RESCUED PAIR PLACED IN JAIL

Men Saved From Old Coal Mine Held For Attempted Wire Theft

PITTSBURGH, May 16.—(A. P.) — Two jobless steel workers stretched out on jail cell bunks today and said they were happy to be there instead of in an abandoned mine where they were lost more than 15 hours.

Police arrested Arthur Tonner, 35. and Robert Dyer, 36, after they were rescued yesterday from 15 miles of tunnels bored under suburban hills

Edwin Miller, 35, who summoned rescue workers after an all-night vigil at the mouth of the old pit, also was arrested.

The officers said Tonner and Dyer went into the mine to hunt copper wire while Miller stayed above ground, on guard.

"Boy, we're glad to see you," Dyer said after a crew from the U.S. Bureau of Mines reached the two.

The rescuers had waded through water two feet deep, crawled over debris from caveins and forced their way along drifted passageways.

Above ground again, Dyer said wearily:

"We were in about a mile when they found us.

"Our lights went out. We were lost."

Saved From Death In Mine

for 15 hours through a dark 15mile abandoned coal mine at Pitts- Mines.

After being lost and wandering burg, Robert Dyer (foreground) and Arthur Tonner were rescued by a crew from the U. S. Bureau

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