

WEATHER TABLES FOR THE PAST WEEK.

REGISTER AT HARBOR MASTER'S OFFICE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

1867.	6 A.M.		NOON.		6 P.M.	
	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Thermometer.
March 16	29.91	62	30.00	68	30.05	67
" 17	30.00	64	30.00	68	30.02	66
" 18	30.04	64	30.01	67	30.00	66
" 19	29.97	62	29.98	68	29.95	67
" 20	29.95	64	29.95	69	29.92	66
" 21	29.90	66	29.80	71	29.70	73
" 22	29.75	72	29.78	73	29.80	75

REGISTER AT BLOCK HOUSE, VICTORIA PEAK.

Height above Sea Level 1,770 feet.

DATE.	BAROMETER.					HYDROMETER.						THERMOMETER.		WINDS.						REMARKS AS TO WEATHER.		
						DRY BULB.			WET BULB.			Self-Registering.		Force, range from 0 to 12.								
												Min.	Max.	6 A.M.		NOON.		6 P.M.				
												Noon.		Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.			
1867.																						
Mar. 16	28.17	28.23	28.24	28.20	28.21	56.50	56.10	58.10	55.30	56.00	58.10	55.00	56.00	EbS	2	E	2	E	1		1	Dense fog until 4.30 P.M., then passing fog.
" 17	28.28	28.34	28.35	28.31	28.32	58.00	60.10	59.20	58.00	60.10	63.10	56.10	60.10	NNE	1	—	—	EbN	1		1	Fine clear weather until 9 A.M., then passing fog until noon, then very fine.
" 18	28.28	28.34	28.25	28.24	28.23	55.30	58.00	57.00	52.10	53.30	56.00	55.00	61.30	E	3	E	3	E	2		2	Fine throughout.
" 19	28.24	28.30	28.31	28.26	28.26	67.10	61.30	62.00	66.50	60.50	61.10	55.10	61.00	EbS	1	—	—	NbE	1		1	Dense fog until 9.15 A.M., then fine throughout.
" 20	28.24	28.33	28.30	28.24	28.23	60.30	64.00	62.10	59.30	62.30	60.00	60.00	64.00	NEbE	1	NEbE	1	SEbE	2		2	Fine, though hazy.
" 21	28.18	28.23	28.18	28.28	28.05	60.30	61.40	64.00	59.30	61.30	64.30	60.00	64.00	SEbE	2	SEbE	1	SSE	7		7	Dense fog throughout, during the past night heavy squalls of wind and rain at intervals.
" 22	28.07	28.08	28.10	28.05	28.05	66.10	67.30	67.30	66.10	67.30	67.10	62.50	67.00	SbW	7	SbW	5	SSW	6		6	Dense fog throughout and heavy showers of rain at intervals.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Between { LAONG APOON, LAONG AYE, and CHUN ASHEEN, of the Ee-loong Shop, Plaintiffs, and KONG ASHING, and WEI AKE, Defendants.

WHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the above named Laong Afoon, Laong Aye, and Chun Asheen, against the above named Kong Ashing and Wei Ake, to recover the sum of Five thousand Dollars for money payable by the said Defendants to the said Plaintiffs, for goods sold and delivered by the said Plaintiffs to the said Defendants, and for interest upon money due from the said Defendants to the said Plaintiffs, and forborne at interest by the said Plaintiffs to the said Defendants at their request and for money found to be due from the said Defendants to the said Plaintiffs on accounts stated between them, and it being alleged that the said Kong Ashing and Wei Ake do not reside within the Island or its dependencies, a Writ of Foreign attachment has been issued returnable on the Eighth day of April next, wherein Oo Shing Tso and Lo Achau, both of Hongkong, are Garnishees.

Notice is hereby given thereof and that if at any time before final judgment in this action the said Wong Ashing and Wei-Ake or any person on their behalf will give the security and notice and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island entitled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony," the said attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1867.

F. I. HAZELAND, Plaintiff's Attorney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Between { JOHN STEWARD LAPRAIK, Plaintiff, and SAMUEL HARRIS TALBOT, trading under the name style or firm of TALBOT AND COMPANY, Defendant.

WHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the above named John Steward Lapraik against the above named Samuel Harris Talbot trading as aforesaid,

to recover the sum of One thousand and thirty-nine Dollars and sixty-four Cents for money paid by the said John Steward Lapraik for the use of the said Samuel Harris Talbot at his request and for money found to be due from the said Samuel Harris Talbot to the said John Steward Lapraik on an account stated between them, and it being alleged that the said Samuel Harris Talbot does not reside within this Island or its dependencies, a Writ of Foreign attachment has been issued returnable on the first day of April next, wherein William H. Talbot of Hongkong aforesaid, Ship Chandler, is Garnishee.

Notice is hereby given thereof and if at any time before final judgment in this action the said Samuel Harris Talbot or any person trading on his behalf will give the security and notice and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island entitled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony," the said attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this Fourteenth day of March, 1867.

HENRY C. CALDWELL, Plaintiff's Attorney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Between { GEORGE B. FALCONER, Executor of the Will of WILLIAM HENRY VICKERMAN, deceased, Plaintiff, and SAMUEL HARRIS TALBOT, trading under the name or firm of TALBOT AND COMPANY, Defendant.

WHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the above named George B. Falconer as such Executor as aforesaid against the above named Samuel Harris Talbot trading as aforesaid to recover the sum of Three thousand Dollars upon and by virtue of an Indenture of Mortgage dated the Nineteenth day of September One thousand Eight hundred and sixty-six whereby the said Samuel Harris Talbot covenanted to pay to the said William Henry Vickerman on demand the sum of Three thousand Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the said Nineteenth day of September One thousand Eight hundred and sixty-six and for money lent and advanced by the said William Henry Vickerman in his life time to the said Samuel Harris Talbot and for money found to be due from the said Samuel Harris Talbot to the said George B. Falconer as Executor as aforesaid on accounts stated between them and for

interest thereon and it being alleged that the said Samuel Harris does not reside within this Island or its dependencies a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued returnable on the first day of April next wherein William H. Talbot of Hongkong, Ship Chandler, is Garnishee.

Notice is hereby given thereof and that if at any time before final judgment in this Action the said Samuel Harris Talbot or any person on his behalf will give the security and notice and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island intituled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony" the said attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1867.

HENRY C. CALDWELL, Plaintiff's Attorney.

C. ADOLPHE LOW & Co.,

Shipping and Commission Merchants, San Francisco, California.

Refer to

Messrs. Russell & Co. } Hongkong.
 " Smith Archer & Co. }
 " B. Davidson & Co., } San Francisco,
 Agents for the Rothschilds. } Cal.
 " A. A. Low & Bros. } New York.

MACONDRAY & Co.,

San Francisco, Cal., SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

ATTENTION and dispatch given to all business appertaining to a Commission House. The interests of parties having merchandise in transitu through San Francisco properly cared for.

NOTICE.

MR. WALTER HYDE NOTLEY will sign our firm on and after this date.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1867.

NOTICE.

MR. WARREN DELANO, and MR. HENRY S. GREW, have retired from our firm, their interest and responsibility ceasing on this day.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, 1st January, 1867.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

Paquebots—Poste Français.

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

ALSO,
BOMBAY, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS,
AND CALCUTTA.

ON Monday, the 25th March, at 2 P.M. the Company's Steam-ship "TIGRE," Commandant BOILEVE, H. I. M. N. with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places corresponding:

At Singapore, with one of the Company's steamers for Batavia.

At Galle, with one of the British India Steam Navigation Company's Steamers for Bombay;

At Aden, with the Company's Mail Steamers for Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius;

At Messina, with the Company's Mail Steamers for all the Italian Ports.

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 Insurances on all Cargo conveyed by its Vessels, at a premium of 1 1/4 % upon Merchandise, and 1 % 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 o'clock of the 23rd March, Specie and Parcels until 5 o'clock of the 24th.

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.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and condition of the Company's Bills of Lading.

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

C. BERTRAND,
Agent Principal.

Hongkong, 7th March, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. HINTON DANIELL STEWART in our Firm in Hongkong and China ceased on 31st December, 1866, and our Firm now consists of WILLIAM WALKINSHAW, PHINEAS RYRIE, WILLIAM JAMES BRYANS, and EDWARD CAREY SMITH.

TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

IN CHANCERY.

In the Matter of the COMPANIES ACT, 1862,

and

In the Matter of the COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST.

THE Creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 10th day of November 1866 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors if any to Mr. William Hopkins Holyland the Official Liquidator of the said Corporation at his offices situate No. 13 Gresham Street in the City of London and if so required be notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Chamber of the Master of the Rolls at Rolls Yard Chancery Lane in the County of Middlesex at such time as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Monday the 3rd December 1866 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the said Chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating on the debts and claims.

Dated this 6th day of June 1866.

E. B. CHURCH,
Chief Clerk.

FRESHFIELDS and NEWMAN,
5 Bank Buildings London,
Solicitors for the Official Liquidator.

NOTICE.

MR. A. H. P. HASE has this day been admitted a Partner in our firm.
HESSE & Co.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD CUNNINGHAM has re-entered our firm, to which also Mr. WILLIAM H. FOSTER, Jr., is admitted Partner, their interest and responsibility commencing this day.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE business hitherto carried on by the undersigned will from this date be conducted under the Name and Style of

J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co.

MR. ALEXANDRE ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS and Mr. HERMENEGILDO ANTONIO LEIRIA having been authorised to sign the firm per procurator.

J. J. DOS REMEDIOS.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility in our firm of Mr. W. G. SIEWERTZ VAN REESEMA ceased yesterday, and Mr. THEODOR PROBST, who has held the power to sign our firm since 1862, has this day been admitted a partner.

Our firm now consists of Mr. W. PUSTAU, Mr. W. PROBST, Mr. J. MENKE and Mr. THEODOR PROBST; Mr. O. C. BEHN and Mr. JOH. F. CORDES are authorized to sign the same per procurator from this date.

W. PUSTAU & Co.
China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.

A Sub-Agency of the Oriental Bank Corporation under charge of Mr. ALEXANDER PATERSON has been opened at Foochow.

J. MCDOUALL,
Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, 1st September, 1866.

NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned, under the Seal of the Probate Court of Hongkong, the 7th day of August, A.D. 1866, in the Estate of the late HENRY NOBLE—

All Persons having Claims against the Estate are requested to send them in as early as possible, and all Persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to pay him the amounts without delay.

MAXN. FISCHER,
Administrator.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. EMIL BRUNCKOW in our Firm ceased on the 31st December last.

SIEMSEN & Co.
China, 1st August, 1866.

NOTICE.

IT being considered desirable to shorten the usance of Bills drawn in India and China on Europe, the undersigned hereby give notice that from 1st January, 1867, their Branches and Agencies in the East, will only buy and sell Bills of Exchange at a term not exceeding four months' sight.

The undersigned further give notice that they will purchase Bills of Exchange, drawn under Credits, only when the Credits contain a distinct engagement with the holders of the Bills to accept the same.

G. U. ADAM,
for the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

D. T. ROEBRTSON,
for the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London & China.

J. OUSELEY,
for the Bank of Hindustan, China and Japan, Limited.

J. C. PARRY,
for the Delhi and London Bank, Limited.

G. PIETSCH,
for the Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris.
CHARLES J. F. STUART,
for the Oriental Bank Corporation.

NOTICE.

WE have this day established ourselves at this Port as Merchants and Commission Agents under the Style of KIRCHNER, BÖGER & Co.

A. KIRCHNER.
H. BÖGER.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN STEWARD LAPRAIK and Mr. ALEXANDER McGLASHAN HEATON will act as my Attornies in China.

D. LAPRAIK.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1866.

NOTICE.

I Have this day retired from the Business heretofore carried on by me as Merchant in favor of my Nephew Mr. JOHN STEWARD LAPRAIK.

D. LAPRAIK.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

WITH reference to the above, I have admitted as Partner Mr. ALEXANDER McGLASHAN HEATON, and the business will hereafter be conducted under the Style and Firm of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

NOTICE.

LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION having been Granted to the Undersigned, under the Seal of the PROBATE COURT OF HONGKONG, the 10th day of November, A.D. 1866, in the Estate of the late ETIENNE GARRETA—

All Persons having Claims against the Estate are requested to send them in as early as possible; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to pay to him the accounts without delay.

A. E. VAUCHER,
Administrator.

Hongkong, 12th November, 1866.

NOTICE.

MR. JOSEPH KRUMMENACHER was from this date admitted a Partner in my Firm which henceforth will be carried on under the style and name of SANDER & Co.

F. SANDER.

Hongkong, 24th September, 1866.

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.

COPPER PLATE PRINTING.

PARTIES having their own engraved Plates may have VISITING CARDS printed from them, by applying at the Office of

NORONHA & SONS.

NOW READY AND FOR SALE

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Hongkong, 29th December, 1866.

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