

vn, PA., FRIDAY, JULY 11, 1902.

returned to the top about 10:25 o'clock. Dr. Taylor was a trifle exhausted by his efforts, but there was no truth in the sensational rumors that he had been affected with heart failure, had been overcome by afterdamp, etc.

The party of rescuers led by Marshall G. Moore and A. G. Prosser went through the mine, doing good work in locating the dead. Dr. Lowman worked with this party, which went on and penetrated the Klondike district, finding probably half a hundred apparently frozen men, dead and staring. Four of them were discovered in one room. As fast as the rescue party would come on a dead man he would be carefully laid along the track, this work proceeding until nearly fifty men had been found. Doctor Lowman remained with the party until it came out, about 2:30 o'clock this morning, having been in since about 6 last night. Robinson, Retallack and Rodgers were found about 9 o'clock.

RELIEF FUND FOR MINERS' FAMILIES.

"The Tribune" and All the Banks will Receive Subscriptions for the Dead Men's Dependents.

Scarcely had the news of the terrible catastrophe spread over the city before several citizens asked "The Tribune" to receive subscriptions to a fund for the relief of the families of the dead miners. "The Tribune," as well as all the banks, will receive any money donated for this purpose. Its distribution will be arranged for later.

The following subscriptions have been

RECOVERY OF THE DEAD.

List of the Men Whose Lives Were Smothered Out by Gas.

How the Bodies Were Recovered from the Chamber of Death and the Heart-Breaking Scene in the Armory of Company H—Identification Difficult in Many Cases.

Deep down in the womb of kindly Mother Earth a flame burst into cataclysm and in its wake let loose an all-searching and all-stifling insidiousness which, under the earthly name of after-damp, performs the work of a fiend hideous and ruthless from one chasm to another over heaped forms of its victims. In the section of the Cambria Mill Mine known as "No. 6 Right," shortly after 11 o'clock yesterday morning, occurred an explosion of gas which killed not less than eighty men and created a set of conditions likely to compel a shutdown, for a time, at least, of the Cambria Steel Works.

The list of the victims so far identified is as follows:

UNKNOWN, head, leg and arm off.

JOHN C. WHITNEY, Fire Boss, 58

FRANK ENDENSLEY, 22 years, Polish; wife and one child. Kelly Avenue. Fourteenth ward.

GEORGE TWORCHTOT, 29 years, Slavish, wife. No. 308 McConaughy street. Sixteenth ward.

STEVE PIRTAG, 28 years, Croatian; single. No. 308 McConaughy street.

JOHN GLAYDA, a Slav, aged 20.

All of the dead were taken out of their mine tomb through the mill entrance to the mine. Shortly after 5 o'clock this morning the first of the sad processions appeared at the mine mouth, being greeted with a silence deep and wide from the assembled throng of men, women and children of a race from across seas. Various undertakers had made arrangements to dispose of the bodies as soon as they were brought out, and in a very short time the wagons began rattling over the rapidly-filling streets to the Armory. The great shed-like building of Company H had been turned over to General-Manger Charles S. Price, of the Cambria Steel Company, by Mayor John Penly Jr., to be used as a morgue, and there the bodies were laid out on stretchers as fast as brought up, and in a very short time the embalmers were at work upon the human remnants of a grim catastrophe.

Upon the arrival of the remains of the

pathetic little man, apparently also lost a leg. The victim was never ripped loose from the laboratory of death, also, in the morgue, the unfortunate catastrophe is here from amid the mine chamber were taken. It is difficult to make it in body.

In many cases bodies were no longer recognizable than a skeleton. In next to impossible miners' bones, Mayor Price, by name, perfected and provided identification successfully, although the evidence of dead Slavs and Great Danes. The body of J. Sr., proved that

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