

Explosion Causes Death.

Sutton Reporter; Sunday morning a terrible accident occurred at the Edward Henning home in Glenfield, and as a result Mrs. Henning and her ten months' old baby are dead. When Mr. Henning arose and went to turn on the draft in the base burner he found the fire was out, and thinking to make quick work starting it he took the gasoline can and poured a quantity on the coal. Knowing it was gasoline his wife cautioned him not to use it, but he applied a match to the coal, and in an instant there was a terrific explosion which filled the house with fire. The wife, who was in bed in the adjoining room, seized her baby and attempted to dash through the blazing room to the door, but their clothing was almost entirely burned from their bodies, and the burns and exposure after they were outside proved fatal in a short time. The man was badly burned also but as he was dressed his clothing afforded some protection, and he is now on the road to recovery. As soon as the accident happened Dr. Lewis was telephoned for and he went there as quickly as possible to do all in his power to relieve the suffering of the victims. Henning had the gasoline can in his hand when he applied the match and it was blown through the window of McDaniel's house a few feet away. The funeral of the wife and baby was held Tuesday, the minister from Juanita conducting it. Henning was employed as janitor at the Glenfield school,