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Business

The News
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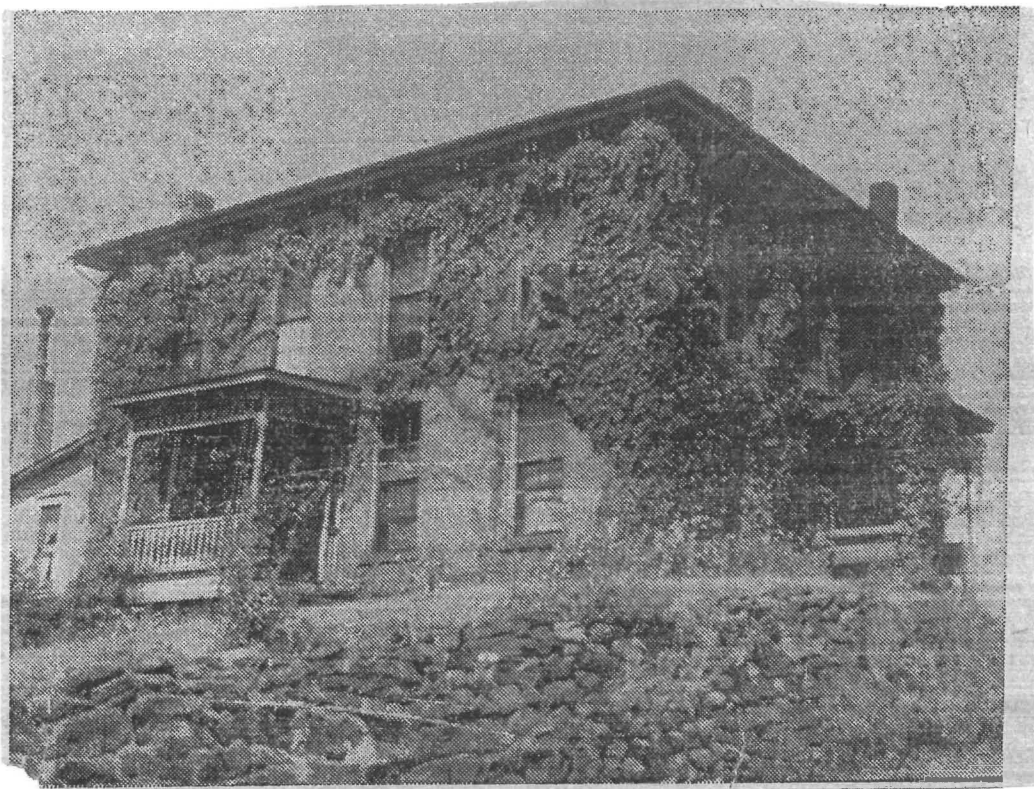
Duane Kadri of Kadri's Construction of Uhrichsville throws another piece of wood on his truck as demolition of the building on the corner of Bridge and Canal streets continued last week. The building had been burned out

for several years and Kadri said current plans are to level the area and make it into a "rose garden."

News notes

Memory Park located at this site.

North-East corner of Canal + Bridge st.
Newcomerstown.



North Bridge St.
 + Neighbor St.
 Newcomerstown, OH.

Kelly's Circulating Library

Containing the newest books by the most famous authors such as "Via Crucis," "To Have and to Hold," "Red Rock," "Prisoners of Hope," "No. 5 John Street," "In Connection with the De Willoughby Estate," "The gentleman from Indiana," "Richard Carvel," "When Knighthood was in Flower," "Janice Meredith," "David Harum," "Hugh Wyne," "Billy Baxter's Letters," "Vengeance is Mine," and many more. Rate of loan 10c per week and 2c per day thereafter.

6 JUN 1900 KELLY'S NEWS AGENCY.

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OUR SATURDAY SPECIAL

3 roll Toilet Paper for 25c. Regular 5c rolls.

Oil-Cloth first quality at 11c and 13c a yard.

See our line of Children's Dresses and Boy Suits for only 48c.

THE FAIR

The Store With The Goods
 Opposite Post Office.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1950

SEVENTY YEARS AGO

1950 5-3-2020

Home delivery of mail curtailed to once a day.

Ohio Power completes modernization of the company building on River Street at a cost of \$20,000.

Donald Pettay, Freeport, purchases eight trailers at Veterans Court for \$1,200.

28 Trailers Sold As C. of C. Ends Housing Project

Veterans Court, Newcomerstown's emergency housing project, will soon be only a memory.

The Chamber of Commerce which brought the trailers here soon after World War II to provide needed housing for ex-servicemen and their families, announced the trailers have been sold.

The buyer is Marshall F. Herche of Grand Rapids, Mich. He will move the 28 units—some doubles and some singles—to Michigan within the next two weeks.

The price in the transaction was not disclosed. The trailers will be set up in Michigan to become dwelling units for defense workers.

THE CHAMBER housing committee consists of Carl Lenzo, Charles Raine and William Heifner. Mr. Heifner said the organization feels there is no longer a need for the emergency housing.

When they were first set up on land leased from Arthur Zimmer and John McConnell near N. College st., they were open only to veterans.

As the housing situation eased, the veteran restriction was removed. Lately, occupancy has been low, leading to the belief that they are not needed.

The trailers were obtained from the Federal Housing Administration in the fall of 1946. The units were free, but transportation costs amounted to several thousand dollars.

Gas, water, electric and sewage lines presumably will be removed.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS

Mr. John Richmond has purchased the interests of Mr. Jas. Mohler in the Newcomerstown Bulck Co., located on North Bridge st. this city, and is now sole owner of the business. It is understood that Mr. Chester Best has been retained to assist in the sale of cars and management of the business.

Feb. 1923

REMOVED!! April 1907

We have moved our jewelry store from Main street to the J. E. Wood building, corner of Canal and Bridge sts, where we invite our friends and patrons to call and see us. Note our big watch sign.

STONEBROOK & JESSE.

Apr. 1-21. Newcomerstown, O.

FORTY YEARS AGO 8-13-86
1946

Russell O. Vogenitz, 74, dies at Union Hospital, Dover.

Council sets rules for trailer camps.

Victory celebration to mark the first anniversary of the end of the war with Japan planned for Aug. 14 at Warner's field.

Town budget is approved and less income seen for next yer. The general fund calls for \$26,668.

1947

World War II veterans sponsoring March of Dimes campaign.

Twenty-two veterans occupy new trailer units in veterans court.

Clow plant again wins safety honors.

1946 sets birth record in county with 1,468 reported.

Dr. C.A. Hanson elected president of school board.

Deaths: O.C. Hothem,

1946 10-19-1016

Riggle Dairy Co., E. Canal St., purchased by Daniel and Robert Russell of Kent.

Vet trailer will be placed on land between C&M Railroad and N. College St.

Clow stack on State St. will be razed Saturday.

SEVENTY YEARS AGO

- 1950 7/2 11/2

The Newcomerstown Chamber of Commerce sells 28 trailers of Veterans Court to Marshall Herche of Grand Rapids, Mich.

The Newcomerstown High School Marching Band wins acclaim for its performance in a band show at Kent State University. New band uniforms were purchased by the Band Mothers.

Newcomerstown council begins legal steps to build a \$30,000 sewer for the west side.

College Street North

Trailers between College & Bridge Streets
for soldiers returning from WWII (circa 1945)



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Don't let your subscription date pass by without Renewing it. The first number is the month, the second the day, the third the year. U. S. Mailing Regulations, require all papers to be paid in advance.

William R. Patterson 10-3-47

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The Newcomerstown Index — Established 1870

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VOL. 49, No. 49

Newcomerstown, Ohio, Thursda

School Bells To Call Pupils Back Sept. 2

No Vacancy At Vet Court

The "no vacancy" sign has been hung up at Veterans Court, Newcomerstown's housing project for ex-servicemen and their families, Chamber of Commerce officials announced this week.

Each of the 18 large trailer units and 15 small ones are occupied, B. K. Castle, chairman of the management board, said, providing homes for about 100 persons.

Financially the project appears to be paying its way, Mr. Castle said. The board still owes notes amounting to \$7500—borrowed from Heller Brothers Co., the American Legion and the Elks—but it expects to make a payment of \$1500 on this indebtedness next November.

There are altogether 38 trailers, acquired from the federal government for emergency housing. One is used for an office, which is occupied by Manager Harry Ely and his family, one is shower and toilet room, one is a laundry, and two are for storage.

The turnover in renters has been low, one or two a month, since the units were made available around the first of this year, Mr. Castle said.

Although the board borrowed only \$7500 to launch the project, they were forced to go "on the cuff" for nearly \$3000 more. All these bills have been paid.

Despite the fact that the trailers are all occupied most of the time, there is rarely a waiting list, leading to the conclusion that the number of units is just about equal to the demand.

Improvements have been made since Veterans Court was literally launched in a sea of mud last year. A new road has been constructed, grounds have been graded and planted with grass seed, drains installed and an incinerator built. The units have been painted inside and out and otherwise put into good repair.

Before winter the board expects to build "aprons" around the bottoms of the trailers to keep out cold air.

The original rental was \$28.50 for the expansible trailers and \$23.50 for the smaller ones. This was recently reduced to \$25 and \$20.

ELKS PICNIC

Approximately 225 attended the annual Elks picnic held Sunday at Heck's Grove, Gnadenhutten.

After dinner contests were held as follows: race for girls under six first, Sandra Summers; second prize, Marilyn Bordenkircher;

New Equipment Added, Buildings Repainted Inside

The Newcomerstown schools will open Tuesday, Sept. 2 at 9 a. m., Supt. D. B. Roeder announced this week. All buses will run on the same schedule as last year.

School the first day will be dismissed at 11:45.

All first grade students are asked to bring their birth certificates on the first day. Those entering the first grade must be six years old not later than Jan. 1, 1948.

In preparation for the opening of school much painting and altering has been done during the summer. The two elementary grade buildings, East and Maplewood, have been completely decorated in the interior. All rooms have been painted pale green or light buff. Woodwork and seats have been re-varnished. At Maplewood a new pull-away merry-go-round has been installed.

In the high school building the third floor has been re-decorated and the first and second floor ceilings have been re-painted. The second floor study hall has been enlarged by moving the library to the next room south.

All junior high school library books have been moved to the second floor library which will be open every period with a teacher-librarian in charge. Many new books of fiction and reference have been purchased during the summer. A total of 71 magazines have been ordered for the library. Library newspapers will include the Cleveland Plaindealer, Ohio State Journal, Coshocton Tribune and Newcomerstown News and Index.

Many of the textbooks have been sent to the bindery to be replaced. Free textbooks will be provided by the board of education to all students as usual, but students are required to buy all workbooks.

Some new lockers have been purchased. Others will be ordered when available.

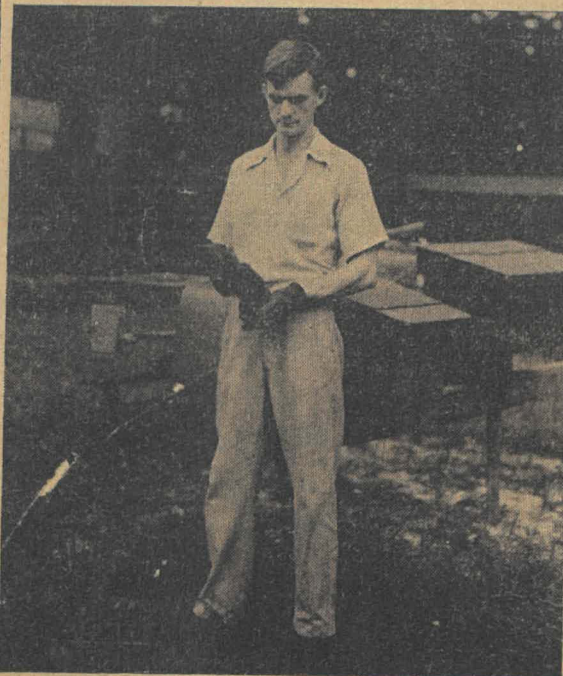
New teachers in the spring are Ralph L. Braden, Annis McCoy, Marjorie Helen Ort, Donald Edward Wolff, Rosalie N. Wilson, and Charlotte Bowers. Verna Merkel of Port Washington is returning after being out of the system for a year.

School will begin as usual at 9 a. m. and will be dismissed at 4 p. m.

All students new to the high school this year are requested to come to the high school principal's office and register the last week in August.

Among the important dates on the annual schedule are the East-

Local Man Raising Mink Uses Bite-proof Gloves



William R. Patterson holds one of his mink.

Bite-proof gloves are essential in raising mink, according to William R. Patterson, West st., who has been in this business since the first of the year.

Mr. Patterson has developed great respect for the teeth of the nervous little animals whose black pelts make luxurious fur coats, because he has been bit numerous times. Once a mink sunk its teeth into his hand with such determination that he had to pry open the jaws.

His original three mink, purchased in Colorado at a cost of \$195, have increased to 14. Litters arrived in April. One included seven kittens and the other, six although four or five is the usual amount. Two died, making the net increase 11.

"The litters were larger than average," Mr. Patterson said, "and that was good luck. But there were only two females. That wasn't so good."

"I may sell some of the male pelts next November. They will be prime then. But I'm more interested now in increasing my stock."

Mink have one litter a year. A black pelt brings \$17 to \$18, he said.

"I hope to make out on this deal," Mr. Patterson said, "but there are many uncertainties. One of the worst hazards is disease. You have to be careful to see that mink get a balanced diet. When they are half-grown

they must be put in pens by themselves. Otherwise they will fight. At first they just play rough, but they keep getting rougher until one bites too hard. Once they get a taste of blood they tear viciously at each other."

Mr. Patterson feeds the babies twice a day and the older ones once. It takes three and a half pounds of food daily for his 14 animals.

Their diet includes 90 per cent ground meat and 10 per cent vegetables and cereals. Recently Mr. Patterson butchered a horse that netted 400 pounds of mink food. Most of it is stored in a deep-freezer at his home. They also like carp, but it must be ground. Their favorite vegetables are lettuce and tomatoes.

Just before meal times the little animals become more restless than usual and race around their pens like demons.

Mr. Patterson demonstrated why he has to handle them with heavy gloves. He picked up a black-furred kitten. It squealed unmercifully and bit furiously at the gloves.

Mr. Patterson has nine pens and will need more. They are about three feet above the ground. A wire fence surrounds the area as a secondary barrier.

There is another mink raiser in this vicinity. William Ophhie, Post Boy, has about 70 at his farm.

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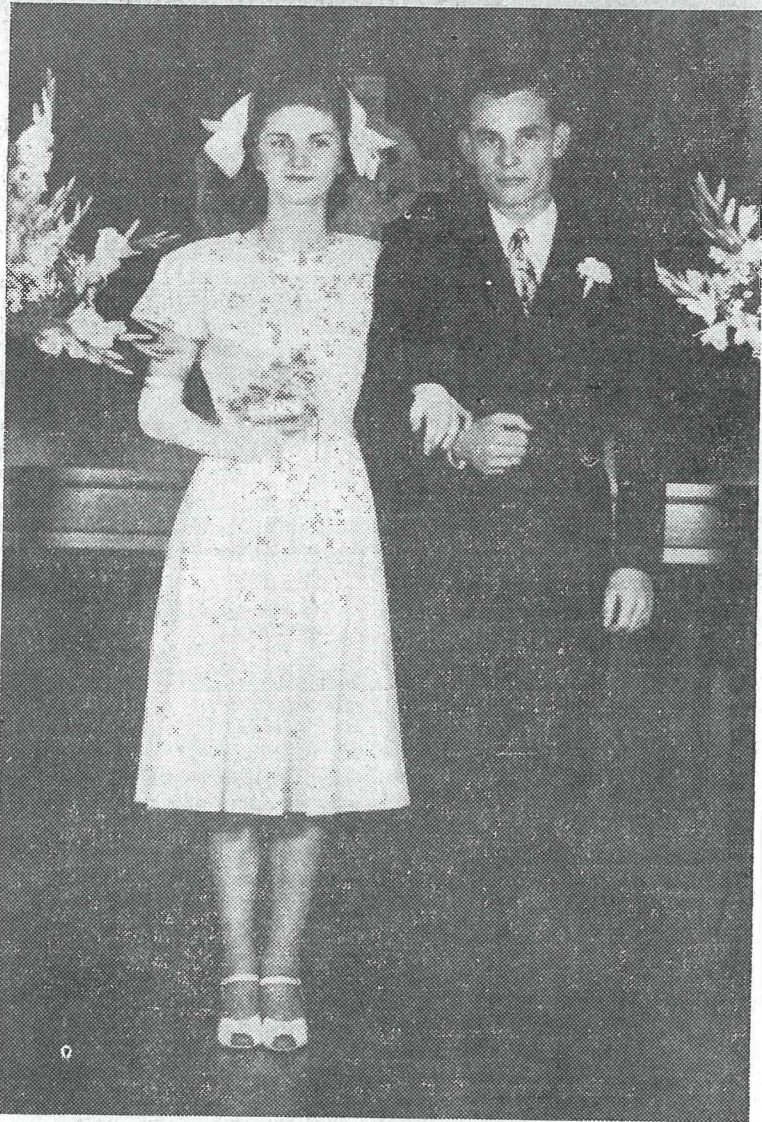
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THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1947

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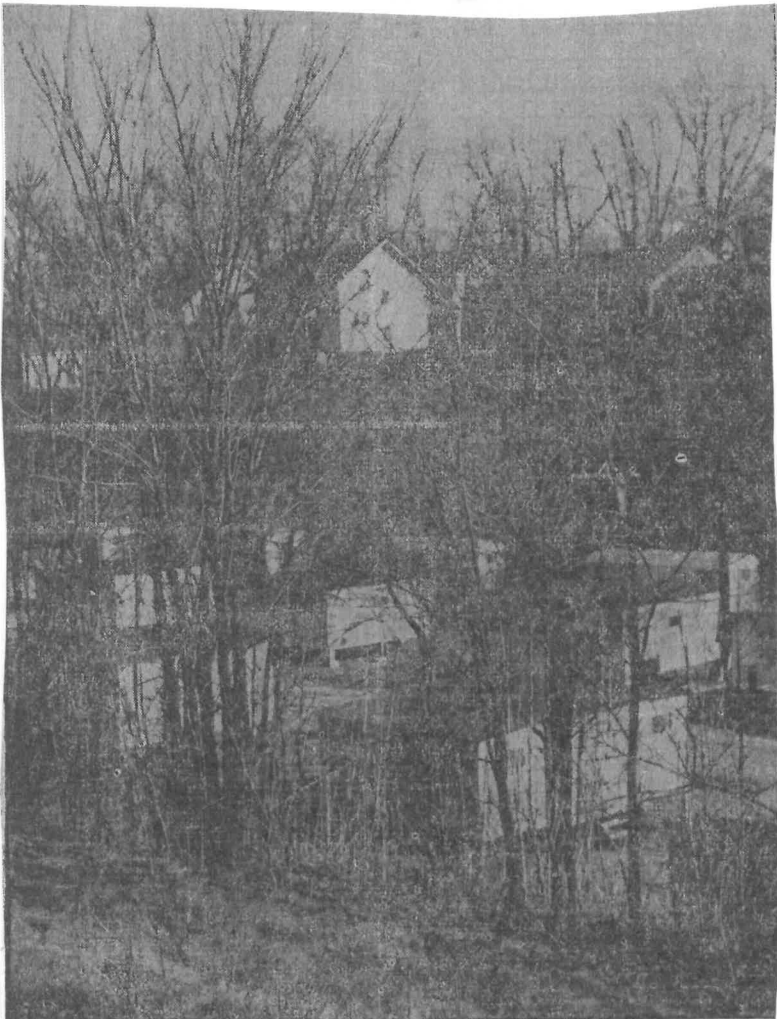
MR. AND MRS. Archie Fletcher, Jr., pictured above, were united in marriage June 21 in the First Presbyterian church. The bride is the former JoAnn Castle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Castle. Mr. Fletcher, son of Mrs. Anna Fletcher, River st., and Archie Fletcher, Canal st., is a dental technician in the office of Dr. R. F. Warren. The are residing in Veterans Court.

—Bright Studio

OCT 1946 CONTRACT Signed for 43
Trailer homes for WWII Veterans

NOV 1950 Chamber Commerce ends
Housing Project, Sells 28 trailers

Bridge St Veterans Court



TO MOVE AGAIN. These house trailers in Veterans Court will soon be on the move again. Located in a tract near N. College st., the units were obtained from the F. H. A. During World War II they housed war workers. Thirty-five trailers were brought here by the Chamber of Commerce in 1946 and were ready for veterans and their families as emergency units early in 1947. Now the trailers will be moved again to become homes for defense workers in Michigan. They were bought by Marshall Herche of Grand Rapids.



1947

Veterans CRT Bridge St and College St

In 1935, there was a major flood when the Buckhorn Creek overflowed. One of the areas in Newcomerstown that was affected the most was the area in and around 126 (Rear) North Goodrich Street. In a retrospective article comparing the 1935 flood with one in 1969, *The Newcomerstown News*, at 2-A (July 10, 1969), stated:

Last Saturday's Buckhorn Creek flood was not nearly as destructive as the torrents which struck this area in 1935.

The rampage of 34 years ago was aggravated by a break in the C. and M. embankment in the north end of town. It unleashed a raging torrent that swept away everything in its path.

Water reached five feet deep in some residences. Firemen and hundreds of volunteers worked through the night rescuing marooned householders. They waded through neck-deep water.

C. Leech



Bridge St
before masonic
Temple
Leslie Best

apartments occupied. In 1880, a frame structure containing two rooms was built on the same lot. In 1873, a small school building was erected within the district, two miles northeast of Newcomerstown, wherein a school has since been held for the better accommodation of those people who resided in that vicinity. C. T. Emerson was the first Superintendent, remaining three years. Christian Forney, Rev. H. Bickel, H. H. Porter, now of Port Washington, followed. Rev. U. J. Knisely, Ph. D., then conducted the schools for several years. He afterward opened and conducted a private school, which was very successful. Subsequent Superintendents of the Public Schools of Newcomerstown were A. W. Search, who remained three years, Joseph Rey, who was also in charge three years, and J. T. Duff, who is now serving his third year. The present school enumeration is about 450. The present School Board is composed of J. T. Pocock, President; J. R. Mulvane, Secretary; Joseph S. Lyons, Treasurer; Samuel Tyhurst, G. R. Little and Frank Miskimen.

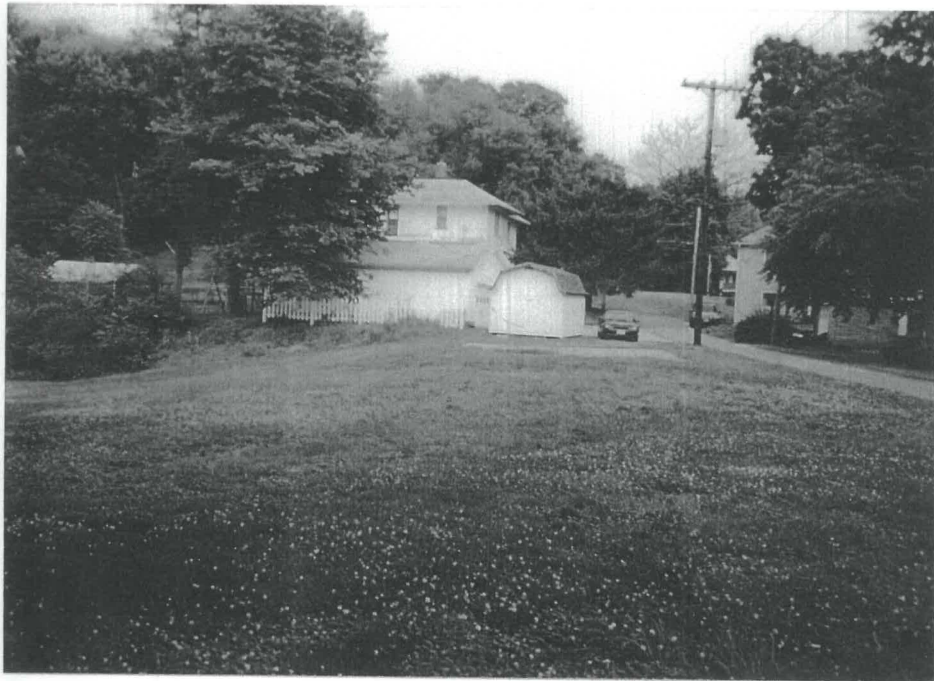
Schools

Lafayette, now Lone Star Lodge, No. 175, F. & A. M., was chartered October 18, 1849, with the following charter members: John Allen, R. H. Nugen, Benslow Hare, John Laughead, James R. Johnson, Samuel Hutchinson, Arthur Fields and Phineas Inskip. The first officers were John Allen, W. M.; Col. R. H. Nugen, S. W.; Benslow Hare, J. W. The present officers are G. B. Smith, W. M.; J. S. Lyons, S. W.; M. B. Kenedy, J. W.; S. F. Timmons, Treasurer; L. Carhart, Secretary; T. J. Patterson, S. D.; J. Riggle, J. D.; James McClure, Tiler. The membership is eighty-five.

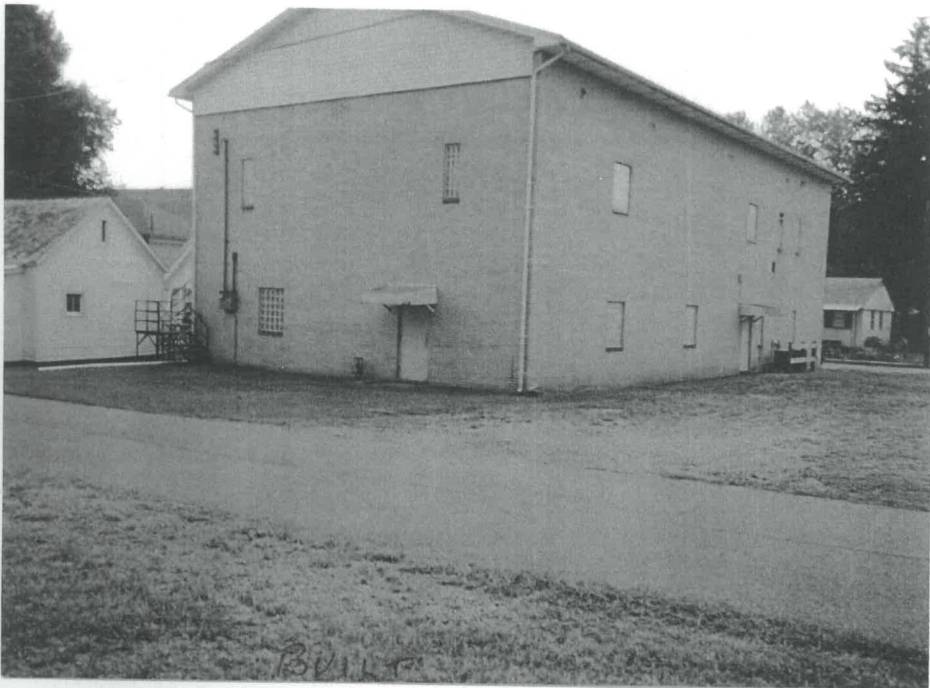
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Newcomerstown Lodge, No. 445, I. O. O. F., was instituted June 28, 1870, with the following eleven charter members: William McFadden, John Switzer, F. M. Swan, E. S. Pocock, A. W. Murphy, J. J. A. Thrapp, William Huff, J. H. Frees, J. W. Ayers, Nathan Shepherd and G. M. Wright. The first three mentioned are now deceased. Ten other members were initiated the evening of institution. The present membership is forty-four. The lodge meets every Friday evening, and is now officered by Frank Miskimen, N. G.; James Loader, V. G.; W. R. Shields, Recording Secretary; J. H. Mulvane, Permanent Secretary; J. H. Frees, Treasurer.

Dion Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., was instituted September 20, 1878, with eighteen charter members, as follows: W. R. Shields, P. C.; J. A. Buchanan, C. C.; A. C. Bagnall, V. C.; W. A. Johns, M. of F.; R. L. Shoemaker, M. of Ex.; S. F. Ayers, K. of R. and S.; Thomas Lybarger, Prelate; Lewis Gardner, O. G.; J. T. Pocock, I. G.; H. G. Little, W. C. Riggle, William Maberry, J. P. McClelland, G. L. Patterson, Thomas Brady, E. S. Connelly, R. F. Dent, A. W. Search, R. P. Neighbor and William Shurtz. The lodge now numbers about twenty-five members, and its regular evening for meetings is Wednesday. The present officers are Daniel Laub, P. C.; John E. Woods, C. O.; William Shurtz, V. C.; H. G. Little, M. of F.; Thomas Crawford, M. of Ex.; John T. Pocock, K. of R. and S.; Alvin Sperling, Prelate; W. A. Johns, I. G.; David Stitts, O. G.



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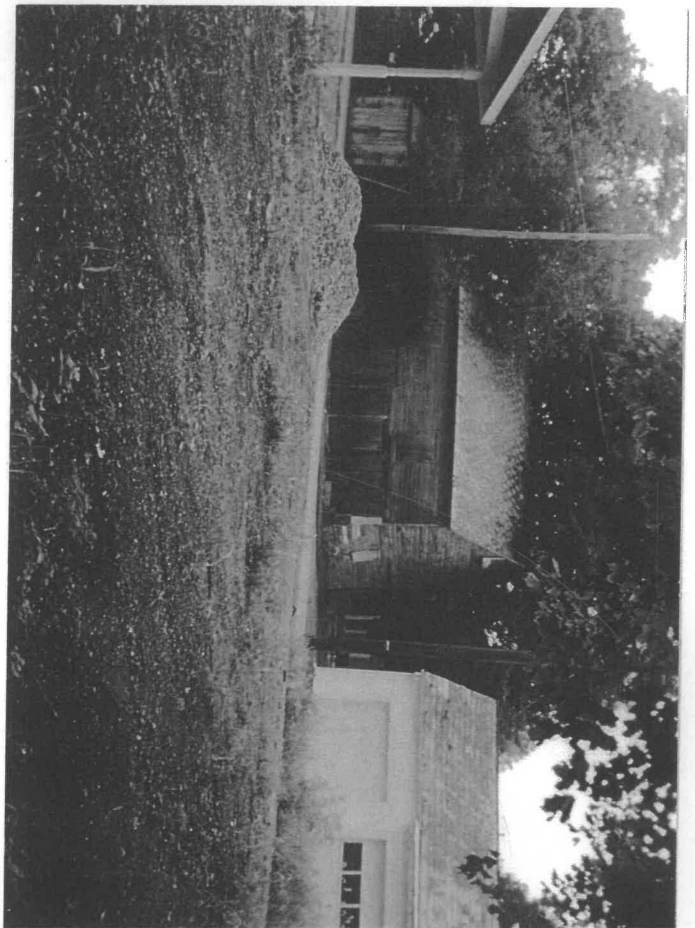
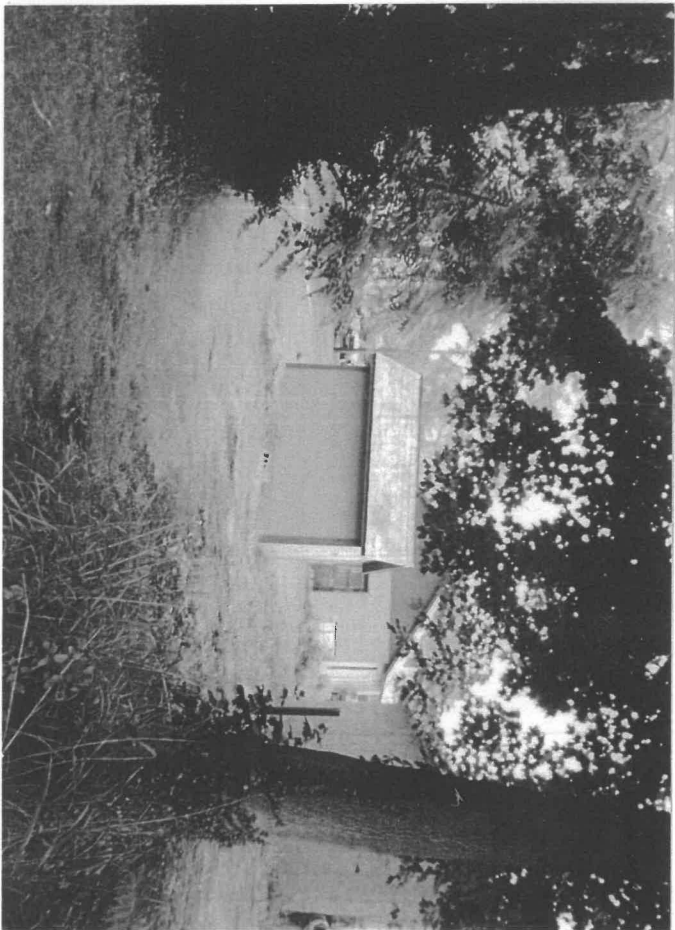
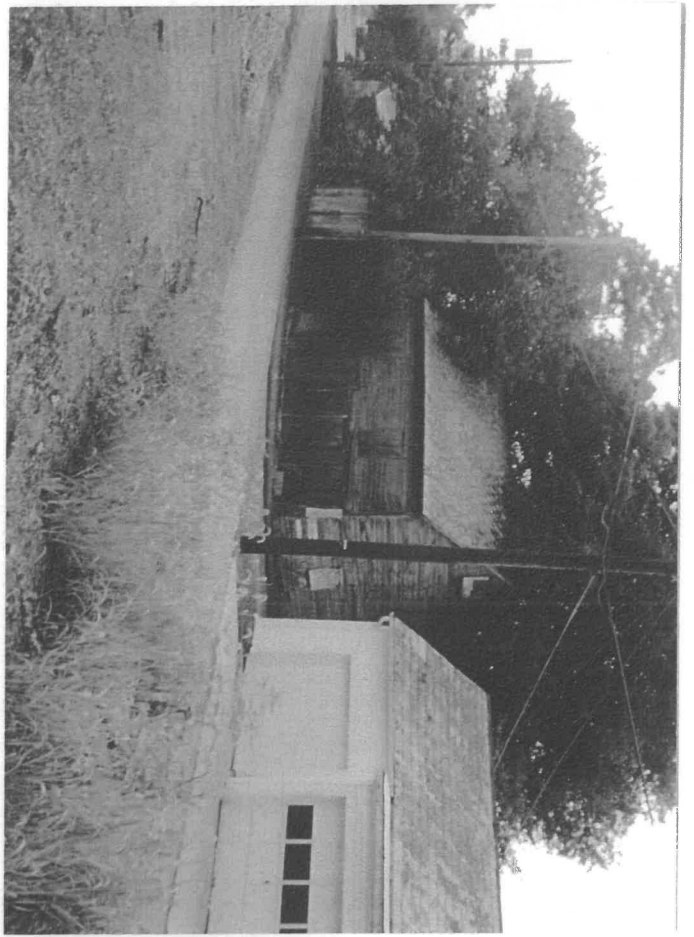
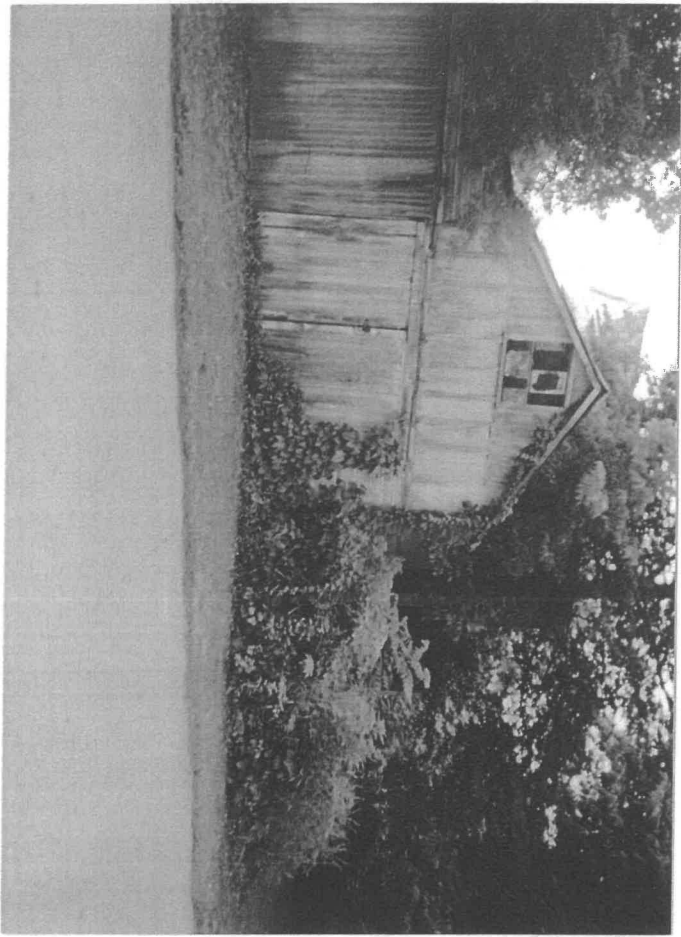


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Lone Star Lodge No. 175
 Free & Accepted Masons of Ohio
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T. J. Shannon Is Stricken at Newcomerstown

Feb 11 1932

T. J. Shannon, aged 77, a former realtor and insurance agent of Newcomerstown and Coshocton, died suddenly at his home on Bridge st. in Newcomerstown Thursday afternoon following a heart attack. He had been in failing health for the past two years.

Mr. Shannon was active in civic, lodge and church circles in Newcomerstown. He was formerly noble grand of the Newcomerstown Odd Fellow lodge.

He spent four years of his life in this city and 31 years at Newcomerstown. He was born February 26, 1855, at Westchester, Tuscarawas co., the son of Jacob and Malinda Shannon.

Mr. Shannon was a lifelong member of the Methodist Episcopal church at Newcomerstown and was active in the work of that church and the one at Wolf Station.

He was married to Agnes Chapman on March 8, 1877. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Harvey Lorenz of this city; two sons, C. A. Shannon of Granville and W. E. Shannon of Zanesville; two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Chapman and Mrs. T. L. Muma, both of Newcomerstown; one brother, M. C. Shannon of Minneapolis, Minn., and the following grandchildren: Mrs. James Fallon of this city, Francis Shannon of Mansfield, Eugene Shannon of Zanesville and Gordon Brode of Newcomerstown. Two daughters, Bernice Shannon Baxter and Jessie Shannon Brode, preceded their father to the grave.

Funeral services will be conducted at the late residence Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. Patterson of Massillon, formerly of Newcomerstown, assisted by Rev. H. R. Chalfant of Newcomerstown. Burial will be made in the Newcomerstown cemetery.

Public Library Changes Location.

The trustees of the Free Loan Library of this city have rented the Shannon office building on North Bridge street and are moving the books from the rooms previously occupied in the Vogenitz block today. The catalogue shows 460 volumes in circulation. About 75 books each week are drawn by the public. The material of the library has been freshened by a gift of 50 volumes from Dr. Shepherd. These include the complete works of Carlisle and Irving. With the addition of these works, and the location of the library on the ground floor so near the post office, much wider interest should be shown in this public enterprise. Any person may obtain a library card for the asking from Miss Edna Neighbor, Librarian.

31 Mar 1909
Birthday Surprise.

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ABE DAVIS
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Precedes Abe Davis house

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Davis Family
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Confectionary corner of
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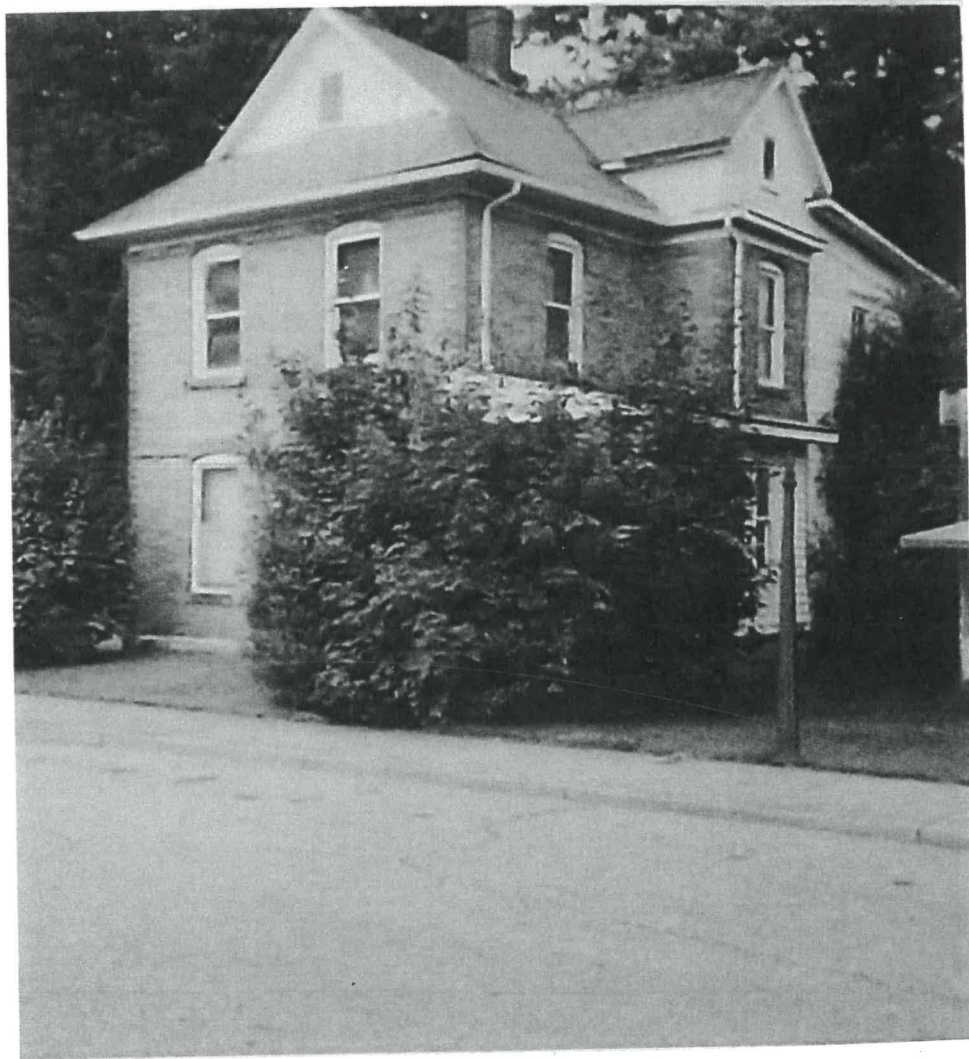
Back row:
Dorothy + Abe Davis
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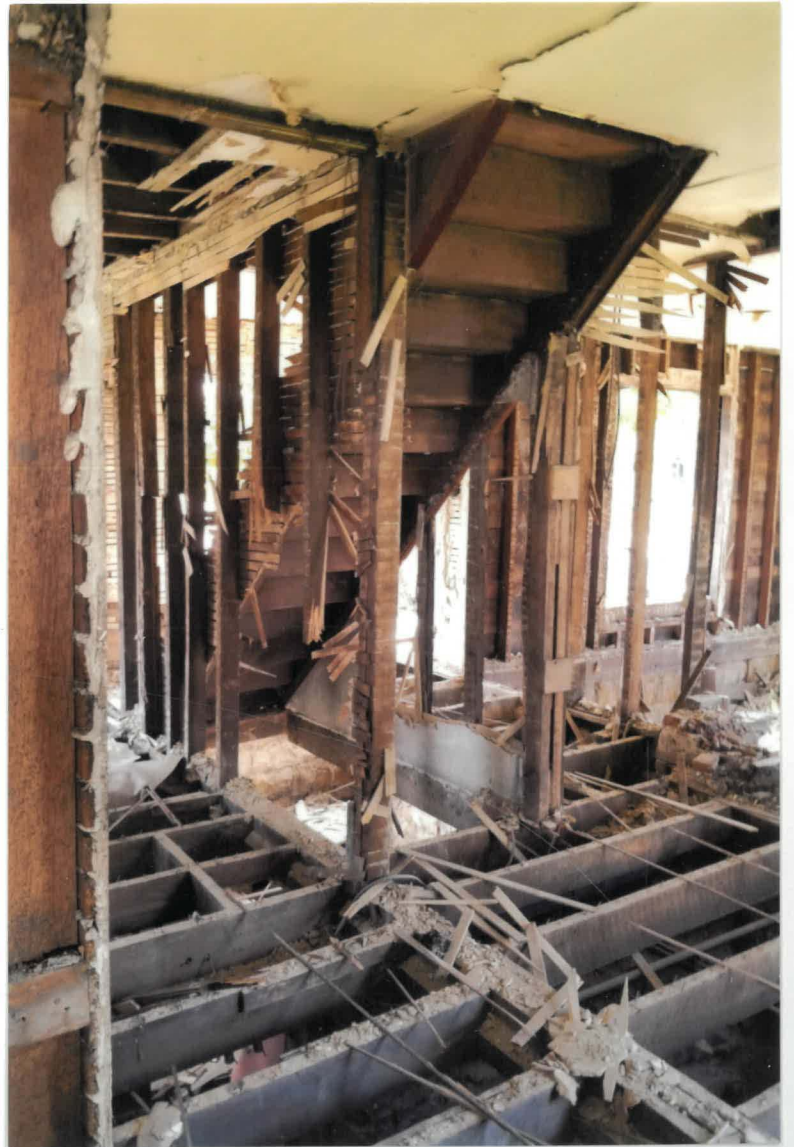
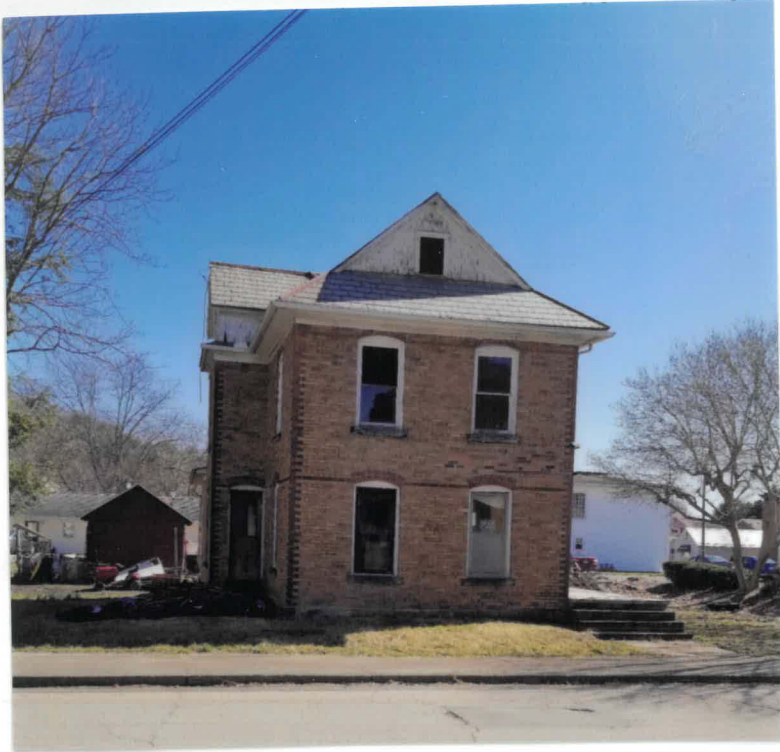
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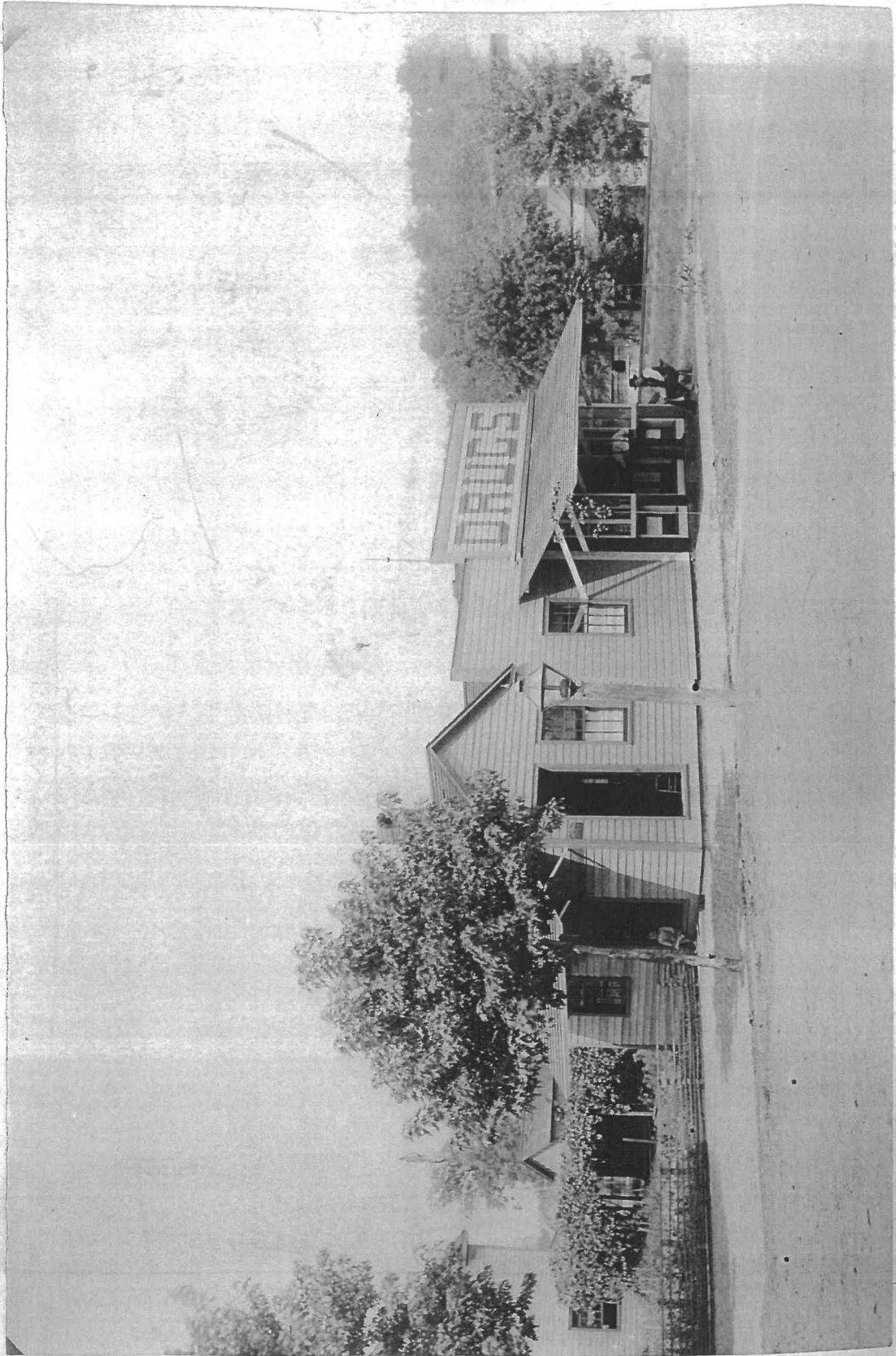


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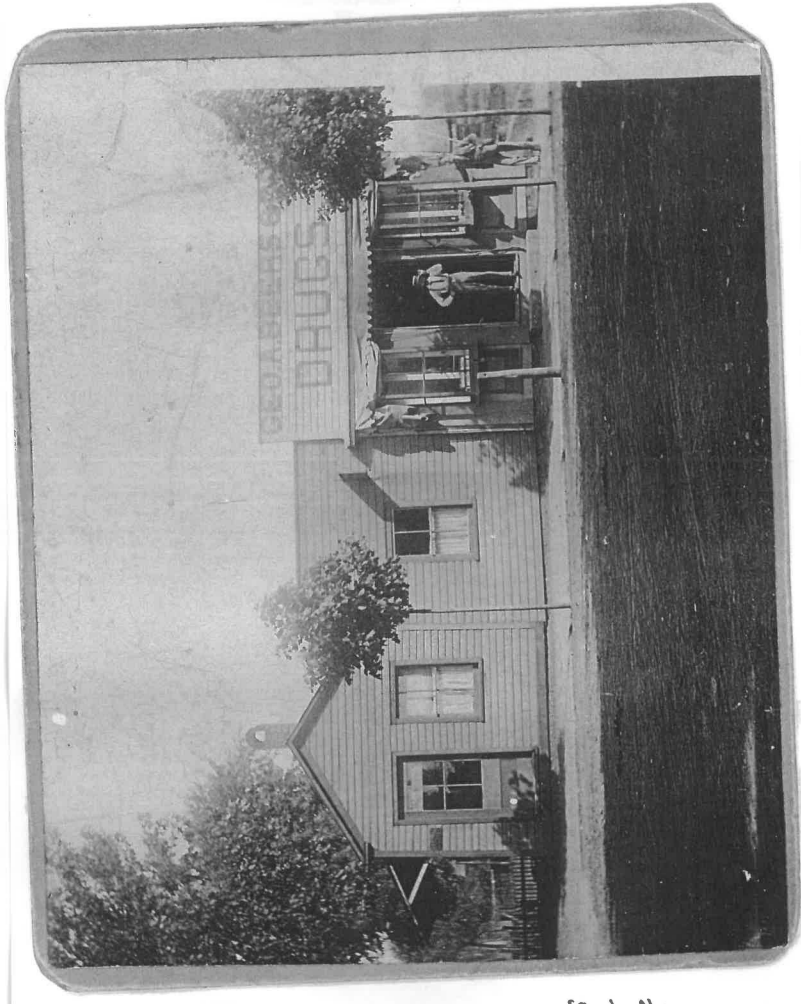
Dr Jm Beers house
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211 N Bridge St

HUNTINGTON Banks Building Lot

Allen's drug store (later ^{George} Beers drug store)
 main street # (currently Huntington Bank parking lot)
 note Dr. Beers home in background (to left corner).
 old railroad tracks (to the right).
 This picture is taken looking north (from the south side of main St.)
 standing near the old Nat. Library - then the National Bank.
 photo probably taken about 1870's - early 1880's ?

A. M. BEERS, M. D.
 PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, COR. BRIDGE
 and Main Streets, WASHINGTON, Ohio.
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George Beers & Co.
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 photo, 1870's

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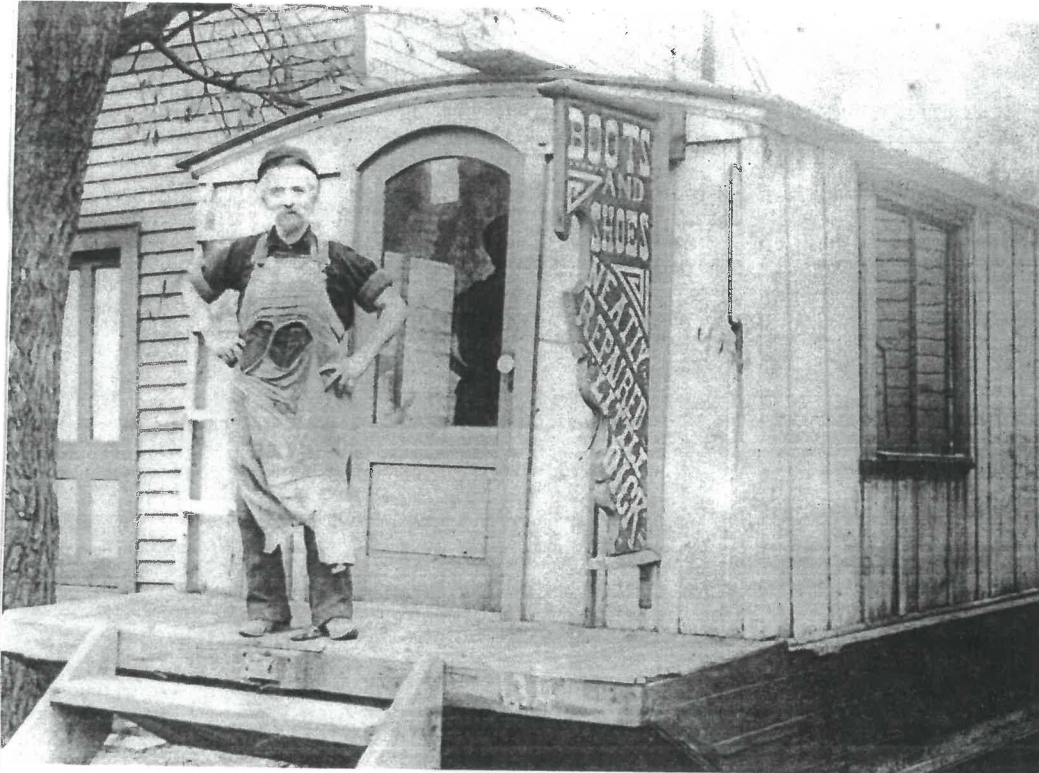
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Richard M. Lacey

Richard Montgomery Lacey, born 26 July 1840 to John Mills and Ann Wallace Lacey, was married to Margaret (K) Custer at Dover, Ohio, on 18 May 1865. Margaret, born 14 June 1844 at Barchmat, Switzerland to Urs Kuster and wife whose name is unknown, sailed across the ocean when a mere three weeks old. Settling in Tuscarawas County, Ohio, her mother died when she was about four years old. Margaret was taken in by the Samuel Romics where she lived until her marriage. Her siblings were Mary (Johnson), Jacob, John, Elizabeth (unmarried), and Sarah (Shull). Urs Kuster died in 1883 in Tuscarawas County, Ohio.

The Lacey family originated in Delaware. Many were brick-masons. Richard Lacey was a shoemaker by trade, having his shop in Newcomerstown, Ohio. Known as



Richard Lacey's Shoe Repair

N. Bridge St. S. E. Corner of Bridge and Main St.

Old building on site where First National Bank was built in 1900

Cobbler (1895-M)
Richard Lacey

Gary Little

CORNER MAIN & BRIDGE ST.

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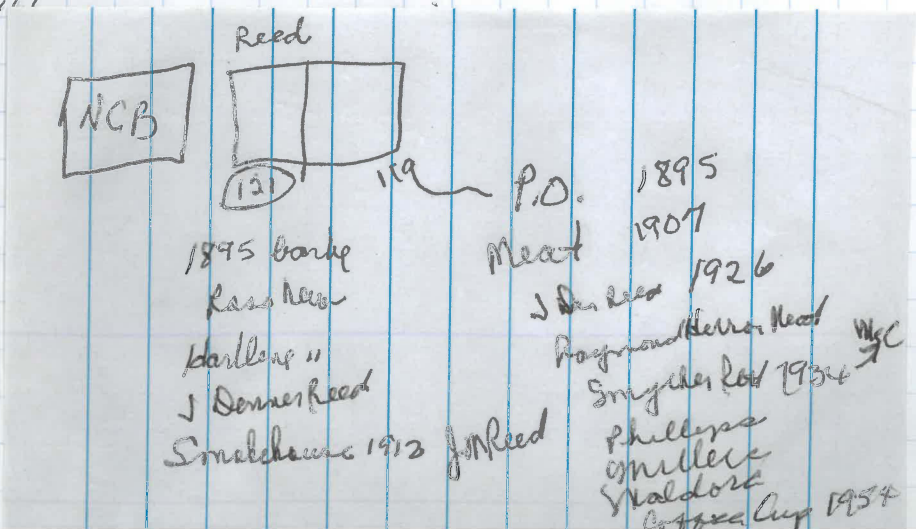
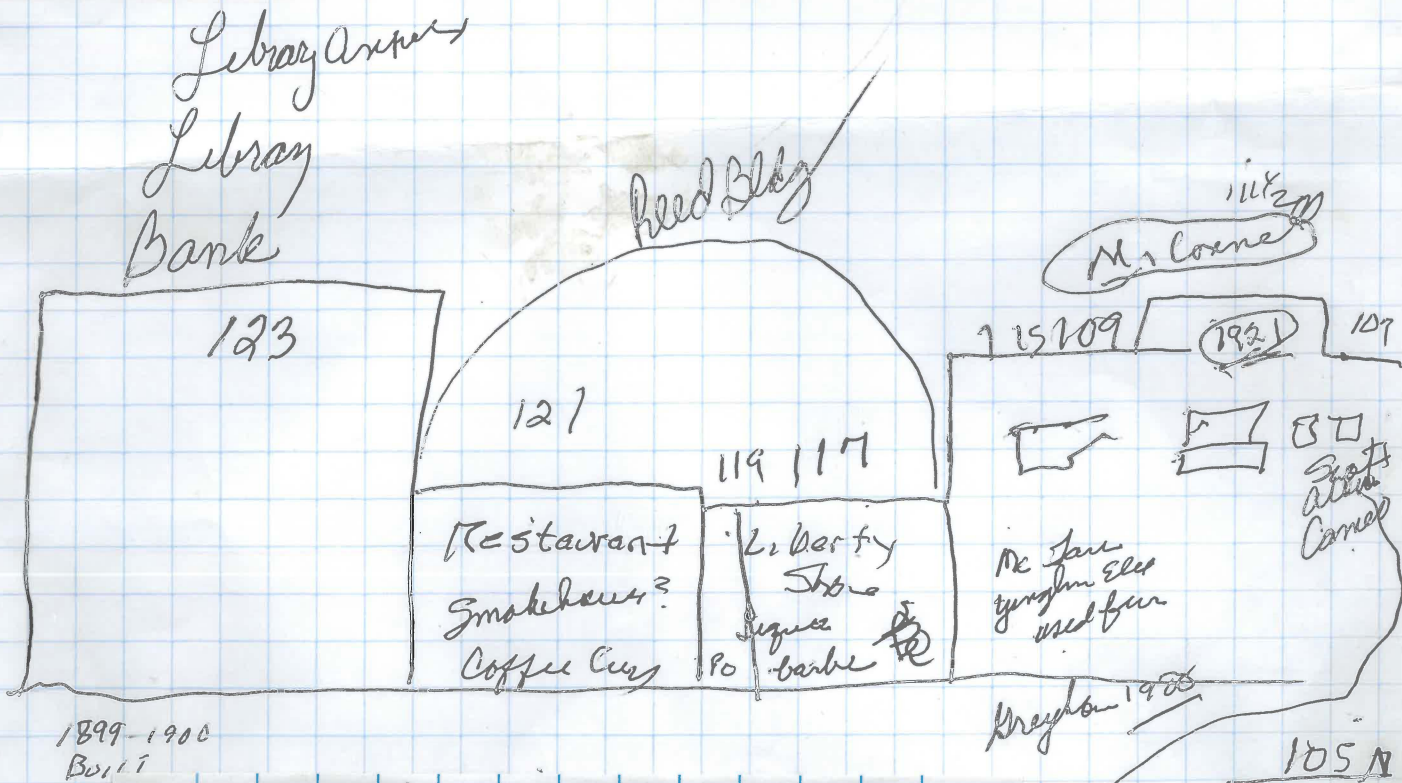
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First National Bank, Land bought from J. D. Reed in 1899, moved in 1900
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Right side

Newcomerstown Light and Power Co. Office (1907-M)
Telephone Exchange, 2nd floor (1915-M) (1924-M) (1933-M)
First National Bank merged with Reeves Bank (1959-ML)
Reeves Bank until 1960 when they moved to Main St.
Newcomerstown Library, third location,
moved in 1961 (65-D) (70-D) (77-D) (80-D)
Newcomerstown Chamber Of Commerce, upstairs (70-D) (77-D)

By Gary Little



121 N. Bridge St. Left side of Reed Building

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 Smoke House and branch office of the Cleveland Plain Dealer, picture about 1915
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119 N. Bridge St. Right side of Reed Building

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 Clyde Casteel was there 1971- 1973
 John Maxwell 1973 - 1975
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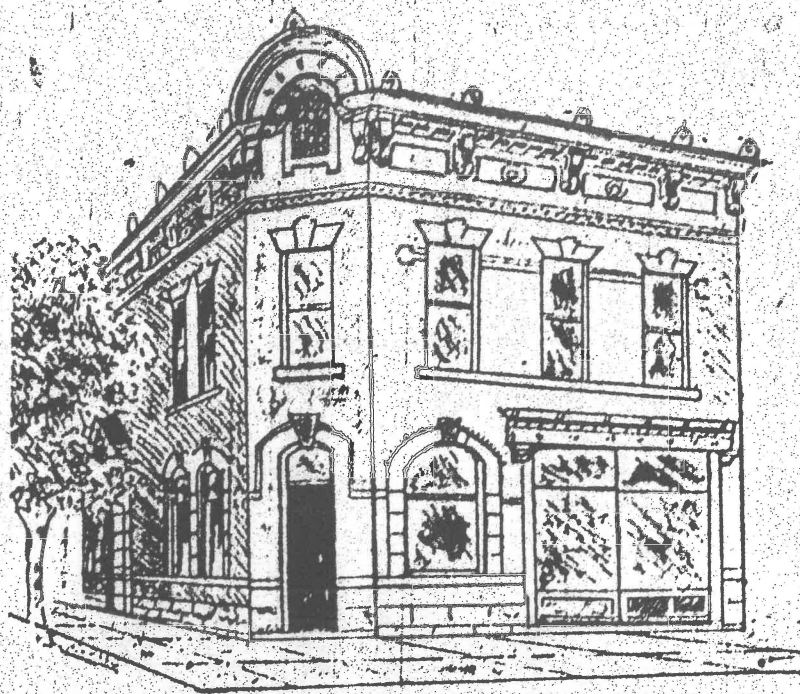
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THE NEW BANK BUILDING.

The above cut is the work of Mr. J. Bruce Erwin who has certainly developed some new and economical ideas in cut making. With his process a cut like the above can be made at an actual cost of but a few cents. The remarkable thing about this process is that anyone can make cuts with it. In simplicity it is without doubt far ahead of all other processes.

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is completed. The work was built by the Diebold Safe and Lock Co., of Canton. There is no such protection offered to depositors in this or any of the surrounding counties. Those interested in the bank are justly proud of the outfit and take great pleasure in showing it to their callers.

A considerable expenditure of time and money has been required to equip the bank with all these late and most approved burglar-proof devices and the additional elegant fixtures, but the bank officials certainly need never regret the expense. The work as completed is indeed a standing advertisement for the town, and the new company well deserves the liberal patronage they are receiving.

The Sweet-smelling Magnolia.

Through the kindness of Mrs. A. J. Creter we are the recipient of some magnolia slips which came from J. H. Frank, Esq., of Memphis, Tenn. We had the pleasure of meeting this excellent gentleman during his visit here last summer in company with his wife and two daughters, and it is most gratifying to us to be so kindly remembered. Anyone who has sniffed the aroma of a magnolia blossom, knows what a difficult task we would have were we to describe it. Suffice it to say we have sniffed again and again, but with each succeeding sniff our sense of smell be-

day last week from a delightful weeks' visit with friends in Pittsburgh.

Willie Hogan has returned from the Kenyon Military Academy, Gambier, O., for his summer's vacation.

Warner Beers and Joe McCluck took advantage of the excursion Cleveland from Uhrichsville on Sunday.

Mrs. Will Mayers and daughter of Millersburg, and Miss Hatt Bently and the guests of Mrs. J. J. Dent.

Mary Bicker was called to Coshocton last Thursday on account of the illness of her nephew Ward Bicker.

A. M. McCleary of Indianopolis, Ind., was in town over Sunday the guest of his relatives Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neighbor.

Roland Duff who is engaged the Tuscarora Adv. Works, at Coshocton, circulated among his friends here over Sunday.

Miss Fattie Ramsey of Grandtucketon "wheeled" down last Saturday and remained over Sunday, the guest of Mrs. G. T. Mulvane.

John Robinson of Cleveland and Chas. Robinson of Bird's Run were guests over Sunday with the cousin Atty. Sam'l Robinson.

Miss Ella Marquin of Cambridge was the guest of Mrs. F. Clymer on Monday between train while on her way to Coshocton.

R. Smith Bassett arrived here from Ann Arbor, Mich., where he has been taking a law course. After a few month's vacation, he will again return to take up studies.

Miss Callie Arth from F. Washington in company with lady friend, called at The N. office one day last week and ordered the paper sent to her address for one year.

S. T. McCombs of St. Louis, Mo. was in town two days recently looking up his old acquaintances. It will be remembered that gentleman is the husband of Anna Lybarger that was.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dillon on Tuesday for Goodwin's River, Va., where they will enjoy a week's visit with the gentleman's relatives. From there they will go to Chicago and elsewhere on an extended trip.

Dr. Allie M. Day, sister of C. Hall the undertaker and furniture man, is here from Chicago on a brief visit. The lady has completed a course in polytechnic and will soon return to practice her profession.

She was born Dec. 13, 1940, in Gnadenhutten. She was the second eldest of five children of the late Earl M. Hines and Frances L. (Knisely) Hines. She moved to North Fort Myers in 1980, where she met her husband, James A. Grayhem, who preceded her in

Fla., Lois (Clyde) Denhart of Scio, Louise Hines of New Philadelphia and Joy Grewell of Uhrichsville. She will be missed greatly. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to your favorite charity.

charge of arrangements. She passed away July 18, 2007, at her residence after a period of declining health.

WRIGHT, Mary Genevieve — Funeral services for Mrs. Wright, 93, of New Philadelphia, were July 17, 2007, at the Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home & Crematory in New Philadelphia. She passed away July 14, 2007, at the home of her daughter.

Library to conduct historical tour of village

The Newcomerstown Public Library will be conducting an historical tour of downtown Newcomerstown in the latter part of August. One of the sites for viewing will be the Library Annex, formerly known as The First National Bank of Newcomerstown.

The First National Bank of Newcomerstown Equipped With the Latest and Most Approved Burglar Proof Devices

The establishing of a new banking system under the name of The First National Bank of Newcomerstown, certainly implied that the commercial interests of this town are increasing in volume. Now there remains not the least doubt that such is the case. Almost immediately upon the organization of the new institution, business came like magic and has steadily increasing ever since. During the first years of the town's recent phenomenal growth, the old institution — The Oxford Bank — easily handled the banking business and a second bank would have been unnecessary; but now the town has almost tripled in population, the commercial interests have increased correspondingly, and two banks are required to handle the business of Newcomerstown and community.

The new bank was organized, October 17th, 1899, as is shown by the date on the date on the new bills which are now in circulation. These bills bear the names of The First National Bank of Newcomerstown are



This \$10 bill, issued in Newcomerstown in 1919, signed by Messrs. Brode and Vogenitz, president and cashier, respectively of The First National Bank. At that period in time it was not too unusual for small towns to issue a limited amount of currency in their own name. (This \$10 bill was donated to the Temperance Tavern Museum in Newcomerstown by R.D. Fletcher and Donald Fenton.)

signed by the president and cashier. Among the stockholders and officials are a number of our substantial and most influential standing will both attract patronage and inspire confidence. The president, Dr. A.M. Beers, needs no introduction to our readers. Having practiced medicine here for a number of years past, his profession has called him far and near, extending his circle of acquaintanceships in every direction. Cashier C.E. Boden has had six years of experience in the banking business, five of these years being spent with the Central National Bank at Cambridge, from where he comes highly endorsed. He is thoroughly acquainted with every minute detail of the business transactions with a geniality which makes him friends of every hand.

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(Information obtained from the June 20, 1900, issue of the Newcomerstown News.)

Submitted by:
Elaine Mayenschein
Newcomerstown

Nc'town Landfill closure on hold, again

**NIKI WOLFE
NEWCOMERSTOWN NEWS**

Steps to close the Newcomerstown Landfill took another step back last week.

Council advertised for bids

• Police Chief Tim Miller gave the department's report from the time of the last council meeting which included 365 incidents, 274 calls for service, four building checks, six pedestrian checks and 46

they sold out.

• Tim Bryant of the Street Department said they have been busy patching holes, paving, cleaning ditches, repairing catch basins and keeping up with mowing.

for payment of bills.

The mayor's monthly statement of fines and other monies collected for the village for June totaled \$1,305.25.

Mayor Carr also invited council to the annual Clow

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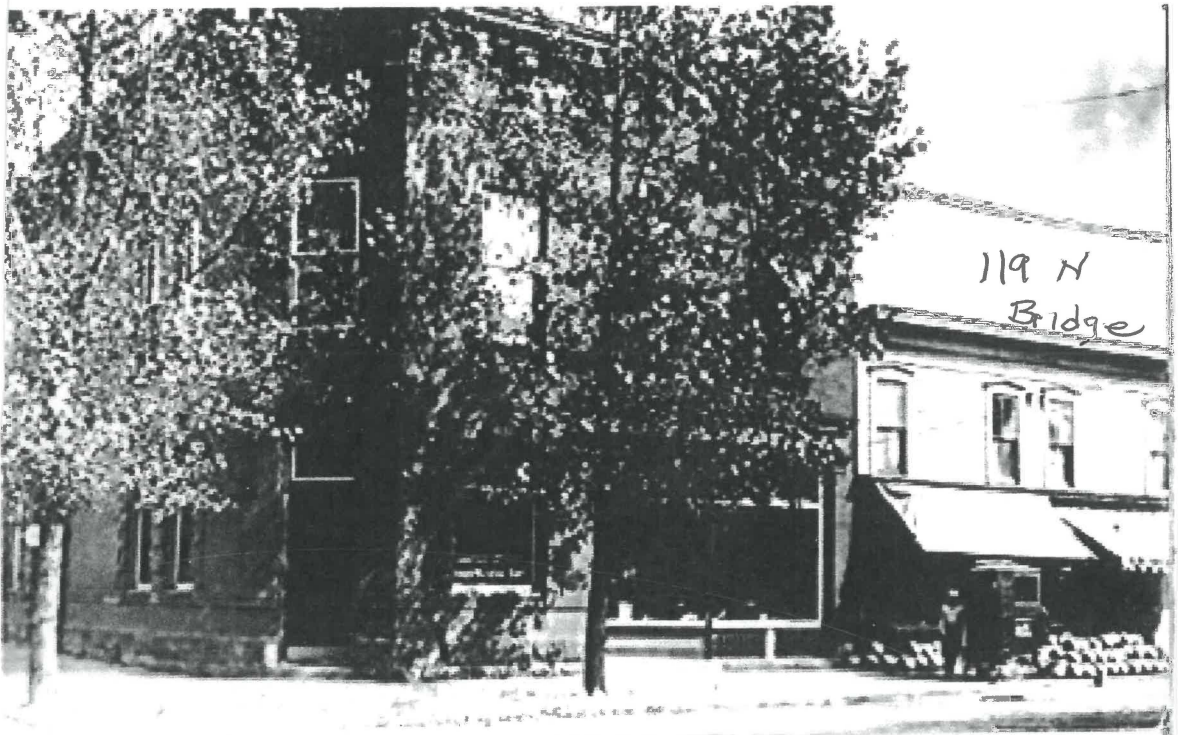
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The First National Bank. 1900
On last Thursday. The First National Bank of Newcomerstown began the transaction of the regular business of that institution in their temporary quarters at Beers' drug store. It will probably be three weeks yet before their new building will be completed and ready for occupancy, but just as soon as the vault comes and has been placed in position, the finishing work will be pushed to completion. Already the bank is doing considerable business, and is rapidly gaining prominence. Cashier C. E. Boden is an affable gentleman, assumes the duties of his responsible position with modesty, and is making friends on every hand.

1899 J D Reed owned property

123 N Bridge St



First National Bank
S. E. corner of Bridge and Main St.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF NEWCOMERSTOWN
Built 1899-1900 - Bridge St.

Also Reeves BANKING & TRUST

Also was Natown LIBRARY

Built 1899-1900

Also SELHARB RESTAURANT





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Baskets borrowed from Hackenbracht Apple Orchards were filled with books. The baskets were lowered to a truck by a conveyor loaned by Walter Fenton, then delivered to the new library.

On April 15, 1961, open house was observed with nine hundred visitors viewing the new facilities.

At the present time the library is under the direction of Mrs. Russell Glazer, Librarian, and Mrs. Junior Freetage, assistant librarian, and the Board of Trustees; Paul Parks, President; Mrs. Florence Julien, Vice President; Mrs. Edith U. Lee, Secretary; Mrs. Ray Cramlet, Wm. Ourant, Mr. Wayne Mortine, and Aaron Swank.

Others who have served as trustees through the years were: Rev. Charles Foust, Mrs. Kenneth Beall, Rev. Donald Doss, Archie Fletcher Sr., Miss Neva Tidrick, Mrs. C. E. Ashelman, Rev. Henry Holyoak, and Mrs. Charles Phillips.

From its beginning in 1935, with a collection of two thousand books, the public library has been a valuable addition to the community, giving extensive service to the residents of Newcomerstown and its surrounding areas with approximately 18,000 volumes and 50 periodicals and newspapers for the library patrons in 1976.





AT THE OLD SMOKE HOUSE

1915

Carol Widder of Newcomerstown brought in this old picture, estimated to have been taken sometime around 1915. The picture shows the Newcomerstown branch office of The Cleveland Plain Dealer at what was known as the Smoke House on Bridge Street beside what is now the Newcomerstown Public Library. While the man in the middle is not identified, the other men in the picture are (left to right): Fred Roby, Butch Reed, Snow Reed (Mervin), Roy Welsh, Milan Myers and Denver Reed.

Purchased News Stand.

On Wednesday evening of last week J. Denver Reed of this city purchased the News Stand and Smoking Den recently opened up in the Reed building opposite the postoffice by J. C. Hartline. An inventory of the stock began immediately, and Mr Reed took possession next day. Mr. Hartline will devote his entire attention to his Kandy Kitchen on Main st., and Mr. Reed will supply the town with all the best daily and Sunday newspapers; also choice periodicals and popular magazines. His stock will also include the most popular brands of smoking and chewing tobaccos.

Feb. 1909

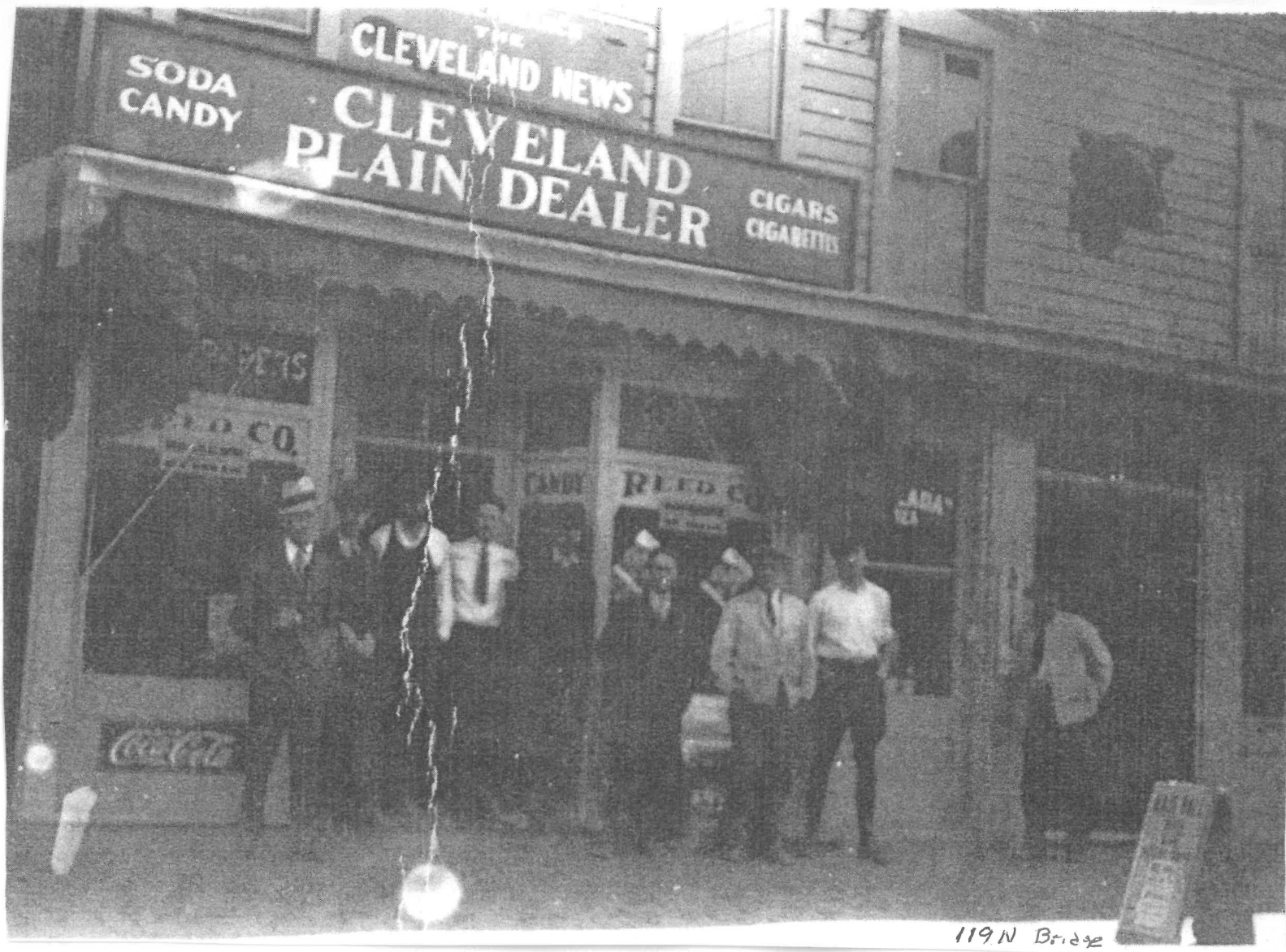
121 N. BRIDGE ST.

Establishes Branch Store.

Mr. J. C. Hartline, proprietor of the Kandy Kitchen, this city, has rented the Reed property on Bridge st., recently vacated by L. N. Ross, and removed his stock of cigars, books, magazines, daily papers, etc., for the purpose of handling his business in better shape. He has fitted up a "smoking den" in the latter place for the convenience of his customers in that line. Ice cream, soft drinks, fruits, candies, etc., will be served and sold as usual at the Kandy Kitchen. In this division of his business, Mr. Hartline hopes to remove certain objectional features, and accommodate and please all of his customers.

121 N. BRIDGE ST. Jan. 1909

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Mr. F. H. Smythe assisted by Mrs. Erva Fletcher, gave a four-course dinner Tuesday evening at his restaurant on Bridge st. to the following: Frank Wise, Harry Dillehay, Oscar Nicodemus, Floyd Rogers and Chas. Phillips.
Net News 22 Jan 1925

NEW BARBER SHOP.

I have opened a shop in the room just opposite the post office, known as the Reed building. Everything is bright and new. The room has been thoroughly renovated and overhauled in general. Give us a call and we will put our best foot foremost to please you.

Yours for business,
H. B. RICE.
MAY 1, 1899

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REED'S

119 N Bridge St.

Ninety years ago -- 1892 '97
J.M. Reed sells his meat market to Raymond Herron of New Philadelphia.

A contract to widen Canal Street is awarded to the W.M. Brode Co.

119 N Bridge

News Stand Sold.

J. Denver Reed has disposed of his interests in the Smoke House to his brother, J. M. Reed, who has taken possession. This concern has the exclusive daily newspaper agency for this city, and has been doing a good business. The new proprietor will continue to devote his personal attention to his meat market, and has secured the services of Roy J. Welch for the management of the news stand.

Apr. 1912

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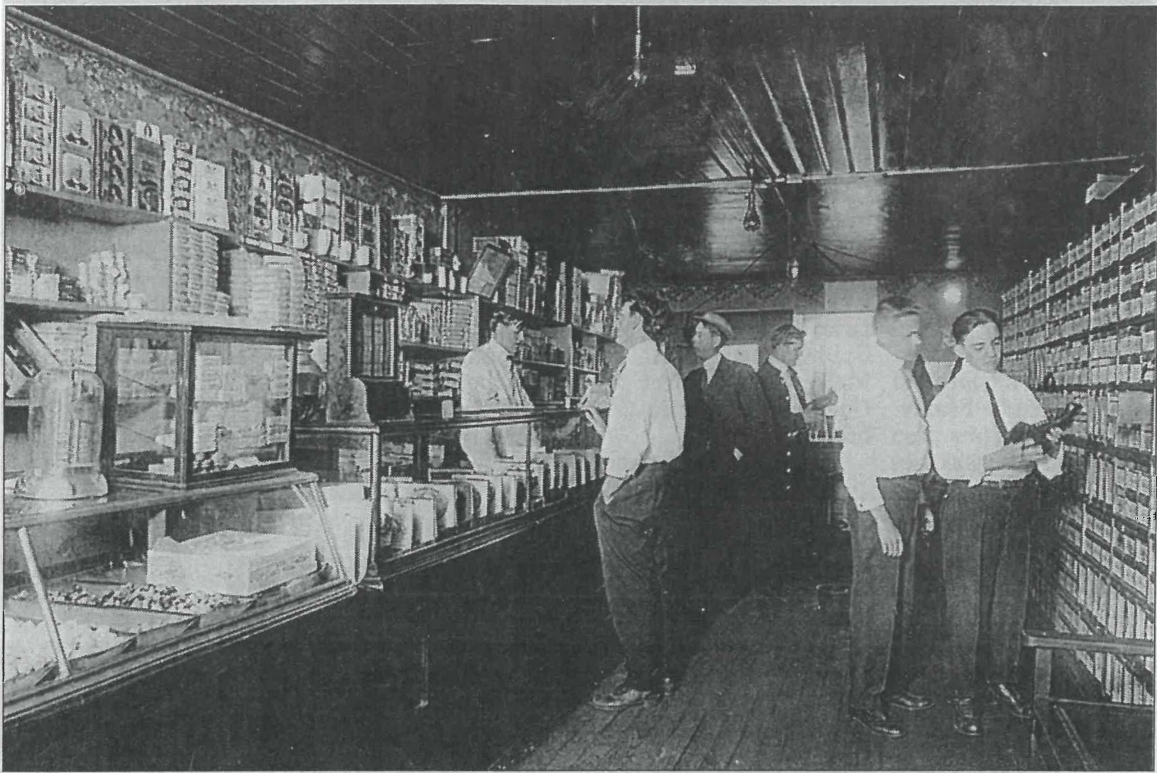


Photo courtesy of William Casteel, West Lafayette

The Smoke House, once located on Bridge Street, Newcomerstown, was the place the men-folk would purchase their cigars and other smoking-related items. The establishment also sold men's shoes as seen in this circa 1920 photo. The building was located next to the Newcomerstown Public Library Annex and later occupied by the Coffee Cup Restaurant. The building was demolished years later.

119 N Bridge St

The Smoke House, located where the Coffee Cup restaurant is now, sold newspapers, cigarettes, candies, cigars, shoes and other items. Some of the men in the picture are Fred Robey, Roy We'sch, Clarence Bean and Clarence Baxter. This picture was taken in 1913.

121 N BRIDGE

COFFEE CUP RESTAURANT (MRS MYRTLE M WOLFF) 119 N BRIDGE ST
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While the event is unknown and no identification available for the subjects, this group of Newcomerstown residents appear standing near the intersection of Main and Bridge Street, possibly awaiting a parade. The Ritz Theater sign can barely be seen to the right side of the photo, and the former Phillip's Restaurant (later known as the Coffee Cup Restaurant), Liberty Shoe Shop are seen to the left. All of the structures on the left are no longer in existence, being demolished about 30-plus years ago. It is now the site of the Memory Park and Veterans monument.

119 N Bridge ST

3/26/1916 WEDNESDAY.
TAKEN IN PRIME OF LIFE

4-1916
Claude Sperling Murphy, born near Bernice, this county; Sept. 26, 1882, departed this life at his home in Alliance, Ohio, Tuesday night, March 28, 1916, of kidney trouble. In early manhood he came to Newcomerstown along with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murphy and other members of the family. Later on, he learned the barber trade, and engaged in business on Main st. This not fully agreeing with his health, he accepted a position in the Pennsylvania freight office, which he filled with efficiency and trust about 10 years. He was then transferred to Alliance with a degree of promotion, where he continued in the company's service 3 more years, until incapacitated by his last illness. Before going to Alliance, he was united in marriage June 28, 1911, to Miss Edith Wilson, formerly of Noble county, but who came to Newcomerstown, having accepted a position as compositor in the NEWS office, this being the lady's first introduction to our community. She afterward went to Alliance and was employed a few years in The Review office. Both Mr. Murphy and his wife enjoyed the esteem of many friends. He was a quiet, modest man, of excellent character and sterling qualities. He was a member of the M. E. church, was an honored Knight of Pythias, a member of the Uniform Rank, also of Excel Temple Pythian Sisters. All of these orders and societies, including the M. E. Sunday-school and Friendship class, sent beautiful floral designs to Alliance, also his railroad associates. Beside his parents, he is survived by two brothers, Harry and Madison Murphy, and a sister, Mrs. Byron Crater, all of this city, and all of whom attended the funeral last Friday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Harry Murphy, Byron Crater, and J. W. Murphy, an uncle of the deceased. The wife and other relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

H. B. Rice has had the room formerly occupied by Reed's meat market, opposite the post office, fitted up and will occupy it this week with a new barber shop.

3/1/1899

Compliments of
**BOB DUNGAN
NEWS STAND**

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Red Eagle bar

1905 - Consolidate a
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JULY 30, 1919.

JOSEPH D. REED

Joseph D. Reed, 70, whose name has been associated with the retail meat business in Newcomerstown for over 36 years, died at his home on North College st., Sunday, July 27, at 8:40 p. m., following an extended illness of hardening of the arteries.

Mr. Reed was compelled to give up work last fall. His condition gradually became worse until about three months ago when his decline became more rapid. Despite the most intense suffering, he maintained a hopeful spirit, and evidenced his gratitude to the faithful wife and loyal children who were ever at his side through the weeks of pain for which medical science could offer no relief.

Mr. Reed was a hard-working man of frugal habits, respected by all who knew him. Of a kind-hearted nature, especially to children, he counted his friends by the score among both old and young alike. He united with the M. E. church during the pastorate of Rev. H. F. Patterson several years ago, remaining a faithful member until his death.

Joseph D. Reed was born on Buckhorn valley June 2, 1849, and was the last surviving member of a family of eleven children. He was united in marriage June 17, 1875, to Florence Hildey, to which union were born nine children as follows: Howard and Charles Reed of Cleveland; Mervin, Denver and Fred Reed and Mrs. O. J. Better of this city; Mrs. C. F. Gardner of Canton; Mrs. John Glenn of Pittsburg, and Burriss Reed who died about six years ago.

Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. D. Kaho, and Rev. H. F. Patterson, of Struthers, his former pastor and friend. Interment in the local cemetery.

One hundred years ago — 1921 *Nov 7*

H. Ray Lehman marries Miss Goldie Springer in Caldwell.

The Rev. M.L. Oliver to preach a Thanksgiving service at the Presbyterian Church.

J.M. and Charles Reed take ownership of the meat market of A.A. Geoff.

Arthur Dawson and Miss Eva Lacey are married in New Philadelphia.

NEWCOMERSTOWN IN DAYS GONE BY

(1913) 10 YEARS AGO *Sept 1923*

David Sells dies at his home in Cleveland and brought here for burial.

Blaine Culbertson of the Home Tel. Co. has gone to Newark to accept a like position with the Bell Co.

Guy Danford surprised on his 31st birthday by a number of his friends.

David Aber of Funk, O., and Miss Freida Robey of this city married.

J. S. Brown and W. R. Crater nominated for mayor at the primary election.

Amos Everhart, 78, dies at the home of his son, J. C. Everhart, of near Bakersville.

Frank Reed has his foot badly crushed while coupling cars at Coal Run.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Emerson, a son.

Isel Cunningham has right foot cut off at Goodrich st. crossing.

Mildred Cooley, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cooley, dies of typhoid fever.

Geo. McMurphy, 81, dies at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Whit Tidrick.



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One hundred years ago - 1922

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— Compiled by Ray Booth

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JUDY SIMMERMAN AND BOB PELL OF NATIONWIDE INSURANCE

January 31, 2001

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Pell Nationwide Insurance also has financial services

Pell Nationwide Insurance and Financial Agency is located at 117 N. Bridge Street in Newcomerstown.

Bob Pell became the local Nationwide agent when Gary Dichler retired in November 1999, after 37 years service.

Pell and his licensed assistant,

Judy Simmerman, work hard to provide excellent service and value to their policy holders.

Nationwide Insurance has gone through a transformation that emphasizes access, ease and customization.

Through technical innovations, they are providing their customers with new, more convenient ways of

doing business.

Because Nationwide is a large company, they offer tremendous resources, with agents equipped to customize coverage according to an individual client's needs.

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The Pell Agency is currently working toward promoting a wide range of financial services and long-term care.

"We are excited to be a part of the growth in our area and particularly, the revitalization of the downtown. We appreciate the support we have received from area residents and businesses and look forward to assisting folks with all facets of their insurance and financial service needs. We invite anyone to stop in or call if we can be of service."

Call Pell Nationwide Agency at 740-498-7994.

Nationwide
Insurance & Financial Services

Bob Pell Agency
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117 N Bridge St



121 N. Bridge St. Left side of Reed Building

Barber Shop (1895-M) (1901-M) Grocery (1907-M)
 L. N. Ross News Stand was vacated, took over by J. C. Hartline (Jan. 1909-N)
 J. C. Hartline News Stand sold to J. Denver Reed (Feb. 1909-N) (1909-ML) (16) (17)
 J. M. Reed takes over Smoke House (1912-ML) News Depot (1926-ML)
 Smoke House and branch office of the Cleveland Plain Dealer, picture about 1915
 Joseph M. Mervin, News (26-D) Gail Marks buys Reed News Stand (1932-ML)

119 N. Bridge St. Right side of Reed Building

P. O. (1895 M)
 Meat (1907-M) (1915-M)
 Ammonia Tank and 2 ton ice machine in rear (1924-M) (1933-M)
 J. Denver Reed & Co. Meats (26-D)
 Raymond Herron Meat Market, bought from J. M. Reed (32-D) (1932-ML)
 F. H. Smythe Restaurant opens here, moved from McConnell Bld. (1934-ML) (42-D) (43-N)
 Phillip's Restaurant 1944
 Miller's Restaurant (47) (49) (50)
 Maldora Restaurant, owned by Mr. & Mrs. Mallory Morrow (53) (53-D)
 Mr. & Mrs. Carl Schlarb bought the Maldora Restaurant (1954-ML)
 Coffee Cup Restaurant first operator was Carl Schlarb (54) (54-D) (56-D) (60) (65-D) (70-D)
 Clyde Casteel was there 1971- 1973
 John Maxwell 1973 - 1975
 Town Taxi (76-D)
 Book and Hobby Shop (76-D)
 Holy Gospel Of God (77-D) (80-D)

Gary Little

BUYS CONFECTIONERY

Mr. R. J. Welsh has purchased the King Confectionery in the McConnell Bldg., Bridge st. and will take possession Monday, Mar. 8th. Mr. King is undecided as to what line of business he will pursue in the future.

-1926-

115 N Bridge st

115 N Bridge st

* Fifty years ago — 1972 Jan 14
Mayor Ron Hooker conducts ribbon-cutting ceremony for new H&R Block office at 109 Bridge Street. (115 N Bridge)

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21, 1907.

What your tailor?
TRADE MARK REGISTERED 1906

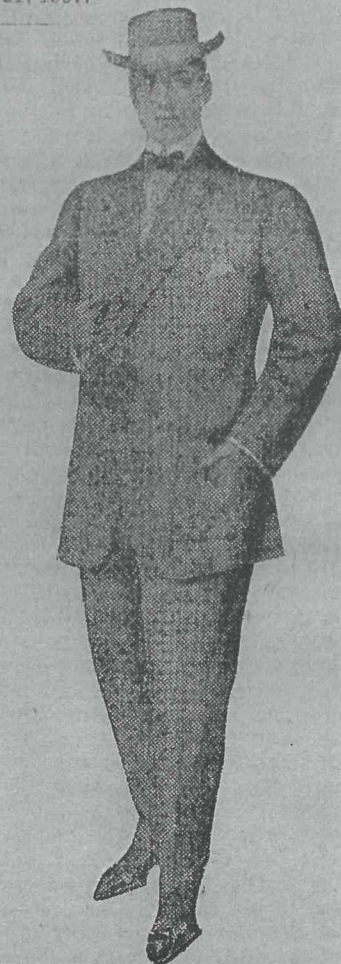
THE style, fit and quality of a man's clothes often mark his standing in the business and social world, and this can only be achieved by having your clothes made for you.

You owe it to yourself, your business and your friends to dress well. That means more than the selection of goods, either made up or in bulk. If your clothes are not made right, fine fabrics will not avail.

Ed. V. Price & Co., whom we represent, make clothes expressly for you that are rightly built over your form after we have carefully measured you for them.

The care and skill they bestow in the making means clothes that wear and hold shape as long as they are used, and this is the beginning and end of good clothes making.

Come in now while the line of Fall woolens is complete — don't put it off for even a day.



MATTHIAS

THE TAILOR

Opposite Postoffice *Bridge St*

Newcomerstown, O.

115 N Bridge St

Front Row:

Sheema Crater, Emily Olson, Florence Hartman,
Marie Brown,

Back Row:

Alwilda Denning, Dorothea Stelzenbauer, Gladys
Hoffman Gayer, Martha Olson Price, Calloun.

Taken by Ted Denning, 1942-1945.

Somerset Sewing circle
President Bernice Botham; Elsie Langell

1947-1956

Compliments of

**DOT'S
BEAUTY SHOP**

Phone 8-7323
115 Bridge St.

1954

Submitted by
Dot Rehard



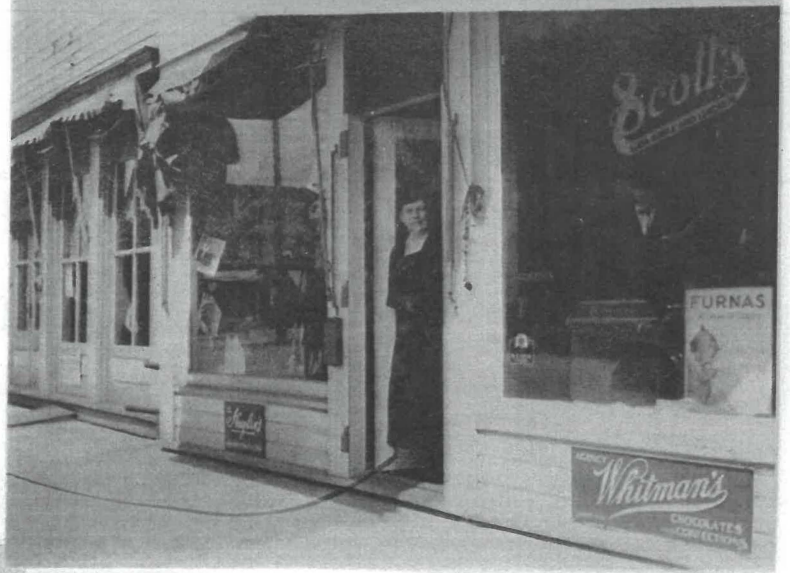
115 N Bridge

Dot's Beauty Shop

SODA GRILL OPENING

Scott's Soda Grill in the new McConnell building was accorded a royal welcome at its opening on last Saturday. Throughout the entire day and late at night the nobby little "shoppe" was packed with eager patrons who came to eat and drink, and to enjoy the festivities of the opening event. Everything is neat, clean and inviting, carrying a distinctiveness which is decidedly refreshing.

1922



We wish to thank the public for their appreciation in making the opening night a success.

We trust you will find our little Shoppe to your liking.

Whether its "just a drink," "a luncheon" or a "dainty frozen dish" we believe you'll enjoy it best at SCOTT'S.

Reservations can be made for clubs and parties.

Our candies are the irresistible kind. Try 'em once and be convinced.

Scott's
SODA GRILL

NEW McCONNELL BLK., BRIDGE ST.
Newcomerstown, Ohio

SCOTT'S GRILL IS SOLD TO E. M. CARR

E. M. Carr, west Canal-st, Newcomerstown and proprietor of the Gardner sales agency, Newcomerstown, has purchased Scott's Soda Grill, Bridge-st from Mrs. Maude H. Scott.

Mr. Carr will take possession on Monday. For the past year and a half Mrs. Scott has enjoyed a splendid business in the grill. The purchase of this business by Mr. Carr marked the close of Mrs. Scott's mercantile efforts, she stated to the Tribune reporter, Saturday.

Mrs. Scott has been successfully engaged in the grocery business for the past 25 years in Newcomerstown. Her entire time now will be devoted to notarial work. For

the past three years Mrs. Scott has been a notary. Her notary office will be at her residence, 132 west Canal-st.

Since the purchase of the grill, The Tribune and Times-Age headquarters will be moved into the same office with Mrs. Scott, who is also a correspondent for the Tribune. All who have news for the Tribune are requested to call phone 229 at Mrs. Scott's residence.

Mr. Carr is a brother of Harry Carr of the Fifth Street garage, Coshocton.

In addition to the confectionary, Mr. Carr expects to install a lunch counter and serve hot and cold lunches, he said. The grill will be redecorated and remodeled inside.

Bridge St

SODA GRILL SOLD

Mrs. Maude Scott has sold her soda grill on Bridge st. to E. M. Carr who took possession Monday. The new proprietor remodeled the interior and will serve hot and cold lunches. Mrs. Scott will open up an office at her residence on Canal st., where she will take care of her notarial business and the duties connected with her office as corporation treasurer. July 1923

Bring your
"Country Cousin"
and all your friends to

CARR'S
GOODY SHOPPE
BRIDGE ST.

NINETY YEARS AGO - 1930

M.C. Grimm is to open a barbershop on Main Street. 7/26
Mrs. W.Y. Farrah and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Dillehay, buy The Goody Shoppe from Paul Atkinson.
Dr. E.V. Berry dies after a long illness and heart trouble.

115 N. Bridge St. McConnell Building, built (1921-ML)
 King, J. O. Kandy Kitchen, 115 N. Bridge St., 1912
 R. J. Welsh has purchased the J. O. King Confectionery
 in The McConnell Bldg. Bridge St. (1926-N)
 Welsh used 113 N. Bridge St. as Address
 Verlen Beauty Salon (42-D)
 Dot's Beauty Shop - Style Shoppe (47) (49-50-51-D) (53-D) (54-D) (56-D)
 Bonnie's Flowers (70-D)
 H & R Block opens (1971-ML) (76-D) (77-D) (80-D)

Maudie Scott
to
E. M. Carr

109 N. Bridge St. McConnell Building, built (1921-ML)
 Covert McConnell, Taxi Cab (26-D)
 Chuck Yingling Electric and Insurance (34) (35) (36) (37)
 Brokaw's Jewelry Store (25)
 McConnell Used Furniture
 Ronald Keating, Barber Shop (67-D) (69-D) (70-D) (73-D)
 Book and Hobby Shop (77-D) (78-D) (80-D)
 Town Taxi (77-D) (78-D) (80-D)
 Greyhound Lines Inc. (77-D) (78-D) (80-D)

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111 1/2 N. Bridge St.
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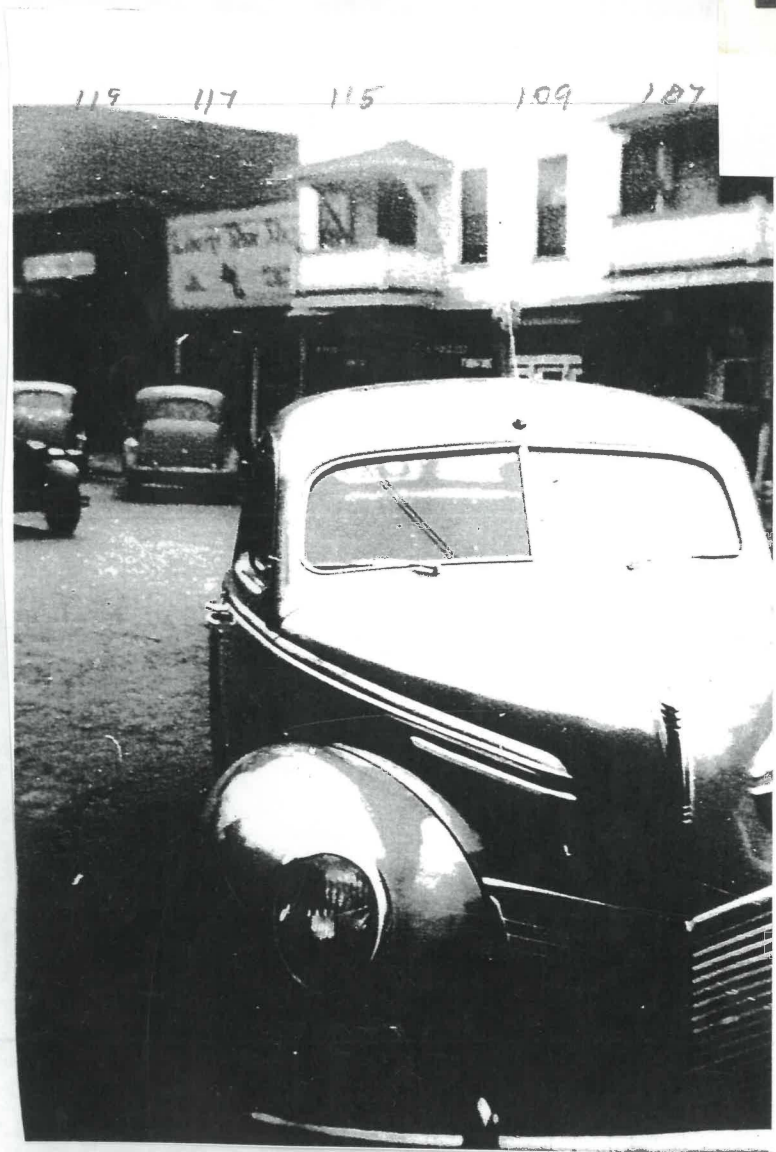
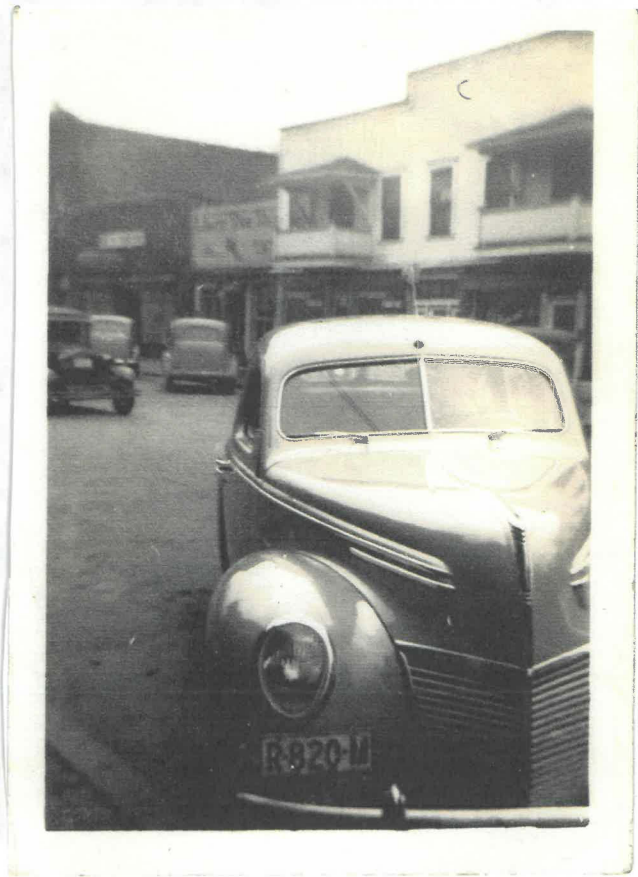
107 N. Bridge St. 109 N. Bridge St. McConnell Building, built (1921-ML)
 Ralph W. Scott Agency, Insurance and Bonds (28) (30)
 Atkinson, Paul J. Real Estate, 1932
 Cameo Beauty Shop (36) (37) (39-D)
 Jacob Barnhouse, Barber Shop moves here (1924-ML) (25) (26-D) (39-D) (42-D) (60) (65-D)
 Barnhouse and Basil Smith Barber Shop (26-D) (32-D)
 Deputy Registrar, Mrs. Kathleen Thompson (69-D)

105 N. Bridge St. N. E. Corner of Bridge and Canal St.
 Jack Wood's Grocery
 Morton's Dairy purchased by Edwin McAllister (1936-ML)
 McAllister Dairy (36) (39-D) (42-D)
 Oxford Dell Dairy, A. B. Davis, across from the Theatre (47) (48)
 Boyd's Dairy Bar (49 (50) 1952 (53-D) 1954 (54-D) (56-D)
 Star Grill, Carl Shurtz

Bridge St. South side of Canal
 R.R. Watchman House (1901-M)

109 S. Bridge St.
 Robert Duncan, News Agency moves into new building in 1948 (54-D) (56-D) 1964
 Robert Duncan sells News Stand after 28 years
 John Stephen's News Stand (67-D)
 Times Reporter (70-D)
 E. G. Cooper, Barber Shop (73-D) (77-D)

1927
INSURING YOU SUCCESS
"Scotty"
Ralph W. Scott Agency
107 N Bridge



Bridge street, looking North-east
Library annex far left. 1940's

107 N Bridge

105 N. BRIDGE
McALLISTER DAIRY

For Better Dairy Products

Call * * * 4691

1936 - 1942

3/25/1937

New music store
in McConnel bldg
on Bridge St

105 N Bridge St



Bridge St. Boyd's Dairy 1950's



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105 N BRIDGE & Canal

FIFTY YEARS AGO - 1948

The Newcomerstown News celebrates its 50th year this week.
 Rainfall ends 18 day dry spell.
 School opens with an enrollment of 1,111.
 Woodrow Hayes, head football coach at Denison University, receives his master of arts degree at Ohio State University.
 J. Dale Boyd purchases the Dairy Store on Bridge St. from Mr. and Mrs Albert Davis.
 Pay increases at Heller's is announced.

9/9

105 N BRIDGE

THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1952

AFTER THE SHOW



No cover charge here . . . for the tastiest midnight snacks in town! Relax, enjoy coffee, sandwiches, fountain treats, that just hit the spot . . . You'll like our speedy service!

BOYD'S DAIRY BAR

Bridge St

105 N Bridge

Newcomerstown, Ohio

HALF-GALLON SALE Any Flavor 79c

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

BOYD'S DAIRY BAR

105 N BRIDGE ST.

105 N Bridge

Boyd's leave ice cream business after 38 years of dipping cones

A Newcomerstown landmark has changed hands. Boyd's Dairy was sold last week to Dave and Carol Fockler of County Road 19, so Dale and Dorothy Boyd have retired after 38 years of dairy bar business and that's a lot of ice cream cones, by anyone's standards!

The Boyds purchased the business in 1948 from the late Albert Davis, a former teacher in the Newcomerstown schools. Prior to Davis' purchase, it was McAllister's Dairy. McAllister opened the business in 1938.

When Boyds bought the dairy, it was located across from the Athletic Club. The original building suffered fire damage and was recently demolished.

In 1955, Boyd's Dairy moved into the former Lad and Lassie Building. One year later, they opened a second dairy business in the former Bob Palmer service station on West State St. They closed the Canal St. business in 1960 and concentrated on their West State St. dairy bar. An indoor seating area was added in 1973 and a drive thru in 1980.

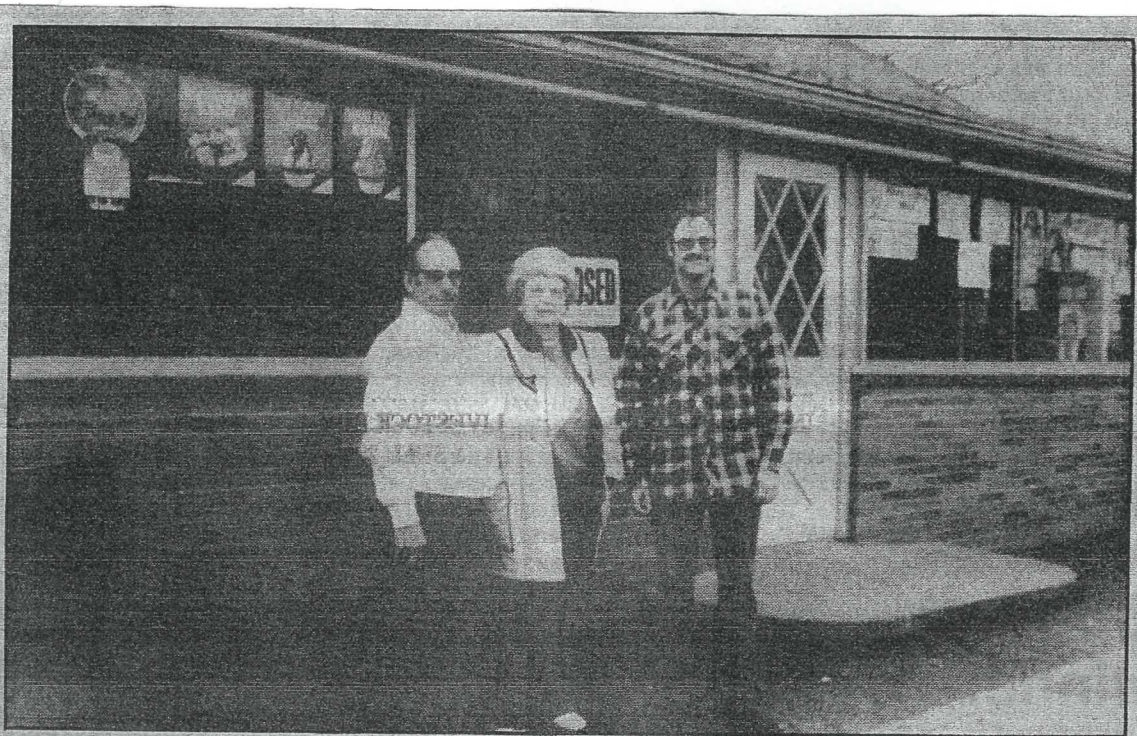
Boyd's regular patrons needn't worry about Dorothy Boyd's locally famous coney sauce recipe. It was sold with the business, along with the recipes for blue sherbert, cherry shakes and other Boyd's Dairy specialties. The new owners are keeping the same employees, also. The only thing the Focklers anticipate changing is the name (to D-

J's Dairy), and that decision still hasn't been finalized.

Dale Boyd, who was also in the refrigeration business since 1945, recently retired and turned the business over to his son, Don, who has been in the business since 1970. Dorothy is also an active member of the Art Guild. Besides their son, Don, the Boyds have two daughters, Mrs. Judy Damm and Mrs. Pam Addy, and three grandchildren.

The Boyds wished to thank all their patrons, past and present, and encourage everyone to continue to patronize the new owners.

Dave Fockler is also employed at Buehler's in Dover, and his wife, Carol, works part-time as a nurse at Twin City Hospital.



BOYD'S DARI-BAR PURCHASED

Dale and Dorothy Boyd, left, have sold Boyd's Dari-Bar to Dave Fockler, right, after 38 years in the dairy business in Newcomerstown. The business will con-

tinue in the same location and will keep the same employees and some of the "secret" recipes.

105 N Bridge St

**HEY
FELLOWS!**

FRIDAY NIGHT THE TREAT'S ON US

From the time the game is over until closing time:
Bring your favorite date . . . Boy buys what he wants
at regular price . . . Girl gets same thing **FREE!**
Old or Young — There's no trick to this treat!

BOYD'S DAIRY BAR
Phone 8-6256

Dorothy L. Boyd

Dorothy L. Boyd, 76, of 1100 E. State Road, Newcomerstown, died Saturday (July 8, 2000) at Southeastern Ohio Regional Medical Center, Cambridge. She was a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

She was born Jan. 8, 1924, in New Philadelphia, the daughter of the late Carl and Mary Lightell Krebs.

She was the owner and operator of Boyd's Dairy in Newcomerstown for many years; a member of Christ United Methodist Church and a member of the Coshocton Art Guild. She was a former Cub Scout leader and an avid bowler. She graduated in the class of 1942 at Newcomerstown High School.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, J. Dale Boyd, who died Sept. 21, 1995, and a granddaughter, Julie Damm.

She leaves a son, Don Boyd, and companion Nicolet Beatty of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Mrs. Larry (Judy) Damm of Guernsey and Mrs. Jim (Pam) Conrad of Pleasant City; five grandchildren, Roger Boyd and fiancée Debbie Miller, Robbie Boyd and his wife Carie, John Damm and his wife Jennifer, Jason Addy and his wife Amy, and Joshua Addy; four great-grandchildren, Zachery Boyd, Jordan Boyd, Bailee Boyd and Julia Addy; a brother, Carl (Connie) Krebs Jr. of Newcomerstown and a sister, Lucille Azzallion.

Services were to be at Addy Funeral Home at 11 a.m. Tuesday with Rev. Stephen Sparling officiating. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the National Kidney Foundation of Ohio, 1373 Grandview Ave., Suite 200, Columbus, OH 43212.



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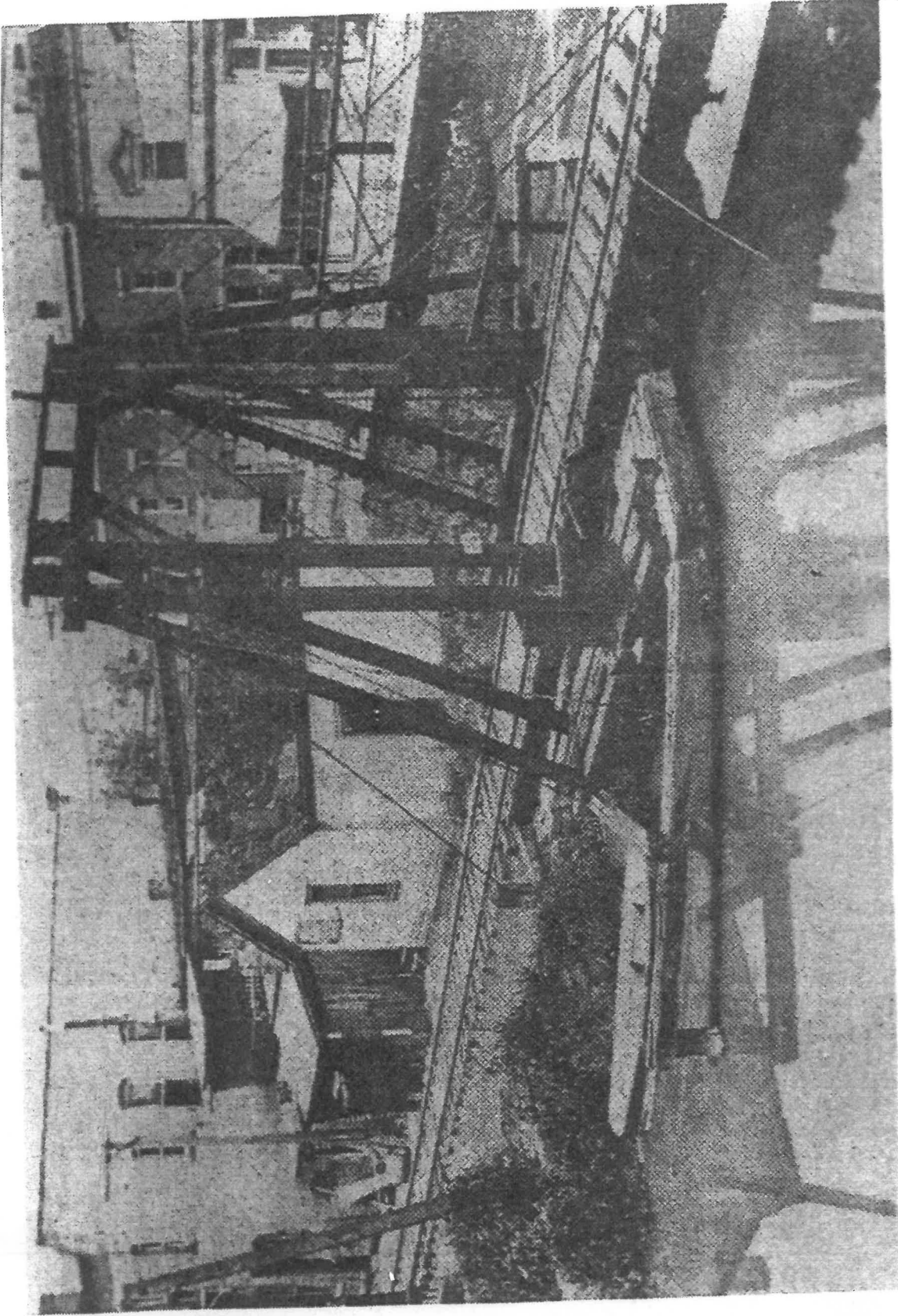


2022 CORNER Main St. & Bridge Sts.

Buckeye Buddies 4 H Club Korea Memorial Clean up

**TWENTY
YEARS AGO**
21 MAR - 1998 2016
Newcomerstown's
Korean War Memorial
monument to be dedicated
on Bridge St. May 31.





This picture, taken in 1912, shows the old Ohio Canal and a hand-operated drawbridge in Newcomerstown. Copy of cut which appeared in Columbus Citizen, February 11, 1940. (Original photographer unknown).

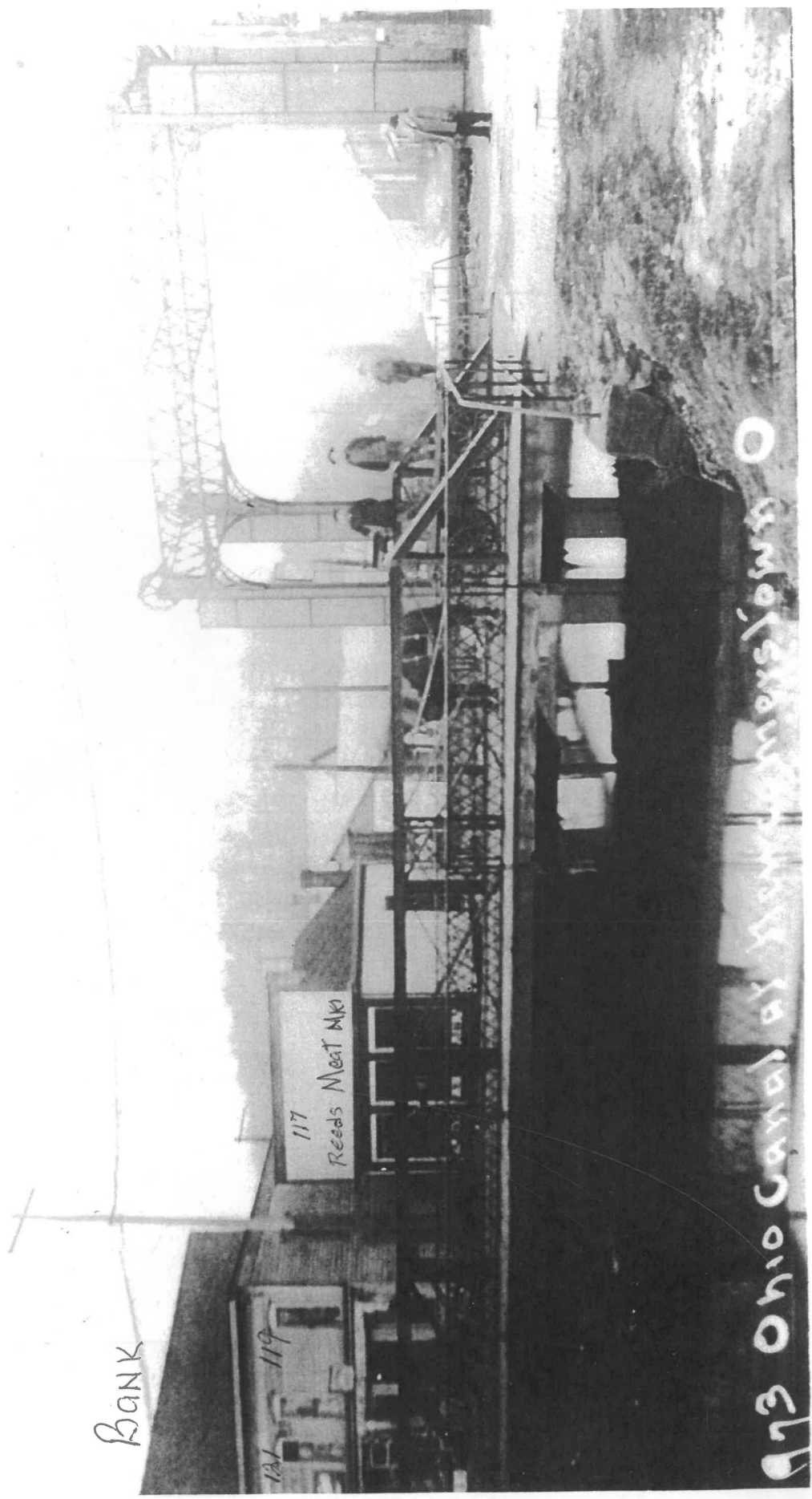
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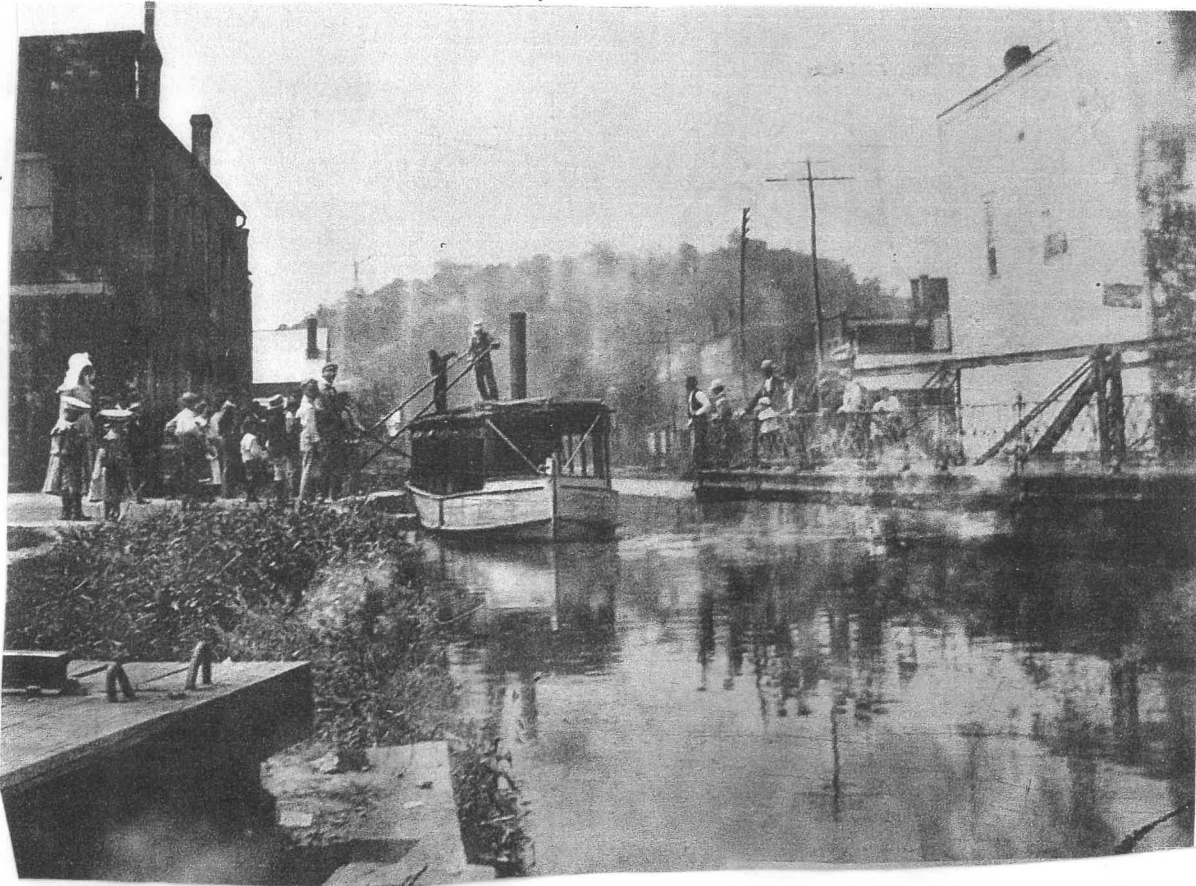
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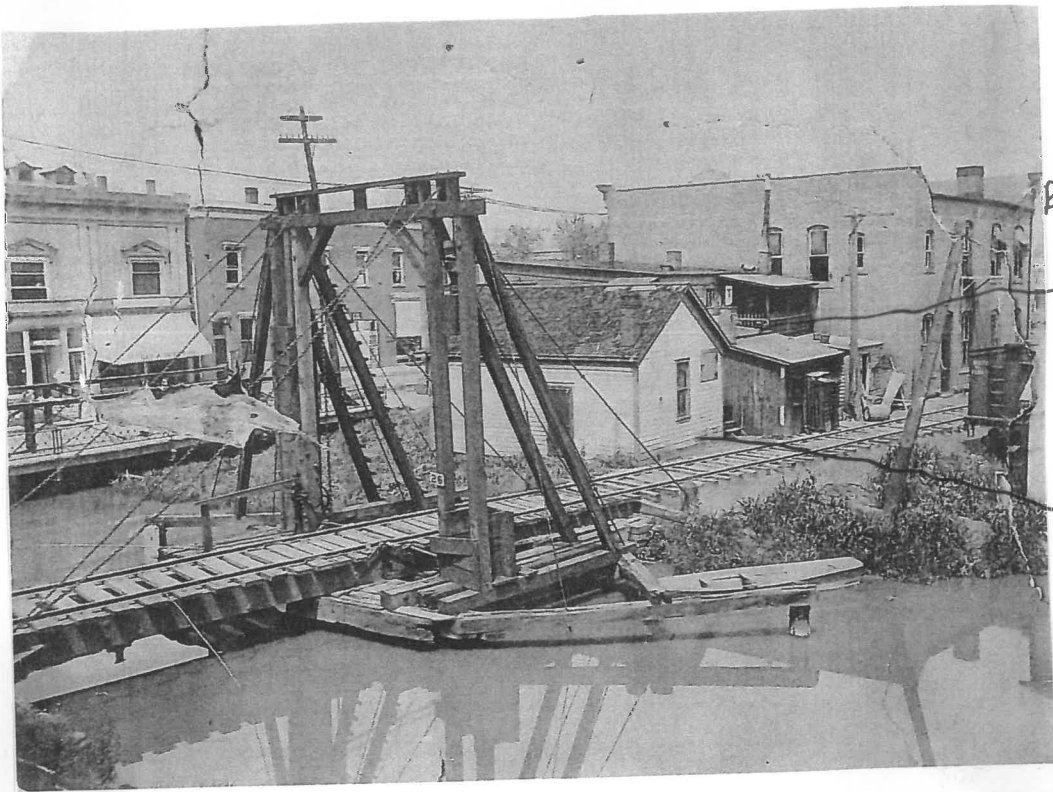
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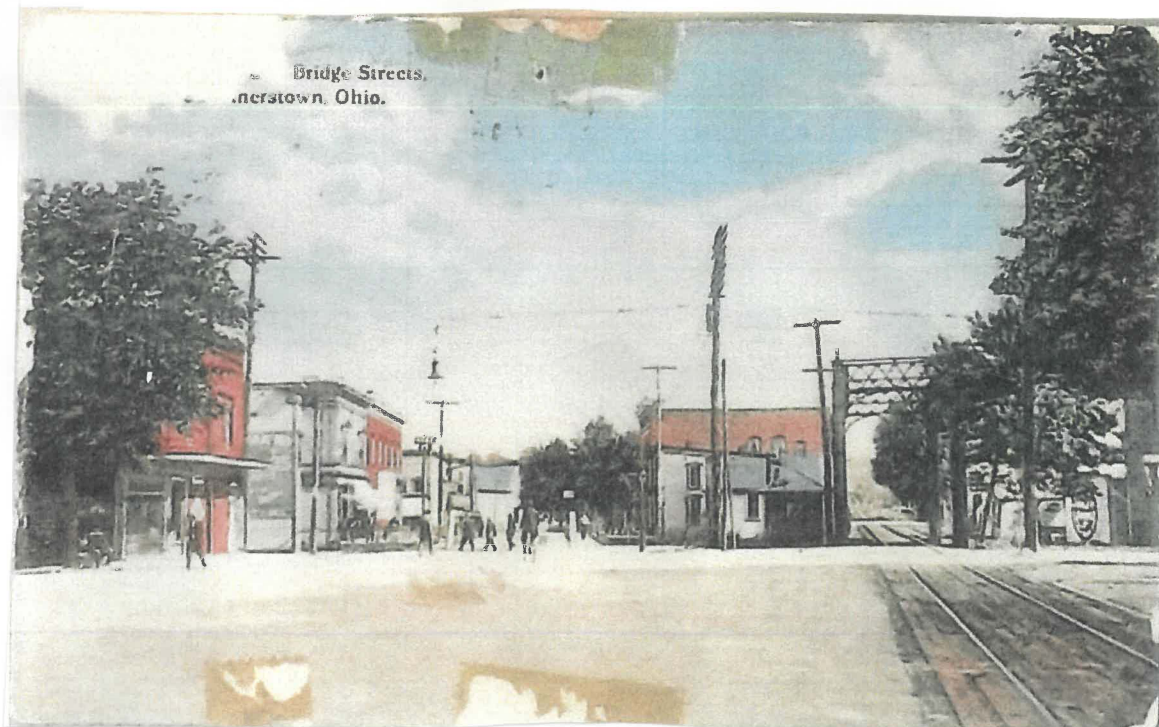
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POST OFFICE CORNER

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NEWCOMERSTOWN, OHIO



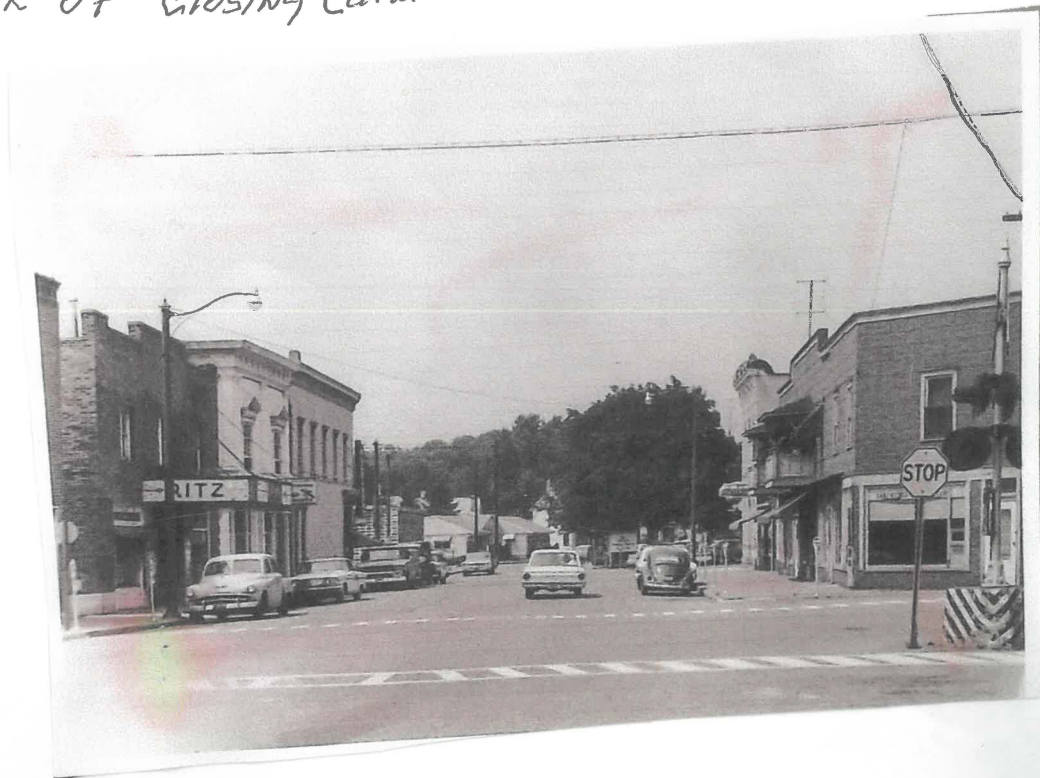
Bridge Streets,
Newcomerstown, Ohio.

1918



1917 Dover firm buys lower canal bridge & removing it

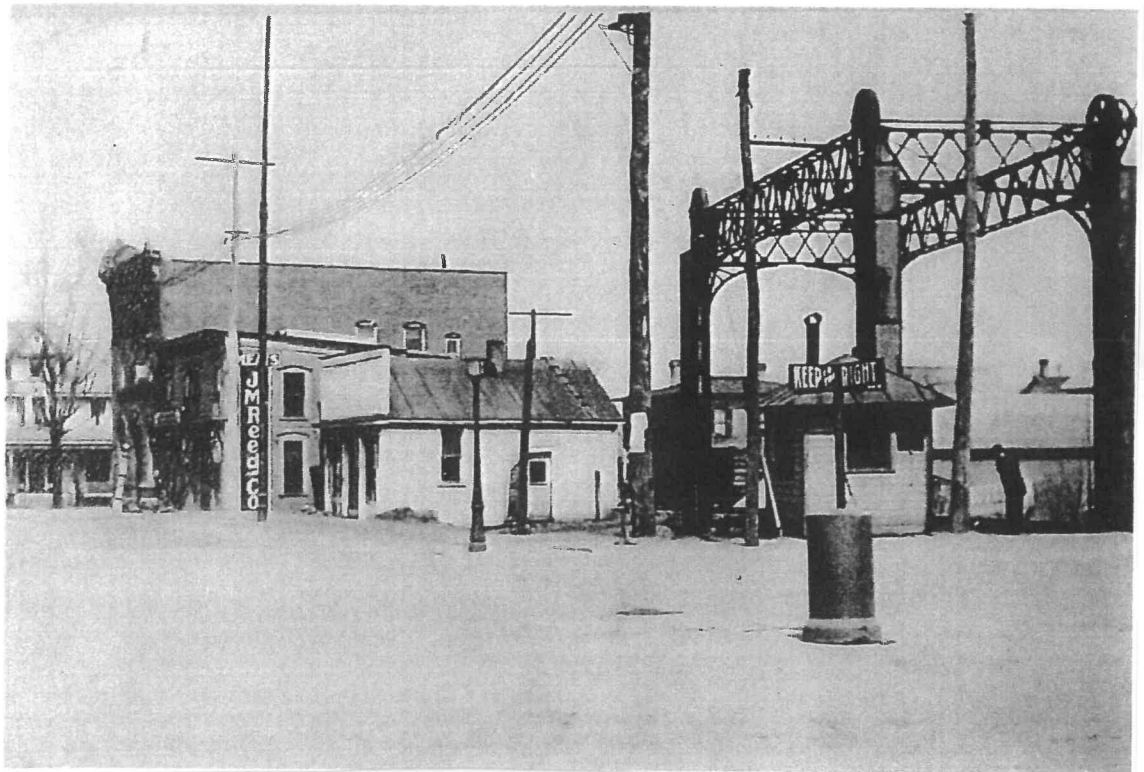
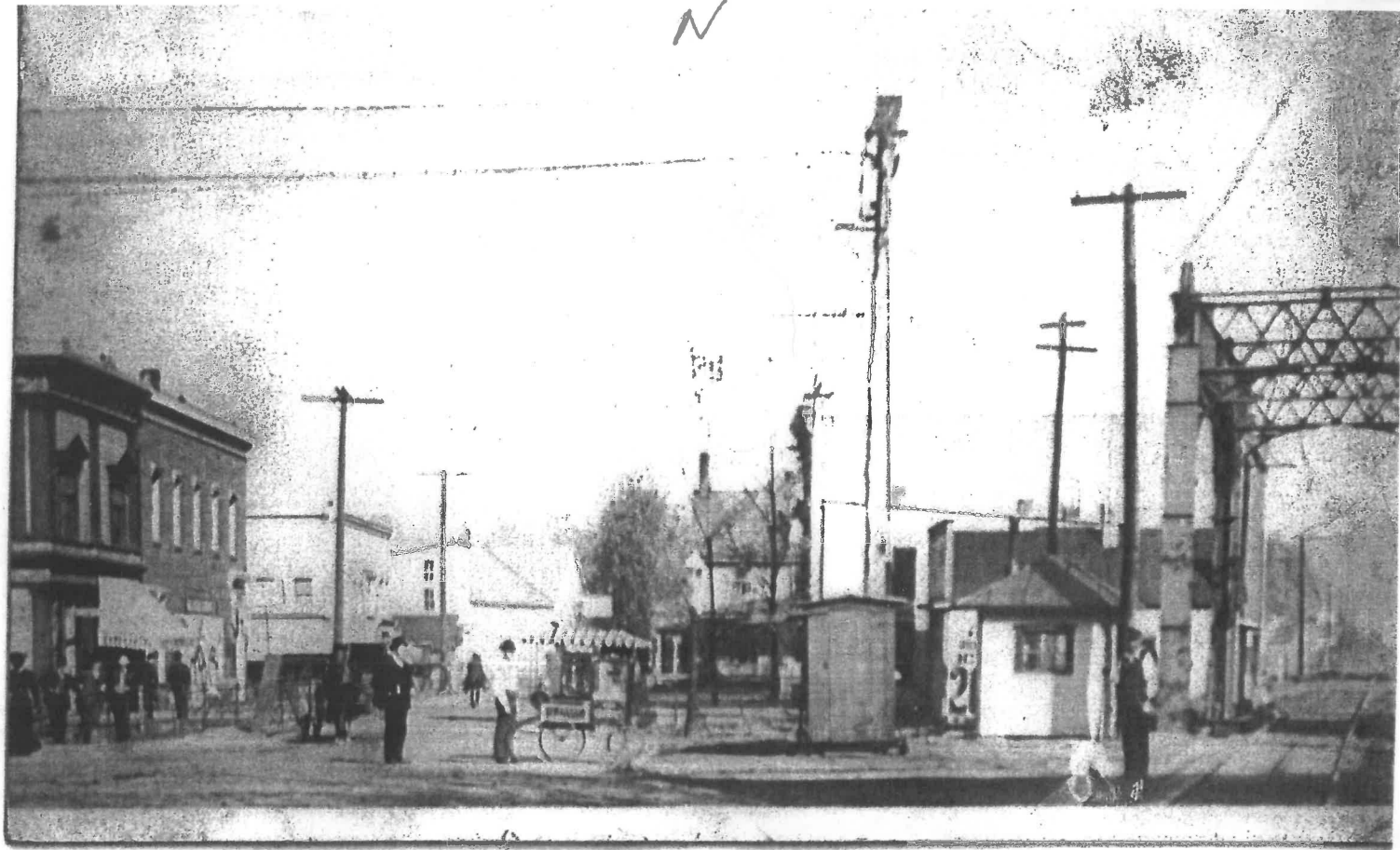
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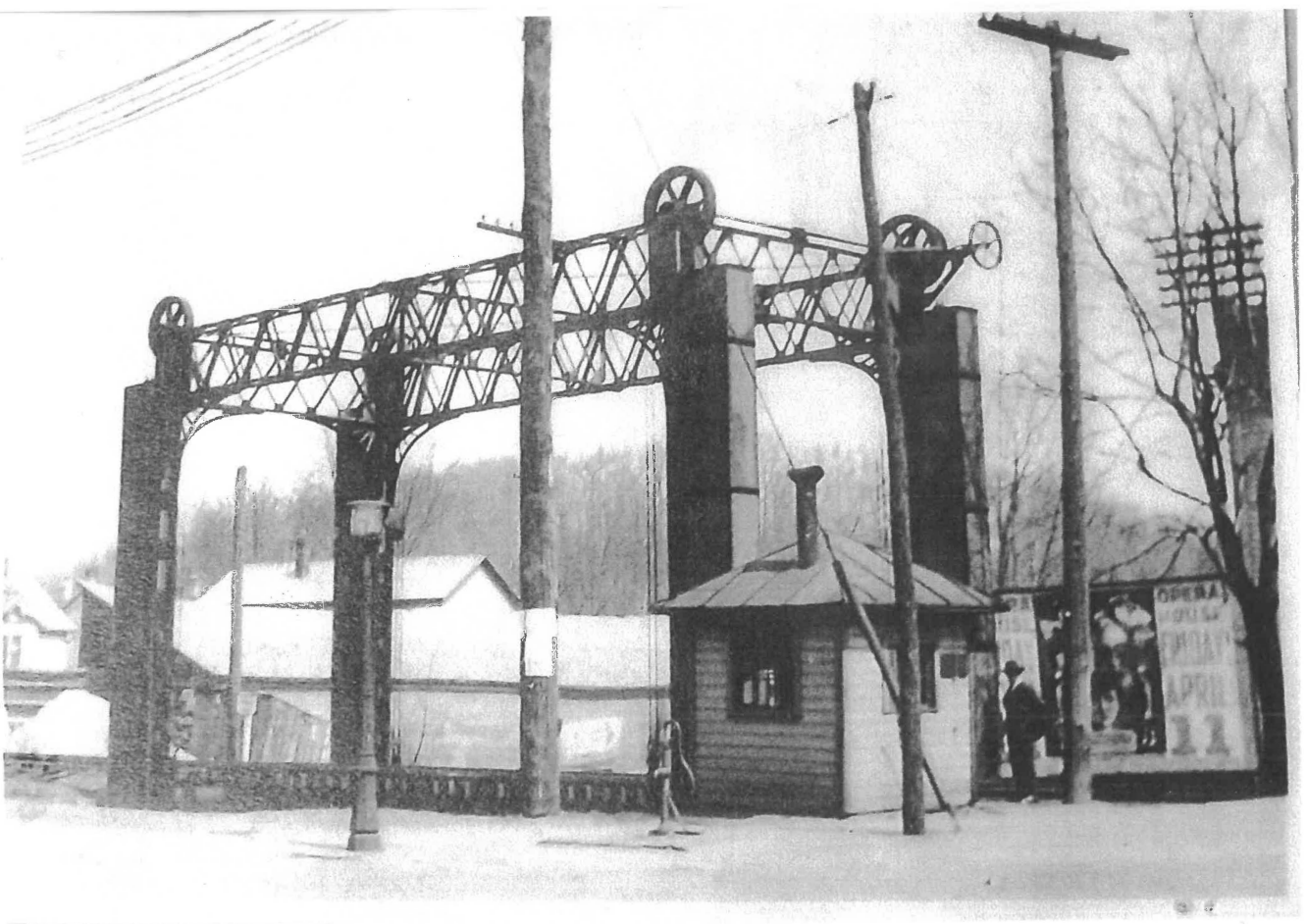
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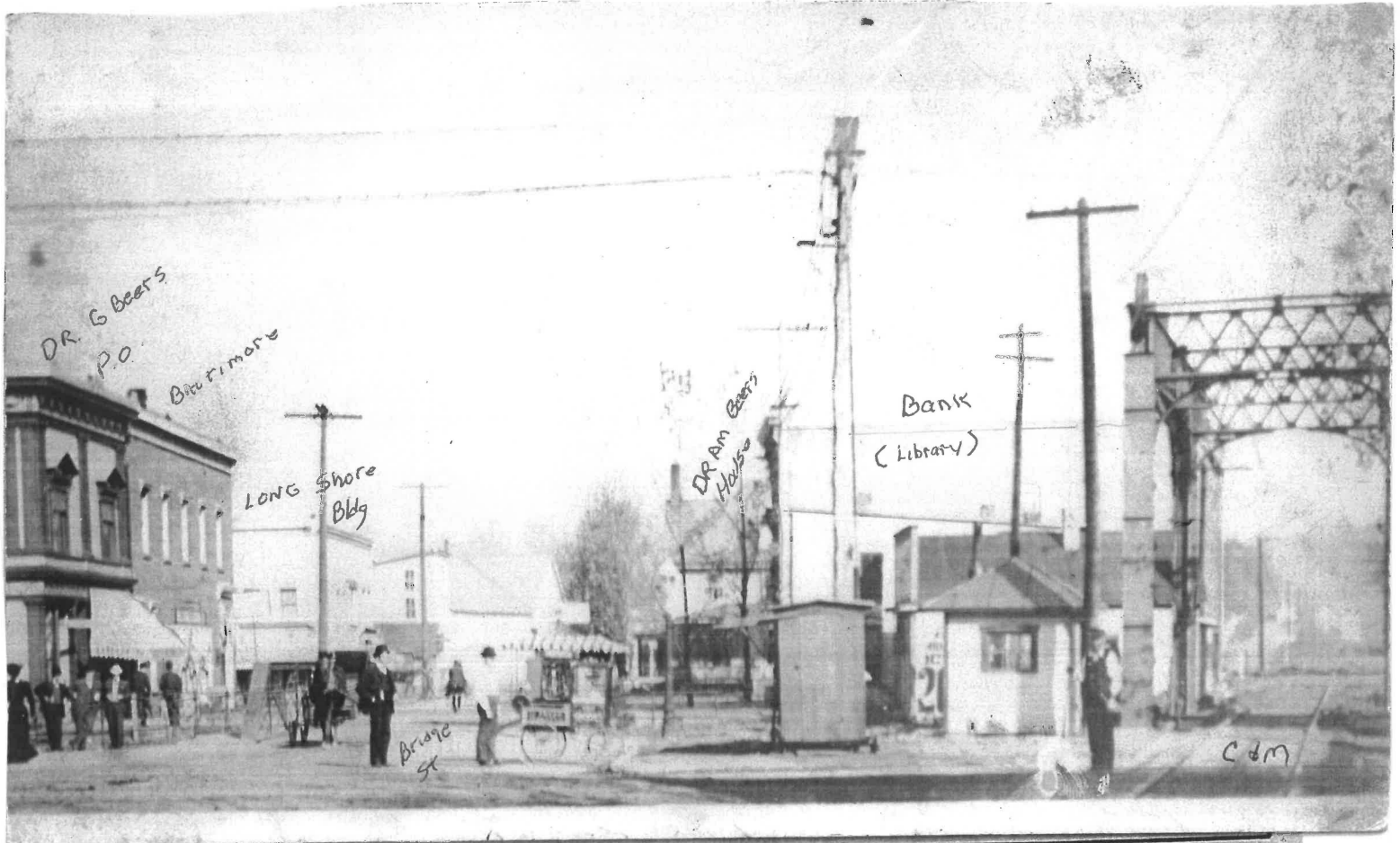


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BRIDGE ST



The old Cleveland and Marietta Railroad Draw Bridge was located on Bridge street. The watchman standing by the watchman building is Benny Burdette. The old water pump beside the watchman's building was one of the pumps located around Main st. from which townspeople got drinking water.



OLD VIEW FROM POST OFFICE

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Mulvane Drug

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Became
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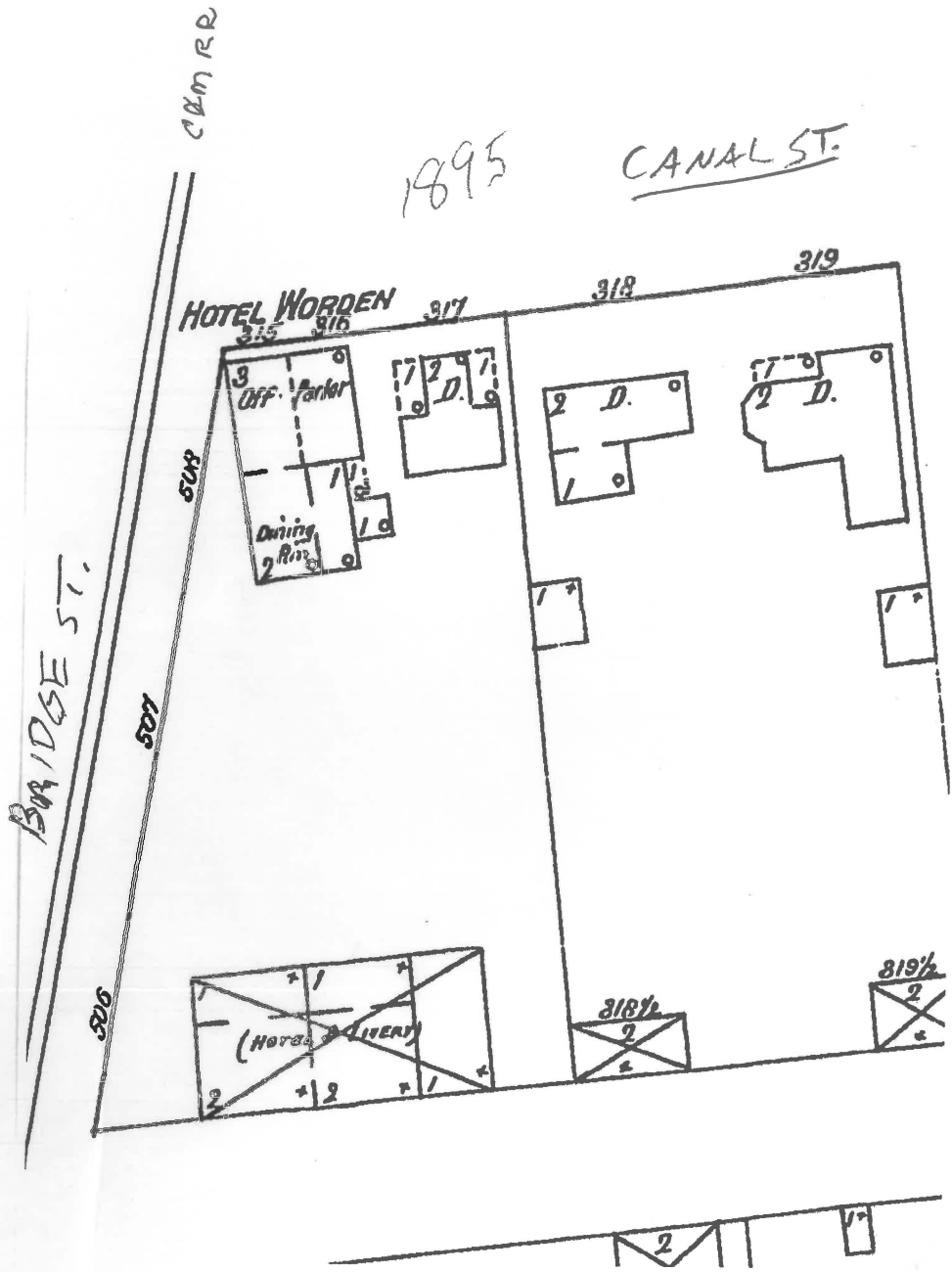
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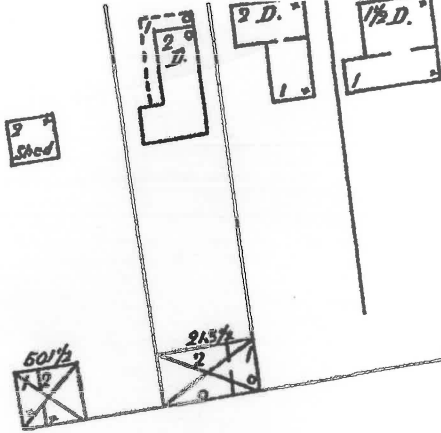
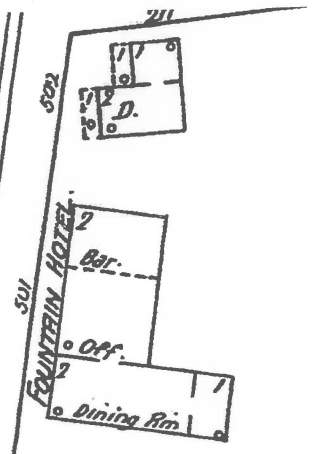
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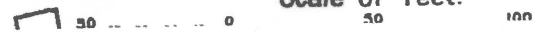
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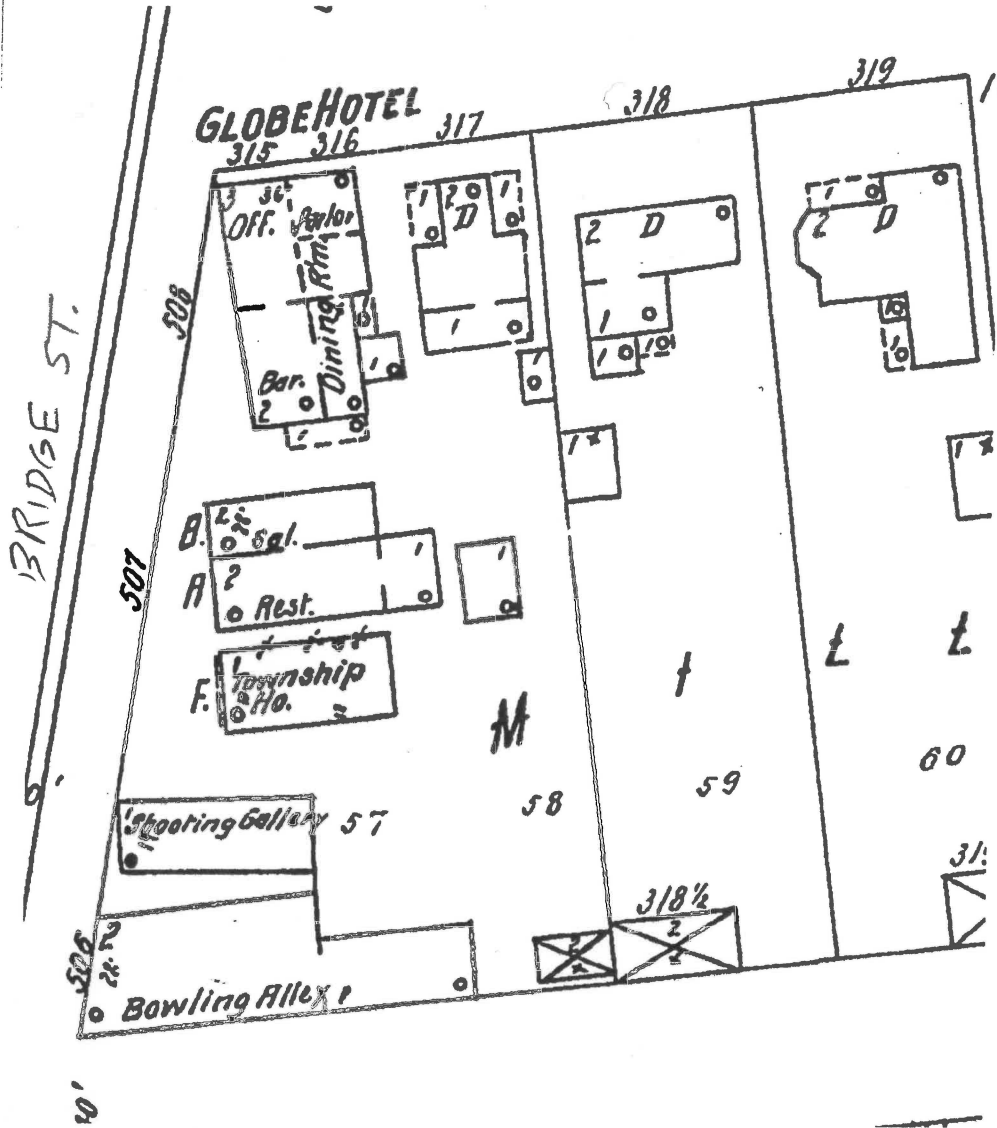
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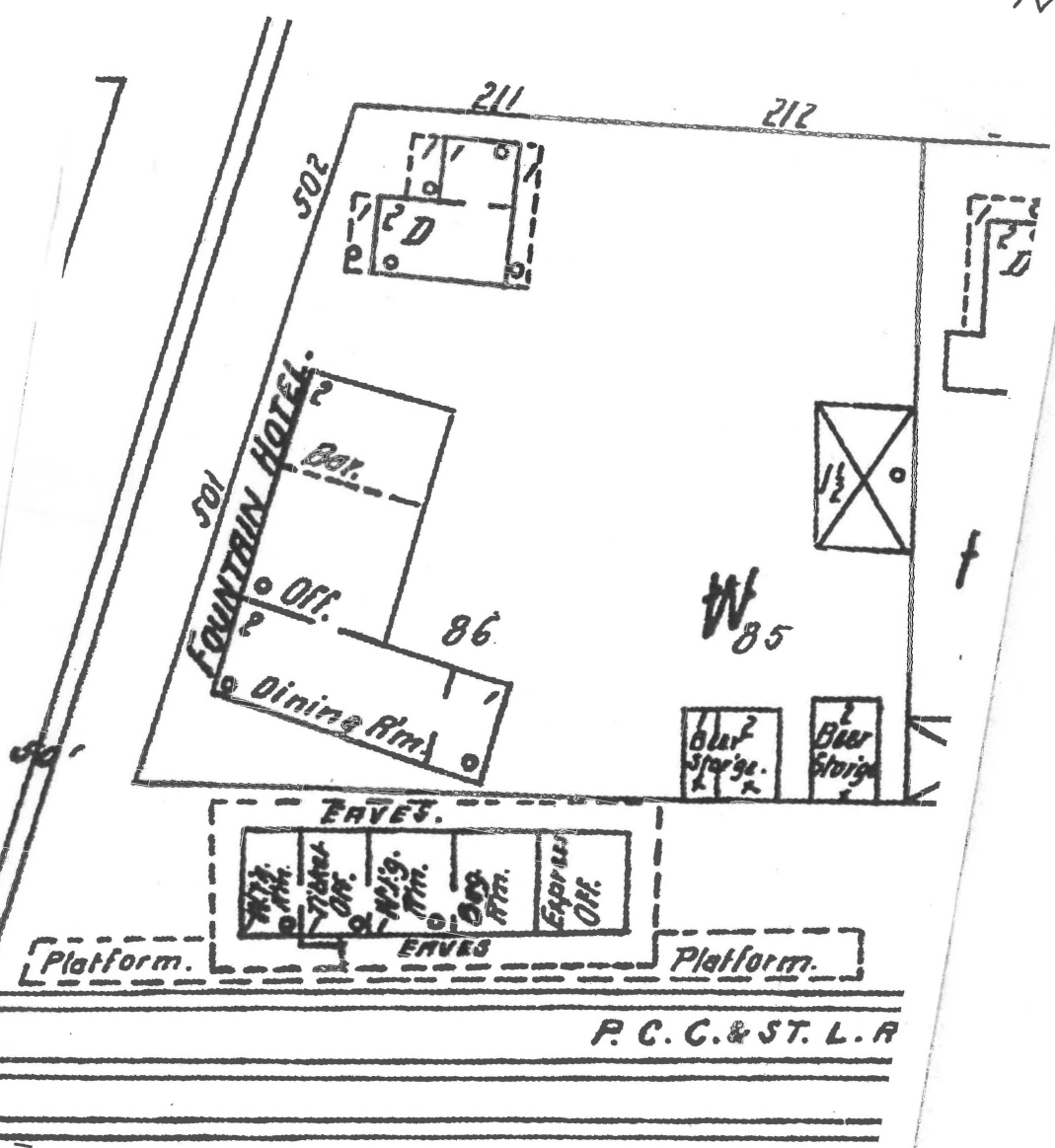
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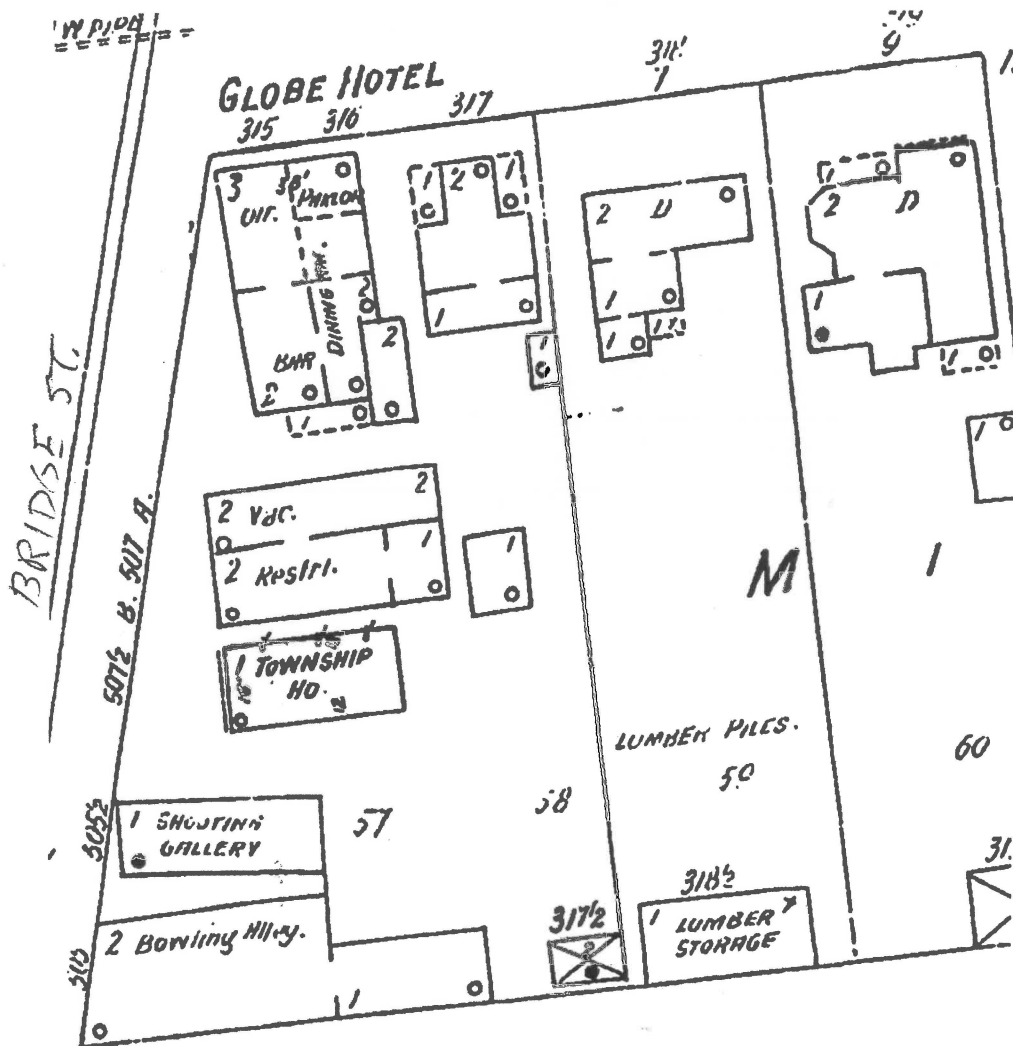
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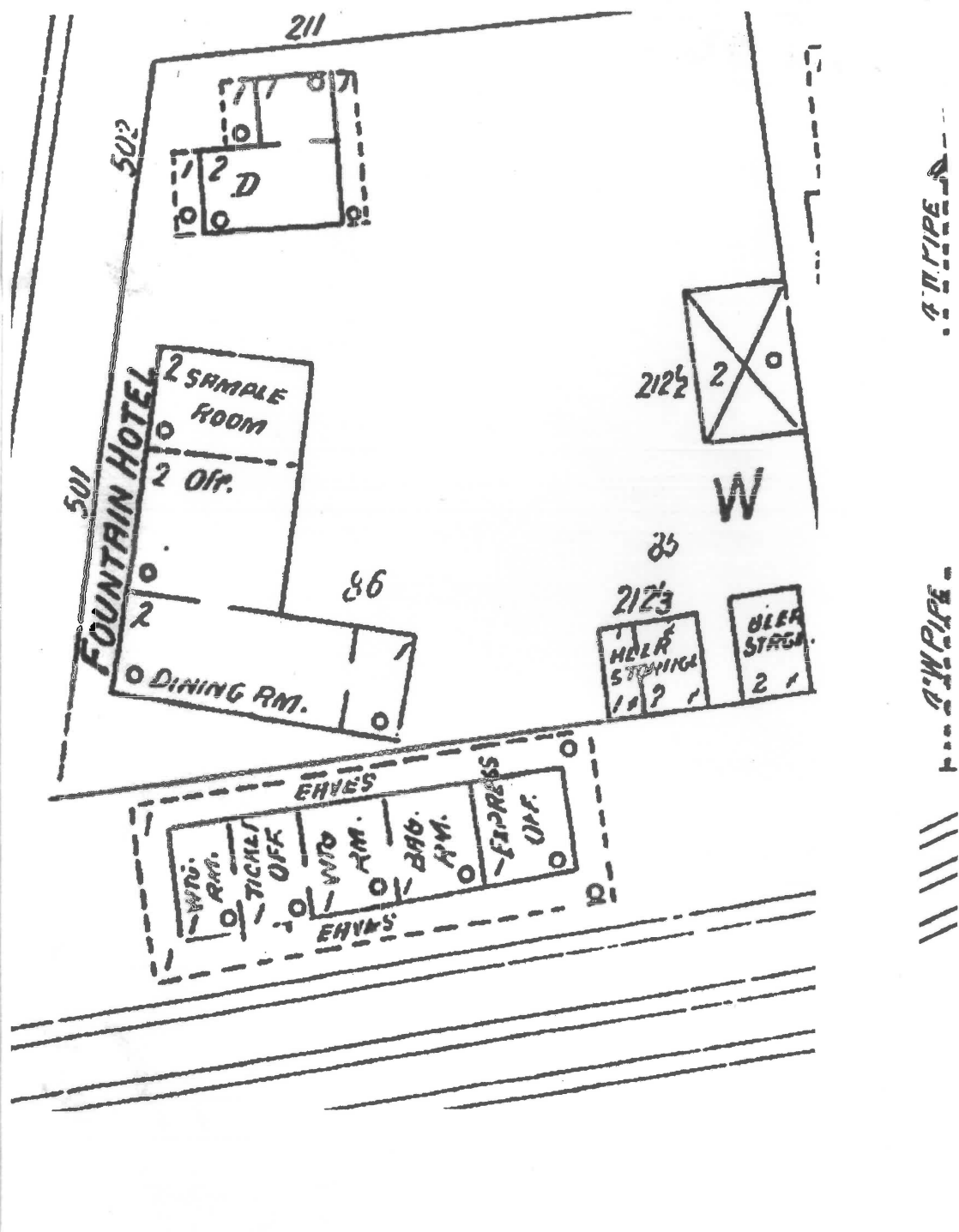
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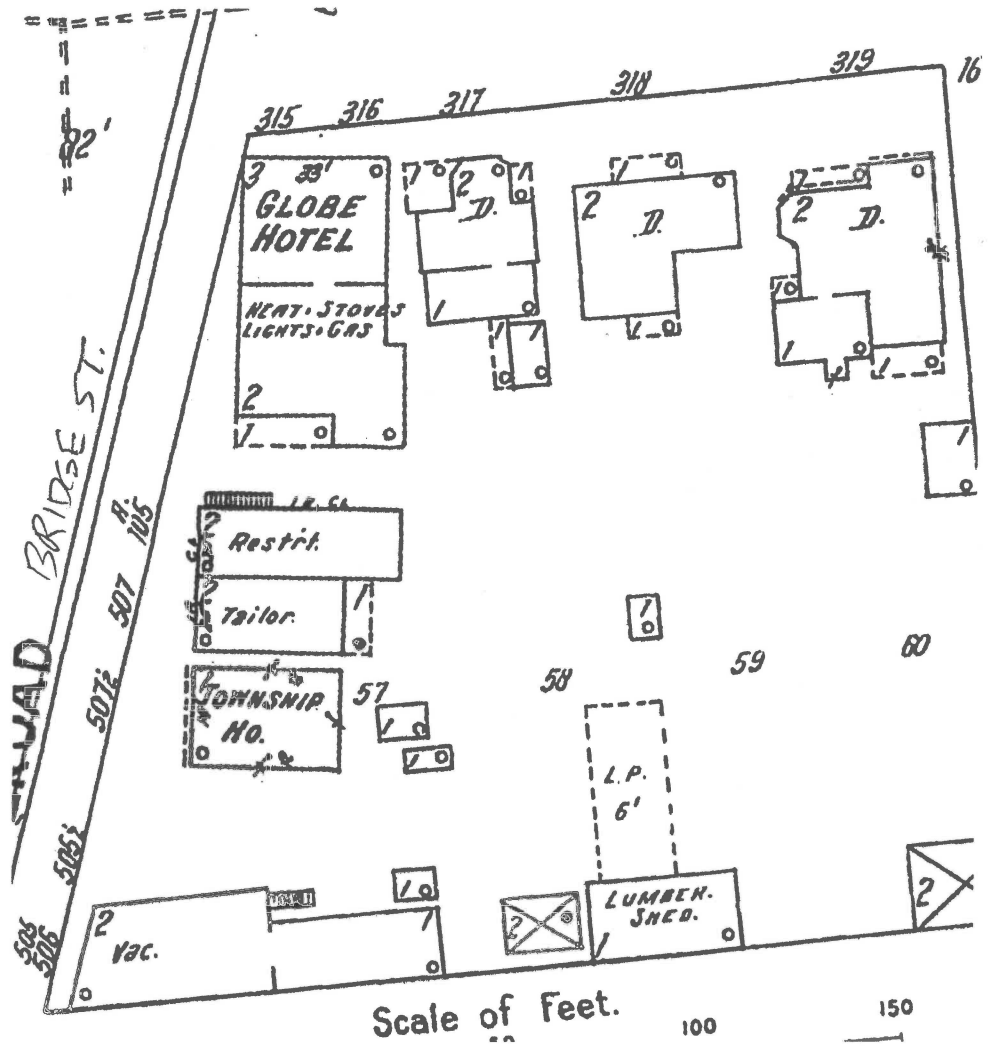
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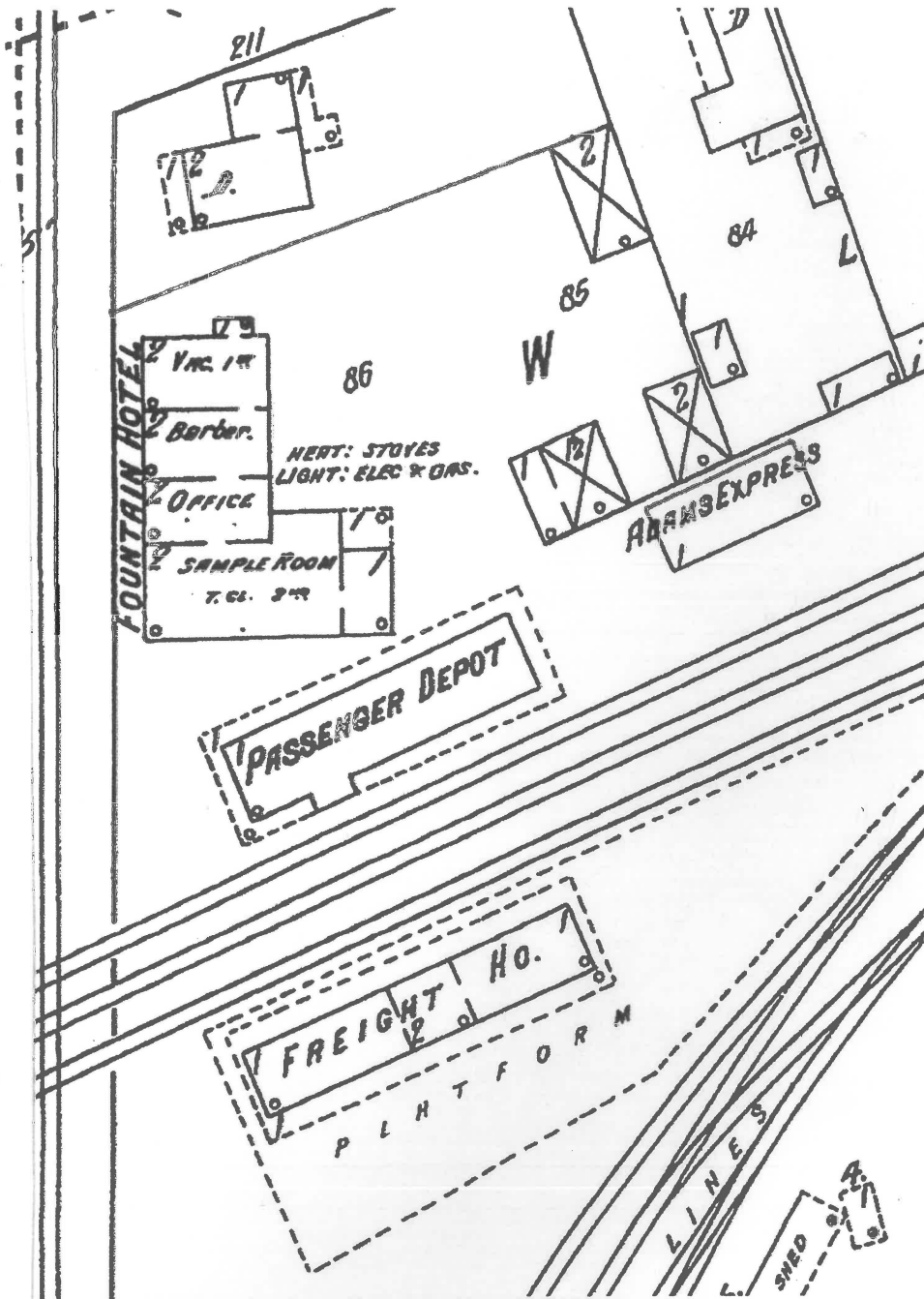
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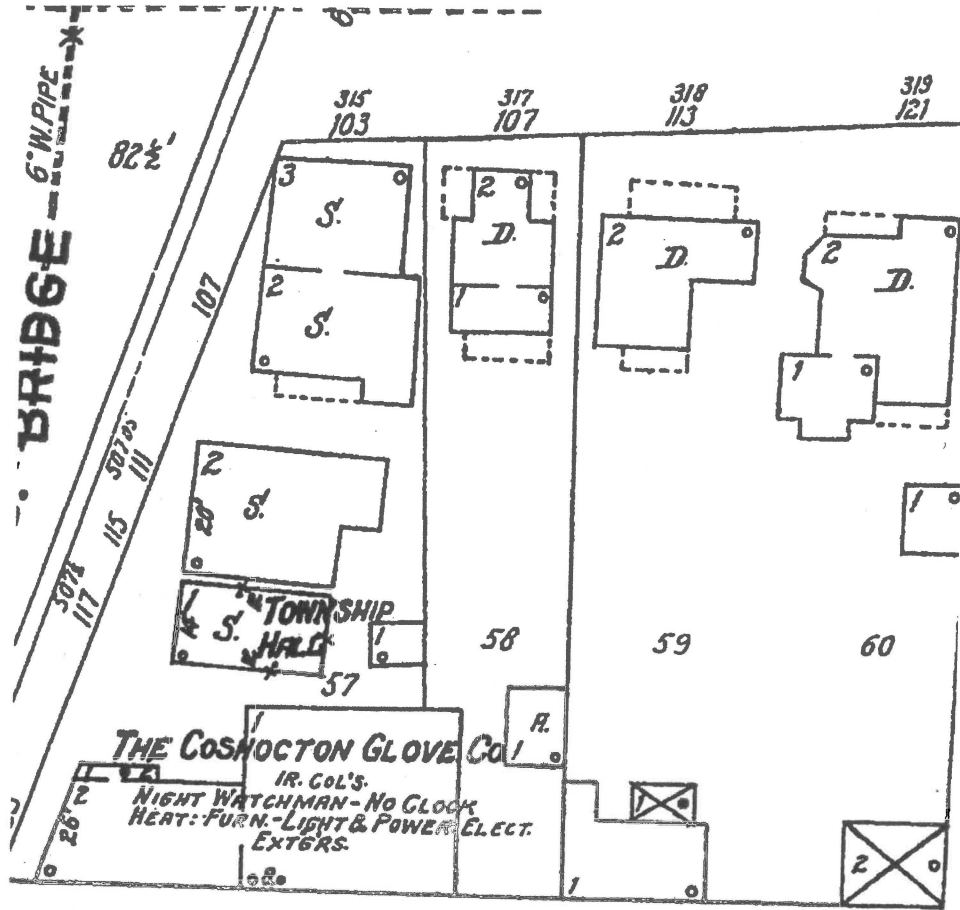


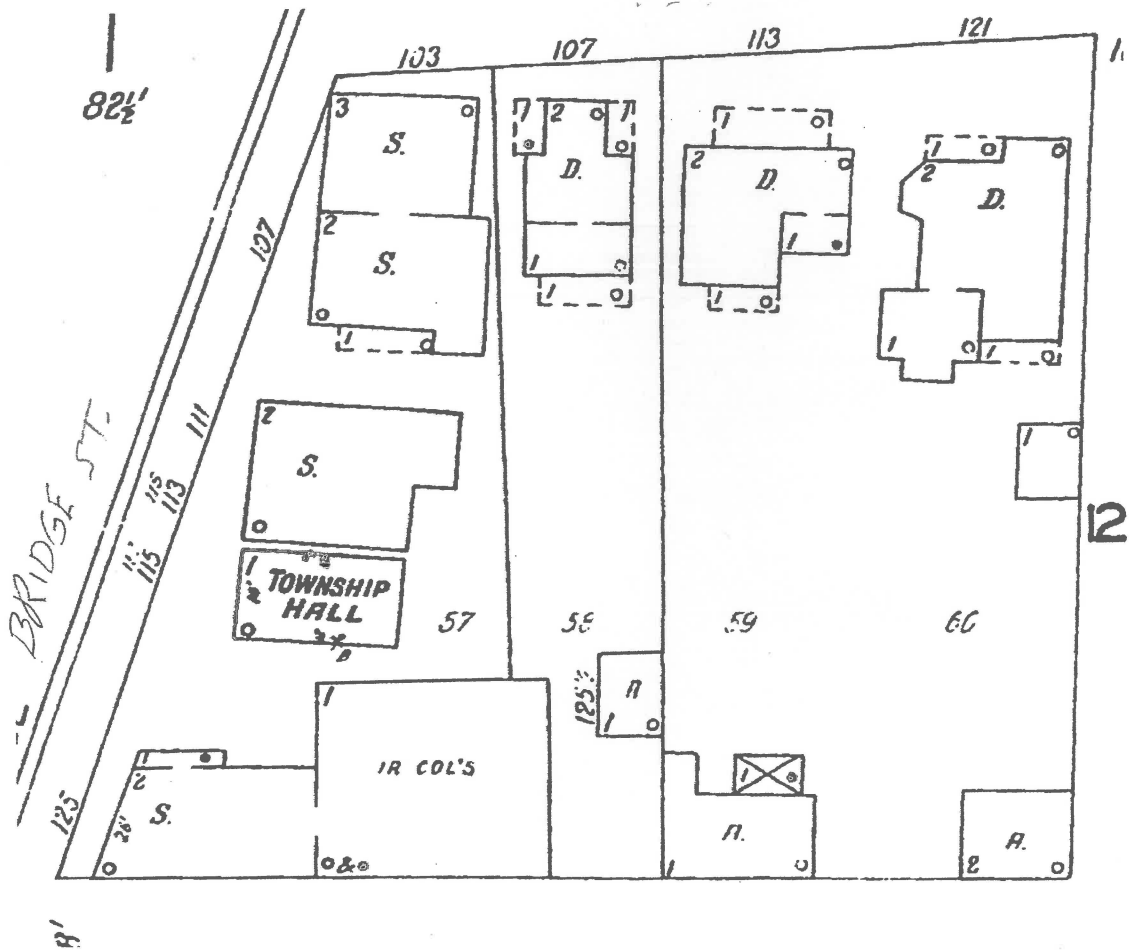
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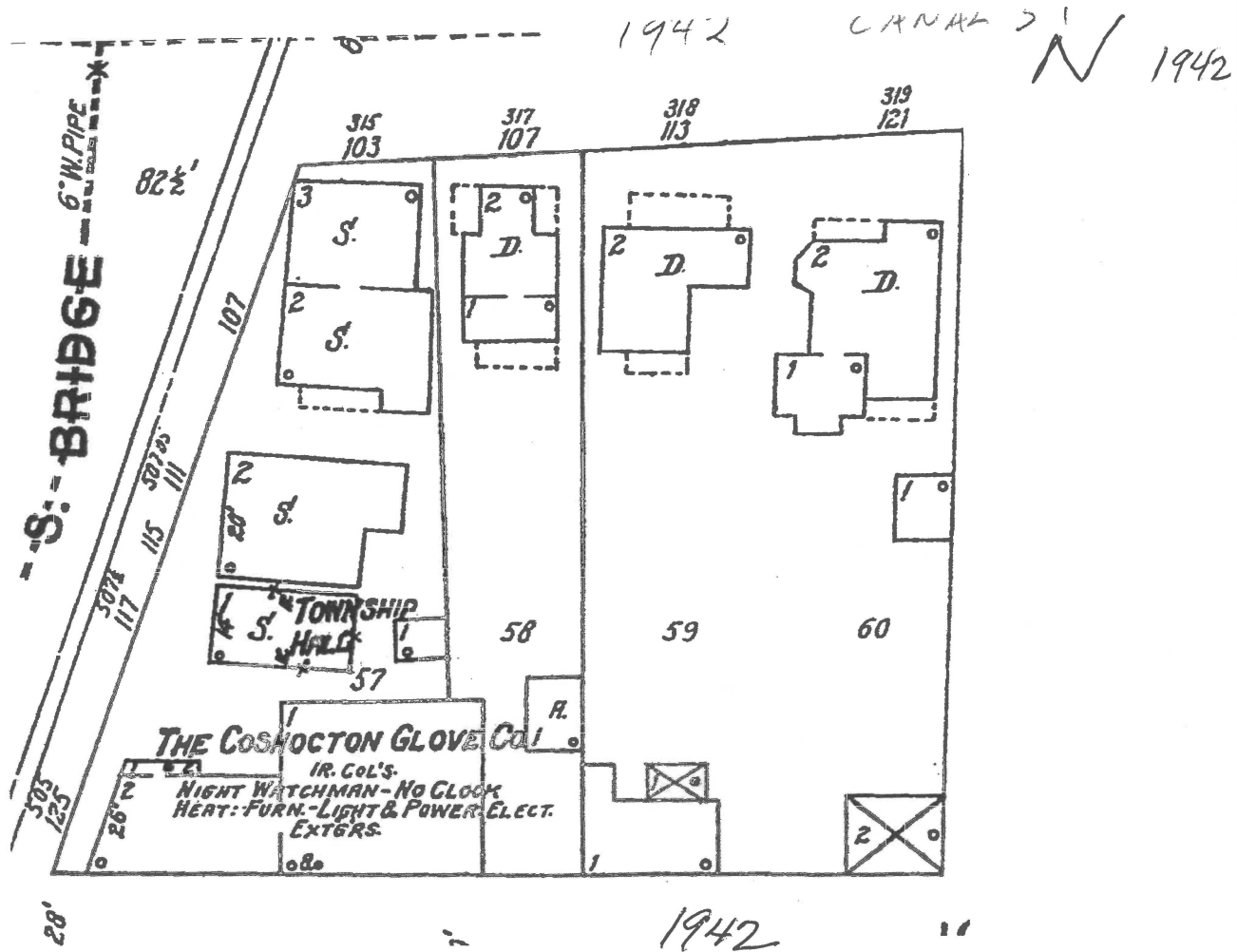
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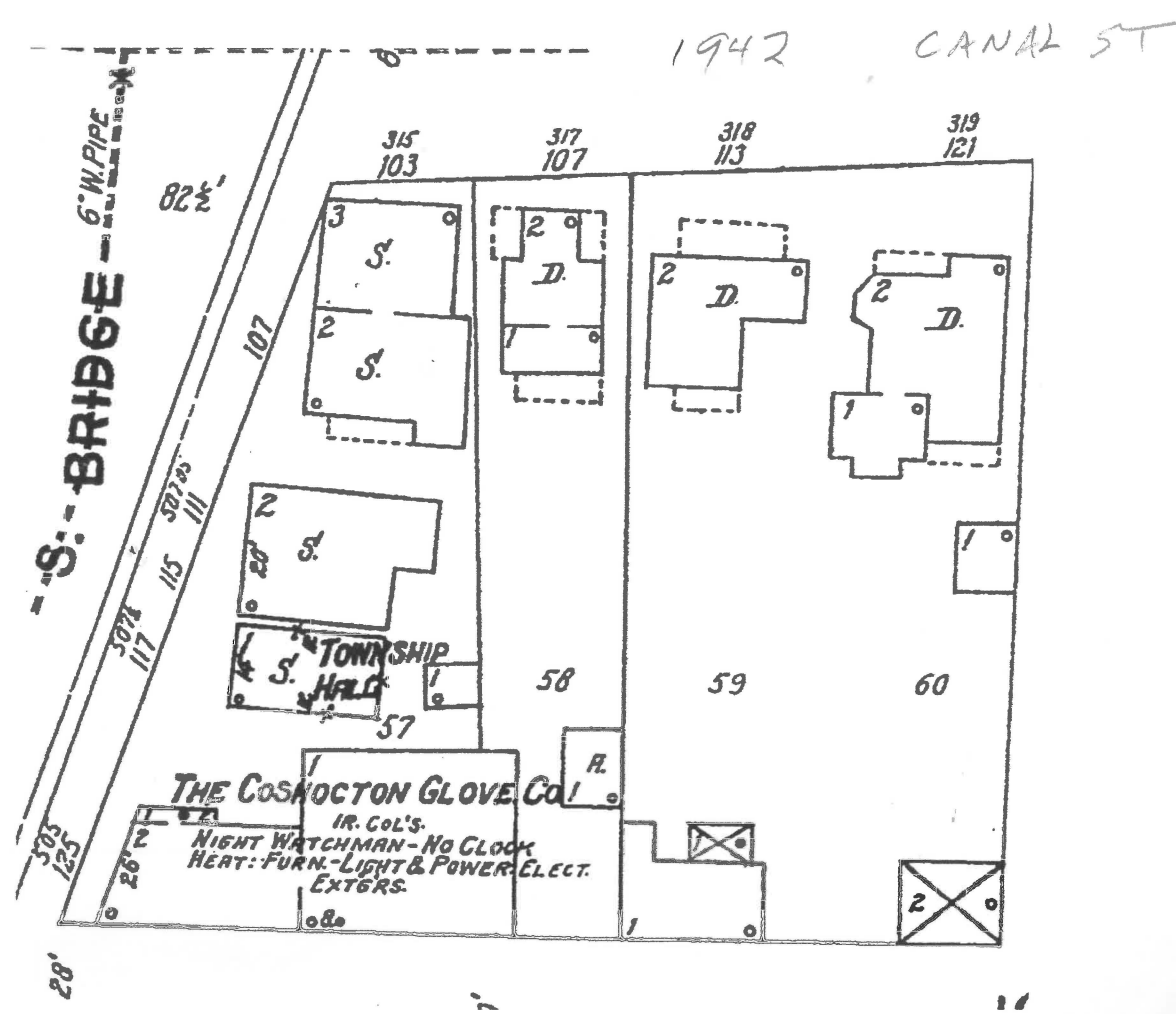
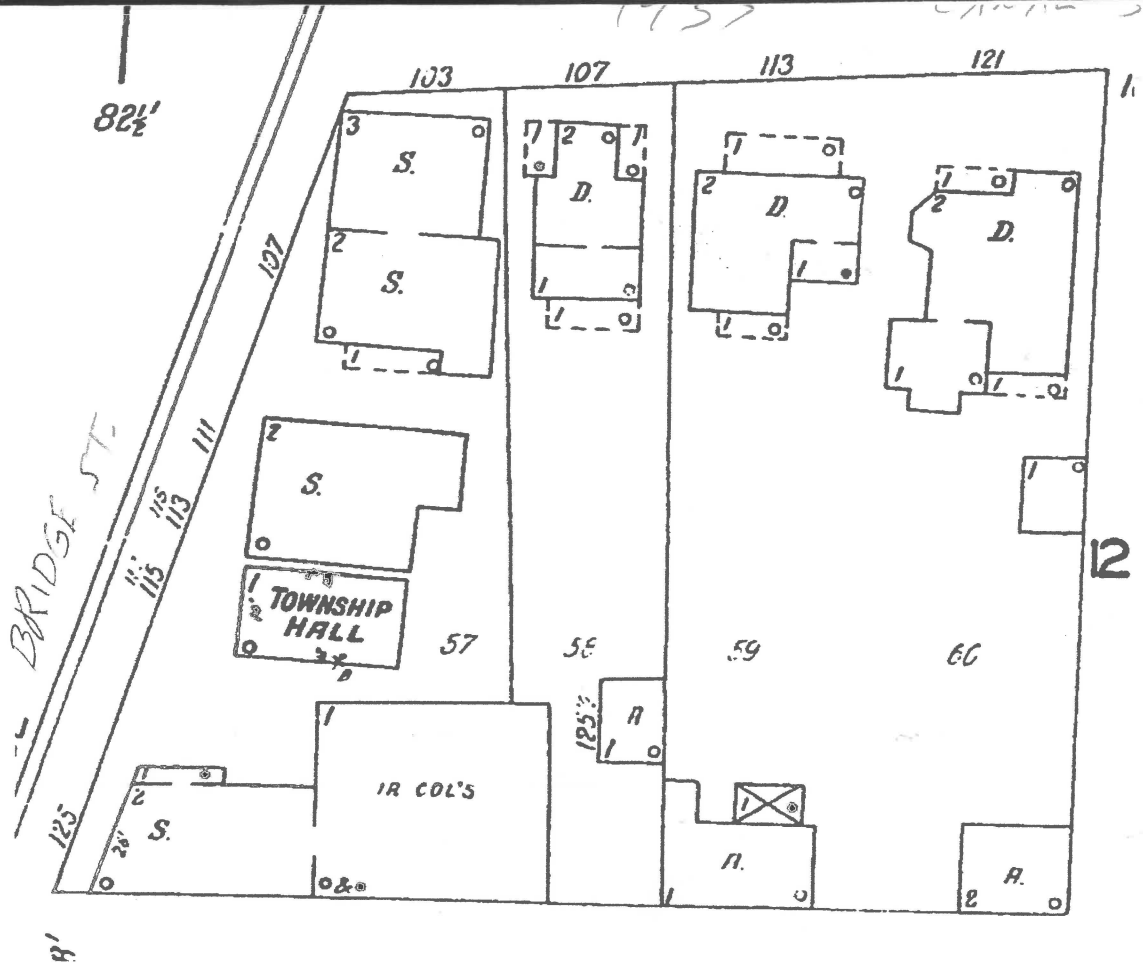
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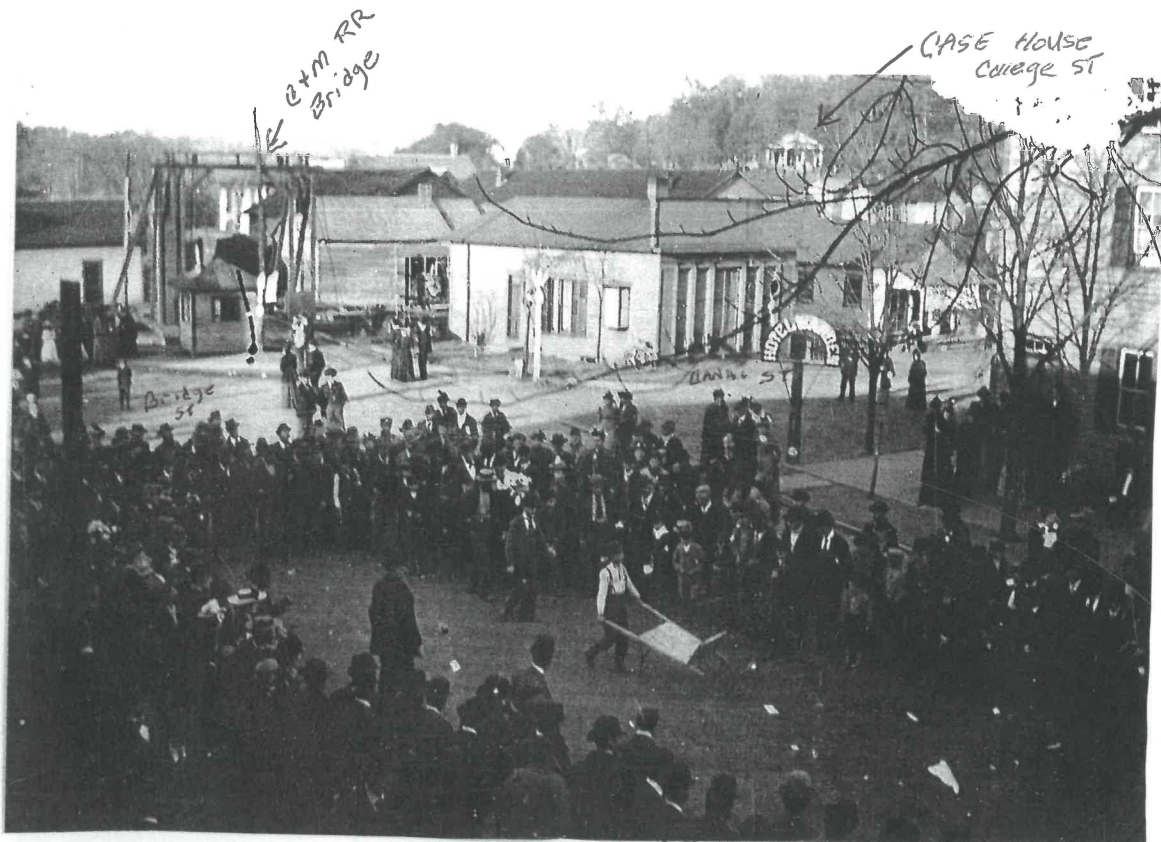








Intersection of Bridge & Canal Street, looking north.
 Case house on College Street hill (far, upper right)
 Hotel Warden, later Globe Hotel (right)
 C&M railroad bridge, and watchman's building (left)

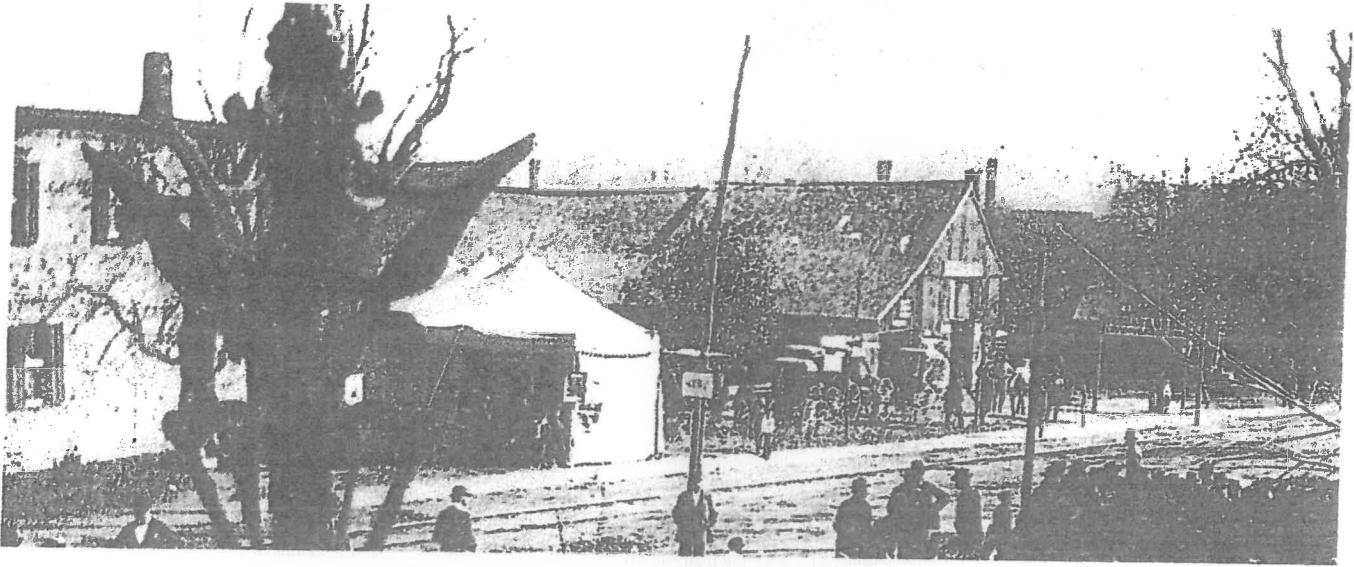


NE CORNER Bridge & Canal

LIVERY
JIM SONDLES
FLEMING BARN

NORMAN + DORSEY
LIVERY STABLE
N. E. CORNER OF
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GLOBE HOTEL

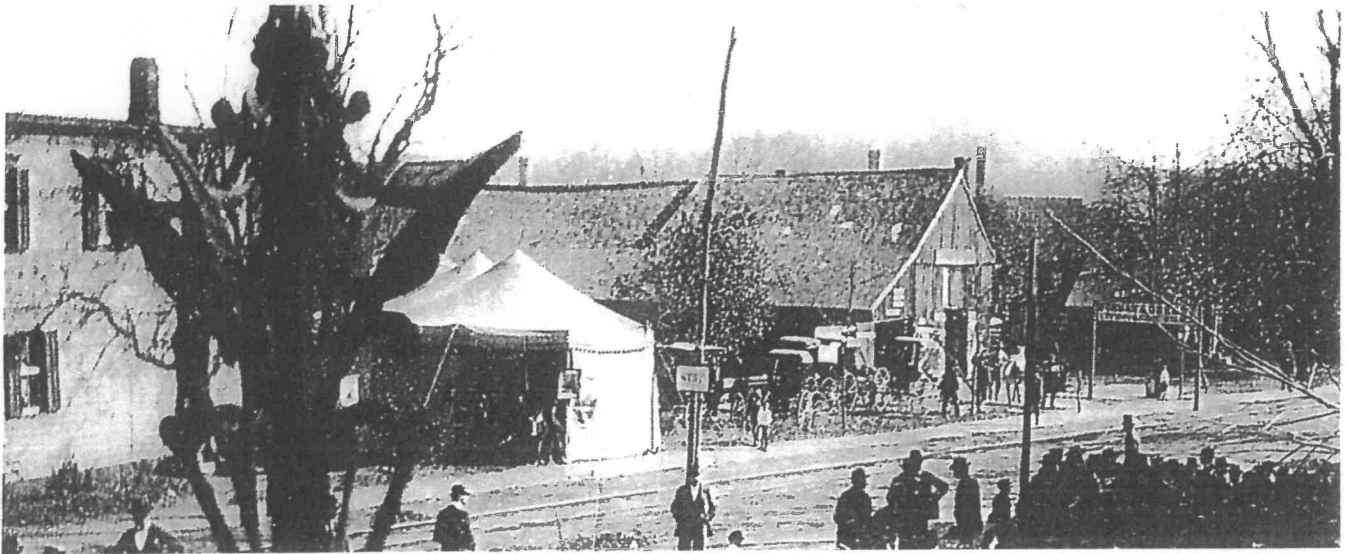


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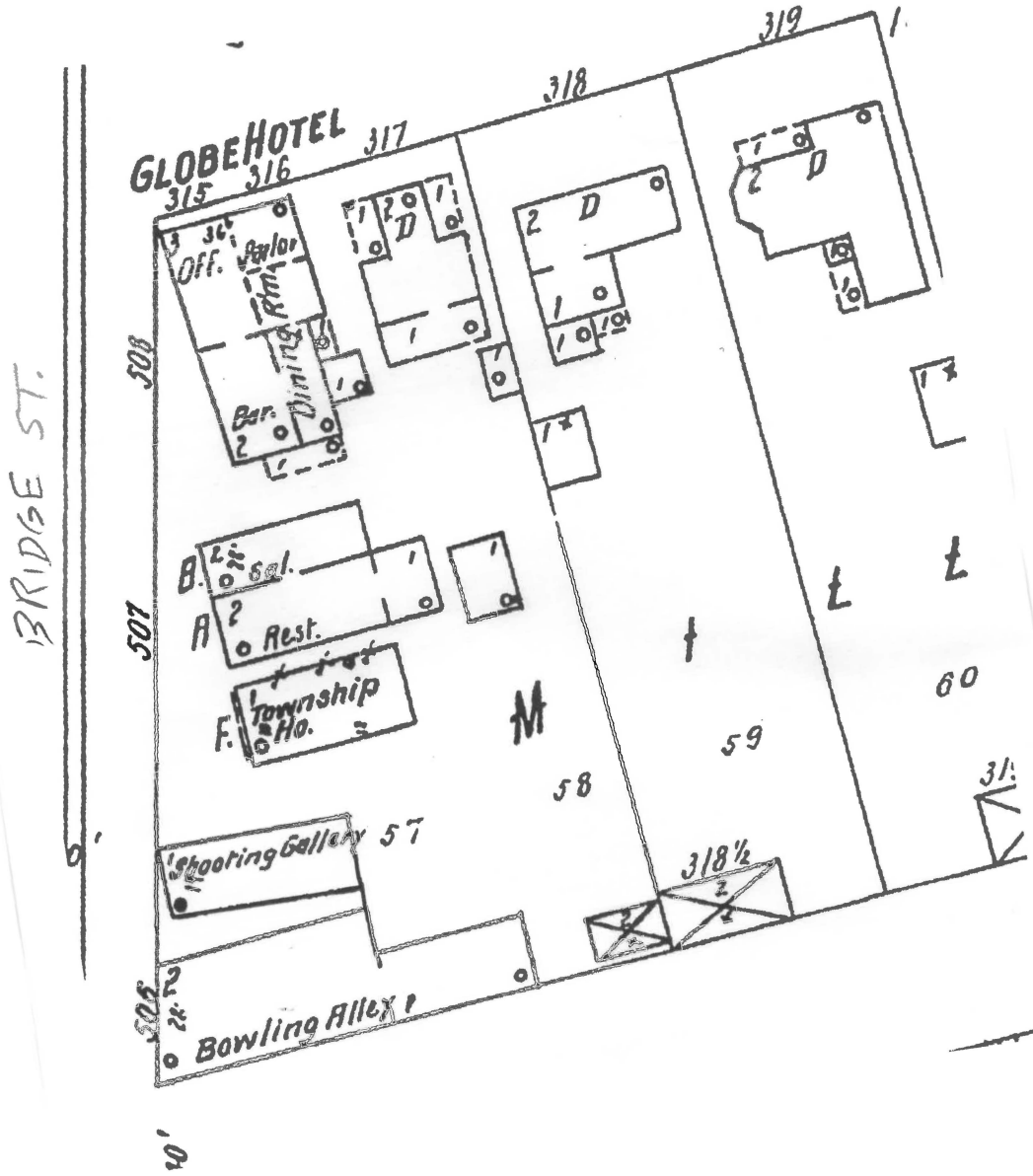
BRIDGE ST.

1835 1st Tavern
Site of Globe Hotel
by Jacob J Miller son-in-
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(History + Use Co)

Globe Hotel corner

Bridge & Canal St

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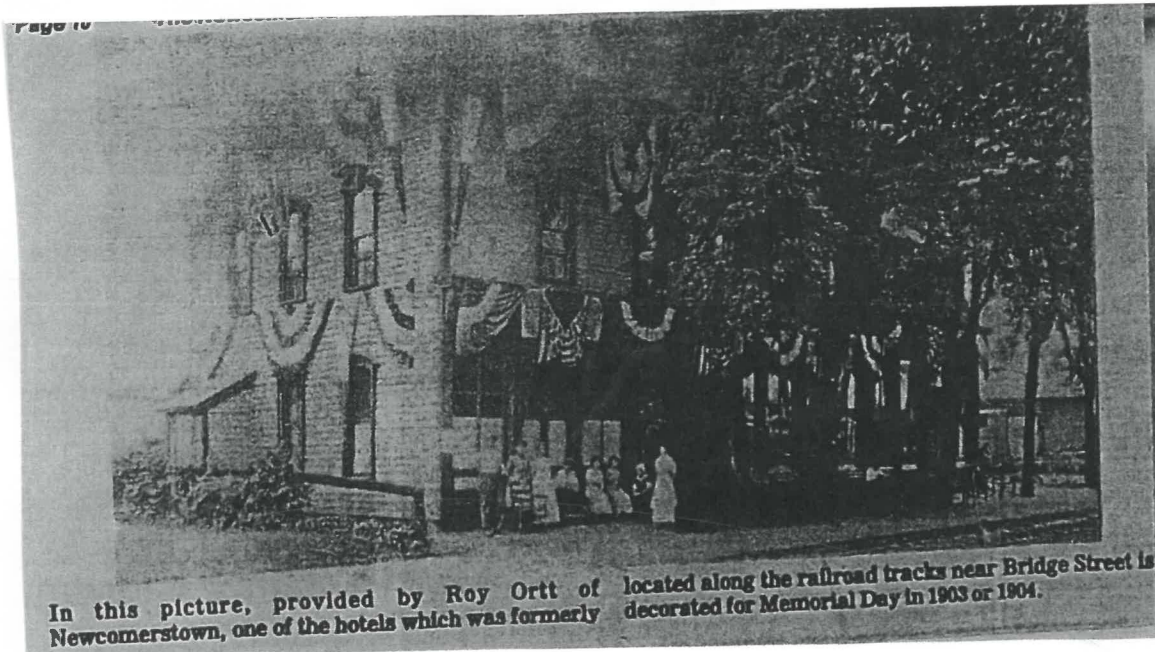


Sanborn map



The old Globe Hotel that once stood at the corner of Canal and Bridge streets in Newcomerstown is pictured in this undated file photo.

1835 John J Miller (son-in-law) Nicholas Neighbor
 First Tavern on site of Globe Hotel



In this picture, provided by Roy Ortt of Newcomerstown, one of the hotels which was formerly located along the railroad tracks near Bridge Street is decorated for Memorial Day in 1903 or 1904.

BRIDGE ST 73

CORNER Canal @ Bridge Sts

Ted Crater Ends His Life at the Globe Hotel Sunday Night.

20 MAR 1912

This entire community was surprised and painfully shocked Monday morning when the report was circulated that Ted E. Crater, one of our most talented and popular young men, had committed suicide at the Globe Hotel.

Everybody seemed anxious to learn the particulars and wondered why he should have committed the act. No one felt the shock more than Miss Ella Mercer, proprietress of the hotel, which is owned by A. J. Snavely of Canal Dover. Young Crater had boarded at the hotel several months in the last few years, and the place was almost like home to him. For the past few months he found employment at New Phil's painting signs for the Highway Advertising Company of that city. He came to Newcomerstown to spend Sunday with his relatives and friends, and attended church in the evening.

The only apparent reason for the act may be the fact that he had suffered for some time from a severe pain in his head for which he could get no permanent relief. He complained to different parties about his ailment, and described its severity. He was a man of good habits, a natural-born artist, and his scenic paintings grace many business places in Pittsburg, Denver, Col., and other large cities.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crater, once prominent citizens of our city, passed away some years ago, and he is survived by three brothers and one sister,—Byron, Floyd, Eugene and Mrs. William Denning, all of whom have the sympathy of many friends.

The sad funeral rites will take place at the home of Mrs. Robert Smith, aunt of the deceased, on Central Canal st., this Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. O. C. Kramer.

BURIED SUNDAY

118/1928

Miss Alice Laughead left Sunday for Columbus to attend the funeral services for her uncle, Edward C. Phillips, Monday. Mr. Phillips was a former resident of Newcomerstown. His father was proprietor of the Globe Hotel many years ago. Death was caused by heart trouble.

WILL OPEN HOTEL

1927

The New Globe hotel is, being thoroughly fumigated and refinished inside and out for opening about April 15 under the management of Mr. Tony Angelo, who until recently operated the Carrol hotel at Carrolton. A. J. Snavely of Dover, owner of the building, has been in town during the past week looking after the cleaning and repairs.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1942

Purchase Site Of Globe Hotel

Harvey A. and Lottie Reger purchased the site of the razed Globe hotel at the corner of Canal and Bridge streets at a sheriff's sale conducted by Deputy John Goudy, Wednesday. Appraised at \$600, the lot sold for \$460. It was formerly owned by Pauline Snavelly and others.

In another tax suit filed by County Treasurer Walter E. Geib, John B. and Helen Gardner of Tippecanoe, Route 2, purchased a store building in Port Washington owned by Leland Stocker for \$350.

1925

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Left side

Saloon (1901-M)

Vacant (1907-M)

Restaurant (1915-M)

Right side

Restaurant (1901M) (1907-M)

Tailor (1915-M)

Building became 111 S. Bridge St.

111 S. Bridge St.

A. A. Groff, Meat Market, here in (1919-N)

J. M. & Charles Reed takes over A. A. Groff Meat Market (1921-ML)

Albert Thompson, Groceries, and Feed (25) (26-D)

Jake Edwards's Saloon

H. A. Reger, Auto Parts, Tire and Battery Co. (32-D) (33) (34) (39-D) (42-D) (47)

Driggs Auto Parts (48) (49)

Reliable Auto Parts (53-D)

Welker Used Car Lot (54-D) (56-D)

Tourine Club, opened in 1956 (56-D) (65-D) (67-N) (70-D) (77-D) (80-D) (81-N)

111 S Bridge



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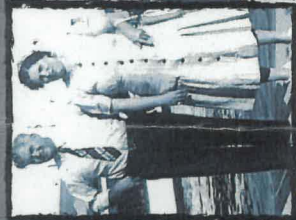
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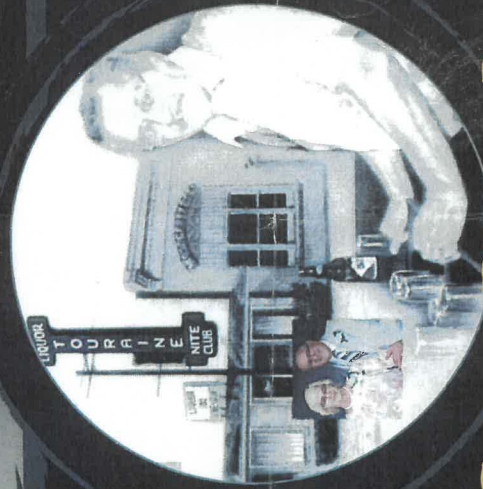


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CASUAL DINING BAR

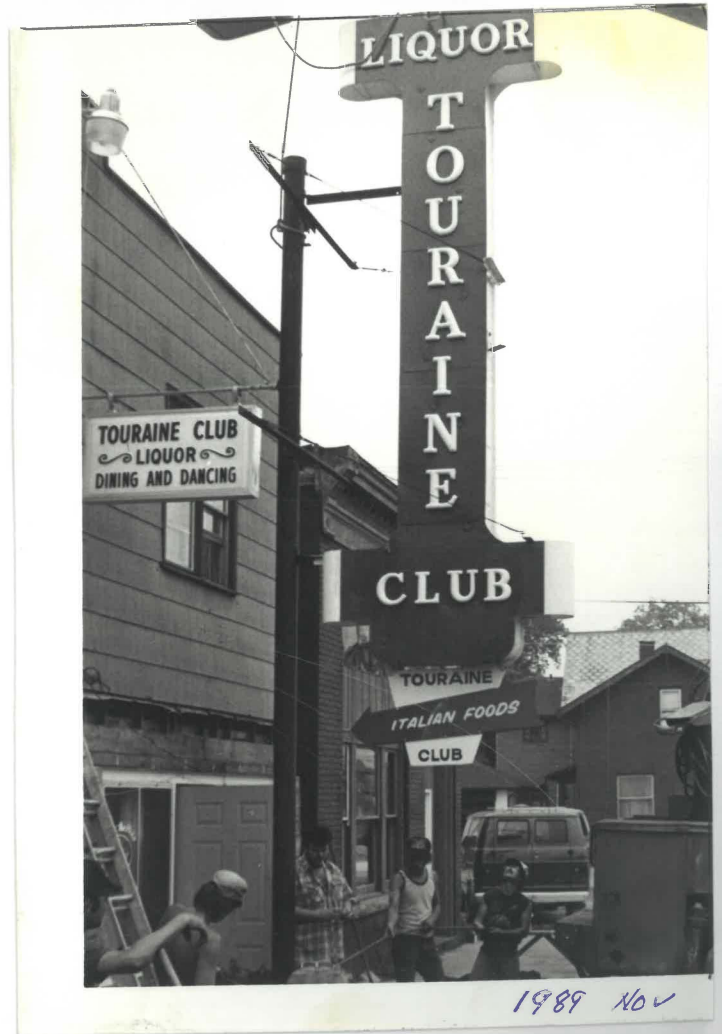
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Touraine Club has anniversary

The Touraine Club on Bridge Street in Newcomerstown celebrates its 35th year of business this year, and will provide a celebration Nov. 26-27 with a reunion of Touraine Club customers.

The original Touraine Club was built and opened in 1947 on Route 21 north by Joe Lenzo of Newcomerstown. The building still stands as the state highway garage but the business was moved in 1955 to Bridge Street, where it is currently located.

In 1947, the Touraine Club was one of the most modern night clubs in a 75-mile radius with seating capacity of over 200 and featuring such diversified entertainment as bands, floor shows, wrestling and even auctions.

Lenzo kept the full-service restaurant and expanded with a sister club, the Touraine Club in Cambridge, in 1957. That club operated for seven years. During that time, Lenzo also owned and operated Lenzo's Cafe in Newcomerstown. That cafe operated until about 1974.

Because of increased demand from customers, Lenzo added a back room in 1965 and began providing more entertainment such as bands (ranging from brass bands to country to rock and roll), talent shows, magicians, dancing, and even a wedding was held there.

The fourth generation of Newcomerstown residents has begun patronizing the Touraine Club and Lenzo said he was proud of his past and present clientele.

He said many of his past customers became successful, with some being doctors, lawyers, dentists, and including at least one psychologist and a former professional basketball player. Lenzo said whether they were working men or professionals, the customers were "the cream of the crop."

Anthony Lenzo, Joe's son, said the Touraine Club has been known as a "home away from home" for a good reason. He said it was a place people could relax, meet new friends, listen to ideas and express their own. In addition, the Touraine Club has a pool table, a foosball game and video games.

The Touraine Club also provides good food. For example, the Touraine Club buys bulk meat and grinds their own to insure top quality and still make their own sauce for pizzas and chili. For special orders, the Touraine Club will even whip up some spaghetti or lasagna.

Lenzo said the reunion will consist of reduced prices and special entertainment. As an example, he said a hamburger and order of fresh cut french fries will be only \$1.


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Photos by Ray Booth, correspondent
Matt Lenzo, right, and David Kees stand in the remodeled dining room of the Touraine Club. The tree art on the wall was donated by Kathy Shryock.

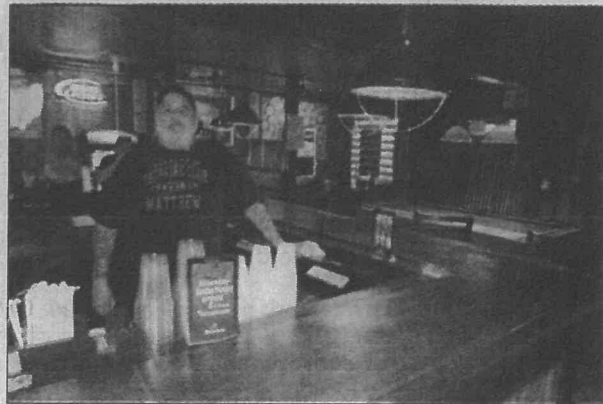
Touraine Club reborn through remodeling

By RAY BOOTH
The Newcomerstown News

"This is our place now."

That's what Matt Lenzo, of the Touraine Club, heard a group of patrons say when they visited the recently remodeled restaurant at the corner of Bridge and Canal streets in Newcomerstown.

With a history dating back to 1938 and many different looks, including being a supper club in the early days, rock and roll bar with live music in the 1960s and early '70s and even being a disco dancing destination in the late '70s and 1980s, the Touraine Club has always been a staple in Newcomerstown. It was "our place" to thousands of residents of Newcomerstown and the surrounding community.



Matt Lenzo, owner of the Touraine Club, in the bar area, which was also remodeled by David Kees.

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Touraine

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But the recent remodeling has brought back the type of clientele that Lenzo never thought would return from the early days of the Touraine Club. While it was a supper club in its early days, it was a younger and rowdier crowd that frequented it in the past few decades.

"I never thought I'd see booster seats and high chairs here," Lenzo laughed.

But it's a move that has been welcomed by the community.

"It's been phenomenal," Lenzo said. "The community responded almost overnight. I'm still amazed."

And the Touraine Club isn't done yet. A new exterior is coming soon and Lenzo is working on a new menu for the supper club that will include steaks, seafood and pasta, a nod to the Lenzo's Italian heritage.

It all goes back to Matt's father, Joe Lenzo, and Joe's brother, Vic. Those two built the first Touraine Club at what is now a State Department of Transportation building at the on-ramp to Route 36 near Cy Young Park. At that time, Route 36 didn't exist and thousands of cars came through Newcomerstown daily on what was then Route 21 and is now Stonecreek Road.

That building ended up being sold to a church and the Touraine Club moved to its current location at the corner of Bridge and Canal streets.

"Dad moved here (current location) in 1963," Lenzo said. "I can remember him having an El Camino with a camper on the back. He would come here and make a bunch of food, load me and Anthony (Matt's brother) into the El Camino and take off down 36 to feed I-77 construction workers. I'm going to guess I was under 10."

Matt and Anthony were just two of seven children born to Joe and Audrey Lenzo: Joe Jr., living in Australia; Jeff, in Cleveland; Carmella Lenzo Roush in Dover; Kim Lenzo Kees in Strasburg; Anthony, now deceased; Tara, in Springfield, Mo; and Matthew, "the baby."

Carmela Lenzo Roush said, "Back in its day, it (the Touraine Club) was quite the place for bands, exceptional atmosphere and food."

She continues, "My brother-in-law David Kees is an amazing person and designer. He was the creative director and eventually head of TV and consumer print advertising for Fruit Of The Loom for many years. You know those fruit characters? Well, David worked with "the GUYS" creating commercials. He also worked with dozens of major celebrities over the years such as Alan Jackson, Terry Garr, David Hasselhoff, Alabama, Larry Hagman, Muhammad Ali, Chubby Checker and many other stars shooting commercials for Fruit Of The Loom. Dave is humble and a quiet man so most people would never know these things.

"David and his wife Kim have moved back home to Ohio after living in Kentucky for over 35 years. Dave has put his creative talent and carpentry skills learned when helping his father and uncles build custom homes to work in Newcomerstown and for the 100-year-old legacy of the the Lenzo family and the Touraine Club."

She recalls, "The Touraine Club has been the same décor for all the years my dad and now my brother

Matt have owned it. David saw the potential in that the Touraine was well established, had great food and did have a loyal customer base. He and Matt decided to redesign the interior of the Touraine and the transformation is just amazing.

"The transformation of the Touraine Club was a hard decision for Matt as he expressed to me it was like giving up some part of our Dad. He was encouraged that Dad and our late brother Anthony would be so happy this improvement was being made and that Dave had been a part of the renewed look for the Touraine Club."

David Kees, whose family is from the Mudsock area five miles south of Newcomerstown and remembers Mudsock got its name back in the day before paved roads when some child ran across a rain-soaked road and lost his shoe. Kees also said he remembers playing putt-putt golf in the lot beside the Touraine Club, with Joe also owning the golf course.

"I played it all the time," David said. "It was 25 cents a game and the course was there for several years." He said that the Lenzo daughters would work there and, of course, David married one of those daughters, Kim. The course had an intercom system hooked into the main building and golfers could order food and eat at a counter than ran around the outside of the golf course building.

"My father must have seen some of me in him, that I would stick around to do this," Matt said. "I left a few times but always came back. I was working here when I was big enough to reach the grill, and that was young."

"Joe was his mentor and everything he knew about restaurant business was passed down," Kees said. "They are Italian and that information didn't always come as a whisper."

The memories of the Touraine Club can go by as quickly as a strobe light on a disco dance floor ...

- 60's go go girls, who were probably an extension of the wait staff.

- Live bands in the late 1960's and early 1970's, including Gray Ship, Kats (from Columbus), Buckwheat, Power Cats, Wild Cherry and Quick, which Matt swears included Steve Perry from Journey.

- The sudden and huge impact of disco with the Touraine Club adding a lighted dance floor and a disco ball, with Anthony acting as the disc jockey.

"Friday and Saturday nights were packed," Matt remembered. "You couldn't move. My father made sure there was a band every weekend in the late 60's and early 70's. He kept up with the young crowd. At one time there was as many as 16 bars in Newcomerstown. Dad loved the competition and was willing to try different things."

One of the things that built into the current iteration of the Touraine Club was that David Kees basement is done like the updated style of the Touraine Club interior.

"We had ideas about how to get a dinner club started," Kees said. "My feedback almost immediately was to do a facelift in the bar first, finish the dining room soon after then take a cold hard look at the outside of the building, which is coming. We repurposed materials from old barns, some from Erie (Pennsylvania), Hocking Hills Ohio and Howard Ohio). The wood came from barns built in 1903

-1906, poplar, with old tin and in the original patina. So this is done in that flavor....a brew pub, with a rustic modern vibe going on here."

"We had Gary Holland, the Newcomerstown Chief of Police, and Newcomerstown Mayor Pat Cadle coming in saying, 'Matt,' open your restaurant," Matt Lenzo said. "I knew I wasn't getting any younger and I felt Newcomerstown and surrounding area needed a place for steaks, seafood, pasta and augmenting our bar food. We intend to add a salad bar, a different dinner menu and a big screen tv."

Kees admitted some of the patrons had their doubts during the remodel stages.

"I was working as unobtrusive as possible so as not to interrupt the daily business. People came in while I was working and said they didn't see the vision. Now that it has come together, especially back in the back we are hearing many compliments."

The tree in the back dining area was provided by Newcomerstown native Kathy Shryock.

"She said, 'I've got a tree (art) that might fit'. Matt said, 'To me, the tree means Dad and Mom because they always loved trees'."

The logs in the back room, bar and foyers are real, sawed up pieces of old pine logs from the Kees farm out in Mudsock. Other subtle interior features can be found just by looking around. Dave Craigo of Craigo's Garage on Canal Street donated old gas pump handles that now serve to support the barn lamps over the dining room booths.

"I'm excited by the possibilities," Matt Lenzo said. "It's been years, 15 years, since I felt this way about the Touraine Club. My health hasn't been the best but I feel rejuvenated."

"I can't say enough about my employees. They're the ones that make it. If you don't have good employees you don't have anything. None of this would have happened without Mom, Dad, Grandpa and Grandma, and all of the patrons of the club over the years and their support."

Kees noted, "This transition gives this community a leg up, a reason to come here which might not have happened for any other reason. The exterior updates will really be a game changer. That will come in next few weeks. This is a place to come in and feel comfortable. It's a real value to community."

Matt Lenzo emphasized that Newcomerstown and the surrounding area has always supported the Touraine Club and noted the area has supported even more through social media, with Kees noting the Touraine Club has products at an affordable price point for the area.

"Fast food restaurants have value for the food but we have the same value with the a sit-down dining experience."

Jack Hook of Port Washington said he and his wife, Linda, have started to frequent the Touraine Club.

"The Touraine Club had a reputation of being pretty rowdy," Hook said. "Matt's been getting rid of the riff-raff. He's been just fantastic and just wants to have a good establishment. We go to church across the street at the Light of the Valley (where Matt also attends) and just come across after church to have lunch."

"But the most important thing is the quality of the food. I told Matt he needs to raise his prices! I highly recommend it to everyone."







2022

NEW RIFLE RANGE

The finest and best rifle range ever introduced in town. Fine premiums are now being given at the rifle range on Bridge st., daily and weekly. Call and get in practice. The proprietor is a disabled man and extends a cordial invitation to the public to call and see him. Good order will be maintained. Profane and improper language will not be allowed.

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July 1914

115 S. Bridge St.

Marion Mercer, Real Estate - Justice of the Peace (26-D)

Oxford Township Meeting Hall (1901-M) (1907-M) (1924-M) (1933-M) (39-D) (77-D) (80-D)

S. Bridge St. Old building, South of Township Hall

Shooting Gallery (1901-M) (1907-M) (1914-N)

S. Bridge St. Old buiding, N. E. Corner of Bridge St and Minden Ct.

R. D. Neighbor, Livery Stable, Bridge St. near South Canal St. (1878-D)

Fleming Livery Barn, one of two barns on S. Bridge St. east of C&M Tracks

Norman and Dorsey livery Stable in corner barn, moved out in 1893.

Hotel Livery Stable (1895-M) Jim Sondles, fire burnt it down Then on this site

Bowling Alley (1901-M) (1907-M)

This site became 125 S. Bridge St.

125 S. Bridge St. New building, N. E. Corner of Bridge St. and Minden Court

Coshocton Glove Plant, opened in 1920 still here in 1924

New Athletic Club will open in former Glove Factory (1926-ML)

John M. Wortman, Auto Repair and Machine Shop Rear (26-D)

Acetylene Welding Shop, David E. Tice, Rear (26-D)

Buckor's Saloon

Service Body Co. Auto Refinishing (39-D) (42-D)

A. W. Atkinson, Used Furniture (42-D) (47)

Ross Upholstery & Repair (53-D) (56-D)

133 S. Bridge St. S. E. Corner of Bridge St. and Minden Ct.

Harvey Reger's Brick House (42-D) (77-D) (80-D)

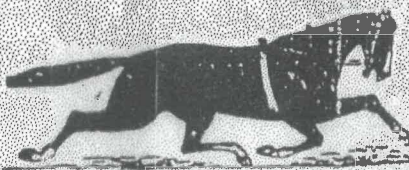
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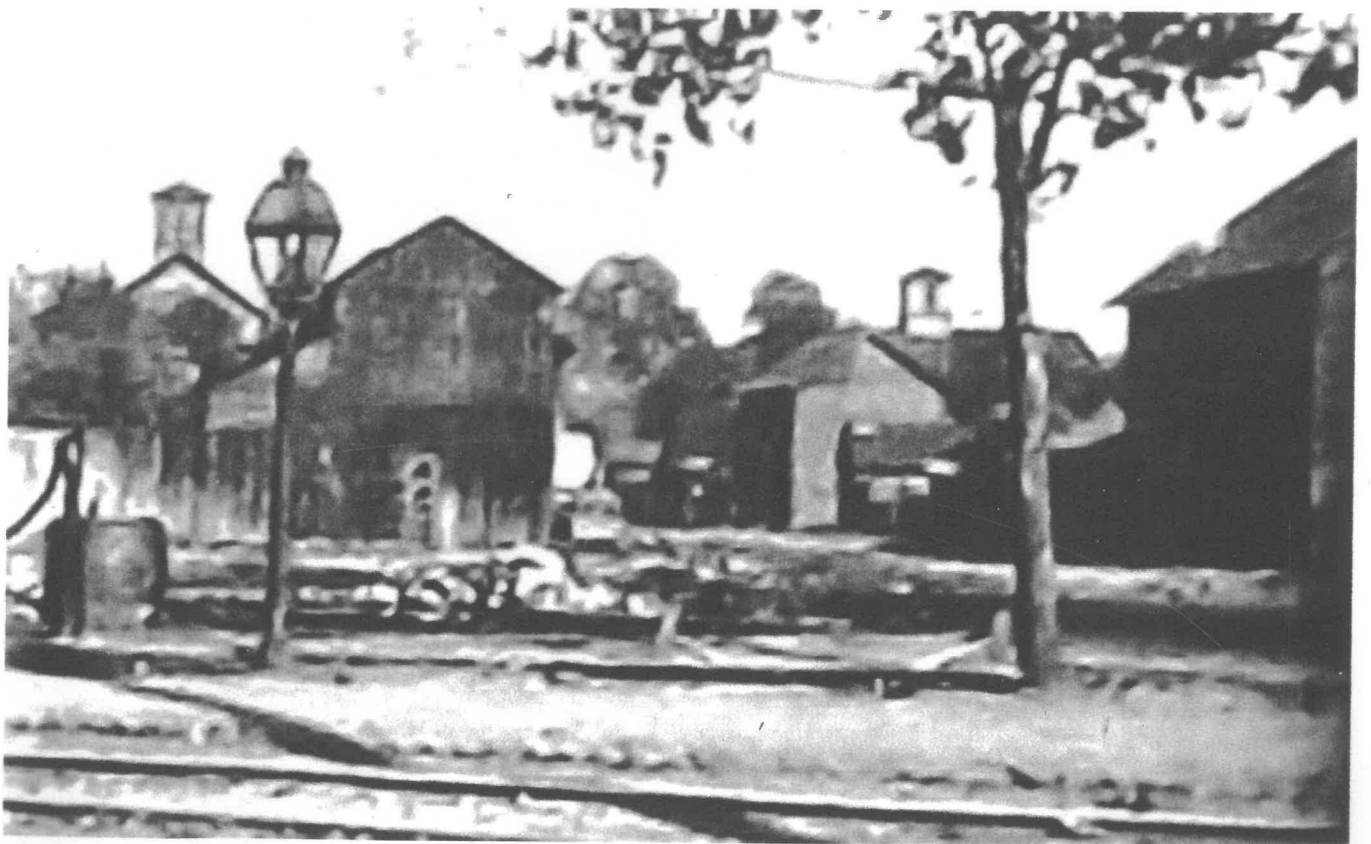


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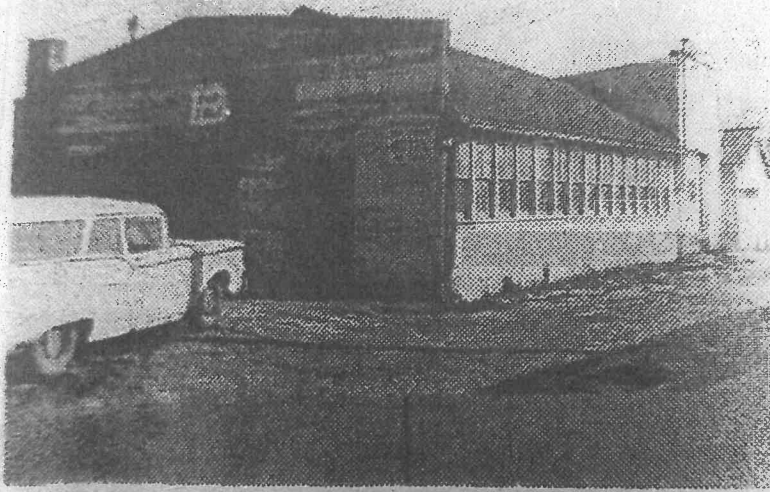
125 S Bridge



N. E. CORNER BRIDGE ST
AND MINDEN CT.



125 S. BRIDGE ST



PARKING LOT IN NEWCOMERSTOWN—This building on Bridge st in Newcomerstown, which has been a bowling alley, pool room, cable clip factory and part of a glove factory, has been razed to provide a public parking lot. Purchased from Cecil Haver by Joe Lenzo, who also owns the Tauraine Club, the lot will be free to the public until 9 p.m. each evening.

**ONE HUNDRED YEARS
AGO - 1920 MAR 3**
The newly organized
Newcomerstown Cham-
ber of Commerce to hold a
Booster meeting.

The Coshocton Glove
Plant plans to open a plant
in Newcomerstown.

**ONE HUNDRED YEARS
AGO - 1920 4/19**
The Glove Plant on
Bridge Street will open
on April 19.

125 S Bridge St

The Coshocton Glove Co., operat-
ing plants at Coshocton, Newcomers-
town and Uhrichsville, has purchased
the building formerly occupied by
the knitting company in Uhrichs-
ville and will start a second factory
in that city about the first of the
year.

GLOVE PLANT PAYS \$35,000 DURING 1924

The glove plant at Newcomerstown
operated by the Coshocton Glove Co.,
paid out in wages in Newcomerstown
during the year 1924 approximately
\$35,000.

The glove plant fills a long-felt
want in Newcomerstown in providing
light, agreeable work at good wages
for women and girls, and has been
operating almost continuously since
it was started several years ago.

It is of interest to note in this con-
nection that the Coshocton Glove Co.
has recently purchased the plant of
the Timmons Glove Co. at Coshoc-
ton.

125 S. BRIDGE ST.



125 S Bridge

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APRIL 7, 1920

MRS. MARY E. CARSON

Mrs. Mary E. Carson, known for over 30 years in this city, as proprietor of a restaurant on Bridge st. died last Saturday morning, Apr. 3rd at Marion, O., at the home of her niece, Mrs. William Skritt. Mrs. Carson's health began to fail last October and she was soon compelled to relinquish her business, which had been the means of her support for so many years. On the 18th of January she was taken to the home of her niece in Marion, where she was cared for until her demise. The deceased would have soon been 80 years of age. Her husband died some years ago. They leave no children. Mrs. Carson left a will which will be read as provided by law. The funeral services were held in the Methodist Protestant church, this city, Monday afternoon, April 5th, conducted by Rev. L. Bowman of Fostoria, O., and Rev. R. P. Hudnall of Manchester, O., assisted by Rev. Momborg, present pastor. Interment was made in the local cemetery. Those of the relatives in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Skritt, and Mrs. Maria Plank of Marion, O., and W. H. Robinson of Chicago. Mrs. Carson was a member of the Methodist Protestant church and was a highly respected citizen.

Bridge St

A NEW RESTAURANT

The Carson restaurant on Bridge street has been leased to Lewis Kinner, and is now being conducted under the new management. The rooms have been tastily papered, a lunch counter put in, and everything has a bright, attractive appearance. They will be pleased to wait upon you at any hour. See ad. in another column of this paper.

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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28, 1923

Special Thanksgiving Dinner



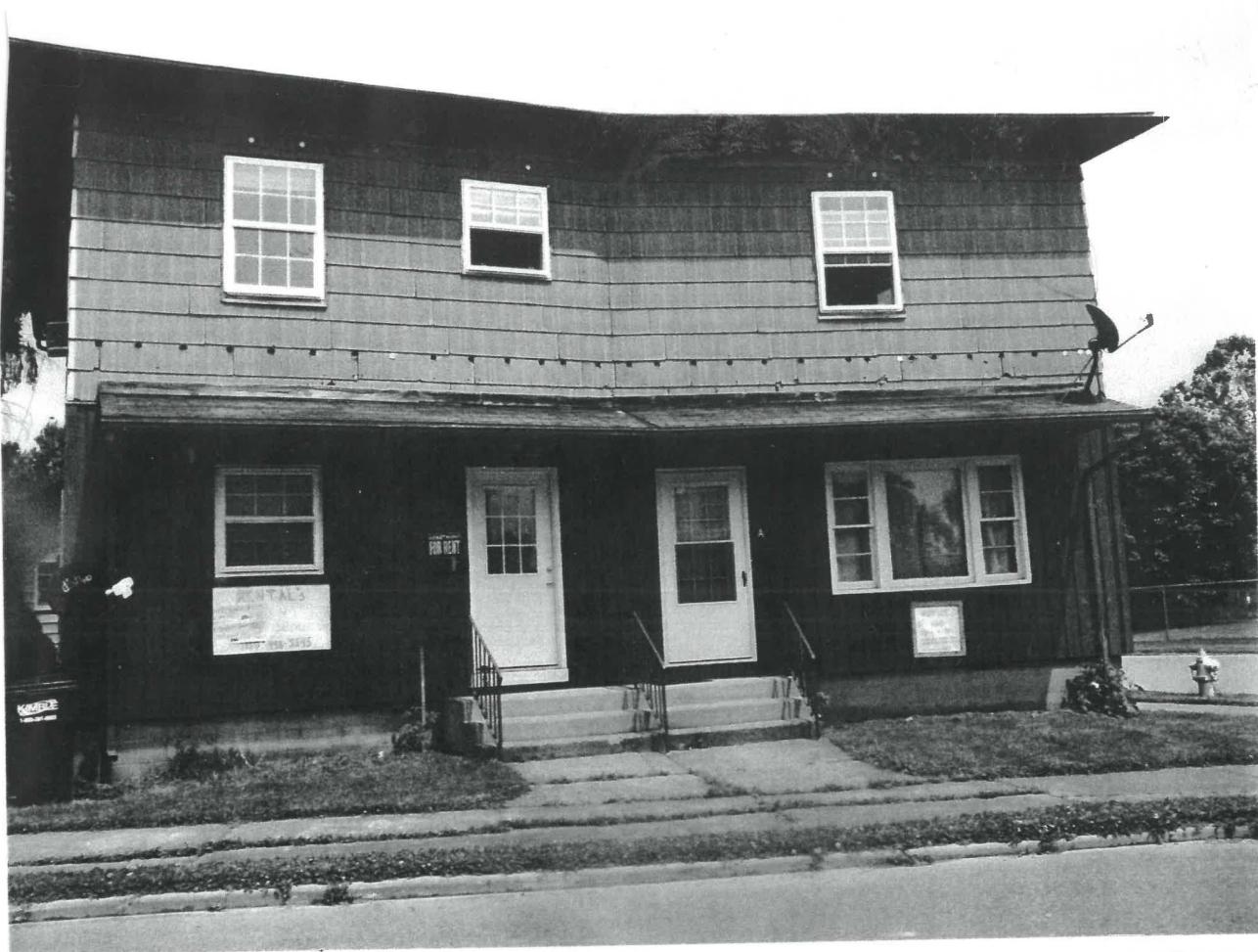
Thanksgiving Day we will serve, in our usual satisfactory manner, a special Turkey Dinner. You will find it an economy to bring your family as well as your guests here, rather than to go to the bother of preparing the dinner yourself.

Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner, 65c
Special Chicken Dinner Sundays for 55c

HOME RESTAURANT

Cor. Church and Bridge Sts.

149. 5 Bridge St



BUYS RESTAURANT

Ward Foster, formerly proprietor of the American restaurant at Coshocton, has purchased the Barthelow restaurant, corner of Bridge and Church-st.

FORTY YEARS AGO — 1982 6/19

Construction started on a new bridge on Coshocton Co. Road 9 just west of Newcomerstown village limits. Completion is scheduled for October.

Dr. Mark Reiheld, Orrville, opened a family medical practice in an office formerly used by Dr. Myron Saturdayski on the corner of Church and Bridge streets.

GEORGE C. TUNG, M.D.

Family Practice

149 S. Bridge Street

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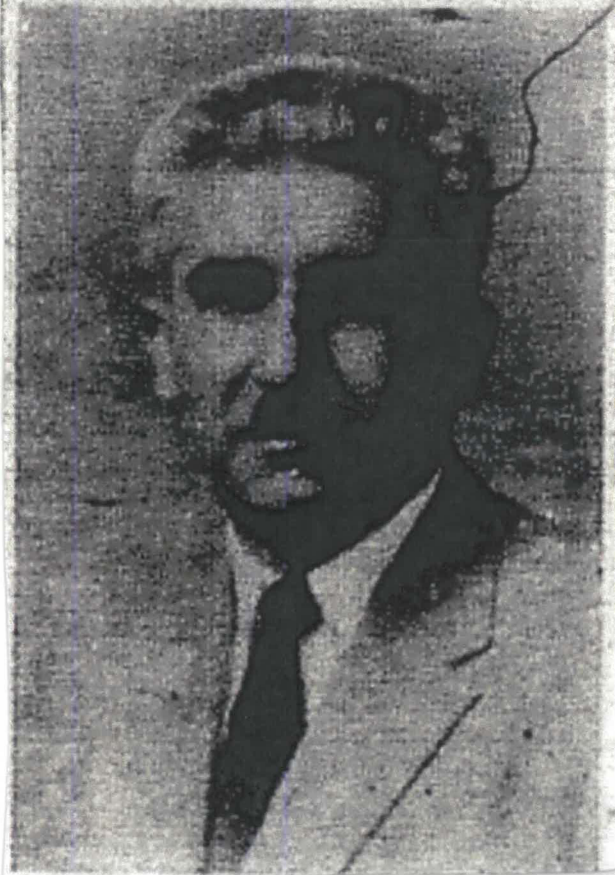
corner Bridge & Church st 6/19/1985

FORTY YEARS AGO — 1980

Dr. Myron Saturdayski 6/28 announced he would retire from his 23-year medical practice in Newcomerstown. A native of Ukraine, he came to the United States in 1949 and came to Newcomerstown in 1957.

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1957

Dr. Satuski To Practice Here Starting In August



Dr. Myron Satuski

Dr. Myron Satuski of Irvington, New Jersey will start the practice of medicine in Newcomerstown starting the second week in August.

He will take over the office of Dr. Glen M. Ebersole at 149 S. Bridge st. Dr. Ebersole and family recently moved to Berea.

Dr. Satuski, 52, is married and has no children. He has been in the United States since August 14, 1949 and a citizen of this country since April 11, 1955.

He served a rotating internship and two years of general residency in Clara Maass Memorial hospital, Newark, N. J. from Sept. 15, 1949 to Nov. 1, 1952. On the latter date he became admitting physician in the emergency room of the 750-bed Martland Medical Center (City Hospital) in Newark, a position he held until last July 21.

Dr. Satuski, a native of Ukraine, graduated from medical school in Poland. He served on hospital staffs and had a private practice in Cracov, Poland.

At the end and after World War II, his experience included practice in the General hospital in Wels, Austria (surgery), and in the I. R. O. (International Refugee Organization) General hospital in Linz, Austria (Gynec.-Ob. Dept.).

149 S Bridge St.

Council adopted an ordinance to set rates which may be charged for natural gas by the Ohio Fuel Gas Co. for the next five years.

The Rev. Clare St. John took over his new duties as pastor of the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene.

Large crowds attended the annual jubilee and homecoming of the Port Washington Volunteer Fire Department last week.

Dr. Myron Satuski opened his office on Bridge St. He succeeds Dr. Glen Ebersole, who moved to Berea.

149 S Bridge St

TWENTY YEARS AGO

1965

8-19-85

Supt. D.B. Roeder seriously injured from an apparent self-inflicted gunshot wound. He had announced his resignation with his contract expiring Aug. 1.

Joseph Lenzo opens 18-hole miniature golf course on Bridge St., the first in Newcomerstown since the early 1930's. It has been named "Puttin' Place." His brother, Carl Lenzo, opened the "Raceway Center" on E. Canal St. featuring "slot" racing for scale model electric cars.

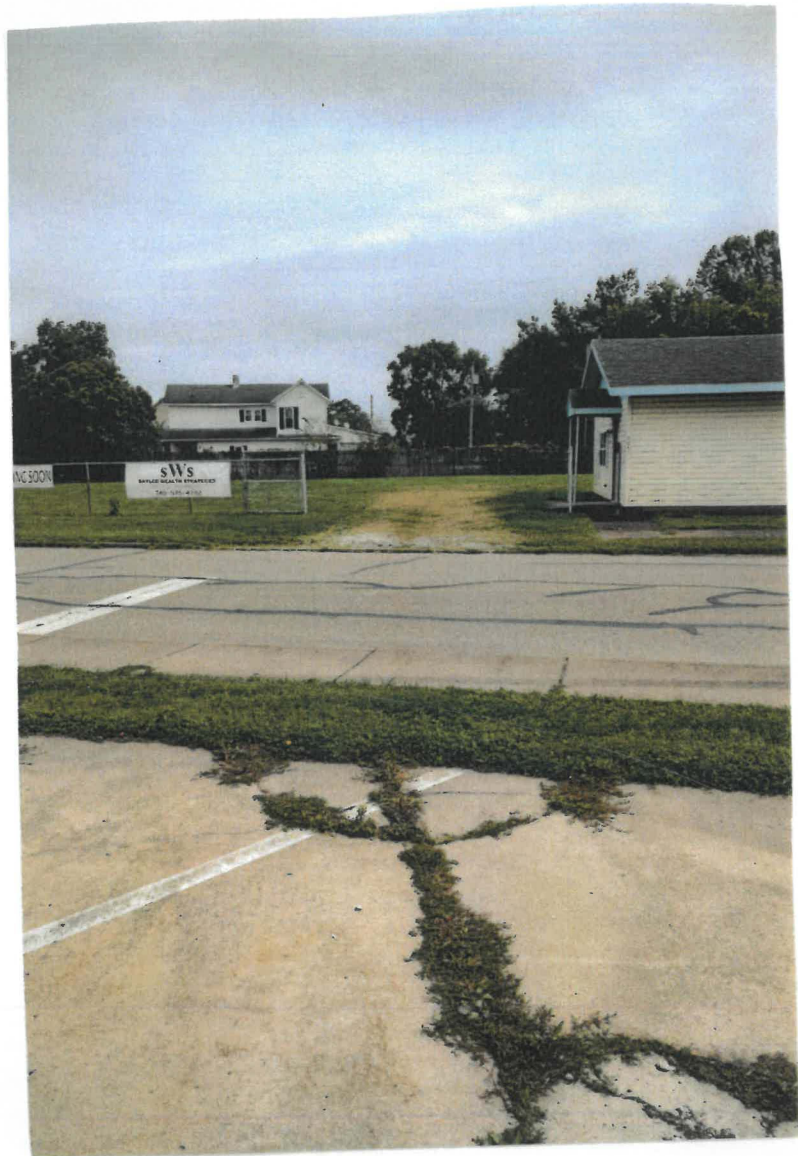
Karen Morrison and Marlene Stonebrook invited to sing with the Ohio Youth Choir at the 112th Ohio State Fair.



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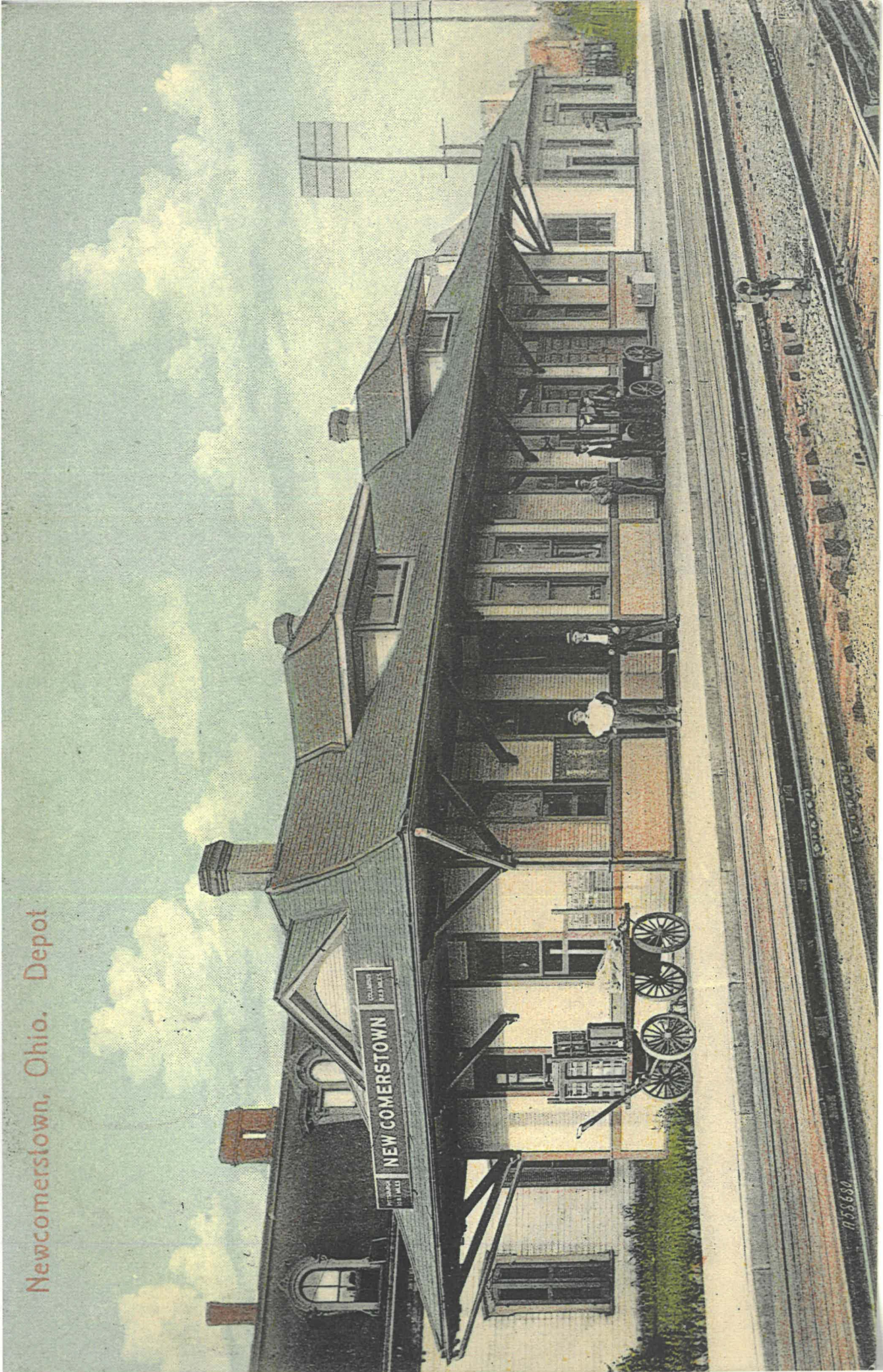
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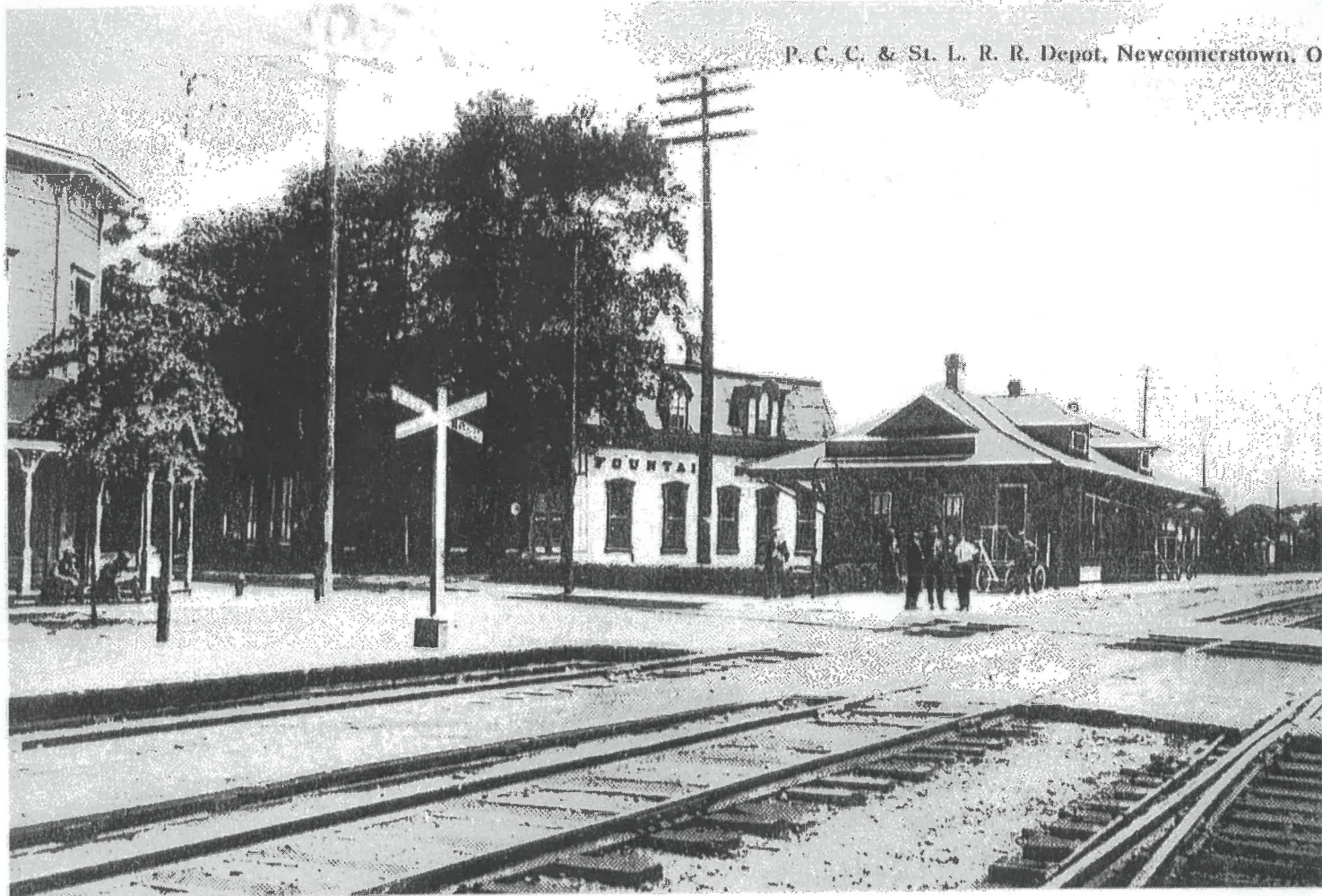
Newcomerstown, Ohio. Depot



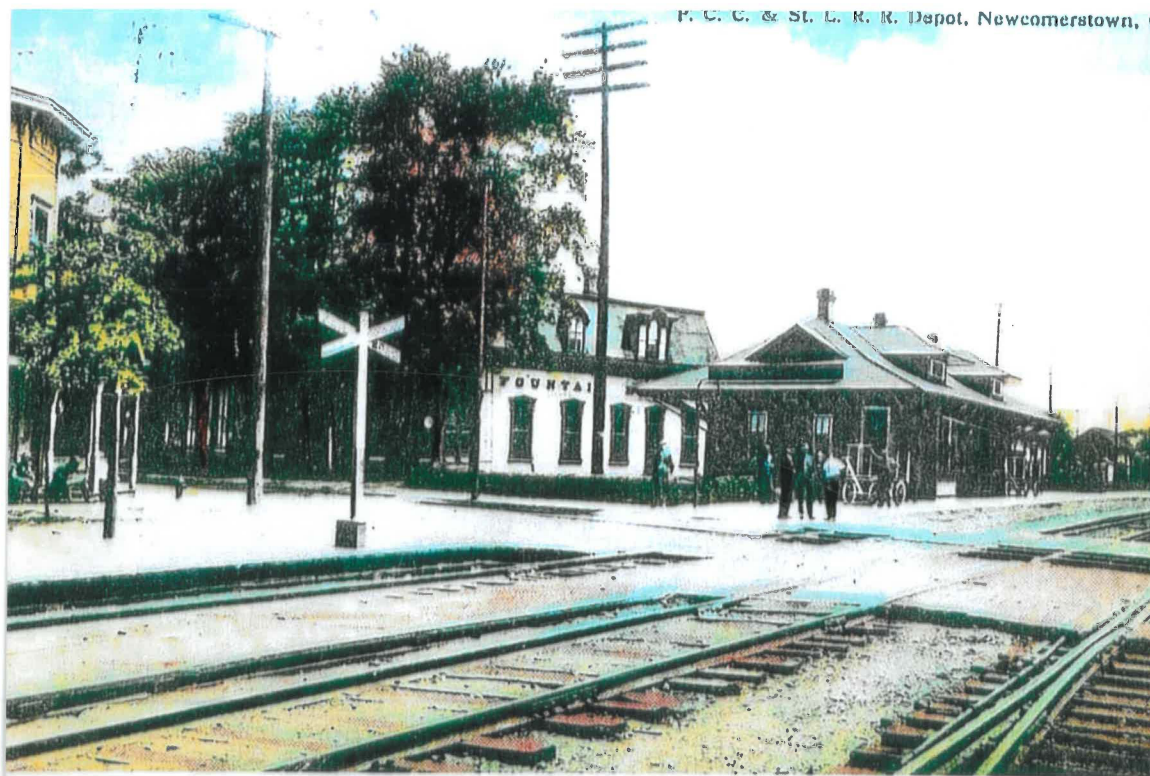
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P. C. C. & St. L. R. R. Depot, Newcomerstown, O



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NV Mar 29, 1899

Pan Handle double tracking

4/5/1899

to be Stock pens south of RR in cemetery
Old site for new Union depot

2 new schools in future

May 31, 1899

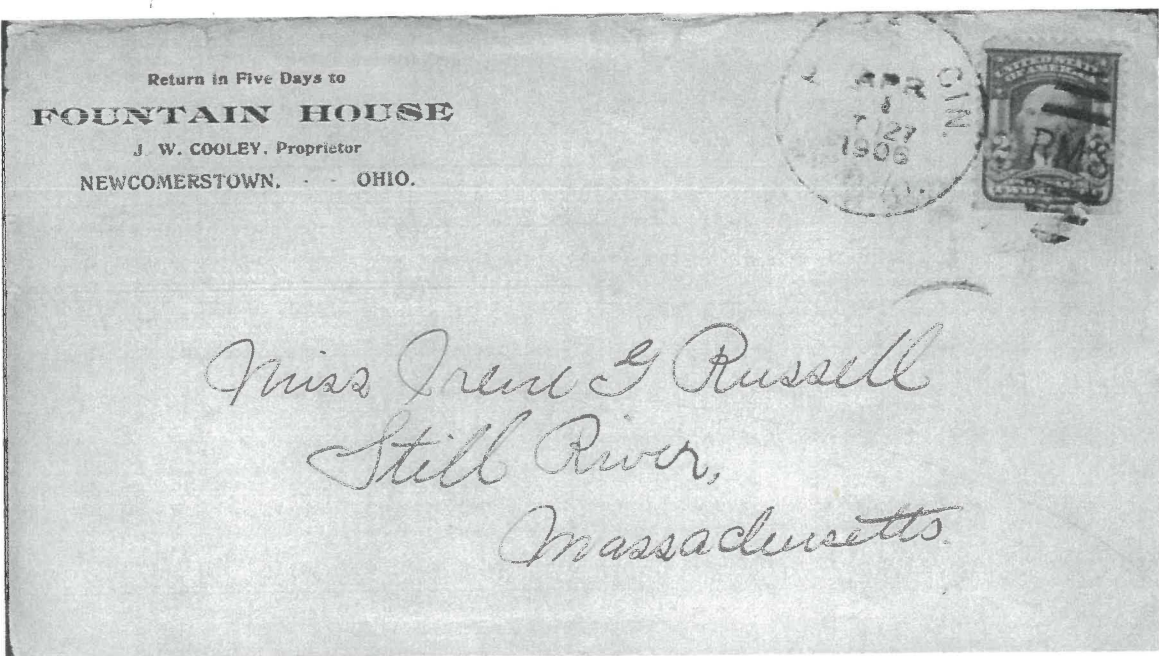
New frt depot junction Pan H & C & M
passenger depot will be located
opposite

Frt DEPOT



Union Station and Freight Depot, Newcomerstown, Ohio.

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225 S Bridge St

TOWN NEWS.

Y, JUNE 23, 1900.

\$1.00 PER YEAR

Large List of Rural Items Each Week.

FOUNTAIN HOTEL OPENS

Under the Most Promising Conditions and Circumstances.

The Fountain Hotel, this city, of which Mr. J. W. Cooley is owner and proprietor, was re-opened on Monday of this week under the most favorable conditions from the fact that it has had a complete overhauling and is fitted with all of the modern conveniences such as bath-rooms, toilets, electric lights, etc. Every room in the house has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished with new, up-to-date furniture, carefully selected and at a big expense. The exterior of the building has also been re-painted, and everything about the premises is fresh, new, and neat as a pin. The hotel register shows a good run of custom to begin with, and it is understood that special attention will be given to transient custom and the entertaining of automobile touring parties. Mr. Cooley has already demonstrated the fact that he knows how to run a hotel, and is careful to see that his guests are properly looked after. He sets a good table and makes everybody feel free and easy by genial, courteous treatment.

Cooley Returns to Hotel Business

J. W. Cooley has resumed management of the Fountain Hotel, which was operated by Jesse Bassett during the past month. Mr. Bassett will continue to operate his liquor establishment in the two business rooms in the northwest corner of the hotel building.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooley have been in the hotel business for 41 years and their return to the business will be welcome news to the traveling public which has always liberally patronized the Fountain Hotel.

NCT NEWS 2 Jul 1936

SEVENTY YEARS AGO

1921

Leonard Chaney, local baseball player, is signed by Columbus.

Dr. R.R. Mason purchases new home on Carlisle St.

A new modern restaurant will be opened in the Fountain Hotel by Mr. and Mrs. John Cooley.

225 S Bridge

The Schley Club
of
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Lift their hats and request the pleasure
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Annual Terpsichorean Festival
to be given at
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Music—Odeon Harp Orchestra of Coshocton, O.
Games—Galore.

"Festal Board" Fountain House,
11 o'clock.
Social Converse, Ad Infinitum.

—INDEX PRINT.—

TOWN, OHIO, WEDNESDAY,

D. C. WHITING DIES
6/1927 LAST THURSDAY

DeWitt Clinton Whiting, aged 65 years, well known resident of this city died at his home on East Church st. at 2:30 a. m. last Thursday following an illness with paralysis of several months duration. He was first stricken last September and again just the day before his death.

Mr. Whiting was a son of the late DeWitt Whiting, veteran of the Mexican War, and was born in Three Rivers, Mich. He came to Newcomerstown in early life and spent practically the remainder of his life here.

He was manager of the Fountain Hotel at one time, and was engaged in painting and paper hanging until stricken with paralysis which left him almost helpless and a great charge for the devoted wife who attended him constantly throughout his long illness.

He became a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge of this city several years ago, and was a member of the building committee which directed the erection of the three-story K. of P. building.

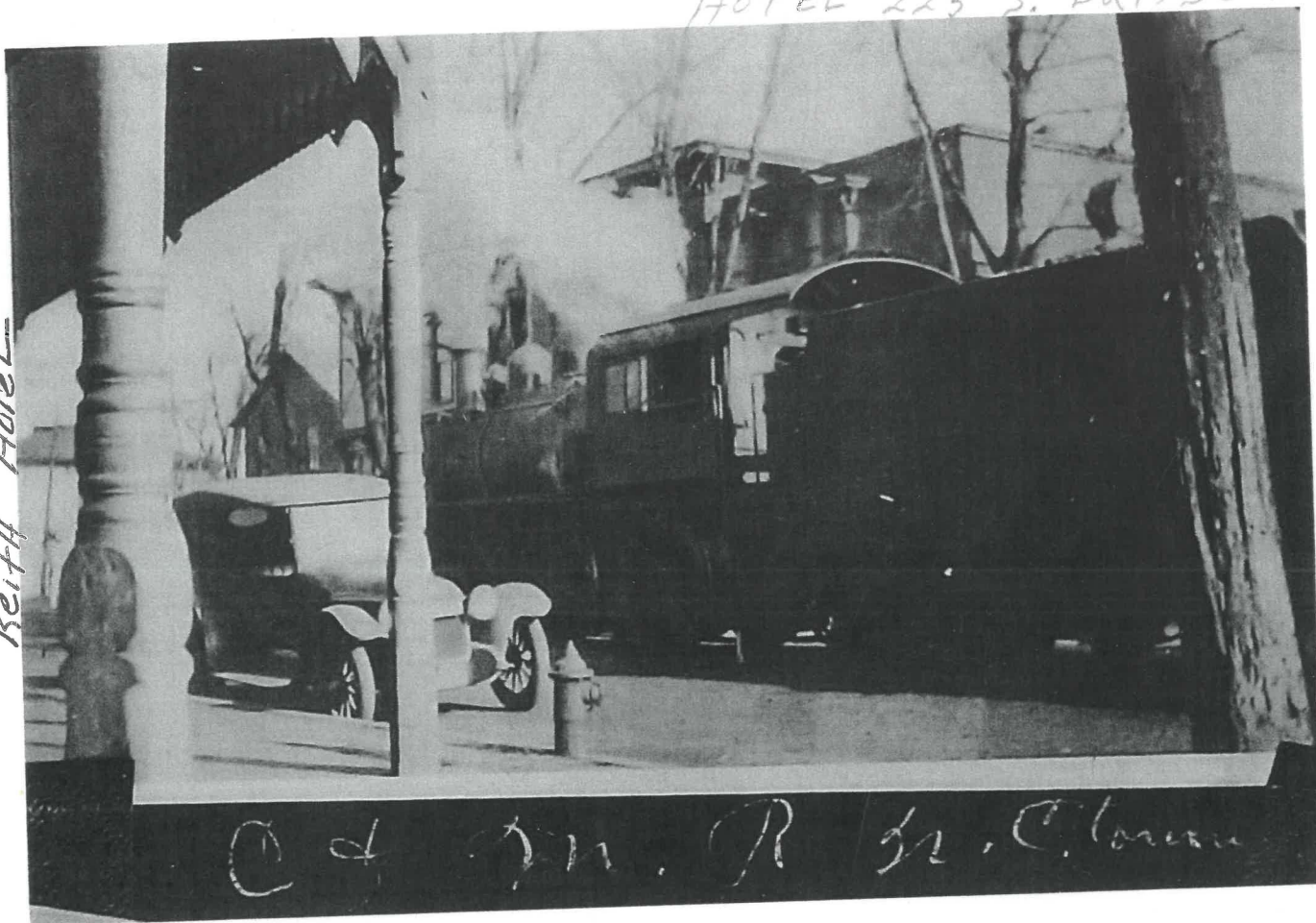
He is survived by his widow, Margaret Hinds Whiting, four daughters, Mrs. Mae Barnhouse of this city, Mrs. Charles Brink of Coshocton, Neva and Pauline Whiting of the home, and four sons, Harrison Whiting of Massillon, Willis, Lester and Joseph of the home. He also leaves one half-brother, John Whiting, and one half-sister, Mrs. E. S. Caylor, both of Columbus. The latter was seriously ill at the time of Mr. Whiting's death.

Funeral services were held at the late home Saturday at 2:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. I. M. McVey, pastor of the M. P. church. Burial was made in the Newcomerstown cemetery.

225 5 Bridge

Fountain Hotel
HOTEL 225 S. BRIDGE ST.

HOTEL 222 S. BRIDGE ST.
Keith Hotel



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BRIDGE ST.

NCT NEWS To Be Reopened. 11 APR 1900

The Fountain House Barber Shop is to be re-opened. Mr. F. W. Wise has purchased the fixtures from S. S. Mugrage, and after having the room thoroughly renovated and refitted will hang out the red-white-and-blue sign. Mr. Wise himself will not manage the shop in person, but has secured the services of his brother Howard who is an excellent barber, and who may be depended upon to work up a good trade in a short time. Success, gentleman.

225 S. Bridge St

223 & 225 Fountain Hotel

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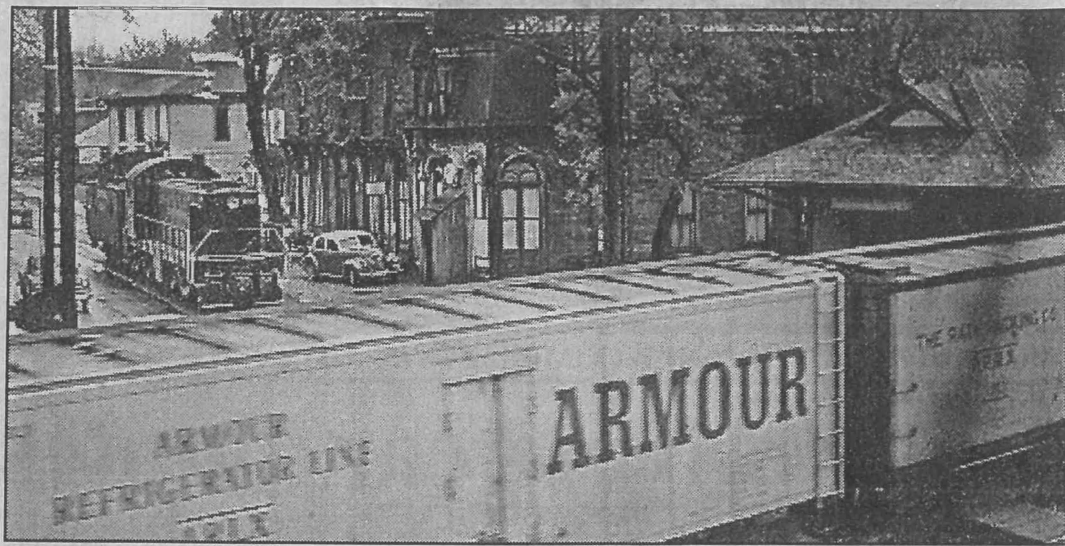
NEWCOMERSTOWN, OHIO

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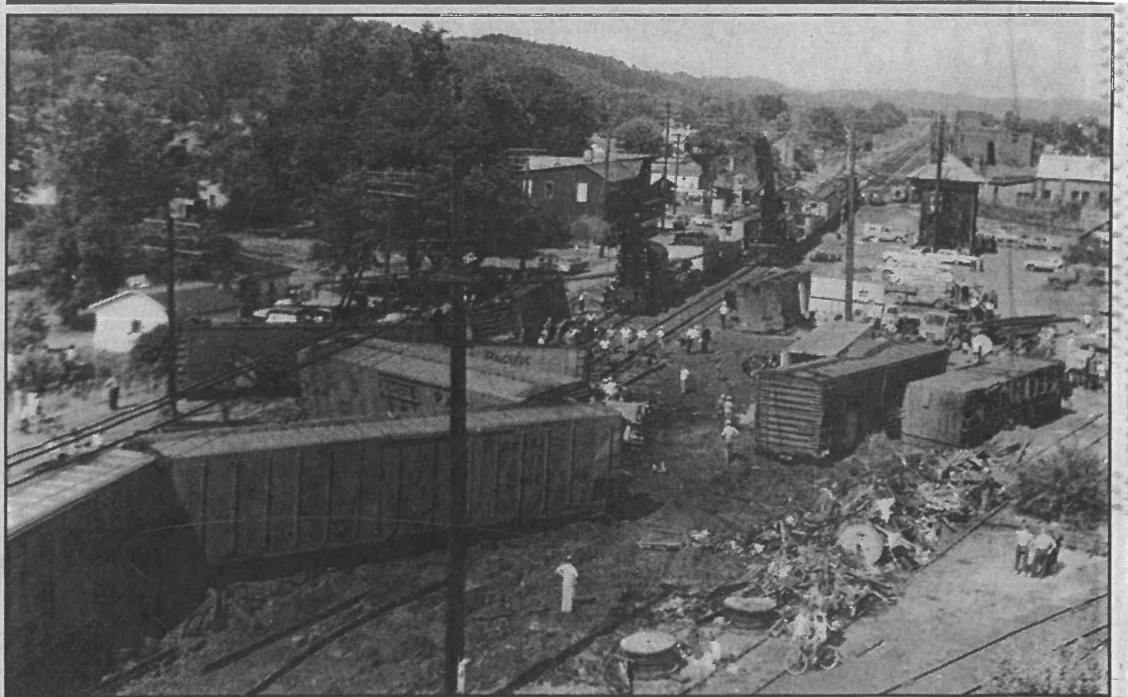
VFW building condemned (Fountain Hotel)

VFW MUST Find New location

FOUNTAIN HOTEL



This undated photo of the Bridge St. railroad crossing in Newcomerstown was submitted by Mary Hunt of West Lafayette. The old Fountain Hotel and roof of the now torn down depot are shown.



FORTY YEARS AGO - A train derailed in Newcomerstown in July 1965 at the Bridge St. railroad crossing. Apples, potatoes and cheese were some of the items being hauled in the train cars, and community residents were given permission by railroad personnel to help themselves to the foodstuff. Clean-up crews had to be called in from Pittsburgh and Columbus to clear the wreckage. (Photo submitted by Larry Peoples, who photographed the derailment from the old Landmark mill, which has since been razed.)

S. BRIDGE ST.

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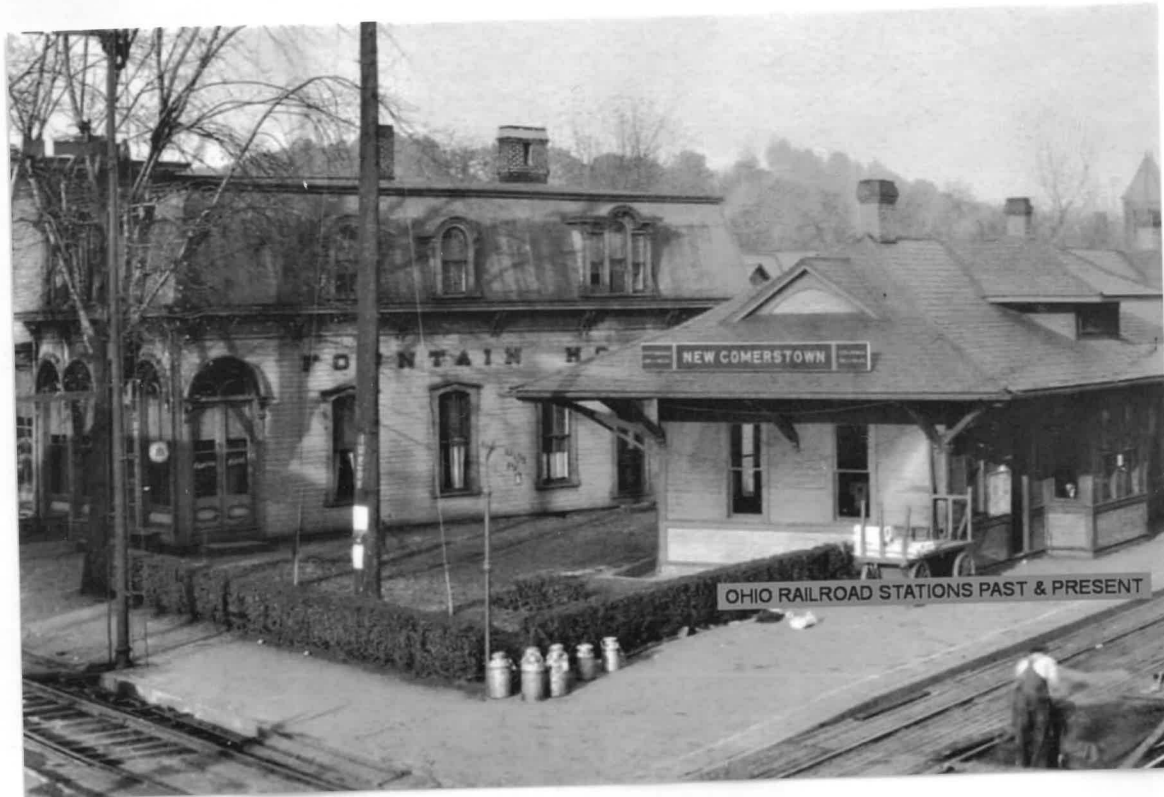


Union Station and Freight Depot, Newcomerstown, Ohio.

GEO. A. BEERS & CO., DRUGGISTS. 1907



Photo courtesy of William Casteel, West Lafayette
Newcomerstown railroad depot, also known as Union Station, is seen in the circa 1910 postcard view. The depot was formerly located at the Bridge Street railroad intersection, built in 1899 and demolished in November 1981.



Depot

Newcomerstown, Ohio



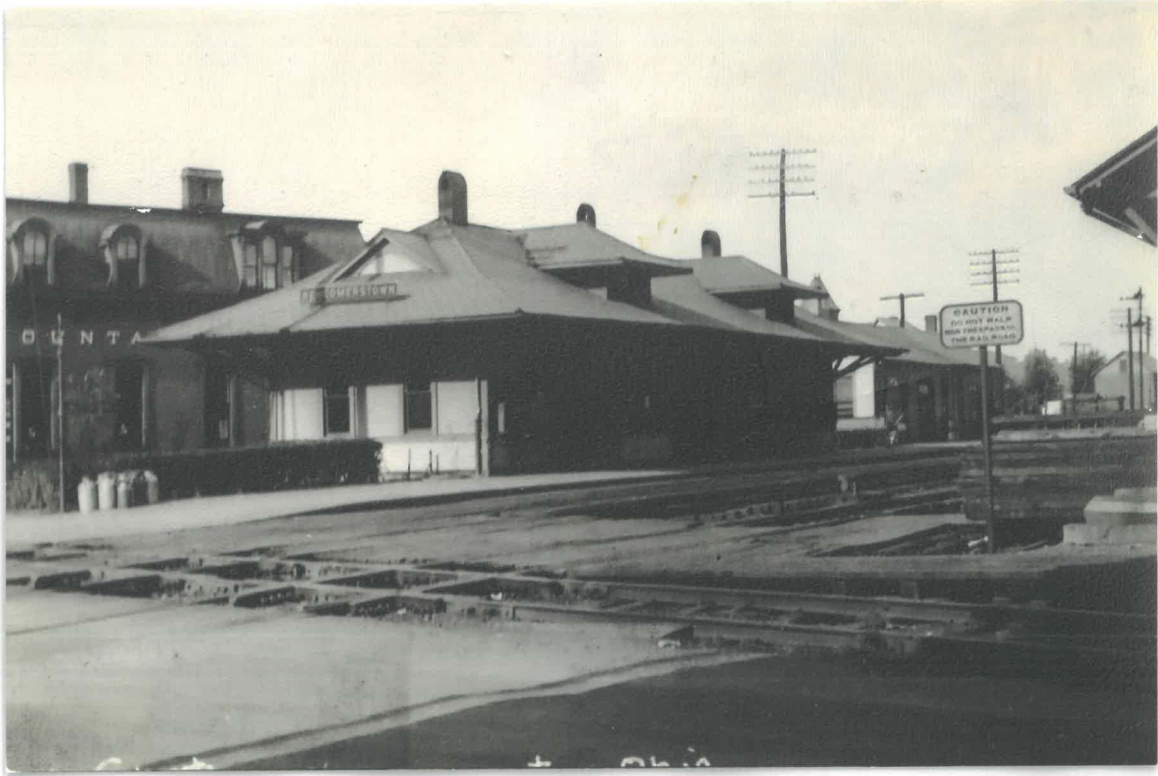
Union Station and Freight Depot

The Union Station and Freight Depot, now known as the Pennsylvania Railroad station. Picture was taken about 1915 to 1920. Note the old Fountain Hotel to left in background.



NEWCOMERSTOWN RAILROAD DEPOT. Another very busy depot in Tuscarawas County was located in the town of Newcomerstown, Ohio. In 1939, one of the most famous citizens of the county boarded a train for a trip to Cooperstown, New York. Denton True Young boarded the train from this depot at Newcomerstown and traveled to his induction into the Baseball Hall of Fame. Cy Young died in 1955. His funeral was conducted in Newcomerstown, and his body was interred in the church cemetery in the town of Peoli.

Depot



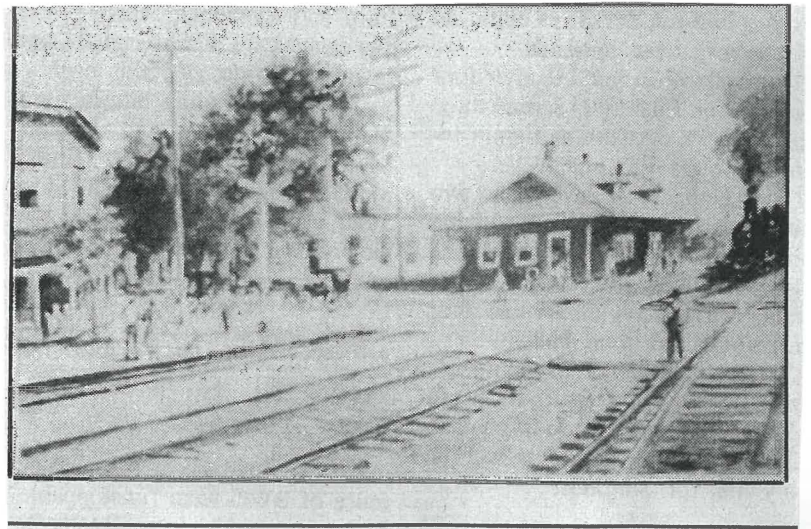
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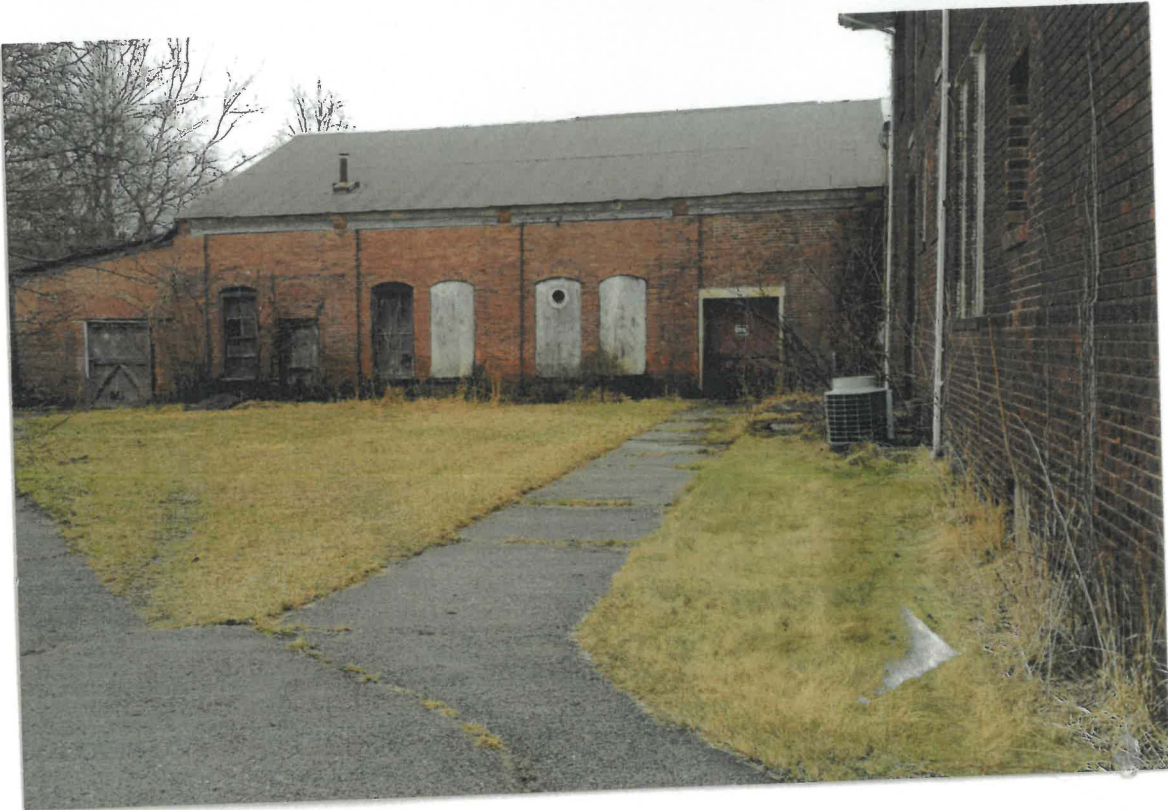


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