

...circumvented his plans back at his home.

As the time drew near for the fire bomb to begin to function, relatives of Yost asked Police Chief John Austin and Sgt. Donald K. West to accompany them to the Yost home, where they planned to feed the dog. They discovered the house to be afire and they rushed from the dwelling when West discovered the bomb in the basement and assumed that it might explode.

**Firemen Volunteer**

A call was sent to Central station and Firemen W. J. Morgan, Jr., and Albert Angelelli responded in the city emergency truck. When they learned that a bomb was in the house, a call was sent to Chief Morgan for the pumper.

When Morgan, accompanied by Mayor Albert Robinson, learned of the presence of a bomb in the house, he called for volunteers from among the Second platoon which was present.

All the men responded, including Firemen Paul Sins, John Lobuts, Henry E. Cassady, J. W. Gump and Morgan, Jr. Led by Chief Morgan, Chief Austin and Sgt. West, they entered the building and began fighting the fire. Members of the Grant Town volunteer fire department and other also assisted.

Fireman Sine went to the basement, disconnected the bomb, and poured water on it. Then the police, including State and County police, helped remove it.

**In Office**

It was the end of a tragic day in Fairmont. Exactly what happened in the office of Moroose yesterday morning and who arranged the meeting will never be known.

Mrs. Wanda Wright Corley, Moroose's secretary, who was in the outer office when the shooting took place behind the closed door, was able to discuss the happening last night.

Shortly before 9 o'clock, Mrs. Corley, as at her desk in the outer room of the attorney's suite when Mrs. Yost entered and told her she believed she had an appointment with Moroose at 9 o'clock. She took a seat in the outer office.

In a very few moments another visitor arrived. It was Yost, who came in and started a conversation with his wife, mostly about mutually owned property, and household effects. Mrs. Corley, who was busily engaged at her typewriter, is under the impression that their conversation was not particularly friendly, though they did not quarrel.

Soon Moroose entered and went immediately into his office. Mrs. Yost rose and followed him, and she in turn was followed by her husband, who closed the door as he entered the room.

Mrs. Corley had no record of any appointment either had with Moroose. Seeing their shadows through the opaque glass of the door she had the impression that the woman had not taken a seat, but remained standing.

All was still for a few moments. Then she heard the upraised voice of the lawyer.

"That's a damned lie. I will call the police and have you put out of my office."

Another moment of silence.

Thomas Wright, of Monongah, this evening, from the Hart funeral home.

**Yost Funeral**

Tomorrow morning the body of Yost will be removed from the Jones funeral home in Mannington to the home of a brother Levi Alfred Yost, 1705 East Clay street, this city.

Funeral services will be held there at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon and burial will be made in the Snodgrass cemetery on Warrior fork.

Yost was born in this city May 10, 1903, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dennis Yost. His mother was the former Elizabeth Spicer, who was born in Holland.

The deceased is survived by two daughters by a former marriage to Bessie Clayton, Mannington; Mrs. Vivian Andrews, Morgantown, and Mrs. Edwina Davis, Rosedale. There are also the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Mary Looman and Mrs. Hattie Looman, both of Mannington, and Levi Alfred Yost, this city. There is also a grandson, Linden Luther Davis, Rosedale.

**YOUTHS PLAN SERIES OF SUMMER PROGRAMS**

The executive board and the program committee of the Fairmont Youth association met jointly last night in the home of their leader, Mrs. Howard Perry, 644 Monroe street, to plan their program for the remainder of the year.

The program will include a health program for Sunday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A.

Saturday, April 17, a social will be given in honor of the newly initiated members.

Their fourth annual Mother's Day program will be given on Tuesday, May 17. The program will feature a Marion county mother's popularity contest. All youth choirs throughout the county will be invited to participate in this program.

The annual Commencement dance, with music furnished by Virginia Davis and her Swingsters, will be given May 27.

During the summer months the program will consist of outdoors games, social dancing, and open forums.

In September their fourth annual Back-to-School dance will be given and in October they will have their fourth annual Harvest Moon anniversary party.

In December, Christmas caroling and baskets of fruits will be given to the shut-ins in the community. A Christmas party honoring college students who will be home for the Christmas holidays will be given.

Alice Davison is chairman of the program committee. Booker Burt is president of F. Y. A.

**THROUGH AUSTRALIA**

ADELAIDE, Australia (U.P.)—Shirley Duncan, 22, and Wendy Law, 21, of Melbourne, have passed the three-quarter mark in their bicycle tour of Australia. The girls set out in April, 1946, and figure they have about six months' riding left—to Perth in Western Australia and back to Melbourne.

...who died in 1926 and was a daughter of Jesse F. and Hannah Helbert Sturm and was born April 16, 1863.

The family is asking that flowers be omitted.

of three mid-western states. Miss Hazel Holt, Wilson, received the check and submitted it to R. T. Cunningham, Red chapter chairman.



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