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FOR ENGLAND, CALCUTTA, MADRAS, BOMBAY, Also, en route to the above, PENANG, GALLE—MALTA, SUER, ADEN—COLOMBO, COCHIN, CALCUT, CANNANORE, MANGALORE, GOA, VINGOIRA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY'S Steam Ship PEKIN, will leave this for the above places on Thursday the 30th of March.

CARGO will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P. M., of the 29th.

FIRST CLASS GENERAL PASSAGE.

To Singapore	\$ 144
" Penang	108
" Ceylon	208
" Madras	385
" Calcutta	451
" Suer	643
" Malta (Transit through Egypt included)	768
" England	792

For further particulars regarding Passages and Passes apply at the P. & O. S. N. Company's Office, Hongkong.

J. A. OLDING, Agent.  
Hongkong, 16th March, 1848.

NOTICE.  
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamers from Hongkong will in future proceed throughout to Bombay, touching as heretofore at SINGAPORE, PENANG, and GALLE, also at COLOMBO, COCHIN, CALCUT, GOA, and VINGOIRA. For particulars of Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.  
Hongkong, 19th October, 1847.

NOTICE.  
THE P. & O. S. N. COMPANY'S, will from this date undertake the conveyance of Specie from China, and the Straits, to Southampton, under the conditions specified in their customary Bill of Lading, at 2½ per cent.

J. A. OLDING, Agent.  
P. & O. S. N. Company's Office,  
Victoria, 21st December, 1847.

FOR SHANGHAI AND THE NORTHERN PORTS.  
THE Strong Built East Sailing Brig LINNET, Captain [Name], will have quick despatch for the above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to,  
GEO. DUDELL, Auctioneer, Victoria.  
Hongkong, 14th March, 1848.

N.B.—This Vessel is Insured and offers a safe conveyance for Cargo.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.  
THE A. S. Barque ANNA R. O. BERTSON, 441 Tons, Captain MUNRO, will meet with early despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to,  
SYME, MUIR & Co.  
Hongkong, 1st March, 1848.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER TO HOLLAND OR ANY OTHER PLACE.  
THE New built Dutch Barque IDA ELIZABETH, Captain J. C. BARDITT, daily expected from Manila, about 850 tons. Apply to,  
M. J. SENN VAN BASEL.  
Canton, 18th February, 1848.

TO LET.  
THE COTTAGE situated a little to the West of Government House, presently occupied by Captain Young, R. A. Possession may be had on 1st April. Apply to,  
LINDSAY & Co.  
4th March, 1848.

FOR SALE.  
MARINE LOT No. 12, situated on the Queen's Road, Victoria, with the Buildings thereon, at present in possession of the undersigned.  
Also, an allotment of Land, and Buildings at Shanghai, known as the Nippon Property. For Plans, and full particulars, apply to,  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Canton, 2nd February, 1848.

TO BE LET.  
THE House and Shop, lately occupied by Messrs. Mackay and Co. Apply to,  
PHILLIPS, MOORE & Co.  
Victoria, 24th December, 1847.

TO LET.  
SPACIOUS Godowns and dwelling house, built of Granite and Tely occupied by Messrs. Thos. Ripley & Co. (The property is situated near the centre of the Town, (Victoria, Hongkong) and has a water frontage. Apply on the Premises, to,  
SYME, MUIR & Co.,  
or to THOMAS RIPLEY & Co.,  
Shanghai.

TO LET.  
THE Building on the Queen's Road, known as the Keying House. Also a Bungalow in Aberdeen Street. Apply to,  
BUSH & Co.  
Hongkong, 21st January, 1847.

TO LET.  
FOUR Rooms in the upper part of House situated in Wellington Terrace, D'Agular Street. Apply to,  
D. LAPRAIK.  
Victoria, 10th January, 1848.

PROPERTY IN SHANGHAI.  
FOR SALE.—The allotment of Land with erected Godown and Dwelling House situated thereon, at present in possession of the Undersigned; for further particulars apply to Messrs RAWLE, DUUS & Co., Hongkong; or,  
PLATT, HARGREAVES & Co.,  
Shanghai.  
4th March, 1848.

NOTICE.  
MR. SPENCER COMPTON is authorized to sign our Firm by Procuration.  
CHA SP. COMPTON & Co.  
Hongkong, 28th February, 1848.

NOTICE.  
I hereby given that Mr JOHN THISTLEBERRY WAITE ceased to be in our employ from the 18th day of April last past, by lapse of the term of agreement, by which he was empowered to act for us in the management of our establishment existing up to that time at Shanghai, and to sign for us there by Procuration.  
B. WATERHOUSE & Co.  
Ningpo, 6th August, 1847.

NOTICE.  
DURING the absence of the Undersigned, our Business in Hongkong will be conducted by Messrs PHILLIP MOORE & Co.  
Per Pro. R. OSWALD & Co.  
H. LIND.  
Victoria, 16th August, 1847.

NOTICE.  
WE have this day admitted Mr DUNCAN JAMES KAY and Mr KIRKMAN FINLAY as Partners in our Firm, which will in future be carried on under the Style of THOMSON, FINLAY & Co.  
FINLAY & Co.  
Liverpool, 1st July, 1847.

NOTICE.  
THE Interest and responsibility of Mr DUNCAN JAMES KAY in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.  
TURNER & Co.  
Victoria, Hongkong, 28th January, 1848.

NOTICE.  
MR CHARLES MELVILLE DONALDSON is admitted a Partner in our Business, his Interest and Responsibility having commenced on the 1st January, 1848.  
The business will be carried on under the name of RICHARDS & Co.  
P. M. RICHARDS,  
C. M. DONALDSON.  
We beg to give notice that Mr RICHARD RAWLINS PARRY ceased to be in our employ from the 8th February, 1848.  
RICHARDS & Co.  
Shanghai, 8th February, 1848.

NOTICE.  
JUST begs to inform the Community of Canton, that he has removed his Establishment from Hongkong to this place, where he trusts to merit their patronage.  
Canton, 1st October, 1847.  
(At present No. 1, New China Street.)

WINES FOR SALE.  
AT the Godowns of the Undersigned:—  
Superior Port, in 4 dozen Cases,  
Sherry, " 4 do. do.  
Madeira, " 3 do. do.  
Do. " Wood.  
Also,  
Mum's Champagne and Alsopp's Pale Ale.  
BLEKIN, RAWSON & Co.  
Victoria, 27th July, 1847.

FOR SALE.  
SHEATHING COPPER. Apply to,  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, 7th May, 1847.

FOR SALE.  
BANCA TIN. Apply to,  
OLYPHANT & Co.,  
Canton.  
14th August, 1847.

FOR SALE.  
AN Iron Fence Building 400 feet, with 4 double A leaved 8 feet gates; two Engine Force pumps; Force and Common pumps; also Marshall & Son's patent Closes.  
ROBERT STRACHAN.  
Victoria, 15th September, 1847.

FRANKLYN & MILNE,  
AUCTIONEERS, COMMISSION AGENTS, AND BROKERS, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS & C.  
GOODS Bought or Exchanged, Sold by Public or Private Sale; also Landed, and Stored in dry and secure Godowns. General business transacted for Parties absent.

ON SALE.  
Every description of Ship and Cabin Stores; Salt Provisions; fine American Flour; Navy Bread; Europe and Manila Cordage; Gunpowder, coarse and fine; Guns, large and small; Shot, of sizes; Chain Cables; Anchors; Canvass; Paints, Oils, &c.; Pine Spars, from 60 to 70 feet; and other Articles.  
Every description of Wines, and Spirits; Pale East India Ale; Brandy in wood, &c.  
Hongkong, 7th March, 1848.

FOR SALE.  
A HANDSOME London built Pony carriage, at a very moderate price.  
ALSO,  
Some Calcutta-made Furniture,—2 Sofas, and 3 easy Chairs; blue and gold. Apply at the sale rooms, to,  
FRANKLYN & MILNE,  
Auctioneers & Commission Agents,  
Queen's Road.  
February 1st, 1848.

JUST LANDED ex Wm. Jardine and Aden, and for Sale at the Commission and Sale Room of the Undersigned, Queen's Road,—Alsopp's & Son's Pale Indian Ale, in 3 and 4 doz. cases; Fresh Leaf Cheese and Butter; Bacon Hams.  
ALSO,  
An Invoice of very superior Boots and Shoes; small quantity of Lamb Woolen Socks, Shirts, and Drawings; Hats and Caps. All at very moderate prices.  
A. L. DE ENCARNACAO.  
Hongkong, 16th February, 1848.

SHIP CHANDLERS STORES.  
And supplies of every description required for Ships use, on sale by the undersigned.  
MADE and Repaired.  
Just received.  
A large Assortment of Canvas, Bleached and Unbleached.  
ALSO,  
Real Edinburgh Ale, East India Pale Ale, &c. &c.  
Good dry STRONG with water frontage.  
CHARLES BUCKTON,  
Shipping and Commission Agent,  
Queen's Road, Victoria, 25th Jan., 1848.

ADVERTISEMENT.  
FOR SALE at Mr RUTHERFURD'S—  
THE HONGKONG ALMANACK AND DIRECTORY FOR 1848; with PLAN of and INDEX to the TOWN of VICTORIA, &c.  
Price \$2½.  
Victoria, 3rd March, 1848.

ANNUALS, &c.  
JUST Received an Invoice of ILLUSTRATED BOOKS, Annuals, &c., for 1848.  
ROBERT RUTHERFURD,  
Queen's Road.  
Victoria, 14th March, 1848.

ADVERTISEMENT.  
F. DRAKE begs most respectfully to intimate, that he will be most happy to devote two hours daily, viz. 12 to 2, to instruct YOUNG GENTLEMEN in Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, &c., &c. Terms, Six Dollars per Month.  
Colonial Church, 15th February, 1848.

MR. WINBERG begs to inform the Community of Hongkong, that a spacious and well lighted Room, in the BRITISH HOTEL, will be appropriated for a SINGING CLUB, one Evening in each Week. The first Meeting will be held on Monday evening next, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of forming Rules and Regulations, when the attendance of the Public is respectfully solicited.  
Victoria, 10th March, 1848.

NOTICE.  
ALL Persons indebted to, or having claims against the Estate of the late Captain JOHN GAMBLE, of the Royal Exchange, are requested to send in the same to the Undersigned, on or before the 1st of April next.  
LINDSAY & Co.  
Hongkong, 4th March, 1848.

NOTICE.  
ALL claims against the Estate of JOHN POPE, A. Esq., deceased, must be sent in to the undersigned before the 25th day of May, 1848; otherwise they will not be included in the scheme of division.  
All persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to,  
GEO. ST. GEORGE CAMPBELL,  
Auctioneer, 17th January, 1848.

FOR SALE.  
ANCHORS, Chain Cables, and Hawse Pipes of all sizes. An Invoice of Manila, Europe, and Patent Rope.  
ALSO  
Coffee, and Government Cigars.  
RAWLE, DUUS & Co.  
4th November 1848.

FOR SALE.  
WALT Provisions, Flour, Rum, Attrack, and S Brandy in Wood; Whisky, Cognac, and all kinds of Wines in Bottle.  
RAWLE, DUUS & Co.  
4th November 1848.

FOR SALE.  
ROMAN Cement and Window Glass of all sizes. Apply to,  
RAWLE, DUUS & Co.  
Victoria, 3rd August, 1847.

FOR SALE.  
PRIME Columbia River Beef in Casks, and Columbia River Salmon, ex Tualou.  
ALSO,  
Paint Oil in Demijohns.  
SMITH & BRIMELOW,  
No. 1, Woosnam's Buildings,  
Victoria, 22nd February, 1848.

FOR SALE.  
AT reduced prices an Invoice of Stunt's Boots and Shoes; Japanese Grecian Boots, &c., &c.  
SMITH & BRIMELOW,  
Victoria, 22nd February, 1848.

MESSRS SMITH & BRIMELOW, are landing from the Pathfinder, a stock of choice Sherry, and Port; Champagnes; Martell's Dark, and Pale Cognac; Glenlivet Whiskey; Alsopp's Beer in bottle, &c., &c. Which they offer for sale at moderate prices.  
No. 1 and 2 Woosnam's Buildings,  
1st February, 1848.

MESSRS. SMITH & BRIMELOW have received ex Anna Robertson, a quantity of Gaskell & Down's superior Bottled Beer, which they offer for sale.  
Woosnam's Buildings,  
Victoria, 25th January, 1848.

FOR SALE.  
STOCKHOLM Tar in 2 Barrels; Pine Varnish in 5 Gallons Tanks; Genuine Ground White Lead.  
ALSO,  
Very superior Old Tom, just landed ex Duke of Cornwall.  
SMITH & BRIMELOW,  
Victoria, 25th January, 1848.

JUST landed from the William Jardine, Fine Dorset Butter in 2 lbs. packages.  
SMITH & BRIMELOW,  
No. 1 Woosnam's Buildings,  
February 11th 1848.

SMITH & BRIMELOW have received per Aden, a quantity of prime Berkeley Cheese and York Hams which they can recommend to their customers.  
No. 1 Woosnam's Buildings,  
February 11th 1848.

ADVERTISEMENT.  
FOUND AT ADEN, in July last, a parcel containing BANK OF ENGLAND Notes. The Owner is requested to apply to the Post-master at Aden, stating all particulars regarding them.  
Aden, 6th January, 1848.

WANTED.  
A Situation in a Mercantile House by a Person well acquainted with business, and who can give good references. For particulars, apply to the Editor of this Paper.  
Victoria, 16th July, 1847.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.  
MR G. MACKWICK Auctioneer, &c., begs to inform his Friends and the Public, that he has removed his Auction and Commission Rooms, to next door MESSRS STOCKER and Co, Queen's Road.  
Victoria, 1st February, 1848.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY,  
POTTINGER STREET.  
SODA WATER and LEMONADE of Superior Quality.  
MAGAZ, at HINNAM'S, China Shopkeeper.  
Victoria, 11th June, 1847.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY,  
Queen's Road, Victoria.  
SODA WATER,  
AERATED LEMONADE,  
SWEETENED WATER, with FRUIT FLAVOURING.

AGHOOK,  
HONGKONG.





