VT. WOMAN DROWNS.

Body Taken Out of Abandoned Quarry Hole in Fair Haven.

FAIR HAVEN—At 10.30 o'clock last night men who had grappled five hours in the water of an abandoned slate quarry on Scotch Hill brought to the surface the body of Mrs. Francis Reed, 38, who had been missing from her home on Pine street, Fair Haven, since mid-afternoon.

The selectmen, with Mrs. Reed's husband and son; Irwin Reed, and other townsmen, had combed the waters of the old quarry since 5 o'clock, shortly after the woman's husband, coming home from work to find her gone, had been led to the quarry hole by their faithful dog.

After a hurried inquest, following discovery of the body, the selectmen, R. E. Wood, Russell Simonds and John J. Welch, reached a verdict of accidental drowning.

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