

MINER RESCUED AFTER BEING BURIED ALIVE FOR 4 DAYS

MOJAVE, Cal., March 16.—After being buried alive for four days, John Marconi is attending to his duties today as a miner on the Los Angeles aqueduct, having returned to work 24 hours after his rescue.

Timbering in Tunnel No. 46 at Pinto, ten miles north of here, collapsed Monday of last week. Marconi's escape was cut off by a bank of sand, thirty feet thick. A two-inch pipe was driven through the sand and air admitted to his dungeon. For four days and nights aqueduct employes worked at the bank of sand, but it ran like water and little progress was made. Friday morning Marconi was rescued. He took one day's rest and then returned to work.

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