TWO MINE DISASTERS WITHIN 24 HOURS

MANY PERISH WHILE UNDER-GROUND.

LOSS OF LIFE IS APPALLING

Scranton, Pa., and Littleton, Ala., Were the Scenes of the Awful Toll of Death—The Latter a Convict Mine.

Throop, a village just to the north of Scranton was the scene of a mine disaster April 7, which numbered probably sixty victims, fifty men and ten boys, including Water Knight, the foreman; Isaac Dawe, a fire boss, and Joseph Evans, who was in charge of the United States mine rescue car, that was rushed to the scene, and who was suffocated because the oxygen-charged armor he wore failed to work.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It started in an engine house, at the opening of a slope leading to a tunnel from which opened about thirty new chambers. There was no other opening to the tunnel, and the fire completely blocked the egress of the more than half a hundred men in these new workings. One man started to alarm them, but the smoke became so thick that he turned back. They were a thousand feet beyond the fire, and 750 feet below the surface.

Mine rescuers from the government station in Wilkes-Barre, rushed to the scene with their car, and assisted in fighting the flames and then three of them with helmets on their heads and oxygen tanks on their backs went into the slopes. They found three dead.

Joseph Evans, head of the government rescuers, was one of these three. He was seen to tug at his helmet and tear it from his head. It had evidently failed to work. He was carried out, but had inhaled so much smoke and gas from the burning coal that he died in four hours.

There were four hundred men in the mine when the fire started, about sixty of them in the workings into which the slope led. These sixty were at work in a "blind" tunnel, at the end of the slope.

Egress was completely blocked by fire, smoke and the generated gases possibly before they realized their danger. The other men, scatter in different workings got out by various exits.

Convicts Perish in Mine.

More than a hundred State and county convicts were killed by a mysterious explosion in the Banner coal mines, near Littleton, Alabama, Saturday morning. One hundred and ninety miners were sent into the underground workings. Twenty men have come out of the mines alive and the remainder underground are dead. It is not known whether the explosion was caused by gas or dust. The explosion occurred far under ground. Most of the miners are colored men.

At 11:30 a. m. between forty and fifty men had been taken out of the mine. A number of them were more or less seriously injured and two, both colored men, were dead.

The explosion came after the night crew was out and before the day crew of free miners had entered the mine. There were 165 convicts and about ten free miners in the workings at the time of the explosion.

The greatest damage has been done to a shaft known as No. 2. The fan in this shaft was destroyed, making the rescue work more difficult.

State Mine Inspector James Hillhouse is in charge of the rescue work. Bodies are being taken out at the new shaft, three-quarters of a mile from the old mine. Local Superintendent J. S. Waldrop and General Superintendent E. B. Rosamond are assisting in the rescue work. Everything possible is being done to reach the men.

Convicts employed at this mine are serving two and three-year sentences or less, being county prisoners. Out of the 275 convicts who worked there, it is estimated that 175 were from Jefferson county.

The disaster is now thought to have been caused by an explosion of powder, which set fire to dust. As the fan was destroyed, black damp quickly spread over the mine. Runners were sent out to warn the workmen, and this is responsible for so many being taken out alive.

Sweethearts Kin; Both Found Dead.

Shock and grief caused by the discovery that his sweetheart, Anna Neumeister, was his half-sister, caused the death of John Ott, who died on a street, at Cleveland, O., according to the coroner's verdict. Unknown to Ott, the body of Miss Neumeister had been taken from Lake Erie a short time before he died. The discovery of their relationship had prompted her to take her life. Ott became a boarder at the Neumeister home recently On Sunday the mother surprised him making love to Anna. She then informed the two that they were related.

A Lewistown Block Sold.

The Valley House corner, at Lewistown has been sold to Harris Smith for $20,000. The property was known as the Valley hotel, erected time of the old stage route between Philadelphia and Pittsburg, and at the entrance and exit of the town leading to the Big Valley. Mrs. Susan Brenneman was owner and proprietress for forty-nine years. Three years ago she was offered $40,000.

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HELPING THE CHILD TO MIND.

Every father and mother desires their children to be obedient. In teaching them obedience some parents employ one method, other another, but the most of them seem to children to make obedience a simple matter of obligation. They say to their children: "You must mind us because we are your parents," not because the specific requirement may be right, as distinguished from wrong. Parents like to exercise a little despotic authority, perhaps, because they were "made to mind" when they were children.

But obedience is not merely a matter of obligation. Parents should not be obeyed because they are parents. Rather obedience is response to the obligation of parents to child, and should be required because that which is directed is right. And it is vastly more important that the child should appreciate the right before he minds, because, if he does not, he merely acquiesces for fear of punishment, the reason for which he does not fully understand. If parents desire obedience they should make plain the reason for obedience in each specific instance, so long as it is necessary to do so, remembering that they are able to distinguish right from wrong, while the child, because of his limited experience, may not be able to do so.

But assistance should not end with pointing out the right from the wrong. Frequently the right is not half so attractive as the wrong, and the child, no matter how much he may desire to assume the right, may need aid in holding to his purpose.

A pretty good illustration of this further assistance is supplied by a story which recently came to the writer's notice. The story was something like this: On a warm summer day as the village boys came home from school they all decided to go in swimming. Robert Smith's mother, however, had forbidden him going in swimming on hot days, and he felt that he should obtain her permission before he went. So, asking the boys to walk along slowly, he ran into the house. But his mother told him that it was too warm, that he should stay at home. He went out into the yard and the boys called for him to go with them. He started through the gate, but, remembering his mother's direction to stay at home, he turned and went back into the yard. The second time he went through the gate to join the boys, and the second time he went back into the yard and closed the gate. They kept on calling for him to come and, finally, he yielded, passed through the gate, ran off down the street, and joined them in the swimming pool. When he returned home his mother asked him if he had been in swimming. He said he had. "But did I not tell you," said she, "not to go?" "Yes, mother," he replied, "you did, and I tried hard to obey." "Yes," she said, "I stood in the window and watched you. I saw you go through the gate twice and then return. Then I saw you go through the third time, and run down the street." "Then, mother, why did you not knock on the window?"

It is the knock on the window that the boys and girls need at the critical moment of temptation. They want to do right. They want to obey, but temptation is too strong. They need the knock on the window, and when that knock is not given, parents are as much to blame for disobedience as their children. The knock on the window is assistance that enables the boy or the girl to adhere to his or her purpose to do right, because it is right, and obey father and mother.—Williamsport Grit.

May Pension Innocent Convict.

Andrew Carnegie has personally taken up the case of Andrew Toth, the workman in the Carnegie mills who was released on March 18 from the Western Penitentiary after serving twenty years for a murder he never committed. If Mr. Carnegie finds that Toth was innocent of the murder of which he was convicted it is regarded as likely that he will compensate the man in some way either by a pension or a large sum in cash.

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ADVICE TO ORCHARDISTS.

Use Only Known and Tested Materials on Valuable Trees.

The orchard growers of Pennsylvania are urgently warned by State Zoologist H. A. Surface to refrain from using on their trees materials that are new, untried, unproven, of questionable character, or obtained from sources not known to be reliable. Professor Surface says that since it has been fully demonstrated that spraying with certain chemicals or mixtures will control certain pests, the business of preparing and selling, commercial insecticides and fungicides has assumed tremendous proportions, reaching the interests of hundreds of manufacturers and thousands of agents. It is but natural that many of these materials should be inferior in quality, or deficient, while others are decidedly objectionable or injurious to trees, and still others are much higher in price than is necessary for satisfactory materials to accomplish the desired results.

It is remarkable how willing some tree growers have been to part with their good money in order to obtain some material that is supposed to be easily or quickly applied, although in many cases inefficient, while in other cases, they have proven decidedly injurious to the trees. For example, a large orchardist in Franklin county, Pa., lost his entire orchard through the application of oils, while another in York county seriously injured his trees by a similar application of another brand. In Lehigh county a capsule containing cyanide of potassium, which is a deadly poison, is sold at a high price, to be put under the bark of infested trees; while in Westmorland county, small capsules of lime were sold at fancy prices, to be put into the soil near the roots of trees; and in Franklin county a preparation of resin, gunpowder and sulfur was sold at a fancy price, to be put into holes in the trees. There is no need of growers being swindled by such schemes, as it is easy for them to write to the State Department of Agriculture, at Harrisburg, or to the State Experiment Station, at State College, and obtain reliable information concerning any preparation before using it.

As a rule all brands of lime-sulfur solution will prove reliable and satisfactory if used strong enough. It should be tested with a hydrometer. New materials should be used on only a few trees, in an experimental manner, if at all. Oils are not intended to be sprayed on trees. Our largest agents of spraying oils are now preparing and selling commercial lime-sulfur solution. This, as a contact insecticide, with arsenate of lead for chewing insects, will prove sufficient for almost all insect pests that are to be reached by spraying. Preparations to be put beneath the bark, or in holes in trees should be carefully avoided.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce that the following are candidates for nomination, for the respective offices named, on the Democratic Ticket in Centre County, 1911 subject to the decision of the general primary election to be held on Saturday, June 3rd 1911:

For Sheriff.
A. B. LEE, Potter Twp.
D. J. GINGERY, Huston Twp.
JOHN HIPPLE, of Fleming.

For Commissioner.
WM. A. STOVER, of Penn Twp.
JOHN R. LEMON, Ferguson Twp.
JOHN L. DUNLAP, Spring Twp.
WILLIAM H. NOLL, of Spring Twp.
D. A. GROVE, College Township.
JOHN H. RUNKLE, Potter Twp.
H. N. HOY, of Benner Twp.

District Attorney:
D. PAUL FORTNEY, Bellefonte, Pa.
JOHN M. KEICHLINE, Bellefonte, Pa
J. KENNEDY JOHNSTON, Bellefonte.

Prothonotary:
DAVID R. FORMAN, Bellefonte, Pa.
C. U. HOFFER, Philipsburg, Pa.

Treasurer:
JAMES SCHOFIELD, Bellefonte, Pa.
FRANK GREBE, Philipsburg, Pa.
JOHN D. MILLER, Walker Twp.
J. MITCHELL CUNNINGHAM, Bellefonte, Pa.

For Recorder.
EDWARD C. McKINLEY, Boggs Twp
W. FRANCIS SPEER, of Bellefonte.
JOSEPH M. ALTERS, Bellefonte, Pa.
D. A. DEITRICH, Walker Twp.

Register.
J. FRANK SMITH, Centre Hall, Pa.

Overseer of Poor, Bellefonte Boro.
WILLIAM D. RIDER, Bellefonte, Pa.

Auditor.
SINIE H. HOY, Benner Twp.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

Commissioner.
HARRY E. ZIMMERMAN, formerly Benner Twp.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah L. Ilgen, late of Miles Twp., deceased.

Letters of administration in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre County, Pennsylvania, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated without delay to

THOMAS L. ILGEN, Admr., Tylersville, Pa.
W. G. Runkle, Atty., Bellefonte, Pa. x18

NOTICE.

To the creditors of the Pittsburgh, Binghamton & Eastern Railroad Company or the Receivers thereof:

By virtue of a decree of foreclosure and sale and a decree confirming the sale, of the United States Circuit Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania in an action wherein Knickerbocker Trust Company, as trustee, is complainant, and the Pittsburgh, Binghamton & Eastern Railroad Company and others are defendants, notice is hereby given to all holders of any claims against the said defendant Pittsburgh, Binghamton & Eastern Railroad Company to present the same to the undersigned at his office in Sayre, State of Pennsylvania, for allowance, or, if the claim is against the Receivers, to bring suit against them thereon. Any claims which shall not be so presented, sued on, or filed within the period of two months after the date hereof, shall not be enforcible against said receivers or against the property sold under and by virtue of the decree thereinbefore referred to, or the proceeds thereof or against the purchaser or purchasers of the property or any part thereof so sold, or his or their heirs, executors, administrators, successors or assigns. All claims theretofore filed with the said receivers under and pursuant to an order heretofore, and on the 11th day of April, 1910, entered in the said Action of the Knickerbocker Trust Company as Trustee against the Pittsburgh, Binghamton & Eastern Railroad Company and others may be considered as already filed with the Special Master and need not be refiled.

E. M. DUNHAM, Special Master.
Dated March 16th, 1911. x17.

WRIT IN PARTITION.

To the heirs and legal representatives of Mary Ellen Hepburn, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that in pursuance of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Centre County, Pa., a writ of partition has been issued from said Court to the Sheriff of Centre County, returnable according to law, and that on Tuesday, April 18th, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M. an inquest will be held for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of the said decedent at which time and place you can be present if you see proper: Blanche Hepburn, intermarried with Robert Fry, Bellefonte Pa.; Samuel E. Hepburn, Bellefonte, Pa.; J. W. Hepburn Boggs Township Centre County, Pa.; Alpheus S. Hepburn, No. 516 Robinson St Allegheny City Allegheny County, Pa.; Lillie Maud Hepburn, intermarried with Wm. Martz, Huntingdon Pa.

That the said Mary Ellen Hepburn died seized as of fee of and in the following piece of real estate as follows, to wit:—

THE FIRST THEREOF situate in the township of Spring, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a stone corner on lot of heirs of Samuel Lyon Jr; thence along said lot 31 deg. west 27 perches to stone corner; thence north 63 deg. east 12 perches to stone corner, thence south 31 deg. east 27 perches to stone corner, thence along public road south 6 deg. west 20 perches to the place of beginning, containing 2 acres and 4 perches.

THE SECOND THEREOF, situate and being in the Borough of Bellefonte, county of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by Columb Fox, now Mary J. McCullen; on the east by the old Lewistown Turnpike; on the south by an alley, formerly lands of Valentine and Thomas, and on the west by T. R. Reynolds estate, containing 2¾ acres, more or less.

Which said purparts became vested in the heirs of the said decedent by virtue of the intestate laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

W. E. HURLEY, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., Mar. 21st, 1911. x15

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

Estate of Susan Miles, late of Milesburg boro., dec'd.

No. 1. Large Stone House

and lot located in Milesburg boro.; thereon erected an ice house and other outbuildings; has good spring. Property contains acres one acre of which is covered with hardwood timber. This is known as the white house property.

No. 2. 185 Acre Farm

located in Boggs twp., one mile north of Milesburg, thereon erected a 9-room dwelling, 45x75 foot barn and all necessary outbuildings. Good spring of water at house and barn. Fine apple orchard, cherry trees, etc. This farm contains 185 acres of which 90 acres is cleared. This property adjoins the Wagner farm.

No. 3. 112 Acre Tract of Land.

located in Boggs twp., in Holts Hollow 40 acres of which were cleared; adjoining lands of Geo. Musser, Lowery Shope and the Curtin lands.

No. 4. 300 Acre Farm.

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No. 5. 5 Choice Building Lots.

located in the little settlement west of Milesburg, across the railroad in what is known as "Tangletown.

No. 6. Four Limestone Lots.

located on Cartherine street, Milesburg; this property is well adapted for making lime for farm use. It is known as "Limestone Hill".

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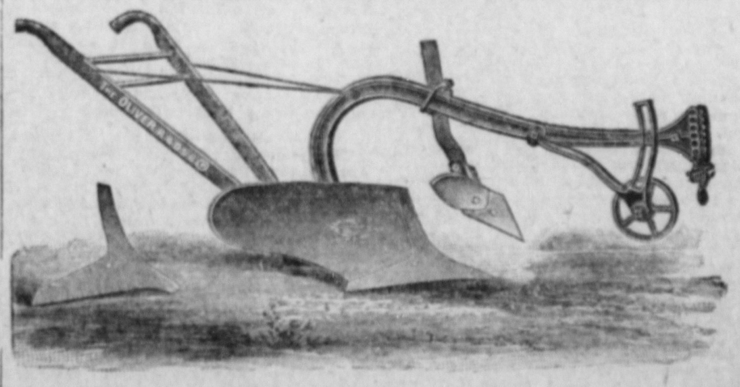

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