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Horrible Tragedy—Two White men and Thirteen Chinamen Murdered by the Indians in Shasta Co.

We are indebted to A. G. Richardson, Esq., of Adams & Co.'s Express, for the following information, received by him through their ever attentive and reliable messenger, Mr. Magarry. The account is a horrible one, and the transaction will probably lead to another and speedy Indian war.

Two white men, one named Guild, the other Ingalls, while on a prospecting tour, in company with nineteen Chinamen, were murdered on McCloud's River, twenty miles east of Pittsburgh, Shasta County, by the Indians. They were camped, and fifteen Indians came into the camp. The white men's guns were stacked near them. The Indians appeared friendly at first; but at a word from the chief they seized the guns and run with them. Ingalls seized a club and struck the hindmost Indian and knocked him down. The Indians immediately commenced firing on Guild and Ingalls, and also at the Chinamen. Six of the Chinamen escaped and came to Pittsburgh. A party started out immediately, and found the body of Ingalls; one arm cut off at the elbow, and his head smashed up horribly with stones. They also found the bodies of thirteen Chinamen; three had their arms cut off, and all their heads had been smashed in with stones. The body of Gould could not be found. They saw tracks which they supposed to be his, leading down to the river, also blood staining along. They also saw marks of an axe which they supposed he fought with, and they supposed he jumped into the river. From appearances, some of the Chinamen had fought like tigers, the ground around them being completely trodden down.—*Sac. Journal.*