## Youth Rescued From Old Mine

RENO, NEV. (UPI) — A Sparks boy was rescued Wednesday night after he became trapped for two hours in an abandoned 110-foot mine shaft.

Chris Hammond, 12, suffered a cut on his right leg but otherwise was unharmed before firemen pulled him to safety.

Hammond and a friend, Stephen Marcoe, 12, were exploring an area dotted with abandoned shafts. Hammond said he attached a rope to a fence and climbed down the shaft. The rope broke about 25 feet from the bottom. The Marcoe boy ran for help.

1970 Chris Hammond rescued from Nevada mine

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