

SAN DIEGO HERALD.

1. SAN DIEGO, CAL., THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1851. N

Another Indian War—From a private letter received in this place by a friend, we gather the following particulars of a battle which took place on or about the 17th ult. between the Rogue River Indians and a part of the mounted Rifles, 28 in number, under Major Kearney's command. (the Major being with them in the engagement,) at a place called Table Rock, on Rogue River, some 12 or 15 miles east of the usually traveled road.

The Indians had assembled at this place in considerable force—they were lying in ambush, from which they commenced firing upon the Riflemen. A conflict ensued in which 11 Indians were killed and many more wounded. Of the whites, Lieut. Stewart was killed, and another officer, not named, is said to have been mortally wounded. Lieut. Stewart is represented to have been a noble officer—his loss will be greatly deplored.

Major Kearney has expressed a determination not to

leave the country till the savages are punished, or all prospect of further difficulties are removed. The Indians are said to have evinced great boldness.

We have been favored with the subjoined account of the fight from Lieut. C. E. Irvine:

ROGUE RIVER, June 20, 1851.

DEAR SIR: On the 16th inst., Major Kearney's command fought the Rogue River Indians. Captains James Stewart and Peck were severely wounded. Capt. Stewart survived until the next day, the 18th. There was one other man slightly wounded. Among the Indians there were some 20 or 25 killed—number of wounded unknown. All well. In haste,

Yours, &c.,

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