

... and the subject well deserves careful investigation by persons of intelligence and energy. To such men as the majority of those already in the mines, and on their way home, it was an idle undertaking, so far as any benefit to themselves or others is concerned; they should wait until others have paved the way.

My intention is to devote all the time I can possibly spare to these investigations, and if possible, connect my present examinations with those referred to, made in 1851. The result will be made public immediately.

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If it should prove expedient to send down an express, you may expect to hear from me.

Truly yours,

JOHN EVANS.

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The recent unhappy occurrence at Rogue River, in which three white men and two Indians were killed, has given rise to hard feelings between the whites and Indians. The accounts hitherto published are incorrect. The Indian had wounded a man in the shoulder, who pursued him for some distance, but did not succeed in overtaking him.

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Ben. Wright, the Indian Agent, who is authorized to attend to all such difficulties, arrested the Indian and conveyed him from Rogue River, towards a small encampment, known as the Tu-tu-trey village. Before his arrival there with his prisoner, a party of men overtook him and demanded the fugitive, but Ben. kept them at bay until the arrival of a party of U. S. Troops from the Port Orford post, when the prisoner was delivered over to their charge. He was put into a canoe with a corporal and two soldiers who had orders to convey him to the village. While on their way up the river, a canoe containing three men named James Beauford, Michael O'Brien and A. W. Hankin overtook them, and approaching, fired deliberately into the boat, killing the prisoner, who was sitting between the legs of the Corporal, and also another Indian who was paddling. The soldiers instantly returned the fire, killing the three men, who were buried the following day, after an inquest held by the miners over their bodies, and at which the action of the troops was commended.

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The treaty which was being made at the time, was suspended for a while, but was finally continued and brought to a successful issue, the Indians agreeing to retire to a fertile region north of the Umpqua, on the Sinslaw river. The command of the U. S. Military Post at Port Orford, has been transferred to

Lieutenant Chandler.

The beach diggings from Cape Blanco to Rogue River, have been paying well, and some very large sums have recently been made.

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Great curiosity is manifested here to know the result of the election in California, and for want of better employment, some little money has been staked.

The first southeaster, accompanied with heavy rains, was experienced here last week.

The country looks remarkably green and beautiful in consequence.

In haste, yours, &c.

DE LOS POZOS.

THANKS to the Captain and Purser of steamer *Columbia* for passenger list, memoranda, and for favors shown our Marine Reporter.

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