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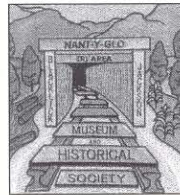
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Background map (detail): Bituminous Coal Fields in Central Pennsylvania, Nanty Glo Quadrant, Cambria County, Pennsylvania (Lower Kittanning Seam) (1966)
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Top left: Black-faced miners at Heisley Mine lined up for their pay. (1943)
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Bottom right (detail): Two young boys gathered burnable coal from the boney pile. (1937)
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Title page image: The boney pile—the mountain of rock waste from coal mining— was a dramatic feature of Nant-y-Glo's landscape. (c. 1950)
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