

Motor Sparks Blamed for Fatal Mine Blast

PROVIDENCE, Ky., Dec. 1. — Sparks from an electric motor were blamed Tuesday for setting off an explosion in the West Kentucky Coal Company mine No. 10, in which six miners perished.

The dead were brought to the surface by a rescue party Monday night, several hours after the blast. They were Tinker Taylor, foreman, and five Negroes, Sam Kirkwood, John Lenour, Riley Webb, Candy Gee and Santial Brody.

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