nor is it probable that there ever will be.

Of all the tribes West of the Cascades the Makahs exhibit the most marked and characteristic traits, differing from the round Indians in features and habits as much as in language. Their intercourse with the whites has been very limited, and that of a kind to make much change in their original customs. Physically they have the type of the Nootka Indians. The expression indicates ferocity and treachery, for which indeed they have a wide reputation. The beard and moustache are well developed and are not extirpated. The complexion as is indeed the case with all these tribes, varies considerably, some being much darker than others, without reference to the intermixture of blood. Flattening the head, though prevalent, is not carried to a great excess, In no any respects they are superior to their neighbors, being far more enterprising, and exhibiting greater skill and industry in their manufactures, and they are more moral, for they prostitute only slaves. This tribe had a considerable infusion of white blood, a Russian vessel having been cast away near here, as it is supposed, some thirty-five or forty years since, and the crew, being strong enough to protect themselves, having lived among the Indians for some time before they were relieved Several individuals were present at the council, who in their features, complexion and yellow hair