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ANOTHER FIGHT WITH INDIANS IN HUMBOLDT. From the Humboldt Times of May 7th, we learn that on the first day of this month Lieuts Geer and Taylor, with a detachment of seventeen men, struck the trail of a band of Indians on Sunday last, on Humboldt Ridge near the head water of Elk river, and immediately started in marsuit of them. Two mules had been taken along with this scouting party for the purpose of packing the blankets and provisions. When they came upon this Indian trail, Lieut. Geer detailed two of the men, Mills, and Berry, of Company E, to take these animals back on the trail and join the Government train in charge of Mr. Hugh t Hamilton, then on its way to Camp Juqua, and return to camp. As the men approached the locality known as Booth's Run, they discovered the train some distance on the trail the other side of the run, and proceeded to join it. They were about crossing the gulch when they were fired upon by the Indians in ambush. At the fire both were shot—Mills killed, and Berry severly wounded in the right hand. The latter escaped, and in his flight became so much bewildered that he did not find his way back to camp for some forty-eight hours.

When Hamilton who heard the firing distinctly came to the place where it occurred, he found the body of Mills stripped of its clothing and his throat cut from eac to car. The Indiana had also robbed the mules of their loads, with which they had decamped.

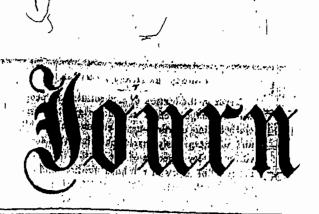
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While this was going on, Lieutenants Geer and Taylor were following the trail shove mentioned, and on Sunday night discovered the hiding place of the Indians. During the night they succeeded in disposing of their men, so as to cover the camp and be prepared for an attack at daylight. Monday morning, so soon as it was sufficiently light, the attack was made and resulted in the killing of six "bucks" and three squaws. Two squaws, a pappoose and one boy about five years old were taken prisoners. In their camps were found the clothes of the murdered soldier and the blankets with which the two mules were packed. A portion of the plunder carried off in the late raid on the house of Col. Hagans was also in their possession.

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