THE INDIAN TROUBLES.—The Mendocino Herald, published at Ukiah City, gives the following version of the Indian troubles in that section of the State:

It seems the Indians in the vicinity of Round Valley and the country this side of there are again likely to make a Winter's trouble with the white settlers. Witt, Deputy Sheriff, has just returned from Round Valley, and informs us that the whites have lately had a fight with them, in which eighteen of the Indians were killed; one white man was wounded, but not dangerously. The unusual severity of the Winter has doubtless reduced the Indians to a condition bordering on starvation, and the consequence is, they are committing serious depredations on the stock, great numbers of which range over the Eel River mountains. The worst feature of these Indian depredations is, that when they commence killing stock, they do not stop when their absolute necessities are supplied, but kill, destroy and drive off large numbers, in many cases indicating a maliciousness they would avoid were they endowed with reason.

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