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Consol May Delay Bailey Mine Opening

WAYNESBURG — Opening of Consolidation Coal Co.'s Bailey No. 1 Mine in Greene County, originally scheduled for next month, could be delayed until the fall because of activity by the United Mine Workers of America.

Joseph Monovich, who is acting assistant administrator for organizing for the UMW, said he and organizers from the International and Districts 1 and 2 met in Morgantown, W.Va., over the weekend to discuss plans for organizing the Bailey Mine.

Monovich said he thinks the selective strike possibility may delay the opening of the mine. He said Consol may wait until a new national agreement is reached and grievances settled before opening the mine.

"They (Consol) are probably waiting for a national agreement. The selective strike issue has their attention ... and it could affect the startup of the mine," he said.

The mine was scheduled to begin operations on a limited basis next month, but Monovich said mining will probably not begin until at least September. Once full production is reached by July 1986, there are expected to be 500 miners producing 2.25 million tons of coal annually.

Officials from the coal company have announced they do not plan to use UMW workers.

However, Monovich said the current contract gives laid-off workers from other Consol facilities panel rights to the Bailey Mine. He said despite Consol's announcement it has no choice about who it will employ.

A similar case at the Beckley, W.Va., District 29 mine has gone to arbitration. In that case, the laid-off miners want to include in their panel the Buchanan Mine in Virginia that Consol also will open soon.

An earlier attempt by miners in District 6 to include the Bailey Mine in their panel failed.

Consol approved putting laid-off miners from the Robena and Dilworth mines onto the District 4 panel.

Monovich added that until the grievances are resolved, Consol will probably take no action. He said the union will take steps to make sure the company sticks to the contract.



LINDA A. KRAJNAK

Woman Promoted

JEFFERSON — Linda A. Krajnak of Old Waynesburg Road, Carmichaels, has been promoted to supervisor of customer services and accounting at West Penn Power Company's Jefferson Division headquarters.

She succeeds Howell E. Swarm, who transferred to the firm's Lincoln Division headquarters near Jeanette.

Jefferson Division chief clerk in the customer accounting section since 1978, Mrs. Krajnak joined the utility in 1966 as a Jefferson division clerk. She advanced to senior division clerk in 1975 and to division lead clerk in 1977.

A graduate of Carmichaels Area High School, Mrs. Krajnak attended Penn State University. She has participated in various company seminars and training programs and served as one of the speakers at a company clerical seminar in late 1983.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zalar Sr. of Carmichaels. She and her husband, John, who is a guidance counselor for the Carmichaels Area School District, have a son, Scot.

They are members of St. Hugh Roman Catholic Church, Carmichaels.



Observer-Reporter

Simulated Run

Ann Cowan of Waynesburg and Jim Casey of Boston pick up the Olympic torch in Morrisville Thursday as part of a simulated run for the Olympic Torch Relay to be held in May. The simulated run started in New Jersey and will finish Saturday in Ohio. The actual relay of the Olympic torch to the 23rd Summer Olympics in Los Angeles will begin May 8 in New York and should pass through the local area May 18.

Simulated Olympic Torch Run Passes Through Greene County

WAYNESBURG — A simulated run for the Olympic Torch Relay to the Los Angeles Summer Olympics passed through the county Thursday.

The run started Sunday in New Jersey and will finish Saturday outside of Cleveland, Ohio. Sixteen runners, employees of American Telephone & Telegraph, were taking part in the run. Runners came up Route 19 from Morgantown and went through Washington County Thursday night. AT&T is underwriting the run in the state and 30 vehicles and 80 people, including a medical team, are used to support the runners.

Two area students met the caravan in Morrisville about 5:30 p.m. and ran with the runners through Waynesburg. They were Ann Cowan, daughter of Richard and Sandy Cowan of Waynesburg, a student at Waynesburg Central High School, and Michael Pruss, son of Stan and Mary Pruss of Amity, a student at Trinity High School.

Miss Cowan ran with Jim Casey of Boston from Morrisville to the East End where she passed her torch to Pruss who continued on with Casey through town. Local police assisted with traffic control as the caravan passed through the area.

The four runners who met the relay in Morrisville were Casey, Larry Cease of Brentwood, Tenn., Bud Von Heyn of Yorktown, N.Y., and Bob Craig of Murray Hill, N.J. They are among 150 employees of AT&T selected for the Olympic Torch Relay from 3,000 applicants. The men said they were using their vacation time to

participate in the simulated run and will do so again in the actual relay. The team also includes four women.

While waiting in a local restaurant, the men took time to talk to a number of people about the relay. They showed their Olympic torches to several children and explained how the Olympic flame will reach the United States this May and how it is passed from torch to torch in the run.

The actual torch relay will start May 8 in New York when the grandchildren of Jim Thorpe and Jesse Owens will be the first two runners. The relay will pass through all 48 continental states, with the last runner entering the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum July 28. The relay is

4-Year-Old Slain, Coroner Says

WAYNESBURG — A pathologist from Connellsville Hospital has determined that a 4-year-old Waynesburg boy who died this week was the victim of a homicide.

Coroner Frank Behm said that the report of Dr. Manuel Pelaez submitted Friday states that James Everett Caldwell died of hemorrhagic shock due to severe lacerations of the liver and intra-peritoneal hemorrhage.

"Dr. Pelaez found that the injuries were far too severe to have been caused by a fall down a flight of stairs," Behm said. "The child also had multiple contusions and abrasions and there were some burns

Large Section Of Waynesburg Designated Historic District

WAYNESBURG — A large section of Waynesburg Borough has been listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

Designated as the Waynesburg Historic District, it encompasses primarily the downtown business district and areas around the Commons and Waynesburg College campus on the north side.

Brenda Barrett, director of the Bureau for Historic Preservation of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, notified borough officials this week that the National Register has approved the borough's application on the basis of the historical and/or architectural merits of structures within the designated zone.

The state review board of the PHMC nominated the Waynesburg district for federal acceptance following a hearing it held on the borough application in January.

The borough application was prepared by the Waynesburg Economic Revitalization Corp., which has been involved for several years in a wide-ranging project to rehabilitate the downtown business district.

WERC Executive Director Robert Lang and WERC architect Rick Glance noted that the Waynesburg Historic District is the first to gain approval in Greene, Fayette and Washington counties. Three historic districts have been established in Allegheny County.

Owners of buildings within the historic district will have the advantage of receiving a 25 percent investment tax credit for preservation and/or restoration of these buildings.

The designation also qualifies the

borough for any federal grants for historic preservation which are made available.

Lang said that individual property owners within the Historic District have the option of excluding their property from the register if they

wish to do so.

In general, the designated area is bounded on the south by Cherry Avenue (a half block south of High Street), on the east by Bowlby Street, on the north by Second Avenue and on the west by East Street.

Symphony Makes Debut In Greene

CARMICHAELS — Pittsburgh's famous American Wind Symphony will spend three days in Greene County in May.

The residency is being sponsored by the Greene County Council on the Arts, whose directors met Tuesday in Carmichaels to set up the schedule of concerts to be held during the May 27, 28 and 29 visit.

The American Wind Symphony, directed by Robert Austin Boudreau, is made up of some 45 outstanding young musicians. It has become famous throughout the United States for its performances on its traveling barge, which has toured both American rivers and the Caribbean. It will embark on a four-year world tour in 1985.

The main concert during the Greene County visit will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 28, at the lock wall in Rices Landing, where the barge will be docked. The Greene County Community Chorus will take part in this concert, joining with the symphony to present instrumental-choral compositions.

Members of the orchestra will arrive in Greene County on Sunday, May 27, and will stay in homes in the county. They will take part in a church service in Waynesburg at 11 a.m. that day and present a concert for their hosts and concert patrons Sunday evening.

On Monday, May 28, the symphony will break into smaller chamber groups for eight chamber concerts at various locations in the county. The times and locations of these concerts will be announced later.

On Tuesday, May 29, the symphony will be at Jefferson-Morgan High School from 10 a.m. to noon for a band clinic for all band students in the county. The students will receive instruction from symphony members and will then play several numbers with the symphony.

From 1 to 4 p.m. that day, quintets from the orchestra will be in five county elementary schools to give half-hour mini-concerts for 60 students at a time, for a total of 1,800 students.

All symphony events will be open to the public without charge, although the cost to the Arts Council of sponsor-

ing the visit will be \$5,000. The council is applying for grants and soliciting other fund-raising sources to help offset the cost.

The Wind Symphony last performed in Greene County in 1980. At that time, more than 2,000 people attended the concert at Rices Landing and several thousand more enjoyed the chamber concerts.

The Arts Council board also made plans Tuesday for a two-week residency in the county by U.S. Steel Affiliate artist, Rachel Lampert, from May 7 through May 20. Ms. Lampert, a dancer, will perform in schools, granges, Curry Home and for various civic organizations, as well as at the Greene Academy in Carmichaels, headquarters of the Arts Council.

For more information about either of these programs call 966-2731.



DONALD WILSON

Lebanon Minister Endorsed

WEST MIDDLESEX — The Rev. Donald P. Wilson, pastor of the Lebanon United Presbyterian Church in Mercer County, near West Middlesex, has been endorsed by the Shenango Presbytery as a candidate for moderator of the Synod of the Trinity of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

The Synod of the Trinity includes all of the Presbyteries in Pennsylvania and West Virginia and three Presbyteries in eastern Ohio, a total of 1,184 congregations.

Wilson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Wilson of Waynesburg R.D.2. He is a graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and Waynesburg College and earned his master's of divinity degree from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. He has been pastor of the Lebanon church since 1967. He and his wife, Deborah, have two sons, Douglas and Thomas.

He has served the Shenango Presbytery as moderator, chairman of the general council and as a member of the candidates committee. He has chaired the Bills and Overtures Committee as well as serving on numerous other Presbytery Committees.

On the synod level he has served on the Committee on Media Mission and Bi-level Stewardship Committee and as synod representative for local mission. He also has served as a commissioner to the Synod and General Assembly.

In the community, Wilson is a member and past president of the West Middlesex Area School Board. He is a member and past president of the West Middlesex Kiwanis Club and a member of the board of directors of the Shenango Valley Osteopathic Hospital at Farrell.

He is chaplain of the Northwest Regional Correctional Facility at Mercer, has worked actively with drug and alcohol recovery and counseling programs, and as a consultant for the Mercer County courts and probation office.

During his pastorate, the Lebanon church has experienced a pattern of continual growth and outreach.

College Nursing Dept. Will Hold Open House

WAYNESBURG — The Department of Nursing at Waynesburg College will hold an open house on Friday, April 13, to celebrate receiving approval of its program by the Pennsylvania State Board of Nurse Examiners.

The open house will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. in the student union in Benedum Hall.

Mugged In W.Va.

WHEELING, W.Va. — Two men from Greene County were beaten and robbed here Saturday, and Wheeling police said they expected to obtain warrants against two people in the case.

Rick Aberegg of Aleppo and Kenneth Bradley of New Freeport told police they met two women in a bar early Saturday morning and went with them to a house. When they left, they were attacked by three men who took \$200 from Aberegg and \$20 from Bradley.

Police said the victims had identified one of the assailants and one of the women who set up the robbery.

Enforcement Too Tough, Officials Say

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — A group of 30 township supervisors, builders and developers attended a meeting of the Greene County Planning Commission Monday to voice objections to what they feel is over-stringent enforcement of on-lot sewage systems.

They asked for planning commission assistance in solving a problem created by what they feel is unjustified action on the part of a state Department of Environmental Resources official.

The DER official, district sanitarian Norman Ciaccia, has refused to issue permits after local sewage enforcement officers have certified land as suitable for the installation of on-lot systems.

"If he continues with that attitude toward Greene County we will have no development in Greene County," said Russell Cowell, a Waynesburg developer.

Cowell claimed that development of a subdivision on Coallick Run has

been delayed for more than three months because Ciaccia has refused to issue the necessary permits, even though tests taken on three separate occasions have established that the land is suitable for septic systems.

County Commissioner L.R. Santore, who was at the meeting, said that James Rogers, a licensed sewage enforcement officer employed by a number of townships in the county, had been to his office last week to discuss the problem.

Both Santore and Planning Commission Chairman Robert Lang stressed that the county has no jurisdiction since it is a state law which is being enforced. Santore said, however, that he will attempt to set up a meeting later this week with the commissioners, Ciaccia, Cowell and Cowell's engineer, Jacob Mankey, to attempt to iron out the problem.

He also pointed out that the commissioners have heard only one side of the story and would not be willing to approach the state sanitarian's superiors until they have had an opportunity to hear his explanation.

The planning commission is involved because it cannot approve plans for any subdivisions until the developer has obtained all required permits, including those for sewage disposal.

Lang said that it is the policy of the planning commission to work with developers and be as flexible as possible while making sure that those who purchase lots are protected.

To this end, the commission granted conditional approval to Center Highlands, a development in Center Township near Hargus Creek being developed by Kenneth Willison. It involves a total of 296 acres, part of which would be subdivided into 18 lots.

The preliminary approval was given with the provision that the developer enter into an agreement that no land would be sold or any houses built until the necessary sewage permit has been obtained from the state and driveway access permit from the township.

West Penn Power Company To Spray Rights Of Way

WAYNESBURG — Portions of West Penn Power Company line rights of way will be aerially sprayed for vegetation maintenance this summer under a program approved by the Public Utility Commission.

The program was developed in cooperation with the office of the Consumer Advocate, the trial staff of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture and state grange.

The utility's Jefferson division manager, L.G. Hewitt, explained that about 10 miles of 25,000-volt subtransmission line and about four miles of 12,000-volt subtransmission line in Fayette, Washington and Greene counties are involved.

The aerial application, which will begin on or after June 10, will be performed by a contractor operating under a license issued by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. Only registered herbicides approved by the

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture will be used.

"An effective rights-of-way maintenance program is very important to our customers," Ms. Hewitt said. "If growing vegetation is not kept clear of power lines, it can come into contact with or even tear lines down during storms, causing electric service interruptions that can last for days," she said.

Areas immediately surrounding pasture lands and cultivated lands, including orchards; crop areas and gardens; lakes and ponds, flowing water, barns, paved public roads; residential homes and surrounding lawn areas; and playgrounds, picnic areas, swimming pools and other similar public recreation areas will not be aerially sprayed.

Owners of property involved in the spraying program will be contacted at least one month prior to performance

of the work.

A landowner who has been contacted may wish to enter into a right-of-way maintenance agreement with West Penn Power. To make the necessary arrangements, he should contact West Penn Power by phone or in writing within 10 days of the initial contact.

Greene County work will include the following areas: Portions of a subtransmission line extending from Route 221 near Ruff Creek in a northerly direction to Route 19 near Dividing Ridge Hill.

Portions of a line extending from LR 30074 near Bald Hill in a northwesterly direction to LR 30020. An area extending from LR 30020 to Interstate 79 near Kirby. An area extending from LR 30027 near Garards Fort to TR 493 on South Muddy Creek and an area extending from the Monongahela River near Nemaocolin to LR 30062.

Portions of a line extending from Route 88 on Ten Mile

Creek in an easterly direction to the Monongahela River.

Portions of a line from Greensboro in a southwesterly direction to Newtown.

The utility office responsible for the areas listed above is the Jefferson Division which can be contacted by calling 627-3121. After May 15, this office will have maps available for inspection, showing the location of the rights of way in the Jefferson Division to be included in the spray program.

Information about sensitive locations can be mailed to West Penn Power's Jefferson Division, P.O. Box 248, Jefferson.

Ms. Hewitt said any objection to proposed spraying or complaints resulting from the spraying should be made by calling West Penn Power collect at 627-3121 or by writing the Jefferson division office at P.O. Box 248, Jefferson, Pa. 15344.

Older College Students Have No Trouble Fitting In

WAYNESBURG — For Rosemary Gaskill, who had not been in school since 1948, the decision to return to the classroom and earn a degree grew out of her work as a nurse's aide for Hospice Care Inc. Her six children were grown and, as she said, "It was time to do something for myself."

She wanted a degree in nursing, but she had not taken science courses in high school. She had, in fact, earned a general education degree. She also was apprehensive about the cost and about whether she would fit in on a college campus.

Concerns such as these are not unusual to Nancy Ferrari, coordinator for non-traditional students at Waynesburg College. Today, more than 17 percent of the students at the college are older than 22 when they first enroll and face many of the same questions.

"Older students often are ap-

prehensive about going to college," Ms. Ferrari said. "They are highly motivated and willing to work hard to achieve their goals, but they aren't sure that they can compete in an academic setting."

"They assume they will stick out like 'a sore thumb,'" continued Ms. Ferrari. "They are surprised to find that a large number of our students are older, independent adults. They're also surprised at the wide range of student services offered."

Rosemary Gaskill was offered a scholarship to attend the Act 101 Step Ahead summer program designed for students who have shown potential but are not adequately prepared for college studies. She took the placement tests in mathematics and in English, and was placed in a basic concepts math course where she could learn the algebra that she has not studied in high school.

By the end of the summer program she had earned above average grades which also gave her the confidence she could handle college-level studies. In the fall, she continued to work with the Act 101 staff in planning her schedule, enrolling in study-skills classes, and working with a reading specialist.

"In many ways, Rosemary's experiences are typical of what older students can do at Waynesburg College," Ms. Ferrari said. "For example, in taking the study-skills class, older students learn effective and efficient ways to take lecture notes, study for tests, manage time and use the library."

"Through hard work and the help she is receiving from the Act 101 staff and the rest of the college faculty, Rosemary is succeeding in college," Ms. Ferrari said.

Ms. Ferrari added that there are

many other examples of older students who are pursuing degrees at Waynesburg College. Ron White, a business administration major, earned his high school diploma while in the Army in 1972. He was interested in changing careers, so he enrolled at Waynesburg College last year and attended summer classes.

Judy Perdue is another older student whose college career has been very successful. A dean's list student and officer of Avant-Garde, a support group for older students, she man-

aged a drugstore in nearby Washington while her children were growing. Although she now laughs about her early experiences returning to school, Mary Grzanka, who always dreamed of attending college, said, "I almost turned around and went home. It took more than one trip to campus before I had the nerve to come in and see what was inside the buildings."

Robin Yauger, who commutes from Uniontown, says she spends as much time studying during the day as possible since her three children

(ages 11, 8, and 2) need her attention in the evenings. In her first semester, she qualified for the dean's list.

"Older students have a special set of challenges," Ms. Ferrari said. "They have to balance their study time with family, work and community obligations, and often they have to catch up on subject matter they have forgotten — or never had. But they are very, very motivated and with the help of their families at home and the faculty here, they can and do succeed."

Conference Officials Decide To Raze Bethel AME Church

By Jim Moore, Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — There will be no centennial celebration at the historic Bethel AME Church on West Franklin Street because the unoccupied structure will be razed one year short of its 100th year of existence.

Although the last worship service was held in the church many years ago, the church and adjacent parsonage remained in the shadow of the Waynesburg College gym as a silent link to the past.

Over the past few years, most of the furniture was removed and the hand-carved pulpit was placed in storage.

Weather and the constant erosion around the foundation by surface water finally caused a cave-in last week. The ground gave way and took part of the foundation and a section of Fruit Alley. Borough officials were forced to close the street.

AME Conference officials made a decision this week to raze the church and save only the stained-glass windows. The adjacent parsonage will remain standing and will await the decision of local church members who hold the deed.

The history of the African Methodist Episcopal Church movement in Waynesburg dates back to 1861, a year after the church was founded in Philadelphia.

At that time Albert Baker, Henry Suttles and James McDonald purchased a lot on East Street for \$50 with the intention of erecting a church. The final payment was made two years later but for reasons unknown, the property was lost.

Baker then offered members a lot near Greene Mount Cemetery for the purpose of erecting a church. The deed was executed on Nov. 24, 1870, for \$40 but it wasn't until 1879 the mortgage was satisfied. Trustees at this time were Andrew Bruce, Charles S. Hickey, John Redman and Daniel Ferrell.

Baker, with the help of many others, erected the church and became the first minister. The congregation consisted of Baker and his wife, Juliana; Betty Suttles and her son, Henry, and his wife, Delia; Rebecca Ferrell; Charles Hickey and his wife, Elizabeth; and Emmeline Stewart and her four children.

The first organized choir was comprised of Lucy Bruce, Fannie, Molly and Ida Workman, Erm Coston, Sebastian Coston, George Clifford, John Dyson and John Richardson.

In 1883, the board of trustees comprised of William Baker, Charles Hickey and John Stewart entered into an agreement to purchase a plot of ground from Sarah Lindsay on Franklin Street for \$312.

The new church was finished in 1885 under the leadership of the Rev. S.H. Lacey. Renovation was completed on Feb. 28, 1912, under the direction of the Rev. John S. Smith.

Meritorious Mast Awarded

Marine Sgt. Marvin L. Cumberledge, son of Clarence V. and Christine Cumberledge of Brave, has been awarded a Meritorious Mast while serving with the 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station New River, Jacksonville, N.C.

A Meritorious Mast is official recognition from a Marine's commanding officer for superior individual performance. It is issued in the form of a bulletin published throughout the command, and a copy is entered in the Marine's permanent service record.

U.S. Army Approves Funding For 2 New Locks And Dams

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Army's Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors has informed U.S. Rep. Joseph M. Gaydos (D-Pa.) that it has approved recommendations for \$165 million for new construction at two facilities along the Monongahela River.

The board, Gaydos reported, has concurred with the Pittsburgh District Engineer and the Ohio River Division Engineer in the need to replace existing Locks and Dams 7 and 8. The new facilities, each measuring 84 feet by 720 feet, will be named the 'Grays Landing Lock and Dam' and the 'Point Marion Lock and Dam.'

Gaydos, who introduced legislation to replace the facilities, and who brought a House Subcommittee and 14 members of Congress to the area in 1982 to review their deteriorating condition, called the board's findings "a major step toward upgrading navigational structures

along the Mon which is absolutely critical for the future of commercial users in western Pennsylvania."

The board's approval, Gaydos continued, is subject to cost-sharing and financing arrangements satisfactory to the president and Congress.

Locks and Dams 7 and 8, the congressman pointed out, were open for river traffic in 1925 and measure only 56 feet by 360 feet, considerably smaller than structures further upriver. Their continual deterioration, along with increased commercial usage of the facilities and larger tows, have contributed to operational inefficiencies, Gaydos added.

He said the next step in replacing the aging facilities is to secure approval from Lt. Gen. Joseph K. Bratt, chief of engineers for the U.S. Army, and Secretary of Army John Marsh.



Observer-Reporter

Top Spellers

In the top photograph, Jenny Nalitz, daughter of Bill and Linda Nalitz of Waynesburg, is congratulated by Dick Macino, the enunciator for the Greene County Spelling Bee held Tuesday night in Jefferson. Miss Nalitz took first place in the event with Janet Baker of Carmichaels, pictured center, coming in second place. Twenty-one students from five school districts and one private school participated in the spelling bee.



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ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. John G. Burns of Cameron Star Route, Graysville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue Ellen, to Gary Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston of Nineveh. Miss Burns is a senior at West Greene High School and plans to attend Uniontown Beauty Academy. Her fiancé is a 1982 graduate of West Greene High School and is employed by the Chapman Corp. in Washington. Wedding plans are incomplete.



ENGAGED — Mrs. Louise Tennant of Graysville has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mona Sue, to Martin Duane Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stewart of Waynesburg. Miss Tennant is a 1979 graduate of West Greene High School and is employed by the West Greene School District as a secretary at Graysville Elementary School. Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is serving in the U.S. Navy. He is stationed at a naval base in Millington, Tenn., where he is studying aviation electronics. A summer wedding is planned.

Woman Of The Year Named By Local Branch Of AAUW

WAYNESBURG — Anna Meighen of 163 East Lincoln Street, Waynesburg, has been named "Outstanding Woman of the Year" by the Waynesburg branch of the American Association of University Women.

She and other honorees from AAUW branches throughout the state will receive special recognition during the Pennsylvania Division convention in Pittsburgh June 8-10.

Miss Meighen is a charter and life member of the Waynesburg AAUW and served as branch treasurer from 1978 to 1982. She and another member of the branch, Sarah Olmstead, collaborated on a book entitled "Our Hidden Heritage," which is available at both the Bowlby Library in Waynesburg and the Fleniken Library in Carmichaels.

The book details the lives of three women who were prominent locally — Margaret Bell Miller, Dr. Jane Teagarden and Maria Harvey. The book was written by Miss Meighen, but the section on Margaret Bell Miller was edited by Sarah Olmstead.

Research on Josephine Denny for a past Woman of the Year award was also done by Miss Meighen.

A native of Greene County, Miss Meighen graduated from Waynesburg High School and Waynesburg

College. She also attended the University of Pittsburgh for graduate courses. She has been a member of many sororities, such as Alpha Delta Pi and Delta Kappa Gamma, as well as the International Honor Society for Women Teachers. She is a member of the local, state and national Retired Teachers associations.

Miss Meighen retired from teaching at Waynesburg Central High School in 1978 after teaching history and English for 44 years. Following her retirement, she worked as an attendance volunteer at the high school for four years.

She is a member of the First United Methodist Church of Waynesburg, Emerald Chapter 153 Order of Eastern Star, and the Daughters of the American Revolution. The Waynesburg Park Commission and the Greene Academy have also benefited from her services.

Miss Meighen was also the first president of the American Field Service, an organization which sponsors foreign students at Waynesburg Central High School and also enables Greene County students to visit foreign countries each year. She is still an honorary advisor in this organization.



TERRY AND BETTY AMOS

Couple Ordained

WAYNESBURG — Terry and Betty Amos, of 465 Cherry Street, Waynesburg, were both ordained into the ministry during services held Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church in Waynesburg.

The ordination service was performed by several local ministers with the Rev. Ronald Evans officiating.

The couple see as their primary

goal the establishment of home Bible studies, or fellowships, for people unable to participate in local church services.

They plan to continue working with married couples through "Christian Marriage Encounters" and the new "Fires" program.

They will also act as supply speakers at local churches or help small churches which cannot afford a pastor.

Couple Wed In Arizona

PHOENIX, Ariz. — St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Phoenix, Ariz., was the setting Friday, March 2, 1984, for the wedding of Gina VanScoyoc and Richard D'Antonio.

The bride is a daughter of Vesta VanScoyoc of Phoenix. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D'Antonio of Sun City, Ariz. The bridegroom's father is a graduate of Jefferson High School and a former resident of Jefferson.

The Rev. Robert Kelly officiated at the nuptial mass and the bridegroom's father read the scripture verses. Maid of honor was Joanna Lapadura of Phoenix and the best man was Charles D'Antonio Jr. of Carlsbad, N.M., brother of the bridegroom.

Bridesmaids were Jean D'Antonio, sister of the bridegroom, and Naomi Martinez. Ushers were Zoro Rossi and Randy Merchant, all of Phoenix.

The bride wore a long white satin beaded pearl gown with a lace train. She carried yellow roses.

The bride is a graduate of Camelback High School in Phoenix. The bridegroom graduated from Las Cruces High School and attended New Mexico State University. Both are employed by the U.S. Postal Service.

A reception was held in the church social hall, with out-of-state guests attending from California, New Mexico, Montana and Pennsylvania. Among the guests was the bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. Mary Gwynne of Waynesburg.

Five-Year Library Plan

WAYNESBURG — The board of trustees of Eva K. Bowlby Library were told this week a five-year plan for the county's library system will be developed through a state grant.

Project Librarian Lynne Mayer said a meeting has been held to organize "Friends of the Library" at Fleniken Library in Carmichaels and work by "Friends of the Library" at Bowlby has already begun.

In connection with the project, a phone survey of county residents has been completed, but the results have not been completely analyzed.

Marjory Johnston, head librarian at Bowlby, reported book circulations have exceeded 10,000 for the first two months of the year. She also reminded book members that National Library Week will be observed the week of April 8.

Plans, including a children's program on Easter crafts, are being made for the special observance. Easter crafts will be displayed in a local bank window on April 12 and a program on local history will be offered on Monday, April 9, at Margaret Bell Miller School.

A trip to the Pittsburgh Zoo is planned for Saturday, April 14. There will be a minimal charge for the trip.

Library friends are reminded a bus will leave for Legislative Day in Harrisburg on Tuesday, April 24.



ANNA MEIGHEN

Tole Painting Class Offered

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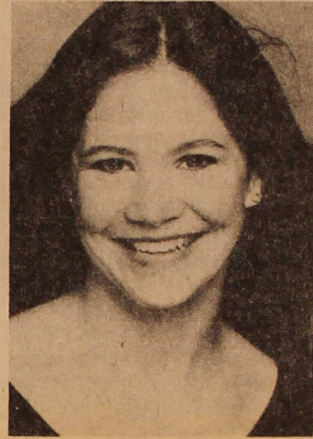
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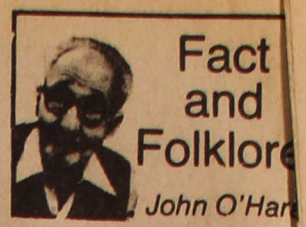
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Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



W.E. (Billy) Hill crosses the street at the corner of High and Morris streets with his daily newspapers. In the background is the former Hotel Downey which was razed over 30 years ago.



Fact and Folklore
 John O'Hara

The location of the first public school building in Waynesburg, borough has been established as having been on the site of what is now the fire hall of the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Co.

A treasured copy of the program for the first Greene County Teachers Institute, held in 1903, has established that fact.

The school is described in the program as a "two story, four room brick building, near the courthouse."

For many years its location was confused with that of the former Greene Street Garage building because of its proximity to the present courthouse.

But the first courthouse was located on Greene Street, adjacent to the present fire hall site.

The original courthouse, now encased in modern building materials, was a log structure. It is owned by George Albert.

The first school building was a brick structure, presumably made with brick baked from clay right on the site as most brick structures of that era were.

Until it was built, children from Waynesburg attended a log schoolhouse on the site of the George Wisecarver farm where the former Waynesburg Water Co. erected its impounding dam now owned by the Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority.

The use of the structure on Greene Street as a schoolhouse was discontinued when the North Ward School was built near Hanna Hall on the college campus.

According to Harold Jacobs, a Waynesburg architect, the bricks from the second floor were used to build the former Carpenter Hotel which once stood on the site of the Moose Lodge — the portion of which had once been a parking lot for the club on the southeastern corner of Morgan and Greene streets.

For the last several years it was still standing, it was occupied by the late Mr. and Mrs. Grover Linton and family, and earlier than that, by Mr. Linton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Linton, when they moved to Waynesburg from Washington at the turn of the century.

The frame house which was occupied for many years by the Fritz family on the southside of South Street in the second half block below Greene Street was originally on the upper side of South Street.

It was approximately on the site where the late Grover Linton had one of the town's first automobile repair shops. It replaced the barn in which Levi Linton, who was an early teaming contractor kept his horses.

In connection with the early history of public education, Mr. Jacobs recalled the well established fact that public schools in Waynesburg were desegregated racially, possibly a century earlier than when it became a national policy.

A school for the small group of Negro children who did live here at that time was located on South Morris Street on the south side of South Street opposite the present South Ward school (the original "stone building" high and grade school.)

Its playground extended almost a half-block south to Lincoln Street, much of which is now occupied by the frame structure originally built by John Koebert.

The site of the school became the home first of Mr. and Mrs. William "Bub" Ullom and later, for many years, of the W.T. Rinehart family. It was later remodeled into an apartment dwelling.

Renovating Courthouse Becoming Priority Item

Two years ago, the Department of Architecture at Pennsylvania State University rated the Greene County courthouse as one of the finest examples of revival courthouse buildings to be found in the Pennsylvania, noting that it was one of just nine left which were erected in the first half of the 19th century.

The state survey was commissioned by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court. It gave the building high marks for historic and architectural significance but found it to be woefully lacking in terms of public convenience and functional planning.

Among major shortcomings noted were lack of facilities for the handicapped, inadequate public restrooms, and lack of space for court-related offices, several of which are housed across the street.

It recommended that the county prepare a plan to utilize vacant space at the rear of the building which formerly housed the county jail to provide additional office space. It also urged immediate action to provide access for the handicapped and to correct other functional deficiencies.

While a few of the easily-correctable problems have been dealt with in the two years since the survey was made public, the county commissioners have yet to come to grips with the major problems. They know they will face a major expenditure when they do, and in the absence of pressure to act have kept putting it off.

That pressure, however, seems to be coming in the form of new regulations which require that local governments make their public buildings accessible to the handicapped by 1986 if they are to continue receiving federal revenue revenue sharing funds.

The courthouse, with its second-floor courtroom and ancient public rest rooms, is completely lacking in this regard. It is a warren of steep and winding stairs, and even the installation of an elevator would not solve the problem unless it was accompanied by other major interior changes.

The commissioners have said they would like to sell the old county office building, where several of the court-related are now housed. They are in process of creating additional offices on the third floor of the new county office building, but that space is not large enough to accommodate everyone that would have to be moved if and when the old building is sold. The logical answer is to provide the additional offices by utilizing the vacant jail space in the courthouse.

The county certainly cannot afford to jeopardize the more than \$400,000 it receives each year in federal revenue sharing funds. On top of that, the courthouse and courtroom should be accessible to handicapped persons.

The commissioners need to face the problem and act on it, even if it means adding to the county's indebtedness.

Funds Are Harder To Get

By Kathie Opferman, Staff Writer

If local governments want to continue receiving their annual revenue sharing allocations from the federal government, changes must be made by October 1986 to make public facilities accessible to the handicapped.

Municipalities receiving annual federal revenue sharing money are required to plan and begin work on the needed structural changes by Oct. 17, 1984. The plan should identify obstacles in the facilities that limit the accessibility of handicapped people to various programs and meetings.

While the municipalities will be specifically required to make the facilities accessible to the handicapped, the local agencies won't be arbitrarily asked to do the work, said Anetha Smith, public information assistant for the office of revenue sharing.

"The self-evaluation will let the municipalities see what is needed to be done such as ramps to doorways, rails in bathrooms or even elevators if necessary," she said.

In Greene County, the regulations will most heavily affect county government, which receives \$411,677 each year in federal revenue sharing funds.

The county commissioners said it presents a major problem at the courthouse, where people are required to climb stairs to get into the building and then still more stairs to get to the second-floor courtroom.

"We have met with the judge (Glenn Toothman) in the past to talk about the problem, but it's something that's going to be very difficult to solve," said L. R. Santore, chairman of the board of commissioners. "It might be possible to build ramps to get into the building on the first floor, but I don't know how we're going to give handicapped people easy access to the courtroom without major reconstruction."

There is no elevator in the 134-year-old building and both the front and back stairs to the second floor are winding and steep. Once there, there are more steps to be negotiated to get to the courtroom and an extremely long and steep flight of stairs to the third floor jury room. In addition, access to public rest rooms is by steep flights of stairs.

"Even if we had an elevator in the

building we'd be solving only part of the problem," Chief Clerk Herbert Cox said.

The commissioners feel that the new county office building complies fully in terms of accessibility to the handicapped of all offices and facilities. In the old county office building, the entrance is at sidewalk level and an elevator eliminates the need to negotiate any steps in reaching offices on the upper floors.

Cox said he will be attending a state conference on the new regulations in May and will know more about what the county will have to do when he returns.

Both the Washington County Courthouse and Office Building are accessible to the handicapped by ramp and elevator.

So far as boroughs and townships are concerned, Greene County officials foresee no major problems.

Access to township maintenance buildings, where most township supervisors hold their meetings and have offices, is from the ground level.

In Waynesburg Borough, council meetings and other public meetings are held in a room with a ground-level entrance. There is a problem, however at the borough building, where there are stairs into the police station and borough office.

Dreama Swanson, borough secretary, said the borough met the requirement to provide public notice on non-discrimination against handicapped persons and that Borough Solicitor William P. Thomas has been asked to advise council on other steps it must take to meet the federal mandate.

The federal government has received virtually no feedback from municipalities concerning the requirements.

Supervisors Review Plans

WAYNESBURG — The Franklin Township Supervisors, at their regular meeting Monday, spent most of their time reviewing a proposed agreement with a housing developer.

Each item in the proposed agreement submitted by builder Robert Cowell was reviewed by the supervisors and their Solicitor William Hook. Because it was felt three items needed further discussion, it was decided to table any decision until the next meeting on Monday, April 2.

Cowell wants to erect 13 new homes in phase two of the Colonial Plan located just off Old Route 21 and Dark Hollow Road.

In other action, the board rejected all salt bids submitted earlier this month. It was noted the township could purchase a ton of salt for \$26.89 without a contract and it would cost \$31.21 per ton with a contract.

The bid for cinders was awarded to William Hopkins & Sons at 3.75 per

ton. A meeting between the township, Southwestern Pennsylvania Water Authority and interested citizens along the proposed water line extension will be held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday to discuss the project.

Supervisors approved the \$8,500 first quarter payment to the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Company as called for in the budget.

letterbox

To The Editor

The recent article in the Waynesburg Republican concerning the women resigning as mayor and council members in Carmichaels was quite disturbing.

Our society has become so critical that we hinder the effectiveness of our leaders. These individuals were doing what they were elected to do and were doing it in an efficient and effective way and manner.

The anonymous phone callers have done nothing to be proud of. They are certainly no credit to the town of Carmichaels.

Earle F. Burnette,
 Morehead City, N.C.

public records

Waynesburg — The following deeds were recorded during this in the office of Greene County Register and Recorder Thomas Headlee: Aleppo Township

Arthur C. and Lois J. Page, Dravosburg, to Charles J. and Anna C. Behm, Wind Ridge, 100 acres, \$10,000.

Cumberland Township
 Attilio and Helen J. Mattei, Clarksville, to Alan G. and Mitzi J. Mattei, Carmichaels, lot, no consideration.

Dunkard Township
 R. Keith and Donna Kay Beall, Dunkard Township, to R. Kenneth Beall, Dunkard Township, one-half interest in lot, no consideration.

Gilmore Township
 Mildred E. Smith, Pine Bank R.D.1, to Thomas E. Smith, Fairmont, W.Va., and others, 2.2 acres, no consideration.

Jefferson Township
 U.S. Steel Corp. to Elizabeth Martin, Rices Landing R.D.1, lot, Dry Tavern, \$1,000.

Auction Prices Listed

WAYNESBURG — The Pennsylvania Livestock Auction held its weekly sale Thursday at West Waynesburg. Prices brought:

Feeder bulls and steers, \$52.50 to \$68.50 per hundredweight; feeder steers, \$48.50 to \$57; feeder bulls, \$43 to \$57; feeder heifers, \$44 to \$55.

Slaughter heifers, medium to good, \$49 to \$53.50; common to medium, \$41 to \$47.50.

Bulls, heavy, \$48.50 to \$54; light, \$42 to \$50.50.

Monongahela Township
 Virginia Lea Yancheck, Elyria, Ohio, to Dennis M. Metcalf, Greensboro, house and lot, \$13,500.

Morgan Township
 Marjorie H. Glatfelter, Bentleyville, and others, to J. Kenneth and Sherry Jean Willison, Waynesburg, one acre, \$2,000.

Waynesburg
 James A. and Marilyn A. Johnson, Waynesburg, to Verna J. Hiller, house and lot, North Richhill Street, \$36,500.

Weston and Wilma Inland, Uhrichville, Ohio, and others, to Fred G. Webb, Waynesburg, house and lot, Cherry Alley, \$16,000.

Jean and Charles Kiger, Mineral Ridge, Ohio, to Roy J. and Patricia Ann Arbogast, Waynesburg, house and lot, Morris Street, \$26,000.

Whiteley Township
 Warrior Land Co., Mt. Morris, to David C. Hook, Waynesburg, 13.2 acres, no consideration.

Circulation Climbing

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Library System's Outreach for Books program is proving very successful in reaching library patrons throughout Greene County.

System Administrator Marjory Johnston reported at a board of directors meeting last week that system circulation for both January and February topped 10,000 — a circulation which was higher than for any month in 1983.

Now serving approximately 20 mini-libraries throughout the county, the Outreach for Books circulation was higher in January than circulation at either the Bowby or Flenicken libraries.

The meeting also included a report by Lynne Mayer, project librarian for the LSCA grant which was obtained to develop library support.

She said that results of a user survey have been calculated and that a telephone survey has been recently completed. Information obtained through the two surveys will be used to help formulate a five-year plan of goals and objectives for the county library system. The planning committee chaired by Allen Nixdorf is responsible for producing the five-year plan.

Mayer also reported that more than 20 people attended the initial meeting last week of Friends of Flenicken Library. She also will be working to reactivate the Friends of Bowby Library.

Through the LSCA grant the Community Analysis also is being revised. It was prepared using 1970 census figures and is being updated with the now-available 1980 census results.



Church Damaged

The foundation of the unoccupied AME Church at the corner of West Franklin and Fruit streets in Waynesburg collapsed early Wednesday morning. The collapse also included part of Fruit Street, forcing the borough to close the street to traffic. The church has not been used for many years.

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Woman Of The Year Named By Local Branch Of AAUW

WAYNESBURG — Anna Meighen of 163 East Lincoln Street, Waynesburg, has been named "Outstanding Woman of the Year" by the Waynesburg branch of the American Association of University Women.

She and other honorees from AAUW branches throughout the state will receive special recognition during the Pennsylvania Division convention in Pittsburgh June 8-10.

Miss Meighen is a charter and life member of the Waynesburg AAUW and served as branch treasurer from 1978 to 1982. She and another member of the branch, Sarah Olmstead, collaborated on a book entitled "Our Hidden Heritage," which is available at both the Bowlby Library in Waynesburg and the Flenniken Library in Carmichaels.

The book details the lives of three women who were prominent locally — Margaret Bell Miller, Dr. Jane Teagarden and Maria Harvey. The book was written by Miss Meighen, but the section on Margaret Bell Miller was edited by Sarah Olmstead.

Research on Josephine Denny for a past Woman of the Year award was also done by Miss Meighen.

A native of Greene County, Miss Meighen graduated from Waynesburg High School and Waynesburg

College. She also attended the University of Pittsburgh for graduate courses. She has been a member of many sororities, such as Alpha Delta Pi and Delta Kappa Gamma, as well as the International Honor Society for Women Teachers. She is a member of the local, state and national Retired Teachers associations.

Miss Meighen retired from teaching at Waynesburg Central High School in 1978 after teaching history and English for 44 years. Following her retirement, she worked as an attendance volunteer at the high school for four years.

She is a member of the First United Methodist Church of Waynesburg, Emerald Chapter 153 Order of Eastern Star, and the Daughters of the American Revolution. The Waynesburg Park Commission and the Greene Academy have also benefited from her services.

Miss Meighen was also the first president of the American Field Service, an organization which sponsors foreign students at Waynesburg Central High School and also enables Greene County students to visit foreign countries each year. She is still an honorary advisor in this organization.

ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. John G. Burns of Cameron Star Route, Graysville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue Ellen, to Gary Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston of Nineveh. Miss Burns is a senior at West Greene High School and plans to attend Uniontown Beauty Academy. Her fiancé is a 1982 graduate of West Greene High School and is employed by the Chapman Corp. in Washington. Wedding plans are incomplete.

ENGAGED — Mrs. Louise Tennant of Graysville has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mona Sue, to Martin Duane Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stewart of Waynesburg. Miss Tennant is a 1979 graduate of West Greene High School and is employed by the West Greene School District as a secretary at Graysville Elementary School. Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and is serving in the U.S. Navy. He is stationed at a naval base in Millington, Tenn., where he is studying aviation electronics. A summer wedding is planned.

Couple Wed In Arizona

PHOENIX, Ariz. — St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Phoenix, Ariz., was the setting Friday, March 2, 1984, for the wedding of Gina VanScoyoc and Richard D'Antonio.

The bride is a daughter of Vesta VanScoyoc of Phoenix. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D'Antonio of Sun City, Ariz. The bridegroom's father is a graduate of Jefferson High School and a former resident of Jefferson.

The Rev. Robert Kelly officiated at the nuptial mass and the bridegroom's father read the scripture verses. Maid of honor was Joanna Lapadura of Phoenix and the best man was Charles D'Antonio Jr. of Carlsbad, N.M., brother of the bridegroom.

Bridesmaids were Jean D'Antonio, sister of the bridegroom, and Naomi Martinez. Ushers were Zoro Rossi and Randy Merchant, all of Phoenix.

The bride wore a long white satin beaded gown with a lace train. She carried yellow roses.

The bride is a graduate of Camelback High School in Phoenix. The bridegroom graduated from Las Cruces High School and attended New Mexico State University. Both are employed by the U.S. Postal Service.

A reception was held in the church social hall, with out-of-state guests attending from California, New Mexico, Montana and Pennsylvania. Among the guests was the bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. Mary Gwynne of Waynesburg.

Five-Year Library Plan

WAYNESBURG — The board of trustees of Eva K. Bowlby Library were told this week a five-year plan for the county's library system will be developed through a state grant.

Project Librarian Lynne Mayer said a meeting has been held to organize "Friends of the Library" at Flenniken Library in Carmichaels and work by "Friends of the Library" at Bowlby has already begun.

In connection with the project, a phone survey of county residents has been completed, but the results have not been completely analyzed.

Marjory Johnston, head librarian at Bowlby, reported book circulations have exceeded 10,000 for the first two months of the year. She also reminded book members that National Library Week will be observed the week of April 8.

Plans, including a children's program on Easter crafts, are being made for the special observance. Easter crafts will be displayed in a local bank window on April 12 and a program on local history will be offered on Monday, April 9, at Margaret Bell Miller School.

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Oldies Dance Committee

Members of the Social Service League will hold an Oldies Dance at 8 p.m. April 7 in the Waynesburg Moose Lodge. Tickets for the event are available from any member of the league. Dance committee members getting into the swing of planning the dance, from left, are B.J. Chapman and Debbie Coss, Becky McCullough and Angie Blair.



TERRY AND BETTY AMOS

Couple Ordained

WAYNESBURG — Terry and Betty Amos, of 465 Cherry Street, Waynesburg, were both ordained into the ministry during services held Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church in Waynesburg.

The ordination service was performed by several local ministers with the Rev. Ronald Evans officiating.

The couple see as their primary

goal the establishment of home Bible studies, or fellowships, for people unable to participate in local church services.

They plan to continue working with married couples through "Christian Marriage Encounters" and the new "Fires" program.

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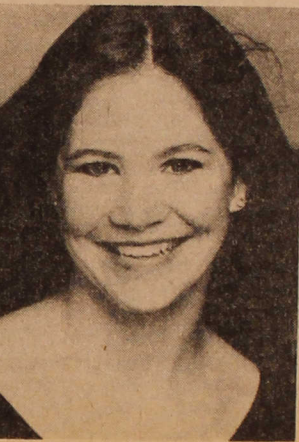
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GARDEN CLUB MEETS

Winelle Gray presented a film on Olympic National Park at a recent meeting of the Town and Country Garden Club of Rices Landing.

She explained it was the wettest spot in the United States with an annual rainfall of between 90 and 140 inches. Located in the state of Washington, the mountains in the park rise to 7,000 feet above sea level and contains 56 miles of coastline.

Nancy Williams reported on the tree-of-the-month, the Sweet Gum. It is found in the mid-Atlantic states and has a straight trunk with a furrowed, corky reddish brown bark. The leaves have five points and the wood is used on the inside and outside of home building and barrel making.

Helen Barbor and Nancy Williams conducted the plant exchange.

The April meeting will be at the home of Louise Crowthers in Fredericktown.

BETA SIGMA PHI

The Xi Lambda Exemplar Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday evening, March 15, at the home of Betty Jo Rose.

President JoAnn Schamp welcomed two guests, Patty Pyle and Beverly Shuman, and appointed a nominating committee. Members are Sally Butcher, chairman; Cecile Huffman and Mary Medlick.

The cultural program, "Living Fully," was presented by Barbara McMillen. Lunch was served by the hostesses, Betty Jo Rose and Marie Bryner.

CUB DINNER

The annual Blue-Gold Banquet of Cub Pack 1200 in Nineveh was held last month in the Community Center.

More than 50 pack members, their families and guests attended the covered dish dinner.

Winners of the Pine Wood Derby were Jason Phillips, first; John Phillips, second, and Adam Andrew, third.

GETS PROMOTION

James D. Rohrer, son of Jeanie Lur of Clarksville, has been promoted in the U.S. Army to the rank of specialist four.

Rohrer is an armor crew member at Fort Bragg, N.C. with the 82nd Airborne Division. He is a 1978 graduate of Beth Center High School, Fredericktown.

COMPLETES TRAINING

Marine Pvt. Barry J. Miller, son of Robert B. and Joyce Miller of 800 Sherman Ave., Waynesburg, has completed the infantry combat training course at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

George Baker To Mark 92nd Birthday Today

George Baker of Washington R.D. 6 will celebrate his 92nd birthday Friday, March 30.

An avid reader, Mr. Baker has read over 65 books since last June.

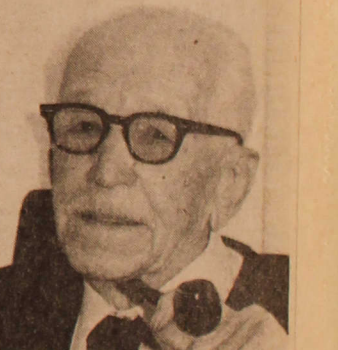
He was married to the late Alice Lewis Baker, who died in 1973.

A member of the Jefferson Methodist Church, he was employed by General Motors Corp. of Detroit, Mich., prior to his retirement in the 1950s.

There are eight living children: Sara Ida Marshbanks, Dale Baker, Art Baker and Pat Nickels, all of Michigan; Royce Baker of Ohio; Wilson Baker of South Carolina; Ruth Ann Weaver of Tionesta, and Jane Piatt of Washington.

In addition, Mr. Baker has one sister, Norma McCullough of Washington and one brother, Herman Baker of California.

He has 36 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren.



G. Baker

Special Programs

WAYNESBURG — Greene County Emergency Medical Services provides, free of charge, special programs to local organizations on a variety of medical emergency topics.



40TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Allen Knight of Howard, Ohio, formerly of Greene County, will observe their 40th wedding anniversary with an open house from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 1, in the home of their son, John, in Gambier, Ohio. They were married April 1, 1944, in Washington by the Rev. John Love. Mr. Knight, the son of Elijah and Elizabeth Knight, worked in the oilfields for some 30 years. Mrs. Knight, the daughter of Melvin and Mary Hennen, has been employed by Flexible Corp. in Loudenville, Ohio, for the past 17 years. They are the parents of four children, Betty L. Henwood and Jack L., both of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, and Thomas A. and John A., both of Gambier, Ohio. They also have 11 grandchildren. They request no gifts during the open house celebration.



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WPIAL AA Champions

These wrestlers recently won WPIAL championships in Class Double-A. They include front row (from left): Beth-Center's Dave Kriebel (98); Washington's Rod Fuqua (105); Riverview's Dave Ciafre (112); Beth-Center's Marc Bartolomucci (119); Jeannette's Derrick Hall (126); and West Mifflin South's Phil D'Augustino (132). Second row (from left): Avella heavyweight Eric Smith; Mapletown's Chris Homistek (185); Bentworth's Kevin Myers (167); West Greene's Rikk Walters (155); Avella's Dean Simonelli (145); and Riverview's Lance Phaturso (138).

Bowling Scores

Every match featured a 200 plus game in Monday Night Women's Bowling League action this week including a 229 by Carol Houser of the Trempus Insurance team.

Despite Houser's high single and 518 series, her team lost a three-point match to Mariner and Milliken Funeral Home. Leading the winners was Donna Knisely who tossed a 201 single and 531 series.

Nancy Reagan rolled a 200 single and 488 series to lead the Fairmont Supply team to a shutout of the Hopkins & Son team. Bonnie Kiger topped the losing effort with a 167 single and 470 series.

Piper's Construction took three points from Baily Insurance with Barb Morris' 181 single and Dorothy Nelson's 513 series leading the way. Betty Seaman rolled a 217 single and 636 series for the losing team.

The Cokettes took three points from Mankey Engineering behind the 189 single of Shirley Kerr and 547 series of Beverly Cross. For the losers, Marilyn Whiting rolled a 204 single and 523 series.

BOWLING SCORES

American Supply gained a shutout victory over 77 Market in Thursday Night Classic League bowling at Arbor Terrace Center Lanes this past week.

Kay Mooney led the winners with a 194 single and 528 series. For the losing team, Marilyn Whiting tossed a 197 single and 550 series.

Patterson Realty and Barna's Furniture split four points. Gloria Sanner rolled a 202 single and 522 series for Patterson while Betty Seamon rolled a 203 single and 494 series for Barna's.

Wade's Auto Body and Waynesburg Milling also split four points. Joyce Watson had a 221 single and Judy Hartmann, a 524 series for the millers while Shirley Kerr tossed a 203 single and 551 series for the Wade's squad.

BOWLING SCORES

Waynesburg Milling shut out the American Supply team in Thursday Night Classic Bowling League action at Arbor Terrace Center Lanes.

Ruthann Blair rolled a high 181 single and 512 series for the winners while Loraine Kelly tossed a 195 single and 478 series.

Wade's Auto Body took three games from Patterson Realty behind the 202 single and 559 series of June Stewart. Karen Tanner paced the losers with a 183 single and a 503 series.

Barna's Furniture took two and a half points from 77 Market behind the efforts of Chris Kerr who had a 212 single and Betty Seamon who registered a 545 series. Marilyn Whiting tossed a 209 game and 535 series.

BOWLING RESULTS

The Cougars and Firebirds each won shutout victories in the Afternoon Tea League action this week at Arbor Terrace Center Lanes.

For the Firebirds, Randa Hall rolled a 182 single and Nancy Simmons tossed a 489 series. For the losing Horizons, Judy Reynolds rolled a 170 single and 447 series.

Jean M. Barnhart was top roller for the Cougars with a 186 single and 491 series. Edith Haines led the losers with a 158 single and 437 series.

The Challengers took three points from the Citations behind the 193 single and 554 series of Rhonda Stohon. Mary Evisirch led the Citations with a 189 single and 482 series.

The Dusters took three points from the Pacers behind the efforts of Karen Tanner who rolled a 181 single and 474 series. Velma Wilson had a 149 single and 422 series.

BOWLING SCORES

C&S Discount Tires took a shutout win over the Women of the Moose in Wednesday Night Ladies League play last week at Arbor Terrace Center Lanes.

Jean Gaisor tossed a 211 single and Edith Haines, a 529 series to pace the winners. Becky Garber was high gun for the losers with a 188 single and 525 series.

Moose Lodge 461 took three points from the Triangle team behind the 214 single and 593 series of Karen Hull. For the losing team, Nancy Simmons rolled a 158 single and a 410 series.

Sally Baird led her Jury Box team to a three-point win over the Greenway team with a 193 single and 509 series. Carolyn Brown led the losers with a 192 single and Becky Mikalik chipped in with a 513 series.

Barnharts and Stockdale Excavating split four points. Connie Vernon topped the Barnhart squad with a 177 single and 491 series. For Stockdale's, Janine Manteau rolled a 146 single and Lillian Conn, a 393 series.

Endorses DeWeese

HARRISBURG — The Pennsylvania Rifle and Pistol Association has announced its endorsement of H. William DeWeese for re-election.

"Rep. DeWeese has consistently supported the right to keep and bear arms for lawful purposes," association President Robert M. Brewington said.

Lions Club Names Outstanding Player

CARMICHAELS — J. L. Lechner Jr. was named the "Most Outstanding Senior Football Player" by the Carmichaels Lions Club at its annual Senior Football Players Award Banquet Wednesday night held in the Grange Hall.

Lechner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Lechner Sr. of Nemaocolin and was tight end for the team. He also was the leading county receiver in football this season. In accepting the

trophy, Lechner thanked his fellow team members and coaches for making the award possible.

The main speaker at the banquet was Russ Jacques, offensive coordinator for the West Virginia Mountaineer football team. Jacques said, "Football fame and money are nice, but football is only a short period on one's lifetime." He said today's recruiters are looking harder at high school prospects to see if they can

operate in the classroom as well as on the field.

The coach spoke of his experiences with the Mountaineers under coach Nehlen and the satisfaction of bringing a winning spirit to the university.

Paul Woodside, place kicker for the Mountaineers, was the special guest and spoke of his role on the football team. He told the football players that the most important factor is the belief in one's own ability.



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From left, Carmichaels Football Coach Tom McCombs, Outstanding Player J.L. Lechner Jr., J.L. Lechner Sr., Russ Jacques and Paul Woodside.

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A Question Of Numbers

By Joe Parry,

Things just don't add up at the Pennsylvania Game Commission's headquarters in Harrisburg. And if the 1983 whitetail deer harvest is a true indicator of the Game Commission's herd management, then hunters statewide feel the PGC should get out of the animal business.

will remain second largest.

Tallying up average annual road kills, poached deer, deer killed by farmers for crop damage, and deer illegally taken during the respective seasons, it gives us approximately 325,000 deer harvested from a herd that is supposed to number 850,000.

What is concerning is the PGC statement that the 1983 antlerless deer to

Greene County Obituaries



Cecil L. McCracken

Cecil L. McCracken, 88, of Tavernier, Fla. formerly of Wind Ridge, died Friday, March 23, 1984, in the Mariner Hospital, Plantation Key, Fla.

He was born March 15, 1896, in Richhill Township, a son of Joseph and Emma Parry McCracken. On April 18, 1917, he married Lulu Hughes, who died September 2, 1980.

Mr. McCracken was a retired sales representative for the Atlantic Refining Co. He had resided in Florida for the past 20 years. He was interested in antique cars and for many years was active in an antique car club. He also had many pictures of antique cars he had owned.

Mr. McCracken was a member of the Wind Ridge Christian Church, a 50 year member and past Master of Waynesburg Lodge 153, A&F.M., Pittsburgh Consistory, Scottish Rite, Waynesburg Elks Lodge 757, Upper Keys Elks Lodge, and American Association of Retired People.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Katherine Horn, of Tavernier, Fla., two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. Lottie Shadle, of Dorset, Ohio, Mrs. Mary Stagers, of Prosperity, and Mrs. Anna Thomas, of Dennison, Texas; and one brother, John McCracken, of New Port Richey, Fla.

Deceased in addition to his wife, Lulu H. McCracken, is one son, Harold.

Evelyn S. Brocinski

Evelyn Sweitzer Brocinski, 70, of Jefferson, died Thursday, March 22, 1984, at 11:50 p.m. in University Hospital, Morgantown, West Virginia. She had been ill for five days.

She was born September 28, 1913 in Somerset County, a daughter of James and Jennie Williamson.

Her first husband, John Sweitzer, is deceased. She is survived by her second husband, Anthony Brocinski.

Mrs. Brocinski had resided most of her life in Jefferson. She was a Protestant and a member of Women of the Moose Chapter 888 of Waynesburg.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Ronald Sweitzer of Hampton, Va., Blaine Sweitzer of Willowick, Ohio; one daughter, Mrs. Thomas (Lorraine) Orndoff of Waynesburg; nine grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one brother, John Williamson of Rockwood.

A brother, Clarence, and a sister, Thelma, are deceased.

James E. Caldwell III

James Everett Caldwell III, 4, of 222 East Franklin Street, Waynesburg, died Wednesday morning, March 21, 1984.

He was born October 7, 1979 in Indianapolis, Ind., a son of James E. Caldwell II and Linda Lough Caldwell.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a sister, April Dawn Caldwell, at home; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lough of Nineveh; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Caldwell of Indiana; and several aunts and uncles.

Sylvia Rice

Sylvia Rice, 63, of 91 South Morgan Street, Waynesburg, died at 1:50 a.m. Wednesday, March 21, 1984, in the home of her sister in Granville, W.Va., following a long illness.

She was a Methodist. In 1920, in Moss Creek to Samuel and Elizabeth Keith Boring. A former resident of Aliquippa, she had made her home in Waynesburg for the past several years.

Her husband, Raymond Rice, died in 1978.

Surviving are a daughter, Patricia Green of Barnsboro; four grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Elvora Johnson of Granville, W.Va., and Mrs. Gertrude Allshouse of Clymer; and a brother, Albert Boring of Chester, W.Va.

Three sisters and two brothers are deceased.

John T. Bellina

John T. Bellina, 65, Mt. Morris R.D.1, died Tuesday, March 20, 1984, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

He was owner and operator of Paradise Garden greenhouse, Mt. Morris, and had operated a fruit market in Waynesburg from 1958 to 1966.

Mr. Bellina, a son of Pete and Ester Pesenga Bellina, was born May 27, 1918, in Masontown, W.Va.

He was a graduate of Dupage Horticulture School, Chicago, Ill., and had been in the greenhouse business for 35 years. He was affiliated with the American Nurseryman's Association and the American Rhododendron Society.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Morgantown. During World War II he served as a staff sergeant with the 82nd Airborne Division.

Surviving are his wife, Elina Gutta Bellina; two sons, John J. Bellina of Morgantown and Carmen F. Bellina of Granville, W.Va.; four grandchildren; two brothers, James Bellina of Grant Town, W.Va., and Pete Bellina of Masontown, W.Va.; and four sisters, Ann Fortuna of Morgantown, Helen D'Amico of Fairmont, W.Va., Virginia Peck of Baltimore, Md., and Clara Emerich of Denver, Colo.

A brother, Louis, and a sister, Sunda Palmer, are deceased.

Bonnie L. Cain

Bonnie L. Cain, 43, of House 109 Nemaconlin, died Thursday, March 22, 1984, in West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown. She had been seriously ill for the past three months.

She was born February 1, 1941, at Waynesburg, a daughter of the late James Russell and Edna M. Barnhart Zollars Sr. On March 27, 1971, she married Timothy Cain, who survives.

Mrs. Cain had resided for several years at Mont Clair, Calif., and at Clarksville. She had lived at Nemaconlin for the past two years.

She was a Methodist.

Surviving in addition to her husband, are three sons, James W. Cain and Thomas C. Pleshe, both at home, and John A. Pleshe Jr., serving with the U.S. Air Force in England; one granddaughter, eight sisters, Mrs. Thomas (Wilma) Deary, of Pittsburgh, Mrs. John (Dolores) Cox, of Carmichaels, Mrs. John (Donna) Harrier, of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Paul (Patricia) Mathason, of Waynesburg R.D.5, Billie Zollars, of Waynesburg R.D.4, Carol Zollars, of Watham, Mass., Mrs. Ralph (Judith) Adamson, of Waynesburg R.D.1, and Mrs. Gerald (Cheryl) Wise, of Fairborn, Ohio; and one brother, Robert Zollars, of Detroit, Mich.

Deceased are one sister, Edith I. Foster, and one brother, James R. Zollars Jr.

William A. Dembo Sr.

William A. Dembo Sr., 71, of 8308 McNeil Street, Vienna, Virginia, died Friday, March 23, 1984, in Fairfax Hospital, Falls Church, Va., after an illness of several months.

He was born December 27, 1912 in Waynesburg, a son of Levi and Eva Winelstein Dembo.

His early life was spent in Waynesburg where he graduated from Waynesburg High School in 1930. In World War II, he served with the U.S. Navy as a Chief Yeoman.

Mr. Dembo had lived in Virginia for the past 20 years and owned and operated Kitchen Classics in Falls Church.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy Parker Dembo, whom he married January 19, 1947; a son, William A. Dembo of Atlanta, Ga.; two daughters, Mrs. Ronald (Marsha) Giusti of Houston, Tx., Mrs. Robert (Barbara) Dellinger of Vienna, Va.; two brothers, Martin S. Dembo of Chevy Chase, Md., Henry H. Dembo of Rockville, Md.; and one sister, Pearl D. Friedkin, also of Rockville.

Harry Rizer

Harry Edward Rizer, 76, of Carmichaels, was dead on arrival at Greene County Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, March 20, 1984.

He was born June 24, 1907, in LaBelle, Fayette County to John and Melvina Appleby Rizer.

A retired assistant mine foreman for Nemaconlin Mines, he was a member of the Greene Valley Presbyterian Church at Carmichaels; Valley Lodge 459, F&AM at Masontown; Coudersport Consistory and the Syria Shrine in Pittsburgh.

Surviving are his wife Willa McMinn Rizer; two daughters, Mrs. Ralph (Margaret) Curtis of St. Petersburg, Fla. and Mrs. Frank (Harriet) Walters of Cleveland, Ohio; six grandchildren and a great-grandson.

Services will be held Friday with burial in Laurel Point Cemetery.

Charles L. Strobe

Charles L. (Jake) Strobe, 64, of Waynesburg R.D.4 (Oak Forest), died Sunday, March 25, 1984, at 3:30 a.m. at his residence.

He was born February 14, 1920 in Franklin Township, a son of the late James E. and Sarah Rush Strobe.

On November 24, 1941, he married Pauline Tharp, who survives.

Mr. Strobe operated the Center Service Station in Rogersville for several years.

He was a member of the Oak Forest United Methodist Church and a life member of the Center Township Volunteer Fire Co. He also belonged to the Knights of Pythias Lodge 165 at Graysville.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are two daughters, Patricia Huff of Oak Forest, Jane Sanddidge of Los Angeles, Ca.; a son, Robert L. Strobe of Rogersville; four grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; three sisters, Mrs. James (Hazel) King of New Freeport, Mrs. Dorothy Johnson of Rogersville, Mrs. William (Ann) Kern of Whitewater, Wis.; and two brothers, Floren Strobe of Illinois and John Harold Strobe of Myersdale.

A granddaughter and two brothers are deceased.

Donald L. Williams

Donald L. Williams, 77, of Cameron R.D.5, W.Va., died at 2 p.m. Monday, March 26, 1984, in Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glen Dale, W.Va.

He was born April 25, 1906, in Marshall County, W.Va., son of Charles and Anna Belle Quigley Williams.

Mr. Williams was a member of Big Run Christian Church. He was a retired employee of Weirton Steel Co.

Surviving are his wife, Martha Hartzel Williams; one daughter, Mrs. Gloria Withers of Cameron; three sons, Delmar Williams of Cameron, Nile Williams of Glen Dale, W.Va., and Larry Williams, of Moundsville, W.Va.; 14 grandchildren, and 20 great-grandchildren.



The Brower Brothers will be appearing in the country western show to be held next month for the benefit of the Greene County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

Country Show To Benefit ACS

WAYNESBURG — The Brower Brothers from Nashville will be performing in a country-western show to be held Sunday, April 15, at Waynesburg Central High School to benefit the Greene County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

Also featured will be Kenny Price from television's "Hee Haw," and Jack Ripley, America's foremost stuttering comedian.

There will be three performances,

beginning at 1, 5 and 8:30 p.m.

Advance tickets are now available and may be purchased at the Show Fund Office located on the second floor of the Baily Insurance Building at 55 South Washington Street or at the American Cancer Society office located on the second floor of the borough building. Single tickets may be purchased at Albert's Motor Lodge and Wade's Body Shop.

Ticket prices are \$7 for a single

and \$12.50 for a couple. Family tickets are \$16.50 and will admit two adults and two children or three adults.

Unless the show is sold out, tickets will also be available at the door at a cost of \$2 for children and \$8 for adults.

Patrons are reminded they may purchase tickets to be donated to senior citizens or handicapped children.

Rotarians Treated To Movies

WAYNESBURG — Members of the Waynesburg Rotary Club got a taste of Greene County as it was in the early 1900s at their meeting Monday.

They relived some of the events that happened in the early part of the century through a silent film shown by William Molzon, director of audiovisual services at Waynesburg College.

Molzon explained that the film is a reproduction of a collection of 35mm films which were made by Waynesburg businessman Charles Silveus, who owned the Waynesburg movie house when he made the films and who later was an owner of the Waynesburg Restaurant.

Molzon told the Rotarians that Silveus covered various events throughout the county and showed his "movies" as a way of stirring local interest. The Silveus collection eventually ended up in the permanent possession of the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Company.

He said that the age of the original film, plus the corrosive action of nitrate in the film, harmed them to a great extent. In the 1970s, Lew Rush and Miles Davin, both fire company officials, and others in the company became concerned that the film would be lost forever and took steps to preserve them.

Some six years ago, Molzon said, he became involved in salvaging the

original film and succeeded in reproducing them on 16mm film. The originals, he said, are now on file in the Library of Congress.

Although the black and white reproduction "picked up" some of the poor quality from the originals, it provides an interesting visual history of Waynesburg and other localities in the county.

Scenes of sulky races at the fairgrounds prior to World War I, Model T Fords and horses sharing High Street's daily traffic, men in high collars and women in ankle-length dresses and the smoldering ruins of a fire which destroyed a stable across from the Waynesburg Army are all featured in the nostalgic film.

Other scenes feature Waynesburg's "own Company K," a rifle company from the 28th Division of the Pennsylvania National Guard which

was stationed in Waynesburg for many years. Company K is pictured in a parade prior to World War I and enroute to the town's railroad station in either 1916 or 1917 (Mexican border or duty in France), and at a reception held for the company at the renowned "Wiscarver mansion" on the North Side. According to one Rotarian, the company commander at that time was Walter C. Montgomery, known as "Cap" Montgomery.

Other scenes include opening of the Mather Collieries mine about 1920, a flood of Ten Mile Creek at the Sugar Run junction, a group of Civil War veterans, a track meet at College Field, views of the aftermath of an explosion at the Brave pump station and many others.

J. William Hook, a Waynesburg attorney, was inducted as a new member.

DIES — Floyd H. Turner of 595 North Richhill Street, Waynesburg, died Tuesday, March 27, 1983, in Greene County Memorial Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack in his home. He was 72.

Floyd H. Turner

Floyd H. Turner, 72, of 595 North Richhill Street, Waynesburg, died at 1 a.m. Tuesday, March 27, 1983, in Greene County Memorial Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack in his home.

He was born December 20, 1911, in Sharon, son of Charles and Carolena Dresch Turner, and graduated from Sharon High School in 1930. He had made his home in Waynesburg since 1934.

Mr. Turner moved to Waynesburg as a member of the Pennsylvania State Police and later worked for more than 25 years at Bryan's Dairy in Waynesburg. He served with the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He served for many years as a member of the Waynesburg School Board and later as a member of the Central Greene School Board. He was an active member of the First Baptist Church of Waynesburg, where he served on the finance committee and the youth activities committee.

Mr. Turner also was an active member of James Farrell Post 330, American Legion, and Voiture 1020, 40 and 8, having served as the Voiture secretary for many years.

He was a member of Waynesburg Lodge 153, F&AM, Waynesburg Lodge 469 of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and the Masonic and Odd Fellows Building Association.

Surviving are his wife, Thelma Bryan Turner, whom he married June 3, 1936; a daughter, Sue Turner, at home; a son, James B. Turner of Menlo Park, Calif.; a grandson, Jeffrey Turner; a sister, Mrs. Isabel Karr of Youngstown, Ohio; and two brothers, Chester Turner of West Middlesex and Leonard Turner of Sharon.

A son, John William Turner; two brothers, Robert and William Turner, and two sisters, May Turner and Florence Parker, are deceased.

Lesta O. Hardesty

Lesta O. Richard Hardesty, 78, of 330 Nemaconlin Way, Carmichaels, died at 12:05 a.m. Wednesday, March 21, 1984 in University Hospital, Morgantown.

She was born September 27, 1905 at Crellan, W.Va., a daughter of Calvin L. and Nettie Smith Richard. Her husband, Carl Homer Hardesty, died in 1967.

She was a Methodist.

Surviving are a daughter, Lucille Hardesty Hamstead of Carmichaels; two brothers, Charles E. Richard of Dilliner and Everett S. Richard of McConnellsburg; three sisters, Mrs. Bessie Walls of Bruceton Mills, W.Va., Mrs. Robert (Luella) Ringer of Albright, W.Va. and Mrs. Rosalie Titchnell of Carmichaels R.D.1, and several nieces and nephews.

Two brothers, Russell and Lloyd Richard, are deceased.

Jessie Belle Hoy

Jessie Belle Hoy, 94, of Waynesburg died Tuesday, March 27, 1984, in Washington County Health Center following a long illness.

She was born February 25, 1890, in Brave, daughter of Levi and Margaret Elizabeth Shanes Kughn. Her husband, George, died August 23, 1958.

Her early life was spent in the Kirby area. She had spent the past several years in Waynesburg where she was a member of the First Christian Church.

Surviving are a half sister, Mrs. Hazel Cumberledge of Spraggs; a foster son, Pete Strakal Jr. of Martinsburg, W.Va., and several nieces and nephews.

Mabel M. Stalnaker

Mabel Morford Stalnaker, 76, of Garrison, died Tuesday afternoon, March 20, 1984, in the United Hospital Center in Clarksburg, W.Va.

She was born May 10, 1907, in Core, W.Va. to Oliver Perry and Mary Alice Core Morford.

She was a member of the Doll's Run Christian Church in Core, W.Va.

Her husband, Walker S. Stalnaker died December 18, 1968.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Jennewine of Clarksburg, W.Va.; Mrs. Kathryn Clelland of Garrison and Mrs. Patricia Johnston of Pt. Arena, Calif.; two sons, Roger M. of Garrison and Larry W. of Charleston, W.Va.; 14 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Public Notices	Public Notices
<p>EXECUTOR'S NOTICE ESTATE OF JENNIE THARP of Richhill Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Perry A. Tharp R.D.1 Box 226-A Enon Valley, PA 15120 Executor MAXWELL & DAVIS R. WALLACE MAXWELL Attorney</p> <p>3-30; 4-6,13</p>	<p>EXECUTRIX NOTICE Estate of Lelia Paller, late of Greensboro, Jefferson Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Janet Matucci Box 2 Rices Landing, Pa. 15357 Executrix W. Bertram Waychoff Attorney</p> <p>3-30; 4-6,13</p>
<p>EXECUTRIX NOTICE ESTATE OF MARY D. HARTLEY late of WAYNESBURG Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Mary Frances Connor Allen 121 W. 48th Street Kansas City, MO 64112 William C. Allen, Sr. 121 W. 48th Street Kansas City, MO 64112 Executors</p> <p>THOMPSON AND BAILY Attorneys 3-16, 23, 30</p>	<p>LIST OF FINAL ACCOUNTS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COURT BY AL DARNEY, CLERK OF THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, ORPHAN'S COURT DIVISION ON MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1984.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Katharine H. Deever and Mary H. Phillippi, Administratrices of the Estate of Gail J. Hughes, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Phyllis H. Lemley, Successor Trustee of the Estate of Walter C. Fox, Incomplete, Perry Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Eleanor M. Page and Diana A. Bramer, Executrices of the Estate of Samuel M. Dugan, late of Cumberland Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Fred McDowell, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Emma L. McDowell, a/k/a Emma Lucy McDowell, late of Morgantown, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Joseph M. Hudik, Executor of the Estate of Veronica E. Gonda, late of Monongalia Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Isaac B. Vandine, Executor of the Estate of Kirt B. Vandine, late of Springhill Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Hazel Davis (Shultz) Executrix of the Estate of Ralph Shultz, a/k/a Ralph O. Shultz, late of Franklin Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>The First and Final Account of Gregg Edison Waters, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Nannie Keys, late of Morgan Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania.</p> <p>Al Darney Clerk of Courts 3-16, 23, 30</p>
<p>EXECUTRIX NOTICE ESTATE OF FRANK HIGGINS late of Whiteley Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Carolyn W. Morris R.D.#3, Box 136 Waynesburg, PA 15370 Executrix</p> <p>WILLIAM R. NALITZ, Esquire SWEERS, KING, KEENER & NALITZ Attorneys 3-30; 4-6,13</p>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE ESTATE OF ALPHEUS STROSNIDER, a/k/a A. V. STROSNIDER, deceased late of Wayne Township, Greene Co., Pennsylvania.</p> <p>Letters of Administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against the estate are requested to make known the same to the undersigned or his attorney and all persons indebted to the decedent are requested to make payment to the undersigned without delay.</p> <p>DELORES E. COX 204 Shirley Drive Monaca, Pa. 15061 Administratrix Harry J. Canciani, Jr. Attorney Thompson and Baily 52 Church Street Waynesburg, PA 15370 3-30; 4-6,13</p>
<p>EXECUTRIX NOTICE ESTATE OF MARY M. JOHNSTON, late of Waynesburg Borough, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Mr. Alvin W. Johnston 275 Surry Lane Fox Point Barrington, Illinois 60010 Executor James Hook, Esquire P. O. Box 792 Waynesburg, PA 15370 Attorney 3-16, 23, 30</p>	<p>ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE ESTATE OF DONALD B. COWELL, of Whiteley Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.</p> <p>Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same; and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to:</p> <p>Joanna Throckmorton Adm. Mt. Morris Star Route Waynesburg, Pa. 15370 James A. Cowell 55 Fordyce Road Waynesburg, Pa. 15370 Administrator 3-16, 23, 30</p>

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