

Livermore, Calif., January 10—  
(UP)—Imprisoned for 24 hours in  
the Mitchell Tunnel of the Hetch-  
Hetchy water system, 20 miners were  
brought to the surface tonight, unin-  
jured, but weak for the want of food.  
Oscar Nelson, 39 years old, of Bar-  
ton, N. D., was the first man brought  
to the surface. The others were  
brought to the surface within half an  
hour, and by 6:45 all were on top and  
being taken care of at the first aid  
headquarters.  
Led by Victor ("Hurry Up") John-  
son, Camp Superintendent, a crew  
of 30 picked men worked at top

## 1931 Twenty miners freed after 24 hr entrapment in Mitchell Tunnel of Hetch Hetchy water system

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