

dent or Dictator. He had been chosen by the people of the west to represent them exclusively in the convention, and had taken his departure for the capital. Mr. Denman, the American Consul at Acapulco, had also gone on to the City of Mexico. Ere this there can scarcely be a doubt that Alvarez has been installed provisional President.

CHOLERA ON THE SIERRA NEVADA.—The *Alta* says that Purser Foster, reports forty-five deaths from cholera on the late trip of the Sierra Nevada, from San Juan to San Francisco. Some of the passengers report a very much larger number, varying from 60 to upwards of 100. This great variation proves that they only guessed at the number, and as Mr. Foster furnishes a list of those who died, we are compelled to believe that his statement is correct. It is said that a number—eighteen or twenty—died at San Juan previous to the sailing of the steamer.

INDIANS IN THE NORTH.—Capt. Judah, who is in pursuit of the Indians who committed the late massacre in Siskiyou county, has received reliable information as to their whereabouts. So says the *Yreka Union* of the 6th inst., which also informs us that other persons have been murdered on Beaver creek, and that many of the Rogue river Indians had left the reservation for the purpose of joining the murderers.

GRAND PEDESTRIAN MATCH.—On Saturday afternoon next, Oct. 13, says the *Union*, the famous pedestrians, Messrs. Forbes and Williams, are to run on the Cache Creek Race Course, the distance of one hundred yards—the enormous amount of one thousand dollars aside being the stakes contended for. Both of the runners are fleet and experienced footmen of the turf. The above statement is pronounc-