

THREE MINERS BURIED.

Miraculous Rescue of Men Who Had Been Buried Under Fifty Tons of Earth Near Joplin.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 18. —Three miners, Joseph Childress, Trix Krokoskia and William Schmulback, narrowly escaped being buried alive in the Sampson mine at Lone Elm. Fourteen men were working in the mine when several falling rocks warned them that a cave-in was threatened in a drift in which they and Hawkins were working. Hawkins hurried out and escaped, but 50 tons of earth and rock fell from the roof and sides of the drift, imprisoning his three companions. Help quickly came and the rescuers worked from nine until one o'clock before they got the entombed men out. All three were alive and uninjured.

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