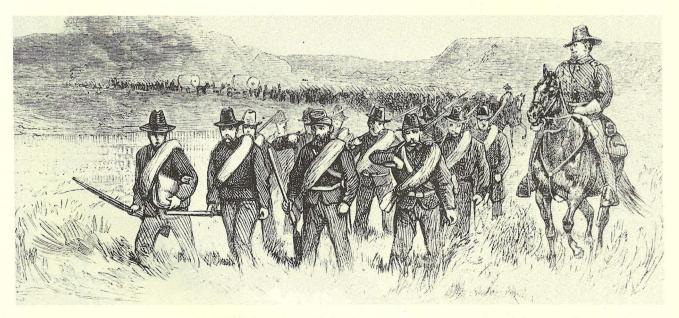
Chronology of Events

1877 10 August Radersburg tourists camp at Henrys Lake. 18 August General Howard camps near Spencer. The Nez Perce camp at Camas Meadows. 19 August Howard camps at Camas Meadows. The Nez Perce raid the soldiers' camp and make off with 150 20 August mules. The Battle of Camas Meadows follows. Howard's infantry catches up with cavalry which remains at the Camas Meadows camp for the night. 21 August The Nez Perce camp at Henrys Lake. 22 August S.G. Fisher and fifty Bannock scouts join Howard. Howard's command camps at Henrys Lake. Howard rides to 24 August Virginia City to buy supplies. He telegraphs Generals Sherman and McDowell. 25 and 26 August Howard's troops remain at Henrys Lake. 27 August Howard returns from Virginia City to his command at Henrys Lake. 28 August Howard leaves Henrys Lake.

For more details of this part of the story, see Camas Meadows on page 15.



Howard left his infantry behind at Lolo Hot Springs. They did not catch up with him again until Camas Meadows. This artist's sketch appeared in Harper's Weekly. (Courtesy of Smithsonian Office of Anthropology.)