

PITT RIVER TROUBLES.—Mr. Bennett permitted us to read a letter on Saturday last from Yreka, from which we gather some items in reference to the Pitt River Indian troubles. It appears that the party sent out to ascertain the fate of the unfortunate Lockhart party, who were supposed to have been murdered by the Indians of Pitt River valley, attacked the Indians and killed nineteen and took twenty-two prisoners. They report a large number of hostile Indians in the valley, headed by the Modocs. From the prisoners they learned that Mr. Lockhart was attacked about mid-day and before they succeeded in murdering him, he killed five Indians. The other members of this unfortunate party of Lockharts, were murdered, one by one, as they were returning from the different places, whither their business had required them. The road is reported to be clear of snow and passable for teams to and from Yreka.

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