

NOTICE.

THE next CRIMINAL SESSIONS of the Supreme Court will be held on *Friday, the Eighteenth day of June, A.D. 1869*, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

By order of the Court,

F. S. HUFFAM,
Deputy Registrar.

In re ROBERT BURNS, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given to the next of Kin, and all other Persons, to produce any Wills or Codicils of the above named party, deceased, that may be in their possession, before the Supreme Court, in its Probate Jurisdiction, on *Wednesday, the Twenty-third day of June, A.D. 1869*; or, if none, that the next of Kin do accept or refuse Letters of Administration, failing which, Letters of Administration will be granted to the Registrar of the said Court, or such other person as the Court may think fit.

By the Court,

F. S. HUFFAM,
Deputy Registrar.

NOTICE.

MR. THOMAS SMITH has this day become a Partner in our Firm.

JOHN SILVERLOCK & Co.
Foochow, 1st May, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of

KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co.,

the partners therein being Mr. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr. THOMAS LANCASTER LARKEN.

WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.

Foochow, 1st May, 1869.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late ROBERT HENRY GRANT, lately a Clerk in the Naval Yard, Hongkong, are requested to make payment, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are notified to send in their claims to the undersigned without delay.

JNO. J. FRANCIS,
Solicitor for
John D. Macdonald Thomson,
Executor.

Hongkong, 3rd April, A.D., 1869.

NOTICE.

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, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steam-ship "*TIGRE*," Commandant ROUSSEAU, will leave this Port for the above places, with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, on *Thursday, the 17th June*, at Noon.

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.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 16th June; Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 16th. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. JAMES BENFERD DEACON in our Firm ceased on the 31st December, 1868, and Mr. SIDNEY DEACON is this day admitted a Partner.

DEACON & Co.

Canton, 1st January, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. EDWIN HENRY HOW in our Firm ceased on the 31st December, 1868.

Referring to the following notice of change in the Firm, the remaining Partner, Mr. W. P. GALTON, is authorized to settle all outstanding accounts.

E. H. HOW & Co.

Foochow, March, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Business hitherto carried on by Messrs. E. H. How & Co. was on the 1st January, amalgamated with that of Mr. R. R. WESTALL, and will be continued under the Style or Firm of WESTALL, GALTON & Co.

Foochow, March, 1869.

NOTICE.

MR. WILLIAM MAUNSELL REEVES is authorized to sign our Firm, per procurator.

WESTALL, GALTON & Co.

Foochow, March, 1869.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN OLDERSHAW LENT is authorized to sign our Firm in Foochow.

GILMAN & Co.

Foochow, 10th October, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. GEORG WILHELM SCHWEMANN and of Mr. RUDOLPH HEINSEN in our Firm ceased on the 31st December, 1867, and 31st December, 1868, respectively.

Mr. FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr. HEINRICH HOPPIUS have this day been admitted Partners in our Firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr. GEORG THEODOR SIEMSEN, Mr. WOLDEMAR NISSEN, Mr. ADOLPH JOOST, Mr. FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr. HEINRICH HOPPIUS.

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.

Mr. TOBIAS PIM, Mr. WILLIAM NISBET OLMSTED, and Mr. H. SEYMOUR GEARY, are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, 6th October, 1868.

NOTICE.

Estate of DENT & Co.

A First Dividend of Ten per centum upon the amount of all Claims admitted by the Trustees will be paid on the 1st of January, next.

On application to the undersigned at the Office of the Trustees, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with Warrants signed by the Trustees which will be payable on presentation at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

By order of the Trustees,

E. WHEELLEY.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. EDWARD FORD DUNCANSON, and Mr. WILLIAM HENRY GIBB in our firm ceased on 30th June, Mr. HENRY LOWCOCK, Mr. JAMES MUSCHAMP VICKERS, and Mr. ALEXANDER GEORGE WOOD, having been admitted Partners therein on 1st July last.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, 1st October, 1868.

NOTICE.

MR. ARTHUR WELLESLEY WALKINSHAW is authorized to sign our Firm per procurator at Foochow.

TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1869.

NOTICE.

MR. GEORGE CRICHTON is authorized to sign for us by procurator.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 15th July, 1868.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
(Of London.)

THE undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, Shanghai, Foochow, Hankow, and Yokohama, are prepared to accept *Marine Risks* at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.
Agents.

Hongkong, 21st September, 1868.

NOTICE.

I have this day established myself as a Public Accountant, Average Adjuster, and General Commission Agent.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

2, Club Chambers, Hongkong, 1st July, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at this Port for the Liverpool Underwriters' Association.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, 7th March, 1868.

NOTICE.

MR. EMIL VOGEL and Mr. HEINRICH KIRCHHOFF become this day Partners in our business, which in future will be carried on under the Firm of

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,

both here and at Canton.

HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1868.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE Printing Office of the undersigned has been removed to the House No. 1, at the Corner of Pottinger Street and Hollywood Road, (opposite the Hotel d'Europe.)

NORONHA & SONS.

Hongkong, 29th May, 1869.

COPPER PLATE PRINTING.

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

NORONHA & SONS.

NOTICE.

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