

**SIX MISSING,
NINE DEAD**

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**And Only Two Were Rescued
in Colorado Mine Explosion**

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IS CALLED AN ACCIDENT

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**Bodies of Four Shot-firers Killed in Last
Night's Catastrophe Were Taken
Out To-day and Five More
Were Discovered Later.**

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Trinidad, Colo., Feb. 10.—The bodies of four shot-firers were removed from the Gale mine which was wrecked by an explosion last night, five more bodies have been discovered and six men are still unaccounted for to-day. There were seventeen men in the mine at the time of the explosion, and only two shot-firers were rescued. It is believed that the six men who are missing are dead. All of the miners were foreigners.

Superintendent Bailess of the company declared this morning that the explosion was due to the accidental discharge of blasting powder. The mine is owned by the American Smelting and Refining company.

1911 Two rescued from Gale mine explosion

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