STEWART ALEXANDER
, MERCHANT, *deceased.*
Parties having Claims against the
, are requested to notify the same
or before the 1st day of May,

TURNER & HAZELAND,
to the Administrator.
May, 1859.

Steam for
PENANG, POINT DE GALLE,
EZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES,
& SOUTHAMPTON;
ALSO,
Y, MADRAS, & CALCUTTA.

Ar & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-
COMPANY's Steam-ship "*GANGES*,"
with *Her Majesty's Mails, Pas-
and Cargo,* will leave this for the
SUNDAY, the 22d May, at 9

be received on board until 5 P.M.
SPECIE until Noon on the 21st, and
10 A.M. on the 21st May.
regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE,
nsular & Oriental Steam Navigation
, Hongkong.

AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE
REQUIRED.
Declaration of the Contents and Value
for the Overland Route is required
Government, and must be delivered
to the Company's Agents with the
or with Parcels; and the Company do
es responsible for any Detention or
may happen from incorrectness on

MAXN. FISCHER,
Superintendent.
ar & Oriental
Company's Office,
7th May, 1859.

NOTICE.
CRIMINAL SESSIONS of the SUPREME
will be held on *WEDNESDAY,*
of May, instead of Monday the 18th
at 12 o'Clock at Noon.
Order of the Court,

NORMAN RAMSAY MASSON,
Acting Registrar.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

THE Next GENERAL MAILS per Steamer "*GANGES*," will close on *SATURDAY,* the 21st instant, at 6 o'clock P.M.

A SUPPLEMENTARY MAIL will be made up on the following morning. LETTES received from Six to half-past Seven o'clock A.M. for a late fee of 6d., and NEWSPAPERS 1d. each.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Acting Post-Master.
Post-office, Hongkong,
7th May, 1859.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned will receive Tenders, until Noon, on *SATURDAY, the 21st May,* for the SUPPLYING OF PROVISIONS, &c., for the use of the PRISONERS confined in HER MAJESTY's GAOLS, in this Colony, from the 26th day of May, 1859, to the 25th day of May, 1860, inclusive.

The PROVISIONS, &c., to be of good quality, and to be supplied daily on requisition, as per following Schedules, viz.,—

SCHEDULE No. 1.

Daily Ration for each European Prisoner, viz.,—

BREAD,............................	12 Taels	
BEEF, or PORK, without Bone,	6 „	
VEGETABLES, of the Season,. ..	12 „	*at Cents for each Ration.*
TEA,...................................	½ „	
SUGAR,...	2½ „	
SALT,.................................	½ „	
FIREWOOD,........................	24 „	
SOAP, ...	½ „	

Daily Ration for each Chinese and Indian Prisoner.

RICE, ...	22 Taels,	
VEGETABLES, 1 day in each week,	16 „	
SALT FISH, 5 „ „ „	2 „	*at Cents for each Ration.*
FRESH FISH, 1 „ „ „	4 „	
with CAYENNE CHUTNEY,. ..	1 „	
TEA,.............................	½ „	
SALT,.............................	½ „	
FIREWOOD, ...	24 „	

SCHEDULE No. 2.

EXTRA BREAD, ...	per ℔
LAMP OIL, ...	„ picul.
COTTON WICK,.....	„ catty.

Full particulars and Conditions of Contract, may be ascertained on application at this Office.

JOSEPH SCOTT,
Governor of Victoria Gaol.
Gaol Office, 6th May, 1859.

NOTICE

IS hereby given, that the Co-partnership under which THOMAS SAMUEL RAWSON, WILLIAM WEMYSS KER, WILLIAM PATERSON and MINCHIN SIMONS, have heretofore carried on business as MERCHANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS *in Singapore,* under the style of KER, RAWSON & Co., expires on the 30th instant.

Singapore, 4th April, 1859.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM WEMYSS KER, WILLIAM PATERSON, and HENRY MINCHIN SIMONS, will carry on business as MERCHANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS, from and after the 1st May next, as Co-partners, under the style of

PATERSON, SIMONS, & Co.
Singapore, 4th April, 1859.

NOTICE.

A DISSOLUTION of the partnership hitherto existing between the former Members of the Firm ADAM & Co., *Batavia* and *Sourabaya,* having taken place on the 31st ultimo, the undersigned begs to intimate, that he will continue the Business, as heretofore, at both places, and under the same style as formerly.

Notice is at the same time given, that, from this date, Mr D. T. BRYCE has been admitted a Partner at *Batavia* and *Sourabaya;* and that Mr W. W. COOK has been admitted as partner of the *Sourabaya* Firm,

J. H. ADAM.
Batavia, 1st January, 1859.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Claims against, or indebted to, the Estate of the late WALTER TOMS, deceased, are requested to settle the same on or before the 31st December, 1859.

RICHARD TOMS,
Executor.
Hongkong, 6th April, 1859.

COPPER-PLATE PRINTING.

PERSONS having ENGRAVED PLATES may have VISITING CARDS (*Enamelled* or *Plain*) printed from them at the Office of the "*China Mail.*"