Jerome Man Crushed by Tunnel Rock

JEROME—Robert A. Ridinger, 22, was killed Saturday when 30 tons of granite fell from the ceiling of a tunnel about 20 miles east of Forest Hill, Calif.

Ridinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom R. Ridinger, had been working in construction since March.

He was born April 21, 1943, in Auburn, Calif. He was graduated from Jerome High School in 1962.

He is survived by one son, Robert Lynn, Moab, Utah; two brothers, Mervyn R. Ridinger, Dietrich, and Norman Ridinger, Pollock Pines, Calif.; and one sister, Veda R. Roth, Pollock Pines, Calif.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Auburn, Calif.