



Working place top cut under boney. Machine cut had been completed. Machine cutter preparing to withdraw machine, when helper noticed plates of boney falling from roof. He warned his co-workers of the same. They immediately began to retreat to the cross cut shown "A". Two men entered the crosscut. Suenconis staying above the crosscut in the shuttle car run way, looking to the roof working. Boney fell from the roof, trapping Suenconis by the legs, he called for help and Egan went to his aid, grasping Suenconis by the wrists, trying to free him, but was unable to do so, when additional boney began to fall, Suenconis grasped Egan in a vice-like grip which he was unable to break. More boney fell covering Suenconis and striking Egan, causing bruising injuries to Egan. Suenconis released his grip when the boney covered him, and Egan crawled to safety as a large horse-back piece of rock broke from the left rib, killing Suenconis.

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 #15 Mine, Bakenon, Pa.
 Fatal Accident of
 Martin Suenconis
 July, 24, 1945
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Center line of N-11 Air Course to face
 Scale 1/8"