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FIRST HOSPITAL PATIENT

**Clinton Troxell Seriously Injured at
Lawrence Cement Works.**

FELL A DISTANCE OF 60 FEET

**Right Leg Was Broken in Three
Places and He Had Numerous Cuts
and Bruises—Taken to the
Allentown Hospital.**

The Allentown Hospital got its first unfortunate last evening, when Clinton Troxell, of Easton, formerly of this city, was taken there suffering with numerous injuries sustained in an accident which occurred at the Lawrence cement works, at Siegfried's, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Troxell is a bricklayer in the employ of James Stewart, the contractor, who is erecting an addition to the mill. While at work, shortly after 4 o'clock, the scaffolding on which Troxell stood fell, taking with it a small portion of the newly-made wall. The man fell to the ground a distance of nearly sixty feet. Several of the bricks fell on him.

Assistance quickly reached the injured man. He was brought to this city on the 5.25 Central Railroad train and taken from the terminal depot to the hospital in the ambulance. Drs. W. H. Hartz II, Daniel Hiestand, C. D. Schaeffer and R. E. Albright examined him and found his injuries to consist of a severe cut on the chin, the right leg broken in three places and bruises and small cuts on the head and shoulders. He may also be internally injured. Troxell's family was notified of the accident. He has a wife and five children.

Mr. Troxell was the first patient received at the new Allentown Hospital and not the Hun who was taken sick on Monday night as erroneously stated in yesterday's papers.