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FOR ENGLAND, CALCUTTA, MADRAS, CEYLON, AND INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

THE Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steam Ship BRAGANZA, will leave this for the above places on Saturday the 25th of July.

CARGO WILL BE RECEIVED ON BOARD UNTIL NOON, AND SPECIE UNTIL 4 P. M. OF FRIDAY THE 24th.

This Route affords an opportunity of visiting SINGAPORE and PENANG, remaining a short time at CEYLON, and thence proceeding to ENGLAND by Overland Conveyance through EGYPT in 54 days, to MADRAS in 39 days, and CALCUTTA in 34 days, from the date of leaving CHINA. Steamers belonging to the H. E. I. Company, are also understood to ply, between COLOMBO and BOMBAY, thus affording Passengers a much more speedy means of reaching the latter place than is otherwise obtainable.

Arrangements are made in the Steamers throughout for the convenience of Native Merchants of India proceeding as Passengers; certain accommodation is also reserved in the Calcutta Steamers for Passengers from China joining the Suez line at GALLE, to secure which it is requisite that a Notice of at least Two Months be given to the Company's Agent here.

Cargo, Parcels, &c. may be forwarded to ENGLAND by the above Vessel with the same despatch as H. M. Mails; and Specie, Silk, or other Goods to CEYLON, MADRAS, and CALCUTTA, on Terms nearly the same as by sailing vessels, the rate of Insurance having been reduced by several Offices in favour of the Company's Steamers.

Until further notice the Rates of Freight will be:—

For MEASUREMENTS GOODS. To SUPERFICIAL, per Ton of 40 Cubic Feet, \$120 Sp.

And for SPECIE. To MADRAS and CALCUTTA 2 per cent. CEYLON 1 1/2 " SINGAPORE and PENANG 1 "

No Goods can be received for Overland Transit unless Packed in non-susceptible Coverings as Wood, Matting, Tanned Cloth &c. and the Contents and Value of each Package either marked on the outside, or declared in Writing at the time of Shipment.

Further particulars regarding the Rates of Freight and Passage may be obtained by application at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong.

J. A. OLDING, Agent. Hongkong, 29th June, 1846.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS FOR ENGLAND.

THE Fine 500 ton Ship AUGUSTA JESSIE, Captain JOHN HARVEY, will leave this for London on or about the 20th proximo; has splendid airy Poop accommodations for Passengers, plans of which can be seen at the office

For passage only apply to, W. H. FRANKLYN, Agent. Victoria, 23rd June 1846.

TO LET.

A House in Pottinger Street opposite the R. C. Church and next to Mr Shorteds, apply to BUSH & Co. Victoria, 6th March 1846.

TO LET.

A House in Gough Street. Apply to JOHN CARR.

TO LET.

Bungalow in Queen's Road, opposite the Albany Godowns, consisting of Six Rooms well ventilated, with detached Offices and Stables complete. Apply to TURNER & Co. Hongkong, March 2nd, 1846.

TO LET.

THREE Houses situate in Wellington Street, commanding a fine view of the Bay. Early possession can be given. For further particulars apply to R. OSWALD. Victoria, 27th February, 1846.

TO LET.

A HOUSE on Queen's Road, containing twelve rooms, with godowns. Apply to ARCH. MELVILLE. Victoria, 14th April, 1846.

TO BE LET.

A Single and a double storied Godown. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Victoria, 5th June 1846.

TO LET.

THREE convenient Houses, two in Gough Street, the other in Hollywood Road, at a low rent. Apply to ROWLAND REES, Pottinger Street.

TO LET.

TWO commodious Houses situated in Stanley Street, containing 8 Rooms each with yard and outhouses; rent moderate. For further particulars apply to D. LAFRANK, 1 Wellington Terrace, D'Aguilar Street. Victoria 5th May 1846.

TO LET.

MR. JOSEPH L. ROBERTS is a partner in our firm. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Canton, 20th March, 1846.

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TO LET, three furnished rooms, with stable &c., in a convenient and healthy part of the Town, rent moderate; for particulars apply to, D. LAFRANK, Wellington Terrace, D'Aguilar St. Victoria, 6th June 1846.

TO LET.

THE spacious and convenient two storied House Corner of Wellington and D'Aguilar Streets, formerly occupied by the Supreme Court; has good dry godowns and convenient mercantile Offices. Rent \$60 per month. For further particulars apply to F. SPRING, Ravensburg Cottage, Stanton Street.

TO LET.

THE godowns, and first floor of the premises on Queen's road, adjoining Messrs Smith and Brimelow. Apply to, GEO. STRACHAN, Victoria, 1st June 1846.

TO LET.

THE Bungalow on the Hollywood Road, to the east of Union Chapel; contains dining and drawing rooms, three bedrooms, bathroom, with servants offices &c.; also two houses in Gage Street, consisting of four rooms and servants offices. Apply to, GEO. STRACHAN, Victoria, 1st June 1846.

TO LET.

TWO Houses on the south side of Gough Street. Apply to, GEO. STRACHAN.

TO LET ON LEASE.

A Godown situate on Lot 13 Queen's road, with sea frontage, at present in the occupation of Mr C. W. BOWRA. Apply at the Office Friend of China. Victoria 6th June 1846.

TO LET.

TWO spacious and handsome Rooms well suited for Offices, or as a private residence. One of two godowns can be had if wanted. W. H. FRANKLYN, Commission Agent.

STABLE TO LET.

A convenient room, six stall Stable adjacent to the Queen's Road; apply to, EDWARD N. BURGESS, Victoria, 25th June, 1846.

FOR SALE.

MADEIRA in Pipes, Hogheads and quarter Casks, from the well known House of Standard & Co. Sherry in Pipes, Port in 3 dozen Cases. Apply to, DENT & Co. Victoria, 15th June 1846.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have received authority from the Directors of the Imperial Fire Insurance Office of London, to issue Policies on the New Buildings at Canton. MACVICAR & Co. Victoria, 23rd January, 1846.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned have been appointed Agents at Shanghai for the Imperial Fire Office of London. BLENKIN, RAWSON & Co. Victoria, 22d April 1846.

FOR SALE.

AT the Godowns of Messrs BLENKIN, RAWSON & Co. superior Sherry, Madeira, and Port, in wood and bottle; Champagne from the house of Mumm & Co. Rheims. Hongkong, 1st June 1846.

PHENIX MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies in Hongkong and Canton, payable in London, Calcutta, Bombay, and China. MURROW & Co. Hongkong, 23rd May 1846.

FOR SALE.

WEBSTER, Gordon, Cassart & Co's superior Madeira in Hhd's, quarter and half quarter casks, and in cases. FLETCHER & Co. Hongkong, 1st March, 1845.

FOR SALE.

BLANDY'S Madeira in half pipes, hhd's, and D quarter casks. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Victoria, 10th April 1846.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Firm of FIANZ & Co. of Canton, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 7th March last. The undersigned will continue the Business of the late Firm at Canton, from this date, under the Firm of FIANZ & Co. MAXIMILIAN FISCHER. Canton, 20th June 1846.

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NOTICE. MR. AUGUSTUS RAWLINS HUDSON is authorized to sign our firm by procuration. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, 29th May 1846.

NOTICE.

THE partnership business heretofore existing under the Firm of THOMAS RIPLEY & Co. carried on at Hongkong has by mutual consent terminated at that place, the Firm and business of the House being transferred (being the same Establishment) to Shanghai: THOS. RIPLEY, Liverpool, 23rd February 1846. CHAS. SHAW, Shanghai, 4th June 1846.

NOTICE.

THE business of the undersigned will in future be carried on under the firm of Wm. PRUAT & Co. at Hongkong and Canton. Wm. PRUAT & Co. China, the 1st of January 1846.

NOTICE.

THE Business and Establishment of the late JOSEPH ROGERS of Manila, will be carried on as heretofore by R. P. NAPPER, under the firm of, J. ROGERS & Co. Manila, 5th May, 1846.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN JOHNSTONE is admitted a Partner in our Firm from this date. JARDINE, SKINNER & Co. Calcutta, May 1st 1846.

NOTICE.

MR. M. A. HILLIANS is authorized to sign our firm per procuration from this date. (Signed) COCKERELL & Co. Calcutta, 1st May 1846.

SUMMER WINES & BEER.

ON SALE by the undersigned—An excellent light Claret for summer use, cheap; Champagne; Hock; Straw Colored and Golden Sherry, of 1st quality; Port; Allsop's and other Ales in wood and bottle, AND, Superior Navy Cans, Anchors of various sizes, Chain Cables, Europe Rope, and other ship stores. Also, An Invoice of Colored Window Glass, suitable for ornamental Doors and Windows. W. H. FRANKLYN. Victoria, 9th June 1846.

200 Piculs Comphor packed ready for Shipment at a very low price. W. H. FRANKLYN.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. FRANKLYN will sell at his rooms on Saturday 4th Inst. at 11 o'clock A. M. 500 pieces Grey Shirtings, more or less damaged by Sea, water. AND Several Hundred Pieces Colored Shirtings, ALSO An Invoice of Ironmongery. Terms at Sale. Victoria, 30th June 1846.

SALE BY AUCTION OF WINES TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS.

MR. W. H. FRANKLYN will sell by Auction at his rooms on Tuesday Evening the 7th Inst. at 7 past 7 o'clock precisely. 100 cases Claret. 40 baskets Champagne, 10 cases Do. 10 cases Sherry, 5 cases Do. 1 case Lisbon. Terms at Sale. Victoria, 1st July 1846.

VALUABLE ESTATE.

MR. FRANKLYN has received instructions to sell without reserve that highly valuable piece of Ground, Lot 64, situated between the premises of Messrs Macvicar & Co. and Franjez James Esq. having a Sea Frontage of 200 ft. on the north side and on the south the Queen's Road; a small House erected thereon. Terms of Sale will be specified in Saturday's paper.

THE Undersigned respectfully begs leave to inform that the Vessels and the Public in general, that are employed to supply Ship and Cabin Stores, are at descriptions, and Miscellaneous Articles of the best quality, and on the most reasonable Terms.

A PASSAGE BOAT leaves Whampoa for Canton twice daily, and PRIVATE BOATS may be engaged at any hour with good and trustworthy Crews. Goods transhipped or stored, and General Shipping Business executed with promptness and despatch. THOMAS HUNT, Store Ship, Whampoa Road, 1st July 1846.

SODA WATER.

ON SALE—At the word of the late John Smith in Macao from Dr. Huxtable Soda Water Manufactory there. Macao, 11th January, 1845.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned have formed a partnership, for the transaction of a general Agency and Commission business, under the respective Firms of RAWLE, DUES & Co. at Victoria, and DUES, RAWLE & Co. at Shanghai.

S. B. RAWLE, N. DUES. Victoria, Hongkong, 1st October, 1845.

ROMAN CEMENT.

FOR sale at the Godown of the undersigned a consignment of Roman Cement. RAWLE, DUES & Co. Victoria, Queen's Road, 9th Feb'y 1846.

FOR SALE.

SUPERIOR Sherry and Madeira in wood; also a few half pipes and quarter cases Cape and Tenerife Wines, Sherry, Madeira, Port, Claret, Cognac, Cherry Brandy, in 1 2 & 3 dozen cases. RAWLE, DUES & Co. Victoria, 28th October, 1845.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.

An assortment of Anchors and Chain Cables, Europe, Manila and Coir Rope, Hemp and Cotton Canvas, and several Spars for lower and topsides. RAWLE, DUES & Co. Victoria, 28th October, 1845.

SUMMER WINES.

FOR sale by the undersigned, Rhenish and French Wines at moderate prices. Graffenberger, Detschouel, Hockheimer, and Lartigue, Geissenheimer, St Julian, Sherry, Champagne. ALSO Baskets of fresh Seltzer WATER direct from Germany, the Dutch ship Centor. RAWLE, DUES & Co. Victoria, 16th May, 1846.

AMERICAN FLOUR.

A few barrels of kiln dried flour for sale by RAWLE, DUES & Co.

WAGHORN & Co's AGENCY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for Messrs WAGHORN & Co. are prepared to forward parcels to India, and England by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steam Vessels, which sail from Hongkong on the 25th of every month. All parcels sent to Victoria will be forwarded most by sea free of freight or other charges, and to arrive 24 hours before the Mail closes. All packages received from India or England will be delivered free of any charge made here, on presentation of the Receipt only; but if they are sent to any other place, the freight expenses will be charged besides the freight at other expenses. RAWLE, DUES & Co.

MESSRS HUNTER & BARTON, beg to announce that their Macao Establishment has been removed to No. 12 Danish Hong KANTON. WHERE may be FOLLOWING ART FOR SALE. Soda WATER and ESSENCE of LEMONADE direct from the fountain. Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Ships M'icine chests sold and Lartigue, Can' 16th March, 1846.

FOR SALE.

SODA WATER and AERATED LEMONADE of superior quality at Messrs HUNTER & BARTON'S Dispensaries, Pottinger Street, Victoria Hongkong, and 12 Danish Hong, Canton.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

SODA WATER, AERATED LEMONADE, &c. is stated Chalybeate Water, (highly recommended, an account of its medicinal properties). AGENT AT CANTON. ACHOOK, Comprodor, No. 3 Imperial Hong Hongkong, 18th March, 1846.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned begs to inform parties indebted to him, to pay the same as early as possible, claims on those residing in China, not paid, or arrangements made to do so, up to the end of next May, and those in Europe, &c., up to the end of next August. (after giving notice in the Newspapers of Names and particulars); will be put to the test by Public Auction, and sold off to the highest bidder.

Those who have established on the East Coast of China, or elsewhere, or have left China, since 1839, are requested to send their address, and their accounts will be forwarded to them without delay. JNO. SMITH. Macao, 18th February, 1846.

ON SALE by the undersigned at his Auction and Commission Sale Rooms (opposite Chinamen's Hong) Queen's Road. Claret, Sherry, Port, Champagne, Hock, Tokay &c. &c. and a variety of light quality Sparkling Champagne Cylinders, English Gin in 7 size cases &c. &c. to be purchased at very moderate prices. For a full and small assortment of fresh European wines procured in time, Ship's Stores of every description, superior Blends, a variety of Cutlery and hardware &c. &c. EDWARD N. BURGESS, Commission Agent and Auctioneer. Victoria, 24th June 1846.

No. 8 - A Dinner Service for 12 Persons No. 6281 containing: - 12 Dinner 1, 2, 1, 18, 2, 16, 2, 14, 2, 12, 4, 10m, 10m. 10 Plates. 10 Soup Dishes, 10 Soup Tarets and Stand Gold Handles, &c. 10 Covers, 10 Saucers, 10 Fish Dishes, 10 Fish Trainers, 10 Reg. Hot Water Dish complete, 10 Tea Dishes 2, 11, 1, 9m. 10 Cheese Stands, 10 Right Hot Water Dish complete, 10 Reg. Dinner Service for 12 Persons No. 6281.

No. 10 - A Breakfast, Tea and Coffee Service China, No. 7157 - containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and Saucers, 1 7 0 10 Tea do. do. do. for Evening, 1 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 2 0 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand T.wisted Handled, 0 5 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 17 5 0

No. 10 - A China Breakfast, Tea and Coffee Service Embossed No. 6811 - containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and Saucers, 1 3 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 1 17 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 2 0 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 17 5 0

No. 10 - A Breakfast, Tea, and Coffee Service Embossed No. 6811 - containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and Saucers, 1 3 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 1 17 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 2 0 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 2, 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 16 5 0

No. 10 - A Breakfast, Tea, and Coffee Service Embossed No. 702 - containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and Saucers, 1 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 12 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 18 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 16 5 0

No. 13 - A Breakfast, Tea, and Coffee Service Melon No. 666 - Pattern Brown, containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and Saucers, 1 7 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 15 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 16 5 0

No. 13 - A Breakfast, Tea, and Coffee Service Melon No. 677 - Pattern Containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and saucers, 1 7 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 15 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 16 5 0

No. 13 - A Breakfast, Tea, and Coffee Service Melon No. 677 - Pattern Containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and saucers, 1 7 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 15 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 16 5 0

No. 13 - A Breakfast, Tea, and Coffee Service Melon No. 677 - Pattern Containing: - 10 Large Handled Cups and saucers, 1 7 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 15 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 5 0 10 Soup Tarets and Stand, 0 5 0 10 Saucers, 0 2 0 10 Soup Plates and Covers, 0 18 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 4 0 10 Tea do. do. do., 0 10 0 10 Breakfast Plates, 1 11 0 10 Tea Dishes 12m. and 10m., 0 12 0 10 Soup Dishes, 0 9 0 10 Soup Tarets with Covers and Stands, 0 10 0 10 Saucers and Stand Ewer, 1 8 0 10 Tea Dishes, 16 5 0

1 Large handled Cup and Saucer, 0 2 0 1 Tea Saucer, 0 0 5 2 Leaf Plates, 0 0 0 1 Egg Cup, 0 0 0 13 Ovals and Stems, 6 10 0 Canal Fittings and Shipping Charges, 6 10 0 Freight and Primage, 18 7 0 Insurance and Duty, 7 4 0 Victoria, 26th June 1846.

COMPADORE WANTED. "Gazette Office." Apply at this Office. 16th June, 1846.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG In the matter of the Insolvency of JULIUS CHARLES Power of Victoria in the Island of Hongkong, Book-keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT DUNDAS Esq. Registrar of the Supreme Court has been appointed Provisional Assignee of the Estate and effects of the above named Insolvent. Dated the 22d day of June 1846. By the Court, ROBERT DUNDAS Esq., Registrar.

THE sale of Fancy Articles advertised to take place on the 15th and 16th inst. at the London Missionary Society's Premises, will be continued for a few days longer, owing to the unfavourable state of the weather.

VICTORIA HOTEL, SHANGHAI. P. F. RICHARDS, begs to inform the Foreign community resident in China, that his new house being now nearly completed, will be opened (under the above title) for the accommodation of the Public on or about the 15th day of June next ensuing, when he trusts by strict attention to the comfort of his guests, and moderate charges, to render it worthy of their patronage. P. F. R. having made arrangements for a constant supply of the very best Wines, Foreign and British Spirits, Ale, Porter, Beer, Soda Water, Lemonade &c. &c. and having spared no expense in the building and furnishing of his house, feels confident the accommodation and entertainment at the Victoria Hotel, cannot be surpassed by those of any other house of public resort in China. N.B. - Shipping supplied with Fresh Provisions of every description, and of the very best quality on the most moderate terms. Shanghai, 16th April 1846.

BRITISH HOTEL, KESTINE HOUSE, Queen's Road, Victoria. MICHAEL GABRIEL has the honour to announce to his friends and the public, that he has taken those spacious and commodious premises known as Keying House where he intends to carry on the business of a Hotel keeper, and he begs to assure those parties who may be pleased to patronize his new establishment, that nothing shall be wanting on his part to insure to them the greatest comfort and attention. Billiards can be engaged in airy and spacious rooms with a water frontage, at the following rates, viz: - Day Games 4 Rupees, Night do. 1 do.

FOR SALE, BY the undersigned, a lot of Ladies Fancy goods, Ladies Bonnets of all colours, Ladies and Gentlemen's Kid and Silk Gloves; Ladies black and white Lace Caps, and Berthas, Silk and Satin Ribbons of all colours; Muslin Dresses of different patterns; Cotton dresses of (at Colour); Braided and tucked jacobons and Book Muslin Robes; Embroidered ditto; Transparent ditto; Ladies black and white silk Stockings; Jaconnet and Book Muslin insertion and Edging; silk Umbrellas and Parasols; Artificial Flowers; black and white Nett; Ladies Stays; Ladies shoes and other articles too numerous to mention. L. E. CHRISTOPHER, Victoria, 20th June, 1846.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED. MILNERS Patent Fire Proof Boxes. Sotherran Patent Water Filters of sixes. ROBERT RUTHERFORD, Queen's Road, June 8th, 1846.

FOR SALE. MR. R. RUTHERFORD has just received a few Hogsheads of Bass's India Pale Ale, in excellent order. ALSO, A lot of very fine Teas for Family use. Queen's Road, 7th May, 1846. CHARLES BUCKTON.

DEGS leave to intimate that he has this day opened a house in the Queen's road, at the foot of Oswald's hill, in connection with his establishment at Whampoa, for the purpose of supplying ships &c. with stores of every description, viz: Canvas, Twine, Cordage, Blocks, Bunting, Duck, Paints, Paint Oil, Turpentine, Tar, Pitch, Varnish, Ship and Cabin bread, Flour, Praxisions, Sperm Candles, Manila Cerebouts, Tobacco, Oilman's Stores, Gona-Shot, Spars, Oars Handspikes &c. &c. Ready Rins, Whisky, Geneva, Port, Sherry, Champagne, &c. &c. Indian and London bottled Pale Ale, Barclay's Porter and various other wares. Supplies Stores purchased or exchanged. Hongkong, 1st May 1846.

NOTICE. MR. NATHAN CRAWFORD is authorized to sign for me by procuration at Hongkong from this date. CHARLES BUCKTON, 20 April 1846. FOR SALE, BY the undersigned, a few cases of superior Pale Ale, (Bass's). W. S. DRINKER & HEYL, Queen's Road and Whampoa Reach, Victoria, 1st May 1846.

FOR SALE. A SUPERIOR selection of goods from Messrs. Devanport & Co. daily expected per Mirza, consisting of: Enamelled Dinner services, ditto and Japan Dessert services, ditto and ditto Breakfast services, ditto and ditto Tea services, Chamber Sets, Embossed Jugs of all sizes, with and without covers. Seventy dozen Tea tasters and Cups, Eight and twelve light Chandeliers, with richly cut crystal glasses, and fittings to match. 9, 10 & 12 inch Vase Lamps, with shades &c. Quartz and Pint Decanters, water bottles, Tumblers, Wine, Claret, Champagne and Liqueur Glasses. Taper Green Hooks; Butter, Tubs and Stands; Salts; Cruet stands; night Lamps &c. &c. CHARLES BUCKTON, Queen's Road and Whampoa Reach, Victoria, 1st May, 1846.

FOR Sale by the undersigned: Ailsop's Beer in bottle. Bvass's do do. HOLMES & BIGHAM, Victoria, 22nd April 1846.

TO OFFICERS OF THE NAVY. G. COLBAND and Naval Buttons for sale by the undersigned. Also stores of every description. MACKAY & CO. NOTICE. Ex "LADY MARY WOOD." A small invoice of Indian Gauze Under-shirts and Drawers, manufactured expressly for this climate, by the old established house of J. & R. Morley of Nottingham. For sale by, F. FUNCK, Victoria, 19th June 1846.

JUST RECEIVED per Bangalore a consignment of superior Irish Linens, from the house of S. K. Mulholland & Hinds of Belfast. ALSO, A few dozen of beautiful Damask Table Napkins. AND, A small assortment of Ladies Figured Silk dresses of various colors, and elegant patterns. F. FUNCK, Victoria, 19th June 1846.

HATS. LONDON made black Hats of a superior quality. For sale by, F. FUNCK, Victoria, 19th June 1846.

MR FUNCK has this day opened a Show-room in addition to his shop, and has on view a quantity of English made furniture consisting of: Sideboards, Plain and Figured Horse Hair Couches, Chiffoniers, Reclining Chairs with Morocco backs and seats, Chandeliers, And a few pairs of mirrors in elegant gilt frames. Victoria, 26th May 1846.

MRS. COOMBS begs to inform the Ladies of Hongkong that she has taken the premises adjoining the Hongkong Register Office, which has this day been opened as a Millinery and Dress-Making establishment; and ventures to solicit a portion of patronage, which it will be her endeavour, by punctuality and attention, to deserve. Queen's Road, 26th May 1846.

MRS. COMBS has for Sale at her millinery and dress-making establishments, adjoining the Hongkong Register Office: Embroidered and Tucked Jacobons and Book Muslin Robes, Embroidered ditto, Embroidered and Tucked ditto, Children's Worked Frocks, Jaconnet and Book muslin insertion and Edging, French Frocks, Vests, Bonnets, and Bonnet Caps, Dress and half Dress Caps, Ribbons, Lace Collars, Berthas and Mantles, White net, Lace Gowns, &c. &c. Victoria, 2nd June 1846.

NOTICE. SMITH & BRIMLOW, beg respectfully to intimate to the Merchants of Victoria, that they have taken those Fry and Commination Godowns in Keying House, where they shall be most happy to receive Goods on Storage upon moderate terms. Victoria, 6th May 1846.

SODA WATER. AND, AERATED LEMONADE, TO be obtained at the manufactory of this undersigned. SMITH & BRIMLOW, No 1 and 2 Woomas's Buildings, corner of Pottinger Street.

NOTICE. WE the undersigned have formed a Partnership for the transaction of a General Agency, Auction and Commission business at Victoria Hongkong, under the Firm of DRINKER & HEYL. W. S. DRINKER & W. S. HEYL, Victoria, March 2nd 1846.

NOTICE. DRINKER & HEYL have for sale a few sets of Roger's superior Table Cutlery and Pen-knives, at a bargain. Victoria, 30th June 1846.

JUST RECEIVED, and for Sale an Invoice of Preserved Fruits, Jams &c.; consisting of: Guinias, Apricots, Currants, Peaches &c. &c. Also, a quantity of Pump Leather and Window Glass. For sale by, W. S. DRINKER & HEYL, Victoria, 26th May 1846.

53597 received and sold. A few cases of superior Pale Ale, (Bass's). W. S. DRINKER & HEYL, Victoria, May 1st, 1846.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE. - 20 Farmhouse Pattern Fire Pipes, suitable for raising water to any part of a House, and equally useful in case of Fire; also a quantity of Lead Pipe and Flanges for connecting the same. Apply to, W. S. DRINKER & HEYL, Victoria, 25th May 1846.

NOTICE. DRINKER & HEYL, offer for sale, at their Stores, superior Port, Sherry, Madiera, and Claret Wines, Peppermint, and Cherry Cordials, Beer and Porter in wood and bottles, Wine Butlers, Choice Butter in Kegs, Neats Tongues, Tobacco, Cigars, Old No. 3 and 4 Manila Cheroots, Paint Oil and Turpentine in cans, Bright Varnish Ravens Duck, &c. &c. Victoria, 16th February, 1846.

FOR SALE. BY the undersigned a few Jars of superior English Paint Oil. C. MARKWICK, Auctioneer, Pottinger Street, Victoria, 19th November, 1845.

FOR SALE. AN Improved Letter Copying machine and an elegant Stand (by Royston & Brown, London) complete, with Ink, Books, Founts, Pen and Folin Copying Paper &c., &c. Apply to, Mr C. MARKWICK, Pottinger Street, Victoria, 19th June 1846.

FOR SALE. AN excellent Horse, Gig and Harness, to be seen at Jones's Livestock Stables. Victoria, 26th June, 1846. NOTICE. ALL parties indebted to the "British Queen Tavern, are requested to pay the same; and parties having claims will send them in forthwith for settlement. The partnership is dissolved from this date. WILLIAM SAGE, Victoria, 22nd June, 1846.

EMERY, FRASER & Co., inform the Community of Hongkong, that they have a horse named FRASER lately arrived, and though their establishment is rather distant from the centre of the town, Gentlemen may rely on having their horses faithfully and expeditiously shod. Opposite the Catholic Burying Ground, June 23rd 1846. (From the New York Herald, 4th April)

THE EMIGRATION TO OREGON - THE BASIS FOR A SETTLEMENT OF THE QUESTION. Although our government at Washington, so far as we are advised, have made but little progress towards a settlement of the Oregon question, there is one phase of it which, in the four months that Congress has been in session, has undergone a great and important change. The question has two great phases - the one regards our rights in Oregon, and the actual ultimate possession of its territory. The other looks to the various effects growing out of the discussion and agitation of the subject, as upon our foreign intercourse and relations, particularly with France and England, upon business of all kinds, both domestic and foreign, and also upon our domestic politics, upon which the farther the "abeyance" of the settlement of the question is thrown, the greater will be the mischief. As regards the latter phase, the sooner the matter is settled definitively the better - whether with the notice given or without, matters not, so it be settled. Upon the other phase of the question we have a few remarks to make. We say the position of the question has undergone a great change. It has been discussed and argued before the people. The discussions and arguments have been followed by a universal conviction in the popular mind that our right and title to the territory of Oregon, is valid and unquestionable up to forty-nine degrees; and very few of those disposed to emigrate to Oregon, doubt the perfection of our title up to fifty-four forty. In regard to title, possession, occupation, and actual improvement, will probably turn out to be about "nine points." Possession can only be secured by emigration. Antecedently to discussion and argument, there was no emigration. But post passum with discussion and argument has proceeded emigration, just as the waters of the canal follow the spade and crow-bar. The reasons are obvious. Emigration would not go to Oregon to settle upon lands with an uncertain tenure. But just as fast as you demonstrate the validity and security of tenure, so fast will emigration occupy the territory. The free choice of selection, and the certainty of holding the soil in fee simple, are abundant inducements to draw emigration enough to occupy every 100 acre farm in Oregon, in an incredibly short space of time. And so far as the "sovereignty" of Oregon is concerned we apprehend that this is the possession which will constitute the most impregnable title. Now, we take the ground that previous to President Polk's administration - there was but little popular knowledge of our rights in Oregon. Since the first of December the subject has been fully and ably discussed in committee of the whole Union - Conviction of the validity of title has certainly followed discussion. And sovereignty will, must follow emigration. It is very probable that emigration will not go north of forty-nine. This line is, and will be the boundary. Whether it be ten far north or ten far south, the calm, sober judgment of us must decide. We only remark, that if it be too far south, upon the whig party must be the responsibility. - But for their opposition, the democrats would have gone for fifty-four forty, and assumed all responsibilities that might have resulted from that position. As it is, the democratic party must come down to forty-nine; for if they cannot make an argument to convince their whig fellow-citizens, how can they expect that their arguments should convince an ambitious third? Believing as the whigs do, that the British title north of forty-nine is better than ours, they must, of course, regard it as trespass to settle there. It would, therefore, be contrary to conscience and moral sense, first to commit a trespass, and then compel the whigs to fight for it.

