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California is known for its beautiful beaches and endless sunshine. However, most people don't know about its spooky past. Beware of centuries-old **spirits** on the loose.



Get ready to read four scary stories about California. Turn the page . . . if you dare.

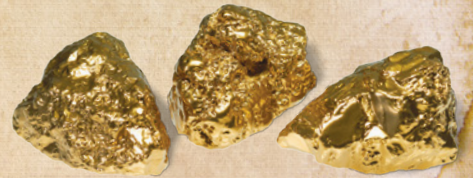
GOLD RUSH GHOST

Prospectors Road, Coloma

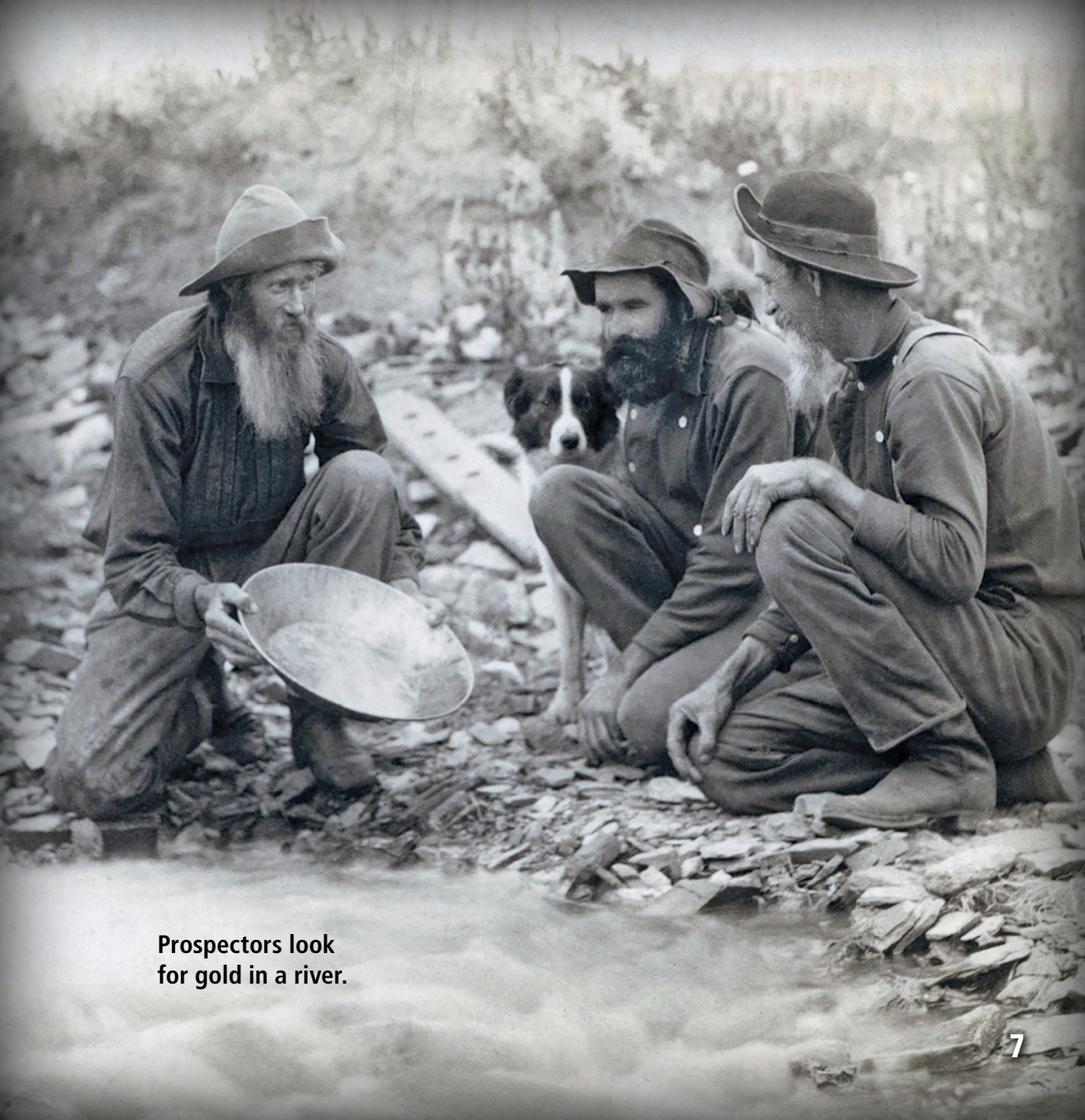
In 1848, gold was discovered in Northern California. Soon, **prospectors** were rushing there. They claimed land with dreams of finding gold. Sometimes, their dreams turned into nightmares.

One day, a prospector in Coloma discovered gold on his land. Other prospectors wanted the gold for themselves.

They snuck up on the man, killed him, and stole his **claim**.



Gold nuggets



**Prospectors look
for gold in a river.**

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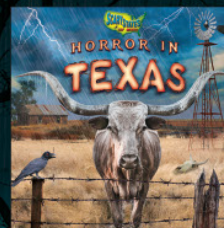
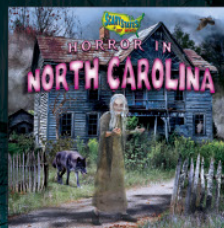
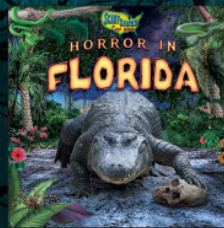
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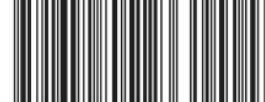


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