



TEA: Considerable disappointment was manifested last month at the non-arrival of the mail; and the trade have purchased sparingly. With the exception of the sales on the 20th Sept. at which Hysous went 1d cheaper, the business has been confined to private contract, without any change in prices. Stock on 30th Sept.: 1843, 27,656,000 lbs; 1842, 31,235,260 lbs.

Meetings have been held at Manchester, Liverpool, Bristol, Hull, Edinburgh, and Glasgow, and memorials have been adopted in furtherance of an acceleration of the Indian mails.

EXTRAORDINARY SALES OF COTTON.—The sales of cotton on Monday amounted to not less than 25,000 bales, and an advance of 1d. per lb. was established. This is one of the largest daily sales that has ever taken place in Liverpool.

LATEST ARRIVALS.—Oct. 3 Marchioness of Douro. China, Gravesend; Diadem, China, Falmouth; Pilot, Batavia-Sulcombe.

Rockhiffe, Oct. 5, Singapore St. Mawes; Welcome, Oct. 5, Batavia, Falmouth; John Panter, Oct. 5, Singapore, Cowes.

LATEST DEPARTURES.—Sept. 29. Dalmamock, Clyde, Singapore.

SUMMARY OF CHINA SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

St. Laurence Sept. 8 China, Plymouth; Tanley Sept. 9 China, Penzance; Siam Sept. 10 China, Portsmouth; Edinburgh Sept. 13 China, Portland; H. M. S. Balleine Sept. 13 China, Plymouth; Liverpool Sept. 14 China, Castletow; Frances Burn Sept. 15 China, Corkhaven; St. Mida Sept. 16 China, Plymouth; Bella Maria Sept. 20 China, Falmouth; Monarch Sept. 20 China, Falmouth; Grecian Sept. 21 China, Penzance; Athena Sept. 30 China, Downs; H. M. S. Pyllades Oct. 3 China, Plymouth.

DEPARTURES.

Bangalore Sept. 8 China, Portsmouth; Canopus Sept. 8 China, Liverpool; Magnolia Sept. 8 China, Liverpool; Old England Sept. 26 China, Liverpool; Royal Albert Sept. 13 China, Clyde.

SHIPS LOADING FOR CHINA, AND THEIR PROBABLE TIME OF SAILING.

Ar London.—Anne Jane, to sail from Portsmouth, 9th Octob; William Hyde, from London, 7th October; Balmira, from Portsmouth, 8th November; Thomas Lowry, 10th October; The Bibby, 10th; James Matheson, 10th; Liverpool, 15. Ar Glasgow.—Christina and Countess of Durham.

IN THE PRESS, and will be published on the 15th January THE HONG-KONG ALMANAC FOR 1844.

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THE HONG-KONG SHEET ALMANAC FOR 1844.

The publication is unavoidably delayed until the 15th instant, owing to the desire to make the work as complete as possible.

NOTICE.

- From this date the Charges for Printing at the Hongkong Gazette Office will be as follows: Boat Notes . . . \$ 2 per hundred Opium Orders . . . 1 do. do. Bills of Exchange in sets . . . 3 do. do. Cheques . . . 1 do. do. Ship's Articles . . . 1 each or \$ 6 per doz Powers of Attorney . . . 1 do. or . . . 8 do. do. Charter Parties . . . 1 do. or . . . 8 do. do. Auction Bills . . . 2 per first 100, and 75 cents for every succeeding 100. Auction Catalogues . . . 3 per do. do. and 1 per do. do.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

General Advertisements under 10 lines first insertion 1 and 10 cents additional for every line exceeding ten. Repetitions, one fourth of the original charge. Contracts may be entered into for long or short periods. Terms may be known on application at the Office.

TERMS, CASH. Victoria, 8th January, 1844.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Owing to press of matter we are reluctantly compelled to defer the communication on the subject of the late attempt at burglary until next issue.

ERRATUM.

In our 98th number in an extract from a Correspondent's letter on the subject of tea, Foo-chow-foo was mentioned as the seat of Chinese luxury, it should have been Soo-chow-foo.

BT The publication of the FRIEND OF CHINA, AND HONGKONG GAZETTE, commenced on Saturday last at 6 o'clock A. M.

Table with columns: LATEST DATES, and rows for various locations like ENGLAND, UNITED STATES, THE CAPE, SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, PINANG, JAVA with corresponding dates.

THE FRIEND OF CHINA, AND HONG-KONG GAZETTE.

VICTORIA, TUESDAY, JANUARY, 23RD 1841.

We are enabled through the kindness of a friend who was present at the Land Sale yesterday, to give a list of the prices which the lots fetched, and the names of the purchasers. We are only able, in our present issue to give the general conditions of sale, reserving comment for our next. The lots were put up at a yearly ground rent to be paid for seventy-five years, at the end of which period the ground with all buildings thereon are to revert to the Crown absolutely and for ever. The prices paid however are to be understood not as so much per lot, but per quarter acre—six larger or smaller to pay in proportion. Six months rent payable in advance, on all lots except the bazar lots; as possession of the latter is not to be given for six months the rent is not to commence until that time. The other lots immediate possession may be taken. Parties are required to expend a sum equal in amount to ten years ground rent, in building upon their property within twelve months from the day on which possession is given.

Mr. Braine on the part of Messrs. Dent & Co. and Mr. Oswald, protested against the sale of property which had previously been granted to them, and registered in their names; and the property was however sold.

The Overland Mail with dates up to the 6th October arrived here on Saturday evening last. No events of stirring interest have occurred since the despatch of the preceding mail, but still the news received is not devoid of interest. First in interest is the movement having for its object the acceleration of the Overland communication with India and China, and the extension of the benefits of a regular Steam communication to the latter Empire. Simultaneous meetings have been held in the chief cities of England and Scotland, and from the united efforts of all classes to effect so desirable an object we do not expect that the year 1844 will close without seeing the project carried into effect. We have received a circular from the London Committee which we reprint; and we would urge upon the community the propriety of memorialising the Colonial and home Governments on the subject.

Most satisfactory and encouraging are the accounts from the manufacturing districts, the improvement in trade has steadily progressed and there are now but few operatives unemployed. An abundant harvest has also gladdened the hearts of the people, and the desponding fears which had prevailed with regard to the events of the ensuing winter are dispelled. True it is, that the disturbances in Wales have rather increased than diminished, but the rioters have no longer the sympathies of the upper and middle classes on their side. As is the case in all outbreaks, not satisfied with contending for the redress of real grievances, the mob have proceeded to the most extravagant demands as the price of the cessation of disturbance. The manifestation of this disposition has aroused the well-disposed inhabitants, and a large meeting has been held at which resolutions condemnatory of the rioters were passed and a determination to support the Government in the maintenance of order manifested. The dangerous sign of the insurrection having thus disappeared, the supremacy of the law will speedily be enforced, while the real grievances of the people will be at the same time redressed.

In Scotland there appears a prospect of much turmoil consequent upon the division of the Church. The spirit of the old Covenanters is not dead, and it is much to be feared, that if a collision should take place between the military (who are being called upon to protect the new incumbents of livings) and the people, and blood be spilt, a flame will be kindled from one end of the land to the other the consequences of which cannot be foreseen. It will require all the energy of the seceding clergy to prevent things from coming to such a pitch, and a firm but conciliatory policy on the part of the Ministry in the event of an outbreak.

In Ireland, the first act of the farce so long enacted by O'Connell and his myrmidons is drawing to a close; it rests not now with him to say whether the next will be a bloody one or not. No longer able to guide the immense force which he has organised, whose impatience of inaction is daily on the increase, he is compelled to implore and supplicate for delay, endeavouring on the one hand by gross abuse to provoke the Government to commence hostilities, and on the other to compose the excited minds of the populace by mendacious promises, hectoring speeches about the "villainous Saxon" the "bloody Sassenach," and indistinct hints that the time will come when he will lead them to the fight. His exasperation at the calm attitude displayed by the Government, "ready eye ready" for the struggle, but at the same time determined to allow the people their constitutional privilege of assembling to talk over their real or imagined grievances, is displayed on every occasion, and he is evidently driven to his wits' end to find an excuse for foregoing the "Repeal agitation"—an agitation which he knows will never succeed save by force of arms, and to which decision he dares not appeal. By his precipitation O'Connell has lost all; had he been content to go on as formerly, promising but not performing, he might have gone down in peace to the grave and left behind him the reputation of having intended well to his country—but now the Rubicon is passed, and there appears to be only remaining for him the alternative of suffering a traitor's death (should his followers compel him to resort to arms) or an inglorious retirement from the active scenes of life, followed by the curses of the millions whom he has so grossly deceived.

Her Majesty after returning from her trip to France took an excursion to Belgium, where she was received by the people with the most unbounded enthusiasm. Her Majesty visited Antwerp, Ghent, and Bruges and returned to England highly delighted with her excursion. The Royal steam yacht is now laid up for the winter in the Medway.

An Order in Council has been passed (the substance of which we give in another column) enlarging the powers already possessed by H. M.'s Superintendent of Trade in China; by rendering legal any acts passed by him in Council, even tho' they be contrary to preceding Orders of H. M.'s Privy Council.

The Government Education scheme having been withdrawn, an appeal has been made to the public for subscriptions, and upwards of £100,000 has been raised.—The contributions to the Free Episcopal Church Fund have fallen far short of the expectations entertained, and the first quarterly stipend paid to the Ministers from the endowment fund amounts to only five pounds one shilling per head; so much for the voluntary system. Puseyism remains stationary, but the Catholics are making vast and increasingly successful exertions to obtain proselytes to their faith. We hear of nunneries being erected in various parts of the kingdom; and numbers of ladies of high families have devoted their lives to the service of their fellow creatures by joining the religious order of "Sisters of Mercy." Dr. Wolff was to start on his expedition in the hope of releasing Colonels Stoddart and Conolly on the 14th January. The public had displayed great apathy on the subject, the sum contributed being under £ 300. (We are most happy to learn from the last intelligence from Bombay that there is more probability than was hoped for of the captives being still alive, the story of the Jew, upon which so much reliance had been placed having been proved a fabrication.)

A proposition has been made for a railroad from Bombay to either Masulipatan or Calcutta, and meets with much favour.—Father Mathew returned to Ireland after a rather successful visit to various parts of England.

Among the deaths are those of Alderman Wood M. P. Joseph Bell Esq. Professor Scots Law, Edinburgh; Dr Prior, late Vice Provost Trinity College, Dublin; the Rt. Hon. J. S. Mackenzie; Gen. Sir T. Brown K. C. H.

The arrival of the Akbar at Suez was not known in London at the time of the departure of the Overland Mail. 59th Pt.—C. M. Read, gent., to be Ens., b. p., v. Marshall ap. to the 16th Ft.

In the last number of the Canton Register the Editor has evinced a want of candour utterly unworthy of himself or the Editor of any public journal. He has stated, that in correcting an (admitted) error of his own, we ourselves committed a mistake. So far all is correct,—but he has omitted to state (what at the time he was perfectly aware of) that the error was confined to a very small portion of our issue, and that it was corrected by the issue of a printed ERRATUM before the issue of the day of publication.—Further admitting his error, the Editor of the Canton Register has neither in newspaper nor Price Current made a correction of the same, though the price of Opium was erroneously quoted by no less a sum than ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS per chest.

LIST OF PURCHASERS AND PRICES AT LAND SALE, VICTORIA 22D. JANUARY, 1844.

Lots.	Price.	Purchasers.	Lots.	Price.	Purchasers.	Lots.	Price.	Purchasers.
1	27. 5	Henry.	41	38.	Strachan.	80	70. 15	Hawkins.
2	27. 5	Porter.	42	24. 10	Bowra.	81	41.	Strachan.
3		Reserved	43	17. 10	Kerr.	82	48.	Porter.
4		do.	44			83	44. 10	do.
5	22. 10	Larkins.	45	35.	Lattay,	84	55. 10	Ford.
6	17.	P. Stewart.	46	40	Braine.	85	28.	Tarrant.
7	18.	do.	47	46.	do.	86	32. 5	Kimsing.
9	21. 5	Strachan.	48	55.	do.	87	36.	Bowra.
10	17. 15	Legge.	49	46.	do.	88	88. 5	Kimsing.
11	26. 15	do.	50	32.	Christophier.	89	23. 5	Kerr.
12	22. 00	P. Stewart.	51	25.	Braine.	90	30.	Porter.
13	16. 10	Kerr.	52		Reserved.	91	24. 10	F. Jamsetjee.
14	29. 10	P. Stewart.	53		Do.	92	27.	Tarrant.
15	18. 00	Kerr.	54		Do.	93	22.	F. Jamsetjee.
16	21. 10	Porter.	55		Do.	94	26. 15	do.
17	21. 15	Larkins.	56	15. 15	Edwards.	95	23. 15	do.
18	21. 00	A. Scott.	57	17. 15	do.	96	22. 15	Ford.
19	21.	Strachan.	58	15. 5	do.	97	21.	do.
20	21.	do.	59	6. 5	Scott.	98	27.	Strachan.
21	22. 10	do.	60	7. 10	Bruce.	99	30.	Do.
22	15. 5	Edwards.	61	8. 5	do.	100	22. 10	G. Strachan.
23	15. 10	Hawkins.	62	7.	F. Jamsetjee.	101	20. 10	Tarrant.
24	15. 10	G. Strachan.	63	7.	Hughesdon.	102	25. 5	Hughesdon.
25	22. 00	H. Jackson.	64	5. 10	do.	103	21. 10	F. Jamsetjee.
26	15. 10	Strachan.	65	11. 00	Pyke.	104	23. 10	Scott.
27	15. 5	Larkins.	66	11. 00	Stewart.	105	20. 5	Strachan.
28	16.	Stevensen.	67		Reserved.	106	24.	Hughesdon.
29	15. 5	do.	68		Do.	107	20. 5	F. Jamsetjee.
30	10. 5	Hughesdon.	69		Do.	108	21. 10	A. Scott.
31	13. 00	Edwards.	70		Do.	109	20. 5	Strachan.
32	10. 5	Hughesdon.	71	23.	Scott.	110	20. 5	Hughesdon.
33	10. 10	Spring.	72	100.	Braine.	111	21. 10	F. Jamsetjee.
34	10. 10	Scott.	73	73.	Dr. Anderson.	112	24. 10	A. Scott.
35	10. 10	Hughesdon.	74	45.	Lattay.	113	20. 5	Strachan.
36	11. 10	Henry.	75		Reserved.	114	27.	Hughesdon.
37	14. 00	do.	76		Do.	115	26. 10	F. Jamsetjee.
38	11. 5	F. Jamsetjee.	77	30.	Hawkins.	116	21.	Strachan.
39	48. 5	Burd.	78		Reserved.			
40	45.	Strachan.	79	66.	Strachan.			

SUGGESTIONS FOR ACCELERATING THE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN GREAT BRITAIN AND CHINA.

Proposed Route from Hongkong to London, and vice versa.	Course.	Distance Miles.	Average Rate per Hour Miles.	Interval under Weigh. Days. Hours.	Interval at Anchor. Days. Hours.	Total Interval Days. Hours.	Days Return.	Duties at Anchor.	
Hongkong to Pulo Labuan	S. 2°18' E.	1009	7	6	1	12	12	To receive Coal.	
Pulo Labuan to Singapore	S. 69.23 W.	707	7	4	6	12	4 18	To receive Coal, land & receive Mails.	
Singapore - Malacca	{ S. 64.48 W. 19 } { N. 51.41 W. 103 }	122	-	-	18	-	6 1	To land & receive Mails	
Malacca - Pinang	N. 30.37 W.	222	-	1	8	-	2	To receive Coal, land & receive Mails.	
Pinang - Ceylon	{ N. 82.24 W. 303 } { S. 89.45 W. 916 }	1219	-	7	6	1	12 8 18	Do. Do.	
Ceylon - Aden	As now performed by the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co., detention of 2 days included								
Aden - Suez	" " " "	"	"	"	"	"	8		
Suez - Alexandria	" " " "	"	"	"	"	"	3		
Alexandria - Malta	" " " "	"	"	"	"	"	4		
Malta - Marseilles	" " " "	"	"	"	"	"	4		
Marseilles - London	" " " "	"	"	"	"	"	5		
Total interval from Hongkong to London, & vice versa, by the proposed Route, Days								59	
Average interval of transmission of China Correspondence, via Calcutta, and Bombay, during the last Twenty Overland Mails, viz, from 10th October, 1843, to 6th May, 1844, as per TABLE A.								59	
Difference of Time in Favor of proposed Route								Days 30	

NOTICE.—We the undersigned beg to announce that we have this day established ourselves as Commission Agents at Hongkong, under the firm of DISANDT & TIEDEMAN.

D. DISANDT.  
F. H. TIEDEMAN.  
Victoria, Hongkong, 1st January, 1844.

FOR SALE.—Small consignments of the following Goods, viz. Shot Copper and Nails, a few Marr's Fire Proof Iron Safes and Chests, Batavia Arrack, Sherry and Brandy in Wood, Superfine Champagne, Port, Madeira, Hock, Sherry, and Claret in dozen Cases Brands warranted; a good assortment of Oilman's Stores, Coconut, Turpentine and Paint Oil French and English Corks.

FOR SALE.—A small parcel of good No. 3 SUPERIOR MANILLA CIGARS, in Boxes of 500 each, just received per *Duchess of Cumberland*.

Apply to DISANDT & TIEDEMAN, Oswald's Hill, Opposite to the Premises of Messrs. GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.

NOTICE.—The undersigned have this day been appointed attorneys for Messrs. D. Wilson & Co. Parties indebted to said Establishment are therefore called upon to settle their accounts with DISANDT & TIEDEMAN.

Victoria, Hongkong, 10th January, 1844.

DICKENS & McINTYRE.  
(Oswald's Row, Queen's Road.)

HAVE just received a fresh supply of very Superior Oilmans Stores, consisting of White Wine vinegar, Mushroom and Walnut Ketchups, Essence of Anchovies, Harveys, Reading, Beetsteak, Tomata, John Bull, City of London and Camp Sauces, Salad Oil, French Olives and Capers, Durham Mustard in one and half lb. bottles, Chili, Raspberry and Tarragon Vinegars, Assorted Pickles.—Also a Supply of Gooseberry, Strawberry, Raspberry, Green Gages and Black Currant Jams, Raspberries, Damsons, Red and Black Currants, Green Gages, Gooseberries and Kentish and Morrella Cherries, for Tarts &c., Westphalia and Cumberland Hams, Cheshire Cheese, English Butter, &c., &c.

JAMES WELCH  
CHEMIST DRUGGIST &c. &c. &c.  
Queen's Road Victoria.

RETURNS his most grateful thanks to the Officers of H. M. Navy, the Military Masters of Merchant Vessels, and the public of Victoria for the very liberal support he has experienced, since his commencement in business, and to inform them that he has lately made considerable additions to his Stock of Medicines, Perfumery, Oilmans Stores &c. &c. He further assures them that any commands with which he may be entrusted, in the preparation of Prescriptions, refitting Medicine Chests &c. will be most faithfully attended to.

1st January, 1844.

MR. LATTAY.  
Chronometer and Watch Maker.

Begs to announce that he has just arrived in Hongkong, and commenced business at Lane's Hotel, trusting that many years practical experience in London, will enable him to give the utmost satisfaction in every branch of his business.

Having devoted much of his time, and attention, to the repairing and rating of Chronometers, he can confidently undertake to repair and rate them, as efficiently as they can be done in London.

LANE'S HOTEL HONGKONG.

NOTICE.

The following packages addressed to the Officers and Messes of H. M. and E. L. C's Regts serving during the late war are lying in the Godowns of the Undersigned.

Cap. F. Cotton Engineers	8 packages.
" Herton H. M. 98th Regt.	1 do.
Sir W. McGregor Bart, 18	R. I. 2 do.
Mess.	6 " N. I. 1 do.
Col. A. B. Dyce	41 " 1 do.
Cap Badwood Madras Engineers	1 do.
Lieut Rinehart	do 1 do.
" I. F. Erskin, 2nd Regt. N. I.	4 do.
" F. S. Dewberrey H. M.	55th 1 do.
" I. C. Shaw Engineers	1 do.
" R. S. Dobbe 99th Regt.	1 do.
Sergt. W. Wards	2 " 1 do.
F. Welch	55 " 2 do.

The parties to whom the packages are addressed are requested to make application for them.

N. DUUS.  
Queen's Road.

Victoria, January 1, 1844.

FOR SALE.—STOVES of various kinds, and stove piping. Apply at the Godowns of Holiday Wise & Co.

JOHN RYSON.  
Victoria, 9th November, 1843.

FOR SALE.—E. I. Co's Bills on Bengal.  
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.

FOR SALE.—Superior Port and Sherry; Liebon Madeira; Claret; Champagne; Santerno; Chablis; Coratillo; Older pale and dark Cognac in wood and bottles; Ginners; Sperm Candles; Blacking; Table covers; Sauces; Oil; Mustard; Pins; Patent Hat guards; Nails and Hooks of sizes; best French corks; Cases; Pocket compass; Carpenter's tools &c. &c.  
apply to  
J. C. POWER

Victoria, 13th January, 1844.

JUST RECEIVED.  
AMERICAN BLEND Superior Porter American Cyder. A large Invoice of new publications, Preserved Marketed, China, Glass, Plate, Oil, and Copper Stone Furniture, China, Iron, Hardware, and sundry other articles.  
For Sale only.  
Apply to  
H. W. WISEND.  
Victoria, 13th January, 1844.

**ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.**

**THE** Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China, for the above Company, are prepared to accept Assurances on Hong-Kong, as under:—  
1st.—On Buildings of Brick or Stone, covered with Tiles, Slate, Metal, or other incombustible material, together with their contents, when such Buildings are isolated from all others.

Rate of Premium,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. per annum, 2nd.—On such Buildings and their contents, when not so isolated, at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum. Assurances for 6 months  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the annual rate, will and for 3 months,  $\frac{1}{4}$  be charged.

Of the 1st Class, Assurances, for the present, will be accepted to the extent of £10,000 only on one risk. And of the 2nd Class, to the extent of £5000.

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, 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 after five successive payments.

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

**JARDINE, MATHESON, & Co.,**

Agents in China.

Macao, 12th July, 1843.

**THE** Copartnership existing between **DIXON, CARTER & Co.** at Bombay, **DIXON, 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 **DIXON, GRAY & Co.**; at Bombay under the firm of **DIXON, HENDER & Co.**; and at Liverpool under the firm of **DIXON, DAVIDSON & Co.**

Macao, 1st August, 1843.

**NOTICE.**—The undersigned have established a House of Agency in China, under the firm of "Boustead & Co." in connection with Messrs Butler, Sykes and Co. Manila, and Messrs Sykes, Schwabe and Co. Liverpool. The partners in our several establishments continue as before: Mr. Edward Boustead managing in China, Mr. Benjamin Butler at Manila, Mr. Gustav Christian Schwabe at Liverpool, and Mr. Adam Sykes at Singapore.

**HOUSTEAD, SCHWABE & Co.**

Singapore, 12th August, 1843.

**NOTICE.**—Mr. John Mackenzie has been admitted a partner in our firm from 1st August last.

**BECKIE & Co.**

Bombay, 21th September, 1843.

**NOTICE.**—The undersigned begs to acquaint the Public, that he has taken the **ALFRED HOPE**, and will conduct it under the immediate superintendance, and hopes thereby to ensure the comfort of Families and others, and to meet the patronage which that Establishment has heretofore had.

**A. H. FRYER**

Macao, 31st August, 1843.

**NOTICE.**—Goods and merchandize of all descriptions received and carefully stored in spacious airy and secure Brick Godowns situated 18, and 56 Queens Road upon moderate terms.

Goods placed (except combustibles) in Godown 18, Queen's Road can be insured from risk of Fire.

Apply to **N. DUUS.**

Goods received and sold on Commission 18 Queen's Road, Victoria, November, 1st 1843.

**NOTICE.**—Mark Moss of Singapore, Merchant, having by Indenture, dated the 18th of October instant, assigned all his Property whatsoever to the Undersigned, in Trust to be realised and applied towards satisfaction of the Claims of such of his Creditors as should within six months from the date thereof consent to, or subscribe the said Indenture, by writing or letter addressed to the said Trustees or either of them, signify their intention of so doing. The Creditors of the said Mark Moss are hereby requested to do so by themselves, or their Agents and at the same time to send in their claims. And notice is hereby given, that the Creditors who do not consent to, or subscribe the said Indenture within the said period, shall not participate in the benefit of the said assignment.

The Trustees also hereby require all persons indebted to the said Mark Moss to make payment to them on behalf of the said Trust Estate, without delay, of their respective debts.

**JOHN MYRTLE**

**ROBERT MAC. EWEN** Trustees

Singapore 20th October 1843.

**IN** reference to the above Notice the Undersigned is authorised by Power of Attorney to act for the above named Trustees and requests immediate attention of all concerned, to the foregoing notice.

**ERSKINE DUNCAN.**

Victoria, Hong-Kong, 27th November, 1843.

**CONSULAT DE FRANCE EN CHINE.**

**AVIS.**—Par décision consulaire au date d'aujourd'hui Mr. CULLY a été nommé, n'appartient plus au Consulat de France en Chine.

**COURT DE RATTIMENTON.**

Macao, le 17 Aout, 1843.

**AVIS.**—Les Français qui se trouvent, ou se trouveront en Chine, sont prévus qu'ils veulent s'assurer la protection du Consulat de France et la jouissance des droits et privilèges de ce Consulat, ou qui pourront l'être à l'avenir, par les traités, les lois ou ordonnances aux sujets de S. M. le Roi des Français, devront se faire inscrire sur le registre matricule du dit Consulat, ou se faire inscrire sur le registre matricule de l'adresse au Consulat, en vue de leur qualité de Français, par aucune des circonstances spécifiées dans l'art. 17 du code civil, tels que la naturalisation, l'acceptation non autorisée par le Roi, de fonctions publiques conférées par un gouvernement étranger, et enfin, par tout établissement fait en pays étranger, sans esprit de retour.

Le Consul de France.

**COURT DE RATTIMENTON.**

**NOTICE.**—The Partnership lately existing under the name or firm of **J. B. Pain & Co.** has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having claims against the firm are requested to prefer them on or before the 31st inst, and all parties indebted to the same are required to make payment of their accounts within the same period to **Mr. J. B. Pain** in whose name the business from this date will be conducted.

**J. B. PAIN & Co.**

Victoria, January, 1st 1844.

**NOTICE.**

**THE UNDERSIGNED**, being about to leave China, has transferred his outstanding business to Messrs. **BELL & Co.** of Macao.

**ROBERT WEBSTER.**

Hongkong, 13th November, 1843.

**NOTICE.**

**OUR** establishment is removed from Macao to Hong-Kong, No. 2 Wellington Terrace.

**HUGHESDON, CALDER & Co.**

Victoria, Hongkong, 11th October, 1843.

**NOTICE.**

**MESSRS. CARTER & Co.** beg to advertise their having commenced business in Hongkong as Builders Contractors &c. and that from their long experience in England and their arrangements here they flatter themselves they will be able to complete any work with that punctuality, and in that workmanlike manner that will ensure satisfaction to those gentlemen who may honor them with their patronage.

Any communication addressed to Messrs. C. & Co., of the care of Mr. Welch, Chemist and Druggist Victoria will meet with prompt attention.

**NOTICE.**

**THE** undersigned is authorized by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of H.M. 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. DUUS.**

Hongkong, 15th April, 1843.

**JUST RECEIVED** for sale by the undersigned, Beer in Cask, Oil Cloth Table Covers, Paints, and Paint Oil, Blankets, Hats, Butter, Varnish, Pitch, Vinegar, Spars, Coir Rope &c. &c.

Apply to

**P. TOWNSEND.**

Victoria, 28th December, 1843.

**FOR SALE.**

**THE** following Wines received ex **Foam** from Messrs. Sandeman Forster and Co. London.

Fine old Pale and Brown Sherry } In wood and bottle.  
Fine old Madeira }  
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Sauterne, Moselle, Burgundy and Champagne.

Apply to **LINDSAY & Co.**

Macao, 1 January, 1844.

**FOR SALE.**

**THE PRESS** and **TYPE**s lately used for printing the **EASTERN GLOBE** newspaper. A new font of type has lately been added, the whole being in every respect suitable for parties wishing to establish a Journal either at Hongkong, Canton, or any of the new ports of China. Terms extremely moderate.

Apply at the Office of the **Eastern Globe.**

Victoria, 20th December, 1843.

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**AT THE GODOWNS OF THE UNDERSIGNED.**

Port Wine, in 3 and 4 doz cases.

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Victoria, 15th, January, 1844.



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Victoria, 15th January 1844.

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Victoria, 20th September, 1843.

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Victoria, December 15th, 1843.

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