

In re JAMES W. CURTIS, deceased.
 " EMAUM ALL, "
NOTICE—All claims against the above Estates must be proved before the OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR, before the 11th day of April, 1857. Otherwise they will not be included in the Scheme of Division. All Persons indebted to the said Estates are requested to make immediate payment to

WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER,
Registrar—Official Administrator.

Steam for
 SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE
 ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES,
 & SOUTHAMPTON;

Also,
 BOMBAY, MADRAS, & CALCUTTA.
THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship "*MALTA*," Captain PURCHASE, with *Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo* for the above Places, will leave this on **WEDNESDAY, the 15th October, at 2 P.M.**

CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 13th, SPECIE until Noon on the 14th, and PARCELS until 2 P.M. on the 14th.

For Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply at the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office Hongkong.

CONTENTS, AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shipper to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from incorrectness in such declaration.

ROBT. S. WALKER,
Superintendent.

Peninsular & Oriental
 Steam Navigation Company's Office,
 Hongkong, 29th September, 1856.

POT-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

THE next GENERAL MAILS, per Steamer "*Malta*," will close on **TUESDAY, the 14th October, at 6 o'clock P.M.** The usual SUPPLEMENTARY MAIL will be made up the following Morning.—LETTERS received from 9 to 10 o'clock A.M., for a late Fee of 6d.; and from 10 o'clock A.M. to 1 o'clock P.M. for a late Fee of 1s.

Letters posted between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock must be Prepaid.

WM. CHAPMAN,
Acting Post-Master.

Hongkong, 2d October, 1856.

NOTICE.

BY order of the Consular Department of the Foreign Office at Copenhagen, it is hereby notified, that the Office of DANISH CONSUL at Canton having become vacant, applications from Resident Merchants of that place who may desire to fill the said Office, will be received by the MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, at Copenhagen, until the 1st February, 1857.

FRED. H. BLOCK,
H. D. M. Consul.

Danish Consulate, Hongkong,
 1st October, 1856.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing at this Port, between the undersigned, under the Style of WILLIAMS, ANTHON & Co., expires this day by lapse of time and mutual consent. The outstanding Accounts will be settled by either Partner; and a strictly AGENCY & COMMISSION BUSINESS will be conducted by them as Partners at the PORT OF SINGAPORE under the Style of WILLIAMS, ANTHON & Co.

C. D. WILLIAMS,
 H. ANTHON, JR.,
 G. L. HASKELL.

Hongkong, 1st September, 1856.

NOTICE.

AN Assignment of the Property, Real and Personal, of the Firm of WETMORE & Co. of CANTON, FOOCHOW, and SHANGHAI, CHINA, having been duly made on the 12th July, 1856, to the undersigned, in trust for the benefit of their Creditors, and recorded in the *United States Consulate at Canton*: I hereby give notice to all concerned to make payment to me of all Sums due to, and to present to me any Claims against, the said Firm.

OLIVER H. PERRY.

Canton, 7th August, 1856.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS the Firm of NYE BROTHERS & Co. of Canton, China, did, on the 11th day of March, 1856, at the Office of the UNITED STATES CONSULATE in Canton, execute an Assignment of all their Property, real and personal, in trust for the benefit of their Creditors, to the undersigned: We hereby give notice to all concerned to make payment to us of all sums due to, and to present to us any claims against, the said Firm.

RUSSELL & Co.
 JAMES PURDON & Co.

Canton, 18th March, 1856.

FOR SALE.

At the Office of the "China Mail."

A TABLE, shewing the COST OF TEA, with all CHARGES—Tea, as bought by the *Picul*, and sold by the *Pound Avoirdupois*.

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