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It is surrounded on the west by high broken hills, lifting to perhaps 1000 ft. in  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile, almost impassable except on foot and crowned with red scoria. Here is where the Indians retreated when Reynolds surprised them. When we acquired this sight 30 years ago it was covered with Indian sign, partly burned teepee poles & ect. Later a former Gov. scout who was with Reynolds at the battle described to me the surprise, the battle, and the retreat. He was very old and undoubtedly his memory was at fault in some things but on the whole he gave a good acct. of the action. His account in brief was that he and another scout located the Indian camp & reported to Gen. Crook at