

16 Escape From Mine Fire Trap

**Others of Forty-Man
Shift Reached Surface
Earlier in Blaze at
Shaft Near Sullivan**

SULLIVAN, Ind., Jan. 24.—(Special)—Sixteen men trapped for almost three hours behind a fire in the Pandora Mine three miles east of here were reported safe at 11:15 o'clock tonight. The blaze had not been extinguished at midnight.

Two men were brought to the Mary Sherman Hospital here suffering from effects of the smoke. Both David Solomon, 66 years old, Clinton, and Wayne Mannel, 18, Dugger, were reported at the hospital to be in good condition.

Mannel was in the mine when the fire started and was able to get out without being trapped. He went immediately back in to help in the rescue work and to fight the fire.

1951 Sixteen miners freed from the Pandora mine in IN after 3 hours

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