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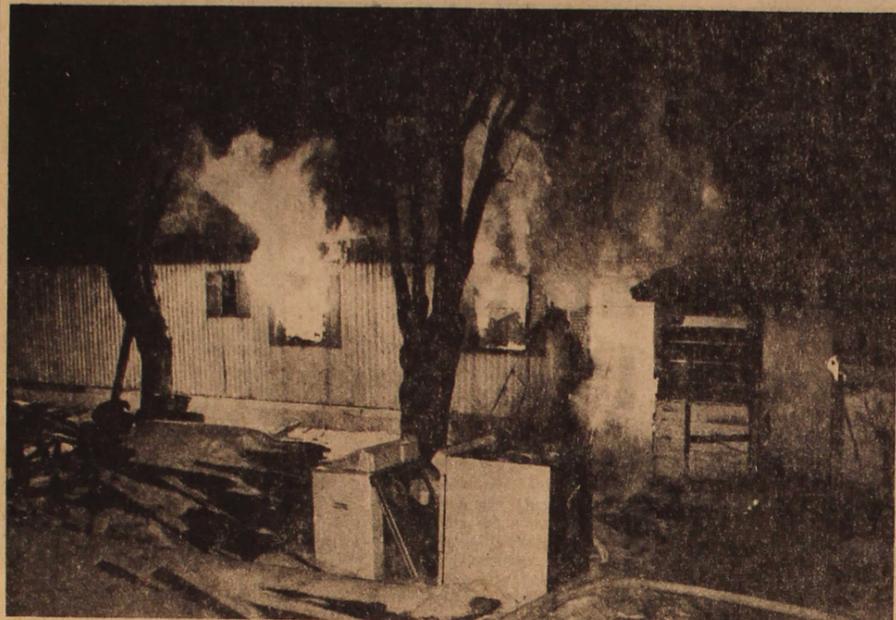
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A GOOD HOME NEWSPAPER

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Flames shoot from a mobile home near Waynesburg Saturday night.

Waynesburg Area Family Is Homeless After Blaze

WAYNESBURG — A fire Saturday night that destroyed a mobile home located between two busy highways east of here may have been seen by any number of people before firefighters were called. It apparently was mistaken for something being burned in a nearby junk yard and caused no concern.

Several people at the fire scene said they had seen the smoke and even flashes from ruptured power lines but all said they thought something at the junk yard was being burned. Tammy Victor was using a telephone located in a fast food restaurant parking lot across from the junk yard when she saw a "bright, silver-like flash. I saw all the smoke but I thought something was being burned at the junk yard," she said.

Walker said the fire apparently started from a wood burning stove. He estimated damage at \$10,000 to the home and \$4,000 to contents but said it was a conservative estimate. "You couldn't replace the home for that," he said. "It was a new mobile home."

Campaign Centers Around Judge Contest This Year

WAYNESBURG — Kickoff time comes next week for Greene County residents who plan to run for political office this year. On Tuesday candidates will begin circulating nominating petitions. They have until March 12 to obtain the signatures of registered voters needed to get their names on the ballot for the May 21 primary election.

One of the county's three district magistrates also will be elected this year, with Emil Bertugli of Magisterial District 3 indicating that he will run for another six-year term. His district encompasses Cumberland, Dunkard, Greene and Monongahela townships and Carmichaels, Greensboro and Rices Landing boroughs.

In the West Greene District, which also elects on a regional basis, terms expiring are those of Ann Bower and Arden Melzer in Center and Morris townships; Roy Barnhart in Aleppo, Freeport, Gilmore and Springhill townships, and Ron Lohr in Gray, Jackson and Richhill townships.

Animal Cruelty Charges Paid

DILLINER — Robert Donley of Dunkard Township has paid \$148.50 in fines and costs to Magistrate Emil Bertugli on charges of cruelty to animals brought by the Washington County Humane Society.

In the Central Greene District, which elects directors on a regional basis, terms expiring are those of Lila Ayersman in Franklin and Washington townships; Joanne Brookover in Perry, Wayne and Whiteley townships, and Francis Fox and John Graham in Waynesburg Borough.

Candidates for school director and municipal offices are required to obtain 10 signatures on their nominating petitions, with school directors being the only ones permitted to cross-file. There are no filing fees for municipal offices except for constable, who must pay a \$10 fee for a township office and a \$5 fee for a borough office.

Tax Ratio Changes Could Help County

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County commissioners confirmed last week that they are considering a change in the assessment ratio as a possible solution to the county's fiscal problems. "Nothing definite has been decided at this point, but it's clear that something will have to be done before next year," Commission Chairman L. R. Santore said.

"If we changed the assessment ratio, we would increase the revenue produced by each mill of tax and would be able to reduce the levy in 1986 and still receive additional revenue," Santore explained. At the present time, all taxable property in the county — land, buildings and minerals — is assessed at 30 percent of market value.

day, the commissioners formally executed a one-year extension of their contract with 54 employees in the commissioners unit and court-appointed unit who are members of Local 585, Service Employees International Union.

The federal revenue sharing program, which provides the county with \$425,000 a year, is already scheduled for termination in 1986. But if President Reagan's budget proposals are approved, the funding would be cut off one year earlier, ending after the 1985 payment has been made. "That \$425,000 is the equivalent of the revenue from three mills of property taxes and its loss will give us a real problem," Santore said.

According to a study already made by the county assessment department, a change in the ratio to 40 percent would increase the value of each mill to \$210,327, which would enable the county to lower its levy to 15 mills and still receive the same revenue it is now receiving at 20 mills. A change to 50 percent of market value would jump the revenue value of each mill of tax to \$262,909; a change to 60 percent would boost it to \$315,491, and a change to 75 percent would increase it to \$394,364.

It provides for a wage freeze this year but promises a raise of at least 15 cents an hour when the 1986 contract is negotiated. It also provides employees with two additional holidays — the day after Thanksgiving and either the day before or the day after Christmas, with that day to be selected each year by agreement of the employees and the commissioners.

Local Men Held On Sex Charge

WAYNESBURG — Two young Waynesburg men were arrested by borough police Saturday and charged with child molestation stemming from an incident with an 8-year-old boy.

It was also noted that if the ratio is increased, property owners would be protected by law against a major tax increase in 1986. State legislation mandates that in the year in which a ratio increase is placed in effect, the county, townships and boroughs must reduce their millage to the point where their property tax revenues do not exceed those of the previous year by more than 5 percent.

Seven salaried employees also were furloughed, according to Wicks. Emerald Mine is a subsidiary of Enway Resources.

Local Men Held On Sex Charge

Arraigned before District Magistrate Emil Bertugli at Carmichaels on multiple charges were George Shenkel, 18, and Michael Shenkel, 19, both of 32 West Elm Street, Waynesburg. They were lodged in Greene County in lieu of bond.

County Library System Awarded \$16,000 Grant

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Library System has been awarded a \$16,000 grant from money appropriated by the federal Library Services and Construction Act.

Reduces Council Size Court Speeds Up Council Changes

WAYNESBURG — Carmichaels won't have to wait three years for a reduction in the size of its borough council from seven members to five.

County Library System Awarded \$16,000 Grant

Announcement of the award was made by state Sen. J. Barry Stout and Rep. H. William DeWeese, who said the funds will be used to purchase current materials in both traditional and non-traditional formats for placement in collections in mini-libraries throughout the county.

County Library System Awarded \$16,000 Grant

Under the new procedure, four council members will be elected this year — three for four-year terms and one for a two-year term. Roger Honsaker will be the only holdover. He was elected in 1983 and his term runs through 1987.

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Other offices to be filled in this year's election are those of mayor, tax collector, constable and auditor. Normally one of the three auditors would have been elected, but due to resignations and appointments all three must be filled this year — one for a six-year term, one for a four-year term and one for a two-year term.

Pay For Tax Collectors Varies With The District

By Bob Eichenlaub, *Greene County Editor*

WAYNESBURG — Depending largely on the size of the municipality they serve and on compensation provided by school districts, rates

still held the commission below 1 percent. The raise was from .076 of a percent to .093 of a percent.

No change was made in the Southeastern Greene School District, where tax collectors receive 3 percent

\$8,500. There are no fringe benefits.

Cumberland — A salary of \$9,600 is paid by Carmichaels Area School District and a salary of \$5,000 by the township. There are no fringe bene-

Jackson — Commission of 2 percent from West Greene School District and 5 percent from the township will produce approximately \$5,800. There are no fringe benefits.

commission of 3 percent from the township will produce compensation of approximately \$13,600. There are no fringe benefits.

Richhill — Commission of 2 per-

are provided by the township.

BOROUGHES

Carmichaels — A salary of \$2,250 from Carmichaels Area School District and commission of 5 percent



Science Winners

Seven students from West Greene High School received awards during the Region 8 at the Pennsylvania Junior Academy of Science held at California University of Pennsylvania. A total of 250 area students participated. From left are Constance Bryant, biology teacher; John McLaughlin, first place for a German-English computer program; Lisa King, second place for Study of Kinesics;

Kevin Main and Dan Morris, both in back, first place for A Survey of Sugar Substitutes; Diane Carter, second place for The Effects of Simulated Acid Rain on a Closed Ecosystem; Lisa Weekly, first place for Toothpaste Evaluation; and Brian Henry, second place for Fear at West Greene Middle-Senior High School. The four first place winners are eligible for state competition to be held in April in Lancaster.

Certificate Presented

County Pomona Grange Makes Plans For 1985

WAYNESBURG — Greene County Pomona Grange made plans for events to be held during 1985 at a meeting in the East Franklin Grange hall.

Master Gladys A. Day presented the "Better Ritual Certificate" earned in 1984 for the 5th Degree exemplification to Albert Lahew, captain of the degree team.

Lecturer Mary Jane Kent reported on the recent school she attended at State College, stressing the importance of the winner's fund money which subordinate granges contribute to the state grange to help finance the cost of having talent contest winners participate in the national competition.

Mrs. Kent also said that she is planning a display for each Pomona meeting. At the March 2 meeting at Harvey's grange, the display will be amateur art and photography. Members are asked to take homemade cookies to this meeting for judging and sale.

The June 1 Pomona display will be heirlooms and antiques; the Sept. 7 exhibit homemade bird feeders, and the Dec. 7 display will feature old grange photographs and grange clippings.

Plans were made for observance of National Grange Week April 21-27, which will begin with a "Go To Church" service at the First Christian Church of Waynesburg on Sunday, April 21. Volunteers who will assemble a window display at the First Federal Savings and Loan Association in Waynesburg are Gladys Day, Ivy Rush, Maxine Anderson, Marjorie Calvert and Helen Dinsmore.

The Seventh Degree banquet will be held in Waynesburg in the spring, with the date to be announced. The five-county event will be held in Westmoreland County, with the date and place to be announced.

State Grange Leadership School

will be held June 28-30 at Juniata College, Huntingdon. The cost will be \$48 per person. The annual Pomona banquet will be held at the East Franklin Grange hall, and the Pennsylvania State Grange meeting will be held Oct. 28-31 in Warren.

It was announced that the theme for fair exhibits this year will be "Today's Grange: People in Action." The Jacktown Fair will be held July 30 through Aug. 3 and the Greene County Fair Aug. 5-10.

Neighbor night visitations will be held at 7:30 p.m. on the regular meeting nights of the host granges. The visiting grange will present a 30- to 45-minute program on the theme, "Local Hall of Fame."

The scheduled: March 19, Aleppo at Carmichaels; April 10, Carmichaels at Dunkard; May 1, Dunkard at Harvey's; May 20, East Franklin at Aleppo; June 14, Harvey's at East Franklin.

A degree day will be declared for June 22 by the state grange master. It will be observed locally at the Carmichaels Grange hall. The opening and closing will be conducted by East Franklin Grange. Aleppo will be in charge of first degree; Harvey's in charge of second degree; Carmichaels in charge of third degree, and Dunkard in charge of fourth degree.

The schedule of Curry Home visitations are East Franklin, January and July; Hoover's Run, February and August; Carmichaels, March and September; Aleppo, April and October; Harvey's, May and November, and Dunkard, June and December.

Greene County Deputy Grace Dinsmore distributed new literature to the masters of subordinate granges. Bill Irvin, membership chairman for southwestern Pennsylvania, spoke on obtaining new members. Greene County Pomona Grange has a goal of 30 new members for 1985.

Former Waynesburg Woman Worked On Inaugural Events

ARLINGTON, Va. — Barbara Lee Strosnider of Arlington, Va., a former resident of Waynesburg, played an active roll as a volunteer in events surrounding the recent inauguration of President Reagan.

She worked with the Special Groups Section of the Public Liaison Division at inaugural headquarters in Washington, D.C., for seven weeks preceding inaugural weekend.

The Special Groups Section was responsible for several of the officially-sanctioned events of the Inaugural Committee, including "In Celebration of Distinguished Women" brunch; "Access to Opportunity," a reception saluting disabled Americans; "Salute to Older Americans," and "Salute to Volunteer America."

In addition to working as a member of the support staff planning these events, Miss Strosnider also participated as VIP Escort at the Prelude Pageant to the 40th American Presidential Inaugural on Friday, Jan. 18, which was held on the Ellipse, also known as President's Park.



BARBARA STROSNIDER

On Saturday, Jan. 19, she worked at the reception which followed the brunch in celebration of distinguished women at the Shorham Hotel. That afternoon she attended the dress rehearsal for the inaugural gala which

was directed by Frank Sinatra.

Sunday, Jan. 20, she was in charge of hosts and hostesses for the Salute to Volunteer America which was held at the Old Post Office Pavilion and was responsible for escorting distinguished guests at the reception, including Richard Schubert, president of the American Red Cross, and Mrs. Jeri J. Winger, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

On Monday, she was a hostess at the Inaugural Ball held at the Sheraton Washington Hotel.

She has received letters of commendation from Ronald H. Walker, chairman of the 50th American Presidential Inauguration, and from Edie Fraser, assistant director, Special Groups, for her work as a volunteer for the committee.

Miss Strosnider is a daughter of Harold Ray and Wanda B. Strosnider of Waynesburg. She is employed as coordinator of staff training by the National Association of Securities Dealers Inc., in Washington, D.C.

Gateway Mine Closes Again

The Gateway Mine, opened just last week, has been closed because of the effects of a strike by miners at LaBelle Processing Plant.

Workers at the plant have been on strike since Feb. 7. Since coal mined at Gateway is sent to the plant to be washed, there is no need for that coal now so the mine was closed.

The mine had only been in operation about three days when it was forced to close, according to Isidore Virgili, president of UMWA Local 6330. About 555 miners there had been

laid off since Sept. 27, 1984, because of a surplus of coal.

The closing sent about 345 members of that local back home.

The strike at the LaBelle plant may be part of the UMWA's effort to use selective strikes against the 26 coal companies owned by A.T. Massey Co. in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Kentucky. The company owns the LaBelle plant and Vesta 5 Mine, which it bought from Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. in 1982.



PROMOTED — Dan Chamberlain of Masontown has been promoted and transferred by ALLTEL Pennsylvania Inc. to the marketing department as a sales marketing consultant in Kittanning. He joined ALLTEL as an installer/repairman in the Waynesburg service area in 1981. He was promoted to plant clerk-service center in 1983. He is a 1980 graduate of Waynesburg College and is a candidate for a master's degree in May 1985.



TAKES COMMAND — At a recent change-of-command ceremony, Capt. Edwin L. Shriver, son of Dorothy Shriver of Waynesburg and H. Leslie Shriver of Tucson, Ariz., assumed command of C Company, 3rd Battalion, 1st Brigade, at Fort Jackson, S.C. Capt. Shriver is married to the former Rhonda Doney, daughter of Phil and Ellen Doney of Waynesburg. Capt. and Mrs. Shriver reside in Hopkins, S.C. with their daughter Bre Anne.

Former Local Man Heads State Game Commission

HARRISBURG — Thomas P. Greenlee, of Tionesta, formerly of Waynesburg, has been elected president of the Pennsylvania Game Commission.

A son of Dr. and Mrs. D. Paul Greenlee of Waynesburg, he was appointed to the game commission in February 1983 as a representative of the northwestern district of the state. Greenlee graduated from Waynesburg High School and Pennsylvania State University in 1962 with a major in zoology and wildlife. He is married to the former Cheryl Dugger of Nashville, Tenn. They have a daughter, Erin, and a son, Jason.



King Coal Officers

Named as officers for the 1985 King Coal Association are, seated from left, John Brodak, second vice president; Wayne Long, president, and Connie Morris, secretary; standing, Brice Rush, treasurer, and Stephen McCann, vice president. The association meets the second Thursday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Carmichaels fire hall and is busy planning this year's Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal Show, scheduled for Aug. 24-31.



DEANNA C. LEONE

Accounting Firm Gets New Partner

UNIONTOWN — Deanna Cochran Leone of Brier Hill, formerly of Carmichaels, has become a partner in the Uniontown public accounting firm of Harper, Taylor, Steele and Clark.

Mrs. Leone, a certified public accountant, has been associated with the firm for the past 10 years. It was founded in Uniontown in 1943 by the late Robert M. Harper.

Mrs. Leone is a 1970 graduate of Carmichaels Area High School and a 1974 graduate of Waynesburg College. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Cochran of Carmichaels and is married to Daniel Leone Jr.

She is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

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Tax Collector System Should Be Eliminated

Greene County municipalities will spend nearly \$300,000 this year to collect property taxes and per capita taxes.

Some \$233,000 of it will go to the county's 26 elected tax collectors in the form of commission on property taxes collected for school districts, townships and boroughs. The other \$60,000 will finance operation of the county treasurer's office, which, among its other duties, collects taxes for the county.

It can't be called "conspicuous waste" because few people are aware of the system.

It would be a rare citizen, for example, who could tell you that the tax collector in Franklin Township makes more money than any other elected official in Greene County with the exception of the judge. But when you add the \$23,500 she receives from the school district to the \$6,000 she gets from the township, plus medical benefits, it puts her well above what any county official receives - and for doing what is essentially a seasonal job.

Others in the upper brackets for the job are Waynesburg at \$21,000, Dunkard Township at \$20,500 and Center and Wayne Townships at \$18,000. A number are in the \$7,000 to \$10,000 range, with those in the smaller boroughs being at the low end of the scale with annual pay ranging from some \$900 in Jefferson to \$1,700 in Clarksville.

Two school districts recognized the problem this year when they took steps to put a ceiling on the compensation they will pay tax collectors elected this year. Central Greene eliminated the practice of paying a percentage in favor of setting fixed salaries based on 1984 compensation, while the West Greene District cut the commission it will pay from 3 percent to 2 percent of taxes which are collected.

They recognized that steadily increasing school taxes have proved to be a bonanza for the people who collect those taxes.

The inequity of the system can be seen in the fact that the Southeastern Greene District pays a 3 percent commission while the Jefferson-Morgan District pays less than 1 percent. This year, in fact, it gave its tax collectors their first raise in 12 years by increasing the commission from .076 of a percent to .093 of a percent.

Yet the two school district have essentially the same number of property owners and comparable school budgets.

The big problem, of course, lies in the fragmented system of collecting property taxes - a system with its roots deep in the archaic form of municipal government as practiced in Pennsylvania.

If all taxes were collected at the county level and distributed to school districts and municipalities the job could be done much more efficiently.

But that would require new legislation at the state level. And since legislators has always been unwilling to accept the political repercussions of making such changes, it's probably naive to think that anything will ever be done about it.



between the bookends

by marcia mckenna biddle



I am typing this into a computer, and expect, optimistically, that it eventually will reach print. For some reason, I think anything written in this manner is going to sound funny. Funny, as in strange, weird, or odd.

Well, there are really two reasons. The first is that I don't know the first thing about how you work this machine, am depending on following instructions as I go along, and am terrified that it will blow up, catch fire, or get disgusted with me and quit. The second problem is that this computer doesn't understand me any more than I understand him, uh, it.

The language we speak is not the same. I have already discovered, for instance, that we, the computer and I, are not really writing a column. No, we are developing a new document. It's hard not to feel the pressure. Developing a new document sounds so impressive and intimidating that we feel obligated to be on our best behavior and to produce some sort of prose which will be worthy of the title and the effort.

Attempting such an undertaking is even more difficult since I have the feeling that my partner is not being entirely cooperative. I think he is just lying in wait, watching until I make a mistake, and then he is going to pounce, go crazy, or shut down.

I have already run through, for practice, the tutorial diskette, and had very little luck with it. The machine asked me to type in the time, or enter it, as it says. When I did, it was rejected. "Invalid time," it said. The idea that time can be invalid is new to me, but I decided to think that over later.

I was more disturbed when I received the instructions from "the screen, in green letters, of course, "Press esc key to exit at any time."

I looked it up: esc means "escape." Suddenly I started picturing a tiny person trapped inside the machine, banging futilely on the back of the screen, searching madly but in vain for the escape key.

Well, I can't sit around and worry about that poor soul all day, so I'll get

on with what I was doing, if I can remember what it was. "Let's look at the menu now," says the green screen. The menu, disappointingly enough, is a list of things like, "Overview of Word Processing," "Description of System Hardware," etc. Except for the last item, which is, "Getting HELP!" I wonder if there's any way to connect this item with the little person who's back there hunting the escape key.

No, probably not. I'm doing better now, though. When the screen ordered me to "enter the date," I managed to get it right. At least, I think I must have, because the screen then said, "Good."

Now that I have mastered that, we are going to "format a diskette."

Uh-oh. I pressed the escape key by mistake. Now my buddy is really going to go nuts. I wait a few seconds and then. The Green Flash is crying, "ESCAPE - Are you sure?" It's like a jail break, chez it, the cops, and all that.

Not ready to give up yet, I timidly press N for "No," I'm not sure. The Flash seems to sigh with relief, re-enters, and lets me start again. "If creating a library," he says, by way of making conversation, "Press F5." I feel complimented, but think creating a library may be overly ambitious, and refrain from going near F5.

Next, I skip a word and press the "insert" key, so I can slip the word back into the copy. Flash flashes: "INSERT WHAT?" I type the word, but nothing happens. Now I can't get any keys to move. Desperately, I press F1, for "Getting HELP."

Suddenly, a bell starts ringing. I think I did that wrong. Flash starts blinking that the "Printer Needs Attention." I look at the printer; it is not even turned on, but I give it some attention, anyway. Maybe it's lonely, or something.

While I'm staring at the printer, Flash says, "Press esc." That sounds like a good idea - we're both tired after all this work. I'll escape and we'll both get some rest.

Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?



Pictured are members of the Waynesburg High School baseball team in 1912. The picture was submitted by Gale Nuss of Hartville, Ohio. Left to right, front row: Worthy Scott, Sherman Shull, Jim Pollock, Walter McVay and unknown; back row: unknown, Coach G. Cumpston, George Black, John Thompson, Vernon Phillips and Norman Zahniser.



Fact and Folklore

John O'Hara

EDITOR'S NOTE: For the past several months the Republican has been re-running Fact and Folklore columns from past years. Mr. O'Hara's health has been poor and he has found it more and more difficult to continue with his column. The following is excerpted from recent offerings.

Reminiscing as the month of February moves slowly to its end - far more slowly than this writer would have thought possible - becomes increasingly painful.

For years, since the early 1920's, flipping thoughts onto paper was so effortless that it seemed to be something that would last forever. But now it has come to be a weekly impossibility of mental and physical effort and the impulse to write no more flares each weekend.

Time alone will tell if whether sloth or the impulse to face the weekly

challenge will win out, but I hope help will come from the faithful readers who have been so supportive in the past.

The challenge is that much greater because it has been such an easy effort for so many years, but there is always the hope that spring will soon be here which will bring release from being housebound.

There are already signs of it in the melting snow, and soon ice will be going out on the creeks, hopefully without their becoming a destructive torrent and threat to property and life.

When good weather does return, enjoy your visit to the county's beauty spots. Don't forget when blackberry time comes to take the whole family for an afternoon of picking in the sun. They are a delicacy that taste much better when plucked from nature's

bounty rather than being purchased over the county.

Spring always brings to mind the marble games that we played as boys. Remember that you were not allowed to hunch an inch closer to the ring where eventually all of the marbles would be won by the best players.

The late Charles (Hoopie) Sauers of South Richhill Street was probably the best shooter and had a collection of thousands of marbles that he won.

And don't forget that fishing can be one of the most enjoyable things to do on a spring and summer day. The thrill of landing a big one is something that will never change for the avid fisherman, young or old. The combination of repose and tranquility which comes from sitting along a stream is part of it, as well as the pleasure of being able to outwit the whily fish.

Chamber Of Commerce Elects Officers, Begins Planning Second Annual Follies

WAYNESBURG - Officers were elected, a new bookkeeping system explained, and the dates for the second follies show announced during a luncheon meeting Wednesday of the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce board of directors.

Elected as board officers were John Loeper, president; Betty Long, vice president; Jack Smith, secretary; and Joseph Ottoviani, treasurer.

Thomas Milinovich, of Milinovich and Co. Inc., explained a new bookkeeping system he established working with the chamber's executive secretary, Linda Nalitz. The system was revised because the chamber plans to change its financial operations to a calendar year from its current fiscal year which ends in October. Milinovich donated his time for the system upgrading.

He said the new system will be easier to use and provide more information on receipts and disbursements of not only the general fund but special project accounts. "It also is expandable and allows for accounting

Files Suit Against Vo-Tech School

WAYNESBURG - The Greene County Vocational-Technical School, one of its teachers and four former students have been named defendants in a lawsuit brought by a former student who claims he suffered permanent injuries in a hazing incident.

James R. Robison Jr. of Clarksville R.D.1 filed the action in Greene County Court Tuesday. The complaint states that on Sept. 28, 1982, he was being hazed by four students when he grabbed hold of the edge of a metal table. When his hands were torn loose by the boys, it states, he suffered multiple lacerations with the result that he will never have full use of his hands.

The action, asking damages in excess of \$10,000, names the four students as Richard Bartholomew of Brave, Charles Cumberledge of Brave, Larry Paugh of Mt. Morris and Mark Brewer of Brave.

The school itself and Frank Bartos of Masontown, teacher of the class in which the incident occurred, are named as co-defendants on the grounds that they were negligent in not providing proper security to the plaintiff.

of projects and funds that made be added to the budget," Milinovich said.

Loeper said the chamber has compiled information for a worthless-check guide to be distributed to its members.

Betty Long reported that plans for the second follies show to be co-sponsored by the chamber and Greene County Memorial Hospital are well underway.

Dates for this year's follies will be Friday, Sept. 27 through Sunday, Sept. 29, at Waynesburg Central High School. The dates include evening performances Friday and Saturday with Sunday being an afternoon show.

"We have kept the ticket and advertising prices the same," Mrs. Long said. "The patrons cost will also remain the same but special friends will be increased to \$40 but will include two free tickets."

Prices will be \$4 per persons with children under six years old being admitted free. People wanting to work on various committees are still needed as well as talent for the show.

The chamber has not designated how it will use its share of last year's

follies show profits other than it would be to benefit the community. All chamber services are offered free. Greene County Memorial Hospital used its share of the proceeds to furnish a community room.

Loeper said a vote would be taken during the chamber's general membership meeting later this month on changing the general membership meetings from monthly to quarterly because of poor attendance.

Divorces Granted

WAYNESBURG - Three final decrees in divorce were handed down Monday by Greene County Court:

Katherine Louise Miller Cobert, Carmichaels, from Robert Dwane Cobert, Denton, Texas. They were married March 5, 1965. There are no children.

Phillip L. Gideon, Carmichaels R.D.1, from Debra DeVault Gideon, Carmichaels. They were married Sept. 29, 1973, and have one child.

John Kenneth Staggers, Graysville R.D.1, from Debra Lynn Yeager Staggers, Waynesburg R.D.5. They were married April 22, 1975, and have four children.

AROUND TOWN

By THE STAFF

The first trial involving suspects in the on-going drug investigation in Waynesburg Borough will probably begin March 18. The defendants, John Balsamo, Dave Smitley and Robert Berryman have been charged with a variety of offenses including criminal conspiracy.

Marine Cpl. David D. Hugo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Hugo of Brave, recently reported for duty with the 2nd Marine Division at Camp Lejeune, N.C. He is a 1981 graduate of Trinity High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Sayers Baily have recently returned home following an extended cruise through the Caribbean. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rohanna Jr., also of Waynesburg, are on a cruise that will terminate in Cancun, Mexico and will be vacationing for several weeks.

Robin Lee Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Waynesburg, has been selected to appear at the Jamboree in the Hills, a country western extravaganza to be held July 20-21 near Wheeling. She is a junior at Waynesburg College.

Scores of people drove by a burning mobile home this past weekend and never turned in an alarm. They were so accustomed to seeing old tires or junk burning in the lot, they assumed there was no cause for alarm. The lot is located behind Vandruff's tractor sales in the Morrisville section of Franklin Township.

County residents finally got to enjoy the sunshine and warmer weather when they awoke Monday morning. However, the dirty snow and cinder-littered roads are still depressing. Sunday was almost as nice as many drivers crowded the car washes to rinse off salt and cinders.

Robin Roberts has been named office manager of the Observer-Reporter. A 10-year employee, he has been a sports writer, reporter and advertising salesman during his tenure in the Washington Street office of your favorite newspaper.

The county office building was a busy place Monday as political candidates scrambled to get their nominating petitions. Tuesday was the first day to begin circulating the petitions for judge, sheriff, coroner, councilman, tax collector, jury commissioner and township supervisor and constable.

Tim Hawfield, chief of the Waynesburg Police Department, was called home to Washington, D.C. last week because of the illness of his mother.

public records

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

Cumberland Township
Consolidation Coal Co. to Scott R. Donaldson, Cumberland Township, lot, \$1,000.
Mike and Martina P. Watona, Carmichaels, to William B. and Jane Ann Descutner, Nemaacolin, house and lot, Nemaacolin, \$30,500.

Dunkard Township
Consolidation Coal Co. to Target Industries, Uniontown, 712 acres Sewickley Coal, \$1.5 million.

Franklin Township
Dorothy Webb Phillips, Waynesburg, to James G. and Dorothy G. Winters, Waynesburg, house and lot, Morrisville, \$11,000.

Greene Township
Consolidation Coal Co. to Fred C. and Elizabeth R. Black, 6.8 acres, \$4,200.

Wayne Township
Perry and Helen W. Moore, Pine Bank R.D.1, to Consolidation Coal Co., 1.5 acres Pittsburgh Coal, \$1,000.



Re-elected as officers of the Greater Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce board of directors were, from left, Joseph Ottoviani, treasurer; Jack Smith, secretary; Betty Long, vice president; and John Loeper, president.

Jackets Put On A Class Act In Victory

By Tom Rose, O-R Sports Editor

WAYNESBURG — This is how the game is supposed to be played. A fine mix of speed and strategy. Some sizzling shooting and sound defense.

And a scintillating ending, one that would send the participants and spectators shaking their heads, emotionally drained.

This is usually how Waynesburg and Point Park colleges play basketball, and Monday night's crucial NAIA District 18 meeting here was hardly the exception.

Utilizing a delay offense, a key blocked shot, and some clutch foul shooting, Waynesburg took a giant step toward clinching the No. 1 seed in the upcoming district playoffs with a 69-63 victory over the Point Park Pioneers.

The Yellow Jackets, now 12-2 in the district and 18-4 overall, need only one victory in their final two games of the season — Wednesday (7:30 p.m.) here against Alliance or Saturday at Pitt-Bradford — to clinch the top seed through the league's tiebreaking procedure.

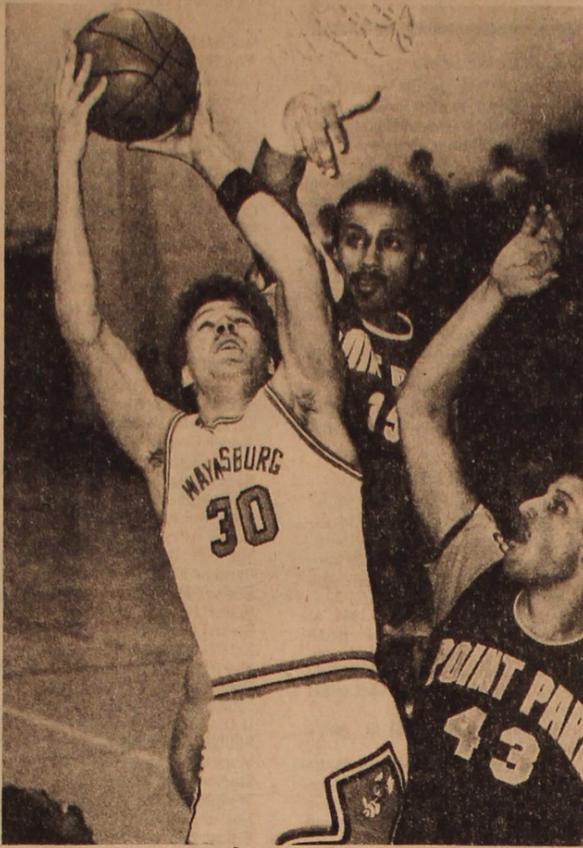
And they were well aware of the importance.

"Tonight we may have been playing for first place in the district, it was that important," Waynesburg head coach Rudy Marisa said, explaining the tiebreaking possibilities. "That's what it all boiled down to."

In the end it boiled down to Waynesburg's ability to protect the basketball while running a control offense with a two-point lead in the final three minutes of play.

Senior Paul Stanley, who shared team honors with Harold Hamlin by scoring 21 points, broke a 59-59 tie on a driving layup with 3:29 left and when Point Park's scoring machine Wes Correa mistired on an off-balance 15-footer, the Yellow Jackets called on their familiar delay game in an effort to run out the clock.

Point Park, now 8-6 in the district and 9-15 overall, applied only token



Paul Stanley (30) of Waynesburg tries to shoot around Point Park's Kelly Randolph (back) and Rick Condo (43).

pressure to the Jackets, despite having three fouls to give before sending Waynesburg to the foul line for one-and-one tries.

"I was very surprised," Waynesburg point guard Tim McConnell said.

"By waiting longer the referees knew by then they were in a desperate situation and it's an automatic foul."

Point Park finally sent the Jackets to the foul line with only 1:26 left, and Hamlin was perfect on both shots for



Point Park's Randy Smith (45) tries to block a shot by the Jackets' Harold Hamlin Monday night at College Gym.

a 63-59 edge.

Twenty seconds later Hamlin let his presence known on the defensive end of the court, as he came out of the Jacket zone to block a shot by Point Park's Bob Matrascia. McConnell

was fouled a few seconds later, and suddenly the Jacket lead was six points and Point Park coach Jerry Conboy was a picture of disappointment.

"In this kind of game, whoever

gets up in the last three or four minutes sets the tempo," Conboy said. "I thought when we came down with a chance to tie that Wes was fouled, but sometimes you get that call and sometimes you don't."

"And then Matrascia got a little over-anxious and tried that shot. That was a key play down at the end. It's a shame, we shot well and played well. But they did too... it was just a great basketball game."

The Pioneers had one more scare left in them, as Correa hit a soft eight-foot jumper and then followed up on a turnover with 21 seconds left to play with a jumper from the foul line. But Waynesburg center Don Crawford hit a pair of one-and-one free throws with eight seconds left to quash the Pioneers' final rally.

"We did not execute our game plan as much as we wanted to, but that's OK," Marisa said of Waynesburg play to mix a helter-skelter fast break with a slowdown offense to keep the Pioneers off-balance. "We won this game on heart and intensity. Both teams shot extremely well and for us to come out on top, well, we have to feel awfully good about it."

Stanley, who now has 1,748 career points, moved within 72 of the school leader Kevin Bealko with his effort. Theron Hogue added 10 while Crawford and McConnell each had eight important points.

Correa led all players with 24 points while teammate Randy Smith had 17.

"The coach told us that he felt 95 percent sure that if we could win tonight, we could be first in the district, that we could take care of business in our last two games," McConnell said. "That's not saying our last two games are going to be easy, we're in first place right now and everybody's coming after us, but we want to host all our games in the playoffs and we had to win tonight to be able to do that."

"With the support and following we get here, we want to play at home."

Pioneers Await More Surprises

By Denise Bachman, O-R Sports Staff

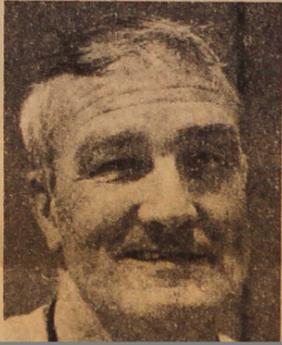
Although Buzz Walters has been in this business for quite some time now, even he has to marvel at the latest feat of the West Greene High School wrestling team.

The Pioneers have defied the critics, gaining a wild-card berth in the upcoming WPIAL Class A

tensive experience.

"We had really been inexperienced," Walters said. "After a slow start the kids started to come around. I think it's a tribute to the team that they've done as well as they have. Everybody was writing us off because of the inexperience."

West Greene will travel to Fort Cherry, the Section 8 champion and



McConnell Sinks Westminster

By John Barker, O-R Sports Staff

WAYNESBURG — Westminster College head coach Ron Galbreath, who has coached a few championship teams in his time, was discussing the qualities of a great basketball team in a post-game interview Wednesday night.

After each point he gave an example using a player from Waynesburg's team. The final aspect was the ability to perform in the clutch.

He sounded a bit like a sage because after 40 minutes of thrilling

"I expect that out of Tim," Waynesburg head coach Rudy Marisa said. "I think he is the best point guard in the district. He's got experience and poise, and personally I think he's an excellent shooter despite the fact he has made his mark as an assist man."

McConnell, who plays with incredible intensity, credits Marisa with much of his improvement. "I give Coach Marisa all of the credit," said McConnell, who finished with eight points. "He showed patience with me and worked with me on my

The Jackets, behind Stanley's hot shooting, jumped to a 10-point lead and held on to keep a tie at halftime, 33-33. The second half was much closer with Waynesburg, now 16-4 overall, gaining the biggest advantage of four points.

Harold Hamlin, who carried the Jackets in spurts, finished with 21 points while Stanley had 18. Ward led Westminster with 12 points while Kevin Ried and Rich Kunselman added 10 each.

"I thought Waynesburg got off to an excellent start," said Galbreath.

Greene County Obituaries

Warren E. Widdup

Warren E. Widdup, 60, of 213 Willow Road, Waynesburg, died at 12:25 a.m. Saturday, February 16, 1985, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va., following an illness of six weeks.

He was born April 18, 1924, at Sandy Plains, a son of the late Dawson and Anna Sprout Widdup. His wife, Sarah Ann Auld Widdup whom he married March 28, 1947, survives.

Mr. Widdup had lived most of his life in the Waynesburg Area. He was a bus driver for Greyhound Lines for 30 years and in 1963 founded Midtown Auto Sales, Waynesburg, of which he was an owner and partner until 1979.

Mr. Widdup was a veteran of World War II serving in the U.S. Air Force in the Pacific Theater of war. He was a member of B.P.O. Elks Lodge 757, Waynesburg, Amalgamated Transit Union Local 1063, and a former member of Waynesburg VFW Post 4793. He was affiliated with the First Church of the Nazarene, Waynesburg.

Surviving in addition to his wife, Sarah Ann Widdup, are one daughter, Mrs. Donald A. (Linda) Moon, of Waynesburg; two grandchildren, Stacie and Timothy Moon; three sisters, Mrs. Bryan (Louise) Jacobs and Mrs. William (Jean) Hamilton, both of Waynesburg, and Mrs. Ralph (Madeline) Hampson, of LaVale, Md.; one brother, Howard Widdup, of Waynesburg; two half-sisters, Mrs. James (Carolyn) Brothers, of Kent, Ohio; and Mrs. Jack (Shelda) Bryan, of Waynesburg; one half-brother, Richard Widdup, of Holbrook; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased is one sister, Ruth Tennant.

Pete Evosirch

Pete Evosirch, 63, of House 626, Teagarden Plan, Clarksville, died at 4:45 a.m. Sunday, February 17, 1985, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was born December 29, 1921, in Westmoreland County, a son of the late Michael and Sara Stetanovich Evosirch. On December 7, 1942, he married Mary Stuchal, who survives.

Mr. Evosirch had lived most of his life in Greene County. He had been employed as an electrical maintenance man for the Humphrey Mine of Consolidation Coal Co. He was a veteran of World War II serving with the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Evosirch was a member of the Carmichaels Christian Church and UMWA Local 1058.

Surviving in addition to his wife, Sara Evosirch, are one daughter, Mrs. Ronald (Suzanne) Swinchock, of Jefferson; one son, Peter A. Evosirch, of Rices Landing R.D.1; three grandchildren; four sisters, Dorothy Orell, of Erwin, Ann Doshen, of Westmoreland City, Anna Coughenour, of Elizabeth, and Mary Karich, of Waynesburg; and four brothers, Michael, of Jefferson, Eli, of Oxford, Nick, of Mather, and Rudy, of Clarksville.

Deceased are one daughter, Margaret, and two sisters, Mildred Kravets, and Catherine Retus.

Cletis R. Evans

Cletis R. (Happy) Evans, 81, of Cameron R.D.5, West Virginia, died Tuesday, February 12, 1985, in the Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glendale, W. Va.

He was born April 22, 1903, in Marshall County, W. Va., a son of James and Evelyn Elliott Evans.

Mr. Evans was a retired glassworker from the Rodefer-Gleason Glass Co. of Bellaire, Ohio.

He was a member of the Church of Christ of Cameron.

His wife, Gladys Mae Jones Evans, died in 1963.

Surviving are three sons, Edgar Howard, Harry Edward and Wilbur Randolph Evans, all of Cameron; two daughters, Muriel McCombs of Fairmont, W. Va., Relda Lee Evans of Cameron; 15 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and two brothers, Walter Eugene and Willard Evans, also of Cameron.

Deceased are two infant daughters; two grandsons, and five sisters, Erma Tennant, Gladys Reynolds, Mary Stern, Velma Evans and Audrey Evans.

Milio P. Bricchetti

Milio P. Bricchetti, 72, of Clarksville, died Tuesday, February 12, 1985, at 5:45 p.m., in University Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va., following a long illness.

He was born August 3, 1912, in Clarksville, a son of John and Filomena Tomasi Bricchetti.

On July 25, 1945, he married Evelyn Fountain Bricchetti, who survives.

Mr. Bricchetti was a retired coal miner from the Gateway Mine and a member of UMWA Gateway Local 6330.

He lived all of his life in Clarksville, where he was an active member of the Clarksville Volunteer Fire Co. He had served with the U.S. Coast Guard during World War II, from 1941-45.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. George (Dorina) Trout, Mrs. Margaret Shulsky, both of Clarksville; a brother, Italo Bricchetti of Clarksville; and several nieces and nephews.

Harley Swart

Harley Swart, 90, of Sycamore R.D.1, died Thursday, February 14, 1985, at 5 p.m., in his residence.

He was born January 2, 1895, in Richhill Township, a son of James H. and Nancy Scott Swart.

On April 15, 1918, he married Mary A. Jenkins, who died February 22, 1967.

Mr. Swart was a vocational-agriculture teacher at Waynesburg High School for 33 years, retiring in 1955. He was one of the earliest v-o-g teachers in this part of the state and had also been active in judging stock for his students, in 4-H clubs and in the Future Farmers of America.

He graduated from Penn State College and had previously taught in Richhill Township and in Allegheny County. In addition, he was a farmer for many years and had at one time operated a retail milk route in Waynesburg.

Mr. Swart was a veteran of World War I, having served in France with Company K, 110th Infantry Regiment of the 28th Division.

He was a member of the James Farrell Post 330 of the American Legion, the East Franklin Grange 1709, and the Enon Baptist Church.

Many years ago he helped to organize the Greene County Farm Bureau Cooperative Association and had served as a director of the Pennsylvania Farm Bureau Cooperative Association and secretary of the county bureau.

Surviving are two sons, Dr. George H. Swart of Pittsburgh, Harold W. Swart of Waynesburg R.D.4; two grandchildren, Mrs. Wayne (Kathy) Pepper of Johnstown, Christopher Swart of Pittsburgh; two great-grandchildren, Matthew and Amanda Pepper of Johnstown; a brother, Charles M. Swart of Wheeling, W. Va.; and a sister, Mrs. Vada Schade of Houston, Tx.

Deceased is a son, Dr. James Hobart Swart, and a sister, Leanna Swihart.

Luella Baily McNay

Luella Baily McNay, 63, of 10523 Montrose Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland, died at 12:10 a.m., Tuesday, February 12, 1985, in Suburban Hospital, Bethesda, after suffering a heart attack the day before.

She was born May 28, 1921, in Carmichaels, a daughter of the late Frank M. and Bernice Cleavenger Baily.

Mrs. McNay had spent her early life in Carmichaels, and had resided several years in Waynesburg. She had spent the last 26 years in Bethesda.

She had been employed by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare as a grant assistant, retiring in 1982 after 20 years of service. She was a member of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church.

Her husband, Harry A. (Pete) McNay, died May 29, 1977.

Surviving are the following children: Lewis McNay of New Kensington, Deanne M. Esken of Columbus, Ohio, Earl Corbly McNay and Jane A. McNay, both of Bethesda; six grandchildren; and three brothers, M. Morris Baily of Sun City Center, Fla., Arthur L. Baily of Natrona Heights, J. Edgar Baily of Roanoke, Va.

Mary Z. Stajnrach

Mary Zadel Stajnrach, 84, of Carmichaels R.D.2, died Wednesday morning, February 13, 1985, in Greene County Memorial Hospital, following an extended illness.

She was born September 1, 1900, in Yugoslavia, a daughter of Matt and Gertrude Zurgevic Zadel.

Her husband, Ignac Stajnrach, died in 1957.

Mrs. Stajnrach had resided for the last 37 years in Carmichaels where she was a member of the St. Hugh Roman Catholic Church.

Surviving are two sons, Joseph Stajnrach of Carmichaels, Anthony Stajnrach of Irwin; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Valencheck of Mason-town, Mrs. Carl (Mitzi) Dulaney of Midland R.D.1; 14 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Deceased are three sons, Marion, Sylvester and James.

Services will be held Saturday in Carmichaels.

Blake B. Huffman

Blake Blair Huffman, 82, of 1015 East High Street, Waynesburg, died in Greene County Memorial Hospital at 6:40 a.m. Monday, February 18, 1985 after an illness of 10 months.

He was born December 29, 1902 at Waynesburg, a daughter of Charles B. and Florence Brown Blair. She had resided at Waynesburg all her life with the exception of nine years during which she resided at Orlando, Fla.

Mrs. Huffman attend the Mt. Ida School at Boston, Mass. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Twentieth Century Club of Waynesburg, and Emerald Chapter 135, Order of Eastern Star.

Surviving are her husband, G. Conrad Huffman, whom she married April 2, 1923; two sons, Dr. Charles R. Huffman and G. Conrad Huffman Jr., both of Waynesburg; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Louise B. Howard of Waynesburg, and a brother, Dr. Albert J. Blair of Margate, Fla.

Edyth L. Hamilton

Edyth L. McNeely Hamilton, 90, of Mentor-On-The Lake, Ohio, formerly of Greene County, died Thursday, January 31, 1985, in the Western Reserve Convalescent Home in Kirtland, Ohio following a brief illness.

She was born August 17, 1894, in Waynesburg to Stephen and Lucy Knight McNeely.

Her husband, the late Rev. William S. Hamilton who died in 1970, served Methodist churches in Dunbar, Connellsville and Braddock.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Bill (Ruth) Conn of Braddock; two sons, Allan of Mentor-On-The Lake, Ohio and Wayne of Sarasota, Fla.; 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Also deceased are four brothers, Henry, James, Ray and Furman and two sisters, Harriet McNeely Scott and Mollie McNeely Corwin.

Services were held at the 4th Street Methodist Church in North Braddock on Monday, February 4 with interment at Monongahela Cemetery, Braddock Hills.

Margaret V. Butcho

Margaret V. (Maggie) Butcho, 56, Greensboro R.D.1, died Sunday, February 17, 1985 in Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio.

She was born October 29, 1929 in Greensboro, a daughter of the late Phillip and Maggie Gary Vannicola. She was a graduate of Mapletown High School and resided all her life in Greene County. She was a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church at Greensboro.

Surviving are her husband, James Butcho; a daughter, Mrs. Lonnie (Linda) Benford of Greensboro; a son, Phil (Butchie) Butcho of Greensboro, a grandson, P.J. Butcho, and a brother, Ernest Vannicola of Greensboro.

Mary J. Phillips

Mary J. Phillips, 77, of 6329 Oakridge Drive, Alexandria, Va., a former resident of Mt. Morris, died after a long illness at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, February 14, 1985 in the Alexandria Hospital.

She was born June 23, 1907 in West Virginia, a daughter of the late Edward G. and Cora Wade Goodrich. Her husband, Francis L. Phillips, died September 7, 1965.

Mrs. Phillips was employed until her retirement by the U.S. government, working as a clerk in the Department of the Army. She was a member of the Church of the Nazarene at Alexandria.

Surviving are a son, Kenneth E. Phillips of Alexandria; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. Cecil Hungerford of Silver Springs, Md.

Myra W. Staggers

Myra W. Staggers, 73, of 101 Rockefeller Lane, Saint Peters, Mo., died at 11 a.m. Saturday, February 16, 1985, in her home following a long illness.

She was born December 23, 1911, at Patterson, Mo., a daughter of the late Joel and Minnie Williams Westmoreland. On October 19, 1946, she married Charles J. Staggers who survives.

Mrs. Staggers retired in 1980 following 25 years as a federal government civil servant. She was a Baptist. Mrs. Staggers had spent her early life in Missouri, resided for 30 years in Arlington, Va., 14 years in California, and following her retirement returned to Missouri. During her travel, she and her husband had stayed in the home of his sister, Mary Lemley, of Mt. Morris Star Route, Waynesburg.

Surviving are one sister, Rhoda Harrison, of Piedmont, Mo.; and one brother, Roy E. Wilkinson, of San Diego, Ca.

Deceased are one son, James Ruhben Doolin, and two brothers, John D. and Ruhben Wilkinson.

John H. Sauers

John H. Sauers Sr., 70, of 508 East George Street, Carmichaels, died at 12:45 p.m. Monday, February 18, 1985, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was a son of the late Ernest G. and Isa Henry Sauers and was born March 22, 1914, at Oliver No. 1, Fayette County.

He was a retired miner who had been employed by the Crucible Fuel Co.

Mr. Sauers was a former chief of the Crucible Volunteer Fire Company and was a member of Dilworth Local 1980, United Mine Workers of America. He had resided for 17 years in the Arlington, Va., area and was a member of the Fairlington Presbyterian Church in Arlington.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy Broderick Sauers; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Janice) Arameish of Crucible; three sons, Davitt E. Sauers, at home, John H. Sauers Jr. of Wheaton, Md. and William F. Sauers of Crucible; 10 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two brothers, William F. Sauers of Beaver Meadows and Ernest G. Sauers of Rices Landing R.D.1, and a sister, Mrs. Melvin (Catherine) Kozich of Rices Landing.

A sister, Helen Sprague, is deceased. Another sister, Margaret, died in infancy.

Toisa F. Morris

Toisa F. Morris, 88, Jefferson R.D.1, died at 7:10 p.m. Sunday, February 17, 1985 in Greene County Memorial Hospital after an illness of six months.

She was born August 6, 1896 in West Virginia, a daughter of Aaron and Louise Hixenbaugh Morris, and had resided most of her life at Jefferson. Her husband, Reed Morris, died in 1979.

Mrs. Morris had been employed for many years as a housekeeper at Waynesburg College. She was a member of the Jefferson Nazarene Church, where she was the oldest charter member, and was also a member of Filer-Sadlek Unit 954, American Legion Auxiliary, at Jefferson.

William McDonald

William Samuel McDonald, 40, of 3311 Martha Custis Drive, Alexandria, Va., formerly of Waynesburg, died at 4:15 a.m. Saturday, February 16, 1985, in his home. Death was from an apparent heart attack.

He was born October 7, 1944, at Waynesburg, a son of Ruth Throckmorton McDonald, of Alexandria, Va., who survives, and the late James E. McDonald. Mr. McDonald had never married.

He was a member of St. Ann's Church, Waynesburg.

Mr. McDonald had served with the U.S. Merchant Marines from 1966 until 1975. Since 1975 he has made his home with his mother while working in Alexandria, Va.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Jacqueline Camp, of Walnut Creek, Calif., and Mrs. Geraldine Hebert, of Clearwater, Fla.

Deceased is one brother, James P. McDonald.

E. Glenn Shultz

E. Glenn Shultz, 68, of Waynesburg R.D.6 (Morrisville), died at 6:45 p.m. Saturday, February 16, 1985, in McKeesport Hospital, McKeesport, following a long illness.

He was born November 5, 1916, at Waynesburg, a son of the late George T. and Lucy Ketchum Shultz. Mr. Shultz had never married.

He had lived all his life in the Waynesburg area. He was a veteran of World War II serving with the U.S. Army in the European Theater of war. He had been employed for several years by Franklin Township.

Mr. Shultz was a Protestant. Surviving are five sisters, Mrs. Edith Kelley, Mrs. Margaret Brown, Mrs. Hazel Morris, Mrs. Inez Orndoff, and Mrs. Hilda Haines, all of Waynesburg; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are four brothers, Ralph, Morris, Floyd, and Harold Shultz.

L. Pearl Cramer

L. Pearl Gwynn Cramer, 68, Spring Grove, Pa., a native of Greene County, died Sunday evening, February 10, 1985 in the York Hospital.

She was born February 5, 1917 in Jefferson Township, a daughter of the late Remembrance and Lana Gwynn. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Carlisle.

Surviving are her husband, John J. Cramer; four sons, Jerry R. Cramer and Thomas L. Cramer, both of Sugar Grove, Howard L. Cramer of York and Harold G. Cramer of Mount Wolf; 10 grandchildren; three brothers, Thomas Gwynn of Jefferson, Floyd Gwynn of Waynesburg and Jesse Gwynn of Jefferson R.D.1, and three sisters, Martha G. Gwynn of Jefferson, Edna Fuller of Waynesburg and Sara Reynolds of Carmichaels R.D.1.

Nancy Helmick

Nancy Jane Helmick, 86, of Carmichaels, died Saturday, February 16, 1985, in Uniontown Hospital.

She was born October 31, 1898, at Ohiopyle, a daughter of Alfred and Rose Hixon Kennedy.

She had resided in Carmichaels for the past 65 years and had been self-employed as a seamstress for several years. She was a member of the Women Auxiliary to the Carmichaels V.F.W. post.

Surviving are a son, William Helmick Jr. of Carmichaels; two daughters, Marcine McMinn of Carmichaels and Nancy McOsker of Newark, Ohio; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two brothers, Alfred and Frank Kennedy of Uniontown, and a half-sister, Mildred Barclay of North Canton, Ohio.

Her husband, William Helmick, died in 1972.

A daughter, Delores McLaughlin; two brothers and a sister are deceased.

Helen Brush

Friends have received word of the death in Florida of Helen Brush, a former resident of Jefferson, who died Monday, January 14, 1985.

Mrs. Brush was the widow of the Rev. Edwin Brush, a former pastor of the Jefferson Baptist Church. They later served as missionaries to India and the Rev. Brush served as a minister at Washington following their return to the United States.

She is survived by a daughter, Frances Schillinger, in Florida; two sons, John Bush, in New Jersey, and Stanley Bush, in Connecticut, and a sister, Jean, in Florida.

hospital register

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Charles Campbell, Waynesburg
Harold Tharp, Waynesburg
Lea Eggers, Waynesburg
Robert Phillips, Carmichaels
Edith Cain, Waynesburg
Deborah Lough, Nineveh
Wanda Vitek, Waynesburg
Geovanna Conti, Clarksville
Frances Bihun, Waynesburg
Wilbur Grooms, Carmichaels
Joseph Yanak, Carmichaels
Mary Hardisty, Waynesburg
Shirley Mahle, Waynesburg
Katherine LaRose, Carmichaels
Mabel Schneider, Waynesburg
George Leonard, Waynesburg

DISCHARGES

Susan Lawrence and son, Carmichaels
Sara Taylor, Waynesburg
Joseph Cooper, Clarksville
Aldene Almon, Waynesburg
Nancy Neighly, Rices Landing
Martin Murin, New Freeport
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Margaret Brown, Waynesburg
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LEGAL AD
Application will be made to the Court for Amendment of the Charter of Incorporation by the Carmichaels Sportsmen's Club on February 22, 1985 to add "The promotion of shooting sports, hunter safety and rights of fire arms owners" to the purposes of Article II, and the adoption of a new Article XI as follows: "All properties and buildings of Carmichaels Sportsmen's Club cannot be sold, bargained, bartered, traded or disposed of in any manner, except by notification of all club members and publication of intent in two (2) major newspapers serving the Greene County area for a period of not less than (6) business days and majority vote of membership and confirmation."
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EXECUTRICES NOTICES
Estate of LUTHER R. COLE late of Washington Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.
CORNIE FRANCES PYLE R. D. #1 Box 94 Waynesburg, Pa. 15370 ADMINISTRATRIX
John W. Hardisty Attorney 2-8, 15, 22

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Nick Savane of Clarksville Borough Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters of administration having been granted by the Register of Wills in and for Greene County, Pennsylvania, on the estate of the above named decedent, to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to make known the same; and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment without delay to
WILLIAM R. NALITZ, Esquire, 1377 Whitley Road, Stronoville, Ohio 44136 ADMINISTRATOR
James Hook, Esquire P. O. Box 792 Waynesburg, Pa. 15370 Attorney 2-8, 15, 22

NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given as required by Act 295 of 1982 of intention to file in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania on the 21st day of February, 1985, an application for the registration of a fictitious name located in Greene County, Pennsylvania under the name, style or designation "Greene County Beer Distributors" with its principal place of business at Main Street, Mt. Morris, Perry Township, Greene County, Pennsylvania. The names and addresses of all persons who are interested in the business are Jare F. Peclak and Lois S. Peclak, both of R.D.#4, Waynesburg, Pennsylvania. WILLIAM R. NALITZ, Esquire, SALTERS, KING, KEENER & NALITZ, 77 South Washington Street Waynesburg, Pa. 15370 2-22; 3-1, 8

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of F. Lemley late of Waynesburg Borough Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement.
JAMES M. RIZOR R. D. 2, New Freeport, Pa. 15352 Executor
Pollock, Pollock & Thomas Attorneys 2-15, 22; 3-1

ADMISSIONS

Mildred Kiger, Waynesburg
John Hougland, Waynesburg
Charles Campbell, Waynesburg
Harold Tharp, Waynesburg
Lea Eggers, Waynesburg
Robert Phillips, Carmichaels
Edith Cain, Waynesburg
Deborah Lough, Nineveh
Wanda Vitek, Waynesburg
Geovanna Conti, Clarksville
Frances Bihun, Waynesburg
Wilbur Grooms, Carmichaels
Joseph Yanak, Carmichaels
Mary Hardisty, Waynesburg
Shirley Mahle, Waynesburg
Katherine LaRose, Carmichaels
Mabel Schneider, Waynesburg
George Leonard, Waynesburg

DISCHARGES

Susan Lawrence and son, Carmichaels
Sara Taylor, Waynesburg
Joseph Cooper, Clarksville
Aldene Almon, Waynesburg
Nancy Neighly, Rices Landing
Martin Murin, New Freeport
Mary Wolfe, Greensboro
Daniel Wiley, Waynesburg
Margaret Brown, Waynesburg
Caroline Franzek, Nemaconin
Edward Michalik, Carmichaels
Rachel Dugan, Nemaconin
Glenn Chambers, West Finley
Estella Abraham, Rices Landing
Mary Mitchell, Spraggs
Donna Duval, Waynesburg
John Urban, Crucible
Lottie Ullom, Waynesburg
William Clark, Waynesburg
Mary Cummings, Clarksville
Stacie Moon, Waynesburg
Joseph Yanak, Carmichaels
Homer Farabee, Rices Landing
Emma Fordyce, New Freeport
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Hattie Yeager, Waynesburg
Levina Lemley, Jefferson
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LEGAL AD
Application will be made to the Court for Amendment of the Charter of Incorporation by the Carmichaels Sportsmen's Club on February 22, 1985 to add "The promotion of shooting sports, hunter safety and rights of fire arms owners" to the purposes of Article II, and the adoption of a new Article XI as follows: "All properties and buildings of Carmichaels Sportsmen's Club cannot be sold, bargained, bartered, traded or disposed of in any manner, except by notification of all club members and publication of intent in two (2) major newspapers serving the Greene County area for a period of not less than (6) business days and majority vote of membership and confirmation."
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EXECUTRICES NOTICES
Estate of LUTHER R. COLE late of Washington Township Greene County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated, for settlement



Greene Honor Roll

Waynesburg Central High School

WAYNESBURG — The honor roll for the first semester at Waynesburg Central High School has been announced:

SENIORS

Highest Honors — Natalie Braddock, Paula Cole, Felino Cruz, Maggie Faulkner, Doug Fisher, Marcia Hilverding, Charles Shriver, Tracy Walls, Donald Williams.

High Honors — Marsha Bussey, Michelle Bussey, Rhonda Calvert, Rebecca Hawk, Susan Headley, Darcy Hoskinson, Charles Lemley, Karl Main, Troy Milliken, Amy Osso, Lisa Rogers.

Honors — Mary Redosh...

Honors — Dawn Basinger, Melodie Butler, Beth Day, Lori Eder, Russell Guthrie, Rebecca Hall, Gina Koller, Charles Matish, Dristan Powell, Ronald Shaffer, Scott Smereczniak.

FRESHMEN

High Honors — Carla Johnson, Jess Murphy, Michelle Policz, Amy Roberts, Pamela Zemba.

Honors — James Barnish, David Crobett, Wilbur Hetrick, Pamela Iams, Tammi Kino, Kelly Robinson, Linda Rogers, Lori Schifko, Tracey Shaw, Christy Whyte, Tonya Wilson.

EIGHTH GRADE

Highest Honors — Julie Patrick.
High Honors — Dolores Blossnich, Kim

Shelly Rhodes, Laurie Roberts, Jane Rush, Tami Straight, David Thomas and Terry Thompson.

SEVENTH GRADE

HIGHEST HONORS — Amy Anderson, Danny Church, Megan Cleveland, Shane Cumberland, Pratik Desai, David Gardner, Mary Haloda, Dana Lynch, Cassy McDonald, Heather Oldham, Craig Tewell, John Varner and Melanie Zimmerman.

HIGH HONORS — Jenny Coss, Susan Faddis, Chris Hawk, Craig Headlee, Jenny Jeffries, Joe Kijowski, Doug Nichols, Allison Nixdorf, Michelle Nutter, Jodi Price, Shellee Stephenson and Jeannine Thyreen.

HONORS — Lena Beard, David Beiter, Debbie Bowers, Kelly Gifford, Reuben

Nursing Program, New Rec Center 1984 College Highlights

WAYNESBURG — Initial approval of the nursing program by the Pennsylvania State Board of Nurse Examiners and the opening of the new recreation center highlighted 1984 at Waynesburg College.

In addition, 1984 was a year of strengthening several programs, developing new programs and efforts and improving enrollments.

Early in 1984, the state Board of Nurse Examiners gave its initial approval to the college to offer a four-year degree program in nursing that will lead to a bachelor of science in nursing degree. The program, under the direction of Dr. Cathy Malloy, emphasizes the commitment of Waynesburg College to prepare nurses to respond to the changing health-care environment.

Dr. Malloy, who developed the curriculum and program, said the increasing complexity of health care, expansion of health-care delivery systems and changes in reimbursement for health-care services have changed the role of the professional nurse.

"The Waynesburg College program is designed to prepare men and women who will be competent at using sophisticated technological and interpersonal skills," she said. "The college program offers nursing students a broad background in the liberal arts, including both natural and behavioral science courses, as the foundation for the nursing major."

Dr. Sue Perdew, an associate professor in the Department of Nursing, said the curriculum offers courses in nursing theory and nursing skills as well as opportunities for practical experience in a variety of settings.

She pointed out, "Clinical practice is not limited to hospitals alone, but includes practice in the patient's home, industry, in hospices, nursing home and the community at-large."

Objectives for the program include opportunities for students to practice skills in management of patient care and in patient-education. In addition, students in the nursing department participate in community activities designed to improve health care.

As the program in the nursing department has grown, a part of the Paul R. Stewart Science Building has been renovated to accommodate a learning center and a learning laboratory.

Another major change at the col-

lege was the completion of the new recreation center. The center, used for intercollegiate sports for the first time in January, is the result of more than five years of fund-raising efforts.

In phase one, the existing college gym, built in the early 1930s, was renovated. New lockerrooms for men and women, new training facilities, a remodeled lobby and new doors and windows were part of the renovation of the old gym.

Phase two, the construction of an exterior shell of a new recreation center, was started with a groundbreaking ceremony in the fall of 1982. Exterior work was finished during the 1982-83 school year.

Phase three, the completion of the interior of the new facility, was launched when the board of trustees felt a sufficiently large financial commitment was made toward the estimated \$263,000 cost of completing the building. A ribbon-cutting to mark the end of phase three was held as a part of the college's homecoming 1984 festivities Oct. 6.

The recreation center project cost an estimated \$1.6 million, with alumni, friends of the college, businesses, corporations and other organizations providing the funds.

"We have been able to complete this building project without taking on additional long-term debt, and without cutting other programs," Dr. Mills said. "At the same time, we must remember that the board of trustees and the college family went ahead with the recreation center because of the large number of pledges made to the project."

"It is particularly important, now that the building is open and in use, that all of those who made a pledge continue to meet their commitments," Dr. Mills added.

Voluntary support for the recreation center project was part of a record-level of voluntary support at Waynesburg College.

According to a report prepared by Dr. Richard Cowan, vice president for development at the college, more than \$780,000 in voluntary support was received during the 1983-84 annual-fund year. That amount, he said, represents the largest dollar total ever received by the college in a single annual fund year.

"We are particularly encouraged by the support of alumni and friends of the college," Dr. Cowan said, "and the continued support of businesses, corporations and foundations who un-

derstand the mission and goals of the college."

As annual-fund support reached new levels, the college announced plans for a long-term endowment development program aimed at identifying a total of \$9 million in commitments to the college's endowment fund.

Dr. Mills, noting that income from endowment investments will help keep down the tuition charges at the college, said the Endowment Development Program will be coordinated by Dr. J.E. Victor Carlson, director of planned giving. Three trustees of the college, all of whom are alumni, are heading three task forces within the program.

The three, and the groups they are heading, are June MacDonald, Endowment Building Task Force; William Davis, Endowment Advisory Task Force, and James Leonard, Endowment Investment Task Force. The three groups each will include alumni and friends of the college who are committed to helping increase significantly the endowment fund.

In outlining the endowment-building program, Dr. Carlson noted that the goal of the program was selected on the basis of financial planning. The \$12 million total of the endowment fund would provide the college with approximately 25 percent of its annual operating budget.

Dr. Carlson stressed the endowment building program being launched is an on-going, long-term effort. "The college will be involved in annual fund programs and other programs in the future, and the endowment-building program will continue also," he said.

Within the endowment-building program, Waynesburg College will be seeking several types of commitments to the endowment fund, including gifts, bequests, trusts and other forms of estate-planning giving. As a part of the program, a series of informational programs aimed at explaining to interested persons the options available in estate planning has been started.

Dr. Carlson added that the endowment-building program is being designed "to help individuals who wish to support higher education and ensure the future of Waynesburg College."

Also during 1984, the college renewed its emphasis on Continuing Adult Education.

Dr. Donald Christian, associate

academic dean and chairman of the Education Department, was named to head the program and he organized a series of courses.

The courses, all short-term, low-cost, non-college-credit, include a variety of topics such as antique glass, satellite television systems, computers, reading readiness, furniture refinishing and ceramics.

Another area receiving renewed emphasis during 1984 was placement. Judith Gardner, a 1966 graduate of the college, was named assistant director of placement, and the Placement Office underwent a reorganization that placed it under the Student Life Office. Mrs. Gardner reports directly to Timothy Thyeen, dean of students.

When announcing the appointment, Dr. Mills said, "Placement is an extremely important component at the college. Mrs. Gardner will be working with current students in helping them to prepare for a career search, including identifying job opportunities and arranging for interviews with prospective employers."

He added the Placement Office program will include help for students looking for part-time and summer jobs, working with the faculty on graduate school and professional school placement of students and development of internships programs. Placement Office services are available to Waynesburg College alumni also.

While 1984 was a year of change, it also was a year in which on-going programs at the college were strengthened.

For example, the chemistry department received an atomic absorption instrument from Consolidation Coal Co., a number of major programs were changed to reflect current and future trends, and opportunities for internships were expanded.

The college received a grant of more than \$325,000 from the U.S. Office of Education under the Title III

program for support of six areas.

They include administrative improvement, administrative computer services, the master of business administration program, the nursing program, the developmental skills program and the Experimental Career Development Program.

In the area of computer-related programs and services, the college added to its network of computers with the establishment of three micro-centers. One center is in Hanna Hall and is used by students and faculty in the accounting or business-related fields; one is in the Buhl Humanities Building and the third is in the Paul R. Stewart Science Building.

The overall goal of the college in the area of computers, according to Dr. David Tucker, is to integrate the computer into as many academic programs as possible.

Dr. Tucker, director of the college's computer center, said, "We try to make computers very accessible to all students for use in a variety of courses and situations." He noted the college has more than 50 microcomputers on the campus and nearly 200 pieces of computer-related equipment.

During 1984, Yellow Jacket athletic teams and individuals enjoyed continued success.

In basketball, Rudy Marisa's team won the regular season and post-season tournament championships in District 18 and again advanced to the NAIA national tournament in Kansas City. The Jackets won their first two games before losing to Fort Hays State, the eventual national champion.

As one measure of the success the college has enjoyed in basketball, a report prepared by the NAIA listed Waynesburg College as among the 25 winningest teams in the country over the past 10 years.

Additionally, Marisa became the winningest basketball coach in Waynesburg College history, surpassing the legendary Frank Wolf.

In football, head coach Bill Tornabene led a very young team through a difficult season. While the Yellow Jackets compiled a 2-6 record, the team was impressive late in the season and several players were selected for local and district honors. Pete Long was named to the NAIA All-America second team and Kevin Jozwiakowski received honorable mention on the list.

In volleyball, the Yellow Jacket ladies just missed qualifying again for the national tournament. At the end of the season, three players including Nancy Gaul, Phyllis Sanders and Susan Wissinger were named to the All-Conference team in the Pennwood Conference and also were named to the All-District team.

Waynesburg College students continued to develop their creative talents in areas such as drama, where there has been a continued interest under the direction of Ellen Delaney Ball; the annual Poetry Forum, led by the efforts of Dr. Roger Bower and student publications and broadcast-

ing. In the area of broadcasting, the college added a mobile broadcast facility to its facilities, and used the equipment to continue to its policy of providing broadcast videotape on a regular basis for commercial use by KDKA-TV, Channel 2 in Pittsburgh.

Students interested in television also videotaped and cablecast the annual Waynesburg Area Christmas Parade, helped produce a videotape on new programs at the college and cablecast football and basketball games in the local community.

As programs were strengthened and expanded, the college continued to enjoy increases in enrollment. The number of undergraduate and graduate students has increased and most recently the number of prospective students making application to the college is running nearly 40 percent ahead of the number who made application a year ago.



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