

Mine Mishap Claims Life

PIKEVILLE, Ky. (UPI) —
Walter Sparkman, 46, of
Elkhorn City, died today of
injuries suffered Monday night
in an accident in the Republic
Steel Corp. mine at Road Creek.
Authorities said Sparkman,
who was operating a coal -
loading machine, was trapped
between the machine and the
side of the mine.

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