

3 Trapped Miners Rescued

NEMACOLIN (AP) — Three miners were rescued uninjured after being trapped in a mine shaft lift in an LTV Corp. mine in this Greene County town for more than an hour.

The mine has been shut until early next week because of the accident, which occurred when an outdoor crane struck a 25,000-volt power line, causing a motor in the lift to burn out just as the midnight shift workers were leaving, said mine officials.

“Our men will not work in the mine until we feel it is safe to do so while the crane is being used on the outside,” said George Forsythe, vice president of United Mine Workers Local 6290

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