

ASHLAND MINER RESCUED ALIVE

Elias Lovell, Ashland, Potts colliery miner who was closed in a mine chamber yesterday morning by a fall of top was rescued after four hours' work by mine forces. He was found uninjured practically none the worse for his experience.

Mr. Lovell was employed as a miner and was closed in while at work in the West Primrose, north dip, first lift, in the gangway in front of No. 58 breast, when caught behind a fall of top. He is an experienced miner and as soon as he was closed in he made rappings that notified the rescue forces that he was alive.

The men doubled their efforts and after four hours hard work were rewarded with finding the miner well and alive. Mr. Lovell was employed regularly at robbing pillars, but was employed in the gangway at something else when the fall occurred.

Elias Lovell rescued alive after mine collapse



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