

Tuesday, November 8, 1864

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE GRAND JURY assembled yesterday, and after returning true bills against Charles Grammes, charged with being in the possession of stolen property...

THE FEMALE HOSPITAL.—We observe that the building intended for the Female Hospital has been already commenced on an elevated and healthy site at the east end of Pandora street.

INDIAN TROUBLES.—Capt. Spring of the Leonede informs us that the prompt punishment inflicted by Admiral Denman on the West Coast Indians has been productive of most excellent effects.

COAL STRIKE.—The schooner A. J. Wester which arrived from the Foca mines yesterday, brings the report that a seam of coal had been struck in the valley about a mile behind Gulliam Bay, at a depth of one hundred and fifty feet.

SERIOUS CHARGE.—Richard Williams was arrested yesterday by Sergeant McBride, at the instance of Mr. Charles Simeon, upon suspicion of having stolen two notes of hand of the value of \$700 and \$300, signed by Mr. Malowanski, together with \$160 in gold and McDonald & Co's bank notes.

THE BIRTHDAY RACES.—We were misinformed it appears as to the amount of subscriptions obtained for the races on the ninth. There is not nearly as much in hand as was supposed, and in consequence, it has been determined to have two respectable purses in lieu of four small ones.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.—The House of Assembly have voted the additional sum required to complete the dredging apparatus. The work of dredging the harbor is to be under the management of a commission of five of the principal men of the city, to be appointed by His Excellency.

LARGE REWARD.—An additional sum of \$1500 is offered by Messrs. McDonald & Co. for the apprehension and conviction of the thieves concerned in the late bank robbery. The full reward now offered amounts to \$5,000.

SMOKE-LIFTING.—The window of the Occidental cigar store was broken open during Thursday night, and property to the value of \$20 abstracted by some person or persons unknown.

HER MAJESTY'S NAVY IN RESERVE.—According to the latest published Admiralty List there are at the present time 269 steam vessels belonging to Her Majesty's Navy, steam and sailing, lying at their moorings in Government ports...

FUGA COAL.—A cargo of this fine coal was received yesterday at the Victoria Coal Company's wharf, and is now for sale. It is said to be an excellent article for domestic use.

THE FUGA.—The schooner A. J. Wester arrived from the Foca mines yesterday morning with about 60 tons of coal to Capt. Frain.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—The bark Monitor, Capt. Nelson, arrived yesterday morning in 14 days from San Francisco. She brings a small cargo of general merchandise consigned to Pickett & Co.

FROM THE WEST COAST.—The schooner Leonede arrived from Port San Juan yesterday morning with 20 barrels of dogfish oil.

FROM SYDNEY.—The bark Ellen Lewis, Captain Hagan, has completed her long voyage at Burrard's Inlet, and is now ready to sail. She will be towed over to this port. The bark Kinnaird, Captain Sinclair, is announced to leave New Westminster for the same port direct, on or about the 12th instant.

FROM NAINAIMO.—The steamer George S. Wright arrived in the harbor last evening from Nainaimo, where she has been cooped. The only fresh loading were the schooners Alpha and Mag Merrillee.

FROM THE SOUND.—The steamer Jenny Jones, and sloop Northern Light, arrived on Saturday with passengers and freight from the Sound, and the sloop Monitor yesterday.

FROM CHINA.—The bark Glimpse is reported to have arrived at Port Angeles from China, on the night of the 4th.

VICTORIA MARKETS.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, Nov. 5th. Business for the last week has been tolerably good, the local trade in flour and grain being brisk, although prices remain as formerly.

PORTLAND MARKETS. (From the Oregonian) PORTLAND, Friday, Oct. 23, 1864. There is a demand for wheat for milling purposes, aside of what is wanted for export, and buyers are offering 2 1/2 and 3c. per pound.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Almost everything in the grain and produce trade higher and demands are active, even at advanced rates. Flour, Alviso Mills, heavy, good to choice milling, \$3 85 @ \$3 80; inferior, \$3 60 @ \$3 55 @ \$3 74.

IMPORTS To the Port of Victoria, V. I., for the month ending October 31st, 1864.

Table listing imports from various ports including London, San Francisco, and the West Coast, with quantities and values.

Table listing exports to various destinations including California, Oregon, and Washington Territory, with quantities and values.

STATEMENT OF VESSELS DEPARTED FROM NAINAIMO, V. I., during the month of Oct., 1864, showing the respective cargo taken by each, &c.

Table listing vessels departed from Nainaimo, including ship names, destinations, and dates.

IMPORTS.

Table listing imports from various ports including the West Coast and Victoria, with quantities and values.

EXPORTS.

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RECAPITULATION. From England, \$124,797; From the West Coast, \$179,554; From the Sound, \$25,240; From the Columbia, \$2,679; From Sandwich Islands, \$6,745; Grand Total, \$349,277.

TO SANDWICH ISLANDS. Ale and Porter, 117 cks; Iron, 229 bars, 71 bbls; 10 hds, 201 cks; Flour, 1000 lbs; Blankets, 1000 lbs; Potatoes, 500 lbs; Biscuits, 200 lbs; Spirits, 200 qts; Bitters, 50 lbs; Stationery, 10 lbs; Coal, 100 tons; Steel, 100 lbs; Soda, 100 lbs; Syrup, 100 lbs; Sundries, 100 lbs; Tanned hides, 100 lbs; Sheepskins, 100 lbs; Wines, 100 lbs; Total Value, \$17,115 00.

TO CALIFORNIA. Cranberries, \$1120 00; Melon Seeds, 38 40; Dry Goods, \$2620 65; Polished shells, 100 00; Fish, 121 bbls, 41 90; Rope, mirrors, 675 53; Pars and Skins, 11,463 50; Pens, etc., 675 53; Hides, 239 00; Shirts and hats, 303 20; Japanese Cab., 45 00; Yams, 50 bbls; Total Value, \$15,601 18.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY. Ale and Porter, \$225 00; Iron, 28 62; Bricks, 16 M; 100 00; Boiler plates, 275 23; Brandy, 140 38; Iron Castings, 360 90; Castings, 87 38; Iron Bars, 360 90; Eng. mtds., 1775 16; Sugar, 200 00; Hardware, 129 60; Stone, 20 76; Groceries, 117 18; Sacks, 155 46; Hardware and Sugar, 155 46; Castings, 159 91; Shingles, 11 M; Total Value, \$38,838 67.

RECAPITULATION. To St. Louis, \$27,671 95; To Sandwich Islands, 17,115 00; To California, 15,601 18; To Oregon, 6,888 04; To Washington Territory, 3,680 87; Grand Total, \$70,545 84.

THE STEAMER ENTERPRISE arrived from Westminster on Saturday evening with passengers. The intelligence from the West Coast is no later than our last advices. Mr. E. Russell, of the Bank of Columbia, who left on the 1st of November, informs us that for the next three months the daily yield of gold will be \$8,000 to \$10,000.

THE CARIBOO CO. were working on the Cariboo, their weekly expenses are \$2,000 to \$2,200. The CAMERON CO. were working on the Cariboo, they were paying little more than covering expenses.

THE BARBER CO. were working on the Cariboo, they were paying latest dates from \$400 to \$500 dividend. The RAY CO's last dividend was \$100,000. The FOREST ROSE CO. which it is believed to be one of the best on the Cariboo, were stopped for want of water.

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