

REPAIRS ALL MADE AT THE ACTON MINE

Rice and Sutton Obtained Lots of Data Regarding Re- cent Explosion.

The Alabama Fuel and Iron Company has made practically all repairs necessary following the explosion of last Tuesday afternoon at Acton No. 2 mines, in which accident 24 men lost their lives.

Operations will be resumed during the coming week.

George Rice and E. B. Sutton, representatives of the Federal Bureau of Mines, got up considerable data on the explosion and this will be used in a report to be made by the department at Washington.

Chief State Mine Inspector C. H. Nesbitt did not go to Acton Saturday, as he had anticipated, but it is announced the official report of the accident will be in the hands of the governor before the end of the coming week.

As in all accidents of the kind, with the exception of the pitiful feeling with the widows and orphans left, all traces of the explosion have been removed. The only thing left to do is to determine, if possible, what caused the explosion, so as to give warning in the future.