

Tremont Miner Is Saved from Tomb

Earl Beard, 30, Laurel Street, Tremont, had a narrow escape from death or serious injury Monday afternoon when he was entombed for three hours at the Indian Head Colliery near Tremont.

Following his removal from the debris, which had covered him, Beard was taken to the Pottsville Hospital where it was found he was only suffering from shock and lacerations.

Beard was employed by the Bazley Construction Company, in a stripping operation at the Indian Head Colliery. He was drilling coal at the time of the accident which occurred about 3:30 o'clock. A fall of dirt and coal occurred, completely burying him. Fellow workers immediately started rescue work to uncover the buried man. Shortly after 6:30 o'clock, he was removed from his tomb of debris.

Dr. J. W. Schultz, of Tremont, gave first aid treatment and removed him to the hospital, where his condition was reported as good.

1934 Earl Beard rescued after 3 hrs in Indian Head Colliery



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