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Variance Clears Way For Library Addition

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — The Waynesburg Zoning Hearing Board has granted a parking variance for the Bowlby Public Library, clearing the way for the library to seek a state matching grant to help finance a small addition.

Plans for the proposed \$200,000 addition were presented to the zoning board by Duane Anderson, a Washington, D.C., architect who specializes in historic preservation.

They included provision for 15 parking spaces along Bowlby Street and an additional five spaces for staff adjoining the new addition, with the variance being required because the zoning ordinance required 23 spaces.

Attorney Ewing B. Pollock, who served as spokesman for the library, also stated that the library would have a commitment from both the nearby First Presbyterian Church and the First Baptist Church that library patrons could use their parking lots.

At the request of Robert Cowell, who owns the property adjoining the library on the north, the zoning board

eliminated the five staff parking spaces with the understanding that staff members would use the church parking lot.

Cowell said he had no objections to construction of the addition, but had concerns that the proposed staff spaces, which bordered a road between the properties, would give him problems of access to a garage on the rear of his property.

"It's tight getting out now, and I'm afraid they would make it very difficult to back out and turn around," he said.

Unlike five years ago when a larger addition which did not blend into the character of the neighborhood was proposed, there were no objections to the project from any residents of the neighborhood.

The two-story addition, measuring 64 by 36 feet, will provide the overcrowded library with 50 percent more shelf space for books, plus additional space for research and reading. It will also include a community room capable of accommodating 30 people.

With the addition, the library will be able to eliminate use of the third floor and half of the basement of the

present building. A new entrance will be provided from Bowlby Street, which will include access for the handicapped. Alterations will be made to the present building to eliminate structural shortcomings which do not meet state Labor and Industry standards.

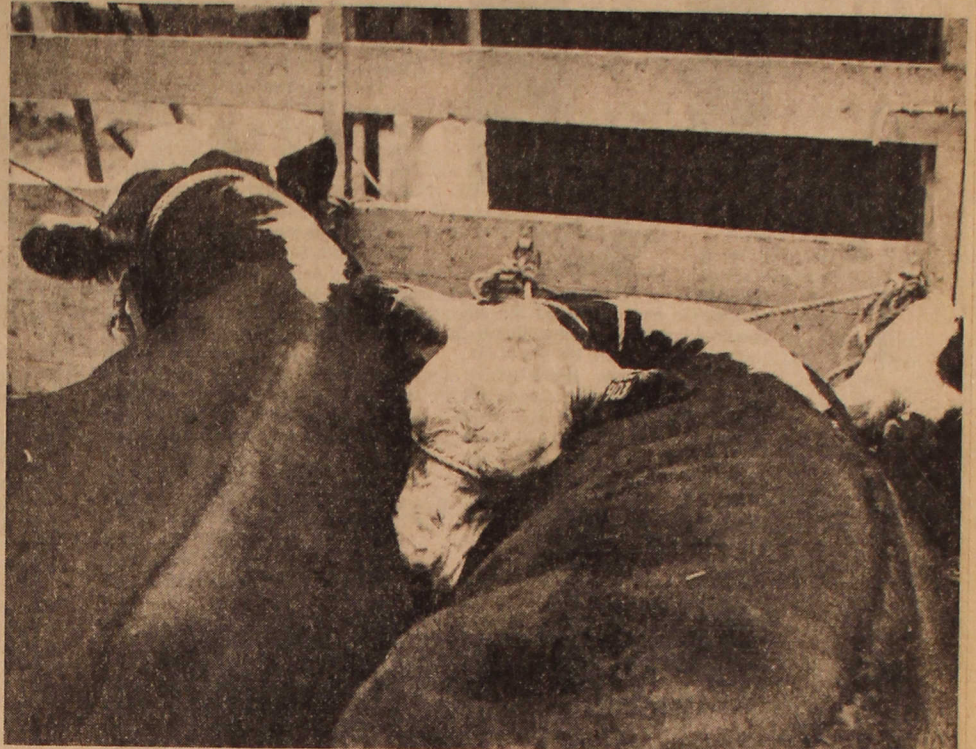
Anderson said that a primary goal was to design an addition which would blend in with the present structure and with the residential character of the neighborhood, with no trees being removed.

The Bowlby Library is housed in a stone mansion on North West Street which was donated to the community for use as a library by the late Eva K. Bowlby.

"You are looking at the smallest expansion that can be built to ease the critical problem of overcrowding in the present library," he said.

A decision by the zoning board was required because the library faces an Aug. 15 deadline for submitting an application to the State Library of Pennsylvania for a matching grant of \$100,000.

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This polled Hereford apparently finds all the attention at the Greene County Fair a little embarrassing. Or maybe it was just time for a little nap.

Greene County Fair Attracts Large Crowds

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — Favored with good weather, the first full day of the 1985 Greene County Fair proved to be a winner Tuesday as several thousand people surged through the midway from the exhibition halls at one end of the grounds to the livestock barns at the other.

"We had a very good turnout tonight, a better than average Tuesday attendance," Fair Manager Larry Marshall said. "Fortunately the rain which threatened most of the day never did come down."

The 4-H Market Lamb Show was one of the feature attractions for the day, competing for the crowd with horse pulling contests, the first night of harness racing, halls and barns which are filled to capacity, and a midway area jammed with rides, game booths and food stands.

"I would say this is the largest display we ever had," said Mary Jane Kent, one of the superintendents of the Home and Garden Department. "There are more than 2,500 entries, with more flowers than we've ever had, crafts of all kinds, needlework, the usual large assortment of vegetables, and double the amount of canned goods which we had a few years ago."

Even though five judges were working, it took most of the day to complete their work in the exhibition hall.

A special attraction Tuesday night was a bake sale held following the judging of baked goods. Where exhibitors permitted, pies, cakes, bread and other baked goods were sold at auction rather than allowing them to go stale by sitting throughout the fair, with a sampling of each item being retained for display. The \$95 raised by the sale, which attracted a large

number of buyers, will go to the Heart Fund.

One of the highlights of Wednesday's program was the 20th annual 4-H Baby Beef Show, follow-up to the Market Lamb show held Tuesday night. Both lambs and beef animals were sold at auction at 6:30 p.m. Thursday.

As is the case throughout the week, children will be permitted to ride all rides on the midway as often as they like from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. for a flat price of \$4.

The racing program included two thoroughbred races, a pony race and a Quarterhorse race. The harness racing program included four Pennsylvania Sires Stake races and a pace for non-winners of \$1,000 in 1985.

Judging Highlights
Dairy cattle, 4-H beef heifers and draft horses were judged Tuesday, with 4-H fitting and showing contests

also being held.

Holsteins dominated the open Dairy Show. The grand champion heifer was shown by Bill Cree of Carmichaels and the reserve grand champion by Steve Barchiesi of Waynesburg R.D.1.

In Jersey competition, the grand champion bull and grand champion cow were shown by Christ M. Keener of West Alexander and the reserve champion cow by Heather Keener. Robert W. Haines of Spraggs R.D.1 took the ribbons in Guernsey competition.

Cree and Barchiesi also took the same awards in 4-H Dairy competition, with Troy McCullough of Sycamore R.D.1 showing the ribbon-winning Jersey. Robert Haines took honors in Guernsey competition.

Joe Barchiesi of Waynesburg R.D.1, Kevin L. Willis of Jefferson R.D.1 and Rebecca Barchiesi took

first through third in junior dairy showmanship. In the junior fitting contest, Rebecca Barchiesi, Kevin Willis and Joe Barchiesi placed first through third.

The senior showmanship contest was won by Steve Barchiesi, followed by Gina Barchiesi, Troy McCullough

of Sycamore R.D.1, Robbie Helpfenstine of Wind Ridge R.D.1 and Glenn Kerr of Carmichaels R.D.1.

Bill Cree of Carmichaels R.D.1 won the senior fitting contest. He was followed by Robbie Helpfenstine, Troy McCullough, Gina Barchiesi and Glenn Kerr.

One Family Dominates At Market Lamb Show

By Bob Niedbala, Staff Writer

WAYNESBURG — It looks like one family and one farm are beginning to dominate the competition at the 4-H Market Lamb Show at the Greene County Fair.

The grand champion 4-H market lamb this year was shown by Adam Andrew, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrew of Nineveh. It was Adam's sister, Jessica, who had shown the grand champion last year and the year before.

Besides showing grand champions and being brother and sister, the two have something else in common. Both had received their lambs from Crouse's Stony Valley Farm in Graysville.

"It's just a good breeding program," said Lew Crouse, who watched the Tuesday evening event from ringside. The lambs were raised on his farm until they weighed about 80 pounds, then they were sold to the Andrews.

"The lambs have a good start when they (the 4-H'ers) get them," he said. After that, it was up to the two 4-H members to prepare the lambs for competition.

Adam, who is 11 years old and attends school at Graysville Elementary, said he has participated in the Market Lamb competition at the fair for the past four years. He also has tried other events. Last year, he had a champion lightweight steer.

Adam's 121-pound Suffolk had earlier been chosen the champion in the heavyweight division. It was one of 58 lambs judged in three weight divisions during the show.

The show reserve champion was a 100-pound lamb shown by Kim Katchmark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Katchmark of Waynesburg R.D.5. It had been the champion in the middleweight division.

In the lightweight division, the champion was a 97-pound lamb shown by Joy Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snyder of Jefferson R.D.1. The reserve champion was a 94-pound lamb shown by Scott Adamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adamson of Brave Star Route.

The reserve champion in the middleweight division was a 105-pound lamb shown by Glenn Kerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr of Carmichaels R.D.1.

In the heavyweight division, the reserve champion was a 120-pound lamb shown by Amanda Main, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Main of Graysville R.D.1.

Sisters Reunited

WAYNESBURG — Two sisters, who had not seen each other in five years, were reunited at the Greene Health Care Center recently. They are 96-year-old Ruby Jennings and her older sister, Irene Harvey, who recently celebrated her 100th birthday.

The sisters are the last in a family of eight children. They are daughters of John and Carolyn Loughman Carter and grew up in Nineveh. Both women attended Slippery Rock State Normal School.

Mrs. Jennings has been a resident of the health care center since last year. She has two daughters, Mrs. James (Carolyn) Hildreth of Nineveh and Mrs. Clarence (Betty) Ray of Sycamore. There are eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Harvey lives in a nursing home in Carlisle. A story commemorating her 100th birthday on July 28 was published recently in the Observer-Reporter.

6th Wheeling Creek Watershed Dam Will Be Big

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WHEELING, W.Va. — The sixth and final dam to be built to control floodwaters from the Wheeling Creek watershed will be the largest one ever built by the U.S. Soil Conservation Service in the northeastern United States.

"It may very well be the largest we have ever built in the entire United States," John Mank, assistant state conservationist, told members of the Wheeling Creek Watershed Commission at its annual meeting in Wheeling, W.Va.

Designated as Dam PA. 648, the earthen structure as high as a six-story building will be erected in a remote and undeveloped area near Majorsville, in the extreme north-

western corner of Greene County.

PA. 648 will control floodwater runoff in the watershed of the Enlow Fork of Wheeling Creek, which at that point forms the boundary between Greene and Washington counties. It and the other five dams which have already been completed will protect the Elm Grove section of Wheeling against flooding.

Mank said that estimated cost of the dam has risen from \$8.2 million to \$11 million, but assured commission members that funds to cover the escalation are included in the U.S. Department of Agriculture budget, noting that completion of the flood control network has been given priority status by the SCS.

Approximately 1,000 acres of land has been acquired by the water-

shed commission to provide a flood plain for the dam, even though it will create no permanent pool of water. It is to be built as a "dry dam" which will permit normal stream flow except in periods of heavy rainfall.

Because of the unique nature of the Enlow valley in terms of a habitat for wildflowers and small animals, the Western Pennsylvania Conservancy has joined with the watershed commission in purchasing part of the land. When the dam is completed, all of the property will be deeded to the Pennsylvania Game Commission, which will manage it as a nature preserve.

Anne Bower, watershed commission executive director, reported on details of the various things which remain to be done to prepare the way

for taking of construction bids in September or October.

She said that approval is expected at any time of a supplemental partnership grant of \$150,000 from the state of West Virginia.

She also reported on the status of an agreement with Columbia Gas Co. for the relocation of wells, pipelines and service roads from the dam site. The 1985-86 budget of \$1,116,700 which was approved by the commission contains \$900,000 for this purpose.

All watershed commission officers were re-elected. They are John Lane of Wheeling, chairman; William Sember of Washington, vice president; Mrs. Bower, treasurer; Carl Knight of Dallas, W.Va., assistant treasurer; and John Gardner of Waynesburg, secretary.



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Coal Queen Swim

The King Coal Association sponsored its annual swim party and picnic recently for the girls competing to be this year's Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal Queen. Fourteen girls will compete in the pageant to be held at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 25 in the Carmichaels Area High School. The girls and the high school they represent are, from left, Hope Hellen, Mapletown; Leah Gazi, California; Heidi Johnson, Browns-

ville; Jackie Statler, Clay-Battelle; Chrissi Romito, German Township; Jamie Morgan, Laurel Highlands; Kim Good, Fairchance-Georges; Kathy Sutphin, the 1984 coal queen; Laura Cochran, Frazier; Tammy Croftcheck, Carmichaels; Suzanne Franty, Uniontown; Jackie Poyle, Beth-Center; Dianna Boyd, Waynesburg; Karen Kolick, Jefferson-Morgan; and Beth Markatan, Albert-Gallatin.

Waynesburg Natives Die In Apparent Murder-Suicide

ARVADA, Colo. — A former Waynesburg man committed suicide early Saturday morning in this suburb of Denver shortly after he shot and killed his estranged wife, also a former Waynesburg resident, according to Arvada (Colo.) Police.

Glee Curlin, 44, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alba A. Curlin of Waynesburg R.D.5, died of a gunshot wound to the head.

The incident occurred during the early morning hours at 6713 Marshall Street, Arvada, Colo. where his estranged wife Viola Evans Curlin, 37, and their four children made their

home. Sources in Denver said the couple had been estranged for only a short time. Curlin apparently came to the house, shot his wife and later told his two younger children, ages 9 and 7 to go to a neighbor's home. He then used a second pistol on himself.

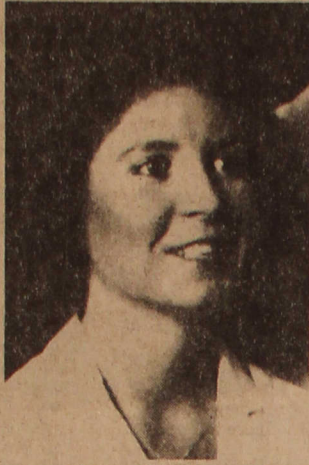
Mrs. Curlin was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans of Waynesburg R.D.3.

Curlin, an avid hunter, was employed by the Redfield Gun Company near Denver.

Police in Arvada, after issuing a brief statement on the incident, said the investigation is continuing.

FAMILY ALBUM

Cynthia Palmer Bride Of Ronald L. Rinehart



ENGAGED — Mrs. Emma Shaffer of Crucible has announced the engagement of her daughter, Sharon, to Douglas Handford, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Handford of Mather. The bride-elect is a 1983 graduate of Carmichaels Area High School. She also attended California University for two years, where she studied computer science. She intends to complete her studies in Dallas, Texas, where she now resides. She is employed by Digital Matrix Systems of Richardson, Texas. Her fiancé is a 1979 graduate of Jefferson-Morgan High School and a 1985 graduate of Computer Tech in Pittsburgh. He is employed by Electronic Data Systems of Richardson. A 1986 spring wedding is being planned by the couple.

A wedding trip to Ocean City, Md., followed the Friday, July 19, 1985, wedding of Cynthia Tennant Palmer and Ronald L. Rinehart.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence (Bud) Tennant of 115 Schroyers Lane, Carmichaels. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rinehart and Marjorie Rinehart of Waynesburg.

The double-ring ceremony was celebrated at 7 p.m. in the Jefferson Baptist Church by the Rev. John Dorean and the Rev. Charles Tennant, uncle of the bride. Sherry Kuharcik was the organist and Donna Knisely the soloist.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her son, Brian Palmer. She wore an Alfred Angelo designed tea-length gown of ivory cluny lace with a high venise lace collar, dropped shoulders, and Victorian yoke trimmed with venise lace and cluny lace ruffles. The chemise bodice was sashed at the dropped waistline and the skirt featured tiers of cluny lace ruffles. Her hat of schiffli embroidery and pearls held a veil of illusion.

Sandy Shimek Kinstlich of Carmichaels attended the bride as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Chris Phillips of Waynesburg and Mary Moore of Carmichaels. They wore peach-colored gowns with ivory lace overlays.

Gary Knisely of Wayneburg served as best man. Ushers were Brett Phillips, George Bissett and Karl King of Wayneburg, Dan Moore of Carmichaels, and Keith Scheidmantle of Mars.

A reception for 200 guests was held



MRS. RINEHART

at the Waynesburg VFW post home. Carolyn Orndoff attended the guest book. Out-of-state guests attended from Ohio, West Virginia and Florida.

The bride attended West Virginia University and has been employed by Baily Insurance Agency in Waynesburg. She has accepted a position as word processing supervisor for Arthur Young Co., Reston, Va.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Indiana University of Pennsylvania and the Virginia School of Computer Technology. He is employed by the I.S.N. Corp. as an operations supervisor.

The newlyweds are residing at 1910 Winterthur Lane, Reston.



40TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Smith of Jefferson celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Saturday, July 20, 1985, with a dinner attended by family and friends at the Mansion House at Old Concord. Mrs. Smith is the former Eleanor Colabine, daughter of Reuben and Elta Colabine and Mr. Smith is the son of the late T.M. and Elizabeth Pogue Smith. They were married Aug. 11, 1945, in Bellwood Methodist Church with Robert E. Titus of Jefferson serving as the best man. Mr. Smith retired from the Jefferson-Morgan School District in 1976 after 42 years of teaching. Mrs. Smith also is a retired teacher. Their daughter, son-in-law and granddaughters, Etta, Garey, Kim and Karri Shoemaker of Cullinan, Ala., hosted the anniversary dinner and presented the couple with a commemorative plaque.

Reunion

The annual Silas McCullough reunion will be held Sunday, Aug. 18, at Ryerson Station State Park. Dinner will begin at 1:30 p.m.

Committee members are Gene and Edith Conklin, table committee; Susie Taylor, lemonade and Donna Rose, iced tea.

Marie Cooper Is Bride Of Owen R. Coffman

The Assembly of God Church in East View was the setting Friday, July 19, 1985, for the wedding of Marie E. Cooper and Owen R. Coffman.

The double ring ceremony was celebrated at 7 p.m. with the Rev. John DeNicola officiating. Soloists were Sandy Stump and Joy Rush.

The bride is a daughter of Richard and Leah Robey of Graysville R.D.1. The bridegroom is a son of David and Lovie Coffman of Waynesburg R.D.1.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride appeared in a formal white gown with deep lace ruffle frames on

the bodice, illusion yoke, and a lace Victorian collar trimmed with ribbon tops. The skirt featured front lace panels from a raised waistline ending in a deep lace underflounce skirt and full tiered chapel train. The lace-accented bishop sleeves had deep lace and ribbon trimmed cuffs. She wore a lace cap coordinated with her gown and a fingertip veil edged with lace and a blusher.

Sherry Denman of Graysville attended the bride as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Patty Phillips of Beallsville and Cindi Hall of Washing-

ton, sisters of the bride, and Becky Ash of Kingwood, W.Va., cousin of the bride. The attendants wore formal gowns in lilac.

Elsie Birch, niece of the bridegroom, was the flower girl and Brandon Duke the ring bearer.

Phil Evans of Waynesburg served as best man. Ushers were Eric Duke of Spraggs, Jack Herrod of Sycamore, and John Birch of Washington, the bridegroom's brother-in-law.

A reception was held in the church social hall with out-of-state guests

attending from Virginia, West Virginia and Ohio. Kay Coffman, sister of the bridegroom, attended the bride's book.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of West Greene High School and a 1985 graduate of Penn Commercial Business School. She is employed as a secretary. The bridegroom, a 1985 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and the Greene County Vocational-Technical School, is employed as a clerk.

Following a wedding trip to Deep Creek, Md., the newlyweds are residing in Graysville.



MRS. COFFMAN

11 Veteran Waynesburg Firefighters Honored Cumberland Twp. Approves Two Road Resolutions

WAYNESBURG — Eleven men who have served 25 years or more with the Waynesburg Volunteer Fire Department were honored recently during a banquet held in the Moose Lodge.

Seven of the men are active members of the fire department and four of them are retired members.

Those active members honored, the number of years of service given to the fire department and the positions they have held, are:

Miles Davin, 32 years of service, assistant chief, vice president, captain, relief association and treasurer.

Raymond Dukate, 44 years of service, lieutenant, captain, relief association and trustee.

Robert W. Fox, 37 years of service, president, lieutenant, relief association, vice president, trustee and driver.

John Gardner, 26 years, chief, assistant chief, president, captain, relief association and driver.

Robert E. Rice, 29 years, captain, secretary, lieutenant, relief association and traffic captain.

Lewis James Rush, 44 years of service, chief, assistant chief, captain, lieutenant, trustee and relief

association.

Charles VanDruff, 29 years, vice president, treasurer, relief association, trustee and driver.

The retired members are: Charles Victor Chapman, 34 years service, captain, president, inner guard, lieutenant, trustee and relief association.

Encil "Kitter" Owen, 30 years service, relief association, lieutenant, trustee and driver.

Robert Allen Thomas, 31 years service, captain, relief association, lieutenant and trustee.

Harry Benjamin "Lefty" Yoders, 31 years service, lieutenant, vice president and relief association.

The 11 men were introduced by Pete Walker, Waynesburg fire chief. Each received a gold watch in recognition of their service to the fire company. When Lewis Rush was introduced he received a standing ovation. Rush, along with Dukate, have been active members of the fire department since 1941.

Master of ceremonies for the banquet was Frank J. Behm. President of the department, Robin Roberts, also spoke.

CUMBERLAND — The Cumberland Township Supervisors approved two resolutions concerning township roads at their recent meeting.

The first resolution specifies that the township will not construct any new streets at places where they had been accepted by prior township boards but never opened or built.

The building of new streets or roads will be up to the developers or the persons who wish to use the streets, according to the resolution.

Board Secretary William Groves cited an example of one street which was dedicated to public use in 1938 but was never opened. He said that for the township to attempt to construct all such roads now would create a financial burden on taxpayers.

Board Chairman William Schifko added that, in the future, if streets are built to township specifications, the township will agree to maintain them.

The second resolution was an agreement with the state Department of Transportation for the township to take care of snow removal on 12 miles of state roads located within the township.

"These are roads we have to travel on our way to work on township roads anyway," said Groves. The agreement calls for the state to reimburse the township \$9,764.

A motion also was approved to authorize the township solicitor to file an \$800 lien against a property on Diamond Street in Carmichaels. The supervisors said they were forced to hire a contractor to fill a partially constructed foundation which was abandoned by its owner at this site. Neighbors complained, saying the foundation was filled with about five feet of water and was unsafe.

In response to a request from township building cleaning personnel, the supervisors approved a motion to ban smoking and other tobacco use in the township meeting room. In addition to other damage, the cleaners said holes had been burned in the floor.

A few Nemaocolin residents attended the meeting to complain about the damage caused when the town's water tank was sandblasted by a contractor for the water company. The supervisors said the township has no ordinance to cover sandblasting, but that they would consider enacting one for future protection.

The supervisors also agreed to continue to work on water drainage problems in Nemaocolin. Frank Walters of Rinehart Avenue in Carmichaels told the supervisors he had repaired a drainage problem on his property himself and asked the supervisors not to work in that area.

The supervisors granted permission for the King Coal Association to use township roads beginning at 9 a.m. Aug. 31 for a 10-kilometer race.

The streets are East George, Municipal Road, Brown's Ferry Road, Shroyer's Lane, South Market Street, Center Street, Route 88 in Carmichaels, Maple Street, Ceylon Road, Diamond Street and Old Waynesburg Road.

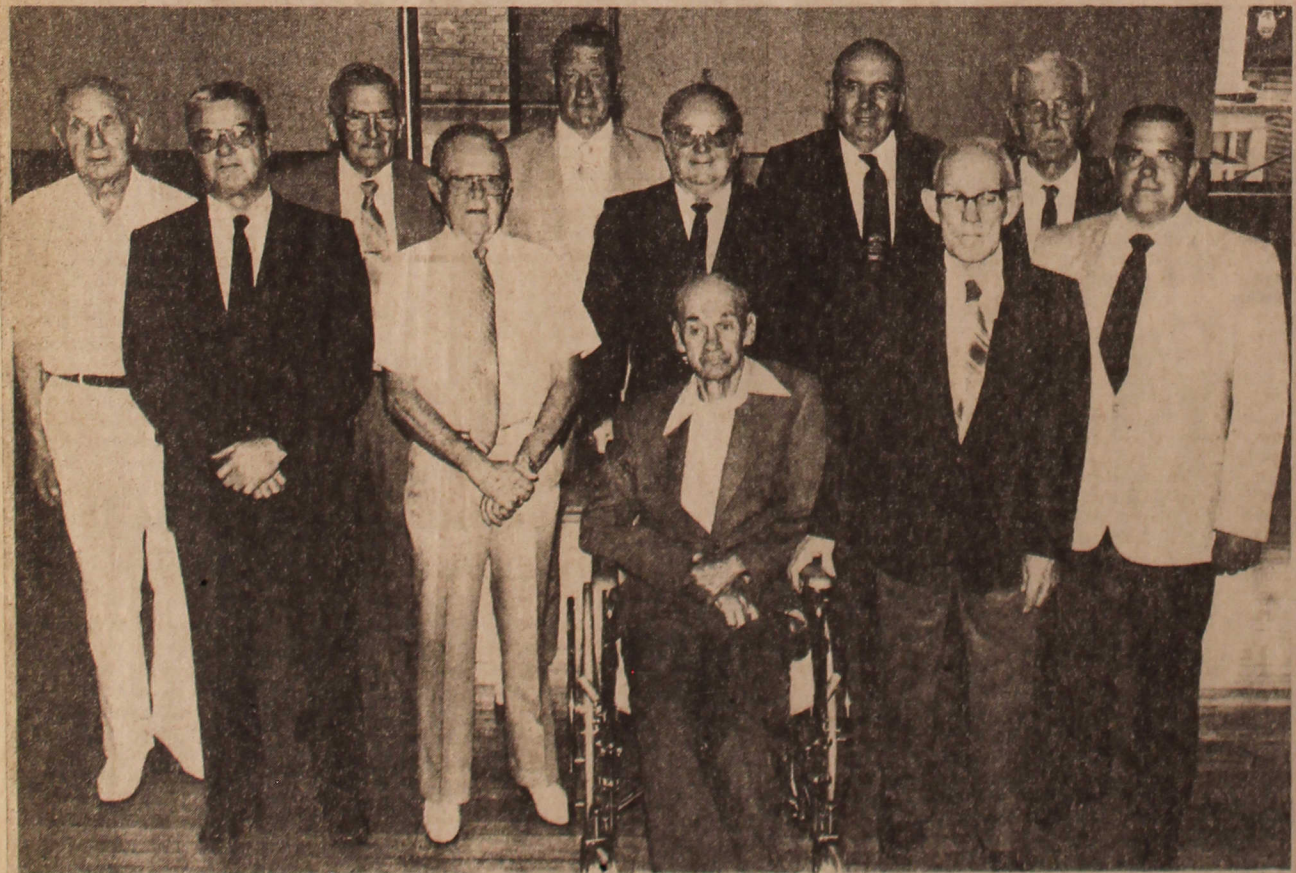
Airman Graduates

CLARKSVILLE — Airman First Class Martin J. Hritz Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hritz of Clarksville, has graduated from the integrated avionics computerized test station and component course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

He is a 1980 graduate of Beth Center High School in Fredericktown.

Days Set To Prepare Schedule Of Classes

WAYNESBURG — Students who will attend Waynesburg Central High School beginning Monday, Aug. 26, and who have not prepared a schedule of classes should report to the school guidance office Aug. 13-22 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.



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Honored members of the fire department are, from left, Raymond Dukate, Robert Rice, Harry Yoders, Charles

Chapman, Robert Fox, Miles Davin, Lewis Rush, Charles VanDruff, Encel Owen, Robert Thomas and John Gardner.

Special Election For Clerk Of Courts Required

WAYNESBURG — A special election for a two-year term as Greene County Clerk of Courts will be held as part of the general election on Nov. 5.

The State Election Bureau has notified the county registration office that the special election is required as a result of an amendment to the county code, which was passed by the

State Legislature in 1984.

It provides that when a vacancy in any county office occurs, the appointment of a successor is good only until the next municipal election. In the past, it had provided that a successor be named for the unexpired balance of the term.

Steve Naylor, a member of the

Election Bureau staff in Harrisburg, explained that since Clerk of Courts Al Darney died on May 10 of this year, any appointment made by Governor Thornburgh to fill the vacancy would run only through the first Monday of January 1986.

And since Darney's death occurred after the primary election last

spring, it will be the responsibility of the Democratic and Republican committees in the county to each select a candidate to run for the two-year term. They must submit the names of their candidates to the county election bureau by Sept. 16.

In addition, county residents who are now registered as "Independents" could run by circulating a petition and obtaining the signatures of registered electors. They must obtain enough signatures to equal two percent of the highest number of votes cast for a county office in the 1983 election. However, no one would be permitted to change his or her registration to "Independent" for the purpose of running.

of the situation," he said. "We will have to determine if the selection is to be made by the executive committee or the full committee." The full committee would consist of the 96 precinct committee members in the county.

Frye said the Republican Party by-laws call for the selection to be made by the entire Republican committee. He said he will be meeting with his executive committee in the near future to schedule a full commit-

tee meeting for the purpose of choosing a candidate.

Both chairmen said that they will be accepting applications from people who want to run before the choice is made.

The only candidate for the appointment is Shirley Stockdale of Waynesburg, who has been a deputy in the clerk of court's office since 1968 and chief deputy since 1980. She is a Democrat.

New Sr. High Principal Hired In Carmichaels School District

By Marcia Biddle, Staff Writer

CARMICHAELS — An Indiana man was hired by a narrow margin over a local candidate as principal of Carmichaels Area Senior High School by the district school board.

Patrick Sherlock, formerly assistant high school principal in the Indiana Area School District, was elected to the position in a 5-4 vote. Voting for Sherlock were Jerry Fortney, Erma Jean Thomas, Edward Tekavec and James Clovis.

Voting for the current district junior high principal, Jim Zalar, were Henry Bacan, David Stuvek, Oscar Hathaway and James Hathaway.

Board President Edward Chess cast his vote for Sherlock to break the tie.

Superintendent Dr. Dolores Zoldos explained after the meeting that Zalar had been moved from elementary principal to junior high principal during the 1984-85 school year as an experiment.

She and several board members said Zalar had done an excellent job at that position, and therefore the board cast a unanimous vote last March deciding to continue the organizational structure of having separate principals for the junior high and senior high, and two elementary prin-

cipals for the three elementary schools.

"I believe that by having four principals, we have moved ahead administratively," Zoldos said. "To change back to three principals would be moving backwards."

Board members who voted for Sherlock said they were in favor of retaining the four-principal system. Those who voted for Zalar said they wanted to save money for the district by having only one principal for the three elementary schools and using two elementary head teachers.

A motion to offer Sherlock a salary of \$32,000 was approved by the same 5-4 margin.

Sherlock graduated from Slippery Rock University and earned a master's degree in English from Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

He also has done graduate work at Penn State University and Duquesne University to earn secondary principal certification. Sherlock, 33, is married and has one son.

Beverly Kerr, who won nomination for a seat on the school board in the primary election, asked the board why all board members had not been present for the interviews of all the applicants for the principal's position.

Stuvek replied that he and others believed that a principal should have

been chosen from within the district. He said he had voted against the decision to advertise the position, and therefore refused to attend interviews for applicants from outside the district.

In other business, the board resolved a long-standing transportation problem by approving a motion to pick up all students on bus route 622 and 632 along Blaker's Ridge. The routes had been in question because the road was considered too narrow and steep for buses to use.

Donna Waine, a resident of the area, thanked the board for its decision and asked that the board remain in contact with the Cumberland Township Supervisors in regard to the condition of the road.

Permission was also granted to the King Coal Association to use the junior-senior high kitchen and cafeteria on Aug. 17 and 24 for the mine rescue meets.

Zoldos explained that it is not district policy to permit outside groups to use the kitchen, but that it is necessary this year because the concession stand at the athletic field has been torn down.

In regard to the concession stand, the board voted to recess the meeting until 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 9, to review bids for the construction of a new stand.

County Wants State Grant To Deal With Trash Disposal

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County commissioners have authorized the submission of an application for a state grant to explore ways to solve a growing problem of garbage and trash disposal in the county.

Martin Niverth, executive director of the Greene County Conservation District, said the Department of Environmental Resources suggested that the county apply for an allocation under a program which is making \$1 million available this year to enable counties to plan for alternative ways to dispose of refuse.

"Greene County is currently without a solid waste management plan and could face dwindling landfill capacity in just a few years," DER Secretary Nicholas DeBenedictis said in a letter to John Gardner, chairman of the board of commissioners. "Now is the time to play for your future needs rather than risk experiencing the problems many counties face today — having their trash trucked to a faraway landfill at considerably increased costs to their citizens."

Niverth pointed out that at this point Greene County has only four small landfills which are operated by

the supervisors in Center, Richhill, Perry and Morris townships. There was a fifth landfill until just last week when Washington Township decided to close its landfill because of the cost of pollution insurance.

"Only two of them (Richhill and Perry) are permitted by the DER and all four of them have less than five years of capacity left," he said.

Most of the refuse from the county is being hauled by refuse collectors to the J&J landfill in Fayette County, he said. "It probably has a life of 10 years left, but as more and more landfills are shut down, it could be called upon to handle more waste which would reduce its remaining time," Niverth said.

The county conservationist told the commissioners that he believes Greene County's problem is rapidly nearing the critical stage. He also said that the cooperation of townships and boroughs will be required if the county is to receive the study grant.

"It is imperative that we get a cooperative agreement with a lot of municipalities in the county," he said. The commissioners authorized

Niverth to schedule a meeting with township and borough officials from throughout the county to discuss their participation in the study.

Niverth also said that a solid waste study made for the county in 1973 is now regarded as obsolete because it focused attention primarily on the establishment of regional landfills within the county.

"DER focus is now on resource recovery and recycling alternatives, not just on establishing new landfills," he said. "If the volume of refuse can be reduced by incineration and recycling, it will greatly reduce the crisis the state is facing through relying on landfills for disposal of solid waste."

Niverth said that details of the grant application, including the amount of money which is necessary for the study, remain to be worked out.

"We weren't told of the availability of funds until Thursday of last week and were told that the application had to be made by Aug. 1," he said. "I contacted the DER and they agreed to extend the time for formal filing."

Applications Being Taken

HUD Authorizes 30 Apartments For Poor

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Housing Authority has announced that it has received authorization to place as many as 30 individuals and families in privately owned apartments under the federal Section 8 Existing Housing program.

Louis DeMola, executive director of the authority, said Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has approved the use of 25 one-bedroom units and five two-bedroom units to provide housing for low-income residents.

Maximum income limits for consideration under the program are \$12,800 for one person, \$14,850 for two persons, \$16,600 for three persons, \$18,300 for four persons and \$19,450 for five persons.

"The program is tailored to meet individual needs of families by offering them freedom of choice in finding, in a local market, a unit suitable to their needs and desires," DeMola said.

The unit selected must meet housing quality standards prescribed for the program, which will be determined by the housing authority, and the rental rate must fall within the applicable Fair Market Rent limitation.

The approved rental rate will be \$197 a month for a one-bedroom unit and \$215 for a two-bedroom unit. If the rental rate is acceptable to the landlord, the housing authority enters into a housing assistance payment contract with the owner of the unit to make up the difference between what the family can afford to pay and the

total contract rent.

DeMola said he is currently conducting a survey among apartment unit owners in the area in an effort to persuade HUD to increase the rent ceiling.

"The ceilings are much higher in adjoining counties and I feel that the ceilings assigned to Greene County are too low since they must include all utilities," DeMola said. "But to get them increased I have to prove to HUD that they are lower than the prevailing rent levels in the county."

DeMola said the housing authority will be taking applications from eligible persons at its office in Avalon Court, 170 East Greene Street, Waynesburg, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Once an applicant is determined to be eligible through verification of income, housing certificates will be issued on a first come basis, determined by the applicant's place on a waiting list.

Former Local Man Is Promoted

HOUSTON, TEXAS — Robert E. Adrian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Adrian of Waynesburg, has been promoted by MidCon Corp. of Houston, Texas, to manager of gas marketing at MidCon Ventures, Inc., the firm's gas brokerage and marketing unit.

Adrian, a graduate of Waynesburg College, joined MidCon Ventures last year as coordinator for gas supply planning.

Adrian and his wife, Andra, reside

KCA Accepts New Member

CARMICHAELS — A new sponsoring organization was unanimously accepted into the King Coal Association at a special meeting of the association in Carmichaels.

The Carmichaels Lions Club will join the Carmichaels Fire Department, Carmichaels Jaycees and the Carmichaels Chamber of Commerce as a sponsoring organization of the KCA.

Any organization in Greene County may become a sponsoring organization by submitting a written request to the KCA, pending approval.

The executive committee also approved a new prize category for the King Coal Parade. Units appearing in the parade which previously did not fit into a designated category may now compete for the best-appearing novelty unit.

In other business, a contract with WASP Radio, Brownsville, was approved by the executive committee. WASP will do a live, remote broadcast at the Coal Show carnival grounds from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 31, immediately following the parade.

Former Local Man Is Promoted

in Woodlands, Texas. He is a member of the Natural Gas Association of New Orleans, Natural Gas Men of Houston, Natural Gas Society of North Texas and Natural Gas Society of the Permian Basin.

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Stockdale Logical Choice For Clerk of Courts Post

The Democratic and Republican committees in Greene County find themselves in the unusual position of having to select candidates to run for clerk of courts in the November election.

The situation arises because of the death on May 10 of Clerk of Courts Al Darney, a Carmichaels resident who had held the office for 21 years. Since Darney had more than three years remaining of his sixth term, a recent amendment to the county code applies.

It provides that when a vacancy in any county office occurs, the appointment of a successor is good only until the next municipal election rather than for the balance of the term. Since Darney died after this year's spring primary was held, it is up to the two political parties to pick the candidates who will run for a two-year term beginning in January of next year.

The person most affected by the change is Shirley Stockdale, who has been a deputy in the clerk of court's office since 1968 and chief deputy since 1980. She is the only candidate for an interim appointment by Governor Thornburgh, which would run through this year. Ironically, although she is a Democrat, she had the endorsement of the county's Republican officials, based on her record in the office.

Indications are there could be a battle for the nomination in the Democratic party. A potential dispute also arises because the party's by-laws are not clear on whether the selection is to be made by the county executive committee of the entire Democratic committee, which is made up of two members from each of the county's 48 voting precincts.

It would be too bad if an internal party fight resulted in the nomination of someone other than Mrs. Stockdale. She is well qualified for the post and would continue the level of efficiency the office reached under Darney.

The clerk of courts office is an integral part of the court system. A new judge will be taking office in January and a major change in the clerk of court's office would make the transitional period that much more difficult.

In the interest of good county government, we would urge Democrats to put party squabbles aside and nominate Mrs. Stockdale for clerk of courts.

Current Comment

WHEN TV CENSORS SEX
The New York Times

It no longer requires access to a blue-movie TV channel to find a seminaked couple and enough double-entendres to drown a whale. Turn on the set any time, any channel, and there they are — consenting adults (and teen-agers) consenting like crazy. As an ABC-TV vice president announced last year, "We are reaching the point of physical motion under the covers of a bed."

Not everyone who tunes in to watch is over 21. Neither are those who've seen young-hooker dramas like "Little Ladies of the Night." Or who've heard Chris of "Cagney and Lacey" suggest a "quickie," and Julie of "Hotel" expounding on a "matinee."

On the contrary, a lot of those TV fans are teen-agers, but there's one thing they're not going to see on the major networks this season: a public service announcement from the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists that would tell them something about sexual responsibility.

The ad features three young women. The first says she intends to be president, the second that she intends to go back to school and the third, who is pregnant, that she intended to have a family, "but not this soon." An announcer says that nothing changes intentions faster than unintended pregnancies and that these have risks greater than any of today's contraceptives. Then he gives a number to call for an informational booklet.

Does that sound risqué? Hardly. But ABC and CBS say the content is too controversial, and NBC isn't sure it meets the network's criteria for public service announcements.

Yet it meets every standard of public decency. More than a million teen-agers get pregnant every year. Nearly half of them have abortions; nearly 150,000 miscarry; and those who give birth often end up on welfare. Television didn't make them pregnant — but it surely played a part in setting their attitudes about sex. The networks have made fortunes by selling sex. By running the physicians' 30-second spot, they would be meeting a public responsibility.

Muscular Dystrophy Association To Benefit From Motorcycle Run

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Motorcycle Association will sponsor its sixth annual 100-mile "Poker Run" to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association beginning at noon Saturday, Aug. 17.

As in the past, the run will start from the parking lot of Heck's Department Store on Sugar Run Road in Waynesburg and continue through much of Greene County. Registration will be held from 9 to 11:45 a.m.

Prior to the event, participants will solicit contributions to the MDA on a pledge-per-mile basis. Entry forms are available at Barnhart's Honda in Waynesburg or by calling 371-5792.

During the "Poker Run," riders will pass check points at which they will receive a playing card. The riders compiling the best poker hands will be declared the winners. Trophies will be awarded based on fund raising, field events and farthest distance traveled to get to the event.

In addition to the motorcycle run, a weekend party will be held in Mt. Morris, with the party site including camping privileges. The camping will begin at 4 p.m. Friday, Aug. 16, and continue through the weekend with live bands performing.

The party, scheduled to begin at 4 p.m. Saturday, is open to the public for a \$15 charge. All those participating in the motorcycle run will be charged \$12. Participants with con-

tributions totaling \$500 or more will be admitted free. T-shirts will be awarded to all who raise \$250 or more.



Faces From The Past-Do You Recognize Them?

This sawmill scene was believed to have been taken in the West Greene area back in the early 1900s. There is no

identification. The picture was made from a glass negative owned by Steve Sabo of Mather.

Memorial In Nemaocolin To Be Moved

By Bob Niedbala, Staff Writer

NEMACOLIN — The residents of Nemaocolin have agreed to let the local fire department move the community's honor roll memorial to

make room for its new fire hall. At a meeting recently, the community voted 68-32 to deed over the property where the memorial now sits to the Nemaocolin Volunteer Fire Department, according to a fire de-

partment official. Under the department's plan, the memorial would be moved about 100 feet to a triangular piece of land directly across from the United Mine Workers union hall. The department also said it will restore the memorial, which has been damaged by vandals, and continue to maintain it and the surrounding property.

Nemaocolin Inc. had called a meeting on the department's request July 16. No action was taken on the request, however, after several residents opposed to the plan argued that the organization failed to give proper notification of the meeting to all residents.

For the recent meeting, each household in the community had been sent a notice, as called for in the organization's bylaws, said the official. Each household represented at the meeting was permitted one vote, also in accord with the bylaws.

During the earlier meeting, de-

partment officials had said that the current fire hall is too small to accommodate new equipment and could not be modified because of the way the building is situated on the hill.

In presenting their plan, they also spoke of the current condition of the memorial. All the names on the memorial had been removed by vandals at least 11 years ago, they said. In addition, the memorial for a time had been covered with obscenities, written in spray paint.

The department promised to place names on the honor roll of all the people from Nemaocolin who had died serving their country. They also said that at its new location, the memorial will be more easily seen by the public. As a result, it will be less likely to be abused by vandals.

Those who spoke against the plan argued that the memorial had been at its present site for years. To many people, the property had become "hallowed ground," said one woman.

All Around Greene

CURRY HOME PICNIC

More than 200 people took part in a family picnic held at Curry Memorial Home recently. It was held under the pavilion recently constructed by volunteer labor.

Patients' families brought covered dishes while the facility furnished meat, rolls and beverage. Music was furnished by the Old Time Country Boys band. It is hoped that the picnic will become an annual event.

ENDS USAF COURSE

Airman Linda M. Ferrier, daughter of Carl Ferrier and stepdaughter of Karen D. Ferrier of Waynesburg R.D.2, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force turboprop propulsion mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

Miss Ferrier is scheduled to serve at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss. Her mother, Peggy V. Ferrier, resides in Smithfield.

She is a 1984 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School.

GRANDSON STARS

Michael Paul, 15, son of Mrs. Debbie Paul, the former Debbie Hedge of Waynesburg, is making a name for himself in the Babe Ruth League around Lake Jackson, Texas.

In two recent district playoff games, he hit a single, three doubles, a triple and a home run in leading his team to 12-1 and 18-6 victories. He was intentionally walked on his final two at-bats.

His Brazoswood all-star team advanced to the state playoffs.

The young catcher is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson (Newt) Hedge. Mr. Hedge was manager of the local A&P store in Waynesburg for many years.

RECEIVE DEGREES

Two Greene County residents were among 321 students who received

degrees at the 27th annual commencement program this spring at Evangel College, Springfield, Mo.

Lisa Wise DeNicola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Wise of Mt. Morris R.D.1, graduated with highest honors with a major in elementary education and early childhood education. She received the award for academic excellence in early childhood education.

Deborah K. Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Long of Mt. Morris R.D.1, received a degree in mental health. She was a dean's list student at Evangel.

Both are 1981 graduates of Waynesburg Central High School.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Albert Lahew was elected to serve his 14th year as master of East Franklin Grange 1709 at a recent meeting. Other officers serving with him are: overseer, June Shriver; lecturer, Mildred Miller; steward, Quentin Miller; gate keeper, Joe Willis; assistant steward, Earl Whipkey; lady assistant steward, Irene Phillips.

Chaplain, Florence Hoy; treasurer, Delmont Rose; secretary, Dorothy Anderson; cures, Hilda Rose; flora, Mary Strawn; pamona, Gladys Rose; executive committee, 3 years, Iva Rush; and finance committee, 3 years, Lucy Willis. Maxine Anderson was appointed pianist by the master.

Members of the grange are planning a fund raiser in the near future for victims of the recent tornado. Refreshments were served by Frances Haught and her committee.

VISITS HERE

Audie Cumpston of Dickinson, Texas, visited here with his grandmother, Maxine Anderson, and his aunt, Cindy Cole, and family. He also attended the Cooke reunion.

Public Records

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

Aleppo Township

Charles J. and Anna C. Behm, Richhill Township, to Arnold W. and Hazel M. Wickham, Freeport Township, 49 acres, \$16,000.

Cumberland Township

Alice B. Hathaway, Carmichaels, to Charles E. and Christine Zabrosky, Carmichaels, house and lot, \$40,000.

Joan B. Murray Estate to Frank P. and Carol Walters, Cumberland Township, house and lot, Cumberland Village, \$9,025.

Joseph Rudolph, Cumberland Township, to Harry A. and Martha Carpenter, Canton, Ohio, house and lot, Nemaocolin, \$9,000.

Paul E. and Marjorie P. Bandish, Cumberland Township, to Russell A. and Rose M. Whipkey, Cumberland Township, house and lot, \$11,000.

Dunkard Township

John and Mary A. Skoda, Bobtown, and others, to Louis P. and Ivy F. Zaher, Bobtown, house and lot, Bobtown, \$18,000.

Norman and Louise Woody, Point Marion, to Clarence A. and Nancy J.

Graham, Fairmont, W.Va., lot and building, \$5,700.

Franklin Township

Sophie Albert Estate, Franklin Township, to William D. Hinerman, Waynesburg R.D.3, house and lot, Morningside Plan, \$45,000.

Ralph E. and Pauline Wilson, Franklin Township, to Franklin Township, land for public street, no consideration.

Charles R. and Ruth M. Tharp, Waynesburg R.D.1, to Karl P. King, Waynesburg R.D.5, house and lot, \$37,000.

Monongahela Township

Louis and Anna Mihacy, Cape Coral, Fla. to John P. and Judith A. Sullenberger, house and lot, \$39,000.

Morgan Township

Barry J. and Constance M. Rossi, Mather, to Louis B. and Nancy J. McClaren, Mather, house and lot, Mather, \$27,500.

Perry Township

Frank A. and Susan W. Swala, Jefferson R.D.1, to Greene Fabrics Inc., Mt. Morris, lot and two buildings, Mt. Morris, \$34,500.

Richhill Township

Cora Violet Chess Estate to Aldene L. Carpenter, Pittsburgh, undivided interest in three tracts, \$16,000.

Paul M. and Ruth S. Braddock, Richhill Township, to Milton A. and Pauline Todd, Richhill Township, lot, Wind Ridge, \$200.

Greene Academy Plans Activities For Annual Covered Bridge Festival

CARMICHAELS — The board of directors of the Greene Academy of Art made plans during a meeting recently for activities to be held at the Academy building during the annual Covered Bridge Festival, Sept. 21 and 22.

The academy is located on North Market Street, adjacent to the Carmichaels covered bridge.

A dedication ceremony is being planned to honor Maj. James Carmichael, who owned the ground on which the academy is built and who was buried in the old cemetery behind the original stone section of the building. Since the cemetery headstones have all disappeared over the years, a commemorative plaque has been donated to the academy by the Carmichaels Chamber of Commerce.

Board President William Cole reported that contracts have been sent to craftsmen and that any other craftsman wishing to receive an ap-

plication may call the academy at 966-2731. Crafts tables will be allocated inside the building, and antique and collectible tables will be available on the grounds. All spaces may be reserved at a fee of \$15 for the two days.

Academy members will provide hot lunches for sale, a bake sale, cider, apples, homemade ice cream a cheese wheel and a white elephant sale. Souvenir mugs, pencil holders and note papers depicting either the academy building or the covered bridge will also be available.

The booklet, "History of Carmichaels Businesses," which was recently published by the Chamber of Commerce, and Christmas tree bulbs which picture the covered bridge will also be available.

Music and other entertainment is also being planned and the Friends of the Fleniken Library are planning to hold their second annual quilt show in conjunction with the festival.



Rotary Learns Name Of Youth Exchange Student

WAYNESBURG — The Waynesburg Rotary Club, at its weekly luncheon held recently, learned the name of the Rotary Youth Exchange student it will be sponsoring during the next school term and also heard autobiographical sketches from four fellow Rotarians.

Rotarian Richard Visser, club officer for the exchange program, announced that Donna Kathleen Ponteen of Montserrat, West Indies, will arrive sometime in August to spend the coming year with several host families in the Waynesburg area.

She will be enrolled as a student at Waynesburg Central High School as a senior. She is 19 years old and comes from a working class family, according to Visser.

Montserrat is one of 13 islands in the Caribbean that comprise the West Indies Federation, a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, according to Visser. The entire federation, located some 200 miles southeast of Puerto Rico, has a population of 3.2 million in an area covering 8,000 square miles.

Bryan Blair, a retired Waynesburg businessman, headed the list of members who summarized their personal histories.

Blair described himself as a native of Richhill Township but a product of Waynesburg schools. In 1937, he became a part of the Waynesburg Milling Co., which he and his late wife Beulah operated for several years. He retired in 1975 when he sold interest to two brothers.

Blair touched on his long involvement with Rotary, saying that he "believes strongly in the Rotary 4-Way test and the camaraderie and fellowship which Rotary has given me for so many years. I shall always be grateful to Rotary for this," he added.

David Dinnich, who became a Rotarian this past spring, noted he was a native of Eastern Pennsylvania where his father and mother, natives of Czechoslovakia, settled in the hard coal region. He attended Duquesne University and St. Francis College.

Dinnich has made Greene County his home for 10 years working initially as a counselor at the Youth Development Center. He has been employed for the past seven years by Try-Again Homes.

Banker Ed Phillips, a native of Wheeling, W.Va., stated he is a relative newcomer to the county, having just joined the First National Bank of Carmichaels two years ago. Before that, Phillips told the Rotarians, he lived in Washington and was employed by First National Bank of Washington.

Phillips also noted he has been in the U.S. Army Reserve for many years and formerly served under Waynesburg attorney Col. Ewing Pollock.

The final speaker was Dr. W. Wayne Smith, dean of academic affairs at Waynesburg College. A native of Clarksburg, W.Va., Smith said he received his bachelor's degree at Salem College and his master's degree at West Virginia University. He taught at Marshall University and for nine years at Fairmont State College.

He came to Waynesburg College in 1963.

Baker Mine Service Ready For Move

WAYNESBURG — A spokesman for Baker Mine Service said recently the firm will be moving into its new shop in Franklin Township on Aug. 19 and will be open for business on Monday, Aug. 26.

A core of 25 key employees will be at the plant during the early stages and a full complement of between 80 and 100 employees will on the job by the end of September.

Don Bryant of Oklahoma has been named vice president of Baker Mine Service and general superintendent of the local shop.

According to Bryant, there will be six-week transition period before regular production begins.

"Personnel at other Baker facilities will be given an opportunity to transfer to the Waynesburg plant before local hiring is done through the Bureau of Employment Security," Bryant said.

Baker officials also praised the contractors involved with the project and noted all phases have been on schedule.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new facility were held last October.

The service center will repair and rebuild mining equipment and components and will manufacture and distribute parts for mining and industrial equipment.

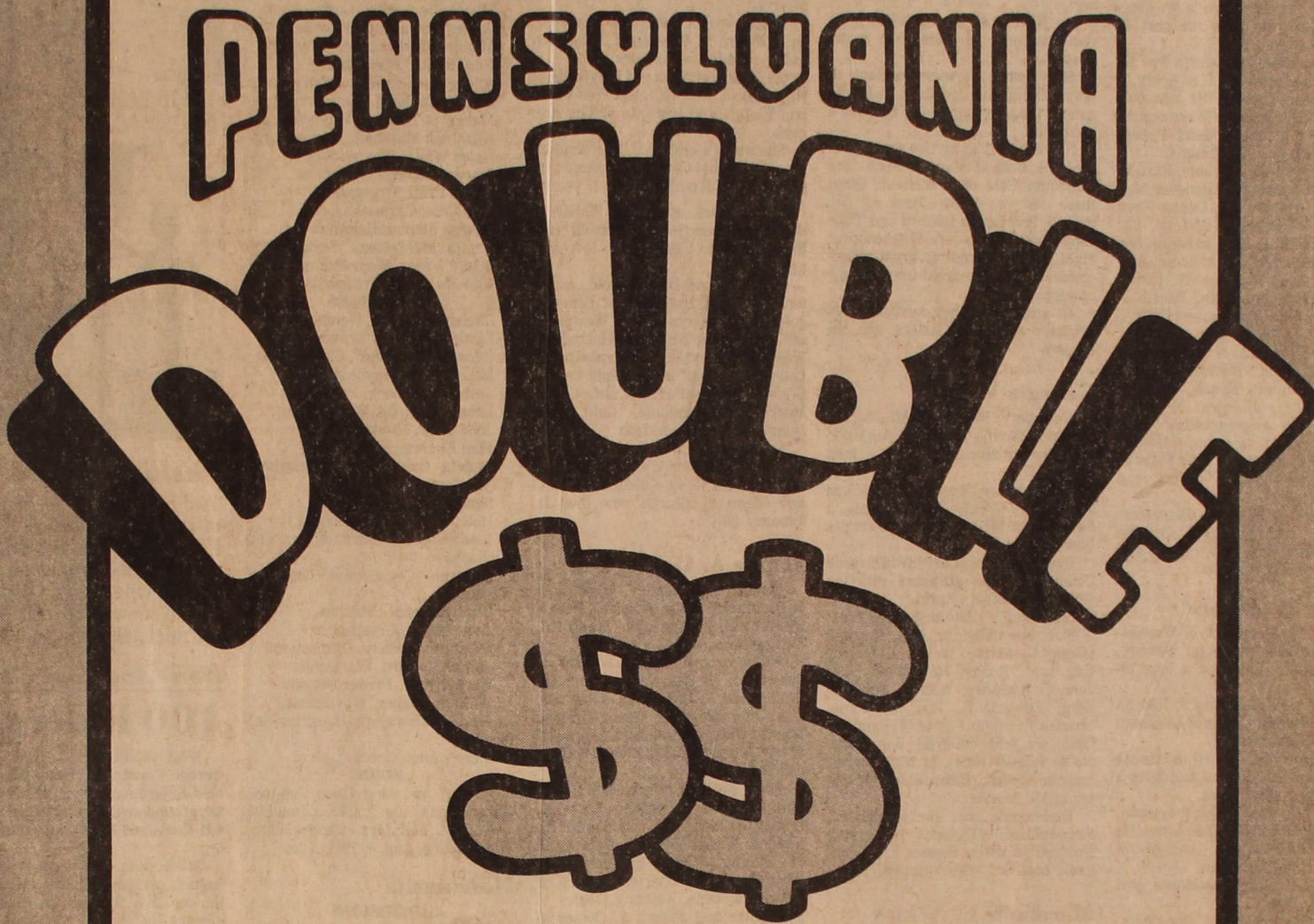
The shop area will occupy 72,000 square feet and offices will occupy another 16,000 square feet.

Site selection and purchase was facilitated by the efforts of the Greene County Industrial Development Authority headed by George K. Stennett.

Baker Mine Service is a division of Baker International which is headquartered in Orange, Calif., and has annual sales in excess of \$2 billion in products and services for the oil and gas drilling industry as well as the mining industry.

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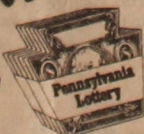

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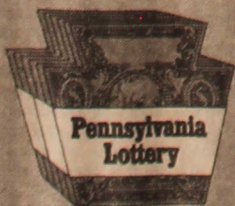
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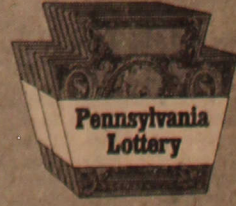
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Greene County Obituaries

Jeremiah King

Jeremiah Junior King, 65, of 465 Henderson Avenue, Washington, died at 7:15 a.m. Friday, August 2, 1985, in Veteran's Hospital, Pittsburgh, following a three-month illness.

He was born June 10, 1920, in Waynesburg, a son of the late Allison and Ida Mae Cole King.

He spent his early life in Waynesburg and had lived for the past 43 years in Washington.

He was a veteran of World War II, having served with the U.S. Army in the European Theater. He was employed for 21 years in the Maintenance Department of the Federal Paper-board Company in Washington.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth F. King; three daughters, Genevieve May Rogers of Walker, La., Donna Faye Baunham of Denham Springs, La. and Leanova Ruth King at home; one son, Thomas Dale King at home; four step-daughters, Rebecca E. Kirby, Nora E. Hilderbrand and Gloria J. Cheek, all of Washington, and Ruth A. Cox of Niles, Ohio; four step-sons, Mark F. Kirby Jr. of Washington, Ralph F. Kirby of Sewickley, Thomas Kirby of Virginia Beach, Va. and Larry P. Kirby of Niles; 19 grandchildren; one great-grandson; two sisters, Geneva King Robison of Fairmont, W.Va. and Marie King Kiger of Waynesburg; several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are three daughters; one son; two brothers, Orrville (Happy) King and James King; and one sister, Betty Hopkins.

George W. Moore

George W. Moore, 89, of Waynesburg R.D.2, died at 2 a.m., Sunday, August 4, 1985, following a long illness.

He was born February 9, 1896, in Whiteley Township, a son of Abraham and Dora Wade Moore.

Mr. Moore had resided in Greene County all of his life and had been a farmer and a stockraiser.

He was a World War I veteran, having served with the U.S. Army. He was a member of the Assembly of God Church in East View.

His wife, Frances Mae Moore, died January 5, 1957.

Surviving are eight daughters, Mrs. Lee Roy (Mary) Delaney of Waynesburg R.D.4, Mrs. Naomi Wood of Waynesburg R.D.1, Mrs. Raymond E. (Jean) Fordyce of Lorain, Ohio, Mrs. Frank (Jane) Lewis Jr. of Pine Bank, Mrs. Glenn (Bonnie) Wood of Vermilion, Ohio, Mrs. Dale (Yvonne) Frost of North Ridgeville, Ohio, Mrs. Martha Kilkenny of Amherst, Ohio, Mrs. Michael (Ruth) McMillen of Lorain, Ohio; three sons, Donald R. Moore of Rochester, N.Y., Edgar A. Moore of Brave; 42 grandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. Also surviving is a sister, Florence Knight of Georgia.

Deceased are a son, Robert Lee and an infant son; two grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; a sister, Hannah; and three brothers, William, Noah and Hice.

Rudolph Matras

Rudolph D. (Rudy) Matras, 57, of Nemaacolin Road, Carmichaels, died Wednesday, July 31, 1985, while enroute to Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was born October 6, 1927, in Waynesburg, a son of the late Albert and Antonio Matras.

He lived most of his life in Carmichaels. He was a pipe fitter and mechanic for the Hillman Barge Company.

He served in the 134th SeaBee Battalion of the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He was a member of St. Hugh's Roman Catholic Church, Carmichaels. He was also a member of the Usher's Club of the church, the J.F.K. Knights of Columbus, Memorial Post 3569 and United Steel Workers, Local 3312.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara Smallch Matras; three daughters, Mrs. Andrew (Linda) Busti of Killeen, Texas and Mrs. Michael (Denise) Voithofer and Mrs. David (Barbara Ann) Leichter, both of Carmichaels; eight grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Cecelia Podobinsky of Shippensburg.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 3, in St. Hugh's Roman Catholic Church, Carmichaels.

Thomas Urbany

Thomas C. Urbany, 78, of 609 Sixth Street, Mather, died unexpectedly at 6:30 p.m. Friday, August 2, 1985, in Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was born December 16, 1906, in Shoaf, a son of the late John and Julia Lengvarksky Urbany.

He spent most of his life in Mather and worked in the Mather Mine. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

He was a member of St. Marcellus Roman Catholic Church in Jefferson. He was also a member of the United Mine Workers, Local 6330 and the VFW in Masontown.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Valencis and Mrs. Andy (Mary) Franks, both of Mather; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are five brothers, John, Joseph, Michael, Frank and Stephen; and one sister, Anna Bobko.

Haddie G. Cole

Haddie G. Cole, 95, of Washington, Mich., formerly of Waynesburg, died at 7:15 a.m. Wednesday, July 31, 1985, in Romeo Nursing Home, Romeo, Mich.

She was born August 30, 1889, in Gilmore Township, a daughter of the late Jesse T. and Anna Roberts Gilbert.

On November 22, 1908, she married Lawrence M. Cole, who is deceased.

She was a former resident of Waynesburg and had lived in Michigan for the past four years. She was a Methodist.

She is survived by two sons, Lawrence B. Cole of Manton, Mich. and Randolph Cole of Mansfield, Ohio; three sisters, Edith Steel of Alliquippa, and Laura Belford and Tillie Lippencott, both of Waynesburg; eight grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, two brothers and four sisters are deceased.

Georgia V. Fox

Georgia V. Fox, 74, of Mt. Morris, died at 7:20 p.m., Thursday, August 1, 1985, in her home following a long illness.

She was born December 21, 1910, in Monongalia County, West Virginia, a daughter of Moss and Arlie Frances Bowen Rogers.

She lived most of her life in Greene County and was affiliated with the United Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Ernest J. Fox; one daughter, Mrs. Norman (Peggy Catherine) McLe of Bobtown; four sons, Robert H. Dulaney and John O. Dulaney, both of Waynesburg, Edward R. Fox, at home, Charles Franklin Fox of Willoughby, Ohio; six grandchildren; one sister, Nellie Rogers Foley of Mt. Morris; and one brother, Edward Jessie Rogers of Mt. Morris.

Deceased are one daughter, Frances Lucille Dulaney; two grandchildren; a sister, Plessia K. Rogers and a brother, Johnny Rogers.

Marabelle E. Ackley

Marabelle E. Ackley, 66, a former resident of Richhill Township, died Sunday, August 4, 1985, at 2:30 a.m., in the Greene County Memorial Hospital. Although not in the best of health, her death was unexpected.

She was born January 31, 1919, at West Finley R.D.2, a daughter of Forrest S. and Cora Smith Ackley.

Miss Ackley had resided all of her life in Richhill Township and was a member of the Union Valley Methodist Church in Time. She was a painter and made greeting cards and stationery which she sold locally.

Surviving are four brothers, J. Howard Ackley of Sycamore R.D.1, Raymond E. Ackley of Hadley R.D.1, Allen F. Ackley of North Fort Myers, Fla., Wayne Ackley of Upper Marlboro, Md.; two sisters, Mrs. Arthur (Wilma) Beabout of Wheeling, W.Va., Mrs. Lorena A. Horne of Carmichaels R.D.1; a foster brother, John Salsberry of Linesville R.D.2; and several nieces and nephews.

A sister, Lily Marie Ackley, died in infancy.

Richard McCarthy

Richard Peter McCarthy, 82, of Yarnell, Ariz., formerly of Clarksville, died July 19, 1985, in Veteran's Medical Center, Phoenix, Ariz.

He was born October 6, 1902, in Clarksville, a son of the late Peter and Mary Ann Rose McCarthy.

He lived in the Clarksville area until 1967, when he moved to Yarnell.

He was a coal miner and had retired from the Republic Steel Company. He was with the U.S. Navy Seabees in World War II.

He was a member of the IOOF of Clarksville and the VFW, Post 10242.

He is survived by his wife, Meredith Spiker McCarthy; one daughter, Patricia Prince of Yarnell; four nieces, Margaret DeFrancesco, Dorothy Fordyce, Loretta Furman and Shirley Tarr, all of Clarksville; and a nephew, Thomas Gilmer of Streetsboro, Ohio.

Deceased are two sisters, Marjorie McCarthy and Ocie Gilmer.

He was buried in Genung Memorial Park, Yarnell.

David H. Kerr

David H. Kerr, 36, of 120 Woodside Manor, Carmichaels, died Tuesday, August 6, 1985, after a long illness.

He was born November 22, 1948, in Franklin Township, a son of Rubin Kerr of Carmichaels and the late Juanita O. Duffy Kerr. He had resided all his life in Carmichaels, where he had formerly worked for the Carmichaels Water Authority.

He served with the U.S. Army in Panama during the Vietnam War period.

Surviving in addition to his father are his wife, Patricia Sikrai Kerr; three brothers, William Kerr of Lorain, Ohio, Charles Kerr of Wakeman, Ohio, and John Kerr of Beckley, Wash.; four sisters, Mrs. Louis (Jean) Busby of Claremore, Okla., Mrs. Juanita Hall of Strabane, Okla., Mrs. Dan (Ruby) Rapchak of North Olmstead, Ohio, and Mrs. Robert (Ruth) Clark of Brooksville, Fla.; 26 nieces and nephews, and seven great-nieces and great-nephews.

Edna Zepeda

Edna Morris Whisler Zepeda, 82, of 656 Rancho Vista Road, Vista, Calif., died Friday, June 28, 1985, of an apparent heart attack in an Oceanside, California hospital.

She was born April 24, 1903, in New Freeport, a daughter of Festus E. (Squire) and Maggie Hamilton Morris.

In November 1921, she married Dr. Edward L. Whisler of Jollytown and moved to Los Angeles, Calif.

She was a graduate of Polytechnic High School, La.; UCLA at Westwood and Biola Bible Institute of Los Angeles.

She was a member of the Fountain Avenue Baptist Church and taught in the primary department for 17 years.

Some years after Dr. Whisler's death, she married Sol Zepeda and they moved to Vista, Calif. 10 years ago.

Surviving are her husband; a sister, Margaret Rathbone of Los Angeles; three nieces, Salley Westphall of Los Angeles; Kathleen Rinehart of Waynesburg and Shirley Kaplan of St. Louis, Mo. and three nephews, S. Glenn Barr of LaPalma, Calif.; Glenn Morris of Escondido, Calif. and Duane Snider of Garrison.

Deceased are a sister, Eva Snider who died in February 1940 and two brothers, Earle who died in infancy and Glenn M. Morris who died in January 1984.

Jennie A. Donley

Jennie Assia Donley, 64, Dilliner R.D.1, died Monday, August 5, 1985, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

She was born October 27, 1920, in Johnstown, a daughter of the late Phillip and Anna Mobilia Assia. She was a member of the Mount Pleasant (Dixie) United Methodist Church and of the United Methodist Women of the church.

Surviving are her husband, William E. Donley; four sons, David A. Donley of Chicago, Ill., and Walter E., Kenneth W. and Blain A. Donley, all of Dilliner; three grandchildren; three brothers, Charles Donley of Cleveland, Ohio, Anthony Donley of Johnstown and Joseph A. Donley of Burkley, Calif., and three sisters, Mrs. Rose Spina, Mrs. Carolyn Pelletti and Mrs. Josephine Garffa, all of Cleveland, Ohio.

Pearl Seiler

Pearl M. Seiler, 70, of Minneapolis, Minn., formerly of Waynesburg, died Thursday, August 1, 1985, in Minneapolis, following a long illness.

She was born February 1, 1915, in Waynesburg, a daughter of the late Albert D. and Minnie Shultz Keener.

Her husband, Dorwin R. Seiler, died November 11, 1964.

She lived in Waynesburg and moved to Cleveland, Ohio in 1950. For seven years, she made her home in Monroe, N.Y., where she was a member of the Monroe Methodist Church.

She resided for the past year in Minneapolis.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John (Shirley) Colter of Minneapolis; two grandchildren, Judith Leavesley of Statesville, N.C. and Kirk Leavesley of Minneapolis; and one brother, Edward Keener of Atlanta, Ga.

Agnes Jean Zemba

Agnes Jean Zemba, 50, Schroyer's Lane, Carmichaels, died Friday, August 2, 1985, in Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va.

She was born January 31, 1935, at Nemaacolin, a daughter of the late Vincent and Agnes Stelmah Zemba, and had resided all of her life in the Carmichaels area.

She was employed as a compliance officer by the First National Bank of Carmichaels and was a member of Kingdom Hall, Jehovah's Witnesses.

Surviving are two brothers, Gus Pecharka of Rockville, Md. and Mike Zemba of Streetsboro, Ohio, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Anthony of Masontown, Mrs. Rose Novotny of New Salem and Mrs. George (Frances) Stilwell of Maple Heights, Ohio.

A brother, John Zemba, is deceased.

Lula Haines

Lula Bowers Haines, 86, of Harrison, Mich., formerly of Pleasant Valley, W.Va., died at 9 a.m. Wednesday, July 31, 1985, in Clare Nursing Home, Clare, Mich.

She was born November 27, 1898, in Greene County, a daughter of the late Arthur and Daisy McCann Bowers.

She is survived by two sisters, Ruth Brewer of Harrison and Evis Murphy of Pleasant Valley; and two brothers, Russell Bowers of Akron, Ohio and Joe Stewart of Harrison.

Howard R. Nichols

Howard R. Nichols, 90, of Carmichaels, died Wednesday, July 31, 1985, in Brownsville General Hospital after a long illness.

He was born October 22, 1894, in Jefferson, son of Milton and Laura Neel Nichols, and was a retired employee of the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.

Mr. Nichols was a veteran of World War I and a member of Filer-Sadler Post 954, American Legion, in Jefferson.

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Greene Memorial

ADMISSIONS

Patricia Rebold, Waynesburg
Linda Capitoni, Carmichaels
Charles Reha, Crucible
Marabelle Ackley, Carmichaels
James Howard, Clarksville
Maude Williams, New Freeport
Ross Smith, Waynesburg
Allene Stickle, Waynesburg
Angela Caldwell, Waynesburg
Margaret Thomas, Waynesburg
Elizabeth Marshall, Waynesburg
Helen White, Waynesburg
Margaret Davis, Jefferson
Violet Pratt, Greensboro
Gay Cree, Carmichaels
George Stohon, Holbrook
Crystal McMasters, Waynesburg
Shelly Usher, Waynesburg
Violetta Jones, Prosperity

DISCHARGES

Christina Jordan, Nemaacolin
Lizzie Burnfield, Brave
George Rutherford, Clarksville
Mike Vrona, Waynesburg
Joshua Koscheck, Prosperity
Leonard Martin, Waynesburg
John Lohr, Fredericktown
Mae Everett, Waynesburg
Angela Caldwell and daughter, Waynesburg
Sandra Palone, Jefferson
Helen Frantz, Waynesburg
Linda Capitoni and daughter, Carmichaels
Deborah Cogar and daughter, Washington
Charles Reha, Crucible
Eva Gabler, Greensboro
Margaret Vodney, Greensboro
James Howard, Clarksville
Earl Snyder, Fredericktown
William Fonner, Waynesburg
Cindy Galloway and daughter, Jefferson

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Geno Capitoni, Carmichaels, Aug. 2, 1985, a daughter
To Mr. and Mrs. Randy White, Waynesburg, Aug. 4, 1985, a son

Monongalia

ADMISSIONS

Harry Davis, Waynesburg
Pamela Sue Wright, Mt. Morris
Karen Phillips, Greensboro
Michael Stevulak, Dilliner
Paul Pevic, Waynesburg
Maurine Phillips, Greensboro
Beverly Lee, Dilliner
Jeffrey Bowman, Waynesburg
Edward Orsky, Bobtown
Floyd Birch, Mt. Morris
Stanley Eddy, Spraggs
Priscilla Jack, Carmichaels
Michael Kundry, Bobtown

DISCHARGES

Frank Berdine, Hundred, W.Va.
Dorothy Thomas, Spraggs
William Holbert, Dilliner
Catherine Steve and son, Waynesburg

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Jefferie Wright, Mt. Morris, a son, Aug. 4.
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Namolek, Mt. Morris, a daughter, Aug. 2

Budget Director

The Washington County Salary Board has named a new budget director.

Kevin Humble, the deputy director since March 1983, replaces Charles Gillespie who retired this year.

Humble, 35, who will earn \$29,090, began working for the county in February 1980, as deputy controller.

In 1982 he moved to the department of administration, which subsequently merged with the budget office in January 1983.

Edward J. Franks Sr.

Edward Joseph Franks Sr., 57, of Bobtown died at 8:50 a.m. Sunday, August 4, 1985, in West Virginia University Hospital, Morgantown.

He was born January 17, 1928, in Greensboro, a son of Stephen and Mary Lesnik Franks.

He had lived in Bobtown for the past 35 years.

Mr. Franks was a mechanic and electrician at the Duquesne Light Co. Warwick Mine.

He was a member of St. Ignatius Church in Bobtown and of the Holy Name Society of the church. He was a fourth-degree member of the John F. Kennedy Memorial Council, Knights of Columbus, Carmichaels.

During World War II he served with the U.S. Navy as a seaman first class. He was a member of Greensboro Post 6303, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and of Greensboro Local 6310, United Mine Workers of America. He was a former scoutmaster of the Bobtown troop.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Popernack Franks; three sons, Andrew Franks of Bobtown, Edward Franks Jr. of Vienna, W.Va., and Paul Franks, in the Baptist Home in Mt. Lebanon; three daughters, Mrs. Gregory (Patricia) Brown of Beaver, Mrs. Gordon (Susan) Shedd of Boston, Mass., and Cynthia Franks, at home; three grandchildren; a brother, Stephen Franks of Pittsburgh; and two sisters, Mrs. Robert (Rose) Leaf of Willowick, Ohio, and Catherine Lind of Houston, Texas.



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Fashion Revue

Two members of local 4-H clubs will compete in early August in the state Fashion Revue for State Achievement Days at Penn State. Amy Osso, left, and Jennifer Mawhinney both won at the regional fashion revue held last week in Monroeville. Miss Osso is a member of the East Franklin Sew n' Sew Club and Miss Mawhinney is a member of the Carmichaels Pins and Needles Club.

Horse And Pony Clubs Participate

100 Riders Compete In Show

WAYNESBURG — The annual Greene County 4-H Horse Show was held Saturday, Aug. 3, at the county fairgrounds with members of county 4-H Horse and Pony Clubs participating.

More than 100 young men and women competed in the event, with the top five finishers in each class earning the right to take part in the district horse show at South Park, Pittsburgh, on Saturday, Aug. 24. The district show is a qualifier for the 4-H state horse show which will be held Oct. 4-6 at Harrisburg.

Ribbon winners in each of the 25 events held:

Grooming and Showmanship, Junior Division — 1) David Shawn Shultz, Waynesburg; 2) Jennifer Bierer, Greensboro; 3) Candace Baker, Mt. Morris; 4) Amy Beth Maley, Mt. Morris; 5) Domenica Scattaregia, Ruff Creek.

Grooming and Showmanship, Senior Division — 1) Carol Masuga, Carmichaels; 2) Robin Phillips, Mt. Morris; 3) Kimber Seymour, Mt. Morris; 4) Diana Hetz, Greensboro; 5) Stacy Edgar, Waynesburg.

Pleasure Pairs — 1) Shannon Fuller, Waynesburg.

Stock Seat Equitation — 1) Amy Beth Maley; 2) Jason Thomas, Mt. Morris; 3) Eric Prugh, Mt. Morris; 4) Lori Ann Maley, Mt. Morris.

Saddle Seat Equitation, Junior Division — 1) Domenica Scattaregia; 2) Shannon Fuller.

Hunt Seat Equitation, Junior Division — 1) Susan Mawhinney, Waynesburg; 2) Jennifer Bierer; 3) Candace Baker, Mt. Morris.

Stock Seat Equitation, Senior Division — 1) Carol Masuga; 2) Diana Hetz, Greensboro.

Hunter Seat Equitation, Senior Division — 1) Robin Phillips, Mt. Morris; 2) Kimber Seymour, Mt. Morris; 3) Eddie Prugh, Mt. Morris;

Western Riding Contest — 1) Carol Masuga; 2) Diana Hetz, Greensboro.

Open Trail, over 13.2 hands — 1) Carol Masuga; 2) Amy Beth Maley; 3) Diana Hetz.

Hunter Hack Horses — 1) Susan Mawhinney.

Registered Quarter Horse — 1) Stacy Edgar.

UMW Convention Set For 1986

MASONTOWN — The constitutional convention in District 4 of the United Mine Workers, originally scheduled for September, probably won't be held until early next year.

The district had asked the union's International Executive Board for a six-month extension on the time it had to hold its constitutional convention, said District 4 President David Menhart, and the request was approved.

With the extension, the district has until March to hold its convention.

According to Menhart, the extension was necessary because of the district's financial condition.

"We've been having layoffs for the last five or six years and it has hurt us financially," said the recently elected president.

The economic conditions in the mining industry are not what they were several years ago. Menhart noted that the district had a greater number of working members when the Dilworth, Emerald and Cumberland mines were being developed and when they first opened.

To raise funds for the convention, the district will levy a one-time assessment of \$10 on all working members, Menhart said. The assessment for a convention is provided for in the district constitution and has been used in the past, he added. The membership also has been informed about the delay in holding the convention and the reasons for the action.

According to rules governing the union, a district constitutional convention is required every four years. Each UMW district is governed by its own constitution.

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Friday, August 9, 1985
Commissioner's
To Boost Backed-Up
Compensation Claims
Waynesburg - Greene County
Commissioner Daniel L. Bailey has called on the House
Labor Relations Committee to hold a public hearing
in Greene County on the long delays involved in the
processing of contested claims for workers' compen-
sation.
Citing the fact that more than 300 such cases
are currently pending in Greene and Fayette coun-
ties, Bailey said he is asking for the hearing "to give
these workers an opportunity to tell their story of
suffering, pain, anguish and financial loss which has
left their lives empty and totally disrupted."
The request, which is supported by officials of
District 4, United Mine Workers of America, has been
sent to Rep. Mark B. Cohen of Philadelphia,
chairman of the House Labor Relations Committee.
Mike Cassidy, executive director of the commit-
tee, confirmed that Cohen has received the request
but is out of town and has had no opportunity
to respond to it.
"If a hearing is scheduled, it would have to be
sometime this fall," he said. "I agree with Mr.
Bailey, though, the situation is just abominable." He
added that Cohen will be holding a hearing in
Pittsburgh on the same subject on Aug. 30.
Bailey cited a study which showed there were
15,729 workers' compensation claims which were
awarded a referee's decision in Pennsylvania at the
end of 1984. Each referee had 384 cases to handle,
with an average of 10 months elapsing before a
ruling was made, while some cases dragged on for
three years or longer.
"If an employer denies compensation for a
work-related injury, it is referred to a referee and
then the long ordeal for the worker begins," Bailey
said. "Men and women are losing not only their
health but their self-respect, along with their
homes, cars and families. How long will these
workers wait before their families are destroyed by
a system which is engulfed by corporation money
and legal red tape? How long must an injured
worker wait to receive benefits that are his under
the law?"
Bailey said that a majority of the pending cases
in Greene and Fayette counties involve claims by
coal miners.
"Being an active member of the UMW, I must
not only defend the working people of this area but
ask that others who are close to these problems use
their influence and position to bring a quick solution
to this outrageous injustice being created every
working day by these employers," he wrote in his
letter to Cohen.
Housing Survey Taken
Waynesburg - Plans to convert the old
County Office Building in Waynesburg into a high-rise
apartment for the elderly will apparently
depend on advance proof that there is sufficient
demand for the housing to assure its occupancy.
The Kenneth Grosse Development Group of
Souderton, entered into an agreement several
months ago to purchase the six-story building from
the Greene County Commissioners.
Recently the company informed the Greene
County Housing Authority that proposed funding by
the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) will
depend on the housing authority's ability to identify
at least 20 elderly families with annual income of
between \$10,000 and \$20,000 who would be interested
in occupying the 20 housing units to be provided.
"There is no obligation to participate in the study
we will be making," Housing Authority Executive
Director Louis DeMola said.
He said that potential tenants must be at least 62
years of age and able to live independently. Inter-
ested persons who meet these requirements are
asked to contact the Greene County Housing Au-
thority, 170 East Greene Street, Waynesburg. They
can also call 627-6523.
"This complex would be a show piece and a
demonstration of what can be done with conversion,
restoration and rehabilitation of the building,"
DeMola said.
The county commissioners decided last year to
sell the building since it costs some \$75,000 a year to
operate and maintain it.

Public Notices

**TAX SALE
CLAIM BUREAU**
OWNERS OF PROPERTIES DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE AND TO ALL PERSONS HAVING LIENS, JUDGMENTS, MUNICIPAL CLAIMS OR OTHER LIENS AGAINST SUCH PROPERTIES.
NOTICE is hereby given that the TAX CLAIM BUREAU OF GREENE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, will hold a delinquent tax sale under the Real Estate Tax Sale Law, P. L. 1368, as amended, on the following prevailing time, MONDAY, the 9th day of September, 1985, at the Greene County Court House, Waynesburg, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of collecting unpaid taxes, municipal claims and all costs incident thereto. The following described properties will be sold for at least the Usual Sale Price in the respective amounts hereinafter approximated, plus the realty taxes for the current year and municipal claims filed, if any. The final sale price will be announced at the time of sale.

DeHaas, E.P. II and Ladonna M. (Mrs. E.P.) DeHaas II, Control No. 2 100, Map No. 020145, Land and building, 209 N/E S. Greengarden St., Boro plan, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$4,157.26
Forney, Ronald S. and Joyce E. (Mrs. Ronald S.) Forney, Control No. 2 119, Map No. 020118, Land and building, 302 E/S W. Market St., 1984 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$543.28
Gresko, Josephine, Control No. 2, Map No. 0203130, Land and building, 202 E/S S. Market St., lot 53, Boro plan, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$1,326.26
**Klimek, David J., Control No. 2 215, Map No. 0204205, Land and building, 210 W/S S. Vine St. part of lots 91, 92 & 93, Boro plan, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$2,206.94
**Klimek, David J., Control No. 2 216, Map No. 0204206, Vacant land, 507 Cor. W. South St. Cherrylawn Sub. part of lots 91, 92 & 93, plan, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$206.07
Lynn, James P. and Helen M. (Mrs. James P.) Lynn, Control No. 2 210, Map No. 0201184, Vacant land, N/S North St. lot 11, North Pine Sub. 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$187.17
Folan, Mary Ann and William Folan, Control No. 5 3891, Map No. 0535153, Land and building N/S of Grand Lane being lot 29 Nemaconlin Plan No. 2, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$171.17
Folan, Mary Ann and William Folan, Control No. 5 3891, Map No. 0535153, Land and building N/S of Grand Lane being lot 29 Nemaconlin Plan No. 2, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$171.17
Folsom, Robert A. and William Folsom, Control No. 5 3891, Map No. 0535153, Land and building N/S of Grand Lane being lot 29 Nemaconlin Plan No. 2, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$171.17
Center Township
**Cole, Irene, 3 39, Map No. 0307118, Land and trailer on lot 2, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$290.75
**Lemley, Charles, 3 7207, Map No. 0310144-T, Trailer on lot 2, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$348.90
Clarksville Borough
**Campbell, Lawrence J., 4 115, Map No. 0401302, Vacant Land W/S of South St., 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$150.43
**Paletta, Frank & Santella Albert, c/o Paletta Sales & Service, Inc., 7 2, Map No. 0401506, Vacant and E/S Mar. St. being lot 50, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$348.23
Cumberland Twp.
**Ansell, James D. Jr. and Ansell, Jr., Control No. 5 243, Map No. 0535408, Land and Building S/S of Rosewood Lane being lot 2, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$150.43
**Paletta, Frank & Santella Albert, c/o Paletta Sales & Service, Inc., 7 2, Map No. 0401506, Vacant and E/S Mar. St. being lot 50, 1983 1984 Taxes, Approximate Usel Price - \$348.23
**1. The Initial bid must equal the fixed Usel Price. In the event of a bid higher than the Usel Price, the initial excess bid must be at least \$25.00. Subsequent excess bids may be in any multiple of twenty five (\$25.00). If the lowest bid is not accepted, the purchaser must pay the taxes for the current year and produce the Tax Claim Bureau deed will be recorded. In addition to the Usel Price, the purchaser must pay the Realty Taxes and the Recording Fee of \$12.00. These items will be computed after the property has been knocked down. The successful bidder will receive the Usel Price, the transfer tax and the recording fee must all be paid at the same time.
**2. The Tax Claim Bureau will issue a deed to the purchaser upon receipt of confirmation of the sale by the Court of Common Pleas. The Deed will not contain any warranty either expressed or implied. Approximately three (3) months time from the date of sale is required before deed will be delivered to the purchaser.
**3. EVERY SUCH SALE SHALL CONVEY TITLE TO THE PROPERTY UNDER AND SUBJECT TO THE TAXES AND ALL UNRECORDED OBLIGATION, CLAIM, LIEN, ESTATE, MORTGAGE OR FOUNDED OR UNFOUNDED PROPERTY MAY HAVE OR SHALL BE CHARGED OR FOR WHICH IT MAY BECOME LIABLE.
**4. It is strongly urged that prospective purchasers have examinations made of the title to any tracts in which they may be interested. Every reasonable effort has been made to keep these proceedings free from error. However, in every case, the property is offered for sale by the Tax Claim Bureau without any guarantee or warranty whatever, either as to existence, correctness of ownership, size, boundaries, locations, structures or lack of structures upon the land, or any other matter or thing whatever. No adjustment will be made after the property is struck down.
**5. The properties offered for sale are hereinafter set out by Township or taxing districts and the name of the owner of each item is that of the owner or reputed owner in whose name the property is assessed for the taxes on the Tax Claim Bureau.
**6. The 1985 Accrued Taxes will be included in the Usel Price on the date of the sale; if a record is sent to the Bureau by the Tax Collectors, prior to the date of sale.
GREENE COUNTY TAX CLAIM BUREAU BY Betty L. Morris, Director****************************

ALEPPO TOWNSHIP
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