

LITTLE HOPE HELD OUT FOR FOUR MEN

Body Of Superintendent Is Re- covered After Having Been Crushed By Rock.

BINGHAM, Utah, Oct. 18.—For 36 hours six crews, working in relays, have been striving to penetrate the mammoth pile of rock and mine timbers which has entombed and possibly killed four workmen and the superintendent of the Utah Apex metal mine. No trace of the men has been found, and mine officials say it will be a miracle if the entombed miners are taken out alive.

The body of Foreman Dan Eden, who was nearest to the level when the cave-in occurred, was recovered early Wednesday. The body was crushed by falling rock.

The men were working in a large slope above the 1,500-foot level of the mine. This slope is about 75 feet in length and penetrates upward into the rock about the same distance.

Unless other cave-ins occur it was hoped to have the slope cleared Thursday.

The Utah Apex mine came into prominence in 1913, when Raphael Lopez, one of the West's most prominent "bad men," held off a posse of 600 men for several days and finally escaped. Lopez was wanted for killing four men, three being members of the posse which was after him for the murder of a man in a saloon in Bingham.

Lopez, after the killing in the saloon, fled to the hills and eluded posses for days. He ambushed a posse of four and killed three, then succeeded in getting into the Utah Apex mine. Here he held the posse at bay, killing two who attempted to smoke him.

Later the mine was flooded with sulphur fumes from another entrance, but Lopez evidently escaped from the mine before the deadly fumes were loosed. Lopez was never captured.