

MINING HERE AND THERE

Del Monte Company Is Incorporated.

ROCK FROM THE FORD MINE IS BEING MILLED

Several Sales of East Belt Mining Property Have Been Made of Late.

Onida. The frame work of the new 60-stamp mill at the Onida mine is up, and the mortar blocks are in. The mill will probably be finished by September.

Will Begin Work July 2d. A meeting of the Directors and Stockholders of the Kirkwood Mining Company was held in Secretary Fontenrose's office yesterday afternoon, and preparations made for beginning active operations on Monday, July 2d.

New Mining Company. The Del Monte Mining and Milling Company was incorporated this week, with directors as follows: Cornelius O'Neill, Bernard O'Neill, Truman Schenck, F. A. Voorheis, George J. Wright.

The Del Monte group of mines are located in the Railroad Flat Mining District in Calaveras county some 20 miles from Jackson. The group consists of the "Del Monte," or old "Prussian Hill" mine, the "Mt. Pleasant," a west extension of the Del Monte, the "Calaveras View," the "Pina Vita," the "Hazard," the "Monte Del," and the Del Monte mill site, in all about 120 acres.

CALAVERAS COUNTY.

Chronicle: A recent crushing in Jos. Heindorff's mill of some loose boulders gathered on the side of Central Hill channel, yielded \$27 per ton. How far these boulders journeyed with the tide in the southerly flow for the ages passed ere a resting place was found, is a matter yet to be settled.

The fame of the old Central Hill is not extinguished, but rests for the revelation yet to be made of the why and whereof of its escapade westward in the mysterious depths toward Six Mile. A company contemplates the purchase of the old river bed and a hunt for the lost portion.

Progress on the DeLay tunnel is most excellent. Several hundred feet have yet to be run ere the May Day lode, the terminal point, will be reached. Over 1200 feet of a tunnel have been credited to the diligent workers, and it is to be hoped that reward will be meted out to the company for the energetic manner of carrying out the great undertaking.

At the French Union mine in Poorman's Gulch, work is being carried on steadily though not on a very extensive scale, only four men being employed. The mill is kept running about two or three days in the week on gravel taken from the east rim of the channel at a depth of 1700 feet from the mouth of the tunnel. At that point the gravel is about six feet in thickness and it is all new ground. The gravel prospects well and we understand the yield from the millings is very satisfactory.

Prospect: The Ford mill started up Tuesday forenoon, this week, crushing rock from the mine. The mill will be in charge of H. C. Tyler and John McQuig, two thoroughly experienced mill men and we understand that rock from the various levels will be thoroughly tested. The rock taken out lately has been looking much better, and it is expected that good results will be shown.

TUOLUMNE COUNTY

Independent: The stamps are again dropping at the Kanaka mine, and it is to be hoped that the mine will be opened up and keep the mill pounding rich ore.

The mill at the Mt. Jefferson is running day and night and no doubt that the mine will show its richness in the clean-ups.

The Longfellow mine put on a force of men last Monday and work has begun again in full blast.

The Rhode Island mine is putting up a new hoisting works, and will soon commence to open up the mine in first class shape, and no doubt the mine will turn out all right.

New Era: The Croesus is still lying idle though not from lack of merit on the mine's part. All that stands in the way of resumption is a private row among the owners, one of whom is reported so stubborn that he won't acknowledge black isn't white.

Several sales of East Belt mining property have been made the past week. One carried with it a heavy cash payment, though for reasons best known to those directly interested we have been requested not to publish details of facts and figures in this number of The New Era.

R. B. Lane keeps driving away on his crosscut tunnel and expects to tap the vein in another 100 feet of drifting. The tunnel is now in over 250 feet. The ledge is large and showed up splendidly from surface prospecting, giving every reason to believe that at a good depth it will prove a winning property.

Owing to the breaking of a shaft the hoist at the Grizzly is hung up until

pairs can be made.

Miners who like contracts will soon have an opportunity to bid, the work to be done on the Sonora and Duffield mines.

It is rumored that a deal is on looking to the transfer of the Hope, Sam Ralston's rich combination pocket and milling claim, to a company.

Capt. C. H. Thomas, superintendent of the Seminoles, returned from Nevada Saturday. His visit to the Sagebrush State was connected with mining business.

EL DORADO COUNTY.

Ex-Sheriff M. M. Drew of Sacramento and P. C. Cohn and J. F. Donnelly of Folsom have secured control of the Miller river claim on the South Fork of the American near Salmon Falls.

The work of turning the river will be commenced as soon as the condition of the water in the river will permit them to do so.

The claim is said to be very rich and the parties think they have a bonanza.

Grammar Grade Diplomas.

Following are the successful applicants for diplomas: Antelope—Mary McKenzie.

Volcano—Kate Lessley, Sadie Gillick, Winnie Keffer, Josie Garibaldi. Oleia—Jessie B. Brown.

Pine Grove—Sayde Edisinger, Grace Lowry, Homer Hawkins. Charleston—Jessie McLaughlin, Louisa V. McLaughlin.

Clinton—Mamie L. Read. Plymouth—Laura G. Dugan, Anna A. Little.

Ione—Ida Dawson, Florence B. Dunlap. Mt. Echo—Julia Elizabeth Tonzi.

Julian—Lena Gooding, Lena Beatrice Cereghino. Jackson Valley—Jennie May Chamberlain, Almira Burris, Nellie C. Crabtree.

Buena Vista—Chester A. Wilson. Aetna—Ray Murphy.

Jackson—Cassie Lawless, Belle Devan Elva Kirkwood, Sarah Grimshaw, Agnes Newman, Ethel Wharf.

Middle Fork—Nellie Sharenbroch, Lena Molino. Amador City—Glendora M. Burns, Florence G. Taylor, Laura R. Case, Mayme Thomas.

Sutter Creek—Katie Weston, George Katz, Emma B. Little, Katie Monteverde, William Gregory, Mae M. Waechter, Ethel K. Tanner, Gus Brignoll, Annie L. Casella, Hazel E. Tanner, Minnie H. Raddatz.

Two papers of Sutter Creek class yet ungraded. \$11,000 a Year.

Irrepressible book agents have descended upon the Coast in swarms. They are eastern bred and trained, some of them graduates of the best colleges in this country, and not a few of them are attorneys-at-law. The book business is a profession, and those who are adapted to the business make handsome incomes. They are gentlemen in the main, but persistent to a degree. The latest representative of the profession to visit Jackson is a suave but aggressive youth of twenty-five, a thoroughly bred gentleman and a college graduate. He is a crackerjack, and can give the common herd of bookmen aces and spades and then do them. This gentleman's commissions quite frequently amount to \$11,000 a year, more than he can make practicing law—for he is a lawyer.

Died at the County Hospital.

Samuel S. Manon, at one time prominent in business circles in this county, died at the County Hospital Sunday, June 17th, aged about 71 years. His son Walter, arrived from San Francisco Monday evening.

The deceased was an engineer by trade and at one time owned the foundry, now the property of Knight & Co., at Sutter Creek. Several years ago his health became impaired and he became worse, until on November 14, 1893, he was compelled to enter the County Hospital, remaining there until his death. A number of years ago he was stricken blind.

Deceased was a native of Pennsylvania.

The Texas Fly.

A little fly possessed of great zeal and a piercing bill, and unceasing activity day and night, is just now the bane of beast and man. This little pest is known as the Texas fly, and this is the first season California has been afflicted with the nuisance. Stock dealers and raisers say that stock is prevented from feeding on ranges by the pest, the cattle becoming frenzied to such a degree that they cannot graze, and in some instances have actually stampeded from the range.

Spannoli Drug Store.

D. B. Spannoli is having the interior of his drug store repainted, papered and otherwise improved. A new floor was put in yesterday. When the repairs are finished, it will be as neat and convenient a business house as can be found in town. U. G. D. Spannoli has charge of the store and is superintending the repairs.

Graduating Exercises.

The graduating class of 1900, of the Jackson grammar school, under Principal W. S. Williams, will hold exercises in Webb Hall this evening. An excellent programme has been prepared. The members of the class are: Sarah Grimshaw, Catherine Lawless, Agnes Newman, Elva Kirkwood, Ethel Wharf and Belle Devan.

Jackson School Closes.

The Jackson school will close for the summer vacation this afternoon, appropriate exercises taking place in each department. Principal Williams and his corps of able assistants are to be congratulated on the success of the term.

Divine Service.

Divine service will be held in the Masonic Hall next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Wm. Tudson, Rector.

To Let.

A six-room house and barn, about a quarter of a mile from the Zeila mine. Apply at this office. 5-18-1mo

A COLUMN OF BREVITIES

John Chinn Has Left for England.

AN IONE MAN IS ROBBED WHILE HE SLEEPS

Native Daughters Leave at Early Morning Cheering Their Entertainers.

Ione flour is Peerless. 6-22-tf

Men's dress shoes \$1.25 a pair at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Fraser were registered at the New National Hotel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nettie left for a short visit in Grass Valley Wednesday morning.

Six ladies vests for 25 cents at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Miss Wheeler of Plymouth was the guest of Mrs. Breese and family during the Grand Parlor festivities.

Mr. Harmon, superintendent of the Campo Seco Copper mine, was here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Weller employs the only city milliner in town. 5-4-tf

The Bargain Store, Dispatch Building. Have you been there? If not, why not?

Mrs. J. W. Caldwell visited her people in Amador City last Sunday and remained there part of this week.

Read the advertisements in the LEDGER and see what our merchants are offering their customers.

Six pair ladies no-seam hose for 25 cents at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

The great Stockton Fair will begin June 28th and continue until and including July 4th.

Miss Hanna Gray of Stockton, was the guest of Mrs. R. E. McConnell during Grand Parlor week.

Mrs. Weller's for style and beauty in hats and dresses. 5-4-tf

Bargains at the Bargain Store. That's what purchasers say. Go and prove it.

For fine fruit see A. B. Caminetti's Central Market. He always has a luscious layout.

Good working gloves 12 cents pair at Jackson Bargain Store. 6-22-tf

George F. Nourse of Sacramento, who sells Pioneer Flour to everybody, was in town a few days this week.

Another supply of olives just received at A. B. Caminetti's Central Market. 6-8-1mo

It is a conceded fact that Amador County has the best looking Native Daughters of any county in the State.

High grade flour, corn meal and all kinds of feed made a specialty at the Ione Flour Mills. Buy Peersless. 6-22-tf

Twenty dozen men turkey-red handkerchiefs. Six for 25 cents (large size) White House. 6-8-tf

D. McCall, prominent in Ione business circles, and maker of the flour that is peerless, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Spotswood and sister of San Francisco, sisters of Mrs. Harrington and Miss Emma Boardman, arrived Monday night.

PIONEER FLOUR always has been and still is the best. 4-6-tf

A general clean-up of this camp is imperative and the sooner it is done the better it will be for those who desire health and comfort.

You can always get strictly first-class fresh fish the year round at A. B. Caminetti's Central Market. 6-8-tf

Tax Collector Gregory will be out next week after the coin of the realm. Be ready for him and thus help to facilitate the work.

Mens silk front shirts 50 cents at the Jackson Bargain Store. 6-22-tf

Monday afternoon the members of the Amador County Bar met in the Supervisors' room and organized a Bar Association. Particulars will appear later.

If you want swell hats, go to the city trimmer at Mrs. Weller's. 5-4-tf

Mr. Hall, of the Standard Electric Company, as thorough a gentleman as one would wish to meet, came up from Stockton, his home, Saturday.

7 pair men's no seam socks for 25 cents at the Jackson Bargain Store. 6-22-tf

McMillan, the popular Photographer, secured some excellent views of Jackson during Grand Parlor week. They are prime and for sale at reasonable figures.

Mrs. Hattie May Brown and daughter, Miss Ethel, of Eureka, Humboldt county, were guests of Hon. and Mrs. W. P. Peek last week. They were formerly residents of Mokelumne Hill and extended their visit to that place. The best four made is made in Ione. Use Peerless. 6-22-tf

Mr. C. Borger, of Campo Seco, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Gertrude, and Mrs. Sophia Bates of San Francisco, visited Jackson last week and enjoyed the Grand Parlor festivities.

Jackson Cash Grocers carry the freshest crackers and fancy cakes. 4-6-1m

John Chinn left Jackson for England last Monday, to be absent about three months. He will visit the home of his youth and his aged parents. During his absence his business will be conducted by Samuel Harris.

Three pair full finished ladies stockings for 25 cents. White House. 6-8-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Belgrano, Mrs. Belgrano's sister and two children and R. T. Harding, attorney-at-law of San Francisco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ginocchio a few days this week and part of last. Wednesday they went to Angels.

Ladies' white muslin umbrella drawers with embroidery or lace, 45 cts. a pair at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Dr. Gall was summoned by phone to West Point late last evening, to attend Charles Bert's two children who are ailing with scarlet fever. It was an all night trip, the doctor returning about 7 o'clock the following morning.

Six pair mens no-seam socks for 25 cents at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Owing to a tailing's plant in San Diego county, in which he is interested, being destroyed by fire, John R. Phillips, Supt. of the Amador Queen No. 2, made a trip there last week. He returned Wednesday evening. Mr. Phillips says business is rather quiet in the southern part of the State.

Ladies' white muslin umbrella drawers with embroidery or lace, 45 cts. a pair at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Sheriff Gregory arrested a young man in Ione, Wednesday, who is charged with stealing about \$250. It is reported that he returned \$100 of the money and tried to raise the balance, but failed. We refrain from publishing his name, pending more accurate information for one thing, and because at this writing (Thursday) no complaint, as far as we can learn, has been sworn to.

Ladies' Oxford Ties, 50 cents a pair at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Thomas Sevy, who fell about 30 feet Tuesday, while at work in the Kennedy east shaft, sustained a sprained ankle and a severe gash on the left wrist and elbow. He is under Dr. Gall's care.

The White House has concluded to stay and decided to sell cheaper than ever. Prices will rule especially amounts for cash. 6-8-tf

Emil Fossall, while engaged in unloading heavy logs from a wagon at the Kennedy, Tuesday, was caught between two logs and severely squeezed across the small of the back and abdomen. Dr. Gall was summoned and pronounced him not dangerously injured.

What may happen to Jackson. A lamp exploded in a Roman Catholic Cathedral, at Santiago, and caused 2,500 souls to pass up to God. In Chicago \$250,000 worth of property destroyed. Evening subject at M. E. church Sunday, June 24. Morning subject—If you have turned your back on God where will you spend Eternity.

Look out for the sale of ladies white goods at the Red Front Saturday, June 9th. 6-8-tf

Judge John F. Davis has closed out the deal for the sale of the Del Monte group of mines in Calaveras county owned by Cornelius O'Neill and Bernard O'Neill, to Truman Schenck and others representing eastern capital. The agreement was executed, and first payment made Saturday evening.

Ladies white muslin skirts, full size, 50 cents each, at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

Wycliffe L. Chamberlin of Alameda, who for the past few weeks has been working on the cyanide plant being erected by his brother, C. Chamberlin below the Zeila mill, received word Monday evening of the illness of his mother who is now at Santa Rosa, and departed for that place Wednesday morning.

Ladies' Oxford Ties, 50 cents a pair at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

The trial of Mary Badaracco of Sutter Creek for using vulgar language and disturbing the peace of the family of Carlo Clis, before a jury of twelve, on Tuesday and Wednesday before Justice Giles, resulted in the conviction of the defendant. District Attorney Vicini and Judge Davis as associate counsel represented the People and Attorney J. W. Caldwell the defendant.

Children's black ribbed hose four pair for 25 cents at the Jackson Bargain Store. 6-22-tf

Early Saturday morning the delegates to the Grand Parlor, N. D. G. W., took their departure. They gave three cheers for Jackson, three more for Ursula Parlor No. 1 and three more for Amador county. Without exception, they were unstinted in praise of the reception accorded them by the people of Jackson.

Don't forget to attend the great auction sale of watches, jewelry and 1847 Rogers Bros' silverware of every description, at Love Hall.

Roger Bros'. 1847 knives, forks and spoons at auction, this week, at Love Hall.

Grammar and Primary Grades. Examinations in the above grades will be held in Jackson next week, beginning at 9:30 a. m. Monday, June 25, and will probably continue until Friday afternoon, June 29.

"I thank DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills in the world," says W. E. Lake, Happy Creek, Va. They remove all obstructions of the liver and bowels, act quickly and never gripe. City Pharmacy.

Ladies white muslin skirts, full size, 50 cents each, at the Red Front. 6-8-tf

The White House has one price and sells goods right. We are making only small profit, but our big sales are reaching the little profit. Where are you? Twenty yards Bleached Muslin for \$1.00. 6-8-tf

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Goes to Placerville for Treatment.

"LAURA THERESA" WRITES OF CANYON DOINGS

Johnston Phelps, After an Absence of Sixteen Years, Makes Jackson a Visit.

AMADOR CITY, June 19, 1900.

Miss Mamie Wheeler of Plymouth is the guest of Miss Hattie Hinkson.

Harry Hinkson who had his arm injured recently, has gone to Placerville to have that member treated. He was accompanied by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Knight.

Dr. Smith of Sacramento is in town. Mr. and Mrs. Goyette of Stockton, visited at the home of Mrs. Martin last week.

Mr. Ousby has moved his family to Jackson Gate.

Rev. Whitaker of Sutter visited Amador Monday.

Lucy Hinkson and Jessie Mitchell spent Saturday in Amador.

Mrs. Soudan of the Gwin mine spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Thomas.

Mrs. Caldwell of Jackson spent last week with her mother.

Willie Peters is home for his summer vacation.

Janie Goldsworthy, Mabel Bowden, Tom Jones and Tom Bennetts of Sutter Creek, spent Friday evening with Miss Berryman.

Mrs. Wrigglesworth and Mrs. Inman spent Tuesday in Sutter.

Nellie Grant, who has been visiting Miss Lizzy Culbert, returned to her home at Stockton last week.

C. H. Kroning of Plymouth was in town taking the census Tuesday.

Mrs. Sherman of El Dorado is a guest at the Amador Hotel.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blamey last Wednesday night. There was quite a number of young people present, all of whom enjoyed themselves immensely.

Miss Nora Connors of Sutter, spent Thursday with friends in Amador.

Mrs. J. H. Thomas spent Tuesday in Sutter.

Mrs. J. R. Dunlap, accompanied by her niece Mildred Cook, are spending their vacation at Sissons. E. LOIS.

CANYON NOTES.

The White Brothers of French Creek Leave for Arizona.

The gardens are looking very nice. Mrs. W. S. Jones of the Gold Note was a visitor at the Canyon recently.

Mrs. John N. Becker and son John, and her sister, Mrs. W. S. Jones, visited Sacramento not long since.

Sidney G. Sturman of Sacramento, visited Canyon not long since.

Mrs. E. C. Zerres, who has been on an extended visit to Nevada City, returned a few evenings ago.

Mr. Strobbe and George Ruoff left for Woodford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ruoff of Indian, visited relatives here last Saturday.

Ab Hale and family of Fort Yuma, are visiting in Indian, their old home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green and son Willie, visited Sacramento a few days ago.

Mrs. J. Kane has been on the sick list for some time.

Mrs. L. Houx is on the sick list also. Mike French is home from the German Hospital greatly improved in health.

Miss Angie Coli of Smith's Flat, is visiting her sister Mrs. Henry Hanley of the Vandalia mine.

Miss Eva Penter visited Placerville a few days ago.

Will and Walter White of French Creek have gone to Arizona.

Mr. and Miss Hozard, are spending their vacation with their parents.

IN MEMORIAM.

To the N. G., V. G., officers and members of Jackson Lodge No. 36, I. O. O. F.: We, your committee to whom was assigned the duty of drafting resolutions of respect to the memory of our late brother, Past Grand E. G. Freeman, who departed this life on June 9, 1900, respectfully submit the following as our report:

Whereas, The grim destroyer, Death, has again visited our Lodge and taken from our ranks our highly esteemed brother, E. G. Freeman, to that bourne from which no traveler has ever returned, be it therefore

Resolved, That while we deeply deplore the loss of the familiar presence and good advice of our departed brother at our Lodge meetings, yet we repose full confidence in the wisdom and goodness of our Heavenly Grand Master, who doeth all things well, and therefore feel confident that our Lodge's loss will be our late brother's eternal gain, and that he will be rewarded in heaven for the good deeds he has done upon earth.

Resolved, That in the death of brother Freeman our Lodge has lost one of its oldest and most active members, the community a good and upright citizen, and his family an indulgent husband and father, whose vacant place in the home circle can never be filled.

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of the members of this Lodge be extended to the bereaved family of our late brother, and as a token of respect to his memory the Charter of this Lodge be draped for thirty days, and also that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Lodge, and that a copy be furnished to our local newspapers for publication.

Respectfully submitted in F. L. & T. W. M. PENNY, H. A. CLARK, W. E. KENT.

To the Officers and Members of Jackson Lodge No. 139, A. O. U. W.: Whereas, In his infinite wisdom it has pleased our Divine Master Workman and Supreme Ruler of the Universe to call from our midst Brother E. G. Freeman, our Worthy Receiver, Whereas, It is meet and proper that we pay a fitting tribute of respect to his memory, and

Whereas, He was a good citizen, a faithful husband and father and had rounded out a well spent life of three score years and ten before going to his rest. We shall see him no more. His counsel is hushed in the sleep of death, therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Brother E. G. Freeman, Jackson Lodge No. 138, Ancient Order of United Workmen, recognizes the loss of one of its oldest, truest and most valued members; a true Workman; a wise counselor and adviser; a constant attendant at our meetings; a firm supporter and strict adherent to the principles of the Order; and in whose life the fraternal lessons taught in our Ritual, together with the lessons of the Divine Teacher, were fully exemplified, and are worthy of our emulation.

Resolved, That we tender our sincere sympathy to the family of our departed Brother, and commend them to the care and keeping of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That our Charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days in respect of the memory of our deceased Brother.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of our deceased Brother and that they be spread upon our record and that a copy be sent to the Amador Ledger, Amador Dispatch and California A. O. U. W. for publication.

E. C. RUST, J. MEEHAN, P. KELLY. Dated at Jackson, Cal., June 21, 1900.

A Smart Fellow.

Tuesday a brilliant chap, representing an astute firm of Sacramento, arrived here en route to Mokelumne Hill where he intended to transact business with a person who has been dead about two years. The expense of the trip is fully \$30. The shrewd firm and keen representative could have ascertained the facts by telephone for 50 cents and saved \$29.50. The young man did not complete the journey, turning back from this point, having pumped enough mountain air into his system to give him the requisite business vim to inquire about the Mokelumne Hill person he had made the expensive journey to see. Now all this is preliminary to the real gist of the story. This cute representative of a outer firm, took express pains to state that a person who would bury himself in a small town like Jackson would know less every year he remained here, and much more nonsense of the same sort. In fact he relieved himself, being aided and abetted by another stranger of equal brilliancy, of considerable worthless wind. If he and his firm represent the average shrewdness of the large valley towns, give us the common sense of common mining camps by heavy odds.