

Imprisoned Miner Saved From Death

IDAHO SPRINGS, Colo., April 18.—(AP)—Imprisoned 13 hours by a cave-in at the Mattie Gold Mine, Jack Ward, 25, was rescued uninjured early today.

Ward was made a prisoner in a six-foot-square hole when a 20-foot wall of rock and dirt crashed down from the tunnel's ceiling while he and two others were replacing old timbering yesterday. He was trapped about 600 feet from the entrance of the mine.

A near-by stope, unworked for 30 years, provided Ward with ventilation.

When the cave-in occurred Ward jumped one way and his fellow workers, Albert Harrison and Oscar Hyman, jumped the other. They escaped imprisonment and gave the alarm.

A rescue crew of 20 men worked in relays, three at a time, to reach Ward in the narrow tunnel.

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