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**FOR LONDON.**  
THE *Ann A 1 Ship DARTMOUTH*, 733 Tons, has superior accommodation for Passengers, and will be despatched from Hongkong about the end of October. For Passage, apply to Captain **STEWART**, on board, or to **TURNER & Co.**, Hongkong or Canton.  
Hongkong, 26th September 1846.

**FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.**  
THE fine Dutch Bark *HONGKONG*, of 274 Tons Register, loads about 370 Tons of heavy Goods, was built in Holland in 1845, is completely found and is a fast sailer. She is a desirable vessel for the Coast trade. Apply to **RUSSELL & Co.**—Canton, or **BUSH & Co.**—Hongkong.  
Hongkong, 23rd November 1846.

**TO BE LET OR SOLD.**  
A substantial House, consisting of two Sitting rooms, each 30 feet by 20, and in height 17 feet, separated by folding doors, five good sized bed rooms, with Dressing and Bath room to each; two servants' rooms, a front and a back Verandah, closed with Ventilators, each 12 feet long, 12 feet wide; flat roof, convenient for exercise, and affording a fine view of the Harbor, except in the winter months. The Walls and foundation consist of brickwork, to admit of the addition of an extra story, if required. Commodious outbuildings for Servants, Store rooms, and Offices, a large Compound, Garden &c., the whole surrounded by a good fence, situated on the ridge at West Point, and lately occupied by the Honorable P. L. STRENGTH, Attorney General. Apply to **JAMIESON, HOW & Co.**  
Victoria, 25th September 1846.

**TO LET.**  
A House in Gough Street. Apply to **JOHN CARR.**

**TO LET.**  
A House situate in Wellington Street, commanding a fine view of the Bay. Early possession can be given. For further particulars apply to **ROSWALD.**  
Victoria, 27th February, 1846.

**TO LET.**  
THE building on the Queen's Road, occupied at present by J. A. Oldino Esq., as the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office.  
Possession given early in November. Apply to **BUSH & Co.**  
Hongkong, 27th October 1846.

**TO LET.**  
THE dwelling House on the Hollywood Road, lately occupied by the Honorable W. CAIRN. Apply to **BUSH & Co.**  
Hongkong, 9th November 1846.

**TO LET.**  
THE Bungalow in Aberdeen Street lately occupied by the Royal Sussex Lodge. Apply to **BUSH & Co.**  
Hongkong, 9th November 1846.

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

**TO BE LET.**  
FROM the 10th December next the House at the corner of Wellington street and Pottinger street, at present occupied by Mr REES, containing six Rooms. Apply to **HUNTER & BARTON.**  
Victoria, 20th November 1846.

**TO LET.**  
SPACIOUS Godowns and dwelling house, built of Granite and lately occupied by Messrs THOS. RIPLEY & Co. The property is situated near the centre of the Town, (Victoria, Hongkong) and has a water frontage. Apply on the Premises, or to **THOMAS RIPLEY & Co.**, Shanghai.  
Hongkong, 31st July 1846.

**TO LET ON LEASE.**  
A HOUSE on Queen's Road, late in the occupation of Mr C. W. BOWEN. Apply at the Office of the *Friend of China*.

**APARTMENTS.**  
A Suite of Rooms in a very desirable situation, having a water frontage, on moderate terms. Apply at the Office of this Paper.  
**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.

**NOTICE.**  
THE interest and responsibility of Mr GEORGE THOMAS BRAUER and Mr FRANCIS CHARLES DARTMOUTH, in our Establishment, ceased on the 30th ultimo, and Mr ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Mr CHARLES JOSEPH BRAINE, and Mr EDWARD PARKER are this day admitted Partners in our Firm. **DENT & Co.**  
Victoria/Hongkong, 1st July 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
WEBSTER, Gordon, Cosart & Co's superior Madeira, in Hogshead and half quarter cases, and in cases. Apply to **FLETCHER & Co.**  
Hongkong, 1st March, 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; Champagnes from the house of Mumm & Co. Rheims.  
Hongkong, 1st 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.**  
MR. ROSS JACOB is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.  
**HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, 1st August 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
THE following Wines ex *Canada*.  
Port, Sherry, Sauterne, Hock, Claret, Sparkling Champagne, Hermitage, Pale Cognac Brandy, in do. do. Scheidam Geneva, in do. of 1 dozen.  
Also Superfine Italian Sella Oil. Apply to **HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Victoria, 15th July 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
BLANDY'S Madeira, in half pipes, hids., and quater cases. Apply to **GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Victoria, 10th April 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
SHEATHING COPPER, 16 to 32 oz. Apply to **GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, 13th September 1846.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned hereby give notice, that their Firm consists of WILLIAM DALLAS and GEORGE COLES, of the Firm of DALLAS & COLES of London, and STEPHEN PONDER, resident in China.  
**DALLAS & Co.**  
Canton, 20th November 1846.

**INDIA AND CHINA MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above named Company, and are prepared to grant Policies payable in London, Glasgow, Calcutta, Bombay, and Canton.  
This Office returns a Bonus of 10 per cent. (Ten per Cent) on all Premiums.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Canton, 1st October 1846.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. FERDINAND BLASS is authorized to sign for our firm in China, by Procuration.  
**HEGAN & Co.**  
Hongkong, 29th October 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
AT the Godowns of the undersigned, in One Doz. Cases—  
Cognac, Do. Vieux, St. Emilion, Chateau Margaux, Champagne.  
Just landed from the French ship *Adhemar*.  
**HEGAN & Co.**

**NOTICE.**  
MR. CHARLES RYDER is this day admitted a partner in our Firm.  
**DIROM, GRAY & Co.**  
Canton, 1st August 1846.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. WILLIAM PARKER BEVAN is authorized to sign for our firm per procuration.  
**W. & T. GEMMELL & Co.**  
Victoria, Hongkong, 3rd November 1846.

**NOTICE.**  
THE undersigned have opened a Branch Establishment at Shanghai under the same firm as at Canton.  
**RATHBONES, WORTHINGTON & Co.**  
Canton, 1st August 1846.

**ORIENTAL INSURANCE SOCIETY.**  
THE undersigned have been appointed agents for the above named Society and are prepared to grant Policies payable in London, Hamburg, Calcutta and Canton.  
**RATHBONES, WORTHINGTON & Co.**  
Canton, 31st August 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
INVOLVED in the Bankruptcy of the Late John G. CARR, Boston, and in the Bankruptcy of the Late Peter Hamburg, Messrs FLETCHER, THOS. RIPLEY & Co. Wines, Brandy, Gin and Whisky.  
**W. DUSTAR & Co.**  
Hongkong, September 1846.

**BANCA 'TIN.**  
**FOR SALE,** at Hongkong. Apply to **OLYPHEANT & Co.**, Canton.  
September 29, 1846.

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

**HONGKONG AUTUMN MEETING.**  
**FIRST DAY.—1st DECEMBER, 1846.**  
The *Wong-nei-chung Stakes*, for all Ponies under 13 hands. Once Round. Entrance \$1 each, with \$50 added from the Fund. Weight for inches as per scale.  
The *Peterson's Cup*, presented by H. E. Sir John Francis Davis, Bart., value \$200, for all Horses. Twice Round. Weight 10 Stone 7 lb. Sydney and Cape bred Horses to carry 7 lb. extra. Entrance \$10 each.  
The *Valley Stakes*, for all Ponies 13 hands 2 inches under 14 hands. Once Round and a distance. Entrance \$5 each, with \$50 added from the Fund.

**SECOND DAY.—3d DECEMBER, 1846.**  
The *Hunter's Plate*, value \$100, for all Horses. Once Round and a half. Six Furlongs 3 feet 6 inches high. Weight for inches as per scale.  
A *Herdle Race*, for all Ponies. Once Round and a half. Six Furlongs 3 feet high. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$1 each with \$50 added from the Fund. Second Pony to receive \$5 from the Stakes.  
The *Arab Stakes*, for all Arabs. Twice Round. Weight 9 stone 7 lbs. Entrance \$5 each, with \$100 added from the Fund. The Winner of the Cup to carry 7 lbs. extra.  
The *Victoria Plate*, value \$100, for all Ponies. Once Round and a half. Weight 9 stone 7 lbs. The Winner of the Valley Stakes to carry 7 lbs. extra. Entrance \$8 each.  
The *Ladies' Purse*, of \$50 for beaten Ponies, to be declared at the time of starting. Once Round. Entrance free. Catch weights.  
The *Hack Stakes*, for all Horses, Arabs excepted. Once Round and a distance. Entrance \$2 each, with \$50 added from the Fund. Weight 10 stone.

**SCALE OF WEIGHTS.**  
Horses st. lb. Ponies st. lb.  
13 hands 3 in, 10 7 12 hands 0 in, 7 0  
14 " 0 " 11 0 12 " 1 " 7 7  
14 " 1 " 11 7 12 " 2 " 8 0  
14 " 2 " 12 0 12 " 3 " 8 7  
and upwards 13 " 0 " 9 0  
13 " 1 " 9 7  
13 " 2 " 10 0

**NOTICE.**  
Gentlemen Riders. Three to start or no Race. Entrances to be declared in writing, addressed to "The Secretary of the Race Committee," at the Club House, stating the Name and Colour of the Horse, and Colours of the Riders, on or before the 25th instant, before which day all Horses and Ponies intended to run for the Weighted Races can be sent to Spring Gardens to be measured and classified, on either of the Saturdays, the 14th and 21st instant, between the hours of 3 and 5 1/2. Private Matches to come off on the 4th December. Hongkong, 18th November, 1846.  
N.B.—It having been found expedient, with a view to the promotion of General sport, to alter the Programme dated 7th November, the Race Committee issue the above as their final decision.

**EX "BRAGANZA"**  
JUST received ex *Braganza*:—  
Figured Satin dresses of the prevailing colors, French gauze, Seals and Fichus, Ladies White and Black Paris Satin Shoes, also—  
Electro-plated Inkstands, Spirit-lamps, Chamber Candelsticks, &c.  
Sugar Basins and Butter Pots in white and colored Chrysalis; Light greens, Fancy lamps, Cigar-stands &c. &c.  
And an Invoice of Calf and Sole Leather. For sale by **F. FUNCK.**  
30th November 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
AND received per late arrivals by the undersigned several Invoices consisting of the following Goods:—  
Figured Satin dresses of the prevailing colors, French gauze, Seals and Fichus, Ladies White and Black Paris Satin Shoes, also—  
Electro-plated Inkstands, Spirit-lamps, Chamber Candelsticks, &c.  
Sugar Basins and Butter Pots in white and colored Chrysalis; Light greens, Fancy lamps, Cigar-stands &c. &c.  
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**FOR SALE.**  
AN Elegant Rosewood Cabinet Piano, Metallic Plate, 5/8 Octave, by C. L. WARR, 142 Leadenhall Street.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
4th November 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
AN Invoice of Window Glass, from 9 by 7 to 16 by 12. A lot of Best English Plate and Stained Glass, from 24 by 18 to 30 by 30.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
4th November 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
ANCHORS, Chain Cables, and Hawse Pipes of all sizes. An Invoice of Manila, Europe, and Patent Rope. ALSO Coffee, and Government Cigars.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
4th November 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
SALT Provisions, Flour, Rum, Arrack, and Brandy in Wood; Whisky, Cognac, and all kinds of Wines in Bottle.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
4th November 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
A few Salamander Book and Treasure Safes.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
4th November 1846.

**CHARTS, &c.**  
NEW Admiralty Charts. Latest Code of Captain Murrays Signals. Waghorn's Overland Charts and Guides. For sale by **RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
Victoria, 25th November 1846.

**STORAGE, &c.**  
GOODS received on Storage, Sold on Commission, or forwarded to MACAO, CANTON, &c., by insurable Lorchaes.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
Victoria, 25th November 1846.

**NOTICE.**  
THE following Parcels forwarded by Messrs WAGHORN & Co's Overland Conveyance, will be delivered on the presentation of W. & Co's Receipt for same—  
S. J. D. CAMPBELL, Oriental Bank.  
W. J. FAGAN, Esq.  
J. WILLIAMS.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
4th November 1846.

**MESSRS WAGHORN & CO'S AGENCY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for Messrs WAGHORN & Co, are prepared to forward Parcels to India or England by the PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY'S STEAMERS, which sail from here on the 25th of every Month. All Parcels sent to Victoria to be forwarded must be free of Freight and other Charges, and should arrive here 24 Hours before the Mail closes.  
All Parcels received from India or England will be delivered free of any Charges made here, on the presentation of the Receipt only; but if they are sent to any other place, \$1 per Package will be charged, besides the Freight and other Expenses.  
For sale at the Office, WAGHORN & Co's Overland Guide by the Routes to Egypt; GENERAL HINTS and INFORMATION for PASSENGERS on their way from and to INDIA.  
1st Route, via Southampton.  
2d " " through France.  
3d " " via Trieste or Constantinople, with a Map of the Overland Routes.  
Also, a few Overland Trunks.  
**RAWLE, DUUS & Co.**  
9th May 1846.

**CHAIN Cables** of all sizes up to 1 inch and 7/8th. Anchors, very superior Canvas, Blocks, large Europe Rope, Paint Oil, Black Varnish, by whole sale.  
**FRANKLYN & MILNE,**  
Queen's Road.

**FOR SALE.**  
COGNAC in Bottles at \$6 per Dozen at Messrs FRANKLYN & MILNE'S.  
Hongkong, 22nd October 1846.

**FOR SALE.**  
BOTTLED in cases of 3 dozen.  
**FRANKLYN & MILNE.**  
Victoria, 20th November 1846.

**DALE** Boston Ale in Hogsheads at \$26. Do. do. in bottle 3. Pale Cognac Brandy on Cask and bottle. Fine full flavored Port. Very Pale Sherry. Pale do. Brown do. Red wine in Cask. Champagne and Claret, at very low prices. Sparkling and still Moselle, Liqueurs &c. Apply to **FRANKLYN & MILNE,** Queen's Road.

**MANILA SHERRETT'S.**  
MESSRS FRANKLYN & MILNE are now landing a very fine Batch of No. 3, and have them for sale.  
**ALSO.**  
A few Piculs of Gypsum  
Queen's Road, 3rd November 1846.

To the Editor of the Friend of China.

Victoria, 26th November 1846.

Sir,—Understanding that the Inquisition held upon the 5 Chinamen who were detained by the instrumentality of a European and 4 Chinamen, has been set aside in the Supreme Court...

That the deceased met their deaths by drowning, owing to the pursuit upon suspicion of Mr. D. Duncan, Mr. Francisco, and Mr. Marquis, and the intimidation arising from the illegal use of fire arms by the Chinese Boatmen...

I am the more induced to publish this, as no opportunity has been afforded us of stating our reasons to the Court for bringing in manslaughter against the Europeans and Chinese...

On Wednesday last the 25th instant, a Coroner's Inquest was held at the Office of Mr. W. H. Goddard, before Mr. N. D'E. Parkin, Coroner, and the following Jury:—

E. Newman, (FOREMAN.) J. Cockerell. J. McCurray. R. Lowrie. D. Lappraick. S. Dellevie.

On the body of a Chinaman, (name unknown) who whose death was caused under the following circumstances:—

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I went to Aberdeen, where two Chinese fishing Boats were pointed out to me as being two of the Boats that had attacked and robbed the four Chinamen who came with me, one of whom pointed out the boats to me.

Mr. A. Leach, sworn, I am a Trader on board a Junk belonging to Cow-chien, about 7 days ago at 7 o'clock in the evening, we were lying at Chow-chow, when 3 boats attacked us—They fired at us, and then came alongside.

Mr. Miller acknowledges having fired at and killed the man whilst in the act of escaping from him. The Colonial Surgeon, sworn, Examined the body of a Chinaman said to have been shot by some one on board H.M. Gun-boat.

NOTICE.—The hours of Divine Service in the COLONIAL CHURCH, are, on Sundays at 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., and on Thursdays at 6 P.M.

Per Dragazana, [st-ship] FOR ENGLAND, Messrs. A. T. Gordon, Esq., and — Stirling, Esq.

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His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint Mr. N. D'E. Parker to perform the duties of Coroner of this Colony, in the room of Mr. P. C. McWayne, who has been relieved from that office.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS. His Excellency The Governor and Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint Charles S. George Clergy, Esq., to succeed to the duties of Surveyor-General of this Colony, vice A. T. Gordon, Esq., whose resignation of that office has been accepted.

By Order, W. CAINE, Colonial Secretary, Colonial Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 26th November, 1846.

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By Order, W. CAINE, Colonial Secretary, Colonial Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 24th November, 1846.

No. 22. Diplomatic Department. His Excellency Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary, &c., &c., is pleased to approve of the annexed Regulations, drawn up by H. M. Consul at Shanghai, and to direct that the same be published:—

PORT REGULATIONS OF SHANGHAI.

1. The Limits of the Port, on the Sea Side, are defined within the Lines formed by Paou-shan Point bearing West, and the Battery on the right Bank at the mouth of the River below Woosung bearing South West to the Anchorage for landing and discharging Cargo is off the Custom House, and extends from the River called the Woosung-Kaw to that called the Yang-King-Pang.

2. Pilots can be obtained at Woosung to bring Vessels up. In case of necessity, a Gun will always bring one off, but the usual Signal should first be hoisted. Pilots to take Vessels down can be obtained at Shanghai on application at the Consulate.

3. All Vessels must be moored within the period of Two Tides from the time of their arrival at the Anchorage, and in no case can a Vessel, after she is moored, move or shift her berth, without permission from the Consulate.

4. Masters of Vessels will report themselves within Twenty-four Hours after arrival, unless Sunday should intervene; and they will strictly attend in all other points to Article III. of the General Regulations of Trade.

5. Masters requiring to beach their Vessels for the purpose of repairs or repair, must apply at the Consulate for Instructions.

6. No Goods can be landed, shipped, or transhipped after Sunset or before Sunrise, or between Saturday Evening and Monday Morning; and no Work is to be done on board Vessels in Harbour on Sunday, except such as may be necessary for the cleanliness and safety of the Ship.

7. The discharge of Fire-arms from the Merchant Vessels in Harbour is strictly prohibited, as also from the Residences of British Subjects.

8. Masters of Vessels are required to report any Passengers at the same time as the arrival of the Ship; and Seamen and Persons belonging to the Vessels in Harbour are not to be permitted to go on shore without a responsible Officer in charge;—the Masters being held distinctly responsible for the conduct of their men on shore. In the event of any man on liberty remaining on shore after Sunset, the Master is required without delay to send an Officer to find and take them on board. Due and timely Notice must also be given of the Number and the Names of Passengers on board of any Vessels leaving the Port.

9. All cases of Death, whether on board a British Vessel, or on shore in the Residence of a British Subject, must be reported within a Twenty-four Hours, together with the best information attainable of the cause of death in cases of sudden demise, to H. M. Consul, who will give directions respecting the place of interment.

10. Accidents involving personal Injury, loss of Life or of Property, whether on shore, or in the River from collision of Vessels, to be reported at the Consulate as soon as practicable; and in cases of Theft, Pecculation, or Assault, where British and Chinese Subjects are both concerned, a Chinese, if guilty of any criminal act, may be conveyed Officers of his country at hand, may be conveyed to H. M. Consul. But under no circumstances will British Subjects be permitted to use violence to Chinese Offenders, or take steps against the Chinese for the redress of their grievances.

11. The distance to which British Subjects may proceed into the Interior for exercise or pleasure, is limited by the time required for the excursion. Twenty-four Hours has been fixed as the longest period of absence from Shanghai. This permission does not extend to Sailors.

12. All British Subjects are required to register at the Consulate within Twenty-four Hours after their arrival in the Port, Masters of Vessels, their Officers, and Crew borne on the Ship's Papers excepted.

RUTHERFORD ALCOCK—Consul. British Consulate, Shanghai, November 6th, 1846.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Act 9th and 10th Victoria, cap. 25, His Excellency the 18th August last, called "An Act for granting certain Duties on Sugar and Molasses-sugars; any description may be shipped from this Colony without an Official Certificate of Origin.

By Order, W. CAINE, Colonial Secretary, Colonial Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 24th November, 1846.

It may be asked, that he publish his correspondence with the Commissioner Keying upon the affair.

A more wanton aggression there could not be than that to which we refer. The men (they were perfectly sober) having missed some of their personal property, a Shopkeeper, who could speak English, whether he had seen them. The man said he would take them to where they were, and he led them into a snare, which appeared to have been prepared for them or other foreigners.

As the Stamen crossed a creek, and it is thought got within the city. Being again attacked, one managed to re-cess and found his way to the Consulate; the other was beaten to insensibility and carried outside the walls, where he was left for dead.

It is to be expected that the champion of the Orange stall, will demand full reparation for this cowardly assault upon two of his countrymen; but it is rather suspicious that so long a time has been allowed to elapse, and no intimation been given that the guilty had been brought to punishment. It may be, however, that His Excellency reserves this communication for the second edition of the Mail.

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Mr. Miller, the Gunner in charge of the Gun-boat to proceed with a party of six men, to the opposite side, where the other boat was lying, and to seize her, on being pointed out by one of the four Chinamen. I lost sight of Mr. Miller, my view being intercepted by some boats at anchor, in about 4 of an hour Mr. Miller returned with the boat, in which were 3 Chinamen, and the corpse of another. The body that was brought in the boat by Mr. Miller was the one I saw yesterday.

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of Silk has been an abundant one, and from the continued demand of the foreign Merchants, it is probable that more attention will be paid to the cultivation of this valuable staple of Chinese commerce. The exports for the season are calculated upon, as much will depend on the advance from home, but it is not improbable that the amount will be close upon 200,000 bales. Quotations: Good Testee \$340 to \$350 for cash; Good Taysain \$200 to \$270.

FRIGHTS—£5 for Tea; £0 10 for Silk. EXCHANGE—At 6 Months sight, 4s 6d.

For Liverpool.—Chiefain, Eleanor Russell, and Dumfries. For London.—Captain and Carib. For New York.—Mary Ellen, Congress, and Hindress.

CANTON, 27th November, 1846. The market is extremely languid, with no appearance of an immediate change. Since last month prices of imports have rather receded, as will be observed from our quotations.

IMPORTS. COTTON.—The stock is small as compared with that of last season, but there appears a want of firmness among the holders. The sales during the month have been effected at a reduction of 3 mace per picul upon the prices that ruled in October.

LONG CLOTHS.—The transactions of the month have been chiefly in baster for produce, and at rates unfavorable to the holder of the goods. At present there is no demand.

YARNS.—Some parcels have changed hands at a shade less than our quotations, but they were of an inferior description. If the market does not actually rally, it is thought that at all events there will be no decline in the prices now quoted. The expected supplies have mostly come to hand, and holders will probably be firm.

WOOLLENS.—We hear of considerable sales of Long English and Spanish Stripes. Holders of this class of goods receive much firmness, and as the shipments to arrive are small, it is probable that prices will advance. Cash sales are nominal, sales having been effected at lower rates, though at present there is no demand whatever.

METALS.—Iron is in less active demand, but sales continue to be made at the same rates as last month.

OPUM.—The market is dull and unsettled. Patna advanced during the month to \$650 and B-mans to \$335, and these are the present quotations. Best Malwa is quoted at \$590.

EXPORTS. SUGAR.—The stock is estimated at 2,000 bales, and the Sikkim are very anxious to find buyers, but no sales of moment have taken place. The following are the prices asked:—

Best Testee... 450 Inferior do... 420 Best Taysain... 350

TEA.—But little doing, with the exception of purchases for the American market, for which destination 4 vessels are now nearly loaded. Fair to finest Hyson kinds of Twankay have been sold at 25 a 35 taels; Hyson 34 a 45; Young Hyson, strong and coarse, 24 a 30; and of the 34 a 55, Gunpowder and Imperial 22 a 35, and 43 a 49, up to 60 a 63 for the very finest. For the English market, with the exception of a few settlements of good blackish Congous 20 taels, no transactions of moment are reported.

PRICES CURRENT. IMPORTS.—DUTY PAID.

Ale (best brands) \$ 25 0 to \$ 23 0 per Hhd Amber " " " 10 50 to 11 0 per catty Betel Nut " 2 90 to 2 90 per picul Canvas—Eng and — 8 50 to 10 0 per bolt Scotch " 180 0 to 265 0 per picul Cochineal " 36 0 to 40 0 do. Copper sheathing " 25 0 to 0 0 do. S. Am. " 8 0 to 9 0 do. Gunpowder, European " 7 7 10 to 0 0 do.

COTTON. Bombay, " 7 5 0 to 7 6 3 do. Madras " 7 7 10 to 0 0 do. Bengal " 7 2 10 to 7 3 do.

COTTON GOODS. White Shirtings, " \$ 20 0 to \$ 2 80 per piece Grey " " " 2 0 to 2 60 do. Yarn, Nos. 16 a 21 26 0 to 27 0 per picul Yarn, Nos. 24 a 32 30 0 to 33 0 do. China Furniture " 3 0 to 2 20 per piece

METALS. Pin, Banca " 18 0 to 18 50 per picul " Straits " 15 50 to 16 0 do. Iron, Nail " 3 0 to 3 20 do. " Hoop " 2 30 to 3 05 do. " Bar " 3 80 to 3 40 do. Steel " 4 50 to 5 0 do. Tin plates " 6 70 to 0 0 per box Lead Pig " 6 30 to 5 40 per picul Quicksilver " 123 0 to 130 0 do.

OPUM. Patna, new 635 0 to 0 0 per chest " B-mans, new 635 0 to 0 0 do. " Malwa, good 590 0 to 0 0 do. Pepper, Bengal " 4 80 to 0 0 per picul Rice, Bengal " 1 40 to 1 70 do.

RATTANS, BANJER. massan } 2 90 to 3 0 do. Straits Rattans " 2 25 to 0 0 do. Sandalwood, Malabar " 9 0 to 12 0 do. " Timor, & S. Isl. " 6 0 to 9 0 do. S.W.Indies " 6 50 to 7 0 do.

SPANISH STRIPES. Spanish Stripes " 9 90 to 12 00 per yard Long Etl, scarlet " 8 90 to 9 10 per picul " well assorted " 8 25 to 8 45 do. " Camels, English " 18 0 to 19 0 do. " Dutch " 20 0 to 23 0 do. Medium Cloth " 1 40 to 2 05 per yard Ladies " 2 20 to 1 30 do.

EXPORTS.—ON BOARD. Alum " 8 1 65 to 1 80 per picul Camphor " 12 0 to 13 0 do. Cassia " 9 50 to 10 0 do. " Buds " 15 0 to 19 0 do. China Roots " 2 50 to 3 0 do. Musk " 85 0 to 90 0 per catty Rhubarb " 20 0 to 54 0 per picul



Table with columns for goods (Tea, Sugar, etc.) and prices. Includes items like 'Tea', 'Sugar', 'Canton', 'Siam', 'Java', etc.

Table titled 'PRICES OF BULLION' listing prices for various currencies and bullion types like 'Sylver', 'Dollars', 'Rupees'.

Table titled 'SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE' listing arrivals and departures for various ships and destinations.

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Isabella Robertson, Kelly, F. J. de Paiva. Joen Corina, Danham, Franklyn and Milne. Lapping, Lees, Murrrow and Co. Lyra, J. A. Durrant. Popsy, Colo, Dent and Co. Viscaino, (Sp.) Valleranda, Geo. Ryan. AMERICAN AT WHARVES AND MACAO. Agnes, Waterhill, Geo. Ryan. Coquette, (Am.) F. H. Bridge, Russel and Co. Eagle, (Am.) Prescott, Russel and Co. Glide, (Am.) Waterman, Olyphant and Co. Hebr., (Am.) Porter, A. Heard and Co. Lark (Am.) Tibbets, Nye, Parkin and Co. Natchez, (Am.) Land, Russel and Co. Orinda, (Am.) Cressley, Nye, Parkin and Co. Robbo, Hayes, S. W. Comstock. Tongva, (Am.) Hunt, Russel and Co.

TO LET. THOSE large and convenient Premises at present occupied by R. A. BARRIE Esq., consisting of Dwelling House with Godowns and convenient Jetty can be viewed by applying at our premises adjoining. Possession can be given on December 8th.

BURD, LANGE & Co. VICTORIA, 27th November 1846. MR. BURGESS will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION on Monday the 30th Instant, in lots to suit purchasers—300 Doz. Beer, 50 Cases Brandy, and several small Lots of fine Sherry and Champagne, Winter Hosiery, and Clothing, Furniture, a few Paintings, 50 Bags Grain, and sundry other articles including those which may offer previous to the time of Sale.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. SODA WATER, ERATED LEMONADE, A Aromatic Chalybeate Water, (highly recommended, on account of its tonic properties). AGENT AT CANTON, ACHOOK, Comptroller, No. 3 Imperial Hong Hongkong, 13th March, 1846.

SODA WATER and ERATED LEMONADE of superior quality at Messrs HUNTER & BARTON'S Dispensary, Poltinger Street, VICTORIA, HONGKONG. CANTON, at Dr KENNY'S Dispensary, No. 5, New French Hong.

ERATED LEMONADE, AND SODA WATER. (From the New Manufactory at Macao.) ON application may be had at F. A. SEABRA'S Dispensary, Praya Grande, and at the Store of Mr JOHN SMITH. Terms:—Lemonade, per dozen, one dollar and a quarter, and Soda Water one dollar—bottles to be returned—with bottles: \$3 per dozen. (C7) ORDERS for ten dozens, or above: Soda Water, Seventy-five cents, and Lemonade, one dollar per dozen. Macao, 1st October 1846.

HONGKONG & CANTON GENERAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. CAPITAL £20,000 IN 15,000 SHARES OF £5 EACH DEPOSIT £1 PER SHARE. Temporary Offices, 10 Salisbury St. Strand. THIS Office is formed for the purpose of employing Steamboats for the transportation of goods and passengers between HONGKONG and CANTON, thereby preventing the expense and delay of Ships Navigating the River above HONGKONG 70 miles below WHARVE the present Shipping Nation. Prospectuses will be published in a few days in the meantime every information may be obtained by reference to Captain BRADSHAW at the temporary offices as above and where applications for shares will be received. 20th May 1846.

FOR SALE. A strong Grey Pony. Apply to Mr G. DEWAR. VICTORIA, 3rd September 1846.

SITUATION WANTED. BY a respectable and steady Portuguese Young Man, who writes English fluently, and speaks his own language with fluency, and has a good knowledge of the Chinese language, and is desirous to go to any of the Ports, upon a regular reference can be given. Application at the Office of this Paper, addressed to B. G. VICTORIA, 6th October 1846.

WANTED to hire by the week or month a Cart with a pair of Ponies. Apply to Mr G. DEWAR at the Office of this Paper, addressed to B. G. VICTORIA, 20th November 1846.

CLERK WANTED. REQUIRED an European, who is conversant with Book-keeping and understands the general routine of Business connected with a Shipping Agency. Applications to be directed to A. Z. and left at the Office of this Paper, No. 10, Queen's Road, 9th November 1846.

BRITISH HOTEL, KERTRO HOUSE, Queen's Road, Victoria. MICHAEL GABRIEL.

GENTLEMEN and Families visiting this place will find every accommodation and all the articles of the first description at moderate charges. Billiards in a spacious airy room facing the sea.

TO COMMANDERS &c. THE undersigned begs to solicit the attention of Commanders of ships and the public to his extensive assortment of stores, replenished every month by direct importations to his own indent, consisting of—

Europe, Manila and Coir Cordage of all sizes; Spun yarn, Warming, Marline, Hambro' lines, Lead lines, Oakum etc. Best navy Canvas, Scotch twine, and Dutch hunting, Tar, Pitch, Rosins, Paints, Paint Oil, Turpentine, Varnish etc. etc. kind, Palm, Sail needles etc. Oilman's Stores of every description. Brandy, Gin, Rum and Whisky, Sherry, Port, Madeira, Champagne, Hock and various other light wines. India and London Bottled Beer, Barclays' Porter etc. etc. CHARLES BUCKTON, Queen's Road, Hongkong, and Whampoa Reach.

BOOTS & SHOES. JUST LANDING FROM LONDON. PATENT ALBION, GREEN and CLARENCE. D. SHOES.—Dress and single Soled Oxfords, Patent Leather, and best Calf Skin Pumps. For sale by C. BELLINGTON, 1, Queen's Road, Victoria, 20th November 1846.

JUST RECEIVED OF DERRY. H. Wills Bacon; English Or Tongues; Smoked Ham; Salted Beef; Fat Le Diable; Anchovy and Herrings Paste; Jams and Jellies; Soups and Fish of sorts; Robinson's Prepared; Groats; Scotch Oatmeal; Zante Currants; Bloom Raisins; Maccaroni; Vermicelli; Chertvy; Strawberry and Raspberry Jellies; Fresh Olives; Assorted Sausages; Mustard; Pickles; Tea; French White Wine Vinegar; Cayenne Pepper; Chocolate; Powder in Tins &c. &c. &c.

By their arrivals from England and America. Paris Hats; Champagne Cider; Butler; American Navy and Pilot Bread; Britannia Metal Goods of every description; Superior Cutlery; Lozenges; Liqueurs; Brandy; Sherry; Port and Madeira Wines; Chertvy and Curry Powder; Boots and Shoes; Hurra's Wine Biscuits in Tins; Arrowroot; Sarsaparilla Mead; Lemon Syrup; and a great variety of other articles, for sale at McMURRAY & Co's. Victoria, 19th October 1846.

HONGKONG RACES. LADIES and Gentlemen's Gold, Silver and plain mounted Riding Whips, at very moderate prices, also Gordinoy Cloths, an excellent article for Riding Trowsers. Apply to McMURRAY & Co. Victoria, 20th November 1846.

FOR SALE. A strong, servicable White Pony, quite sound and in excellent condition price \$65.00. Apply to J. McMURRAY & Co. Victoria, 13th November 1846.

FOR SALE. OLD Champagne Cognac in dozen cases, Brandy in casks. Sherry Wine in dozen cases, French Sauter Oil, Ladies Paris Books, of various colours and sizes. Pina Ladies Dresses, scarfs and pocket Handkerchiefs, and different other articles. J. DALMAS, No. 3, Grafton Street.

PUBLIC AUCTION. JOHN SMITH will sell on the 1st December, by order of J. O. HOWELL Esq., U. S. N. Storekeeper, in the Godowns of ST. CAROLINE, Praya Manduana—50,000 lbs of Navy Bread, 32 barrels of Hurra's 7 barrel Biscuits and a quantity of Old Canvas, the whole will be sold without reserve. The Pork, Beef and Bread, are worthy the attention of those in want of such articles, as they are in as good order as the quality of Provisions may be expected after a voyage to China. Macao, 17th November 1846.

NOTICE. WE the undersigned have formed a Partnership for the transportation of a General Agency, and Commission Business at Victoria Harbour, under the Firm of DRINAER & HEYLS, S. DRINKER, W. S. BEYL.

NOTICE. A BRINE begs to announce his having commenced at the premises adjoining Messrs BUND, LANGE & Co, the business of a General Commission Agent and Auctioneer. His long experience in England and having been upwards of three years in China encourages him in soliciting some portion of the business of the port. Hongkong, 1st October 1846.

NOTICE. THE goods from all foreign ships, in Lorchas, under the superintendance of a European, and Stores them in dry and secure Godowns at very moderate charges. SCALE of charges to be seen at his Office adjoining the premises of Messrs BUND, LANGE & Co. All descriptions of Stores, Stationery, &c. &c. &c. at very low rates, a reasonable allowance made to the trade and to parties taking large quantities. (ROBT.) A. BRINE, General Commission Agent, Auctioneer, &c. &c. Victoria, 22nd October 1846.

TO THE SPORTING WORLD. JUST ARRIVED and for Sale by the undersigned; A small quantity Superfine Billiard Table Cloth, Nine quarter wide. FOR SALE, A Handsome Manila Pony with Saddle &c. complete. Apply to EDWP. N. BURGESS, Victoria, 20th November 1846. MR. D. G. JONES, begs to inform the Merchants of China, that he is prepared to Adjust Claims on the Underwriters for Sea Damage, and that any Communication made to him to the care of Mr Burgess, Queen's Road, will receive immediate attention.

NOTICE. THE undersigned begs to solicit the attention of Commanders of ships and the public to his extensive assortment of stores, replenished every month by direct importations to his own indent, consisting of—

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FOR sale at this office, four kinds of bills of lading for goods or specie shipped by the P. & O. Company's Steam packets. 1st for goods deliverable at London; 2nd for goods deliverable at Southampton; 3rd for goods deliverable at Suez; 4th for goods deliverable at intermediate ports. They are printed after the Company's forms on Bank post. Office "Friend of China" 25th October, 1845.

CHIPPING ARTICLES, according to the recent act (Victoria 7 & 8) for sale at this office Office "Friend of China," Victoria, 20th October, 1845.

BLINDS for sale at this Office. Office "Friend of China," 28th Dec., 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. Powers of Attorney, after forms by Chitty. Charterparties, after forms by Chitty. Bills of Lading. Chinese Form of imports, and exports, for counting houses.

The Island of Ceylon was wrested from the Dutch in 1795, and permanently ceded to the English at the peace of Amiens. It has been a British possession for half a century. Yet during the whole of that long period, its masters have not found time to introduce a rational and equitable system of taxation. The method of taxation introduced by the Dutch and the King of Kandy have been provisionally retained. Ceylon has been kept fifty years under an interim system of finance administration; a system which engrafs upon all that is arbitrary and oppressive in the exactions of indigenous despotism; all that is cramping to industry and enterprise in the Old Dutch theory of commercial politics.

The public income of Ceylon for 1844 was £444,318, or nearly half a million. Nearly one half of this sum is made up of the following items: Export Duty on Cinnamon.....£58,197 Tax upon rice farms.....36,204 Duty on imported rice.....89,000 Land Customs (duties levied upon goods at ferries and bridges).....27,600 Salt Monopoly.....41,899

Cinnamon is the staple produce of the island; the export duty payable on it amounts to about 75 per cent of its value. Rice is the staple food of all classes, the sole food of the poorer classes, yet every native who puts a plough into the ground to grow rice is taxed; and an every bushel of rice imported from the coast of India (where it costs from 2s. to 2s. 6d. a bushel) a tax of 7d. is levied on landing. The "paddy tax" varied originally in different localities, and in different circumstances, from one-half to one-fourth, one-third, one-fourth of the produce. Till 1835 it was levied by an annual assessment of the crop of each harvest; since that year the assessment has, in most districts, been computed for an annual produce of a given quantity of grain. This charge was only gradually introduced, and is not yet universally adopted. The tax is not only injudicious in respect of its incidence, but arbitrarily and irregularly apportioned.

Not contented with discouraging the production of food, and increasing its price, government has established a monopoly in its own favour of the principal commodity used along with it. The staple produce, rice, notoriously requires a larger average quantity of salt than most other kinds of food. Government monopolizes the manufacture of salt, which costs 1s. 5d. per bushel, as delivered by the makers, and it is retailed from it 2s. 6d. a bushel. No salt can be imported except under special licence from the government. It is usual to compute the amount of salt from these sources as being 1,000,000 bushels. This is a sum far too small to be sufficient to supply the staple produce of the island by exportation, and to make food scarce and dear by the same process. The financial system of Ceylon appears to have been framed with a view to the revenue derived from its monopoly. Exorbitant customs are levied on all bridges and ferries, and the proceeds are applied

DRINAER & HEYLS, S. DRINKER, W. S. BEYL. Victoria, 22nd September 1846.

the maintenance of roads. The system of exacting heavy tolls at all ferries and halting places, the heavy abuse of the feudal age in Europe, still prevalent in a European and Parisian...

The remaining items of the Ceylon budget are scarcely so bad as those we have enumerated; but there is scarcely one of them which may not be objected to in respect of its tending to discourage and repress productive industry...

We rejoice to learn, by the most recent intelligence from Ceylon, that there is at length a fair chance of the work of reform being begun...

THE GOVERNOR OF GUERNSEY.

Young England laments that personal idleness is exact among us. The complaint is certainly unfounded. The devout respect displayed to the Prince Consort...

"Inhabitants of Guernsey—faithful subjects of Queen Victoria—of the Queen of the great British nation which is spread over the whole globe...

The contrast between "Guernsey" and the whole globe is finely imagined. It shows the value of the island—not to be measured by your physical extent...

It was suggested to me that I should put off this communication till to-morrow, but the Queen came suddenly, and I see that I have done you ready to receive her...

"Be silent, and I will read you the impression which your resolution made on Her Majesty." Then followed not what you expected...

"I would not wait—I took upon myself to answer for the people of Guernsey. I knew then that I am certain I was right."

"If any man or any man wish to give his or their thanks to her Majesty, let them draw them out and give them to me, and I will send them."

"I hope," continued his excellency, "that in what I wrote I expressed your sentiments, and that you also write a better acknowledgment of them forward it." (Loud cheer.)

The arrangements for the double marriage at Madrid go forward, in spite of the anticipations of obstructions. The dreaded Cortes has met, and is even reported to seem pleased with the project.

Meanwhile, the diplomatic turmoil about the affair continues, most favourably for newspaper writers; furnishing articles, verses, and invectives, to the journals of London, Paris, and Madrid...

One absurdity pervades the whole affair—the refinement of sagacity which amplifies dangers in the remote future that may never exist...

The actual state of Ireland exhibits a conflict of influences, old and new, happy and unhappy...

Government cannot be said to be a very liberal one. It is not a very liberal one. It is not a very liberal one.

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have received it at once but for the fact that the Irish landlords have fallen into deep arrears with the performance of their duties...

One writer observes, that the Kells plan would ultimately result in a confiscation of insolvent estates. It does seem capable of being converted to such a vigorous purpose, which the desperate circumstances of the country would amply justify.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE STEAM NAVY.

Upon laying the first stone for the steam dock at Keyham, Lord Auckland thus ably explained the national advantages of the work...

Woolwich, the distance of which from the western shore up the channel was a source of great inconvenience. It is further to be noted that these works have been found to be under the skill of Captain Bramwell and of Capt. Burgman...

These were the present conditions, and the vast excavations and the extensive embankments which had been already made...

His lordship concluded with the expression of satisfaction on the part of the Board of Admiralty in regard to the progress of the works...

parts were changed. The French government in return for our protecting it against united Europe, has never ceased to bully and to menace us...

We can, of course, make no treaties with them; we can condoned to no intrigues. Our national habits are not those of conspiracy...

In the meanwhile Don Enrique, second son of the Infanta Don Francisco, seems to have taken good and just ground in his protest to the Cortes...

For the present, however, the young Queen is entitled to every respect. In these events she has been the innocent victim...

We perceive a disposition to place hope in Narvaez. A vain hope, it was Narvaez's a somewhat hatred of Don Enrique, whom he had despised, and who refused to pardon him...