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BROWN'S FLAT.

On Wood's creek, one mile above Sonora.—This portion of the creek has yielded more than its average proportion of the precious ore, and will continue to pay for many years to come, these diggings were worked early in 1850, and many a miner realized his pile, by working a few feet of the surface of the bed of the stream. Shortly after, Mexicans commenced sinking holes, and in many places found it to pay exceedingly well, as long as they could work without water coming in too fast to bail out.—Since 1852 the claims have been more successfully worked than previously. Steam and horse power has been employed in draining many of the claims, and in almost every instance where claims could be drained, they have yielded well. Independent of the bed of the creek which has been found in many places to be from twenty to sixty feet of pay dirt, there is also an extensive

area of hill and surface diggings, that will give employment to a large number of miners for a great length of time.

The population of the camp is some two hundred, and scattered for a distance of half a mile. It has its Stores, Boarding Houses &c. but being so convenient to Sonora, their principal trading is done at that place. At the last election, the precinct polled for Governor 106 votes.

There are parties engaged in fluming the creek, and also that of Tennessee Gulch, for the purpose of carrying off the refuse matter from the toms and sluices. These enterprises are remunerated by the fine Gold that is lost in the tom or sluice, and caught in these long flumes. In almost every instance they pay a handsome per centage on the capital invested.

Brown's Flat Mining Laws.

The Miners of Brown's Flat, in public meeting assembled, have passed the following laws for the government of their precinct, and defined its boundaries.

Resolved, That we the miners of Brown's Flat, in convention assembled, do pledge ourselves to support and abide by the following Laws:

ARTICLE I.

SEC. 1. The precinct known as Brown's Flat shall be bounded on the north by the precinct of Springfield and by a line running from the southeast corner of that precinct; easterly by the south end of McCrea's store, to a point half a mile east of Wood's creek; east by a line running southerly by the heads of the gulches emptying into Wood's creek between McCrea's store and the French Saw Mill; south by a line running from a point half a mile east of the saw-mill; west, by the northern side of the saw-mill to the road leading from Sonora to Shaw's Flat; and west, by the road and precinct of Shaw's Flat. These limits not to interfere with the established boundary of any previously organized precincts.

SEC. 2. No miner shall be allowed to take up for mining purposes a claim of more than 100 feet square, nor any company more than in that proportion for each member of the company, except as provided in section 9 of this article.

SEC. 3. No miner shall be allowed to hold more than one claim in wet diggings and one in dry diggings, except by purchase; and all claims, when workable, must be worked in person, or by proxy.

SEC. 4. Each claim, when taken up, must be distinctly defined—the claims on the flats and creeks by stakes at the corners; the claims on the gulches by notices at the head and foot of the claim—one or more notices containing the name of each person claiming, (the "& Co." not being sufficient) must be posted up on each claim.

SEC. 5. Nothing in the above section shall be construed as interfering with old and established claims, which have been worked, and a disposi-