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Federal Money Offered

property owners who have old aban-doned mine sites on their land may get the opportunity to have the land restored without charge — but only if

Martin A. Niverth Jr., district manager of the Greene County Con-servation District, said the federal servation District, said the federal government recently made additional funds available under the Rural Abandoned Mine Program to reclaim abandoned mine lands which existed prior to 1977, provided they fall into the Priority One classification.

Priority One sites are those which recent the beath and the process of the program of the

pose a threat to health or safety, or both. Examples of this would be open shafts, burning areas or areas which

have steep dropoffs.

Niverth said that Greene County is estimated to contain approximately 1,000 acres of abandoned mine lands, many of which fall into the Priority One category. Two such sites in the county were reclaimed during the past year, but no applications are currently pending from the county.

"Greene County is in real danger of losing out on some free federal money," he said. "Open mine en-trances, burning slag piles and high walls exist in many places in the county. If these situations were created before 1977, the landowners could very possibly get them rectified free of charge if they only make an effort to apply through the Rural Abandoned Mine Program."

The corrective program provides 100 percent cost share with money accumulated by the federal gover-ment through a tax of 15 cents per ton on deep mined coal and 35 cents per ton on strip coal.

Niverth said the Conservation District has to depend on public support to make the program work as effec-tively as possible for the county.

"The district is not sufficiently staffed to inventory the entire county effectively," he said. "Landowners know their ground better than we do and are able to supply us with in-formation as to the location of these sites. If they contact us, we can then meet with the landowner to discuss application procedures and get the ball rolling.
"After all, Priority One abandoned

mine lands are not only dangerous but they serve no purpose economically. If we can fix them without charge, so much the better for everyone."

Niverth pointed out that the application for funding must come from the property owner, with the Con-servation District standing ready to assist in any way possible. He said that property owners with such land are encouraged to call the Conserva-tion District office in Waynesburg at 852-1171, extension 319.

"The recent federal appropriation cannot take care of all the abandoned mine problems that exist in Greene County," he said. "But we should take advantage of every free dollar that is made available to us. If we don't, you better believe that someone else will."

Farmers Sue Contractor Over Pond

WAYNESBURG — Owners of a 325-acre farm in Aleppo Township brought suit in Greene County Court Friday to recover damages for an

improperly constructed farm pond.

Dorothy L. Black, Shannon G. Black, Oliver D. Black and Janice Black claim that the pond, which was built in late 1980, does not hold water and that the dam is breaking down because of poor workmanship. They are asking for damages in excess of \$10,000 from William S. Hopkins and his company, Hopkins and Sons of Waynesburg R.D.6.

The complaint states the property owners paid \$6,800 to have the dam built to provide a water supply for their livestock. It claims the builder failed to follow Soil Conservation Ser vice specifications and also built the dam 20 yards away from the stakedout location, putting it next to a rock layer, with the result that it leaks despite efforts to repair it.

The plaintiffs are seeking to re-cover the cost of building the dam, plus \$400 they said was spent to drain water from a cornfield which was flooded by water from the pond, They also are asking compensation for \$3,600 they spent since 1981 to rent pasture for their cattle, an expen-diture they state would not have been necessary if the pond had been prop-erly built.



Observer-Reporter

The countryside around Rutan looks dormant these days in anticipation of the coming winter season. The hillsides sport bare trees and the fields where corn once stood tall have been cut until planting time in the spring. Even the South Fork of Ten Mile Creek runs silently.

Members Out Of Work

Construction Local May Leave UMWA

WAYNESBURG - The few members of the United Mine Workers Construction Local 1846 who are still active are currently looking at the possibility of leaving the UMWA.

A few years ago there were two construction locals in Greene County however one has all but disbanded and the other is facing a crisis. Of the 487 members in local 1846, only 70 or so are working. Local 1634 is no longer

The mine construction workers joined the United Mine Workers in 1974 and once boasted of more than 25,000 membership. However, the membership has fallen to less than

Over the years, the construction locals worked under contracts similiar to those of deep miners but held separate negotiations with the Bituminous Coal Operators Associa-

Verdict Upheld

WAYNESBURG -The Greene County Court has affirmed a jury verdict returned in July which held the C&J Coal Co. liable for the payment of \$185,000 to an equipment dealer for the purchase of an Interna tional Harvester "payloader" used in

The suit was brought against the coal company, owned by Charles Balazick Sr. and Charles Balazick Jr. of Clarksville, by the State Equipment Division of Secorp National, Inc., which claimed the defendants had failed to fully pay for the \$370,000

The defendants contended the equipment was defective in that it had bucket wobble.

Following the trial, the defendants filed for a new trial on the grounds that the jury had erred in finding that use of the machine by the defendant constituted acceptance of the equip-

The court, in dismissing the motion, noted that the jury had specified in its verdict that the machine was not defective and added the finding of continued use of the machine as an explanation of its verdict.

With dismissal of the defendants' motions, the court directed that judgment be entered against the defendants for the amount of the verdict plus interest from the date of the purchase in 1980, bringing the total amount to \$227,730.

Although the UMW recently signed a 40-month contract with BOCA, the construction workers voted against a contract proposal by a wide margin. The contruction contract contained many "givebacks" including loss of vacation and paid holidays.

According to Ron Opel, president of Local 1846, the UMW headquarters keeps saying the contract is being re-negotiated but officials have not submitted a new proposal.

Opel feels the last conract offer was a "takeaway" pact in contrast to what the leadership of the union had been preaching to the membership in that it removed holidays, paid lunch periods and reduced reporting time.

He said construction workers were included in the dues-paying member-ship, in that if they worked one day of the month, they are obligated to pay the full amount of dues. He said construction workers also contribute to the special strike fund and the union's political action committee.

"For some reason we got the raw end of the contract. The international has told us that we're not coal miners we're construction people. I really

Open feels the construction locals are like the stepchildren of the mother contract. "All we can do is sit

back and see what will happen."

Opel said there is a chance the construction locals could separate from the UMWA but also admitted the locals could become obsolete or just join another union. "It's really a tossup," Opel concluded.

J-M School Repairs To Raise Tax 8 Mills

JEFFERSON - The Jefferson-Morgan school board Monday night, following a short reorganizational meeting, unanimously approved a \$3 million renovation of the high school building which will call for a tax

The renovation, which has been discussed for over a year, will cause the current 99-mill school tax to be increased by eight mills for the next 25 years to generate the \$1.6 million

State reimbursement will be \$1.4 million. The renovation will add another 30 years of use to the school which was first occupied in 1955.

In preparation of the necessary legal proceedings, the board hired the architectural firm of Foreman-Bashford of Zelienople; Russell, Rea & Zappala, Inc., as investment

Board Meets. Reviews **Applications**

WAYNESBURG - An application from John McNay of Sycamore for permission to use the paved area around the former South Ward School building for the parking of cars was tabled Monday by the Waynesburg

Zoning Hearing Board.
McNay said the grounds are being used for parking by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA), which has leased a former super-market building on West High Street for office use by federal mine inspec-tors. While McNay owns the building, he does not own the adjoining parking lot and must furnish other parking

The zoning board pointed out that a borough ordinance requires approval by both the borough solicitor and borough council where commercial property does not have integral parking available and secondary parking facilities must be estab-lished. They told McNay they would act on his application when the re-quired approval has been obtained.

In a related matter, the board took no action on an application by McNay for a multiple dwelling permit for the South Ward building, which is located

on South Morris Street.
McNay said he still has developers who are interested in converting the building into apartments and would need the permit before any negotia-tions could be finalized.

The board said it could not act on the request until a plan has been submitted setting forth the number of apartments to be developed, and until it has a chance to explore the future status of the building in light of the fact that it has been condemned.

fact that it has been condemned. An application from Thomas and Barbara Andrews of Waynesburg R.D.5 to continue a non-conforming use at 554 North Richhill Street was approved. The house has contained three apartments since before the zoning ordinance was enacted in 1969. making granting of the permit to the new owners a matter of routine.

permit to install a showroom in the former Henderson garage building behind McCracken's Pharmacy on East High Street. The building is currently being used as a warehouse for the pharmacy. McCracken also said he eventually hopes to install

offices in the building.

An application for location of a "Women In Need" office at 230 East High Street was approved.

bankers and Charles Brodbeck of Berkman, Ruslander, Phol, Lieber and Engle as bond counsel.

During the reorganization,

Plans call for construction to be gin by June 1 with the work to be done through the summer of 1985, early fall and then continue during the summer of 1986. It is hoped all the work can be completed within 15 months.

According to Superintendent Kenneth Macek, the renovation calls for major work on the roof, furnaces, classrooms, ceilings, flooring and

Long-range improvements have been discussed for the past several months with private citizens, stu-dents, faculty, board members and

administrative staff taking part.
"This is not a sudden decision. We have been studying various plans for over a year," Macek said after the

meeting.
This marks the first renovation This marks the litst renovation at the high school, with the exception of a \$27,000 roof project about 10 years ago. Board members looked into the possibility of borrowing the necessary money, but found it was much cheaper to approve the state recom-

Stanley Fower was once again elected president of the board, marking his 18th straight year as president. Fowler is a 30-year veteran of the

Clarence Virgin was elected vice resident by a 4-3 margin over Dr.

Stanley Falor.
The board voted to continue meeting at 7 p.m. on the third Monday of each month in the high school

or each month in the high school cafeteria.

In other action, the board:

Approved the transfer of \$10,000 from the general fund to the cafeteria and federal fund account to meet payroll expenses until subsidies. meet payroll expenses until subsidies are received next year.

Cited elementary school teacher Melissa Gilliland for having been awarded a grant to study elementary science at Penn State University next summer.

- Approved ski trips to Hidden Valley on Dec. 14 and Jan. 18 noting students would be missing morning

County Decides To Let Airport Grant Pass By

WAYNESBURG - The Greene County commissioners have decided to give up a \$126,000 grant from the Federal Aviation Administration for a taxiway extension at the county airport because the county can't afford the \$100,000 or so it would take to build another block of T-hangars.

The previous board of commissioners applied for and received the grant in 1983 based on a commit-ment to put up a building containing 10 additional T-hangars. They did so because hangar rentals are a major source of revenue at the airport and because the existing 35 hangars are insufficient to meet the demand for

The FFA grant would have provided 90 percent of the cost of extending the taxiways to provide access to the proposed new block of hangars. The state Bureau of Aviation and the county would have each contributed five percent of the cost.

Bids for construction of the taxiways were taken in the fall of 1983. Only one bid was received, and it was rejected because it exceeded the cost estimate. The present board of commissioners, which took office in January of this year, did not advertise for

new bids and the grant is due to expire at the end of the year.

Board Chairman L. R. Santore said that Greene County Industrial Developments had explored the possibility that a private investor might want to build the T-hangars but had been unable to come up with a pros-

"The county just can't afford to spend the \$100,000 it would take to build the hangar. We would have been willing to work out an arrangement with a private investor but since one can't be found we'll have to relinquish the grant," he said.

In another matter involving the airport, Santore said the county has received no information on a recent announcement by the Department of Transportation of approval of a Statewide Airport System Plan which includes a proposal to extend the airport runway and major improvements to the administration building.

'We know no more than we read in the newspapers," he said. "Improvements proposed for our airport are apparently based on a needs survey made several years ago and there is no reference to any money being made available."

Local Woman Leaves \$50,000 For Cat

WAYNESBURG - Provision for a \$50,000 trust fund to provide for care of her cat is included in the will of a Waynesburg woman who died earlier

The provision is part of the will of Norma Jean Blackhurst, who died on Nov. 2 at the age of 61. She was executive director of the Greene County office of the state Public Welfare Department, a position she had held since 1978.

Her husband, Donald C. Blackhurst, died in 1979 and her closest relatives were four cousins.

The principal bequest in the will provides that the executor of her estate set up a fund of "at least determined

\$50,000" to care for her 13-year-old cat for the rest of its life. It provides that interest from the fund and as much of the principle as necessary be used for

The will also provides for bequests of \$5,000 each to the First Christian Church of Waynesburg, where Mrs. Blackhurst was a member, and to the Humane Society, as well as three bequests of \$2,000 to individuals.

Following the death of the cat, money remaining in the trust fund is to be added to the residual estate, which is to be divided equally between the Christian Church and the **Humane Society**.

Size of the estate has not been

Local Man Guilty Of Robbery

By Jim Moore, Staff Write.

WAYNESBURG - An armed robber, who the victim claims went into the bathroom and donned a mask after being in the house for several minutes, was found guilty by a Greene County criminal court jury

Albert Minor of 1085 East High Street was arrested by borough police on Aug. 9 and charged with taking \$22 from retired college professor Lester T. Moston at his 498 Second Avenue

Moston, the first of six prosecution witnesses, told the court Minor came to his back door on the evening of July 27 and presented himself as an insurance investigator. Moston's car had been involved in an accident several

weeks earlier. After a few minutes of small talk

about the accident, Moston said Minor asked to use his bathroom. When Minor came out of the bathroom, Moston said he was wearing a bandanna around the lower part of his face and was carrying a gun. "He demanded all my money," Moston

Moston told the court he grabbed the gunman's wrist and tried to shake the weapon lose but realized he was not strong enough. Moston said he was pushed back onto a bed twice.

Sharon Taylor of Waynesburg, who was watching through a window from a house next door to Moston, told the court she watched Minor acting suspicously in Moston's driveway and then walk between the houses to the

rear of the home. Miss Taylor said she knew the gunman to see him but did not know checked with someone and after learning his name reported the identification to borough police chief Tim Hawfield.

Blanford Fetterman, 23, of Waynesburg was called to the stand and related how he overheard Minor talking about the robbery and how he had used a mask and a gun. Fetterman said he was in a car with Minor and two other individuals at the

Also called by the prosecution was Elsie Jenkins of Jefferson who testified she too overheard Minor talking about the robbery several days after it occurred.

Jim Minor, 15, brother of the suspect, was called to the stand by District Attorney Charles Morris and described a BB gun he owned but has not seen lately. Minor described the gun and the cocking motion described in Moston's testimor Hawfield related his investigation

of the incident from the time he re-ceived the initial call on July 27.

Minor took the stand in his own defense and admitted being at the Moston residence on the night in question. However, Minor said he went to the Moston home to borrow a car and after being denied the use of it, left the home without incident.

The defense based its case primarily on Moston's inability to definitely dentify Minor as the man who robbed

The jury returned the verdict within 40 minutes after getting the case. Judge Glenn Toothman postponed sentencing of the defendant pending the possible filing of posttrial motions



Bridge Work

A major bridge reconstruction project in Rogersville to replace the span that carries Route 21 across Ten Mile Creek is on schedule. The portion of the bridge for the east-bound lane has been completed. Work is now in progress to construct bridge wings and abutments for the bridge deck for the west-bound lane. The project was begun this summer.

'Santa' Opens Shop Here **To Help Needy In County**

Greene County organizations are banding together as "Claus and Company" to provide Christmas toys to families which may not be able to afford the luxury of buying them for their children.

With the large number of unemployed families and other needy persons in the county, Mr. Claus will try to ease some of the problems by operating a branch of his workshop in the basement of the Old County Office building in Waynesburg," said Barbara Coccari, Catholic Charities counselor who is helping to coordinate the collection and distribution of toys in the county.

The workshop, located in the for-mer Parks and Recreation Department office, will be open from noon to 2 p.m. daily, starting Friday, where donations of both new or used toys will be accepted.

business will be to repair and clean toys that were salvaged from the Busy Bee fire earlier this year. St. Margaret's Church in Greentree already has called to offer a "load" of toys collected in its parish.

Jim Kirby, president of the local ABATE chapter, said his group will again be involved in collecting toys for Christmas, as it has for the past

"I don't know if we'll have a swap meet like we have in the past, but we will be collecting toys for the program," he said.

The Tri-County Leathernecks have already started to collect toys under their "Toys for Tots" program. Ivan Modrick, president of the association, said the group is working toward a mid-December distribution of toys.

Coccari said she is hoping to set up several points throughout the county where needy families can pick up

"Mr. Modrick has planned to distribute in Waynesburg and Carmichaels and we would like to see a couple of other sites in outlying areas to make it unnecessary for needy families to spend money for gas to get free toys," she said. More information will be available on distribution plans once the toys are all collected,

sorted and ready, she said.

Helpers at the workshop are interested in recruiting more volunteers to make it possible to meet the mid-December distribution dates. Any individual from Busy Bee, ABATE or any group which has worked on the toy give-away in the past is welcome to help.

Any individual or group who would like to work on toys, do toy collections or help Claus and Company in any way with the Christmas effort can call 627-9784 or drop in at the workshop between noon and 2 p.m. after it

House Employee Earns \$46,000

DeWeese Wants Probe Of 'Ghost Employee'

HARRISBURG (AP) — A Democratic lawmaker has called for a probe to find out why a House employee who works in the Capitol three days a week gets paid nearly \$46,000 a

Rep. H. William DeWeese, D-Rep. H. William Deweese, Defreene, asked for an investigation concerning Austin Lee, executive director of the chamber's Bipartisan Management Committee. The request was made in a letter to House Speaker K. Leroy Irvis that was released Wednesday.

"I think it is an abomination for any one person to make well over \$45,000 per annum of taxpayer money for three days work and then to race back to his personal law practice in Philadelphia for Thursday and Friday," DeWeese wrote.

The lawmaker said that "if Demo-

rats were behaving like this a few years ago they would have been called ghost employees."

Lee, in a telephone interview, said

he earns \$45,936 as executive director of the committee, which consists of House legislative leaders. The panel oversees offices of the chief clerk and

comptroller in the House, he said. Lee said he typically is in Har-risburg three days a week but also does work for the House when he is in

Philadelphia, where he has an active law practice. On the average, he spends two hours a day when in Phila-letter but refused to comment. "He's delphia on legislative matters, he entitled to his opinions," he said.

Pleaders Sentenced

WAYNESBURG - Defendants in two criminal cases were given jail pleas in Greene County Court Mon-

Darla Cummins, 32, of 74 Naser Avenue, Washington, was sentenced to 111/2 to 23 months on 18 separate counts of forgery. She will serve the sentence in the Washington County jail after completing a sentence already imposed by the Washington County Court

She also was ordered to make restitution for \$1.650 in merchandise purchased with the checks from stores in the Waynesburg area. The 18 checks on the bank account of Washington woman whe had died were cashed in a three-day period

from March 15-17, 1984.
Thomas Whitmer, 24, of Prosperity was sentenced to serve 6-to-12

months in the Greene County jail and also was fined \$100 on a charge of receiving stolen property. Because of his employment he will be premitted to serve the sentence on weekends.

The charge stemmed from sale of a van which had been stolen on July 12 from Paul D. Chafin of Pittsburgh.

A guilty plea also was accepted from Clyde Puckett Sr., 59, of New Freeport R.D.1, who was charged with incest, rape and involuntary deviate sexual intercourse. Sentencing was deferred.

In another criminal court development, a jury was selected for the trial of Louis Clinton Czako, 34, of Waynesburg R.D.4, with the trial being sched-

uled to begin this (Tuesday) morning. Czako is charged with aggravated assault for the alleged beating of his 12-year-old son, Steve Czako, on April

Local Horseman A Winner

22, of Rices Landing, winner of the John Simpson Sr. Drivers Cham-pionship earlier this month, continues his winning ways at The Meadows both as a driver and a trainer.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Palone and a 1980 graduate of Jef-ferson-Morgan High School, the young horseman has won 75 races as driver and the horses he has trained have won 41 starts.

On Nov. 2, Palone was one of eight drivers entered in the Drivers Cham-pionship. He was elected by the fans to participate in the ninth annual competition.

Palone brought home three winners in the eight-race card and col-lected 196 points. Drivers collected a certain amount of points for finishing in the top five in each race.

He became the youngest driver to ever win the championship. He will be competition as the defending cham-

Palone first showed horses in local 4-H events at the Greene County Fairgrounds when he was 12 years old. After his father purchased a trotting



DAVE PALONE

filly, Palone began training the horse

He began harness racing at the age of 16 and now appears to have a future in the sport.

He is now training 10 horses at The

Meadows and his day begins at about 7 p.m. He is back at the track by 6:30 o.m. to pursue his other career as a

At the beginning of this week, Palone has had 564 starts, winning 75 races. He finished second 76 times and third, 83 times. He is ranked 12th among the many drivers at The

As a trainer, Palone horses have gone to the gate 240 times and have finished first on 41 occasions. He also has 38 second places and 43 third place finishes. He ranks eighth on the

Veteran track announcer Roger Huston is a big fan of young Palone and said recently, "From the very first month he started driving here, which was the fall of 1982, I said this young man was going to be good.

"He seems to make all the right moves when he is driving. He's get-ting catch drives and is winning many of them," Huston added.

"He is moving right up the ladder I think he is going to be one of the future stars of The Meadows." Hustons said.

Edward Chess New President

Carmichaels School Board Reorganizes

was elected president of the Carmi-chaels Area School Board for a oneyear term at its reorganizational meeting Monday night.

His election came on the second vote because on the first ballot Chess and Henry Bacon both received four votes. Board member Robert Hathaway was absent from the meeting.

The board was divided 4-4 and unable to elect a vice president.

James Clovis and James Hathaway both received four votes in two ballots, so that election was tabled until the next meeting.

The meeting date was again set for the third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. John Stets was retained as board solicitor with Milinovich and Co. as district auditor.

Chess then chaired the regular board meeting. After an executive session, during which the board met with Athletic Director John Krajnak and the football coaches, the board voted to begin a football program for the junior high school. The junior high team will include eighth and ninth grade students only and will begin in 1985 as a pilot program to see whether

The board approved putting out the food service contract for bids. Custom Management Corp. now has the contract and business manager Louise Pascuzzo explained that the contract must be bid for next year because the three-year contract with the company has ended.

Chess appointed a negotiating committee with James Clovis as chairman and members Erma Jean Thomas and Gerald Fortney. They will begin to negotiate the district's contracts with the professional and non-professional employees which ex-

The board approved a sabbatical leave for the next academic year for Renee Turner, physical education teacher, for travel and schooling but refused permission for a teacher to attend the International Reading Association Convention in New Orleans at the district's expense. This request was made by Dr. Dolores Zoldos be-cause the teacher had been chosen to conduct a workshop at the convention and Dr. Zoldos said it was a honor for

David Stuvek made a motion to

increase the salary of Senior High School Principal William Harr to equal the salary of the next highest

paid administrator, said to be \$27,500 That motion failed by a vote of 4-2 with two members abstaining.

County Obituaries

Stanley G. Yeager

Stanley Guy Yeager, 88, of 306 North Walnut Street, East Palestine, Ohio, formerly of Waynesburg and Avon Park, Fla., died Monday, De-cember 3, 1984 at Salem Community Hospital.

He was born April 19, 1896 at Blacksville, W.Va., a son of Dompedro A. and Eva Nora Zimmerman Yeager. He served in the Army during World War I and was a farmer for 26 years in the East Palestine area, where he raised and

sold produce. He retired in 1960. Mr. Yeager was a member of the First Christian Church in Avon Park,

His first wife, Mary Alice Cosgray Yeager, on December 24, 1919. She died July 31, 1969.

Surviving are his second wife, Cathryn Morganegg Comeau Yeager, whom he married June 18, 1974; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Russell (Pearl) Bancroft of Aurora, Ohio; two stepgrandchildren and three step-greatgrandchildren.

A daughter, Mrs. Patsy Graham; a brother, Edward Yeager, and a sister, Mrs. Ruth Evelyn Areford, are

Earl D. Montgomery

Earl D. Montgomery, 88, of Ten Mile, Amity R.D.1, died at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 28, 1984, in Washington Hospital. Born March 14, 1896, in Amwell

Township, he was a son of Henry and Hannah Smith Montgomery.

Mr. Montgomery had attended Franklin School and was a member of

Highland Brethren Church.

He lived at his Ten Mile home since 1928. He was employed as a carpenter by Bethlehem Mines Corp., Marianna, until 1947. He was later self-employed, performing carpentry

work on various homes in the area.

A veteran of World War I, he served with the Allied Expeditionary

On April 23, 1921, he married Sophie H. Ames Montgomery, who died May 6, 1964.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. James (Hilda F.) Piatt of Ten Mile, Mrs. Patricia L. McBurnic of Mechanicsburg and Mrs. Kenneth (Mona Rae) Roberts of Ten Mile; seven grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; several nieces and

One son, Ralph L. Montgomery; one grandson, and one brother, Archie B. Montgomery, are deceased.

Charles Andrews Jr.

Word has been received of the death of Charles Andrews Jr., 72, of Glen Burnie, Md., formerly of Greene County, on Sunday, November 25, 1984. He died in his home following a

long illness.

He was born in Waynesburg and,
the was born in waynesburg and, after being orphaned at an early age, made his home with his foster parents, James and Lizzie Crouse of Time where he worked on the family

He enlisted in the U.S. Army and served at Fort Meade from 1935 to 1938. He married the former Cather-ine Johson of Baltimore, Md., in 1989 and returned to the Crouse farm.

Following his discharge, he returned to Baltimore.

He worked for the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Maryland Glass and General Motors, where he worked for 32 years until he retired in 1981.

Mr. Andrews was an active mem-ber of the United Auto Workers and was an active hunter, fisherman and crabber. He was a member of the

Lansdowne Church of God.
Surviving, in addition to his wife and foster parents, are two sons, Charles C. of Westminster, Md., and Jerry P. of Baltimore; two daughters, Linda Eney of Fredericksburg, Md., and L. Iris DiMattei of Glen Burnie; 10 grandchildren; and two sisters.



Intertwined

With their intertwining branches, two small trees are the only things visible on a hillside in Center Township. Their scraggly growth is ample evidence of the strong winds they must contend with atop one of the county's higher hills.

Projects For Humanity Are Goal Of Local Group

of initiating Habitat for Humanity projects in Greene County was further explored by 35 people who attended a planning meeting Thursday evening at St. Ann's Church in

As a result of the meeting, a steering committee was formed with the objective of introducing the idea to county churches early next year.

"We hope to be in from 30 to 35 churches by January," said the Rev. John Dorean, pastor of the Jefferson Baptist Church. Dorean and Charles Baily of Waynesburg are spearheading the Greene County campaign. Habitat for Humanity, founded 15

years ago at Koinonia Farm in Georgia, has developed low-cost housing projects in 12 underdeveloped countries throughout the world as well as in many parts of the United States.

The group builds or restores houses at low cost by using seed money and volunteer labor, and then sells them at cost to families who could not otherwise aspire to home ownership. Mortgages are offered without interest, with the monthly payments being used to create a revolving fund to build more houses.

The potential buyers are expected to contribute 250 hours of volunteer labor during the house's construction.

Thursday's meeting was held as a follow-up to meetings earlier this' month during a visit to the county by Millard Fuller, the Georgian who was co-founder of the worldwide program.

"Love in the Mortar Joints," a slide show telling the Habitat for Humanity story, was shown at Thursday's meeting.

Five of those attending volunteered to meet with ministeriums in the county to show the film to county

ministers, since the program depends heavily on support from churches of all denominations

The Rev. Ron Evans of Ruff Creek will meet with the West Greene Ministerium; Bob Bishop of Waynesburg with the Waynesburg Ministerium; John Murphy of Jefferson with the Southeastern Greene Ministerium; the Rev. Carmen Niesley of Waynesburg with the Carmichaels Ministerium and Cheri Kuharcik of Jefferson with the Jefferson-Mather Ministerium.

The meetings will the min-

isteriums will be held with the goal of scheduling exploratory meetings at individual churches.

'We're really excited about the prospects at this point," Dorean said, adding that the steering committee will explore the possibility of obtaining private, church and foundation funding to establish the basis for a revolving fund to finance construction projects in Greene County.

"Because of the press of holiday schedules, we'll probably be making contacts this month and then moving ahead on the program in January.

Hospital **Schedules Screenings**

Monongalia General Hospital in Morgantown, W.Va., has scheduled HealthScreen visits at seven area locations next month.

HealthScreen is a series of tests for common health problems, designed to help detect such problems in signed to help detect such problems in their early stages. HealthScreen is also helpful in making the public more aware of potential health prob-lems, and offering assistance in de-veloping more healthful lifestyles. Tests offered include a breathing test, blood pressure check, heart risk evaluation, vision check and assess

evaluation, vision check and assessment of body fat, weight, height and general condition at no charge.

An electrocardiogram will cost \$3

and 36 tests from a simple sample of blood for \$14. The multiphasic blood test is free to Medicare patients.

HealthScreen tests are adminis-

tered by health care professionals from Mon General Hospital, including nurses, laboratory and respiratory therapy personnel who work under the direction of HealthScreen adviser Robert Scarr, a Morgantown physi-

No appointment is needed Screenings have been scheduled at the following locations:

Shannopin Civic Club in Bobtown on Dec. 4 and 5; VFW in Masontown on Dec. 6 and 7; Rices Landing Fire Hall on Dec. 10 and 11; East Franklin Grange Hall on Dec. 12 and 13; Harvey's Grange in Graysville on Dec. 17 and 18, and New Freeport Fire Hall on Dec. 19 and 20.

Fire Co. Names'84 Man Of Year

NEMACOLIN — The Nemacolin Volunteer Fire Co. has selected the Rev. Francis A. Nazimek as Nemacolin's Man of the Year for 1984.

The Catholic priest will be homored for his contributions to the com-

for his contributions to the community since his appointment in 1966 as pastor of Our Lady of Consolation Church, Nemacolin, as well as St. Mary's Church, Crucible, and Sacred Heart Church, Rices Landing.

"Father Nazimek has been an active community member ever since, being faithfully dedicated to serving being faithfully dedicated to serving not only his parishioners' needs but the needs and desires of the entire community," said Charles R. Plasko, chairman of the fire company Man of

the Year committee.
Nazimek will be honored at the fire company's sixth annual Man of the Year banquet on Saturday, Dec. 8, starting with cocktails at 7 p.m., an hour before the dinner. Dancing will follow the dinner and program. Ticket reservations (\$10 per person) can be made by calling 966-7978, 966-7983 or 966-2144.

The Nemacolin pastor was the youngest of seven children born to Joseph and Magdeline Machno Nazi-

Joseph and Magdeline Machno Nazimek and grew up in the Republic-Cardale area. After graduating from Redstone High School, he did preseminary work at St. Mary's College for two years and was ordained at St. Vincent Archabbey on June 13, 1948. He was initially assigned to St. Mary's Church in McKeesport and subsequently was assigned to Assumption Church in Bellevue and to St. Adalbert and Corpus Christi Churches in Pittsburgh before being named pastor of the three Greene County churches. County churches.

He has served as chaplain of the Boy Scouts of America, Holy Name Society, Greene County Council of Catholic Women, John F. Kennedy Council, Knights of Columbus, Greene County Court, Catholic Daughters of America and Nemacolin

Fire Co.

He is vice president of the Jefferson-Dry Tavern Ministerium and is a member of the Diocesan Athletic Board, Pittsburgh Central Deanery and Diocesan Propostorial Committee of the Propostorial Committee of t and Diocesan Presbyterial Council He is also deanery instructor for CCD teachers, Greene County director of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine and Dean of Greene County

Carmichaels Drama Society of Southwestern Pennsylvania, the Greene County United Way supports 15 local human care service charities. To Present Christmas Play WAYNESBURG - Members of **Elder Named** At Special

Church Dinner CARMICHAELS - The First Christian Church of Carmichaels held

its annual congregational Thanksgiv-ing dinner on Sunday, Nov. 18, with 80 church members attending. Board Chairman Wendell Shea

presided over the annual business meeting which followed the meal, during which the honor of elder emeritus was bestowed upon George Willis. He has served as an elder since

Officers were elected for 1985. They are Martha Litten, board chair-They are Martha Litten, board chairman; Tom Willis, assistant chairman; Tom Montgomery and Mary Hartley, elders; Wayne Bradmon, George Swaney and Ronald Swinshock, deacons; Linda Fike and Jeannie Palone, deaconesses; Wendel Shea, trustee; Karen Willis and Net-tie Swaney, Sunday School co-superintendents, and Linda Fike and Tina Adamson, Junior Department chair-

the Carmichaels Area Junior-Senior High School Drama Club will present The Best Christmas Pageant Ever at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Dec. 7

and 8 in the school auditorium.

The Drama Club consists of students from all grade levels. This play will also include some pre-schoolers from the community.

will also include some pre-schoolers from the community. "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" is a comedy concerning the efforts of a woman and her husband to put on the annual church Christmas pageant despite having to include in the cast the Herdman kids — probably the meanest, nastiest, most inven-tively awful kids in the history of the

Divorces Granted

WAYNESBURG — Two final decrees in divorce were handed down

decrees in divorce were handed down Friday by Greene County Court: Roy F. Rhodes, Millsboro, from Sarah L. Gwynn Rhodes, Carmi-chaels. They were married Aug. 3, 1948, and have six children. Loretta F. Yanak, Dilliner, from Michael J. Yanak, Clarksville. They were married June 5, 1964, and have three children.

three children.

The cast includes Rich Juliani, Kim Rathburn, Amber McKean, Jami Diamond, Rick Fox, Debbie Fox, Jennifer Michniak, Amy Headley, Mary Rankin, Cathy Belan, Andria Hillsman, Amy Bair, Penny Phillips, Nicole Beal, Janette Schuster, Jason Walters, Melissa Krajnak, Doug Wynn, Jeff Schuster, Mark Dawson, Justin Bogucki, Jason Sheldon, Scott Yauger, Kim Gency, Michelle Kraynak, Jessica Myers, Amy Cassiday, Kelly Adams, Kathy Newman, Cindy Sabol, Sarena Head-ley, Shannon Bandish, Megan Ban-dish, Sarah Harr, Renee Long, and

School Schedules Choral Concerts

WAYNESBURG - The Choral Music Department of Margaret Bell
Miller Middle School, Waynesburg,
has announced choral concerts scheduled for later this month.

The fifth and seventh grade choruses will perform at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 11, and the sixth and eighth grade choruses will perform at 7:30 p.m. Thurday, Dec. 13.



Hospital Staffers Retire

WAYNESBURG — Four members of the Greene County Memorial Hospital staff who have retired were honored at the hospital's annual pen-sion banquet recently. The four had a combined work record of 95 years and five months of service to the hospital.

Honored were Wilma Efaw, LPN, nursing, with 19 years and four months of service; Henrietta White, housekeeping, 14 years of service; Frank Dulaney, maintenance, 13 years and one month of service; and Everett Davey, CRNA, anesthesiology, 29 years of service.

Ninety members of the hospital

administration, previous retirees attended the ban-Joe McHugh, a professional storyteller and songster who recently moved to the Sycamore area, enter-

ENGAGED - Barbara S. Moore and

James L. Moore of Waynesburg an-

daughter, Natalie Ann, to Michael Eddy, son of Charles and Anna Eddy

of Mt. Morris. The bride-elect is a 1978 graduate of Waynesburg Cen-

1978 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and a 1982 graduate of the West Virginia University School of Journalism. She is employed at the Herald-Standard in Uniontown. Her fiance is a 1977 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School. He is employed by Consolidation Coal Co.

the engagment of



From left: Wilma Efaw, Henrietta White, Frank Dulaney and Everett Davey.

United Way Appoints Executive before his discharge in 1976. He also owned and managed, for four years, a

WAYNESBURG — Archie A. Trader, president of the Greene County United Way, has announced the appointment of Kenneth R. Stilwell as associate executive direc-

Stilwell will be responsible for recruitment and training of United Way volunteers in all areas of the United Way operation. He will also be responsible for marketing the United

way program in Greene County.

A native of Vestaburg, Stilwell now resides in the Ruff Creek area.

perience, having worked as associate campaign director on the staff of the United Way of Northern Nevada in Reno during the 1981 campaign.

He is a retired veteran of the United States Air Force, having served for nearly 23 years as Combat Crew Navigator, Bombardier and Radar Computer Operator with the Strategic Air Command in aircraft. He commanded ground-based radar

detachments for the Strategic Air Command in Thailand and Nevada

Bobcat pins were presented to

Mark Brown, Christopher Corob, William Danko, Heath Pratt, Jeffrey Van

Meter, Barry Bennett, Jay Wade, Joseph Yoskovich, Damon Casseday

and John Bohan.
Christopher Caldwell, Gregory

Gapen and Brian Menear were each

presented with a gold arrow and Webelos naturalist activity pins. Eric Bixler, Bo Garnek, Rick Menear and David Bierer each re-ceived a gold arrow and three silver

Curtis Laskosky received a gold arrow, a silver arrow and the Webelos naturalist activity pin.

Chamber Plans

ceive training and supervision from Executive Director Gerald Dill. Stillwell will be introduced to the Board of Directors at its next meeting on Dec. 11. As part of the United Way

delicatessen and saloon in Reno and

served for three years as new car sales manager in a Reno dealership.

Greene County United Way office at 90 East High Street, Waynesburg. He

will be working with a large team of volunteers headed by Trader and re-

Stilwell will be working out of the

Bobtown-Greensboro Cubs Hold Fall Awards Night nek for their participation in summer

BOBTOWN — Bobtown-Green-boro Cub Scout Pack 1270 opened the fall season with an awards night program at the Shannopin Civic Club

Theme of the kick-off meeting was "Rustling Time Wild West." It included a skit by Den I and a program by Den III and Den IV which featured

masks made by the boys. Cubmaster Richard Menear pre-

sented special awards to David Bierer, Curtis Laskosky and Bo Gar-

Debra Lynn Carpenter, George Bissett Marry



WAYNESBURG The First Christian Church of Waynesburg was the setting Saturday, November 17, 1984, for the wedding of Debra Lynn Carpenter and George V. Bissett

in front and was attached to a train

Her picture hat featured silk venise appliques trimmed with pearls and dotted illusion ruffle on the brim, a satin bow with white rose, silk illusion poufs and waistline illusion veiling edged with satin and scattered sequins. She carried a cascade bouquet of yellow spider mums, pink and burgundy-tinted roses and eucalyptus. The bride wore a pearl earring and necklace which were a gift of the bridegroom

Peggy Vitarelli attended her sister as matron of honor and wore a fulllength gown of rose matte taffeta. Linda Christoff, sister of the bride, and Linda Clark, sister of the bride-groom, were the bridesmaids. They wore magenta matte taffeta gowns.

Flower girls were Amanda and Amy Christoff, nieces of the bride, and Tiffany Clark, niece of the bridegroom. They wore orchid dresses which were made by their mothers.

Karl King of Waynesburg served

which fell into a fell chapel sweep.

Holiday Party CARMICHAELS - The Carmiwill hold the 1984 Christmas party and street lighting ceremony at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 8, in the public square. There will be treats for all children

of the Carmichaels area, including Nemacolin and Crucible, as well as all senior citizens in the nursing and mes in the Carmich

The chamber has spent \$2,000 for new Christmas street lights and is repairing some of the older decora-Because of the added expenses.

the chamber is asking for financial aid and hopes to reach its \$5,000 goal this year. The chamber will be soliciting funds door-to-door on Friday, Sunday and Monday.
Santa Claus will arrive at 5:30

p.m. on a fire truck and will help turn on the holiday lights.

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Habitat For Humanity Program Makes Sense

Members of several churches in Greene County are stirring interest with their idea of initiating Habitat for Humanity projects in the county

The non-profit Christian ministry is dedicated to helping poor people improve the conditions in which they are forced to live by providing them with decent, low-cost housing.

Financed completely by church and private contributions, the Habitat ministry focuses on building new homes or renovating sub-standard housing for families with limited

Construction is a cooperative effort involving both volunteer workers and recipients of the houses, who purchase them on a non-profit, no-interest basis. Capital used to build or renovate a house is returned to the fund through the owners' monthly payments, providing money for additional construction.

Habitat for Humanity, which began at Koinonia Farm in rural Georgia 15 years ago, has already been successful in many American communities and in 12 underdeveloped countries throughout the world. It gained national attention in September when former President Jimmy Carter, who is an active member of the organization, joined other volunteers working on a rundown tenemant building in lower New York

The campaign to bring the program to Greene County is being spearheaded by the Rev. John Dorean, pastor of the Jefferson Baptist Church, and by Charles Baily of Wayesburg. They are enthusiastic about the acceptance they have received to date in their efforts to involve churches of all denominations in local program.

Other than the opportunity it provides for the practice of Christian principals, one of the obvious advantages of Habitat for Humanity is that it makes ownership of a decent home available to persons who otherwise might be forced to spend their lives in sub-standard housing. And the fact that the purchaser helps with the construction is intended to foster the

feeling of pride and dignity which goes with owning a home. In a time when most people look to government to solve such problems, Habitat for Humanity has a refreshing approach

Doctor Will Speak On Alcohol Effects

WAYNESBURG - Dr. Patricia K. Eagon, an assistant professor in the Department of Biochemestry at the University of Pittsburgh, will speak

ordershy of Pittsburgh, will speak today at Waynesburg College.

Dr. Eagon, a native of Waynes-burg and a graduate of Waynesburg College, will speak to the American Chemical Society Student Affiliate on "Sex Hormone Binding Proteins in Liver: Effects of Chronic Alcohol In-

Her talk is set for 11 a.m. in the Stewart Science Building and is open to the campus and community.

Dr. Eagon, who received an award

for her alcohol research from the veteran's administration, has worked as a research chemist at the Vet-eran's Administration Medical Cen-

ter in Pittsburgh since 1982. She joined the faculty of the University of Pittsburgh's Department of Medicine, Division of Gastroenterology in 1980 as an instructor and was named an assistant professor in 1981.

She has published more than 20 articles in recent years and developed research proposals for more than \$500,000.

After earning a bachelor of science After earning a bachelor of science degree in chemistry from Waynesburg College, Dr. Eagon earned a master's degree from West Virginia University. She earned her doctoral degree in biochemistry from the Univesity of Pittsburgh, where she also did post-doctoral work in physiology and biochemestry.

motorcycle and suffered a fractured

left ankle while in a practice run

preceding a motorcross race. The

fracture left him crippled, the com-

The Allegheny County court handed down an order on Nov. 21 transferring the case to Greene County in response to a petition by the

defendants that the Allegheny County did not have jurisdiction since none of

the participants in the lawsuit resided

Motorcross Lawsuit Is Moved To Greene

WAYNESBURG — The Greene Falls, trading as Keystone Motor-County Court has been assigned jurisdiction in a lawsuit filed by a motordiction in a lawsuit filed by a motorThe complaint states that on April cyclist who was injured more than two years ago at the High Point Raceway near Mt. Morris.

The lawsuit, asking damages "in excess of \$20,000," was originally filed in Allegheny County Court by William Randolph Kress, 21, of Mars, Butler County.

Named as defendants are Davis Coombs of Morgantown, W.Va., trading as the High Point Raceway; the American Motorcyclist Association of Westerville, Ohio; the Mon Valley Competition Riders, Morgantown, W.Va.; Jack A., Robert C. and Evelyn Holbert of Mt. Morris R.D.1, owners of the land on which the raceway is located, and George Quay of Beaver

Conklin To Ask For Continuance

WAYNESBURG — Michael Con-klin, 24, of Waynesburg is expected to appear before an Allegheny County judge Tuesday to formally request a continuance in his trial for kidnap-ping and criminal conspiracy. Conklin, who along with Dr. Grover Phillippi, is accused of ab-ducting a Mt Lebono scalebratics.

ducting a Mt. Lebanon stockbroker last December, will be represented by Waynesburg attorney John Stets. Phillippi was granted a continu-

ance last week after being hospitalized in a Baltimore, Md., hospital.

Conklin has been offered a bargain to turn state's evidence in the case against Phillippi.

Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



The Miller family was visably patriotic during World War 11 as evidenced by this display at their home along Ten Mile Creek near the Blairtown Bridge.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

EDITOR'S NOTE - The following Fact and Folklore column was first published in 1968.

A broody, reminiscent sort of mood had fallen over the old Waynes-burg and Washington railroad station along with the first snawfall of the 1968-69 season by midday last Sunday.

The light, two-inch covering still ssessed most of its initial immactulate whiteness as though making a brave attempt to cover the blackish mixture of earth and cinders which still keep working their way up to the surface near the old freight platform on the west end of the former baggage

But it couldn't hide the tree-like bushes which have all but covered the face of the once well-klept ticket of-fice, nor the bits of loose roof covering which flapped in the wind, a broken window here or there and the weeds which long since took possession of the fringes of the venerable structure.

The fact that the snow also signified the rapid approach of the Christmed the rapid approach of the Christ-mas holidays intensified the poign-ancy of the broody mood which seemed to envelope any stroller blessed (or cursed depending upon one's viewpoint) with memories of the old railroad's glory days.

"The depot," as the station was also incorrectly called, took on a spe-cial atmosphere at Christmas time during the very early 1920's when

during the very early 1920's when Waynesburgers of college age started going to out-of-town schools to greater extent than ever before.

For all except those going to nearby schools such as Washington & Jefferson, Carnegie Tech or the University of Pittsburgh, the Christmas vacation would be their first visit back since they left in September.

And since the "Waynie" was the only transportation in and out of Wayneburg at that time of year, friends as well as family members of returning undergraduates would be at prac-tically every incoming train to greet

Including the time just prior to World War I it was the athletes such as Jim Creel on the W&J football team: Paul Ross a vasity backethall player at Pitt; Jim Farrell, George Black and Jim Pollock, who were prepping at Bellefonte and Kiski academies that attracted the most

By the same token, the younger fry — those attending both the govern-ment and private military schools — stirred the immagination with their newly-acquired posture and resplendent dress uniforms. well-kept station

The equally buildings and platform of those days,

Library System Adds Films To Collection

WAYNESBURG — Operation Outreach, the audio-visual depart-ment of the Greene County Library System, will conclude its fall program of free noontime film showings on

The concluding film, to be presented at 12:15 p.m. at the Operation Outreach office at 54 Church Street, Waynesburg, will be "The Living Jungle." It studies the intricate relationships between plants and animals in a tropical rain forest.

in a tropical rain forest.

Outreach Librarian Sue Turner also announced that four new filmstrips with cassettes have been purchased. They are Frank Lloyd Wright's "Fallingwater," for adults, and three filmstrips for primary and intermediate children — "Thidwick the Big-Hearted Moose," "The Night-

gown of the Sullen Moon," and "A Medieval Feast."

Other recent purchases include Other recent purchases include eight listening cassettes, three volumes of poems and tales by Edgar Allan Poe, two volumes of stories of Sherlock Holmes, "A Child's Garden of Verses" by Robert Louis Stevenson, "The Littlest Angel" and "Bells of Christmas" by Charles Tazewell, and "Peter and the Wolf" and "Tubby the Tuba" narrated by Carol Channing. Carol Channing.

These items may be borrowed with a valid library card from the Greene County Library System. Also available to library card hold-

ers are Polaroid cameras which can be borrowed for use during the holi-day season. The borrower must day season. The provide the film.

even in the drab and often slushy winter season, seemed to provide an appropriate showcase for that particular group which from time to time included George Elms, now a retired brigadier general and who was one of the first from this section to attend West Point, followed a few years later there and in his career by Boyce

From Annapolis in those days came Charles McCall before later transferring to Pitt and afterward by Lewis Sayers and Arthur Stafford, each of whom also went on to service Neither that list nor the names to

be mentioned from other colleges and universities is intended as a complete one but rather just names which came quickly to mind while strolling along the siding on which they would joyously arrive when they'd "get back home" for Christmas.

The Penn Staters in those and slightly earlier days included Bill Harkins; the two older Sayers brothers, Edwin and Frank and their cousin Jim; the Hawkins brothers, Harold and Jim; Bill Finch, who was one of the five victims in 1925 of the Downey House Fire; the late Alex Purman, and the four Kyle brothers, Dick, Charley, Bill and Emory and Albert Black, who were Greene County's first students to pioneer into New England when they went to Amherst College in Massachussets.

About the same time Ted Hughes was at the Wharton School of Finance at the University of Pennsylvania; John Penn, later a noted securities analyst, was at Columbia; the late Lewis Waddess was a Renessalear Poly Tecy at Troy, N.Y. and a host of others at other schools. The first Waynesburg coeds were also starting to enroll in out-of-town schools in greater numbers at that

schools in greater numbers at that time. Among then were Ada Cowan at Carnegie Tech, later one of Pitts-Carnegie Teen, later one of Fits-burgh's top social workers; Leah Crago at Holton Arms in Washington, D.C., where her father the late Col. Thomas Crago was serving in Con-reces, Wilma Savers at Wilson Col-Miriam Knox at Vassar: Margaret Sayers and Virginia Debolt at Allegheny and Katherine Norris at

Columbia — to name only a few.

Their names though, were just those that rose first from memory's mists as the weary scene of the nowforsaken station, long since bereft of its former glory, stands like a silent sentinel over the scene which time has long since passed by, to return no

The Pittsburgh-based corporation has confirmed that the Frick District SE Greene **Changes Day** Of Meeting

PITTSBURGH — Consolidation of U.S. Steel's Frick and Cumberland mining districts into a new Northern Division mining district could mean Division mining district could mean

the elimination of approximately 25 management and white collar jobs.

MAPLETOWN - Rescheduling of the monthly meeting was the only change made when the Southeastern Greene School Board met Monday for

Greene School Board met Monday for its annual reorganizational meeting. Meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of each month rather than on the second Tuesday, with a meeting on Dec. 18 being the first held under the new schedule. They will continue to be held at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria at Mapletown High School.

George Billetz of Greensboro and Gary Moser of Greensboro R.D.1 were re-elected as president and vice president, respectively. Business

Mercal and Stets was again retained as district religion.

public records

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

Cumberland Township
Sharon J. and Roberta A. Parnesky,
Nemacolin, to Olive B. Dunlap, Nemacolin,
lot, Nemacolin, \$65.

ot, Nemacolin, \$05.

Frederick F. and Donna K. Waine,
Nemacolin, to Michael J. and Linda R.
Dulik, Carmichaels, house and lot, Nema-

colin, \$28,000.
Frank W. Streit, St. Mary's, and Jayne
M. Streit, Waynesburg R.D.2, to Frederick
F. and Donna K. Waine, Nemacolin, 11.8
acres and house, \$63,000.
Harry K. and Elizabeth M. Varndell,
Price, Utah, to Linda S. Fuller and Roy G.
Britner, Carmichaels R.D.1, house and lot,

Dunkard Township
First Federal Savings and Loan of
Greene County to Edward Morris Jr. and
Bonnie L. Flinta, Montville, Ohio, house
and lot, \$19,000. Franklin Township

Manorama and Ghanashyam Mishra, Waynesburg, to Darlene Benci, Waynes-burg, house and lot, Woodland Avenue, \$41,500.

Robert A. and Blanche Weber, Tarzana, Calif., to James W. and Hilda J. Aylor, Madison, Va., and others, 79.9 acres, \$35,000.

J. Harold Ritenour, Franklin Township, to M. Marion Ritenour, Franklin Township,

lot, no consideration.

of Marion Ritenour, Franklin Township, to Marion Ritenour, Franklin Township, lot, no consideration.

Drizos Brothers, Pittsburgh, to Gerald Manolas, house and 10 acres, \$55,000.

Jefferson Township

David W. and Sharon E. Benner, Latrobe, to Frank and Hildegart E. Petek, Wheaton, Md., house and lot, \$38,000.

Monongahela Township

Elizabeth F. Ragusa, Carmichaels, and others, to Hugh M. and Rebecca A. Barclay, Uniontown, six ares, \$12,000. Paul L. and Claudia R. Iams, Jefferson R.D.1, house and 5.9 acres, \$70,000.

Morgan Township

Albert L. and Nelson Balsinger, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, to Joseph R. and Twyla Chambers, Jefferson R.D.1, house and lot, Mather, \$16,500.

Morris Township

Veva G. Wright, Nineveh, to Harry L. and Janet N. Rutan, Spraggs R.D.1, 139 acres, \$48,000.

Rices Landing

Consolidation Coal Co. to John and Geraldine Herak, Pittsburgh, lot, no consideration.

Washington Township

James W. and Marjorie M. Wood, Waynesburg R.D.1, to Ralph A. and martha Tennant, Waynesburg R.D.1, ½ interest in 143 acres, \$35,000.

Charles A. and Lucille E. Minor, Washington, t John E. and Janice A. Lewellen, Prosperity R.D.2, 14 acres and mobile home, \$22,914

nome, \$22,914

Wayne Township

Marlin D. and Evelyn N. Funka, West
Alexander, and others; to Robert L. and
Susan F. Petery, Wayne Township, 93.9
acres, no consideration.
George M. and Evelyn M. Adams,
Waynesburg R.D.4, to Gertrude B. Fisher,
Waynesburg R.D.4, 5.5 acres, \$1,500.

Waynesburg
Janet and Leslie E. Bowden, Waynesburg, to Farley Toothman, Waynesburg, house and lot, North West Street, \$12,500.

West Penn Seeks Rate Hike

West Penn Power Co. filed Friday proposed base rates with the Pennsyl-vania Public Utility Commission which would increase the overall cost of electric service by about 15 per-cent, effective Jan. 29.

If the PUC elects to suspend the rate request for the full statutory period, the new rates would not go into effect until Sept. 1.

According to a West Penn spokes-man, the last rate increase was in

For the average residential customer who does not heat electrically, bills would increase about 17.2 cents per day, or slightly more than \$5 per month. For those customers who heat electrically, bills would go up about \$1.3 cents per day, or about \$13 per

The new rates would provide West Penn an additional \$95,824,000. Said West Penn President Franklin L. Morgal, "The overall kilowatt hour cost of electric service to West Penn Power residential customers is about 4.4 percent lower this October than it was two years ago because of changes in the company's Energy Cost Rate. Our customers now pay the lowest rates for electric service among the major electric utilities in Pennsylvania and the northeastern United States.

Morgal said the rate request became necessary because of general cost increases and investments in electric service facilities needed to meet the demands of West Penn customers for electricity

"For example," he said, "our par-ticipation in the Bath County (Va.) pumped storage project will not only provide energy to meet peak cus-tomer demand but will also provide other benefits to our customers at a cost substantially less than other types of power generation.'

May Be Eliminated offices in Uniontown will be closed after the first of the year and that Cumberland District administrative employees will be relocated from the district's present office located at the Cumberland Mine in Kirby.

Management Positions

Approximately 75 persons work at the Frick District office, which has been located at Uniontown for many years. Another 25 work at the Cumberland District headquarters. A U.S. Steel spokesman said the new Northern Division office will be located at some point controlly be

located at some point centrally lo-cated between the Maple Creek Mine in New Eagle, Washington County, and the Cumberland Mine in Kirby. He said the exact location is still under consideration, despite reports being circulated in Uniontown that it will be established at Washington.

Consolidation of the two districts,

Consolidation of the two districts, which was first announced in September, is being made as a money-saving move. The Frick District no longer has any mines in Fayette or Greene Counties, and the Cumberland District is responsible solely for management of the mine at Kirby.

The Mt. Braddock Mine, which was sold in 1983, was the last U.S. Steel mine in Fayette County. The Dilworth Mine at Rices Landing and the Robena Mine near Carmichaels, both of which were sold this year, were the last Frick District mines in Greene County.

Greene County.

The spokesman confirmed the con-solidation could result in the loss of some 25 jobs through elimination of duplicated positions.

AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

Earle Headlee, a former Greene County teacher and insurance agent in Greensboro, who now lives in Annadale, Va., is recuperating from surgery. Cards may be sent to him at National Orthopedic Hospital, Anderson Clinic, Room 5307, 2465 Army-Navy Drive, Arlington, Va.

The Waynesburg College Yellow Jackets opened their 1984-85 basket-ball season this past Saturday night and defeated the Wheeling College Cardinals. Rudy Marisa's team played to a nearly-full house despite the disappointment of playing on the "old" gym floor instead of the new one which still awaits bleachers.

Local restaurants have been doing a land-office business what with the deer hunting season in full swing. There have been some big bucks re-ported taken in the West Greene area, A father and two of his sons, each downed a buck on the same day last

Borough secretary Dreama Swanson has had a run of back luck. She wrecked on her car on Route 218 a few weeks ago while en route home. After a month in the shop, her car was finally returned. She moved to town last Saturday and her car was again wrecked, this time by a hit-run

Joe Russo, former restaurant owner and now a tipstaff in the Greene County Court, is going around showing pictures of his grand-daughter who recently was featured in a department store catalog modeling clothing. The young lady is the daughter of Joe's daughter Mary. Joe was an interested with grand the second was an interested viewer of the recent television mini-series, "Ellis Island." He came to the U.S. from Italy as a small boy and was processed through Ellis Island.

Bill Hogue, formerly of Waynes-burg, and now national sales manager for Lantz, will be taking a bride was employed by Sutton's Printing Co. many years ago before accepting a position with the well-known snack

Don't Shoot The Bobcats!

WAYNESBURG — State game protector Steve Kleiner has issued a caution to county residents in light of a recent reports that a bobcat, or

bobcats, are in the area. Kleiner said he doubts if there are bobcats in the county but if there are, it is illegal to shoot one since they are protected by law. Shooting one could result in a substantial fine.

Although residents in south Frankin Township, along Route 218, re-ported last week they have seen and heard the bobcat, Kleiner told the Observer-Reporter Thursday he has never received a confirmed report nor has he personally noticed any signs of a bobcat in Greene County.

RECUPERATING

Earle Headlee, a former Greene County teacher and insurance agent of Greensboro, who now lives in An-nadale, Va., is recuperating from surgery. Cards may be sent to him at National Orthopedic Hospital, Anderson Clinic, Room 5307, 2465 Army - Navy Drive, Arlington, Va. 22206.

Jackets Roll Past Wheeling.

By John Barker, O-R Sports Staff

WAYNESBURG — It was little surprise to Rudy Marisa and his Waynesburg College basketball team Saturday night that the visiting Wheeling Cardinals provided a frustrating and intense season opener.

What did surprise the 16th-year head coach, however, was the rather impressive fashion in which his team took control of the game from a team

that prides itself on controlling tempo and games.

and games.
Waynesburg, after a lethargic first half, cruised past Wheeling, 65-49, at College Gym, and for an opener the Yellow Jackets did much to dispel the pre-season worries of losing three starters from last season.
"I would like to believe that the final score is a good indication."

final score is a good indication," Marisa said, reserving accolades for future performances. "I'm not sure if

tonight's game was a true indication.
It helps to get off with a win but it doesn't tell us anything."
It wasn't bad, though. In fact, it was vintage Waynesburg.
The Yellow Jackets played a close first half against Wheeling (2-3) before taking control of the game. Wheeling's slow-down offense turned the first 20 minutes into a passing drill.

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The slow-down started with 4:40 remaining in the half and the Jackets leading 17-14. They had built the lead on the strength of team scoring.

Senior Paul Stanley drilled Waynesburg's first two points with an 18-foot jumper before freshman point guard Kevin Lee scored on a fast break. Sophomore Harold Hamlin, who finished with a game-high 17 points, gave Waynesburg an 11-4 lead on a slam dunk.

Minutes later Wheeling point guard Tom Conroy, who scored 19 points against Waynesburg last season, got his second foul and Cardinal head coach Jim O'Brien told his team to go into a delay.

"We had no choice," said O'Brien.
"With Tim having the two fouls he was on the bench and we had to slow the game down. We wanted to make the game shorter."

It worked. Leading 17-14 when Wheeling started the stall. Wavnes-

moved from guard to forward this

season.

The Jackets then pulled away when Hamlin scored seven straight points for his team and Stanley, who finished with 13, followed with three more for a 49-35 lead. Wheeling, meanwhile, shot poorly and was outrebounded, 23-14, by Waynesburg, which shot 61 percent from the field.

which shot 61 percent from the field.

"I thought we certainly didn't shot the ball very well," O'Brien said. "But it was a combination of things. We didn't take good shots or patient shots. It was those two things.

"And when you start with a couple of bad shots your confidence goes. We were shooting about 49 percent after

were shooting about 49 percent after four games."

Freshman Chris Greene gave Waynesburg a lift late in the game, scoring eight of his 10 points in the last 13 minutes, while Lee, attempting to replace the graduated Ray Natili, made few mistakes and only a couple turnovers turnovers.

"At times Kevin could have scored "At times Kevin could have scored but chose to give up the ball," Marisa said. "Sometimes he overpasses the ball instead of scoring himself. While that could be a problem, it is refreshing to think of him as a team player. "Chris has had no formal background, so he's a jewel in the rough. I think he'll make a contribution."





CONTRIBUTY F

Greene County Obituaries

Lucille J. White

Lucille J. White, 73, of 499 Ross Street, Waynesburg, died Sunday, December 2, 1984, at 3:30 p.m. in the Greene County Memorial Hospital,

following a long illness.

She was born February 14, 1911 in Hundred, West Virginia, a daughter of Henry and Sarah Jane Taylor

Miss White was a well-known teacher and had taught for 41 years in the Central Greene School District, retiring in 1973. She was also a licensed travel agent for the Jones Travel Agency in Monroeville.

She had resided her entire life in Waynesburg, where she was a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Emerald Chapter 135 of

Church, the Emerald Chapter 135 of Garden Club, the Mother Study Club, the Duplicate Bridge Club and the American Association of University

She was a graduate of Waynesburg High School and received her B.S. in music and education from Waynesburg College in 1932. Surviving are one brother, William

E. White of Columbus, Ohio; and two nieces, Ruth Ann and Wilma Jane.

David A. Eaton

David A. Eaton, 51, of 108 First Street, Mather, died Sunday, Decem-ber 2, 1984 at 3:30 p.m. in the Greene County Memorial Hospital. He had been ill for six months.

He was born in Mather on Novem-

ber 8, 1933, a son of the late John and

Olive Hennessey Eaton.
On January 21, 1955, he married
Lois Virgin, who survives.
Mr. Eaton was a coal miner. He
had worked for the Mather Mine until
it closed and then had been employed
at the Category Mine.

at the Gateway Mine.

He was a lifelong resident of
Mather and affiliated with the Mather
Christian Church. He was a social
member of the American Legion in Jefferson and belonged to UMWA Lo-

Also surviving are three sons, David A. Eaton Jr. of Sheffield Lake, Ohio, Robert W. Eaton of Carmi-chaels R.D.1, Jerry L. Eaton of Miami, Fla.; two granddaughters, Tif-fany and Kristi Eaton; one brother, Pete Eaton of Jefferson; and a sister, Mrs. Shirley Triplett of North Ridge-

Deceased is one brother, Jack. Kermit C. McCartney Sr.

Kermit C. McCartney Sr., 74, of Carmichaels R.D.1 (Khedive), died Saturday, December 1, 1984 at 9:50 a.m. in the Washington Health Care Center, Washington, following a three vear illness.

He was born October 15, 1910 in Wind Ridge, a son of O.W. and Flora Parry McCartney. On June 27, 1931, he married Theo Chambers, who survives.

Mr. McCartney was a graduate of Richhill Township High School and attended Waynesburg College. He had resided most of his life in Greene County but had also spent several years living in the Delmont and Jeannette areas of Westmoreland County

He was a retired employee of the Consolidated Gas Supply Co., having worked there for 25 years. He at-tended the Greene Valley Presbyterian Church in Carmichaels.

Also surviving are two sons, Kermit C. McCartney Jr. of Lakewood, Ohio, Michael A. McCartney of Cleveland, Ohio; one daughter, Mrs. Frank (Peggy) Behm of Jefferson; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Deceased are one brother and

Victor Rex Chambers

Victor Rex Chambers, 71, of Second Avenue and Mulberry Street, Moundsville, W.Va., died at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, November 28, 1984, in Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glen

eron, W.Va., a son of Charles and Lucy Gray Chambers. His wife, Dorothy Chambers, died in 1980.

Mr. Chambers was a Protestant was a retired correctional officer at West Virginia State Penitentiary, Moundsville, and was a World War II veteran. He was a member of American Legion Post 18, Cameron, W.Va

Surviving are three sons, Donald G. Chambers, of Moundsville, W.Va., Ronald V. Chambers, of Glen Dale, W.Va., and Charles E. Chambers, of Clarington, Ohio; three grand-children; and three sisters, Mrs. Howard (Genevieve) McCurdy, and Mrs. Patrick (Lois) Mickey, both of Cameron, W.Va., and Mrs. James (Vivian) Dishman, of Greenville.

Bessie L. Swart

Bessie L. Smith Swart, 93, of Hearne Apartment, Wheeling, W.Va., died Saturday, December 1, 1984, in the Ohio Valley Medical Center, Wheeling.

She was born January 15, 1891, in Ninevah, a daughter of John H, and

Mrs. Swart was a member of the Vance Memorial United Presbyterian Church in Wheeling.

Surviving are her husband, Charles M. Swart Sr.; one daughter, Mrs. Warren E. (Martha) Gregg of Myrtle Beach, S.C.; six grand-children; and seven great-gran-

A son, Charles M. Swart Jr., died

Shirl F. Gray

Shirl F. Gray, 72, of 401 North Porter Street, Waynesburg, died at 10:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 15, 1984, at his home following a two-month ill-

He was born Feb. 7, 1912, in Springhill Township, a son of William and Elizabeth Bennett Gray. His early life was spent in the Springhill Township area and he moved to Waynesburg in 1942.

He was a member of the New Freeport Baptist Church; Waynes-burg Lodge 461, Loyal Order of Moose; Ft. Necessity Chapter 121 and the Quarter Century Club of Columbia Gas Corp. The Moose awarded him the "Fellowship Degree."

He retired from Columbia Gas
Corp. in 1973 after 36 years of service.
Surviving are his wife, Leota
Mitchell Gray, whom he married
Nov. 30, 1931; a daughter, Dolores
Scearce of Knotts Island, N.C.; three
sons, Shirl P. of Cleveland, Ohio; Arthur R. of Aurora, Ill. and J. Ed-ward Gray of Columbus, Ohio; 17 grandchildren; eight great-grand-children and a brother, Rex Gray of

Deceased are a son, Ronald E. Gray and several brothers and sis-

Joseph E. Harkins

Joseph E. Harkins, 72, Carmiaels, owner and operator of the Grace Shop at Carmichaels for 20 years, died unexpectedly in Greene County Memorial Hospital on Tues-day, December 27, 1984.

He was born July 18, 1912 at Pitcairn, Allegheny County, a son of the late Ira and Edna Fisher Harkins, and moved to Carmichaels from Braddock 27 years ago. He founded the Grace Shop in 1957 and operated it until his retirement in 1977. He had also worked at the First National Bank of Carmichaels from 1963 to

Mr. Harkins was a member of the Glad Tidings Assembly of God Church at Masontown. He was a member of the Carmichaels Lions Club and had served on its board of directors, and was also a member of the Carmichaels Chamber of Carmichaels, which he served as treasurer for several years.

Surviving are his wife, Grace Shore Harkins; two sons, Dr. Hugh Harkins of Silverdale, Wash. and Dr. Paul Harkins of Greensboro, N.C.; Paul Harkins of Greensboro, N.C.; two daughters, Mrs. Thomas (Joann) Wheeler of Streetsboro, Ohio and Mrs. Edward (Christine) Walko of Rices Landing; 14 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; three brothers, Harry Harkins in Florida, James Harkins of Swissvale and John Harkins of New Alexandria, and three sisters. Mrs. Jenny Alexan, and Mrs. sisters, Mrs. Jenny Alcorn and Mrs. Helen Whitehead, both of Pitcairn, and Mrs. Mildred Booher of Or-

Two brothers and three sisters are

J. Rudolph Headley

J. Rudolph Headley, 74, of Mt. Lebanon Boulevard, Mt. Lebanon, formerly of Waynesburg, died Tues-day, November 27, 1984, in St. Clair Memorial Hospital, of a stroke.

Mr. Rudolph retired in 1974 as

superintendent of distribution for the Equitable Gas Co. following 44 years service. He was a member of the Calvary Episcopal Church, the Pennsylvania Gasmen's Association, Waynesburg Elks Lodge 757, Tiopton-Henderson Lodge F&AM, and Retirees Association of Equitable Gas

Suriving are his wife, Ada, one daughter, Margot H. Strong, of Mt. Lebanon; one son, James R. Headley Jr., of Fountain Valley, Calif.; four grandchildren; and one brother, Jack P. Headley, of Youngwood Headley, of Youngwood.

A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. Friday, November 30 at Calvary Episcopal Church, East Liberty, Burial will be private.

Brownie J. Roebuck

Brownie J. Roebuck, 73, Greensboro, died Sunday, December 2, 1984 in Greene County Memorial Hospital. He was born May 29, 1911 at Tower

Hill, a son of Albert and Anna Knopka Roebuck, and was a retired patcher at the Duquesne Light War-wick Mine at Greensboro. He was a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church at Greensboro and of Greensboro Local 6310, United Mine Work ers of America.

Surviving are his wife, Stella Muhar Roebuck; three sons, Bernard Roebuck of Parma, Ohio, John Roebuck of Lorain, Ohio and Eugene Roebuck of Bay Village, Ohio; five grandchildren; a brother, John Roebuck of Greensboro, and a sister, Mrs. William (Nellie) Maresh of Bedford, Ohio.

Roy M. Pettit

Roy M. Pettit, 83, Wolf Run, Cameron, W.Va., died at 3 p.m. Monday, December 3, 1984 in Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glendale, W.Va.

He was born July 17, 1901 in Westmoreland County, a son of George and Almira, Whinkov, Pettit He was a

Almira Whipkey Pettit. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Wolf Run Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Wilma Scott Pettit; a daughter, Mrs. Ben-jamin (Della Mae) Swann of Cam-eron; three grandchildren; two greatgrandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Stanley R. Shipley

Stanley R. Shipley, 88, of 10 Taylor Street, Clarksville (Williamstown), died suddenly Friday, November 30, 1984, while on vacation in Clearwater, Florida

He was born April 23, 1896 in Mt. Braddock, a son of Albert and Eleanora Feathers Shipley. On February 23, 1916, he married Margaret Spear, who died March 14,

Mr. Shipley was a retired coal miner for the Chartiers Mine of the Gateway Coal Co. He was a member of UMWA Local 6330.

He had resided in Clarksville since 1950 and was a Protestant.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Dorothea) Montgomery of Riverview, Mich., Mrs. Thomas (Glendora) Rice of Livonia, Mich.; (Glendora) Rice of Livonia, Mich.; five sons, Harold R. of Dearborn, Mich., Clyde E. of Texas City, Tx., Paul W. of Ypsilanti, Mich., Stanley E. of Karlsruhe, West Germany, and Charles A. Shipley of Clarksville; 23 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; four sisters, Susie Dunaway, Mildred Dunaway and Evelyn Martin, all of Dunbar, Mrs. James (Nellie) Barnett of Mt. Independence and a brother. Gerald, also pendence and a brother, Gerald, also of Mt. Independence.

Deceased are five brothers, John Gillespie, Earnest, Phillip, Clarence; one sister, Minnie Bitner; and two children who died in infancy.

Charles E. Hager

Charles E. Hager, 78, Clarksville R.D.1, died at 12:40 a.m. Friday, November 30, 1984 in Greene County Memorial Hospital after an illness of

He was born January 27, 1906 in Braznel, Fayette County, a son of John H. and Linnie Belle Fletcher Hager, and had resided most of his life in the Clarksville area.

Mr. Hager had worked in the

mines for 51 years, retiring from Republic Steel's Clyde Mine at Fredericktown. He was an active member of the Pitt Gas Missionary Church, where he had served as Sunday School superintendent, as a Sunday School teacher, as a deacon and as church treasurer.
Surviving are his wife, Theora

Kelley Hager, whom he married November 28, 1928; two sons, the Rev. Clarence E. Hager of Lumbard, Ill. and Charles E. Hager of Painesville, Ohio; a daughter, Mrs. Paul (Joyce) McKula of Bentleyville; 11 grand-children; six great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Pearl Piper of Clarksville R.D.1, and three brothers, Earnest and Louis Hager, both of Clarksville R.D.1 and John Hager of Frederick-

Two daughters, Beverly June Hager and Jeannine Miller; a sister, Blanche Wilson, and two brothers, Willis and Allen Hager, are deceased. Granville K. Eaton

Granville K. Eaton, 73, Waynesburg R.D.2, died in his home after a long illness at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, November 28, 1984.

He was born December 30, 1910 in Vittendale, Cambria County, a son of the late William R. and Isabelle Butterbaugh Eaton, and had resided virtually all of his life in Greene County He served with the Army Air Force during World War II.

Mr. Eaton was a retired farmer and miner who had worked at the Mather Collieries. He had also been employed by the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.

He was a member of the Mather Christian Church; of Gateway Local 6330, United Mine Workers of Amér-ica, and of Filer-Sadlek Post 954,

American Legion, Jefferson.
Surviving are his wife, Bertha
L.Stilwell Eaton, whom he married
May 11, 1932; a son, W. Carl Eaton of Waynesburg R.D.2; four grand-children; two sisters, Mrs. Phamie Crable and Mrs. Christina Callahan, both of Mather, and two brothers, Charles Eaton of Pittsburgh and George Eaton of Grindstone.

A daughter, Wilma Carol Eaton; a sister, Elizabeth Petratus, and three brothers, William (Bus) Eaton, Wesley Eaton and John Eaton, are

Helen Rosinsky

Helen Rosinsky, 63, of Third Street, Mather, died at 3:40 p.m. Thursday, November 29, 1984, in Mcgee Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh, following an illness of six months

She was born June 20, 1921, at Republic, a daughter of the late Ferdinand and Rozalia Stopka Baniecki, On November 15, 1943, she married Joseph S. Rosinsky, who

Mrs. Rosinsky had lived most of her life at Mather. She was a member of St. Marcellus Roman Catholic Church, Jefferson, and the Christian

Mothers of the church.

Mrs. Rosinsky was a retired
Licensed Practical Nurse and had
been employed at Greene County Me-

morial Hospital for 24 years.
Surviving in addition to her husband, Joseph S. Rosinsky, are one son, Terry Joe Rosinsky, of Mather; three sisters, Mrs. Joseph (Anna) Jagoda, of Washington, Mrs. James (Mary) Sager, of California, and Mrs. George (Nellie) Vukmanic, of Mather; and three brothers, John and Louis Baniecki, both of Mather, and Joseph Baniecki, of Citrus Heights,

Deceased is one brother, Fred

Memory Honored

The Jefferson Volunteer Fire Co. dedicated a plaque to the memory of Fire Chief Earl E. McMannes Saturday afternoon in a short ceremony held in the fire hall. McMannes, who died unexpectedly in October at the age of 30, had served as fire chief from December 1982 until his death. Taking part in dedicating the plaque to hang in the fire hall were, from left: Rip Jenkins, fire chief; Kevin Clelland, president of the fire company; Diane McMannes, wife of the late fire chief; and Lois Kramer, his mother.

Greene County Obituaries

Frank W. Pettit

Frank W. Pettit, 71, of 98½ Fourth Avenue, Freedom, died Tuesday, November 27, 1984, in Aspinwall Veter-ans Hospital, Pittsburgh. Born October 13, 1913, in Grays-

ville, he was a son of William and Ida

Mr. Pettit had once been employed by Rheem Manufacturing Co., Monaca, and retired in 1975 from K Mart in East Rochester.

Surviving are his wife, Blanche Dille Pettit; three brothers, Leroy E. Petti of Washington, Raymond Pettit of Prosperity and James Pettit of Holbrook; three sisters, Mrs. Helen Martin of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Rob-ert (Mabel) Maxwell of Wheeling, W.Va., and Mrs. Dorothy Cun-ningham of New Freeport. One sister, Nell Schroeder, and

one brother, Clarence Pettit, are de-

Mary Ann Jupina

Mary Ann Pope Jupina, 68, Carmichaels R.D.1, died Monday afternoon, December 3, 1984, in Monongalia Gen-eral Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va., after a long illness.

She was born August 20, 1916, in Gates, Fayette County, daughter of the late John and Anna Celi Pope, and had resided in Carmichaels for the

She was a member of St. Hugh's Church, Carmichaels, and of the

Rosary Society of the church. Surviving are her husband, Stephen J. Jupina; a son, Albert J. Jupina, at home; two daughters, Mrs. Ron (Mary Magdalene) Diaz of Greenville, Ky., and Stephanie A. Jupina, at home; four grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Irene Sansone of Pittsa sister, Mrs. Irene Sansone of Pitts-burgh; and five brothers, John Pope of Eddystone, Basil Pope of Morton Grove, Ill., Frank Pope of Weirton, W.Va., David Pope of Canton, Ohio, and Phillip Pope of Masontown. A daughter, Annette, is deceased.

Mass of Christian burial will be held in St. Hugh's Church at 10 a.m. Thursday, December 6.

Fornie E. Dean

Fornie E. Dean, 58, of Avon Park, Florida, and formerly of Blacksville, West Virginia, died Sunday, Decem-ber 2, 1984, in the Walker Memorial

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Blacksville, and Fornie Dean of Littleton, W.Va.; two daughters, Shelly Henkins of Pentress, W.Va., Mary Dean of Blacksville; four grandchildren; three brothers, Eugene Dean of Scotland, Tx., Irving Dean of Raleigh, N.C., and Robert Dean of Harbor City, Calif.; and one sister, Mary Belle Orndoff of Mt. Morris. One brother is deceased.

Margaret E. Richards

Margaret E. Richards, 71, of 7405 Bay Island Drive, St. Petersburg, Fla., formerly of Cameron, W.Va., died at 1:35 p.m. Monday, November 26, 1984, in St. Anthony's Hospital, St. Petersburg She was born January 9, 1899, at

Cameron, W.Va., a daughter of Charles and Roena Ralston Walker. Her husband, Cyril Richard, died in Mrs. Richards was a member of the First Christian Church, Wells-

ville, Ohio, American Legion Post 14
Auxiliary, St. Petersburg, Oriental
Ladies Shrine, Wheeling, W.Va., and
was a past Worthy Matron of the
Order of Eastern Star, Cameron,

Surviving are one step-son, William P. Richards, of Ft. McCoy, Fla.; one brother, Charles P. Walker, of St. Petersburg, Fla., and several nieces and nephews.

Paul V. Lemley

Paul V. Lemley, 62, of Wheaton, Md., formerly of Waynesburg and Washington, died Thursday, Novem-ber 22, 1984, in Holy Cross Hospital,

Silver Spring, Md. He was born November 10, 1922, a son of Lester E. and Emma Vance

Surviving are his wife, Phyllis Lemley; two sons, Paul V. Lemley Jr. of Lynn, Mass., and Mark O. Lemley of Germantown, Md.; four brothers, Sherill Lemley of Alexandria, Va., Francis H. Lemley of Amity, Earl Lemley of Columbus, Ohio, and Warren E. Lemley Sr. of Washington; three sisters, Ethel Staskus of three sisters, Ethel Staskus of Niceville, Fla., Virginia H. Lemley of Wheaton and Shirley J. Young of Glen Burnie, Md.; and 15 nieces and

A sister, Marie Hall, is deceased. Services were held Saturday, No-vember 24, in Burtonsville, Md.

Mary Zalom

Mary Zalom, 73, of Clarksville R.D.1 (Chartiers) died at 8:10 p.m. Monday, December 3, 1984, in Wash-ington Hospital after a long illness. She was born November 26, 1911, in Milford Terrace, a daughter of Andy and Barbara Pasztor Vasilehak, and had resided in Clarks-villa moet of her life. ville most of her life.
On November 27, 1928, she mar-

ried George Zalom, who died October

Mrs. Zalom had formerly been employed in the dietary department at Greene County Memorial Hospital. She was a member of St. Nicholas Greek Catholic Church of Brownsville

and the Clarksville Senior Citizens Surviving are a daughter, Mrs.
Steve (Barbara) Novesel of
Streetsboro, Ohio, three sons, Andrew Zalom of Clarksville, George
Zalom of Walton Hills, Ohio, and John Zalom of Streetsboro, Ohio; seven grandchildren; and one great-grand-

A brother, John Vasilchak, is de-

Charlotte Tate

Charlotte Y. Tate, 76, of 496 North Morris Street, Waynesburg, died Tuesday, December 4, 1984 in Montefiore Hospital, Pittsburgh, af-ter an illness of three weeks.

She was born August 19, 1908, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of James and Lillian Hopkins Mitchell.

She had lived in Waynesburg for the past 25 years. Her husband, Earl Tate, died in

Mrs. Tate had been employed as a cook for the Denny family of Waynes-

She was a member of the First Christian Church of Waynesburg.

Surviving are a son, Henry Tate of Pittsburgh; two grandchildren; a brother, Albert Mitchell of Pitts-burgh; and three nephews and four

A sister, Mrs. Helen Hux, and a brother, Robert Mitchell, are de-

Blaze Starts In Fireplace

DAVISTOWN — Firemen from Mt. Morris and Bobtown were called out early Sunday to a fire that started near the fireplace in the home of

Mt, Morris Fire Chief Bob Delaney said Fox was upstairs asleep at the time of the fire and the amount of smoke in the house woke him up. "He was very lucky," Delaney said, "because the house was full of thick

Mt. Morris received the call at 3 a.m. and the Bobtown company was called for assistance. According to Delaney, firemen had to tear up the hearth to get at the source of the blaze, but he said damage was kept to a minimum.

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Estate of ANNA HAGAR late
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signed, 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 Margaret C. Scott Margaret C. Scott ADMINISTRYOR C.T.A. MAXWELL Attorney

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