

Volunteering against Indians.

Dear Gentl. Frats: July 22, 1862.

Fellow citizens of Baite and Tehama Counties:—Many of you are aware that by the choice of the people interested, and for the purpose of chastising the Incurable Wounds that murdered those innocent, murdering children on Rock Creek, also, a Mr. Allen, I have collected a company of brave volunteers inured to the kind of service required.

We have been several days in camp awaiting a commission, after organizing in accordance with the recommendation of the proper authorities, but for some unexplained reason Gen. Wright, unsolicited by petition, has preferred to send us the promise of regulars. Therefore I cannot look for assistance from the State or General Government in carrying on the campaign which the cause of humanity and civilization demand, and which I have undertaken.

Believing that you would prefer to contribute the necessary means to carry out my plans sooner than risk your lives and fortunes to strangers who cannot fully appreciate our wrongs and dangers, I hasten to pursue the inhuman foe which I shall continue to do, if sustained, until the stolen scalps are returned and the guilty are extinct.

With this belief and for this purpose I have engaged Dr. W. Pratt of Baite, and John W. Lemmons and W. S. Thomas of Tehama county to solicit funds and forward supplies. They will have each name and amount published. It shall also report our success, that you may see if your money is well invested.

HARVON GOOD.

Bluff Beacon

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BLUFF, THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1862.