

Blame Miner for Disaster.

Duquoin, Nov. 7.—A party of mine experts, composed of George L. Morgan, James S. Reed and John McClintick, state mine inspectors; John Bolander, president of the state mining board; Evan D. John, former member of the state mining board; Edward Laughron, James B. Brown, R. B. Mitchell and Charles Krallmann, have completed an investigation of the causes of the Royalton mine disaster. A verdict that the explosion was caused by a miner crossing the examiners' danger mark and igniting the gas in one of the entries, was returned. The mine has resumed operations.

1914 Royalton North No 1 Mine explosion
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