

No. 86.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The Opium Contractor having failed in his contract, notice is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office, between the hours of Eleven o'clock A.M. and Three o'clock P.M. on each day, except Sunday, until 12 o'clock Noon, on Monday, the 27th instant, for exercising during "Six Months" the Privilege, throughout the Island of Hongkong and the Waters thereof, of preparing and selling prepared Opium in every Form and Shape, and whether for exportation or consumption.

The Tenders to specify Names of Sureties and the amount to be paid; and which amount is to be paid monthly and in advance.

The Privilege to commence on the 1st of October next, and to end on the 31st March (Six Months.)

The Tenders will be numbered in the Order of their Receipt, and none will be opened before Monday, the 27th instant, at One o'clock P.M.

All Tenders to be Sealed, and Marked outside the Envelope.

"Tender for the Privilege of preparing and selling Prepared Opium."

By Order,

FRED. FORTII,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 18th September, 1858.

憲 諭

照得前所承充煮賣鴉片之人今  
 已自悟茲特示諭招人承充如有  
 情愿承充者除非禮拜日外每日  
 自上午十一點鐘起至下午三點  
 鐘止隨時到本署投充限至英本  
 月廿七日十二點鐘止截其賣烟  
 期限則以半年為期以英本年十  
 月初一日為始計至下年三月三  
 十一日期滿准在本港地方及海  
 面船隻等處發賣煮熟烟膏並准  
 其發賣出口所有愿充之人均須  
 寫明納餉數目暨擔保人姓名本  
 署即以次第列號俟廿七日截止  
 後至一點鐘時始行折封視閱凡  
 赴署投單須包固封好外面書寫  
 內承充煮賣烟膏七字毋違特示

一千八百五十八年九月十八日  
 示

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.  
 IN EQUITY.

In the matter of the Estate of ROBERT JACKSON, deceased.

CRAWFORD v. GINGELL.

THE apportioned amount payable to the Creditors of the above Estate, where Claims have been proved or admitted in this cause, will be paid at the SUPREME COURT HOUSE, VICTORIA, HONGKONG, on and after the 10th day of October next, between the hours of 11 in the forenoon, and 1 in the afternoon.

Dated 11th September, 1858.

N. R. MASSON,  
Acting Registrar.

FOR SALE.

THE Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Paddle-wheel Steamer "LADY MARY WOOD,"

having lately undergone considerable Repairs, and being now in excellent order, is open for Sale by Private Contract.

She is well found in every description of MARINE STORES, BOATS, ANCHORS, CABLES, &c. The ENGINE DEPARTMENT is in equally efficient order.

AN INVENTORY of her STORES, and the REPORTS OF LLOYD'S SURVEYORS, dated 6th and 8th inst., may be seen on application at this office.

MAXN. FISCHER,  
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, 13th September, 1858.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

THE Next GENERAL MAILS per Steamer "NORNA," will close on MONDAY, the 27th September, at 6 o'clock P.M.

The usual SUPPLEMENTARY MAILS will be made up on the following morning. LETTERS received from 9 to 11 o'clock A.M., for a late fee of 6d.; and from 11 A.M. to 12 1/2 o'clock P.M., for a late fee of 1s.

All Letters and Newspapers posted between the hours of 11 and Half-past 12 o'clock must be prepaid.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Acting Post-Master.

Post Office, Hongkong,  
16th September, 1858.

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 "NORNA," Captain ROGERS, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above Places, on TUESDAY, the 28th of September, at 2 P.M.

CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 26th; SPECIE until Noon on the 27th, and PARCELS until 2 P.M. on the 27th September.

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 on such declaration.

MAXN. FISCHER,  
Superintendent.

Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office,  
Hongkong, 13th September, 1858.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the matter of the Insolvency of WILLIAM MANOEL ROBINET, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,—that the ESTATE and EFFECTS of the above named Insolvent, have been vested in NORMAN RAMSAY MASSON, Acting Registrar of the said Court, and Provisional Assignee of Insolvent Estates

By the Court,  
NORMAN RAMSAY MASSON,  
Acting Registrar.

Court House, Victoria,  
31st August 1858.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing in China under the Style of NOTT & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either Partner will sign the name in liquidation.

WILLIAM NOTT,  
By his Attorney, WALTER L. PURDIE,  
A. B. NEILSON, JR.  
WALTER L. PURDIE,  
D. OLYPHANT VAIL,  
RICHARD R. TYERS.

China, 22d July, 1858

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE undersigned have formed a Co-Partnership for the purpose of carrying on a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS IN CHINA, under the name of OLYPHANT & Co.

R. M. OLYPHANT.  
WM. W. PARKIN.  
L. N. HITCHCOCK.

New York, May 8th, 1858.

Referring to the foregoing notice, Messrs A. B. NEILSON, JR., WALTER L. PURDIE, D. OLYPHANT VAIL, and RICHARD R. TYERS, are this day admitted Partners in our Firm.

OLYPHANT & Co.

China, 22d July, 1858.

NOTICE.

WE have established a Branch of our Firm at BANGKOK, SIAM, under the management of Mr C. H. H. WILSONE, who is authorized to sign for us by procuration.

HAMILTON, GRAY & Co.

Singapore, 17th May, 1858.

NOTICE.

WE, the undersigned, have this day commenced business at this Port, as Ship-chandlers, Auctioneers, and Commission Agents, under the Title of TALBOT, DEVINE & Co.

H. E. TALBOT.  
W. H. DEVINE.

Whampoa, 7th April, 1858.

NOTICE.

Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr ROBERT MCGREGOR in our Firm, ceased 31st December last. Mr R. H. BALDWIN is this date authorized to sign.  
R. MCGREGOR & Co.  
Hongkong, 4th September, 1858.

NOTICE.

MR GEO. RICHARDS LAWRENCE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuracy this date.  
JAMES PURDON & Co.  
Hongkong, 13th April, 1858.

NOTICE.

MR DOUGLAS LAPRAIK will act as my Attorney during my absence from this city.  
H. F. EDWARDS.  
Hongkong, 26th June, 1858.

NOTICE.

MR H. DUDELL will act for me, during my absence from this Colony.  
G. DUDELL.

Victoria, Hongkong, 11th August, 1858.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr THOS. DUNN in our Firm, ceased on the 30th of June last.  
HEDGE & Co.

Foochow, 14th July, 1858.

NOTICE.

MR CHARLES W. HUDSON is authorised to sign our Firm.  
GILMAN & Co.,  
of Canton.

Hongkong, 22d July, 1858.

FOR SALE,

At the "China Mail" Office,

BLANK CIRCULARS, with LIST of MERCANTILE FIRMS, &c., in English and Chinese. Blank Forms of—POWERS OF ATTORNEY, WILLS, CHARTERPARTIES, BILLS OF EXCHANGE, BILLS OF LADING, SHIPPING ORDERS, COMPRADOR'S CHECKS BOOK, SHIPPING ARTICLES, and the newest form of SHIP'S BILL OF SALE.

Also,

SAILING DIRECTIONS (printed in Pamphlet form) for the RIVERS YANG-TSZE-KEANG and MIN.

Hongkong, 4th March, 1858.

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