SATANIC MINE CLAIMS VICTIMS

Six Men Die, Overcome With Fire Damp, While Fighting Flames

Morrison, Colo., Dec. 13.—The bodies of five men overcome by fire damp today in the Satanic mine, near here, were recovered by rescue crews tonight. Efforts to revive Eugene F. Bovie, Sr., who was brought to the surface in an unconscious condition, failed. The six men lost their laves while fighting a fire in the workings.

Morrison, Colo., Dec. 13.—One miner is known to have lost his life and four others are still entombed in the Satanic mine of the collieries company here, where they were overcome by damp this afternoon while fighting a fire in the mine. Other miners escaped or were rescued.

The one body brought to the surface is that of William Jones, 45 years old, of Morrison, a miner.

The miners had been fighting a fire that started in the property last Friday. Today they were constructing cement bulkheads to stay the flames. According to one miner, the wind shifted suddenly and cut off all ventilation. The men were overcome by fire damp. Only fourteen men were working at the property, according to company officials.

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