

INDIANS ON SOUTH FORK.—We learn that the Indians on the South Fork of Trinity river still continue very troublesome. On Monday last they robbed one of the ranches in that vicinity. They were pursued by a party of whites, and three of their number killed.

The election for town officers, on the 24th inst., resulted in the election of the following persons:

Trustees—J. S. McCain, A. J. Loomis, I. Comstock, R. Clifford and A. Mitchell. Marshall—C. E. Meredith. Treasurer—H. Hocker. Assessor—F. W. Harris.

The gentlemen only hold their respective offices until the first Monday in May, when the regular annual election will take place.

LOSS OF A WHALING BARK.—The San Francisco *News* learns that the whaling bark W. T. Wheaton, Capt. Comstock, which left Honolulu provisioned for six months, was lost two months and twenty days after sailing from that port.

In nearing this coast, the Captain determined to land at Santa Cruz for vegetables. While ashore, the wind died away, which prevented the mate from keeping the vessel out of the current setting in shore. She consequently drifted towards shore, and in order to prevent her from going on to the breakers, the mate let fall the anchors, but the influence and strength of the swell rendered her anchors of no avail. About this time the captain succeeded in reaching the bank, and although he made every exertion to save the vessel, he found it impossible to do so.

At this moment the boats were lowered, and the captain, lady and child, with all the crew, left in them for the land. Had they remained a half hour longer all would have been lost. Captain C., lady and child, came near being drowned in landing. All their clothing, the ship's chronometer, and every other valuable they were compelled to leave. Before they reached the land, the bark had gone ashore in the breakers near Santa Cruz. It is feared that she is a total loss. She had no oil on board. The Captain left on Sunday in the pilot boat Golden Gate, to see what could be secured from the wreck.