

Redington Quicksilver Co.

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The Redington Quicksilver Mine is situated at Knoxville, Napa Co., Cal., 50 miles north of Napa, and 25 miles north-east of Calistoga. It is now reached by road from Napa through the Berryessa Valley, but a new road is now being constructed to connect it with Calistoga.

The Redington Quicksilver Company was organized Nov. 4th, 1867; capital stock, \$1,260,000, in 1,260 shares of \$1,000 each. Prior to that date, the mine had been known as the "X. L. C. R. Mine," and had been worked for six years under a lease by the Lake Manufacturing Co., who took out of the mine a total of 16,219 flasks Quicksilver, containing 76½ lbs. each, making 1,240.753½ lbs., which produced to them upward of \$600,000. Since the mine was bought and re-organized by the Redington Quicksilver Company, it has been much more vigorously worked, and has produced up to the present time a total of 47,142 flasks of 76½ lbs. each, or 3,605,863 lbs., of a total value of \$2,195,206.79, its present product being at the rate of 800 flasks per month. The Company has now constantly in its employ 250 men; has very complete and expensive Hoisting and Pumping Machinery, capable of carrying the mine 1,000 feet deep.

The Reduction Works are the most complete in the State, consisting of two hewn-stone furnaces, capable of burning each 100 tons of ore weekly, and two of Knox & Osborne's Patent Continuous Furnaces, each of a capacity of 25 tons per day. The Company holds its Mine by U. S. Patent, and has besides a very extensive tract of Farming and Timber Lands, thus supplying itself with produce and fuel, and raising its own beef cattle. It owns and runs its own freight teams to Napa, has at the mine a large hewn-stone store, where is constantly kept for complete stock of goods for use and sale. The Company feeds and lodges all its employees, having built and using in connection therewith upward of sixty buildings, many of them large and expensive structures; the whole forming a very considerable town; where, also, is an excellent Hotel of thirty rooms, also owned by the Company, but leased by them. Water is furnished to the works and various dwellings by a complete system of pipes many miles in total extent, put in by the Company at heavy expense. Convenient Cottages for families of miners and other employees are built by the Company, and leased at a nominal rent. A School is also maintained by the Company, who also have erected a commodious "Union Hall," to be used for church, school, and other kindred purposes.

The whole thus forms a large community in itself, notable for its sobriety, good order and prosperity, and affording a striking example of what capital and good management may accomplish in mining enterprises. The stock is all owned by the parties in direction, and is never offered for sale. Handsome dividends are regularly paid to the stockholders, and not in the whole history of the Company has there ever been an assessment levied.