

INDIAN PREDICTIONS.—We are informed that the Indians living in the vicinity of Marysville, left their abodes a week or more ago, for the foothills, predicting an unprecedented overflow. They told the whites that the water would be higher than it has been for thirty years, and pointed high up on the trees and houses where it would come. The valley Indians have traditions that the water occasionally rises fifteen or twenty feet higher than it has been at any time since the country was settled by whites, and as they live in the open air, and watch closely all the weather indications, it is not improbable that they may have better means than the whites of anticipating a great storm.

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 THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY  
 inform the citizens of Nevada and vicinity, that  
 he has leased the above well-known establishment,  
 situated on Commercial street, Nevada, and will give  
 his modified attention to the comfort of his guests.  
 The Building is a Fire-Proof Brick,  
 two stories high, the Rooms commodious and well  
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 Hotel in the mountains.  
 THE TABLE  
 Will always be supplied with every luxury to be ob-  
 tained in the market.  
 Travelers and others visiting Nevada, will find at  
 the ST. LOUIS, all the conveniences and comforts of  
 A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.  
 List of Prices  
 Board, per week.....\$4.00  
 Single Meals......50  
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 By constant attention to the wants of his guests,  
 the proprietor hopes to merit a liberal patronage.  
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 Shippers of DUST can draw, against assignment,  
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 We have a large number of Large, Single Rooms,  
 well ventilated and airy.  
**THE TABLE**  
 is supplied with all the delicacies the Market affords,  
 served up in a palatable and healthful style. Our  
 accommodations for families and for Theatrical  
 Troupes are not excelled by any.—Terms Liberal.  
**The House is Open all Night!**  
 Passengers are called for by the Stages  
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 A LIVERY STABLE is connected with the  
 house. Horses and Carriages taken from and  
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**TERMS:**  
 Board per week.....\$ 00  
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 It will be the constant aim of the undersigned to  
 make his guests comfortable and feel at home.  
 A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.  
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 Curious Discovery in Ireland.  
 In the month of July last some ancient  
 metal ornaments were found by a poor  
 countryman. The circumstance attracted  
 general attention throughout the county,  
 and several parties expressed an anxiety to  
 obtain the ornaments, which were of pure  
 gold, and consisted of a crown and a collar.  
 An intimation was even sent through the  
 authorities, under the regulations of treat-  
 ure trove, demanding the ornaments, of  
 course at their proper value. They have  
 since been publicly exhibited in the collec-  
 tion of the Dublin Society, and much ad-  
 mired by those who reprob. antiquarian re-  
 searchers. The Messrs. Hynes offered the  
 countryman a handsome douceur; but this  
 point out where he found the relics, but this  
 the wily native knowingly declined to do,  
 no doubt expecting that other articles of  
 value might be discovered in the same lo-  
 cality. He has, however, at length divulged  
 the particulars. The man resided at a place  
 called Skees, near the celebrated ruins of  
 Clannacloiche, on the brink of the Shannon.  
 In the course of some agricultural opera-  
 tions, he removed a large flag which opened  
 the passage to a spacious cavern, in which  
 were found the crown and collar, together  
 with some ancient bronze weapons and sev-  
 eral utensils used for culinary purposes.  
 The discoverer of this singular labyrinth  
 kept it concealed from the knowledge of  
 any one for a considerable length of time;  
 but at length he has been induced to show  
 it to a very few individuals under a promise  
 of secrecy; and, as he is about to leave this  
 country for Australia, he intends for a con-  
 sideration to lead the way to this subter-  
 ranean chamber, evidently the retreat of the  
 ancient monarchs who reigned in the local-  
 ity. The intricacies of this hidden apart-  
 ment possess many singular vestiges of a  
 defunct race. It war, no doubt, at once a  
 fort and residence. The hard-pressed chief-  
 tain and his followers found in its recesses  
 perfect security and concealment, for if any  
 pursuers had the temerity to tread the for-  
 tunous windings of the entrance, certain de-  
 struction was sure to reach them ere they  
 reached the apartment, several feet below  
 the surface of what appears to be a lime-  
 stone stratum. Among other relics of bygone  
 days are ten elaborately ornamented shafts,  
 of an octagonal form, and bearing long in-

**Nevada Democrat.**  
 Burning of the Confederate Gun-Boats  
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 The St. Louis correspondent of the Dem-  
 ocrat furnishes the following extract from  
 the New Orleans Crescent, of November  
 23d:

**Nevada Democrat.**  
 Accounts were received yesterday that  
 the naval expedition for Kentucky was  
 progressing finely towards its destination,  
 and that the great floating battery was go-  
 ing on finely. We desire to say any more  
 of the movements of this expedition, as the  
 infernal spies and Black Republican sym-  
 pathizers will be sending off their "bearers" of  
 dispatches. There was some talk last eve-  
 ning of the withdrawal of the 3d Missis-  
 sippi regiment, Col. Denison, from the wa-  
 shore, and of its embarkation for Columbus  
 last evening. This leaves the remainder of  
 of Mississippi sound unprotected, though  
 there is nothing of consequence for the pe-  
 sime marauders to steal but a few chick-  
 ens, pigs and cows. The villages offer  
 nothing more to attract their attention.

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 The correspondent adds:  
 Here is an admission that Louisianais is  
 somewhat in the condition of Arkansas, and,  
 like the latter, has its traitors to the South.  
 A regular Union conspiracy was not long  
 ago discovered in New Orleans, and many  
 of the participants discovered and thrown  
 into prison. One of the acts of these "con-  
 spirators" was to communicate intelligence  
 to the blockading squadron, by sealing up  
 dispatches to the Federal naval captains in  
 bottles, and setting the bottles adrift in the  
 current of the Mississippi. This plan, how-  
 ever, is made available by secessionists at  
 Cairo, who performed the bottle feat for the  
 benefit of Polk and Pillow at Columbus.  
 The great floating battery spoken of by the  
 Confederates has partially planked with iron and  
 mounted with a number of large cannon.  
 It is to be towed up to Columbus, and  
 there from part of the gun-boat squadron  
 collected there under the command of the  
 rebel Commodore Hollis for the defence  
 of that place. The balance of the squadron,  
 including the "ram" Manassas, is already  
 there, excepting the gun-boat Tuscarora,  
 which was burned on its passage up from  
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