

scoundrel had, during the night previous, opened the supply pipes to the boiler, the hand plate holes of which being open, permitted the water to escape into the hold. The damage done to the fixtures of the cabin and the provisions is considerable; but the ship herself is again in sound and perfect condition. The rascality of such a deed is so great that we can find no language to do justice to the occasion.

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**THE INDIAN AGENT—DEPARTURE FOR THE TEJON.**—Col. Thomas J. Henly, the newly appointed Superintendent of Indian Affairs for California, started on Monday last for the Tejon in company with Lieut. Beale. The promptness and despatch the Colonel has evinced in entering on the duties of his office, gives us the assurance that he lacks none of the energy that characterises Lieut. Beale. As a gentleman and consistent Democrat, we have reason to congratulate the Administration in its happy selection to fill so important an office. As the Administration saw fit to make a change in this office, we feel confident it could not have chosen a man better qualified—for honesty and humanity are two qualifications indispensable in dealing between the Red man and Government. His stay at the Tejon will be a short one, owing to his having to return to the north, in order to select a reservation in that region, where he intends putting in crops on the same basis and plan adopted by Mr. Beale.

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**ARRIVAL FROM SALT LAKE.**—Montgomery's train, consisting of ten wagons and seven hundred head of cattle, reached Stockton on Saturday last from Salt Lake, which place they left on the 15th May.