

INTERFERING WITH INDIANS AT RESERVATIONS.— We are informed that the officers at the Mendocino Reservation, have on numerous occasions been subjected to much annoyance, in consequence of persons attempting to hire, or otherwise induce Indians to leave the Reserve without the consent of the Overseers. Believing that persons thus interfering, are ignorant of the penalties attached to such a course, we publish the following Act, passed by the Legislature of 1857:

"**SEC. 1.** It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to willfully interfere with, or in any way interrupt the Superintendent of Indian Affairs, or any one of the Indian Agents of the General Government, or their employees, connected with the Indian Department in this State, in the discharge of their duties in said Department, either by seeking to lessen their influence with the Indians, or by seeking to hinder or frighten the Indians from going to the Reservations, or such other place as may be designated by the Superintendent, or by enticing them away from the Reservations, or such other place as aforesaid, or by harboring them, or by interfering with them in any other malicious way whatever.

"**SEC. 2.** Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of the first Section of this Act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, in any Court of competent jurisdiction, shall be punished by fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail, not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

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Select Party.

A SECRET

One evening, towards the end of the Fall season, two gentlemen sat together.

"I look the letter; the handwriting was disguised, but the money was good, so was the poison; for, having administered it to my wife's lap-dog, it expired almost

The summer has taken up her more delicate treasures and gone, and we feel as if we always do when a friend is taken from us.

FADING AND FADING

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