

GROSVENER, D. W.
Butte Record
2-8-1873

FOUND DEAD.—D. W. Grosvener bridge keeper of the West Branch near Cherokee, was found dead in his house on February 1st. He had been very unwell for some time, with the consumption, and was to have left on the same day for Cherokee Flat, for medical treatment, his body was found by G. W. Baxe who had come to attend the bridge in his absence. His remains were taken to Oroville and buried by the Masonic Fraternity, he being a member of Oroville Lodge 103 F. & A. M, also Franklin Chapter No. 20.

Whalen, Michael
Weekly Butte Record
9-27-1873

KILLED BY A CAVE.—A fatal accident occurred in the Cherokee Company's mine on Sunday last. A cave occurred which buried two men, one of whom named McNeveitt, crawled out without serious injury, while his partner, Michael Whalen, was instantly killed. A small cave first occurred filling up the flume, and the foreman, Geo. W. Dyer, left to set some men at work clearing it out. In the meantime another cave occurred burying the two men as above stated and instantly killing Whalen. When his body was dug out it was found that a large piece of pipe clay had fallen upon his head and chest, probably causing his instant death. He was a steady and industrious man and generally esteemed by all who knew him, and his sudden death is universally regretted by the community. He leaves a wife to mourn his violent death. His body was consigned to rest in the Catholic Cemetery at Oroville on Monday.

PINKSTOUN (PINKSTON), John
Weekly Butte Record
1-24-1874

KILLED BY A CAVE.—On Monday evening a man was killed in the Spring Valley Company's claim at Cherokee, by a cave. He was a young man 24 years of age, named John Pinkstoun, formerly of Yankee Hill. He was just entering the tunnel to commence work on the night shift, when a slide of slate rock, loosened by the rains, came down completely covering him and crushing his body into a shapeless mass. Four or five of his companions, who had advanced into the tunnel escaped without injury.

PERKINS, William Clem
Weekly Butte Record
2-14-1874

DIED.

In Oroville, February 10th, Willie C., youngest son of George C. and Ruthie A. Perkins, aged 4 months and three weeks. "He carrieth the Lambs in His bosom."

SENATOR PERKINS was hastily summoned home on Tuesday, by the sudden death of his little child from pleuro-pneumonia.

HALE, Ida
Weekly Butte Record
4-18-1874

SAD DEATH.—Ida Hale, a young lady of Cherokee, was severely burned on the evening of the first instant, by her head dress accidentally taking fire while preparing for the masquerade at that place. The burns were principally about her head and neck, and resulted fatally on Wednesday morning last. A sad casualty, indeed, one that has cast a gloom over her young companions and friends at Cherokee.