The Weekly Colonist.

Tuesday, June 13, 1865

ON HOGS.

To the Editor of the British Colonist. Sir,—"An Old Settler," in your paper this morning, making out a list of Cowichan grievances, includes one that proves at any rate that he is not an *Old Farmer*, however old a settler he may be. He complains of the Indians not making a hog proof fence. Now, sir, it is quite time that this question was settled. No good reason can be given for favoring hogs, or pigs rather, at the expense of all other stock, putting settlers to the extra expense of making a fence, which unless made of split rails is unreasonably expensive, while at the same time the pigs are destroying the pasture outside and starving his cattle and sheep.

If English laws are in force here for other things, why does not the English law in this respect prevail? In Hampshire if hogs break through a fence the owner is responsible for the damage done. Here, the advocates of piggy contend that is a proof it was not a proper fence! There a man who attempted to feed a pig by the road side would be thought a fool if he did not get his pig "powdered," and in the autumn when turned out to feed on the beech and oak "mast"—*Anglice* acorns and beech nuts—they must by law have their noses rung to prevent their destroying the pasture.

In a word, sir, this country is eminently calculated for sheep raising, but if by custom or law hogs are allowed to run at large, good bye to sheep raising. Until the Legislature passes a law to that effect, I should suggest to the farmers and settlers to meet and by resolution give notice that all hogs found in their enclosures will be shot. Law is far too expensive and uncertain a remedy for this grievance; they must take the law into their own hands in this instance.

Horticulturist.

Friday, 9th June, 1865.

[We believe with our correspondent that the present system of allowing hogs to roam at large in the agricultural districts is becoming a serious evil. The farmers' watchword should be—"root hog and die."—Ed.

The Defences of Canada.—Lord Elcho said he understood that a deputation was about to proceed from Canada in order to consult the Government with reference to the defences of the colony; he wished to know if Parliament would be consulted before any final arrangements were made tending to pledge the credit of the Imperial Government to the Canadian Government for the purpose of the defence of Canada, and if any arrangement had been entered into for the expenditure of more than £300,000 for the fortification of Quebec?

Mr. Cardwell said the sum guaranteed by this country consisted of £200,000 for Quebec and £100,000 for Montreal. He received yesterday an official announcement that a deputation of four members of the Executive Council of Canada were to proceed to England to confer with her Majesty's Government on the subject of the arrangements necessary for the defence of Canada, in the event of a war with the United States. It was not in his power, nor had he any wish if he had the power, to bind the country, without the full knowledge and consent of Parliament, to any particular course. As soon as the conference was over, he would take the earliest opportunity of making the result of it known to Parliament.

The Davenports Eclipsed.—On Monday evening, a *seance* was formed at Mr. Sothern's house, the Cedars, Kensington, for the purpose of exhibiting the rope-tying powers and manifestations of "unknown force" which the distinguished comedian and Mr. Addison, the medium in spite of himself, are able to display. Among the company present were the Marchioness of Downshire, Lady Anna Duff, the Earl of Fife, Lord Hillsborough, Viscount Combermere, Lord Edwin Hill Trevor, Lord Arthur Hill, Colonel Napier Stuart, Mr. Tom Taylor, &c. In addition to all the ordinary manifestations of the Davenports, Mr. Addison and Mr. Sothern were handcuffed and tied up in sacks, and succeeded easily in freeing themselves. Mr. Addison then had his wrists handcuffed and fastened to a ring screwed in the structure. The doors were closed, and on their being re-opened in two minutes he was seen fastened as before, but with his coat off. The same gentleman was, for lack of any more convenient chest, locked up in a corn bin, which was corded outside. In two minutes he was a free man. A dark *seance* followed, in which the spectral touches, the flying instruments, the marvellous doffing of the coat, and the other phenomena recently exhibited with so much parade, were displayed to the fullest extent.

A word to "Smokers."—'Tis not our intention to preach a reform against the sociable and growing use of the weed, for it is a luxurious comfort. What gentleman, we ask, old or young, who is addicted to this habit of enjoying himself behind a good Havana, particularly after a hearty meal, will dispute us. We speak from experience, for we often indulge in a good cigar ourselves, but what we suggest is this, try that justly popular, fragrant, convenient and efficacious Dentifrice, SOZODONT, just the thing after smoking; removes instantly the unpleasant tastes and odors attendant on the use of tobacco; 'tis refreshingly agreeable, and leaves the mouth cool and sweet.

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COMMERCIAL

Tuesday, June 6.

From Nanaimo.—The Fideliter arrived from Nanaimo last evening, with 30 tons of coal. She towed out the Riviere on Sunday morning. The Maria Scammel had about 200 tons of coal on board. The new schooner Indian Maid had arrived for coal from Victoria. The schooner Goldstream arrived on Saturday evening from Fort Rupert with coal, and is on the way down.

Wednesday, June 7.

For New Westminster.—The steamers Enterprise and Alexandria left yesterday with passengers and considerable freight for Fraser river. The latter steamer carried a large number of Chinamen.

From the Sound—The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived yesterday from Olympia and way ports with passengers and freight as per manifest.

For Comox—The steamer Fideliter left yesterday for Comox, calling at Begg's settlement.

Thursday, June 8.

From New Westminster.—The steamer Alexandra arrived last night at 7:15 o'clock, with a few passengers. She will sail to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, for Port Angelos and Steilacoom.

Friday, June 9.

From the North.—The steamer Fideliter arrived from Comox, Nanaimo, and way ports last night at 8 o'clock, bringing 15 passengers and a cargo of coal and produce. The Fideliter will sail for Cowichan, Nanaimo, etc., to-morrow morning.

For Steilacoom.—The steamer Alexandra sailed yesterday at 11, a. m. She will return on Monday, and will sail for New Westminster at 10, p.m.

Local Markets—Business during the week in the produce market has continued quiet. Prices are without change, but with a downward tendency on leading articles.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr ELIZA ANDERSON, from Puget Sound—Philip Hansel, Wormer, J S Wisely, Mrs Gow, Cecilia Parkinson.

Per stmr ALEXANDRA, from Port Angelos—Mrs Poosh, Mrs Herrington.

EXPORTS

Per steamer ORIZABA, May 15th, for San Francisco—30 pkgs deer skins, 2 cs furs, 1 case handkerchiefs—Value, $3,179 80.

IMPORTS.

Per schr A J WESTER, from Port Angelos—16 tons hay—Value, $320.

Per schr WINGED RACER, from Port Angelos—300 bush oats, 12 hides—Value, $240.

Per bark CECILIA, from Hong Kong—3955 bags rice, 5 cs ginger, 4 bdls bamboo hats—Consignee, Tai Sum Keng Kee.

Per stmr ELIZA ANDERSON, from Puget Sound—74 bales wool, 67 hd sheep and lambs, 38 head cattle and calves, 20 bxs bread, 10 s cks oats, 2 boxes butter, 23 sacks feed, 4 qrs beef. Value $4637 62.

Per stmr ALEXANDRA, from Port Angelos—1 ox, 1 horse, 2 bxs butter, Value $296.

Per sloop LETITIA, from Port Townsend—6¾ tons hay, 400 bush oats. Value $430,

NANAIMO EXPORTS.

Statement of Vessels departed from Nanaimo, V. I., during the month of June, 1865.

Date.	Name of Vessel	Master	Tons,	Cwt.	Destination
1	H.M.S. Forward,	Lascelles	15	05	Own use
3	Stmr Fideliter,	McCulloch	13	05	Own use
4	Stmr Fideliter,	McCulloch	40	15	Victoria
4	Schr Alpha,	George	70	10	Victoria
5	Ship Aquila,	Sayward,	1610	10	San Fr'cs
5	Stmr Fideliter,	McCulloch	14	05	Own use
7	Ship John Jay,	Burr,	707	05	San Fr'cs
7	H.M.S. Forward,	Lascelles	13	05	Own use
9	Schr Meg Merrillies,	Pamphlet	73	10	Victoria
9	H.M.S. Beaver,	Pender	20	10	Own use
15	Sloop Alarm,	Hollins,	15	15	Victoria
15	Stmr Otter,	Swanson,	125	00	Victoria
17	Bark Knight Bruce,	Bryce	645	00	San Fr'cs
19	Schr A Crosby,	Ketchum,	107	00	Portland
19	Stmr Fideliter,	McCulloch	9	10	Own use
20	Schr Meg Merrilies.	Pamphlet	75	10	Esq'malt
27	Stmr Fideliter,	McCulloch	48	15	Victoria
27	Stmr Otter,	Swanson.	33	00	Own use
29	Schr Meg Merrillies,	Pamphlet	74	15	Esq'malt
29	H. M. S. Beaver,	Pender	42	10	Own use
31	Stmr Fideliter,	McCulloch	24	05	Own use
	Total		3775	05	

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

June 5—Schr Winged Racer, Peterson, Port Angelos
Bark Cecilia, Schmidt, Hong Kong
Schr Discovery, Rudlin, Sooke
Stmr Otter, Swanson, New Westminster
Stmr Enterprise, Mouatt, New Westminster
Schr A J Wester, Mills, Port Angelos
June 6—Stmr Eliza Anderson, Finch, Port Angelos
Sloop Letitia, Adams, Port Angelos
Stmr Alexandra, Coffin, Port Angelos
Sloop Amie, Elvin, Race Rocks
Sloop A Phinney, Henderson, Port Angelos
Schr J K Thorndike, Thornton, San Juan
June 7—Slp W B Naylor, Wolf, San Juan
Stmr Enterprise, Mouatt, New Westminster
June 8—Schr Goldstream, Hewitt, Fort Rupert
Stmr Alexandra, Coffin, New Westminster
Schr Langley, Nenoy.ch, Bentinck Arm, B C
June 9—Stmr Fideliter, McCulloch, Nanaimo
Schr Indian Maid, Greenwood, Nanaimo
Schr Alpha, George, New Westminster
Schr J K Thorndike, Thornton, San Juan
Slp Ringleader, Hooper, Nanaimo
June 10—Str Enterprise, Mouat, New Westster
Sloop Alarm, Hollins, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Schr Eliza, Carlton, Saanich
Stmr Enterprise, Mouatt, New Westminster
June 6—Schr Meg Merrilies, Pamphlet, Nanaimo
Stmr Alexandra, Coffin, New Westminster
Stmr Eliza Anderson, Finch, Port Angelos
Stmr Fideliter, McCulloch, Nanaimo
Sloop A Phinney, Henderson, Port Angelos
June 7—Slp W B Naylor, Wolf, San Juan
Slp Letitia, Adams, Port Angelos
June 8—Stmr Alexandra, Coffin, Port Angelos
Stmr Fideliter, McCulloch, Nanaimo
Slp Thornton, Warren, New Westminster
Slp Hamly, Gray, Nanaimo
Schr J K Thorndike, Thornton, San Juan
June 10—Sloop Alarm, Hollins, Nanaimo
Schr Alpha, George, Nanaimo

BIRTH.

In this city, June 7th, the wife of Mr. Charles F. E. Mebius, of a daughter.

DIED.

Died in this city, on the 8th inst., Mr. Alexander Hamilton, aged 53 years, late of Canada West.

At Yale, B. C., on the 3rd inst., William McColl, late sergeant of the Royal Engineers.

At Tum Water, W. T., May 31st, of consumption, Mrs. B. L. Henness, wife of Capt. Henness, aged 44 years, 7 months and 9 days.

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Buddivent P
Brown J J
Brown G W
Backus P
Bunster A, 3
Bordeward N
Baker W A
Bossi C, 2
Binge J E
Beaty J
Barnes P S
Bullen J
Brown T H
Bartleman P
Bray J
Byrnes W
Bunney W
Baudet J
Bishop P
Callbreath J
Clark H B
Cottrell Mrs
Carter R
Crysler J
Cleaves Capt
Campbell H
Curry P
Cooper W
Chapman O
Carkeek C
Claveri A
Collings W P
Douglas B
Dennes G C
Davis L
Duglas Mr,
Dickson J
Donnel J
Dwire J
Duncan J
Duane M S
Davidson J
English Mr
Emslie J
Ellis G
Elliott Miss
Englefield J, 3
Eastwood E
Ford J, 3
Fellors T
Finlayson J
Franklin L
Friggens J F
Ford W H, 2
Flywn J
Gwyne H
Gayner F
Griffiths J R, 2
Guilloteau A
Gray S
Gray T, 2
Gilmore T
Gilmore A
Grant J F
Glenn J
Grier W
Hastings Miss
Hendry Miss
Hall P
Heal J
Hickin G
Hicks A
Hick W
Hunt F W
Hassard W
Hicks G
Harris S
Hoyd E H
Inner D
Imrie P, 2
Johnston A
Johnston W
Jeffery W
Jarvis W F
Jones T C, 2
James Miss M
Jackson R
Kendall G
Kinnear Miss
King H A, 2
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Lyall G
Lea J
Lacharme Mr
Laing R
Levy E
Murray J
Moris E
Montgomery J
McCuaig
Milligan J E
McAlister J C
McKinnon A
McCallum D
McBeath G
McArthur G
Metcalf J
McLachlan D
Mansin J D
Maguire P
Moss J J
Musters W C
Marsden T
Morley Miss
Murphy H
Moore C
Martin Mr
McMartin M
Munro M
McDonell A J
Mitchel J
Malavanski M
Marshal B G
McLean D
New A F
Norn C
Nelson H
Northon J W
Olepan N A
Ogilvey Mrs
Orton H P L
O'Donnell A
O'Brien W
Purdy S W
Pearce J
Phillips W
Pennell J
Procter T, 2
Price H T C
Porteous S
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Reekie D
Ramon C
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Ross J
Robinson H
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Stephenson E
Smid C A
Steele Miss M
Scites J
Sampson H
Short Mr, 2
Sager J W
Silcock R
Simpson J
Stevens J C
Styles G
Strong A
Shetelro J
Sale J
Stephens J
Taylor W
Thompson A

Askew G
Anderson S
Allison E
Askew T
Anderson W
Bultler G H
Bowles T, 2
Burke H
Benton C C
Burt T & G
Baxter B
Brown J
B M M E
Bushell F
Browne W A
Barbieri C
Borthwick A
Barrey J
Bennett C 2
Baker T
Bramley J
Baily N
Baker G
Blair H
Carter T
Caulier H S, 2
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Cumming J
Charters W B
Calder C
Church G
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Duxbury T
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Ellis J P
Frankel A
Fitten E
Franklin S
Forde Mrs
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Ferguson J
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Gibbs H
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Grabble B
Gyves M
Griffiths W
Gossett W
Gibbon Messrs
Gray G
Honeyball G, 2
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Hankin W W
Huxtable W
Hopkins J
Handford J
Hunt F W
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Himmen J
Ivey T
James W
Jones J
Jones R
Jones W H
James D
Jobson A
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Leonard E
Lamkin S
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Lang J
Lorimer W
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McGowan S, 2
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Mersereace R
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Moffatt T
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Meyer Mr
Milby N
Morton H
Miller E
Marquis J
Morby F
Mitchell M G
Martin J
Montero Mrs
McBride D
Machin W
Miller Miss
Martin A E
McCausland O
Moore S
McKee J D
Nolan T
Noldemayer M
Nichols W
Otto C
O'Dwyre P
Orr S
Ovans D
Pottinger J
Parke P
Penlington G
Phillips M
Playter W
Pierre T W
Reid G
Revely F
Robbins S C
Rele J H
Rickert M
Robertson J
Rendall R S
Rithet R
Read E
Reid S
Steele H
Stewart J
Smith A E
Shaw G
Slowman B
Scullen W
Stephens T T
Saunders H
Spencer D
Stertridge R
Sylvester T H
Smith R
Simpson H
Spence J
Tretts W R
Towne G
Taft H G
Tennant R
Turnbull G
Tait T
Trueworthy S
Trimble J
Tomkins D
Underwood W
Vipond A
Veal F
Van Horn E
Wickham J
Wall W
Warren J D
Woods Rev
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Waite O
Watt G
Wallace T B
Warne H H
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Wallis M
Webb H
Young H
Yuill J
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Zealand J, 2
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Thomas T G
Thompson J
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Townsend W B
Thomas J
Varieas L
Vine B E
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Wheeler W, 2
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Walls Mrs
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