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COMMERCIAL. FROM SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The bark Constitution, Capt. W. R. Pomroy, from Honolulu Dec. 9th, arrived at Port Angeles on the 22nd ultimo, having made a fine run of only thirteen days from port to port. We have received through the courtesy of the master, files of the Honolulu Advertiser to Dec. 3, which contain nothing however, later than we published on the arrival of the N.S. Perkins. The Constitution encountered heavy weather, as will be seen on reference to her memoranda.

TABLE OF IMPORTS. To Victoria, V.I., for the month ending 31st Dec. 1863. FROM SAN FRANCISCO. Apples, 50 cts. 500 Hay, 608 bales... 1221

San Francisco Market Report. (From the S. F. Alta). TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 29, 1863. FLOUR—Jobbing sales 400 qrs sacks Golden Extra at \$5 25, and 310 do Commercial, do at \$2 25 per bbl.

RETURN OF VESSELS OF ALL CLASSES ENTERED AT THE PORT OF VICTORIA FOR DECEMBER, 1863, classified as follows:—Steamers, 24; barks, 6; brig, 2; schrs, 39; sloops, 33; barges, 2; boats, 2. Total tonnage 12,255, of which 8721 tons were British, and 7634 tons foreign.

BOARD OF BROKERS. VICTORIA, V. I., 29th December, 1863. Queen Charlotte Mining Co., 3 shares sold at \$60, buyer 30 days.

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BENSON'S WATCHES & CLOCKS. WATER AND CLOCK MAKER, BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT, TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES. Opinions of the London Press upon Benson's Great Clock and Watches in the Exhibition, 1862.

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The Assembly yesterday opinion, not only a supreme wholly indefensible position to Mr. Young's Bill to repeal the City Trades' Estate Tax by the Mayor who we say the Assembly a little too fast.

his songs—any member least—would think of the House or placing the least of a bill making the civic taxes a ready and majority, led on by Mr. St. Paul and Trimble, thought otherwise. They sent to let the bill go to Whole nor to a second Select Committee to print their opinion were its object.

THE ACT is absurd, because to have to a portion of the yesterday, and is the way it, it makes that body sullen. One incipient legis as soon as the division took that on Monday he would to the Governor to appoint collect the trades' license who were to pay the "general treasury," to edness of the city. This programme of the warlike shelled into line by the aided by the talented Trimble, the cautious Po institutional member, Mr. getting the mercurial Duncan solemn secret conclaves strokes of statesmanship. But we pity the Majority, of a Governor collecting illegals? Who ever heard being appointed to collect act? To Mr. Duncan an honor of this great edness is due. The Upper House ordinary mode of making ed. A kind of "an to be created" an to the constitution. The them, held that there is cillors, no incorporation, course, no civic taxes; Duncan & Co. propose to not to collect the taxes by a process hitherto British communities! ridiculous scheme Truly, fact is, str The member for Lake palm as the creator of doctres—the exponent of collect taxes, whose due? But this address, throwing out Mr. You are compelled to do one of Mr. Duncan's motion

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