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WELCH, W.Va. (AP) — Three men died Monday or Sunday night, evidently from asphyxiation, in an abandoned coal mine which contained a still for making illicit moonshine whisky.

A mine rescue team found the bodies lying in shallow water Monday afternoon inside the old Fall River Mine, which was abandoned about 35 years ago.

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1954 Dec Three moonshiners found dead  
in mine

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WELCH W.Va. (AP)—Three men were found dead yesterday evidently from asphyxiation in an abandoned coal mine containing a moonshine whisky still. They were McKinley Marcum, 26, and his brother Warren, 23, both of Roderfield, and their cousin William Duncan, 28, of Washington, D.C., who was visiting here.

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