

SPARTA.

News Tribune Correspondence:

SPARTA, Minn., Aug. 1.—Mike Sinko, aged 28, was accidentally killed at the Genoa mine Wednesday morning by being smothered. Sinko was in pocket No. 1 to loosen ore when he fell through into the car and was buried up with ore. He was buried in Virginia cemetery Thursday.

Max Shapiro, of Chicago, is visiting his brother here. Mr. Shapiro will locate in one of the range towns.

Mrs. Juno of Eveleth was a Sparta visitor Friday.

Edward H. Windom of Duluth transacted business here Thursday.

Mrs. D. J. Eyer returned to Brainerd Friday after a ten days visit with friends.

John Saari was an Eveleth visitor Wednesday evening.

Elmer Mathieson was a Sparta visitor Monday.

James Connors was in Virginia Thursday.

George A. St. Clair has several crews at work exploring the town site. It is reported that no ore has been struck as yet.

A small fire at the boarding house of Mike Karpi called out the fire department Friday morning. Little damage was done but Mrs. Karpi was quite seriously burned.

Dr. Pratt will leave in a few days for a months vacation.

A smooth Austrian fleeced his countrymen out of fifty dollars last week. He came here and advertised he would open a barber shop but needed some money to move his family and tools here. His countrymen hastened to assist him and raised fifty dollars, the barber went after his goods but never came back and there is much woe in Austrian quarters.

The Catholic church will be dedicated this month.