

2 Men Uninjured In Rock, Coal Fall At Local Colliery

**Workers Trapped
Almost Eight Hours**

Two Mount Carmel area miners were trapped for almost eight hours in Glen Burn mine while at work on the night shift last night, when rock and coal in an old breast "ran away," but both men walked from the workings at 3:00 this morning uninjured.

The two miners are John A. Budner, 51, of 359 South Locust Street, Mount Carmel, and Anthony Padden, 50, Mount Carmel Junction. Officials of the Susquehanna Collieries Division said today the men were at work in the middle lift, No. 7 vein west, south dip, 107½ pillar skip, when a rock and coal "gob" ran away in an old breast on the pillar skip.

Both men were trapped behind the loose rock and coal from 7:15 last evening until 3:00 this morning because the slide prevented them from reaching the gangway. Glen Burn Colliery officials called a force of men to assist in removing the rock and coal.

A spokesman for the colliery today said that although the two miners were prevented from reaching the gangway, they were in no danger at any time.

1955 Glen Burn Mine Rescue

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