

INDIAN DEPREDACTIONS.—We gather the following items from the Humboldt Times of the 7th inst:

In Humboldt county, July 16th, Owen Stevens, a native of Lowell, Massachusetts, was killed by the Indians. On the 20th July, John Vandall was killed by Indians near the mouth of the Klamath.

On the 2d of August, Chauncey Miller, formerly of Hartford, Conn., was also killed by Indians, and J. W. Winlock, who left Union in May last for Frazer river, by the overland mail route, was killed by the Indians in the Yackama country.

John Mann, called "Buckskin Jack," had his throat cut by a squaw with whom he had been living. It appears that Jack had been out on an Indian hunt, and had killed the brother of his squaw, bringing in the Indian's bow and quiver. The property was recognized by the squaw, and she determined upon avenging the death of her brother. After Jack had fallen asleep, she took a large knife and cut his throat—not however, severing the jugular vein. This had the effect to disturb Jack's repose, when he arose and grasped the knife, and killed the squaw on the spot.

On the other hand, the white men are in the habit of firing upon and killing the Indians, in that section, whenever they fall in with them. In fact, they make up regular parties to hunt Indians, and thus the war is conducted on both sides. The Indians are hardly ever deserving of all the blame.

