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Died near San Luis Obispo, California, June 28, 1868, aged 38;  
buried \_\_\_\_\_ Cemetery.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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re mining claim in 1865

Joseph Lennon to Wm. H. Garvin, August 5, 1865,  
25 feet in New Eldorado, for \$100.

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Big Bug Mining district, acquired prior to Jan. 1, 1865

200 Ft. in Chispa lode

"	Sonoma	
"	Big Bug	
"	Ella	
"	Red Rock	
"	Sinalia	to Wm. Garvin
"	Euridyce	
"	Buncombe	
"	Bourbon	
"	Napa	

recorded June 30, 1865

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