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Rain Day Fans Don't Want To Hear Sunny Forecast

WAYNESBURG — Weather forecasters are offering little hope for rainfall in southwestern Pennsylvania on Friday, but Waynesburg is hoping for the best.

The "best" would be any sort of a

Court Rules In Favor Of Employees

HARRISBURG — L&J Equipment Co. has been ordered to reinstate four workers and pay them back wages with interest for violating the National Labor Relations Act.

Leonard N. Cohen, administrative law judge, ruled in favor of four of seven L&J employees who filed unfair labor practice claims against the Carmichaels-based coal stripping firm.

A legal representative of L&J, which is owned by James V. and Lawrence F. Filiaggi of Uniontown, said the company plans to appeal the decision. The company can file exceptions to the order by Aug. 1.

The seven workers filed complaints with the NLRB in August 1981 alleging that L&J furloughed them in violation of a 50-year old act of Congress. They claimed they were laid off because of their union organizing activities.

In his recent decision, Cohen found that the company "unlawfully laid off employees Mike Ziegler, Gerald Wahler, William McCartney and Kevin Pike and unlawfully transferred and on two occasions laid off employee David Poling.

Cohen ordered the company to reinstate four of the five and pay them back wages with interest. Ziegler is to be placed on a priority list and rehired if L&J resumes use of a coal crusher.

Unfair labor practice claims of two other employees were dismissed by the administrative law judge.

Cohen ordered the company to cease and desist from:

Interrogating its employees as to their union activities, sympathies and desires.

Soliciting employees to ascertain and divulge to it the union membership activities and desires of other employees.

Creating the impression among its employees that their union activities are under surveillance.

Threatening to liquidate and close its operations unless its employees cease engaging in union activities.

Laying off or discharging employees because of their union activities.

On April 16, 1982, the NLRB certified the United Mine Workers as representative agent for some 83 L&J employees who voted Nov. 4, 1981 to join the union. L&J has appealed this separate decision to the Federal Court of Appeals, where it is still pending.

drizzle which would preserve the town's July 29 Rain Day tradition but not put too much of a damper on a full schedule of activities planned to celebrate the holiday.

Rain Prophet John L. Daily, a retired attorney who returned to Waynesburg Wednesday from his winter home in Florida, has no doubt that it will rain.

"We ran into a problem last year (when it didn't rain for the 14th time in 107 years) but we definitely expect to get back on track this year," he said. "I sure don't have any hat ready to send to Tom Kite, and I expect to be adding one of his golf caps to my collection."

Daily inherited the mantle of rain prophet and the custom of wagering a hat on the outcome from his father, Byron Daily, a Waynesburg druggist, who took up recording the oddity after it was started by two drugstore clerks, the Allison brothers. They began making notations on the store's ledgers after a chance remark by a farmer that "it always seems to rain around her on July 29th."

Byron Daily enjoyed making the hat bets with traveling drug salesmen who couldn't believe the legend. When the unique observance began to attract national attention in the 1930s and 1940s, the hat bet began to be made with national and regional celebrities. Kite, one of the leading figures on the professional golf tour, is this year's victim.

Rain Day activities began Sunday when the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce held its pageant to select "Miss Rain Day 1983." The title went to Michelle Morris, a senior at Waynesburg Central High School.

The Rain Day Committee of the Waynesburg Special Events Commission, the Waynesburg Recreation Board and the Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation have scheduled a number of special events for both Friday and Saturday.

Most of them will be centered around the courthouse, where food and craft booths will be operating from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. both days. Special activities include:

FRIDAY

7:15 to 10:15 p.m. — Bluegrass concert by Allegheny River Boys.

9:30 p.m. — Fireworks.

SATURDAY

10 a.m. — Auction behind the borough office.

Noon to 1:30 p.m. — Becky Wilson dancers.

2 to 4 p.m. — Concert by Southwinds, a country southern rock band.

4 to 6 p.m. — Concert by Second Chance.

6 to 8 p.m. — Concert by Diamond T.

8 to 10 p.m. — Concert by Morris Brothers band.

10 p.m. — Rain Day dance at Jury Box.

The Waynesburg College museum will be open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. both days.



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Waynesburg Rain Prophet John L. Daily scans the sky in hope of rain. In the background is the drugstore where the

Rain Day tradition began many years ago.

County Grants Pay Increases

WAYNESBURG — Greene County commissioners said Thursday that all county employees will receive pay raises which are comparable to those granted through recent union negotiations, but that details of how they will be granted have not yet been worked out.

"We will schedule a salary board meeting as part of our regular meeting next week and should be in a position to act at that time," Commission Chairman Joseph Pawlosky said.

The negotiations with some 65 commissioner and court-appointed employees who are members of Local 585, Service Employees International Union, resulted in an agreement to grant hourly pay raises of 25 cents, effective July 1, 1983, an additional 30 cents on Jan. 1, 1984, and a final 15 cents on July 1, 1984. The number of days of sick leave permitted to be accumulated was increased from 36 days to 45 days, and one additional funeral day was granted.

Following an executive session Thursday, the commissioners said that they have agreed to extend the

raises to some 70 to 80 employees who are not members of a union, also retroactive to July 1. They are still uncertain, however, as to the method of translating the hourly pay increases into raises for salaried employees. They could either grant a flat monthly increase or translate it into a percentage increase.

"We will have to consider the effect on our job classification and pay scale program before we make the decision," Pawlosky said.

In action at the meeting, the commissioners executed a right-of-way agreement with Carnegie Natural Gas Co. for laying of a new 16-inch gas transmission line from the company's pumping station east of Waynesburg through the Greene County Fairgrounds.

The line will replace an existing transmission line which has been in place for many years and which is being abandoned. The commissioners said the new line will not interfere with any of the fairground facilities since the company will drill under roads and the race track. The county will receive \$4,606 for the right of way.

Central Greene Elects New Superintendent

WAYNESBURG — Nancy I. Davis was named superintendent of the Central Greene School District at a school board meeting Tuesday.

She will succeed Dr. Ronald Ferreri, who resigned recently to accept the superintendency of the Avongrove School District near Philadelphia.

Mrs. Davis, who has served as assistant superintendent for the past two years, was one of 30 applicants for the top administrative post. The screening committee selected five finalists, all of whom were interviewed before the final selection was made.

The board set her salary at \$36,000 in presenting her a four-year contract. Board member Joanne Brookover cast the only negative vote.

Mrs. Davis will be one of 13 women superintendents in Pennsylvania. Dr. Dolores Zoldos became the first woman to hold the position in the state when she was elected superintendent of the Carmichaels Area School District in 1974.

"I am very pleased," Mrs. Davis said. "My heart and soul are in this district."

She is the wife of the Rev. William Davis, a teacher in the Southeastern Greene School District and pastor of the Sugar Grove Baptist Church. They reside at Dilliner R.D.1, near Mt. Morris.

Mrs. Davis graduated from California State College and received her MA degree at West Virginia University. She has also done extensive work beyond the master's level at West Virginia and received her superintendent's letter of eligibility three years ago.

She joined the Central Greene Dis-

trict in 1969 as an elementary teacher at the Perry School, where she taught for two years. After four years as a reading specialist, she became district reading supervisor and then was named successively special education coordinator and director of curriculum and instruction. She was appointed assistant superintendent two years ago.

"Speaking for the administration, we're very pleased about the appointment," business manager Walter Stout said. "We know Nancy is going to do a fine job."

In other action, the board ratified a tentative three-year contract with the 60 district employees who are members of the Central Greene School Service Personnel Association, an affiliate of the PSEA. The unit includes secretaries, clerks, maintenance personnel, part-time aides, janitors, cooks and others who have been working on a contract extension since July 1.

Details of the agreement were withheld pending its approval by the union members. They are scheduled to vote on the agreement Thursday night.

Stout informed the board that the district will receive \$239,829 in additional basic instructional subsidy under the budget which was adopted last week by the State Legislature. The amount is \$94,500 higher than the \$145,000 it would have received had Governor Thornburgh's budget proposal been adopted.

"It represents an increase which is the equivalent of 1 1/2 mills in property tax and will help us when it comes time to adopt next year's budget," he said.

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SE Greene Won't Be Buying Buses

MAPLETOWN — Any chance that the Southeastern Greene School District would handle its own transportation this year ended when the board awarded a contract to Central Cab Co. of Waynesburg at the close of Tuesday night's meeting.

The company will be one of three contractors for pupil transportation services. One-year contracts went to Joe Zalar and the Dunkard and Springhill Bus Co. for a five percent increase.

The possibility of the district purchasing its own buses had been an issue for several months, but board members were never able to reach an agreement.

Central Cab Co. had bid on running nine buses but Floyd Geho, business manager, said Wednesday the district will have to reduce that number to seven in order to stay within the budget. Running only seven buses, he

noted, could amount to a \$10,000 savings.

However, Assistant Superintendent Charles Wyda had pointed out at the meeting Tuesday night he didn't feel the 66-passenger buses, the only size bus Central Cab had available, would be big enough. Wyda expressed his concern over the size of the buses since the district has decided, because of construction at the Bobtown school, to house fifth and sixth grade students in Penn Pitt this year. Geho said the district might run over the budgeted amount if the eighth bus is needed.

The board failed on several motions to award a bus contract with SJM Diversified Services, a firm that had run buses for the district for a number of years.

Also at the meeting Tuesday night, the board decided to have a covering

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Miss Rain Day And Court

Michelle Morris of Waynesburg, center, was chosen 1983 Miss Rain Day during the annual selection pageant held Sunday night at Waynesburg Central High School. Members of her court, from left, are Tammy Machesky of Waynesburg, first runner-up; Kim Stewart, Waynesburg, second runner-up;

Karla Ann Benci, Mather, third runner-up; and Ann Cowan, Waynesburg, fourth runner-up. In front is crown bearer Jessica Bree Taggart of Waynesburg. A total of 17 young ladies competed for the title. The pageant is sponsored by the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce for Waynesburg's July 29th Rain Day.

Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Kelley of Spraggs Star Route, Waynesburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rebecca Jane, to Daniel Lee McCollum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. McCollum of Waynesburg R.D.6. Miss Kelley, a 1981 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and a 1982 graduate of West Virginia Career College, is employed as a legal secretary with the Haden-Davis law firm in Morgantown, W. Va. Her fiance, a 1980 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School, is a senior at West Virginia University where he is majoring in chemical engineering. A May wedding is planned.



TO WED — Mr. and Mrs. James Kesner of Mt. Morris Star Route, Waynesburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Brenda Renee, to Steven Douglas Dulaney, son of Mrs. Robert Weaver of Waynesburg and Thomas Dulaney of Ridgeway. Miss Kesner is a 1983 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is employed as a cashier at the Shop 'n Save market in Waynesburg. Her fiance is a 1976 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is employed as an assistant manager at the same market. No wedding date has been set.



Men are fascinated and sometimes appalled by manifestations of vast power beyond all human control.

Primitive man stared with frightened awe at angry storm clouds and fled in terror to his cave when the fury broke and the winds lashed the trees and lightning tore great holes in the landscape.

New powers have been discovered as man has dug deeper into the secrets of nature and all of them have been viewed with apprehension or plain fear.

Steam, electricity, explosive gases, diesel, radium and many others, each in turn with its marvels of achievement and its vast potentialities, have filled mankind with awe as he

wondered what other secrets of power lay buried in the bosom of the universe.

Today it is the nuclear bomb which staggers man's imagination and makes him fear for the future of his world and his civilization.

But the power of nature is the power of God. Used rightly, it always proves a boon and blessing for mankind; but employed for evil purposes, its destructive powers are unlimited.

The secret of the right use of the powers of the universe is embodied in religion and expounded in the teachings of the Church.

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Sunday Ecclesiastes 5:1-7	Monday John 12:44-50	Tuesday I Peter 5:1-11	Wednesday I John 1:1-10	Thursday I John 3:1-10	Friday Jude 17-25	Saturday Psalms 126:1-6
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community events

MISSIONARY SOCIETY
The Calvary Baptist Missionary Society of Lippencott will meet at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 2, in the church with Bea Adamson in charge of the program.

A love gift offering will be taken. Members will respond to roll call with a favorite Bible verse.

CHURCH MEETING
CARMICHAELS — Plans for a Bible Reading Marathon will be discussed at 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 29, in the Fellowship Hall of the Carmichaels First United Methodist Church.

The marathon will begin on Thursday, Aug. 18, and will continue through Sunday, Aug. 21, on the town square.

The marathon is being coordinated by two members of the Carmichaels Methodist Church but all residents of the area are welcome to participate.

To have a time period reserved on the master chart, call Margaret Conway at 966-7645 or Frances Mt. Joy at 966-5336.

CLASS OF 1933
The Center Township High School class of 1933 will hold a 50th reunion at 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 5, in the Rogersville Fire Hall.

REUNION PLANNED
The annual Bennington and Taylor reunion will be held Sunday, Aug. 14, at the Washington Township Park in Ruff Creek.

Vacation Bible School Planned

LIPPENCOTT — Vacation Bible School will be held at the Faith Baptist Church in Lippencott Monday through Friday, Aug. 1-4, with classes being held each day from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. The theme will be "Running the Race God's Way."

Classes will be available for ages three through high school. Directors are Dortha Swaney and the Rev. Paul Roofner.

Dave and Karen Ervine, who are preparing to be missionaries in Frankfurt, Germany, will offer special missionary stories.

GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

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

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A number of matters involving personnel were taken care of. Mrs. Nancy Fox, who has taught in the district for the past three years as a long-term substitute and part-time teacher, was hired for the second grade vacancy at the Spraggs School created by the resignation of Mary McNelly. She is a graduate of California State College with a degree in elementary and early childhood education.

Miss Ellen Boros, a graduate of Grove City College, was employed for the Title I math position at the Margaret Bell Miller Middle School. She has previously taught as a substitute in middle schools in Upper

St. Clair, Monroeville and in Virginia. Jodi Miller, a graduate of Waynesburg College with a degree in elementary education, was appointed as a teacher of gifted students in grades K-8. She will succeed Sue Dugan, who was transferred to a third-grade teaching position at the Spraggs School.

The acceptance of Jane Madden as district dental hygienist was accepted and Linda Kinderman, a certified hygienist with the Greene County Dental Project, was named to succeed her.

Several teacher transfer requests were approved.

Mrs. Joan Brown, a teacher at the East Ward School, was awarded the second grade position at the East

Franklin School to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. Wilma Paul.

With elimination of the combined kindergarten and junior first grade program at the Spraggs and Perry Schools, Barbara Hartlaub, who had taught at Spraggs, was awarded the kindergarten position at the First Christian Church of Waynesburg. Bruce Lemley, who had taught at Perry, was appointed to the new traveling kindergarten position between Spraggs and Perry.

Lori McElheny, who has been teaching music at the middle school, was transferred to the East Franklin School to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Kathy Jeffries.

The board accepted the resigna-

tion of Debra Borrelli, elementary art teacher who was on leave to study art in France during the past school year. She plans to marry and continue to live in Paris.

The resignation of Darla M. Yanachik as yearbook advisor was accepted. Barbara McMahon, a teacher at the Perry School, was hired as majorette/color guard sponsor.

The board also:

- Changed the policy regarding exoneration of persons over 65 from payment of the \$5 per capita tax to bring it into line with a new state law which permits taxing authorities to exonerate such persons if they have an annual income of less than \$5,000.

The previous income limit was \$3,200.

- In preparation for refunding the 1978 general obligation bond issue for the high school and middle school, appointed the firm of Russell, Rea and Zappala of Pittsburgh as financial advisor and the firm of Berkman, Ruslander, Pohl, Lieber and Engle as bond counsel.

- Accepted an offer from Reliance Standard Life Insurance Co. to provide voluntary student accident insurance to interested parents at a cost of \$9.50 for school time and \$38 for 24-hour coverage. The firm will also provide the district with football insurance at a cost of \$55 per player.

- Set Sept. 14 and March 14 as dates for Act 80 in-service days dur-

ing the coming school year, with no classes to be held on those days.

- Agreed to use Chapter 2 federal funds for a guidance program at the middle school.

- Accepted the resignation of Barbara McCollum as a lunch aide at the middle school and filled the vacancy by hiring Jane Henderson for the position.

- Employed John Inghram as afternoon custodian at the middle school for the job left vacant by the transfer of Robert Kiger to the high school.

- Renewed the lease with the First Christian Church to provide space for a kindergarten class at a rent of \$330 per month.

SE Greene District Awards Bus Contract

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put over the brick exterior of the Bobtown Elementary School. Joe Bazala, from the architect's office, said the proposal was to resurface the entire building with insulating board topped off with a treatment to give it a stucco appearance.

Bazala recommended the work, noting that only the below-grade foun-

dition of the school would be waterproofed and the covering would also result in fuel savings of about \$3,000 a year. William Garlick and Sons Construction Co., the general contractor, had previously given the board a quote of \$117,000 but had since reduced the amount to \$99,660. The board appropriated the money for the work from the construction con-

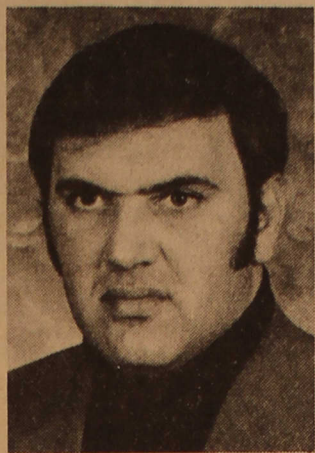
tingency fund.

Teacher assignments for the upcoming school year were approved. Secondary assignments were approved quickly but the board went into executive session before okaying assignments for the elementary schools. The board voted to name Carolyn McIntire as head teacher for the Penn Pitt School, but a motion to name a head teacher for the Bobtown School failed.

Superintendent Gerald Marciniak had recommended Kim Tencer, head teacher at Glassworks last year, be named head teacher at Bobtown. Instead, the board moved her to the Penn Pitt School to teach kindergarten and Barbara Vanata was moved to the Bobtown kindergarten. Merit pay bonuses of \$500 were given to Tencer and McIntire for their work as head teachers last year.

Also during the lengthy meeting, a woman representing the Custom Management Corp. of Columbus, Ohio, presented a proposal for running the cafeteria operations in the district. No action was taken on her proposal.

No agreement has yet been reached with the non-professional union whose members have continued working since their contract expired June 30. Before the contract expired, the membership voted to leave the Service Employees International Union and join Local 669 of the Pennsylvania School Service Personnel Association, the non-professional branch of the PSEA.



MICHAEL PALUDA
Mather Native Gets Promotion

Michael L. Paluda, district forest manager at Cadillac on the Pere Marquette State Forest in Lansing, Mich., has been promoted. Effective Aug. 1 he will be the Region I Forest Manager at Marquette for the Department of Natural Resources. Paluda is the son of Michael and Catherine Paluda of Mather.

A native of Waynesburg, Paluda earned a bachelor's degree in forest science from Penn State University. He joined the Michigan DNR in 1970 as a fire specialist at Marquette. He was promoted to district fire supervisor at Newberry in 1975 and to the district forest manager post at Cadillac in 1978. In being promoted, Paluda's managerial skills as state fire boss during the big Seney Wildlife Refuge forest fire in 1976, were cited. Paluda and his wife, Judith, have four children.

Dam Planned For Richhill Twp.

WHEELING, W.Va. — A proposal by the Soil Conservation Service (SCS) to build a concrete buttress dam rather than an earthen dam in Richhill Township, Greene County, was approved by the Wheeling Creek Watershed Commission at its annual meeting Wednesday in Wheeling.

John Mank, assistant state conservator for the Pennsylvania SCS, told commission members that the concrete dam would not only reduce the estimated \$7.3 million cost of construction by about 10 percent, but would also lessen the environmental impact of the structure since less land would be disturbed.

He said that some design problems involving an earthen dam prompted the recommendation to replace it with the other type of structure, which would also be built as a dry dam with no permanent pool. There would be no change in the conduit through the dam, in the height of the structure, or in the amount of land needed to accommodate the temporary water impoundment the dam would create in a flood.

"It will be simpler in design and simpler to build," he said, adding that the change will allow the SCS to maintain its timetable of starting construction by spring.

In agreeing to the change, the Watershed Commission stipulated that the SCS outline its plan in writing and mail copies to all persons and agencies who had input to the Environmental Impact Statement so that they would be aware of the change.

"The commission felt it was very important that all interested persons be fully aware of the change and what it will mean," Ann Bower, Watershed Commission executive director, said.

The dam, designated as PA-648, will be built on the Enlow Fork of Wheeling Creek, just west of the West Virginia line in the northwestern corner of Greene County. It will be the sixth and final dam built in the watershed of Wheeling Creek to control flooding in Wheeling, W.Va. Four of the other dams are in West Virginia and the fifth is in Washington County. All of them are earthen dams.

Tony Suppa of the Western Pennsylvania Conservancy spoke about conservancy plans to acquire additional land to supplement that being purchased by the Watershed Commission. The commission has agreed to deed its land to the conservancy to create a 700-acre nature preserve. In exchange for the land, the conservancy will assume responsibility for maintenance of the dam area.

Officers Elected

MT. MORRIS — Members of the James T. Maxon American Legion Post 992 have elected officers for 1983-84.

Elected were Buddy King, commander; John Haines, first vice commander; Bruce Lemley, second vice commander; Dale Kennedy, finance officer; Edwin Lowe, sergeant-at-arms; Harold Renner, service officer; Dale Kennedy, historian; James Brozik, chaplain and Warren Headley, judge advocate.

Rotary Honors Local Newsmen

WAYNESBURG — John O'Hara, a columnist and reporter for the Washington Observer-Reporter for over 50 years, was honored Monday by the Waynesburg Rotary Club for his long service to the community as a newspaper man.

O'Hara, 79, began working for the Observer-Reporter in 1924 while attending Waynesburg College.

In his nearly 60-year career, the dean of local newsmen has been published in scores of newspapers in the eastern United States. He has written special assignments for all the wire services, countless magazines and periodicals, in addition to his regular duties with the Observer-Reporter.

For years, he was the publicity man for Waynesburg College, the Greene County Country Club and Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He also has been responsible for the worldwide attention to Waynes-

burg's annual Rain Day celebration. From two or three paragraphs buried on the back pages of local newspapers, O'Hara's treatment of the Rain Day celebration has brought the annual event to the attention of the media all over the country.

During ceremonies Monday at the Waynesburg Elks Club, he was presented with a special citation by Rotary member Peter Jabour, a former newspaper man who worked closely with O'Hara in the 1960s.

O'Hara was also presented an engraved plaque by John Graham.

William Meighen, manager of the Waynesburg office of the Observer-Reporter and one of O'Hara's colleagues for over 30 years, offered brief remarks in praise of O'Hara's long association with the community and his "Fact and Folklore" column which appears weekly in the Waynesburg Republican.

Hauling Firm Threatens Suit

WAYNESBURG — Franklin Township supervisors, at their regular meeting Monday, were warned of possible legal action by a refuse hauling firm.

Attorney Scott Fergus, representing Chambers Development Co., asked the supervisors if they were going to bid the refuse hauling contract in the township when the current contract with Long Hauling Co. expires on Sept. 30.

The two supervisors present, Ralph Porter and T. Reed Kiger, gave no indication they would be bidding the contract and indicated they were satisfied with the current contract which gives Long exclusive hauling rights.

Fergus told the supervisors they were not being fair to the taxpayers because another firm might be willing to offer the services at a cheaper rate. Fergus also was of the opinion that the contract, by law, must be bid.

Supervisors Porter countered that the township

was not paying for anything. "The money is exchanged between the customer and the truck company," Porter said. "The taxpayer is not required to obtain Long's services. He can haul the refuse himself," Porter added.

Supervisor Kiger said he could see no reason to solicit bids and, to his knowledge, no complaints had been filed about Long's services.

Porter also made the comment, "We don't want to send our money out of the county." Porter also questioned how the Chambers firm could make a profit by hauling the refuse for such a long district.

When Fergus was asked why Chambers is currently collecting refuse at four sites in the township in apparent disregard to a township ordinance, Fergus told the supervisors it was one way of getting the issue into court.

Fergus later backed down from the statement while being questioned by township Solicitor William Hook. When asked directly if he (Fergus) had advised his client to proceed with the alleged illegal activity, Fergus said that was a matter between client and attorney.

Fergus, just before leaving the meeting, told the supervisors, "I would not be surprised if a citizen of Franklin Township did not bring suit in this matter."

public records

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

Center Township

Jerry E. and Carol A. Moore, Rogersville, to William and Norma L. Hunter, Waynesburg, house and 2.1 acres, \$55,000.

Cumberland Township

Andrew D. and Diane L. Shoter, Crucible, to George R. and Eva Ferree, Crucible, house and lot, \$26,000.

Dunkard Township

James W. and Fawnela Brady, Dilliner, to Robert W. and Ruth A. Smith, Point Marion, 1.8 acres, no consideration.

Franklin Township

David C. Hook and Farley D. Toothman, Waynesburg, to David C. Hook, Waynesburg, lot, North Waynesburg, \$125.

George A. Berryhill, Waynesburg, to Sandra B. Petty, Houston, Texas, and Richard G. Berryhill, Liverpool, N.Y., 15 acres, no consideration.

Gray Township

William A. and Adell B. Stiles, McLean, Va., to Pechin Leasing Co., Dumbar, 66 acres, \$25,000.

Jefferson Township

Earl and Audrey Szojka, Cumberland Township, and others, to Charles E. and Sandra L. Rygle, Carmichaels R.D.1, four lots, South Meadow Plan, \$5,500.

Paul L. and Claudia Iams, Jefferson R.D.1, to Charles and June Robinson, Jefferson R.D.1, 2.7 acres, no consideration.

Paul L. and Claudia Iams, Jefferson R.D.1, to Joan J. Antion, Jefferson R.D.1, 1.9 acres, \$200.

Donald G. and Kimberly Marie Williams, Jefferson, to Donald G. Williams, 6.7 acres, no consideration.

Monongahela Township

Pennsylvania Industries Corp., Pittsburgh, to John M. and Kathy I. Billetz, Greensboro, 1 acre, \$7,500.

Morgan Township

Edward L. and Hazel Burnfield, Morgan Township, to Ronald J. and Shirley Ann Burnfield, Waynesburg R.D.1, 4.5 acres, no consideration.

Morris Township

Sarah R. and Carl W. Brooks, Ravenna, Ohio, to Cindy A. Hamilton, Streetsboro, Ohio, one-half interest in lot, no consideration.

Wayne Township

William J. and Racille A. Lazar, Pittsburgh, to James D. and Pauline C. Caserta, Venetia R.D.2, 21 acres, \$11,000.

Whiteley Township

Ann Marie Stiles, Mt. Morris Star Route, Waynesburg, to Robert W. and Margaret R. Chambers, Waynesburg R.D.6, 16.4 acres, \$10,000.

Repairs Promised For Closed Bridge

GRAYSVILLE — Over 25 interested people, including PennDOT and Morris Township officials, met Monday at the site of a long-closed bridge in Morris Township and, as a result, have decided on immediate action.

The one-lane bridge has been closed for several months and has forced a five-mile detour for emergency vehicles. Residents have been demanding something be done on either a permanent or temporary basis.

Attending the meeting Monday were Rep. William DeWeese; Jim Harris, representing state Sen. Barry Stout's office; George Tanner, bridge engineer for District 12; Art Grimes, principle assistant for Greene and Fayette counties, and township supervisors.

It was decided PennDOT would begin temporary repairs by Sept. 1 and also would begin designing a new bridge to be erected next spring. There also is the possibility of erecting a turnaround at the site, if permission is received from the landowner.

DeWeese took the opportunity to blast the current practice of handling Greene County highway operations from the Fayette County office. "Greene County operations are not being handled professionally, progressively or responsibly," he said.

DeWeese said he had earlier questioned PennDOT about the bridge problem in Morris Township but had received no positive response.

Although there are no homes along the road in question, Graysville Fire Chief Clyde Bedilion said the closed bridge forces the fire company or an ambulance to make a long detour to respond to an emergency in the Time area.

Statement of Condition

JUNE 30, 1983

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH	
First Mortgage Loans	147,349,641.12	Savings	175,855,260.64
Loans on Savings Accounts	1,437,490.15	Federal Home Loan	
Other Loans	6,037,248.78	Bank Advances	500,000.00
Real Estate Owned	319,629.70	Advance Payments by Borrowers	68,028.92
Cash and Liquid Investments	40,353,785.98	Loans in Process	2,305,591.98
Federal Home Loan		Other Liabilities	1,867,195.46
Bank Stock	1,450,400.00	Deferred Credits	309,866.38
First Federal Buildings	1,234,344.67	Specific Reserves	103,254.07
Furniture and Fixtures	328,988.30	General	
Other Assets	380,895.07	Reserves	5,888,070.36
		Surplus	11,995,155.96
TOTAL ASSETS	\$198,892,423.77		17,883,226.32
		TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH	198,892,423.77

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Year	Assets
1924	\$ 33,542.96
1930	192,984.54
1935	216,252.57
1940	1,057,638.61
1945	4,306,322.25
1950	9,790,325.63
1955	18,448,314.80
1960	31,536,730.71
1965	48,549,547.67
1970	66,893,424.04
1975	104,196,106.12
1977	139,244,822.70
1978	152,840,151.56
1979	162,326,923.56
1980	178,278,782.56
1981	186,154,861.79
1982	189,791,057.06

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Waynesburg On Lookout For Rain Sometime Today

This is Waynesburg's day in the sun — especially if it rains. The glare of national publicity which has grown up around the town's Rain Day tradition testifies to the enduring qualities of this particular bit of nonsense. The attention it receives would certainly come as a big surprise to the unknown farmer who began the whole thing many years ago when he happened to remark to a drugstore clerk that it always seemed to rain in Waynesburg on July 29.

For many years it was no more than an annual note on the ledgers of that drugstore and those of its and its successors, and the subject of casual conversation. In the late 1920's, Waynesburg newspaper writer John O'Hara picked up on the oddity and it has been largely through his efforts over a period of more than 50 years that it has caught on solidly with the wire services. Like Punxsutawney's groundhog, it is now duely noted each year as a bit of weather lore.

Rain Prophet John L. Daily, a retired attorney, each year receives telephone calls from newspapers, radio stations and television stations throughout the United States wanting to know if it has rained. Since as little as a few drops will do, he is usually able to say it has, with the record of success now standing at 93 times in 107 years.

In recent years, the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce has scheduled fun events to celebrate the day, most of them centering around the courthouse, and this year is no exception. They will include an appearance by Miss Rain Day, a fun run, an umbrella contest and window decorating contest, musical concerts, various contests for children, arts and crafts displays, food booths, and similar attractions, concluding with a Rain Day dance on Saturday night.

While part of the attraction of Rain Day can probably be attributed to the preoccupation which most people have for the weather, a large part of its durability reflects the stability and closeknit sense of community to be found in a small town.

Even if it doesn't rain today it will endure. But it will be much nicer if it does rain.

Limit Picketing

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Court issued a temporary injunction Tuesday to limit United Mine Worker picketing at the entrance roads to a strip mine and magnetite recovery plant in Monongahela Township.

The order limits to four the number of pickets that can be stationed at the entrance road off Route 21, just west of the Masontown Bridge, which leads to the L&J strip mine and the Halomet Inc. recovery plant.

The same road also provides access to West Penn Power Company's Hatfield Ferry Power station, which is not involved in the labor dispute which triggered the picketing at the start of this week.

L&J, which is owned by James and Lawrence Filiaggi of Uniontown, is based at Carmichaels. It is mining coal on the Hartley site, adjoining West Penn property. Some of the coal from the surface mine goes to the power plant and L&J also has a contract to haul fly ash from the power plant. Halomet, whose plant is located on ground leased from West Penn, uses fly ash from the power plant to produce magnetite.

In addition to limiting the number of pickets at the Route 21 entrance to

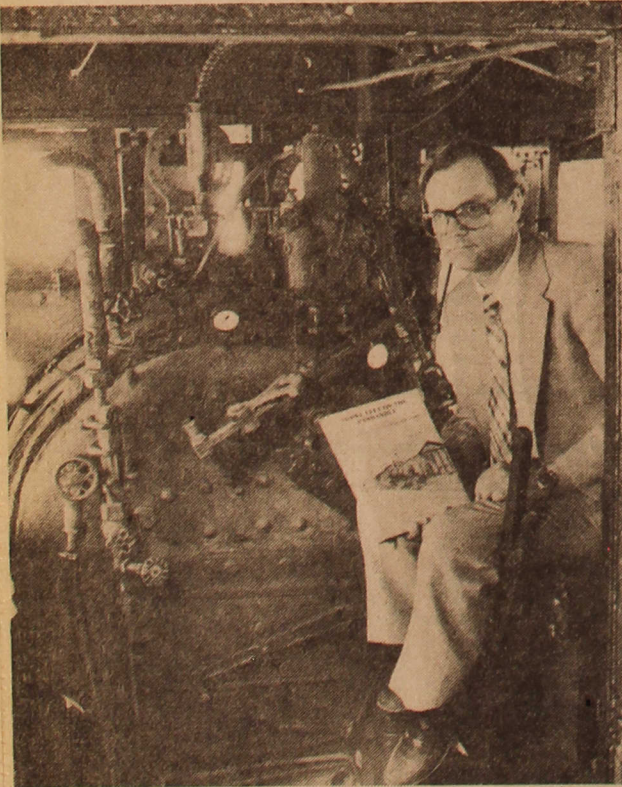
four people, the court order limits to four the number of pickets at an alternate entrance to the strip mine from Route 88, and forbids any picketing on Hatfield Ferry property under the bridge.

The temporary injunction was issued on the strength of an equity action filed by L&J, which contends that pickets have been intimidating its employees and preventing them from getting to work. The complaint states that picketing has been underway since 11 p.m. Sunday and has been continued constantly since that time, with as many as from 35 to 100 UMW members from District 4 and 5 being massed at one time around the Route 21 entrance.

It states that so far as it can determine, no L&J employees are involved in the picketing.

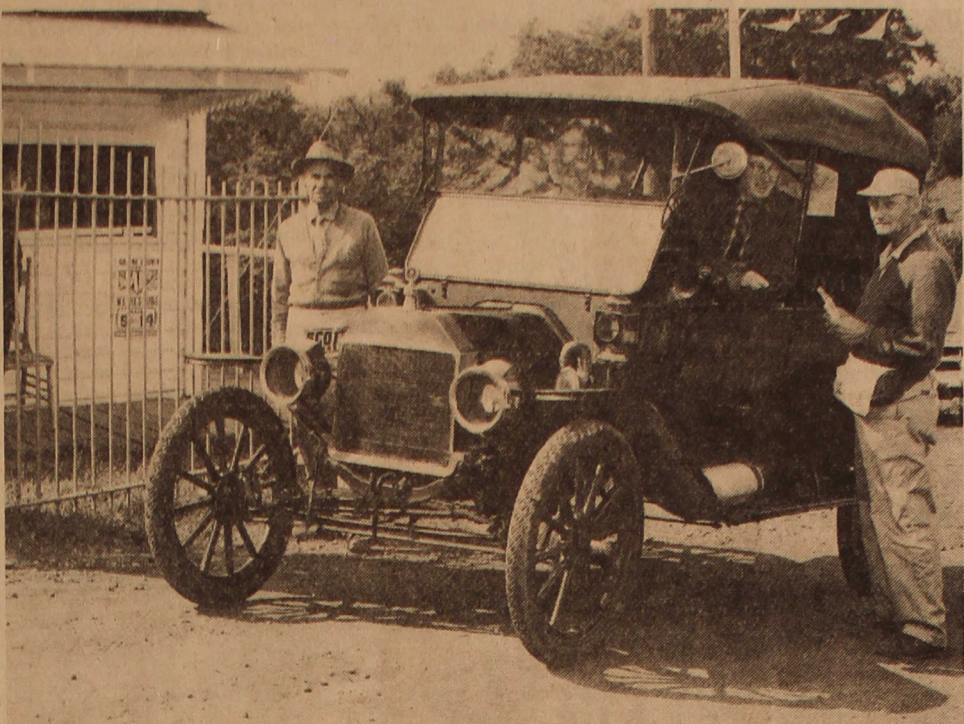
While he granted the order to limit the number of pickets and bar them from unlawfully interfering with anyone who uses the entrance roads, Judge Glenn Toothman stated that he recognized "the right of the union to lawfully and peaceably picket the mine entrance."

A court hearing to further explore the matter was scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday, July 28.



Author Larry Koehler amid the clank and clatter of the old locomotive cab.

Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McCracken brought back fond memories of days gone by when they pulled up to the gates at the Jacktown Fair several years ago. Taking tickets were Charles Nick Hughes, left, and David Rhome, right.

New Book Builds Track To Past Of The W&W

By Stan Diamond, Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — Long just a nostalgic memory to many, the life of the old narrow gauge Waynesburg and Washington Railroad has now gone from paper to paper — from its charter papers in 1875 to its published history in 1983.

During 56 of those 108 years, from the first run in 1877 to the last steam freight run in 1933, the little narrow gauge locomotives not only chuffed their way around the 174 curves on the 28.16-mile route between the Greene and Washington County seats, but also into the hearts of local residents and railroad buffs yet to be born.

It was two of those railroad buffs, Washington natives and former high school friends Larry L. Koehler and Morgan J. Gayvert, who collaborated to chronicle the W & W in the recently published, "Three Feet on the Panhandle, a History of the Waynesburg and Washington Railroad Co."

According to its publishers, Railroad Publications, of Canton, Ohio, the first printing sold out in two months and a second printing will be available by mid-August.

The hardcover book, featuring over 200 illustrations including photographs, profiles and drawings of locomotives, passenger cars, freight cars and buildings, will be available in book outlets in both counties and through the Greene County Historical Society at its museum near Waynesburg. Koehler currently resides in Ann Arbor, Mich., where he is chief architect for Schneider Group, and Gayvert is now a resident of Carson, Calif., and is employed as an aircraft mechanic by Western Airlines.

The photographs in the book are from the extensive collection of the late Lyndon C. Roach, who had been a letter carrier in Washington, but was recognized as an acknowledged expert on the subject of the W & W. His collection of railroad photographs are now housed at Bowlby Public Library, Waynesburg.

Roach had done considerable research on the W & W with the thought of some day writing his own history of the line. Because of his interest in the narrow gauge railroad, Gayvert had become friends with Roach and following his death continued with Roach's research and began to write the history.

Meanwhile, Koehler had become interested in learning more about the W & W and, following a lecture he attended in the fall of 1977 by Ed C.

Boss at the Washington History and Landmarks Society, decided a history of the railroad should be written. Along with others, he began seven years of researching. Eventually the paths of Koehler and Gayvert crossed and Gayvert agreed to join his efforts with those of Koehler's group and the recently published history was the result.

The book's title refers to the three-foot width of the narrow gauge railroad as opposed to the 4-foot, 8½-inch standard gauge. When purchased by the Pennsylvania Railroad in July 1885, the W & W became part of the Panhandle Division of the PRR.

About all that's left of the W & W that one can see are locomotive number 9684 and its accompanying coal tender on display at the Greene County Historical Society Museum, and the old W & W station on Waynesburg's First Street which the years have not treated kindly. The last of its rails were taken up for salvage in 1978, but it was virtually a railroad on paper since 1959 when the last of twice-a-year motorcar runs were made just to maintain the legal right of way. The final "revenue" run was made in 1957.

But the most nostalgic date for those who remember when the railroad operated as part of their daily life is July 9, 1929, when the last passenger run was made even though the little steam locomotives continued to make freight runs until April 6, 1933. Motorized equipment continued to make some freight runs until 1963.

The final passenger run from Washington to Waynesburg chugged into the station on Waynesburg's south side belching steam at 6 p.m. that July 9th. It carried 60 paid fares and would complete the round trip back to Washington. But a sad side-light to an already sombre occasion was to take place on the station platform. The conductor, J. L. Shull, for sentimental reasons, refused to make the trip back to Washington and in the excitement of the departure the veteran conductor collapsed and died without regaining consciousness.

But from the first train to arrive in Waynesburg on Nov. 5, 1877, to the last, it was a proud railroad that carried local passengers, former presidents, presidential candidates and famous entertainers the length of its tortuous route with equal favor.

Counted among its passengers were President William Howard Taft after he was out of office, William Jennings Bryan while campaigning

for president; members of the Buffalo Bill Traveling Show, Amos 'n Andy, and other name entertainers of their time all heading for the Opera House in Waynesburg.

An interesting sidelight on the Taft trip was that W & W officials were forewarned he would be riding the train to Waynesburg for a lecture at Waynesburg College and made special preparation for the physically large ex-president by having an open car ready in case he could not fit through the normal passenger doorway. But Taft had lost considerable weight and the special car was not needed.

Taft, however, was not put off by special arrangements being made for his size. Most of the time he weighed between 300 and 350 pounds and was the largest man ever to occupy the White House where a special bathtub had to be made for his use. On another occasion, when he visited the Panama Canal shortly after it was completed, an engineer who was hosting his visit had a dining room chair reinforced with steel, for which Taft expressed his appreciation.

Locomotive Number 4 and the coal tender were acquired by the Historical Society in 1957 from the Pennsylvania Railroad which had them in storage. The locomotive was made in May of 1916 at Paterson, N.J., and the coal tender was made in June of 1920. Because the Historical Society had not yet acquired their current spacious museum and grounds when the acquisition was made, the locomotive and tender was placed in a display shed at the Greene County Fairgrounds in last August 1958. For the next 16 years the weather took its toll on the locomotive and tender until it was moved in 1974 to a new display area on the museum grounds.

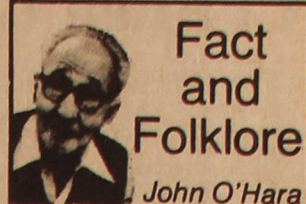
It then came under the care of Brad Lester and Tim Sposato of Bethel Park, who along with others began restoring the locomotive to the point where at the end of August 1978 its boiler was able to be fired and it moved from its shed onto 150 feet of track. The running of the locomotive has been one of the highlights of the museum's annual Fall Festival each year.

The restoration is nearing completion and plans are to extend the track to 550 feet to give the narrow gauge locomotive a little more exercise.

But from its cow catcher up front to its tender behind, the last W & W locomotive will be cared for like a baby.



The years have not been kind to the old W & W station in Waynesburg.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

Normally, this column is written by John O'Hara but since he was honored by the Waynesburg Rotary Club this week for his contributions to the local scene for some 60 years, we thought it appropriate to write about John instead.

Back in 1924, John O'Hara was a Waynesburg College student. Then, as now, students were always looking for an edge when it came to paying money for something.

John saw an opportunity to get into athletic events without paying. He would cover the games and then write a line or two for area newspapers. He thus became a newspaper man and began a career that was to eventually span six decades.

Local, full-time reporters had a particular beat to cover so John was forced to go outside the usual areas to find a story. Such a story occurred when he overheard a conversation in a drug store about it always seemed to rain on July 29. That was all John needed, he managed to get a small story printed in a local paper and continued to push the story to the Pittsburgh papers over the next few years.

Eventually, the "big city" editors became interested in the off-beat story and it became an annual feature. Today, it is not unusual to see all three television networks using the story.

Although John is best known as the Rain Day publicist, it should be remembered that for many, many years he was the publicity man (unofficial and unpaid), for Waynesburg College, Greene County Memorial Hospital and the Greene County Country Club. His stories about the Greene County Horse Show played a large part in the highly successful show it has become over the years.

Three generations of local folks have enjoyed his columns and stories. Never one for formality in dress or vocation, John's "desk" has been his pockets which not only contained his notes but his grocery list, checkbook, a paycheck or two, reminders from his sister Edna and goodness knows what else.

At any given moment, John could be found swimming, jogging, skiing, roller or ice skating, pitching hay or any number of physical things except sitting down. The time of day has never had any meaning for John. He was once stopped by a state policeman on a back road in the early morning hours while jogging. The trooper, new to the area, just knew that a man running down a dirt road at that hour had to be up to something.

This is John's week. The Rain Day event which he "created" nearly 60 years ago brings with it phone calls from all over the United States. Although he has never met most of them, the nation's reporters will once again be renewing their friendship with Waynesburg's most famous newsmen.

Rain or shine, you can bet the perpetual smile will be on John's face as he once again takes his annual place in the well-deserved spotlight.

Jacktown Fair Won't Be Free

WIND RIDGE — Inflation has finally caught up with the 118-year-old Jacktown Fair — there will be an admission charge this year.

Rising costs in all areas of operation and the reduction of state aid this year have forced the fair board to charge \$1 for admission and a \$1 parking fee.

The last time anyone was charged admission was back in 1935 when the nation was suffering through the "Great Depression." A check of the board's minutes revealed patrons were charged 24 cents, plus one cent tax, for admission nearly a half-century ago. For the final day of the fair, anyone over eight years old was charged 88 cents plus two cents tax.

With state aid reduced as much as 40 percent in some areas and maintenance cost rising, the fair board had no choice but to end the "free" fair and begin charging.

Vision, Hearing Tests Offered

WAYNESBURG — Greene County residents may take advantage of free vision and hearing screenings at the Greene County Fair.

The screenings will be held on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 12, 13 under the auspices of the Waynesburg Lions Club, Lions District 14-M and Eye & Ear Hospital of Pittsburgh.

Hospital staff members will be available from 6 to 9 p.m. on both days to screen residents six years of age and older for visual acuity, glaucoma and possible hearing loss.

Eye & Ear Hospital has joined with District 14-M, which covers clubs in Fayette, Westmoreland, Greene and Somerset counties, to offer these screenings as a public service, stressing that early detection is the best defense against serious vision and hearing problems.

Kathleen Kingan, William Ritz Wed

CLARKSVILLE — A trip to Disney World and Epcot Center in Orlando, Fla., followed the wedding of Kathleen Ann Kingan and William Anthony Ritz.

They were married Saturday, July 9, 1983, in Missionary Church, Pitt Gas, near Clarksville, with the Rev. Roland Cadle officiating at the 2:30

p.m. double-ring service. Nancy Buckingham was the organist.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kingan Jr. of Clarksville. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ritz of Carmichaels R.D.2.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, selected a white organza gown with high mandarin neckline of silk venise lace enhanced with pearls, an illusion yoke, fitted bodice of chantilly lace accented with venise lace appliques and pearls, long fitted sleeves of lace with pointed cuffs, and a full skirt with chantilly lace flounce trims which swept into a chapel train.

Her matching juliet cap of lace and pearls held a fingertip veil of imported illusion, edged in rippled cording and lace. She carried a cascade of silk white roses, gardenias, lilies of the valley, orchids, fern and baby's breath, accented with a touch of lavender flowers and white lace ribbon.

Cindy Beabout of Morgantown, W.Va., attended the bride as matron of honor and Patti Kingan, sister of the bride, as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Lynn Taylor of Clarksville and Renee Magerko of Mars, cousins of the bride; Patty Waligora of Jefferson and Becky Mikalik of Carmichaels. They wore gowns of lavender dotted swiss and carried white lace fans with silk lavender and lilac roses and daisies.

Renee Remington and Steven Frammartino were the flower girl and ring bearer.

Mark Ritz of Washington served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Jay Beabout of Morgantown, brother-in-law of the bride; Steve Mikalik of Carmichaels, Chris Knight of Pittsburgh, Stu Whipkey of Carmichaels and Chuck Kubasik of Clarksville.

A reception for 450 guests was held at the Masontown Veterans of Foreign Wars home. Barb Waligors and Nanette Cyr attended the bride's book.

The bride graduated in 1977 from Jefferson-Morgan High School and in 1978 from the Greene County Vo-Tech School's Licensed Practical Nurses program. She is an emergency room nurse at Greene County Memorial Hospital.

The bridegroom graduated in 1972 from Carmichaels Area High School and in 1974 from California State College. He is employed as a miner by



MRS. WILLIAM A. RITZ

Gateway Coal Co., Waynesburg. The newlyweds are residing at Cedar Drive Townhouse A-1, Carmichaels.

Michelle Morris Wins Miss Rain Day Title

WAYNESBURG — Michelle K. Morris, 18-year-old daughter of Ivan and Margaret Morris of Waynesburg, was crowned Miss Rain Day 1983 at the annual pageant held Sunday night at Waynesburg Central High School.



MICHELLE MORRIS

Miss Morris was crowned by Julie Winslow of Carmichaels, last year's pageant winner, and Walter Christopher, president of the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce, which sponsors the event. Jessica Bree Taggart, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Taggart of Waynesburg, was the

a \$200 U.S. Savings Bond the fifth annual contest, and also received a \$50 bond as winner of the evening gown modeling portion of the pageant. She performed a modern jazz dance.

Kim Stewart, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stewart of Waynesburg, received a \$150 bond and trophy as first runner-up. Second runner-up and winner of a \$100 bond and trophy was Karla Ann Benci, 14, daughter of Daniel and Maria Benci of Mather.

Kathy Stuphin, 16, Rices Landing, was selected as Miss Photogenic, receiving a \$50 bond and trophy.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. William Knott of 2 Wedgewood Avenue, Woodbridge, N.J. are announcing the engagement of Mrs. Knott's daughter Jacquelyn J. Morris to David G. Bigos, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph J. Bigos of 142 Woodland Avenue, Fords, N.J.

Jacquelyn is a graduate of Woodbridge Senior High School and Taylor Business Institute. She is employed by M&T Chemicals, Inc. as a secretary.

David is a graduate of Woodbridge Senior High School and The Citadel, a military college in South Carolina. He is employed by the McMaster-Carr Supply as a UPS/Bin production manager.

Jacquelyn is the granddaughter of Mrs. John Wildman of Waynesburg, Robert Wells of Carmichaels and Mr. and Mrs. John Morris of Waynesburg.

A Saturday, May 26, 1984, wedding is planned.

Request Denied

HARRISBURG — The state Historic Preservation Office has turned down a request to make a large portion of Waynesburg a historic district.

The Waynesburg Economic Revitalization Corp. had hoped to place 741 parcels in the borough on the National Register of Historic Places but a spokesman in Harrisburg said the requested area was too large.

Bob Lang, director of WERC, said this week that he was surprised by the refusal because, "local people in Harrisburg felt the plan was well received."



25th Class Reunion

Waynesburg High School class of 1958 held its 25th class reunion earlier this month at the Greene County Country Club. Pictured, from left, front row: Tom Calvert, J. Kenneth Willison, William Orndorff, Alan Hoffman, Robert Dains and Lewis McNay; second row: Maralyn Rose Porter, Ellen Kay Lemley Berryhill, Janet Blaker Mawhinney, Brenda Zimmerman Black, Diane Daily Francis, Martha Moore Barnett, Barbara Haines Cowell, Patty Strawn Bennett, Mary Lee Sell Milliken, Glenda Arnold Walker; third row: Patty Kelley Renz, Penny Gardner Speelman, Linda Patton Henderson, Betty Hunnell Fritz, Ferne Walker Rogers, Katherine Statler Brand, Sallie Huffman Stennett; fourth row: Paul Keller, Thomas Hoy, Donald Cowell, Frank Remaley, James Hoy, Donald Throckmorton, Loye G. Stewart, Charles (Mickey) Clayton and Terry Patterson; back row: Charles Caldwell, Gary Cowell, John Greenlee, Thomas Parkinson and Charles Kinney. Attending but not pictured were Connie McClelland Dailey and Isaac Wood.

Elks Sponsoring Tourney

WAYNESBURG — state tournament at Elks Lodge 757 will once again sponsor a golf and tennis tournament for area youngsters on Monday, Aug. 1, at the Greene County Country Club.

Boys and girls 17 and under as of Aug. 10, 1983, are eligible to compete for the right to enter a

Couple Plan Fall Wedding

JEFFERSON — Mr. and Mrs. Alan (Rip) Jenkins of Jefferson have announced the engagement of their daughter, Valerie, to Daniel J. Belford, son of Mrs. Jean Belford of Waynesburg.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and

Bradford School of Business in Pittsburgh. She is employed at Washington and Jefferson College as a secretary. Her fiancé, also a graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School, is employed by Kiwi Fence in Waynesburg.

A September wedding is being planned.



50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Iams of Westminster, Md., formerly of Waynesburg, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception to be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday,

Aug. 14 in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church in Waynesburg. They have two daughters, Anita and Jonnetta and six grandchildren. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Wed 35 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Bell of Rices Landing R.D.1 will celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary at an open house given by their children from 3 to 7 p.m. Saturday, July 23, in the couple's home in Dry Tavern. The former Erma Jean Hardy, daughter of Mazie Hixon Hardy and Frank Fritz Hardy, and her husband, Arthur McMullen Bell, son of Annie and Lancelot Bell, were married Aug. 7, 1948, in Hagerstown, Md. Mrs. Bell was born in Clarksville on July 1, 1929. A 1947 graduate of Jefferson High School, she is a demonstrator for Toy Ladies Inc. Her husband was born in Walsend-On-Tyne, England, May 4, 1921. A 1940 graduate of East Bethlehem High School, he is a veteran of World War II, having served in the European Theater as a sergeant in the United States Army. He was a German prisoner of war. The couple are the parents of three children: Deborah Jean, wife of Walter Marshall of Dale City, Va.; Melissa Jane, wife of Dennis Odgers of Hanahan, S.C.; and Bradley Arthur Bell, at home. There are four grandchildren, Clinton Ryan and Jessica Erin Marshall and Jason Keith and Jenny Melissa Odgers.

Shelley Dawn DeLaney Weds

PROVIDENCE, R.I. — The Zion Gospel Temple at East Providence, R.I. was the setting Saturday, July 2, 1983 for the marriage of Shelly Dawn DeLaney of 846 Broadway, East Providence, and James F. Major, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond of Washington, N.J. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy DeLaney of Waynesburg R.D.4.

Dr. Leonard W. Heroo officiated at the 11 a.m. double ring ceremony, with the Rev. Nat Saginario as organist, Mrs. Nancy Crockett as pianist and Mrs. Shellie Ford as soloist. A duet was sung by Mr. and Mrs. Kris Newman.

Ella DeLaney attended her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Sheila DeLaney, sister of the bride, and Carol Major, sister of the bridegroom.

David Antolick served as best man. Bryan Cumberledge, niece of the bride, and Gerard Whipple were ushers.

A reception for 75 guests was held in the Ramada Inn at Seekonk, Mass., after which the newlyweds left for a wedding trip to Cape Cod.

Both the bride and the bridegroom at 1982 graduates of Zion Bible Institute at East Providence.

Divorces Granted

WAYNESBURG — Two final decrees in divorce were handed down Friday by the Greene County Court: Donna Lee Miller Bonar, Wind Ridge R.D.1, from Terry A. Bonar, Cameron, W.Va. They were married June 18, 1961. There are no children.

Karen Holleran Mitchell, Waynesburg, from Robert L. Mitchell, Jefferson. They were married Sept. 25, 1961. There are no children.



MRS. JAMES MAJOR

Outing Scheduled

WAYNESBURG — The annual golf outing sponsored by the Waynesburg College Yellow Jacket Boosters Club will be held Wednesday, Aug. 3, at the Greene County Country Club.

Golfers will tee off at 9 a.m. for an all-day competition during which many prizes will be awarded in several events.

Fred Wyatt, a National Football League official and former star quarterback at West Virginia University, will be the featured speaker at the banquet to be held at 7 p.m.

Cost for the all-day package which includes greens fee, dinner, refreshments and prizes is \$27.50. For the dinner only, the cost is \$12.

6 Hope To Become Miss Jacktown Fair

WIND RIDGE — Six young ladies from the west Greene area will be competing for the title of Miss Jacktown Fair this year.

Contestants are Theresa Amos, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Amos of Sycamore; Diane Carter, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carter of Holbrook; Becky Miller, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Pine Bank; Annette Tharp, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donley Weaver of Sycamore; Pam Yanak, 17, foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Jones of Rogersville; and Nancee Ziefel, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ziefel III of Graysville.

All of the contestants, along with last year's queen, will be featured in a parade to begin at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 2.

The new Miss Jacktown Fair will be crowned by 1982 Miss Jacktown, Dee Dee Gray, immediately following the parade at the grandstand show.

Comptroller of the Currency
Administrator of National Banks

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the
First National Bank of Carmichaels
Name of Bank City

In the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business on June 30, 1983
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161

Charter number _____ National Bank Region Number _____

Statement of Resources and Liabilities		Thousands of dollars	
ASSETS			
Cash and due from depository institutions		6,083	
U.S. Treasury securities		8,997	
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		11,401	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		6,978	
All other securities		1,884	
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		NONE	
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	25,864		
Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	350		
Loans, Net		25,514	
Lease financing receivables		NONE	
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		1,524	
Real estate owned other than bank premises		96	
Intangible assets		NONE	
All other assets		1,335	
TOTAL ASSETS		64,012	
LIABILITIES			
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		6,749	
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		41,833	
Deposits of United States Government		10	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		8,678	
All other deposits		NONE	
Certified and officers' checks		160	
TOTAL DEPOSITS		57,430	
Total demand deposits	8,561		
Total time and savings deposits	48,869		
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		NONE	
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other		NONE	
Liabilities for borrowed money		298	
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases		532	
All other liabilities		58,260	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)		58,260	
Subordinated notes and debentures		NONE	
MEMORANDA EQUITY CAPITAL			
Preferred stock	No shares outstanding	NONE	(par value) NONE
Common stock	No shares authorized	80,000	(par value) 800
	No shares outstanding	80,000	2,000
Surplus		2,952	
Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		5,752	
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL		64,012	
MEMORANDA EQUITY CAPITAL			
Amounts outstanding as of report date			
Standby letters of credit, total		399	
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more		4,817	
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		NONE	
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date			
Total deposits		58,484	

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Robert L. Stephenson II
Name
Controller

Emil P. DePina Jr.
Shelley W. Goodlee
Robert Andrew
Directors

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Robert L. Stephenson II
July 29, 1983

Greene County Obituaries

Walter R. Kavlick

Walter R. Kavlick, 70, of 241 Titus Street, Bobtown, died Sunday, July 24, 1983 following a long illness.

He was born January 19, 1913 at Perryopolis, Fayette County, a son of the late John and Mary Kavlick, and was a retired miner who had worked at the Jones & Laughlin Shannopin Mine at Bobtown.

He was a member of St. Ignatius Catholic Church at Bobtown; Bobtown Local 6159, United Mine Workers; the Polish-American Club at Bobtown, and Waynesburg Elks Lodge 757.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Auther Kavlick; three sons, Vincent J. Kavlick of Springfield, Va., Linus H. Kavlick of Dallas, Texas, and CPO David L. Kavlick, serving with the Navy at Linticum, Md.; two daughters, Mrs. James (Mary Jo) Hood of Connellsville and Mrs. Kenneth (Lucille) Fralick of Knoxville, Tenn.; four grandchildren; two brothers, Thomas Kavlick of Bobtown and Paul Kavlick of Painesville, Ohio, and four sisters, Mrs. Mary Pesosky of Bobtown, Mrs. Lucille Mohar of Marlow Heights, Md., Mrs. Anna Miller of Bobtown and Mrs. Dorothy Kravats of Monessen.

A son, Bernard R. Kavlick, and four brothers, John, Frank, Stanley and David Kavlick, are deceased.

Eva D. John

Eva D. John, 99, of 166 West Wayne Street, Waynesburg, died at 4 p.m. Thursday, July 21, 1983, in Greene County Memorial Hospital. She had been seriously ill for the past 10 days.

She was born June 22, 1884, in Perry Township, a daughter of David L. and Sarah Eliza Headlee. Her husband, Forney W. John, died March 14, 1932.

Mrs. John had spent her early life in Perry Township and had resided at Waynesburg since 1925. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Waynesburg, and at the time of her death was its oldest member. She was also a member of the Worth-while Bible Class of the church, United Methodist Women, the Polly Wayne Garden Club, and the Pleasant Hour Club.

Surviving are one daughter, Mary Lou Cunningham, of Waynesburg; five grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are an infant sister and three brothers, Harry J., Clarence, and Floyd Headlee.

Catherine Y. Nemek

Catherine Yorko Nemek, 96, Mather, died at 8 a.m. Friday, July 22, 1983 at Finleyville after a long illness.

She was born December 24, 1886 in Fayette County, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Orban, and had resided most of her life at Mather. Both her first husband, Mike Yorko, and her second husband, Anthony Nemek, are deceased.

Mrs. Nemek was a member of St. Marcellus Catholic Church at Jefferson.

Surviving are two sons, Michael Yorko of Meadowslands and Thomas Nemek of Finleyville; 11 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren, and two sisters, Mary Patrick of Parma Heights, Ohio, and Sophie Kupchick of Kingman, Ariz.

Three sons, Joseph, Victor and Steve Yorko, are deceased.

Anna Y. Ludrosky

Anna Yadesky Ludrosky, 80, Greensboro, died at 3:20 p.m. Saturday, July 23, 1983 in Greene County Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

She was born April 67, 1903 at Filbert, a daughter of Martin and Mary Yadesky, and had resided at Greensboro for the past 53 years. She was a member of the Holy Family Church at Greensboro and of the Rosary-Altar Society of the church.

Surviving are her husband, Michael S. Ludrosky; three daughters, Mrs. Sheldon (Alice) Antal of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. William (Mary Jane) Bell of Avon, Ohio, and Mrs. Thomas (Dorothy) Bohan of Greensboro, and three grandchildren.

A grandson; three sisters, Helen Kovalcheck, Ethel Frank and Mary George, and two brothers, Andrew and Steve Yadesky, are deceased.

Ralph B. DeBolt

Ralph B. DeBolt, 61, of Fort Pierce, Fla., formerly of Waynesburg, died Wednesday, July 20, 1983, in Florida following a four-month illness.

A U.S. Customs official, he was born August 22, 1921, in Waynesburg to Ralph B. and Lula Keenen DeBolt. He was a graduate of Waynesburg High School in 1939 and served with the U.S. Air Force during World War II.

Surviving are his wife Blanche, a son Carl of West Hollywood, Fla.; his stepmother, Mrs. Ann Riley DeBolt of Carmichaels; two brothers, Paul of Logan, Ohio and Jerry of Waynesburg; and three stepchildren, Roberta, Jollene and Greg.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday in Greene County Memorial Park with the Rev. David L. Barrett officiating.

Howard McClelland

Howard McClelland, 75, Wind Ridge, died at 6:20 p.m. Sunday, July 24, 1983, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was born August 28, 1907, in Centralia, Wash., a son of Oliver H. and Joan McQuiston McClelland. He had resided most of his life in South Hills, Pittsburgh, and had made his home in Wind Ridge for the past 10 years.

Mr. McClelland had worked as a steamfitter for much of his life and was a member of Steamfitters Local 449.

He also was a member of Fairview United Methodist Church. Masonic affiliations included membership in John A. Brashear Lodge 743, Dormont; Lodge Council Chapter Consistory; Scottish Rite, Valley of Pittsburgh, and Syria Temple, Pittsburgh. He was a member of the Richhill Township Volunteer Fire Co.

Surviving are his wife, Lois Vann McClelland; three sons, O. Howard McClelland of Little Rock, Ark., Thomas McClelland of Reading and James McClelland of Pittsburgh; four grandchildren, and a brother, William McClelland of Akron, Ohio.

A brother, Samuel McClelland, is deceased.

Paul F. Randolph

Paul F. (Painter) Randolph, 77, of 782 Race Street, Waynesburg, died at 10:57 a.m. Tuesday, July 26, 1983, at Greene County Memorial Hospital. His death of an apparent heart attack was unexpected.

He was born November 29, 1905, at Waynesburg, a son of William F. and Suda Grove Randolph. On June 29, 1927, he married Ruth Flowers, who survives.

Mr. Randolph had lived all his life at Waynesburg where he was a member of the First Christian Church and the Men's Bible Class of the church. A veteran of World War II, he served in the U.S. Army with the 113th Cavalry. He was also a member of Waynesburg VFW Post 4793, Waynesburg American Legion Post 330, life member of Waynesburg Elks Lodge 757, and the Quarter Century Club of Peoples Natural Gas Co.

For four years he was deputy Greene County Sheriff under the late Henry Flowers. In 1967 he retired from the Peoples Natural Gas Co. following 25 years service.

Surviving in addition to his wife, Ruth Flowers Randolph, are one sister, Mrs. George D. (Daisy) Black, of Waynesburg, and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are two sisters, Bernice White and Mary Morris.

S. Robert Hewitt

S. Robert Hewitt, 76, of 838 Borders Circle, Apartment 52, Orlando, Fla., formerly of Wind Ridge, died in his home Saturday, July 16, 1983, after a long illness.

He was born December 27, 1906, the only child of Harry and Peg Courtwright Hewitt.

Mr. Hewitt graduated from Richhill Township High School, Wind Ridge, in 1927. He became a highway construction worker with Tri-State Engineering Company in November 1928 and continued in that work until 1973, when he retired due to ill health. Mr. Hewitt was a member of First Baptist Church of Pine Castle, Fla., where he was a deacon and Sunday school teacher.

Surviving are his wife, Mildred Dillie Hewitt, whom he married October 13, 1928; two daughters, Mrs. Joan Willis of Leesburg, Fla., and Mrs. Jane Brown of Orlando, Fla.; one son, David Robert Hewitt in the South Pacific; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services and interment were in Orlando.

Marie Yeager

Marie Yeager, 68, Waynesburg R.D.2, died after a long illness at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, July 23, 1983 in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

She was a daughter of the late Pet Rhodes and Emma Moore Rhodes and was born September 14, 1914 at Waynesburg. She resided most of her life on South Morgan Street.

On August 25, 1931 she married Thomas L. Yeager. He died April 12, 1974.

Mrs. Yeager had worked as a clerk at Howard's Grocery Store. She was a member of the Church of God of Prophecy in West Waynesburg.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Genevieve) Brewer of Pittsburgh; two grandsons, Chris and Craig Brewer of Pittsburgh, and a sister, Mrs. Opal Howard of Waynesburg.

Two brothers, Clarence and James Rhoades, and a sister, Thelma Watson, are deceased. Three daughters and a son died in infancy.

Picket Injured

MASONTOWN — A picket at a strip mining site near the Hatfield Ferry Power Station was treated and released from Greene County Memorial Hospital Tuesday after being struck on the arm by a truck mirror.

According to state police, Thomas E. Samek of Crucible was standing on a private drive when James V. Fillaggi went by in a truck. A mirror on the truck struck Samek on the upper arm.

The incident occurred at 9:45 a.m. just off Route 21 near the Masontown Bridge.

Clyde Campbell

Clyde H. Campbell, 76, of Mt. Morris R.D.1, died Tuesday, July 26, 1983, in his home.

He was born March 29, 1907, in Kitzmiller, Md., a son of Benjamin and Alberta Phillips Campbell.

Mr. Campbell lived in the Mt. Morris area for the past 30 years. Before retiring, he was a custodian at West Virginia University.

He was a member of the Buckeye United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Bernice Fetty Campbell; one son, Harold C. Campbell of Mt. Morris; two daughters, Mrs. Harold (Sandra) John of Carmichaels and Mrs. James (Carol) Gallion of Painesville, Ohio; four sisters, Alice Underwood and Mrs. Ruth Broadwater, both of Deer Park, Md., Mrs. Margaret Leidinger of Cumberland, Md. and Mrs. James Smith of Lock-Lynn, Md.; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Five brothers, three sisters and one grandchild are deceased.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday. Burial in Olive Cemetery, Pentress, W.Va.

Susie D. Miller

Susie D. Miller, 77, of Jefferson, was dead on arrival at Greene County Memorial Hospital at 2:38 p.m. Monday, July 25, 1983. Her death was unexpected.

She was born January 21, 1906, in Bullsikin Township, Fayette County, a daughter of James and Nancy Heck Stouffer. Her husband, Elmer S. Miller, died July 20, 1947.

Mrs. Miller had lived most of her life in the Jefferson area. She was an active member of the Jefferson United Methodist Church, a member of the Philaphea Class of the church, and the United Methodist Women. She was also a member of the Jefferson Volunteer Fire Co. Auxiliary, and had been an active volunteer for the Greene County Unit, American Cancer Society for over 25 years. At the time of her death she was a member of the Board of Directors of the Greene County Unit.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. William (Deloris) Young, of Jefferson, Mrs. Gloria Dunseath, of Mather, and Mrs. William (Agatha) Virgin, of Jefferson, five grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Mrs. Miller was the last of her family. Deceased are one grandson, Bruce Young, two sisters, Mary Stouffer and Annie Davis, and six brothers, Jake, Jerry, William, Paul, Ape, and Rayburn Young.

Lawsuit Dropped

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Court Tuesday approved discontinuance of a lawsuit brought against a Fayette County Coal company by the Monongahela Township board of supervisors.

Withdrawal of the action was approved after the township reached agreement with the Filiaggi Coal Co., Masontown, regarding maintenance of a township road being used by heavily-laden coal trucks moving in and out of a surface mine being operated by Filiaggi.

In exchange for being permitted to exceed the township's 10-ton road weight limit, the coal company has agreed to properly maintain some 5,000 feet of Township Route 688 and has posted a \$17,500 cash bond to guarantee performance.

Under the agreement, if the company fails to make any proper repairs after being notified to do so, the township can have its crews do the work and withdraw the costs from the bond money. The company would then be required to bring the bond back up to \$17,500 or lose its permit to use the road.

2 Countians Hurt In Fatal Accident

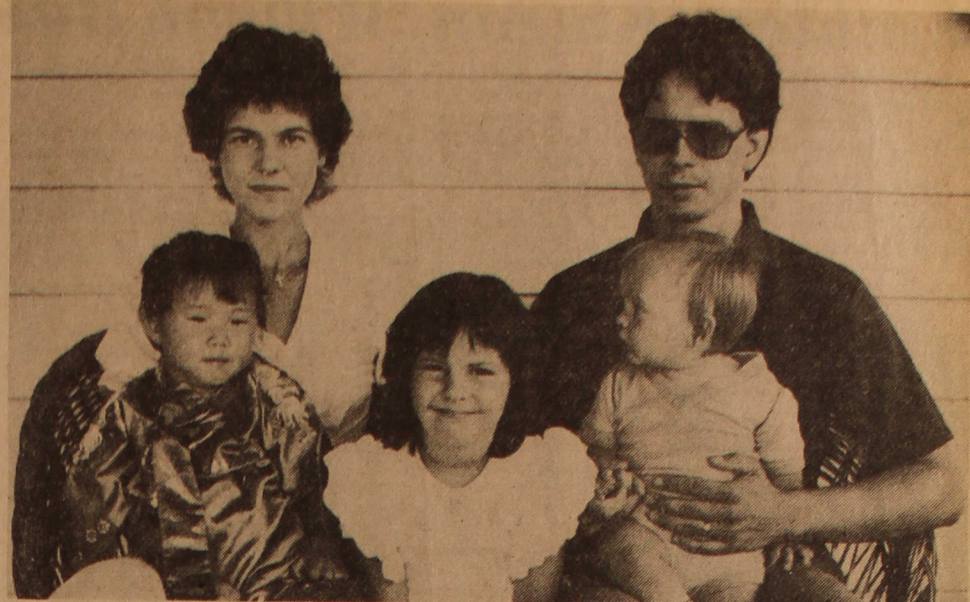
BLACKSVILLE, W.Va. — Two persons were killed and three injured, including two from Greene County, in a head-on collision at 5:36 p.m. Saturday on Route 7, one mile east of Blacksville.

Monongalia County Sheriff Joseph Janco said Mrs. Olive Eddy, 68, and Mrs. Thorne Fox, 79, both of Core R.D.1, W.Va., were dead on arrival at West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown. They were passengers in a car operated by Mrs. Eddy's husband, Carl Eddy, who is listed in serious condition in the hospital's intensive care unit.

The other car was operated by Cathy McClure, 24, Brave. She and her sister, Linda Whipkey, 18, also of Brave, suffered multiple injuries. They are listed in fair condition in the Morgantown hospital.

Monongalia County Emergency Service rescue personnel were called to the scene by Blacksville firemen to extricate some of the victims trapped in the vehicles, both of which were demolished.

Janco said that details of the accident will not be available until completion of an investigation by sheriff's deputies Karl Pase and Herman Reid.



Dale and Sharon Sands with their children, from left, Amy, Dana and Matt.

Family Opens Heart To New Little Citizen

By Jim Moore, Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — Amy Sands, who lives with her parents near Love's Hill, recently became a U.S. citizen and she didn't have to answer any questions or take a test.

A few months ago Amy faced the possibility of a long, cruel life on the streets of a Korean city. Of course she was known then as Joo Eun Hea and was only 4 months old.

However, through the efforts of Love The Children Adoption Agency, Amy faces a bright future with loving parents, a brother and sister, and a nice home just off Route 21, three miles east of Waynesburg.

It all happened because of a strange series of events that began in Baltimore, Md., some 10 years ago.

Dale Sands, a resident of Baltimore, wanted to attend Locomotive College in Pennsylvania and study biology. He filled out the necessary admission papers, but a school official suggested he make a second choice just in case. Dale arbitrarily made Waynesburg College his second choice, although he had never been to Greene County.

Following graduation from high school, he visited the Waynesburg College campus and liked what he saw. He enrolled and eventually graduated in 1973 with a science degree and landed a job with Greenway Manufacturing Co.

He also had begun courting his hometown sweetheart, Sharon. They were married soon after she graduated from high school and he from college.

They decided the quiet, unhurried life in Greene County was perfect for raising children and daughter, Dana, was born in 1978. They wanted more children, but doctors told them it probably wouldn't happen.

After checking with area adoption agencies and finding it could take up to 10 years to get a child, they heard about the Love The Children Adoption Agency. They decided to adopt in August 1981 and applied for a child. In March 1982, they traveled to New York and received 4-month-old Joo Eun.

Within a few days after welcoming their new daughter, Mrs. Sands went for her yearly physical checkup and found out she was pregnant. Matt, now 9 months old, is a typical active boy and delights in pulling the hair of anyone within reach.

The adoption agency has placed between 60 and 70 Korean children in the western Pennsylvania area and the parents have organized a support group that meets periodically for fund-raisers and general discussion groups.

Joo Eun Hea is now officially called Amy Ruth Eun Sands. Dale and Sharon felt they should keep part of her Korean name because she will want to retain her heritage in some way. Eun means "blessing" in Korean.

Dale, who several years ago left Greenway to become a coal mine foreman in Fredericktown, said the family constantly draws stares with two children near the same age but noticeably of different races. Sharon, who operates a computer at Greenway, pays little attention to the stares.

They were told Amy was the child of an unwed mother in Korea and such children have little chance for a normal life. "Her mother would not be accepted socially for having a

Course Offered

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Department of Parks and Recreation will hold a one-day Hunter Safety Course from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 6, in its office, located on the basement floor of the Old County Office Building in Waynesburg.

The course covers firearm safety, hunting ethics and conservation. It is required for all persons who have not previously had a hunting license in the state of Pennsylvania before they can receive a license.

child out of wedlock," Sharon said. "Even if the mother would marry, her husband would have no time for the child."

However, Sharon was quick to point out that Amy's natural mother "must have loved her child very much to give it up for adoption. She knew that was her only chance for a normal life."

From the time she was 2 days old until her American adoption, Amy was placed in a foster home in Korea. Amy recently received her citizenship papers during ceremonies

held at the U.S. Immigration office in Pittsburgh. The Sands family was thoroughly checked by immigration officials before the final papers were issued.

Amy, who remains wary around strangers, appears to inspect everyone with her huge brown eyes and after "passing inspection" readily makes friends.

It seems very appropriate the Sands family should be living on Love's Hill because the love is quite apparent among the five members of the family.

Mine Rescue Contest To Open Coal Show

CARMICHAELS — The Pennsylvania Mine Rescue Contest will once again be the opening event for the State Bituminous Coal Show at Carmichaels. This year's contest will be held Saturday, Aug. 20, at the high school athletic field.

The program will begin at 8:30 a.m. with the invocation by Rev. Donald Gillenwater of the First Baptist Church in Carmichaels followed by the presentation of the

colors by Boy Scout Troop 1262. Sara L. Ruth, president of the King Coal Association, will then read the official proclamation to open the show. Martin Conners, president of the Pennsylvania Bituminous Safety Association, will give the welcome address.

Guests will be introduced from UMW District 2 in Ebsenburg, District 4 in Masontown and District 5 in Belle Vernon. Richard Trunka, president of the UMW, will deliver the main address.

The mine contest will begin at 9:15 a.m.

Jefferson Man Is Re-Elected

HARRISBURG — John Titus of Jefferson, who served as Legion State Commander in 1976, has been re-elected a member of the Legion State Finance Committee for the Western Section.

Currently serving as committee chairman, Titus was re-elected during the 65th annual convention held in Pittsburgh.

Public Notices

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF JOHN KAHULA
late of Waynesburg Borough
Greene County, Pennsylvania,
deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.

Charles Patterson
153 West Elm Street
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370
Executor
MAXWELL AND DAVIS
R. WALLACE MAXWELL
Attorney
7-22,29; 8-5

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF FREDERICK I. SNYDER late of Perry 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.

Susan Virginia Snyder
Fox
P.O. Box 279
Mt. Morris, Pa. 15349
Executor
MAXWELL AND DAVIS
R. WALLACE MAXWELL
Attorney
7-15,22,29

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF HARRY E. REYNOLDS of Jefferson 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.

James C. Reynolds
106 C East George Street
Carmichaels, Pa. 15320
Executor
MAXWELL AND DAVIS
R. WALLACE MAXWELL
Attorney
7-15,22,29

Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
TO: ISAAC STEWART, his executors, administrators, heirs, successors and assigns.
TAKE NOTICE that on July 20, 1983, Arlene H. Altschuler and B. M. Altschuler, her husband, Plaintiffs, filed a Complaint in Action to Quiet Title against you in the Court of Common Pleas of Greene County, Pennsylvania, at A. D. NO. 726, 1983, claiming that they are the owners of the following described tracts of land:

TRACT NO. 1: BEGINNING at a point sixty feet East of the Northeast corner of the intersection of Franklin Street and Alley "C"; thence in a Northernly direction 87.06 feet to Purman Run; thence by Purman Run and Alley "D"; 70.75 feet to a point; thence on a Southernly direction, 49.54 feet to the North side of Franklin Street; thence in a Westerly direction along the North Side of Franklin Street, sixty feet to a point, the place of beginning.

EXCEPTING AND RESERVING thereout and therefrom all rights in coal and minerals as previously conveyed.

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