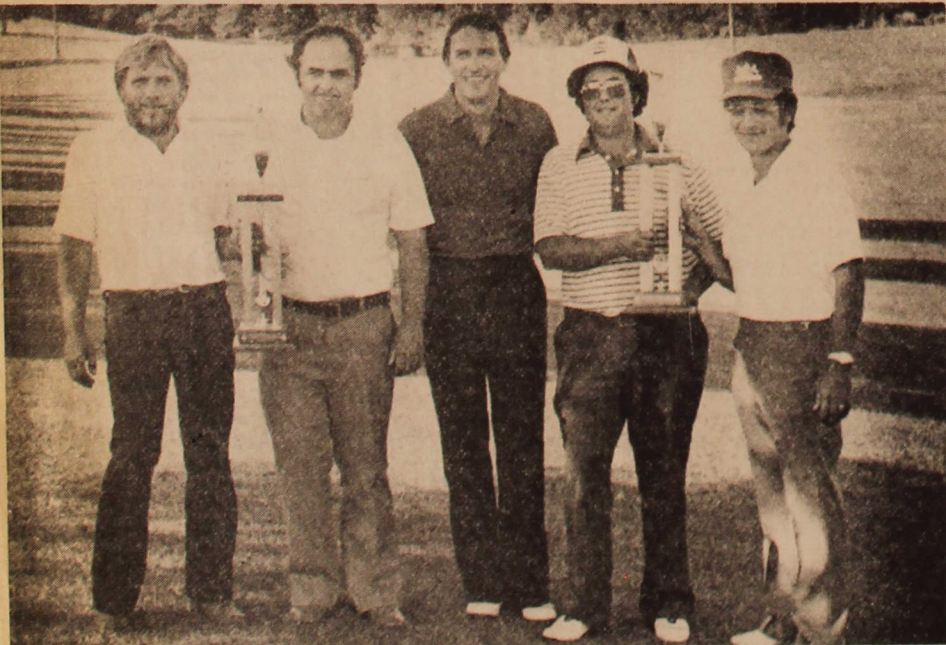
Arter also is a past council member. He has taught Sunday School for many years and is a member of the pulpit committee.

During a meeting of the Lutheran Women on Thursday, the program centered on the work of Martin Luther and featured an address by the Rev. Paul Markovits, church pastor.

It was announced that the covered-dish dinner scheduled for the July 21 meeting has been canceled. Hostesses for the meeting will be Mariam Keebaugh and Diane Crago.

The church picnic will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday, July 31, at the church. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be furnished. Those attending should bring a covered dish.

The amount each county receives is determined by the average refund received from the preceding three years, applied to the current money available in the Liquid Fuels tax fund.



Golf Winners

The team of Jerry Ankney and Gregg Battistoni took first place in the second annual Lions Club Golf Tournament held Saturday at Rohanna's Golf Course. All entry fees for the tournament went to the Waynesburg Lions Club Little League baseball field which is now under construction. Pictured, from left, are Gary Rohanna, greens superintendent; Ankney; Carl Duffield, Lions Club tournament chairman; Battistoni; and Randy Rohanna, course pro.

Waynesburg's New Trooper Is Woman

WAYNESBURG — Although female state troopers have been familiar figures in Pennsylvania for several years, it was not until this past Sunday that a woman was stationed at the Waynesburg Barracks.

Welcomed at the local station was 23-year-old Candice J. Powell, a native of Wheatland in Mercer County.

A graduate of Farrell High School, Trooper Powell graduated from the State Police Academy on June 17 and Waynesburg will be her first assignment.

She is the daughter of Richard and Hiroko Powell. Her mother is a native-born Japanese and met her future husband while he was serving with the U.S. Air Force in Japan.

Trooper Powell will be assigned to a veteran trooper who will serve as her "coach" during the first 60 days of service.

On her first day as a trooper, she was one of several state police officers on duty at the first Greene County Coal Miners Jamboree which drew over 15,000 country music fans. Despite the huge crowd, there were no serious incidents reported.

Trooper Powell will make her home in Waynesburg during her tour here.



Trooper Powell is assigned to Waynesburg barracks.

Greene Obituaries

Charles M. Phillips

Charles M. Phillips, 82, of 755 Walnut Street, Waynesburg, died in his home at 9 a.m. Wednesday, June 29, 1983. He had been in failing health for several months.

He was born November 4, 1901 in Franklin Township, near Waynesburg, a son of Winfield Scott Phillips and Rebecca Orndoff Phillips. With the exception of 13 years during which he made his home in Illinois, he had resided all his life in Waynesburg.

Mr. Phillips was a salesman who traveled extensively throughout the tri-county area. He was affiliated with the Church of God; served with the U.S. Army in Panama, and was a member of James Farrell Post 330, American Legion, Waynesburg.

Surviving are a son, Charles Phillips of Spokane, Wash.; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Bessie Andre of Waynesburg and Mrs. Ruth Castle of Guys Mills, and a brother, Clyde Phillips of St. Louis, Mo.

A twin brother, Tracy, and another brother, Ray, are deceased, as are two sisters.

Terry L. Eddy

Terry L. Eddy, 42, of Waynesburg R.D.4, died at 12:14 p.m. Monday, June 27, 1983, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was born March 19, 1941, in Gilmore Township, a son of Jesse J. and Dorothy Morris Eddy, of Waynesburg R.D.4, who survive.

Mr. Eddy was employed as a truck driver.

Surviving in addition to his parents are two daughters, Kathryn and Rose, both of Omaha, Neb.; four sons, Lawrence Eddy, of Waynesburg R.D.4, Oscar, Douglas, Terry Eddy Jr., all of Omaha, Neb.; one granddaughter; three sisters, Kathryn Yeager, Mary Barlow, and Jane Crawford, all of Pine Bank; and eight brothers, Spencer Eddy, of Cameron, W.Va.; Arthur Eddy, of Cameron Star Route, Waynesburg; Jesse and Louis Eddy, both of Waynesburg; William Eddy, of New Freeport, Ronald Eddy, of Brave Star Route, Waynesburg; Lawrence Eddy, of Pittsburgh; and Joe Eddy, of Omaha, Neb.

Glen L. Cramer

Glen L. Cramer, 76, of New Freeport Star Route, died Saturday, June 25, 1983, at 7:35 p.m. in the University Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was born October 2, 1906 near Cameron, W.Va., a son of Roy and Florence Huggins Cramer.

On December 25, 1931, he married Thelma Caseman, who died March 3, 1976.

He resided most of his life in the Deep Valley community where he was a farmer. He had also worked in the oil and gas fields. Mr. Cramer was an agent and director of the Greene County Farmer's Mutual Insurance Co. and had also served as a school director for the West Greene School District.

He was a member of the Laurel Run United Methodist Church.

Surviving are a son, Charles R. Cramer of Smithton; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Greta Joan) Kimble of Alliance, Ohio; six grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; two brothers, John of St. Clairsville, Ohio, Ralph of Lyman, S.C.; and three sisters, Roxie Gano of Indianapolis, Ind., Marjorie Mills and Martha Fontaine, both of San Bernadino, Calif.

Margaret T. South

Margaret Thompson South of 194 Minton Avenue, Painesville, Ohio, formerly of Waynesburg and Greensboro, died Tuesday evening, June 28, 1983 in the Cleveland General Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio, following an illness of several days.

She was a daughter of the late Lafayette and Elizabeth Stockdale Thompson and was born at Waynesburg, where she resided during her early life. She later made her home for several years at Greensboro, and had resided at Painesville since 1961.

Her husband, Austin South, died August 18, 1978.

Surviving are a son, John C. South of Lyndhurst, Ohio, and four grandchildren.

A sister, Ethel Cox, and two brothers, John and Harry Thompson, are deceased.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, July 1, at Painesville, with interment following in Riverside Cemetery at Painesville.

Edna H. Orndoff

Edna H. Orndoff, 87, Sycamore R.D.1, died at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, June 28, 1983 in Bristol's Rest Home.

She was born April 30, 1896 at Sycamore, a daughter of David and Priscilla Iams Hopkins, and had resided most of her life in Center Township. She graduated from Center Township High School in 1915 and was a member of the Hopewell United Methodist Church.

Her husband, William H. Orndoff, died February 22, 1971. They were married December 20, 1916.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Arthur (Mildred) Scott of Rogersville; a son, Reed Orndoff of Sycamore R.D.1; four grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

A brother, William Hopkins, and three sisters, Jessie Huffman, Bernice Huffman and Eva Funk, are deceased.

Herman Hainzer

Herman J. Hainzer, 67, Route 21 Trailer Court, Carmichaels, was dead on arrival at Greene County Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning, June 29, 1983 after suffering an apparent heart attack at his home.

He was born August 9, 1915 at Bowood, Fayette County, a son of the late Anthony and Mary Hocksteiner Hainzer. He resided most of his life in the Bobtown area, where he was employed until his retirement at the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company's Shannopin Mine.

He had served with the Army and was a member of Bobtown Local 6159, United Mine Workers of America.

Surviving are a brother, Joseph Hainzer of Dayton, Ohio; a sister, Mrs. Joseph (Mary) Zalar of Greensboro.

A brother, Tony Hainzer, and a sister, Hedwig Wimmer, are deceased.

David M. Kerns

David M. Kerns, 88, of Waynesburg R.D.4, and formerly of Holbrook, died Sunday, June 26, 1983, at 12:40 a.m. in University Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was born in Pine Bank on March 8, 1895, a son of Frank and Rebecca Longstreth Kerns.

On June 23, 1922, he married Delcie Kerr, who died January 9, 1981.

Mr. Kerns had resided most of his life in Delphene, where he was a farmer. He served with the U.S. Army in World War I and was a member of the American Legion, James Farrell Post 330.

Surviving are two sons, Robert of Waynesburg R.D.4 and Russell of Minerva, Ohio; one daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Mabel) Clark of Holbrook R.D.1; 18 grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

Eight brothers and one sister are deceased.

Anna M. Billick

Anna Marie Billick, 70, of House 204, Crucible, died unexpectedly after heart surgery at 8:05 a.m. Sunday, June 26, 1983, in University Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

She was born September 26, 1912, in Webster, a daughter of August and Karoline Neoch Kowalewski.

Her husband, Mike Billick, died February 14, 1961.

Mrs. Billick was a homemaker and had resided most of her life in the Crucible area. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Carmichaels.

Surviving are one son, Michael Billick of Carlisle; one daughter, Mrs. Bill (Liz) Cross of Donora; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and two brothers, Wilhelm and Henry Kowalewski, both of Cleveland, Ohio.

A brother, August, and two sisters, Marie Pell and Elizabeth Kowalewski, are deceased.



One of the houses in Blairtown with peeling paint

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Peeling Paint Blamed On The Emerald Mine

WAYNESBURG — The paint is peeling from many homes in the Blairtown section of Franklin Township.

At least one resident blames the Emerald Mine. Mine officials say it is nothing more than the natural weathering process.

Harold Dulaney, who blames the coal company, has been living in his three-story, frame home since 1935. He claims the paint never peeled from his home in this manner before the coal company began operations a few years ago. He also said the dust is ruining the paint on his car.

Dulaney's home, along Route 218, is about a half mile from the Emerald bath house and a half mile south of Waynesburg. "The coal trucks run constantly and many of them are not covered. My house is on a curve and when the trucks go around the curve, the material blows onto my car and house," he said.

Dulaney claims other homes also are suffering damage, but apparently the owners are not quite as upset and therefore have not contacted the coal company.

"They said they would come hose down the house. But what good would it do? It would be back the same within a few days," Dulaney said.

Emerald Mine Superintendent Jim Morris said Monday he had indeed offered to hose Dulaney's home and others in the area, but only because the mine created a lot of dust recently. "We want to be good neighbors and if the excessive amount of hauling caused too much dust, we will correct the problem," he said.

Morris said the Dulaney house has probably not been painted in several years. "I have to paint my house every five years and I don't live near a mine."

"We have not had any complaints

Employment Rate Falls In County

WAYNESBURG — Greene County's employment rate fell by five percent between Feb. 1 and April 30 of this year, according to the latest report from the state Office of Employment Security.

The statistical report by William Findley, labor market analyst at the BES office in Johnstown, indicates that the county's jobless rate stood at 18.4 percent in April, as compared with 23.2 percent in February.

Preliminary figures for April estimate that 10,800 people were working out of a labor force of 13,400, with 2,400 on the jobless rolls. In February, there were 10,500 working out of a labor force of 13,700, leaving 3,200 without jobs.

Most of the improvement came through callbacks in the coal mining industry, where employment rose from 2,800 to 3,400.

FFA Winners

Jamie Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henry of Sycamore R.D.1 and past president of the West Greene Future Farmers of America chapter, received a gold award for placing sixth in the livestock judging contest at Penn State University during Pennsylvania FFA Activity Week.

Since he went to the Eastern States Exposition in Springfield, Mass. in 1981 as a livestock judge, he is not eligible to attend this year. He will be considered as an alternate to the national livestock contest at Kansas City in November.

Brian Henry, his younger brother, received a bronze award for livestock judging. Kurt Katchmark placed eighth in poultry judging and also received a bronze award.

public records

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

Aleppo Township
Irene McVay, Aleppo Township, to Terry Ross, Greene County, lot, \$1,500.

Center Township
James L. and Peggy L. Maley, Graysville R.D.1, to David E. and Theresa M. Garth, Graysville R.D.1, 10 acres, \$6,000.

David E. and Theresa M. Garth to James L. and Peggy L. Maley, 10 acres, \$3,000.

James L. and Peggy L. Maley to Pechin Leasing, Inc., Dunbar, 10 acres, \$3,000.

Bradley and Pamela Hallam, Graysville R.D.1, to Pechin Leasing, Inc., 14 acres, \$4,200.

Cumberland Township
Barbara F. and Bert G. Titus, Carmichaels, to Paul V. and Paulette David, Brookpark, Ohio, house and lot, \$60,000.

Lena H. and Samuel P. Rush, Washington, to G. Edward and Beth J. Minder, Carmichaels, 10 acres and buildings, \$15,000.

Dunkard Township
J. K. and Wynona Willison, Waynesburg, and others, to James W. and Fawnalea Brady, Dilliner, 13.8 acres, \$15,500.

Franklin Township
Ivan W. and Margaret P. Morris, Franklin Township, to Bryan H. and Wendy H. Fonner, Mt. Morris, house and lot, \$24,000.

Veronica and Ralph F. Guzzo, Amity R.D.1, to John B. and Dixie Ruth Christopher, Waynesburg, 200 acres and house,

\$170,000.

Carl W. and Opal H. Hoy, Franklin Township, to David and Sharon Matthews, house and lot, \$40,000.

Gilmore Township
Glenn A. Morris, Gilmore Township, to Robert L. and Mary K. Keller, Gilmore Township, 67.5 acres, \$25,000.

Jefferson Township
Raymond J. and Barbara J. Berry, Jefferson, to Jerry P. and Helen Nelson, Jefferson R.D.1, five lots, Hatfield Plan, \$7,000.

Morgan Township
T. Jacob and Carol S. Mankey, Waynesburg R.D.3, to Barry J. and Constance M. Rossi, Mather, two lots, \$11,000.

Washington Township
Joseph H. and Marion Simandl, Pittsburgh, to Nelson L. Miller, Waynesburg, lot at Waynesburg Lakes, \$2,500.

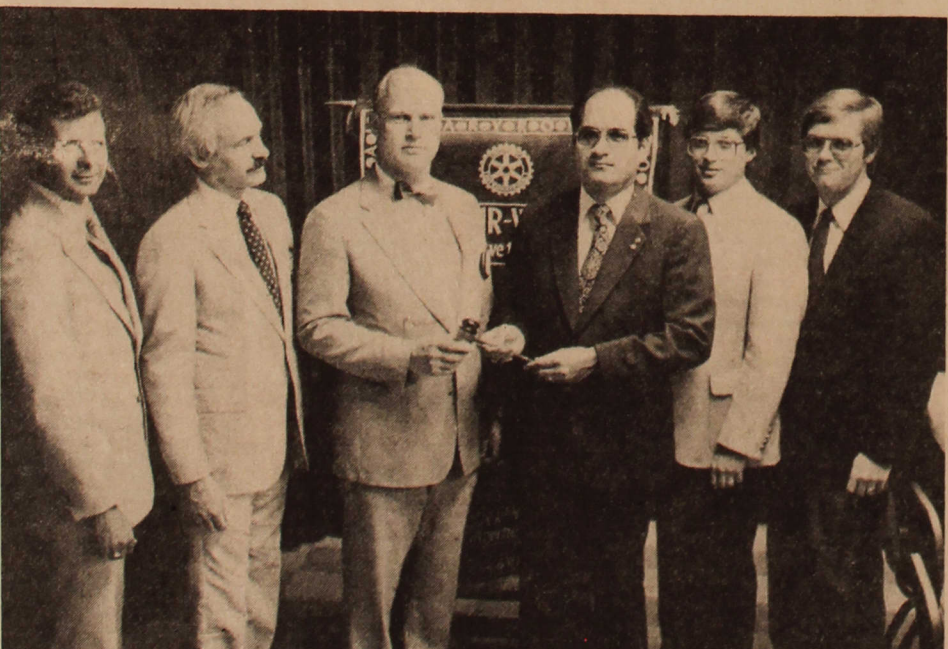
Wayne Township
Ruth Ann Hyers, executrix estate Myrtle P. Orrill, Washington County, to Morris Strawn, Waynesburg, oil and gas rights, \$200.

Leslie A. Moore, Fairview, W.Va., to Imogene R. Harkins, Carmichaels R.D.1, lot, \$7,000.

John G. and Jeannine Jenkins, Pine Bank R.D.1, to Jeffrey Miskiewicz, McKees Rocks, 5.3 acres, \$2,000.

Waynesburg
Donald E. and Rebecca Hanlin, Waynesburg, to George N. and Priscilla Ann Brown, Franklin Township, house and lot, Ross Street, \$50,000.

Leroy E. and Catherine M. Roberts, Somerset County, to Anna L. French and Margaret A. Anderson, Waynesburg, house and lot, Porter Street, \$38,200.



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Rotary Club Officers

Officers of the Waynesburg Rotary Club for the coming year were installed during a luncheon meeting of the club Monday at the Waynesburg Elks Club. Incoming President Jim Caldwell, third from left, accepts the gavel from Rotary District Governor-elect Thomas Milinovich, a past president of the Waynesburg club. Other new officers, from left, are Dan Giosta, second vice president; John Graham, first vice president; Tim Christopher, secretary, and Chuck Behm, treasurer.

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| <p>EXECUTRIX NOTICE Estate of BARBARA HOTELS late of Franklin 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. FREDERICK F. WAINE 127 Pershing Boulevard Nemacolin, PA. 15351 Executor Thompson and Bailly 52 Church St. Waynesburg, PA. 15370 Attorney 6-24; 7-1,8</p> | <p>EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Estate of FRED WAINE 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. FREDERICK F. WAINE 127 Pershing Boulevard Nemacolin, PA. 15351 Executor Thompson and Bailly 52 Church St. Waynesburg, PA. 15370 Attorney 6-24; 7-1,8</p> | <p>NOTICE Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Provisions of Act 295 of 1982 known as the Fictitious Names Act of intention to file in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on June 30, 1983 an application to conduct a business under assumed or fictitious name or names of Waynesburg Mine Tool Repair. The address of the business is R.D.#2, Waynesburg, PA. The name and address of the person interested in said business is Larry Varner, R.D.#2, Waynesburg, PA. 15370. 7-1</p> |
| <p>EXECUTORS NOTICE Estate of DOROTHY E. MCKEE a/k/a DOROTHEA E. MCKEE late of Rices Landing Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement. SHELDON K. MCKEE Box 221 Greensboro, PA. 15338 Executor Harry J. Cancellmi, Jr. Attorney THOMPSON AND BAILLY 52 Church Street Waynesburg, PA. 15370 6-24; 7-1,8</p> | <p>LEGAL NOTICE ESTATE OF DOROTHY E. MCKEE late of Rices Landing Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters of administration have 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: MARLENE E. HARDY 38 Rte. 88 Mobile Home Park Carmichaels, PA. 15320 ADMINISTRATOR David C. Hook, Esquire P.O. Box 792 Waynesburg, PA. 15370 Attorney 7-1,8,15</p> | <p>ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE ESTATE OF Irene E. Hopkins of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same; and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to: David L. Hopkins R.D. #1 Waynesburg, PA. 15370 Administrator William R. Davis Attorney 6-17,24; 7-1</p> |
| <p>EXECUTRIX NOTICE Estate of Arvel Kiger, Jr., late of Franklin 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. Betty A. Kiger R.D.#3 Waynesburg, PA. Executrix H. Terry Grimes 69 South Washington St. Waynesburg, PA. 15370 Attorney 6-24; 7-1,8</p> | <p>EXECUTOR'S NOTICE ESTATE OF SARA M. PALMER of Gilmore Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement. John C. Thomas R.D.1 New Freeport, PA. 15352 Executor MAXWELL AND DAVIS R. WALLACE MAXWELL Attorney 7-1,8,15</p> | <p>LEGAL NOTICE LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, ORPHAN'S COURT DIVISION ON TUESDAY, JULY 5, 1983. The Third Distribution and Final Account of Sophia Despot surviving Co-Executor of the Estate of Eugene Kormuth, late of Clarksville Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania. The First and Final Account of Beatrice D. Huggins and Florene G. Wright, Administratrices of the Estate of Sarah A. Hendershot, a/k/a Alice Hendershot, late of Center Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania. The First Partial Account of the Estate of Charles L. Estel, late of Morris Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania. The First and Final Account of Margaret E. Steeves, Executrix of the Estate of Edward L. Janacek, late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania. The First and Final Account of Floyd A. King and Emerson Ulliom, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Catherine Boyd, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania. At Darnes', Clerk of Courts 6-17,24; 7-1</p> |
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