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## Borough Proposes Budget With No Tax Hike

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg Borough Council Monday gave preliminary approval to a proposed budget for 1984 totaling \$702,769.

All tax levies will remain at their current levels.

Council President Glenn Richards said it was possible to hold the line on taxes because some two-thirds of a \$70,000 indebtedness incurred in 1982 was paid off in 1983 with the nine-mill property tax hike enacted for this year, and because of a 1983 austerity program which included a freeze on all non-contract salaries.

The major revenue producer is the 31-mill real estate levy, which includes three mills for fire protection and one mill for debt reduction. Other taxes include a \$125 business privilege tax, \$75 tax on coin-operated amusement devices, \$10 occupation tax, \$5 per capita tax, an 0.5 percent earned income tax, and 0.5 percent realty transfer tax.

The nine members of council again this year will relinquish the \$75 per month salary they gave up this year, but other borough employees are scheduled for wage increases with the

exception of patrolmen, whose current contract with the borough expires on Dec. 31. Council has budgeted wages of the five patrolmen at their current levels since they had a contracted pay raise in 1983, but the patrolmen have asked for arbitration to decide the issue.

Most of the discussion at the meeting centered on a proposal by the safety committee that the police chief and lieutenant be given wage increases of \$4,000 (20 percent) in 1984, which would boost their salaries to \$24,000 and \$22,000, respectively.

There were only five of the nine council members at the meeting and only one of them, Kenneth Faux, is a member of the safety committee. He said the committee feels the raises are amply justified due to the amount of overtime which both the chief and the lieutenant worked during the past year without any additional compensation — overtime made necessary by a reduction in the size of the police department and reduction in the amount of overtime a patrolman was permitted to work.

"We have two excellent people here and the amount of overtime they

put in during the past year was extraordinary," he said. "If patrolmen had worked that many hours overtime the amount we would have paid would have far exceeded the \$4,000 salary increases we are asking for."

The other four council members present felt, however, that some other arrangement can be worked out between now and budget adoption on Dec. 12 and they voted to cut the increases to \$2,000 each, to bring them more into line with salary increases budgeted for other department heads and employees. It was noted, for example, that the borough secretary, who has assumed many of the duties of a borough manager, is scheduled to receive just \$1,200.

Richards and other council members who voted to cut the size of the raise — Dr. Joseph Stewart, Beverly Krill and Charles Beiter — noted that the matter is still subject to negotiation until the budget is finalized.

The only other change made was to restore a \$1,000 allocation to the borough recreation board as an appropriation from revenue sharing funds. The action was taken during a

public hearing on the revenue sharing budget, which is still very indefinite because the borough has not been notified as yet as to how much it will receive. The 1983 allocation of \$67,000 was \$12,000 less than the preceding year, and council is anticipating another reduction this year.

The cost of police protection, which is estimated at \$174,076, is the largest single expense in the general fund budget, followed by a "miscellaneous" category which includes social security, retirement, medical benefits, unemployment compensation and insurance, estimated at \$117,100.

The cost of street maintenance and

improvements is estimated at \$102,200; operation of the sanitary sewer system is pegged at \$63,950 and general government is earmarked at \$67,443.

In the other development at the meeting, an elderly resident of the East End appeared before council to complain about slow police response to her call for help when a young man came to her house late Friday night, demanded to see her husband, and refused to leave after she denied him admittance to her house.

She said that 15 minutes after she made her call she was called back and told that the police officer on duty was tied up with a situation involving

a malfunctioning burglar alarm, and that it was more than 45 minutes before a patrol car drove past her house.

"My life could have been in danger but I did not get the police protection I needed," she said, adding that the would-be intruder had lingered for some time on her front steps but had left before police arrived.

Council responded by promising to investigate the complaint, but noted that with the reduced force there is just one officer on duty at night.

"I do think, though, that where there is a possible threat to life it should take precedence over any property crime," Richards said.

## Consol Files Lawsuit

WAYNESBURG — The right of a coal company to enter upon property it does not own to mine underlying coal, based on deed rights given when the coal was sold and without the payment of damages, will be tested in the Greene County Court.

Consolidation Coal Co. filed an equity action Tuesday asking the court to grant an injunction to restrain the owners of property in

Gilmore Township from interfering with its right to drill methane drainage holes into Pittsburgh Coal underlying the property. Defendants are Robert Lee of Bethel Park and William E. Holt of McMurray.

According to the complaint, Consolidation purchased Pittsburgh coal under the 300 acre tract in 1961 from Edward F. and Mary D. Hagan and others. In doing so, the company also

acquired the original right-of-way, which was given when the coal was originally "severed" from the surface in 1945.

Among other things, it gives the owner of the coal "free and uninterrupted right-of-way" onto and across the surface property "to mine, ventilate or transport" coal.

Consolidation's complaint states that it is currently mining the underlying coal as part of its Blacksville No. 2 mining operation and has reached the point where it is necessary to drill methane drainage holes to ventilate hazardous coal gas from the mine.

The defendants, it states, are denying them access to their property to drill the holes "unless Consolidation agrees to pay the defendants an unreasonable and exorbitant sum of money and to perform other unnecessary and unrelated work on the property."

It is noted that the two defendants purchased the land in 1980 from Jacob R. and Louise M. Pursell, getting a deed which reserved the coal and referred to the access rights granted to owners of the coal.

No hearing has been scheduled as yet on the request for the injunction to bar the defendants from denying Consolidation access to the property.

## Deer Hunters Fill County

WAYNESBURG — If film makers had found their way to Greene County Monday the title of their epic would have been, "The Invasion of the Deer Hunters."

However, they would have had a rough time getting through the traffic. Waynesburg's High Street was bumper-to-bumper heading west in the morning and Greene Street was in the same condition at 6 p.m. with traffic heading east.

Steve Kleiner, state game protector for eastern Greene County, reported an increase of five to 10 percent in the number of hunters over last year. Although officials were expecting an increase, they were surprised it turned out that way because of the early morning rain.

Kleiner said it was a busy day but only minor violations were found. "I saw several nice racks including a very healthy eight-point," Kleiner said.

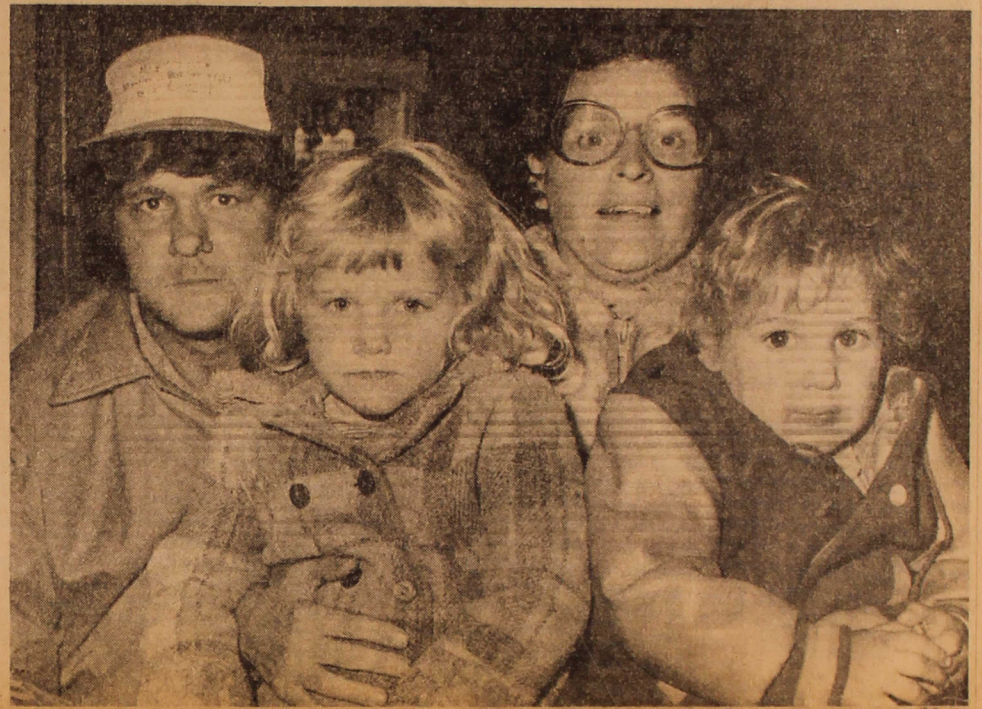
Rifle shots made a lot of noise in Greene County Monday but a sweeter noise was reported by local merchants — the sound of cash register drawers ringing open.

Local restaurants, especially those along Route 21 in the Morrisville section of Franklin Township, had their busiest days since last hunting season.

Tom Hill, owner of the Waynesburg Restaurant, said he served 150 hunters between 4 and 6 a.m. McDonalds opened early to a large crowd of hunters and Hardee's said they were busier than usual because of the hunters.

The Greene County treasurer's office remained open on Friday, Saturday and Sunday for the convenience of hunters and were busy each day. According to deputy, Donna Huffman, the office sold 140 resident licenses, six senior licenses, nine junior licenses, 64 non-resident licenses, six replacement licenses and 275 doe permits. There were also 128 gun permits issued.

The office took in some \$6,000, most of which goes to the state.



Stranded Nevada couple in Waynesburg with their children, C.J. and Mary

## Stranded Family: 'We'll Be All Right If We Get Home'

WAYNESBURG — They were hitchhiking south on Interstate 79 when Washington County Coroner Farrell Jackson spotted them Friday morning — a man and a woman and two small children obviously chilled by the snow-spitting cold.

Even though he was driving north toward Washington, his concern prompted Jackson to get off at the Ruff Creek exit and drive back toward Waynesburg to see if they had had car trouble and were stranded.

It turned out they had no car but definitely were in trouble. But before too many hours had passed they got the help they needed, courtesy of the Red Cross office at Waynesburg.

Jackson learned that Bill and his family — the Red Cross asked that full names not be used — had come to Pittsburgh by bus on one-way tickets from their home near Las Vegas, Nev., to visit his aging father as a Thanksgiving surprise. When they got

there, he and his wife and their 2½-year-old twin son and daughter, C.J. and Mary, found that Bill's father had been forced to sell his home and was living alone in one room.

"We had hoped he could loan us the bus fare home, but he didn't even have room to put us up for the night," Bill said.

They spent Thursday in the least-expensive motel they could find, had chipped ham sandwiches for their Thanksgiving dinner, and started out Friday morning to hitchhike home with less than \$20 in their possession.

Jackson took them to a fast-food restaurant at the Waynesburg interchange and treated them to breakfast, after which contact was made with the Red Cross office.

Mary Collins, chairman of the Greene County Chapter, didn't hesitate.

"Bring them on up and we'll see what we can do," she said.

It turned out that Bill was a former Marine and that helped, because, as Miss Collins explained, the Red Cross is specifically charged by Congress with assisting servicemen and veterans in emergencies.

After a minimum of questions, the Red Cross provided the family with bus tickets to Pittsburgh and from there to Las Vegas, as well as with enough money for food during the three-day trip.

"When we started out, we knew it would be a tough five days on the road and that's why we were headed south before going west," Bill said. "We wanted to get out of the cold weather as soon as possible for the sake of the children."

The ex-Marine, who works at a truck stop in the small town where he lives, said they would be all right when they get home.

"We'll never forget what Mr. Jackson and you people in Waynesburg did for us," he said.

## Former Greene County Man Given Life Prison Sentence

GREENVILLE, Ohio — A former Greene County man has been sentenced to life in prison for various sex crimes and his wife sentenced to 15 to 75 years in prison for complicity.

Thomas Edward Renz, 45, formerly of West Finley R.D. 1 was recently found guilty of eight counts of rape and one count of felonious sexual

penetration. Dark County Judge Lee A. Bixler sentenced Renz to a life sentence plus 15 years because one of the victims was under the age of 13 and force was used. Such circumstances call for a mandatory life sentence in Ohio.

Renz' wife Ruth, 39, who also went by the names of Ruth Jordan and Ruth Beall, was found guilty of six counts of complicity. She was sentenced to not less than 15 years nor more than 75 years in the state penitentiary.

Lee Fry, the Dark County prose-

cutor, told the court Renz had been found guilty in Greene County on March 15, 1974, of sex-related crimes. Renz was charged with five counts of rape and five counts of incest between November 1972 and February 1973 in Richhill Township.

Renz was sentenced to 20 years at the Huntington State Correctional Facility. He was released on \$25,000 bond during his appeal but fled the area and assumed another name.

Renz was arrested May 20 in Ohio and charged with the latest offenses which occurred in March.

## Hunter Dies Of Gunshot

NEW FREEPORT — The body of a 19-year-old Clairton hunter was found at 8:40 p.m. Monday along TR 403 in Jackson Township, the apparent victim of an accidental shooting.

David G. Stepaniak of 381 New York Avenue was pronounced dead at the scene by Deputy Coroner F. Charles Behm. He had been shot in the face with a 30.06 bullet.

According to state police, the victim was sitting next to a tree and was in the process of eating. His rifle had

apparently fallen and discharged into his face.

Stepaniak, a 1982 graduate of Clairton High School, was hunting with his brother Robert and another friend. He was last seen about 10:30 a.m. when the trio separated.

Sources said it was the second year Stepaniak had gone hunting in the state game lands. He had brought down a buck last year.

The incident is being investigated by the Pennsylvania State Police and the Pennsylvania Game Commission.

## Water Authority Wants Court To Order Cutoff

WAYNESBURG — An association which administers municipal services in the unincorporated town of Nemaacolin has asked the Greene County Court to define the state law which requires water authorities to withhold service to customers who fail to pay their sewerage bills.

Nemaacolin Inc., in an equity action filed Tuesday, has asked the court to order the Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority to cut off water service to some 30 households which owe in excess of \$5,000 for sewerage service provided by the plaintiffs.

The complaints states that even though an agreement exists which gives Southwestern the power to shut off the water supply of delinquent property owners, the authority has refused to comply with the agreement on the grounds that state law limits it to exercising that power on behalf of incorporated townships and boroughs.

Nemaacolin Inc., the complaint explains, was incorporated in 1946 as an association of some 400 home owners in the village of Nemaacolin, which is located in Cumberland Township. It took over and assumed responsibility for services previously provided through the Buckeye Coal Co., owners of the Nemaacolin mine.

Through its board of directors, the association administers municipal services, including sewerage service, street lighting, garbage collection and fire protection, and also administers a community playground and recreation program.

The complaint asks the court to define the legal definition of a municipality, with Nemaacolin Inc. contending that even though the town is a part of Cumberland Township, the association has the status of a municipality in terms of providing municipal services.

## Franklin Budget Shows No Increase In Taxes

WAYNESBURG — The Franklin Township Supervisors Monday adopted a tentative \$468,995 budget for 1984 without a raise in taxes.

Township residents will continue to pay five mills for general purposes, two mills for fire protection and one mill for the machinery fund.

In addition, the township will levy a \$5 per capita tax, a half-percent deed transfer and earned income tax and a \$10 occupation privilege tax. All taxes are expected to bring the township \$271,546.

Although expenses continue to rise, the township was able to hold the line on taxes because of healthy "year-end" balances including \$204,000 in the general fund. Solitor William Hook also cited the supervisors for good fiscal management during the past year.

Franklin is expected to receive \$106,000 in liquid fuel tax money from the state with \$24,000 of this earmarked for road improvements. The supervisors have budgeted \$301,000 for road work next year with the entire \$65,000 in federal revenue sharing funds in 1984 and the remaining \$17,000 from 1983 going for this purpose.

Other major expenditures for 1984 will include \$63,195 for general government and \$67,500 for insurance and employee benefits.

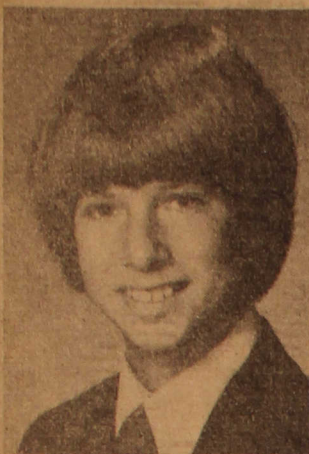
The two-mill fire protection tax is expected to generate \$41,000 of which all will go to the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Company. The \$20,000 from the one-mill machinery tax will be used exclusively for purchase of new equipment.

The township will also have a capi-



THOMAS RENZ

# Attend the Church of Your Choice Regularly



**TOP STUDENT** — Travis Metz, a student at Phillips Academy in Andover, Mass., was recently honored by John Hopkins University for his mathematical skills. More than 100 students from Maine and Massachusetts were tested for verbal and/or mathematical skills in a talent search conducted by the university's Center for the Advancement of Academically Talented Youth. Over 16,000 seventh-grade students and under-age eighth-grade students were tested from Maine through Virginia. More than 40 percent of these students scored higher on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) than does the average college-bound high school senior. Travis, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Russell McKee of Mt. Morris, scored the highest in math among Maine students and was the highest in combined scores.



## THE DAY THE COMPUTER FAILED

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Thank the Lord that all of life cannot be programmed like a computer. There are values and realities—precious ones—which defy mathematical expression.

We will be looking for you in Church next week. We are the millions of your neighbors who are seeking and finding spiritual answers to life's problems.

Sunday  
AM  
Deuteronomy  
5:1-22  
PM  
Matthew  
10:1-15  
Monday  
AM  
Psalm  
3:1-8  
PM  
John  
13:1-20  
Tuesday  
AM  
Psalm  
118:1-29  
PM  
Acts  
8:26-40  
Wednesday  
AM  
Isaiah  
40:12-31  
PM  
Ephesians  
4:17-32

Thursday  
AM  
Psalm  
100:1-5  
PM  
Philippians  
4:10-20  
Friday  
AM  
Jeremiah  
17:5-13  
PM  
1 John  
2:1-17  
Saturday  
AM  
Isaiah  
65:17-25  
PM  
Hebrews  
4:1-13

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#### 88TH BIRTHDAY

Calvin Smitley of North Morris Street, Waynesburg, was recently honored on the occasion of his 88th birthday on November 28.

A family party was held Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wilma Havanis of Carmichaels.

He has nine children including Mrs. Havanis, Herbert Smitley of Mather, Mrs. Frank Burich of Mather, Gertrude Krieger of Carmichaels, Arthur Smitley of Mather, Elmer Smitley of Waynesburg, Mrs. James Henrich of Carmichaels, Joann Newill of Carmichaels and William Smitley in Ohio.

He also has 23 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

#### 99TH BIRTHDAY

A. Lee Blair, who operated a hardware store in Waynesburg for many years, will be celebrating his 99th birthday Sunday, Dec. 4, at the Deluxe Care Inn, 1820 Shore Drive South, St. Petersburg, Fla.

He has four sons, William J. and Woodward, both of Waynesburg; Oliver, of Clearwater, Fla.; and Wayne, of Hampton, Va., and a daughter, Benita Blair Devinney of Charlestown, W. Va.

#### 89th BIRTHDAY

Orlen McCullough of Moundsville, W. Va., formerly of Aleppo, will celebrate his 89th birthday on Tuesday, Nov. 29. His address is 515 10th Street, Apartment 311, Moundsville, W. Va. 26041.

#### ROSARY SOCIETY

The Rosary Altar Society of the Holy Family Church at Greensboro made plans for its annual Christmas dinner at a meeting held last week.

The dinner will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 4, in the church social hall and is open to both members and non-members. Reservations are to be made with Mary Burich or Mary Ann Kushner by Saturday, Nov. 26. Members attending are asked to bring small gifts as game prizes.

President Stella Roebuck announced that 906 pounds of clothing were collected during the annual clothing drive.

She also announced that a deanery meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 11.

#### COMPLETES TRAINING

Navy Airman Recruit Daniel E. Fuller, son of Samuel E. and Vivian J. Fuller of Waynesburg, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

### Group Seeking Toys For Tots

The Tri-County Leathernecks will again be sponsoring Toys for Tots and delivering food baskets.

Anyone interested in donating new or usable toys, games, canned goods, or non-perishable food may drop them off at the locations listed below. Any checks or donations should be made out to Tri-County Leathernecks, Box 264-A, Rices Landing, Pa. 15357.

The drop off points are as follows: Brownsville Telegraph, Russell's Used Cars and Dimensional Hairstyling at Carmichaels, Caputo's Tavern in Dry Tavern, First Federal Savings drive-in facility in Waynesburg, Stan-Lees Dairy Bar in Crucible and the Memacolin Market in Nemaocolin. Should there be any questions call 969-2400 or 592-9559.

## GREENE COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

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

WAYNESBURG — The First Christian Church of Waynesburg was the setting Saturday, Nov. 12, 1983, for the wedding of Brenda Renee Kesner and Steven Douglas Dulaney.

The Rev. Kenneth Thomas officiated at the double ring ceremony at 1:30 p.m., with Mrs. Helen Woods as organist.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kesner of Mt. Morris Star Route, Waynesburg. The bridegroom is a son of Thomas J. Dulaney of Ridgway and Mrs. Martha Jean Weaver of Waynesburg.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She selected a floor-length gown of white sheerganza and chantilly lace, styled with an empire waistline. Queen Ann sculptured neckline of land, applied lace bodice with pearl and sequin trim, and

full bishop sleeves with deep cuffs of lace. The waltz-length skirt had an overskirt of floral chantilly lace and an attached train which fell into a full chapel sweep.

She wore a three-tiered veil of silk illusion of graduated lengths which was attached to a headpiece of matching lace with pearls and silk flowers, and carried an arm bouquet of silk red roses.

DeNell Tennant attended the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Lydia Wise, Melonie Gump and Theresa Kesner. Sabrina Kesner, niece of the bride, was the flower girl and Jerry Bill Wise was ringbearer.

The attendants appeared in gowns of wine taffeta and carried fans of silk carnations with wine-colored tips.

Jerry Eisminger of Wayneburg R.D.3 served as best man. Ushers were Mark Poach, Dan Dulaney and Sam Stennett.

A reception for 200 guests was held at the Waynesburg V.F.W. post home, with music by the Southwind band. Tammy Baker and Nancy Wright served the cake and Katrina Stewart attended the guest book. Employees of the Shop 'n Save store at Waynesburg, where both the bride and the bridegroom are employed, prepared the food.

Both graduated from Waynesburg Central High School. The bride, who also graduated from the marketing class at the Greene County Vocational-Technical School, is a cashier at the Shop 'n Save. The bridegroom is assistant manager.

Following a wedding trip to the Poconos, the newlyweds are residing at Waynesburg R.D.3.



**ENGAGED** — The engagement of Janet Anne Rex and James Glidwell, both of Odessa, Texas, has been announced. The bride-elect is a daughter of Fred Robert Rex of Odessa and the late Shirley Ann Porter Rex. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. Helen Porter of Waynesburg. Miss Rex, who attended designing school in Lubbock, Texas, is employed by Glenn J. Rex Inc., an oil and gas equipment supply firm. A June 16, 1984 wedding is being planned.



**ENGAGED** — Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Ick) Hamilton of Waynesburg R.D.5 have announced the engagement of their daughter, Robin Sue, to Paul Richard Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cook of Spraggs R.D.1. Miss Hamilton is a 1983 graduate of West Greene High School. Her fiancé is a 1982 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is employed by Burke's Amoco. A spring wedding is being planned.

### Divorces Granted

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Court handed down two final decrees in divorce Monday:

Gary Matthew Harrison, Cameron Star Route, Waynesburg, from Mary Ann Taylor Harrison, address unknown. They were married Aug. 26, 1977, and have two children.

Mary Ann Sanders Fordyce, Carmichaels, from Jerry Gene Fordyce, Morgantown, W.Va. They were married Oct. 13, 1972, and have four children.

## Dr. William Minor Married To Denise Hoover In W.Va.

Denise Kay Hoover and Dr. William R. Minor were married Oct. 8, 1983, in the First Baptist Church of Quinnwood, W.Va., with the Rev. Fred Sparks officiating. Claudia Simms was the organist and Donna

Osborne the pianist. The soloist was Roger Brown and "The Lord's Prayer" was sung by the bridegroom.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoover of Quinnwood. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Minor of Prosperity R.D. 2.

Carol Campbell of Danese, W.Va., attended her sister as matron of honor. The bridesmaids were Barbara Ferrell of Hopewell, Va., Jennifer Fitzwater of Leslie, W.Va., and Shelly Bettiner of Carl, W.Va. Jamie Dawn Campbell of Danese, niece of the bride, was the flower girl.

Dale Osborne of Rainelle, W.Va., served as best man. The ushers were Jackie Hoover of Valley Head, W.Va., Ronald Hoover of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and Jody Hoover of Greensboro, N.C., all brothers of the bride. Benjamin Campbell of Danese, W.Va., nephew of the bride, was the ring bearer.

Out-of-state guests were from California, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia and Pennsylvania.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Greenbrier West High School and is employed as a secretary with Groves Supply Inc.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and a 1979 graduate of West Virginia University School of Osteopathic Medicine. He is employed with Family Practice Corp., located in the



MRS. WILLIAM R. MINOR

Professional Building in Rainelle with Doctors Allen, Duncan and Minor P.C.

After a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, Atlanta and the Smoky Mountains the newlyweds are residing at 664 South Sewell Street, Rainelle, W.Va. 25962.

### Couple Wed In Bride's Home

Helene Evans and George Blake were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony performed at 6 p.m. Saturday, November 19, 1983, in the home of the bride by the Rev. Garvin Hupp, pastor of the Holbrook Christian Church.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ross Evans and the bridegroom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Blake.

The bride wore a street-length gown of blue polyester crepe and chiffon and a corsage of miniature pink roses with baby's breath. The only attendant was the ring bearer, Jamie Blake, granddaughter of the bridegroom.

The reception was held immediately after the ceremony. The wedding cake was baked by Gina Ensminger. Assisting in serving were Margaret Evans and Beatrice Ensminger.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake are residing at Holbrook, R.D.1.



Julie Cunningham and Aleksandr Agadzhanov in scene from Nutcracker Ballet

## Pamela Jo VanCleve Is Married In Texas

DALLAS, Texas — Pamela Jo VanCleve and William John Seeger were married at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 12, 1983, in Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration in Dallas, Texas. The Rev. Terrance Roper and Leon Duesman officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Richard E. and Edith P. VanCleve of Austin, Texas, formerly of Waynesburg. The bridegroom is a son of Roe E. and Mary T. Seeger of Kerrville, Texas.

The bride selected a formal gown of diamond white organza with a Queen Anne neckline trimmed with alencon lace and accented with pearls. The bodice of chantilly lace was accented with a placket of matching alencon lace with pearls. Bishop sleeves featured a chiffon oversleeve with lace trim and chantilly lace undersleeve. A lace peplum fell from the waistline and accented a full chiffon skirt, featuring medallions of lace, which opened into a cathedral-length train.

She carried a cascade bouquet of white orchids complimented with burgundy roses, and carried out all bridal traditions in her ensemble.

Ellen VanCleve of College Station attended the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Leah Dohm Collins



MRS. WILLIAM SEEGER

of Houston and Karen Shaw of Galveston.

Hal Homersmith of Los Angeles, Calif., served as best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Meling of Austin and Keith Collins of Houston. Ushers were Abdulla Pooyan of Plano, Texas, and Randy Renne of Dixon, Ill., brother-in-law of the bridegroom.

The bride graduated in 1977 from Plano Senior High School. She attended Stephen E. Austin State University and received her bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Texas at Dallas. She is employed by Davis and Associates Inc., in Richardson, Texas.

The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame and received his master's degree from the University of Texas at Dallas. He is now completing his Ph.D. dissertation.

Out-of-state guests attended from Illinois, Los Angeles and Waynesburg.

Following a wedding trip to the Virgin Islands, the couple will reside in Plano.

## 'Nutcracker' Will Be Performed

WAYNESBURG — As its Christmas gift to the community, Greene County Memorial Hospital will sponsor the American Dance Ensemble's presentation of the classical Nutcracker Ballet.

The performance is scheduled for 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 4, in the auditorium at Waynesburg Central High School.

It will be the second program in the hospital's series for child development.

Nicholas Petrov, artistic director of the American Dance Ensemble, said the roles of the Prince and Clara will be danced by Aleksandr Agadzhanov and Julie Cunningham, guest artists in residence with the company again this year.

The American Dance Ensemble was created in affiliation with Point Park College and the Pittsburgh Playhouse to develop talent and to fulfill some of the many needs for professional dance arts in western Pennsylvania. This particular performance includes a cast of approximately 45 people and a wardrobe in excess of 200 costumes.

### United Way Pledges Up

WAYNESBURG — The United Way campaign in Greene County closed with a slight gain in pledges over last year.

The Greene County United Way board of directors will meet Tuesday, Dec. 13 to determine allotments for 1984. It now appears there will be a slight overall increase in the amount of funds available in 1984.

Although the gain was less than a \$1,000 over 1982, campaign officials were pleased considering the economic climate in the county. Volunteers collected \$74,655 last year and \$75,255 this year.

A significant gain was noted in the commercial/industrial campaign headed by Arthur Tait.



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### New Business Opens

J. Broadwater Yardgoods has opened in the Hillcrest Shoppes building on Waynesburg's East High Street. In addition to yardgoods, the business features fabric patterns and notions. Jean Broadwater, right, owner and operator, shows a patterned fabric to customer Penny Ingram. Store hours will be 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday and Saturday, and from 9:30 a.m. until 8 p.m. Friday.

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## 1911 Funding Request Means Fair Share For All

Greene County's new 1911 emergency telephone system has been in place for some four months, and, according to the people who staff it, is now "working beautifully."

For the first time it gives residents of all sections of the county just one number (1911) to call if they need any type of emergency service — fire, ambulance or police.

It greatly improves the chances of timely response, since a person in trouble no longer has to search through his or her telephone book for the correct number to obtain help.

Like all improvements, it cost money, both to install and to operate. The cost would have been far greater if a county-wide police radio network had not already been operating so that no additional manpower was required.

While county government is bearing the lion's share of this cost, the Greene County commissioners and the county Emergency 1911 Committee have asked all 26 townships and boroughs in the county to provide funds in their 1984 budgets to help with the expense of the system since their residents are benefitting from it.

The allocation, based on 50 cents per capita, would not be large, ranging from a low of \$116 in the least populous township to a high of \$3,526 in the most heavily populated. Without the \$20,000 or so this would bring in, the county would be required to increase the \$51,000 it was appropriating for the police system to about \$71,000.

A number of municipalities have already responded favorably to the request, indicating they will allocate the requested money. Hopefully the remainder will do the same.

The amount being requested is modest when compared with the benefit received, and the method of allocation assures that each municipality will pay a fair share.

It would not be right if some contribute while others get a free ride.

## AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

It was a beautiful Thanksgiving weekend in Greene County with the temperatures in the high 50s most of the time during the day.

It sounded like war Monday with the opening day of deer hunting season. As usual, the local restaurants were doing a land-office business and the successful hunters drove slowly through town with their bucks tied to their vehicles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hale and son David of LaPlata, Md. visited relatives here over the weekend including Mrs. Hale's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Moore of East Greene Street.

Mickey Bruno, owner of Mickey's Men Store in Waynesburg, underwent heart surgery in a Cleveland hospital this week. Dave Johnson of Waynesburg is a patient in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoy and son of Batavia, N.Y. visited his sister, Mrs. Sally Summersgill during the Thanksgiving holiday. Mr. Hoy is em-

ployed by a newspaper in Batavia.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rush of Citronelle, Ala. are announcing the birth of their first child, a son Benjamin Calvin on Sunday, Nov. 20. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Calvin Rush of Waynesburg and Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Vickery of Hartsville, S.C.

Carol Randolph, owner of Greene County Craftsman in the Hillcrest Shoppes in Waynesburg, has been appointed to the advisory panel Portable Craft Merchandising, a national magazine for craft retailers. The panel provides information on the marketability of craft materials in various areas of the country.

A. Lee Blair, former hardware store owner in Waynesburg, will celebrate his 99th birthday on Sunday, Dec. 4 at the Deluxe Care Inn in St. Petersburg. He has four sons, William and Woodward of Waynesburg, Oliver of Clearwater, Fla. and Wayne of Hampton, Va. and a daughter, Benita Devinney of Charlestown, W.Va.

## Opportunity Center To Hold Open House

WAYNESBURG — The annual open house at the Opportunity Center in West Waynesburg will be held from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 8, according to the Association for Retarded Citizens (ARC) which operates the facility.

For those interested in observing the clients during their regular daily schedule, it is advisable to visit during the hours of 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Clients are rotated through three craft classes as well as life skills class during the week. Rug weaving, ceramics and woodshop craft areas provide therapeutic activities as well as pre-vocational training for the participants.

In addition to the 2-by-4 woven rugs, the clients make ceramic items. The woodshop produces hobby

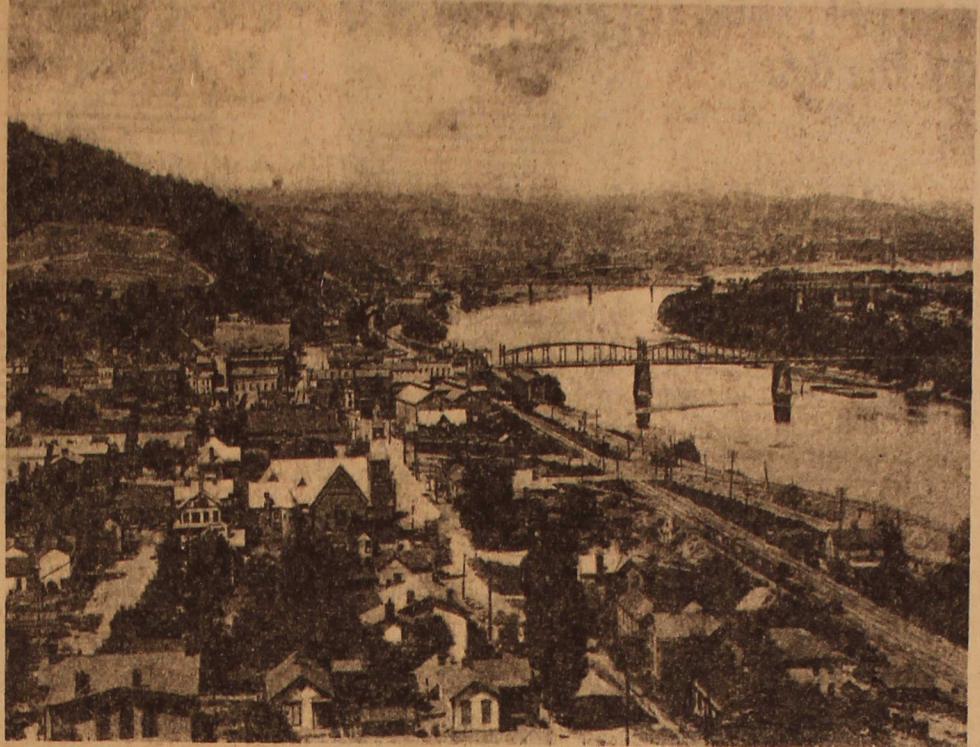
horses, audio cassette storage racks and small wooden stools for children.

Many items made by the 40 mentally handicapped clients are available for sale. Proceeds are placed in a fund for the direct benefit of the clients and are used for field trips and special events.

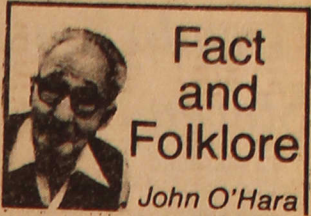
During the past year, clients made an overnight trip to Washington, D.C., and a day-long trip on the Gateway Clipper. A theater trip is planned this month to California University of Pennsylvania. There also were weekly picnics at Ryerson Station State Park. Holiday dinners also were financed through the funds.

Since its inception in 1970, the ARC Opportunity Center has provided this service to Greene County at no cost to the residents or clients.

## Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



This postcard mailed to a Rogersville resident in January, 1907, shows the island and Bridgeport in Wheeling, W.Va. In case you have forgotten, or never knew, the card required a penny postage stamp.



John O'Hara

My kind of people are those who have found out the hard way that the only difference between a calendar and a daily newspaper is that they roll the calendar and fold the newspaper. Otherwise, they're the same — or at least one now seems to be printed as often as the other and the guy who said "time flies" is the fellow who made the understatement to end all other understatements!

This is one way of getting around to saying that I have a seen a bewildering number of changes in Waynesburg. With all those changes, it's kind of nice to remember back when people my age were young. That's why I think it appropriate to rehash some of the memories invoked about 25 years ago when I wrote a guest column for John Matta, then editor of the Brownsville Telegraph.

No one who lived in Waynesburg following World War I will forget the time in 1924 when Brit Patterson, an all-American football player from W. & J. College who was coaching at Waynesburg College, was knocked over the head by the late John Westfall with a tire pump in Irv Tilton's tire shop and was not even fazed by the blow.

The two, both physical giants, unintentionally got into a dispute without even knowing what it was all about. Some weeks later, Patterson had been fired for almost a week before anybody had the nerve to tell him he had been canned.

And it's still legend around Waynesburg how the late Lew Day, a starchy individual who had once played with theatrical orchestras in New York City, disgustingly threw down a deck of cards with the remark that "damned if he was going to deal his life away (in a poker game) for a lousy three bucks an hour. And that was when brick layers were only making a dollar and a quarter an hour.

Nobody, but nobody but Lew, who never, never lost his patrician, condescending air of superiority, could have pulled one like that.

Relaxing — it was more bluntly expressed as LOAFING in those days before the psychiatrists moved in on American life, was really an attainment in our town. First it was the livery barns and then the service stations, where this companionship flourished, not to mention the street corners and sheltered store entrances. It didn't change too much through the '30's, but things were already different in the 1940's. And once World War II came and went and the 1950's were here, the Waynesburg of earlier years was "real gone," as teenagers would say.

Once in a while some unhappy exile who is working away returns and searches out the former haunts in vain for some of his old cronies. Then it's something like Rip Van Winkle must have felt after his long snooze.

Those wayfarers who occasionally come home find that the guys they're hunting for have moved to Cleveland, or watch TV at home every night, loaf at this or that social club all the time, are on a committee for something or other to raise money, have joined a bowling league, or fool around with their grandchildren who play in the Little League.

In physical appearance, Waynesburg hasn't changed much, but otherwise the town, or rather the flavor of life as it existed in the 1920's and before, now exists only in the memories of those who lived through it.

Yes, it's a changed life and some claim that all changes are for the best. But sometimes they're painful as the devil for those who were not cursed with ambitions to set the world on fire, but would just be content to enjoy the human warmth which glows, rather than flames, best when the world isn't too busy to loaf, especially up there on Main Street along the courthouse wall.

We'll be seeing you there.

## W. Greene Board Names A Head Football Coach

By Christie Molzon, Staff Writer

ROGERSVILLE — In a short special meeting Tuesday night, the West Greene School Board named James McManus head football coach for one year.

McManus, a teacher at the high school, was the only applicant for the job.

The first motion — to hire him for three years — was not approved after solicitor Robert McCall pointed out the action would be improper since the contract states the coach can be removed after 90 days or at the end of the season.

Braddock disagreed, saying, "I think it takes three years to get a good football program going."

On the second motion, to hire him for one year, only Rick Barnhart voted no.

Bids for siding for the administration building were opened and then tabled since several members questioned what materials would be used for the job. The matter was turned over to the building and sites committee for further review.

In personnel action, Mildred Mazgaj was transferred as a reading teacher from the elementary to the secondary level. The board approved a salary increase, another week of vacation and an increase in life insurance for Frank Farley, maintenance superintendent. His salary will be raised \$1,500 each year for the next three years.

The position of Chapter I elementary mathematics teacher at the Graysville school will be posted. Lynn Spellman of Waynesburg R.D.4 and Teresa Crouse of Prosperity R.D.2, both certified in elementary education, were added to the substitute teachers list.

Permission was given to Glenn Limburner, art teacher at the middle-senior high school, to take 24 art

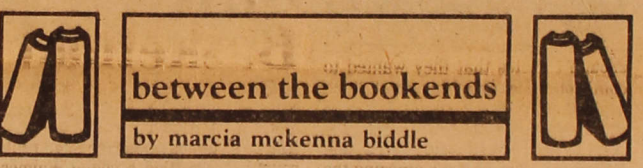
students to Carnegie Institute in Pittsburgh on Dec. 14.

Bryon Hughes was given approval to take 25 students to Harrisburg Jan. 9-11 for an FFA convention, and Virginia Crouse and six other cooks were given approval to attend a meeting of the Washington-Greene County Food Service Association Dec. 6 in the Joe Walker Elementary School.

The board agreed to turn the 1982 unpaid per capita tax over to the A&A Collection Agency for collection.

Plaques were given to outgoing board members who attended last night's meeting — Tom Braddock, Jim Helphenstine and Frank Johnson.

The board set its reorganization meeting for 7:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 5, in the high school cafeteria.



## New Store To Be Built

CARMICHAELS — Financing arrangements were completed Friday for the construction of a combination convenience food store and self-service gasoline station in Carmichaels.

Construction of the building, to be located at the corner of George and Vine streets (Route 88 and Alternate Route 21), is expected to begin next week.

The Chico Dairy Co. of Morgantown, W.Va., will develop and operate the store. Overall cost of the project is estimated at \$423,000, of which \$295,000 will be financed by the Greene County Industrial Development Authority through a state Industrial Revenue Bond (IRB) loan.

When completed, the business is expected to provide from 20 to 30 new jobs in the community.

## Man Arrested For Assault

WAYNESBURG — A truck driver from Texas was arrested by state police Thursday and charged with assaulting an attendant at Burke's Amoco station on Route 21, near the Interstate 79 interchange.

James Chaires Bramlett, 35, Fort Worth, was released on \$5,000 bail after being arraigned before Magistrate Ruth Hughes on a charge of simple assault.

The attendant, Paul Richard Cook, 20, Spraggs R.D.1, told police Bramlett punched him in the face after complaining about the way in which Cook had replaced a cap on the fuel tank of his truck.

Following the incident, Bramlett drove south on Interstate 79 and was apprehended by police near the Kirby exit.

My friends Mazy and Honey Bunch dropped in the other day for coffee. Honey Bunch was wearing a blue and white sweater, a gold skirt, one blue and white sock and one blue and gold one. She carried a Penn State pennant in one hand and a Pitt banner in the other.

"Honey Bunch went to the Pitt-Penn State football game," Mazy told me.

"I don't know why, but I guessed that," I said. "Did she have a good time?"

"What's that?" Honey Bunch shouted. "What did she say?"

"She lost her hearing at the game," Mazy explained, "and it hasn't come back yet. She sat between a Penn State fan and a Pitt fan, and she's afraid her ear drums may never recover."

"That's too bad," I said. "But she should have know better. I have warned her never to get between those two."

"She didn't know she was sitting between two shouters—she says they looked like ordinary, mild-mannered people at first. They even smiled at her when she sat down."

"When did the trouble start?"

"As soon as Pitt scored. The Penn State fan accused Honey Bunch of smiling, and the Pitt fan wanted to know why she wasn't cheering louder."

"It's hard to please everybody," I commented.

"It was impossible. When Penn State recovered a fumble, the Pitt fan accused Honey Bunch of clapping. She tried to explain that she was only swatting a fly, but he wouldn't believe her. The Penn State fan on the other side bawled her out for not paying attention to the game just because Penn State now had the ball."

"I don't know why she didn't ignore them," I said.

"She tried to, but then they both said she shouldn't be taking up space that somebody else wanted if she

didn't like the game, and asked her why she hadn't just sold her ticket to somebody who really wanted it."

"I hope she told them off," I exclaimed. "Honey Bunch had a right to remain neutral."

"Her neighbors said she didn't. After Penn State scored, the Penn State fan said she smiled when Pitt scored, but she wasn't even looking when Penn State did. The Pitt fan accused her of looking pleased about it, and said she'd regret it."

"Did she try cheering for both sides?" I wondered.

"Yes, you can seethat by what she's wearing today. But it didn't help. Even at the half, the Pitt fan noticed that she was tapping her foot in time with the Penn State band and reported her to everybody else in the row. Then the Penn State fan said he supposed she liked the Pitt band best, since she stood up to see it over the people who were standing up in front of her."

"Why didn't she say she liked them both?"

"She did, but they told her she had to make a choice, that one band was obviously better than the other, and she ought to be smart enough to realize that."

"Well, why didn't she leave early?"

"She thought about it, but she was afraid that if she left when Penn State was leading, both sides would take offense. About halfway through the third quarter, both of them started yelling at each other about the referees."

"I hope they didn't blame the referees' decisions on Honey Bunch!"

"She seems to think they did, and that's when she went deaf. Both sides started accusing each other, and everybody else around them, of paying the referees. It got so loud that Honey Bunch went blank and can't even remember what happened at the end of the game."

"She's not the only one," I said.

## Court Asked To Dismiss Drunken Driving Charges

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Court has been asked to dismiss charges brought against a man who was arrested by state police for drunken driving while sitting in a truck at the end of a private driveway.

"The intent of the law is to protect people driving on the public highways and thoroughfares. Mr. Rogers was not driving and was not on a public highway," attorney John Stets

argued in a court hearing Tuesday morning.

Stets represents James W. Rogers of Holbrook. The 42-year-old defendant was arrested April 19 while sitting in the driver's seat of a truck parked beside his uncle's home in Jackson Township, at the end of a private dirt lane some 200 feet from a township road.

It was brought out at the hearing that state police had received an

anonymous telephone call from a woman who reported she had seen a truck run off the road in the same vicinity. The state trooper who responded to the call did not find a vehicle at the reported scene of the accident. After patrolling the area for some three hours, he spotted Rogers' truck, which matched the description of the vehicle given by the caller. He then made the arrest.

While there have been no appellate court rulings which control, both Stets and District Attorney Charles Morris agreed that certain types of private property, such as mall parking lots, have been held to be public thoroughfares, where it is proper to arrest motorists who are driving while intoxicated.

Morris contended that this philosophy could be extended to private roads, since it is not inconceivable to imagine that a

drunken motorist driving on one could encounter another vehicle. "It wouldn't happen in great numbers, but it certainly could happen," he said.

He also argued that the courts have upheld arrests where a drunken person is not actually driving, but is in the driver's seat of a car with the key in the ignition.

He conceded that there was no

## Vehicle Hits Pump

State police reported that Brian Lee Tennant, of Waynesburg R.D.1, lost control of the vehicle he was driving and struck a gasoline pump at a service station on Greene Street just east of the Waynesburg Borough line.

Investigating officers said Tennant ran off the road and through the parking area of the Best Oil Co. station before striking a gasoline pump. The accident happened at 2:25 a.m. Sunday. Although Tennant was not reported injured, police said he caused severe damage to his vehicle.

The case against Rogers is scheduled for trial during the current term of criminal court, and Judge Glenn Toothman indicated he will shortly rule on the motion to have the charge dismissed.

# Tornabene, Jackets Receive District Honors

By John Barker, O-R Sports Staff

Ask Bill Tornabene about individual honors in college football and he'll give you a few minutes of philosophy. Not Satre or Kierkegaard, just plain Tornabene.

As head coach of the Waynesburg College football team, Tornabene avoided accolades and individual praise this season. Instead, his philosophy centered on the merits of teamwork and hard work.

Even after a successful 6-3-1 season as a first-year coach, he would rather talk about his players and coaches than himself. While he was talking about others, his peers have been talking about him. And the conversation has been flattering.

So flattering, in fact, that his fellow NAIA District 18 coaches named him Coach of the Year and placed seven of his players to the all-district first team.

"I just think it's a reflection of the kind of people and kids that we have

for the awards," he said. "The players and the coaches worked hard all year to be the best team they could and I'm happy."

"Actually, I don't put much stock in personal awards. . . but this does have credibility. The other coaches looked at our players and what they've done and named them to the all-district team."

Leading the group of Yellow Jackets named to the all-district first team was junior tailback Otto Birkhead, who tied for the top spot in the balloting with Westminster defensive back Scott Higgins.

Birkhead, despite missing a few games in the beginning of the season with a hip injury, led the Jackets in rushing with 509 yards and was third in receiving with 454 yards on 31 catches — an average of 6.5 yards.

In simpler words, he sparked Waynesburg's offense.

"Obviously I'm pleased for the kids and Otto did a tremendous job," Tornabene said. "In the beginning of



BILL TORNABENE



OTTO BIRKHEAD

the year he didn't do too much but he came on and really improved as the season progressed. It's a real tribute to him that the coaches thought as much of him.

"He has a lot of ability and he pushed himself especially after being hurt. And even though he didn't have the 1,000 yards rushing, he did have some big days like when he scored from 72 yards on a flip pass. He gave us a threat that few teams have because he can take the ball and put it in the end zone."

Also named to the first team from Waynesburg were wide receiver Matt Toney (33 receptions for 495 yards), guard Ralph Pantalone, center Phil Magdic, defensive tackle Scott Schifko, linebacker Kevin Jozwiakowski and defensive back Craig Harris (six interceptions).

And if seven players on first team weren't enough, the district coaches named 17 more Waynesburg players to the all-district second team.

The offensive selections were tight

end Dave Tucci, wide receiver Cline Hunt, tackle Tom Corbett, guard Jim Kline, quarterback Tim Garry, running back Sherley Hairston, fullback-tight end Dave Zilli and placekicker Mike Zeglen. Both Kline and Zeglen are candidates for the academic All-America team.

The defensive selections included linemen John Higgins, Jeff Standish, Fremont Catlin and Joe Persichetti; linebacker Pete Butler and defensive backs Steve Burchianti, Rich Barnes and Robert Abbiatici. Garry was also named second-team punter.

"The number of players recognized is a little surprising because it's the most I can remember off one team here," Tornabene said. "A lot of guys came through for us this year that I wasn't sure of at the beginning. They showed their character and I'm happy to have many of them back next year."

"We lose some quality kids, and they're hard to replace, but we have good people and we'll be recruiting."

## Scholastic Basketball

By Bob Grove, O-R Sports Staff

WAYNESBURG — What has traditionally been risky business for schools the size of Washington may turn into fun and games this season for basketball coach Ron Faust. Looking down the bench for players sure wasn't a headache Friday.

The Washington bench scored 28 points here during the Little Presidents' 68-50 victory over Waynesburg Central High School, including 13 of 21 in the second quarter and 11 of 15 in the fourth. Coaching decisions become a lot easier with numbers like that.

"We have some pretty good depth and we have to use that to our advantage," Faust said after nine of the 11 Little Presidents dressed Friday scored. "We might be 10 people deep. One thing we'll have to do is find that chemistry; we'll have to feel our way through that. But I think we can go 10 deep and it won't hurt us."

Junior guard Chris Popeck led the Washington Bench Brigade with 13 points while brother Mark, a sophomore guard, chipped in eight. Forward Jim Griffin scored six points and senior guard Ron Giles one to help Washington open the season in style.

"Mark's going to be good for us off the bench," Faust said. "He's smart for his age and he works real hard. Last year Chris averaged 12.5 points off the bench. He'll be steady and he doesn't make many mistakes."

Junior point guard Tony Ellis led all scorers with 14 points. Ellis delivered eight in the third quarter, when Washington outscored the Red

Raiders (0-1), 16-8, to increase its 10-point halftime lead to 18.

"I believe the most important quarter of the game is the third quarter," said Waynesburg coach Glenn Kyle, "because it sets the tempo for the rest of the game. We were outscored in the third quarter. I can't remember being down by less than 20 points in the fourth."

Washington used the rebounding strength of 6-2 senior forward Fred Haywood and 6-5 senior forward Rob Mazzie and its overall team quickness to pressure Waynesburg out of the game in the third quarter. The Little Presidents' efficient job on the offensive boards created numerous scoring chances, and their full-court, man-to-man press forced Waynesburg into a flurry of turnovers.

The Red Raiders committed 32 turnovers.

"We had way too many turnovers," Kyle said. "Our goal was 15 and we weren't even close to that. We played very timid and didn't execute the way we had been up to now. I felt pretty good going into this ballgame. But it got down to a matter of whether we wanted it or not, and we didn't."

Four of Washington's five starters — Haywood, Mazzie, swing forward Mark Wise and guard Jamie LeMon — were playing football this time last week, and Faust was more than pleased with their performances.

"We're fortunate that they're good enough athletes that they wanted to come out and play this week," he said. "I think it takes maybe two or three weeks for them to get to the point where the ball doesn't seem like a foreign object. But it's amazing the

way they can come out and play."

Washington opened a 16-10 lead after the first quarter, in which Ellis scored four points. Senior forward Roger Fox scored six of his team-high 12 points in the second quarter to help Waynesburg pull to within seven points, 23-16, with 5:30 to play in the half. But Chris Popeck then scored nine consecutive points in a span of 1:35 to give the Little Presidents a 32-16 lead.

Waynesburg rallied to cut Washington's lead to 37-27 at halftime, but the Red Raiders were committing too many turnovers to make a complete comeback feasible. Mistakes are to be expected during the first game of the season, but Kyle refused to use that excuse.

"I tell them, 'We lost it. We stunk,'" he said. "Now we'll have to regroup."

Ellis' eight points were the key to Washington's third-quarter surge. LeMon added six points and Haywood two to give the Little Presidents a 53-35 lead with just eight minutes to play.

Mark Popeck scored six of his eight points in the final quarter, when Waynesburg guard Jim Bedillion scored eight.

## Girls Basketball

Peters Township is in much the same situation as the Little Presidents as it returns a veteran team. And the Indians' experience and full-court press rattled a young Waynesburg team early. The Indians jumped out to a 13-2 first-quarter lead before holding a 38-11 margin at halftime.

Lynette Schwartz was the catalyst of the Indians' offense, scoring a team-high 29 points, and was aided by Candy Ross, who scored 10 points.

And for Peters Township head coach Lynn Ross, such a victory was a long time coming. In last year's tournament, Waynesburg, the defending tourney champion, eliminated the Indians in the first round.

It wasn't until Ross substituted her second team late in the game that Waynesburg's offense came alive. The Sweet Wheats, who start one senior, one junior, two sophomores and one freshman, had scored just 12 points in three quarters.

"We have a real young team and they have a lot of promise for the future. But the future isn't now, and against an experienced team like Peters Township it's a difficult game."

## College Basketball

### Jackets In Control

"They've proved nothing to us as a team. They could be 0-24 and beat us and it's a good year for them. This was their big game of the year. Us, we could care less. We have nothing to gain from playing them." — California coach Tim Loomis, following last year's 97-81 loss to the Jackets at Waynesburg.

By John Barker, O-R Sports Staff

The place is called College Gym. Situated on the south end of the Waynesburg College campus, the old brick building has been the setting of many inspired basketball games.

Since Rudy Marisa became head coach at Waynesburg 15 years ago, the inspiration has usually meant success for his Yellow Jackets and frustration for opposing teams. One team in particular, California University, has found the going especially rough at Waynesburg in the heated series.

"I think the visiting team always has it rough in a series like this," said Marisa. "I'm not sure how many in a row we've won at home against them. But when you play an even-steven series like this, the home team usually gets the best of it."

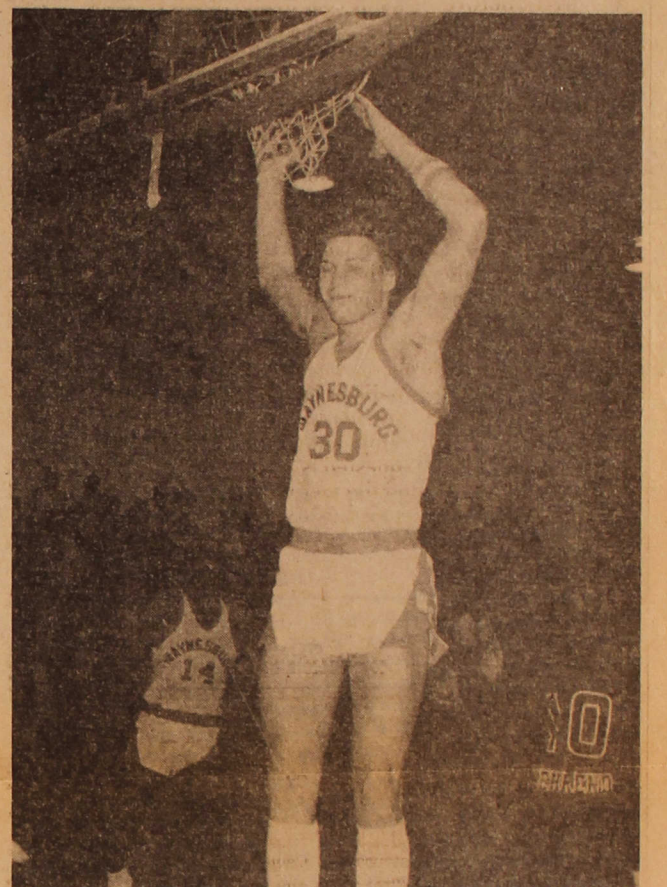
Waynesburg has defeated the NCAA Division II Vulcans at College Gym the past three seasons, but tonight's (8 p.m.) game should be a stiff test for that streak. The Vulcans have played five games and are 4-1 following their 14-point loss to Navy Monday, while the Jackets are playing their season opener after a poor performance in a recent 20-point scrimmage loss to Fairmont.

Understandably, Marisa is a little worried.

"I'm going into this game not knowing what to expect and that's true of any first game," Marisa said. "Considering how much we've played, I'm going almost as a fan to see what we can do."

"As for them, I believe in all my heart that California is a big, talented, strong and experienced team. Loomis called them the best recruits in the Pennsylvania Conference two years ago and now I think they're coming around. They've been hurt with injuries, especially last year, and now they're playing well."

While Marisa isn't completely sure what to expect from the 11 new faces on his team, he does know what to expect from his three veterans — senior point guard Ray Natili (6-0) of Immaculate Conception High School, senior forward Mark Doppelheuer (6-5½) and junior guard-forward Paul Stanley (6-5).



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Paul Stanley and the rest of Waynesburg's team are hoping it will be all smiles against California.

Natili has run the offense and fastbreak for four years, Stanley was the Jackets' leading scorer last year and Doppelheuer was one of the leading rebounders.

"They look to each of those three for overall leadership, I think, and then they look to them for specific things," said Marisa. "They look to Ray as our floor leader, at Dopp for his aggressiveness and Paul for his ability and finesse."

"Those three must play well so our younger guys can then fit in and do the job. I think we have some talented players here but they haven't absorbed the philosophy and they're not playing as a unit yet."

One player who may make that unit a whole lot stronger is senior transfer Roosevelt Kirby. The 6-7 center from Midland was a former player

at the University of Pittsburgh and came close to playing at California. He gives the Jackets more rebounding strength and their first true center in the last few years.

Junior transfer Dan Crawford, a 6-6 forward from Uniontown, and freshman Harold Hamlin, a 6-6 guard from Pittsburgh will add rebounding strength against the tall and talented Vulcans.

Marisa hopes they can fill the shoes of Tim Walker and Tim Tyler, the high scoring combination which graduated last year.

"Nobody is moving like Walker and Tyler did and it makes me wonder what we're doing wrong," said Marisa.

"Our success depends on how fast these new guys adapt. We just have to wait and see."

## Kirby's Last Stop With The Jackets

By Tom Rose, O-R Sports Editor

WAYNESBURG — This is the end of a long and winding road, his court of last resort.

After a stormy venture that has led him to three colleges and more than a few confusing moments, Roosevelt Kirby is here for one last fling with books and a basketball.

He's a big guy, 6-7 and 223 pounds, with a smile of similar size and a personality that fits his frame just nicely. And while his Waynesburg College teammates are anxious to make their 1983-84 debut tonight (8 p.m.) at College Gym against arch-rival California University, it will be the actions and reactions of Kirby that will be as closely monitored as the scoreboard.

This is a community that has grown to expect excellence from the Yellow Jackets. And if this tradition is to continue, Kirby will likely play a large role in it.

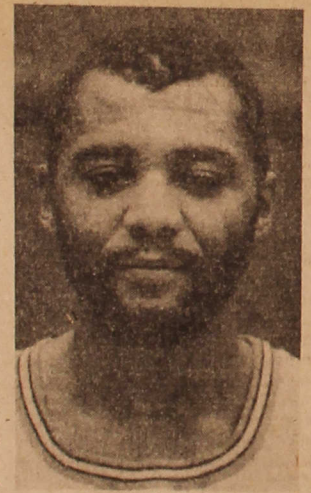
"I sure feel better having a 6-7 guy beside me," Waynesburg head coach Rudy Marisa said. "Roosevelt is much more coachable than I ever imagined he would be. Contrary to what people might think, Roosevelt is one big, friendly, cooperative guy."

Tonight's game provides a touch of irony. Kirby had been recruited out of Midland High School by former California State head coach Ed McCluskey but he never wore a Vulcan uniform. After a brief stay on campus, he mysteriously disappeared and resurfaced at a junior college in Oklahoma.

"Leaving California was just a spur of the moment thing," Kirby said. "I figured I had to get farther away from home to perform to my full ability. If I would have stayed at California I would have been going home every other day."

"The junior college experience really helped me a lot. I played against some good competition and I met some good people out there."

After two years in Oklahoma, Kirby found himself back in Western Pennsylvania and an opportunity to realize a dream. He was recruited



ROOSEVELT KIRBY

by the University of Pittsburgh and immediately became a starting forward and the team's second leading rebounder.

Unfortunately, his dream would last but one year.

"The experience at Pitt was for the most part a good one. But on my part it was just a lack of concentration with my classroom work," Kirby said. "I should have done much better. But sitting out a year really gave me the chance to finally get my head together."

Kirby's presence at Waynesburg was fueled by a pair of familiar Yellow Jacket basketball players, Tim Walker and Tim Tyler. His friendship with the pair led to a visit and a final chance that he so desperately seeks.

"For the first time in my life I'm playing with a big man," senior point guard Ray Natili said. "Roosevelt can do a lot of things well. I look for us to be tons better after Christmas and he'll be one of the reasons why."

"Not many people were willing to give Roosevelt a chance but we're sure glad he's here," Marisa said, watching his players prepare for a recent practice. "He's a fine individual."

While Kirby's had a taste of major college basketball he insists he'll play just as intense for the NAIA Yellow Jackets. And based on his Midland background, where basketball is a way of life, you can't help but believe him.

"It's never tough for me to get excited about playing any game," he said.

## Bowling Scores

Kay Mooney's 244 single game highlighted competition in the Thursday Night Classic Bowling League at Arbor Terrace Center lanes last week.

Mooney also rolled a 612 series in leading American Supply to a 4-0 victory over Patterson Realty. Karen Turner paced the losers with a 177 single game and 500 series.

Barna's Furniture took three points from Wade's Body Shop with Betty Seamon tossing a 214 game and 561 series. The losers were paced by Wanda Sternhoff's 190 single and 511 series.

Waynesburg Milling took four points from 77 Market with Cindy

### Girls Basketball

Waynesburg—29  
Murdock 1-13; McIntyre 4-14; Traeder 4-8; Newbauer 1-24; N. Broadock 1-13; Walker 1-0-2. Totals: 125 (10)—97.  
Peters Township—44  
Moraschi 4-04; Schwartz 10-9-29; Hochmuth 1-0-2; Visser 1-0-2; Ross 5-0-10; Krause 1-0-2; Hartmann 3-0-6; Marchyk 2-3-7. Totals: 27 (12)—66.  
Score By Quarters  
Waynesburg 9 9 1 17-29  
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### Raiders 80, Bucs 52

WAYNESBURG — A 24-9 edge in the first quarter paved the way for Waynesburg High School's basketball team to take an 80-52 exhibition win from Chartiers-Houston Friday evening.

Waynesburg also outscored C-H in the second (16-14), third (18-14) and fourth (22-15) quarters, also.

Tim Oakes had a game-high 20 points for the Bucs, who fell to 0-1. Waynesburg evened its record at 1-1.

### Rangers 82, Rockets 39

McDONALD — Paul Clemons and Joe Phillis combined for 51 points to help Fort Cherry High School's basketball team to an 82-39 exhibition win over Jeff-Morgan Tuesday evening.

Phillis scored 29 points and pulled down 16 rebounds while Clemons tossed in 22 points and grabbed 12 rebounds to pace Fort Cherry (1-0). Phil Bennett, with 12 points, was also in double figures. Greg Yorko had 14 points to lead Jeff-Morgan (0-1).

### Mikes 86, Colonials 74

CARMICHAELS — J.L. Lechner picked up right where he left off. The defending Washington-Greene County scoring leader poured in 32 points and pulled down nine rebounds to lead Carmichaels High School to an 86-74 win over Albert Gallatin in Friday's exhibition basketball action.

Lechner was joined by Jamie Yarish (17), Brian Cree (16), and Tom Moore (12) in double figures for the Mikes (1-0). Bill Duffy tossed in 32 points and David Hoone had 20 for AG (0-1).

# Greene County Obituaries

## Hazel Z. Fox

Hazel Zimmerman Fox, 86, Carmichaels R.D.1, died at 11 p.m. Thursday, November 24, 1983 in Greene County Memorial Hospital, leaving 113 lineal descendants to survive her. She had been seriously ill for five weeks prior to her death.

Mrs. Fox was a daughter of James and Matilda Morris Zimmerman and was born October 8, 1897 in Whiteley Township, where she resided during her early life. She later lived for 58 years in Jefferson Township and for the past 15 years in the Carmichaels area.

Her husband, John L. Fox Sr., died September 5, 1964. She was a member of the Fordyce United Methodist Church.

Surviving are six daughters, Mrs. Robert (Rosa) Phillips, Mrs. Richard (Dorothy) Clark, Mrs. Betty Workman and Mrs. Matilda Carter, all of Carmichaels R.D.1, Mrs. Reynold (Thelma) Fletcher of Gaithersburg, Md. and Mrs. Charles (Phyllis) Thomas of Cantonville, Md.; five sons, Marvy L. Fox of Thorofare, N.J., James A. Fox of Maidsville, W.Va., John L. Fox Jr. of Carmichaels R.D.1, Donald P. Fox of Lakewood, Ohio, and Ronald R. Fox of Bedford Heights, Ohio; 31 grandchildren; 53 great-grandchildren; 18 great-great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Pratt of Waynesburg R.D.6 and Mrs. Eliza Fox of Uniontown, and two brothers, Robert H. Zimmerman of Waynesburg R.D.2 and Albert R. Zimmerman of Naples, Fla.

A son, Allen T. Fox, and two great-grandchildren, Debra Makel and Tiffany Carter, are deceased.

## Ralph A. LaRue

Ralph A. LaRue, 76 of 8132 54th Street North, Pinellas Park, Fla., formerly of Carmichaels, died Saturday, November 19, 1983.

He was born in Toronto, Ohio. Mr. LaRue was a retired self-employed truck driver and had also been a foreman for the Pennsylvania Department of Highways in Waynesburg.

He moved to Florida from Carmichaels in 1976.

Surviving are his wife, Marguerite LaRue; one daughter, Betty Riggen of Carmichaels; two brothers, Floyd LaRue of Treasure Island, Fla., and Arthur LaRue of Carmichaels; one sister, Ruth McCann of Pinellas Park; four grandsons; and two great-grandsons.

## Floyd J. Pierson

Floyd J. Pierson, 66, of Porter Street Extension, Waynesburg, died in Greene County Memorial Hospital at 10:36 a.m. Tuesday, November 29, 1983, after an illness of one month.

He was born December 16, 1916, in Cameron, W.Va., a son of Thomas Inghram and Eliza Jane Pierson.

Before moving to Waynesburg five years ago, he had resided in Aleppo and Mannington, W.Va.

Mr. Pierson was a World War II veteran.

Surviving are three sons, Randy and Robert, both of Beaver Falls, and Floyd Jr. of Mannington; and two daughters, Tina and Lisa, both of Mannington.

He was the last of his immediate family.

## Fanny O. King

Fanny O. King, 71, of Amity R.D.1, died at 10:10 p.m. Wednesday, November 23, 1983, in the home of her daughter Mrs. Elaine Pattison of Washington following a long illness.

She was born April 5, 1912, in Whiteley Township to Esther Mae Temple of Amity R.D.1 and the late Harry Temple.

Her early life was spent in Mt. Morris and for the past 38 years she live in the Amity area where she was a member of the Amity United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women.

Her husband Albert Floyd King died October 7, 1983.

Surviving in addition to her mother are a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Elaine) Pattison of Washington; a step-daughter, Mrs. Jane King of Painsville, Ohio; three step-sons, Charles King of Seale, Ala.; James Earl King of Waynesburg R.D.1 and Frank King of Columbus, Ga.; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and several step-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Pearl King of Waynesburg R.D.1 and Mrs. Grace Hauseal of Waynesburg and a brother, James Temple of Waynesburg R.D.3.

Deceased are a daughter Joann King, a stepdaughter Bessie King, two grandchildren Bonnie and Linda; four brothers Jesse, Francis, Harry and George and three sisters, Ethel Temple, Bessie Temple and Arbell Lemley.

## David D. Foley

David D. Foley, 68, of Spraggs R.D.1, died at 4:45 p.m. Tuesday, November 22, 1983, in the University Hospital in Morgantown, W.Va., following a long illness.

He was born October 19, 1915, in Blacksville, W.Va., a son of Sebastian and Lucy Rogers Foley of Baltimore, Md.

His early life was spent in Blacksville. He was a resident of Spraggs since 1948.

Mr. Foley was affiliated with the Church of God and served with the U.S. Army during World War II in the European Theater. Retired since 1964, he had been employed by the Williams Shaft Construction Co.

Surviving in addition to his parents are his wife, Stella Kesner Foley, whom he married March 29, 1937; two daughters, Mrs. Patsy D. Phillips of Waynesburg and Sharon E. Foley of Carmichaels; three sons, Donald R. of Mt. Morris, Gerald W. of Little Rock, Ark., and Michael of Mt. Morris; 10 grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Bertell (Blanche) Huffman of Baltimore; and two brothers, Lawrence M. of Baltimore and the Rev. William Foley of Oakland, Md.

A son, David Jr., and a grandson, David Allen Phillips, are deceased.

He was a member of the Jefferson Church of the Nazarene where she had served as a Sunday school teacher for 40 years.

Surviving are three sons, Floyd Walters of Jefferson, James M. Walters of Waynesburg R.D.5, Clayton Walters of Laurel, Md.; three daughters, Mrs. James (Gloria) Hartley of New Brighton, Mrs. Hubert (Violet) Shumaker of Evans, Colo., Mrs. Joseph (JoAnne) Rush of Washington; 17 grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Teagarden of Rices Landing and Mrs. Irene Robinson of Lincoln, Neb.

Her husband, John M. Walters, died March 4, 1967.

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## Madalon H. Rhodes

Madalon Hatfield Rhodes, 86, Tuscan Apartments, Mt. Lebanon, died after a long illness at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 22, 1983 in the Baptist Home at Castle Shannon.

She was born October 3, 1897 at Mt. Morris, a daughter of Dr. George Hatfield and Elizabeth Conn Hatfield. Her husband, Walter C. Rhodes, died in 1964.

Mrs. Rhodes graduated from Washington Seminary, now a part of W&J College, and attended Goucher College at Baltimore, Md. She graduated from the University of Pittsburgh and did graduate work at Columbia University.

She returned to Perry to teach and at Mt. Morris and at Waynesburg until moving to Mt. Lebanon 44 years ago.

She had been an active member of the Mt. Lebanon United Methodist Church for 42 years and was a past president of the United Methodist Women of the church. She was a member of the Washington Seminary Alumni Association and of the Goucher College Club of Pittsburgh.

Surviving are a son, George H. Rhodes of Bethel Park, and a granddaughter, Mrs. David (Sharon) Barry of Bethel Park.

## John L. Scarry

John L. Scarry, 62, brother of former Waynesburg College coach Michael Scarry, died Tuesday, November 22, 1983, in Palos Park, Ill.

A retired general manager and vice president of Interlake Steel Co., South Chicago, Mr. Scarry was a graduate of Duquesne University and played on the Iron Dukes which won the NCAA championship team in the 1940s.

He developed and holds a patent that led to the modern mass production of stainless steel. He was a metallurgist for A.N. Bowers Co. in Ambridge and was chief metallurgist at U.S. Steel's Edgar Thompson Works.

Surviving in addition to his brother, the defensive line coach for the Miami Dolphins, are his wife Irene F.; two daughters Kathleen of Riverdale, Ill. and Kristeen Merichko of Palos Park; two sisters, Sally Ringbloom and Mary Catherine, both of Elizabeth and three grandchildren.

## Stella E. Walters

Stella E. Walters, 74, of Rices Landing R.D.1, died at 4:40 p.m. Sunday, November 27, 1983, in Washington Hospital. She had been seriously ill for one week.

She was born August 18, 1909, in Rices Landing, the daughter of Samuel and Iona Willard Bise.

Mrs. Walters had resided all of her life in the Rices Landing area. She was a member of the Jefferson Church of the Nazarene where she had served as a Sunday school teacher for 40 years.

Surviving are three sons, Floyd Walters of Jefferson, James M. Walters of Waynesburg R.D.5, Clayton Walters of Laurel, Md.; three daughters, Mrs. James (Gloria) Hartley of New Brighton, Mrs. Hubert (Violet) Shumaker of Evans, Colo., Mrs. Joseph (JoAnne) Rush of Washington; 17 grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Teagarden of Rices Landing and Mrs. Irene Robinson of Lincoln, Neb.

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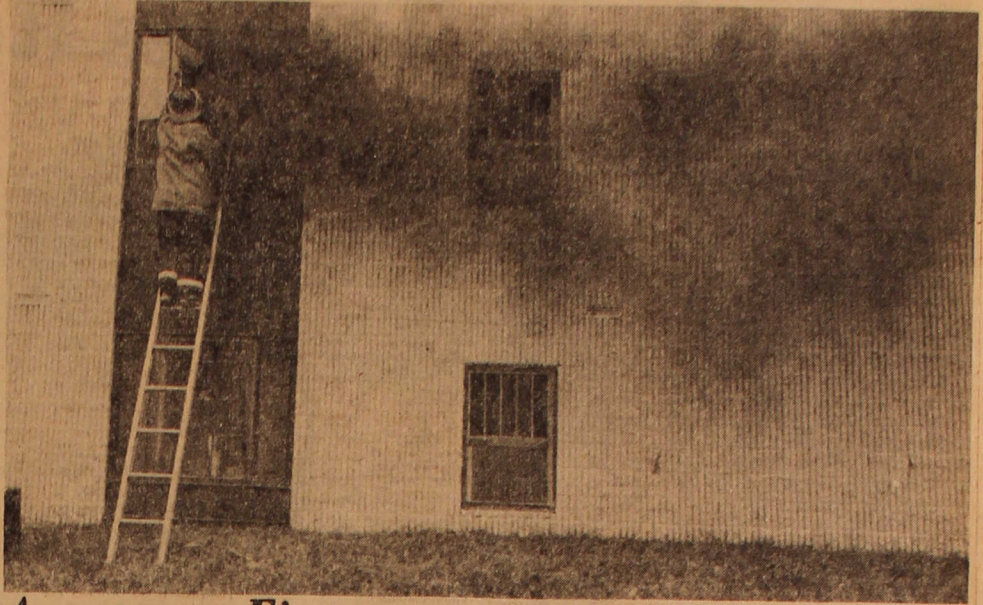
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## Apartment Fire

A fireman chops a hole in a window to let dense smoke out of a three-bedroom apartment in Mountainview Gardens Tuesday afternoon. The fire, believed started by a short in a stereo, caused an undetermined amount of damage in the apartment occupied by Joetta DePetris and her children. The Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Company responded with all its equipment, including a ladder truck. Damage was confined to the one apartment according to Peggy Clark, Mountainview manager.

## Trial Avoided When Man Pleads Guilty

WAYNESBURG — The first case scheduled for trial during the November term of Greene County Criminal Court ended Monday prior to selection of a jury when the defendant entered a guilty plea.

Barry D. Chambers, 27, of 107 Parkview Knoll, Carmichaels, was sentenced to serve from 1½ to 3 years in the state penitentiary for a burglary on Aug. 27, 1983, at the home of Karen Miller of Carmichaels.

He will be committed to the Western Diagnostic Correctional and Classification Center in Pittsburgh for assignment to a state institution. He will be given credit for three months already spent in the county jail.

Chambers was arrested by Carmichaels Borough police when he was apprehended inside the Miller residence on North Market Street, which had been partially ransacked. Police also found that a screen had been cut out of a back screen door. District Attorney Charles Morris told the court.

Morris said that Chambers, who had a prior record, would probably face additional time for parole violation.

In other action Monday, the court approved a nolle prosequi in a case in which Linda Lorea Diggs of Waynesburg was charged with attempted homicide and aggravated assault. She was charged with shooting and wounding her husband during a domestic altercation earlier this year.

The district attorney, in presenting the petition to have charges

## County Firemen Elect President

BRAVE — Larry Marshall of Waynesburg has been elected president of the Greene County Firemen's Association during a meeting of the group held at the Wayne Township Fire Hall in Brave.

Other officers elected to serve in 1984 include Rick Allinder, vice president; H. Murray Kline, secretary; Gary Roberts, treasurer and Francis Krempasky, chaplain.

The next meeting of the association will be held on March 19, 1984, at the Mt. Morris Fire Hall.

## William H. Sweger

William H. Sweger, 81, of Sunnysvale, Calif., formerly of Rogersville and Washington, died Wednesday, November 23, 1983, in Beverly Manor Convalescent Hospital, Los Altos, Calif., following a five-month illness.

He was born October 1, 1902, in Lewistown, a son of John Henry Sweger and Mariap Spahr Beck Sweger.

Mr. Sweger was a member of the Rogersville Methodist Church, where he served as a Sunday school superintendent for a number of years. He was a retired sales engineer for the former Dunbar and Wallace Lumber Co. of Washington.

Mr. Sweger attended New Bloomfield and Pittsburgh public schools and Carnegie-Mellon University.

He was a past commander of the Graysville Knights of Pythias Lodge, a member of Sunset Lodge No. 623 F&AM of Washington, a past member of Royal Arch Chapter No. 150 Jaques DeMolay Commandery No. 3, a member of Washington Council No. 1 Wach-Gree Forest No. 149 and Tall Cedars of Lebanon, all of Washington, and a past member of Syria Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. of Pittsburgh.

On April 2, 1923, he married Irene Johnson, who survives.

Also surviving are one son, William J., of Hayward, Calif.; two brothers, George A. of Whiting, N.J., and John H. of Pittsburgh; two sisters, Dorothy Thomas of Bethel Park and Susan Satzger of Pittsburgh; five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Two brothers and two sisters are deceased.

dropped, said that the couple has been reconciled for several months and that Diggs would not testify against his wife.

## Honor Roll Students At Jefferson-Morgan

JEFFERSON — The honor roll for the first nine-week period at Jefferson-Morgan Junior-Senior High School has been announced:

**SENIORS**  
Highest Honors — Michael Andria, Bradley Bell, John Mosier.

High Honors — Charlotte Adams, Kim Arnold, Michelle Baker, Patty Barnhart, April Bedosky, Lisa Denny, Mary Jo Dorsey, Sharon Leonard, Jack Lightner, Jesse Malson, Susan Rohrer, Terrie Rush.

Honors — Kim Andrews, David Bates, Mark Buljat, Tracy Elkins, Tim Faddis, Paula Hegan, Jeff Hill, Peter Husarick, Janet Janco, John Jento, Valerie Kotarsky, Gina Leary, Trina Leary, Tina Lingenfelter, Noreen McCartney, Tracey Moss, Dareck Pust, Lori Riggle, Diana Roach, Tamí Silbaugh, Jeff Taylor, Brian Virgin, Michael Vucic, Vicki Vukmanic, Rheanna Willison.

**JUNIORS**  
High Honors — Brenda Barnhart, Becky Butler, Susan Corbett, Marianna Dotts, Sandra Duke, Marilyn Grash, Tammy Hixon, Michael Koratich, Carla Martin, Darla Martin, Melody Martin, Heidi Mosier, Regina Palone, Linda Sanmer, Melanie Siler, Carol Tretinik, John Turachik, Tiffany Ullom, Lori Ziemba.

**FRESHMEN**  
High Honors — Melodie Butler, Beth Day, Rebecca Hall, Melissa Iams, Heather Neel.

Honors — Rhonda Allen, Dawn Basinger, Candace DeFrank, Lori Eder, Tammy Farrar, Russell Guthrie, Lavone Hetrick, Eric Hrin, William Ivanusic, Gina Koller, Renee Lutz, Kristan Powell, Patricia Seals, Lisa Shaffer, Ronald Shaffer, Kelly Shumaker, Kathy Stanton, Angela Stroppe, Sherry White, Traci Willis, Zanetta Wilson.

**EIGHTH GRADE**  
Highest Honors — Carla Johnson, Jess Murphy, Amy Roberts.

**Public Notices**

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**  
Estate of Hohage, Mary S. Stephenson, 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.  
Lucille S. Phillips  
R. D. 4  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
Mildred S. Maize  
325 Bridge Street  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
Executors

David C. Hook  
Attorney  
Fort Jackson Building  
P.O. Box 792  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
11-25; 12-2, 9

**EXECUTRIX NOTICE**  
Estate of Helen R. Sparowis 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.  
Mary Ann Baucum  
Box 1403  
Marshville, NC 28103  
Executrix  
H. Terry Grimes  
67 S. Washington St.  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
Attorney  
11-18,25; 12-2

**EXECUTORS NOTICE**  
Estate of Salona Kerns 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.  
William E. Kerns  
R.D. 1  
Mt. Morris, Pa. 15349  
Virginia John  
255 Sherman Ave.  
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370  
Executors  
Thompson & Bally  
Attorneys  
11-18,25; 12-2

**EXECUTRIX NOTICE**  
ESTATE OF KATHERINE OBROVAC late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.  
Anne Mae Moore  
R. D. #2, Box 412  
Carmichaels, Pa. 15320  
Mary K. Prodan  
100 Fair Street  
Carmichaels, Pa. 15320  
Executrices,  
Thompson and Bally  
Attorneys  
12-2, 9, 16

**Public Notices**

**LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF COMMON PLEAS COURT, GREENE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, DIVISION ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1983.**

The First and Final Account of the Estate of Arvel C. Kiger, Jr., late of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of the Estate of Roy A. Tustin, late of Center Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Joseph Leonard, Administrator of the Estate of John Leonard, late of Dunkard Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Eileen Shillings, Executors of the Estate of Lucy Wolfe, a/k/a Lucy M. Wolff, late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The Account of Gallatin National Bank, Guardian of the Estate of Carl Horn, an incompetent, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Helen M. Gugliotta and Beatrice Behgini, Administrators of the Estate of John W. Lantz, late of Dunkard Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

The First and Final Account of Dorothy Forstey, Executrix of the Estate of Anna C. Goodwin, late of Center Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.

AL DARNEY  
Clerk of Courts  
11-25; 12-2

High Honors — Michelle Policz, Tracy Shaw, Christy Whyte.

Honors — Guy Baker, James Barnish, David Efw, Scott Garnick, Krystal Grash, Wilbur Hetrick, Robert Martin, Lori Mylan, Darlene Pushey, Bridget Riecks, Scott Riggle, Kelly Robinson, Raymond Shriver, Tonya Wilson, Pamela Zemba.

**SEVENTH GRADE**  
Highest Honors — Dolores Blossnich, Chad Koratich, Susan Leighty, Tracy Tharp.

High Honors — Brenna Barchies, Gina Barchies, Christie Bedilion, Stacey Davis, Melissa Dawson, Kimberly Fowler, Carmalia Lockett, Amy Martin, Julie Patrick, Elizabeth Roberts, Amy Schmidt, Lisa Sowden, Brian Taylor, Sean Virgili, Thomas Wilczynski.

Honors — Debra Allen, Jamie Bane, Christine Barnes, Joyce Bates, Roxanne Bedilion, Aimee Berry, Michael Butler, Cheryl Carter, Jason Clayton, Tammy Coffman, Amanda Cohn, Kimberly Danley, Kathryn Feree, David Fowler, Michelle Gardner, Nanette Jellots, Tiffani Kaczmark, Jana Kelly, Darla Machinak, Angela Mack, Heather Miller, Cindi Phillips, Heather Phillips, Julie Saunders, Lawrence Schifko, Clarence Virgin, Beverly White, Brian Wood.

**Public Notices**

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**  
ESTATE OF EDWARD HIROSKY of Morgan Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.  
Stanley Hirosky  
2634 Oakley Avenue  
Bensalem, PA 19020  
J. William Hook Esquire  
P.O. Box 792  
Waynesburg, PA 15370  
11-18,25; 12-2

**Public Notices**

**EXECUTORS NOTICE**  
Estate of Jessie S. Lipencott, 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.  
Mr. George W. Ingram  
204 West Green Street  
Connellsville, Pa.  
Mr. Thomas M. Ingram  
R.D. #1  
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370  
Executors  
James Hook, Esquire  
P.O. Box 792  
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370  
Attorney  
11-25; 12-2,9

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**EXECUTRIX NOTICE**  
ESTATE OF KATHERINE OBROVAC late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.