ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MINE INSPECTOR

for Allegany and Garrett Counties, Maryland.



To His Excellency Governor Phillips Lee Goldsborough

From May 1st, 1914 to May 1st, 1915

WILLIAM WALTERS, Inspector.

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

Frostburg, Md., May 1st, 1915.

To His Excellency, Phillips Lee Goldsborough, Governor of Maryland,

Sir:—In compliance with the requirements of Chapter 124, of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1902, relating to Mines and Mining, I have the honor to submit herewith my third annual report.

WILLIAM WALTERS, Inspector.

INTRODUCTION.

To His Excellency, Hon. Phillips Lee Goldsborough,

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Governor of Maryland,

Sir :--- The report herewith submitted is for the fiscal year ending April 30th, 1915, and is my third annual report, embracing the fortieth annual report, upon the conditions of the coal mines within the State. In point of production, the coal tonnage for the year for the various mining prosperous as the preceding year. The reports from the various mining operations of the State as compiled shows the tonnage to be 3,688,611 operations of the State of 551 033 tons from the year 1913. This gross tons, showing a decrease of 551,033 tons from the year 1913. This decrease in the number of tons mined has its effect in time worked, which was greatly reduced in several of the mines in the State, and consequently resulted in a proportionate decrease in the aggregate amount of wages earned by the miners for the year. While some mines were idle a great portion of the year, there were several that did not operate during the entire year. The demand for coal was not so general, as there were no unusual activities in the industrial world at large, and the year was a normal one from many standpoints. Not only was there a great decrease in many localities in the amount of coal mined, but prices were not at all satisfactory to those engaged in the coal business.

ALLEGANY COUNTY PRODUCTION.

During the year ending December 31st, 1914, Allegany County em-ployed 3,390 miners, 264 drivers, 376 inside laborers and 506 outside laborers, making a total of 4,536, showing a decrease of 430 employes over the year 1913.

The production of coal for Allegany County was 3,082,709 tons, showing a decrease of 516,037 tons. There were 90,831 tons mined by machines, showing an increase of 15,735 tons; also showing a production of 679 tons of coal for each man employed in Allegany County, and a decrease of 83 tons for each employe under the year 1913.

GARRETT COUNTY PRODUCTION.

During the year ending December 31st, 1914, Garrett County employed 620 miners, 90 drivers, 79 inside laborers, 157 outside laborers,

making a total of 946, an increase of 247 over the year 1913. The total production of coal was 605,901 tons, all mined by pick, and showing a decrease of 34,996 tons; also showing a production of 640 tons for each man employed, a decrease of 276 tons for each person employed.

A total of 5,480 persons were empolyed in coal mining in the State, a decrease of 79 under the year 1913. Counting the mining superin-tendents, mine foremen, assistant mine foremen, engineering corps and office clerks, it would be safe to add 300 persons to the total above, making the total number of 5,780 employes directly connected with the operation of the mines.

ACCIDENTS AND INJURIES.

During the fiscal year, beginning May 1, 1914, and ending April 30, 1915, there were 204 accidents reported. Of this number, 16 were fatal, showing a decrease of one fatal and an increase of 42 non-fatal accidents for the year. Of the 16 fatal accidents that occurred, 12 were in

Allegany County and four in Garrett County. Thirteen of the fatal accidents were caused by falls of top rock and coal, two by cars and one by explosion of powder. Fifteen of the fatal accidents occurred in coal mines and one in fire-clay mines.

The reports of non-fatal accidents have increased owing to the compensation paid to employes who lose time on account of injuries received while discharging their duties. Before the act there was little or no occasion to report minor accidents.

A careful investigation of the causes leading to fatalities in the mines gives positive proof that one-half of all fatalities are avoidable and would not occur if employes and the management of mines were more obedient to the requirements of the law.

- LABOR CONDITIONS.

I am glad to report that the year's activity in the coal industry in this State was free from any disturbing element such as strikes.

+ WEIGHTS AND WEIGHING.

The matter of weights and weighing has been given my most careful attention during the fiscal year from May 1, 1914, to April 30, 1915. At the different tests I have made of various scales the majority were found correct. The constant demand for testing the scales requires a great deal of the Inspector's time, and while it is one of the most important branches in the coal mining industry, it is one of the hardest to settle. I have suggested that every coal company should be required to keep at their scales a couple of standard test weights. If there were a couple of test weights at all scales the weighmaster could keep his scales accurate at all times.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The State mining law requires the Inspector to make such recommendations and suggestions as he may consider important as to legislation on the subject of mining. I find that every Inspector in each report has asked for some change in that part of the law relating to the use of oil for illuminating purposes in the mines. A great many miners try to purchase a good grade of oil and some pay the price, but it is inferior. One of the most persistent hindrances to good ventilation is the smoky oil lamp, with inferior grade of oil, and the amount of explosives used in our mines. They have become a menace to the lives and health of those working under ground. I cannot understand why those suggestions have been ignored, especially by miners, who will serve as members of the General Assembly. The Inspector is subjected to criticism and abuses he does not deserve. It is impossible to examine every miner's lamp and the law does not give him the right to go to the dealer and test the oil. I find the majority of superintendents and mine foremen are in favor of pure oil regulations. I would recommend a section similar to the West Virginia oil regulations for illuminating purposes be made part of the Maryland mining law. I want to impress upon the minds of the managers of the different mining companies in the State of Maryland, and I am speaking from a practical viewpoint, that they cannot reduce the cost of production of coal by any system they adopt more than they can by properly ventilating the mines in all its workings. To obtain the best results the interest of the employer and employe must be combined. If the employe in the mines sees that conditions are made as safe as possible for his health and safety, he naturally takes more

interest in the work he is doing and will accomplish more and do his work better than if his working place was filled with "black damp" and smoke.

All of the operating companies have men employed whose duties are to see that enough pure and cool air circulates through all the working places. In various instances I have closed down places where men were working in less than the required amount of air, and instructions were given that the places should remain closed until the necessary amount should be provided.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM WALTERS,

Mine Inspector.

Maryland's Mine Inspectors

Remarks.	One Term. Reappointed Reappointed Died, 1886. One Term. Reappointed One Term. Reappointed One Term. Reappointed Reappointed Reappointed Incumbent.
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TABLE OF INSPECTIONS.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.

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TABLE OF INSPECTIONS-Continued.

NOTE.—The above table does not include the number of visits made to investigate fatal accidents with the coroner, and in addition to the number of visits and special investigations of serious accidents and examination of weigh scales and also for the purpose of consulting with mining officials in regard to improvements and safety in mining. Twelve days were spent waiting on the Grand Juries in Allegany and Garrett Counties.

MINES IDLE DURING THE YEAR 1914 IN ALLEGANY AND GARRETT COUNTIES.

Reed Coal and Coke Company (formerly the Bowery Coal Company). Maryland Coal and Iron Company, situated near Barrellsville. Franklin Coal Company, Westernport, Md. Potomac Coal Company, Barton, Md. Cumberland Basin Coal Company, Barrellsville, Md. Cutchall and Gates Coal Company, Garrett County.

DESCRIPTION OF FATAL ACCIDENTS FOR ALLEGANY AND GARRETT COUNTIES FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1915.

No. 1—May 11, 1914.

Donald Miller, miner, age 44, married, residing in Lonaconing, was injured by fall of top rock in Mine No. 3, George's Creek Coal Company. The accident happened on May 11. He died twenty days later from injured back and spine. He leaves a wife and four children.

No. 2—June 9, 1914.

William Boyce, miner, age 31, single, residing at Lord, Md., was injured by fall of top slate striking him on the head, causing his death twenty-four hours later. Mr. Boyce was engaged in taking out a barrier filler in fifth right, midway slope, Mine No. 7, operated by the Consolidation Coal Company.

No. 3-June 20, 1914.

David W. Edwards, miner, age 38, married, residing at Gilmore, Md., employed at Mine No. 7, Consolidation Coal Company. He was instantly killed by fall of coal and rock in fifth right, midway slope. Mr. Edwards, with seven other men, was engaged in taking out filler coal when the roof gave way without warning, crushing him to death. It required one hour to recover his body. His seven companions narrowly escaped the same fate. He leaves a wife and two children.

No. 4-July 8, 1914.

John W. DeVault, miner, age 20, single, residing at Lonaconing, Md., was injured by fall of top rock in fourth left, main heading, Mine No. 3, operated by the George's Creek Coal Company, Inc. He was mining a breast of coal when the roof gave away, crushing his head, from which he died a few hours later.

No. 5—August 21, 1914.

William Evans, miner, age 46, single, residing at Allegany Mines, Md., was instantly killed by a fall of roof and rib rock in second left, D opening, operated by the Consolidation Coal Company. Mr. Evans was working alone when the accident occurred, and was dead several hours before his body was discovered by the night watchman and his brother. His neck and leg were broken.

No. 6—August 26, 1914.

Frank Smith, miner, age 65, married, residing at Ocean, Md., was killed by being run over by a loaded car on main slope, in Consol Mine No. 1, operated by the Consolidation Coal Company. The main motor trip had passed Mr. Smith when he stepped from the side into the middle of the road directly in front of two loaded cars coming out of the eighth right to be placed on back of loaded trip. There was a lawful clearance on side and safety holes for men to travel when trips are passing. He leaves a wife and six children.

No. 7-September 14, 1914.

James T. Shafer, miner, age 46, married, residing at Deer Park, Md., was injured by fall of roof rock in Chaffee Mine, operated by Chaffee Coal Company, Garrett County. Mr. Shafer had fired a shot in the coal that was holed into an old room. He went to examine it, when the roof gave away, crushing him in such a manner that he died 24 hours later in the Miners Hospital at Frostburg. He leaves a wife and eight children.

No. 8-November 26, 1914.

Orley Conners, miner, age 22, married, residing at Maysville, Garrett County, Md., was instantly killed by a fall of top rock in main heading air course, Chaffee Mine, operated by the Chaffee Coal Company. The accident was caused by neglect in timbering the place. Upon investigation it was found that there were twelve unused props at the working place. His buttie asked him to put up the timber before they loaded the car, but he (Mr. Conners), knowing the place to be dangerous, insisted on loading the car with the above result.

No. 9—December 15, 1914.

Harrison R. Michaels, miner, age 54, married, residing in Westernport, Md., was injured by a fall of top rock in room 36, straight heading, in Washington Mine No. 3, operated by the Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Mr. Michaels was digging coal when the roof gave away, crushing his body and limbs, causing his death two hours later. He leaves a wife and eight children.

No. 10-December 29, 1914.

John Neilson, miner, age 29, single, residing at Lonaconing, Md., was instantly killed by a fall of top rock in No. 2 room, off first left, in Mine No. 3, operated by the George's Creek Coal Company, Inc. Mr. Neilson w asloading a car when the roof gave away, crushing his life out.

No. 11-January 26, 1915.

Willis Back, miner, age 26, single, was injured by an explosion of powder in third left heading, Masco Mine No. 1, operated by the Barton Coal Mining Company, at Reynolds, Md. Mr. Back was making a charge of powder and by filling the same the powder ignited from a carbide light, causing his death the next day at the Miners' Hospital, Frostburg, Md.

No. 12—January 29, 1915.

Albert McCrobie, miner, age 26, single, residing at Mayville, Md., was injured by a fall of top rock in sixth left heading, at Chaffee Mine, operated by the Chaffee Coal Company. Mr. McCrobie knew the roof was dangerous. He tried to pry it down, and finding he could not, he went under it to load a car, when the roof gave away, injuring him in such a manner that he died three days later in the Allegany Hospital, Cumberland.

No. 13—February 21, 1915.

Mike McGree, miner, age 26, married, residing at Kempton, Garrett County, Md., was injured by a fall of top rock in main air course, in dip heading, Kempton Mine No. 52, operated by the Davis Coal and Coke Company. Mr. McGree was in the act of shoveling coal when a shell of sand rock fell on him, crushing him to the pavement, breaking his back, from which he died six days later in the Church Home and Infirmary at Baltimore, Maryland. He leaves a wife and three children.

No. 14—March 27, 1915.

James Walker, miner, age 45, married, residing at Potomac Manor, W. Va., was instantly killed by a fall of top rock in Mine No. 1, operated by the Blaine Mining Company. Mr. Walker was loading a car when a piece of rock fell from the roof, crushing his head to the pavament, killing him instantly. He was considered a very proficient timberman by the management. He leaves a wife and seven children.

No. 15—April 17, 1915.

James Andrew Hott, night foreman, age 33, married, residing at Lord, Md., injured by a trip of empty cars breaking loose on inside plane in midway slope, in Mine No. 7, operated by the Consolidation Coal Company. Mr. Hott was riding up the plane when a hitching pin came out of the third car, releasing sixteen others, on which Mr. Hott was riding. He was in the act of putting down the brakes when the rope on the loaded cars flew off the sheves, knocking him against the rib and breaking his two legs and injuring him in such a manner that he died eight hours later in the Miners' Hospital, Frostburg. He leaves a wife and four children.

No. 16—June 17, 1914.

Adam Werner, fire-clay miner, married, age 52, residing at Fingel, Md., was injured by a fall of top rock in No. 2 heading, in No. 5 opening, Union Fire-Clay Mine, operated by the Union Mining Company. Mr. Werner was engaged in timbering the main heading when a large piece of rock fell on him, crushing him in such a manner that he died on day later. He leaves a wife and three children.

DESCRIPTION OF MINES IN ALLEGANY COUNTY.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

(Maryland Division.)

H. V. Hesse, Manager, Frostburg, Md. Jonathan Jenkins, Assistant Manager, Frostburg, Md. David J. Morgan, Mine Inspector, Frostburg, Md. William Sleeman, Mine Inspector, Frostburg, Md.

The Consolidation Coal Company is the largest operation in the State in point of output and number of men employed. They operate twelve mines and are working the Pittsburg or Big Vein and Tyson seams of coal. During the year ending December 31, 1914, they employed 2,599 persons and produced 1,992,342 tons of coal, showing a decrease of 134,589 tons under the year 1913.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Thomas McFarland Mine Foreman. Daniel Porter, Asst. Foreman. Peter Hoye, Asst. Foreman. Michael McGrady, Asst. Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 1 is located at Ocean, on the east side of the George's Creek, and is a slope opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. During the year 1914 this mine employed 500 persons and workd 282 days, producing 401,194 tons of coal. The coal is mined by pick and gathered from the interior by horses to the side "lyes," then hauled by three large compressed air motors to the bottom of the slope. From there it is hauled to the surface by a large stationary engine to the tipple and dumped into railroad cars and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. Drainage is through the Hoffman water ditch, which empties into the Braddock's Run at Clarysville. While this takes the main supply of water from the mine, it is still necessary to run several pumps to pump water from isolated sections of the mine, as drainage here has always been a serious one. Ventilation is produced by a large 25-foot fan and by the overcast and regulator system, and is fair considering the number of men employed. During each visit I have found the mine in fair condition.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Douglas Shaw, Mine Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 2 is located at Carlos Junction, on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, and is a drift opening working the Lower Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. The thickness varying from twenty-six to thirty inches of coal. Ventilation is produced by an electric fan and is generally good throughout the mine. During the year there were 24 persons employed and worked 282 days, producing 10,886 tons of coal. The product is used to supply the locomotives on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad and also supplies fuel for Midland, Ocean and vicinity.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Jenkins Daniels, Mine Foreman.

Patrick Kenney, Assistant Foreman. Chas. Shields, Assistant Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 3 is located at Hoffman, one and one-half miles east of Frostburg, Md., on the Eckhart Branch of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, and is the largest operation in the State working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. It is a slope opening, one and onequarter miles long. Ventilation is produced by two large fans, one at the main opening at Hoffman and the other, a large 20-foot Lepley fan, at the power station at pumping shaft. This mine covers a large area and ventilation is fair. The travelways have been found in good condition. During the year there was a new manway driven around the bottom of slope, making it safer for men to travel without danger from slope trips. Drainage is a serious proposition at this mine, as this is the basin of the Pittsburg or Big Vein seams of coal, and during the winter and spring months the several pumps located at isolated sections of the mine are taxed beyond their capacity. The water is pumped into the main water ditch, which empties into Braddock's Run at Clarysville. During the year 1914 they employed 597 persons and worked 291 days, producing 439,256 tons of coal.

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CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

James Weston, Mine Foreman.

Hugo Rempel, Assistant Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 4 is located at Eckhart and is a slope working in the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. This is one of the oldest mines in the Cumberland region and is cut up in such a manner that ventilation and drainage is a serious proposition, making it very expensive and dangerous to operate. It is impossible at times to maintain a good circulation of air at the working faces. The coal is gathered from the interior by horses to the side "lyes" and hauled to the bottom of the slope by a large electric motor, then hoisted to the surface by a stationary engine and dumped into railroad cars and shipped over the Eckhart Branch of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 119 persons and worked 284 days, producing 80,309 tons of coal.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Benjamin T. Bradley, Mine Foreman. Robert Edwards, Asst. Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 6 is located at Lord, about two miles west of Carlos Junction, and is a slope opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large steam fan with the overcas t and regulator system and is generally good. Drainage is through drill holes into the Big Vein in Mine No. 7. The haulage is by endless rope system. During the year they employed 26 persons and worked 208 days, producing 16,195 tons of coal. This mine was abandoned during November, 1914.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Benjamin T. Bradley, Mine Foreman. Robert Edwards, Asst. Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 7 is located at Lord, one and one-half miles west of Carlos Junction, and is a slope opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. The coal is mined by pick and is on the retreat. Ventilation is produced by a large 25-foot fan and is generally good. During the year 1914 they employed 421 persons and worked 286 days, prducing 347,912 tons of coal. Shipment is made over the Carlos Branch of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. Drainage is through Consol Mines Nos. 1 and 3 and empties into Braddock's Run at Clareysville.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Christopher Roberts, Mine Foreman. Daniel Williams, Asst. Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 8 is located at Midland, on the west side of George's Creek, on the main line of the Cumberland & Pennsylvania R. R., and is working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by an electric fan, and owing to the manner in which this mine is cut up, it is impossible to maintain a good circulation of air at the working faces. They are working in abandoned coal from Consol Mine No. 1. During the year 1914 they employed 138 men and worked 287 days, producing 114,034 tons of coal.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

John Casey, Mine Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 9 is located at the end of the "Y" on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. It is a drift of four

openings designated as A, B, C and D. The latter opening serves as a travelway for the miners and is very convenient. They are working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large 14-foot fan and the air is well distributed throughout the mine. During the year 1914 they employed 207 persons and worked 283 days, producing 105,027 tons of coal by pick and 14,276 tons by machine, making a total of 119,303 tons of coal. Haulage is by electric motors.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Frank Myers, Mine Foreman.

John Kidwell, Assistant Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 10 is located at Eckhart, Md., west of Consol Mine No. 4, and is a drift opening working in the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. The coal is hauled to the side 'lyes" by small mules, then hauled to the surface by large electric motors. There it is weighed and dumped into a chute and into Big Vein mine cars and conveyed to Consol Mine No. 4 tipple by an endless rope. The coal is then dumped into the railroad cars over a special dump so that the coal will not be mixed with Big Vein coal. Ventilation is produced by a large electric fan and is always good. Drainage is by pumps and bore holes into the Big Vein. During the year 1914 they employed 112 persons and worked 281 days, producing 69,813 tons of coal.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Eugene Layman, Mine Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 11 is located at the pumping shaft, above the Big Vein of Consol Mine No. 3, and is working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is produced from a fan located at pumping station and is good. Drainage is by electric pumps into bore holes into Consol No. 3. The coal is gathered on the interior by electric motors and hauled to chute or hole driven through the strata from the Big Vein at Mine No. 3 to Mine No. 11, a distance of one hundred feet. The coal is weighed and dumped into Big Vein Mine cars at bottom of Mine No. 3 and conveyed to tipple by stationary engine and dumped into railroad cars over a special dump so that the coal will not be mixed with Big Vein coal. During the year 1914 they employed 103 persons and worked 283 days, producing 59,359 tons of coal.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

Alexander Neal, Mine Foreman.

B. Crouse, Assistant Foreman. William Hendley, Assistant Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 12 is located at Borden Shaft, on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. It is a shaft working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. The coal is gathered from the interior by horses to the side "lyes," then conveyed to bottom of shaft by compressed air motors. Drainage is through Hoffman water ditch, which empties into Braddock's Run at Clareysville. Ventilation is produced from a large fan at pumping station. During the year 1914 they employed 292 persons and worked 286 days, producing 285,442 tons of coal.

CONSOLIDATION COAL COMPANY.

John Bahen, Mine Foreman.

Consol Mine No. 13 is located at Old Consolidation, a village about one-half mile west of Frostburg, Md. This is a new operation in the

abandoned territory of old Ocean No. 2 Mine working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. They are recovering a very large percentage of supposedly lost coal, and owing to the nature of this kind of work, it is hard to keep the mines in a healthful condition. Ventilation is produced by a steam-driven fan. There are three openings, one slope and two drifts. No. 1 is an air course which furnishes ventilating current for both drifts. Drainage is good in drifts Nos. 1 and 2. During the year 1914 they employed 60 persons and worked 284 days, producing 48,639 tons of coal.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

William F. Coale, General Manager and Secretary.

General Office, Cumberland, Md.

John R. Hamilton, Superintendent, Lonaconing, Md.

The George's Creek Coal Company, Inc., is operating a series of openings on the east and west sides of the George's Creek and are the second largest operators in the State working the Pittsburg or Big Vein and Tyson seams of coal. During the year ending December 31, 1914, this company employed 333 persons and produced 219,961 tons of coal, showing a decrease of 60,125 tons under the year 1913.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

Nathaniel Somerville, Mine Foreman.

George's Creek Mine No. 1, Big Vein, is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Lonaconing, Md., and is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by fan and is good. Drainage is by pumps. The coal is gathered from the interior by horses and hauled to specially arranged tipples so that coal can be shipped by the Cumberland and Pennsylvania and the Western Maryland Railroads. During the year 1914 this mine employed 35 persons and worked 280 days, producing 41,953 tons of coal.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

David Dunn, Mine Foreman.

George's Creek Mine No. 2, Big Vein, is located on the east side of the George's Creek, near Lonaconing, and is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. This is a small operation. It is ventilated by natural means, air holes being driven to the surface. During the year 1914 they employed six men and worked 63 days, producing 2,186 tons of coal.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

Nathaniel Somerville, Mine Foreman.

George's Creek Mine No. 1 (formerly No. 16) is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Lonaconing, and is a drift opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. The mine is equipped with electric haulage. The coal is gathered from the interior by mules to side "lyes" and hauled to the dump by electric motors. The tipples are so arranged that they can ship the product on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania and Western Maryland Railroads. Ventilation is

produced by a large steam fan and conditions have always been found good. During the year 1914 they employed 169 men and worked 196 days, producing 105,923 tons of coal.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

David Dunn, Mine Foreman.

George's Creek Mine No. 2 is located on the east side of the George's Creek, near Lonaconing, and is a drift opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a gasdriven fan and air conditions have always been good. The coal is gathered from the interior by mules to the head of incline plane, where it is lowered to tipple and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 24 men and worked 63 days, producing 8,968 tons of coal.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

Nathaniel Somerville, Mine Foreman. Douglas Waddel, Asst. Foreman.

George's Creek Mine No. 3 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Lonaconing, and is a drift opening working in the Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. The coal is hauled from the interior to the main headings by mules, then hauled by electric motors to the dump and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad. Ventilation is produced by a large electric-driven fan and ventilation conditions are generally good. During the year 1914 they employed 56 persons and worked 188 days, producing 34,617 tons of coal.

GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY, INC.

Nathaniel Somerville, Mine Foreman. Robert Todd, Assistant Foreman.

George's Creek Mine No. 4 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Lonaconing, and is a drift opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. The coal is gathered from the interior by mules to the dump and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad. The mine is ventilated by a large gas-driven fan and conditions have always been found good. During the year 1914 they employed 43 men and worked 188 days, producing 26,313 tons of coal.

PIEDMONT AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

John L. Brophy, President and General Manager. General Office, Frostburg, Md.

The Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company is working a series of openings in Allegany and Garrett Counties working the Lower Kittanning, Davis six-foot, Barton four-foot and Tyson seams of coal. During the year ending December 31, 1914, they employed 399 persons and produced 127,335 tons of coal, showing a decrease of 63,787 tons under the year 1913.

PIEDMONT AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

William Brown, Superintendent.

Robert Starkey, Mine Foreman.

Washington Mine No. 1 is located on the west side of the George's Creek at Franklin, Md. It is a drift opening working the Lower Kittan-

ning seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by electric-driven fan and is good at all times. Some up-to-date features are embodied in this mine. The fan is installed in such a way that it can almost instantly be reversed if the necessity of so doing be manifested at any time. The main headings and side switches are illuminated with electric lights as a means of safety. The coal is gathered by electric motors from the in-terior and hauled to tipple at Washington Mine No. 5, where it is weighed and dumped into railroad cars and shipped over the Cumberland and Descentarions and being the ware they employed 35 men and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year they employed 35 men and worked 254½ days, producing 15,215 tons of coal.

PIEDMONT AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

Martin Condry, Superintendent.

William Hines, Mine Foreman. Oscar Huber, Assistant Foreman.

Washington Mine No. 2 is located at Eckhart and is a drift opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a lrge steam-driven fan and is good. Electric motors are \sim produced by⁵a lrge steam-driven fan and 15 good. Electric motors are used to haul the coal. Drainage is **by property** and bore holes driven down into the Big Vein. During each visit I found conditions satisfactory. During the year 1914 they employed 185 persons and worked 198¹/₂ conditional days, producing 116,852 tons of coal. The coal is shipped over the Eck-hart Branch of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. w

PIEDMONT AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

William Brown Superintendent.

Charles Walsh, Mine Foreman. me

Washington Mine No. 3 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Franklin, and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittan-ning or Davis six-foot seam of coal. Ventilation is furnished by a large electric-driven fan and is generally good, except in some isolated parts that are holed into old works in the Buxton Mine. Haulage is by mules and gasoline motor. During the year 1914 they employed 63 persons and worked 176 % days, producing 27,185 tons of coal.

PIEDMONT AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

William Brown, Superintendent.

Martin T. O'Rourke, Mine Foreman. E. F. Lambert, Assistant Foreman.

Washington Mine No. 5 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Franklin, Md., with four drift openings working the Bakers-town or Barton four-foot seam of coal. The mine is by a long plane, one-half mile long, and tram road over which the coal is hauled and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. The mine is equipped with electric motors and all headings illuminated with electric lights. Ventilation is by electric fan and is very good. The coal is mined by pick and machine. During the year 1914 they employed 116 men and worked 219¼ days, producing 21,790 tons by pick and 46,292 tons by machine, making a total of 68,082 tons for the year.

NEW YORK MINING COMPANY.

L. J. Aldon, Superintendent.

Main Office, Mt. Savage, Md.

The New York Mining Company is operating several mines in Allegany County, working the Pittsburg or Big Vein and Tyson seams of coal. The mines are situated about two miles northeast of Frostburg,

Md., along the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year 1914 this company employed 350 persons and produced 183,091 tons of coal by pick and 15,125 by machine, making a total of 198,226 tons, showing a decrease of 60,336 tons under the year 1913.

NEW YORK MINING COMPANY.

L. J. Aldon, Superintendent.

Joseph Finzel, Mine Foreman.

Union Mine No. 1 is located near Allegany, on the west side of Jennings Run, on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. It is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large fan and as a usual thing the air has been found reasonably good, except in some isolated sections. The roof is very bad and requires very careful timbering. The coal is gathered on the interior by horses and electric motors and taken to the main "lyes" and hauled from there to tipple by electric third-rail motors. Drainage is good. During the year 1914 they employed 149 persons and worked 205 days, producing 59,017 tons by pick and 15,125 tons by machine, making a total of 74,142 tons for the year.

NEW YORK MINING COMPANY.

L. J. Aldon, Superintendent.

John Tippen, Mine Foreman. Lawrence Barth, Assistant Foreman.

Union Mine No. 2 is located near Allegany, on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. It is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. The coal is mined by pick. Electric third-rail motors are used to haul the coal from the interior to the dump. Ventilation is produced by a large steam-driven fan and is generally found good. During the year 1914 they employed 161 persons and worked 214 days, producing 103,294 tons of coal.

NEW YORK MINING COMPANY.

L. J. Aldon, Superintendent.

Joseph Finzel, Mine Foreman.

Union Tyson No. 1 is situated directly above Union Mine No. 1, Big Vein. It is a drift with three openings working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. The coal is gathered from the interior by mules and storage battery motor to the head of plane on outside and lowered to bottom of plane, where it is weighed and dumped into Big Vein cars and hauled through Union No. 1, Big Vein Mine, to tipple and loaded in railroad cars and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year they employed 40 persons and worked 194 days, producing 20,780 tons of coal.

NEW CENTRAL COAL COMPANY.

Duncan Sinclair, General Superintendent. Joseph Todd, Mine Foreman, Lonaconing, Md.

Koontz Mine No. 1 is located two miles south of Lonaconing and is a drift opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is furnished by a lrge steam-driven fan and is always found ample for the number of men employed. The coal is gathered on the

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interior by mules to side "lyes" and taken from the mines to the head of plane by an endless rope and stationary engine. The product is shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad George's Creek Division. Drainage and roof good. During the year 1914 they employed 132 persons and worked 236 days, producing 75,985 tons of coal.

NEW CENTRAL COAL COMPANY.

Duncan Sinclair, General Superintendent. Robert Merbaugh, Mine Foreman.

Big Vein Mine No. 2 is located near Lonaconing, Md., on the west side of the George's Creek. It is a drift opening working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a gasdriven fan and air conditions are good. The coal is hauled from the interior with mules to the head of plane and lowered to dump and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad (George's Creek and Cumberland Division). During the year 1914 they employed 36 persons and worked 280 days, producing 22,829 tons of coal.

BARTON AND GEORGE'S CREEK VALLEY COAL COMPANY.

Howard Hitchens, Superintendnt, Frostburg, Md.

Harry Hitchens, Mine Foreman. Robert Duncan, Assistant Foreman.

Carlos Mine is located one mile west of Borden Shaft. It is a slope opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large steam fan and air conditions have always been found good. Drainage is through Mine No. 1 of the Consolidation Coal Company, which empties into the drianage tunnel at Clarysville. During the year 1913 this mine employed 76 persons and worked 270 days, producing 71,433 tons of coal.

SULLIVAN BROTHERS COAL COMPANY.

Jøhn Sullivan, Superintendent.

William J. Sullivan, Mine Foreman.

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Sullivan Mine is located near Eckhart and is working the Upper Sewickley or Tyson seam of coal. It is opened up on the double entry system and ventilation is produced by a large gas-driven fan and is generally good. The coal is gathered on the interior by mules to the side "lyes" and hauled from there to the head of plane-by electric motor and shipped on the Eckhart Branch of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 60 persons and worked 176 days, producing 46,482 tons of coal.

MIDLAND MINING COMPANY.

J. W. P. Somerville, Superintendent, Cumberland, Md. John Askey, Mine Foreman.

Neff Run Mine is located near Midland and is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. Ventilation is by natural means; air holes are driven to the surface and is generally good. The coal is hauled by horses to the head of plane and shipped over the Neff Run Branch of Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 53 persons and worked 251 days, producing 38,022 tons of coal.

MOSCOW AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

J. W. P. Somerville, Superintendent. Edward R. Brennan, Mine Foreman.

Moscow Mine No. 2 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Barton, Md., and is working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. Ventilation is by natural means, air holes being driven to the surface. During the year they only worked a few men and produced 1,506 tons of coal.

MOSCOW AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

J. W. P. Somerville, Superintendent. Edward R. Brennan, Mine Foreman.

Moscow Mine No. 3 is located near Barton, on the west side of the George's Creek, and is working the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot seam of coal. The mine is a drift opening and is very flat, as a result they are troubled with water. Ventilation is produced by a large electric fan and is generally good. During the year 1914 they employed 40 miners and worked 255 days, producing 20,933 tons of coal.

PHOENIX AND GEORGE'S CREEK MINING COMPANY.

John Rankin, Superintendent.

Earnest Schell, Mine Foreman.

Elkhart Mine is located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Reynolds, and is a drift opening working the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot seam of coal. The coal is gathered on the interior by mules and hauled to the plane by a storage battery motor, then lowered to dump and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. Ventilation is by furnace and during certain seasons of the year is bad. During the year they employed 84 persons and worked 159 days, producing 38,891 tons of coal. Than any 12, HP. Maximum Maxim

MARYLAND COAL COMPANY.

Elkins Read, Superintendent, Lonaconing, Md. Harry Berry, Mine Foreman.

The Maryland Coal Company Mines are located on the west side of the George's Creek at Lonaconing and are working the Pittsburg or Big Vein and the Sewickley or Tyson seams of coal. Tyson Mine No. 1 is located directly above the old Kingsland Big Vein Mine. It is a drift opening. The coal is hauled by mules to the head of plane and lowered to dump and shipped over the George's Creek and Cumberland Railroad. Ventilation is produced by a gas-driven fan and is generally good. During the year they employed 79 persons and worked 160 days, producing 25,520 tons of coal. There are only a few men employed working the Big Vein.

BARTON COAL MINING COMPANY.

Joseph T. Conroy, Superintendent, Westernport, Md. John Carey, Mine Foreman.

Masco Mine No. 1 is located on the east side of the George's Creek, at Reynolds, on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Rail-

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road. It is a drift opening working the Lower Freeport seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large steam fan and is generally good, considering the nature of this coal, which is very hard and requires lots of powder to work it. At times it is found smokey. The coal is gathered by mules and hauled to the dump and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year they employed 53 persons and worked 263 days, producing 24,711 tons of coal. A new scales and scale-house were built during the year and an extension to tipple, with screens, also new boiler house and general improvements in and around the mines.

ALLEGANY COAL COMPANY.

Edwin J. Roberts, Superintendent, Westernport, Md.

Tacoma Mine No. 1 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, at Franklin, and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot seam of coal. Ventilation is by furnace and is generally good, as there are several openings to assist the furnace. The coal is mined by pick and hauled by mules to the tipple and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 26 persons and worked 103 days, producing 12,844 tons of coal.

CHAPMAN COAL COMPANY.

John D. Frenzel, Superitendent, Barton, Md.

The Chapman Coal Company is operating a series of openings at Barton, Md., working the Pittsburg or Big Vein and the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot and the Little Pittsburg seams of coal. There were only a small number employed in each opening during the year, except the Barton four-foot, where there were employed 62 persons and worked 115 days, producing 23,000 tons of coal. Ventilation is by fan and is good, considering the nature of this coal, which is very hard and expensive to work. The miner has to use an excessive amount of powder to work his coal, making his working place very smokey. The company is supposed to maintain a proper and lawful width, also a sufficient height for mules, and in order to do this the roof rock has to be dynamited, which is very expensive. I have been informed by the management that owing to this expensive work and the high rate imposed by the new compensation law, they will be unable to operate their mines and will have to close down.

AMERICAN COAL COMPANY.

J. T. Dobbie, Superintendent, Lonaconing, Md. William Russell, Mine Foreman.

Caledonia Mine is located on the west side of the George's Creek, at Barton, and are working three drift openings in the Sewickley or Tyson seams of coal. Ventilation is by natural means and is fair. During the year they employed 43 personss and only worked 49 days, producing 7,456 tons of coal. The company abandoned work early in the year 1914.

CUMBERLAND AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

Thomas S. Harris, Superintendent, Westernport, Md.

Penn Mines Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 are located on the west side of the George's Creek, near Franklin, and is working the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot. Ventilation is produced by a large steam fan and is well distributed throughout the mines. Mule haulage of There are four drift openings and each was intended to be a large operation, as there are lots of close coal and a large tonnage could be gotten, and it is practically water level and they have the very best of siding facilities for handling coal. (This mine has not been shipping any coal for some years. The output is used for locomotives on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 11 persons and worked 200 days, producing 5,192 tons of coal.

DAVIS COAL AND COKE COMPANY.

C. Tibbets, Superintendent, Beyrl, W. Va. Harry Wilson, Mine Foreman.

Mine No. 52 of the Davis Coal and Coke Company is situated east of Bloomington, and while the coal is mined in Allegany, the dump is in Garrett County, and shipped by the Western Maryland Railroad. It is a drift opening working the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot. This is a new opening and has only been working a short time, employing 26 persons and producing 9,446 tons of coal.

STANTON AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

Louis Stanton, Superintendent, Frostburg, Md.

Stanton Mine is located on the west side of Braddock's Run, one mile south of Clareysville, on the old National Road. It is a drift opening working the Kittanning seam of coal. The coal is mined by pick and hauled to the "lyes" by mules and sent from there by tail rope to the head of plane, where it is lowered to tipple and loaded into railroad cars and shipped over the Eckhart Branch of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. Ventilation is by a large steam fan and is good. This mine has only worked a short-time during the year 1914, employed 17 men and produced 2,254 tons of coal.

MARYLAND AND GEORGE'S CREEK COAL COMPANY.

William Ramsay, Superintendent.

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Thomas Higgans, Mine Foreman.

Mertens Mines Nos. 1 and 2 are locted two and one-half miles east of Frostburg, and near Vale Summit, and ships over teh George's Creek and Cumberland Railroad. The coal seams worked here are the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot and the Parker. The main heading is driven through the Davis Mountain and is the only opening working the Davis six-foot in the upper end of George's Creek Cumberland Basin. Ventilation is produced by a large fan run by compressed air and is good. During the year they had 20 men employed and worked only about 60 days and produced 3,600 tons of coal.

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FITZPATRICK COAL COMPANY.

(Formerly the Piedmont Coal Company.)

John Fitzpatrick, Superintendent.

Patrick Green, Mine Foreman.

Pekin Mine No. 1 is located on the west side of the George's Creek, at Pekin, and is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. The coal is hauled from the mine by a small locomotive over a long tram road to the head of plane, over which the coal is lowered and dumped into railroad cars and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. Ventilation is by natural means. During the year 1914 they employed 11 persons and worked 265 days, producing 5,948 tons of coal.

HOFFA BROTHERS COAL COMPANY.

Arthur P. Hoffa, Superintendent, Barton, Md.

The Hoffa Mines Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, known as the old Potomac Big Vein, is located one mile east of Barton. There are four drift openings working in the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. This mine was abandoned by the former operators, who deemed what coal remained was lost, but from present indications the new management will recover a great amount of good Big Vein coal. The coal is hauled over a long tram road to the dump at the town of Barton and shipped over the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad.

LOCAL MINES IN ALLEGANY COUNTY.

During the year ending December 31, 1914, the local coal mines in Allegany County employed 19 persons and produced 15,547 tons of coal.

JACOB MILLER AND SONS FUEL MINES.

James H. Miller, Manager.

The Miller Mine is located one mile east of Lonaconing and is a drift opening working the Pittsburg or Big Vein seam of coal. The product is used around Lonaconing. During the year they produced 4,000 tons of coal.

SAMUEL SMITH FUEL MINES.

Samuel Smith Mine is located at Midlothian, Md., and is a drift working the Big Vein seam of coal. During the year they employed two men and produced 2,708 tons of coal.

ANDREW SPEARS FUEL MINES.

Spears Mine is located about two miles northwest of Lonaconing and is a drift opening working the Big Vein seam of coal. The product is used around Lonaconing. During the year 1914 they produced 2,028 tons of coal.

WILLIAM BARNES AND SON FUEL MINES.

Barnes Mine is located at Midlothian and is a drift opening working the Big Vein seam of coal. During the year 1914 they employed three persons and produced 2,095 tons of coal.

BORDEN FUEL MINES.

Robert Griffith, Manager.

The Borden Fuel Mines is located northeast of Frostburg and is a drift opening working the Big Vein seam of coal. The production from this mine is used around Frostburg for domestic use. During the year 1914 they employed four men and produced 2,302 tons of coal.

BRODE MINE.

Solomon Brode, Manager.

The Brode Mine is located near Frostburg and is a drift opening working the Big Vein seam of coal. During the year 1914 they employed three persons and produced 1,240 tons of coal.

BRAILER FUEL MINES.

David Brailer, Manager, Mt. Savage, Md.

The Brailer Mine is located about two and one-half miles northeast of Mt. Savage and is a drift opening working the Big Vein seam of coal. During the year 1914 they employed two men and produced 850 tons of coal.

MILLER FUEL MINES.

Robert Miller, Manager, Westernport, Md.

Miller Fuel Mine is located near Westernport and is a drift opening. The product is used around Westernport for domestic use. 324 tons were produced for the year 1914.

DESCRIPTION OF MINES IN GARRETT COUNTY.

BLAINE MINING COMPANY.

James G. Boyd, General Manager, Potomac Manor, W. Va. George L. Campbell, Mine Foreman. George Boyd, Engineer and Assistant Foreman.

Mines Nos. 1 and 2 of the Blaine Mining Company are situated on the west side of the Potomac River, at Potomac Manor, along the main line of the Western Maryland Railroad, and are drift openings working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot. It is the largest operation

in Garrett County in point of production and number of men employed. During the year ending Decmber 31, 1914, they employed 165 persons and worked 216 days, producing 160,607 tons of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large 12-foot fan and is good. The coal is hauled from the interior by electric motors to the head of plane, where it is lowered and dumped into railroad cars and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad. Roads and drainage is good in all the important working sections of the mine. The timbering is well looked after. No expense is spared to meet the requirements of the State mining law in every respect.

DAVIS COAL AND COKE COMPANY.

R. P. Maloney, General Manager. George Roberts, Superintendent. Thomas Griffith, Mine Foreman.

The Kempton shaft of the Davis Coal and Coke Company is located in the southwest corner of Garrett County, Maryland. It is a shaft operation and is sunk to a depth of 420 feet. It is operating in the Lower Kittanning coal, and this coal runs from $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $5\frac{1}{2}$ feet in height, and while there is some bottom coal under the bottom binder, this is not worked only in cases where it is required for height.

This plant has a steel head-frame, and the cars are caged automatically on the bottom with a patented device, and the cages are selfdumping, and the coal is dumped into a 600-ton steel bin, and loaded from the bin into the railroad cars, having two loading tracks.

The main hoist house is a brick building, absolutely fire-proof, and the hoist is driven electrically, it being a 400 H. P. Allis-Chalmers motor, three phase, alternating current. This shaft is capable, when fully developed, to hoist 2,000 tons of coal per day. There is also a second hoist, which is used to hoist men and lower material into the mine. This is driven by a 100 H. P. alternating current motor.

The A. C. current is generated at the Central Power Station at Thomas, West Virginia, and carried a distance of seven miles to this plant, and the D. C. power used on the inside for locomotives and D. C. pumps is generated by synchronous converters, there being two of these. The water is pumped from this mine by two four-stage bronze Platt pumps, driven by 200 H. P. motors, and capable of pumping 1,000 gallons each per mine. The mine is ventilated by a Robinson fan capable of producing 150,000 cubic feet per minute against a three-inch water column. This is driven by a 37½ 75 H. P. motor and is a silent chain drive.

All buildings in connection with this plant, such as fan building, sub-station, blacksmith shop and hoist houses are fire-proof, being all brick and roofed with asbestos shingles. There is a shop at this point which contains a lathe, shaper, pipe machines, circular saws, planers, etc., and is well equipped in every respect to do the regular repair work that is required around a mining plant.

The town at this point is nicely laid out, there being fifty houses there at the present, but there are more to be built in the early spring. All these houses are single type, there being no double houses at this town. The streets are lighted by electric lights, and there are cement streets throughout the town. There are two types of houses, one a fourroom single house and the other a six-room single house. These houses have tile foundations and are roofed with asbestos shingles.

The water supply is gotten from a ring in the material shaft above the coal measures, and is pumped from there by a pump driven by an A. C. motor to a 36,000-gallon tank on the hill above the town, and flows from there by gravity to fire plugs and hydrants which are conveniently located to the houses.

This mine is producing 250 to 300 tons per day, and there are no rooms turned off of any of the headings, and this tonnage is all gotten from headings alone. This mine is capable at the present time of producing 700 or 800 tons per day with the development that they now have there.

GARRETT COUNTY COAL AND MINING COMPANY.

George C. McFarland, Superintendent, Barnum, W. Va. Howard B. Kight, Mine Foreman. Charles H. Jones, Assist. Foreman.

Dodson Mines Nos. 1, 3 and 5 are located at Dodson, on the northwest side of the Potomac River, along the main line of the Western Maryland Railroad, and are drift openings working the Upper and Lower Kittanning seams of coal. Ventilation in Nos. 1 and 3 is produced by a large steam fan and is generally good. The coal is gathered on the interior by mules to the side "lyes," then hauled to head of plane by gasoline motors. Mine No. 5 is ventilated by natural means and is fair. This opening is working in the Upper Kittanning seam and in fair. This opening is working in the Upper Kittanning seam and is the only one in Garrett County. During the year 1914 they employed 124 persons and worked 210 days, producing 91,164 tons of coal.

POTOMAC VALLEY COAL COMPANY.

R. H. Wilson, Superintendent, Chaffee, W. Va.

Louise Mine is located on the west side of the Potomac River, at Chaffee, along the main line of the Western Maryland Railroad, and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot seam of coal. Ventilation is by furnace. This is a new development opened in 1914. All work is done by labor. During the year they employed 11 persons and worked 206 days, producing 1,000 tons of coal.

POTOMAC VALLEY COAL COMPANY.

D. T. Purcell, Superintendent, Kitzmiller, Md. M. C. Pritts, Mine Foreman.

"Peerless Mine No. 1 is located one and one-half miles north of Kitzmiller, on the northwest side of the Potomac River. There are three drift openings working the Upper Freeport seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a large gas-driven fan and conditions have always been found good. The coal is gathered by mules to the side tracks and hauled to the head of plane by gasoline motors. Roads and drainage are good and working places well, supplied with timber. During the year 1914 they employed 95 persons and worked 212 days, producing 60,421 tons of coal.

PATTISON COAL COMPANY.

Carroll Pattison, Superintendent, Bloomington, Md.

Pattison Mines Nos. 1 and 2 are located about one mile west of Bloomington, Md., on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and are drift openings working the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot and Lower Kittanning seams of coal. Mine No. 1 is ventilated by a steam-

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driven fan and is generally good. The return air from this mine is conducted into the Brydon Mine of the Bloomington Coal Company, which opening serves an an outlet. Opening No. 2 is located directly above No. 1 opening and is reached by a long plane and tram road over which the coal is taken and shipped over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. Ventilation is by natural means. During the year 1914 they employed 48 persons and worked 200 days, producing 27,844 tons of coal.

BLOOMINGTON COAL COMPANY.

Richard Brydon, Superintendent, Bloomington, Md. Charles Brendlen, Mine Foreman.

Bloomington Mine is located near Bloomington, Md., on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot seam of coal. Ventilation is by fan, located at Pattison Mine, and is generally good. Haulage by mules and locomotive. The product is shipped over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. During the year they employed 14 persons and worked 275 days, producing 12,000 tons of coal.

HAMILL COAL AND COKE COMPANY.

R. A. Smith, Superintendent, Blaine, W. Va. W. D. Walker, Mine Foreman.

Hamill Mines Nos. 1 and 2 are located one mile southwest of Kitzmiller are are drift openings working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot seam of coal. Ventilation is produced by a 12-foot gas-driven fan and conditions are generally good. The coal is mined by pick and hauled to the surface by mules and dumped into a large storage bin and there loaded into two buckets and conveyed by aerial tramway across the Fotomac River, a distance of 900 feet, to the railroad tipple and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad. During the year 1914 they employed 97 persons and worked 194 days, producing 79,000 tons of coal.

MONROE COAL MINING COMPANY.

George C. McFarland, Superintendent, Barnum, W. Va. R. L. Kight, Mine Foreman.

Elk Run Mines Nos. 1 and 3 are located at Barnum, on the west side of the Potomac River, and are drift openings working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot and the Bakerstown or Barton four-foot seams of coal. No. 1 is ventilated by a large steam fan and is fair. The coal is mined by pick and gathered on the interior by mules to the side tracks and from there it is hauled to the tipple and loaded into railroad cars and shipped over the Western Maryland Railroad. Mine No. 3 is located directly above Mine No. 1 and is working the Bakerstown seam of coal. It is a drift opening and is reached by a long plane over which the coal is lowered to the tipple at No. 1. The coal is mined by pick. Ventilation is by a large fan driven by compressed air and is good. During the year they employed 73 persons and worked 167 days, producing 33,487 tons of coal.

CHAFFEE COAL COMPANY.

Sheridan Stottlemeyer, Superintendent. Rutherford Stottlemeyer, Mine Foreman.

Chaffee Mine is located on the northwest side of the Potomac River, two and one-half miles from Chaffee station, on the main line of the Western Maryland Railroad, and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot seam of coal. It is worked on the doubleentry system with fan ventilation and is generally good. The coal is mined by pick and hauled by mules to the side tracks and lowered to the head of plane by stationary engine located at back of mine. During the year 1914 they employed 101 persons and worked 207 days, producing 86,672 tons of coal.

L. H. JORDAN COAL COMPANY.

L. H. Jordan, Superintendent, Keyser, W. Va.

Jordan Mine is situated about one mile west of Branard, on the main line of the Western Maryland Railroad, and is a slope working the Upper Freeport seam of coal. The mine is reached by a tram road with an incline over which the coal is lowered from the mine to the tipple by a stationary engine. Ventilation is by a steam fan and is fair. This is a small operation and only employs a small number of men. 3,000 tons were mined during the year 1914.

AJAX CONSOLIDATED COAL COMPANY.

R. J. Ross, Superintendent, Blaine, W. Va.

Upper Potomac Mine, operated by the Ajax Consolidated Coal Company, is located at Hubbard, on the main line of the Western Maryland Railroad, and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittanning or Davis six-foot seam of coal, and is reached by a long incline plane from the head of which a tram road leads to the mines. The coal is hauled by mules and a steam locomotive. Ventilation is by a steam-driven fan and is good. Drainage is poor in some sections of the mine. During the year they employed 74 men and produced 8,790 tons of coal. This mine was idle a considerable part of the year.

PATTISON AND BRYDON COAL COMPANY.

Richard Brydon, Superintendent.

Charles Brendlen, Mine Foreman.

Mine No. 7 is located near Bloomington and is a drift opening working the Lower Kittanning seam of coal. Ventilation is by furnace and at times is bad. This is a new opening and a new fan will be installed later. The coal is gathered by mules and taken to the surface and hauled over a long tram road by a steam locomotive to the dump, where it is loaded into railroad cars and shipped over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. During the year they employed 24 persons and worked 275 days, producing 21,500 tons of coal.

CLAY AND FIRE-CLAY MINES IN ALLEGANY COUNTY.

UNION MINING COMPANY FIRE-CLAY MINES.

S. J. Aldon, Superintendent.

Joseph Jenkins, Mine Foreman.

The Union Mining Company Fire-Clay Mines are located about four miles west of Mt. Savage on the Savage Mountain. They are operating four mines, Nos. 5, 6, 7 and Tunnel. The fire clay is loaded into small cars on the interior and hauled by mules to the surface and dumped into larger cars at the head of a long plane and lowered a distance of one mile by gravity, then hauled by a small locomotive a distance of two miles to the yards in Mt. Savage, where it is prepared into all kinds of bricks for the market. Ventilation is by natural means. During the year 1914 they employed 54 persons and produced 33,184 tons of fire clay.

SAVAGE MOUNTAIN FIRE-BRICK COMPANY.

John A. Caldwell, General Manager.

Charles Wolfe, Mine Foreman.

The Savage Mountain Fire-Brick Mine is located about three miles northwest of Frostburg. The clay is gathered on the interior by mules and hauled to the surface. From the mine it is hauled over a long tram road by horses and dumped into a large storage dump, and from there it is loaded into large wagons and transported to the yards in Frostburg and prepared for the market. Ventilation is by natural means; air holes are driven to the surface at intervals. A new air shaft was sunk and stoppings on air courses repaired, making ventilation good throughout the entire mine. The management shows a disposition to fully comply with the State mining laws. During the year 1914 they employed 18 men and produced 10,780 tons of clay.

BIG SAVAGE FIRE-BRICK COMPANY.

Albert Klink, Superintendent.

The Big Savage Fire-Brick Mines are located on the Big Savage Mountain, about three miles northwest of Frostburg. The clay is gathered from the interior by mules and taken to the head of plane, where it is lowered and dumped in a large dump and loaded into large cars and conveyed down the mountain a distance of two and one-half miles by a stationary engine to the brick yards at Allegany, on the main line of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad. Ventilation is by natural means, air holes being driven to the surface. During the year 1914 they employed 33 persons and produced 11,881 tons of clay.

ANDREW RAMSAY CORPORATION.

Andrew Ramsay, President and General Manager, Mt. Savage, Md.

Maryland Mine is a drift opening in the fire-clay seam and is located about two and one-half miles southwest of Ellerslie. This mine did very little work during the year 1914. There were only three men employed and produced 987 tons of clay.

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Died twenty days later, with injured spine. Died shortly after accident; fractured skull. Killed instantly. Died a few hours later; head crushed Killed instantly. Died shortly after accident. Died shortly after accident. Died two hours after accident. Died shortly after accident. Died six days later. Died eight hours later.	Extent of Injury.	

VENTILATION, HAULAGE, IMPROVEMENTS, ETC., IN COAL AND FIRE-CLAY MINES IN ALLEGANY AND GARRETT COUNTIES.

Name of Company.	Name of Mine.	Character of Opening.	Mode of Ventilation.	Kind of Haulage.	No. and Kind Mining Machines.	Improvement during the year 1914.
	Mine No. 1	Slope	Fan	Air motors, rope and horses		
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 2	Drift	Fan	Mules		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 3	Slope	Fan	Air motors, rope and horses		••••
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 4	Slope	Fan	Electric motor, rope, horses	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 6	Slope	Fan	Rope and mules	••••••	Concert immersents
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 7	Slope	Fan	Kope and mules.		General improvements
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 8	Drift	Fan	Stationary engine and norses	2 Con Cutters	General improvements
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 9	Drift	Fan	Electric motor and mules		General improvements.
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 10	Shaft	Fan	Electric motor and mules		Concrete overcasts
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 12	Shaft	Fan	Air motors and horses		See Description of Mines
Consolidation Coal Co	Mine No. 13	Drift	Fan	Horses and plane		See Description of Mines
Diadmont & George's Creek Coal Co.	Washington No. 1	Drift	Fan	Horses and plane	·····	No improvements
Piedmont & George's Creek Coal Co.	Washington No. 2.	Drift	Fan	Electric motor and mules		General improvements
Piedmont & George's Creek Coal Co	Washington No. 3	Drift	Fan	Gasoline motor and mules	E Cull T Wall	General improvements
Piedmont & George's Creek Coal Co	Washington No. 5	Drift	Fan	Electric motor and plane	1 Sull Chain	News
New York Mining Co	Union No. 1	Drift	Fan	Mules and plane S Battery Motor	i buii. Ollam	None
New York Mining Co	Union No. 1, Tyson.	Drift	Fan	Electric motor and horses		General improvements.
New York Mining Co	Union No. 2	Drift	Fan	Horses		None
George's Creek Coal Co., Inc.	Mine No. 1 Tyson	Drift	Fan	Electric motor and mules		General improvements
George's Ureek Coal Co., Inc	Mine No 2 Tyson	Drift	Fan	Mules		Installed gas fan
George's Creek Coal Co., Inc.	Mine No. 3 Tyson.	Drift	Fan	Mules		General improvements
George's Creek Coal Co. Inc	Mine No. 4 Tyson.	Drift	Fan	Mules	••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	Opened 1912
George's Creek Coal Co., Inc	Mine No. 12	Drift	Natural	Horses	•••••••	None
George's Creek Coal Co., Inc	Mine No. 13	Drift	Natural	Horses		None
Maryland Coal Co.	Mines Nos. 9 and 12	Drifts	Natural	Horses and plane	***************************************	Conoral improvements
Maryland Coal Co	Mine No. 1 Tyson	Drift	Fan	Horses and plane.		General improvements
Maryland Coal Co	Mine No. 2 Tyson	Drift	Furnaça	Horses and plane.		
Maryland Coal Co	Waynesburg	Drift	Furnace	Rone plane and mules		Installed new fan
New Central Coal Co	Koontz-Tyson	Drift	Fan	Horses and plane		
New Central Coal Co	Colodonia	Drift	Natural	Horses and plane		None
American Coal Co.	Caledonia-Tyson	Drift	Natural	Locomotive, horses and plane		New opening
Cumbonland Basin Coal Co	Parker	Drift	Fan	Electric motor and mules	3 Con Cutters	Idle during 1914.
Cumberland Basin Coal Co	Bond	Slope	Fan	Mules		Idle during 1914
Midland Mining Co	Neff Run	Drift	Natural	Horses and plane		Name
Barton & George's Creek Coal Co	Carlos	Slope	Fan	Kope and horses.		None
Moscow-George's Creek Mining Co	Moscow No. 2	Drift	Natural	Mules		General improvements.
Moscow-George's Creek Mining Co	Moscow No. 3	Drift	Fan	Gasoline motor rone and mules		denetur improvolution of the
Maryland-George's Creek Coal Co	Mertens	Drift	Natural	Locomotive and horses and plane		New opening
Fitzpatrick Coal Co	Pekin	Drift	Fan	Horses and plane		New opening
Chapman Coal Co	Fikhart	Drift	Furnace	Mules and plane		None
Devia Cool & Colto Co	Buyton	Drift	Fan	Mules and plane	<mark></mark>	None
Cumberland & George's Creek Coal Co	Penn	Drift,	Fan	Mules and plane	·····	None
Maryland Coal & Iron Co	Trotter Run	Drift	Fan	Gas motor and mules	••••	Installed boller, sank air shait 204 It.
Franklin Coal Co	Faheys	Drift	Fan	Mules	••••••••••••••••	Installed a new 10 ft gas fan
Sullivan Coal Co	Sullivan	Drift ,	Fan	Mules and plane		None
Bowery Coal Co	Big Vein	Drift	Natural	Mulos		Ten new cars
Bowery Coal Co	Tyson	Drift	Furnace	Mules		New opening
Allegany Coal Co	Tacoma	Drift	Fan	Mules		Blacksmith shop, fan and scale house
Barton Coal Mining Co	Masco					
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						Conoral improvements
Big Savage Fire-brick Co	Davis 6-ft	Drift	Natural	Homog		General improvements.
Brailer Coal Co	Brailer	Drift	Natural	Horses		None
Samuel H. Smith	Smith Mine	Drift	Natural	Horses		None
Solomon Brode	Brode Mine	Drift	Natural	Horses		General improvements
William H. Barnes.	Barnes Mine	Drift	Natural	Horses		New opening
Jacob Miller.	Randon Minog	Drift	Natural	Horses		Opened 1912
Borden Fuel Mines.	Borden Milles	Dille				
			GARRETT	COUNTY.		
		D : 64	For	Electric motor and mules		
Blaine Mining Co	Potomac Manor	Drift	Fan	Gasoline motors and mules.		Installed gasoline motors
Garrett County Coal Mining Co	Dodson Nos. 1 and 4	Drifts	Fans	Gasoline motors and mules		Installed gasoline motors
Potomac Valley Coal Co	Peerless 1, 2 and 3.	Drifts	Fan and natural.	Mules		General improvements
Patterson Uoal Uo	Mine Nos 1 and 2	Drifts	Fans	Ponies		General improvements
Hamill Cool & Colto Co	Hamill 1 and 9	Drifts	Fans	Mules	••••••	General improvements
Mannaa Canl Co	Mine Nos 1 and 3	Drifts	Fan	Gasoline motor		None
Chaffee Coal Co	Chaffee	Drift	Fan	Gasoline motor		
Davis Coal & Coke Co.	Kempton No. 52	Shaft	Fan	Electric motor		None
Barnard Coal Co.	Stoyer No. 1	Drift	Fan	Mules		Tipple repaired
S. H. Jordan Coal Co	Deal	Slope	Fan	Mules		None
Cutchall & Gates	Nethkin	Drift	Natural	Mules locomotive and plane		Repaired tipple and plane
Ajax Coal Co	Hubbard	Drift	T. Still	ALATON TO VALOUTO WAR PROTOCTICITATION		

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Union Mining Co Savage Mountain Fire-brick Co Big Savage Fire-brick Co Andrew Ramsey Co	Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8 Drifts Mine No. 5 Drift Mine Nos. 1 and 2 Drift Mine No. 1 Drift	Natural and Fan Natural Natural Natural Natural	Mules, locomotive and plane Mules and tramroad Mules and tramroad Mules and tramroad	Genera Genera Genera New c	l improvements l improvements l improvements pening

STATISTICS OF THE PRODUCTION OF COAL AND FIRE CLAY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1914. FOR ALLEGANY AND GARRETT COUNTIES.

			1	Employees at the Mines.					OUTPUT	IN TONS.			
NAME OF COMPANY.	NAME OF MINE.	VEIN OF COAL BEING WORKED.	Miners:	Drivers.	Iņside Laborers.	Outside Laborers.	Total.	Days Worked During Year.	Pick Mined.	Machine Mined.	Total Output.	Kind and Number of Mining Machines.	
Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Incorporated. George's Creek Coal Company. Incorporated. George's Creek Coal Company. Incorporated. George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. New Central Coal Company. Maryland Coal Company. Maryland Coal Company. Maryland Coal Company. Maryland Coal Company. Maryland Coal Company. Chapman Coal Mining Company. Chapman Coal Co	Consolidated No. 1 Consolidated No. 2 Consolidated No. 3 Consolidated No. 4 Consolidated No. 6 Consolidated No. 7 Consolidated No. 7 Consolidated No. 9 Consolidated No. 9 Consolidated No. 10 Consolidated No. 11 Consolidated No. 12 Consolidated No. 13 George's Creek No. 1 George's Creek No. 2 George's Creek No. 3 George's Creek No. 4 George's Creek No. 1 George's Creek No. 1 George's Creek No. 2 Washington No. 1 Washington No. 1 Washington No. 2 Washington No. 3 Washington No. 5 Union No. 1 Union No. 1 Union No. 1 Koontz No. 2 Big Vein No. 2 Sullivan Elkhart Neff Run Moscow No. 3 Big Vein Tyson Masco No. 1 Biue Bell Swanton Tacoma Caledonia Pekin No. 1 Penn Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Potomac Stanton Mertins	Pittsburg or Big Vein. Sewickley or Tyson. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Sewickley or Tyson. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Kittanning or Davis 6-Ft. Sewickley or Tyson. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewickley or Tyson. Sewi	$\begin{array}{c} 353\\ 19\\ 448\\ 70\\ 19\\ 336\\ 98\\ 160\\ 89\\ 65\\ 226\\ 48\\ 130\\ 20\\ 48\\ 34\\ 30\\ 4\\ 17\\ 141\\ 38\\ 72\\ 118\\ 114\\ 32\\ 100\\ 30\\ 60\\ 46\\ 65\\ 41\\ 2\\ 31\\ 9\\ 50\\ 45\\ 10\\ 7\\ 50\\ 21\\ 33\\ 8\\ 8\\ 4\\ 10\\ 12\\ \end{array}$	30 2 24 7 2 16 10 13 6 17 4 10 2 3 4 1 1 2 5 1 1 1 8 5 1 4 1 2 5 1 1 1 8 5 1 4 1 2 5 1 1 1 1 8 5 1 7 4 1 0 2 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	57 1 77 17 17 2 23 15 14 6 9 25 1 9 1 3 4 1 1 1 4 2 3 3 2 4 7 1 6 1 4 2 3 3 2 4 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	$\begin{array}{c} 60\\ 2\\ 48\\ 25\\ 3\\ 46\\ 15\\ 20\\ 11\\ 23\\ 24\\ 7\\ 20\\ 12\\ 23\\ 16\\ 34\\ 212\\ 23\\ 16\\ 34\\ 212\\ 29\\ 6\\ 10\\ 4\\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ $	$\begin{array}{c} 500\\ 24\\ 597\\ 119\\ 26\\ 421\\ 138\\ 207\\ 112\\ 103\\ 292\\ 60\\ 169\\ 24\\ 56\\ 43\\ 35\\ 68\\ 116\\ 149\\ 161\\ 40\\ 132\\ 36\\ 76\\ 60\\ 84\\ 53\\ 2\\ 40\\ 9\\ 9\\ 69\\ 53\\ 12\\ 8\\ 62\\ 26\\ 43\\ 11\\ 11\\ 8\\ 15\\ 20\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 282\\ 282\\ 291\\ 284\\ 208\\ 286\\ 287\\ 283\\ 283\\ 283\\ 283\\ 284\\ 196\\ 63\\ 188\\ 188\\ 280\\ 63\\ 254\\ 198\\ 176\\ 219\\ 205\\ 214\\ 198\\ 176\\ 219\\ 205\\ 214\\ 198\\ 176\\ 219\\ 205\\ 214\\ 194\\ 236\\ 280\\ 270\\ 176\\ 159\\ 251\\ \dots\\ 255\\ 100\\ 160\\ 236\\ 60\\ 45\\ 115\\ 103\\ 49\\ 265\\ 200\\ 5\\ 37\\ 35\\ \end{array}$	401,194 10,886 439,256 80,309 16,195 347,912 114,034 105,027 69,813 59,359 285,442 48,639 105,923 34,617 26,313 41,953 2,186 116,852 27,185 21,790 59,017 103,294 20,780 75,985 22,829 71,433 46,482 38,891 38,022 1,506 20,933 9,520 16,000 24,711 1,445 1,260 23,000 12,844 7,456 5,948 5,192	14,276	$\begin{array}{c} 401,194\\ 10,886\\ 439,256\\ 80,309\\ 16,195\\ 347,912\\ 114,034\\ 119,303\\ 69,813\\ 59,355\\ 285,442\\ 48,635\\ 105,923\\ 8,968\\ 34,617\\ 26,313\\ 41,953\\ 2,186\\ 15,215\\ 116,852\\ 27,185\\ 68,082\\ 74,142\\ 103,294\\ 20,780\\ 75,985\\ 22,829\\ 71,433\\ 46,482\\ 38,891\\ 38,022\\ 1,506\\ 20,933\\ 9,520\\ 16,000\\ 24,711\\ 1,445\\ 1,260\\ 23,000\\ 16,000\\ 24,711\\ 1,445\\ 1,260\\ 23,000\\ 12,844\\ 7,456\\ 5,948\\ 5,192\\ \dots\\ 2,254\\ 3,600\\ \end{array}$	One Sullivan Continuous Cutter.	
		LOCAL COAL MINES	IN ALI	LEGANY	COUNT	ΓY.							
Jacob Miller & Sons. Samuel Smith Robert Griffith Wm. H. Barnes & Son Andrew Spears Solomon Brode. David Brailer. Robert Miller	Miller's Smith's Borden Barnes Spears Brode Brailer Miller	Pittsburg or Big Vein. Pittsburg or Big Vein. Pittsb	3 2 2 2 2 2 2 3390 Dec'e 275	 1 264 Dec'e 72	··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··	1 506 Dec'e 23	3 2 4 3 2 2 2 4534 Decr'se 357	250 250 153 150 175 150 150 10,966 Av'ge 206	4,000 2,708 2,302 2,095 2,028 1,240 850 324 2,991,878 Decrease 532,772	90,831 Incr'e 15,735	4,000 2,708 2,302 2,095 2,028 1,240 850 324 3,082,709 Decrease 516,037		
		GARRETT COUNTY PRODU	CTION	FOR T	HE YEA	AR 191	4.						
Blaine Mining Company. Blaine Mining Company. Garrett County Coal and Mining Company. Garrett County Coal and Mining Company. Garrett County Coal and Mining Company. Monroe Coal Mining Company. Monroe Coal Mining Company. Monroe Coal Mining Company. Monroe Coal Mining Company. Hamill Coal and Coke Company. Pattison and Brydon Coal Company. Bloomington Coal Company. G. C. Pattison Coal Company. Chaffee Coal Company. Potomac Valley Coal Company. Potomac Valley Coal Company. Davis Coal and Coke Company.	Mine No. 1. Mine No. 2. Dodson No. 1. Dodson No. 3. Dodson No. 5. Elk Run No. 1. Elk Run No. 3. Hamill Nos. 1 and 2. Number Seven New Opening. Pattison Chaffee Peerless Louise Mine No. 52	Lower Kittanning. Lower Kittanning. Lower Kittanning. Upper Kittanning. Wittanning or Davis 6-Ft. Bakertown or Birton 4-Ft. Kittanning or Davis 6-Ft. Lower Kittanning. Lower Kittanning. Bakertown and Kittanning. Upper Freeport. Lower Kittanning. Bakertown or Barton 4-Ft.	$\begin{array}{c} 103\\ 17\\ 40\\ 30\\ 17\\ 25\\ 23\\ 75\\ 20\\ 8\\ 34\\ 65\\ 70\\ .\\ 12\\ \end{array}$	14 1 6 3 2 3 3 10 2 1 7 12 10 3	9 2 5 2 1 4 2 6 1 1 5 5 10 7	18 1 8 5 2 8 7 6 1 5 6 19 10 1 4	144 21 59 43 22 38 35 97 24 14 48 101 95 11 26	216 216 210 210 210 167 167 194 275 275 200 207 212 206 168	149,875 10,732 75,664 15,500 17,424 16,063 79,000 21,500 12,000 27,844 88,672 60,421 1,000 9,446		$149,875 \\ 10,732 \\ 75,664 \\ 15,500 \\ 17,424 \\ 16,063 \\ 79,000 \\ 21,500 \\ 12,000 \\ 27,844 \\ 88,672 \\ 60,421 \\ 1,000 \\ 9,446 \\ \end{array}$		

Davis Coal and Coke Company	Kempton No 42	Lower Kittanning		<u></u>	10 1	00	00	100	0,010		0,010	
A av Consolidated Coal Company	Upper Potomac	Kittanning or Davis 6-Ft		4	2	17	74	100	8,790		8,790	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
L. H. Jordan	Jordan	Lower Freeport		1		1	8	200	3,000		3,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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		Garrett County Totals	626	90	79	157	946	3,593	605,901		605,901	
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			Inc'e	Inc'e	Inc'e	Inc'e	Inc'e	Av. d's	Decrease		Decrease	
				· `								
		Decrease Under 1913	123	19	44	63	247	211	34,996		34,996	
		Total for State		3 54	455	663	5480	14,559	3,597,779	90,831	3,688,611	
		Decrease for State Under 1913	3	-			1				551,033	
											Gr. Tons.	

PRODUCTION OF FIRE-CLAY MINES IN ALLEGANY COUNTY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1914.

Union Mining Company	Mine No. 5	Fire-clay			10	3	8	1	22	270	20,383		20,383	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Union Mining Company.	Mine No. 6	Fire-clay			4	2	3	1	10	270	6,312		6,312	
Union Mining Company	Mine No. 7	Fire-clay			15	5	2	2	19	270	5,053		5,053	
Union Mining Company	Tunnell	Fire-clay			3				3	270	1,436		1,436	
Savage Mountain Fire-brick Company	Mine No. 5	Fire-clay			12	2	4 .		18	270	10,780		10,780	
Big Savage Fire-brick Company		Fire-clay			19	3		- 1·1	33	250	11,881		11,881	
Andrew Ramsay Corporation	Maryland	Fire-clay	• • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • •	2	1			3	294	987		987	
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TABLE OF NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS FOR ALLEGANY AND GARRETT COUNTIES FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 30,1915.

No. Date.	Name of Injured.	Occupation.	Age. Married or Single.	Days Lost.	No. in Family.	Nationality.	Residence.	Nature of Injury.	Cause of Accident.	Name of Miné	Name of Company.
1 May 12, 1914 2 May 25, 1914 3 May 7, 1914 4 May 16, 1914 5 May 25, 1914 6 May 29, 1914 7 May 16, 1914 8 May 29, 1914	Patrick Monehon. William Wilson Henry Conor. Urias Rowe. George Schell J. W. Rupp Frank Arnold. Robert Cook. Jr	Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Driver	46Married18Single27Married36Married18Single21Single29Married54Married	23	5 I S 3 A A 2 A	rish American American American American American American	Frostburg, Md Lonaconing, Md Frostburg, Md Lord, Md Frostburg, Md Eckhart, Md Beechwood Md	Arm and face hurt. Foot cut. Foot hurt. Leg broken. Eye hurt. Finger mashed. Knee hurt. Back hurt	By cars. Stepped on rail. By rock. Fall of coal. Struck by pick. By car. Fell on rail. By car.	Consolidation No. Consolidation No. Consolidation No. Consolidation No. Consolidation No. Consolidation No. 1. Consolidation No. 10. Consolidation No. 10.	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
9 May 12, 1914 10 May 16, 1914 12 May 26, 1914 13 May 18, 1914 14 May 30, 1914 15 June 25, 1914 16 June 5, 1914	John Clark. Claude Steel Metzy Embrone. George Marello Joseph Cernone. James Donaldson. John F. Thomas.	Miner Miner Miner Miner Brakeman Machinist	19Single39Single38Single24Single34Single20Single53Married	28 23 17 14	A A It It It It A A	American American talian talian talian Imerican American	Beechwood, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Morantown, Md. Allegany, Md. Borden Shaft, Md.	Hand hurt. Knee hurt. Head cut. Strained Foot hurt. Foot mashed. Ankle sprained.	By car. By car. By fall of coal. Sifting_coal. By fall of slate. By cars. Slipped on brick.	Koontz Koontz Union No. 1. Union No. 1. Union No. 1. Consolidation No. 1.	New Central Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
17 June 9, 1914. 18 June 13, 1914. 19 June 31, 1914. 20 June 24, 1914. 21 June 26, 1914. 22 June 30, 1914. 23 May 18, 1914. 24 June 30, 1914.	William Manely. James V. Nichols. Frank Miller George Gross. Benj. M. Thomas. John T. Clark. Michael Sullivan.	Miner Miner Weigh Clerk. Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner	42 Married 42 Married 31 Married 22 Single 60 Single 59 Married 58 Married 58 Single	23 25	4 II 7 S 4 A A W 3 A 3 A	rish cotch imerican imerican Velsh imerican imerican	Midland, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Frostburg, Md. Midlothian, Md. Frostburg, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Westernport, Md.	Sprained back. Back hurt. Back hurt. Hip and leg hurt. Fingers hurt. Back hurt. Leg hurt.	By car. By fall of coal. By fall of coal. By fall of coal. By car. By fall of rock. By fall of rock.	Consolidation No. Consolidation No. Consolidation No. 6 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 9 Koontz Washington No. 3	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company.
24 June 10, 1914. 25 June 16, 1914. 26 June 12, 1914. 27 June 15, 1914. 28 July 6, 1914. 29 July 17, 1914. 30 July 20, 1914. 31 July 1, 1914	John Guy. Joe Menerici. Pranzo Seppo. Thomas Giles. Joseph Rarrick. Lewis Paff. Archie Green	Miner Miner Miner Trapper Miner Miner Laborer	20 Single 26 Single 38 Single 45 Married 56 Married 62 Single 21 Single	10 11 90 90	$\begin{array}{c} 4 \\ 4 \\ \cdots \\ 5 \\ 10 \\ \cdots \\ 6 \\ 10 \\ \cdots \\ 6 \\ \end{array}$	merican lav talian .merican .merican erman merican	Westernport, Md. Frostburg, Md. Eckhart, Md. Vale Summit, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Gilmore, Md	Head and legs hurt. Head and face hurt. Back and legs hurt. Leg hurt. Finger smashed. Toe hurt. Side hurt. Finger hurt	By fall of rock. By car By fall of rock. By cars. By car By ax By lump of coal.	Washington No. 5 Washington No. 1 Washington No. 2 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 6.	Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
32 July 6, 1914. 33 July 6, 1914. 34 July 9, 1914. 35 July 20, 1914. 36 July 17, 1914. 37 July 38	David Evans Mike Schargon. Stanley Chidester. William Crowe Alvin Neat. Walter Kallmeyer. Joan W. Wilson	Miner Miner Laborer Miner Driver Driver Miner	36 Single 37 Single 20 Single 52 Married 53 Married 30 Married 27 Married	6	A 	merican merican merican merican merican merican	Allegany, Md. Eckhart, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Beechwood, Md. Beechwood, Md.	Finger cut off. Back sprained. Leg hurt. Finger cut off. Foot hurt. Foot hurt. Eve hurt.	By car By car By car By car By car By car By car By car By car By car	Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 10 Consolidation No. 11 Consolidation No. 13 Koontz Koontz Koontz	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. New Central Coal Company.
39 July 27, 1914. 40 July 23, 1914. 41 July 8, 1914. 42 July 9, 1914. 43 August 3, 1914. 44 August 10, 1914. 45 August 20, 1914. 46 August 20, 1914.	Clarence Lucas. John Graco. J. W. Johnson Ardy Baugh. Daniel Wort. John Markel. George Lashbaugh.	Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner	Married 49 Married 26 Married 44 Married 33 Married 58 Married		It 9 A 3 A 5 A 3 A A	alian merican merican merican ustrian merican merican	Allegany, Md. Maysville, Md. Maysville, Md. Frostburg, Md. Eckhart, Md. Lonaconing, Md.	Leg hurt. Foot hurt. Hand hurt. Spine injured. Leg cut.	By fall of rock. By fall of rock. By car and prop. By fall of roof rock. By ax By dather for the second sec	Union No. 1. Union No. 1. Chaffee Consolidation No. 11. Consolidation No. 10. Consolidation No. 8. Consolidation No. 1	New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. Chaffee Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
40 August 29, 191- 47 August 29, 191- 48 August 26, 191- 49 August 26, 191- 50 August 3, 191- 51 August 31, 191- 52 September 19, 1	 Artin Brown, Sr. Lam Wilson, Sr. James Laird. John Faherty. Martin Peck. Di Leo Francesco. Leo Francesco. Elmer Dymer. 	Miner Miner Motorman Miner Miner Miner Mine Foreman Miner	62 Married 44 Married 21 Single 30 Married 40 Single 35 Married 35 Married	 10 91	2 A 3 A 3 A 3 A 1	merican merican merican merican alian merican merican	Frostburg, Md Westernport, Md Westernport, Md Eckhart, Md Frostburg, Md.	Leg hurt and lot crushed. Hand crushed. Finger mashed. Foot hurt. Back and leg hurt. Back and leg hurt.	By fall of breast coal. By car By cars By fall of bone coal. By fall of rock. By moving a machine. By fall of rock	Washington No. 1. Washington No. 1. Washington No. 5. Washington No. 2. Union No. 1. Union No. 2.	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. New York Mining Company.
54 55 56 57 September 4, 1 58 September 16, 1 59 September 21, 1 60 September 7, 1 61 September 21, 1	Jas Koswaid Frank Shea. Fred. Shriver. 1914 William J. Jenkins. 1914 Richard McGuire. 1914 Michael Manley. 1914 Jas. Hansel. 1914 Beni. Morgan	Miner Miner Miner Laborer Laborer Miner Miner	40 Married 26 Single 40 Married 49 Married 22 Single 56 Married 35 Married 39 Single	161 210 56	5 It 5 A: 5 A: 8 A: A: 12 Ir 4 A:	alian	Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Eckhart, Md. Gilmore, Md. Midland, Md. Midland, Md. Frostburg, Md. Lonaconing, Md.	Broken leg. Back and leg hurt, Ribs broken. Hand cut. Foot crushed. Foot injured. Thumb mashed. Shoulder hurt.	By fall of top rock. By fall of top rock. By prop Trimming bar. By car By cars By cars Fell carrying prop	Union No. 2. Union No. 2. Consolidation No. 8. Consolidation No. 8. Consolidation No. 1. Consolidation No. 1.	New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
62 September 25, 1 63 September 25, 1 63 September 28, 1 64 September 28, 1 65 September 22, 1 66 September 23, 1 66 September 23, 1 67 October 14, 191 68 October 2, 191	914 William Teasdale 914 William Condry 914 Aloysius Delaney 914 Chester Smith 914 Cecil Metcalf 4. Edward Fields 4 John Wagner	Miner Laborer Motorman Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner	39 Married 52 Married 25 Married 23 Married 17 Single 21 Single 45 Married	93 47 16 12 24	3 Ai 10 Ai 3 Ai 2 Ai Ai Ai 4 Ai	merican merican merican merican merican merican	National, Md Eckhart, Md Eckhart, Md Westernport, Md Westernport, Md Blaen Avon, Md Frostburg, Md	Foot hurt. Foot hurt. Finger mashed. Fingers mashed. Foot and leg hurt. Hips squeezed. Back hart.	By fall of rock. By cars By motor and car. By fall of rock. By fall of bone coal. By cars By hifting cars	Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 2 Washington No. 2 Washington No. 1 Washington No. 1 Carlos	Consolidation Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Barton and George's Creek Valley Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
69 October 30, 191 70 October 24, 191 71 October 3, 191 72 October 13, 191 73 October 13, 191 74 October 13, 191 75 October 19, 191 76 October 6, 191	 Jacob Kroll. Andrew Liviluiske Joseph Pryor. James McElvie. Jacob Boettner. Patrick McPartland. John Retalich. Martin Rooney. 	Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Rope Rider Driver	46 Married Married 19 Single Single 27 Married Married 37 Married Married 37 Married Married 45 Married Married 18 Single Single	27 26 17	4 Ai 3 Ai 1 Ai 1 Ai 3 Ai 4	merican merican merican merican merican merican merican	Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Eckhart, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Midland, Md. Frostburg, Md.	Ribs broken Finger crushed Hips squeezed. Head and shoulder hurt. Hand hurt. Leg hurt. Leg hurt. Thumb off at joint.	Struck by piece of iron. By car and prop. By can and mule. By fall of coal. By fall of coal. Struck by pick. By rope By hook on car.	Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 4 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 8	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
77 October 30, 191 78 October 10, 191 79 October 2, 191 80 October 31, 191 81 October 26, 191 82 October 15, 191 83 October 15, 191	 Andrew Polley. Carl Pfister. Charles Biddle. Gus Rains. Redge Crowe. Robt. Norton. Harry Finzel. William Blackar. 	Miner Blacksmith Miner Miner Driver Dumpman Miner	48 Married 30 Married 18 Single 35 Married 29 Single 24 Married 18 Single 29 Married	$ \begin{array}{c} 15\\ 19\\ 34\\ 23\\ 10\\ 52 \end{array} $	7 Ai Ai 8 Ai Ai 8 Ai	merican	Morantown, Md. Frostburg, Md. Westernport, Md. Westernport, Md. Eckhart, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Frostburg, Md	Leg hurt. Bone in foot broken. Foot hurt. Arm hurt. Hand hurt. Foot hurt. Foot hurt. Foot hurt.	Squeezed by cars. Struck by motor By fall of rock. Bumped arm against rock. By cars By cars Caught in dump cradle. By caple of weak and agal	Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 12 Washington No. 5 Washington No. 5 Washington No. 2 Koontz	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. New York Mining Company.
85 November 85 November 86 November 87 November 88 November 89 November 90 November 91 November	Chain Blocker 914. Fred. Albelto 914. Wilson Reiber Raymond Blackburn 914. Thos. Fitzpatrick 914. Abraham Lewis. 914. William J. Keating.	Miner Miner Miner Miner Coal Inspector Laborer Miner	30 Married 30 Married 45 Single 50 Married 25 Single 36 Married 49 Married 22 Single	140 27 34 25 35 35	4 Ai 4 Ai 8 Ai 5 Ai Ai	merican alian merican merican merican merican merican	Frostburg, Md. Piedmont, W. Va. Lonaconing, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Eckhart, Md. Lonaconing, Md.	Back and leg hurt. Sprained ankle. Hand cut. Hand hurt. Leg hurt. Leg and back hurt. Foot hurt.	By fall of fock and coal By cars With ax Coupling cars Fell off railroad car Coupling cars By coal falling off car	Union No. 2 Union No. 2 Masco No. 1. Koontz Koontz Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 9	New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. Barton Coal Mining Company. New Central Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
92 November 30, 1 93 November 6, 1 94 November 9, 1 95 November 18, 1 96 November 9, 1 97 November 19, 1 98 December 15, 1 99 December 31, 1	914. John Elliot. 914. John Kidwell. 914. John Kidwell. 914. James Lloyd 914. Albert Watkins 914. Harry Hines. 914. Michael Bush 914. Michael Bush	Miner and Driver. Miner Asst. Foreman Miner Miner Motorman Laborer Tramer	21 Single 29 Married 30 Married 42 Married 26 Single 23 Single 60 Single 16 Single	$ \begin{array}{c} 14 \\ 35 \\ 27 \\ 30 \\ 21 \end{array} $	4 Ei 5 Ai 5 Ai 5 Ai Ai Ai	merican merican merican merican merican merican	Lonaconing, Md Gilmore, Md Eckhart, Md Frostburg, Md Eckhart, Md Dcean, Md	Leg hurt. Wrist sprained. Back sprained. Foot mashed and houlder hurt Hand hurt. Foot hurt. Foot hurt. Hins hurt	By cars By prop and coal By replacing car on track Squeezed between cars By cars By motor and cars By prop Squeezed by motor	Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 8 Consolidation No. 10 Washington No. 2 Washington No. 2 Consolidation No. 1	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
100 December 7, 1 101 December 21, 1 102 December 4, 1 103 December 22, 1 104 December 23, 1 105 December 12, 1 106 December 12, 1 106 December 17, 1	 John W. Williams 914. Mark W. Anderson 914. Richard McGann 914. Andrew Rabatin 914. Ceder Bansinskee 914. Myles Thompson 914. Paul Ricch 	Driver Laborer Miner Miner Laborer Laborer	21 Single 52 Married 26 Married 37 Married 28 Single 47 Married 23 Single	28 28 28 21 21 25 24	7 A1 7 A1 3 A1 H R1 R1 It N	merican merican ungarian ussian merican alian	Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Lord, Md. Lord, Md. Midland, Md. Eckhart, Md.	Hand mashed. Thumb mashed. Eye injured. Hand hurt. Leg hurt. Head and neck hurt. Hand hurt.	By cars By car Powder exploded By wood splinter By cars By cross bar By cars By cars	Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 8 Consolidation No. 8	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
107 December 28, 1 108 December 15, 1 109 December 17, 1 110 December 2, 1 111 December 2, 1 112 December 7, 1 113 January 2, 191 114 January 9, 191	914. Mick Wasco 914. Jessie F. Morrison 914. John F. Conlon 914. Harry Robertson. 914. George Buskey 5. William Westfall 5. Robert Keller	Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Slate Picker Miner	39 Married 22 Single 20 Single 43 Single 25 Married 18 Single 49 Married 24 Married	21 Ind'finite 32 19 12.	A A 5 A A 9 A 2 A	ustrian merican merican merican merican merican	Morantown, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Lonaconing, Md Eckhart, Md. Westernport, Md.	Foot hurt. Upper abdomen hurned. Back and abdomen injured. Foot broken. Back hurt. Back and ribs hurt. Finger hurt. Leg hurt.	Riding motor By fall of rock By fall of rock By fall of rock. By cars By lump of coal. By fall of rock.	Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 10 Consolidation No. 13 Koontz Washington No. 2 Washington No. 5	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. New Central Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company.
115 January 26, 191 116 January 26, 191 117 January 17, 191 118 January 15, 191 119 January 12, 191 120 January 22, 191 120 January 9, 191 121 January 11, 191 120 January 11, 191	15. Santo Susco. Michael Cernone. 15. 15. William Foote. 15. Michael Annone. 15. Walter Mont. 15. Andy Masco. 15. Frank Smith. 15. Frank Smith.	Miner Miper Miner Brakeman Driver Laborer Laborer	36 Married Married	23 117 39 26 9 22 24 7	It 3 A 2 A 3 H 3 H	alian merican .alian merican ustrian ungarian ustrian	Eckhart, Md Morantown, Md Frostburg, Md Mt. Savage, Md Kempton, Md Kempton, Md	Hand hurt. Leg hurt. Fingers mashed. Back hurt. Foot hurt. Left eye lost.	By cars By fall of rock. By fall of rock. By fall of coal. Between roof and car. By rail By blow-out shot	Washington No. 2. Union No. 1. Union No. 1. Union No. 1. Kempton Kempton	Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company New York Mining Company. New Central Coal Company. New York Mining Company. New York Mining Company. Davis Coal and Coke Company. Davis Coal and Coke Company.
122 January 15, 191 123 January 22, 191 124 January 16, 191 125 January 16, 191 126 January 25, 191 126 January 16, 191 127 January 16, 191 127 January 9, 191 128 January 13, 191 129 January 15, 191	 John Seaggil. John Seaggil. John Seaggil. John Seaggil. John Seaggil. John Besyne. 	Cager Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner	24 Married 42 Married 43 Single 28 Married 16 Single 50 Married	35 35 30 21 21 30	3 A A A A A A H	merican merican merican merican merican merican ungarian	Kempton, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Lord, Md.	Body injured. Back and knee hirt. Broken thumb. Broken toe. Bruised knee. Finger hurt. Finger mashed	By cars By fall of rock By fall of coal By fall of coal By fall of coal By fall of coal By car and prop. By car and prop.	Kempton Kempton Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 4 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7	Davis Coal and Coke Company. Davis Coal and Coke Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
130 January 18, 191 131 January 25, 191 132 January 26, 191 133 January 16, 191 134 January 16, 191 135 January 7, 191 136 January 19, 191 136 January 19, 191 137 January 19, 191 136 January 19, 191 137 January 16, 191	 15. George Sagel	Miner Miner Laborer Laborer Miner Miner Laborer Laborer Driver	32 Married 50 Married 48 Married 39 Married 50 Married 19 Single 50 Married 27 Married	30 30 21 28 24 14 28	$\begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 1$	merican merican merican merican merican merican alian erman	Lonaconing, Md Midland, Md Midland, Md Frostburg, Md Frostburg, Md Eckhart, Md	Leg nurt. Hurt about hips. Head cut. Back hurt. Leg hurt. Ankle sprained. Finger hurt. Ribs injured.	By fall of coal	Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 8 Consolidation No. 8 Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 9	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
138 January 27, 19: 139 January 27, 19: 140 January 9, 19: 141 January 22, 19: 142 February 20, 19: 143 February 23, 19: 144 February 23, 19: 145 February 23, 19: 146 February 23, 19: 147 February 23, 19:	 Oscar Plummer Robert Brown Jas. Pollock, Sr James Muncie Samuel Stevenson Samuel Stevenson George Harris 	Laborer Miner Winer Weighmaster Driver Miner Laborer Miner	20 Single 23 Married 72 Married 29 Married 34 Single 46 Married 24 Single 16 Single	42 30 42 30 21 21 18 20	$\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} & \mathbf{A} \\ 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ \mathbf{A} \\ \\ \\ \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{A} \end{array}$	merican	Shaft, Md Frostburg, Md Frostburg, Md Lonaconing, Md Lonaconing, Md Midland, Md Grahamtown, Md	Hand and face birned. Hands and face birned. Finger smashed Head cut, back hirt. Foot hurt. Foot hurt. Bruised and scratched. Side and back hirt.	Powder explosion Powder explosion By fall of coal. Dumped out of cage. By car Struck by prop. Hit by car By fall of roof coal	Consolidation No. 11 Consolidation No. 11 Consolidation No. 12 Consolidation No. 12 Consolidation No. 12 Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 1	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
146 February 16, 19 147 February 20, 19 148 February 22, 19 149 February 21, 19 149 February 11, 19 150 February 13, 19 151 February 4, 19 152 February 6, 19	 915. William Lewis 915. John T. Laughney 915. Jas. H. Scott 915. John Foutz 915. Joe Mahnic 915. Frank Yenshaw 915. Edward Jones. 915. Ward Jones. 	Laborer Driver Motorman Roadman Miner Miner Miner	23 Single 26 Single 33 Married 56 Married 21 Single 21 Single 42 Married	35 21 42 28 45 28 39	A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	merican merican merican merican ustrian merican merican	Frostburg, Md Frostburg, Md Vale Summit, Md Borden, Md Eckhart, Md Frostburg, Md Lonaconing, Md	Finger crushed. Wrist hurt. Leg broken, two places. Broken rib. Collar bone broken. Four ribs broken. Back hurt.	Fell carrying rail.By car and prop.By locomotive and pipe.Fell on dinner pail.By fall of rock.By fall of rock.By lifting car	Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 10 Consolidation No. 10 Consolidation No. 18 Koontz	Consolidation Coal Company Consolidation Coal Company Consolidation Coal Company Consolidation Coal Company Consolidation Coal Company Consolidation Coal Company Consolidation Coal Company New Central Coal Company.
153 February 13, 19 154 February 27, 19 155 February 17, 19 156 February 17, 19 157 February 15, 19 158 February 16, 19 159 February 19, 19 160 March 3, 1915	915. John Enback 915. George Buskie, Sr 915. Guisseppe Carbacio 915. John Cross 915. Thomas Smith 915. Patrick Cavan Guiseppe Digusieppe	Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Carpenter Miner Miner	24Married42Married58Married27Single54Widower35Married50Married23Single	25 6	3 A 8 A It 6 S 6 A 5 A	talian merican cotch merican merican talian	Lonaconing, Md Eckhart, Md Barton, Md Barton, Md Pekin, Md Cckhart, Md.	Finger tut. Finger mashed. Finger mashed. Back hurt. Hand hurt. Foot hurt. Back hurt. Collar bone broken.	By ax Between car and prop By cars By fall of rock. By fall of rock. By machinery By fall of rock. By machinery By fall of rock. Between car and roof.	George's Creek No. 3 George's Creek No. 1 Washington No. 2 Washington No. 3 Washington No. 5 Washington No. 5 Washington No. 2	George's Creek Coal Company, Incorporated. George's Creek Coal Company, Incorporated. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company. Piedmont and George's Creek Coal Company.
161 March 5, 1915 162 March 4, 1915 163 March 2, 1915 164 March 23, 1915 165 March 19, 1915 166 March 19, 1915 166 March 19, 1915 167 March 15, 1915 168 March 19, 1915	Thomas J. Lawrence. Harold Morgan George McCormack. Harry Cline. Walter Byrne. Harrison Loraw. William Brown. Thomas Burns.	Miner Miner Miner Miner Laborer Miner Miner Miner	b4Married17Single30Single30Married42Married55Married23Married35Married	21 30 35 21	4 A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	Imerican Imerican Imerican Imerican Imerican Imerican Imerican	Lonaconing, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Lonaconing, Md. Midland, Md. Lord, Md Gilmore, Md. Midland, Md.	Finger hurt. Finger hurt. Thumb taken off. Hand hurt. Back hurt. Leg broken. Leg and foot hurt.	by cars By fall of roof. Cut with ax Between car and roof. By iron pipe. By car By top coal. By cars	Washington No. 2 George's Creek No. 1 George's Creek No. 3 Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 8 Consolidation No. 8	George's Creek Coal Company, Incorporated. George's Creek Coal Company, Incorporated. George's Creek Coal Company, Incorporated. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
169 March 6, 1915 170 March 8, 1915 171 March 15, 1915 172 March 15, 1915 173 March 15, 1915 174 April 4, 1915. 175 April 2, 1915. 176 April 20, 1915.	David J. Jenkins. Wilbert Harden John R. Davis. James Winters. Maurice Warnick Hugh Cunningham Daniel E. Noland. Thes. Stanleton	Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Miner Driver	35Married18Single46Married50Married36Single24Single25Single62Married	35 21 21 21 21 35 24 18	3 A A 8 A A A A 6 A	American American American American American American American	Eckhart, Md Eckhart, Md Frostburg, Md Frostburg, Md Midland, Md National, Md Vale Summit Md	Back hurt. Hand hurt. Knee hurt. Leg hurt. Shoulder hurt. Foot hurt. Thumb cut. Leg hurt.	By piece of coal Between car and roof By fall of roof By fall of coal By cars By cars By cars	Consolidation No. 10 Consolidation No. 10 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 8 Consolidation No. 1 Consolidation No. 1	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
177 April 1, 1915. 178 April 7, 1915. 179 April 19, 1915. 179 April 27, 1915. 180 April 27, 1915. 181 April 6, 1915. 182 April 10, 1915. 183 April 30, 1915.	Ernest McRobie. Richard Watson. Andrew Mylake. Archie Hott. Chas. Thompson Fred. Coste. Joe Gtano.	Miner Miner Driver Miner Miner Miner Miner	25Single39Married28Married30Married36Married21Single33Single	18 18 24 24 24 24 24 24 35	4 A 1 H 5 A It	American American Hungarian American English talian talian	Eckhart, Md. Eckhart, Md. Lord, Md. Carlos, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md. Frostburg, Md.	Head hurt. Back hurt. Eye injured. Leg and ankle hurt. End of finger cutoff. Hand hurt. Foot hurt.	Fall of roof coal. Fall of roof coal. Struck by piece of coal. By rope By ax By car and prop. Fall of rock.	Consolidation No. 3 Consolidation No. 4 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 7 Consolidation No. 9 Consolidation No. 9	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.
184 April 14, 1915. 185 April 19, 1915. 186 April 24, 1915. 187 April 11, 1915. 188 April 7, 1915.	Mike Abenanto. Dominick Vela. M. T. Cooper. Chas. Wagner.	Miner Miner Miner Blacksmith Miner	54Single30Married27Single54Married25Single	14 12 Ind,finite 36	2 It It A A A	talian talian American American	Eckhart, Md. Eckhart, Md. Eckhart, Md. Shaft, Md. Shaft, Md.	Hand hurt. Hand hurt. Fingers and thumb off. Contusion of eye. Foot hurt.	By fall of rock. Explosion of cap. Struck by rope. By cars	Consolidation No. D Consolidation No. D Consolidation No. D Consolidation No. 11 Consolidation No. 12	Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company. Consolidation Coal Company.