

Indian Difficulties.—Remarking upon the late Indian troubles in Butte, the *Record* of July 25th says:

The Indians in the vicinity of Butte creek have again become restless, and commenced an indiscriminate slaughter of persons who may chance to fall within their power. Of the cause of the present outbreak and massacre of peaceful inhabitants—women and children—in that vicinity, we are unadvised, but fear that the hanging of the five Indians recently at Holt-town, on suspicion of having committed depredations upon property, has incited them to retaliate by murdering those who may fall into their hands.

Of the murders committed by the Indians the past week, we mention those of Richard Morrison, Mrs. Blum, and three children of the Lewis family, residing near Pence's ranch, some twelve miles from Oroville. There are reports of other murders, but not sufficiently authenticated, and it is to be hoped that they are reports only.

Of course, the people of that vicinity are greatly alarmed, and have taken measures to protect themselves and little ones from butchery. A company of some forty or fifty men was organized, and are now engaged in hunting the Indians. A portion of the Oroville Guards have also volunteered to assist in punishing the Indians. A number of the Guards left on Wednesday, and some eight or ten more started on Thursday.

Some forty or fifty Indians came into Yankee Hill, disclaimed having any connection with the Indians committing the murders, surrendered their arms and claimed the protection of the residents. This was granted them. Among them, however, four Indians were found who did not belong with the tribe, and they were taken out to be disposed of when two of them succeeded in making their escape.

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SACRAMENTO, MONDAY MORNING, JULY 27, 1863.

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AN EXCURSION  
TO THE LAKES TAHOE AND SILVER.

below us on the other, who made night hideous  
by an absurd howling, expressive of what be-  
roavement or pow-wow doings we knew not.

### Along the Summit.

We were up at daybreak, and after a royal  
breakfast on jerky, bacon, crackers and coffee

precipitous, making it necessary to dismount  
and lead, or rather pull the reluctant horses  
down the steepest part, and we could not but  
wonder how the emigrants ever climbed that  
ascent with wagons and teams. At the bottom  
we came out into the head of Hope Valley,  
where the fastidious mountain track which forms

along debris,  
scenery seen  
Nature, so th  
the rocks m  
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