

FROM PITT RIVER.—E. G. Bryant, who arrived at Marysville on Tuesday, Oct. 5th, from Pitt River, furnishes the *Inquirer* with the following items from that quarter:

The Indians are still hostile, and it is likely will continue to be so for a long time, as they are numerous, and have the best of fortifications in the mountains, to which they immediately retreat after committing their depredations. At Silverthorn's Ferry, on Pitt River, some twenty-eight miles from Shasta, a party of them a few days since, made a descent upon a lot of stock, and succeeded in driving off quite a number into the mountains. A party of men, some twenty in number, soon started in pursuit of them, but have not been heard from since. Several thousand Indians are now at a place called the Big Bend, some twenty miles above Silverthorn's Ferry, and they are so hostile that it is very dangerous for any man, or even a company of men—unless they are well armed—to go near them, as they take every opportunity to avenge themselves on the whites. They were driven from Fort Crocker, some thirty miles above there, by the soldiers, are now assembled at that place, it is thought, with the avowed intention of whipping out the whites, and making that place their winter quarters. The soldiers were expected down every day from the Fort for the purpose of driving them from that place, as it was considered quite dangerous to the whites for them to remain there. There has been no fighting of late between them and the soldiers, as it has been some five or six weeks since they left the Fort. It is expected, however, that a battle will ensue immediately on the arrival of the soldiers, as it is the determination to oust them from their quarters, and drive them back into the mountains. It is thought, however, that it will take a good deal of fighting to drive them from there, as there are so many of them, and so well fortified by nature to resist the attack of the soldiers.

Mr. Bryant also gives the following information in regard to the two horse thieves who succeeded in making their escape a few days since from the Sheriff of Shasta county:

They were riding on mules, with a large chain fastened to each ankle, when suddenly they jumped from their mules and plunged headlong over a high bank, and, it being night, they succeeded in making their escape. They were pursued, and

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SACRAMENTO, THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 8, 1857.

LAND AND TO LET.

SACRAMENTO DAILY UNION.

LOT FOR SALE.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

claim had been rejected, suddenly produced
know not whence, while the first petition had
appeared, we know not whether; and finally
unfortunate coincidence that the second p