

### INDIAN DEPREDACTIONS IN BUTTE COUNTY.

—A letter appears in the "Express" of Monday, dated Onion Valley, Feb. 24th, from which we make the following extract :

Considerable excitement prevailed here a few days since, in consequence of recent depredations perpetrated by the Indians on the road, between this place and Marysville. One man from Nelson's Creek, was murdered and another severely wounded. The friends of the unfortunate travelers, went down immediately on hearing of the occurrence, to investigate it. A party of nearly a hundred men soon collected, and having arrested several, after an impartial trial by a jury of twelve men, convicted five of them. They were immediately sentenced to be hung, and a short time before the hour of execution three of them confessed their guilt. In their confession they exculpated the other two, but implicated several others who have not been found; diligent search is still being made for them.

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