

September 8, 1917, James Daley, miner, age 54 years, married, was killed by a fall of coal at face of his room in Smith-Lohr Coal Company's mine, Pana. He leaves a widow and three dependent children.

September 29, 1917, Virgil Emory, driver, age 19 years, single, was killed in Sharon Coal and Brick Company's mine. No one saw this accident and when found he was lying under the bumper of the first car, dead.

November 11, 1917, Adolph Pernini, miner, age 32 years, single, was killed in Peabody Coal Company's mine No. 8, Kincaid. There were no eye witnesses to this accident and it is believed he was killed by a shot.

November 13, 1917, John Standfield, laborer, age 24 years, married, was killed at Peabody Coal Company's No. 8 mine, by electrocution. He leaves a widow and one child.

December 15, 1917, William Stinemas, miner, age 43 years, married, was killed by falling rock in Taylor English Coal Company's No. 1 mine, Catlin. Deceased failed to obey the order of the mine examiner not to work in his place as the rock was loose. He leaves a widow and three children.

December 17, 1917, William Badgon, laborer, age 30 years, single, and Brown Badgon, laborer, age 23 years, married, were killed by falling down the shaft of Peabody Coal Company's No. 24 mine, Steelton. These men were pushing a car to the cage, but, no cage being there, the car went into the shaft, they following it. Brown Badgon leaves a widow and one child.

December 22, 1917, Samuel E. Smith, miner, age 62 years, married, was killed by a fall of top coal in Smith-Lohr Coal Company's mine, Pana. He leaves a widow.

January 4, 1918, Batistii Prola, brattice man, age 55 years, married, was killed in United States Fuel Company's Vermillion mine by falling rock. Deceased was building a wall when the timberman came and wedged down a loose rock which broke over into crosscut and struck him. He leaves a widow.

January 14, 1918, M. G. Webster, miner, age 42 years, married, was killed in Peabody Coal Company's No. 24 mine. Deceased was loading a car when rock from a coal slip fell causing the accident. He leaves a widow.

January 24, 1918, Joe Baltruscotic, miner, age 55 years, married, was killed in United States Fuel Company's Vermillion mine by falling rock. Deceased was setting a timber to make his place safe when the rock fell on him. He leaves a widow.

February 1, 1918, William Barker, laborer, age 34 years, single, and Walter Crouch, laborer, age 32 years, married, were killed in Peabody Coal Company's No. 21, mine, by an explosion of gas. Crouch leaves a widow and four children.

February 1, 1918, John Graham, laborer, age 43 years, married, was killed by pit cars in Peabody Coal Company's No. 8 mine. Deceased was repairing motor track and stepped out of the way of a motor trip. Unknown to him a part of the trip had broken loose and just as he stepped back onto the track it struck him. He leaves a widow and five children.

February 1, 1918, John McLaughlin, mine examiner, age 62 years, married, was killed by an explosion of gas in Peabody Coal Company's No. 21 mine. He leaves a widow.

February 2, 1918, Cornelius Ryan, miner, age 54 years, married, was killed by falling rock while loading a car of coal in United States Fuel Company's No. 4 mine. He leaves a widow and one dependent child.

March 6, 1918, L. W. Lind, miner, age 16 years, single, was killed by a fall of rock while loading coal in Vermillion Heights Coal Company's mine.

March 29, 1918, Joe Tondi, miner, age 28 years, single, was killed by the explosion of a shot to which he had returned too soon, in Peabody Coal Company's No. 8 mine.

March 29, 1918, Marshall Copen, driver, age 18 years, single, was killed by pit cars in Lovington Coal Company's mine. Deceased was bringing to the parting a trip of four cars when he fell in front of them and was run over.