

### Trucksville Fire Company Adds 140 New Members To Its Rolls

More than 140 new names were added to the active membership roll of the Trucksville Volunteer Fire Company during the recent membership drive. Community interest in the development of better protective facilities for Trucksville is increasing and plans are being made for an unusually active program in the coming year.

At a meeting Friday night, the first since election of the new officers, Richard Reese, Hugh Ridall and Clyde Haskins were appointed as a committee to study and report on a revision of the company's by-laws.

The recently elected officers for the coming year are: S. D. Finney, president; E. W. Piatt, secretary; William Gregory, treasurer; William Lipfert, financial secretary; Francis McCarty, Chief; William Robbins Jr., 1st engineer; Herbert Jenkins, 2nd engineer; C. F. Haskins, Harold Yorks and Louis Roushey, trustees. Another of the monthly parties will be held at the Fire House June

22. Special awards are being planned which will be announced later. Because of the increasingly large attendance a more entertaining program is possible each time.

August 17 and 18 have been selected as the dates of the Summer Fair. President Finney was drafted by the members to again serve as chairman of the Fair Committee because his efforts in that capacity last year were so successful. The complete committee will be announced later.

Committees which have been appointed by President Finney are: Finance, Dr. Grant, Morris Lloyd, Samuel Davis; Membership, Asher Weiss, Harold Yorks, William Hewitt; Publicity, Rodman Derr, William Clewell, Fred Kirkendall; House, Jacob Harrison, Stanley Farr, Leroy Morris; Grounds, Harold Yorks, Louis Roushey, Sheldon Bennett; Entertainment, Richard Reese, William Robbins Jr., Sam Davis; Creek, William Gregory, Francis McCarty, Herbert Jenkins.

### OUTLET

The following called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoover and family Saturday evening, May 26: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoover, Ellis Hoover, Pvt. Warren Hoover, Joyce and Faith Hoover, Miss Louise Wyant, Firman W. Sorber and Huey Hummell. The Hoovers observed their wedding anniversary on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Traver and Clayton called on the Russell Hoover family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutton and Miss Betty Sutton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sutton recently.

Pvt. Warren Hoover who spent

a seventeen day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoover, left for Liberal Army Air Field, Liberal, Kansas, Tuesday. Pvt. Warren visited his cousin, Sgt. Millard Kocher on Sunday. The two had not met in three years.

### JACKSON

Cpl. James Perkins of Washington, D. C. is spending a twelve day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perkins.

Miss Victoria Zbick has accepted a position in Wilkes-Barre. Seaman Velton Bean of Perth Amboy, N. J. and Mrs. Bean and Randy spent last weekend with rel-

atives here. Committee members for W.S.C.S. dinner for the month of June are Mesdames Walter Reakes, John Sholtis, Robert Scalley, James Roushey and John Roskus.

Mrs. Dennis Bonning spent Monday at West Wyoming where she was called by the illness of a relative.

Mrs. Donald Moody and infant daughter have returned from Nanticoke State Hospital and are living at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Williams. The baby was born April 14. Her father, Private Donald is now stationed in New Jersey. Mrs. Donald Reakes and two

small children are spending some time with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reakes. Sgt. Reakes is serving in Germany with the infantry.

### Odd Fellows To Meet Monday Night, June 21

The monthly meeting of the I. O. O. F. Past Grands Association of Luzerne County will be held on Thursday evening, June 21, with Outalissa Encampment, No. 39, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows Temple, South Franklin street, Wilkes-Barre. All members of the Order are invited to attend. Members of the encampment are arranging for an

excellent program. Albert Ditoro, president of the association, will preside. Subordinate lodges in the county are asked to see that their lodge is represented at the meeting.

A brief business session will be held prior to the program of the evening. Many new members will be received into membership. All Odd Fellows, regardless of rank or lodge affiliation are welcome to the meeting.

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Coxwain Elias Miller has returned to his base after spending a thirty day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller.

Pfc. Sterling Achuff has returned to the hospital after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Achuff. He was wounded overseas. He has a brother, Louis who was recently released from a prison camp in Germany.

Pfc. Louis Banta, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Banta is spending a furlough with his wife and family. Pfc. Banta was wounded in Italy and is stationed in Wakefield General Hospital, Wakefield, Ind. The Bantas celebrated their eighth wedding anniversary May 31. They have one child, Diana.

Mrs. Anna Shunk and children, spent the weekend in Luzerne with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shunk.

Eugene Banta Jr. has returned to Wilmington, Del., where he is employed on the railroad.

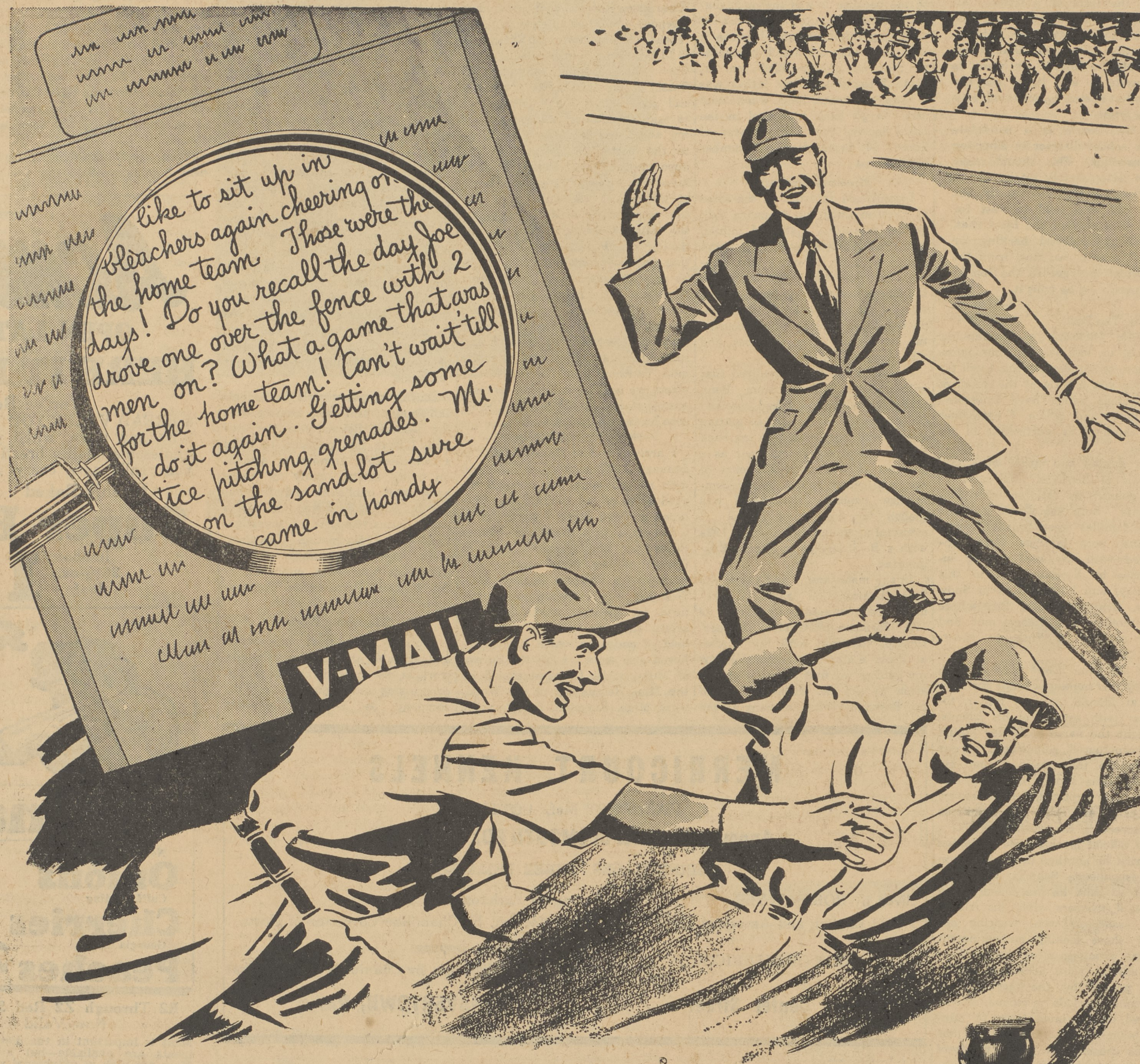
Mrs. Joseph Pepsin and daughter, Susan have returned to New Jersey after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gesse and children of Larksville spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Banta Sr.

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