

Dog Finally Rescued, In Mine For 50 Days

GILBERT, W. Va. (AP)—Brownie, a 3-year-old rabbit hound with a master who cares, settled down today to replacing the 25 pounds he lost during 50 days entrapment in a caved-in mine shaft.

A bulldozer late Monday uncovered a hole leading into the shaft into which the dog disappeared almost two months ago.

Brownie, with protruding ribs and eyes bleary in the daylight he hadn't seen for so long, clambered into the arms of equal-

ly bleary-eyed Richard Hatfield, 21, his master.

Until a week ago, Richard's struggle to free his trapped pet had been a lonely and seemingly hopeless one. But as word spread, his neighbors made it a community project.

Richard had tried jassoing Brownie through a narrow crevice; he had tried luring him into a sack; but nothing worked.

For 18 days after Brownie disappeared while on a hunting trip with Richard he was thought dead. But whatever the dog chased into that narrow slit—probably a rabbit—seemed to have provided him with enough food to keep him going for a while.

Brownie's whimpering and barking was heard by one of Richard's numerous cousins in the small community of Hampden. Tommy Kennedy told Richard he had heard Brownie bark. That was 32 days ago.

When Charles Dillen, one of Richard's neighbors, crawled into a narrow break in the stony mountainside, Brownie was at first immobile and seemingly blind. After he adjusted to the fading daylight outside, he trotted out to his master.

Richard had visited the break every day since the dog had been located, dropping food down the slit to his pet. Water was plentiful inside the shaft.

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New name in the news—Goa.

How about that. India, a nation which constantly talks of non-violence, invading the little Portuguese possession on the Indian continent.

Can't blame Adlai Stevenson, the U. S. ambassador to the United Nations, for urging the U. N. Security Council to call for a cease-fire in the fighting.

Whew, from Viet Nam, to the Congo, to Cuba, to Berlin and now to India. Where trouble will break out next no one knows.

President susceptible to colds like everyone else.

Rugged schedule for Mr. Kennedy on that Latin American trip. He well deserves some time off.

A little rest in Florida should do the trick.

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