

INDIAN TROUBLES.

Some six weeks since, two men, John Cook, better known as "Italian John" and John Kennedy, miners, after providing themselves with sufficient provisions to last them two or three weeks, started out from Concow Valley, near Spanishtown, to go to a point on the north fork of Feather river, above Big Bar, about fifteen miles from Spanishtown. Since these men left Concow, they have never been seen by any white man, and from the reports brought into Spanishtown by the Concow Indians, it is supposed they have been murdered by some of the Kimshew tribe. These suspicions having been excited, several persons have attempted to reach the camp of the missing men, but owing to the high stage of the north fork, these efforts have been thus far unavailing; it being situated on the south side, and the usual way of approach, leading to the north side. The impression among the people of Spanishtown being that these men were murdered by the Kimshew Indians, parties have been formed to search for them, and should it be ascertained that these suspicions are well grounded, a war of extermination will immediately commence against that tribe. The agent at Nome Laakee should take the pains to have these troublesome Indians and those of the concow tribe moved to the Reservation. The Kimshews have given much trouble heretofore, and their annihilation or removal have become questions of much moment. To save the former, the latter alternative should be resorted to, if possible. *Butte Record.*

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