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River Bursts Into Homes, Onto Bridges

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — People who live along the upper Monongahela River are calling it the worst flood ever.

It pushed fingers of water into places they had never reached before, sending hundreds of families to the safety of high ground as their homes were flooded.

It tore at least 40 coal barges loose, sending them careening into bridges as they swept wildly downriver toward Pittsburgh, forcing police and firemen to close the bridges as a precautionary measure.

It caused millions of dollars in damage to coal mine loading facilities, forcing mines to close for the foreseeable future.

It inundated water treatment plants on both sides of the river, posing the threat of water shortages in the midst of an oversupply of water.

It put four major power stations out of operation and led to interruptions of electrical service.

It tore mobile homes loose from their foundations, sending them bobbing down the debris-laden and muddy river.

It bred rumors of power plant explosions and ruptured dams, all of which proved groundless.

It led to activation by Gov. Dick Thornburgh of the Pennsylvania National Guard unit in Waynesburg Tuesday evening to assist with traffic control and property protection.

But so far as is known, it caused no injury or death, due in large part to implementation of an early warning plan which brought firemen out late Monday night to warn residents of low-lying areas.

"Everyone I've talked to tells me it's worse than it was in 1936," said Larry Marshall, coordinator of the Greene County Emergency Management Agency, referring to the legendary St. Patrick's Day flood of that year which has become the standard by which all other river floods are measured.

"But firemen, state police and everyone else involved did a really fine job in responding to warnings of what was coming."

The hardest hit community in Greene County was Greensboro Borough, water spread onto the main street to flood homes, stores and such places as the fire hall and post office.

At least 100 homes had been evacuated by late Tuesday afternoon, with centers for housing and feeding residents being set up at Mapletown High School and the Penn Pitt Elementary School, which were available when all classes were cancelled for the day.

Rices Landing was also hard hit, as were Millsboro, Fredericktown and other downstream communities.

The flooding was engendered by three days of steady rain, much of it in West Virginia where more than seven inches of rainfall were recorded. Not only was the Monongahela River itself running bankful by

Monday night, but Cheat River waters impounded by the dam at Lake Lynn forced opening of the sluice gates to feed millions of gallons of additional water into the Mon at Point Marion, which at one point had more than eight feet of water in the business district.

Six coal barges which tore loose from somewhere upriver created havoc. When they reached the Shanopin Mine loading dock at Dilliner, they ripped away 16 barges, eight of them loaded with coal, and tore out the tippie, loading dock and other river facilities.

Superintendent Al Smalara said the mine, which employs 225 people, will probably be closed for between a week and two weeks.

The Dunkard Mine at Dilliner reported that two barges were torn loose there and the tippie and loading facility were extensively damaged, forcing the mine to close until further notice.

Larry Chess of the Chess Coal Company said he lost two barges and that loading facilities were completely under water. "We won't know the extent of damage until the water goes down," he said.

Coal loading facilities of the Danri Corp. at Dilliner were also inundated and four homes owned by the Gugliotta family, which operate the facility and the Triangle Enterprises mine, were also under water.

The preparation plants of both the Duquesne Light Co. mine at Greensboro and the former Robena Mine

preparation plant, which services the Cumberland Mine at Kirby, were also under water, but personnel there managed to keep barges from breaking loose.

Officials at the Nemaquin mine said they closed the mine Tuesday morning, but so far had been able to prevent damage to the loading facilities.

Work at the Dilworth mine at Rices Landing was halted Tuesday afternoon because of high water, with no indication when it would resume.

As the barges swept downstream, they carried over the dam at Monongahela River Lock No. 7 at Greensboro, which was completely covered by water. The U.S. Corps of Engineers at Pittsburgh said that reports that the lock gates were damaged could not be confirmed until the water has receded and an inspection can be made.

The West Penn Power Company

reported that both the Fort Martin Power Plant at Point Marion and the Hatfield Ferry Power Plant at Maestown were out of operation as water rose into the plants. Plants at Albright, W.Va. and Lake Lynn were also shut down.

"We're buying electricity and should be able to maintain power service to all of our customers," a West Penn spokesman said.

He confirmed there was a fire late Tuesday afternoon at the Hatfield Ferry plant which damaged a "cable tray," a point where electrical cables come together. "Apparently they got the fire out without too much trouble and nobody was injured, but we have not been able to determine the extent of damage as yet," the spokesman said, adding that the plant was completely surrounded by water at one point.

At the request of firemen, electricity was cut off in a number of

areas as a precautionary measure.

West Penn said service to 100 families in the Riviera Trailer Court on Route 88 near Dilliner was discontinued at the request of the Bobtown Fire Company. At the request of the Greensboro Fire Company, service was cut off to the Mon View Park area and to Alicia. Rices Landing firemen requested a cutoff of 80 families along the river there, and Fredericktown firemen asked for elimination of service in the Millsboro and Newtown area.

"We've also had a lot of requests for help from customers from throughout the three-county area because of basement flooding," the utility spokesman said.

Route 21 traffic was disrupted several times during the day as the river span was closed as a precautionary measure as runaway barges swept under it.

County Workers Begin Wage-Hike Campaign

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — Greene County employees who are members of Local 585, Service Employees International Union, began a campaign for public support Thursday, Oct. 31, as their union opened negotiations with the county commissioners for a new contract.

Taking to the streets in Waynesburg at lunchtime, they handed out fliers to explain their demands for a wage increase, protection for jobs and patients at Curry Memorial Home, and improved health-care coverage.

The first meeting with County Commissioner L.R. Santore, who will be handling negotiations for the county, was held at 3 p.m. Thursday.

"We met with him to present our proposals in general terms and to

schedule future negotiating sessions," said John Haer, negotiator for the Pittsburgh-based SEIU.

The union represents 175 of the county's 234 employees. Of those, 110 are employed at the Curry Home, 15 at the county jail, and 50 in the maintenance department and various county offices.

As they set forth in their flier, county employees have not had a pay raise since July 1, 1984. Because of the county's financial condition, they accepted a wage freeze in the 1985 contract with the stipulation that bargaining for the 1986 contract begin with a guaranteed increase of at least 15 cents an hour.

While Haer declined to state how much they are seeking, he did say that they are asking for more than the guaranteed 15 cents.

He pointed out that of the 47 people

in the bargaining unit who work in various county offices, 36 earn less than \$5 an hour and 24 make less than \$4.50 an hour.

The flier also notes that Curry Home employees are concerned about talk that "one of the commissioners is already threatening to lease the home to private, profit-making interests."

They were referring to concern expressed by Commissioner Dan Bailey recently over the fact that the county was forced to use almost \$1 million of county funds last year to supplement revenues from state and federal sources to meet operating costs. At that time, Bailey expressed the view that the county should explore its options with regard to the nursing home, including the possibility of getting out of the nursing home business.

'MEMORY MEALS'

Sue and Bob Dugan enjoy complimentary "Memory Meal" after the birth of their child.



Hospital Offers New Parents Chance To Celebrate Over Dinner

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — What better way to celebrate your anniversary and the birth of your second child than with a candlelight dinner for two with wine and all the trimmings?

Bob and Sue Dugan of Waynesburg had this experience when they became the first couple to enjoy a "Memory Meal," the latest addition to Greene County Memorial Hospital's range of services for expecting parents and their children.

The occasion was a celebration of the birth of their second daughter, Kellie Dugan. Mrs. Dugan is a teacher at Spraggs Elementary School and her husband is employed by Greenway Manufacturing. They are the parents of another daughter, Erin.

Each new mother receives a "Memory Meal" brochure, complete with suggested menus. A member of the hospital dietary department visits the new mother to make arrangements for the meal, which is scheduled to fit the father's work schedule, usually on the evening prior to the mother's discharge from the hospital.

The meals are served privately in the fourth-floor reception area complete with linen, candles and wine. Sparkling non-alcoholic beverages are also available.

"The Memory Meal is the hospital's way of recognizing the specialness of birth and provides an opportunity for parents to celebrate the event in a

private way," Hospital Administrator Michael Flinn said.

Flinn added that plans are being made to round out the many services for parents by providing a free baby-sitting class for area students who are 12 years of age and older. Students who become certified will be maintained on a hospital list that will be distributed to new parents.

The hospital also offers childbirth classes for expectant parents. Hospital policy permits fathers to be present during labor and delivery at the discretion of the physician and so long as the delivery proceeds normally.

There is a "Big Brother, Big Sister" program available for siblings to become acquainted with the hospital and get prepared for the arrival of a new brother or sister.

Greene County Memorial Hospital is among the few hospitals that permit visits by brothers and sisters under the age of 12 in patient rooms. Arrangements must be made in advance for such a visit through the nursing department.

"All services in the obstetrical department are designed to make the event of a birth special and memorable for all members of the family," Flinn said.

Information on the range of hospital services for expectant parents and their families is available from Nursing Administration, 627-3101, extension 414.

Taxes Too High, Pittsburgh Firm Says

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — A company that pays taxes of more than \$750,000 a year on coal it owns in Greene County claims it is being overtaxed on a large percentage of that coal.

Consolidated Natural Gas Co., Pittsburgh, which owns 51,900 acres of Sewickley seam coal and 24,669 acres of Pittsburgh seam coal in western Greene County, has asked for a reduction in the \$5.8 million assessed value assigned to the Sewickley seam coal.

When its appeal was held on Tuesday, Oct. 29, Rick M. Orr, CNG manager of resources and materials, told the Greene County commissioners that the county's assigned market value of \$385 an acre on Sewickley seam coal far exceeds the true value of the coal.

He said that the company paid a

top price of \$100 an acre and an average price of \$46 an acre when it bought the coal. The coal was purchased between 1969 and 1980 when CNG was putting the block of coal together for proposed construction of a coal gasification plant. The project was abandoned several years ago when the crisis over the supply of natural gas and oil ended.

"CNG has had no budget for coal purchases for the past two years," he said. "We have assigned the Sewickley coal a book value of \$150 an acre representing the purchase price and the expenses which went into assembling the block of coal. We have made repeated efforts to sell or lease the coal since 1982 but there is no market for it. The cost of carrying it and paying taxes on it is eating us up."

The bulk of CNG's coal holdings are in Jackson, Aleppo and Springhill

townships. Smaller amounts are in Richhill, Freeport, Gilmore and Wayne townships.

The county has assigned a market value of \$385 an acre and an assessed value of \$112.50 an acre, representing 30 percent of the market value. CNG's Sewickley seam coal has an assessed value of \$5,410,000 — making it the largest block in Greene County. Property taxes on the coal cost the company some \$500,000 a year, of which \$315,000 goes to the West Greene School District.

"We paid \$2.4 million for the coal and have paid \$2.6 million in taxes on it," Orr said.

The \$385 per acre market value was assigned to Sewickley seam coal in 1979 when the system for assessing coal was revised by the county. The value was arrived at with agreement of the county's major coal holders, of which CNG was one.

GCID OKs Bonds For Motel

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Industrial Development Authority has approved industrial revenue bond financing for two projects — construction of an Econo Lodge motel in Waynesburg and expansion of the Accurate Forging Corp. plant in Brave.

The funding applications will be submitted to the Pennsylvania Department of Commerce which administers the IRB financing program.

Ken Willison Jr. of Waynesburg, as spokesman for the group planning to build the motel, said it would be located on eight acres of land behind the Exxon station on Route 21 at the Interstate 79 interchange in Franklin Township.

Waynesburg Motel Associates, Ltd., which has been created to obtain

the franchise from Econo Lodges of America, will provide \$400,000 of the \$1.2 million required to build the facility. The remaining \$800,000 would be obtained through Gallatin National Bank under the IRB program.

Jack Brown of Columbus, Ohio, midwest franchise director for Econo Lodge, said the Waynesburg motel would be a two-story building containing 60 units, with the timetable calling for completion of construction by late spring.

"We feel there is great potential in a Waynesburg location," Brown said. "In fact we may be under-building with 60 rooms, but if so we can always expand in the future."

He added that Econo Lodge is one of the fastest growing motel chains in the nation, with 347 motels in operation or under development.

Brown said the Waynesburg motel could have a conference room if the

community said one was necessary. He also said that while restaurants are not included as integral parts of Econo Lodges, restaurant companies generally establish free-standing locations next to them. "There would be room on the site for a restaurant," he said.

Others at the hearing Wednesday were Kenneth Willison Sr.; Gregory S. Veach, president of a West Virginia insurance agency who is one of the partners in the new corporation; John Cameron, project architect and engineer, and Steve Tewanger of Econo Lodge management.

Waynesburg Attorney David Hook made the presentation on behalf of Accurate Forging Corp. of Bristol, Conn. He said the company is seeking \$1 million in IRB funding for financing of the project at its plant in Brave, where 62 people are now employed.



Christmas Parade Scheduled

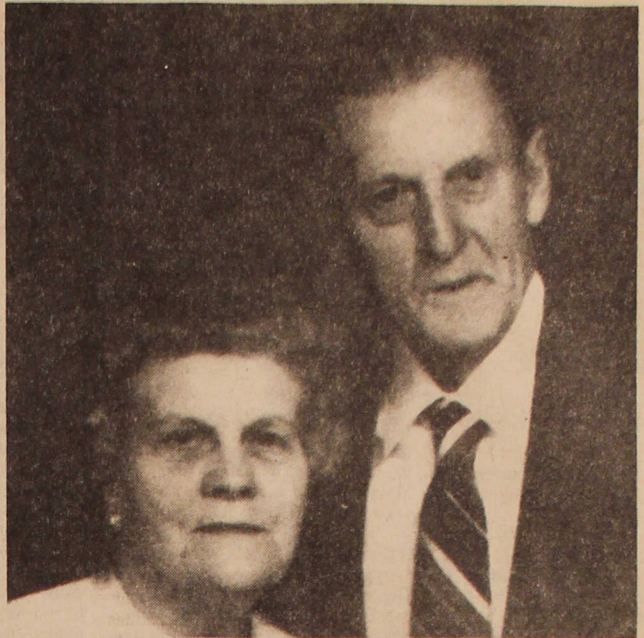
Joseph Ottoviani of the First National Bank and Trust Co. of Washington has been appointed chairman of the 1985 Christmas parade to be held by the Greater Waynesburg Chamber of Commerce. The event is scheduled for 2 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 7. It will be led by Pittsburgh TV personality, Wayne VanDine. Carole Barrett, left, Ottoviani and Jacki Headlee formulate plans for the parade.

FAMILY ALBUM



West Greene Reunion

Members of the West Greene High School class of 1955 (Rogersville) held their 30-year reunion recently at Dolpi's Restaurant in Masontown. Left to right: first row, Robert Nelson, Nola Hopkins Lightner, Sarah Marie Martin Watson and Patricia Stockdale Faux; second row, Marvin Daugherty, Donald R. Martin and Richard A. Morgan; on steps, Carroll Morgan, Happy L. Day, Richard Ely, Walter E. Bissett, Ralph D. Tharp and John C. Watson.



50TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. John Cwierz of Dry Tavern were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner for family members at Century Inn, Scenery Hill, Sunday, Oct. 27. The couple were married Oct. 29, 1935, by the late Rev. Julian S. Lachendro in Sacred Heart Church, Rices Landing. Mrs. Cwierz is the former Anna O'Brockta, daughter of the late Victoria and Andrew O'Brockta of Dry Tavern. Mr. Cwierz is a son of the late Anna and Michael Cwierz of Besco. He is a retired miner who worked for Republic Steel Corp. at its Clyde Mine, Fredericktown. Mr. and Mrs. Cwierz have one daughter, Helen Barbor of Dry Tavern. The couple were recently among golden jubiliarians of the Diocese of Pittsburgh honored at a concelebrated pontifical mass at St. Paul's Cathedral, Oakland. Bishop Bevilacqua conducted the celebration of the Eucharist and the renewal of wedding vows. The couple also received a congratulatory message from President and Mrs. Reagan.

COURSE COMPLETED

Airman 1st Class James R. Cunningham, son of Karen Cunningham of Sacramento, Calif., and James R. Cunningham of Pine Bluff R.D.2, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force security police specialist course at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

Cunningham, a 1985 graduate of Hiram Johnson High School in Sacramento, is scheduled to serve with the 320th Security Police Squadron at Mather Air Force Base, Calif.

TRAINING COMPLETED

Navy seaman recruit Terry L. Morris, son of William E. and Carolyn S. Morris of Mt. Morris R.D.1, has completed recruit training at training command in San Diego, Calif.

Morris is a 1985 graduate of Waynesburg Central High School. He joined the Navy in August.

CIVIC CLUB MEETING

The Shannopin Civic Club will celebrate its 39th anniversary at its monthly luncheon meeting at 1 p.m. Friday, Nov. 8, in the Bobtown club hall.

Bette Minder, president of the Greene County Federation of Women's Clubs, will be the featured speaker. Club members with 20 or more years of active membership will be honored.

Decision On Grandstand Delayed

By Bob Eichenlaub, Greene County Editor

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County commissioners will not make any decision on the future of the grandstand at the county fairgrounds until they have explored all their options.

In the meantime, the large wooden structure will remain

padlocked after being cited by the state Department of Labor and Industry for numerous safety violations.

"They (Labor and Industry) wanted a response on what we were going to do within 30 days, but we've notified them that the grandstand will remain padlocked until we determine the best route to take," board Chair-

man John Gardner said at the commissioners' weekly meeting. "Since there's no real need for it until next spring, we can wait until we have all of the cost figures before making a decision."

The commissioners said they plan to obtain estimates on what it would cost to repair the existing structure as well as the cost of tearing

it down and replacing it. They will then meet with the Greene County Fair Board to discuss the available options.

The citations focused on lack of fire-retardant materials in the ceilings of the eight concession stands located under the grandstand, where cooking is done, and on structural deterioration in the seating area and roof.

The commissioners appointed attorney William Nalitz of Waynesburg to the Greene County Planning Commission after accepting, with regret, the resignation of Debra V. Hook, also an attorney.

A report was received from the Department of Corrections regarding a recent inspection of the county jail. It noted that the jail was well-run and maintained, and that two of four deficiencies cited following an earlier inspection this year have been corrected.

One involved the fact that jail records did not reflect physical exams provided to all inmates. The prison physician now visits the jail three times a week, physical examinations are conducted, and sick call is provided to all inmates upon their written request," it states.

The other corrected deficiency involved a requirement that inmates be provided with two hours of daily outdoor recreation in the prison yard. "A jail log is now kept of all outdoor recreation periods," the report states. "Every effort is made to provide two hours of outdoor yard to all inmates, weather permitting."

It points out, however, that inmate workers are still not being paid or compensated for their labor.

"Warden (Andy) Bystry advised that because inmates work on a volunteer basis, they do not have to be paid or compensated. This policy is in violation of Title 37, section 95.235."

The other continuing violation cited involves training of jail personnel.

"There is no in-service training. Personnel do not attend the Department of Corrections Academy. These deficiencies have not been corrected and there are no plans to do so."

Church Gets Permission To Tie Into Storm Drain

By Bob Niedbala, Staff Writer

CARMICHAELS — Carmichaels Borough Council voted Monday, Nov. 4, to permit the United Methodist Church to connect to a storm drain on Gooseberry Alley to provide drainage for the parking lot the church plans to build there.

Representatives from the church, borough and Cumberland Township had met earlier to discuss water drainage in the alley. It was explained that officials from both municipalities were involved because half the alley is in the borough and half in the township.

It was decided that the church would pay \$1,500 toward the cost of connecting to the line. The total cost of the project had been estimated at \$2,300. The costs not paid by the church would be split evenly between the township and borough.

The borough, having received a check from the church for its share of the work, voted to permit the tap-in. In other business, council voted to approve a set of rules and regulations for members of the borough police force. The rules, which had been devised by the borough solicitor, cover the conduct of officers on and off duty as well as procedures the officers are to follow in the line of duty.

"The borough police department currently does not have such a set of rules and regulations, said Council President Betty Hudson. She added that the rules had not been established as the result of any problems with officers.

Anytime you have such an opera-

tion, "you should have something down in writing," she said.

Council received a recommendation from its solicitor concerning a request by the American Legion to have a parking meter re-installed in front of the organization's post home on East George Street.

Council had earlier been told by the state Department of Transportation that parking should not be permitted there because it blocks the vision of drivers pulling onto East George from Maple Alley.

Solicitor William Nalitz also recommended that a meter not be installed at the site. He said the borough could be liable if any accidents occur there and an accident victim decided to sue.

Council member Paul Connor warned that other parking spaces in the borough also might not meet the standards applied by PennDOT when it determined that the space in front of the legion not be used for parking.

Council voted to permit the Emergency Medical Transport Inc., which established its headquarters in Carmichaels about five months ago, to purchase workman's compensation insurance through the borough.

Council had asked the borough's insurance carrier, Baily Insurance Agency, what it would cost to include EMT under its coverage and the cost was said to be at least \$950 a year.

The ambulance service has agreed to pay the costs of the additional coverage.

Dan Sherepita, president of EMT, Inc., said the price of the coverage will be a bargain for his organization.

Waynesburg Dentist Is Asked To Appear Before State On Females' Charges

WAYNESBURG — The state Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs has asked a Waynesburg dentist to appear before the State Dental Council and Examining Board to answer allegations made by 12 female patients, including two from Greene County.

Dr. Robb Bartholomew, 43, of 61 West High Street, who has offices in Waynesburg, Lancaster and Uniontown, is being asked by the state agency to show cause why his license to practice should not be suspended or revoked.

Dr. Bartholomew is to appear before the board at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, according to prosecuting attorney David J. Felicio.

This action is in addition to the charges brought last month by the Manheim Township Police Dept. in Lancaster County, which has filed 10 counts of indecent assault and one count of corrupting the morals of a minor.

According to the notice filed by the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs, Dr. Bartholomew will have 20 days to respond to the allegations. Failure to file an answer during this period will be deemed a default and admission.

Divorces Granted

WAYNESBURG — The following divorce decrees have been handed down by the Greene County Court:

Gloria Diane Mayhle Brightwell of West Finley R.D.2 from Charles Alfred Brightwell of St. Albans, W.Va. They were married September 19, 1969, and have two children.

Samuel W. Dulaney, Waynesburg R.D.3, from Margaret Trumpus Murray Horton in Lancaster County. The alleged offenses are said to have occurred while the women were undergoing treatment in Bartholomew's offices.

Pamela Sue Adams Carter, Waynesburg, from Glen Wayne Carter, Carmichaels. They were married May 25, 1980, and have one child.

Allegations of misconduct were made by 12 separate females ranging in age from nine years old to 34 years old, according to the state bureau document. The state also said that one complainant is a 9-year-old resident of the Carmichaels area and the other is a 16-year-old girl from the Waynesburg area.

Two others, one 14 years old and the other, 24, are from Fayette County. The other eight females are from the Lancaster area.

A preliminary hearing on the criminal charges will be held later this month before District Justice Murray Horton in Lancaster County.

The alleged offenses are said to have occurred while the women were undergoing treatment in Bartholomew's offices.

Association To Hold Theater-Dinner Trip

WAYNESBURG — The Greene County Retired Educators' Association is sponsoring a theater-dinner bus trip to see Lanford Wilson's play "The 5th of July" at the West Virginia University Theater on Friday, Nov. 22.

Total cost for senior citizens is \$17 and others must pay \$18.50.

The bus will leave Rices Landing at 5:15 p.m. and Greene Plaza at 5:45 p.m. Checks for reservations are to be made out to, and mailed to Central Cab by Nov. 15.

Lions President Issues Apology

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg Lions Club President David R. Godisart issued an apology to the community Thursday, Oct. 31, for confusion which surrounded the annual Halloween parade held Wednesday night by the club.

"We are sorry for the delay in getting the parade started on time. We are already making plans for next year's parade and we are going to try to be a little more efficient in this matter," he said. He also expressed regret for the

fact that there were insufficient treats for all of the children who participated. He said that the club had prepared 1,200 treats, 200 more than the previous year, but that it had been unable to anticipate the large increase in the number of participants.

"We are thankful to the merchants who help the Waynesburg Lions Club present this parade every year," Godisart said. "Please be assured that the club is doing everything possible to make the parade a success."

College Officials Appoint Business Office Manager

WAYNESBURG — The appointment of Roy R. Barnhart of New Freeport R.D.1 as business office manager at Waynesburg College has been announced by C.B. (Pete) Stoy, vice president of business and finance.

Before joining the college staff, Barnhart worked as an accountant and purchasing agent for U.S. Steel Mining Co. He also has been employed as a staff accountant with the Jordan C. Pappas accounting firm in Morgantown, W.Va., and as an instructor in accounting with the American Institute of Banking.

He received his bachelor of science degree from Waynesburg College in 1976, graduating cum laude. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi, honorary business fraternity, and serves as vice president of the West Greene School Board. Barnhart and his wife, the former



ROY R. BARNHART

Diane Fordyce of Washington, have three children, Robert, 7; Danny, 5, and Christina, 4.

Bank Names New Director

CARMICHAELS — The First National Bank of Carmichaels has announced the appointment of Nancy Honsaker Valli of Greensboro as a member of the bank's board of directors.

She has been active in community affairs in the county for more than 30 years.

She is a member of the board of trustees at Greene County Memorial Hospital, serving on the finance committee, strategic planning committee and home health advisory board. She has been affiliated with the Health Systems Agency since 1970 and is currently secretary of the Fayette/Greene/Washington Suburban Area Council.

Mrs. Valli was one of the founders of Perpetual Care for the Greendale Cemetery at Masontown and is currently serving as its acting secretary. In addition she is secretary of the Monon Center in Greensboro and is active in the center's ceramics classes.

A native of Masontown, Mrs. Valli was an employee of the Dunkard Valley Joint Municipal Authority for



NANCY VALLI

Board Backs Efforts To Get Water To West Greene High

By Bob Niedbala, Staff Writer

ROGERSVILLE — The West Greene School Board approved a resolution recently supporting Center Township's efforts to bring city water to the Rogersville area and the district's junior-senior high school.

At its September meeting, the board had been informed by Superintendent Paul Polink about a water shortage in the district, that mainly was affecting the junior-senior high. The water at district schools is supplied by wells. It was reported that the wells have run low due to a lack of rainfall.

In addition to the limited quantity, maintenance manager Frank Farley said the quality, or taste of the water, "is not the greatest." The water is safe and has been approved by the state, Farley said, but "you almost have to hold your nose to drink it."

Center Township Supervisor Don Jarvis, having been asked by Polink to address the board about the possibility of installing a water line to the area, attended the meeting and gave a report on the township's efforts to acquire grants to complete such a project.

Jarvis said water lines have been laid on Route 18 as far as the Center-Franklin township line. To cover the cost of bringing the line about four miles to Rogersville, the township had applied for a grant through the state Department of Community Affairs. The state agency, however, rejected the township's grant on the basis that the project would not serve enough people.

Another grant which required the township to pay \$25,000 to receive \$75,000, which could be used to lay a section of the line, was rejected by the township because of the small number of people that would be served and the costs.

Jarvis said the township will continue to apply for grants, but because of the grants available might have to complete the project in several phases over two or three years. The resolution has opposed by Rick Barnhart, Marie Carter, Arden Melzer and Roy Barnhart were absent.

In other business, Polink told the board that he has no intentions of applying for the superintendent's position at the end of his term. The board, as required by the school code, affirmed that it would no longer retain Polink's services when his term expires May 31, 1986, and voted to advertise for applicants for the position.

Polink, who intends to retire, has been with the district since 1971. He has served as a principal and in December 1982 was appointed acting superintendent. He was hired as superintendent for a three-year term in May 1983.

Elementary Principal Bill Throckmorton told the board that additional textbooks and supplies had been needed in the elementary schools and the costs of purchasing the items had run over budget.

The board earlier had adopted a policy under which each administrator is required to report any overexpenditure in his budget.

Throckmorton explained that administrators have to draw up their budgets in February and the budgets "have no margin" for additional expenditures. A problem the district faced this year is the larger number of students enrolled in the elementary schools, he said.

The board accepted a proposal from the Graysville Elementary Parent Organization. The group will give the district \$2,000 for the purchase of computer equipment for the Graysville school if the district matches the grant with the same amount. The board added that the money must be used to purchase equipment which is consistent with the district's computer education program. Rick Barnhart and John Berdine voted against the motion.

Although the subject of the current teacher negotiations was not discussed during the meeting, board President Dan Morris said later that the fact finders report should be completed soon. The board and teachers' union will then have 14 days to review it and accept or reject it.

In other business, the board:

- ✓ Voted to hire Patricia Smith as a full-time cook.
- ✓ Approved a request by Veronica Yurt to attend a conference on curriculum development for gifted students at a cost of \$100.
- ✓ Rejected a request by the cheerleaders to participate in a national competition in Nashville, Tenn., at a cost of \$600. The vote was 3-3, with Rick Barnhart, Berdine and Glen Kennedy voting against the motion.
- ✓ Rejected a request for the two wrestling coaches to attend a clinic in Edinboro at a cost of hiring substitutes. The vote was 3-3, with Anne Bower, Ron Lohr and Dan Morris voting against the motion.

Cumberland Twp. Supervisors Plan Zoning Ordinance Changes

CARMICHAELS — The Cumberland Township supervisors have announced that several changes are being planned in the township zoning ordinance.

At a recent meeting, they said the changes are now being submitted to both the township and planning commission for review. They will be discussed at a public hearing in early December.

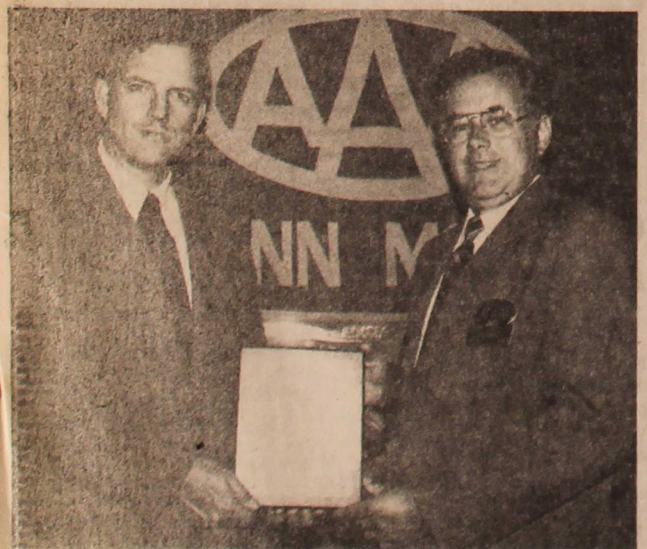
The supervisors said approximately 35 changes in the ordinance are anticipated. These include some changes in definitions, in land and structural use and in the zoning map. They said that anyone wishing information on the changes should call the supervisors at the township building.

The amendments will also be advertised prior to the public hearing. In other business, the supervisors passed a resolution for a plan revision for sewer line extensions by the Carmichaels-Cumberland Joint Sewer Authority. The authority plans to add five homes on Route 88 to the system.

The supervisors said they had completed a review of the township police pension fund and had approved a change in its management from a life insurance policy to an insurance fund bearing a higher rate of interest. They said the fund contains \$330,000, all of which has been allocated by the state under Act 205 over the past 11 years for the two full-time township officers.

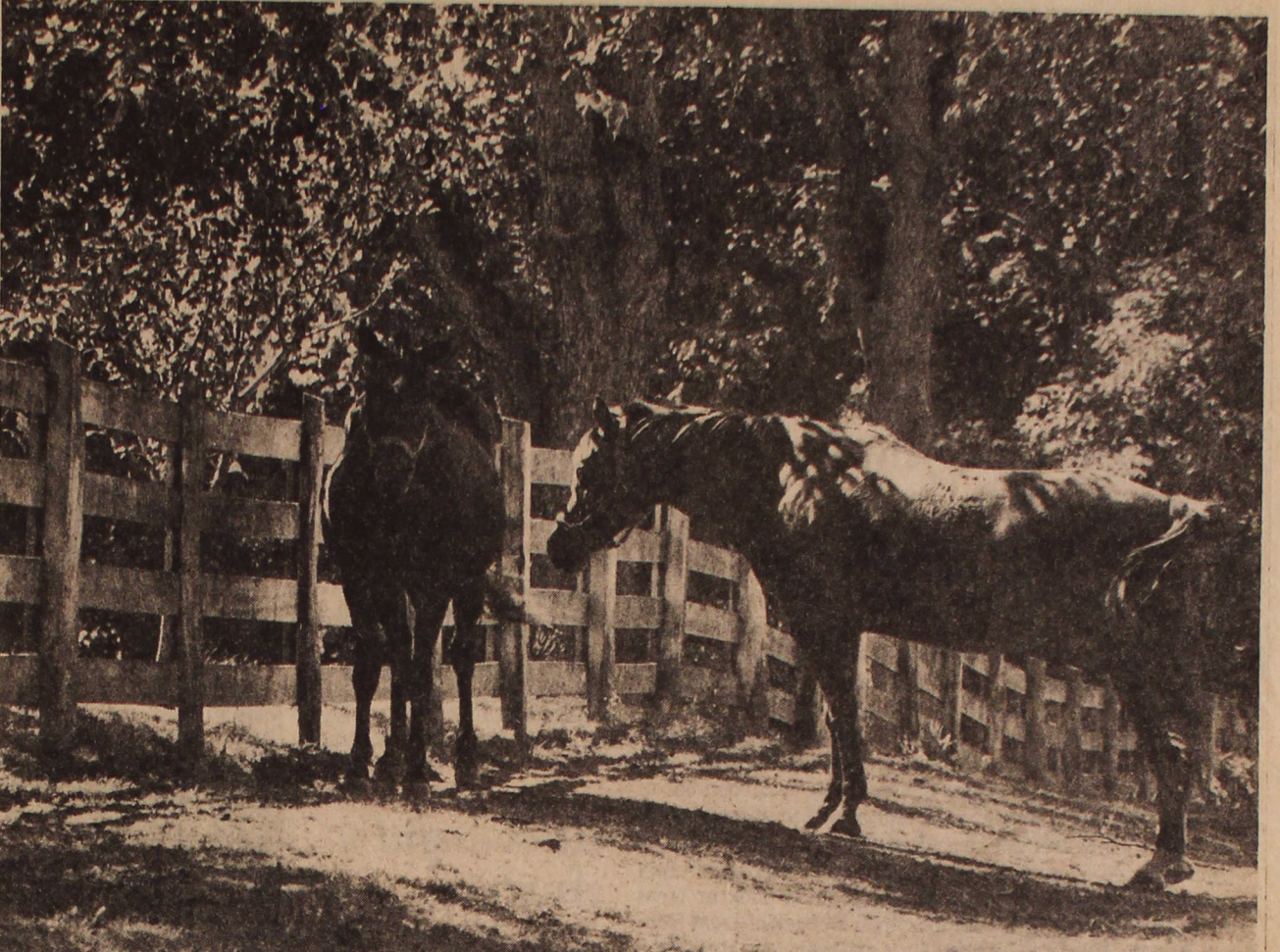
Now that the fund has grown to that extent, the supervisors said that it will grow more rapidly by drawing interest with the insurance carrier rather than by continuing to purchase the \$100,000 life insurance policy on each officer as has been done in the past. They added that when the officers retire they will not be able to draw a lump sum but will receive as a pension one-half of their salaries averaged over their last five years of employment.

A lot split was approved of one-half acre from property owned by Joseph Dell on Old Waynesburg Road.



Safety Award

West Penn AAA Motor Club Executive Vice President Richard S. Hamilton, right, recently awarded Waynesburg Police Chief Tim Hawfield the AAA Pedestrian Protection Program safety citation in recognition of the fact that Waynesburg has gone 10 years without a pedestrian fatality. The borough was judged with others of comparable size and characteristics throughout the nation as part of the award program. Program areas evaluated included safety legislation, enforcement, traffic engineering, school traffic safety campaigns and public information programs.



Horsing Around

Observer-Reporter / Christie Molzon

Rays of sunlight filter down through a cluster of trees to illuminate these horses standing beside a rustic wooden fence on the edge of the property. The pair was spotted in a field along township road 616 in Franklin Township.

New Sewer Authority Questioned

By Marcia Biddle, Staff Writer

CRUCIBLE — More than 70 residents had questions recently for the newly formed Crucible Sewer Authority at an information meeting on new sewer lines.

Most residents had received letters from the authority giving them 60 days to have their homes connected to the new sewer lines. Authority Solicitor William Hook explained that one section of "Shanty Town" will be connected at a later date and residents of that section will receive official notification sometime in November.

Many residents expressed concern about what would happen if they could not afford to connect the line from their home to the main line. Hook said they could obtain a loan from a bank or seek help from the Farmers Home Administration office in Uniontown in the form of an outright grant or low-interest loan.

Hook also explained that if a homeowner fails to connect to the main line, the authority will contract the work and bill the homeowner. If the bill is not paid, the authority will place a lien against the home, assuring the authority its money should the home be sold before the bill is paid.

Hook recommended residents in financial difficulty contact the authority and possibly obtain an adjustment in payments. "The authority wants to help you and by working on these problems together, we can help each other," Hook said.

Owners of vacant dwellings that are inhabitable will be required to connect to the main sewer line and, should one family be living in a double home, only one tap-in will be required, authority members said.

A member of the Cumberland Township Board of Supervisors attended the meeting and explained that the system was constructed on orders from the Department of Environmental Resources.

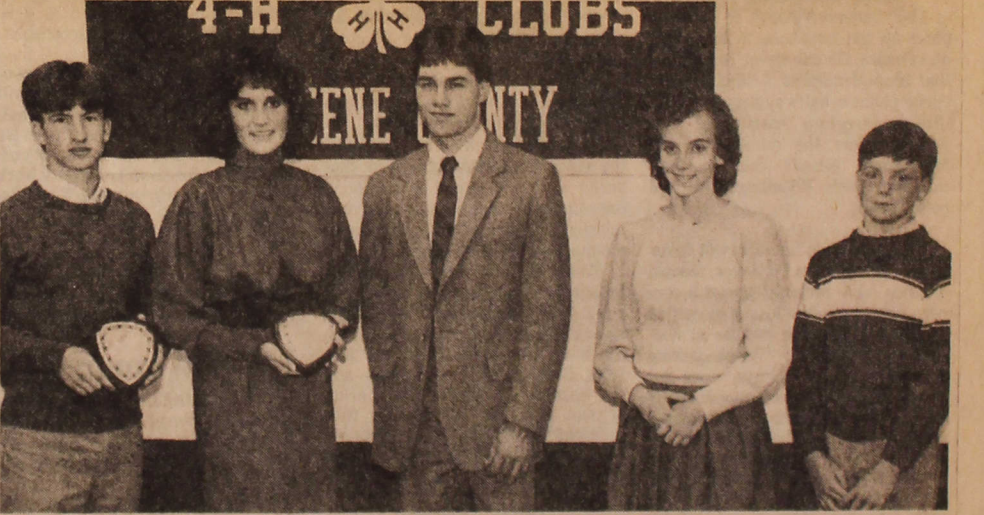
Because the construction was funded by a Housing and Urban Development grant, residents will not be required to pay a front-footage assessment or tap-in fee, as is the case in many such projects. Also, there will not be a debt to retire. A \$10 monthly charge will be the only expense to users, it was explained.

The supervisors told the homeowners they had to have the system and this was the cheapest way to obtain it. Supervisor William Groves said the township will actually own the system, but it will be controlled by the authority through a lease-purchase agreement.

Authority members said they would not choose contractors to install the line from the home to the main line. Homeowners may contract whom they please or install the service line themselves, with the understanding the line must be inspected by the authority before it is buried.

Authority Vice Chairman Ron Hanks said, "We've heard many complaints, but look at the benefits. No more raw sewage in our yards, no more rats in the alley, no tap-in, no front footage and no smell."

Authority Chairman Gertrude Busti said the authority has not received articles of incorporation, but will establish a regular meeting date as soon as possible, establish rates and billing dates when the articles are recorded.



4-H Achievement Night

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Various awards were presented during the annual 4-H Achievement Night held recently at the Greene County Fairgrounds. (Top Photo) Amy Osso, right, president of the Greene County 4-H Council, presents alumni awards to Bill Black and Kay Mooney. Black, now teaching in Washington County, is a native of the Nineveh area and a former Central Greene School District teacher. Mrs. Mooney has been active in local 4-H activities for a number of years. (Center Photo) Pictured, from left, are Brian Harvey and Amy Osso, who received the Farm Credit Cooperative awards; Mark Belding, the Farm Credit representative who presented the awards; and Becky Rush and Tom Brookover, who received Danforth awards for character and leadership. (Bottom Photo) In addition to award presentations, Tracy Brookover of Mt. Morris and Steve Barchiesi of Waynesburg R.D.1 were crowned the Greene County 4-H queen and king during ceremonies at the annual 4-H Achievement Night. Pictured, from left, are Brian Jones of Waynesburg R.D.4, junior attendant; Steve Mooney of Sycamore R.D.1, attendant; Barchiesi; Brookover; Amy Willison of Waynesburg, senior attendant; and Lori Maley of Mt. Morris, junior attendant.

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between the bookends

by marcia mckenna biddle



If you look at the New York Times Book Review, you can't help noticing the large ads that publishers purchase on behalf of the biggest books they are pushing. And sometimes you wonder who writes these ads. If the books are no better written than the ads, you may also wonder who would want to read, let alone buy, the books.

Well, how many "vibrant family pageants" can you stand? I mean, "Dynasty" could be described as a vibrant family pageant. So could "Hamlet." Maybe. There are obviously certain cliches that ad writers use in these efforts, and they trivialize even the best books.

Shirley MacLaine's new book is said to "explode with fiery light at the center of her soul." A new novel is described as "the most extravagantly endearing best-seller of the year," while another is said to be "an irresistible new novel of three beautiful women, who wouldn't settle for any-

thing less than everything." Luckily for the authors, the actual reviews in the Times are not written in this gushy style. But the ads go on and on, as if they thought they were writing English.

"The magic is spellbinding" is said about another book, a quality which will probably qualify it for production as a TV mini-series. In addition, it will "change the lives of those who read it. It is a book for all people for all times." High praise, which is only diluted by the same claims being made for other books in the same issue.

One novel is subjected to a half-page of breathless adjectives — "incandescent, heartbreaking, exhilarating," and "endlessly diverting, genuinely thrilling!" It is also "tender and compelling," as well as being "near perfect."

Another is described as, "blood-chilling!" This tells you that it is not a "vibrant family pageant," nor is it

likely to be "extravagantly endearing." It is a suspense novel taking place in Russia, which you might have guessed. On the Times' next page, a "smoldering family drama" takes place in Australia, accompanied by "searing emotions."

The same could be said for another "saga" in which the author "tests her heroines in spell-binding ways," leading to a "stunning climax." I don't know why the endings of books are always said to be "stunning." Oh, but here is another book which leads to a "shattering conclusion." I wonder what the difference is between a stunning conclusion and a shattering one.

Another ad doesn't mention conclusions at all, but claims the book "seethes with gut-wrenching realism." This book is said to be, "A classic kind of thriller — what Dostoevsky would have done if he had been writing in the Mike Hammer mode." This kind of exaggeration is unanswerable — it reduces you to

saying only, "Oh, yeah?"

"Searing" pops up again in the next ad, as in "searing, startling, and honest." It is not "compelling and unforgettable," as is its neighbor on the next page, nor is it the "sizzling new bestseller" of another. And none of them measure up to the "new thriller," which is "electrifying."

Just because it's "electrifying," doesn't mean that it's a book about capital punishment. "Electrifying" seems to be a word from the same code as was "blood-chilling," since the two books so described are stories about Russian spies. This one is later described as "gripping," which seems like a come-down from "electrifying," but is also described, obscurely, as being "shimmeringly styled."

Well, the point is that you have to learn to decipher this ad language if you are going to buy a book. If all you want to do is seethe, for instance, don't buy a book that's promising to electrify you.

Trick Or Treat Abuses Should Be Addressed

The time has come for either the county or township officials to step forward and do something about Halloween trick or treating.

The situation is out-of-hand and appears to be getting worse. There are many problems connected with handing out treats to children and adults and it makes one wonder if the custom is worth it.

In one small community in the West Greene area where there could be no more than a dozen small children, a resident prepared about 100 small bags of treats. He was soon out of bags and there was still an hour and a half to go before the scheduled trick or treating period was to end.

The invasion of goblins, youth and adult, was apparently caused when Waynesburg Borough scheduled trick or treat from 4 to 6 p.m. and the township scheduled trick or treat from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Many left Waynesburg and went straight to the township for more goodies.

Also, many parents fail to monitor the situation and send children into the streets with dark clothing and sight-impaired masks which combine to create a dangerous situation when it comes to traffic danger. Too many children are not accompanied by an adult.

Others take it upon themselves to go trick or treating at a time they choose thereby catching homes unprepared. In at least one instance, and certainly there were more, an adult came to the door holding an infant. You wonder who was after the candy.

Some townships are currently prohibiting trick or treating, some schedule the practice and others donate toward a parade or party instead of having trick or treating.

Perhaps at the next township convention, officials should take a collective look at the custom and come up with a county-wide plan that would prevent some of the problems.

Most of us enjoy having a neighborhood child in a cute costume coming to the front door but it doesn't seem fair for families, many on fixed incomes, to treat children who live miles away.

Trick or treating should not be a contest to see who can collect the greatest amount of goodies.

Current Comment

MISSILE-PHONE GAP
Allentown Morning Call

The undersecretary of defense picks up the telephone in his office and swears. He can never remember that blasted number — the high-security phone is halfway down the hall. "Hello, Directory Assistance? Can you give me the number of the Minuteman Missile Silo in Rattlesnake Gulch, Wyoming? O.K. I'll hold, thanks."

One hopes that scenario will never play in Washington. However, federal officials have recently voiced a concern over the subtle loss of classified information through the use of non-secure telephones. "We're getting eaten alive by bad guys," one national official declared anonymously the other day, referring to eavesdropping agents of ideologies that do not share the particular interests of the United States. Two prominent victims of the leaky telephone recently were President Reagan and Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger. An amateur radio operator picked up the airborne transmission of their conversation as the two were discussing plans to intercept the Egyptian airliner carrying the suspected Palesti-

nian hijackers of the cruise ship Achille Lauro. The president, it seems, was trying to save time by using an unprotected line of communication.

Secure, or scrambled, phones change the normal voice pattern into a meaningless, random garble, unintelligible to any illicit listener, until the voice is passed through a converter at the other end of the phone line. Listening to a scrambled transmission is somewhat like listening to a 6-month-old child's babble.

Concern over cost and higher-priority security matters have been cited as the reason why the nation's secure telephone cadre has not risen much beyond its level in the late 1950s. Considering the expense — and the hazards — involved in sharing critical classified information with unintended big ears, that certainly seems to be a true example of false economy.

PRIZE WINNER

Ruth Stewart Schenley of Waynesburg was recently awarded first prize in the sonnet category of the South Dakota Poetry Society's 1985 annual contest. Her poem is entitled, "The Night of Cader Idris."

Successful Anglers

Three Jefferson fishermen were successful on their trip to Ontario Lake, near Alcott, N.Y., recently when they landed nine Chinook salmon including a 40-inch, 26-pounder. Pictured left to right, Perry Lemley Jr., Perry Lemley Sr. and Robert Lemley Sr. The catch was made at "Snag Hole" at Oak Orchard.

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All Around Greene

SCOUT EVENTS

The Neighborhood Committee for Girl Scouts of the Southeastern Greene district met last week at The Grove near Kirby. Seven troops were represented. Plans for a number of upcoming events were considered.

A Dunkard Township investiture ceremony was held in the Shannopin Civic Club hall, Bobtown, recently. The Monongahela Township investiture will be held at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12, in the Greensboro Fire Hall.

On Tuesday, Nov. 19, all troops of the Southeastern Greene area will assemble at the Greensboro fire hall at 5:30 p.m. to meet and hear Soon He Kwon, a native of Korea who is currently doing community activity work in Greensboro through the West Virginia University School of Social Work.

A film for children on energy will be shown by a representative of the West Penn Power Co. at 5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 25, in the Shannopin Civic

Club hall.

In December, the Girl Scouts will be Christmas caroling at the Guardian Angels Nursing Home, Carmichaels.

The next meeting of the Neighborhood Committee will be held at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 21, in the Greensboro fire hall, with a turkey covered-dish dinner scheduled.

DAR MEETS

Early Indians in Greene County was the topic for the meeting of the Greene Academy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held last week in the Greene Academy building, Carmichaels.

Thomas Viencsek of Rices Landing, who has made a study of early man and Indian tribes, was the guest speaker.

He said that at one time there were at least 300 Indian mounds in the county, and that it is the only county in the state where copper artifacts have been found. He also said the

county has some outstanding archeological sites, with at least two dozen Indian campsites having been identified.

He noted that while early Indians were hunters and not growers, they gave the world such vegetables as corn, pumpkin, squash, and certain beans and nuts.

Members of the John Corbly Chapter in Waynesburg were guests at the meeting. Vice President Ruth Atalski conducted the business meeting and Chaplain Helen Porter conducted a memorial service for Mabel Titus, a member who died recently.

DARTBALL SCORES

WAYNESBURG — The Waynesburg Baptist team remained atop the Greene County Church Dartball League this week by taking three games from the Marianna Christian Church. The sweep leaves the Baptists with a 14-1 record and the Marianna team with a 2-13 mark.

In other games Monday, the Oak View-Throckmorton Methodist Baptist Church (7-8) blanked the Ruff Creek Baptist (5-10). The Waynesburg Christian team (11-4) swept the Jefferson Baptist (7-8).

Also, the Spraggs Methodists (4-11) took two of three games from the Masontown Presbyterian Church squad (7-8) and the Greene Valley Presbyterian Church (10-5) took two of three from the Carmichaels Methodist B. team (8-7).

The Carmichaels Methodist A team (8-7) took two games from the Pitt Gas team (5-10).

PROGRAM A SUCCESS

WAYNESBURG — Officials of the Waynesburg Rotary Club are calling this year's multi-phasic blood testing program a huge success.

During the final two Saturdays in October, 967 local residents took advantage of the program according to Rotarian Jack Smith, chairman of the project.

Now in its ninth year, the blood testing program is held annually by the Rotarians as part of its public service commitments.

The number of participants exceeded the 1984 total.

BOWLING SCORES

Baily Insurance was the only team to gain a shutout victory in Monday Night Women's Bowling League play this past week.

Joyce Watson rolled a 205 single game and Judy Greenwood, a 501 series, to lead the Baily team. Susan Musgrave was top roller for the losers with a 195 single and 500 series.

Mariner-Milliken Funeral Home took three points from the Mankey Engineering team behind the efforts of Edith Haines who rolled a 194 single and 472 series. Marily Whiting led the losing effort with a 174 single and 483 series.

Humble & Sons grabbed three points from Hopkins & Sons with Shirley Kerr leading the way with a 211 single and 580 series. Bonnie Kiger led the losers with a 222 single and 561 series.

Public Records

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

Center Township
Thomas M. and Pauline B. Headlee, Rogersville, and others, to Bradley and Pamela J. Hallam, Graysville R.D.1, 4.2 acres, \$3,000.

Richard T. Walton, Rogersville, to Brian R. and Susan C. Jackson, Wind Ridge R.D.1, house and lot, Rogersville, \$39,900.

Cumberland Township
Velma E. Robinson, Akron, Ohio, to James and Janice Vavrek, Carmichaels, house and lot, \$48,000.

Charles J. Stewart, Morgantown, W.Va., to John and Luann Antonelli, Cumberland Township, house and lot, \$40,000.

Kathleen J. Wilson, Cumberland Township, to Terry J. Wilson, Nemaquin, half interest in lot, Nemaquin, no consideration.

Dunkard Township
James L. and Joann Rumble, Monongahela Township, to Cecil A. Beal, Monongahela Township, 5.2 acres, \$1,000.

Franklin Township
Robert L. and Carol Ann Stephenson, Waynesburg R.D.3, to Randy P. and Judy A. Bedilion, Graysville, house and lot, \$18,000.

Nelle Morris Canan, Waynesburg, to Humble & Sons Carpet Co., Waynesburg, lot, Morrisville, \$35,000.

Jack T. and Maggie P. McClelland, Franklin Township, to John R. and Shirley Bird, Claysville R.D.2, house and lot, no consideration.

Della Louise Winkle, Waynesburg, to Donald R. Shultz, Waynesburg, house and lot, \$100.

Walter H. and Dorothy Mayle, Waynesburg R.D.2, to Larry R. and Linda J. Varner, Waynesburg R.D.2, 100 acres, \$100,000.

Charles Miller, Waynesburg R.D.2, and others, to Henderson Mining Co., Freeport Coal, \$1,020.

Freeport Township
Elijah and Thelma Nichol, New Freeport R.D.2, to Kelley M. and Cheryl L. Reed, New Freeport, two lots, \$4,000.

Monongahela Township
John M. and Kathy I. Biletz, Monongahela Township, and others, to Thomas and Dorothy H. Bohan, Monongahela Township, lot, \$500.

Morgan Township
Norrine V. Palmer, Morgan Township, to Chester A. and Wanda G. Kuczykowski, Clarksville, lot, \$1,350.

Frank E. and Leslie Mitten, Jefferson, to Mark W. and Sharon Emerson, Jefferson R.D.1, 2.1 acres, \$600.

Richhill Township
Lloyd R. and Mary A. Amos, West Alexander, to Michael G. Pikula, Wind Ridge, house and lot, Wind Ridge, \$26,000.

Waynesburg
David P. Coccari, Pine Bank, to J. Kenneth and Sherry Willison, Waynesburg, house and lot, Cherry Street, \$10,350.

Drunken Drivers May Deserve Stiffer Sentences In The U.S.

During a recent court session in Greene County, a man charged with driving while under the influence was about to receive the usual punishment for this offense when a court employee pointed out to the judge that it was the fourth or fifth time the defendant was brought before the bench for this crime.

There are many such drivers in Greene County.

During a quarter-century career of writing the news, there have been many stories of death and destruction, but none can compare with writing the tragic details of a fatal accident involving a drunken driver.

Even murder stories, which usually involve anger or jealousy, can usually be understood, but death as the result of a drunk's action makes no sense at all. The drunken driver causes death while singing and whistling down the highway and as often as not, walks away without a serious injury. Often times, he doesn't even realize at the moment what he has done because of his numbed brain.



Jim Moore

Judges, the police and prosecutors are bound by the law when it comes to dealing with such a person. The drunk has no boundaries, no standards, no ethics to which he must answer.

Unfortunately, most people think a drunken driver is committing a "good old boy" crime. Going out on the weekend and getting a snoot-full is the American way of life, but it's also the American way of death for thousands of men, women and children each year.

Not every country takes such a cavalier attitude toward the drunken driver.

Drunken drivers in other countries can look forward to stronger punishment such as the following:

South Africa gives them a 10-year

prison sentence and a \$10,000 fine — or both.

In Turkey, before a drunken driver's trial, police take him 20 miles away and force him to walk back to town under escort.

Offenders in Norway get three weeks in jail at hard labor, lose their licenses for one year and a second offense within five years brings a loss of license for life.

In Finland and Sweden, the drunken driver receives an automatic one-year jail sentence at hard labor.

Russia takes away their licenses for life.

England has a one-year suspension and a \$250 fine with a jail term of up to one year.

French drivers lose their licenses for three years and receive a year in jail in addition to a \$1,000 fine.

A second conviction in Bulgaria results in execution. It's even worse in El Salvador — the first offense is your last. Drunken drivers are executed by firing squad.

Perhaps our repeat offenders should be deported to El Salvador.

Waynesburg Revivified

By John Barker, O-R Sports Staff

WAYNESBURG — While most everybody else was wiping mud off his uniform and trying to dry off, Vince Frank and Dave Zilli were celebrating like wide-eyed freshmen in Waynesburg College's locker room Saturday, Nov. 2.

They had good reason. The two seniors had just played big parts in the Yellow Jackets' 7-3 come-from-behind victory over West Virginia Wesleyan, and as the music pumped through the locker room an air of optimism replaced disappointment.

Waynesburg ended a three-game losing streak and evened its record at 4-4 heading into next Saturday's game against rival California University.

"This was very good for us. We hung in there and came back and won it. This will be a big boost to our confidence," said Frank, a defensive end who had just passed out a high-five to Zilli and shouts to his teammates. "We know next week is going to be tough and the way we were playing I didn't like it. We needed a win like this."

The game was hardly a work of art, however, with several turnovers by each team. But a pretty performance wasn't something Waynesburg head coach Bill Tornabene was searching for.

"It may not have been a pretty operation but it was a win," he said. "It doesn't matter how we won the ball game. What matters is that we put together an effort to win. Period."

The effort had to be there by Waynesburg against West Virginia Wesleyan, which has had plenty of hard luck this season. The Bobcats, now 1-7 overall, have lost five of the

games by an average of 3.7 points. "We're disappointed with the outcome," Wesleyan coach Bill Struble said. "On offense the last three games we had over 400 yards and now this."

Waynesburg managed just 183 yards on offense against Waynesburg's defense, which has played well all season. The Bobcats threw for 142 yards but quarterback George Moore completed just eight of 28 passes in the driving rain while his team rushed for only 41 yards.

"We like to throw the football and we have done it pretty well lately," Struble said. "But George was affected by the weather. He wasn't very accurate so then we tried to establish a running game."

"We knew their defense was strong and we were concerned with it. But we didn't take advantage of opportunities."

Meanwhile, Waynesburg's game plan was simple — give the ball to freshman running back Matt Carlisle and ask him to carry the offense. And Carlisle, a graduate of Fort Cherry High School, responded with his best game, rushing for 77 yards on 25 carries and catching two passes for 77 yards.

One play in particular by Carlisle sparked the Jackets. Trailing 3-0 to the Bobcats in the third quarter, Waynesburg drove 69 yards on three plays for a score after Carlisle caught a swing pass from quarterback Jim Bozek and made a dazzling run, jumping over one defender, for a 60-yard gain to the Wesleyan nine.

One play later, Bozek threw eight yards for a touchdown to Zilli, who juggled the catch for a few seconds before holding on.

"Carlisle is a quick back and that helped him in the mud because they

weren't fast," said Frank, who had six solo tackles, six assists and one fumble recovery. "He's a good back and things finally came together for him. He did a good job and made some of those yards on his own."

Tornabene agreed. "Maybe he's (Carlisle) a mudder, I don't know. But he proved he can run the ball today. He got what was there and you have to realize the offensive line had some good blocking up front."

"Obviously we're elated with the win. We're excited. This was a crucial game for us in many respects. We didn't want to see another mark in the L column."

And Tornabene can thank his defense, mostly, for the W.

While the Jackets' offense totaled 198 yards (Bozek was nine of 18 for 131 yards) the defense recovered three fumbles and harrassed the Bobcats despite losing noseguard Pete Long early in the game. Long, who re-injured his groin, said he might be out for the season but Tornabene said he'll wait before making a decision.

"I was pleased with our defense again. We had some pressure all day and it was tough for anybody to throw," Tornabene said. "He didn't have five minutes back there to run around. And on a wet day, the ball helicopters around and is hard to throw."

FLAK JACKETS — Wesleyan scored on a 34-yard field goal by David Jaeger in the first quarter after Pat Murray had one blocked from 46 yards minutes earlier. . . Dave Zatta missed a 23-yard field goal in the fourth quarter for the Jackets. . . Zilli caught five passes for 51 yards. . . Bob Abbiatici punted 12 times for a 33.7 average and intercepted a pass on defense.



Waynesburg tight end Dave Zilli waits for the officials' decision on his touchdown catch, which was called good after a brief discussion.

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16-Mill Increase Built Into Jeff-Morgan Budget
The budget for Greene County for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1, 1985, has been approved by the Board of Supervisors. The budget provides for a 16 percent increase in the county's operating budget. The increase is to be made up of a 10 percent increase in the property tax rate and a 6 percent increase in the sales tax rate. The budget also provides for a 10 percent increase in the county's capital budget. The total budget for the county is \$10,000,000.

Annual Horse Show
The annual horse show at the Western Pleasure Horse Show grounds in Greene County, Pa., will be held from Friday, May 24, to Sunday, May 26. The show will feature a variety of horse shows, including Western Pleasure, Hackney, and Arabian. The show is open to all ages and is a great opportunity for horse enthusiasts to see some of the best horses in the area.

A Last-Ditch Effort To Save Old Monongahela House Fails
The historic Monongahela House in Greene County, Pa., has been sold to a new owner. The house, which was built in the 18th century, has a long and storied history. It was once the home of a prominent family and has been the site of many important events. The new owner plans to restore the house to its former glory and make it a museum for the community.

Teachers' Pay Talks: Smooth In Two Places, Rough In Third
Negotiations for teacher salaries in Greene County are progressing. In two of the three school districts, the negotiations have been smooth and a tentative agreement has been reached. However, in the third district, the negotiations are still ongoing and there is still a long way to go.

Jackets Battle To Win District

NEW WILMINGTON — Waynesburg College women's volleyball team battled back in both the semifinals and the championship game to win the District 18 title Saturday, Nov. 2, at Westminster College.

The Yellow Jackets, now 37-2 overall, defeated Geneva 15-10, 11-15, 15-10, 14-16 and 16-14 in the semifinals as Sue Wissinger scored 16 points and Phyllis Sanders 15. Erin McKinney had 19 kills while Javerna Pickett had 15 and Nancy Gaul 14.

In the championship game, Waynesburg played Carlow, which had defeated Westminster in its semifinal matchup.

The Jackets lost the first two games against Carlow 12-15 and 11-15 before winning the last three 15-13, 15-6 and 15-11. Gaul had 22 points and Wissinger 15. Pickett had 16 kills and 22 blocks while Sanders had 14 kills and McKinney 11.

Waynesburg will now play Alderson-Broaddus College (20-5) this week at home on a date yet determined for the Bi-District Championship and a berth in the NAIA national playoffs in Milwaukee, Wis.

The Jackets defeated Alderson-Broaddus twice during the regular season.

"We're excited about winning the district title because last year we lost the final in five games," co-coach Mary Mosley said. "If we win one more then we go to nationals and that's what we're shooting for. Four years ago Waynesburg was there and we would like to go again."

In the two seasons Mosley and Ray Natili have coached the Jackets, their record is 59-9.

"I think we played outstanding up there," Mosley said. "We had two outstanding performances that really made a difference. Javerna Pickett is only a freshman from Farrell but she was great. Her blocks made such a difference. If I had to pick an MVP of the tournament it would be her. Along with Phyllis Sanders, she just dominated play."

McKinney, a graduate of Trinity High School, was named to the All-District First Team as outside hitter while Wissinger was named to the same team as a setter.

Sanders garnered second-team honors at outside hitter.

High School Football

Pioneers 14, C-B 7

ROGERSVILLE — Paul Kreuzer scored two touchdowns on runs of one yard each to lead West Greene High School to a 14-7 win over Clay-Battelle here Friday night, Nov. 1, in a Mason-Dixon Conference game.

The win evens the Pioneers' record at 4-4.

Clay-Battelle, which falls to 4-4, scored on a 10-yard run by Bobby Ammons in the third quarter.

Colonials 39, Raiders 6

MASONTOWN — The hopes of Waynesburg High School's football team to avoid a season without a win were dashed Friday evening when Albert Gallatin came away with a 39-6 victory in a Section 1-AA contest.

The loss concludes Waynesburg's year with 10 consecutive losses, eight in the section. Albert Gallatin finished 3-6-1 overall and 2-5-1 in the section.

Jim Taylor, who ran for 104 yards on 13 carries, scored on runs of three and 69 yards while Brent Robinson scored on two- and six-yard runs. Dan Ciaramella opened the Colonials' scoring when he went over on one yard out.

AG also scored on a safety when Waynesburg's punter was downed in the end zone.

Dan Rush, who compiled 67 yards on 15 carries, sliced over from one-yard out to account for the Red Raiders' only score.

Each team fumbled the ball three times.

Uhlans 36, Mikes 7

MCLELLINTOWN — German Township came back from a one-point deficit in the first quarter and roared to a 36-7 win over Carmichaels in a Section 4-A game.

Dan Speelman scored the Mikes' only touchdown in the first quarter on a 80-yard kickoff return to give his team a 7-6 lead. Then the Uhlans started their comeback to beat Carmichaels, which finished the season winless at 0-9 overall and 0-8 in the section.

Jon Michael Williams scored two TDs for German Township while William McKoy, Mike Knabenshue and Duane Dupont scored one touchdown each. John Mackovjak rushed for 142 yards on 12 carries for the Uhlans, now 5-5 overall and 4-5 in the section.

Fatal Fire Was Accident

WAYNESBURG — The cause of a house fire Sunday night, Oct. 27, which took the life of T. William Barnes, 60, of Waynesburg R.D.3 has been determined to be accidental, according to a state police fire marshal.

Trooper Gary Swihart said he believes the fire started near a fireplace in the basement. The fire may have started when a burning coal fell out of the fireplace, or it may have been caused by the intensity of the heat in the fireplace, Swihart said.

In either case, something outside the fireplace caught fire.

Swihart said he believes the screen had not been placed in front of the fireplace. People he spoke with who knew Barnes said he frequently had not used the screen, the fire marshal added.

Bearcats On Playoff Track

By Denise Bachman, O-R Sports Staff

ELLSWORTH — Players from Frazier High School lined the far sidelines, trying to coax Jefferson-Morgan to victory. It was their only hope of securing a playoff bid.

But not even the Commodores' diligent prodding could help the Rockets this Friday night, Nov. 1, a night that completely belonged to Bentworth.

The Bearcats used their power and finesse to breeze to a convincing 21-8 win over Section 4-A champion and previously undefeated Jeff-Morgan. The victory clinches second place for Bentworth and a berth in next week's first round of the WPIAL Class A football playoffs.

"We were prepared," Bentworth head coach Ron Skiles said. "Yes sir."

The Bearcats, who enter the playoffs with a 7-2 section record, relied on some clutch play calling by quarterback Dave Conn and some gutsy running by Dom Snyder. That duo served to haunt the Rockets' defense all evening as Conn executed the quarterback option to perfection, gaining 95 yards on just eight carries, while Snyder rushed for 119 yards on 23 attempts.

"We stayed with what we had," Skiles said. "We didn't think they were powerful enough to stop the run. They used a crazy defense against Frazier to shut the gaps. That shows they don't have power. We used our speed plus our power."

It worked well on their first two plays from scrimmage as the Bearcats penetrated Jeff-Morgan's 17-yard line on two quarterback keeps by Conn. But the scoring threat was quickly halted when Snyder fumbled the ball away.

However, Bentworth defensive back Dan Conn returned the favor three plays later, intercepting a Tom Evosirch pass and rambling 22 yards untouched into the end zone.

And that was the beginning of the end for the Rockets, who finish the regular season with an 8-1 section record and 9-1 overall mark.

Evosirch felt the pressure all night from Bentworth's defense as he was sacked five times for a total loss of 35 yards, while managing to complete just seven of 15 passes for 58 yards. The backfield was kept in check, too. Dave Jamison, the Rockets' explosive halfback, was held to 58 yards on 15 carries.

"Coach (Ron) Sicchitano had us very well prepared for the type of offense they have," Skiles said. "They couldn't power the football against us."

Jeff-Morgan head coach Bob Keys left the field before he could be reached for comment.

It wasn't until late in the second quarter that Bentworth's offense, which for the most part stopped itself numerous times with turnovers, put together an impressive scoring drive. A 10-yard pass from Conn to Jeff Johnson capped the 80-yard drive with four seconds left in the half.

"Conn is becoming what he is capable of doing," Skiles said. "He is the coach on the field. He changes plays and puts the ball where we have to go to hurt their defense."

Snyder added the Bearcats' final touchdown on an eight-yard run early in the fourth quarter. The TD was set up by a quarterback sneak by Conn, who gained 39 yards on a third-down-and-one play.

"Going into the playoffs, we have a good chance to win the WPIAL title," Skiles said. "Now everybody is even. Nobody is unbeaten."

"I like our chances. We're peaking now."

Jeff-Morgan scored its only touchdown with four minutes remaining on a two-yard plunge by Jamison.

"We made some errors early in the season," Skiles said. "We misjudged some things. We went to a smaller line, a quicker line. It's taken a long time to get it going."

County Obituaries

Beulah Dunham

Beulah Wilson Dunham, 82, of 51 High Street, Cameron, W.Va., died at 6:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 30, 1985, in Ohio Valley Medical Center, Wheeling, W.Va.

She was born March 3, 1903, in Marshall County, W.Va., a daughter of the late T.D. and Sadie Chambers Emery.

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

She was a retired school teacher and had taught in Marshall County schools.

She is survived by her husband, Capt. J. Frank Dunham; a daughter, Dorothy Wendell of Maumee, Ohio; two sons, Paul Wilson of Okeechobee, Fla. and Theodore Wilson of League City, Texas; 10 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Clarice Chambers of Merritt Island, Fla.

Cynthia Scott

Cynthia Scott, 22, of Scottsdale, Ariz., died in an automobile accident November 1, 1985, in Scottsdale.

She was born December 15, 1962, in Columbus, Ohio, a daughter of Richard and Johnetta Shultz Scott, both formerly of Waynesburg.

She attended school in Scottsdale and was enrolled at Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by a brother, Richard Scott of Scottsdale; a sister, Tamara Scott of Scottsdale; a grandmother, Madolyn Rush of Scottsdale, formerly of Waynesburg; and several aunts and uncles in Greene County.

Her grandparents, Floyd and Elizabeth Shultz, are deceased.

James Willy

James Robert Willy, 28, of Waynesburg R.D.4, died at 2:15 a.m. Friday, November 1, 1985, as the result of a motorcycle accident on Route 19 near Waynesburg.

He was born February 28, 1957, in Waynesburg, a son of Arleigh and Martha Tedrow Willy of New Freeport R.D.1.

He attended West Greene High School. He had lived in the New Freeport area and resided in the Waynesburg area for the past few years. He had worked several years as a truck driver with the James Stoneking Trucking Co.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Rita Faye Durbin Willy, whom he married May 22, 1981; his maternal grandparents, Russell and Bertha Moore of Bucyrus, Ohio; a son, Bobby Joe Willy at home; a brother, Arleigh Willy Jr. of New Freeport; four sisters, Mrs. Fredrick (Judith) Thomas of Holbrook R.D.1, Mrs. Emma Rutan of Waynesburg, Mrs. Roger (Debra) Durbin and Brenda Willy, both of Waynesburg R.D.4; and several nieces and nephews.

Gail Sloneker

Gail Sloneker, 45, of 307 Olivia Street, McKees Rock, formerly of Jefferson and Marianna, died at 2:40 p.m. Wednesday, October 30, 1985, in St. Francis General Hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born September 22, 1940, in Deemston, a daughter of the late Glenn Leeper and Gladys Mayfield Leeper, who survives.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her husband, Tom Sloneker; two daughters, Florence Bell Sloneker and Crisinda Sloneker, both at home; and two sisters, Mrs. Calvin John (Linda) Smitley of Ruff Creek and Nancy Colvin of Butler.

Craftsmen To Show Samples Of Work

CARMICHAELS — Sixteen craftsmen will show their work at the annual Christmas Crafts Show and Sale at the Greene Academy in Carmichaels on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 23 and 24.

The academy building will be decorated for the holidays and hot lunches will be served, along with Christmas candies, cookies and cinnamon buns.

The show will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

Crafts shown will include weaving, calico crafts and Christmas ornaments by Dorothy Cole; ornaments by Penny Chekosky; lathe art and Christmas items by Thelma Watson; needlepoint by Ron Merryman; needlecraft and decorated wreaths by Linda Jones; and doll clothes by Charlene May.

Also featured will be stuffed ornaments and quilting by Maggie Tingleff; macrame, tole and folk art by Elizabeth Burd; dolls and bears by Emma Sines; macrame by Debra Henry; tree ornaments and wreaths by Bob Fabery; dried flowers by Leigh Shields; wreaths and ornaments by Helen Wotring and Wilda Varesko; and painted glassware by Mary Lou Verbosky.

Hit-Run Reported

WAYNESBURG — A hit-and-run driver damaged the gate at the state's driver examination center on Willow Drive in Franklin Township.

The incident occurred sometime Saturday, Nov. 2, according to state police.

Anna Moninger

Anna Berdine Moninger, 64, of New Freeport, died at 11:45 p.m. Wednesday, October 30, 1985, in her home, following a lingering illness.

She was born September 29, 1921, in Dola, W.Va., a daughter of the late George W. and Dora D. Long Drummond.

She lived in New Freeport since 1938.

She was a member of the New Freeport Baptist Church. She had served the church as a pianist and Sunday School teacher.

She was a former member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Emerald Chapter No. 135, Waynesburg.

She had married Hiram L. Berdine, who died in 1945.

She is survived by her second husband, Harold S. Moninger, whom she married December 30, 1961; two daughters, Mrs. Gary (Dora Lee) Huffman of Lima, Ohio and Mrs. Lanny (Bobbie) Ross of Aleppo; three sons, Martin (Marty) Moninger at home, George E. Berdine of Columbiana, Ohio and Vernon K. Berdine of Holbrook Star Route; one step-daughter, Patricia (Pam) Fellows of Severn, Md.; one step-son, Harold (Smitty) Moninger II of Altoona; 21 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Rex (Ernestine) Teagarden of Lisbon, Ohio and Mrs. Charles (Naomi) Whiting of Chillicothe, Ohio; and two brothers, G.O. (Bud) Drummond of Blacksburg, S.C. and Russell D. Drummond of Lisbon, Ohio.

One sister, Irene Rose Moninger, is deceased.

Estella Moore

Estella Moore, 92, of Star Route, Holbrook died at 7:56 a.m. Friday, November 1, 1985, in Greene County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born September 23, 1893, in Jackson Township to Oliver P. and Hannah Miller Wood.

A lifelong resident of the Jackson Township area, she was a member of the Aleppo United Brethren Church. She was married July 4, 1913, to George Moore who died February 1, 1971.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Grace Chaney of Holbrook, with whom she made her home; six grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, five great-great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Melvin (Dorothy) Houston of Holbrook R.D.1 and Gertrude Wood of Waynesburg and two brothers, Harold B. Wood of Waynesburg and Kermit Wood of Elm Grove, W.Va.

Deceased are a daughter, Kathryn Blake; three brothers, Charles, Perry and Henry Wood and three sisters, Inza and Esther Wood and Cleo Beshard.

Margaret Rinehart

Margaret Sheets Rinehart, 78, of Waynesburg R.D.2, formerly of Oak Forest, died at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, November 2, 1985, at Waynesburg R.D.2, following a lengthy illness.

She was born May 6, 1907, in Carnegie, a daughter of the late Samuel and Sadona McNeely Sheets.

She spent her early life in Carnegie and the Waynesburg area. For the past 45 years she lived in the Waynesburg area. She was a housewife.

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

Her husband, Charles W. Rinehart, died October 4, 1982.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. George (Shirley) McElhone of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Hugh (Pat) Montgomery of Waynesburg and Mrs. Elizabeth Barna of Waynesburg; nine grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Suspect In Stabbing Returned To Mayview

WAYNESBURG — Psychiatrists at Mayview State Hospital have certified that an 18-year-old Greene County man who is charged with the stabbing death of his mother is incompetent to stand trial.

Steve Kotarsky of Nemaacolin was brought Monday to Greene County Court from the state hospital, where he had undergone 60 days of testing and evaluation.

In light of the certification and the inappropriateness of keeping him in the county jail, Judge Glenn Toothman signed an order returning him to Mayview for further treatment. Defense counsel waived the requirement that he be tried within 180 days.

"At this point, we have no idea when he will be able to stand trial," District Attorney Charles Morris said.

The defendant is charged with fatally stabbing his mother, Patricia E. O'Brien, 41, on Aug. 25 in their Nemaacolin home.

Fire Extinguished

CLARKSVILLE — The Clarksville Volunteer Fire Department was called at 4:30 a.m., Sunday, Nov. 3, to extinguish a fire at the home of Margaret Wilson, 302 Taylor Street, Williamstown. According to a fire company spokesman, the fire and damage were confined to the furnace, which had overheated.

Exchange Student

Kathleen Ponteen, from the island Montserrat in the British West Indies, is this year's Waynesburg Rotary Club youth exchange student. Miss Ponteen, 19, is a senior at Waynesburg Central High School. During her year's stay, she is living with the Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Headlee family of Dark Hollow Road.



Center Twp. Class Of 1950

The Center Township High School Class of 1950, Rogersville, recently held its 35th anniversary reunion at the Waynesburg Elks Club. Kneeling in front are Oliver Stockdale, left, and John Clark. In the first row, from left, are Fannie Mae Watson Machesky, Phyllis Tedrow Grob, Helen Clutter Meriner (teacher), Evelyn Iams Walker, Lois Jean Stewart Headlee and Martha Jane Nelson Car-

roll. Second row: Ella Mae Clark Waters, Wahnetta Clark Minton, Betty Ruth Watson Moore, Barbara Throckmorton Dean and Margaret Tharp Johnston. Third row: Joseph Rush, James F. King Jr., William Grimes and Howard Anderson. Wahnetta Minton was named chairman for the 1990 reunion, with Oliver Stockdale as treasurer and William Grimes, Margaret Johnston, John Clark and Fannie M. Machesky serving as committee members.

hospital register

Greene Memorial

ADMISSIONS

Michelle Jenkins, Amity
Callie Moats, Dilliner
Frank Ealy, Graysville
Edward Eddy, Waynesburg
Leslie Stipa, Greensboro
Kevin Hayes Jr., Clarksville
Jason Geho, New Freeport
Therman Phillips, Carmichaels
Rose Klimek, Carmichaels
Nannie Mundell, Greensboro
Connie Wood, Rices Landing
Udoris Turner, New Freeport
Joseph Denny, Nemaacolin
Ora Shreve, Aleppo
Thelma Maison, Mather
Susan Celli, Carmichaels
Muriel Saggas, Carmichaels
Haylee Swinchock, Clarksville
Mary Shimek, Carmichaels
Chester Crouser Sr., Rices
Landing

James Henrich, Carmichaels
Eric Mayersky, Jefferson
Rev. Henry Young, Waynesburg
Mary Montgomery, Waynesburg
Ava Kiger, Spraggs
Sandria Baumgardner, Denbo
Joseph Fike, Rices Landing
Dorothy Bates, Graysville

DISCHARGES

Hubert Woodfield, Waynesburg
Mary Shimek, Carmichaels
John Cowan, Waynesburg
Edward Eddy, Waynesburg
Kelly Moats and son, Dilliner
Wilbert Shreve, Aleppo
Joseph Fike, Mather
Jonetta Lewis, Fredericktown
Margaret Hill, Greensboro
Mamie Cullen, Waynesburg
Geraldine Kelley, Carmichaels
Melissa Anderson, Waynesburg

Lydia Florence Patterson,

Waynesburg
Lilly McIntosh, Jefferson
Alice Harper, Waynesburg
Sara Martin and son,

Fredericktown

Heather Mayersky, Jefferson
Andria Bell, Clarksville
Nell Montgomery, Waynesburg
Florence Minor, Greensboro
Michelle Jenkins, Amity
James Henrich, Carmichaels
BORN

A daughter to Dr. and Mrs. Kevin Lotman of Clarksville on Saturday, Nov. 2, 1985.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moats of Dilliner on Saturday, Nov. 2, 1985.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. George Wood of Rices Landing on Sunday, Nov. 3, 1985.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Don A. Johnson of Waynesburg on Sunday, Nov. 3, 1985.

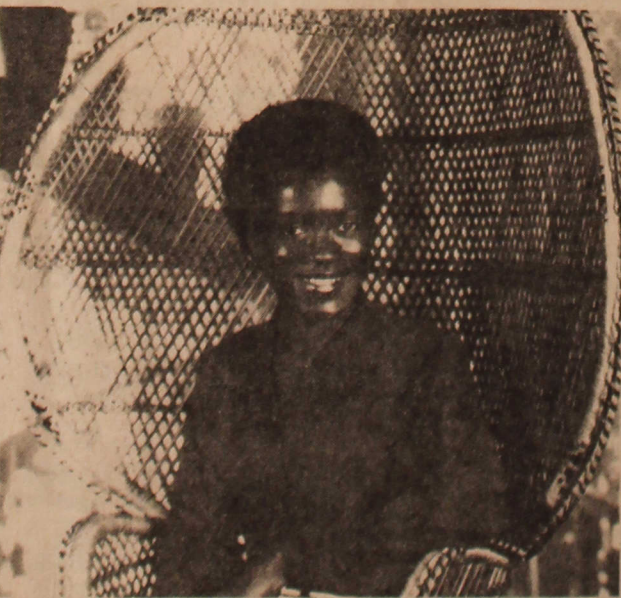
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Louise McCartney, Mt. Morris
Pearl Palone, Crucible
Rose Michniak, Bobtown
Herbert Kuntz, Carmichaels
Clyde Cooper, Mt. Morris
Duane Ridgway, Greensboro
Harry A. Hewitt, Mt. Morris
Carol Jean Cowie, Spraggs R.D.1
Dorothy Ruth McClarren, Mather

DISCHARGES

William R. Johnson, Waynesburg
Rose A. Michniak, Bobtown
Frank T. Ealy, Graysville
Carol Cowie, Spraggs
Catherine Steve, Waynesburg
Gregg Ullom, Rices Landing
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Hunters Fun Trial Scheduled

WAYNESBURG — The Southwestern Pennsylvania Bird Dog Club will hold a Hunters Fun Trial in Waynesburg on Sunday, Nov. 10, with activities beginning at 7:30 a.m.

To reach the site, turn north at Bortz Chevrolet on Route 21 and follow signs to the grounds.

Drawing of braces will be made just prior to the gun dog stake. Dogs must be handled by amateur owners or members of their family. Points in the gun dog and derby events will be shot over with blanks. There will be no live ammunition on the grounds. Judgment ceases at flush. Puppies will be judged on their potential as gun dogs.

Ribbons will be awarded for the first three places in each stake.

College Receives \$50,000 Grant

WAYNESBURG — Waynesburg College has been awarded a \$50,000 grant from the Buhl Foundation to support the continuing development of its Learning Assistance Program.

The Learning Assistance Program is designed to help students perform better in class and acquire the skills and motivation necessary to learn independently.

The Buhl Foundation was established by the will of Henry Buhl Jr. in 1927, as a memorial to his wife.

"Only through the support and interest of alumni and friends such as the Buhl Foundation can the college continue to provide quality educational opportunities to those students who decide to pursue their education at Waynesburg College," said J. Thomas Mills Jr., college president.

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on the estate of the above
named decedent, to the under-
signed, notice is hereby given
to all persons having claims or
demands against the estate of
said decedent, to make known
the same; and all persons in-
debted to the said decedent
are requested to make pay-
ment without delay to
Patricia Ann Perkins
P.O. Box 17
Baxter, W.V. 26560
Administrator c.i.a.
Ewing B. Pollock
Attorney
10-25; 11-1-8

Executors' Notice
Estate of E. D.
McCLELLAN a/k/a ERNEST
D. McCLELLAN late of Gray
Township, Greene County,
Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters testamentary on the
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to all persons indebted to said
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Ephraim A. McClellan
2131 St. Rt. 39
Sugar Creek, OH 44681
MAXWELL AND DAVIS
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R. WALLACE MAXWELL
Attorney
11-1, 8, 15

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the same; and all persons in-
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ment without delay to
Joseph R. Magda
R. D. 1, Box 214-D
Jefferson, PA, 15344
ADMINISTRATOR
Ewing B. Pollock
Attorney
11-8, 15, 22

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Administrators' Notice
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Grooms of Franklin Township,
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deceased.
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named decedent, to the under-
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said decedent, to make known
the same; and all persons in-
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ment without delay to
Sharon L. Patterson
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Kathleen E. Huffman
P. O. Box 971
Waynesburg, PA, 15370
ADMINISTRATORS
H. Terry Grimes
Attorney
11-1, 8, 15

Administrator's Notice
ESTATE OF Frederick H.
Hennen of Freeport Township,
Greene County, Pennsylvania,
deceased.
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Mrs. Columbia Gay Hennen
P. O. Box 42
New Freeport, PA, 15322
ADMINISTRATOR
James Hook, Esquire
Attorney
P. O. Box 792
Waynesburg, PA, 15370
11-8, 15, 22

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ESTATE OF BERTHA Z. CUM-
MINGS late of WAYNES-
BURG Borough, Greene
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been granted to the under-
signed, 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 authen-
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JOHN M. CUMMINGS
5 Kinnamore Road
Yardley, Pa, 19087
Executor
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Estate of Ida Kirpuras late
of Franklin Township, Gre-
ene County, Pennsylvania, de-
ceased.
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ticated, for settlement.
A. J. Marion, Esq.
312-515 Old County Dr., Bldg.
Waynesburg, PA, 15370
Executor
A. J. Marion, Esq.
Attorney
11-8, 15, 22

Executrix Notice
Estate of Dorothy Delaney
late of Waynesburg Borough,
Greene County, Pennsylvania,
deceased.
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above named estate having
been granted to the under-
signed, 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 authen-
ticated, for settlement.
Betty L. Morris
No. 2 Long Apartments
54 N. Morris Street
Waynesburg, PA, 15370
Executrix
Pollock, Pollock & Thomas
Attorneys
11-8, 15, 22

Executrix Notice
Estate of ANNA E.
BURVAN late of Cumbers
Township, Greene County,
Pennsylvania, deceased.
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above named estate having
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