

TABLE 4.—Fatal Accidents Inside and Outside of Mines

Date of accident	Name of Person	Nationality	Occupation	Age	Married or single	Number of widows	Number of orphans	Name of Mine	County	Nature and Cause of Accident in Brief
Feb. 8	Steve Wenska,	Slavonian,	Miner,	35	M.	1	2	Miller Shaft No. 1, ..	Cambria,	Instantly killed by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room. He failed to set sprags.
8	John Kot,	Slavonian,	Miner,	26	S.			Wilmore No. 1,	Cambria,	Fatally injured by fall of coal while undermining a narrow crosscut of heading.
13	John Futsko,	Hungarian,	Miner,	33	S.			Pennsylvania No. 10,	Cambria,	Fatally injured by fall of coal while undermining in robbing a pillar.
24	Wasile Gromosnah, ..	Russian, ..	Miner,	43	M.	1	1	Miller Shaft No. 1, ..	Cambria,	Fatally injured by fall of rock while laying track at face of his room. He failed to set props.
March 15	Mike Molonooey,	Austrian, ..	Miner,	26	S.			Portage No. 2,	Cambria,	Fatally injured by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room. He neglected to set sprags.
April 24	Tony Tohar,	Italian, ..	Miner,	61	M.	1	5	Kiskiminetas No. 2, ..	Indiana,	Fatally injured by fall of bony coal at face of his room, while trying to take it down.
28	John Romansky,	Polish,	Miner,	27	M.	1		Sonmar Shaft,	Cambria,	Instantly killed by fall of rock. He and two others were working at face of the heading when the roof fell upon them, instantly killing Romansky. They had failed to examine the roof.
May 10	Bernard Campbell, ...	Irish,	Miner,	54	S.			Frick's No. 2,	Cambria,	Killed by fall of rock. He had pushed a loaded car out of his room and, on returning to the face, was caught by rock falling from a cutter in the roof.
13	Michael Gensky,	Polish,	Miner,	63	S.			Dean No. 8,	Cambria,	Killed by fall of rock while undermining along a pillar in his room. His body was not found until two days later, as the mine was idle.

June	23	Lorey Louis,	Italian,	Miner,	22	M.	1	2	Lackawanna No. 4,	Indiana,	Instantly killed by dust explosion.
	23	Ernest Barrocchi,	Italian,	Miner,	41	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Dominick Lilton,	Italian,	Miner,	21	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Tony Batista,	Italian,	Miner,	20	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Tony Totena,	Italian,	Miner,	22	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Charles Foldy,	Slavonian,	Miner,	32	M.	1	4			
	23	A. D. Raymer,	American,	Pumpman,	31	M.	1	1			
	23	George Kowash,	Slavonian,	Trackman,	23	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Simon Rominiski,	Russian,	Miner,	36	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Steve Base,	Polish,	Miner,	35	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Kosti Sewick,	Lithuanian,	Miner,	31	S.	.....	.....			
	23	George Lemm,	Lithuanian,	Miner,	34	M.	1	3			
	23	Joe Menfott,	Italian,	Miner,	25	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Mike Lilton,	Italian,	Miner,	23	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Alex. Shaftock,	Slavonian,	Miner,	46	M.	1	2			
	23	Charles Georda,	Italian,	Miner,	22	M.	1	1			
	23	Charles Loray,	Italian,	Miner,	20	S.	.....	.....			
	23	Frank Deiegram,	Italian,	Rockman,	27	S.	.....	.....			
	23	P. F. Burns,	American,	Trackman,	32	M.	1	3			
	23	William Burns,	American,	Electrician,	37	M.	1	5			
	23	U. E. Huey,	American,	Runner,	37	M.	1	2			
Aug.	24	Joseph Foster,	Austrian,	Miner,	41	M.	1		Excelsior No. 1,	Cambria,	Killed by fall of slate while loading a car of coal at face of his room.
Sept.	3	Thomas Bender,	American,	Miner,	17	S.			Glen White No. 2,	Blair,	Fatally burned by explosion of can of powder. He was about to enter the mine and had placed the powder can on the rear car of the trip when it exploded. Outside.
Oct.	1	James Scott,	Scotch,	Rockman,	28	M.	1	2	Pennsylvania No. 9,	Cambria,	Instantly killed by fall of roof. These men were working together taking down the ripping along the main heading when the roof immediately above the ripping fell upon them.
	1	Howard Bradley,	American,	Rockman,	19	S.	.....	.....			
Nov.	30	John Mackey,	Swedish,	Miner,	24	S.			Pennsylvania No. 14,	Cambria,	Fatally injured by cars. One loaded and five empty cars were standing on the heading. Mackey's partner released the brake of one of the empty cars. This started all the cars in motion and Mackey was unable to get out of the way.
Dec.	10	Albert Ouzza,	Polish,	Miner,	28	M.	1		Wilmore No. 1,	Cambria,	Suffocated by smoke. The fan house caught fire, igniting the timbers in the fan drift. The three men became bewildered, and in trying to escape ran in the wrong direction and were overcome. The origin of the fire is unknown.
	10	Lawrence Sisko,	Polish,	Driver,	21	S.					
	10	Mike Rabok,	Polish,	Miner,	45	M.	1	2			

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Date of accident	Name of Person	Nationality	Occupation	Age	Married or single	Number of widows	Number of orphans	Name of Mine	County	Nature and Cause of Accident in Brief
Dec. 20	Isaac Vich,	Swedish, ---	Miner,	35	M.	1	4	Nant Y Glo No. 1, --	Cambria,	Fatally injured by cars. While riding on an empty trip along the main heading, to his working place, a coupling pin loosened, allowing eleven cars to run back toward the drift mouth. Vich jumped, but was caught and dragged by the cars.
31	Louis Smith,	German, ---	Miner,	62	S.	.....	.....	Gallitzin Shaft,	Cambria,	Instantly killed by fall of coal while undermining at face of pillar. He failed to set sufficient sprags.

TABLE 5.—Non-Fatal Accidents Inside and Outside of Mines

Date of accident	Name of Person	Nationality	Occupation	Age	Married or single	Name of Mine	County	Nature and Cause of Accident in Brief
Jan. 4	Mike Domineck,	Russian, ...	Miner,	27	S.	Commercial No. 3, ...	Cambria,	Collar bone broken by fall of coal at face of his room.
16	John Ewan,	Slavonian, ...	Miner,	43	M.	Commercial No. 3, ...	Cambria,	Thumb cut off and small bone in left arm fractured by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room.
19	Joseph Wasak,	Slavonian, ...	Stone mason,	33	M.	Miller Shaft, No. 1, ...	Cambria,	Leg broken by empty car near bottom of shaft.
	Dorcy King,	American, ...	Rockman,	35	M.	Miller Shaft, No. 1, ...	Cambria,	Both legs broken by cars on side track on main road.
Feb. 10	Charles Decker,	American, ...	Miner,	48	M.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Collar bone broken by fall of coal while undermining at face of room.
12	Ralph Roberts,	American, ...	Driver,	26	M.	Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Face injured by kick from mule while hauling car along the heading.
25	John Oloskey,	Slavonian, ...	Trip runner,	20	S.	Pennsylvania No. 9, ...	Cambria,	Leg cut at knee joint by cars at bottom of shaft.
27	Louis Segarty,	Hungarian, ...	Miner,	24	S.	Leahey No. 1,	Cambria,	Contusion of the shoulder by cars while riding on loaded car on the heading.
March 8	Reese Lewis,	English, ...	Miner,	50	M.	Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Collar bone broken by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room.
10	Charles Chapel,	American, ...	Driver,	32	M.	Portage No. 2,	Cambria,	Spine broken by being caught between a car and a cross-bar supporting the roof of the heading.
11	Louis Beckey,	Hungarian, ...	Runner,	25	S.	Commercial No. 3, ...	Cambria,	Leg broken by being caught between motor and empty car on side track inside of the mine.
15	Fred Foerster,	German, ...	Miner,	27	S.	Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Leg fractured by fall of draw slate at face of his room.
20	Albert Huppert,	American, ...	Runner,	22	S.	Cardiff,	Cambria,	Leg broken by cars on the heading while placing cars with the motor.
22	Jacob Sharre,	Polish, ...	Miner,	35	M.	Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Rib broken, scalp cut, and body bruised by fall of coal at face of his room.
April 2	Felix Coon,	Italian, ...	Miner,	30	M.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Collar bone broken by car in his room.

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Date of accident	Name of Person	Nationality	Occupation	Age	Married or single	Name of Mine	County	Nature and Cause of Accident in Brief
April 7	John Scupin,	Polish,	Miner,	55	M.	Gallitzin,	Cambria,	Muscles of back and legs strained by fall of ripping at face of his room.
10	Aly Beck,	Polish,	Miner,	27	S.	Bend No. 5,	Cambria,	Arm, hand and body burned by powder while making a cartridge in his room.
10	Roy Commons,	American, ..	Runner,	20	S.	Nant Y Glo No. 1, ...	Cambria,	Arm fractured by cars on the main heading.
14	John Zonlock,	Polish,	Miner,	40	M.	Lilly No. 2,	Cambria,	Leg broken by fall of coal and bony while robbing a pillar.
23	Albert Scholl,	Polish,	Miner,	35	S.	Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Pelvis fractured, face cut and bruised by fall of rock at face of his room.
23	Stiney Scholl,	Polish,	Miner,	18	S.	Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Back bruised and skull fractured by fall of rock while working at the face.
26	Steve Drach,	Slavonian, ..	Miner,	25	S.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Back injured by fall of coal while robbing a pillar.
27	Charles Bolonge,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	26	S.	Commercial No. 5, ...	Cambria,	Leg broken and wrist fractured by fall of roof while working at the face of a heading.
May 6	James Brown,	American, ..	Miner,	25	S.	Nant Y Glo No. 1, ...	Cambria,	Rib fractured by cars while riding in empty car on the main haulage road.
25	Erozion Delocco,	Polish,	Miner,	44	M.	Gallitzin Shaft,	Cambria,	Scalp wounded and ankle sprained by fall of rock in his room.
25	Mike Kulenc,	Hungarian, ..	Driver,	22	S.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Contusion of right foot by cars on the heading.
25	Ray Rutledge,	American, ..	Brakeman,	19	S.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Laceration of big toe and contusion of foot by cars on the heading.
28	Adam Johns,	Austrian, ...	Driver,	20	S.	Commercial No. 3, ...	Cambria,	Hand bruised by cars on the main heading.
June 8	Gabor Forcas,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	22	S.	Commercial No. 5, ...	Cambria,	Leg broken by punching machine falling on him at face of the heading.
11	Joseph Bender,	Polish,	Miner,	45	S.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Laceration of big toe by cars at face of his room.

June 15	Harry Martz,	American, ..	Miner,	24	S. Sonman No. 2,	Cambria,	Ankle fractured by piece of rock falling from slip on the heading while taking the rock down.
16	Samuel Allen,	American, ..	Miner,	21	M. Sonman No. 2,	Cambria,	Lacerations of face and body by a premature explosion of dynamite while attempting to fire a shot in the bottom, with six inches of fuse at the face of his working place.
23	Chris Frazier,	Canadian, ..	Trackman,	60	M.		
23	A. L. Johnson,	American, ..	Mine foreman,	33	M.		
23	Joe Orwart,	Polish,	Miner,	29	S.		
23	Pat. Betest,	Italian,	Miner,	19	S.		
23	John Tobin,	American, ..	Machine boss,	28	S.		
23	John Kessler,	American, ..	Miner,	34	M. Lackawanna No. 4, ..	Indiana,	Burned by dust explosion.
23	Fred Thomas,	English,	Assistant foreman,	31	M.		
23	Tom Batesta,	Italian,	Miner,	53	S.		
23	Sam Koncha,	Italian,	Miner,	26	M.		
23	Louis Koncha,	Italian,	Miner,	29	S.		
23	Tony Martin,	Italian,	Miner,	35	M. Lackawanna No. 4, ..	Indiana,	Overcome by after-damp following dust explosion.
23	Nick Spell,	Italian,	Miner,	44	M.		
25	Joseph Freotts,	Italian,	Miner,	33	M. Pennsylvania No. 7, ..	Cambria,	Face lacerated and arm and side bruised by fall of roof while robbing a pillar.
26	Andrew Young,	English,	Driver,	36	M. Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Middle finger and big toe cut and chest squeezed by being caught between car and post while putting a wheel on the car in the room.
July 1	John Klett,	American, ..	Laborer,	38	S. Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Small bone in foot broken by being caught between motor and car on the main haulage road.
1	Tony Sally,	Italian,	Miner,	26	S. Wilmore No. 1,	Cambria,	Laceration of face, back and legs by fall of roof at face of his room.
2	William Honeycamp,	American, ..	Miner,	60	M. Bennington No. 2, ..	Blair,	Leg and arm broken by fall of rock while trying to wedge the rock down at face of his room.
2	Wince Kodshak,	Polish,	Miner,	30	M. Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Leg broken by fall of rock while loading car at face of his room.
2	Angelo Pauish,	Italian,	Miner,	27	M. Commercial No. 2, ..	Cambria,	Shoulders and hips bruised by fall of coal while undermining in robbing a pillar.
6	Michal Hoahrew,	German,	Brakeman,	25	M. Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Ankle crushed by cars near bottom of shaft.
9	Martin Kenler,	Slavonian, ..	Miner,	42	M. Pennsylvania No. 9, ..	Cambria,	Leg broken by fall of coal while undermining along the face of pillar.
12	Charles Yukas,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	32	M. Vinton No. 6,	Cambria,	Collar bone broken by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room without the use of sprags.
12	John Gulick,	Polish,	Trip rider,	25	M. Sonman Shaft,	Cambria,	Two fingers and part of thumb lost by his hand being caught between roof and reel of rope which he was hauling in a car on the heading.

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Date of accident	Name of Person	Nationality	Occupation	Age	Married or single	Name of Mine	County	Nature and Cause of Accident in Brief
July 16	John Ozak,	Polish,	Miner,	37	M.	Sonmar Shaft,	Cambria,	Arm broken by fall of rock at face of room.
22	John Podorsky,	Polish,	Miner,	32	M.	Sonmar Shaft,	Cambria,	Rib fractured and contusion of the abdomen by car running on him while trying to put the car on the track in his room.
24	Joseph Belchune,	Lithuanian,	Miner,	54	M.	Sonmar Shaft,	Cambria,	Collar bone broken and three ribs fractured by fall of roof in his room while robbing a pillar.
26	John Gosjoe,	Polish,	Miner,	20	S.	Glen White No. 2,	Cambria,	Leg broken by fall of coal at face of his room.
26	John Bratti,	Italian,	Miner,	50	M.	Dean No. 10,	Cambria,	Leg broken by fall of slate at face of his room.
Aug. 2	John Burnot,	Slavonian,	Tipple-man,	29	S.	Commercial No. 4,	Cambria,	Leg broken by cars. Outside.
9	Stephen Hess,	German,	Footman,	22	S.	Sonmar Shaft,	Cambria,	Finger on left hand cut by cars at bottom of the shaft.
13	Anthony Rovnish,	Polish,	Miner,	21	S.	Sonmar Shaft,	Cambria,	Shoulder and leg broken by fall of roof at face of his room.
19	Steve Risce,	Slavonian,	Miner,	25	M.	Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Left hand blown off, face bruised and injured internally by an explosion of dynamite while removing it from shot hole at face of his room.
20	Joseph Angletus,	Lithuanian,	Miner,	58	M.	Pennsylvania No. 14,	Cambria,	Leg bruised by cars in his room.
20	Ira Smyers,	American, ...	Machine scraper,	23	S.	Dean No. 14,	Cambria,	Rib broken and two others fractured and small bone in foot broken by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room.
26	Thomas Hopkins,	English,	Driver,	35	M.	Lincoln,	Cambria,	Foot bruised by being caught between cars on the heading.
Sept. 10	Stephen Lega,	Polish,	Miner,	27	M.	Portage Slope No. 2,	Cambria,	Left leg fractured in two places by cars on heading.

Sept. 10	William Shaw,	American, ..	Miner,	27	M. Forge Slope, No. 1, -	Cambria,	Back broken by fall of rock in his room. He was ordered by mine foreman to take down the rock before loading coal.
11	Joseph Smith,	Slavonian, ..	Machine runner, --	28	M. Portage Slope No. 2, -	Cambria,	Right leg fractured below knee by fall of coal while undermining with machine at face of his room.
13	Frank Chlapfona,	Polish,	Miner,	25	S. Irvona No. 5,	Clearfield,	Back injured by fall of slate at face of his room.
23	Joseph Masnica,	Slavonian, ..	Miner,	17	S. Vinton No. 1,	Cambria,	Leg broken by cars in his room.
24	Pasqual Polaster,	Italian,	Miner,	45	M. Delaney No. 3,	Cambria,	Foot bruised by fall of coal while working at face of his room.
28	Louis Makari,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	42	M. Commercial No. 3, ---	Cambria,	Large scalp wounds by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room.
28	John Pap,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	32	M. Priscilla No. 8,	Cambria,	Two ribs fractured by fall of bony coal while undermining at face of his room.
28	Mike Woznock,	Polish,	Miner,	53	M. Pennsylvania No. 10, -	Cambria,	Legs broken and hip dislocated by fall of rock in his room.
Oct. 14	George Sweedro,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	40	S. Bend No. 5,	Cambria,	Hip bruised by fall of rock at face of his room.
28	Joseph Cristoff,	Hungarian, ..	Miner,	34	M. Priscilla No. 8,	Cambria,	Leg broken by fall of rock in his room. He was taking coal off the rib to straighten the road.
28	Steve Kralosky,	Slavonian, ..	Driver,	32	M. Non Pareil,	Cambria,	Hand sprained and lacerated by cars on heading.
Nov. 1	Alex. Gedoga,	Slavonian, ..	Miner,	23	S. Commercial No. 3, ---	Cambria,	Finger badly bruised by cars on heading.
5	Mike Cokless,	Slavonian, ..	Miner,	34	M. Standard,	Cambria,	Leg broken by car near the face of his heading.
8	Herman Beck,	American, ..	Miner,	32	S. Souman Shaft,	Cambria,	Right arm and leg broken by fall of rock near face of his room. He was trying to wedge the rock down and stepped under it to get his shovel when the rock fell on him.
10	John Backely,	Irish,	Miner,	65	M. Irvona No. 5,	Clearfield,	Three ribs broken and slightly bruised by fall of slate at face of his room.
13	George Shannon,	Slavonian, ..	Miner,	26	M. Pennsylvania No. 14, -	Cambria,	Collar bone broken by fall of coal while undermining in his room. He was taking out a pillar.
18	Frank Lynch,	American, ..	Motorman,	22	M. Pennsylvania No. 7, -	Cambria,	Abdomen crushed by cars wrecked on heading.
18	John St. John,	Irish,	Laborer,	65	S. Pennsylvania No. 7, -	Cambria,	Arm and leg broken by cars wrecked on heading.
18	Ralph Montuna,	Italian,	Laborer,	32	M. Pennsylvania No. 7, -	Cambria,	Shoulder bruised by cars wrecked on heading.
23	Angelo Muska,	Italian,	Miner,	20	S. Vinton No. 1,	Cambria,	Leg and nose broken by fall of rock at face of his room. He had been told by the assistant foreman to set props.

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Nov. 29	Leonard Gross, -----	Italian, ---	Miner, -----	28	S.	Miller Shaft, No. 1, ---	Cambria, -----	Leg broken while assisting to handle cars at the bottom of the shaft. He had been told by the footman to let the cars alone.
30	Charles Wahl, -----	German, ---	Miner, -----	49	M.	Gallitzin Shaft, -----	Cambria, -----	Laceration of the hand and thumb broken by fall of coal while undermining at face of his room.
Dec. 6	David Tobin, -----	American, ---	Trip runner, -----	23	M.	Deaney No. 5, -----	Cambria, -----	Leg broken and knee badly dislocated by cars wrecking. Outside.
15	Stephen Fredel, -----	Slavonian, ---	Plane runner, -----	17	S.	Sonman Shaft, -----	Cambria, -----	Shin bone fractured and body bruised by cars on heading.
18	Richard Townsend, ---	English, ---	Miner, -----	44	M.	Sonman Shaft, -----	Cambria, -----	Leg cut while handling steel rail.
18	John Oatie, -----	Hungarian, ---	Miner, -----	47	M.	Lincoln, -----	Cambria, -----	Rib fractured by fall of rock at the mouth of his room while trying to wedge the rock down.
20	Mike Cresh, -----	Slavonian, ---	Miner, -----	40	M.	Nant Y Glo No. 1, ---	Cambria, -----	Back and legs bruised by cars on the rope haulage road while riding to his work. In attempting to get off he was caught and dragged.