

Three Trapped Miners Freed After 18-hour Imprisonment

GOLDEN, COLO., March 28. (AP)—Three cold and hungry miners—fed nothing but frankfurters through a pipe—dragged themselves to safety today after being imprisoned 18 hours in a clay mine cavein.

Cheers of 15 other miners echoed through the damp mine as the last of the three, uninjured, wriggled through to greet rescue workers.

"Boy, we're glad to get out of that place," they agreed. "It was chilly in there but not cold and the 'weinies' helped a lot, but that old daylight looks better to us than anything in the world."

The men are Roy Towles, 42, Denver, father of two children; W. J. Foreman, Pleasant View, a community near Golden, and Peter Bauler of Golden.

Foreman and Towles were timbering the Denver Fire Clay Co. mine tunnel yesterday 200 feet from the portal when suddenly the tunnel ceiling gave way.

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