

### Indian Intelligence.

Last week Capt. Hull, of Fort Bragg, with a detachment of his company, came upon the trail of a band of Indians and followed it until they found them in their camp, near the North Fork of Eel River. After the necessary disposition of his men to prevent as far as possible their escape, a charge was made upon the camp. The contest was soon over. So sudden and complete was the surprise that but few escaped. They had neither time to make any defense nor an opportunity to get away. It was a complete success for Capt. Hull and the brave men under his command. We have heard many reports of the results of this affair, none of them, however, is from an official source. From one who obtained his information from the officer in command of the prisoners, we learn that twenty-six "bucks" were killed, and fifteen squaws and children taken prisoners. We are sorry that we are not in possession of the names of the soldiers and officers to whom the people are indebted for this valuable service, and of the particulars in detail; but this is no exception, for in many other instances we have been forced to rely upon the uncertain authority of rumor for information in regard to what transpires in the progress of our Indian war. This is a subject in which the citizens of this county and military district are deeply interested, and they have not only the right to know what actually does transpire in the field that indicates progress therein, but very properly expect such information through the medium of the public journalist.

