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FOR

ENGLAND, CALCUTTA, MADRAS, BOMBAY  
Also, en route to the above.

BRASSERS, PENANG, GAMBIA, MALTA, SEZEL, ADEEN  
—COLOMBO, COCHIN, CALCUTTA, CANNANORE,  
MANGALORA, GOA, VIRGOLOGA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY'S Steam Ship PEKIN, will leave this for the above places on Wednesday the 29th of November.

Cases will be received on board until Noon, and

Stamps until 4 1/2, of the 29th.  
For further particulars regarding Freight and Passages apply at the P. & O. S. N. Company's Office, Hongkong.

J. A. OLDING, Agent.

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE P. & O. S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS, will in future proceed through to BOMBAY, and be prepared to receive CARGO and PASSENGERS for that place as heretofore.

J. A. OLDING, Agent.

P. & O. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, 15th September, 1848.

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 3 per cent for Gold and Silver Bullion.

J. A. OLDING, Agent.

P. & O. S. N. Company's Office  
Victoria, 13th September, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE rates of freight on Treasure to the Straits and India per P. & O. COMPANY'S Steamers will in future be the same for Gold as Silver, Victoria, Sept. 15th, 1848.

FOR LONDON:

TO SAIL ABOUT THE END OF OCTOBER.  
THE fast-sailing Teak built Ship LARKINS, 700 Tons, CHARLES GORDON, Commander, has superior accommodations for Passengers, and carries a Surgeon. Apply to,  
Messrs DENT & Co.  
Hongkong, 4th September, 1848.

FOR LONDON:

THE SHIP QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Captain CAWKITT, has excellent accommodations for Passengers, and will sail for the above Port in all this Month. For passage apply to,  
Captain CAWKITT,  
on board at Whampoa,  
or to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co  
Victoria, 9th October, 1848.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE fast and safe sailing Ship JOHN COOPER, Captain WARR, will have quick despatch. For Freight of light Goods or Passage, apply to,  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
East Point, 17th October, 1848.

WANTED to borrow on Bottomry

on Ship "HINDOSTAN," of London, about Twelve Thousand Dollars. Apply to,  
Messrs DIROM, GRAY & Co.—Canton.  
or to,  
Messrs FLETCHER & Co.—Hongkong,  
Hongkong, 9th October, 1848.

TO LET.

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

TO LET.

COMMODOUS and secure GODOWNS in a central part of the town. Apply at this Office, "Friend of China,"  
Victoria, 4th August, 1848.

NOTICE.

"CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE."  
A Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Office, will be held at the office of the undersigned on Wednesday the eighth day of November 1848 at eleven o'clock of the forenoon of that day.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
General Agents,  
Canton Insurance Office  
Hongkong, 30th October, 1848.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE OF CALCUTTA.

THE Undersigned are authorised to grant POLICIES for the above named Office, payable in CANTON, SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, and LONDON.  
BY ME, MUIR & Co.  
Hongkong, 15th July, 1848.

FOR SALE.

A BUILDING Allotment on the Queen's Road. Apply at this office.  
Office "Friend of China,"  
28th May, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between EDWARD BOUSTEAD, BENJAMIN BUTLER, ADAM SYKES, and GUSTAV CHRISTIAN SCHWABE, carrying on Business under the Firms of BOUSTEAD, SCHWABE & Co. at Singapore, BUTLER, SYKES & Co. at Manila, and SYKES, SCHWABE & Co. at Liverpool, and between the aforesaid parties and EDWARD WILLIAM CLAYTON, carrying on Business at CANTON and SHANGHAI, under the Firm of BOUSTEAD & Co., expires this day by lapse of time and mutual consent.

The pending accounts of the several firms will be settled at Singapore by Mr E. BOUSTEAD, at Shanghai by Mr A. SYKES, at Manila by Mr E. BUTLER, and at Liverpool by Mr G. C. SCHWABE. The Canton House will be closed, and the outstanding accounts there will be liquidated by Mr Martin Wilhelm, who has been left in charge of the Business.

E. BOUSTEAD,  
B. BUTLER,  
A. SYKES,  
G. C. SCHWABE,  
E. W. CLAYTON.

Liverpool, 30th June, 1848.

With reference to the above Notice, the Undersigned beg to announce that the Business will be continued by them as Partners at  
Liverpool, under the firm of SYKES, SCHWABE & Co. At Manila, " " BUTLER, SYKES & Co. At Shanghai, " " SYKES, SCHWABE & Co. G. C. SCHWABE, B. BUTLER, A. SYKES.

Liverpool, 1st July, 1848.

The Business at SINGAPORE will be continued by the Undersigned on his own account, under the Firm of BOUSTEAD & Co.

Singapore, 1st July, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing at Hongkong between JAMES WHITE and RICHARD OSWALD under the style of RICHARD OSWALD & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, and the interest and responsibility of the said RICHARD OSWALD in the firm of JAMES WHITE & Co. of this place ceased on the 30th of June last.

JAMES WHITE.

Shanghai, 9th Sept., 1848.

NOTICE.

MR. MARTIN WILHELMY, is authorised to Sign our Firm by Procuration.  
BOUSTEAD & Co.  
Canton, 20th May, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of HOUSH & Co. China, from the 30th of June last, Outstanding accounts will be settled by  
AUGUST HONGKONG 1st July, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE Business hitherto conducted by the Firm of VAN DERBURG ROSS & Co. is this day dissolved.  
Messrs REYNVAAN & Co. are assigned for the liquidation.  
Canton, 1st February, 1848.

NOTICE.

HAVING Associated ourselves with RAWLE, DUUS & Co., our Business will be conducted in future under the Name of RAWLE, DRINKER & Co.  
DRINKER & Co.  
Hongkong, 1st October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

ALLSOPPS' PALE ALE, in Case. Apply to,  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, 28th September, 1848.

FOR SALE.

SHEATHING COPPER of various sizes; also Copper Nails.  
BUSH & Co.  
Hongkong, 26th October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

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

FOR SALE.

ENGLISH (No. 1) and Scotch CANNAS as sorted, (No. 1 & 7). Apply to,  
W. SCOTT & Co.  
Hongkong, 20th September, 1848.

FOR SALE.

PALE ALE in Wood and Bottle. Also CORKS. Apply to,  
W. SCOTT & Co.  
Hongkong, 20th September, 1848.

FOR SALE.

Splendid Square PIANO FORTE. Apply to,  
W. H. FRANKLYN,  
Victoria, October 4, 1848.

FOR SALE.

DUNBAR'S Bottled Beer, at 2 per dozen. Apply to,  
W. H. FRANKLYN,  
Victoria, 24th October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

A QUANTITY of TEAK TIMBER in Logs and Planks, apply to,  
W. H. FRANKLYN,  
20th October, 1848.

SHIP CHANDLERS STORES.

And supplies of every description required for Ships use, on sale by the undersigned.  
SAILS Made and Repaired.  
ruer received.

A large Assortment of Canvas, Bleached and Unbleached. Also,  
Linen Edinburgh Ale, East India Pale Ale, &c. &c.  
Good dry STONAR with water frontage.  
CHARLES BUCKTON,  
Shipping and Commission Agent,  
Queen's Road, Victoria, 25th Jan., 1848.

FILTERS.

FOR SALE, Sotheran's Patent Water FILTERS, of large and medium sizes.  
ROB: RUTHERFURD,  
Queen's Road,  
11th Oct. 1848.

FOR SALE.

MR. R. RUTHERFURD has received per late arrivals—  
WINTER CLOTHING consisting of Tweeds, Trow-springs, and Vestings  
Merino and Lamb's Wool Singlets and Drawers.  
Cotton and Woolen Socks and Stockings.  
Blankets and Neckchiefs.  
Gentleman's Flasks &c.  
Dress Silk and Buckskin Gloves.  
Perfumery, &c &c.  
Stationery of every description.  
Whisky, Wines, Brandy, Beer, Stouts, &c.  
EXPECTED PER "FAVOURITE"  
Black and Blue Cloths of Superior quality.  
Queen's Road, 10th October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

MESSRS SMITH & BRIMELOW, have just received a quantity of 7 inch 64 in. 64 in. 6 in. 5 in. 5 in. and 4 inch Europe Rope, which they offer for sale.

ALSO,

An excellent assortment of Navy Canvas, Sewing and Roping Twine, &c. &c.  
No. 1 & 2 Woosnam's Buildings.  
Victoria, 12th Sept., 1848.

FOR SALE.

DRIME Columbia River Beef in Casks, and Columbia River Salmon, ex Toulon.  
Also,  
Oil in Demi-johns.  
SMITH & BRIMELOW,  
No. 1, Woosnam's Buildings,  
No. 22nd February, 1848.

FOR SALE.

SMITH & BRIMELOW have received a large quantity of Dutch and American Butter, in 15 lbs. of superior quality, and which they can recommend.  
No. 2 Woosnam's Buildings,  
No. 22nd April, 1848.

FOR SALE.

Excellent assortment of Carpeting and Hearth Rugs to match, just received ex Helen Stewart.  
SMITH & BRIMELOW,  
No. 1, Woosnam's Buildings,  
15th August, 1848.

FOR SALE.

NEW LANDING AT THE AUCTION MART, QUEEN'S ROAD.  
Ex "Esperanza."

FOR SALE.

LONG leather Leggings; Highers Boots; Jockey Boots; Buckskin Brooches; Silk and Satin Jockey Jackets and Caps; Hunting Whips; Fox Head Hammers; Racing Saddles for Arabian Horses and Ponies; Infantry Officers Swords and Belts; Navy do, Boxing Gloves, Race Spurs, Dog Collars and Chains, Best London made Martingales, Single and Double Bridles, Head stall Cellars, Chinampas, and only 1 dozen best carry Combs and Brushes, Stirrup Leathers, Iron and Steel Bits and curb, Carpel Bags &c., &c.  
Hongkong, 24th October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

I. ROGERS & Co.,  
Ship Chandlers of Manila,  
DEG leave to inform OWNERS and CAPTAINS of D. WHELAN'S Series, that the Government of Manila has proclaimed the TORRENAS DUES and Government Duties heretofore existing on Whales, to be henceforth abolished. This measure being in force from the 1st of January, 1848, with the exception of the duties on the same of supplying their vessels with all kinds of necessaries at the most moderate rate.  
Manila, 13th July, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE FIRMS of RAWLE, DUUS & Co. Hongkong, and of DUUS, RAWLE & Co. Shanghai, are this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims, against either firm, will please send their accounts for adjustment, and those indebted to the firms, will please make payment, to the undersigned.

R. H. RAWLE,  
N. DUUS.

Victoria, Hongkong, 1st October, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned begs to announce that he will continue to carry on a GINSENG & ACACIA, and Commission Business, on the same premises as formerly; under the Firm of N. DUUS & Co. N. DUUS,  
Victoria, Hongkong, 1st October, 1848.

NOTICE.

N. DUUS & Co., will receive goods on Storage in their godowns, at a moderate rate. Also,  
Receive and forward Goods, or Parcels to any part of Europe, India, or to the East Coast of China.  
Victoria, Hongkong, 1st October, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE LORCHAS formerly run by RAWLE, DUUS & Co., will for the present be continued by,  
S. B. RAWLE,  
N. DUUS  
Victoria, Hongkong, 1st October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

CHAMPAGNE, Hock, Claret, Sherry, Port, and all Superior wines—in one and three dozen Cases; a few one dozen Cases of Old Cognac, Whisky and old Tom; English bottled Beer and Stout by Marzetti; and Beer, Brandy and Arrack, in Wood.  
S. B. RAWLE,  
N. DUUS  
Victoria, Hongkong, 1st October, 1848.

NOTICE.

I am instructed by His Danish Majesty's Government to make known the following  
NOTIFICATION.

THE Minister of the Navy by this notifies to the public, that in addition to the now existing "FAVOURITE"  
"Kist with the mouth of the Sleswick-Canal at Hohenau,  
there further will be blockaded from the 15th of August next, the following places, viz:  
"Greiswade with the eastern entrance to Stralsund.  
"The rivers Elbe, Weser and Jahde.  
"This has been communicated to the representatives of the friendly and neutral powers accredited by His Majesty's Court, and will likewise be notified by the custom offices to every vessel, at its passage through the Sound and the Belts.  
"Before any new special publication emanates, no other harbour is to be considered as blockaded.  
"The Ministry of the Navy at Copenhagen the 1st of August 1848.  
"(Signed) ZAHRTMANN."  
JOHN BURD,  
His Danish Majesty's  
Consul to Hongkong.

JUST ARRIVED and for Sale by D. LAPPAIK a handsome assortment of Suspension and Pedestal Solar Lamps with one, three, and four Burners.  
Wellington Terrace, 18th October, 1848.

FOR SALE.

A SUPERIOR ORGAN, of great power and sweetness of tone. In handsome Rosewood case constructed by Messrs WOOD & Co., plays upwards of forty favourite airs. Apply to,  
DOUGLAS & CO.,  
Victoria, 10th Oct.

THE Subscriber and Ship Master intend to furnish American cables at the delectable rates as follows:  
Iron work made of refined Iron and warranted Light Gauge Cast Iron.  
Iron Steves " " " "  
Lignumvita Sheaves and Blocks of various sizes to order.  
Mast Hoops, Jib-boats Lead, Dam, Fish, Tur, &c., &c.  
GEORGE FERRAR,  
Hongkong, 18th September, 1848.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

GODA WARR & Co. Dispensary  
No. 1, Market Street,  
Victoria, 10th Oct.





