

Miner Rescued From Coal Hole

**Frank Morzarko, 50, of Maryd,
Entombed Nearly Two Hours
by Fall of Debris**

A. Maryd independent miner, Frank Morzarko, yesterday was rescued by nearby miners after being entombed 40 feet beneath the surface for two hours.

The 50-year-old miner had been working in a bootleg coal hole operated by John Blonis, Maryd, near Tuscarora, when he was caught in a fall of coal and dirt. Other miners nearby rushed preparations to liberate the entombed man. They were assisted in this work by investigating officers of the Tamaqua detail, State Motor police.

The fall occurred at 9 a. m. and rescue workers dug through from another bootleg hole to reach him and bring him to the surface two hours later.

He was given treatment by Dr. Adrian Donahue and Dr. Albin Walinchus of the Coaldale State hospital, who were accompanied by Edward Murphy, hospital superintendent. The man suffered only from shock, however, and was taken home little worse for his experience.

1938 Frank Morzarko rescued from bootleg Anthracite mine cave-in

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