

KANAKA CREEK.—Sutton & Co., $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles below Kanaka Flat, took out on last Monday 88 ounces, Tuesday, 6 ounces, Wednesday, 36 ounces, Thursday, 25 ounces, Friday, 27 ounces, Saturday, 15 ounces. The Saturday previous, 10 ounces. Amount seven days, 207 ounces. Only three hands working.

Cox's BAR.—Raville Company average for the week $11\frac{1}{2}$ ounces a day. Ten Strike Company, 15 ounces per day. Shaw & Co., tunneling, from \$10 to \$16 to the car load.

A friend informs us that there are one hundred and seventeen water wheels running between Goodyear's Bar and Durgan's Bridge, a distance of five miles. Each wheel occupies from four to six men.

QUARTZ.—Messrs. Craycroft & Co.'s project of melting quartz in a furnace is likely to prove successful. They presented us with a small quantity, extracted from the rock by burning, the result of the first experiment. The fall was not of sufficient strength for the tremendous velocity with which it was kept running, and at last flew to pieces. They are now constructing one more effective.—[Citizen.]

THE INDIAN FIGHT.—We published a telegraphic dispatch a few days since of a desperate fight between the Indians in El Dorado. The Empire County Argus has the following particulars:

AMERICAN FLAT, Aug. 23, 1854.

ED. ARGUS—Sir: We are in the midst of a great civil war. The Indians have been fighting since yesterday. One has been killed and carried to Union; one killed and burned; one dying, and one lightly wounded. Cause—whisky. The people have a meeting to-night to take measures to stop the traffic.

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CHINAMAN MURDERED.—The body of a Chinaman was found about one and a half miles south of the Western House, on the Placerville road, and about twenty miles above this city. The throat of the deceased was cut from ear to ear, and there is no doubt that the man was murder-