

*Wreck of a Japanese junk on the northwest coast.*

THE following extract of a letter which we received, lately, from Captain Wyeth, may be interesting, as throwing some light upon the question as to the manner in which America has been peopled.

“Are you aware of the fact, that in the winter of 1833, a Japanese junk was wrecked on the northwest coast, in the neighborhood of Queen Charlotte’s island; and that all but two of the crew, then much reduced by starvation and disease, during a long drift across the Pacific, were killed by the natives? The two fell into the hands of the Hudson’ Bay Company, and were sent to England. I saw them, on my arrival at Vancouver, in 1834.”