

Four Men Killed at Abandoned Mine

UNIONTOWN, Pa., July 6 (AP).—An explosion of gas in the partly demolished fan house of an abandoned mine at nearby Tower Hill No. 1 killed four men today.

George Porter, manager of a community store, reported an acetylene torch which the men had been using to remove junk iron from the building apparently ignited the gas seeping up the mine shaft.

Porter identified one of the victims as Albert Brashure, who had purchased the junked material in the mine.

The other victims were employes of Brashure.

The building once housed the fans that kept fresh air circulating in the mine.