

count this election sure.

### **Killed by Indians--Return of the Scouting Party--Two Men Wounded.**

On last Friday a man came in town from Antelope Mills, twenty-five miles east of this, and reported that a man had been murdered by the Indians that morning.

It seems that two men lived in a cabin some three miles from the mill, who were engaged in making shingles in the Pinery. One of the men went out a little distance from the cabin to a deer-lick to hunt. The remaining one heard the report of a gun, and on looking in the direction spoken of saw a body of some 75 Indians running towards his cabin. He fled to procure assistance, and when he returned found his partner horribly mutilated by the savages. After murdering him they had cut off his right arm and carried it away.

Several of our citizens at once started for the scene, determined to chastise the Indians if they could be found. They are supposed to belong high up on Feather river. The party has not yet returned.

These Indians attacked and ransacked a cabin and stole some cattle near the above place not long since.

P. S. Since writing the above the party have returned, and bring news that they encountered about two hundred Indians about 4 miles above Lassens cabin, on the emigrant trail, in Mill Creek canon, where they had a Ranchero.— The scouting party, 15 in number, made an attack upon them about daylight on Monday morning. The Indians stood their ground and were armed with rifles. Mr. Chaffee from whom we gather this information, was shot through the hat the bullet hole was of sufficient size to stick our finger through. He was also shot in

the foot. Mr. Johnson was struck in the hat by a bullet. Another was shot in the arm. Our party retreated towards Antelope Mills followed by the savages who kept up a constant firing. Mr. Chaffee thinks that at least 50 Indians were killed and wounded.

About fifty of our citizens will muster and start for the scene of action to-day. The party tracked them from the spot where they had killed the man two days before.

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