

Tries to Save Mine Gas Victim; Rescuer Also Dies

Minersville, Pa., Aug. 8.—(AP)—Joseph Foran was overcome by mine gas today about 12 feet from the mouth of an abandoned shaft near here where he had taken refuge from a storm. A crowd gathered and Edward Woll, 32 years old, put on a smoke mask and despite warnings of experienced miners that such a mask would not filter out the deadly black damp, descended the short distance into the shaft, picked up Foran's body, and started for the surface. Before he had climbed six feet he fell back with his burden. Both men were dead when miners equipped with proper masks reached them.

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