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THE DISASTER GROWS MORE APPALLING.

TERRIBLE MUTILATION

Bodies Now Being Removed are Burned Almost Beyond Recognition—Fins Refuse to Do Rescue Work—One Big Trench for a Grave—Plight of Widows—Coroner's Inquest—Bodies Buried in the Mine Tunnels.

M'KINLEY EXTENDS HIS SYMPATHY

Expresses His Deep Sorrow to Governor Wells for the Wives and Children of the Victims.

Washington, May 3.—The President today sent the following telegram to the Governor of Utah:

"Executive Mansion, Washington, May 3, 1900:

"Governor Wells, Salt Lake City, Utah. I desire to express my intense sorrow upon learning of the terrible calamity which has occurred at Scofield, and my deep sympathy with the wives, children and friends of the unfortunate victims of the explosion.

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

Scofield, Utah, May 3.—At this time 225 bodies have been recovered from the mines. Since last night according to some counts the number is nearly 250, but the best posted men, those who have kept a close count on the bodies as they have come out, place the number at 225. Of the new bodies, 13 came from No. 4 at about 1 o'clock this morning. Nearly all are in a frightful condition. Few, if any, escaped the fire which wrapped them as in a sheet of flame.

HORRIBLY MUTILATED.

Some of them are horribly mutilated, and altogether those thirteen burned and bruised bodies lying side by side at the old boarding house make about the most frightful picture that has yet been seen here. Six bodies have not been taken from No. 4. They are in worse condition than any yet brought out and it will be extremely difficult to identify two of them at all.

TWELVE MORE BODIES.

State Coal Mine Inspector Gomer Thomas, who came out from the mine to go to the inquest, says there are three more bodies recovered in No. 1 waiting to be brought out. He has thoroughly explored the workings and says that to the best of his belief there are still twelve more bodies in the mine, these are buried under caves and broken timbers in No. 4 ,and it will be days or possibly weeks before they can all be got out.

NEW BODIES RECOVERED.

List of those taken out since last night is as follows: Thomas Ramage, Matt Jacobson, James Gatherum, George Clothier, —— Peters, Jacob Pesola, A. Aho, Andrew Anacki, David Skersey, Oscar Nuemi, Finlander, unknown, Peter Sutherland, Alex Hakel.

These were all taken out soon after midnight.

VICTIMS FROM NO. 1.

The six just brought down from No, 1 are: Thomas Riley, T. H. Reilly, Alexander Kangers, and three Finlanders, who are crushed and burned almost beyond identification.

The recovery of James Gatherum's body makes the

LAST OF THE THREE BROTHERS

taken from the ill-fated mine. His relatives from Provo were awaiting for the body and took it down from Winter Quarters in a wagon.

Thomas Ramage, whose body has just been recovered, was married exactly a month ago. His widow and father-in-law were in waiting, and another scene occurred to which those unfortunate enough to find themselves here are becoming used to witnessing. Preparations for the funeral are actively going on. The undertakers have washed and dressed 150 bodies and are placing them in the coffins. The work has been delayed a little owing to the short supply of coffins, but another carload came in this morning, and one more will arrive tonight.

DIGGING THE GRAVES.

A force of graders from the Clear Creek branch of the Rio Grande Western are now at work digging the graves in the little cemetery upon the hill. They will excavate two long trenches and the bodies will be buried military fashion. The funeral will take place on Saturday and the people here who are working to help the bereaved ones are looking forward to that occasion with something akin to terror for they know in advance what terrible scenes are likely to be enacted.

NEAR OF THE FLOWERS.

It was made known here this morning that a carload of flowers, presumably the gift of the people of Salt Lake, would arrive here tomorrow night. The simple announcement brought tears to many eyes, engulfed in their own sorrow. The stricken ones have scarcely thought of the sympathy that is felt for them all over Utah, and an act like this suddenly awakens in them the thought that their sorrow is shared by others.

TO SHIP BODIES.

Assistant Superintendent Williams is making every effort to arrange for shipping bodies to their homes. It is essential that over half of them will be taken away for burial and their destinations will be all over Utah. Eight will go to Coalville alone. They are the Clark brothers, Walter Clark, a cousin, and Messrs. Ullathorn, Illingsworth, Geo. James and Chas. Edwards.

SORROWING TRAVELERS.

These bodies will all be shipped some time tomorrow, probably late in the afternoon. The Pleasant Valley Coal company transports these bodies at its own expense and furnishes transportation to the families.

It is expected that the dead of Coalville will be accompanied by forty people, widows, children, sisters and parents, who will never reside in Scofield again.

Young Miller, of Helper, who sat so long at the mouth of No. 1 tunnel waiting to learn the fate of his three brothers, has been joined by other relatives and they will take the bodies home for interment.

HARDSHIP IN STORE.

Nearly all of the bereaved families are facing hard problems. Take that of Mrs. Davis for instance. Her husband, John T. Davis, and her two sons, aged 19 and 21 respectively, were killed. That leaves the widow with eight little children to care for. This is only one instance of a great many similarly situated. A very peculiar circumstance was developed during the past two days.

JUST LIKE THEM.

Quite a number of Fins were killed in this mine, although a much greater number escaped by not being in the mine at the time. Notwithstanding this not a single Finlander has volunteered to aid in the rescue, and the bodies of the Fins have been recovered by the Welsh, Scotch, English and American miners. If a Fin sees a rescue crew being formed, he will quickly walk off. If requested to go in and help find his countrymen, his answer is a very flat refusal. They wait at the morgue and at the tunnel mouth, but have not lifted a hand in the rescue work.

The other miners say that it is some deep-rooted superstition that affects these Fins, and they are not surprised or indignant at the refusal of the Finlanders to join with them; but the situation is now so painfully obvious that the whole town is talking about it.

GOOD SAMARITANS.

The joint committee of Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias spent the day among the dead identifying members of their orders. They found about twenty members of each order among the dead. The grand lodge officers of each order will be in attendance.

A MINISTERING ANGEL.

By some chance Miss Daisy Haroon, the professional nurse from Salt Lake, happened to be in Scofield at the time of the explosion, having come down to assist the local physician in some case. Today every woman in Scofield thinks gratefully of how Miss Haroon has worked incessantly in the stricken families since the great disaster and has carried to them comfort as well as healing. There are so few who are not overcome with personal sorrows that Miss Haroon's labor has been unceasing and her strength severely taxed. She has truly been a ministering angel in these dark and trying hours.

RELATIVES ARRIVING.

Relatives of the dead have been arriving here from surrounding towns today. The body of Tom Brogdon, of North Lawrence, Ohio, has been located in No. 1 and will probably be brought out today.

DESOLATE SCOFIELD.

After the funerals Scofield will be pretty well depopulated. The families of the dead miners will get away from the scene of their suffering as soon as possible. The mines will of necessity be closed down for a considerable time, so there will not be employment for any large body of men at once.

MUCH DAMAGE.

Further reports go to show that the damage done by the explosion in No. 4 was extensive. There are a good many caves and timbers are broken. No. 1 can be put in shape in a comparatively short time.

THE INQUEST.

The inquest was begun at 10 o'clock this morning at the late residence of John Hunter, a well known resident, who was killed in the mine. L. O. Hoffman was in charge and W. H. Potter, Frank Mereweather and A. Greenhalgh composed the jury. They did not go into the controversy as to what caused the disaster, nor did they exonerate or blame the company. They simply found that Hunter met his death in the mine through an explosion.

PRINCIPAL WITNESS.

State Mine Inspector Gomer Thomas was the witness in whom interest centered, because he has declined to give his views heretofore, he said he had held his present position two years. On March 8th he inspected mines Nos. 1 and 4, where the disaster occurred, and found them in fair condition, the ventilation, he said, was good.

CAUSED BY BLAST.

"In my opinion, " said the inspector, "the explosion there was caused by a tight, heavy shot."

The mine was free from gas, Mr. Thomas said. He had examined the place where it was claimed powder had been stored and it was plainly evident that the explosion started where this powder was stored. This was further indicated by the condition of bodies found near there. They were more badly burned than those found anywhere else. At the time he created a profound sensation here.

CORRECTED LIST OF THE IDENTIFIED DEAD.

AHO, A.
AMACKI, ANDREW.
ADAMSON, ANDREW.
ANDERSON, JAMES.
ANDERSON, JOSEPH.
AHO, VICTOR.
BROGDON, THOMAS.
BACK, RICHARD.
BURNES, JOHN.
BETTERSON, HARRY.
BURUS, ——
BURUS, ——
CLOTHIER, GEORGE.
COULTHARD, GEORGE.
CHOCKLETT, PETER.
CLARK, WILLIAM.
CLARK, ——.
CLARK, ——.
DELCLIFT, JOS.
DOUGALL, BERNARD.
DIXON, R.
DAVIS, WILLIAM.
DAVIS, ROGER.
DAVIS, JOHN Q.
DRUCK, JOHN.
DOUGLAS, WILLIAM.
EVANS, D. T.
EVANS, LLEWELLYN.
EVANS, DAVID.
EVANS, R. T.
EDWARDS, CHARLES.
ERICKSON, ERIC.
EVANS, EVAN.
ERICKSON, HERMAN.
FERRISH, ROBERT.
FERRISH, THOMAS.
GATHERUM, THOMAS.
GATHERUM, WILLIAM.
GATHERUM, JAMES.
GORDON, LEO.
GORDON, GUS.
GRAVES, JOS.
HAZEL, ALEX.
HUNTER, ADAM.
HUNTER, ——.
HUNTER, WILLIAM.
HUNTER, ROBERT.
HUNTER, JAMES C.
HUNTER, JOSEPH A.
HUNTER, DAVID.
HUNTER, JOHN.
HARDEE, T. J.
HARDEE, ED.
HULITALA, NICHOLA.
HUNDRAS, MAT.
HONTA, JOHN.
HONTA, A.
HOUGHA, JOHN.
HOUGHA, CALLI.
HAIKKILA, A.
HAIKKILA, HERMAN.
HAIKKILA, JOHN.
HULITALA, ELIAS.
ILLINGSWORTH, D.
JACOBSON, MAT.
JAMES, JOHN.
JAMES, GEORGE.
JAMES, ——.
JONES, LEVI.
JONES, WILLIAM.
JONES, EDWARD.
JONES, JOHN.
JAPPA, ERIC.
JACKASOLA, WILLIAM.
JACOBSON, W.
JACOBSON, JOHN.
JACHETTA, ANSELMO.
JACHETTA, FERARE.
JENKINS, J. J.
KANCAS, ALEX.
KRESKI, MAT.
KOSKI, JOHN.
KERAMEN, JACOB.
KETOLA, ALEX.
KLEINDA, ANTI.
KLEINDA, JEANTER.
KLEINDA, WESLER.
KORBELLA, JOHN.
KANGAS, MICK.
KORPI, JOHN.
KOSKI, CHARLES.
KALSO, FRANK.
KOSKI, MAT.
KANGAS, ALEX.
LAPPI, SOL.
LLOYD, BEN.
LLOYD, JOHN X.
LUXON, VALENTINE.
LIVESAY, SAMUEL.
LANGSTAFF, A.
LANGSTAFF, ——.
LEYSHON, LEWIS.
LINDBERG, OSCAR.
LUMA, ABRAM.
LUMA, ——.
LUMA, ——.
LUMA, ——.
LUMA, ——.
LUMA, ——.
LUMA, ——.
LUMA, ——. (3 brothers.)
LETHOLA, J.
LUNDGRENS, I. I.
LACKSO, CHRIST.
LAPPI, CHARLES.
MUIR, JOHN.
MUIR, DAVID.
MUIR, GEORGE.
MILLER, ISAAC A.
MILLER, HARRISON A.
MILLER, R. V.
MAY, J.
MACKEY, SAK.
MACKEY, A.
NUEMI, OSCAR.
NUEMI, M.
NEILSON, WILLIAM.
OGAN, VICTOR.
OGAN, LEE.
PETERS, ——.
PISOLA, JACOB.
PARMELEY, WILLIAM.
PADFIELD, S. J.
PADFIELD, THOMAS.
PADFIELD, DAVID.
PRICE, JOHN, JR.
POWELL, WILLIAM.
PITMAN, MESHICK.
PITMAN, JOHN.
PITMAN, DAVID.
PATTERSON, MATHIAS.
PINKKALA, ANDY.
PISOLA, JOHN.
PISOLA, CHRIST.
PENATTILA, A.
PENATTILA, N.
POTTOGRANKAS, MATTI.
SKERSEY, DAVID.
RAMAGE, THOMAS.
REILLY, T. J.
REILLEY, TOM. H.
REESE, WILLIAM.
REESE, R. D.
RILEY, THOMAS.
SAMUELS, WILLIAM.
SAMUELS, ——
SUTHERLAND, PETER.
STREET, EDWIN.
STEWART, RICHARD.
STRANG, FRANK, SR.
STRANG, FRANK, JR.
SELEIN, JACOB.
THOMAS, RICHARD.
ULLATHARN, WILLIAM.
WEBBER, JOHN.
WEBBER, THOMAS.
WEBBER, JAMES.
WEBBER, WILLIAM.
WILSON, JAMES.
WILSON, HENRY.
WILSON, ALEX., JR.
WILSON, WILLIE.
WILLIAMS, ROBERT.
WILLIAMS, ——. (son.)
WILLIAMS, LLEWELLYN.
WILLSTEAD, WILLIAM.
WILLSTEAD, ROBERT.
WALLACE, JAMES, SR.
WALKAME, N.
WARRILLA, ALFRED.
WILLIAMS, THOMAS.
WILLIAMS, ——. (son.)
WILLIAMS, DAN.
THOMAS LIVESAY.
WILLIAM LIVESAY.
Four Finlanders who can not be identified.

CORRECTED LIST OF INJURED.

JOHN WILSON.
ALEX. C. WILSON.
HARRY TAYLOR.
THOMAS SELLARS.
JOHN BEDDOE.
WILLIAM BOYETER.
JOHN KIRTON.

RELIEF FUND.

Subscriptions Coming in From All Over the State.

SALT LAKE CITY.

A. W. McCune	$2,000.00
David Keith	1,000.00
S. L. C. Railway Co.	500.00
Walker Bros.	500.00
Elk lodge	500.00
Alex H. Tarbet	500.00
Brokers and Curbers	230.00
Bamberger Coal company	250.00
Salt Lake Tribune	200.00
Deseret News Employes	138.75
McCornick employes	106.25
Salt Lake Herald	100.00
Thomas Kearns	100.00
Ezra Thompson	100.00
Salt Lake Bed company	100.00
and Troy Steam laundry	100.00
J. H. Stallings, Jr.	10.00
John Howells	5.00
L. B. Windsor	5.00
Cash	1.00
Fisher Brewing company	50.00
W. A. Stanton	2.00
W. G. Nebeker	5.00
Paul Smith	2.00
F. W. Little	5.00
Martin Garn	5.00
J. L. Weber	20.00
Ben R. Haddock	2.00
H. T. Pascoe	2.00
Ham Naylor	5.00
Col. Ellis	5.00
Cash	2.00
W. J. Bateman	5.00
Nelden-Judson Drug Co.	50.00
James Hogle	25.00
Consolidated Implement Co.	25.00
E. T. Thurber	5.00
C. W. Rogers	1.00
Callaway, Hoock & Francis	25.00
Cash	1.00
Cash (children)	2.50
S. Sanders	1.00
J. B. Weimer	5.00
O. H. Pettit	10.00
Charles Read	5.00
H. S. Joseph	5.00
Randle & Thockmorton	10.00
Dan Loftus	2.00
Cash	25.00
Johnson-Pratt Co.	5.00
Tuttle Bros.	5.00
David Evans	50.00
Dillon & Morgan	10.00
Cash	50.00
Cash	25.00
J. M. Hays	1.00
Cash	1.00
Z. C. M. I. factory	30.50
Dinwoodey Furniture Co.	50.00
D. S. Spencer	5.00
J. F. Whittemore	5.00
H. P. Henderson	25.00
J. P. Gardner	50.00
S. M. Barlow	10.00
George E. Blair	5.00
Utah Liquor Co.	25.00
Cash	5.00
George S. Bell	2.00
Cash	5.00
J. W. Neill	27.00
Thomas Marnane	10.00
P. J. Moran	20.00
C. A. Granger	5.00
J. S. Garrison	5.00
W. J. Halloran	20.00
George Mueller	10.00
J. M. Marriott	5.00
W. H. McIntyre	20.00
George G. Doyle	5.00
A. W. Steele	1.00
A. S. Horne	1.00
Brown, Terry & Woodruff	
Moulton family	5.00
J. A. Houghton	5.00
Hewlett Bros	25.00
Cash	1.00
R. P. Morris	5.00
G. A. Gibbs	5.00
Jones & Jacobs	25.00
H. A. Smith	5.00
E. A. Wilson	5.00
S. J. Jacobsen	3.00
Mrs. Sarah McChrystal	24.00
Cash	5.00
Cash	2.00
Mrs. S. B. Milner	25.00
County recorder's office	39.00
J. F. Connor	25.00
J. R. Letcher	5.00
J. B. Timmony	5.00
John Milner	5.00
D. Moore Lindsay	50.00
L. W. Snow	5.00
C. F. Christensen	1.00
G. M. Bridwall	5.00
Cash	1.00
Russell L. Tracy	20.00
D. A. Denue	10.00
Cash	1.00
Don H. Porter	15.00
G. L. Goldman	1.00
J. L. Karr	1.00
C. R. Vigus	1.00
J. H. Leyson company	25.00
Ridgley lodge, I. O. O. F.	25.00
M. S. Ormsby (Logan)	5.00
S. H. Lynch	10.00
James P. Driscoll	1.00
F. B. Stephens	5.00
August Stein	5.00
Cash	1.00
Woman's Democratic club	32.00
W. W. R.	2.00
H. J. Crandall	2.00
R. C. Morris Floral Co.	5.00
F. C.	1.00
D. H. Peery Jr.	50.00
James A. Pollock	50.00
C. S. Wood	50.00
W. H. Clark	50.00
E. H. Airis	50.00
J. E. Jennings	25.00
Sheets & Thompson	25.00
Taylor Bros	25.00
E. W. Young	25.00
Hudson & Sons Co.	25.00
R. G. Wilson	25.00
H. S. Joseph	25.00
Irvine & Mason	25.00
J. B. Thompson	25.00
E. A. Wall	25.00
Herman Hill	20.00
P. J. Conway	15.00
J. W. Hatfield	15.00
Campbell & Greene	10.00
Pendergast & Co.	10.00
Waterman Bros	10.00
E. D. Woodruff	10.00
Timothy Egan	10.00
J. C. Lynch	10.00
F. E. McGurring	10.00
Frank Knox	10.00
J. Oberndorfer	10.00
H. W. Darscher	10.00
R. L. Colburn	10.00
W. H. Farnsworth	5.00
H. B. Cole	5.00
J. L. Hamilton	5.00
W. H. Child	5.00
W. C. B. Allen	5.00
J. Tod Goodwin	5.00
E. W. West	5.00
Chas. Auer	10.00
Chas. B. Stewart	5.00
Mrs. F. W. Jennings	10.00
Fred, Hansen	1.00
Cash	1.00
John P. Sorenson	2.00
Total	$8,547.60

PROVO.

C. E. Loose	$1,000.00
Jesse Knight & Sons	1,000.00
Reed Smoot	500.00
L. Holbrook	250.00
J. R. Twelves	100.00
T. C. Thompson	100.00
J. W. Farrer	25.00
W. M. Roylance	20.00
R. C. Watkins	15.00
Capt. Wedgwood	15.00
W. K. Spafford	10.00
J. T. Farrer	10.00
Milton Jacques	10.00
Total	$3,055.00

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS.

Ogden	$ 360.25
Logan	100.00
Park City	450.00
Utah sugar factory employes	300.00
Total	$1,210.25

Grand Total Subscriptions $12,812,85

SUBSCRIPTION COMMITTE MEETS

Plan to Raise Funds Considered—Concert by Cambrian Society.

The special committee appointed by Mayor Thompson yesterday to solicit and receive subscriptions to the relief fund met in the council chamber, City and County building, shortly after 11 o'clock today. Those present were Mayor Thompson, Chairman John E. Dooly, James Chipman, A. W. McCune, Arthur L. Thomas, William Igleheart, Frank Knox, A. W. Carlson, W. A. Nelden, M. H. Walker, W. S. McCornick, L. S. Hills, Dr. Theo Meyer and D. C. Eichnor.

The first business done was the election of a secretary and treasurer. Upon motion, William Igleheart, manager of the Herald, was chosen secretary, and Postmaster Arthur L. Thomas treasurer.

Mr. McCornick moved it be the sense of the meeting that subscription lists be placed in all the banks and various business places of the city, and that the money thus subscribed be later added to the committee's list. The motion prevailed.

Mr. McCune thought members of the committee should head the list and accordingly moved that those present be required to say what amount they desired their names put down for. A number of the committee opposed the motion, on the ground that they were not prepared to say what sum they could give until a meeting of the board of directors of their respective corporations were had. Mr. McCune withdrew the motion and was heard to say to Governor Thomas that the committee could put him down for $2,000 and the Salt Lake City Railroad Company for $500. The remark was doubtless only intended for the ear of Governor Thomas, but those sitting near overheard what the gentleman said and applauded the splendid exhibition of charity.

Governor Thomas read a dispatch he had just received from Hon. Henry Philipps, of Pittsburg, in which the sender expressed deep sorrow for the terrible disaster and requesting that his name be put down for $100. This generous act on the part of Mr. Philipps received the warmest kind of applause from the committee.

Mr. Walker said he believed a popular concert at the Tabernacle would materially aid the committee in raising funds and he was about to make a motion that a committee for this purpose be appointed, when he was interrupted by Governor Thomas, who stated that a meeting of the Cambrian association had been called for 4 o'clock this afternoon to take action on the very subject suggested by Mr. Walker. Governor Thomas explained that many of the dead miners were members of the society, to which he had the honor of being president, and the members of the association residing in this city were anxious to aid, by means of a concert, the wives and families of their fellow countrymen. It was then decided to await the action of the Cambrians, the prevailing sentiment being that they be allowed to take the initiative.

Mr. Neiden reported that the school children of the city had gathered nearly a car load of lilacs and flowers, which would be sent to Scofield, Superintendent Welby having placed a special car at the disposal of the ladies for that purpose.

The meeting then adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

SYMPATHY OF FRANCE

A Catastrophe That Claims More Lives Than Many of the World's Historic Battles—Generous Response of Utah's People—Thousands of Dollars Being Raised for the Widows and Orphans—A Great Relief Fund.

SCARCITY OF COFFINS AT SCOFIELD

A Condition That Causes Talk of Cremation to be Indulged in—Hardly Necessary, However.

The people of Utah will be greatly shocked to learn that there are not yet enough coffins in the camp in which to bury the dead. To add to the horror of the situation the bodies are rapidly decomposing.

But worse than this, was the expressed thought that came from Scofield today, that cremation would have to be resorted to, in that there are now fifty bodies for which no provision for burial has been made. This course, however, will hardly be necessary, as more caskets can now be sent, if called for.

Washington, May 3.—Ambassador Cambon called at the White House today and presented to President McKinley from President Loubet of France a message of condolence on the recent mining disaster in Utah.

As the hours wear on and as the excitement attendant upon the horrifying scenes resulting from the terrible explosion at Scofield subsides, the situation grows worse instead of better. Gradually has the death list been swollen until it is now believed that not less than 250 lives have been lost.

When the "News" announced two days ago, on the brief information hurriedly obtained, that twenty-five lives had been sacrificed, its readers were greatly shocked, but as it developed that there were hundreds the whole country was appalled at the awfulness of the catastrophe.

To know that there is no improvement in the situation is indeed occasion for sorrow, but it must be pleasing in the highest degree to know that the cries of the widows and orphans are not going unheeded, and that thousands and probably tens of thousands of dollars will be contributed. Much of the money has already been raised and much more will be donated as soon as the movement now underway can be fully organized.

[SPECIAL TO THE "NEWS."]

Scofield, Utah, May 3.—The regular train from Salt Lake this afternoon brought some people whose presence here will be a great help.

Rev. A. H. Henry of the First Methodist church is the first minister to come in and he was warmly welcomed as he stepped off the car.

Undertaker Evans and the Skewes Brothers will be of great assistance.

The report in one of the Salt Lake papers that the number of dead would reach 300 is about the first exaggeration sent out from this town. It is numerically impossible for there to be three hundred dead as there were not that many in the two mines.

The probabilities are that 250 will be about the total, and there is no probability of it being greater than that. Several bodies were shipped out this morning.

POOR FELLOWS.

Charred Lips are All to be Seen of the Two Livesays.

This morning's Rio Grande Western brought to St. Mark's hospital Thomas Livesay and William Livesay. All that could be seen of the poor fellows were their charred lips, and all there was to indicate that life remained was the feeble breathing of both. The heads and faces were bandaged all over, only a small hole remaining open through which the unfortunate men could breathe. Strong but tender hands lifted the suffering forms into the ambulance and they were taken to the hospital, where their hurts were attended to at once and they were made as comfortable as possible.

"News" Employes Contribute.

At 12 o'clock today the employes in the various departments of the "News" were called together, and the business manager, Mr. Whitney, and the Editor, Mr. Penrose, laid the question of subscribing to the relief fund before them. A contribution was at once raised, the total amounting to $153.75.

At the meeting of the "News" employes several of them were absent. These it is known desire to contribute so that the sum total will be in excess of that now given.

More Aid Coming.

The board of directors of Z. C. M. I., the Home Fire Insurance company and Heber J. Grant & Co. have been called together for 4 o'clock this afternoon to consider the question of contributing to the Relief Fund. Bishop T. R. Cutler, manager of the Utah Sugar company, said he would confer with the members of his board this evening.

Indignant Relatives.

A prominent business man called at the "News" office today and said he desired to recite his experience. He said he escorted an aunt of two of the dead miners to the company office this morning to secure her a pass to Scofield in order that she might attend the funeral; the lady was told that she could be passed going, but not returning. She was a poor woman and the business man referred to, seeing her distress, pulled the money out of his pocket and paid for the return trip.

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS.

Mayor Taylor Will Gather Up Some Grave Diggers.

[SPECIAL TO THE "NEWS."]

Provo, Utah, May 3.—The bodies of the five Provo victims, the three Gatherum brothers and Langstaff and son, are expected to arrive from Scofield Friday morning. The funeral services, the date of which has not yet been settled, will be held all together from the Stake tabernacle. The committee on relief fund for the sufferers from the mine disaster are still at work, so that it is not possible at this time to give the amount collected; but it is estimated that the sum will run up to $5,000 or over. The citizens are most generous in their donations for the good cause.

Superintendent W. G. Sharp of the P. V. Coal Co. has telegraphed to Taylor for fifty volunteers to go to Scofield to assist in burying the victims of the explosion. The men are asked to provide themselves with tools, bedding and provisions to last two days, and will leave Provo this evening on the 9.15 train.

Mayor Taylor reports that he believes that more than the required number of men will volunteer to go.

A meeting is being held this afternoon to perfect arrangements.

FLOWERS FOR THE GRAVES.

A Car Load Left This Afternoon in Charge of Committee.

At 2:15 this afternoon a freight car, filled with flowers left the Rio Grande depot en route to Scofield. In a special car furnished by Superintendent Welby, of the Rio Grande Western Company were: Mrs. E. L. Carpenter, Mrs. George Y. Wallace, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Egbert Roberts, Miss Louise Nelden, Mr. W. A. Nelden, John J. Judson and Victor Morris the florist, who had the flowers in charge, and through whose efforts they were largely obtained.

The flowers consisted principally of Lilacs, of which there were five wagon loads. All the forenoon the teams of