### Small Pox.

LONIST .- During the prevale epidemic small pox in our almost universal in the viz: that in any building at is afflicted with this scourge, of danger-a yellow flag is eve) in San Francisco. Again hat the Naval authorities be nt some medical gentleman to prevalence of small pox, as because it is well known that worse amongst our neighbors so doing many valuable lives d and alarm quieted. bobb

VACCINE

### nics' Fair-Removal of the Goods.

Industrial Fair, under the the Mechanics' Institute of co, is now numbered amongst the past. The receipts of aing amounted to \$993 25. ad been counted, a gentle drew from his pocket \$6 75 it to the Treasurer. remarkis to the receipts, and make Yesterday was a busy day hibitors, who were removing they have had on exhibition. lated with having taken pre-were sending their goods to in hopes of obtaining further e those who had failed were o their workshops in disgnst ng the ignorance, and others y of the Judges of Awards t if justice had been done ave been honored above their orgetting that others might same thing, with perhaps had the awards been differe instances the Judges have udicious as they might have onest convictions, and that were influenced by improper By four o'clock scarcely an ined in the pavilion. The for thirty-one days was the le and activity, has become most as the grave. The y evening, when the grand il will be given, and then it mely grand. All San Frangoo ly pertion of the surwas, will be there in their s, and representing the dead haracters of history. And hat brilliant flash, the candle and the pavilion remain dark until next year, when the hanics' Fair will be held.—

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### Reform in the Constitution of the Colony.

Elections are the order of the day, politics are the principal topics of conversation, in England, America, Spain, and British Columbia : doubtless each country think their own particular affairs the most important, and small as is the power vested in the people of this Colony, we must not forget that there is a possibility of improvement; the evil day cannot last for ever, the one man system must have an end. and the people of British Columbia can hasten that end, by a steady determination to select no members to represent them in the Council, who are not pledged to do their utmost to reform the present system of Government. The taxpayers and electors are one and all of opinion that improve. ment is needed, none are contented with the existing arrangement, and gives the people no real voice or substantial share in the Government, it

the courage to stand up in their places rights and privileges, and who have the perseverance to figut the people's battle step by step, no matter how small the minority in which they find themselves. Nothing can be more dangerous than the policy advocated by some of those who are so opposed to the present fallacious semblance of representative institutions, that they positively shrink from taking any part in keeping up the sham, and with this feeling overcoming all other sentiments they seriously advise that no representatives shall be selected by the people of the Colony-that this is most dangerous advice, no one who gives the subject consideration, will deny. In the first place it would be impossible, even if the people of the Colony were as one man in their unanimity of action, to prevent some persons not truly belonging to the people, from proposing and seconding some members legally qualified for the Council, although in other respects perhaps totally unfitted for it, and in this manner a Council might be made up of nominees; and there would go home to the Colonial Office, false evidence of the concurrence of the people in the policy of the Government; and even if some places in the Colony who are entitled to send representatives, should be sufficiently united to be able to carry out an agreement to refrain from selecting members, what would be the effect? Would it not enable the Governor to repeat his assertion that all is progressing well and favorably, so well indeed that the people were content to leave the full control and direction of public affairs to the

Executive. Mr. Seymour has shown

himself so incapable of properly dis-

charging the duties of Governor, and

the Executive Council have so com-

pletely failed in advising measures of

any kind for the good of the Colony,

that the people's only safeguard con-

sists in sending members to the Council

wants and desires of the people thrown a cloud over the prospects of the country. Had the leading officials in the Colony been men of energy, much of the evil engendered by the want of writer says: "Having much to do with the business habits of the Governor, might English poor in Montreal, and having lived have been averted, or at all events counteracted, by a due attention to da, I would cantion the English public, and the administration of public affairs, but unfortunately lack of energy seems to be infectious. There is no determination to infuse any spirit of energy or activity into any branch of the public business of the Colony over which the Executive officers have any anything else with their liberty. Consecontrol or influence. Lamentable indeed would be the state of the Colony were its affairs left to the undisturbed and unquestioned direction of the Heads of Departments; the gross neglect of the Indians during the growth and progress of the epidemic another instance, if one were wanting, of the want of care and energy of the gives them an opportunity of selecting Governor, and the officers of the members to represent them who have Secretariat, whose duty it was to take it and California' Medical Gazette,' before proper steps to check the spread of in the Legislative Council, and tell the pestilence. But the instances of we might almost say, local; they are pubthe Governor what the people of the misgovernment are unfortunately the lished in San Francisco from the house of A are their rule instead of the exception, and Roman & Company. Most of the articles in ing the shadow of popular rights of this city. which is allowed them, and of obtaining fair representative institutions, is to send energetic, bold, and persevering men into the Council to be a of the people.

### Small Pox. od dis

Sanitary Commission have had all the small and ten months, tenements, hitherto occupied by Indians in the lower portions of the city, thoroughly cleansed and whitewashed, and the rubbish and nuisances about them removed and their cognizance respectively. Up to Mon- ification will be enforced at the ensuing selecday; and since last report, Dr Davie senr., reported five cases amongst the Indians, four of which proved fatal; on the 13th Dr Powell reported a white man sent to the hospital, since which no further cases were reported to the Town Clerk, It is however. desirable that every case occurring amongst the white population should be reported as well as those amongst the Indians, in order to prevent a spread of the disease. The authorities should also insist that the interments on the Reserve be made deeper than as fast as possible. It will require about some of the Indian bodies have been, and 20,000 bushels for the seed of such a farm. that a lot of old Indian clothes and bedding lying at present about there, should be immediately burned. Whatever may be the number of cases amongst the white population, and we have no means of ascertaining accurately, there can be no doubt yesterday for Capt Stamp's mill had the that amongst the Indians, the disease is weather allowed the steamer isabel to at-

who will protest against the continu- A Querron or Going to Ben. The right Another Change, Men milliners are all who will protest against the continuance of the present irresponsible and expensive Government. Whether the people of the Colony succeed in their wishes or not, whether Confederation whether Confederation whether Confederation whether the wishes or not, whether Confederation confederation confederation whether confederation conf takes place immediately or not, they lied of notice. The defendant is the land-place of modistes. Bonnets are said to be most relax in their endeavors until lend of the Talbet Isu at Ripley. The plaine reduced to nothing, but those nothings cost must not relax in their endeavors until lord of the Talbet I in at Ripley. The plains they succeed in obtaining a Governor who will have the energy, at least, to make a show of doing something. The

pervades every being who is in any way officially connected with the Governor is most disgraceful, and has a most pernicious effect upon the progress of the Colony. As the dense The Judge gave this decision: I think your that \$63,000.000 gold in coin was shipped fog and smoke in which we have late- master was quite right in dismissing you ly been enveloped has seemed to cast When your master told you to go to bed it an air of depression upon all active was your duty to do so; and as you did is the US Treasury, than at any period since business, so has the listless apathy of not obey his reasonable commands, he was the Governor and his disregard of the the Governor and his disregard of the verdict for the defendant.'-Pall Mall Gazette

The emigration of women to Canada under the supervision of Miss Rye, has been the subject of a communication from a resident of Montreal to the London Times. The for thirty-six years in various parts of Canamore particularly that class of women you propose sending out here, against too much nthusiasm in the matter. I have no hesital ion in saving, women are not wanted in Canada; there are plenty and to spare here but the class who should fill the position of household servants prefer a bare living at Draining the Meadows on William quently, good household servants, and they alone, are needed."

LATE PERIODICALS.—We have receive he July numbers of the American publica tion of the 'London Quarterly,' the West-minster and the Edinburgh Reviews; also the August edition of 'Blackwood,' which are published in New York by the Leonard Scott Publishing Company. We have too to acknowledge the receipt by last mail o the September copies of the 'Overland Month. readers will no doubt be already aware, are, under our present system the only all of them are worthy of perusal-they can means that the people have of geard- be had through Hibben & Co, booksellers,

THE Dake of Edinburgh will start in October next on a second cruise in H M S Galetea to strive without ceasing for the rights cension, Cape of Good Hope, Mauritius, them the right to collect one dollar per day and New Zealand, then to Honoluly, and to As some anxiety prevails amongst the the beautiful South Sea Islands, Valoaraiso public to learn the condition of the disease Lima, St Blas, Magalhaen, San Francisco

been asked repeatedly during the last lew patients thereupon removed to the hospital at However at the last selection of members for the Reserve, where there is a nurse paid \$2 the Legislative Council those who were quala day, to supply everything requisites during ified to vote for members of the ex-assembly sickness, and to see to immediate interment were alone elegible to select a Legislative in case of death. A daily report has also Councillor. As British subjects with a probeen requested from the members of the perty qualification have hitherto had the exclu nedical profession, of cases coming under sive right to vote, we presume a similar qualtion.

A LARGE FARM .- Two wealthy, enterprising gentlemen of Harrison county. Ohio. have purchased a township six miles square. in Nebraska, of Government land, and pro-pose to convert the whole into one grand farm of 23,000 acres. They intend to inclose it with a hedge of the Osage orange 24 miles in length. They will hire all their labor. and the most imporved agricultural machin ery, intending to put the whole farm into whea

BURRARD INCRY.-There are three ships loading at the mills on the Inlet, two at the Mesers Moody's mills, and one at Capt Stamp's. The Mauna Los would have left tempt the trip.

passive and aparticular induction whites bitchen one night and told her to go to bed fair is the best looking girl be can get hold

Gold.—From reliable statistics it appears that \$63,000,000 gold in coin was shipped from New York to foreign ports since 1st of January last, and that there is now less gold the close of the warnis morn in

ENDURANCE.—A horse a short time since ell into the sea at an English town, and swam about for nineteen hours, or more than a distance, it was computed, of fen miles in a straight line before he was rescued.

CHANGES.—Several new places of business have been opened on Fort and Government streets of late. Amongst others-Mr McKay has removed his establishment to Government street adjoining the Postoffice.

ATELEGRAM has been received stating that the Active will not leave Portland for Victoria until to-morrow (Saturday.) The reason of the delay is not given.

Creek.

EDITOR COLONIST,-With \$40,000, which

can easily be obtained, and give new life to

the Colony, the following scheme, would reestablish the lively times of 1862-3 and 4, if he Government would but senction it. It would be this: Reserve all the claims on William Creek and Willow River, from Marysville to the mouth of Mosquito Creek ifty feet claims extending from hill to hill, thereby ensuring fifty feet of the channe to each claim; the number of claims would be about four hundred; to sell them at one hundred dollars each, guaranteeing that the purchaser shall be at no more expense until his claim shall be drained, and that the This morning he was pointed out to me money shall be used for draining, which will on the street. His features are not unlike and by allowing five miles to be reserved and about one mile waste for drainage. Then let out a contract to twelve competent miners to run a drain the whole distance, at one dollar and fifty cents per round the world. The following is the route foot; this would about keep them in prodecided upon : Starting from Plymouth the visions, tools, &c, and as an inducement to check upon the official part of it, and Duke will proceed to Madeira, Fayal, As- get such men to take hold of the work, give Bombay, Trincomalee, (Ceylon), Madras, Cal- from each claim for drainage with the right cutta, Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong, Man- to wash the dirt taken out of the drain illa, Yokohama (Japan), down to Sydney which would guarantee each contractor a fortune, to be gained with four years' labor, Who would not be willing to take a chance! In California it is common where men within regard to the city, we vesterday tried to and Vancouver Island, and so returning out means that have a four or five years' job ascertain particulars. First, the Municipal home. The trip is expected to last one year ahead, (to run through rim rock), for them to divide their interest with a partner who will work for wages ; elsewhere to support THE APPROACHING ELECTION -We have both while the tunnel is being run, or give a merchant one half of their claim to see them days what the qualification would be at the through. There are many ways to obtain of farm produce; but the indifference and burned. An inspection will satisfy anyone next election. The only answer to be given assistance with so good a prospect ahead; that this duly has been well performed. is that there is no statute law upon the matin this cases the miner has all in his favor ter, and that consequently the qualification and the Government also would be perfectly: reported to the authorities at once, and the is at the sovereign dictation of the Governor, safe, by retaining five thousand dollars to pay for the sureving of 401 straight lines across William Creek and to pay an officer or some other responsible person a pominal salary for receiving the work and paying for it. By this means, in three years, the drain would be completed about four miles, which would afford three miles of mining ground, and although the funds would then be exhausted .as the contractors would have an income of

> mile at their own expense, and thereby, in my opinion facilitate the working of the richest four miles of placer diggings in the world; for in proportion as the upper part of William Creek yielded coarse gold, so it is reasonable to suppose the lower part would yield scale and fine gold.
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> The Government controlling the work would give purchasers and contractors the requisite confidence for such an undestate. equisite confidence for such an undertak. ing, and if put into operation immediately in twelve months from to-day, the first claim would be drained and the contractors' inome would be thereby increased every day. Wiser heads will readily see how to put this plan into operation and keep the meadows from capitalists who would reap the gold with very little benefit to the Colony.

three hundred dollars per day, they would be able and anxious to complete the other

mile at their own expense, and thereby, in

needows, and is awate of the pecessity of drainage and the existence of gold.

Editorial Correspondence--No. 14.

UTICA, N. Y., Aug 15, 1868. While coming down from Saratoge restorday in the cars to strike the Central Railroad for Niagara Falls and Canada the danger whistle was suddenly sounded and the brakes were shut down, but be

Instantly three or four hundred pa were on their feet and stretchi eager necks out of the windows to ascertain the cause of the shock. The cause was soon apparent. The engine had struck a loaded wagon as it was being driven across the track, crushed it to atoms, and threw its driver-an old man of 60-from his seat to the ground with such force as to injure him in the fearful and hopeless manner. The horses escaped and started off down the road with a part of the wreck attached to the shafts at a breakneck rate of speed. The old man was raised tenderly in the arms of the brakesmen and carried into a house near by. His long grey locks were streaked with gore which flowed from cruel wounds on his head and his breath. ing became slow and labored. A physician pronounced him dead "to all intents and purposes." The breathing was marely the flickering of the candle in the ocket before it burned out entirely. We left the poor old man in good hand and were soon rolled on again towards our destination, arriving at Utica at 10 o'clock the same evening, and remaining

over until to-day.

Utica is a handsomely built city of about 35,000 people. It has several large woollen and cotton factories and being tural district and on the line of the Eric Canal and New York Central Railroad. is necessarily a place of importance and

Horatio Seymour, the Democratic Candidate for President, resides here. those of Colonel Baker, formerly Senator from Oregon, who was killed in the civil war, and his eve is the most expressive and intelligent. He is apparently about 50 years of age, dresses very plainly, and wears a tall black hat much the worse for wear. His father, in a fit of insanity, produced by business reverses, blew hi brains out thirty years ago, and this fact the Radical press have the good taste to revive and produces a as reason why the Democratic Candidate should not be re-

### A Public Market.

EDITOR COLONIST, -On several occasions in past years, I have endeavored to point out the importance of a market in this city to which families might resort for the purchase apathy of our farmers have hitherto prevented its establishment. It is possible that they may now be alive to their interests, and the recent revival of the Agricultural Society induces me to broach the subject again. I will simply mention the benefit which would accrue both to the producer and consumer: The former, instead of carrying round to the various stores, grain, vegetable &c. which he is obliged to sell at whatever price may be offered rather than return home with his cart full, will take them direct to the market where he will be brought into immediate contact with the consumer, who will at all times give the fair and proper price in cash. The latter will, to the great benefit of his family, be able at all times to obtain fresh vegetables, eggs, butter, &c. at the lowest price. As a father of a family I can testify to the difficulty I have in obs taining these articles, and to the regret which I feel at being obliged to be dependant on the occasional visits of a Chinaman Should there be any probability of the subjest being practically taken hold of, I would in a subsequent letter enlarge on its importe

Yours, &c,

FRED PAYNE has removed his Chean Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johnson street, just above the Miner's Saloon.

## Weekly British AND CHRONICLE.

Saturday, Octobe 17 1868.

The Agriculture of the Colony. A mixed feeling of satisfaction and discontent seems to be felt by the inabitants of Victoria, and the neighboring settlements at the result of the Agricultural Show. Taking into consideration the depression that has existed for the last few years in all parts of the Colony, the comparativesmall amount of capital that is invested in agriculture in Vancouver Island, and the difficulty under which stock-raisers have labored in importing good stock, from which to produce a ass of animals which might compare disposed to think that upon the whole there is no great cause for dissatisfaction with regard to the farming prospects of the future. So far as the Agricultural Society is concerned, as apart from the more enlarged question of agriculture, no one will be disposed to deny that much credit is due to those who took an active part in reviving It. The only thing wanting on their part to conduce to complete success, was earlier action; but inasmuch as it was only late in the year that the matter was thought about, or at all events mooted in public, all that could be done was to make the best use of the time before them, this we think the managers did, and had their efforts been seconded with warmth and energy by the farmers generally, the result would have been much better. It is much to be regretted that the farmers of Vancouver Island do not show more spirit in their undertakings, they are too indifferent to the higher branches of their calling, and too readily satisfied with mediocrity, to be in any position to compete with those who have more energy, more enterprise, and a greater spirit of emula-How few of the farmers of the Island took any prominent part in getting up the exhibition, and how the trouble to avail themof the opportunity which was forded them of showing or encourage ing any spirit of emulation, by sending in their best specimens either of stock or produce. It really seems as if the farmers of Vancouver Island an interior article, relying upon a protective duty to keep them from the nealthy competition of their neighbors on the American side. If the agriculprotected, surely the public have right to expect the nearest approach to perfection that is to be had, but in effect, from the examples we have had before us. We fear that nothing but free competition will give us an energetic race of farmers. It is well known to all in this neighborhood who have at all made the subject of agriculture their study, that wheat and other cereals can be produced in this Colony at a cost which, compared with the relative price to consumers, will give a larger profit to growers than can be had in Canada or in Oregon, and this, not withstanding the high price of vlabor. It is therefore evident that there must be a radical fault in some quarter; we are much inclined to impute this fault to the apathy which exists amongst those engaged in farming, there can be but little doubt, that the greater part of those in this Colony, who have settled down to the cultivation of the soil for Indian vote can be received. summeans of diving are anotheresity farmers many of them are not practical judges of stock, nor are they acquainted with more than the mere radiments of agriculture, hence their want of energy, and the same reasons maxistre think be given for their want! of emulation in stockaraisings upon this subject the remarks of Chief Justice Needham were well timed and his advice to the farmers was sound as to the necessity of improving their breed of stock; but while we cannot do otherwise than express regret at the want of energy and emulation on the part of the greater portion of the farmers, it should not be forgotten that there are some amongst us who

are doing their best to keep up the

character of the Colony in this respect.

boast as good a pedigree as many of Book and through six in the English Herd Book, whilst his sire was imported by Mr Patterson from the herd of Jonas Webb, of Babraham, a name known to every stockeraiser in England, and whose stock are held in the highest estimation-purer blood than this can hardly be obtained. The sheep shown by Mr McKenzie were also as well bred as could be desired. whilst the wheat, barley, and oats sent from the Mainland were really first class. If our tarmers would make use of the opportunities before them. and do their utmost to improve their stock by introducing the best blood that can be obtained in the Colony into their herds, and by planting the best seed that can be procured, and what better change of seed can they desire than that from the Mainland, there would be some hope of that improvement in our annual Shows which would manifest a real and steady progress in our agriculture. Monday, Oct 12

The Oueen Charlotte Coal Co.'s Mine.

By the return of the Otter the Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Company have received a report from their Engineer, Mr Landale, stating that up to the 17th of August they had undermined seven thousand tons of coal—having carried their gangway in more than three hundred feet. The engineer expressed himself highly satisfied, and says. The mine has turned out better than I anicipated, both as to yield and quality, and a considerable working could be begun even now. I have gained considerable knowledge of the place since my stay here, and do not hesitate to pronounce it a capital coal mine. This information is up to the 22nd of August. On the return of the sloop which has been sent up to the mine to bring back the men who have completed their contract, we expect to hear important news from that locality.

POLICE COURT.-William Thos Seels James Henry Seely, John Costello and John Davis, four young boys, were charged on Saturday with destroying an Indian cance, in James Bay, valued at \$20. From the evidence of Costello's brother, as well as the farmers of Vancouver Island his own admission, the boy Davis was thought it quite sufficient to produce evidently the ringleader of the aggressors and the party most to blame in the Davis was sentenced to two days' imprisonment in a dark cell, with bread and water, and the others were discharged on the understanding that their parents make good the damages sustained by the Indians. Altogether this was a very painful little episode. and shows the folly of respectable boys being allowed to run at large, and get into mischief by associating with those of a more evil disposition. It is to be hoped this case will be a caution to parents, and induce them to be more careful with their children in future.

Francis Jones was charged with being a ranaway from the ship Princess Royal; remanded for one week.

> THE ELECTIONS. Elections will be held for the selection of members to represent the respective districts of New Westminster and Hope, Yale and Lytton: For the former. at New Westminster, on the 20th Oct; at Burrard Inlet on the 21st; at Langley on the 28th; at Sumass on the 29th; at Harrison Mouth on the 30th. For the latter district. at Yale on the 29th inst; at Hope on the 31st, and at Lytton on the 3rd of November. The editor of the Columbian is again out for the New Westminster district, and publishes his usual modest address to his constituents. In every case voters must have resided three months in the district for which he votes, to be entitled to such vote. No Chinese or

ROYAL COLUMBIA COAL CO .- We hear that t is the intention of the Royal Columbia Authrecite Coal Mining Company, next spring, to send lorgand engages some good practical anthracite coal miners from Pennsyl vania, for prospecting and working the com-pany's mine upon Queen Charlotte Island. Amongst the injerested parties in this company are large capitalists, and with a competent, energetic mining manager at the mine, we bare no doubt but success would chance. The operation would be beneficial to this colony, and encourage the formation of other coal, companies for the development of our coal, fields, which will be the national richness of the country, and be the means of attracting a large pountation. arge population poi vdarsdr so

t the late exhibition, Mr Brown is mentioned as receiving a special prize for wheat it and at the East. It is reported that the fleet

THE STRANGE ACTIVED This steame leaves for this port on Wednesday at 6 a m biog to constein out for equals,

Columnial The prize bull belonging to Dr Tolmie THE steamship G S Wright, Capt Langknown in the American Herd Book as don, arrived from Pertland yesterday morning. She brought about ninety tons of freight, principally flour, for this pert, fiftythe cattle which take prizes in the district Shows in England. His dam Flora Temple, the property of the noted American stock-raiser John D thousand dollars treasure for Weils Fargo, and twenty-four passengers. Amongst the latter is Gen Whittier, U.S.A., who visits San Juan, and returns to Portland overland. The G.S. Wright will leave for the Sound, via latter burnt by the crews to prevent their thousand dollars treasure for Weils Fargo, Patterson, traces her pedigree through San Juan, this morning at 12 o'clock, and six generations in the American Herd for Portland on Thursday. Her freight for Book and through six in the English the Sound is about fifty tons.

SATURDAY'S SALE ... The sale of live stock at the Cattle yard of J P Davies & Co. on Saturday was considered good, considering the limited amount of feed for the approach ing winter, which is owing to the extraore linery dryness of the season. The two Southdown rams brought respectively \$20 and \$8; sheep averaged \$6.87 a head; a prize hog \$45; chickens from \$6 to \$9 a dozen; four cows, dry and in poor condition \$34 each; yearlings \$22; and horses from

Inquest was held on Saturday, by the Coroner, upon the body of James the morning of that day, and a verdict of death from natural causes returned by the Jury. Mr Holland was formerly private messenger to ex-Governor Sir James Douge as, and of late years attached to the Treasury Department in the same capacity. His funeral took place yesterday afternoon from Christ Charen. - sachusi b odt tol job

THE DOMINION .- Our contemporaries republish a paragraph, that the Dominion Par-liament will be called together at the end of the year to legislate in relation to the admission of British Columbia. The Governor General in inture shall be styled His Excellency; the Lieut. Governors-His Honor Senators, Executive Councillors, &c. Honor able some for life and some while in office.

SMALL Pox.-From reliable parties, we earn, this loathsome disease is subsiding. For three days previous to vesterday, only one pew case amongst the Indians was reported. It may be fairly presumed the worst is over in this city and neighborhood. We have heard of a fatal case or two amongst our white population. blodesnon boos .v.

ANOTHER SUDDEN PEATH. The dead body a Frenchman, named Catman, was found esterday in the neighborhood of the Uplands Farm. It appears he left his house on Thursday afternoon to get a load of firewood. The deceased has been complaining for years. An inquest with be held this

THE steamer Enterprise arrived on Saturday evening from New Westminster, with a small express from Yale and thirty passengers smongst whom were Mr Pearse, Mr Tait, Mrs Jas Cooper and family.

WITEDRAWN .- The goods to be sold by J P Davies & Co, by order of Admiral it is understood, be returned to England.

ARRIVED.-Mr F J Roscoe returned by the Geo S Wright yesterday, after a six months' trip to England sibil to sale C au

SAN JUAN ISLAND.—The subject of the joint possession of the Island of San Juan was brought up in Congress, but the advocate for the interests of the American citizens appeared to have such a limited knowledge of the geographical position the Island in dispute, that the affair was treated with ridicule. The introduction of the matter, however, has had some good effect, since a gentleman who was here and has been for some time a resident of Whidby Island, in Puget Sound, and who is personally acquainted with most of the settlers on San Juan Island, has, in connection with another intelligent gentleman here, brought the matter to the notice of the State Department, and what is wanting now to expedite an early settlement of the disputed possession of the territory is, that the American settlers thereon should foin in a petition to Congress, setting forth their grievances, and send it on here by some energetic and intelligent representative—of course in this re-mark, I have reference to none other than the Hon J S Smith, your newly elected Representative to Congress and by the next spring all the matter can be satisfactois Mr Marcus L King, known to many Californians, and people on Puget Sound, as an early pioneer and practical miner Portland Herald, Washington Correspondence, 2 mais

FALURE OF THE NORTHWIST WHALE FISHBRIES, Recent advices from the Ochotek
BRIES, Recent advices some cause the whales have gone to other localities this summer, and the whalers, when last heard from, are said to have captured only about one whale or the average. In consequence of this failure in one of the principal sources of supply, whale oil has made a sudden advance in the market here which resorts to Hudeon Bay and adjacent waters has done much better this season than that on this side of the continent --- Alta.

has arrived at Pitit from New York with a large cargo of arms and ammunition. She Haytean negroes, some English and French falling into President Salnave's power. The latter had been left aboard the Galatia to-bombard Mirrozone. Before leaving he took

Whiring .- It is not generally known we have a fine supply of these delicious fish close at hand. Nevertheless it is so. The bank is in Lequimalt harbor, near Thetis Cottage. A party of seven ladies and gentlemen from Victoria, towards the end of last week, were nformed of the locality from some who were in the secret, and caught fourteen dozen of splendid whiting in less than two hours,

SEIPPING -The Maune Loa has discharged her cargo and will proceed to Burrard inlet in a couple of days to load with lumber. The ship Moneynick will receive the whole of her cargo by Wednesday, for San Francisco, and will leave immediately afterwards. The sloop Thornton was unloading a cargo of 300 barrels of lime from San Juan ves terday; consigned to Leneveu & Co.

OMISSION - We have been requested by the Secretary of the Agr cultural Society to correct the unintentional omission of two bonorary certificates given at the late Exhibition one to Mr Herring, of New Westminster, for home-made wine, and one to Mr Jas Syme, of the same place, for smoked

THE case, George S Wright vs J M Rider was decided in San Francisco, Oct let, in favor of the plaintiff He sued for \$22,500, gold, and to compel the defendant to execute and deliver his promissory note for \$41,000 and a mortgage on the steamer New World and machinery, to secure payment on the sale of that boat by plaintiff to defendant,

POLICE COURT .- The case of the boys charged with destroying a canoe, was up again yesterday, and further adjourned uctil 11 o'clock to day. Mr Pearkes appeared for Mr Seely. There seems to be some conflieting evidence, state and od blacy

Tax steamer G S Wright left for the Sound at half-past 12 o'clock vesterday. Amongst her passengers was Capt T Wright of this city, who is suddenly proceeding to New York, on family matters.

Nor Wanten -The Coroner's jury sum moned in the case of the Frenchman Catman although in attendance, were not wanted ves terday, the physician called in having given a certificate of death from ! natural causes.

THE bark Industry arrived in Royal Roads yesterday from Burrard Inlet, bound for South America with lumber. Her port of recent earthquakes.

THE steamer Emma leaves at 8 o'clock this morning for San Juan It is expected she will run with the mails to the Island regularly, evidence order visit a

ALASKA Mr Ketchum accompanied by two special agents of the Treasury Departs ment, sailed from New York Sept. 16th, on the Ocean Queen, for Sitks, via Paname and San Francisco.

Consecration. The Cemetery at South Sasnich will be consecrated on Sunday next. the 18th inst., by the Bishop of the diocese Service will commence at 1 o'clock.

THE steamer laabel arrived yesterday afternoon from Burnard Inlet. The Enterprise went round to Esquimalt and will leave for New Westminster at 9 o'clock this morning. THE ABSCONDER .- E H Babbitt who left

his city some time since indebted to many of its citizens sailed from Portland on the

Nanaimo this morning at 7 o'clock, ber usual bour. Sheriff Elliott, Mesers Cox and McCreight left on a pleasure trip. INSURANCE The Sau Frencisco Pacific

Insurance Co has declared a dividend of one per cent. H Surplus fund \$487,796 to age ST ANDREW'S SOCIETY A Properting of

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EDITOR COLONIST :- It seems to be no siness of the Rolice to provide for the necessities of the unfortunate Indians, who are sick of the amail, pox, and left over at the temporary hospital at Reserve, apparently to die. Have Corporation nothing to do with 11? the time that I am writing this letter there is an Indian lying sick in a tent, provided by the Polices three comms are biled apatrone side of the tent too keep ont the cold and the poory creature has no proper food Pray draw attention oto this Those in authority will perhaps tein Damourately, there caseque of castill

GOVERNMENT STREET, Oct. 12, 1868.

aboard three hundred additional men.

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have, I of course value them highly.

DR. J. C. AYER. Sir: I have been repeatedly cured of the worst headache anybody can have by a dose or two of your Pills. It seems to arise from a foul stomach, which they cleanse at once.

Yours with great respect. ED. W. PREBLE.

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DEFARTMENT OF THE INVENTOR, Washington, D. C. 7th Feb., 1856. I Sik: I have used your Fills in my general and hospital practice ever since you made them, and cannot hesitate to say they are the Dest catherite we employ. Their regulating action on the liver is quick and decided, consequently they are an admirable remedy for derangements of that organizable remedy for derangements of the formation of the fill of them. Fraternally yours, ALONZO BALL, M. D.,

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Yours, J.W. HIMPS, Wassaw, Wyoming Co., N. Y., Oct. 24, 1855.

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For some months past they have been en-deavoring to concentrate public attention

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duce, and the advantages of a direct line of

railway across the continent. Large sub-

scriptions have already been secured to the

company by municipal corporations and in-dividuals in Northern New Hampshire and Vermont, while the city of Portland has

authorized a subscription of \$750,000 to its

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WITHDRAWAL OF THE N. A. UPPO-SITION STEAMSHIPS.

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Europe.

London, Oct 5-The new deep sea submarine telegraph cable direct from Malta to Alexandria. Egypt, was successfully completed on Saturday.

LONDON, Oct. 7-It is said that the Committee appointed by the last House of Commons in the subject of the Land Law in Ireland will report to the next session at an early day. It is thought the Ministry will bring in a bill to adjust the question as soon as possible.

MADRID, Oct. 7-The provisional Junta will free the children of the blacks in the colonies in anticipation of the total aboliion of slavery by the Cortez.

Madrid, Oct. 2-The provisional Government bave organized; Serano and Prim have been made Honorary Presi-

Paris, Oct. 4-A report from Spain says the Carlists are agitating, being allowed to come over; there are cable rumors of trouble at the principal cities. Principe stated that the Captain General decided to have Cuba for Spa ; turning over the Government of the Island to the Spanish Admirel, but the latter declined: it is also stated in the Basque provinces that some local juntas have been issued protesting the convention in favor of the Annexaagainst the supremacy of Marshal Ser-

workingmen's candidates have been brought forward for election to Parlias ment with favorable chances of success. Gladstone has probably been elected in South Laucashire, but he will be chosen from Greenwich; with one or two excentions the liberal candidates opposed the Irish Church Bill.

MADRID, Oct. 8-General Prim has arrived here. There was unbounded ocracy are again in the field. They urge enthusiasm among the crowds in the Fernando Wood to accept the Con streets, and many people were crushed to death. Deputations from various cities of soldiers, sailors, citizens and foreigners escorted him to the Capital-The provisional Junta has issued a decree reducing by one third the tariff on all imports. Don Juan cousin of Isabella. has resigned his pretensions to the throne of Spain in favor of his son Don Carlas.

GLASGOW, Oct. 8-The Prince of Wales tooday laid the corner stone of the new University in this city. The Princess of have adopted a resolution to adjourn to-Wales and other distinguished persons morrow and to reassemble on the second were present

has issued an address to the electors of in time for the election. No election bill South Lancashire. After reviewing will be passed, they will probably adthe progress of the reform in England, journ without passing one criticized the course of the Government, especially condemning the increased rates in regard to Ireland. He says he is a true friend of the Irish people, he repudis road. A large number of snow plows ates the propositions for general endows are also being placed in the mountains ment of churches in Ireland. He says ready for use. the case against the established church is Washington, Oct. 10-Reverdy John accravated by the fact that it is a church son sends a cable telegram that he has of the rich. The arguments in favor of signed a protocol with the British Govits continuance are a satire on misapplied ernment recognizing the rights of naturals funds. The established church is a monk ized citizens. No particulars given, but it of past oppression, disestablishment will is inferred that the compact is similar in give the clergy more scope in the church, its features to Bancroft's treaty with The people must be cared for, the revenue Germany. must be applied to public works and not to religions establishments. Gladstone closed with an appeal to the voters of South Lancashire to support the only just policy which England can pursue.

MADRID, Oct. 10-The Cabans in this city demand their Island to be represented at the deliberations of the provisional Juntared oriesto- MOITUAD TWATHOUMI

Eastern States.

PITTSBURG, Oct 5-The Democrats, held an immense, mess meating here to-day, the procession was over two hours passing a given point. The business houses and residences along the route were profusely decorated with flags and Chinese lanterns

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The Times, and Democrat paper says, the scattering recurns from various voities show large Democratio gains in the pepular vote The Republicane have lost one town to three gained, dangered odt od.

NEW YORK, Oct 6-The Express save. the returns now indicate a Democratic maority in this State of over 5000 in Novem-

New York, Oct 6 A story was circulated in the gold room to-day that the Government

was treating for the purchase of Cuba.

New York. Oct 5—The greatest mass meeting ever held in New York took place this evening at Tammany Hall. The Democratic procession had in its ranks 90,000, and exceeded ten miles in length. The air was literally ablaze with rockets, calcium lights, &c. Throng roughly estimated at 50,000 Gen. Baldy Smith presided.

Chicago, Oct 5-The latest reports Connecticut deny that there have been any Democratic gains in the town elections yesterday. From the figures given it appears compared with the vote of last fall, that the Democrats made some gains as compared with the vote of last spring.

MONTGOMERY, Ala. Oct 6-The Governor has signed the registration bill. Both Houses have passed the bills providing for the election. The Senate bill makes it a misdemeanor for any person to challenge a vote. The Democrats strongly oppose the registration and election bills.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7-The Times and Tribune despatches say that Judge Chase has come out in favor of Grant.

Springfield, Mass., Oct. 8-The national convention of the French Canadians in the United States, to-day adopted resolutions condemnatory (!) of the British American Confederation, and the movement on the part of the Canadian Government to coerce Nova Scotia into it. It also approved (!) the conduct of Nova Scotia in her liberties against usurpation. There was a strong feeling (1) tion of Canada to the United States. The resolutions favored the adoption of a London, Oct. 8-In four boroughs, Republican form of Government. The convention then adjourned, sine die.

New York, Oct. 9-Weston the pedestrian has concluded the task of walking one hundred miles in 22 hours and 19 minutes our ear along of block to

NEW YORK, Oct. 9-Howell Cobb of Georgia fell dead this morning in a cprridor of the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9-The Mozart Demional nomination for the 9th District.

The steamer Alaska sailed for Aspin vall with a large list of passengers.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9-A Washington special says that President Johnson has expressed his opinion lately that he considered the election of Grant certain.

Washington, Oct. 9-A rumor says Reverdy Johnson has signed a naturaliza. tion treaty with Great Britain.

MONTGOMERY, Oct. 9-Both House of November. It is generally understood Liondon, Oct. 10. Hon Wm Gladstone that registration cannot be completed

> ST Louis, Oct. 9-The Union Pacific Railroad is forwarding minety cars, land construction material to the end of the

South America.

NEW YORK, Oct 6-The political affairs in Panama are still unsettled. Reports of a coming revolution were current, and several arrests had been made. The President had issued a proclamation stating that measures had been taken to keep

The news from the South American coast gives further accounts of the fearful ravages by the inundations and earthquakes Several vessels were damaged at Cognimbo including the American ship Black Eagle.
The residents of Valparaiso have raised \$40,000 for the sufferers, and the Chilean Congress appropriated \$50,000 for the same

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New York, Oct. 7—A Havana letter of Oct. 2d says, the excitement here is intense. No news from Spain. One or two prominent naval officers are under arrest for expressing public matters.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Oct 7-Sailed, steame Oriflamme, Bolles commander, for Portland San Francisco, Oct. 8-J. W. Ray mond, agent in this city of the North American Steamship Company, received a telegram from his principals in New York this morning, stating that satisfactory arrangements had been made with the Pacific Mail Steamship Compay and that the steamships of the opposition were withdrawn.

Legal Tenders remain steady at 711 buying, and 72 selling.

Arrived, British bark Garland, 128 days from Liverpool; British ship Oracle, 182 days from Liverpool is out side the neads bound in.

Wheat market very quiet, ordinary to fair grades are quotable at \$1 50@1 75 per 100 lbs. soala fact at

Barley market firm, we quote the range for new at \$2 10@2 25 per 100 lbs. Oats quotable at \$1 90@2 15 per

Sailed. Oct. 7-Bark North West. Port Madison bed all mon shints Sailed Oct. 8-Bark Iconium, Free-

The bark D. M. Hall went a shore on the 3d of October on the South Spit of Coos Bay and will prove a total loss. Two men were drowned.

San Francisco, Oct. 9-Arrived Oct. 8th, schooner Ocean Pearl from Port Ludlow via Port Townsend. Cleared, Oct, 9-Ship Revere, Port

Townsend IT . reduct diw onla or bage and ded to lisoregon.

PORTLAND. Oct. 10-The steamer Active will sail for Victoria on Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock.

### DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

Sr Louis, Sept 16—George B Taylor has resigned the Presidency of the Missouri Pacific Railroad. Troubles arising from a the bill selling the road to the present Com-pany through the Legislature, is said to be the cause of this step.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept 16-A wrecking company have succeeded in raising the sate belonging to the Adams Express Company, which was sunk on the steamer W R Arthur, in 1866, above Vickeburg. The safe contained \$200,000 belonging to the Government, and \$30,000 to private parties.

OMARA, Sept 16—A despatch says Spotted Tait with about a thousand Sioux are starting for the Reservation near Fort Randall. General Auger is personally superintending matters.

FORT WALLAGE, Sept 16—A report was brought to-day that a party of twelly-live Indians committed depredations within half a mile of Pond Creek City. A little later, another messenger reported that a band of one hundred ludians stampeded 1,200 head of stock within sight of Pond City; this drove passed yesterday, on its way to Cali-

resulton in our city are being pro-

citizens waited on Admiral Farragut to-day and returned thanks for the sympathy of the United States manifested for the patriots of Candia. The Admiral said the people of America not only sympathized with the Ore-tans, but would aid as lar as possible the cause of liberty in Crete.

Editorial Correspondence-No. 12.

NEW YORK, Aug 4, 1868.

Back again in this over crowded metropois, with the weather at a white heat, and mosquitos and flies more mischievous and persistent in the presentation of their 'little bills 'than an Island collector of had debts. Have any of your readers ever passed a summer in New York City? If they have not, they have escaped a terrestrial glimpse of purgatorial horrors and should mentally resolve to steer clear of the American metropolis during the dog days. Sleep is out of the question. The most one can do in the the St. Lawrence waters to Puget Sound; own perspiration, paying tribute in a pint or ocean steamers, sailing at fixed hours daily two of sanguineous fluid to the numerous from each side of the Atlantic Ocean, and bebloodsucking insects that infest this favored tween China and San Francisco, as shall locality. Phew! The weather is not warm, it is positively hot. The thermometer scores 1010 in the shade; and not a breath of air as convenient as those now existing between stirring, ... Scores of people are prostrated city and city on the same continent, on the HARTFORD, Coun., Oct 5 This city gives The victims in Peru will probably reach by strokes of the sun and many die, while completion of the lines of railway now built, Some of these trains are fully a yard long. ties the question of the pout President.

the mortality lists have numerically doubled | in progress or propos is consequence of the prevalence of zymotic complaints superinduced by the state of the atmosphere, and rabid dogs are accorded more than a fair share of the thoroughfare by the affrighted populace. New Yorkers apologize for the warm weather, and attrimost prominent of which is the burricane period in the West Indies : but knowing ones assert that the present is no warmer than any preceding summer, and that the natural tendency of a New York summer is habitants, who are advised by the daily press to keep cool and worry through till the fall as best they can. In its efforts to follow this advice New York resorts to some strange experiments. Arctic soda fountains are set up in every drug store, (and two or three drug stores are found on each square,) while ice cream saloens, and grog shops dis-playing tempting signs of 'Nice Cool Lager,' 'Sherry Cobblers,' and 'Claret Punches,' abound. The latest invention, though, of nested New York is iced coffee and tea You enter a first-class restaurant and call for a cup of coffee or tea; the article is served boiling not and a small plate with lumps of ce accompanies it ; you take a lump or two of the congealed hypoborean and dropping it into the cup proceed to quaff the liquid. The effect is pleasant and the drink, being neither cold nor hot, but a sort of 'arf-an-arf,' is quite reviving. If you are troubled with a beated term' at Victoria, try the effect of a lump of ice in your matutinal or postprandial

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Neptune. And in this connection it is im

land, Maine, to-day, an International Com-

important bearing noon the future of our

lovely and promising young Colony than

some of your readers imagine. The eastern

northern, western, and north-western States

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presented in the Convention. The measures

that are proposed to be discussed embrace a

large field. Briefly, action is to be taken

for the purpose of securing a line of railway

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way of Halifax and Liverpool. The canvass for the Presidential beverage. Writing of drinks reminds me of the proceeds with as much vigor as could be reduction in the whiskey tax from two expected considering the warm weather. Grant and Colfax resolutely decline to dollars per gallon to fifty cents. It was found that nuder the bigher rates, inducemake speeches the first because he can't and the other because he is afraid to say too ments were held out to the unprincipled to evade the payment altogether, and it was much. Seymour remains quietly at home mentioned during the debate in Congress, to but Blair is out West and never misses an show how almost imperative the tax had opportunity to speak to the crowds that asbecome-that notwithstanding the tax on semble to greet him at the railroad depote. whiskey was \$2 per gallon, the article could The partisan press is exceedingly bitter in be bought anywhere in New York for \$1 87% tone, and both sides threaten revolution or per gallon! The liquor sold here is of the most repudiation if the other is successful. In villainous description. The best "imported" brandy has a bluish hue, strongly auggestive the meantime gold is raising (being now at 1452) and the National securities are falling of the employment of blue-vitrol in its in London money markets.

The public debt statement for the mont manufacture, and the whiskey is such horrid sharp stuff that a glass of it has been known of July will show an increase of severa to born its way right through a man and come out at his boot heel within five minutes after being swallowed! The reduction in the tax, it is hoped, will ensure the country good whiskey, even if it fails to cure imported, brandy of the fit of the blues with which it is afflicted. I observe by the papers of to-day that the Franco-American Cable the amount of coin on hand is much Company has been fully organized, and is preparing for active operations. It is ex-

make the passage from London to New York regularly in a week, with only one hundred hours on the ocean. The Irish ably. The Premier has gone to Nova Scotis railway to Killarney could easily be extended to hold out the elive-branch to the disafto Valentia. Thence could run in a little feeted Bluenoses, and Joe Howe is said to over four days' time, first-class steamers to have accepted it and also a seat in the Cable net. At any rate, you may be sure there St Johns, Newfoundland. Thence passenwill be neither secession nor attempt at gers and mails could be conveyed by rail and secession on the part of the Noya Scotianat and you may be equally certain that before boat to the eastern terminus of the Grand Trunk railway, whence they could find the lapse of a twelve month, both Prince Edward's Island and Nova Scotia will be speedy conveyances for New York and the entire continent. This would be an expeditious route, though a very wearisome one found knocking at the door of the Confeders considering the number of changes from acy. Such, at least, is the belief of the boat to rail, and vice versa, en route. Many best informed citizens of the maritime people, however, would be charmed with it Provinces whom I have met with here. The on account of the brevity of the sea voyage New York Herald humorously says of the Four days on the Atlantic would simply be Nova Scotia tempest: 'Sound and fury a novelty, and therefore thousands of people signifying nothing—the continued fuse of the Nova Scotians in opposition to their absorp-tion in the New Dominion. It is all a might be tempted to ream to another hemisphere who are deterred now by a wholesome fear of a profonged interview with papa waste of indignation. Let the enraged Nova Scotians cultivate a little patience and in good time " manifest destiny" will settle all portant that I should mention that at Porttheir troubles, or let them consult Mr Seward mercial Convention commenced its sittings, on the subject if they are ready to sell ou the proceedings of which may have a more

at a bargain." The same journal says of the late Southern Chief: "Jeff Davis has gone to Europe, and it is to be hoped, may be permitted indefinitely to stay there. We cannot afford to condemn, still more to execute, the man who was the incarnation of the Southern spirit with the country now ready to divide between parties as to the final result of the war. Congress has voted the money to pay his captors, and now let him go."

across the continent at its widest part, from Absinthe green is the latest fashionable the Atlantic to the Pacific seas, connecting sensation Absinthe is a liquor, I may say Halifax, Portland, Rutland, Buffalo, Detroit, a rapping spirit, for it knocks people down Chicago and San Francisco in an unbroken line, and the completion of a direct line from or it turns men into simpletons. Does spirite the St Lawrence waters to Puget Sound; ism do more? The color of the thing heated term is to lie down-nor will he res the adjustment on liberal terms of the res ladies, is neither a pea, grass, sea nor Metter main in a recumbent position long before he gulations of trade on the continent of North nich green; it is a vellowish sickly looking finds himself undergoing a hot bath in his America, and such arrangement of lines of hue, and it is to be honored with Brussela and is to flaunt about on parasols. Out-ofdoor dresses grow shorter and shorter, and in-door dresses longer and longer. Drawingroom dresses are gored in front and worn sufficiently short to allow the dainty little secure lines of communication by this route. between Europe and Asia, as regular and with immense trains, the length being regue

Francisco and London to seventeen days by

millions of dollars since the last stateme issued on the 31st of May. On the 1st of into \$28,000,000 in coin to pay the semiannual interest on the 5-20's and bonds of 1881, and over \$7,000,000 to pay the principal and interest on the bonds of 1848 was taken from the vaults of the Treasury; bence The receipts from internal revenue were heavy during the months May and June pected when the new cable shall have been caused by the payment of the income tax laid that a considerable reduction in the but were much much less in July, while the tariff will be effected. It is also proposed to customs receipts were about the same as United States by a 'short cut' via the At-\$2,510,245,886,74, and it is thought, when lantic telegraph cable route, The idea is to all returns are in, the increase will not exceed five or six millions of dollars.

Affairs in the Dominion move along favor-

Saturday, Octobe

The Indians. We have frequently deemed it our duty to direct attention to the want of an Indian Policy in this Oclony; never has this want been more felt than at the present time, when a terrible sickness has visited the city, which has men take upon themselves, who in. been aggravated immensely so far as competent for anything beyond the the Indians are concerned, by the daily routine of official life, dare to neglect of all proper precautions and neglect to make the Chief Executive by the want of that protection and Officer in the Colony acquainted with care, which it was our bounden duty the necessity for some action being to extend to those upon whom we taken, and some directions being given. have conferred all the evils of civiliza. When an infectious disease is raging tion, without caring to see that they little can be done by private individuwere the recipients of any of the ad- als to alleviate suffering, and the duty vantages which ought to have accrued of a Government at such times beto them from their closer contact with comes more paramount than when all white people. It is really a disgrace to a civilised community, that a race of human beings should be suffered to single Indian dies from want of food exist in their midst, in such a lamentably sunken condition as are the Indian population of this city. Not one amongst us is content to assume any portion of the responsibility of the iniquity perpetrated by the white population of this Colony towards the unfortunate Indians; nobody will readily acknowledge himself individually to blame, but when the matter is calmly considered not one amongst us can deny that wrong has been done; nay, that wrong is being daily done towards the race which we have who believe themselves to be accounts elbowed out, and which we are able beings. trampling down in our eagerness for gain. What right have we to neglect making provision for the Indians, after taking possession of the soil which, had they been civilized beings with any knowledge of their rights, they would have been entitled to hold by force of arms against all invaders. However, we have no intention to advocate the rights of the Indians to retain the land, it has been given up to a race, who are supposed to be better qualified to make use of it; but ever since the country has been colonised, there has been a talk of compensation to the Indians; what strange ideas, if we may be allowed the assumption, that such attributes of human nature appertain to the savages of this coast, at Port Townsend. oldaresistance state they must have of the white man's The bark Aid, bound for Southern Ports, justice, for with the exception of the missions established at various parts of the Colony, where some care is bestowed upon the moral culture of the aborigines, the English people have really done no good whatever to the population that they are driving out; there exists we believe some ill defined and vague policy with regard to Indian Reserves, and there was a board of commissioners upon whom devolved the superintendence and management of the reserves, but that any practical good ever resulted from the system, or to speak more correctly, the want of system which has prevailed seems to say the least of it doubtful Had the land been placed under the management of an Indian Agent who would have taken care that those portions of the reserve in each district which were not required for cultivation by the Indians themselves, were utilised so that from the culture and improvement of the land a fund might have been created out of which provision would have been made for the wants of the Indians, there would not have been so great cause for complaint as there is as present. There is not the slightest necessity to create fresh offices or departments to manage Indian Affairs, for the management of whilst the more immediate superintendence of the Indians themselves. apart from that judicial control which is exercised over them in commo with all other citizens by the resident Magistrates, falls naturally within the acops of the Secretariat. At the present moment there is grievous want of some head to direct what is to be done for the unfortunate sufferers by disease and panie, and by whom sanitary precautions are to be carried out. That any official in the Colony should

be allowed to say that it is no part of

his business, is a disgrace to the Gov-

ernment, and shows a want of unani-

mity in action, which is, to say the east of it deplorable. The Governor with the custom of the Colony, kept as much as possible in ignorance of anything which might have a tendency to disturb the ordinary quiet of his life. Why should the Governor be worried or annoyed about the sickness or deaths of half a dozen Siwashes is the tenor of official reasoning What a fearful responsibility do those goes on smoothly. If during the continuance of the present pestilence one or shelter, or attendance, some amongst us must be guilty of something near akin to manslaughter, and although there may be no one able, or willing, or sufficiently free from blame himself, to venture to fix the opprobrium upon another, the responsibility of the neglect is no whit the less by reason of the number that may be in a greater or less degree culpable. The measure of the awful extent of individual responsibility, must in such cases be left to the consciences of those

Wednesday, Oct 14 Puget Sound Items.

TFrom the Seattle Intelligencer.

The bark Ocean, which went a hore at Dangeness, has gone to pieces. Our item regarding her last week, was incorrect, albough we received it from Victoria, by telegraph. She was bound to Port Blakely, and of course had no lumber on board when she went on shore.

The vessel that the Del Norte ran into on her last trip to Victoria, when off Cape Flattery, was the ship Auerola. There are conflicting reports as to the damage she sus-

A Mr Phinney of Teekalet had his arm caught in the machinery in the mill and orn off near the elbow. He was placed on board the Walker and taken to the hospital

cases before this Court yesterday. Benjamin Morton and John Paterson respectively, had been indulging too freely for the peace of the public, and were fined 5s each for their little pleasantries. George Wilson, a boy sevenieen years of age, belonging to the ship Industry. was charged by the second mate with maliciously cutting and wounding him the night previous on board. The Captain not being able to leave the mate as witness, the charge was changed to one of common assault, that it might be dealt with summarily. The boy, a Sacramentan by birth pleaded guilty to the charge, and gave the coolest account of the affair, as if cutting a fellow-creature was a mere recreation. He was sentenced to a fine of \$25, or in default. of payment two months' imprisonment. The case of the boys and the cance came up again and was finally disposed of. His Worship did not think there was sufficient evidence to convict the Seely lade, but a severe admonition was administered to their end, 30 by 12 has been placed in position. father by the Bench. Costello was willing to compensate the Indians by paying \$5 for the participation of his boy in the mischief.

TAXING CHINAMEN. - The Oregon Legis lature has introduced a bill to tax Chinamen and to prevent their employment upon publie works. It requires every Chinaman to take out an employment license each month paying therefor \$15. Persons employing Excellency and Mis Seymour are expected Chinamen who have not a license are liable to return. to pay the Chinamen's tax. Ships bringing the lands reserved is legitimately with- Chinese immigrants must pay ten dollars in the province of the Land Office, per head before landing them; or a heavy penalty for violation. No officer shall ad- Harvest Festival or thankegiving service, minister the oath of naturalization to any held at the Episcopel Church for the abun-Chinaman, under heavy penalty and disqualification to hold office. No visiting Chinamen are allowed to land without a certificate with the great seal of the Chinese Emperor. | Surely our Oregon neighbors will not allow so unfair a law to be enacted. What of the Burlingame Treaty ?

> OLD VICTORIANS.—A gentleman writing from New York says he net Mr John O Keenan and family just returned from Europe, also Mr J Munro, of Grouse Creek. Cariboo, on his way to Victoria from Scot-

No new small pox cases reported on the Sound, our correspondent so writes n.

ASHES AND SMOKE,-These disagreeable attendants upon our city for the last two is away, and is probably in accordance months, returned yesterday with their old intensity, after a few days absence. On Monday night after dark, it was quite easy to detect the locality of the files, from the vivid glare in the skies. There is evidently very large fire across the water, on the mainland between Bellingham Bay and the Fraser, and another nearer home on the Island, embracing a portion part of the Cedar Hill district.

SHIPPING .- A telegram from a reliable ource has been received in town that the J L Stephens will leave San Francisco for Portland and Victoria on Saturday next. Theschooner Discovery from Nanaimo with coal, was discharging yesterday at the H B Co's wharf; she reports the Shooting Star still there. An Italian sh p with lumper from one of the Sound mills, for a South American port, was towed from Royal Roads beyond the lighthouse by the Isabel yestererring, stating that satisfactyab

MR R'R HAINES and family took their departure by stage on Monday for San Francisco, intending to make California their future home; they take the good wishes of a host of friends with them. The telegraph line extending from Portland to this city and New Westminster, over a piece of country voise than telegraph line was ever before stretched, was constructed under the personal direction of Mr. Haines, and remains as monument of his energy and perseverance.

SUPPEN DEATH 2 A telegram from San Francisco announces that Mr S B Abbott dropped dead in that place one day this week. Mr Abbott was once a citizen of this place, but lately residing at St Helecs, Oregon. It appears a later telegram contradicts this statement.

THE steamer Eliza Anderson arrived yesterday morning from the Sound. She brought nineteen passengers, and a freight consisting of wheat, fruits, lumber, cattle, oysters, horses, butter and empty oil casks for the Hudson Bay Co.

ELOCUTION CLASS.—The next meeting of the Elecution Class of the Mechanics' Institute will be held on Monday next, at 8 p m., when officers will be elected for the ensuing

LUMBER VESSELS FROM B. C.—The ship Nazarene from Burrard Inlet is outside. bound to Callao with lumber. The Industry, mentioned yesterday, will sail for San Francisco direct to-morrow.

THE HENRIETTA -- It is stated the celebrated yacht Henrietta, belonging to James Gordon Bennett, junr, will leave New York in a few days for San Francisco.

THE steamer Enterprise left for New Westminster yesterday. She took up bea few passengers. addan't

> Thursday, Oct 15 Municipal Council.

Council met on Tuesday. Present, the Mayor and Councillors Lewis, Allatt, McKey and Russell.

A communication from Willis Bond, of ering to effect certain improvements on View street drain for a small sum, read: eport at next meeting.

A communication from E B Thomas call ng attention to the dangerous condition of the idewalk on Fort street, between Broad and Government streets, read. On motion reerred to Street Committee Dang Council adjourned until the following uesday at 7 o'clock, p. m.

PROGRESS.—The public buildings in course of erection in our city are being progressed with rapidly. The whole front of St Andrew's Church is built up except the pinnacles, and the fine large window at the north Victoria will have the credit of possessing the largest church window on the coast. there being none even in San Francisco to compare with it. The frame of St John's school house is already up and the floors are being laid, and by the end of the week the building will be materially advanced. The works at Government House it is said will be completed in two weeks more, when His

Consecration -In addition to the ceremony of consecrating the cemetery at South Saanich on Sunday next, there will be a dant harvest. The ceremonies will comnence at one o'clock, and proceeds of the collection after the sermon, which will be preached by the Bishop, will be devoted to the funds of the newly organized Diocesan Society. It is the intention of the good people of Saanich to make the occasion as interesting as possible to those friends from Victoria who may decide to drive out and

pay them a visit of ledt stooped williams. everything so far, has gone republican. The republican majority in Pennsylvania, Ohlo, this Colony. There is more need to exhibit danced live and all as tles the question of the next President.

SMALL Pox .- Six fatal cases amongst the Northern Indian have occurred at New Westminister: The local authorities the local papers state, have taken measures to stamp out the disease. In writing of the same in relation to this city, a day or two since, by an oversight consequent on the burry and bustle in preparing a daily paper, we stated 'we have not heard of a fatal case,' &c, the paragraph should read, we have heard of a fatal case or two

SAILED .- The back Moneynick sailed yesterday afternoon for San Francisco with a cargo of 400 tons of general merchandtee valued at \$27,135. The vessel was chartered by Messrs Milfard & Beedy. Nearly half the value of the cargo consists of colonial produce there being \$11,123 worth on that head and \$16,049 for foreign articles re-

THE steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster yesterday at her usual hour, notwithstanding a heavy fog. She had on board nearly fifty rassengers, amongst whom were Mrs Pearse, Mr and Mrs Kerr, Messrs Lamb, Uriah Nelson, Ladner, Richards and a number of others from Cariboo. She had a few barrels of cranberries as freight, the lower country mails and express.

San Juan .- The steamer Emma arrived from San Juan Island yesterday morning. It is settled we understand to run this boat regularly to the Island in the place of the Diana ; she will make her next trip on Tuesday morning after the arrival of the Eliza Anderson mona singuand adT setoy

INDIAN RESERVES .- The question of surveying Indian reserves, which has been the desire for years past of the while p pulation on the lower Fraser, is at last being attended to. The reserves have been defined in their limits, and considerably reduced in their extent. Both classes of people, indian as weil as white, we are glad to learn are quite satisfied with the recent arrangement.

TELEGRAPH LINE .- We are informed there are still about three miles of the line on the mainland north of us so intensely on fire. that little hope is entertained of repairing the line through that section before a heavy fall of rain comes.

Letter from Self-Reliance. EDITOR COLONIST,-It is impossible

me, having once launched on the sea of Confederation, to pass over in silence your article of the 5th of October on the subject of the floancial condition of the Colony under Confederation. You are unaware that you furnish therein the strongest argument hat can be brought forward against Confederation, and I will now endeavor to point it out to those to whom your article may have seemed convincing. It will be adtween sixty and seventy tons of freight, and mitted on all hands that no much greater evil can happen to a state than to become evil can happen to a state than to become tributary to a foreign power; it is to this condition that those who favor Confederation desire to bring us. A country may bear the heaviest taxation in preference to a tribute, for taxation circulates currency in every direction, and no sooner is a payment made to the revenue than it is immediately paid out and again comes into circulation. A tribute is taken at once out of the country and is seen no more. The enormous subsidies levied by Napoleon in Italy and Germany were for this reason felt much less than a tribute would have been, because the money was no sooner paid to the conquering, army than it was again disbursed amongst those who paid it. In your article you have ingeniously pointed out what will according to your views he spent in this Coleny that is \$326,000 a year. I will show you what will be taken out of the Colony. Yours is chimerical, mine is certain. We tributary to a foreign power; it is to this On motion referred to Street Committee to dies levied by Napoleon in Italy and Ger-Yours is chimerical, mine is certain. We know, for instance, that the Customs Duties will all go to Canada as tney are raised, and will be known no more. These Custom Duties for 1868 will amount to \$365,000 at least and \$400,000 in 1869. Now, with the exception of \$150,000 sent to England, all that Revenue, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, is spent in the Colony as soon as it is raised, in addition to some \$265,000 more of the Revenue; then it will be packed off to Cannada by each mail. Thus whatever we may keep we shall absolutely become tributary to Canada and lose to the extent of \$250,000 per annum, or in fifty years' time shall have paid twelve millions of dollars as a tribute to Canada, and for what return? What is our quid pro quo? an over-(and nasty) Government? Besides, according o your own arguments, [you say each taxpayer pays \$29 a year. If the population were increased by 10,000 in fifty years our revenue would increase by \$290,000; but as we go ahead by ourselves, under Confederation we go back, for Canada is to take all that \$290,000 a year, and gives, Oh Jupiter! that \$290,000 a year, and gives, Oh Jupiter! what? Why 80 cents ahead, or \$8000 a year for 10,000 people; so each year Canada gets richer and we poorer, and we give up \$290,000 a year for \$8000 in addition to a previous lose of \$12,000,000, and all because Confederation is so good. Phaugh! I am sick of arguing. Look to it artizans and mechanics, dont be head winked; you will be robbed and Canada enriched by pertainly AMERICAN ELECTIONS.—As will be seen by our telegraphic column this morning, nearly lorbid! I say that no man should thus lend a hand to the Professional Politician to sell

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"Sirius" on Confederation Again.

In Saturday's issue we exposed poor Sirius' shortcomings-not to In Redemption of £50,000 Loan use a stronger expression even when merited. We turned his arguments all back upon him, and left him like Sysiphus with all his work to do over again—a punishment for his cunning and dexterity in trying under the guise of patriotism 'to make the worse defeat. But 'poor Sirius' has blunder-ed again. His invendoes, speers, and ed again. His inuendoes, sneers, and clap-trap are a very poor sugar-coatfailing cause, or to indiscreet writers though Sirius may not acknowledge it. against Confederation. We have said enough to place the public on its guard Road. He proposes to have it built as far enough to place the public on its guard against the 'Sirius' school of politicians, and will now pass on to the leading points in our correspondent's \$1,012,000 for the road, and also turns the

ter.' Not at all. We understood the meaning of words and sentences, and interpreted his letter as it was not like. The whole line will be of use to us; interpreted his letter as it was published, the text of which he has not corNow if Canada takes in the North West of our article that Canada would pay purposes. But if British Columbia is not a subsidy to British Columbia, and in a subsidy to British Columbia, and in no good reason why Canada should extend the next paragraph gave the amount immediately the line to the water-shed of Hence the attempt of 'Sirius' to shuffle the Rocky Mountains, to Savona's Ferry, or he admits a mistake 'in the other side gration or nommerce on such a road over of the account (which is still given the Rocky Mountains. Hence we would be erroneously by him) of \$122,000, and as isolated as we are now. The Overland reduces his first talse Surplus from Road would however bring immigration to \$161,900 to \$19,900! In his next at-benefit of the road, we are justified in the tempt to set himself right he may assumption that the cost of the road from for he says that he made the state be borne by Canada for the immediate adment, 'but yet desired information.' vantage of British Columbia sione; and We hope that the information that therefore it ought properly to be considered we may give him will do him good, a part of the liability of Canada in our befor we are inclined to think that 'by a baif; consequently the objection of 'Sirius' kind of legerdemain in figures" he has to include the cost of the extension of the deceived himself.

Sirius' asks 'why we didn't have more than seven judges?' Our and Sinking Fund on a loan of \$1,012,000 answer is: that we have two Supreme to construct the Road. He fixes the interest Court judges, and six County Court at 4 per cent, and the Sinking Fund at 1 judges now, and if eight are necessary per cent and consequently by a reckless asbefore, we can see no good reason why seven should not be equally necessary after Confederation, particularly when three out of the seven would form a Court of Appeal, and the other four transact County Court business. Besides. we based our estimates of sertions, however, will not borrow the money Canadian Expenditure on the Govern. at low rates. Our bonds have been sold far ment estimates the same data doubtless that the Government will use when negotiations shall have been opened with Canada on the subject of Confederation.

Sinking Fund is not \$150,000, but time maturing, do not sell at par in London, \$120,000, and in a little more than as sales of Canada, New South Wales. three years time, it will be reduced to Cape of Good Hope and New Zoaland se-\$84,000, because one of the loans will curities testify. Such being the case, Sirius be paid off. This is another mis-state. Market that the rule is the reverse of what ment and a fallacious way of putting we have stated, or admit our estimate of Init. The following is a transcript of terest and sinking Fund to be correct. Till the Government Estimate of Interest he does so, we must consider his statement

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appear the cause.' But back he comes ing Fund \$50.191, the total is \$150,037. Let again, Sysiphus-like, full of cunning our readers now judge whose statement is ly devised and dexterously put sneers the most truthful, that of Sirius or ours? The and phrases directed at 'poor Canada,' refutation of his statement that the Interest 'the Yale Conspir-,' 'the fable of and Sinking Fund is only \$120,000, at prethe Spider and the Fly, trying to kick sent, is so transparent that we need not adup a dust in which to hide his first duce further proof, and we challenge him to

estimates.

The next point is his statement that in three ing for Anti Confederate pills. Since years' time the Interest and Sinking Fund our expose of his first letter, our will be reduced to \$84,000 by paying off one of readers are not likely to swallow them. the loans. We will admit it merely for the take too apparent that clap-trap and sake of seeing the bearing of it on Confederation. insinuations are evidences of a week ation. We will suppose that we are admitted cause. Argument and facts are what into the Dominion in 1869, as the majority the public require, not invendoes about three years we find that Canada will have 'Yale conspir- or 'rewards for incorred a deficit at the rate of \$257,405 Confederates.' We might easily turn per year of \$772,215 in our behalf. The real the tables on 'Sirius' even, if that state of the case would then be this: that this mode of treating a grave public ques- Colony would be out of debt (for Canada tion be made the order of the day, alone would be liable for our Public Debt We have, however, no wish to deal after Confederation) and this Colony would with the question of Confederation in benefit to the extent of \$772.215 in three that way, and no intention to do so years by the deficit of Canada expended in that way, and no intention to do so our behalf. It does strike us that making except forced upon us. We prefer to \$772.215 in three years with Confederation consider the question on its merits, when we cannot make a dollar of that leaving personalities, sneers, and clap- amount without Confederation would be a trap to the advocates of a surely very business like transaction indeed, al-

road into a cut de sac-one end open at Sa-To begin at the beginning, he says vona's Ferry and the other closed at the that we 'misunderstood his (first) let- water-shed of the Bocky Mountains. We admitted into the Dominion, there will be out of the matter won't do. As it is, anywhere west. She could not attract imminossibly acknowledge the whole truth; the Saskatchewan to Savona's Ferry, would road from Saskatchewan to our eastern boundary falls to the ground:

Sirius next attacks the rate of interest sertion manages to reduce our estimate of Cadadian expenditure. But he might just as well have undertaken to reduce the interest to 2 per cent and the Sinking Fund to a quarter per cent, or lower still so as to enable us by legerdemain in figures' to construct an Atlantic and Pacific Railroad. Reckless asbelow par though drawing 6 per cent interest with a 4 per cent Sinking Fund. By reference to the sales of Colonial scourities in England. it will be found that all Bonds issued to be paid at the expiration of a long period, if sold above par, draw 6 per cent interest, Next, he says that the Interest and and that 5 per cent Colonial Bonds, long will have to prove by the London Stock and Sinking Fund: so much reckless and worthless assertion. With respect to an Imperial guarantee on with respect to an Imperial V. L. Col. 18t, 1868.

such a purpose, if we remain out of the Dominion. But we will, however, suppose hat a loan to construct the Overland Road would still leave the annual deficit of Canada at \$205,705, and British Columbia the gainer that amount

nakes the expenditure of Canada for British \$521,713 to \$402,576. But how? By repudiating \$30.137 of the annual interest and sinking fund; by substituting 4 per cent interest and I per cent sinking fund on an Overland Road Loan, which we have shown to be unreosonable; by reducing the interest on the cost of the Penitentiary the lowest rate in Canada, and 2 per cent here loan for a petty sum f \$50,000 : by striking out four County Court Judges, leaving none at all, whilst we ave six now: by reducing the estimate for coasional steamer to and from San Francisco. when the interests of commerce and immiration require one every ten days at least, with low fares and good accommodations. We are surprised that he did not make his reductions greater, because it is so easy to do so when one makes up his mind to ignore facts and indulge in assertions without foundation. As an instance of the latter, 'Sirine' says that we said that Canada would draw, \$367,000 from the Colony, and by deducting that sum from his estimate of Canadian exsenditure, he makes the Canadian deficit 35,576, whereas in his first letter he made out that Canada would have a surplus of \$161,900!! But we never asserted that Canada would draw \$367,000 from the Colony : but on the contrary, that she would only draw \$264.308-s difference of \$102.

will be out of debt in 15 years, if it remains independent, which is very doubtful, if we ecollect that our deficit in 1866 was \$170. 000, and in 1867, \$132,000. We will admit, owever, in order to see its bearing on Confederation, that in 15 years, our public debt will be paid off. Let us now suppose that we shall be admitted into the Dominion in 1869. and let us ask whether Canada would be out of debt on our account in 15 years? The Canadian deficit of \$138,268 founded on Sirius, own showing, would in 15 years bring Canada into debt \$2,074,020 for British Columbia. Again, if we admit, for argument sake, that the interest and sinking fund on our Public Debt will be reduced in three ears to \$84,000, then the Dominion would ave annually \$66,037. At the end of 12 ears (the balance of the 15 years) the total eficit of Canada for that period for this Colony would consequently be \$2,296,416, without including interest. If to the latter deficit \$2,296,416 we add the deficit incurred by Canada during the first three years of the ifteen, which is \$772,215, the total deficit of Canada would be \$3,018,631, without inerest. Now which is the best ?-- to be Conederated? to let Canada in 15 years get into sebt \$3,018.631 to colonize this country? or let the Colony remain isolated, without means to develop its resources or settle up the country-a prey to irresponsible officials and their barpies?

### Editorial Correspondence--No. 13.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y., Aug 14, 1868. A ride of eight hours from New York ver the Hudson River Railway and connecting lines, landed us at this place endered famous the world over for the nedicinal properties of its mineral prings, to enjoy the benefits of which housands flock hither every summer and nany remain the year round unable to est loose from the fascinating influences of Springs contains from 10,000 to 12,000 first time, and from the rapidity with permanent residents, and at the present writing, a floating population of about proved what the cockney would call and person in the pecessity of leaves the formula

which there is no earthly reason to suppose fashion, and vie with each other in "cuts that we would ever get in this generation for of the city, in stylish equipages. Attached to each hotel is a large dancing was obtained under an Imperial guarantee, hall, where "hops" occur nightly. On at the rates suggested by 'Sirius,' viz, 4 per Tuesday and Friday nights, a small adcent interest and I per cent sinking fund. The mission-fee is collected; but on other reduction in the expenditure of Canada for nights the halls are open to "all comers" this Colony would then be only \$51,700, which (as they say of scrub-races on the Island)

By another reckless dash of the pen he I think I told you in one of my New columbia \$402,596. Whereas in his first at balls and evening parties are long and phosphate of lime, and half a dozen other better he only made it amount to \$203,100— full; but Saratoga completely knocks and fluorides, together with alumina and the first the same facile instrument reduces our Columbia \$402,596. Whereas in his first at balls and evening parties are long and letter he only made it amount to \$203,100- full; but Saratoga completely knocks the metropolis into the shade of \$199,476 l. He, however, the metropolis into the shade of \$199,476 l. He, however, the metropolis into the shade of drug store.

The ridiculous wen, called a chig swaiting by the spring this morning awaiting bis turn for a drink, I noticed a tall, and simple style of wearing the hair known as the French twist or roll (no connection, mind you, with the baking business) worn very high up and ornamented with narrow ribbons of varied hues. to 4 per cent, whilst 6 per cent would the ends being suffered to fall over the shoulders and as far down the back as the fair wearer chooses or the pocket of her spouse will pay for. Moving through the throng last night at a Union "hop." ostmasters and Postal service from \$40,000 I observed a few fresh and beautiful faces o \$29,000, which only gives us a semi- and figures, among the many lady guests; but a large majority of those present, wore on their faces a tired, dissatisfied look betokening that their satisfied look betokening that their second of gaiety, gettin up flesh considerable. These waters, that as ardent votaries at the shripe of pleasure they had quaffed to its poison ous dregs the cup of dissipation and would fain resign the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once decked their brows to the keeping of the laurels which had once the l of the new faces and fresh girlish forms ping his voice to a hears whisper, 'they is around them and retire forever from a good for everythin' under the sun 'ceptin' scene of gaity in which they could no longer hope to make conquests. Both of the great hotels sustain large and sufficient bands of accomplished musicians. and the air resounds day and night with

sweet and harmonious strains.,
The cost of fiving is not necessarily 'from whence this money (\$142,000) be Confederated—she will have to conwould be derived.' Another mistake: from Lake Superior to would be derived.' Another mistake: for we stated in the second paragraph

Territory—and except she does we will never to consider the hotels is from \$8 to \$4 50 per day; the hotels is from \$8 to \$

The mineral spring which stands highest in public estimation is the Congress. It possesses cathartic properties. waters of the other springs are recom-mended as a tonic. The Congress Spring was first visited by Sir William Johnson, the property on which the spring is locatr ed passed into the bands of an English family who bought it for a keg of strong drink from the Mohawk Indians Is In the possession of this family or its descendants it remained nutil a few years ago, when the last member of the family drank himself to death, not with water from his own spring, but by a strange coincidence of retributive justice, with fire-water of the same "rotgut" stamp with which his ancestors had originally purchased the spring. In this instance, as in many others, the sin of the father was truly visited upon the children to the third and fourth generations.

The scene about Congress Spring from

an early hour of the morning until the sun has usually reached the meridian is ani-niated and interesting. Crowds of peo-ple stream into the enclosure and take up places around a low circular wall, which ncloses the month of the well. Here they are served in turn by robust ganymedes, who dip up the water in tum and hand it to the thirsty gods gathered round ad libitum. The water is served free, but a notice at the entrance annonnes that gratuities will not be declined by the waiters, who must reap a plentiful harvest of greenbacks from the freewill offerings of the guests. I assume that most of my readers have drank Congress water, if not at the springs, then the bottled form, and it is there fore unnecessary for me to say that to a the gay town, or wishing for the sake of novice the taste is not pleasant; in fact, their healths to quaff the health giving to judge by the wry countenances of some waters, daily. The town of Saratoga of the new comers upon tasting it for the

14,550 seked by Canada or granted by the Imperial Covernment for an petty a sum as \$1,012,000. The only two loans that the latter ever guaranteed for Canada was one in 1848, for \$21,500,000, and the other in 1868 for \$21,825 which there is no earthly reason to suppose \$21,825 which there is no earthly reason to suppose \$21,825 which there is no earthly reason to suppose \$21,825 which there is no earthly reason to suppose \$21,001. trembling legs will carry him into the first groggery to drink a pint or so of the very stuff that had upset his system the night before? It is said that these mineral waters are not hortful even if drank to an inordinate extent; but I believe, that a man throwing into his stomach, the water in sufficent quantity to distend to abnormal dimensions is neutralizing the good effects which might otherwise and a queer collection is generally ble use. An analysis of water, taken from Congress Spring shows that it contains that the trains worn there, bicarbonate of magnesia, soda and iron

> thin, cadaverous looking stranger, wearing one of those long black frock coats puffed at the arm hole such as were the fashion five or six years ago-and topped off with long black nair, well greased, and a tall black hat of a suspiciously shiny appearance. 'Good morning,' said I, wishing to be sociable, as I took my place in the line, 'mornin' returned the chap in a melancholy voice. 'Good many customers here to-day,' continued I. Wall, yes, a right smart sprinklin of people, Wall, yes, a right smart sprinklin of people, said he. 'Are you resident in these parts?' I asked. 'Wall, kinder yes and kinder no; I comes in the Summer and goes in the Winter.' Do you come here to enjoy these waters?' 'Yes, I finds them very benefishal. They air good for the constitution. When I fast begun to drink 'em I was as thin as a trail and could have made a meal on the wing of a honey bee; but neow,' said he, giving himself a lurch forward and pushing his isale. stomach out to its atmost capacity, 'I am

tree. Espying me he roused himself from his lethargy and approaching said: 'Yeou dun't drink them 'era waters for cor-ra or busions, do you?' 'Certainly not,' I replied, 'I drink them because the rest do. 'Wall, I'm glad to hear it, for you see there ain't a bit of varth' in 'em for any sich complaint. Nuthin' but one thing does 'em any good. Oh, be advised. Go to a fust-class pheesis. (Governor of the then provides of New York) in 1767, who had long been an acute sufferer from indigestion. Its existence was disclosed to him by the Mohawk Indian Chiefs, who guided him to the spot. The story goes that Sir William drank of the waters of the spring and soon regained his health. In 1785 the property on which the spring is long sunlight like a new kettle in legs like a flag, and his greasy hat shining in the morning sunlight like a new kettle in front of a Yates street the shop. When he was cut of sight I docked into my hand and found that he had left there his card—the card of an itinerant Co-r-r-ndoctor.

card of an itinerant Co-re-ndoctor.

About four miles from town, there is a beautiful lake, eight miles in length by about three in width, on which several yachts and a small propeller [double the size of the Levisthan] are maintained for the use of the public. Near town there are a number of Indian huts, the eccupants of which are mostly from Canads, and appear to realize large profits from the sale of beadwork and baskets. The aurrounding country is in a high state of cultivation, and the people, notwithstanding the proximity of such 'fast' company as obtains at the springs, are thrifty and generally wealthy, and look forward to a large increase in the price of produce this fall in consequence of the drought in England and on the Continent. Five steamers sailed from New York with hay for England the from New York with hay for England the day on which I left that city, and I find that the hay-crop in this vicinity, which was unprecedentedly large, has been purchased on European account, and is being prepared for

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heltte Sirius" on Confederation instead of an annual Deficit? If we the question of the payment of the pointed out to one of our merchants, public debt in the strongest way. Let who had been doing business at a loss, us suppose that the whole Public J B Sere, collection how he could become a partner in an Debt will be paid off in three years, do parsnips old established firm, and make there and that will include the loan of 1862. by a clear profit of \$200,919 a year, what would be our financial position could any rational person say, truth, then on the terms of the Yale Convenfully, that we were "misleading or de tion? We have already shown that ceiving him? It would be a palpable Canada at present would, by paying absurdity to make such a charge of \$150,087, the Interest and Sinking attempt at deception. We fear that Fund on our Public Debt, make an if any attempt has been made to mis annual Deficit of \$257,405. Deduct lead or deceive the public, it has been the \$150,037 from this amount, and made by "Sirius," either intentionally the Canadian Deficit would be \$107,or unintentionally. "Sirius," after 868. We would still be the gainer to admitting one side of the account. the extent of \$107,368 per annum. Dr Tolmie, celery undertook to give the other side, that is not all. The true financial the Revenue that Canada would draw from the Colony. First, he Debt was all paid off in three years, says, that Canada would get \$394,000 would be this: Canada would have to out of the \$576,000, the estimated meet au annual Deficit of \$107,368. revenue of 1868. Knowing this state- and British Columbia would have her ment was incorrect, he pushes it into toxation reduced \$102,942 per year. print, with the qualification that he and have a Surplus Revenue of \$200. would put "it another way free from safely covolude that if "Sirius" is the J Clayton, special prize for fruit and this morning of sheep, rams, mules, horses afely covolude that if "Sirius" is the J Clayton, special prize for grapes 2 00 the prize for error" way, he says, will give Canada ablest champion of Anti-Confederaonly \$365,000 out of the estimated tion, the Anti-Confederates have a Revenue of \$576,000. Here is a dit. very poor cause indeed. ference between the first and last statement of \$29 000; Why make an error of this kind? Was it to deceive barque Mauna Los, Capt Reinking, arrived or mislead? But his last statement is from Honblalu yesterday morning, having as great an error as the former. We have showed in our leading article day before yesterday, that in consequence of the Canadian Tariff being five per cent lower than ours, that Canada would derive from Customs only, \$247,058. making, with the item of Postage, \$262,058 Here there is an error in the second position of 'Sirius," amount ing to \$102,942 too much. Not contont. however, with mis stating the Revenue that Canada would get from eatt. She will commence discharging this the Colony he mis-states the Expenditure. He admits "one side of the Inlet to load with lumber. Vessel and cargo account" based on the terms of the are consigned to Janion, Rhodes & Co. Convention, and gives the other side without any relation to those terms of Cariboo, has presented the Committee of at all, or at least, so incorrectly as to the Mechanics' Institute with a beautiful amount to a change of the ground model of a beleting gear, as used in the mines work of his argument. He says that of Cariboo, and which was lately exhibited the Canadian Expenditure for the at Yale. Accompanying the above is a very Colony would amount to \$203,100, handsome case of specimens from different claims at Cariboo, collected by Dr Carrall, only; whereas we have shown in our Thursday's leader, that the Expenditure of Canada on the terms of the Convention would be \$521,713. The the Institute would also acknowledge the error therefore that "Sirius" makes, is kindness of the Hudson Bay Company in only a diminution of the Expenditure forwarding the same, free of charge. to the extent of \$318,613! Is such an error as this calculated to mislead or deceive the public? If it is not so trate, in connection with the City Corporacalculated, what is? But as one error tion, is having a building arranged upon the that would deceive and mislead the Reserve, for such indians as are suffering public was not sufficient, another is from the prevailing epidemic. A nurse is uttered as its effect. The last error also to be especially provided to attend on places "Sirius" in a most ridiculous them; tank yes of em rel viscossenu en light before the public. He admitted in the outstart, that we had shown fone in working order to Bellingham Bay; but of agriculture, which be characterized as the

it \$208,100, he makes out that Canada would have a Surplus of \$161,900. If we add the Surplus of the local Government, \$200,919 to sirius Canadian Surplus of \$161,900, we Dr Tolmie, oats metric si sid I main serio est thave a total of \$362,819. The two ledo on peas de de la prize 2 50 le do on peas de la prize have a total of \$362,819. The two turn our attention to the letter of this large amount to divide between "Sirius" that appeared in a previous them, (without creating any new number. Our leader on Thursday was sources of Revenue). Notwithstandvirtually a reply; but in order that ing the fact that "Sirius" has said that andh certors as those put forth by the paying off of temporary loans' "Sirius" to create, evidently a false prevents money, being "expended in impression on the public mind, respect Public Works," "Sirius' " conclusion is ing Confederation, may be directly simply this; that we have not a dime: refuted, we intend to fulfil our pro- yet we have \$362,819 Surplus Revenue: mise now. "Sirius" said that our that we have a thing, and have it not article on the "Revenue and Expendi- at the same time; that this Colony ture of the Local Government under has no Surplus Revenue now, but if Confederation" "shows only one side she will only enter into partnership of an account." He admits, therefore, with Canada and divide up the present "one side of the account," He admits revenue, that British Columbia will that we have shown that the Colony have a Surplus of \$200,919, and under Confederation would have a Canada a Surplus of \$161,900: and Bevenue of \$326,000: a current Ex that these dividends may be obtained penditure of \$125.081; and a Surples by dividing nothing! "Sirius" how-Revenue of \$200,919. After making ever, not being content with perpethis admission, he says that it was trating these "errors," he must try "calculated to mislead or even to how better we would be off in a few deceive the public." Now, is it not a years, He says that the loan of 1862 most singular way to deceive the will be paid off in three years, and public by showing them that by that there will then be a reduction of making a contract with Canada con- the Interest and Sinking Fund to the Dr Tolmie, pears tsining certain covenants, they would extent of \$36,000 per annum. Sup- Herring, tomatoes have a Surplus Revenue of \$200.919 pose we admit it, but suppose we put Ab Sing, tomatoes

from the Colony, and only expend in

FROM, THE SANDWICH ISLANDS .- The left the Islands on 3rd September. Daring the trip she experienced pleasant weather, with light winds, until reaching the coast of V I, on the 26th September, when it became thick and heavy, but without wind. She got into the Straits on 6th October; and night before, last anchored off Port Angelos, not knowing exactly where drifting to in the fog; yesterday she came up to her wharf under full sail. She reports trade somewhat dull at the Islands, and the earthquakes quiet. up to leaving. The vessel brings a small pargo-362 barrels of molasses, and twenty tons of morning, and afterwards proceed to Barrard

HANDSOME PRESENTS .- Mr James Christie and which was also exhibited at Yale. The above were forwarded by Mr J C Armstrong, of Mosquito Creek, and the Committee of

PROPERTIES will be satisfactory to the onblic to learn that the Stipendiary Magisa

side of the account," and that side the large party out at work between there showed a Surplus Revenue of \$200,—919, and yet by asying that Canada would draw a Revenue of \$365,000 if possible, to complete the connection between those places in a few days.

loan to construct the Overland Road, we S. ed by Canada or . 1911d by the Imperial (PRIZE CONTINUED PROM PERTENDAY.) 197 Field Produce Section 1. do barley as thu 1st prize 2 50 W Richardson, barley J Williams, oats 1st prize 5 00 1st prize 5 00 W Pottinger, peas Buneter, hope sor vides 1st prize 5 00 Vogel, hops V Pottinger, swede turnips do carrots 1st prize W. King, swedes . . . vo b 2d prize do W turnips

W Herring, W turnips Dr Tolmie, other than swedes 1st prize R Carr, Mangels and day 1st prize Smith & Tyler, Mangold Mr. Harvey, carrots ab Past 2d prize 1 00 Dairy Produce. Alexander, butter Mrs Bednall, butter 2d prize 3 00 Mesers Davie, cream 1st prize 1 50 J S Clute, collection J W Trutch, collection Gilkison, apples Mrs Hills, apples 1st prize 2 00 2d prize Govt House, pears 1st prize 2d prize 1st prize 2.00 Herring, mush melon Vegetables.

Mr Smith, potatoes W Herring, potatoes S Herring, squash on do squash green corn Moss, lettuce do table turnips h Sing, celery do vegetable marrow table turning Jesse Cowper, onions Lowe, vegetable marrow

ad dord on Flowers, Capt Negle, bouquet

J P Davies Goese v di di Tet prize 1 00 Mr McKeown, Ducks at 1st prize 1 00 And as Fowle in tioneb let prize 1 00 Mr Adams, pigeons 00, XE18 . 1st prize 1 00 er to see its

Total amount ...... \$395 50 Honorary Certificates.

Sere, saddle horse sedaniw des su t A Phillips, cider and syrups

Wells & Evans, collection of cereals and seeds
Galbraith & Hawks, wheat—in the opinion of the judges the best sample

Jas Wrigglesworth, chevalier barley Mr McDoughty, Island-made brooms R. P. Rithet, draft horse, wided side 7 not

O.A Gillingham, custard marrow squash
Wm Dalby, saddlery and harness
Jay & Bales, collection of Island-raised seeds
John Clayton, hot-house grapes

At half past three Dr Tolmie, the President of the Society, ascended the band stand with the Chiel Justice, and in an appropriate speech alluded to the re-establishment of the Society and the revival of the annual show, after an interval of three years. He expressed the satisfaction which the promo-ters felt at the manner in which their efforts. at respectating the show, had been met by the community in general, and by the agri-culturists of the Island and of the mainland, considering the shortness of the notice and the extreme dryness of the season, and after alluding briefly to the prospects of the im-provement next year, wound up with a promise of \$25 as a subscription; and after stating that there could be no difference of stating that there could be no difference of opinion as to the importance of such exhibitions in young colonies, he had much pleasure in introducing one who, himself neither a farmer nor an exhibitor, could more appropriately dwell upon that subject as well as upon the merits and demerits of the shew than himself. He then introduced the Honorable Chief Justice Needham; who after congratulating his fellow-citizens upon the revival of this annual agricultural means and the shew which he felt confident only against a ag, which he felt confident only required a lair support from the agriculturists and from the general public to make it an institution the general public to make it an institution which would be of real good to the Colony. source of prosperity in all countries; he then proceeded to offer practical auggestions for the consideration of the public, in connection with the annual show of stock and produce; and also in regard to agriculture generally.

Mr Needham eloquently reminded his hearers of the necessity of laying the founda-

not done by any means so much as they might have done, the exc llence of the not say that in the quality of the stock such as warranted any commendation, there did not appear to be the frame that was essential for excellence, nor were the size and shape of the cattle such as warrant the assumption that tion amongst themselves, the stock-raisers of this Colony might obtain animals of a first class, kind from which they might improve the breed. It would be necessary for the farmers of the Colony to exert themselves to improve the character of the exhibition year by year if they wish to be successful, and one of the most prominent defects that had to be remedied was the character of the stock; when this was really improved, agriculture when this was really improved, agriculture might flourish, but without proper attention it never could be really successful. The learned Chief Justece concluded an excellent speech by exhorting the farmers and horticulturists to emulate one another in striving to make next year's show, in every way, and are instantaneous soothing and wonderful.

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to be sold, so that parties desirous of improve ing their stock would do well to attend.

Ladder Co rang an alarm last night at half past seven; but on getting half way down Government street the companies returned to their quarters. It turned out to be the burn-Rocky Moderaine. Likidder emos lo gai

Roads yesterday morning, from San Francisco, in ballast, on her way to Burrard Inlet to load with lumber.

Tun steamer Enterprise delt yesterday morning for New Westminster, with sixty or seventy tone of freight and a few passengers

naimo on Tuesday morning of the usual hour

To Self Reliance.

bout the quarter from which Self Reliance hailed, my doubts would have been dispelled by the length of time which he takes to make his promised return ready-it is in course of preparation, what a stereotyped official expression. How long a time do you intend to allow to Mr Self Reliance? If his statements were true, a-half hour would have sufficed to make out the tabular list of his proofs; if incorrect, a year will not make them true.

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tion of stability for the Colony by due atten-tion to agriculture; seeded them that with out due regard being paid to this all imports ant source of wealth, they could never rise to greatness; he next touched upon the practical assistance which might be given to the cause of agriculture by a systematic raising of agriculture by a systematic raising of automotion throughout the Island—pointing ont the necessity of each one contributing according to his means, so that by the number of contributors a fund might be placed at ber of contributors a fund might be placed at the disposal of the Committee which would enable them to offer prizes which would in-duce producers to send the best stock and produce that they had to the show. There could be no excuse, said the Chief Justice, for farmers not producing grain and roots of a first-class quality. There was evidence in the produce yard of the great capability of the soil; the cereals which were exhiof the soil; the cereals which were exhi bited would bear comparison with those ex-hibited in any part of the world; he in stanced the weight of some Australian wheat, which took a prize at a late exhibition in England, which weighed two pounds less per busheli than did that produced in this Colony, and exhibited in this show. He was not there, he said to flatter exhibitors or those who had taken prizes, such flattery would be beneath his hearers and himself, he must, therefore, ask leave to speak withhe must, therefore, ask leave to speak without reserve. From what he had seen is the exhibition yards he had deduced a moral which he thought the agriculturists of the Island ought to take into their serious consideration, it would be for them to say whether he was right in his deductions. The Chief Justice then proceeded to say, in most forcible and eloquent language, that he could come to no other conclusion than that the farmers of the Island had small quantity of produce exhibited showed that energy and perceverance would enable the farmers of this Island to produce crops another wonderful ingredient, of Spanish origit, parting beauty to the complexion and brilliancy to mind, is yet unknown to the commerce of the world, we withhold its name for the present.
With this recipe before the community, and evidences of effects meeting them on all sides, the success of Drakks stands founded upon the rock of truth. Almost every family has some case of suffering which the Plantation Butters will alleviate and cure. as good as could be grown on any soil, but when he turned to the other yard he could Notice—Any person pretending to sell Plantation Bit-ters by the bulk or by the gallon is a swindler and im-postor. It is put up only in our log cabin bottle. Be ware of bottles reilled with imitation deleterious stuff, for which several persons are already in prison. See that every bottle has our United States stamp over the cork unmutilated, and our signature on steel-plate side label. the farmers were doing what was in their power to obtain a proper kind of stock. There was really no excuse, he said, for being content with mediocrity when by combina-

but we are serry to say that others of them were taken away without the owners pers

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Revolution in Spain.

A Lesson to be Learnt From the itself felt sooner or later among all nations, and through all regions of the which she puts forth when her regular to listen to the voice of the people in military resistance has been beaten time, and not to delay until acts of condown. Her soldiers, as compared ciliation will be no longer acts of grace. with other soldiers, are deficient in military qualities; but the peasant has as much of those qualities as the soldier." This was written more than thirty-five years ago, and subsequent what may be the result of the presen

events have shown how futile have been the attempts of those who have sought to govern this proud and unconquerable people, without consulting the national will, and without paying due attention to the national spirit, which though sluggish in seasons of ease and prosperity is indomitable in adversity. It is impossible yet to say revolution"; that there are many staunch royalists in Spain is indubiteble, and it is not improbable that a reaction may speedily take place; in fact the Spanish nation are not adapted for republican institutions; as people they are too indolent to excel again to this Colony, a very nonecessary launder a democracy, and unless the bor. In support of this proposition, I made present circumstances bring out the use of the following figures : o xis ban he l hidden qualities of some great Span+ larde, the country will inevitably go back to monarchy, and the present or late Sovereign will merely be exchanged for another. With a change of dynasty there will naturally come about a change of politics; any Sovereign called to rule over Spain at the present juncture must rule by the Penitentiary (?)....... 10 000

the misgovernment of the last thirtyfive years, to insist upon baving a voice in the government administration of public affairs for the future. Hitherto, more especially during the reign of Queen Isabella, popular representation has been a semblance rather than a reality; there can be Columbia Government had no money to exlittle doubt that the yoke is now shaken off, and although it is possible the money which would otherwise have been that Spain may return to a monarchic employed on public works had been used cale forms of government, she will in for the purpose of paying of temperary loans. shaken off, and although it is possible future be really ruled by the people. as must sooner or later be the case in every civilized country. Fr.As education raises the people in all nations of the world to a level many degrees higher than that which they have been content to occupy in past ages, self-gov-ernment becomes more easy and practicable, the people become more enlightened, whilst the aristoracy who in speat ages were almost a distinet race, do not, in fact cannot progress in equal ratio, consequently the class and the mass of the people, are not now so marked and defined as they were in those ages in which education was a luxury only to be enjoyed by

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ostion has indeed done much to bring

WES. JONES. Proprietor.

that as the masses become more enlightened they will not rest content without their proper share in the government of the country to which they belong, the present revolution in Spain should be a lesson to all rulers of kingdoms, and countries; the age of despotic Government has passed If anything were wanting in the away from all the civilised nations upon world's history to complete the links the earth, and is fast disappearing from of evidence, which show how surely those less advanced nations, who in past the sovereignty of the people makes ages have been contented with that form of Government which left nothing to the people beyond the privilege of contributworld, the present revolution in Spain, ing their quota to the expense of carrying if it is as complete as the telegraph on the public affairs of the country. It reports would lead us to suppose, is strange that amongst ourselves, whose would supply the missing link boast is that we belong to a nation that Hitherto in the Spanish wars one has always been foremost amongst the dynasty; or one claimant to the orown, pioneers of civilisation on the earth, there has been struggling against another, should be so much spathy in the Councils and although the country has been of those who administer public affairs frequently, during the last two that they should attempt to carry on the hundred years, over-run by foreign Government of this Colony without any armies, the Spaniards themselves have reference to the wishes of the people never been conquered; victorious How long will this state of things last armies have by turns occupied the With all her faults Queen Isabella of principal cities, and crowned heads Spain had done more, previous to the late have been compelled to seek safety in insurrection, to win the hearts of her flight, but not withstanding the deteat people, than Governor Seymour has ever of the Spanish armies, her people done to show his interest in the welfare of have never been held in subjection to the people that he has been appointed to any foreign invader. One of the govern in this Colony. If it may be greatest bis orians of the present allowe to us to compare the Governor century bas said of Spain, "Nothing of one of the youngest Colonies of the can be more contemptible than the world, with the Sovereign of one of the regular military resistance which oldest kingdoms in the world; we might Spain offers to an invader ; nothing co a step further and invite him to take more formidable than the energy warning, and remind him that it is wise

Letter from Strius.

EDITOR COLONIST, -For your politeness in answering my letter of Oct 7th receive my thanks. Regretting that you should have in some degree misunderstood my letter, I now recapitulate its main points, premising that you stated (Oct 5th) that in case this Colony joined the Dominion of Canada, that Canada would give this Colony \$142,000 per annum You did not however, state from wheree his money would be derived. By looking ver the accounts I was led to the conclusion hat the Dominion Government would receive from this Colony the Revenue of Cusome \$350,000, and Postage fees \$15000, in all amounting to \$365.000; and that out of of that \$365 000 which she reveived from this Colony, she would return to this Colony the \$142,000 which you stated this Coleroment in fact that Canada would take it Colony, a road for which distant first from this Colony and then give it back

Amount received from the Colony of British Columbia \$365,000, which would be disbursed in the following manner : For payment of sinking fund and interest on loans other than tempor-

ary loans .....\$120,000 Governor's salary ..... 20 000 Supreme Court Judges 11.600 been sufficiently roused to a sense of

Deduct \$203,100 from the \$365,000 received by the Canadian Government and there remains \$161,900, out of which \$161,-900 the Canadian Government would pay the \$142,000 granted to this Colony, leaving a palance in favor of the Dominion of \$19.900. stated also that the reason why the British pend on public works this year was, that ands tother expenses incurred both by well before as after the Union. I came to would be to this Colony a bad bargain ; bull vet desired information. In your paper of Thursday you very kindly reply, and enme propositions of the Convention at Yale. What Conventions What on sarth has any Convention to do with the matter? No one wind a body of the to the question. You stated on Thursday that the Canadian Government would received from inte Colony #367,000 failbus the aupposed ose incurred by a supposed lower tariff but species of legerdemain in figures come to the seiful cobolusion that If Canada Ladmitted British Columbia into the Confederacy, that

British Columbia would actually be a hung
den upon Canada and coatmer samually \$257,406 to Pode, poor Canada ! Bergan classes to a closer level in the last two you of the dollars you love so much at Let conturies and we shall assaredly find me however recapitulate your figures required

Severage of that province, who was undaly

Annual Interest and Sinking on Public Debt..... Arnual Fixed subsidy ..... 110,000 Annual Per Capita Subsidy @ per cent Interest and 4 per cent Sinking Fund on \$1,012,000 (Chief Commissioner's Estim mate) the cost of constructing Overland Wagon Road from Savona's Ferry to the head of Navigation on Saskatchewan. Five Members of British Columbia in Canadian Parliament @\$1000 each .oungab.ou Salary of Governor hemontesb. 67 Three Judges, Supreme Court A. Four County Court Judges ... Customs' Officials and Service. Immigration and Quarantine Offi-Postmasters and Postal Service Foreign and Intercal 1 979W 6 Penitentiary Support of Convicts 6 per cent Interest on \$50,000 cost of Provincial Penitentiary Light Houses and Light Ship 10,000

817.125 sovereigaton a new Constitu tion is to be framed, duligating to the shringh Bredt tooth diem nesone gar little. Why did you not borrow the money to make the road at a higher rate of interest and put by a greater sinking fund? Why didn't you have more Judges, seven surely are not chough? Why didn't you allow the members of Parliament a less shabby allowance? Why not make the cost of building a Penitentiary much greater? Why not give something to the Yale Consp-(but let not the name be even mentioned). By so doing this Colony might have been made to appear a much greater gainer and a much greater burden upon poof Uanada, and thus you might by glittering tinsel have beguiled the people of this Colony, unwilling as they now are, to entrust their happiness, welfare and power to the care of the Dominion. I would recommend you and them to read a sweet little poem called 'The Spider and the Fly,' Canada being the Spider and British Columbia the Fly. It may be seen in Sargent's Third Reader, at Hitten's and all booksellers! Let us, however, examine the figures themselves. The Interest and Sinking Fund is not \$150,000, but \$120,000 and in a little more than three years' time it will be reduced to \$84,000, because one of the loans will then have been paid off. Next comes the Overland Road, cost \$1,012,000 to the Saskatchewan. What have we to do with the expense of the road on the other side of the mountains? The whole roa will cost perhaps the sum datated "but"the Chief Commissioner makes the following distinct, statement in the blue book from ony would receive from the Dominion Gove line, 375 miles lie within the limits of this lainly not known a You now proceed to Early now a You now \$722,000,' Aa difference of nnty \$294,000 1 Look again at the Sinking Bund and interest upon the loan for the moad the highest rates are charged for interest and the short-est time for repayment. You know that a loan for the Ooverland road would be guarranteed by Her Majesty's Government, and that the rate of interest would in such case be tper cent. The amount of Sinking Pund required of course depends upon the term of the loan and for the investment made thereof, say the Sinking Bund would be shout 1/per cent & annum. The interest and Sinking Fund would then be \$36,100 and not \$101,200, as stated in your figures—a very slight differ—substitution of the Dominion Tariff, Canada ence to be sure, only \$65,100! and yet per-would fose \$102,942. If even the imports haps some people have thought your figures reliable) What do we want with seven Judges? The cost of constructing & Penitentiary is purely constructive and might be out down at any amount, and so might the cost of keeping convicts; the sum can only

be known by experience (which is not likely to be had just now). The sum for mail communication is greater than now. Some of the other appointments might be amalgamated or even performed by other officers. The Confederates boast that Confederation would diminish the cost of Government and loudly bawled out against the number of present officers but the figures and liet you supply certainly look uncommonly like an increase both of expense and of the number of officers, but I presume the Canadian Govchimens would not supply these officers the officer could be amalgamated with others. down as expenses, except indeed they dore intended as rewards for those who sagitate Confederation But see how the figures now Oats, market quotable at \$1 80 market Quotable at \$1 Bound Interest and Sinking Fund. er west Interest and doe see cent Sinking Fund on \$722.000 Ghiel Commissionarie TEsta mate) the cost of constructing Wegon Road in British | Cole () rive Members of Parliament.....

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Immigration and Qarantine Offis cers, Indian Agents and Service (?)..... 29,000 Postmasters and Postal Service Penitentiary and support of Con-Oct 12-1 be Journal stoif 4 per cent Interest on \$50,000 cost of Penitentiary 11. .... 2000 Light Houses and Ship 7 . .... 10,000 be permitted to choose for \$119,137 less than your statement promulgated to the inhabitants of this Colony! You see what a great difference your trifling mistakes make. Of course had you perceived this error you might have constructed your

tatement differently, and by a few more fancy charges have made the looting of the I am much obliged for your courtesy in Canadian Government even greater than you didn Now Sir, as the Canadian Governe tions; the examination thereof has given me ment would, as you say, receive from this ment would as you say, receive from this Colony \$367,000 and return to this Colony \$402,576 as per statement above, Canada would apparently be the loser of \$35,576, and not of \$257,405 as stated by you. But as the income of the Colony will probably the greater next year than this, it is quite to Considerable amount of money to Considerable mount of money to the result of the considerable mount of money available for public works. The examination too has made me more than ever apposed to Confederation and alive to the fact other probable that Canada would be a wainer until reliable data can be had it would be Now Sir, was I very far wrong when Hetated that the money disbursed in this Colony by Canada would only be our own money retursed to us, and therefore that this Colony would be making a bad bargain if she accepted any such terms. I have not rejected control of the Editor I shall not reply to your ill-natured remarks of Saturday last. This minion charges Light Dues, neither have I letter wall I hope put you all right and in taken away your unnecessary officers; save good homor; but why did you aguirm, writhe the Judges. Thave also made use of your and wriggle before you had received the own statement of the Income to be produced smallest touch? Was it in anticipation? by the Light Dues, Stamp Tax and Excise, Well, well, never mind; in your editorial of although the amount set down by you is Saturday last you say, Suppose we put the too small—the very existence of such taxes, question of the Public Debt in the strongest however, is not likely to make the people way : Let us suppose that the whole Public eager for Confederation. Recollect too I do Debt will be paid off in three years; what not admit that the cost of the road ought to would be our financial position then on the be placed to the account of the Colony, be- terms of the Yale Convention? You man cause it is or will be the property of the swer and assert that we (i. c. this Colony) Dominion Government; without you mean would still be the gainer to the extent of to say that this portion of the country should \$107,368 per annum. But that is not all, not become liable for the eighty millions o debt contracted by the four Provinces, and of which this Colony never received a dime. Our own debts will expire in about 15 years, but will Canada's? Is no allowance to be made for that?

You will of course not have falled to observe that I have not yet taken mite consider giving money to Canada. Let me prederation that the British Columbia Tariff mise that the \$102,942 reduction of taxation averages 17 per cent, that of the Dominion mentioned above is the loss supposed to only 12 per cent. I do not admit assention to be proof. The Customs Receipts of the Tariff for our own. The terms of the Yale to be proof. The Customs Receipts of the Dominion for 1867 must of necessity be very fallacious on account of the, at that time, re-cent Confederation of the colonies; perhaps public debt to be paid off. not quite so deceptive as those of British Terms of the Yale Convention Columbia after the Union. The amount of promulgate the following fallacious state-i The expense of this Colony

cent duty on total imports..... Canadian Tariff @ 12 per cent duty on total imports..... Reduction of Customs Revenue

under Canadian Tariff after Now does it follow that because an Tariff is reduced from 17 to 12 per cent that the Revenue will be diminished in like proportion or even at all? You know it does not, Of what use then is the assertion that by the into British Columbia this year had been taken and the Dominion Tariff applied to them, sand by "this means "it had been discovered that the difference was as 17 to 12, even that would have been of little value. as it would only have shown the past, and would be no criterion of the future production of revenue, for this reason, that it would depend upon whether Tariff proved injurious to the interests of the sountry, or the contrary. A further falling off doubtless would sail your figures, but would it show a with much gusto, that the daily on mirital woold mbe reduced \$1 25 per gallen Hout foreign agricultural produce would be admitted duty free; the farmer might not decrease the revenue very much, the latter revenue that is not money! Now are the
would ruin the farmer and so himse the serme good or bad entered and so himse the ountry. dod Many oartistes i sod 94 hibb care | Dags sorry, Mr Editor, Trouble that harged 121/2 per cent in the British Columni have been compelled to answer your that of Ganada lo Can anyone tall how much cause I feel centain that the figures you have det dewn the available avaite to this Colonyan may be considered unreliable sint in the colonyan may be considered unreliable sint in the sinterior in Resident bowlit is that the Colonyan

Express publishes an account of a plot repairs

excuse me for mentioning the thing) you never be altered; or that no more taxes than you mention should be levied! Why it is probable that the Dominion Tariff may 16.000 very shortly be made heavier even than I per cent, and quite possible British Columbia will reduce ber's to 12 per cent. How would your figures then stand? If New Brunswick receives more, Nova Scotia more than either pays into the Dominion—if the Sascatchewan should prove costly to settle, and British Columbia be a frightful burden to Canada; where is the money to come from to support the General Government from Ontario and Quebes 1 They would not en-dure that ! Additional taxation is the answer.

clusion that British Columbia not only can maintain herself, but that very shortly there mast accree a considerable amount of money available fore public works. The examinastate again that if we wait a little longer the

ficit of \$107.368, and British Columbia would have her taxation reduced \$102.942 per annum and have a surplus revenue of \$200.919 besides. Now Sir. I will endeal vor shoushow you that instead of the colore receiving what you state, she will be actual Convention are those published in my letter yesterday, and we have now to suppose the

viz. Canada to give this Colony \$402.576 which the figures are takeng That of this imports into this Colony this year are our. Less the Interest and Sinking out of pred

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But now Sir, that you may have no cane of complaint, I will even give Canada credit for the close which you say she will suffer but which I deny by the substitution of be Dominion Tariff for our own, viz., \$102, approinted for life. The electeste

Profit or gain of Canada ..... \$117,424 Less the loss supposed to arise from substitution of Dominion Tariff Profit of Canada.....

The answer to your question plainly then gainer to the extent of \$107,368 per annum. nd Danada Saving to meet that deficit," as state of prosperity? You remark, evidently you assert, this Colony would actually be ring to Uspada \$144820 if admir loss by substitution of Tariff \$11 7.424 if pot t would it not have been as well to atote that! Now Sir, where is the surplus revenue of

ois (Rafife ale set down at (15 percent in but Less ne bland and wo when when the that of Jagard 10 can anyone let now much camps to design the promptings of some designand merce or industries of the country, and yet valued friend, but tomember the edage of you state with certainty the exact falling off.

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Provisional Government of Spain.

Rumored Discovery of a Plot to Assassinate President Johnson

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sapport the General Horstoment from CHURCH MATTERS.

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New York, Oct. 11-A Madrid special dated Oct. 9th says, Minister Hale had a cordial interview with Serrano to-day and notified him (Serrano) of the probable recognition by the United States of one year nave med energing than safe oo.

London Oct. 11 Gladstone's address to the electors of South Lancashire is praised by the liberal organs, who contrast its frank and positive tone with the vague, and negative utterances of Disat auch terms as, you propos

The Tory journals do not take up the 'no Popery' ery of the premier, but rest the claims of their party in the Parliamentary canvass on the brilliant foreign policy of the ministry; the necessity for the defence of the Church of England from the danger by which it is menaced. The success of the Abyssinian war, and the maintenance of strict economy in the expenditures; on the latter point, however, they are sharply censured by the Whigs, who point out the inconsistency between the precepts and practice of the party in power.

The Chinese Embassy are making progress in preliminary negotiations with the British Government. It is reported that Burlingame finds Lord Stanley not unfriendly to the policy proposed by China, and that he is ready to treat on the question on the broad grounds of civilization, rather than from a purely English point of view as is urged by the London Times; it is understood the Embassadors will be received by the Queen on the 20th, after which the Embassy will make a visit to Paris.

Paris. Oct. 11-The reference Schleswig, made by the King of Denmark in his speech at the opening of the Reigsrad, induces the semi-official journals here, to declare that France is pledged to the treaty of Prague, and that Prussia must not depart from her obligations to hat contract ... ad stolered bloow ab

Fears of a European war have abated

the press, however says, the armories of France were never busier than at present. FLORENCE, Oct. 10-The Italian Government has officialy recognized the Juarez Government in Mexico.

MADRID, Oct. 10-The Provisional Junta has issued a programme guaranteeing many reforms, among them are an administrative decentralization, universal suffrage, religious liberty, freedom of the press, right to public assemblage, radical changes in the system of education, the right of trial by jury, and the equality of all men before the law, Judges of Courts will be appointed for life. The election for members of the Cortez is fixed for November 15th.

LONDON, Oct. 10-The leaders of the Junta at Madrid are Monarchial in their preferences, but have agreed to accept a Republic if the people so pronounce at the election. one rate to justize sat of resis

Naples, Oct. 10-Vesuvius threatens another eruption.

MADRID, Oct. 10 -John P. Hale the American Minister has waited on Serrano

congretulating him. adl areadw BERLIN, Oct. 10-Reports have been received here of lawlessness and disquet in Cuba. The merchants of various

German cities have united in a request for the Government to send ships of war to that Island to protect German trade. LONDON, Oct. 10-Preliminaries of the

recently concluded between North Ger- The other seven have gone Republican. many and the United States have been arranged between Lord Stanley and the about 15,000. Schenck beats Vallen-American Minister. Hanne hatablecon ed

within the walls of the city; all the prov- offices. The press claims a majority of inces have formally recognized the authority of the central Provisional Junta.

MADRID, Oct. 12-The United States is the first nation to recognize the new Provisional Government of Spain.

additional reforms, among which are the private letters and policies.

Paris, Oct 12-The Journal des Debats says that General Lorsundi of Coba has given in his adhesion to the new Provisional Government of Spain! Cuba will be permitted to choose for members of the Junta.

LONDON, Oct. 12-The cable of 1866 has been repaired and is now working. PRAGUE, Oct. 12-Political tumults in

this city have been suppressed by the Austrian troops, who dispered various assemblages of the people ben svan serredo vous

London, Oct. 12-The liberal process sion was attacked on Saturday at Blackbuth by a mob of Tories. Several persons were severely injured. 000 1082

Pane Oct. 12-The Gaulos newsthe new Government after the clapse of paper publishes a letter from General Prim, earnestly favoring the calling of Cortez and the formation of a Kingdom at once. It is said Prim himself aspire to be kingdw monwiel you I asw mid we

London, Oct. 12-Dispatches from Madrid state that great interest is manifested in Cubs in regard to the representation of that Island in the new Government of Spain; also in regard to the abolition of Slavery. The action of the Constitutional Cortez on these questions is swaited with great anxiety. The Ministers promise Cuba equal liberties by the Light Dues, Stamp Tax aniad? Att we

Lendon, Oct. 12-A despatch from Bombay says, favorable reports have been recived of the progress of the expedition against the tribes in the north-western districts of India; the troops so far, meet slight opposition. I ad the to si ti se

The Fenian prisoners are to be released at Dartmouth; he seifing sid tad! ye ecome liable for the eighty millions

### contrantastern States and and

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10-Gen. Schenck telegraphed that he and Senator Mergan have decided that it is not necessary to notify a quorum of Congress to meet on the 16th of Oct. The presiding officer will accordingly on that day adjourn the two houses to November 10th, VI sagarov

Sr Louis, Oct. 12-The Republican special says that Forney publishes a letter in the Chronicle giving his opinion after a most careful canvas that the Republicans will carry Pennsylvania by 15,000 majority. mint sail ratio and m

PHILADELPHIA, Oct 12-The city is quiet to-night. No meetings are bemajority in the city of from 5000 to 8000, while the Republicans are almost equally confident of a majority.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12-In the Protestant Episcopal convention to-day, a lengthy memorial was presented, protesting against deviations from the prescribed ritual of the Church, directed against the High Church practices and praying the passage of a canon establishing and embracing uniformity in Divine Worship in all the Churches. Judge Cunningham. who presented the memorial also presented a canon in conformity with the views therein set forth, forbidding extraordinary vestments during worship, candlesticks, candelabra on communion table. bowing at the name of Jesus, the elevation of either of the elements during communion and other High Church practices entol edt to soiratire on ed bi

Chicago, Oct. 12-The Italians in several cities to-day, celebrated the anniversary of the discovery of America.

MONTGOMERY, Oct. 12 - Governor Smith has issued a proclamation for an election for President in November.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14-Returns from the Nebraska election are meagre; but show a Republican gain. The Republicans elaimed the State by 2000. Latest:-Chicago 14th, the contest in Indiana on the State ticket is very close; both parbarged 1216 per cent in the !it goimialo seit

COLUMBIA, Ohio, Oct. 14-The Demos cratic Congressmen have been elected to Naturalization Treaty, similar to that to 1st, 5th, 9th, 12th, and 13th districts. The Republican majority in the State is dingham by 494 votes. Forney teles MADRID, Oct. 11-The Provisional graphs that the Democratic Mayor of Junta has granted foreign residents per Philadelphia is elected by 2000 majority mission to build a Protestant Church The Republicans carry other city 18,000 in the State; it is estimated that there have been 74 Democrats and 57 ison.

Republicans elected in the Assembly. WASHINGTON, Oct. 13-Evening-The Express publishes an account of a plot repairs

The Junta has declared in favor of to assassinate President Johnson; fifty negroes and three white men were sworn abolition of the death penalty, sancity of to kill the President. The employes of the Treasury Department exposed the plot which was arranged since the Impeachment trial 10 The storm causes much comment, but the community are generally brasks, two thousand Republican ma incredulous. Overland Wagon Road to

## South America.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12-Earthquakes continued on the Southern Coast of Peru. but caused no damage. Six thousand houses were destroyed by the previous shocks in Areguipa, which would cost forty millions to rebuild: Cazco suffered but little damage. Provisions have been received all along the coast from Valpa raiso and Peru. The sufferers are abundantly supplied; yellow fever appeared in Peru; there were four cases in one day at attive Commit of Convinte

New York, Oct 12-The Constitution al Assembly of the State of Panama met on the 1st inst. and passed a decree. assuming sovereignty; a new Constitution is to be framed, deligating to the Acting President an elective power and recognizing the provisional government.

Valparaiso papers state that there had been heavy rains above Valparaiso; some land slides had occurred which interrupted the traffic, killing several persons and caused suspension of business. The sea was very excited and three launches were swamped to Y edi of andremos

### west Indies.

HAVANA, Oct. 10-The Captain General of Porto Rica has announced in a proclamation that the recent disorders in the Island have been suppressed and all insurgents have been captured or despersa ed. The whole Island is now tranguil The birthday of Queen Isabella was celebrated as usual by a reception at the Captain General's.

HANANA. Oct. 12—Captain General

Lersundi to-day issued an elequent proclamation to the citizens and soldiers enjoining tranquility and order.

HAVANA, Oot. 12-General Lorsandi has not proclaimed for the Provisional Government of Spain, but will maintain order and law. He says as a loyal Spaniard, he only retains and governs the Island as a portion of the Spanish Dominion, irrespective of parties governa ing; the country city and all are stated as entirely tranquil. The people respect and obey General Lorsundi.

SAN FRANCISCO. Oct. 10-A fire last night in Flint, Peabody & Co's warehouse was extinguished with a loss of about thirty thousand sacks of rice, and a few thousand dollars worth of other damages atermial roll ve fire

The fares to New York are as follows : 1st cabin, \$202 and \$151 50; second. \$101; steerage, \$61.905 satura

Legal Tenders, 711@721

Arrived Oct. 9-Bark Carlotta from Seabeck.

Sailed, ship Rivere, Port Townsend. Wheat market largely overstocked; good to choice milling \$1 80@1 90.

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San Francisco, Oct. 12-The mining stocks this morning are generally weak, nearly every description showing decline. Legal Tenders 72 @723.

New York quotations, gold opened at 1381 and closed at 1377. archata O ent California Wheat \$2 70 medium;

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Private telegrams from Liverpool quote decline in wheat. One despatch gives quotation at 12s. which is 7d. less than a public telegram received on Saturday. Flour, superfine \$505.25; extra 600 own as expenses, except indeed they. 620

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Sailed, Oct. 11-Bark Sampson, Port Blakely: 12th ship Coquimbo, Port Mad-

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13-The Palestro bound for Puget Sound Oct. 14th, during a heavy gale sprung a leak and put in for

### Oregon.

PORTLAND, Oct 14-A despatch from from senstor Corbett, Washington says. Pennsylvania, fifteen thousand; Indiana, ten thousand; Ohio, thirty thousand-Republican majorities. Nejority. Philadelphia went Democratic. Ohio selects thirteen Republicans and five Democrats to Congress, one doubtful; havingtone good ever a

### DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Sept 25-The Tribune's Atlanta special says that the official investigation of the Camilla massacre shows that it was even more bloody and atrockous than at first reported Capt. Pierce and Murphy saved their lives by making the Masonic signal. Negroes were hun-ted with dogs and when caught were butchered in cold blood. Gen. Sibley has sent an officer to Camilla to make s searching investigation. eds at somerele

NASHVILLE, Sept 25-The exciting canvas for Mayor between Alden, present Mayor, and Thorberg, moderate Republican, culminated to night in a riot. Both perties were holding public meetings when a disturbance took place. One thousand shots were incl. exclusively by negroes, but only four persons were wounded. The crowd was finally dispersed by the Federal troops.

Washington, Sept 26—A peace treaty has been concluded with the Shoshones, Bannocks and Sheepeater Indians. They are to be located in Idaho and Montana.

CHESTER; Pa., Sept 26—The bark Sunny-side, with a cargo of coal oil, was struck by lightning last night and an explorion follow ed. The bark was burned up. The pilot was blown overboard, and several of the crew scalded, but saved.

New York, Sept 26-The national labor congregators voted a salary to the President The resolutions relative to immigration were explained as not being aimed rainst immigrants but against the Immigrant Aid Society, which is a monopoly, prac'ically embodying white slavery into the country. Mrs Cady Stanton raz'e a speech lavoring immigrants. The President made a valdictory address, expressing the hope that the National Labor party will elect a President of the United States. The Congress then adjourned sine die. WASHINGTON, Sept 26-Attorney Carring-

ton bes appealed from the decision of Judge Wylie, in the Surratt case, to the Court of banc. He holds that the statute of limiting detense was not before the Court in the plead ings. He further claims that the statute of limitation does not extend to persons fleeing from justice. A new indictment will be submitted to the Grand Jury. HARTFORD, Sept 26-John Wilson, con-

fined in the State prison for horse stelling, out his throat to-day.

BALTIMORE, Sept 26—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows adjourned this morning to meet next year at San Francisco.

Concord, Sept 26—Ex-President Pierce is very leeble. His nerves are much shattered, and it is very doubtful whether he will ever

WHEELING, Sept 27—A disastrous fire occurred at an early hour this morning in Cubertson's Star Foundry. Four persons were killed and six or eight severely injured by

the falling walls.

Helena, M. T., Sept. 27—S. W. Beals, exGovernor of Wisconsin, was shot yesterday
by Geo M. Penny, ex. U.S. Marshal, and died this morning. The Occoner's jury rendered a verdict that the act of killing the deceased was done in self-defence.

New York, Sept 28-The Judge has sentenced Madame Racheel to five years imprisonment with hard labor for a conspiracy to defraud Mrs Borrodel out of a large sun

LONDON, Sept 20-Minister Johnson visite ed the Leeds Exhibition yesterday. In reply to the address of the Exhibition committee, he reiterated his previous assurances of maintaining good will between England and America. He also paid a tribute to the British army and Lord Napier, whose name he said was a household word in America. for his courage and humanity in the Abyssin-

Buenes Avres dates state that the new President, Sorranito, has been installed. PARIS, Sept 24-La France, a Governme organ, says the rights gained by the United

fraces in the treaty with Nicaragua are also rained by France and England by the stip-London, Sept 25—The Times and Telegraph applauded the good sense and pacific tone of the speech of Minister Johnson at Leeds, and think the public may be assured of the adjustment of the difficulties between

Rogland and America, soled side of ed bloom Sr. Peresenues, Sept. 25.—It is reported

that the Czar will recall his minister at Washington for instructions in regard to the new policy about to be pursued by the empire.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 264 Much excitement prevailed here on the announcement that the corvette Alexander was lost off the coast of Denmark. The Grand Puke Alex-ander was on board, but he and all the crew were saved.

VENNA, Sept 26-The Debats says Roma-nia took steps to prevent the recent distur-VIENNA, Sept 28-John Herr, American Charge d'Affaires, had an audience with the

Emperor yesterday, it manis Count Auderassy, President of the Hun. garian Ministry, has resigned.

BERLIN, Sept 28—Czar Alexander of Russia visited the King of Prussia yester day at Potsdam To-day he departed for

Warsen. The King of Prussic today left

for Baden.
VIERRA, Sept 28—The Wiener Presse asserts that by the advice of You Beust the Emperor declined to visit Gallicia. The Governor of that province, who was unduly

urgent in his solicitations, has been re-

The Bishop of Ems has been indicted fer issuing a pastoral address against the laws Watts has had an interview with the

### Emperor and presented his credentials. He was received as Minister Extraordinary of the United States,

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New York, Sept 17—City of Mexico advices of September 12th state that the Ministerial crisis was ended, as two votes Minister at crists was ended, as two votes in the Supreme Court, those of the Justices Palacio and Valesco, decided the question, allowing Senor Lerdo Tejads to hold a place on the Bench and the porfolio of Foreign

Affairs at the same time.

Gutierrez escaped via Vera Cruz, General
Uraga was arrested on landing at Vera Cruz from Havana. The insurgent Gregoria was captured by Corona and hung at Guanajuata, and the Indian Chief Lezado was concent trating his forces at Barranas and Axtil.

Hayti advices state that an amnesty had been proclaimed in favor of all but three leaders in the late rebellion.

### Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Oct 8—Stmr Otter, Lewis, Sitka
Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster
Oct 9—Bk Mauna Loa, Reinking, Honolalu
Slp Thornton, Warren, Stanich
Oct 12—Slp Alarm, Kendall, Comox
Stmr G 8 Wright, Langdon, Portland
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Slp Lady Franklin, Pritchard, San Juan
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Oct 14—Stmr Emma, Elia, San Juan

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PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND, W. T.

Oct 5—Berk Kutusoff entered from Honolulu; left Aug 29th, 17 days in the Straits belogged; leads at Belling-ham Bay with coal for San Francisco. 6—ch A'sska, fifty days from Honolulu, bound to Port and; came into this harbor on the 10th; sailed at Portland, had aull caigo of sugar. French ship Jennie Alice entered from Portland; goes to in Francisco to un lergo repairs. 9—Br ship Ashburton entered from San Francisco; loads at Port Gamble (Teckalet) for Australia. Guatamalaen ship Clarissa entered from San Francisco; loads at Port Gamble for Valparaiso.

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### PASSENGERS.

Per stmr ELIZA ANDERSON, from Puget Sound-Dorigan and wife, Mrs Fickett, F A Wilson, Tom Stratton Connell, Conolly, Petre, Paxton, Tripp, Capt Mitchell Wren, Fowler, Wilson, Cary and 4 others. stinr GEO S WRIGHT from Portlant—Gen tier, USA, Mrs J White and child. Miss M Taylor, S Hadlock, Mr S Hadlock, Mrs Cary and 2 children, Boss, Smith Angelo, Nicholas Goss, John Hastinga, Lapaint, F M Gaye, CS Fletchimer, F J Roscoe, J H back, J C Kellogg, C B Plummer, H W.Gray, 2 China-

Per stmr ELIZA ANDERSON from Puget Sound-Waitt, Francis, Levy, Murray, Uchnell, Paxton, Brodrick Phillips, H B Co.

Per Stmr GEO S WRIGHT from Portland—T J. J C

Per stmr ELIZA ANDERSON from Puget Sound— 11 aks wheat, 29 bxs fruit, 9 sks oysters, 6 bxs butter, 7 hd cattle, 68 sheep, 18 lambs, 3 horses, lot lumber, 66 empty oil casks.

Per stmr GRO S WRIGHT from Portland—287 pkgs mase, 1589 sks flour, \$50,000 in coin, 2 bxs grapes, 10 sks chicken feed, 2 bxs apples, 60 bxs fruit, 23 sks oats, 32 sks bran.

## 2 sks bran. Per bark MAUNA LOA from Honolulu—344 bbls of molasses, consigned to Javion, Shodes & Co.

ardson & Co, S Montgomery, P M Backus, J R Stewart, S P Mc ody & Co, Janion, Rhodes & Co. T L Stahlschmidt, Millard & Beedy, L & J Boscowitz, Julius Seitz, A Frankel, P McQuade, E Marvin, Clute & Clarkson, W U T

### EXPORTS.

Per bark MONEYNICK for San Francisco—992 bble cranberries, 120 hf bbls, 800 sks and kegs sugar, 300 cs beer, 2 cks wine, 2 bbls flour sks, 16 tons rock sait, 184 bbls molesses, 43,877, it lumber, 295 saited hides, 184 skins, 9 bis deer skins, 2 bis elk skins, 7 cs furs, 4 cks oil, 2 bbls sperm oil, 3 bls wool, 4 bbls tailow, 18 do yellow metal, 683 bars iron, 34 waggons, 1 cs druggist scales, 1 grooving machine. Total topinage, 400 tous; total value \$27,177; domestic produce \$11,123; foreign produce \$16,049.

On the 9th inst., the wife of Mr F. J. Barnard, of a

### very civilized.besilivin grev

In this city, on the 14th inst., by the Rev. T. Some Compliments of the bride and bridegroom received.

In this City, on the 14th inst., Oswald Herman Leopold sidest son of H. O. and Marie Tledemann, aged 6 years and 1 month.
Montreal (Quebec) papers please copy

In this City, on the 18th inst , of diptheria, Eleano In this City, on the 13th inst. of diptheria, Eleanor Costello, aged 3 years and 2 months.
On the 10th inst., James Holland, aged 45 years, a native of Orkney. Scotland.

In this City, on the 11th inst., Miss Mary Manclet, aged 19 years, eldest daughter of Peter and Petra Manclet.

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