

PATTON HOMECOMING PROGRAM A SUCCESS

Approximately 200 Veterans in Parade Despite Rainfall; Dinners Enjoyed

Patton was a busy, gala place on Monday—Armistice Day—during the GI Homecoming Celebration...

Turkey Dinner Just Right At noon the World War II veterans were the guests of the town...

Patton Beats Cherry Tree The Patton High School football eleven added their bit to the day...

ASHVILLE ROOF NOW MARKED FOR PLANES A-S-H-V-I-L-L-E in letters 10 feet high, as well as the latitude and longitude in letters five feet high...

CARROLLTOWN WOMEN TALK ABOUT INFLATION "Inflation—And How to Beat It" was the chief topic at a meeting of the Carrolltown Women's Republican Club Monday at the Wilfred Blum home...

14,200 Square Miles of Soft Coal Fields in Pennsylvania The soft coal fields of this state cover an area of about 14,200 square miles in the western half of the state...

QUERY? The Ladies of the VFW Auxiliary would like to make a correction concerning a statement made in last week's "Courier." It was said that they were being invited to the banquet for the GIs, and they were not asked. Why?—Trustees

FOUND DEAD AT CRESSON Mrs. Mae A. Honaker, 50, of Fairbanks, Pa., was found dead in a bathtub at the Cresson Sanatorium at 1:20 a. m. Tuesday. Coroner Paul Willis reports that the woman committed suicide by drowning herself in the tub.

Drawing of Factory in Window Display

An architect's drawing of the new Phillips-Jones factory to be constructed in Patton, along with a display of five suits of Van Heusen pajamas, which will be manufactured there, is to be seen in the window of Simon's Sweet Shop, Magee Ave.

PROGRAM COMPLETE FOR MINE INSTITUTE

Will Be Held at Barnesboro on Saturday Beginning at 2:30 in Afternoon Final arrangements are completed for an interesting and varied program for the 31st annual 15th Ethnolumous District Coal Mining Institute Saturday at Barnesboro...

Charles O'Neill to Speak Addresses will be given by Charles O'Neill, vice president of Barnes & Tucker Coal Co. and president of Central Pennsylvania Coal Producers Assn.; Andrew B. Crichton Sr., president of Johnstown Coal & Coke Corp.; W. Garfield Thomas, deputy secretary of the State Dept. of Mines...

FIREMEN'S BAZAAR ON FRIDAY EVENING

The Annual Raffle and Bazaar of Patton Fire Co. No. 1 will be held on Friday evening of this week at the Fire Hall in Patton. The affair will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

SAFETY DINNER SET BY HOLMES COUNCIL

The Ebensburg Council of the Joseph A. Holmes Safety Assn., which takes in Central Cambria Co., including Colver and Revloc, will hold its annual banquet Saturday evening, Nov. 23, at the Ebensburg Congregational Church.

MISS FRANCIS C. BROWN BRIDE OF ROBERT ILLIG

Miss Frances C. Brown, daughter of Paul Brown of Ebensburg, became the bride of Ronald J. Illig of Ebensburg R. J. son of Mr. and Mrs. Anicetus Illig, at a wedding ceremony performed in Holy Name Catholic Church, Ebensburg, at 8 a. m. last Saturday.

STATE POLICE SAY BE CAREFUL AT NIGHT

Lowered visibility seems to be the major difference in the hazards of night and day driving. It is necessary that drivers and pedestrians realize this and give more attention to their safety under those adverse conditions.

PATTON VFW, LEGION LAUD EX-SERVICEMEN

The Water McCoy Post, American Legion, and the John White Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, desire to take this method in congratulating the ex-servicemen and women of the Patton community for their orderly and appreciative conduct at the Homecoming Celebration on Armistice Day.

CLEARFIELD BRANCH NAMES MRS. SWOPE

Fallen timber Resident Selected Co-Chairman of District Red Cross Group Mrs. Robert Swope of Patton was selected as chairman of the Clearfield branch of the Cambria Co. American Red Cross Chapter at the annual election of officers of the group held in the Red Cross rooms at Patton Tuesday.

MANY VETS ENROLL IN 'ON-JOB' CLASSES AT EBENSBURG HIGH

Approximately 125 North Cambria veterans attended the evening classes Tuesday at the Ebensburg-Cambria High school. These men are taking courses in accordance with provisions of the "on-the-job" training program, stating they must devote 144 hours a year to school work relating to the job for which they are training.

A. C. WINSLOW DIES AT HOME IN PATTON

Austin C. Winslow, one of the best known residents of the Patton community, aged 81 years, a retired businessman, died at his home on West Magee Avenue on Sunday morning, after an illness of long duration.

GOAL CONSUMPTION SHOWS STEADY RISE

During the past 33 years, the consumption of soft coal in the United States has risen approximately 100,000,000 tons, according to statistics released by the U. S. Bureau of Mines for the period of 1913-46.

'THREE WISE FOOLS' AT PATTON'S GRAND

Whether or not you believe in fairies, you will unquestionably be brought over to little Margaret O'Brien's point of view as the delightful little Irish miss who puts up a battle for her pixies against three unimaginative old men, as unfolded on the screen at the Grand Theatre in Patton Friday and Saturday of this week in the "Three Wise Fools."

Army Volunteer Enlistments Show Drop During October Army enlistments took a sharp drop during October, it has been revealed by the War Dept., which lists 61,750 in September and only 48,769 in October. Spokesmen also say that November and December prospects are "tougher" because of draft suspension.

PRICE CONTROL PRACTICALLY ABANDONED AND CONTROLS ON WAGES DROPPED BY TRUMAN

For the first time since 1942, the Nation Monday resumed operations under a free economy but amid prospects that the general order of strikes that will produce a deadlock between the President and the new Republican Congress.

PRESENT TIME BEST FOR NEW CONTRACT

While higher pay for bituminous miners appears to be the chief aim of John Lewis in his negotiations with the government, the UMW head apparently has not overlooked the advantage of starting the season for contract talks from spring to fall or winter.

PAYROLL BOND PLAN TO BE INAUGURATED FOR NORTH CAMBRIA

A payroll savings promotion is being inaugurated at many mines and factories in Northern Cambria Co. this week as part of a nationwide savings promotion. "Sign up for Security" is the slogan for the campaign. The object of the drive is to enroll every worker in the peacetime payroll savings plan, whereby they would set aside a certain sum out of each pay for the purchase of U. S. Government Savings Bonds, or War Bonds as they were called during the war.

LIVING CONDITIONS IN MINING TOWNS SAID DISGRACEFUL

Adm. Ben Moreell, former federal coal mines administrator, with specific reference to "disgraceful conditions" in some coal mining communities, last week called on industry "to accept its role as trustee of human welfare."

SCOUTS SET DATES FOR COMING EVENTS

An advanced scoutmaster's training course in January heads the 1947 schedule of events for the North Cambria District of the Adm. Robert E. Peary Council of Boy Scouts of America as set up by a district planning conference at a meeting in the Bakerton Public School last Thursday night.

ANGELINE BIANO TO BE BRIDE THIS SATURDAY AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Miss Angeline Bianco, a well-known Patton young lady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Bianco, will become the bride of Joseph Carnicella, son of Mrs. Anthony Carnicella of Altoona, on Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Patton. Rev. Father Rupert Stadtmiller, pastor, will officiate.

CO. HOME ATTENDANT DIES John T. Mackey, 76, Scottish newspaperman who came to this country on an assignment and stayed, and who was an attendant at the Cambria Co. Home for the past 30 years, died of an heart ailment on Sunday.

Operators Invited to the Coal Conference

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MISS RUTH CARPER TO SPEAK TONIGHT

To Be Guest of North Cambria Kiwanis at Dinner-Meet It is announced by the program committee of the Northern Cambria Kiwanis Club that Miss Ruth Carper, Child Welfare Secretary for Cambria County, will be the speaker at the regular weekly meeting on November 14. The meeting will be held in the Smith Hotel, Patton, at 6:30 p. m., on Thursday evening.

YOUTH DETENTION HOME LACK CITED BY THREE JUDGES

Three Cambria Co. judges this week scored the failure of the three county commissioners to act immediately on the establishment of a juvenile detention home in Cambria Co.

OFFICIAL COUNT IS LISTED BY COUNTY

No Material Revisions from Unofficial Figures Made by Election Board No material changes were discovered in the official tally of votes in the election of last week when the computation board finished their work at the week end.

U. S. Senator Guffey 28,197 Martin 27,617 Governor Ruff 27,723 Dice 28,249 Lieutenant Governor Dent 27,622 Strickler 27,760 Secretary of Internal Affairs Schmidt 28,085 Livengood 27,146 Congress Owens 29,335 Tibbitts 28,557 Assembly (2nd Dist.) Chervenak 20,253 O'Connor 20,663 Evans 19,851 Williams 18,544 Binder 18,504

SPANGLER NIMROD WOUNDED IN LEGS

Albert Mulhaney of Spangler was painfully injured Monday of last week when pellets from a shotgun charge entered both legs. Mr. Mulhaney and Dalton Fulton, also of Spangler, were hunting small game in the vicinity when Fulton's gun went off accidentally. The wounded man was treated by a physician and returned to his home, receiving additional treatment later.

162,136 Coal Miners Taken Into Army During War II

A total of 162,136 coal miners were inducted into the armed services of the Nation between Pearl Harbor and July 1, 1944, says a report issued by the UMW. Those killed, died or missing in action numbered 3,345, while there were 10,125 wounded. War savings bond purchases of the UMW and its members amounted to \$175,000,000.

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Initial Meeting Is Called for Wednesday Afternoon of This Week

Could Have Strike Lewis, in his attempt to better the contract, presumably by obtaining higher pay or other benefits, is proceeding with plans to negotiate with Krug until Friday of this week, then serve notice he will terminate the contract Nov. 20—next Wednesday.

DEMANDS AS YET SECRET

Just as Lewis' demands will be made public at the time this paper went to press, Most operators think he will ask for the present work week of 54 hours be cut with little or no loss in take home pay. They think he will propose a five-day work week of 40 or 45 hours.

CHANGES MUST BE APPROVED

The Liberty Wage Stabilization Board or its successor still will have to pass on any change in the pay or working conditions of the soft coal mines because of provisions in the Smith-Connally War Labor Disputes Act under which they were seized last spring after a 59-day shutdown.

GET HEAVY FINES FOR KILLING DEER

Francis McDermott of Cresson and L. C. Cresson of Altoona, who made field settlements of \$100 in fines last Wednesday night when they were arrested by Deputy Game Protector Edward Wilt of Gallatin as they sneaked in to the woods near Cresson to claim an illegally-killed doe.

LITTLE HOPE HELD FOR ARMY 'TRAINING' BILL

A dark outlook for the universal training plan in the new Congress is noted by Army representatives concerned with the program. The war department plans a vigorous campaign for its proposal to make every man subject to 6 months of basic training at the age of 18, plus additional training in the reserves or by other means.

VFW BANQUET AT HASTINGS St. Bernard's Church Hall in Hastings was the scene of much festivity Monday night when the Patrick D. Riordan Post, 3586 Veterans of Foreign Wars, held its annual Armistice Day banquet. A turkey dinner was served by the Rosary Society of the church.