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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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Shoot's letter No. 2 we cannot publish. His last, we admit, drew attention to matters of public concernment, and has not been without effect in the proper quarter, still, the valuable portions of his last communication are as blended with offmaire personalities that quite. forbid its insertion in our columns. Here we should stop, but having no doubt, that with other Relevant Dobrasses, it will get appear in the Singapore or Calcutta papers, we give a Sample of its contents. The writer atignatuses the late migrant for the Island, to escape the malignant few then ranging can anything be more preportations? We affect not to be honoured with the intimacy, friendship, or the sequalization of the E. but in common with every resident, we were aware for some time past, that he contemplated visiting Macan, and had no frear been prevalent he would have gone thither at that time. As to the remarks about the "accidental govern r who isgreat in his littleness, and in the absence of his superiors" shead turned by his sudden elevation de. dec." they are eminantly ridiculous. And we must tell Shoots we see no wit in calling a person "the Pint(10)A Baccuttary although he may happen to be an important member of the local G vernment.

We thank Natricts for the very valuable communication, which appears in this issue, and hope to be favoured with regular intelligence from the same quarter.

Perry's Communication on the Inducent buried of our dead in the Bay, we hope to insert in our next, and thus reply to P's query "Have we really, a Harbour Master and a Destury, DITTO?

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THE FRIEND OF CHINA AND HONG-KONG GAZETTE.

VICTORIA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 1843.

In our last we made some Extracts from the Pa-In our last we made some extracts from the appears by the June Mail, mentioning the appointment of M. Lagrenze, as Minister Plenipotentiary to China, from Prance; also the determination of the Prench Ministry, to despatch hither a squadron; and henceforth maintain an Admiral's station in the China seas.

In the Times from which we then quoted, these arrangements are treated merely as the outbursts of national vanity or caprice. We entertain other and we think sounder views, of the ultimate inten-

tions and policy of France.

By the last Mail we received intelligence of the virtual annihilation of Napoleon's crotchet, of France being supplied with home grown Sugar from Beet. In three years time (by an annually increasing rate of duty on beet root sugar) Colonial and Home grown sugars will be equalised, ere which time, the manufacture of beet sugar in France will be defunct.

Framce will be defunct.

This is a most important fact, and viewed in connexion with other significant circumstances, will be fruitful, unless we much mistake, of great consequences to the mercantile and Colonial interests of France. Already, an association of capitalists, headed by Baron Terneaux, have acquired the larger portion of Cayenne, with the view to the better development of its tronical industry; and products of which tropical industry, and products, of which

we hold in short, that the shollition of the best root sugar is the staple.

We hold in short, that the shollition of the grand design, and fixed determination of the grand design, and fixed determination of the French Government, not only to have ships, but also to found Collonies, and thus create, and foster, greatly ex-tended foreign relations and commerce,

tended foreign relations and commerce.

Almost simultaneously with this home legislatiom, we find France acquiring, territory on the Western coast of the Red Sea, and at the same time, making arrangements for forming settlements on, or near the Delta of the Niger, in the neighbourhood of Cape Palmas Then we have the occupation of the Marquesea and Society Islands—the strengthening of the French post a Madagascar—the extension of trading stations connected with Senegal—and, lastly, we have a mission, and a squadron, despatched to China, and an Admiral's station fixed in the China seas.

We think we have cited facts enough to show that the French Government is carnestly bent on realizing a comprehensive national policy, which shall place France in an assured position, with regard to her mercantile, marine, colonial and favign trade, and which shall be alike becoming her present resources, and their future development and augmentation.

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sent resources, and their future development and augmentation.

We are sorry to find the liberal papers so exceedingly wroth, with, my Lord Aberdeen, for permitting, without protest, the Prattel Government taking possession, of Tahit. We have before expressed our hearty commendation of Lord Aberdeen's views in this particular. The world is surely wide enough for bath, and a little reflection will suffice to convince one, that has most boundenesses system of colonization which could in a rivided out by France, could not England, and he Colonies.

In truth, England for her own good in too much her own way in times past, and.

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other beneficial consequences, which this honorother beneficial consequences, which this honorable rivalry of France cannot fail to produce, will be the quickening of our national energies, and morsover, coercing our Home Government into adopting some well defined system that shall preclude the jobbery and mal-admistration now almost synonymous with colonial rule, and; which is seems our were latest founded settlements are it seems, our very latest founded settlements are to afford no exception.

French Trade—In connexion with the foregoing lemarks we may mention that Mc. Culloch in his Geographical Dictionary gives the Estimated Value of the Goods manufactured in France in 1889 Value of the Goods manufactured in France in 1889 at £94,000,000. Silk and Silk goods is the largest item and amounts to £12,000,000. Woollens to £10,500,000. Linens £10,400,000. Cottons £9,000,000. Leather £6,000,000. Hardware £8,500,000. These are the principal articles of manufacture. By the same authority we find that Aum (Vide our last) is manufactured at Paris, Pouilly and Montpellier to the value of £240,000 per annum. per annuin,

The Exports of France in 1836 were £36,000,000. The Imports £38,000,000 in total value.

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We are sorry to find that the sickness is still very evalent, and many instances with a fatal issue occur-

We have not before dwelt on this subject, as we wished to allay all undue apprehension; but the removal of the Government to Macao, and the panio it praduced if we may judge by the quick departure from our lesand of almost all who could leave; compels us to advert to this painful subject and to say that the bear medical. Authorities uniformly ascribe the present sickness, not to any climatic or local influence of a deleterious character, but wholly to the absence of habitable houses and the suitable accommodations which are; absolutely required for the healthy existence of Europeans in this climate and especially during this, the rainy season. But for the (we presume unavoidable,) delay in the Land arrangements and the prohibition of building, we sincerely beliefs the deal fever now raging would not have been engagedered. We have not before dwelt on this subject, as we v

WHAT with the insecurity of life and property from the numerous robberies and piracies-prevailing sickness—the low tariff at Cantoncauses above mentioned, and more than all the contingent interference with our privileges as a FREE PORT; it is no way surprising that some of the earliest friends of the cony, have now, abanthe earliest friends of the Mony have now abandoned it in disgust. All these circumstances combined have induced such a wide spread feeling of disappointment, that deeply interested as we are in the fate of the Island, yet truth constrains us to avow that there is bardly an individual who has invested funds in Hong-Kong, who would not, if reimbursed his outlay, be but but too glad to depart, never to return. So, drear and black are our present prospects.

We learn from Canton, that a good many Chops of the new Congous, have been contracted for at the rates named in our last. In Smarnching doing; about 190 halesof new Tatelee have arrived, for which \$500 is demanded, \$460 refused. The total Export of Tax during the two months of July and August, was less 3,862,280.

A Commercial of seven Moredian has been elected by ballot from the foreign resident, to take into consideration, various matters affecting. Trade under the new Regulations—viz.

Trade very dull—No l'és has yet be under the pay troien—267 tach is a been given for a fine Chop of Conson, is said to be on his death bad, mornios taken place in his legs.

allowed to visit the city, and are uniformly freated with couriesy and kindness, by both the upper and lower classes. At Woosung, trafficking is connived at by the local mandarius.

It is said H. M. S. Wolf which left about ten days since for the Yang-tze-keang, will be stationed at Woosung and there awaits the arrival of the Consul for Shenghai

for Shanghai.

Of H. M. Ships, there are now in Chusan Harbour, the Cambrian. Pelican and the Steam frigate Driver and the company's Steamer Meduca. The Rattlesmake troop ship left for your port on the 23d inst. and will it is expected soon return from theuce to Chusan."

Export Manifest of Ship Joka Brown, J. Thornhill, Compander, to China—10th July, 1843.

410 Bales 25 half Bales Cotton, consigned to Pestonjee Morwanjee, & Co.—356 do. 25 half do. Ditto, to Mesers. Russell & Co.—112 Bage Gum, Olibanum, and 38 ditto Mother O'Pearl Shells, to Mahonedibboy Allabboy—300 Bales Cotton and I parcel samples, to order—100 Bundles Mother O'Pearl Shells, to Samjee Visrain—4 ditto Elephants Tech to ditto—234 Bales I7 half bales Cotton, to ditto—50 Chesta Opium; to Mesers Pent & Co.—2662 Bars Irons, I Case Guns, and 6 Bundles True Pearls, to Orders.—Bombly Gentleman's Gazette, July 11, 1843.

ROBBERIES.—Robberies have again begun to be common in the city, so every householder ought to be on his guard, and all new comeas to the Island should take the greatest care in securing their property. On Wednesday morning at One O'clock a party of armed Chineso to the number of forty, attacked the house of the Comprador in the Bazaar, near to Jardine Matheson & Co's Poixt. They first broke open the front door but on account of strong barriers fixed behind it, they could not obtain an entrance; before the inmates Chinese to the number of forty, attacked the house of the Comprador in the Bazaar, near to Jardine Matheson & Co's Porax. They first-broke open the front door but on account of strong barriers fixed behind it, they could not obtain an entrance; before the immates fixed upon them, the thieves then threw fire balla, and other combustible matter around, in order to illuminate the house, and obtain aim for their weapons, and commenced another attack—the firing however alarmed the watchmen of the nearest godowns, who hastened to the spot when the robbers retreated. This robbery was attempted within a short distance, of a station of soldiers, piaced there for the defence of the neighbourhood, yet not withstanding the fitting and discharging of rockets not one of them went to the spot—certainly it was their duty on hearing the report of fire arms have at once gone there, but most probably like others of higher authority in the Island good, quiet, Rorthy me. — they were asleep! at any rate the affair should be looked into. On the same morning, some their were asleep at any rate the affair should be looked into. On the sames Hospial, situated in the eastern suburb; among other things, carrying off a watch and gue belonging to an immate. On the same evening Capt. Bowra, last from the greund its front of his secores, two very fine thirty two pounders! how many thieves it took, fo lift one of these guas during the night it is hard to say, but there must have been many; for it took more than twenty men to place them where they Jay. It is certain that they could not carry them through the town, they must have been embarked in some large boat alongside the wharf—but whatever way they went is shows a pretty state of things when thirty two pounders can be carried away from a merchants door with impunity. If carried away from a merchants door with impunity. If carried away from a merchants door with impunity. If carried away from a merchant door with impunity in the way and the most fire produced the soul of his godown of the pr

The following Parliamentary document, received by the last Mail will be interesting to our mercantile readers:

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RETURNS OF THE OPIUM TRADE OF INDIA.

CULTUATED IN BRITISH TERRITORIES,		CULTIVATED IN NATIVE STATES					
Date of Sales PATRA AND BENARES OFFOM		Matwa Orium in Bombay		an Se Select at			
Government	Chests: 160 lbs:	Average Price,	Amount Bale.	No. of Chests exported.	Average price each, Quarter	Gov. Daty	भागा क्षेत्रका स्थापन । विकास
January 4	6,960 2,490 2,388 5,706	RS: A. P.	10,924,285	Commercial year from the 1st May, 1837 to the 30th	Quarfer 1st Apl. to 30th June 1837 pr chest, Rs. 1100 to 30th Sept. 1120	140 Rs. per Chest	Amount of Opium exposed from Brit- ish India, season
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The Opium delivered to Captain Elliot was from the above Sales.

THE Copartnership existing between Diron, CARTER THE Copartnership exacting setween JEROM, CARRYS Co. at Bombay, DEBOM, RICHMOND & Co. at Liverpool, and ourselves in China, having expired by its own limitation on the 31st July last, we beg leave to announce, that in future, our business will be carried on here, under the firm of DIROM, GRAY & Co.; at Bombay under the firm of DIROM, HUNTRE & Co.; and at Liverpool under the firm of DIROM, DAVIDSON & Co.; DIROM & Co.

Macao, 1st August 1843.

WILLIAM BUIST, begs respectfully to intimate to WILLIAM BUIST, begs respectfully to intimate to the inhabitants of Victoria, and the public in general, that he has opened the premiser adjoining Mr Boulle's, Queen's Road, as a wholesale and retail Wine and Spirit Shop and BULLIARD ROOM, and hopes, that strictness of attention to business, and an earnest desire to give satisfaction to his customers, combined with excellent articles, will ensure him a share of public support.

W. B. would respectfully solicit the attention of the Naval, Military, and also the private gentlemen residing in Hong-kong; so his Billiard Room, which is well aired, and adapted to afford comfort to all who may honour him with their support.

with their support.

Victoria, 6th September, 1843.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

MR. John Hamilton Jacobs, begs to notify, to those parties to whom he stands indebted, that on the 18th last, at 12 O'Clock at the Exchange Rooms he will be prepared to liquidate all his outstanding accounts, it is period of time owing to his recent severe and dangerous illness which base is capacitated, him from attending to his affairs.

Victoria, Hongkong, 5th September, 1843.

A. H. THEDESHAR'S advertises for Sile—Claim pages, Sauteries Princip. Chief in Chake, Sile are water, Wax capelles handshirty. Siled oil. East Q. Cologne, Batteria arrable. Copper Sheathing, Window, Glaz, Shet and other articles, apply to.

Victoria, 10th Angua 1865. Queen Read.

FOR SALE.

CHAIN Cables, Europe Rope, Wises, Spirits, Store of every description, Dressing Glasses, Plats Glas of every description. Dreams and Warm Clothings.

ALTRID EVIMPHREYS,

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NOTICE

THE papers of the decased Alexander Scott, having been duly examined, and no Will or other document disposing of his effects having been discovered, his Estate will be administered by Mr. Gordon F. Davidson, who has been appointed to act on behalf of Government, and to whom there-fore it is desired that all claims on the Estate may tore it is desired that an claims on use relate may be sent, and all debts owing thereto paid.

By order,

CHAS. E. STEWART,

Treasurer & Financial Secretary.

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Government House Victoria, Hongkeng, 5th September, 1843.

NOTICE.

THE Following persons having died intestate,

James Prestoe, William Smith. J. B. Kent,

All persons having claims on their Estates, or owing debts thereto, are red to make the same known to the Secretary Her Majesty's Chief

Notice is further given, that all the property on the premises of the late Messrs. Kent, and Bates, will unless previously claimed, he said by Public Auction, for the benefit of whom at many softcorn, on Montay, the 11st Instant.

By order,
CHAS: E-STEWART,
Treasurer and Financial Socretary.

overnment House,
Victoria, Hougkong, 5th September, 1843.

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TRANSPORT OF TROOPS PROM CHUSAN, & Amoy; To Hongron

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NOTICE. - The hitherto identical interests, and responsibilities, of our Firms in Calcutta, and China are, from this date made separate and distinct. -

are, from this date made separate and distinct.—
CMARLES HUGERSPON
DOSEPH HUGERSPON
by his attorney
CMARLES HUGERSPON
Macao, China; 31st August, 1843.

NOTICE.—The interest and responsibility of Mr. JOSEPH HEGERSPON IN OUT Firm ceased yesterday, Ms. ADMENTS CALDER, and Ms. HERRY RUTTER are this day admitted Pariners therein, and our busines is future will be conducted under the style of HEGERSPON CALDER & Co.

HUGHESDON BRS.,
Macao, China; lat September, 1843.

NOTICE—The undersigned is authorized by
His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of Her
Majesty's Land Forces in China, to receive all packages addressed to the Officers or Messes of any of the
Regiments employed during the late war. N. DIIIIS.

Hong Kong, 15th April, 1843.

DIED.—On the 2nd September at Victoria, Hongkong, Parette Rosers Foors, 'Raos., Deputy commun.,'
H. M. service.

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39 years.
On the 6th Inst. on board the Justite Antian, of the prevailing
fever, Capain the Havilland of H. Mr. 55th Regiment, one of the
Land Committee, Assessant Surveyor &c., &c.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. VESSELS NOW IN VICTORIA HARBOUR.

Mary Catharine Eagle Charles Jones. Cleopatra
Judith Allan
Columist.
Louisa Louisa
Sarah [Brig]
Sarah [Ship]
John Laind (Iron Barque]
Mary [Schr]
Ternate [Repairing]
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Rear Admiral Sir Thos. Cochrane,
Captain Bruce.
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ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE, COMPANY OF LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China, for the above Company, are prepared to accept Assurances at Hong. Kong, as under;—

accept Assurances at Hong-Kong, as under;

1st.—On Buildings of Brick or Stone, covered with
Tiles, States, Metal, or other incombustible
material, together with their contents, when
such Buildings are isolated from all others.

Rate of Premium, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{per acest, per annum,}
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2xD—On such Buildings and their contents, when not
so isolated, at the rate of \$1\text{per cent, per annum,}
Assurances for 6 months \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ of the annual, rate, will}
and for 3 months, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ of the annual, rate, will be}
accepted to the extent of \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\text{,000 only on one risk.}

And of the 2nd Class to the extent of \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\text{,000 only on one risk.}

And of the 2nd Class, to the extent of \$6000.

A Building and its contents taken together, form one risk. Thus the above sums may be underwritten either on a Building alone, or the contents alone; or, either on a Building alone, or the contents atone; or, part on the Building, and part on the contents. No Assurance is to be considered in force until the Premium be paid.

Amongst other advantages of the Company, the Assured will be entitled to participate in the profits.

Assured will be chutted by participations after five successive payments.

Parties applying for Aesurances will, please send in full particulars of the risk to be taken; any deviation from which, without the consent of the Company, will

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JARDINE, MATHESON, & Co.
Agents in China.

Macao, 12th July, 1843.

J. Mc. MURRAY, Baker, Pastry Cook, 4c opposite the Godowns of W. Scott, Esq., Lower Bazaar, begs to announce to the Public, that he car-Bazaar, begs to announce to the Public, that he cerries on business in the above named vicinity, and hopes to participate in that Public Patronage which it shall be his constant endeavour to deserve,

N. E.—Parties can be supplied with Bread, Pastry, c., on the shortest notice, also ship biscuit;

Hong-kong, 14th August, 1843.

Bakings of every description, carefully executed, from eleven in the moring till five in the evening,

ALL persons indebted to the firm of P. Townsend of Co. are desired to make immediate payment to P. TOWNSEND

JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE JUST REDELVED, AND FOR SALE,
BEEF, Pork, Flour and Bread,
Brandy and Wines, Cherry Cordial
Vinegar, Rum, and Arrack,
Brear in Cask, Saddles &c.
Rice, Singapore Planks,
Sperm Candles, House-fittings,
Mamila Timber, Sheathing Copper,
American and Castile Soap,
Tolbacco, Raisins, Spirits Turpentine,
Jar, Rosio, and Pitch,
Black, White, Brown, and Drab Hats.

P. TOWNSEND, Hong-Kong, 31st July, 1843.

Victoria, 22nd August, 1848

FOR SALE-at the Godowas of the Undersigned

No. 20 Queen's Roed,

No. 20 Queen's Roed,

Port, Sherry, Madeira, Raspberry Ratafia, Brandy in wood and buttle, Arrack, Pressived Provisions, Vinegar, Sauces, Pickles, Mustard, Anchors, Chain Cables, Rigging and Boat Chain, Europe and Manila Rope, Canwas, Blocks, Stationery, Saws, Chiecks, Telesco-pes, Pistols, Percussion Caps, Musical Boxes, London London Bottled Beer, and a variety of other articles.

ALEXANDER MOSS. Victoria, Hongkong, 22d August, 1843.

victoria hospital,

Nos. 1, 2, 4 3, Queen's Road, immediately opposite Fearon's Wharf.

Resident Physician and Surgeon, JAMESSATOHELL, M.D. Resident Assist. Physician, & Surgeon, RICHARD JONES, M. D.

THE HOSPITAL, is now open for the reception of Patients, and is furnished with every convenience necessary for the complete and speedy leadings of the

sick.

Palients are substitud at any hour, of the day of sight, on production of an undertaking to defeat the expenses injuryed, argued either by the targets of a very the versus to which the sick person fullangs, or a Member of some Mercautile Pirra in Chies. No Patient on the ordanized without such on undertaking.

Target For Medical attendance, Medicating and Provinces.

Season.—On Dellay.

Opposite Two Bolley.

Victoria. Hong Kong.

Victoria, Hong Co. 20th July, 1844.

CONSULAT DE FRANCE EN CHINE

A VIS.—Per décision consulaire en date d' aujour d'hui Mr. Chantave éleve consul, n'appartient plus au Consulat de France en Chine. Compe De RATTI, MENTON.
Macao, le 17 Aout, 1842.

The Daw Prançais qui se trouveut, au se trouverni en Chinn, au prevenna que s'ils veulent s'assurer la protection du Consulat de France et la jouisannee des droits et priviléges deja stribués, ou qui pourronn Pétre à l'avenir, par les traités, les lois ou-ordennances nux sujest de S. M. le Roi des Français, devront se faire ingering par. le registre metricule du dit Consulat, en se faire ingering par le legistre metricule du dit Consulat, en se faire ingering de la consulation de la consulatio

COMTE DE RATTI-MENTON,

NOTICE.

THE Clipper Brig "ALGERINE" daily expected from Calcutta, will be available within ten days after her arrival for freight or charter to Manila or the North Coast of China, apply to.

D. WILSON 4 Co.

Victoria, 31st August, 1843.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership of the undersigned has this day been amicably dissolved and the business will in future be carried on by James Smith and James Britielaw. All debts due to our late firm it is requested may be point to the said Smith and Brimelaw and all persons having claims are requested to send them in when they shall be immediately paid, if correct.

J. MOLTION.

JAMES SMITH.

Hong-Kong Inn, 28th August, 1843,

SMITH & BRIMELAW beg most respectfully to announce to their friends and the public in general, that having succeeded to the business of the above lnn it is their intention to conduct it on principles which then trust will convex their from and support. Hongr Kong Inn.

Regr the Lower Market

28th, August, 1843.

JUST Landed and for SALE. Two Weighing Machines : Apply to ALEX MOSS. 20, Aprica's Road, Victoria, 2nd August, 1843

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VICTORIA, HONG-KONG, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7711, 1843.

TRANSLATIONS.

From the Semanario Filipino of 12th, Aug., 1843. The news from China give but little diffisfiction to all lovers of peace. In the course of the extraordinary circumstances, under which this Nation has found itself placed during the last few years, the Acts of the Govern-ment have only shown, that their conduct has ever been vacillating and insincere throughout, this is partly owing vaciliating and misusere throughout, this is partly owing to the national character of the people, and partly to the syant of the proper knowledge of their Ministers of state, how to manage political affairs, of so delicate and complicated a nature as those that took their origin in the completed a matter of the consequences of their own power, and which they appear ated ideas of their own power, and which they appear quite to have forgotten, notwithstanding the direful effects which they must still have in rememberance, of a war provoked without sufficient prudence, and without reason, yet, they are, it seems, already preparing anew according to all signs, to try their fortune again by force of arms, without having first perfected the means of securing the probabilities of a triumph.

The Chinese vanquished by a few Foreigners, whom their stupid pride, taught them to treat as inferior beings, and wounded in the most vital part of their anoun propre and national succeptibility, it is natural they will not suffer with calm resignation the consequences of their defeat; and likewise, it is that the Emperor and his advisers participate in these sentiments, even in a greater proportion if events which are notorious. Possessed with exagger-

likewise, it is that the Emperor and his advisers participate in these sentiments, even in a greater proportion if possible though it is touching their dishonor in a greater degree; but in having made them public, which they have done by recent Acts, using offensive epithets, which one would have thought would now have been left out-of their official forms, manifesting their sorrow for having yielded to exigencies, founded upon principles of rigorous justice and humanity; and openly fomenting a hostile spirit in contradiction to the solemn Acts, that were about to be terminated, in virtue of a treaty, in which it may he said the Emperors Signature still remains fresh.

The Chinese Government appears again decided on not following that course which would ensure the welfare of its own interests, but that which flatters most its, own

of its own interests, but that which flatters most its own vanity, and which to all appearance it had renounced, at least for a short time when the Treaty was concluded at Nanking, It is however now beginning again to show contempt towards the "Barbarians" who so lately feiled them and whose exigencies were only founded on relations which were for the mutual convenience of both Co.

Intries.

If we figure to ourselves for a moment that China after the lapse of years, were to possess the art of European tactics, and the rest of political and administrative Sciences, the loss of which hinders it from placing itself on a level with other civilized Nations, if she were to form well organized Squadrons and armies, as numerous as a Nation of 250 Millions of people could do, figuring to ourselves likewise that she were to continue the same unity that now exists, then in such case she might have nothing to fear from England, but the latter Country as well as all the rest of the World, might tremble on provoking her displeasure.

The news which we received from China last week and which we published in our anterior number induced us to make the preceding reflections, but since then other more flattering accounts have been received, although in reality they, do not destroy the foundation of those reflections which were founded on the last direct though in reality they do not destroy the foundation of those reflections which were founded on the last direct acts of the Government of China; and the popular manifestations, all showing very little peoific feefing of the Government of Peking less than any other, assumes the responsibility of the acts of its own subordinates, for this reason, we should not be at all surprized to see it proclaim war, at the same time that they are giving the most unequivocal proofs of their desire for peace and good faith, we limit ourselves for the present of express our satisfaction at the arrangement of the Commercial Treaty between England and China; which Sir HENRY POTTINGER and the Imperial High Commissioner Keying have just completed in virtue of the Treaty of Nanking, and which arrangement consists in the regulations and Tariff of Duties, which our Subscribers will receive if possible to day in a Supplement. This Document is a glorious triumph for Sir HENRY POTTINGER and the Imperial Commissioner Keying; and supposing as we must do, that the Commercial advantages which have just been stipulated for in favor of the English Nation will be open generally to all the English Nation will be open generally to all the English Nation will be open generally to all the English Nation will be open generally to all the English Nation will be open generally to all the English Nations who trade with China.

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The Bombay has reached the port of the same name from Plymouth, in Eighty days, which is considered one of the most remarkable passages on record.

The Friend of India.

Sin Charles Napier in his despatches to Government of the 19th June stated that a sudden change of the weather to extraordinary heat, just after the troops marched from Hydrabad, had proved fatal to many of the Europeans, who were struck down by the sun and died within a few hours. He had thus lost in the field, I Lieute nant, 2 Sergeapts, and 29 Rank and File. In the fort of Hydrabad, there had at the same time been carried off by the same cause, 3 Sergeants, 1 Drummer, and 14 Rank and File. In all 50 individuals. Idem.

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About a quarter before one o'clock this morning the watchman on duty at the Office of Messis, Jardine. Matheson & Co. observed some one advancing thing the adjoining Bazanr with a small lantern in a way which their active his attention. On arriving opposite the Companding house which has several times before been the object of a significial graph, to rehes wore dighted, and oiled paper in a flame thrown about so us to illuminate the neighbourhood. At this same time a numerous band of Chinisso probbers attempted to the companies of the control of the

Ox Monday 21st August an Inquest was held at the Jolly Sailors on the body of James Smith a tenan; at that Tavern:

at that Tavern:

James Forresteriwas sworn and said. I am living at the Jolly Sailors. This morning after breakfast I saw deceased to with the of the door and sit down, he seemed very week and sied. He then got up to walk A chinaman soon after called out to us, and pointing his finger, I and James Wilson, went to the place, and found him lying on his back. His eyes were half shut his face black, and the was quite insensible. We brought him into the house and laid him on his bed, he mever snoke. When he was found a doctor was sent for. never spoke. When he was found a doctor was sent for, but he was dead before the doctor arrived. James Wilson on being sworn, merely confirmed the last witness. John Woolner on being sworn, spoke to his having lived in the Jolly Sailor Tayern some time as wail ter, and that for two or three days he had observed him sickly and vomiting black matter. The Coroner then read a letter from DP Sate that atting his opinion of the

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Hongkong, 29th June, 1843.

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29 August, 1843.

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HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. N.

Victoria, Hongkong.

STOLEN-from the Merchant Beanant Hospital, yet terday afternoon, p. Watsh. Makers name, J. Hall. Aldersgate Street London, Wissber 136 whoever declare it and sends notice to the Hospital or Office of this paper will be most liberally rewarded.

P.S.—Arrived, the Juny Houron, and John Ghaserian, min Liverpool, size H. M. Steamer Serravin, from England, last from Singapore. She reports the Anonyma with the July Mail, reached Singapore in 16 days from Bombay, and it is expected has now arrived at Macao

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