

TABLE IV—List of fatal accidents that occurred in and about the mines of the Fourth Anthracite District for the year ending December 31, 1901.

Date of accident.	Name of Person.	Nationality by birth.	Occupation.	Age.	Married or single.	Number of widows.	Number of orphans.	Name of Colliery.	County.	Nature and Cause of Accident in Brief.
Jan. 3	John Redusky,	Austrian, ..	Miner,	31	M.	1	3	No. 2, D. & H., Ply- mouth.	Luzerne.	Killed by an explosion of gas in old work- ings.
5	Michael Felan,	Slav,	Laborer,	25	S.	.....	.....	Woodward,	Luzerne,.	A piece of roof fell upon him. He died the following day.
9	William Senior,	American, ..	Laborer,	40	M.	1	2	West End,	Luzerne,.	A piece of rock fell from the gob upon him. He died next day.
17	James Sliker,	American, ..	Slate picker, ...	14	S.	.....	.....	Maxwell breaker,	Luzerne,.	Slid down a chute and passed through a pair of rolls.
30	John Hagerline,	American, ..	Laborer,	20	S.	.....	.....	Shaft No. 2, Nanticoke,.	Luzerne,.	Killed by a fall of top rock as he was loading a car at the face of chamber.
21	John Volitus,	Pole,	Miner,	37	M.	1	.....	Shaft No. 4, Kingston,.	Luzerne,.	A bench of rider coal fell on him. He died the same day at the hospital.
Feb. 1	Frank Rancheski, ...	Lithuanian, .	Miner,	35	M.	1	4	Shaft No. 4, Kingston,.	Luzerne,.	Killed by a fall of top coal as he was sounding the roof after firing a shot.
4	John Ford,	English,	Miner,	45	M.	1	3	Shaft No. 2, Kingston,.	Luzerne,.	Instantly killed by a fall of rock as he was drilling a hole in the face of his chamber.
13	Joseph Perfesky,	Pole,	Miner,	38	M.	1	6	Shaft No. 2, Kingston,.	Luzerne,.	Instantly killed by a premature blast.
15	Thomas Ponko,	American, ..	Door boy,	15	S.	.....	.....	Slope No. 6, Glen Lyon,.	Luzerne,.	Run over and killed by a trip of loaded cars.
19	William Newland, ...	English,	Miner,	37	M.	1	3	Alden No. 1 shaft,	Luzerne,.	Killed by a fall of top coal, as he was barring it down, in robbing pillars in the Ross seam.
March 2	John Harrish,	Pole,	Miner,	35	M.	1	2	Chauncey,	Luzerne,.	Killed by a fall of roof rock crushing the gangway timbers down upon him.
5	Thomas J. Thomas, ...	Welsh,	Brattice man, ..	64	M.	1	1	No. 6 tunnel, Glen Lyon,.	Luzerne,.	Was putting up a set of timbers on a run when a trip of cars came down and struck a timber. The collar struck him and he was instantly killed.
5	D. L. Bonewitz,	American, ..	Engineer,	32	M.	1	1	Bliss,	Luzerne,.	In passing the compressor the end gave way and he was blown against the side of the engine house; died the same night.

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	5	Frank Gadsinski,....	Lithuanian,	Miner,	24	S.	Stanton,	Luzerne,.	Fatally burned by an explosion of gas. Died March 7, at the City Hospital.
	12	John Battle,	Irish,	Laborer,	61	M. 1	.....	Warrior Run,	Luzerne,.	Run over by a trip of cars at the head of slope.
	15	John Simmers,	American, ..	Door boy,	14	S. ....	.....	Alden No. 1,	Luzerne,.	Fell from the cage and was instantly killed.
	16	Frank Prill,	Pole,	Laborer,	64	M. 1	3	No. 7 breaker, Nanti- coke.	Luzerne,.	Stepped before a loaded car coming from No. 1 shaft and was run over; died in a few hours.
	26	John Metslavitch,....	Pole,	Miner,	36	M. 1	4	Wanamie No. 18,	Luzerne,.	Was burned by igniting a body of gas in an old breast. Died April 6th.
April	9	Stanley Frank,	Pole,	Miner,	28	M. 1	1	Wanamie No. 19,	Luzerne,.	Severely burned by igniting a body of gas in an old breast. Died the next day.
	22	John Kelmel,	Lithuanian,	Laborer,	24	S. ....	.....	Dodson,	Luzerne,.	Struck by a trip of runaway cars on the rock slope.
May	4	Alexander Mallick,...	Pole,	Miner,	36	M. 1	4	No. 2 shaft, Susquehanna Coal Co.	Luzerne,.	Instantly killed by a fall of rock in the face of his chamber.
	8	Kiate Gorski,	Pole,	Laborer,	24	S. ....	.....	Sugar Notch No. 9,.....	Luzerne,.	Skull fractured. His head struck the top of a door frame as he was riding out on top of a car. Died May 18th.
	8	Jacob Gromatski, ..	Lithuanian,	Miner,	31	M. 1	1	Lance No. 11,	Luzerne,.	Stepped on a board and a nail pierced his foot. Lock jaw set in and he died on May 11th.
	10	Daniel Kennedy,	Irish,	Miner,	50	M. 1	5	Baltimcre No. 2, D. & H.	Luzerne,.	Instantly killed by a blast exploding as he was lighting the match.
	27	Thomas Freegard,...	English,	Miner,	63	M. 1	5	Nottingham,	Luzerne,.	Instantly killed by a fall of top coal at the face of his chamber.
	27	Phillip Sheridan,....	Irish,	Driver,	35	M. 1	.....	No. 4 shaft, Kingston Coal Co.	Luzerne,.	Burned by an explosion of gas; died June 4th.
June	13	Peter Morcavitch,....	Lithuanian,	Miner,	23	M. 1	1	No. 1 shaft, Kingston Coal Co.	Luzerne,.	Both were instantly killed by a fall of rock at the face of their chamber as they were replacing a set of timber.
	13	Martin Midin,	Lithuanian,	Laborer,	25	S. ....	.....	No. 1 shaft, Kingston Coal Co.	Luzerne,.	
	20	Thomas S. Jones,....	American, ..	Miner,	27	M. 1	.....	Nottingham,	Luzerne,.	Instantly killed by a fall of coal that he was undermining.

July	9	Stanley Goodess,	Pole,	Laborer,	27	S.	Stanton,	Luzerne..	Burned by an explosion of gas; died in the city hospital the same night.
	16	J. H. Ellis,	Welsh,	Timber man, ..	40	M. 1 5	Woodward,	Luzerne..	Instantly killed by a fall of rider coal as he was setting timbers on the gangway.
	26	W. J. Lyons,	American, .	Miner,	53	S.	No. 2 shaft, Alden, ...	Luzerne..	Killed by a fall of coal and clod as he was loading a car at the face of his chamber.
	26	Ralph Turner,	American, .	Miner,	33	M. 1 2	No. 2 shaft, Alden, ...	Luzerne..	Killed by a fall of top coal as he was drilling a hole in the mining bench.
Aug.	3	Simon Patrick,	Pole,	Miner,	45	M. 1 1	Dorrance,	Luzerne..	Back was broken by a fall of coal in the face of his chamber.
	5	Joseph Zevarski,	Pole,	Miner,	30	S.	Dorrance,	Luzerne..	Killed by a trip of cars striking him as he was walking up the slope.
	6	Frank Lushuski,	Pole,	Miner,	33	M. 1 1	Parrish,	Luzerne..	Killed by a fall of rock as he was standing a prop in the face of his chamber.
	7	Michael Gurski,	German,	Miner,	29	M. 1 1	Bliss,	Luzerne..	Killed by a fall of top coal as he was loading a car in the face of his chamber.
	10	Frank Strong,	American, .	Runner,	27	M. 1 1	West End Coal Co.,	Luzerne..	Instantly killed by a fall of loose gob on the slope.
	14	Zachariah Henson,....	English,	Laborer,	43	M. 1 2	No. 1 shaft No. 7, Nanticoke.	Luzerne..	Instantly killed by a fall of top rock on the gangway road.
	16	John Volcavage,	Pole,	Miner,	45	M. 1 8	Lance No. 11,	Luzerne..	Burned by an explosion of gas in his chamber. Died Aug. 23d.
	19	Augustus Thomas,....	American, .	Miner,	47	M. 1 6	Wanamie No. 18,	Luzerne..	Killed by a fall of roof rock as he was barring it down.
	22	Joseph L. Duggan,..	American, .	Driver,	17	S.	No. 1 S. shaft No. 7, Nanticoke.	Luzerne..	Caught in the stretcher chain and dragged by the mule as he was pulling cars off of the cage at foot of shaft. Died Aug. 24th.
	22	James Cunningham,,	Irish,	Timber man,....	42	M. 1 3	Franklin,	Luzerne..	Fatally scalded by the bursting of a steam pipe on the slope. Died Aug. 24th.
	30	Povel Yenzines,.....	Lithuanian,	Laborer,	19	S.	Sugar Notch No. 9,.....	Luzerne..	Suffocated by after-damp, following an explosion of fire damp in his chamber.
Sept.	9	George Allen,	American, .	Driver,	31	M. 1 1	Gaylord,	Luzerne..	Killed by being squeezed between a mule and a car as he was coming out with a loaded trip.
	16	Edward Gallope,.....	English,	Door man,	70	M.	Buttonwood,	Luzerne..	Killed by a runaway car as he was trying to open his door.
	17	William D. Howells,	American, .	Coupler,	17	S.	No. 1 S. shaft, Nanticoke,	Luzerne..	Was kicked on the abdomen by a mule. Died Sept. 28.
	17	William O. Thomas..	Welsh,	Schute boss, ...	24	S.	Stanton,	Luzerne..	As he was closing the windows in the screen room, he fell into the conveyor line, and was dragged by the scrapers.
	18	Andrew Brinoski,...	Slav,	Miner,	43	M. 1 9	Boston,	Luzerne..	Killed by a fall of coal after removing the supporting props.
	20	Morgan T. Williams,	Welsh,	Laborer,	66	S.	Red Ash No. 2,	Luzerne..	Run over by a trip of loaded cars near the foot of slope. Died Sept. 22d.
Oct.	5	H. S. Hobbs,	English,	Miner,	48	M. 1 1	No. 5 Plymouth, D. & H.	Luzerne..	Injured by a premature blast Sept. 21st. Died Oct. 5th.
	7	Andrew Kachlsa, ...	Slav,	Laborer,	24	M. 1	Dorrance,	Luzerne..	Instantly killed by a fall of roof rock in face of counter.
	12	George Sheloski, ...	Pole,	Car loader,	19	S.	Nottingham,	Luzerne..	Squeezed between a gondola and the breaker timber.

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12	Thomas Maher,	Irish,	Laborer,	65	M.	1	Lance No. 11,	Luzerne,	Thrown against the rib by a car upon which he was riding up the plane, and fatally injured. Died in the hospital Oct. 24th.
25	Ebenezer D. Williams	American, .	Asst. foreman, .	50	M.	1	....	Buttonwood,	Luzerne,	The first five were instantly killed and the last one fatally injured; died on Oct. 27th. A slight explosion of gas had taken place at about 1 o'clock P. M., in the Hillman plane extension, whereby two men had been slightly burned, which also ignited some feeders. The miners supposed that they had extinguished the feeders before going out. As these men were approaching the face a second explosion occurred, which killed them.
25	Gomer Williams,	Welsh,	Asst. foreman, .	33	M.	1	....	Buttonwood,	Luzerne,	
25	Thomas Guest,	American, .	Pipeman,	35	M.	1	3	Buttonwood,	Luzerne,	
25	Thomas J. Price,	Welsh,	Track layer, ...	32	M.	1	....	Buttonwood,	Luzerne,	
25	William S. Phillips, .	Welsh,	Miner,	51	M.	1	2	Buttonwood,	Luzerne,	
25	Daniel Davis,	Welsh,	Pulley man,	38	M.	1	4	Buttonwood,	Luzerne,	
26	Napoleon Bednosh, ..	Pole,	Laborer,	40	M.	1	6	Woodward,	Luzerne,	Instantly killed by a premature blast as he was throwing in material for his miner to tamp a hole.
31	Gilbert Young, Jr., ..	English, ...	Driver,	16	S.	....	....	Parrish,	Luzerne,	Fatally burned by an explosion of gas that was ignited by Wascavage in an abandoned chamber. Young died Nov. 2d and Wascavage on Nov. 3d.
31	Walter Wascavage, ..	Russian, ...	Laborer,	21	M.	1	....	Parrish,	Luzerne,	
Nov. 4	Edwin Cantral,	English, ...	Laborer,	21	M.	1	1	No. 2 Plymouth, D. & H.	Luzerne,	Was riding on a car down the plane extension. The pulley at the top broke and the car ran away, throwing him off. Died Nov. 10th.
4	Patrick Manley,	Irish,	Driver,	23	S.	....	....	No. 2 Kingston,	Luzerne,	In stepping from one bumper to another he slipped and fell under the cars. He was instantly killed.
5	John Drost,	Pole,	Miner,	50	M.	1	3	Red Ash No. 2,	Luzerne,	Killed by a fall of middle rock as he was barring down loose coal.

	9	Charles Cooney,	American, ..	Shoveler,	21	S.	.....	Hollenback breaker,	Luzerne,	His skull was chused by being caught in the shakers as he was making repairs.
	9	Joseph Miskiel,	Pole,	Miner,	23	S.	.....	Sugar Notch No. 9,	Luzerne,	Fatally injured by a premature blast. Died Nov. 11th.
	13	Paul Wants,	Slav,	Laborer,	26	M.	1 1	Maxwell No. 20,	Luzerne,	Killed by a fall of rock at the face as he was shovelling coal into the schute.
	15	Joseph Coslick,	Pole,	Laborer,	32	M.	1 2	Stanton No. 7,	Luzerne,	Instantly killed by a fall of rock as he was loading a car at the face of the gangway.
	16	Daniel Reilly,	American, ..	Mason's helper, ..	32	S.	.....	Franklin,	Luzerne,	Killed by a fall of rock as he was clearing a cave-in.
	23	John McGrane,	American, ..	Miner,	49	M.	1 7	Sugar Notch No. 9,	Luzerne,	Killed by falling down manway as he stepped back from some gas that he ignited in the cross-cut.
	25	George Layou,	American, ..	Machinist,	30	M.	1 6	No. 7 colliery, Nanticoke,	Luzerne,	Fatally injured by being struck on the head by a block at the mill fan. Died in a few hours.
Dec.	10	Martin Mahosky,	Pole,	Miner,	64	M.	1 1	Lance No. 11,	Luzerne,	Fatally injured by a premature blast. Died Dec. 12th.
	23	Teofil Baker,	Pole,	Oller,	20	S.	.....	No. 6 breaker, Glen Lyon.	Luzerne,	Crushed to death between timbers and screen.
	26	John Mangan,	Irish,	Shoveler,	48	M.	1 3	Red Ash No. 1,	Luzerne,	Fatally injured by a rush of culm hurrying him at the culm bank. Died at the hospital on the next day.
	30	Andrew Coulter,	American, ..	Slate picker, ..	15	S.	.....	Conyngham breaker, ...	Luzerne,	Caught in the conveyors and crushed to death.