

Today in Georgia History
October 27, 1828
Dahlonega Gold Rush

Vocabulary List

Gold
Ounce

Miners
Dome

Swarmed
Tragedy

Intrusion

Glossary

Gold: noun, a soft, heavy, corrosion-resistant, yellow metallic element that is highly valued, found in underground veins and alluvial deposits. Use: jewelry, alloys.

Miners; noun, somebody who works in a mine digging for minerals

Swarmed; verb, to move or gather in a large crowd

Intrusion; noun, an unwelcome presence or effect that disturbs or upsets something

Ounce; noun, a unit of weight in the avoirdupois system equal to one-sixteenth of a pound, approximately 28 g

Dome; noun, a hemispherical roof, e.g. on a palace or cathedral

Tragedy; noun, an event in life that evokes feelings of sorrow or grief