

# TRAPPED MINER SAVED

## *Rescuers Win Fight Against Slides*

VIRGINIA CITY (Nev.), Jan. 1.—(AP)—Fellow workers today rescued George Peterson, 35, after twelve hours of digging through caved-in earth which entombed the miner between the 300 and 400-foot levels of the old South Comstock silver mine.

Peterson was suffering only from shock.

The first cave-in caught Peter-

son in a stope and put about 60 feet of earth between him and the only available means of escape.

Although crumbling earth several times delayed the rescuers' progress they reached Peterson shortly after midnight. He was brought to the surface on a stretcher where his worried wife had been waiting.

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