SISKIYU—YREKA WATER Co.—Considerable interest is manifested in this company. The work is progressing, and 500 shares were taken.

A lump of gold was found a few days

since, near Middletown, that weighed upwards of 100 ounces. It was mixed with quartz rock, but was supposed to be worth at least \$1000.

John Bland and James Bailey killed a bear in the vicinity of Jacksonville, that weighed 1200 lbs. During the fight the bear broke Bailey's leg and otherwise se-

riously injured him.

SHASTA. —The citizens of Cottonwood feeling deeply aggrieved by the repeated and continued aggressions of the Indians, have held a meeting to consult on the subject, and resolved to prepare for the defence of their lives and property.

The large ditch has been completed,

and miners are doing well.

ROBBERY.—The Union gives the following account of a robbery committed on board the Camanche, on her way from

Marysville:

"Just before the boat arrived at the Levee, the messenger of Adams & Co., proceeded to the clerk's office, for the purpose of getting the express matter consigned to his care, and was surprised to find the carpet bag or valise in which the treasure was kept, unstrapped. On further ingestigation, he discovered that about two hundred ounces of quicksilver gold had been abstracted, and immediately instituted a search for the robber. Circumstances tending to fix the offence on Mr. Harvey, clerk of the boat, his t unk was examined, and all the missing gold, with the exception of about seven penny-