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LATER FROM THE NORTH.

By the arrival of the steamer Humboldt at San Francisco, on Monday, the 25th inst., from Humboldt Bay, we have files of the *Times* one week later.

A lodge of the Sons of Temperance is about to be established at Union City, on the Bay.

AN INDIAN FIGHT.—On Sunday last, says the *Times*, quite a battle came off between the Humboldt and the Mountain Indians, two of the latter being killed and several wounded.—The fight took place between Bureka and Union.

THE *Times* urges the Superintendent of Indian Affairs to pay some attention to the poor creatures in that section of the State. Of them it says: "They have no head, and are all scattered in small bands, warring against each other, suffering for food, imposed upon and maltreated by white men. If immediate attention to the wants and necessities of any people was ever necessary, it is to these. Their daily question is, when will the 'big waga' come and take us under his charge?"

The *Times* says lumber can be obtained at the mills on Humboldt Bay for \$12 to \$18 per M.

BEWITCHED.—The Masonic Hall building, in Bucksport, says the *Times*, is occupied, the lower story as a Lyceum, the upper as a Lodge Room. On Friday night, the 8th inst., the lower room was occupied by the members of the Lyceum; at 11 o'clock a bright light was seen in the Lodge Room. On last evening the Lodge Room was occupied by the Masons, and the same light was seen in the lower story. The respective rooms were locked up at the time. The appearance of the lights has given rise to various speculations. Some of the old women, of the masculine gender, finding blood, hair, etc., on the stairway, suppose that a Mason had been murdered, or a Know Nothing initiated. The old women, of the feminine gender, are sorely puzzled.