

HARBOUR MASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 402.—LIST OF FIRMS in correspondence with the Harbour Master, as representing the Commercial Intelligence Department of the Board of Trade, as to prospective openings in the Colony for Trade in the named classes of Goods, and concerning which the Harbour Master will give information to such persons as may apply to him.

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| 1902. | | |
| March 13 | Winford Iron Ore and Redding Co., Limited, Chew Magna near Bristol. | Venetian Reds, Oxide of Iron and Yellow Ochre. Any duty levied under Iron Ore, crushed. Any Oxide of Iron or Yellow Ochre raised in Hongkong. |
| „ 11 | Hardman, Ingham and Dawson, Bank-side Hill, Oldham. | Polished Cotton, Twines, grey, bleached and coloured. |
| „ 7 | Jos. C. Verschueren, 41, Strop Street, Gand, Belgium. | Pneumatic tyres, inner tubes and accessories. |
| April 18 | Palmer & Co., Limited, Oil and Tallow Refiners, Candle Manufacturers, 43 Holborn Viaduct, London. | Quantity of Candles imported. Quality. Stearine or Paraffin. Price retailed per lb. Two responsible importers. |
| May 2 | C. Goodman & Co., Devonshire Chambers, Bishopsgate Street, London, E. C. | Non-conducting composition for coating the outside of Steam Boilers, &c. Elastic Cement for coating the seams and rivet heads in Marine Boilers, &c. Anti-fouling Boiler Fluid for preventing incrustation in Steam Boilers, &c. |
| June 9 | R. Rhens, F. S. S., Statistical Central Archives, 102, Greenwood Road, Hackney, London, N. E. | Condensed Milk, Candles, Cement, Corn-flour, Manures. |
| May 23 | The Burlington Manufacturing Co., 17, Convent Road, Entally, Calcutta. | Quantities and value of Earthenware imported into Hongkong. |
| „ 29 | Lever Brothers, Limited, Port Sunlight, Cheshire. | Questions on quality, &c. of Water in Hongkong for importation of soap. |
| July | T. Scott Anderson, Royal Insurance Buildings, Sheffield. | Modern Automatic Hoisting and Conveying Machinery, Bleichert's Wire Ropeways, &c. |
| Nov. 14 | Veritys, Ltd., 31, King Street, Covent Garden, London, W. C. | Electrical Goods. |
| „ 29 | Blackman Export Co., Limited, 70, Finsbury Pavement, E. C., London. | Gas Lighting, Blackman Faus, Keith's Patent Self-acting Hydraulic Rams. |
| Oct. 31 | Lincolne & Co., 204, St. Vincent Street, Glasgow. | “Forth,” “Phoenix” and “Vulcan” fire-bricks, and fireclay. Names of buyers and a suitable house to take up Agency. |
| Nov. 24 | Herbert Morris and Bastert, Limited, Empress Works, Loughborough, Leicestershire. | Hand-Cranes, Pulley-Blocks, &c. |
| Dec. 30 | Somervell, Brothers, Netherfield, Kendal, England. | Boots and Shoes. Names of two Retail Shoe Dealers or General Store. |
| 1903. | | |
| January 6 | The Engineering Times, Orchard House, Westminster, S. W., London. | Openings for electric machinery, steam engines, gas and oil engines, mining machinery and railway and tramway plant and machinery. |
| January 6 | The British Uralite Co., Limited, 50, Cannon Street, London, E. C. | Fire resisting and non-conducting material, Uralite. |
| April 30 | The Chloride Electrical Storage Co., Ltd., Clifton Junction near Manchester. | Electrical Storage Batteries. Names and addresses of probable buyers. |

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| 1902. Sept. 1 | Elvin Brothers, Phoenix Oil and Soap Works, Hull. | Oil, Lubricating, Cylinder, Colza, Boiled Linseed, &c. A good house to push the sale of— |
| 1903. Jan. 24 | Herbert Morris and Bastert, Limited, Empress Works, Loughborough, Leicestershire. | Overhead Run-Way and Travelling Pulley-Blocks. |
| March 5 | W. C. Sturman, Esq., 15, Whitby Road, Fallowfield, Manchester, England. | Textiles and Soft Goods. General Importers and Storekeepers concerned with the purchase of. |
| May 28 | G. Stibbe & Co., 12, Belvoir Street, Leicester. | Automatic Knitter, Automatic Hose Machines, &c. Respectable trader to act for, on commission. |
| July 10 | H. D. Pochin & Co., Limited, Salford, Manchester, England. | Ferro Sulphate of Alumina. Some good firm to act as Agents. |
| | Rylance & Sons, Mersey Oakumworks, Liverpool. | Oakum, Marine Glue, Glues and Gelatines, Pitch, Felts, Rope and Cordage, Surgical Tows. |
| April 8 | David Rowell & Co., 31, Old Queen Street, Westminster, London, S. W. | Iron wire and other fencing, corrugated iron roofing and buildings, wire rope suspension bridges, light road and cart bridges, horticultural buildings. |
| Oct. 24 | E. R. Watt & Son, 123, Camberwell Road, London, S. E. | Names and addresses of the actual importers of, and Government Departments which are likely to purchase surveying and scientific instruments (Theodolites, Levels, Field Glasses, Telescopes, &c.). |
| Nov. 12 | G. Braulik, 217 & 218, Upper Thames Street, London. | Electrical supplies. |
| Nov. 18 | W. A. Baker & Co., Limited, Newport, Mon. | Structural steelwork such as bridges, iron buildings, roofs, &c. Architectural castings, verandahs, balconies, cast iron columns, &c. Channels through which orders for this class of work are usually placed. |
| Dec. 30 | A. Schonfield and Co., Iron, Steel, Machinery, Coal, 21, Hope Street, Glasgow. | (1.) Principal goods in the Iron, Steel, Metal and Hardware lines imported to Hongkong. (2.) A list of the Importers and Consumers of these goods. (3.) A trustworthy and reliable Agent who would undertake to represent the firm on commission. If above mentioned goods are of no importance it is requested that they be informed which goods are most required and which could be exported from Europe. |
| 1904. Jan. 13 | Pearson Brothers and Campbell, 5, Castle Street, Liverpool. | New process for making Building Bricks. Names of people likely to deal with the patent. |
| Jan. 11 | Kearley & Tonge, Limited, Mitre Square (off Leadenhall Street), London, E.C. | Food Products, especially Tea Firms specially interested in importing from England. |
| Jan. 16 | Alfred R. Tattersall & Co., 82, Lark Lane, London, E.C. | Information on the following points:— (1.) Is there a good demand for fine wheaten flour in your country? (2.) Is there any quantity of wheat grown? (3.) Is there any prospect of small flour milling plants being sold? (4.) If so, could you recommend us to a good firm who would take up the agency for our machines with energy? |

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| Jan. 4 | The "Revolver" Patent Truck Co., Ltd., 15, South Castle Street, Liver- pool. | Trucks, Trolleys, Handcarts, Vans, etc. |
| March 12 | Arthur Hart, Crewkerne, Somerset, England. | Web and Twine. |
| | The Pulsometer, Engineering. Co, Ltd., Nine Elms Iron Works, Reading. | Machinery. |
| March 16 | J. and F. J. Baker & Co., Ltd., Chard, England. | Tanners, Curriers and Leather Merchants. |
| March 16 | E. and F. Gyles, 9, Crawford Passage, Ray Street, Farringdon Road, London. | Printing Material. |
| March 21 | The Campbell Gas Engine Co., Ltd., Halifax, England. | Gas and Oil Engines, Pumps and Air Com- pressors. |
| March 18 | The Quadrant Cycle Co., Ltd., Sheep- cote Street, Birmingham. | Cycles and Motor Cycles. |
| March 18 | George Christie, Limited, 197, Broom- loan, Govan, Glasgow. | Fourdrinier Machine Wires, Plain and Cabled, Washer Wire, Cylinder Covers, Brass, Copper, Steel, Iron and Bronze Wire Cloths. |
| March 12 | Triumph Cycle Co., Ltd., Coventry. | Cycles and Motor Cycles. |
| March 22 | W. N. Brunton and Son, Musselburgh, Scotland. | Wire Rope and Wire. |
| March 22 | R. Maddox, and Co., Liverpool. | Provisions, Tinned Goods, Sugar, Fruit, Chemicals, &c. |
| April 13 | A. Ingram, 34, Commerce Road, Wood Green, N., London, England. | Bracket Chime Clocks, Hall Clocks, Tubular Clocks, Regulator Clocks, Dial and Office Clocks. |
| April 29 | Merryweather and Sons, Ltd., Greenwich Road, London. | Hose, Pipes, Pumps and Fire Engines. |
| May 3 | Charles Price & Co., Castle Bayward, 13, Upper Thames Street, London, E. C. | Lubricating Oils. |
| May 3 | John G. Stein & Co., Scotland. | Fire Bricks and Fire Clay. |
| May 9 | J. H. Fenner & Co., Hull, England. | Belting and Hose Manufacturers. |
| May 13 | J. Dampney & Co., Ltd., Sydney, New South Wales. | Paints, Colours, and Varnishes. |
| June 8 | James Booth & Co., Sheepcote Street, Tube and Rolling Mills, Birmingham, England. | Brass and Copper Tubes, Brass and Copper Sheets, Brass and Copper Mouldings, etc. |
| July 4 | British Wood Pulp Association, 10 Godliman Street, London, E. C. | Wood Pulp. |
| Aug. 19 | The Manufacturer's Centre Ltd., Com- mercial Buildings Steelhouse, Bir- mingham. | Cycles, cycle accessories, lubricants, motor parts and motor accessories. |
| Aug. 24 | A. Bursdorf & Co., Coleman Street, London, E. C. | Ginseng root. |
| Sept. 1 | C. & R. Light, Ltd., Curtain Road, London, E. C. | Household Furnitures. |
| | T. W. Stanton & Co., 12, Bartlett's Buildings, Holborn, E. C. | Glass Manufacturers and Exporters. |
| Sept. 29 | The British Fibro-Cement Syndicate, Norfolk House, Lawrence Pountney Hill, London, E. C. | Fibro-Cement. |

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| Sept. 28 | Russell & Co., 4, Movement Street, London, E. C. | Cream. |
| Sept. 30 | Cooper Wettern & Co., Ltd., 29, Mark Lane, London, E. C. | Prices for any dressed granite. |
| Nov. 7 | Morgan Wakley & Co., Ltd., Cardiff. | Coal. |
| Nov. 9 | Jones' Sewing Machine Co., Ltd., Guide Bridge, near Manchester. | Sewing Machines. |
| Nov. 11 | Duggan, Neel & McColm, Ltd., Langbourne Wharf, Millwall, London, E. C. | Paints, Oils, Colours and Varnishes. |
| Nov. 11 | A. Barsdorf & Co., Coleman Street, E. C. | Magnesite. |
| Nov. 11 | Hiram Johnson, 494, St. Paul Street, Montreal. | Ginseng root. |
| Nov. 15 | British Gun Co., 6, Bouverie Street, London, E. C. | Guns and ammunitions. |
| Nov. 18 | Charles Thomas & Co., Ltd., Aston Manor, Birmingham. | Tool works. |
| Dec. 30 | George Edward Wright & Co., 9 and 11, Wilson Street, E. C. | China, earthenware and glassware. |
| Dec. 30 | The Harries Tinplate Co., 11, Rumford Place, Liverpool. | Names of importers who have no buying agent in England. |
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| Jan. 10 | The Harrison Patent Knitting Machine Co., Ltd., 48, Upper Brook Street, Manchester. | Hosiery machinery. |
| Jan. 12 | Priestman, Bros., Ltd., 3, Lawrence Pountney Hill, Cannon Street, E. C. | Grab dredgers, excavators and elevators. |
| Jan. 31 | W. A. Colley, Ltd., 76, Arundel Street, Sheffield. | Cutlery. |
| Feb. 3 | Fleming Birkly and Goodall, Ltd., 39, Lime Street, E. C. | "Standard" oak tanned leather belting and leather for mechanical purposes and flax, tow, jute, cotton, wool and silk cord clothing and silk combs. |
| Feb. 13 | The Whitely Exerciser, Ltd., 23, College Hill, E. C. | Boxing gloves, foot-balls, and shin guards. |
| March 20 | B. Bonnicksen, 16 Norfolk Street, Coventry. | Karrussel watches. |
| April 29 | J. L. Morison, Son & Jones, Peninsular House, Monument Street, London, E. C. | Hams, Bacons, Dutch Cheese and Margarines. |
| May 2 | Thomas Nash, Fruit and Potato Broker, Great Western Docks, Plymouth. | Fruit exporters. |
| May 5 | The Lawrence Patent Water Softener and Sterilizer Co., Ltd., Uxbridge Road, London, W. | Water Sterilizers and Coolers. |
| Jan. 16 | Herbert Morris & Bastert, Empress Works, Loughborough, Leicestershire. | Hand-overhead Travelling Cranes and Electric Overhead Travelling Cranes. |
| June 2 | The Manchester Cabinet Manufacturing Co., 20 & 22, Robert Street, Manchester. | Toilet and Shaving Mirrors, Dress Stands, Hall & Brush Racks, Fancy Tables, &c. |
| June 2 | The Alnwick Foundry Engineering Co., Alnwick. | Galvanized corrugated Iron Churches, Schools, Warehouses, &c. |

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| June 3 | Rowland Watson, Gun, Rifle and Revolver Maker, Victoria Gun Works, 17, Whittall Street, Birmingham. | Gun, Rifle, Revolver and Ammunition. |
| June 8 | Priestman Brothers, Ltd., 3, Laurence Pountney Hill, Cannon Street, E.C. | Grab-buckets. |
| June 13 | Lane & Girvan, Bonnybridge, Stirlingshire, Scotland. | Cast Iron Cooking Stoves. |
| Oct. 5 | Rendall & Coombs. Bradport. | Fishing nets, Lines, Twines, &c. |
| Oct. 16 | J. P. Hall & Co., Oldham, England. | Electric motors, Dynamos, steam engines, and other electric light and Power Plant. |
| Sept. 25 | Marx & Co., 133/139 Finsbury Pavement, E.C. | Grey and red corundum. |
| Oct. 20 | John M. Hamilton & Co., Ltd., Hull. | Linseed and Rapeseed Oils. |
| Dec. 13 | Lane & Girvan, Bonnybridge, Scotland. | Cast Iron Cooking and Heating stoves and Register Grates. |
| Dec. 13 | Iliffe & Sons, Ltd., 20 Tudor Street, E.C., London. | Motor Traction, &c. |
| Dec. 13 | J. Downton & Co., 71, West India Dock Road, London, E. | Pumps, Waterclosets, &c. |
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| Jan. 5 | Peter Pilkington, Ltd., 75a, Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C. | Compressed Air Hammers, &c. |
| Jan. 13 | John A. Clark & Co., Moyola (Lower) Works, Castledawson, Co. Derry, England. | Linen Goods (not bleached household linens) but grey and dyed linens, which are used in the Tailoring and Drapery Trades. |
| Jan. 18 | Spillers and Bakers, Ltd., Cardiff, England. | Malt, &c. |
| Jan. 19 | Brown Brothers, Ltd., 20/30 Great Eastern Street, London, E.C. | Cycle and Motor Goods of every description. |
| Jan. 24 | J. H. Summers & Co., Ltd., Irwell Chambers, Liverpool. | Hams and Provisions. |
| Jan. 27 | Michael Nairn & Co., Ltd., Scottish Floor Cloth and Linoleum Works, Kirkealdy, Scotland. | Floor Cloths and Linoleums. |
| Feb. 1 | The River Plate Fresh Meat Co., Ltd., No 2, Coleman St., London, E.C. | Fertilisers. |
| Feb. 23 | J. L. Morison, Son, and Jones, Peninsula House, Monument Street, London, E.C. | Sauce and Pickles in bottles. |
| April 3 | Carmelo Gambin, Merchant and Commission Agent, Malta. | Silk hand-made Malta Lace. |

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Harbour Master, &c.

8th May, 1906.