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WILLIAM JONES.



RAPID STEAM PACKET.

PARTIES wishing to contract for well seasoned Forest She Oak, cut in billets of 2 feet in length by the 100 tons, for the use of the above Packet, are requested to send in their Tenders without delay, to Messrs. John Lord & Co.; or, to the undersigned, on board.

THOMAS WILLIAM ELLIS February 12, 1838.



MAITLAND STEAM PACKET.

THE Residents in the Hunter's River dis trie' and the Public in general, are respectfully informed that the Colonial Steam Boat MAITLAND,

Captain Taggart, will leave the Commercial Wharf for Newcastle and the Green Hills, on Wednesday evening next, the 14th Instant, at 7 o'Clock precisely, and that her appointed time of starting will be—
From Sydney every Wednesday and Saturday

From Morpeth every Tuesday and Friday Morn-

ing at 8 o'Clock, It is requested that any Goods for Shipment be sent at least an hour before the time of

Sydney. 12 Feb., 1838.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.



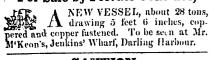
THE fine first-class Teak-built Brig PETER PROCTOR George Barlow, Master, Burthen

266 Tons. Having the principal part of her Cargo engaged, will meet with quick despatch. For Freight or Passage apply to the Commander, on board; or to JOHN LORD & CO.

Agents, Lower George-street.

Sydney, 12th February, 1838.

For Sale by Private Contract,



CAUTION.



C APTAIN BISSET, of the DIAMOND,

hereby cautions the Public against giving credit to the Crew of the said Vessel, as he will not be responsible for any debts by them contracted.

CAUTION. THE COMMANDER of the



CAPTAIN COOK hereby cautions the Public against giving credit to any of his Crew, as he will not be answerable for any debts they may contract.

CAUTION.



CAPTAIN RAPSON, of the Barque GAILLARDON,

hereby cautions the Public against giving trust or credit to any of the Crew of the said Vessel, as he will not be responsible for any debts by them contracted.

CAUTION.



CAPTAIN WILSON, of the JESS

hereby cautions the Public against giving credit to the Crew of the said Vessel, as he will not be answerable for any debts by them

CAUTION.



THE COMMANDER of the Brig GRECIAN

hereby cautions the Public against giving credit to any of his Crew, as he will not be answerable for any debts they may contract.

CAUTION.



THE COMMANDER of the Barque OR WELL

hereby cautions the Public against giving credit to any of his Crew, as he will not be an werable for any debts they may contract

CAUTION.



THE COMMANDER of the Ship WILLIAM JARDINE hereby cautions all Persons against

giving credit to any of his Crew, us he will not be responsible for any debts they may contract.

CAUTION. APTAIN SMITH, of the Ship

hereby cautions the Public against giving trust or credit to any of the Crew, as he will not be answerable for any debts they may contract.

CAUTION. APTAIN JOHNSTONE, of the REGIA,

hereby cautions the Public against giving trust or credit to the Crew of the said Vessel, as he will not hold himself responsible for any debts

NOTIQE.

MR. GEORGE TASKER is the only Person authorised to collect Monies for Advertisements and Subscriptions connected with this Paper; and will give Printed Receipts on coloured paper for the same, bearing the written signature of

ROYAL EXCHANGE. NOTICE is hereby given, that the DEED of SETTLEMENT of the Royal Exchange Company will lie at the BANK OF AUSTRALIA till Friday, the 20th Instant, for signature. Such of the Sharcholders as may not as yet have signed the Deed are required to do so on or before the above day-as those only who have complied, can be qualified to vote at the election for Members of the Committee, on the 21st Inst ADAM WILSON,

Sydney, 9th April, 1838.

NOTICE.

Secretary.

R. ROBERT ANDERSON, having retired from the Business of "Botts and Anderson," the Partnership heretofore subsist-ing between William Currie Botts and Robert Anderson, under said Firm of Botts and Anderson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. William Currie Botts is charged with the Settlement of the Affairs of said Firm, and is daly authorised to receive all Debts due to, and to pay all Debts due by, said Firm.

WILLIAM CURRIE BOTTS. ROBERT ANDERSON.

WM. J. MUNCE, Witness.

Sydney, 16th April, 1838.

NOTICE.

I N consequence of the undersigned wishing to wind up the outstanding debts due to his Establishment at Wollongong, all Parties indebted to that Establishment will please pay their accounts immediately, as proceedings will be taken at the next Court of Requests, to be held in Wollongong, on the 26th instant, with-out any distinction of Parties.

JAMES STUART, 58, George-street, Sydney.

April 6, 1838.

NOTICE.

F THOMAS BURNELL, (Shoemaker,) late in my employ, does not come and take away his Tools within 10 days from this date, they will be sold to pay expences,

Z. T. WILCOX,

78, Pitt-street, Sydney.

30th March , 1838.

FASHIONABLE

Dress-making and Millinery.

MISS LANG begs leave to announce to the Ladies of Sydney and its vicinity, her arrival from England, and intention of commencing the above business, after the latest patterns and on the most reasonable terms, in Harring ton-street, five doors from Charlotte-place, where she will be happy to receive the orders of those who may honour her with their commands.

CRICKET.

THE UNION CRICKET CLUB, of Syd I ney, are ready to play any eleven in the Colony, for the sum of FIFTY POUNDS, or not less than TWENTY-FIVE; the match to come off on the second Monday after Easter Monday

Club Room, Crooked Billet, April 3, 1838.

FOUND.

In the District of Brisbane Water, on a Farm belonging to Thomas Watkins, a strayed HORSE, of the following description.—Chesnut colour, with white marks under the saddle on both sides; short tail; the mane lays on the near side; stands about 15 hands high; has a few white hairs on the forehead; branded on the neck off side not legible, apparently thus + Any Person may have the same by paying the expence of this Advertisement. Apply to Thomas Watkins, Sign of the "Cross Koys," Sussexstreet, Sydney.

WANTED.

BY a Lady intending to leave the Colony, a FEMALE SERVANT of ALL WORK. Wages liberal, and a good character indispensible. Apply to this Office.

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WANTED,

PUBLIC HOUSE LICENSE. Any one A PUBLIC HOUSE LICENSE. Any one having a Public-house License to dispose of in either George, Pitt, or Kent streets, may hear of a Purchaser by applying to Mr. William Andrews, Baker, Kent-street, or to the Office of this Paper.

Sydney, 5th April, 1838.

WANTED,

IN an Establishment for the Education of Young Ladies, an ASSISTANT, competent of Superintending the Drawing and Funcy Work. Apply to Mrs. Barton, O'Connell.

April 10, 1838.

CURNISHED APARTMENTS TO LET mily, together with Coach house and Stables if required. Apply to Mrs. Cooper, Sussex street three doors from Druitt-street.

TO BE LET.

And entered, the 1st day of July next,

MAT old established House, the "New-castle and Ship Inn," Clarence street, Sydney. The House contains eleven rooms, and good detached kitchen; with fixtures, two-stall stable, coach house, large yard, well secured, with cart road; two cellars under the house, light and dry. All the Bar, and other fixtures, Lamp and Sign, belong to the house; so that there is nothing to pay for them, or for the good will. Any industrious couple who will attend to their business, cannot fail to do well. For further particulars apply to Peter Jackson, opposite; if by letter, post paid.

Seven Hundred and Ninety Acres at Cook's River.

TO LET,

FOR THE TERM OF SEVEN YEARS. SEVEN Hundred and Ninety Acres of Land on the banks of Cook's River. For further particulars apply to the Proprietor,

TO LET.

A. POLACK, George-street.

M. COOPER.

COMMODIOUS STABLES, and also a harge Yard for Cedarif required, at the old "King George the Third," Clarence-street, near he Market Wharf, by

To Market Gardeners & Others. TO be LET, on moderate terms, about TWO ACRES of LAND, at the Sarry Hills, adjoining the Premises and Garden of Mr. Waters The very short distance of this Land from

Sydney, renders it very desirable to any indus

trious Man, who understands the above Business

REMOVAL.

Apply to W. Jones, Printer, Bridge-street.

NINEAN STEWART ESPECTFULLY begs leave to acquain his Friends and the Public, that he has re moved from his late residence, in York street to George street, south, opposite the Talbot Im where he hopes to receive a continuance of that patronage and support with which he has been

hitherto favored. N. S. has always on hand a large assortment of Boots and Shoes, and particularly solicits the attention of Settlers from the interior, who occasionally visit Sydney, he having a stock of superior Strong Boots and Shoes, suitable to

government servants. N. B. Four good workmen immediately wanted, to whom liberal encouragement wil

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF

Wis Excellency Sir G. Gipps.

r. DESENCLOS,

Veterinary Surgeon and Farrier, from Paris, BEGS to offer his services to the Public of Sydney and its vicinity, and from his know-ledge of the above Profession, in all its various branches, hopes to merita share of their Patron-

ige.
F. D. will undertake to effectually cure the Scab in Sheep.
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ELIZABETH WINSLAND S Thankful to those Ladies, for the extensive

patronage bestowed on her as MONTHLY NURSE, and intimates to them and the public generally, that she is disengaged at present, and would be pleased to treat with persons requiring her services. Respectable references can be obtained by applying to Mr. Kingdon, Hunterstreet, or Mr. Gaze, Brickfield Hill. April 14th, 1838.

MEW MUSIC.

F. ELLARD begs to inform the Public that he has received a splendid collection of New Music, both Vocal and Instrumental, selected from the very latest London publications. ELLARD begs to inform the Public that WANTED,

A Young Lad who will make himself useful in the Shop.
Music Saloon, George street.

Sydney Subscription Races.

WEDNESDAY, April 25, 1838-to Start for the first prize at Twelve o'Clock pre-

A SWEEPSTAKES of Fifteen Sovereigns each, with Seventy-five Pounds added from the Funds—heats twice round the Course— Weight for age-entrance, £7 10s.

PRODUCE STAKES of Twenty-five Pounds. for two year old -carrying for this Race seven stone six pounds-entrance, £3 3s.-once round.

A SWEEPSTAKES of Five Sovereigns each, with Thirty Sovereigns added from the Funds for horses, of all ages—heats once round the Course...weight for age...entrance, £3 3s. SECOND DAY. Friday, April 27, 1838.

TOWN PLATE of Fifty Pounds, for Horses of all ages-weight for age-heats twice round the course-entrance, £5 5s. LADIES' PURSE of Thirty Pounds, for Horses of all ages—heats once round the course—

weight for age-entrance, £3 3s. SWEEPSTAKES of Five Pounds each, with Thirty Pounds added, for Horses of all ages heats once round the course-weight for ageentrance, £3 3s.

Hack Race, &c., will conclude the Sports. Weights to be carried at this Meeting-

Two years old..... 6 7

TREASURER. MR. GEORGE HILL. CLERK OF THE COURSE. MR. WILLIAM ROBERTS. Judge and Stewards will be appointed in the

MAITLAND RACES.

ourse of a few days.

THE RACES at Maitland will take place on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd, and FRIDAY, the 25th May next, when the following Prizes will be run for :-

FIRST DAY.
THE MAITLAND PURSE of One Hundred Pounds, for Horses of all ages-weight for ace-heats two miles-three Horses to enter or no race-entrance £10 cach.

LADIES PURSE of Forty Pounds, for two year old Horses—to carry seven stone-one mile-four entrances or no race-entrance £4 each—the second Horse to receive back his entrance money. SWEEPSTAKES of Five Pounds each, with

Twenty Pounds added by the Club, for Horses of all ages - weight for age-heats two milesthree entrances or no race. MAIDEN PLATE of Ten Pounds, with entrance money added, for untried Horses of all ages-weight for age-heats one mile-five

entrances or no race—entrance £3 each. No Horse to run for this Race who has ever run at any Public Race.

SECOND DAY. MAITLAND TOWN PLATE of Seventy five Pounds, for Horses of all ages-weight for age-heats two miles-three entrances or no race—entrance £7 10s. each. The winner of the Maitland Purse to carry 7lbs. extra.

HUNTER'S RIVER STAKES of £30, for

Horses of all ages; weight for age; heats two miles; three entrances or no race; entrance £3. The winner of the Maitland Purse of Town Plate to carry 7 lbs extra. CLUB STAKES of £20, for beaten Horses du ring the Races; weight for age; heats one mile; no entrance fees: three Horses to enter

or no race. No Horse can run for this Race that has been declared distanced during the first heat of any Race except for the Ladies IACK STAKES of Ten Pounds, for untrained Horses; heats one mile; post entrance £1 each; five entrances or no race.

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Mares and Geldings allowed 3 lbs. STEWARDS. P. GRANT, Esq., J. P. E. HUNGERFORD, Esq., J. P.

LIECTENANT SMITH, J. P. E. TURNER. Esq. CAPTAIN ADAMS.

JUDGE. M. CHAPMAN, Esq.

N. B .- All objections as to the age of Horses &c. must be made before starting, and the decision of the Stewards must be final. Horses to be entered the night before each race, between and 9 o'clock.

A CARD.

C EORGE PAYNE respectfully acquaints his Friends and the Public, that he has taken the Premises lately occupied by the deceased Mr. Riley; where, he trusts, that his exertions will ensure him a favorable share of oublic patronage and support. N. B. Excellent Accommodation for Carriage

and Horses. Bait Horses-Four Shillings per Diem. No. 109, Pitt-street, opposite the Stores of Saul Lyons,

TO LET,

FOUR excellent ROOMs, Unfurnished, in George-street, two doors from Liverpool-street, with private entrance and passage. En-quire at Mr. Melhuish's, Chemist, &c. George-street, next door to Mr. Surgeon Burke's. N. B.-Rent moderate.

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A LARGE BLACK DOG, of the mongret breast, unswers to the name of "NELSON." When missed had on a large brass collar, to which was appended a trace chain. Whoever will bring the animal to the Sydney Brewery, shall receive the reward of 5s. If kept after this notice the parties so detaining the dog will be

Sydney, April 7, 1838.

MR. SURGEON ELLIS, R. N. MEMBER OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS,

OBSTETRICIAN, &c. DEGS to acquaint his Friends, and the Public, that he has taken his Residence in Bathurst-street, West, opposite the Baptist Chapel; where, he trusts, from his long experience in the Profession, to merit a share of their confidence and support.

. A STEADY GIG HORSE WANTED.

Notice to Creditors.

Bathurst-street, April 12, 1838.

TAKE NOTICE, that by Indenture of As: I signment bearing date on the 21st day of February last, and by Deed of Trust bearing date on the 21st day of March last, all the Estate, Property and Effects of John Joseph Ashe, of O'Connel Plains, in the Colony of New South Wales, dealer, were conveyed and assigned to Trustees for the Benefit of such Creditors of the said John Joseph Ashe, who shall execute the said Deed of Trust within Three Calendar months from the said 21st day of March last.

The Deeds are lying at the Office of the undersigned for the perusal and signature of the Creditors of the said John Joseph Ashe.

GEORGE ALLEN.

SOLICITOR FOR THE TRUSTEES April 1st, 1838.

Red and White Clover Seed. THIS article is warranted the YERY BEST in the Colony-it is just imported from Eng.

ON SALE, AT HENRY ALLAN GRAVES', Auctioneer, York-street, (Opposite the Market place.) Sydney. N. B.—It may be understood that the above Seed has been tried by Mr. John Nobbs, of Syd-ney, who is ready and willing to testify as to its

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JUST Landed a variety of FURS, consisting of BOAS, CAPES, Ladies' and Gentle men's COLLARS, CUFFS and TRIMMINGS to match.

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Colony.

W. I. has made the necessary alterations, and can now with redoubled confidence challenge any comparison, having no doubt that from its treshness and quality, it will bear the sway from the flat English imported article. W. I. invites the attention of dealers in Snuff

both in Town and Country, as they will find great advantage by purchasing from him.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

may be had by applying to

No. 3, Colonnade,

Bridge street.

JUST PUBLISHED A SURVEY of the COAST, on the East side of St. Vincent's Gulf, showing the entrance to Port Adelaide, &c. as surveyed by Colonel Light, Surveyor General. Copies SURVEY of the COAST, on the East

E. D. BARLOW, Engraver and Lithographer

TO BE SOLD. A HOUSE well adapted for the business of a WHEELWRIGHT and BLACKSMITH, situate in George-street, South, Sydney, commonly called the "Brickfild Hill," and opposite to the Royal Oak. It contains 6 rooms, a good frontage with 3 windows, and 2 doors, and a good yard, and other material conveniences. The present occupier being about to enter into business on the Parramatta Road. Application to be made to Mr. Sommerfield, on the Premises.

(If by Letter postage free.) WM. SOMMERFIELD, George-street.

13th April, 1838.

ON SALE. 500 YORK HAMS 10 CHESTS SPANISH JUICE 2 TONS LONDON GLUE

50 DOZEN CASTOR OIL 5 TONS DUTCH CHEESE 5 TONS ARROWROOT
A FEW KEGS NEGROHEAD TOBACCO 25 KEGS COLONIAL DITTO 25 TONS LIVERPOOL, LONDON, AND COLONIAL SOAP

S. Peek & Co. To Merchants, Landholders and Others.

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POR SALE, a large double-power CRAB; will lift from 12 to 16 tons, with a 6-inch best staple rope for same, and made for the express purpose of heavy lifts. To be seen at Mr. W. Bourne's Engine Manufactory, Tamar Steam Wharf, Sussex-street.

ALSO.

Two Steam Engines, nearly finished. One of them a 10 horse power, suitable for a corn mill; and the other 21 horse power, well adapted for iriving smull machinery for manufacturing pur oses, such as Mustard Mills, Drugs, &c., both high pressure engines. N.B.—Steam Engines, Boilers, &c., Hydraulic

Presses, Wood Screws, and Saw Mills, for cutting hard timber, deal frames, &c., generally made to order. The Saw Mills made on Woods' (of Leeds) improved patent principle, and which has given the highest satisfaction at V. D. Land, as well as in the mother country. Sydney, April 10, 1838.

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MR. WILSON, late Leader of the Or-chestra at the Theatre Royal, George-street, having a few leisure hours, would be happy to devote that time to a few Pupils who might wish to receive Lessons on the Violin.—

A CARD.

MR. MELHUISH BEGS to inform the Inhabitants of Sydney that he has commenced Business as an Apothecary and Druggist, on the Brickfield Hill,

Ex "Earl of Harewood." RECEIVED by the above Vessel, and now on Sale, a new and fashionable assortment

Ditto ditto very rich Children's Cloth Pelisses Ditto Cassimere, Cloth, and Merino Cloaks Girls' and women's Cloth and Merino ditto Boys' British and French Merino Surtouts and

Persians, 4.4 and veil Crape Squirrel and Fitch Boas Swansdown and Squirrel Stocks Gentlemen's black Silk and Military ditto A variety of Hair Combs and Brushes Gentlemen's and Youths' Shirts, lawn fronts Grey Nap Coating and Petersham
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Carpets, with Hearth Rugs
A few bales of superior Blankets

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two doors from Liverpool-street, and respectfully solicits their Patronage and support.

of the undermentioned Goods adapted for the approaching season. Children's British and French Merino Frocks with Capes Ditto ditto Pelisses, with Pelerines

Trousers Boys' Cloth ditto and Suits Mourning Collars, Habit-shirts, and Pelorines Rich filled Silk Shawls

An Invoice of Bonnets, &c. JOSEPH THOMPSON,

SHIP NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

From Newcastle, on Friday last, the steamers Maitland and King William IV.

From the same place, same day, the schooner From the sperm fishery, on Sunday, the barque Woodlark, Grimes master, with 350 barrels of

Wooddark, Grunes master,
oil. Returned to port leaky.

From Newcastle, on Monday, the steamer

King William IV. From the same place, same day, the brig Craigievar. Lading wool.

From Launceston, yesterday, whence she sailed the 3rd instant, the schooner Bessy, 51 tons, Cameron master. Lading wheat and oats.

DEPARTURES.

For Hobart Town, on Friday, the schooner Joshua Carrol, Lindsay master, with sundries. Passengers in our last. For the whaling grounds, same day, the ship

Mary, Swindells master. For South Australia, same day, the ship Emma Eugeniu, Wade master, with sundries. Passengers, Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Wainwright,

Pyc, Peters and Jubb. For London, on Saturday, the brig Vectis, Isemonger master. Lading Colonial produce.

For same place, same day, the ship William Nicol, M'Alpine master, with sundries.

For London, on Sunday, the ship Achilles, Veale master, with Colonial produce. Passen gers, Mr. Isaac Nicholls, Miss Catherine McCrone, Mr. Marks, and Mrs. Battersby.

For New Zealand, same day, the French corrected Library.

vette L'Heroine.

From the sperm fishery, on Monday, the barque Proteus For Port Phillip, same day, the revenue cut-

ter Prince George.
For Liverpool, yesterday, the barque Jessie, Bell master, with a carge of Colonial produce.

The barque Woodlark, Captain Grimes, sperm whaler, was under the necessity of returning to Port on Sunday, having been absent but five months, and procured only 350 barrels of oil. It appears that eight of the men refused to do duty on the plea that they did not consider the vessel seaworthy. Upon the vessel coming into Port the refractory seamen were handed over to the Police, and were yesterday committed to take their trial for the same.

Previous to the sailing of the Upton Castle for Calcutta, a superb gold snuff-hox was presented to Captain Williams by Captain Border, of the Royal Engineers, on behalf of himself and his fellow passengers, by that vessel to this Colony, as a token of their esteem and an acknowledgment of the attention they received during th

Mr. Magner, of Market street, called upon u yesterday, and requested we would contradict a paragraph contained in the "Australian" of that day, which sets forth that his little schooner the Jane Williams had sunk at Puterson's River. Such however appears not to be the case. It should have been the cutter Delight, and the place where the accident occurred Newcastle. However, on Sunday last Mr. Magner went down there with a gang of men and succeeded in raising her. She is expected in Sydney in a day or two.

Sydney General Trade List.

IMPORTS.

Reports from the 7th to the 14th instant, inclusive.

April 10-HARLEQUIN (schooner), 71 tons Anderson, master, from New Zealand, F. Peter son, agent; 91 casks pork, 4 casks lard, 1 ton whalebone, 4 ton flax, 180 bushels maize, 600 feet timber. 10 tons potatoes, F. Peterson.

April 10—MINERVA (schooner), 122 tons,

Milne, master, from Vavoo and New Zealand, Wilson Brothers, agents; 3 barrels 5 casks sperm 3 casks black oil, Dacre and Wilks; 18 casks colonial beer, Matthewman; 5 tons flax, Salting and Garrard; 39 casks sperm oil, I cask hardware, I copper cooler, Burdekin; 1 ton potatoes, e sundries, Hill; 3 trunks wearing apparel Wright; 3 casks beef, 1 bolt canvass, Baxter; 5 casks black 1 cask sperm oil, Duke; 1 barrel hogs

casks black I cask sperm oil, Duke; I barrel hogs lard, Dayley; 74 casks sperm 4 casks black oil, 4 cwt. hogs' lard, I organ, I case paper, 2 kegs tobacco, Order.

April 12—EDWARD (schooner), 133 tons, Cannon, master, from Liverpool, J. H. Grose, agent; 93 casks salt, 80 deals, 180 battens, 3 tons chalk, 225 pipe staves, 22 crates earthenware, J.

April 12-WILLIAM JARDINE (ship), 694 tons, Crosbie, master, from Dublin, Aspinall Brown & Co., agents; 211 male prisoners, sundry surplus Government stores.

April 2—GRECIAN (brig), 212 tons, Richards master, from London, P. W. Flower, agent; 350 barrels pork, 35 tons salt, 50 hogsheads ale, 160 quarters wheat, 150 quarters barley, 400 cases gin, 14 cases sheathing copper, 2 casks copper nails, 12 casks bottled beer, 25 barrels beef, 20 bars curing salt. W. Flower.

cheons rum, 6 hogshends brandy, 3 hogsheads 1 pipe 11 cases wine, 9077 bushels oats. 21 packages glass, 10 tons copper, 50 barrels tar, 100 tin cases cheese, 2 cases carpeting, 2 cases brushes, 1 case saddlery, 2 casks snuff, 13 bales canvass, 180 tons iron, 50 boxes tin plates, 10 casks old copper, 25 casks cider, 16 cases marble chimney pieces 16 packages bacon, 80 boxes candles, 60 kcgs white lead, 20 tins paint oil, 100 burrels flour, 8 cases cottons, 150 cases soap, 50 firkins butter, 20 boxes seeds, Willis, Macintyre & Co.

EXPORTS. Vessels cleared from the 7th to the 14th in-

stant inclusive.

April 10—JOSHUA CAROL, 143 tons, Lindsay, master, for Hobart Town; 99 logs cedar, 7 cases 5 casks fruit, 2 cases 3 casks 1 basket 416 loose cheeses, 20 kegs colonial tobacco, 39 hides, 13 casks 26 kegs butter, 150 deals, 64 boxes can dles, 1 bug sugar, 15 bundles bags, 2 cases haberdashery.

April 10-VECTIS, 206 tons, Isemonger master, for London; 771 bundles whalebone, 120 casks black oil, I bundle old copper, E. Lawson; 77 bales wool, E. Gaffney; 103 bundles whalebone, 223 bales wool, Montenores, Briellat &

April 12.-BLENHEIM, 375 tons, Spence naster, for Sourabaya and Samarang; in ballast. April 12—JESSIE, 315 tons, Bell, master, for Liverpool; 12 bales wool, T. S. Daniels; 8 bales wool, 93 casks cocoa nut oil, Kenworthy & Co.; wool, 33 casss cocoa nut oil, Kenworthy & Co.; 208 25 bales wool, 24 bales cassia, Paul & Co.; 208 bales wool, T. Dyson; 48 bales wool, J. Whitehead; 13 bales wool, A. B. Spark; 33 bales wool, W. Hirst & Co.; 335 bales wool, 718 ox and cow hides, A. B. Smith & Co.; 60 bales wool, Camp bell & Co.; 1 case seeds, 4 cases curiosities, 1 case haberdashery, 5 cases whaling gear, 1 case

April 12-ACHILLES, 334 tons, Venle, mas. April 12—ACHILLES, 334 tons, Vealc, master, for London; 14 bales wool, 1 cask sheep skins, A. Saunders; 126 casks black whale oil, 25 bundles whalebone, 14 bales wool, R. Dacre; 21 casks sperm oil, J. H. Grose; 48 bales wool, T. Icely; 299 casks sperm oil, P. D'Mestrs; 17 bales wool, Tingcombe & Watkins; 224 bales wool, T. Gore & Co.; 14 bales wool, F. Ford. April 14—UPTON CASTLE, 596 tons, Williams pasters for Calontes in Malace 50

liams, master, for Calcutta via Madras; 50 packages old copper and composition, 6 cases Champagne.

Spirits in Bond.

	B. P. Rum.	Gin.	Brandy.	Other Spirits
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Received last Week Del. for Home Con. Del. for Exp. Stock the 14th inst.

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London and Liverpool 21 to 3 per	Cent			
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New Zealand	litto litto			

Freights.

To London and Liverpool... Wool 11d. per lb Oil, old measure, £4, 10s. to £4, 15s. per Timber, £3. 10s. to £4 per Load; Flax £6

per Ton To Hobart Town and Launceston £1 5s. to

£1 13s. per Ton.

To Swan River £1 10s. to £2 per Ton. To New Zealand and South Sea Islands £2 to £2 10s. per Ton.

Commercial Journal.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1838

"Knowledge is power." Lord Bacon

WE have been informed, from undoubted authority, that our few leading remarks on Saturday last, respecting the yearly pocketing by some person or persons, of hundreds. which are stopped from the pay of the constabulary, have not been without effect, for His Excellency Sir George Gipps has called upon Colonel Wilson to explain, who receives the money, what becomes of it, and who audits the accounts of the funds so de-April 14—ORESTES (ship), 529 tons, Smith, master, from Bristol, Willis, Macintyre & Co., agents; 54 casks refined sugar, 40 deals, 6 pun. who audits the accounts of the funds so derived. This the public have long wished to know.

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.NAME.	VESSEL.	TON	. MASTER.	AGENTS.	REMARKS.
Ann	Schoone	62	Watson	W. H. Chapman	Refitting
Argo	Brig	1 169	Billing	W. Dawes	
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Blenheim	Barqué	375	Spence	W. Dawes	Just arrived
Brilliant	Ship	428	Gilkinson	Gilchrist	Discharging
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Captain Cook	Barque	lant l	Johnstone		Refitting
Cockermouth Castle	Brig	231	Bell	A. B. Spark	Refitting
raigevar	Brig	201	Dell D	Montefiore & Co.	Discharging
Denmark Hill	Barque	100	Ray	Campbell & Co.	Just arrived
Diamond	Ship	670	Halliday Bisset	J. H. Grose	Refitting
Edward	Schooner			Aspinall & Co.	Refitting
Hizabeth	Barque		Cannon	J. H Grose	Just arrived
ame		194	Liddell ,	J. H. Grose	Refitting
ame Saillardon	Burque	203	Farmer	Donaldson	Discharging
aniardou Precian	Barque	391	Rapson	Campbell & Co.	Discharging
	Brig	312	Riehards	Marsden & Co.	Just arrived
larlequin	Schooner		Anderson	F. Peterson	Discharging
lenry Freeling	Schooner		Morris	Weller	Refitting
lagnet	Barque	147	Bruce	J. Jones	Refitting
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Royal Victoria Theatre.

On Saturday evening was produced for the second time the Farce of the "Queer Subject." We thought it went off more briskly than on the first representation. The only extraordinary part of the affair was one of the grossest breaches of the privilege of the Press that is upon record. In our Wednesday's critique, we had occasion to remark, in the best of all possible humour, that if Mr. Lane, in the character of Dr. Bingo, had received a shock from his own galvanic battery, it would have sharpened his wits. This we hold to have been moderate and legitimate criticism, and was only intended as a gentle hint. But what was the result? Mr. Lane took umbrage at this remark of ours, and having laid his head beside that, of that very gentlemanly young man, Mr. John Herman Selwyn Lee, who by the way was in a most scandalous state to appear before any audience, and if he had been under any other Manager than Mr. Lazar would unquestionably have been kicked off the boards—they came to the conclu sion that it would be both right and proper to curb the vagaries of the Press; so Mr. Lee upor curb the vagaries of the Press; so Mr. Lee upon coming into Dr. Bingo's dissecting-room, in the Farce on Saturday night, pointing to the Electro Galvanic Battery said, "What's that for, master" to which Mr. Lane, having the sentence cut and dried, promptly replied, "Not to sharpen peoples' wits with." This sentence jarred upon our ears, feeling convinced that it was intended as a direct insult, and not remembering it when the piece was performed on Physical Programs. the piece was performed on Thursday night, we procured the book, and found as we expected that it was an interpolation meant doubtless for ourselves, forgetting at the same time the insult offered to the audience. Now, we just recom-mend Mr. Wyatt to stop in the bud this system of exhibiting splcen upon the boards, for he may rest assured that we will not calmly pass over such disgraceful conduct, than which nothing has a greater tendency to injure the Drama. At home, any performer for such misconduct would be discharged instanter; and if the same system were adopted here the effect would be calmer perhaps than such an insult merits; but we recommend Mr. Lane to beware the second time. The Comic Sketch of the "Actress of All Work" succeeded the Farce, in which Mrs. Taylor sustained six different characters; her representations were racy, more especially the French actress, and the Fop lounge. Mr. Simes as Manager wouldn't do at all—neither nature nor art ever designed him for the office. His wig nor art ever designed him for the office. His wig was the only passable part about him. A very wishy-washy affair called the "Mistletoe Bough, or Young Lovel's Bride," concluded the even-ing's amusements. Although the actors each did their best they could make nothing of it. The only portion of the piece that we could at all tolerate was the Pas Seul from "La Sylph ade" by the little Sylph Lazar, who received the applause due to her exertions. The house was thin upon opening but filled up at half price. The music was excellent. The scene shifting is

still queer. What is the meaning of this? On Monday night, being Easter Monday, as the bills said, for which the composer of such trash only got laughed at, was produced the Drama of "Henrictte the Forsaken," from the pen of J. B. Buckstone, Esq. "Tis a most ephemeral production, and was evidently penned by the author to said the Adelphi granton." by the author to suit the Adelphi co by the author to suit the Adelpin company. There is none of that intense interest which is to be found in many dramas of the present day, nothing to keep up the interest of the plot, and but little to touch the feelings. The plot is to the following effect:—Phillipe is gamekeeper to Ferdinand de Monval, afterwards the Marquis de Monval He has two daughters, Henriette und Rose, who reside with him upon the estate. Henriette is seen by Ferdinand, enamoured of her: she returns his love. De roux, a man who has been deprived of his estate by a law suit, and which Ferdinand now holds, by a law suit, and which Ferdinand now holds, still haunts the preserves, occasionally poaching, and has been frequently warned off by the servants of Ferdinand but without effect. Deroux s encountered by Ferdinand in the woods, a fierce contest ensues and Deroux is struck me-less to the earth by him. Ferdinand rushes from the spot, but is seen by Phillipe. The officers of justice are made acquainted with the murder, and Phillipe who was known to have a quarrel ierce contest ensues, and Deroux is struck life with Deroux, is taken into custody upon susdinand, and entreats him by the love he bears her to save her father; he promises his interest to her to save her father; he promises his interest to the uttermost. Phillipe, however, is tried, con-demned, and executed, attended in his last mo-ments by his faithful daughter, Henrictte, to whom he delivers a letter for Ferdinand, stating his reasons for not surrendering up the real murderer to justice. She opens the letter and is horror-struck to find that Ferdinand is the murderer, and that her father has been sacrificed. She, however, promises secreey, such having been clearly the intention of her father, and destroys the letter. She retires to a convent.
Two years are supposed to clapse. Henriette is residing at the chateau of the Lady Florence de Chevance, under the assumed name of Athalie. the admired of all beholders, and a Captain Bauvilliers is pressing his suit to obtain the hand of Athalie with ardour, but all his overtures are but cooly received. A ball is to take place, and during the dance, Athalic meets Ferdinand, now the Marquis de Monval, and faints in complete. Contain Baueriller weeks faints in surprise. Captain Bauveliers presses her to disclose the cause of her refusal of his hand, to which she replies by giving him a packet; he reads the contents, and is furiously in dignant at the villainy of the Marquis, and hurrying into the adjacent room, calls him to account for his unprincipled conduct, the Marquis is shot by his antagonist, and dies at the feet of Henriette or Athalie, confessing his of fences. There are other characters interwoven with the piece, but who have no hand in work. ing out the plot. Mr. Grove, as Ferdinand, and afterwards the Marquis, would have been more successful had he not fallen his voice at the end of every sentence. He dressed well, and played in a gentlemanly style. Mr. Cameron's little character of St. Alban was respectable. Mr. The case of Colonel Wilson v. Mr. Thom Lee made nothing of Chevalier Pirouette, he cannot dance, which precludes any arguments sundry collarings and shakings, will come off at upon the merits of his performance. Spencer, Phillipe, was the most successful performance as thillipe, was the most successful performance of the evening among the gentlemen. His stern morality and unbending virtue reminded us of the old Roman character. Mr. Collins had but little to do as Deroux, but that was done well. Pierre Gigot by Mr. Simes was a laughable representation of an amourous and jealous middle aged gardener. What was Mrs. Arabin thinking aged gardener. What was Mrs. Arabin thinking about, Mr. Grove, as her son looked about thirty, while she could easily have been mis-taken for twenty. This fastidiousness will never do, and must be put an end to. If persons are above dressing and making up the character given them, let them retire by all means, they can be very easily spared. Mrs. Cameron's Henriette the Forsaken, took the lead There was a pathos in her delivery, and a feeling in action, which gave considerable effect to the piece. Mrs. Taylor was lively and rattlebrained as Rose, and received the application. as Rose, and received the applause which her as Rose, and received the applause which her exertions merited. The most astounding part of the evening's performance was Mr. Arabin's Captain Bauvilliers: he first descended the stairs with the agility and rapidity of a lamplighter, for which he got laughed at. Mistaking this perhaps for applause, he thought he would improve upon it, so in making his exit from the ball room, he, as we thought, tripped accidentally. Be that as it may, in the full-dress of an officer, he performed at least a dozen somersets before he vanished; of this we should have thought nothing, but upon his re-

turn, he again bit the stage and came down to the front, his nose cutting up the painted can-vass and ripping up the stage without the slightest mercy, acting in fact as the coulter of a plough, until he was brought up from his recumbent position by the foot lights; he then arose looking wild and haggared. What could be the meaning of all this? Miss Winstanley looked well and played well as Florence de Chevance, but she should obliterate from her features that unmeaning smile which she wears in every character. The heavy lumbering staircase might be removed with advantage to the stage, and the much talked of quadrille might be something more than La Pastorelle in the first set Such is our opinion of this Drama.

OBSTRUCTING A CONSTABLE IN THE EXECU.

rion of his detr.—Never did our Legislative

Council more grievously afflict the inhabitants of Sydney, of course unwittingly, than in passing that clause of the Police Act, making it fineable to obstruct a constable in the execution of his duty. Had the Council known as we do, the material of which the Sydney constabulary are composed, they would speedily have expunged that portion of the clause which awards half the fine to the informer. The law, as it now stands, has drawn hundreds from the pockets of the public, to fill those of the vilest miscreants that the contains, who in many cases have had their foul perjuries brought home to them. Our strictures made some time since upon this subject, had for a short period a beneficial effect, the Bench making it imperative, that there should be a witness independent of the informer; this for some time checked the wholesale trade of perjury, but, of late, like every thing else, relating to our nell regulated Police, this preventive check has been laid on one side, and hard swearing with its concomitants, fines and dividing the spoil, are now the order of the day. "The constables must be supported," said Judge Dowling, once pompously from the Bench. This is a truism, which we and every right thinking member of society who wishes for the good or der and well-being of the community among whom he resides, would coincide in. But when put forth as mere clap-trap for theatrical effec-—sound and nothing more—we only laugh at such a flimsy mantle thrown around, and by a glaving exterior, attempting to hide the putridity within, "like to a goodly apple, rotten at the core." We feel a pleasure in throwing aside the veil, and exposing the system in all its deformity, hoping, that like the sunbeam, which darts its reviving influence into a long closed cavern, and the pestiferous exhalations disperse, our strictures may eradicate the stain which has been but too long allowed to remain upon the Sydney Police. Instances have been known constable has thrust the end of his staff into the hand of a party in his custody, so that he might have a salve for his conscience when he came to swear to the assault, for touching a constable's staff appears to be held as much an assault, in Police law, as soundly thrashing his person—this awfal implement of retributive justice is positively Taboord. If the whole of the ine went to Her Majesty, we should not have the slightest objection to the regulation: perjury in that case would abate, and the public time at the Police Office would not be wasted in hearing statements which from their falsehoods would make "the very angels weep." To say that the whole of the constabulary is composed of the same material, would be untrue; there are respectable men in the Police, but unfortunately heir numbers bear a very contemptible propor their numbers bear a very contemptible propor-tion to the gross amount. We leave these facts to the consideration of Sir George Gipps, for His Excellency's decision as to amending the law, the defects in which are so loudly com-

Mr. Bates, whom we mentioned in our last, as having been given in custody of the Police by the Chairman of the Quarter Sessions for ne knowledging that he gave orders to his assigned servant to shoot some cattle which had strayed upon his brother's farm on the North Shore, of which he had charge, was on Thursday dis charged, the whole proceeding being irregular on the part of the Chairman of the Quarter

On Monday an inquest was held at the Bunch of Granes, King street, upon the body of picion, and allows the suspicion to remain upon firm rather than give up Ferdinand, whose father in a granted him his life when he was sentenced to be shot as a deserter. Henriette flies to Ferdinand, who be bear a deserter. Henriette flies to Ferdinand, who be bear a deserter. Henriette flies to Ferdinand and antenate him by the layer her bear a verdict of "Died by the distance of the layer her bear and antenate him by the layer her bear and antenate him by the layer her bear and antenate him by the layer her bear and allows the suspicion and allows the suspicion to remain upon Gray, an assigned servant to Mr. Raper, butcher of Hunter-street, who being ill that morning, was sent to the hospital, but died on the way. Visitation of God."

DESPERATE OUTRAGE .- On Sunday morning about 9 o'clock, two bushrangers, armed to the teeth, paid a visit to a hut of a poor man, living at Murdering Bay, Lane Cove, named John Rawles. They tied his hands and feet, and robbed him of five and sixpence; one of them stood over him with a loaded musket, while the other violated the person of the old woman; the other man than perpetrated the same offence, and having robbed the hut of every thing and having roboca the nut of every thing portable, took the bush. The police are in pur-suit, and it is to be hoped that these dastardly ruffians will not long escape the hands of justice

We have not heard such to be the fact, but we certainly do conclude from all the circumstances of the case, that Olympic Games, in humble imitation of those of Greece, will be shortly got up. We are led to this conclusion, by observing the Colonel charioteering in the Police Office yard—now whirling in eddies, now darting forward with the rapidity of lightning. If such games do come off, we are open to bet two to one upon the Colonel against all comers. feeling convinced that his superior abilities as a whip, and the grace and skill with which he handles the ribbons, will outstep all competitors.

That active mounted policeman, Corporal Lane, apprehended the two men on Monday who committed the desperate outrage at Lane who committed the desperate outrage at lane Cove on Sunday morning, together with the boat which they had stolen from the old man. Their names are Dennis Haberlin and Joseph Perry, absentees from the ironed gang at Parramatta stockade since Saturday last. They will

The case of Colonel Wilson v. Mr. Thomas sundry collarings and shakings, will come off at the Police office this morning. The case it is expected, will assume a very prepossessing aspect, and Mr. G. R. Nicholls being retained for the defence, some good sport may be expected. Persons having spare time upon their hands, and who are partial to any thing racy, should not fail attending.

To-morrow, a special general meeting of the proprietors of the Australian Gas Light Company will be held at 12 o'clock, at the School of Arts, Pitt-street, for the purpose of making a call for the payment of a second instalment on the respective shares.

Easter Monday went off very dull; it was a matter of surprise that the club could not get a cricket match between them.

The Orwell is discharging her cargo at Wilson's Wharf. Messrs. Richard Jones & Co. are the importers. This House has always been noted for the "finest Teas," and if any shipment was required to stamp their fame, the "Orwell" has done the needful.

IMPROMPTU.

The Gallant Colonel-What the wit? This time his mark he did not hit, For Honest Tom (to trust more true) Would not Grant the Colonel two-Pre possessing!

A CHALDEAN .- On Good Friday, Mr. Chalmers, the Clerk of the Market, while sitting in the Market Place, studying deeply the Market Regulations, was aroused by a clinking of weights and clattering of chains, in the open space between the four buildings. This, n his estimation, amounted to petty treason; and, rushing from his snuggery—overturning, in his way, a couple of tons potatoes, and sundry bushels of onions-he was struck speechless at the unparralleled impudence of a man named George Davis, who was leaping up and down in one of Her Majesty's scales, shouting "Upharsim, Upharsim!" As soon as Mr. C. had gathered his ideas to a point, he calculated— although not versed in the language of Chaldea, nor having had the advantage of taking his degrees at a Babylonian College—that it meant something. It might be called treason, or perhaps something worse—for any thing that the worthy Clerk of the Market either knew or cared -but, into "durance vile." Mr. Davis. who was suspected of an encroachment, was immediately placed, in order that the Colonel—who is well known to be deeply versed in the lore of the "Ancients"—might divine his ejaculation, and propound the interpretation thereof. When brought before the Bench, Davis looked, but said not a word—until—or-dered to pay a fine of five shillings, for being in the Market Place when he should have been out of it-he exclaimed (with a Dr. Cantwell east of countenance), "Verily, I have been weighed in the balance, and (aside—I wish I had) been found manting. The Colonel acknowledged, by a smile, that the translation was nearly as good

The man Lyons is reprieved, and has been re moved from the condemned cell into the yard with the other prisoners.

as he could have rendered it.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT .- On Monday a pigeon shooting match was got up to come off on the Surry Hills, which, however, terminated in a manner very different from what the outset would have warranted the parties engaged in supposing. Mr. Beason, who was one of the parties, was stooping with the butt of a doublebarrelled gun between his legs, fixing caps upon the nipples, when some one touched Mr. B. from behind, and both barrels went off. A young man named Reynolds, son of Mr. Reynolds, the blacksmith, who was standing near the spot, re-ceived the greater portion of the charge in the calf of one of his legs, and so severely was the limb lacerated, that in the course of the evening it was found necessary to amputate. A young man named Jones was also wounded, but not

Monday being Easter Monday, Col. Wilson, the Town Surveyor, and several other gentle-men, accompanied by some respectable lads, perambulated the bounds of the town.

On Saturday, Joseph Brideslack, an appren tice to Mr. Matthews, cooper, on the North Shore, was brought before the Bench, charged with refusing work, &c. This case - which laid in a nut-shell, and might have been settled in about ten minutes—occupied the attention of the Court for about an hour and twenty mi nutes, through the pertinacity with which the prisoner defended himself, maintaining through out the proceeding a line of argument which might have done credit to any Gentleman of the Long Robe. Indeed, so very ingenious was his defence, that although Mr. Rowe, who was op posed to him-and who is well known to be no novice in these matters—did what he could on the part of the prosecution, he frequently found himself at fault! In fact, he stultified the Bench, posed the Bar, and amused the audience As a specim n of his similies, he remarked That he was in the habit of working hard, and not standing with his hands in his pockets, like a Half pay Officer." On hearing this, it was remarked by the Bench, that he was better

noved us. That "facts are stubborn things," we hope will not be disputed; and, consistently, to the so-often-repeated interrogatory, we could only reply,—That, on the 25th of January last, Mr. Gibson, as the agent of Mr. Wyatt, entered into an agreement with Mr. Meredith, at Ho. bart Town, on behalf of himself and wife, entered into a control of the source of the rate of six and the source of the source bart Town, on behalf of himself and wife, engaging them for three years, at the rate of six guineas per week; at the same time gaaranteeing to Mr. M. £100, and to Mrs. M. £50 every six mouths as Benefits, or, in round numbers, making their salary about six hundred guineas commonly called Tumble Donn Dick, E. ‡ N. The Buoy lays in something less than four fathers at high water spring tides. gaging them for three years, at the rate of six obtaining a passage at the desired time, it was stipulated that Mr. M. should have three weeks to prepare, and that he should come to Sydney through the agency of a certain individual at Hobart Town. Accordingly, by the first opportunity, Mr. M., with his wife, arrived here—but, by Mr. Wyatt's calculation, was four days too late. On the other hand, Mr. Meredith states that he has documentary evidence at Hobart Town—and which he has sent for—to prove that the agreement, there entered into, between Mr. Gibson (on the part of Mr. Wyatt) on behalf of himself and wife, had been fully completed. Here the matter rests at present. We think—knowing what a public favorite he is, that Mr. Wyatt has been very ill advised, as it appears to us he has been through every move ment he has made in opening the new Theatre. He will, hereafter, find to his cost, that neither arrogance nor ignorance are the best advisers in such a case—more especially when low-minded grovelling people have to answer their own malicious and presumptuous views. The Ho. hatt Town recruiting party taken generally, have fulled; yet the very best actor out of the whole, and a public favorite to boot, is kept off the and a public favorite to boot, is kept off the boards, showing that both ignorance and malice have combined for that purpose. The new Theatre has been opened but three weeks, and no doubt the receipts have answered the proprietor's expectation; but the novelty will soon wear off, and then he will find, that all he has to trust to, will be the talent possessed by his com-

pany. A HINT FOR THE COLONEL.-We yesterday witnessed a circumstance that more and more convinces us of the brutalizing tendency which the dog-killing act has upon the constabulary. A fortnight since, a pup of the Newfoundland breed, having on no collar, which is not required by the act until the dog has attained a certain age, was knocked down in Park street, by a constable, whose name unfortunately we do not possess, and the tail instantly was severed by the ever ready knife of the constable, and in troduced into his waistcoat pocket. The body of the animal was cast into the cart, but not dead, as it howled most audibly. The man in charge was several times requested to put the animal out of its misery, but he drove away, treating with contempt such recommendation, On Monday, what was the astonishment of the owner of the dog to see the unimal, whose body he considered was enriching some garden ground walk into his yard, minus his tail, one eye, and his jaw fractured !!! This is a fact; and the animal is to be seen in this plight by any one who may feel curiosity upon the subject. Thu pence to pay this cut throat of a constable for cutting off the tail, who, of course, having been so well rewarded, will now try his hand on his own species.

" A man convinced against his will, Is of the same opinion still,"

The name of the author of these lines, and the meaning and interpretation thereof, will oblige some of our readers—perhaps some of our literary friends, will oblige us with communications upor the subject.

The annual sale of Ladies' Fancy Work, in aid of the funds of the Female School of Industry, will be held on the 25th proximo.

dustry, will be neld on the 20th proximo.

We have been just favored by Mr. Barlow, the Lithographer of Bridge-street, with a view of six prints, representing different views of Syducy, the Harbour, Point Piper, the Heads, &c. They are executed with a great deal of taste, while the truth of the designs will, upon inspection, be immediately recognised. Any one wishing to make their friends "at Home" accomminded with the localities of Sydney. could not quainted with the localities of Sydney, could not lo better than to forward this series to them.

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POLICE INCIDENTS.

Amy Robsart, not the victim of a Leicester's lust and Varney's villany, but a regular "how came you so kind of personage," with her nose possessing that exhibarating turn, denominated pug, and then her eyes-

"Oh! where's the heart so wise Could, unbewildered, meet those matchless eyes?"

delicious squint is but a fraction of their A delicious squint is but a fraction of their charms, 'twould excel the painter's powers and poet's lay to do them justice. We throw up the attempt in despair. The charge was a simple one, although perhaps caused by a compound of spirits and water, under the exhilarating influence of which beverage, she was found doing the amiable to an unhappy looking blue gum post, stuck at the corner of one of the streets, which she embraced with much fervour, and called her she embraced with much fervour, and called her she embraced with fluen tervour, and called her dear darling Charles. The constable was petrified, thinking she might have escaped from the mad-house, but if and she was, he observed a vast deal of method in it, by her every now and vast deal of method in it, by her every now and then taking a draft from a small bottle, which she held pertinaciously grasped in her right fin. The baton bearer shook her, and desired her to follow him; she at first held on by the post, but finding that was of no use, she attempted to coax him to taste a drop from the little bottle, but finding it was vilo rum, by refused, and hore her inding it was vile rum, he refused, and bore her away. She had now nothing to urge in pallia-tion, but wished to plead in bar to being ex-posed in the stocks, feminine modesty; but the Bench overruled it, and ordered her to the stocks for two hours.

SING APORE.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following bearing of Buoys lately placed at Kyouk Phyoo and Arracan, with directions for entering the River and proceeding to Aky ib, are published for general information:—Bearings of the Buoys in Kyouk Phoo Ha-bour. The Buoy off the North Patch of Rocks painted Red.—Pagoda Rock bears N.N.W., Bombay Ref Buoy S. § E.; Kyouk Phyoo, Flag S.aff, S. § E.; Peak on Saddle Island, S.W. by W. § W! lays about fifty yards from the North Patch of Rocks in eleven fathoms low water, nean tides. The following bearing of Buoys lately placed neap tides.

The Southern Outer Buoy, or Bombay Reef qualified to be articled to Mr. Rowe than apprenticed to a cooper—which certainly struck as as being comme if faut.

Mr. And Mrs. Meredith.—What has become of these public favourites, is a question of late, that has, we may say, incessantly annoyed us. That "facts are stubborn things," we hope will not be disputed; and consistently.

thoms at high water, spring tides.

The Buoy on the Fakeer's Rocks painted Red

The Buoy on the Fakeer's Rocks painted Red—the above remarkable Rock on the Centre Borongo, commonly called Tumble Down Dick, bears, N. E. by E½E; Great Sarage, S½W; Northern Black Buoy, N. by E.½E.

The Buoy on the Bar marking the N. W. boundary of the passage across the Bar, painted red; Great Sarage bears N. E. by E.½E.; Table Land, on the Western Borongo, called South Hammock in Lloyd's Chart, E. S. E.; and lays in something less than three fathoms

and lays in something less than three fathoms at low water, neap tides. I have taken the above bearings as nigh as I

was enabled to do, from being obliged to take them in a bout, with a ground swell at the time.

J. ROYCE,

Commanding H. C. Buoy Vessel Asserghur
W. Hope, Master Atten dunt
Calcutta, March 28, 1832

Calcutta, March 28, 1837.

SAILING DIRECTIONS FOR ARRACAN RIVER.—Ships, either on their way in or out of the river, will find the best water for crossing the bar with Passage Rock bearing from N. by E. to N. N. E., and they will not find less than three and a quarter fathoms at low water, spring tides. There is a heavy ground swell on the bar at all seasons of the year; ships of a heavy draught should be careful and not attempt to cross in or out after half ebb. After pavsing close by the Passage Rock, on your way in, you will then come to the Red Buoy that lays off the Fakeer's, and, in case of finding the Buoy gone, you SAILING DIRECTIONS FOR ARRACAN RIVER.and, in case of finding the Buoy gone, you should keep well over to the northward and eastward to avoid the Fakeer's, until you bring Bundeebe-can Point to bear W. 1 N.; after which, you may gradually shoul on the Western Book. which, you may gradually shoul on the Western Beach, and on standing to the eastward you may bring Tumble-down Dick just on with the first high land to the N. E. of it, and you will come round in stays in from \(\frac{1}{2}\) 3 to a \(\frac{1}{4}\) 3 fathonis shouling on the mud flat off the Western Borongo. The above directions should be attended to until you reach the Northern Black Beautiful Stays and Stays and Stays are should be attended. rongo. The above directions should be attended to until you reach the Northern Black Buoy, abreast of which is the anchorage.

J. ROYCE,
Commanding the H. C. Buoy Vessel, Asserghur.
W. Hope, Master Attendant.
Calcutta, March 28, 1837.

tta, March 28, 1837. By Order of the Marine Board, C. B. Grhenlaw.

C. B. GRBENLAW,
Fort William, April 1, 1837.
By Order,
THOMAS CHURCH, Resident Councillor,
Singapore, July 21, 1837.

O'CONNELL'S PLAN FOR SETTLING THE TITHE QUESTION.

To the Most Rev. Right Rev. & Rev. the Clergy of the Established Protestant Church in Ire land.

Merrion Square, November 9, 1837. "Fas est et ab hoste doceri."

My Lords and Gentlemen, look at my motto and reflect that no matter from what quarter it may come, good advice ought not to be disre-garded. The question you should ask yourself.