

INTERNATIONAL TRADE.

The best indicator of trade between Victoria and the "great neighbor to the south" is found in the office of Consul Myers, says the *Victoria Times*. That gentleman has completed his statement of exports from this city to the United States during the quarter ended the 31st of March last, and it shows the following:

	VICTORIA.	NANAIMO.
Coal	\$2,022.50	\$24,593.75
Dry Goods	90.47	
Fish	108.04	
Fertilizer	100.50	
Furs, Hides, Skins, &c.	35,327.85	
Junk	53.00	
Lime	521.75	
Liquors	421.35	
Miscellaneous	318.50	
Household effects, &c.	5,807.00	
Returned U. S. Goods.	1,241.17	310.00
Rice	1,019.25	
Salmon	88,557.00	
Steel Bars	207.40	
Stone	705.57	
Tar	35.50	
Treasure	61,334.57	
Total	\$108,533.51	\$24,903.75
Grand Total		\$133,437.26

The number of American vessels which entered this port during the same quarter was 215, representing a tonnage of 170,440 tons. The number of vessels which left was 214.

The Coos Bay & Eastern railway company has been organized at Marshfield, Oregon, and will next week have men in the field surveying a line from that town up the Coos river and across the Coast mountains to Winchester, a town near the Southern Pacific about six miles north of Roseburg. The design is to ultimately extend the road to Boise City, Idaho, but the present operations look only to giving rail communication to the Coos bay country.

The Washington state normal school at Ellensburg will open Sept. 7th.



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