Ebensburg Miner Rescued; Trapped Far Underground

EBENSBURG, Pa. (AP) — A coal miner was rescued unharmed early today after being trapped 900 feet underground for about 12 hours.

William Ferguson Sr., 64, of Ebensburg R. D. 1, operator of a continuous mining machine, was caught in a roof fall Tuesday at Bethlehem Mine 32 of the Bethlehem Mines Corp. at Revloc.

A physician pronounced Ferguson none the worse for his ordeal, but he was admitted to Johnstown Memorial Hospital for observation.

Two other miners working with Ferguson escaped without injury when the roof let go four miles from the mine entrance.

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