

# MINE CAVE-IN KILLS WOMAN, INJURES MAN

**San Gabriel Canyon Tunnel  
Walls Give Way; Victim  
Buried, Another Saved**

Fleeing to safety from the crumbling walls of a gold mine tunnel in San Gabriel canyon, Mrs. Naomi Jarvis was buried Monday afternoon beneath five feet of rock and her dead body recovered only after more than two hours of feverish activity on the part of camp workers and a county prison gang.

Mrs. Jarvis and her husband, with a third man, David Workman, all residents of Williams Camp, had sunk a tunnel about 20 feet into the canyon wall. Mrs. Jarvis and Workman were working away in the tunnel when the walls started to give way.

Workman grabbed Mrs. Jarvis by the arm and they started running for the tunnel entrance but the rock caught them as they were about six or eight feet from the opening, completely burying the woman and partially burying Workman.

The husband and Robert Greeley, who were working a sluice box near the entrance, heard the cave-in and ran into the tunnel to effect a rescue. They were able only to extricate Workman.

Deputy Sheriffs B. R. Horton and W. P. Jackson of the San Dimas substation were called, as well as another deputy and his prison road crew working in the canyon. The body was recovered about 5:30 o'clock, almost two and one-half hours after the cave-in.