

**BUT NO UNUSUAL STRIKES** have been reported.

**NORTH FORK.**—Almost every bar and flat on the North Fork is occupied by sluicing companies. We have learned that a small party is now at the head waters prospecting, and that the prospects found in the banks have induced them to locate for the summer.

**POKER FLAT.**—We have learned from an old acquaintance at this place that the diggings there are paying well. The Canons above the village have been incredibly rich, but at this season of the year it is impossible to work the bed of the streams. The gold at this place is coarse and not generally diffused; many person labor hard throughout the season, and make nothing, while their neighbors within a hundred feet make their fortunes.

**MINNESOTA AND FOREST CITY.**—No report has reached us this week from either of these places, other than that the claims are paying as usual.

**BLUE BANKS.**—The following report was handed as by Messrs. Finny & Co., the result of this week's work: Friday 9oz; Saturday 32oz; Monday 41oz; Tuesday 10oz; Wednesday 3oz; Thursday 29oz; Friday 25oz; total 149oz.

**GASS & CO'S TUNNEL** is paying about as usual. A claim sold there this week for \$2800. Will the lucky hombres in the Blue Banks favor us with weekly reports?

**INDIAN TROUBLES ON McCLOUD RIVER.**—The Indians have become very troublesome on Cow creek, Pitt river and the

upper Sacramento. The *Shasta Courier* gives an account of an expedition undertaken for the recovery of stock and the chastisement of the thieves, which resulted in the death of fourteen or fifteen of the diggers. The Indians have expressed a willingness to cease stealing, provided the whites will allow them to return to their favorite fishing streams.

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SENTENCED.—On Friday last Judge Hoffman sentenced Col. H. P. Watkins, a filibuster, to pay a fine of \$1500.

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