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TERRIFIC COAL MINE EXPLOSION

About Two Hundred Men Are Lying Dead as a Result.

Holocaust in a Pittsburg Mine—Only One Survivor as Yet Found

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 25.—From all that can be gathered at a late hour to-night between 180 and 190 men are lying dead in the headings and passage-ways of the Harwick mine of the Allegheny Coal Co., at Cheswick, the result of a terrific explosion to-day.

Cage after cage has gone down into the mine and come up again, but only one miner of all those who went to work this morning were brought to the surface. The man rescued is Adolph Gunya, and he is still in a semi-conscious condition at the temporary hospital in the rude school house above the mine.

In addition to the miners who were at work when the explosion occurred it is now believed by practically all of the men of the rescue party who have come up the 20-foot vertical shaft for a warning and a breathing spell that Selwyn Taylor, the Pittsburg mining engineer, who plotted the mine and who was the first to reach the bottom after the explosion happened, is also now among the list of dead. Of those in the mine all are probably dead.

The explosion occurred about eight this morning. The first warning was

A SUDDEN RUMBLING, a sheet of flame then rose from the deep shaft. Both mine cages were hurled through the tangle twenty feet above the landing stage and the three men in the tangle were hurled to the ground. A mule was thrown high above the shaft, and fell dead on the ground. The injured men in the tangle were brought at once to this city, where Henry Mahew, a check weighman, and Geo. Waltman, a tippie man, died.

The rumble of the explosion and the crash at the pit mouth started the little village and the wives and children of men below rushed to the scene of disaster, but found little encouragement.

There was no way to get into the deep workings. The cages that let the men into the mines and brought them out again when the day's work was done were demolished. All day long there was a jam of waiting women and children about the mouth of the pit. There were calls for assistance, and for surgical aid from the men in charge of the mine, but it was not until four o'clock this afternoon that the first attempt at rescue was made. This was a failure as the two men who volunteered were driven back by the foul air.

Shortly after five o'clock Selwyn T. Taylor, mining expert, and one of his assistants, signalled for the engineer to lower them into the shaft. Taylor is still down there. Three times efforts have been made to reach him, but so far without avail.

A RESCUER'S STORY.

Thomas Wood, one of the first of the rescue party hauled to the surface, told this story of his trip

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We have all read in our school readers the story of the boy tending the sheep who thought to have fun with the servants and cried out wolf! The servants rushed to his assistance to find that it was a false alarm, and when the wolf really came, they would not respond to the call of the boy and the flock was destroyed.

It is the fashion nowadays among certain proprietors of patent medicine that "will cure every disease on earth" to try to frighten every one into believing that he is afflicted with some dangerous malady, by reciting thousands of symptoms and indications of disease. People see so much of this that when they really become so afflicted they will pay no attention to remedies of merit that they really stand in great need of.

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through the mine: "I was with Taylor, and we clambered over three or four falls. Taylor laid out the mine and seemed to know the way. There was one man alive at the foot of the shaft. He was sent up, and then we took the mule path to the south level. We saw two men who were alive, and notified those who were back of us and then went on. We passed the third, fourth and fifth heading, and then through an over-draft into the air-shaft. I began to feel dizzy and sick, and then I saw Taylor stagger and fall. His lantern fell. We tried to lift him up, but could not carry him up, and I made my own way to safety."

F. W. Cunningham, the mine inspector of the 14th district, reached Harwick to-night. He said: "The mine where the explosion took place was inspected, I think, about the first of December. There was some gas in there then, but I never considered the mine dangerous."

The last inspection blank hanging on the nail in the mine company's office is dated July 17, 1903, but it is evident that a later report has been torn off.

Among the rescue party in the mine at a late hour, in addition to Inspector Cunningham, were Jack McCann, Bob North, Robert Carney, Henry Brecker, Robert Gibson, Wm. Walkenst. An additional party of twenty went down shortly after midnight.

Three of the rescuers—Brecker, Smith and Walkenst., when they returned to the surface, declared that, in their opinion, all in the mine outside of the rescue party are dead, including Taylor, the engineer.

H. F. Hutchinson, who gave out the lamps to the miners before they went to work in the pit this morning said: "At 7:15 o'clock I had given out between 180 and 190 lamps."

There is a light in every cottage in the little hamlet above the pit mouth. There was still a crowd about the mouth of the shaft to-night, but it will probably be hours before the full extent of the catastrophe is known.

75 OF THE MEN LOCATED.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 26.—At 12:15 this morning, Robert North and Michael Cain, of the rescue party, came to the surface and reported that Selwyn Taylor had been found alive, and that 75 of the miners had been located—the majority of them it is believed alive.

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WILLIAM GORDON

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LETTER BOX

To the Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,—In looking through The Planet of the 20th inst., my attention was drawn to an item headed "Township of Chatham," and signed "Rambler." In my mind, it is a wonder "Rambler" would give the Trustees credit for being men of magnificent ideas. This same "Rambler" is one of the biggest kickers in the township, and is always turned down. Mr. Editor, "Rambler" forgot to tell you that there was a bell in the belfry, which I have no doubt "Rambler" will be longing to hear ring out the noon hour so he can go home to "mother" and his pipe. "Rambler" also says, "Being a rich section, \$3,500 does not count." We will not dispute the richness of the section, but the cost. The cost is less than \$3,000. It is the first time I ever heard of a school being a "general purpose building." True, it was dedicated by a concert, followed by a dance. The only thing I have to say against the dancing party is, they never invited the trustees. Thanking you for your space, F. W. CHAMBERLAIN, Sec. Treas. S. S. No. 1.

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