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FOR CHUSAN AND SHANGHAI.
THE fine Schooner THOMAS CRISP, Captain J. M. Metcalfe, will leave for the above Ports, on or about the 1st of September, in her part of her Cargo engaged, should sufficient inducement offer she will call at Ningpo. For freight or passage apply to
N. DUUS,
Victoria, 13th Aug, 1844. 19 Queen's Road.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A. I. Barque "ROYAL ALBERT" Captain Baldersons, of 407 Tons. Apply here or at Canton to
BELL & CO.
Victoria, 9th August, 1844.

FOR LONDON.
THE SHIP CITY OF DERRY, expected immediately from Whampoa will call at Hongkong, and remain for passengers. Apply to
OSWALD DISANDT & Co.
Victoria, 16th August, 1844.

FOR MAURITIUS.
To Sail positively on the 15th September.
THE Brigantine ANAPIS, Captain Alfred Dreyfus, will be dispatched for Port Louis on the above date. She will have room for a small quantity of light freight only apply to
MURROW & CO.
Canton, 22nd July 1844.

FOR CHARTER.
THE British Brig Frodo of 302 tons, is now open to charter for two months. She is a fast sailing vessel, lately arrived from South America, and is now lying at Macao. Application to be made here to
FOX, RAWSON & CO.
or, at Macao, to
MR. DURBAN.
Hongkong, 25th July, 1844.

FOR MANILLA AND BOMBAY.
THE SHIP ALIUM, now lying at Whampoa, will leave for the above ports on the 8th August. For passage only, apply to
J. PAGE, Commander.
Whampoa, 24th July 1844.

FOR SALE.
THE Danish Schooner OMENK, about 200 tons burthen, formerly known as the "Rose", now lying in Blethen Reach, Whampoa. For particulars apply to
N. DUUS,
18, Queen's Road,
or W. H. FRACKLYN, Esq.,
On board the Schooner.
Victoria, June 25, 1844.

TO let on modern terms, the fine old ship SARAH, being well calculated for an Hospital ship or Godown.
Apply to
JOHN LAMONT,
East Point 20th June, 1844.

FOR SALE.—One large Bungalow, slightly situated in a healthy part of the town, having convenient office out. Early possession can be given. For particulars apply to
H. OSWALD,
Hongkong, 15th March, 1844.

MR. JOHN SMITH, of Macao, will receive all advertisements and subscriptions for the "Friend of China and Hongkong Gazette" here also authorized to collect outstanding accounts due by the Macao subscribers. In future Mr. Smith will have a few extra numbers of each paper for sale. Price to subscribers 25 cents each, non-subscribers 1 rupee.
Victoria, 8th June, 1844.

MR. A. L. HODGES, has for sale, Manila Paper, Manila Cigarettes, No. 8 and 4 Havana Cigars, Long Cloth, Coffee, Soap, Sardines, Sherry of 48, 36 and 24 bottles in wood and bottle, St. Julien Cider, Port, Old Jamaica Rum, Brandy. A superior assortment of Guns, Pistols, Padlocks, etc. large and small. Caskets of superior quality, white and black. Also of various wares and quality, and has just received a consignment of very superior White in wood. Must be seen at the office.
China's Hong, 19th July, 1844.

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. DUUS.
Hongkong, 15th April, 1843

NOTICE.—Goods and merchandise of all descriptions received and carefully stored in spacious airy and secure Brick Godowns situated 18, and 65 Queen's Road upon moderate terms. Goods stored 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.
15 Queen's Road,
Victoria, November, 1st 1843.

FOR SALE.—AT the Godowns of Messrs. Fox Rawson & Co., a quantity of Burton Ale in Tubs, from Worthington and Robinson, ex "John Blyth".
Hongkong, 27th March, 1844.

FRESH Salmon in Tins ex "Old England", of two and four pounds, warranted fresh, for sale by
DICKENS & Co.
July 19th, 1844.

FOR SALE.
A FEW fine Guineil Hats; a superior article for summer wear.
P. TOWNSEND.
Victoria, 19th April, 1844.

FOR SALE.—Pale and Brown Sherry
E. J. Mudira
Port Hook (Graefenberg) Chapt
Champagne, and
Cognac Brandy.
Apply at the Godowns of
W. & T. GEMMELL & CO.
Victoria, 17th May, 1844.

WHAMPOA HOSPITAL.
FOR the greater convenience of Vessels lying in the Whampoa and Blethen reaches, the Hospital Vessel is moored off the Bombay Creek, M. O'SULLIVAN,
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London
AND
E. K. KANE, M.D.
Graduate of the University of Pennsylvania;
Philadelphia.
Resident Surgeons.
Whampoa, 9th February, 1844.

FOR SALE.
ALE and Porter in cask and bottle.
Castle Johannsberg Hock in one dozen cases, Port and Sherry in bottle
Apply to
EDWARD NEWMAN,
Victoria, 14th August, 1844.

LATTY & CO.
Chronometer and Watch Makers.
UPPER part of Mr. Pain's new store, Queen's Road, opposite to Chinnam Hong.
Hongkong, 1st June, 1843.

JUST received by late arrivals. A small quantity of superior Sherry and Port Wine, in 3 doz. cases, superior Spanish Champagne, in 1 doz. baskets; Pale and Dark Brandy; English Shoes, Tawelling, Crockery, and Glass ware.
ROBERT LOWRIE,
Victoria, 2nd July, 1844.

NOTICE.
MR. DUNCAN JAMES TAY, is authorized to sign by procuration for his Firm.
(Signed) FERNER & CO.,
Hongkong, July 8, 1844.

A CARD.
D. B. E. KENNY, and Dr. B. WILSON, of this leaves to intimate to the Commanders of ships proceeding to Whampoa, that they have associated themselves in connection as Medical and Surgical practitioners at this anchorage.
Clinical Cases, in hospital the assistance of Hong Kong and Blethen Reach.
18th Aug, 1844.

FOR SALE.—The under Wines just received from Alexander Black London.
Fine Old Pale and Brown Sherry.
Especially of Port.
CHERRISON, CALDER & Co.
Victoria, 8th April, 1844.

FOR SALE.
A BATCH of superior BOTTLES, in two and three dozen cases, at 8 CENTS each. Apply to
JOHN SMITH,
Macao, 17th July, 1844.

"OFFICE REQUISITE"
BEING a date Book containing the 12 months of the year, 7 days of the week, and 31 days of the month to be set at pleasure, complete in a tin Case.
For Sale by E. J. A. Clerk at the Office of this paper.
Victoria, 7th August, 1844.

FOR SALE.
PATENT BALANCES and Scales, weighing from three hundred to two thousand pounds each, by
P. TOWNSEND.
Also, Two Patent Copying Presses.
Victoria, May 23rd, 1844.

FOR SALE, at the Rooms of the Undersigned a Splendid New Cabinet Piano Forte, by Broadwood & Sons, of London, together with a quantity of New Music. For particulars apply to
J. B. MAIN,
Queen's Road.

FOR SALE.—AT the Hotel of Mr. J. J. LOPES, viz:
Fine Claret, Do. Port,
Do. Brandy, Do. Porter,
Do. Champagne, Do. Sherry,
Superior No. 3, Manila Cigars, Liqueurs,
Do. No. 4, do. do.
Do. Sperm Candles,
Do. Butter.
Victoria, 19th April, 1844.

JUST ARRIVED AND FOR SALE, at the Godowns of the undersigned—Bally Rice, Paddy, Shell, Buffalo, Hides, Coconut Oil, Cocosnuts, and Java Coffee, (of excellent quality) Apply to
BURD, LANGE & Co.
Victoria, 4th, June 1844

FOR SALE.—English Copper, 20, 22, & 26 oz. A 32 cwt. Anchor, two Chain Cables, of 14 and 13 inch.
Apply to
BURD, LANGE & CO.
Queen's Road, Victoria,
3rd May.

FOR SALE.—From 16 to 32 oz. Sheathing Copper and Nail Bolts, Rings, Butt Bolts and Spikes. Also, Canvas, from No. 1 to 6. Apply at the Godowns of
W. & T. GEMMELL & Co.
Victoria, 17th May, 1844.

SHEATHING Copper, 16 to 24 oz., with nails. Sheet Lead, &c.
AT the Godowns of
HENRY HUMPHREYS & Co.
13 Queen's Road,
24th April, 1844.

JUST received by the undersigned. A few superior No. 3 Manila Cigarettes, of 1842 manufacture.
ROBERT LOWRIE.
Victoria, 2nd July, 1844.

WATER BOAT.—Captains and Agents of ships are respectfully informed that a Boat has been fitted with Pumps and a Force Pump for the delivery of Water to the Shipping in Harbour, it will be anchored off the wharf of Mr. N. DUUS.
Apply on board or at the Godowns.
Cash on Delivery.
Hongkong, 4th March, 1844.

FOR SALE.
A LILSON'S Calcutta bottled Beer, a small batch, warranted in the finest order, Choice—highly esteemed Laffie, Chateau Margaux, La Rose, Pechouan and Hermitage of the finest quality, Champagne, Champagne Brandy, Old Blend Brown Sherry, and Cherry Cordia, all brought from first hands in Europe. A small parcel of English Cheese packed in lead, just landed from the City of Derry, and No. 8 and 4 superior Manila Cigars. Just landed, a small batch of first rate London bottled Beer. Apply to
F. H. TIEBMAN,
At the Store of Oswald, Disandt & Co.
Victoria, 10th July, 1844.

FOR SALE.
NEW American Flour, just landed, direct from the United States.
Apply at the Godowns of
DUBHI HALSTED & Co.
Victoria, 17th July, 1844.

PICNIC MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CALCUTTA.
THE undersigned continues to issue Policies for this office Company, payable in London, Bombay, Calcutta and China.
A. A. DE MELLO.
Messrs. 23d April, 1844.

FOR SALE.—E. L. Company's Bills on Bengal accepted. Apply to
GIBB LIVINGSTON & CO.
Hongkong, 28d July, 1844.

NOTICE.
THE business of the Undersigned, as Merchant and Agent, will in future be carried on, under the style or firm of M. Ford & Co.
MARTIN FORD.
Victoria, Hongkong,
August 7th, 1844.

NOTICE.—The interest and responsibility of M. William R. Lejes, and Mr. William Cooper, in our house has ceased; and Mr. Nathaniel Kinsman, Mr. William A. Lawrence, and Mr. William Moore, have been admitted partners therein, their interest commencing on the 1st February last.
Our Firm now consists of W. S. Wetmore, of New York; Samuel Wetmore, Junr., Nathaniel Kinsman William A. Lawrence, and William Moore.
WETMORE & Co.
Canton, 15th March, 1844.

ADVERTISEMENT.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the business of the late Henry Pybus in China, which has been temporarily carried on by John Mackley & Co., will in future be conducted by the undersigned, who have associated themselves as Merchants and Agents, under the style of Murrow & Co.
DONALD C. MACKEY.
Y. J. MURROW.
Canton, 1st June, 1844.

FOR SALE.—At the office of this paper. Commodore's cheque books. Ships Articles, with an abstract of the merchant seaman's act endorsed on the back. Charterparties, after forms by Chitty. Powers of Attorney, after forms by Chitty. Bills of Lading. Chinese Tariff of imports, and exports, for counting houses.

FRYER and LANE beg to inform their friends, and the inhabitants of Hongkong generally, that they have taken the house formerly occupied by Mr. W. Lane, next door to General D'Aguiar's, where they intend carrying on the business of General Store Keepers and Commission Agents; they have now on hand some Hams and Cheese, of superior quality; Sherry, Port Wine, Claret, and other light, French Wines, Brandy, Smith & Co.'s Gin, Cigars No. 3, and 4, Perfumery, Stationery, Hardware, Glassware, Pickles, Sauces, Bunting, Twine, and various other articles.
Victoria, 19th July, 1844.

ADVERTISEMENT.
THE Undersigned beg to notify that they have authorized Mr. JOSE LITTLE, and Mr. CHARLES W. MURRAY, to sign for their firm by procuration in Hongkong and Macao.
MURROW & CO.
Canton, 1st June, 1844.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. Joseph L. Coobidge in our Firm ceased on the 31st ultimo, and Mr. John Heard is this day admitted a partner.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.
Canton, June 1, 1844.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE OF CALCUTTA.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China are prepared to Grant Policies payable here in London, Bombay and Calcutta.
MURROW & Co.
Canton & Macao, 10th July, 1844.

WANTED, for the Ward Room of H.M.S. "Agincourt," a Steward or Messman. For particulars apply on board.
P.S. None need apply who cannot give the most respectable references.
MURROW & CO.,
Victoria, June 29th, 1844.

THE Undersigned beg to intimate to the inhabitants of Hongkong, that Messrs, and the public in general, that they have this day commenced business as Commission and General Agents.
A. H. FRYER,
T. A. LANE,
Victoria, July 15th 1844.

MESSRS. HUNTER & BARTON.
Members of the Royal College of Surgeons, &c. BEG to inform their Friends and the Inhabitants generally of Hongkong and Macao, that having entered into Partnership on the 1st instant, MR. K. BARTON has removed to Victoria, where he intends practicing in that place. A Dispensary has been fitted up in the house next the British Chapel. The Medicines supplied direct from London.
Mr. T. Hunter will continue to attend at Macao, where there is accommodation for a few sick seamen; charges One Dollar per day.
Medicine Cases replenished at both Establishments.
Mr. Hunter will also visit the Tyra.
Hongkong, July 10, 1844.

NOTICE.

New advertisements will be received until A O'Clock on the evenings previous to publication, viz: Tuesday and Fridays.

LATEST RATES.

Table with columns for destination (England, United States, Ceylon, Bombay, Madras) and dates (May 6, June 3, July 10, etc.).

THE FRIEND OF CHINA AND HONGKONG GAZETTE.

VICTORIA, SATURDAY, AUGUST 27th, 1844.

It is now somewhere about three months since the Chief Justice arrived in Hongkong. In our good natured ignorance, we proclaimed his advent, and hailed his arrival as a monarch.

last, a determination to do, what ought to have been done, so soon as the town was laid out, viz. make streets and sewers. We hear that since Mr. Davis arrived, there has been great zeal and activity displayed, by the gentlemen connected with the Land-Office.

Were we to offer advice to His Excellency and Council we would say: Gentlemen your chief duties are connected with the internal improvement of this small island—the requirements of the place are so self evident that they are understood by the meanest capacity—being deprived of them, the health of the colony has been bad; many of our citizens have died; some have returned to Europe with broken constitutions; Her Majesty has lost 1,000 of her faithful Soldiers, each man of them being £100 forever lost to the country.

Past colonial history gives abundant proofs, that public improvements are long neglected—when the glaring impropriety is at length brought forcibly before the Ministry, orders are given to proceed with the works, and in a few hands hurriedly, and consequently finished.

CANTON.

Our dates are to the 14th. All was quiet. Some literary purchases of silk have been made, for the particulars of which see our paper.

from England or America, and taking into consideration the comparative distance from those Countries, the Monark has surpassed, by about 7 days, the passage of H. M. S. Indivictor, whose arrival in 89 sailing days from England, was at the time, thought to be without parallel.

The average run of the Mantank has been a fraction over 177 miles per day, since leaving the United States.

The Anna Eliza arrived from Bombay, on the 14th, with papers from London to the 7th of June. We have made copious extracts for our supplement, to which we refer.

To our countrymen in China, it will be a matter of unmingled satisfaction, to know that the laws of their native land have been vindicated, by the rigorous punishment of the notorious demagogue, O'Connell.

There have been no disturbances, in consequence of sentences having been passed upon the Agitator and other criminals, but the repeal-rail continues to pour in even more freely than before the trial.

The Peel-administration is still popular, and so long as the country continues in its present flourishing condition, there is little chance of any important change.

The demand for 40 inch Shirtings suitable for China and the East is not so good, as a rather early part of the month, and the relatively lower prices of these articles, has secured a moderate addition of many of these Shirtings to the stock of Mr. Mackay, who have taken larger quantities of the same at a lower price.

Her Majesty has conferred the honor of knighthood on Mr. Annesley, of the Madras Medical Service.

Mr. Munro's letter denying the accuracy of Mrs. Barrett's statement, which has elicited explanations from Major Danheury and Lieut. Condy, has thrown some new light on the late fatal duel.

Accounts have been received from Dr. Wolff, dated Meshol, March 24th, which may be considered in no way favourable, as they serve to contradict the statements upon which Col. Stoddard's death was believed.

The Court of Directors are willing to undertake the Bombay line together, reserving the usual 10% Commission. The negotiations for purchasing the land have been broken off, the more so, as those by whom she was broken off, have not realised the success which the speculation deserved.

The foreign news of the month is interesting. In America, the President, do not do with the view connecting the South Sea and securing the Hawaiian Islands, has concluded a treaty of amity with Texas; but the effect of it would be not so much to unite Mexico, but to give the slaveholding party in Congress, and the Southern States, a powerful ally.

GERMANY.

Since we addressed you in our Circular at the close of last month there has been little of interest that has occurred in the course taken by the Market here.

Another objection will be made in the duty on coffee, there is little doubt that the proposed alteration in the duty on foreign sugar, the produce of free-labour, will also be carried.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE ARRIVED.

- 13 - 18th - Skelley Castle, Limer. Bombay.
14 - 19th - Thosar Crisp, Motonli, Maoou.
14 - Medina, Purdie, Madras.
14 - Anna Eliza, Granger, Bombay.
15 - Sir B. Ryan, Appleton, Maoou.
15 - Ariel, Bart, Maoou.
15 - Duress of Buckley, Straker, Calcutta.
15 - Admonitions, McDougall, Calcutta.
15 - Red Rover, MacRindell, Maoou.
15 - Cayuga (Amor) Straker, Maoou.
15 - Hindostan, Bowen, Bombay.
15 - Brigantine, Desai, James, Al Maoou, from Bombay, for Whampo.

FAST SAILING.

The beautiful American ship Mantank, commanded by Captain William Mac Michael, arrived from New York, on the evening of the 8th inst., having made the unprecedentedly short passage of 87 days.

There is an appearance of the Government's being roused, to the necessity of doing something for the streets. Of late several parties have been employed on the Queen's Road, the centre of which is being raised, giving the water a channel of ascending, least as far as the gutters, which are formed on each side, and there are raised footpaths, making, until the water in the gutters reaches above their level, it will soon be possible, in wet weather, to go out about, without having to wade.

SAILLED.

August 14—Swift, Butrey, Amoy. 14—Possidone, Valentine, Amoy. 14—Penang, Hawkin, Whampoa. 16—Sam, Taylor, Shanghai.

Under Whampoa. Earl of Liverpool, Whampoa. Topley, Liverpool. Ingleswood, London. Larkhill, Bombay. She Allah, Manila & Bombay. City of Derry, London. H. M. T. S. Sapphire, Chusan.

Passengers per Anna Elisa, Mr. McGregor, and Mr. Lake.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS. From China—May 4, John Brewer; 11, Judith Allan and Cousin; 13, Clethian; 11, M. S. Railleauke and John O'Gart; 18, Margaret Wilke and John Mitchell; 21, John Christian; 27, Ann Campbell, Jane Gih, Anna Maria, Euse, Duan and Thos. Arbuthnot.

SAILLED. For China—May 4, Albert Edward; 7, Green-saint, S. Chopatra; 10, Jan 14, Panpero; 21, Ephraites; 27, Sorek King; Juno 2, Thomas Fiddler; 5, Royal Albert.

PASSENGERS. Per Royal Albert, Seaman, to China:—Capt. and Mrs. Denham, Mrs. Mercer, Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Ripley, Rev. G. Smith, Rev. Mr. Curthie, Mr. Howell, Mr. Sedgwick, Capt. Moorsom, Mr. Gibbs.

SHIPS FOR CHINA AND PROBABLE TIME OF SAILING. Ships at London, June 20, Madras and China. Constant, June 4. (Post-month) China, Royal Albert, B. (Post-month) Victoria and Macao. Plover, 10, John, July 1, Form. Aug. 1, Hannyoon.

YACHTS IN VICTORIA HARBOUR. Yacht Quene, 65. Fletcher, Larjins & Co. Anna, 109. C. W. Bowra.

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DIED. At the Waterloo Hotel, on 13th Inst., HENRY CAVERT Esq.

FOR LONDON WITH DESPATCH. THE fine new Ship ENGLAND'S QUEEN, Captain James, having the most of her Cargo engaged. For freight apply to N.Y.E. BARKIN & CO. Canton, August 14th, 1844.

CURRIE & Co. CABINET MAKERS UPHOLSTERERS AND BILLIARD TABLE MANUFACTURERS. CALCUTTA.

(THE OLDEST ESTABLISHMENT IN THE PRESIDENCY.) PLEAS respectfully to intimate that with a view to reduce the expence of Freight for conveying large articles from Calcutta to China, they are now completing every requisite in Furniture of a novel and portable description, by which much more than half the expence hitherto incurred will be saved.

Currie & Co. venture to think that this will form a great desideratum and tend much to remove the objection to ordering Furniture in Calcutta for China. They therefore venture to solicit the patronage of the Community, and any orders with which they may be entrusted, will meet with the most strict and punctual attention.

The new Improved Slate Top Billiard Tables with Indian Rubber Spring Cushions prepared and despatched upon one week's notice. PUNCH has for Sale.—The following Goods all warranted of the very best quality.

A large consignment of Boots & Shoes from M-Lane and Son London; Jewellery, Military Slender Knives, Hosiery consisting of Ladies Silk-embroidered, Mill Ladies Stockings, children cotton Stockings, Quilted Silk Cotton and worsted Socks, Stationery, playing Cards, Lavender Water, Beards Grease, Peppermint Lozenges, Counterpanes, Towels, India Rubber Braces, Elastic Waistcoats, Hooks and Eyes, Shirt and Coat Buttons, Patent Corkscrews, Wipe Decanters, Mathematical Instruments, Jams and Jellies, Tatt Fruits, Cheese, Pickles, Yarmouth Herrings, Sauces, Butter, Oatmeal, Split Peas, and a variety of other articles.

NOTICE.—The Mail for England, via Bombay, per Laxton, will close this Office at 6 P.M. Saturday (this day) 17th Inst. Post Office Victoria, 17th August, 1844.

FOR SALE.—A Lithographic Press complete, with Thoodlight, a complete Azimuth and Steering Compass, Quadrants, Spy Glasses, and other Nautical Instruments, Two Patent Water Clocks for Upper and Lower Stores, apply to N. DUUS.

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TO MERCHANTS, SHIPPERS, AND COLONISTS.

H. J. & D. NICOLLS, Outfitters, Tailors, &c., are induced to call the attention of Colonists and others shipping wearing apparel, and who are desirous of buying at the cheapest markets, and at the same time obtaining the carelessness of quality and inferior qualities of material, so commonly used. Those Gentlemen are referred to 114 Regent Street, London.

Agents for Irvine's Patent Water-tight Trunks and Packages, which possess the great advantage of preserving from damp the most delicate materials, and the more important property, of being portable and buoyant in the water, so, although filled with goods, to be able to support several persons from sinking.

AT the Godown of the undersigned, the following goods, lately arrived, warranted of good quality, and at moderate prices, viz.—Singapore Mats, from 6 to 75 feet, by 18 to 24 inches; Baltic Top, Top-gallant, and Royal-mast and Yards, from 50 to 60 feet, by 7 to 10 inches; Baltic Planks for House-building, 10 to 22 feet, by 4 to 14 inches, by 7 inches; Teak Planks for House-building, 20 to 26 feet, by 4 to 14 inches; 12; Oara Ash, 14 to 20 feet; Handspikes, Mast-bands, and Blocks; Anchors, from 1 to 20 cwt.; Cables from 1 to 14 inches.

A Patent Pumping Windlass, for a Vessel of 400 tons, and Iron Bolts; Copper Sheathing, from 16 to 20 ounces; Copper Nails & Bolts, from 3 to 14 inches diameter; Pump Jacks; Sheet Lead, of sizes Navy, Pilot, and Cabin Biscuits; Beef and Pork; Tongues; Hams; Rice; Dhal; Peas; Flour; Cheese; Butter; Candles; Pickles; Jams and Jellies; Manila Sugar and Coffee.

Black, White, Blue, Green, Yellow, and Red Paints, in Tins and Iron Cans; Boiled and Raw Oil, in 3 and 5 Gallon Tins; Body, Japan, and Chrome Varnish, in Tins. Stockholm, Coal, and American Tar; American Pitch and Rosin; Tar and Paint Brushes.

ROPE AS CANVAS—Europe Rope, from 1 to 3 inches; Sparry, Marline, Hauling, Oakum and Loglines; Manila Rope, 1 to 5 inches; English Navy Canvas, No. 1 to 6; Russian Canvas; Ravens' Duck, Roping and Sewing Twine; Palmes; Needles, &c., &c.; Dutch Bunting, Red, White, and Blue; Thread.

Beer in Butts, Hogsheads, and Bottles; Ale, Pilsener, and Stouts. Pipes and in Cases of 3 to 4 dozen; Sherry in Pipes, Hogsheads, and Quarter Cases; and Casks of Bark, Brown, Gold, and Straw Cigars, and Bottled in 3 and 6 dozen Cases; Spanish White Wine; Dry Lisbon; Tinto in Quarter Cases; Port in 3 and 6 dozen Cases; Champagne in 3 dozen Cases; Rhineish Wine in 1 and 2 dozen Cases; English Claret in 3 and 6 dozen Cases; French Cognac Brandy, 1st and 2nd qualities in Hogsheads; Cognac in 1 dozen Cases; Old Manila Rum in Casks of all sizes; Superior Hollands Gin in Cases of 15 bottles; Old Tom in 1 dozen Cases; Danish Cherry Brandy in 2 dozen Cases; Anisette in 1 dozen Cases.

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MESSRS EMERY & FRAZER, inform the public that they are now ready to attend to the repair of Vessels and will furnish at their yard all Materials necessary for that purpose. They offer for sale, White Pine Lumber from 16 to 22 in; Pitch pine topmasts all sizes, Pitch pine Bowsprits 24 in and under, Yards of all sizes, White and pitch pine and oak plank from 2 to 5 in, White pine inch boards, Hard pine flooring boards, Oak knees for boats and ship, Pitch, Tar, Rosin, Oakum, Spikes and Nails, Gunpowder, Char.

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FOR SALE.—By the Undersigned very Superior Champaigne in Pans and Quarts, Port and Sherry, Bass Pale East India, Ale in bottles and Hogsheads. A. L. HOBGES. Chinnam's Hong, Victoria, 6th August, 1844.

NOTICE. WE have this day commenced business here and in Canton, in connection with Messrs. Eglington, Maclean and Co., of Bombay. MACLEAN, DEARIE & CO Hongkong, 1st August, 1844.

JUST RECEIVED, and now open for Sale, at R. LOWRY'S Store a splendid assortment of Gentlemen's Ready-made Clothing consisting of Coats, Chesters, Hats, Tricots, and Silk Vests, Silk and Satin Stocks, and Ties, Gleanery and Travelling Caps, and fine very superior Cloth Caps; also, some very superior Ladies white French Satin Slips, and a variety of other articles, at moderate prices. Victoria, 2nd August, 1844.

IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Company are prepared to accept Assurances in Hongkong.

1st. On Buildings of Brick or Stone, all together detached from any other, covered with Tile, Slate, Metals or other incombustible materials, together with their contents, except Cotton or other hazardous goods. Rate of Premium 3 per cent per annum.

2nd. On Buildings of the foregoing description when adjoining to others, in which no hazardous goods are housed. On such the premium will be 1 per cent per annum.

3rd. On Buildings of the latter description, but containing hazardous goods, premium 11 per cent per annum.

Of the first Class Assurance will be accepted to the extent of £ 10,000, on one risk. Of the second & third class £ 5,000.

A Building and its contents taken together form one Risk, and the above mentioned amounts may be insured either on the building alone or the contents alone, or part on each.

No Assurance to be considered in force until the premium be paid.

The Undersigned are also authorized to grant policies on Buildings and their contents at Macao and Manila.

Parties applying for insurance will be pleased to send in full particulars of the risk, any deviation from which without the consent of the Company will vitiate the policy.

MACVICAR & Co. Agents in China. Macao, 27 July, 1844.

JUST received ex Patin and on sale at the Store of the Undersigned, a quantity of Hams and Cheese's of a Superior quality and in good condition; Also a Stock of Beer in Wood and bottle &c. C. W. BOWRA. Queen's Road.

WHANSHING, Of No 28, Old China Street, Canton, and No. 3, Duns' Range, opposite the Commissariat, Hongkong. Dealer in Ivory, Silk, Shawls, and Curiosities.

Notwithstanding his thanks to the foreign community of Canton and Hongkong for their liberal patronage, he begs to assure them it will be his study to merit their further patronage, always keeping on hand goods of the very best quality, which he will sell at the lowest possible price, for cash only. No Abatement from price asked.

BRITISH SHIPPING AT WHAMPOA. Ingleswood, 518. Kerr, Jamieson How & Co. Anna, 537. Smith, Holliday Wise & Co. Curried Co. 555. Campbell, D. & M. Rustonjee City of Derry, Wore Dallas & Co. Calcutta, Burn, S. Rustonjee. She Allah, Hutchinson, John Smith. Prince of Wales, Jones Dabobhy Rustonjee Julia, Jones, Hindie Sabhee. John Laird, St. Croix. Drongan, McDonald, D. & M. Rustonjee Shah Allam, Page, Elias Hussain. Patel, Mombay, Moore, S. T. Mahomed. Madras, Fitz, Jardine Matheson & Co. Salween, Wadge, Dabobhy. Sander, 29, Sullivan, Kennedy & McGregor. Finny, Connell, Davies. Dehlan, 511, Hall, Ordley. Charles Grant, 1700, Ward, Macvicar & Co. Earl Claze, Scott. Louisa Family, Ayars, Dent & Co. Salkart, Dixon. Jamieson Japobhy, Jardine Matheson & Co. Wilson, Prosser, Thompson, Dixon & Co. Young, Taylor, 534, Prosser, Jardine & Co. Vry, Johnston, 534, Dent & Co. Fort William, Gorge, Jardine Matheson & Co. Earl of Balcarrawe, 1458, Baker, & Co. John Wicksie, Daly, Taylor, do. Pains, 363, Charles, Dent & Co. Penang, Haywards, Lindsay & Co. Englands's Queen, James, New Parkin & Co. Lawrence, Neveland, Russell & Co.

GLOBE INSURANCE OFFICE OF CALCUTTA
 THE undersigned having been appointed Agent in China for the above office is ready to grant Policies payable in London, Calcutta, Bombay and China.
A. A. DE MELLO
 Macao, 23d April, 1844.

NOTICE.

AFTER the 30th instant, the firm of JOHN ABBUD & Co. here, and in Bali Baiong (Hali), will be known in China and Bali as BUIB, LANGE & Co.
 Victoria, 29th June, 1844.

DR. RICHARD JONES has removed from Magistrate-street to the house occupied by James Welch, Chemist and Druggist, where he will continue to practise his profession.
 May 30th, 1844.

ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE CORPORATION OF LONDON.
 ESTABLISHED BY ROYAL CHARTER, A.D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agent in Hongkong for the said Corporation, is authorized to accept Assurances on Stores or Goods and their contents, and also Private Dwellings and their contents as follows, viz.—
 1st—Built of Brick or Stone, and covered with Tiles, Slate, or Metal, when isolated.
 RATE OF PREMIUM, 20s. PER CENT. PER ANNUM.
 2nd—Built and covered as above, not isolated, but divided from the adjoining buildings by entire walls of Brick or Stone to and above the Roof.
 RATE OF PREMIUM, 25s. PER CENT. PER ANNUM.
 Assurances as above, for six months, three-fourths, and for three months, and half of the annual rate of premium will be charged.
 Of the First Class, Assurances to the extent of £5,000 only will be accepted on one risk; and of the Second Class, £5,000 only on one risk.
 A building and its contents form one risk; thus the above sums may in either case be declared all on the Building or all on the contents; or part on the Building and part on the contents.
 No Insurance is in force until the Premium is paid.

W. DELL,
 Agent for Hongkong.

Victoria, Hongkong,
 24th July, 1844.

FOR SALE, a Bay Arab Horse, 14 hands and a Pony. Apply to
EDWARD NEWMAN,
 Hongkong, 27th July, 1844.

FOR SALE—A Palanquin Carriage, apply to
EDWARD NEWMAN,
 Hongkong, 30th July, 1844.

FOR SALE—By the Undersigned,
 Superior Silvery, ditto Post,
 White Wing Vinegar half hds.
 An assortment of English made Shoes
 Best Bristol Hats
A. L. HODGES,
 Chinam's Hong,
 30th July, 1844.

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MILNER'S PATENT FIRE RESISTING PORTABLE SAFES AND BOXES.
 For the protection of Gunpowder, Lodgers Books, Deeds, Writings, Cash, Plate, Jewellery, Silks, and other valuable materials from fire.
 Extra super, thick lead Footsack
 Bank and Bath Post Paper
 A few of Morden & Co.'s Patent Leads, to refill the leather boxes or the reserves of ever pointed pencils.
 Fashionable Silk and Beaver Hats
 For Sale at C. W. BOWRA'S Store, with innumerable other articles, ex Penang.

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LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

JUNE 7TH

The Overland Mail from Bombay 1st May, was delivered in London 6th June.
 Sir H. Hardinge dined yesterday with the Queen, and this morning left town for Marseilles, for Egypt. At St. Paul is to embark on board the Hindistan, for Calcutta.
 We hear that the Court of Directors have within the last few days placed their disapproval of Lord Ellenborough's policy, with respect to Binde, on what may be termed "solemn resolve."
 We understand that some rather expensive

repairs are required to the upper-works of the *Preceptor* before she is delivered over to the Peninsular and Oriental Company, who have paid for her in cash.
 The Steamer *Great Western*, which we last month stated was purchased by the Peninsular and Oriental Company, has within the last few days been advertised for America. The circumstances of the case, we believe, are those: The surveyors of the Admiralty have refused to pass her present holders, and the owners of the vessel are unwilling to incur the expense of others.
 On the other hand, the Directors of the Peninsular and Oriental Company insist upon the complete fulfillment of the contract which has been entered into between the parties.
 The Emperor of Russia leaves London on the 10th. The Committee have refused to postpone the Polish fair, which is to take place on the evening of that day.
 News just received from the West Indies states that an abundant fall of rain had revived the prospects of the planters.—At the Havannah, the authorities have expelled the whole of the free blacks. A large party of them took shelter on board the *Trois*, and were taken to Nassau.
 Orders are issued to take measures for the future, without taking into consideration things which, in other circumstances, it most certainly would have considered.
 The public examination takes place at Addiscombe this day.
 We understand the Government have refused their support to the project for establishing steam intercourse by way of Panama, owing to their intention of ultimately connecting the British colonies with the China line at Singapore.

COMMERCIAL, LONDON.
 Tea.—The sales closed yesterday without further variation in prices, but the same dullness prevailed as on the two preceding days, 19,683 packages were offered, and only 1,300 packages sold.
 Sugar.—In the raw market 500hds. have been sold, but prices were generally in favor of the buyers.
 Liverpool, June 6.—Cotton.—We have had a market here informed today, and business amounts to 9,000 bales, consisting of 320 Brazils, 53d to 61d; 2,000 Surats, 2d to 3d; and the remainder American, of which speculators have purchased 2,000 bales. The market is steady, at previous quotations.

Money Market.—Consols for the Account, 98 1/4 to 98 1/2; Bank Stock, 199 to 200; Three per Cent. Reduced, 90 to 91; 4 Reduction, 102 1/2 to 103; Long Annuities 1 1/4; Exchequer Bills, 7 1/2 to 7 3/4 pm.
 The Amount of Bills drawn by the Hon. East India Company in the month ending 6th June 1844.

NAVAL AND MILITARY.
 Rear-Admiral Sir H. Pigot, C. B., has hoisted his flag on board the *Volage*, 26, at Cork.
 Mr. Turner, of Pembroke Dock-yard, has been appointed the Master Builder of the Dock yard at Bombay, vice Laire, who is appointed to Pembroke-yard.
 Mr. William Peel, third son of the Premier, and mate of the *Excelsior*, has been appointed Lieutenant, after having gone through the course of instruction given in that ship, and passed the probationary examination, with a degree of credit before unheard of—nine hundred and ten is the number which marks the utmost possible proficiency in gunnery, and Mr. Peel obtained nine hundred and eight; 270 is the highest number for navigation, and he obtained 260; fourteen months is the time allotted for this course—it never was before accomplished under nine months.—Mr. Peel passed the examination in five months and four days.

STREAM FRIGATES.—The *Agrippa*, to be built at Woolwich, is to have engines of 600 horsepower. *Dragon*, at Pembroke, engines of 560 horsepower; *Cerberus*, Portsmouth, 540; *Sphinx*, Woolwich, 400 horsepower; *Serpent*, at Portsmouth, 420; *Dull Gulch*, Chatham, 420.
 A court-martial has been held at Woolwich on 6th June. F. J. White, charged with having at Woolwich, on the night of 5th of May, conducted himself in a manner highly unbecoming the character of an officer and a gentleman, by entering into disgraceful altercations and quarrelling in the public street; in using towards certain persons violent, threatening, abusive, and grossly insulting language, and by his disorderly conduct causing an assemblage of people at different times about his place of residence; in attempting to incite a person or persons in the street to fight with him, or strike him, particularly a person named Harris, who was endeavouring to obtain his wife then harboured in the house in which he, Lieut. White, resided.
 The following ships have been ordered home.—
 The *Dublin*, 50, Capt. J. Dunker, with the flag of Rear-Adm. Thomas; *Beaulieu*, 20, Com. R. H. Stopped, and *Vindictive*, the Capt. T. Nicolas, from South America and the coast; *Maadagascara*, 44, Com. J. P. de la Motte, from West Africa, and *Queen*, 10, Capt. Sir G. Sullivan. Most of the foregoing ships are to be employed on the coast of England, and some of them are looked for daily.

Illustrious, 72, Capt. J. B. Erskine, with the flag of Vice-Admiral Sir C. Adam, will return to England on the 1st of August, at the end of the summer, when the time of service of the gallant Admiral, as Commander-in-Chief in the West Indies, will expire.
 Mr. E. Caley, Midshipman, and Mr. W. N. Jewell, Master's Assistant, on board the *Sheerwater*, were lately drowned. While sailing in the boat between Largs and the Gumbry, in the act of jibbing she was upset and sunk immediately in the sea.
 Died, at Morden College, Blackheath, on the 21st May, at the advanced age of 94, Joseph Webb, Esq., almost the last veteran of the *Royal George*. Mr. Webb, at the period of the loss of the ship, was an officer on service, and a few minutes before the dreadful catastrophe, he had, with a boat's crew, pulled off from the vessel.
 The *Penelope*, 23, Capt. W. Jones, arrived at Sierra Leone on 15th March. After short passage from Lisbon it was reported that on 20th, Capt. Jones had received information of a slave on the coast, of 21 guns, and capable of stowing 1000 slaves, in respect of which the *Penelope* was despatched at daylight the following morning.
 The *Rapier's* boats, under the command of Lieut. G. O. Carab, on the 15th Feb., captured a fine, large, heavily-armed Spanish slave ship, after a large resistance of half an hour which only lost one of her killed, and one wounded. This slave, a brigantine, had beaten off the boats of the *Spy*, Lieut-Com. S. O. Woodledge, about six weeks prior to being taken by the *Rapier*, and had boasted that the boats of no man-of-war on that station should capture her.

The *Callisto*, 60, has been commissioned for the flag of Rear-Adm. Sir G. Seymour, in the Pacific.—The *Rattinauca*, which arrived at Portsmouth, from China, on 12th of May, last during the voyage of 63 out of 263 invalids embarked at Hongkong; she has been paid off. The *St. Vincent*, 120, the *Nautilus*, 10, and other vessels, are cruising in the Choppe of the Channel for the relief of homeward-bound vessels detained by the long continuance of easterly winds. The *Indus*, 72, has been paid off at Portsmouth. The *Jadus*, 78, has arrived at Portsmouth, to be paid off.
 Yarniverve, 50, Capt. J. T. Nicolas, C.B.K.H. We have been favored with the perusal of a letter from Calcutta dated the 28th of January, from which we extract the following trial of sailing between this ship and two American frigates, the *United States* and *Constellation*.—
 The *Constellation*, 46 guns, left Calcutta on the evening of the 20th ult., in company with the *United States*; the former bound for the United States; the *Vindictive* shortly weighed and made sail, to try rate of sailing, and from the hour of 8 p.m. of the same evening, until daylight the following morning, close hauled, and having run about 60 knots with royal set, the *Vindictive* had led the *Constellation* nearly topsails down astern, and the *United States* about seven miles. It appears that whenever the breeze freshened the *Vindictive* gained considerably, and would, no doubt, have shown her superior qualities over her opponents had the wind increased. She returned to Calcutta the same day.

América, 50, Capt. Hon. John Gordon, was towed out of harbor into the Sound by the *Confiance*, at five on the 27th ult. Adm. Sir David Milne, G. C. B., and Ross, G. B., Capt. Sir Thomas F. Howles, Barygoine, and Miles, Viscount Milton, and a numerous party of gentlemen and ladies, were on board, and partook of a sumptuous *déjeuner*. Had the weather been moderate, they would have had a trip round the Eddystone in this splendid ship. She will be paid wages in advance this week, and proceeds in a few days for the Pacific; thence she will proceed to the Malacca to relieve the *Cambrian*. Several officers and passengers will take a passage in her to join their respective ships on those stations. Adm. Sir David Milne expressed his satisfaction at the high order and discipline of the crew.

PROMOTIONS.
 Com.—F. Briggs, from Ret. List.
 Rear-Com.—C. T. James, and W. S. Oliver, from the 72 to the 88. 68. List; R. Trotter, under Order in Council of 30th Jan. 1810.
 Lieut.—G. Baker; W. Peel, for proficiency in gunnery.
 Mat.—C. F. de Voux.
 Surg.—R. F. Scott, A. Woodcock.
 Physicians and Purser.—W. H. Reeves, G. A. Lance, C. Fielden, W. H. Wiseman.

CANTON PRICES CURRENT.
 14th August, 1844.
IMPORTS.—DUTY PAID.
 Alo (best brands) 235 0 0 @ 0 0 per hhd.
 Six—Saunders' and other favorite brands selling at quotation.
 Amber 10 50 @ 11 0 per cent
 Bitter Nut 5 0 @ 0 0 per pieul
 Cayenne—Eug. and 8 0 @ 9 0 per bok
 Cochin 150 0 @ 0 0 per pieul
 Copper, sheathing 23 0 @ 0 0 "
 " S.A.M. 23 0 @ 0 0 "
 Cordage, European 8 0 @ 9 0 "
 COTTON, Bombay 4 5 @ 5 5 "
 sh. pr. 1/2 old 6 5 @ 7 5 "
 new 6 5 @ 7 5 "
 Cotton.—The deliveries of the New Bombay Staple, have been going on more freely than 3000 bales were taken on the Market, within the last week, but no advance in price. Old, still at quotations; nothing doing in Madras Cotton.
 " Madras 0 0 @ 0 0 "
 " Neimand 0 0 @ 0 0 "
 " Bengul 6 8 @ 6 5 "
WHITE GOODS.
 White Shirtings, 40 2 50 @ 3 00 per piece
 Grey ditto ditto 2 50 @ 3 40 "
 Corron Goods.—There is some demand for Gray Cloth and Blue Cloth. They are not so much taken on the Market, but are rather low in price. The latter is a little diminished, but in European, Ombon, and Navaah, gray goods will be scarce. Large parcels especially heavy Gray Goods will be scarce. L. good by 100 lbs. per pieul
 Yarn, Nos. 18 to 20, 24 28 50 @ 30 00 per pieul
 Nos. 28 to 42, 20 0 00 "
 Yarn.—The stocks are reducing very slowly, with little or no improvement in price.

Chintz Furnature	2 0 0	4 0	0 per piece
Market overstocked for a long time			
METALS.			
Tin, Banca	15 5	17 0	0 per pieul
" Plates	5 75	6 0	0 per pieul
Iron, Nail	2 30	0 0	0 per pieul
" Hoop	2 50	0 0	0 "
" Bar	1 50	2 0	0 "
Steel	4 0	4 50	0 "
Lead Pig	1 30	5 0	0 "
Quicksilver	None.		
OPIMUM, Patna, new.			
" old	775 0	0 0	0 per chest
" Benares, new	745 0	0 0	0 "
" old	0 0	0 0	0 "
" Malwa, new	770 0	0 0	0 "
" Turkey	300 0	0 0	0 per pieul
On the result of the fifth sale being known, New Patna advanced to 875. The arrival of the "Ariel," "Red Rover," and "Anna Maria," and the knowledge that large shipments are on the way, has checked those who viewed a disposition to speculate in the opium. In the meantime, prices are nearly unaltered, Patna opium of the highest quality has been sold at 870, though some holders quote at 875. We do not anticipate any permanent rise on 875, and if there is a change, we think it will be favourable to the purchaser. The funds from Singapore have checked to a quantity to the coast; not less than 1,500 chests, which was purchased at 85 less than present quotations, which may for a time keep down prices. There are a few chests of large quantities must come on, induce buyers to be cautious here. In India, however, the holders appear to be firm, and provided they can hold the drug, sending no small parcels, not under advances, they may keep the market up in China, but we are inclined to doubt their ability to do this.			
Pepper	5 0	5 25	"
Rice, cargo quality	2 10	2 25	"
Rattans	3 50	4 0	"
Sandalwood, Malabar	11 0	13 0	"
" Timor, S.S. Isl.	4 0	7 0	"
Salt-petre	7 0	7 50	"
WOOLLENS.			
Spanish Stripes	1 0	1 25	0 per yard
Long Eils, scotch	8 50	8 80	0 per pieul
" assorted	8 0	8 50	0 "
Camlets, English	32 0	34 0	"
" Dutch	28 0	30 0	"
Nothing doing in any description of woolen goods.			

EXPORTS.—OY BOARD.
 Alum 81 75 @ 2 0 per pieul
 Annised 10 50 @ 11 0 "
 Camphor 17 0 @ 20 0 "
 Cassin 9 50 @ 10 0 "
 " Buds 17 0 @ 18 0 "
 China Roots 2 50 @ 3 0 "
 Galangal 2 20 @ 0 0 "
 Mds 30 0 @ 0 0 per cent
 Rhubarb 90 0 @ 0 0 per pieul
 Runners—We only hear of 200 pieul of Rhubarb at 800. The weather has been unfavourable for preparing the root for the market.

RAW SILK.
 Taslate 520 0 @ 550 0 "
 Taysaan 0 0 @ 0 0 "
 Canton 280 0 @ 350 0 "
 On the 1st of the purchase here being known, 1,300 bales of the new crop arrived, of which 1,100 bales were bought at the market at 450; No. 2, 450. One house boldly opened the market with a purchase of 800 bales. It is said that speculators to this small purchase was made at 450. The silk is described as being rather an ordinary quality of *Paiche*, but the bloominess of the tow-market in England, induces parties to strive for other specimens. It is worthy of notice, that the quantity of silk brought forward for sale last week was about one-half of the quantity of the previous year.

TEA.

Congou old. Tls.	19 0	10 0	"
Congou new.	39 0	43 0	"
Capor.	19 0	27 0	"
Souchong old.	15 0	20 0	"
Souchong new.	30 0	50 0	"
Orange Pekoe, new	27 0	34 0	"
" fine scented.	60 0	0 0	"
Twankay	14 0	21 0	"
Hyson	0 0	0 0	"
Young Hyson.			
Hyson Skin.	15 0	32 0	"
Gunpowder.	48 0	70 0	"
Imperial	40 0	67 0	"

TEA.—All the fine teas that have as yet been brought to market have been bought at prices varying from 39 to 43 1/2. For the second class, the tea-merchants show a disposition to relax in their exorbitant demands, but the run is all on fine teas, it being the impression that, from the large stock of the old crop already in England, and deteriorating in value by age, the fine new teas first brought forward, will command good prices.

COTTON REPORT.
 Canton, July 1st to 31st, 1844.

Twist, bales	711	Stock.	4,372
		Deliveries.	Stock.
American, bales			
Bombay, "	21,654	78,396	
Bengal, "	3,619	16,283	
Madras, "	65	1,157	
Total 25,278		111,659	
including Ship Fattel Molarrack.			

PRICES OF BULLION.
 Sycee Silver, large, 2 per cent. premium
 small, 1 1/2 to 2 ditto
 Spanish Dollars, 2 Ferdinand, par
 Republican ditto, 4 1/2 per cent. discount.
 Canton, 3 per cent. for selected.

EXCHANGE.
 Bills on London at 6 months sight, 4s. 5d.
 Navy Bills, 4s. to 4s. 1d.
 H.M. Plenipotentiary on the Bengal Govt., Treasury closed.

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SCOTLAND.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to present to C. Fiddall to parish of Dorn...

A railroad from Glasgow to Dumfries and Lochmoad is projected. The cost is estimated at 300,000l. being at the rate of 15,000l. per mile.

IRELAND.

It is currently reported, that Chief Justice Doherty will be raised to the Peerage, with a seat in the House of Lords, as Government are much in want of an Irish judicial functionary...

in his views. A committee was appointed to wind up the affairs of the Society. Edmund Fry, son of a Magistrate of Roscommon county, and a person highly connected, has been committed for trial charged with directing his herdman, Edward Cox to kill a mare, his property, and with subsequently...

PEACE AND QUIET.

Follow countrymen—beloved fellow countrymen—The sentence passed, but there is an appeal from that sentence.

The appeal lies to the House of Lords. I have to say, also, myself to bring an appeal against that sentence, and I assure you, that there is every prospect that it will be granted.

Let every man stay at home. Let the women and children stay at home. Do not crowd the streets of this poor County.

Now, Patriots or Demagogues, and people of Ireland generally, I shall know, and the world will know, whether you love and respect me or not. Show your love and regard for me, by your obedience to the law, your peaceable conduct, and the total avoidance of any riot or violence.

Peace, order, quiet. I ask for, in my name, and as you regard me.

Peace and quiet I ask for, in the name of Ireland, and as you love your nation.

Peace, order, quiet. I call for, under the solemn sanction of religion. I conjure you to observe quiet, and I ask it in the adorable name of the ever-living God.

Gratify me and your friends, by your being quiet and peaceable.

The enemies of Ireland would be delighted at your violating the peace, or being guilty of any disorder.

Disappoint them, gratify and delightfully Peace, Order, and Quiet, your ever faithful friend.

DANIEL O'CONNELL.

CANADIAN.

Accounts from CANADIAN furnish details of the Ministerial elections. The candidates were Mr. Molson, a Conservative and supporter of Sir C. Metcalfe, and Mr. Drummond, a Liberal and supporter of the latter Ministers.

The most important intelligence from the West Indies is, the rising of the blacks in Hayti, and the sacrifice of life and property following the revolt. The Jamaica journals, referring to the condition of the weather, state that no satisfactory change had taken place.

A body of 600 soldiers were lately marched with the greatest secrecy and expedition from the Isle of Wight to Guernsey. It is said, in consequence of certain representations made to Government by General Napier as to the assigned state of the island.

The death of Admiral Lalande is a serious loss of the French Navy, of which he was one of the most distinguished officers. The death of the established banker and deputy Jacques Lafitte, took place at the age of 77 years.

Spain.—The Spanish army is very interesting. Both Queens are at Valencia. Some of the Madrid papers speak of the decided spirit of absolute and despotic authority exhibited by the Government and the Court as likely to lead to a new and sanguinary revolution that will endanger the Crown itself.

of Deputies; the fourth by M. Garnier Pages; the fifth by M. Gouache, in the name of "the schools"; the sixth by M. Dupin. M. Pierre Lafitte invited a discussion on his oration.

The Journal des Debats has a glowing account of renewed understanding between Russia and our enemies in the East; and once more, in the fancy of the Parisian journalist, our Indian empire totters to its fall.

The Emperor of Morocco had concentrated on the frontiers of his dominions a body of 10,000 men, and reinforcements were advancing for the same destination from the interior.

The Emperor, it appears, ordered to General Bédou that his territory extended to the left bank of the Tafna. The latter replied, that he could not do so, as a proclamation, and all the forces of the division of General Abdou and Lamoriciere had already taken positions to repel the Morocco Army, which it attempted to invade that portion of Algeria.

The Emperor of France has caused a great sensation in the comparative power of a pamphlet on the English and French Navies. The Prince proclaims his belief that England has been superior to France on the sea, and his wish to change this relative situation of the two countries.

He advances a serious charge against the French Chamber, and asserts that the money voted by the Chambers has not been applied to the Navy ought to be in a larger state than that which it is in a very bad state.

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and his friends took seven hours. He had his five, to the number of forty-three, went two, Spain only surrendered, having no money for travelling.

On the way to the frontier, a soldier attempted to assassinate the retreating chief; but was shot by the non-commissioned officers.

The non-commissioned officers of the insurgent army amounted to 724. America.—The President has asked all parties by surprise, in submitting a treaty which he has concluded with Texas for the annexation of that State to the Union.

There is also submitted a long correspondence which relates chiefly to a despatch of the President, and Mr. Calhoun, to the British Government, in relation to the British Government, to procure the abolition of slavery in Texas.

On this charge of interference by Great Britain, rests the whole fabric of argument by which this negotiation is vindicated.

These surmises and assumptions are entirely unsupported by anything like evidence, and they are definitely and most permanently destroyed and disproved by the British Government. This discovery was explained by Lord Aberdeen to Mr. Everett, and afterwards in a despatch to the British minister at Washington, a copy of which was communicated.

The treaty is yet before the Senate, but as it is well understood that it will find no favour there, all anxiety about its fate has ceased. It will be rejected by a very large majority.

Early in May some fearful scenes were enacted at Philadelphia, in consequence of an ill feeling which existed between the anti-Catholic party calling themselves "Native Americans," and the Irish Catholics.

The following statement is abstracted from a letter in the Chronicle:—For some weeks previous to the riots, one or two journals, the executors of the opinions and principles of the "Native American" party, have been with violent attacks on the Catholic Irish, denounced what is termed Papal influence, and certainly did much to excite the feelings of the public mind.

On the 3rd of May, a "Native American" meeting was held in Kensington, a large town, but a suburb of Philadelphia. No sooner was it organized than it was attacked by a large body of the Irish, the meeting dispersed, and the American flag torn by the assaults, and trampled under their feet.

On the 5th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 7th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 9th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 11th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 13th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 15th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 17th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.

On the 19th another meeting was held, at which strong speeches were made denouncing the Irish, and was adjourned to meet immediately in Washington market. On re-assembling, a large body of Irish appeared; individual quarrels commonly volleys of musketry were fired upon the meeting by the Irish. Two native citizens were killed, several wounded, and the meeting being unarmed, was dispersed.