

# Coal Mine Disasters - Specific Month Report

Date	State	Type	Mine Name	Location	Killed
1/12/1846	PA	Cave in	Deleware & Hudson	Carbondale, PA	14
1/15/1878	PA	Explosion	Potts	Locustdale, PA	5
1/9/1883	IL	Explosion	Coulterville	Coulterville, IL	10
1/24/1884	CO	Explosion	Crested Butte	Crested Butte, CO	59
1/13/1886	WY	Explosion	Almy # 4	Almy, WY	13
1/21/1886	WV	Explosion	Newburg	Newburg, WV	39
1/27/1891	PA	Explosion	Mammoth	Mt. Pleasant, PA	109
1/7/1892	OK	Explosion	No. 11	Krebs, OK	100
1/10/1893	CO	Explosion	Como	King, CO	24
1/22/1895	KY	Powder Explosion	Tate	Sturgis, KY	5
1/4/1897	OK	Explosion	No. 1	Alderson, OK	5
1/13/1897	PA	Fall Down Shaft	Wadesville	Wadesville, PA	5
1/13/1902	OK	Mine Fire	Milby & Dow	Dow, OK	10
1/24/1902	IA	Explosion	Lost Creek # 2	Oskaloosa, IA	20
1/25/1904	PA	Explosion	Harwick	Cheswick, PA	179
1/30/1904	PA	Dynamite Explosion	Maple Hill	Mahony City, PA	5
1/16/1905	IL	Mine Fire	Decatur	Decatur, IL	6
1/4/1906	WV	Explosion	Coaldale	Coaldale, WV	22
1/18/1906	WV	Explosion	Detroit	Detroit, WV	18
1/24/1906	OK	Dynamite Explosion	Poteau # 6	Witteville, OK	14
1/14/1907	IN	Powder Explosion	Deering # 7	Clinton, IN	7
1/23/1907	CO	Explosion	Primero	Primero, CO	24
1/26/1907	WV	Powder Explosion	Lorentz	Penco, WV	12
1/29/1907	WV	Explosion	Stuart	Stuart, WV	84
1/29/1907	IL	Powder Explosion	Johnston City	Johnston City, IL	7
1/30/1908	WV	Explosion	Backman	Hawks Nest, WV	9
1/10/1909	VA	Explosion	Carbon Hill	Gayton, VA	6
1/10/1909	IL	Explosion & Fire	Zeigler	Zeigler, IL	26
1/12/1909	WV	Explosion	Lick Branch	Switchback, WV	67
1/19/1909	CA	Explosion	Stone Canyon	Chancellor, CA	6
1/25/1909	MD	Mine Car Wreck	Washington # 5	Franklin, MD	5
1/25/1909	PA	Explosion	Orenda # 2	Boswell, PA	5
1/11/1910	PA	Explosion	Nottingham	Plymouth, PA	7
1/31/1910	CO	Explosion	Primero	Primero, CO	75
1/20/1911	VA	Explosion	Carbon Hill	Carbon Hill, VA	7

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1/9/1912	PA	Explosion	Parrish	Plymouth, PA	6
1/16/1912	VA	Dynamite Explosion	Carbon Hill	Carbon Hill, VA	5
1/19/1912	KY	Explosion	Central	Central City, KY	5
1/20/1912	WY	Explosion	Kemmerer # 4	Kemmerer, WY	9
1/10/1914	AL	Explosion	Rock Castle	Rock Castle, AL	12
1/14/1914	KS	Cage Fell Down Shaft	Spencer-Newland	Mulberry, KS	6
1/30/1922	KY	Explosion	Layman	Pineville, KY	6
1/10/1923	AL	Explosion	Dolomite # 1	Dolomite, AL	5
1/25/1924	IL	Explosion	McClintock	Johnson City, IL	33
1/26/1924	PA	Explosion	Lancashire # 18	Shanktown, PA	36
1/15/1925	KY	Explosion	Diamond # 1	Providence, KY	6
1/13/1926	OK	Explosion	No. 21	Wilburton, OK	91
1/14/1926	WV	Explosion	Jamison # 8	Farmington, WV	19
1/29/1926	AL	Explosion	Mossboro	Helena, AL	27
1/29/1926	IL	Explosion	New Orient # 2	West Frankfort, IL	5
1/31/1927	KY	Explosion	Nortonville	Nortonville, KY	5
1/9/1928	IL	Explosion	No. 18	West Frankfort, IL	21
1/26/1929	WV	Explosion	Kingston # 5	Kingston, WV	14
1/13/1930	AL	Explosion	Peerless	Straven, AL	7
1/19/1930	WV	Explosion	No. 1	Lilleybrook, WV	8
1/3/1931	OH	Explosion	Midvale # 4	Midvale, OH	5
1/6/1931	WV	Explosion	No. 2	Beckley, WV	8
1/28/1931	IN	Explosion	Little Betty	Dugger, IN	28
1/18/1932	WV	Explosion	Parrott	Parrott, WV	6
1/21/1935	PA	Explosion	Gilberton	Gilberton, PA	13
1/20/1936	CO	Explosion	Monarch # 2	Boomfield, CO	8
1/12/1938	PA	Explosion	Harwick	Harwick, PA	10
1/10/1940	WV	Explosion	No. 1	Bartlet, WV	91
1/22/1941	WV	Explosion	Carswell	Kimball, WV	6
1/22/1942	CO	Explosion	Wadge	Mount Harris, CO	34
1/8/1943	WV	Mine Fire	No. 15	Pursglove, WV	13
1/17/1945	OK	Explosion	Craig # 2	Pittsburg, OK	9
1/15/1946	WV	Explosion	Havaco # 9	Welch, WV	15
1/15/1947	PA	Explosion	Nottingham	Plymouth, PA	15
1/18/1951	WV	Explosion	Burning Springs	Kermit, WV	11
1/18/1957	AK	Explosion	Evan Jones	Jonesville, AK	5
1/22/1959	PA	Inrush of water	River Slope	Port Griffith, PA	12

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1/10/1962	IL	Explosion	No. 2	Herrin, IL	11
1/24/1967	VA	Explosion	Mine # 1	Grundy, VA	3
1/7/1974	WV	Hoisting	Beckley # 1	Bolt, WV	3
1/20/1982	KY	Explosion	No. 1	Craynor, KY	7
1/4/1989	KY	Roof Fall	CV – 2	Middlesboro, KY	3
1/22/2003	WV	Explosion	McElroy	Cameron, WV	3
1/2/2006	WV	Explosion	Sago	Tallmansville, WV	12