

List of Unpaid and Registered LETTERS and PAPERS lying at the Hongkong Post Office for Her Majesty's Ships of War, 7th August, 1863.

	Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.
Barrosa	24	Grasshoper,	1	Janus	1	P. Charlotte	10
Cockchafer	2	Hardy	1	Melville	2	Snap	1

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES,
AND SOUTHAMPTON;

also,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.
THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship
COLUMBIAN, Captain GRAINGER, with
Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and
Cargo, will leave this for the above places on
Wednesday, the 12th August, 1863, at 2 P.M.
CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M.
on the 10th August, SPECIE until Noon on the
11th; and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 10th.

For particulars regarding FREIGHT and PAS-
SAGE, apply at the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hong-
kong.

*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 Shippers to the Com-
pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with
Parcels; and the Company do not hold them-
selves responsible for any Detention or Preju-
dice which may happen from incorrectness on
such declaration. Shippers of Cargo on the
Company's Black Bills of Lading are particu-
larly requested to note the Terms and Condition
of these Bills of Lading, with reference to the
Transshipment and forwarding of Cargo, with a
view to the adequateness of their Insurance
Policies in respect of the same.

THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Superintendent.

Peninsular and Oriental
Steam Navigation Company's Office,
Hongkong, 30th July, 1863.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

Paquebots—Poste Français.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,
MARSEILLES.

also,
PONDICHERY, MADRAS, & CALCUTTA.
ON Saturday, the 22nd of August, at Noon
the Company's Steam-ship "*IMPERA-
TRICE*," Commandant MARSENCH, H. I. M. N.,
with Her Britannic Majesty's Mails, Passengers,
Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for the
above places, in connection:

At Alexandria, with the Company's and the
Austrian Lloyds Mail Steamers for the Levant,
Black Sea, Greece, Corfu, and Trieste:

At Messina, with the Company's Semi-weekly
Mail Steamers for Malta and all the Italian Ports:

At Marseilles, with the weekly Company's Mail
Steamer for Valencia, and by Railroad to Madrid.

Passengers going to London are informed
that the Company will convey, free of charge, from
Marseilles to London, their Baggage to the extent
allowed by the regulation.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London
as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit
through Marseilles for the principal places of
Europe.

The Company has authority to grant Insurance
on all Cargo conveyed by its Vessels, at a pre-
mium of 1½ per cent upon Merchandize, and ¼ per
cent on Treasure, from Hongkong to Lyons,
Paris, London, and Holland, and proportionally
for places this side of Suez.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M.,
on the 20th of August; Specie and Parcels until
5 o'clock P.M. on the 21st.

As the Manifests of Merchandize have to be
closed on the evening of the 21st, the Shippers
are requested to present their Shipping Orders
before 4 P.M. of said day; for past that time, no
more Bills of Lading will be delivered, except
after the departure of the Steamer.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and
Value of the Packages destined beyond Suez is
required by the Egyptian Government, and must
be furnished by the Shippers to the Agent with
the Bills of Lading; and the Company will not
be responsible for any consequence or prejudice
which may ensue from an incorrect declaration.

For particulars respecting Freight and Passage,
apply at the Company's Office, Queen's Road.

C. BERTRAND,
Agent.

Hongkong, 2nd August, 1863.

NOTICE.

BY a despatch of His Excellency the Minister
of Finance of the Imperial Government
bearing date the 1st May, 1863, the *Comptoir
d'Escompte de Paris* has been authorised to es-
tablish an Agency in Hongkong.

By Order:

Le Chancelier du Consulat de France,

O'MAHONY.

Hongkong, 6th July, 1863.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

ACCORDING to the Resolutions of the Board
of Directors bearing the dates of 14th April
and May 12th, 1863, an Agency of the said
Institution is this day established in Hongkong,
and will commence business immediately under
the direction of the undersigned.

VICTOR KRESSER,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, 6th July, 1863.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

*Incorporated by National Decrees of 7th and
8th March, 1848, and by Imperial Decree
of 25th July, 1854.*

CAPITAL, (Subscribed and paid-up),
Francs 40,000,000 (£1,600,000.)

RESERVE FUND, Fes. 8,350,000 (£334,000.)

HEAD OFFICE,—14, Rue Bergère, Paris.
LONDON BANKERS,—Union Bank of London.
AGENCIES IN INDIA AND CHINA,—At Bom-
bay, Calcutta, Hongkong, Shanghai, and Saint
Denis (Ile de la Réunion.)

CORRESPONDENTS IN INDIA, CHINA, AME-
RICA, AUSTRALIA, &c.—At Pondichery, Ma-
dras, Colombo (Ceylon), Akyab, Rangoon, Port
Luis (Mauritius), Singapore, Saigon, Bangkok,
Batavia, Manila, San Francisco, New York, New
Orleans, &c., Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Bris-
bane, Hobart-Town, &c.

HONGKONG AGENCY.

Acting Manager, VICTOR KRESSER.
Head Cashier, W. STREITBERG.
Accountant,

THIS Agency issues Drafts on Paris on the
Head Office; on London on the Union Bank
of London; on Bombay, Calcutta, Shanghai,
Bourbon, on the Agencies of the Comptoir; and
on the Chief Places of Commerce in the Continent
of Europe, India, China, America, Australia, &c.,
on the Correspondents of the Institution.

Approved Bills negotiated.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are kept, upon which
no Commission is charged and no Interest is al-
lowed.

DEPOSITS for Fixed Periods are received at
interest, particulars of which may be obtained
on application to the Agency.

The Agency is also prepared to discount Bills
and Grant Loans to Constituents on approved
Banking Securities.

VICTOR KRESSER,
Acting Manager.

Queen's Road, Corner of Zetland Street,
Hongkong, 6th July, 1863.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned have this day established a
branch of their business, as Merchants and
Commission Agents, at this Port under the
management of Mr. WILLIAM ADAMSON.

THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1863.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. ALEXANDER C. LEVYSOHN and
JACOB ARNHOLD have this day been ad-
mitted Partners in our Firm.

OXFORD & Co.

China, 1st January, 1863.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned have been appointed Agents
for Lloyds at Canton and Macao.
Communications at Macao to be addressed to
Mr. E. L. LANÇA, H. B. M. Consular Agent
there.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, 25th April, 1863.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. HENRY
MURRAY in our Firm, ceased on the 31st
ultimo.

ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.

China, 15th June, 1863.

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