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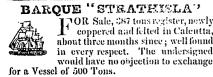
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236 Tons Burthen; has for a few tons Freight. 236 Tons Burthen; has roon

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## CAUTION.



THE COMMANDER of the Barque OR WELL

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

## CAUTION.

CAPT. ROBERTSON, of the FERGUSON,

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.

HUGHES & HOSKING, Agents. April 27, 1838.

## CAUTION.

CAPTAIN GRIFFIN, of the Barque STRATHISLA. 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 HUGHES & HOSKING, Agents.

April 27, 1838.

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THE COMMANDER OF THE barone CAPE PACKET,

hereby cautions the public against giving trust or credit to any of his crew, as he will not be answerable for the same.

#### NOTICE.

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

Notice to Creditors.

TAKE NOTICE, that by Indenture of Assignment 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 Johns Joseph Ashe, of O'Connel Plains, in the Colony of New South Wales, dealer, were conveyed and assigned to Trust page for the Bonoit of such Creditive of 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.

#### NOTICE.

WHEREAS certain Articles of WEARING VV APPAREL have been left at my residence and not taken away, I hereby give Notice that I shall put them up for sale within fourteen days

#### WILLIAM WHEELER,

Castlereagh-street, opposite the residence of C. H. Windeyer, Esq. Second Police Magistrate of the District of Sydney.

May 14, 1838.

R. HUGH TAYLOR begs to inform the Public in general, that he will not receive any Letters sent to him in future without the Postage being paid. 5, Macquarie-street, Parramatta, 30th April, 1338.

## TAKE NOTICE,

THE Firm of HYLAND and Co., having been dissolved on the Thirty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, the undersigned, Eugan Hylaxy, will pay all Liabilities and receive all debts due to the said Firat. EDGAR HYLAND.

Witness-S. S. SIMPSON, 85, George-street, Sydney.

## To Butchers and Others.

INTERESTED in the Purchase of a Lease-hold Interest, nearly seven years unexpired of extensive Premises, situ the in Parramattastreet, adjoining the Kent Brewery, together with the Good-will of a Butcher's Shop, in Full Market the agreement Promistor Mr. Busham re-Trade, the present Proprietor Mr. Basham, retiring from business.

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The property possesses an extensive frontage to the main road, upon hich is creeted a convenient Butcher's Shop, lately built, and quite detached from the Cottage Residence, which is also very neat and convenient, containing about also very neat and convenient, containing about five (5) rooms, detached Kitchen, excellent kit chen garden, chaise house, poultry-house, stable, and what may be considered of the greatest importance in this Colony a well which affords a onstant supply of the purest water.

Apply on the Premises.

#### NOTICE OF

## INTENDED REMOVAL.

A S the Partnership between Appleton & Jones is about to be dissolved, the undersigned intends removing to those spacious Pre mises formerly known as the " Jerasatem Ware house," at the corner of George street and Barrack Lane, and lately in the occupation of Mr. Charles Bellby.

D. Jones.

8th May, 1838.

## NOTICE.

THE undersigned having received very considerable Orders to Illuminate on the QUEEN'S BIRTH NIGHT, is desirous of intimating to the Public, that least he should not be able to meet the views of ALL his Custo mers by having time to creet the Lamps at the front of their Houses, proposes to furnish Lamps on hire and Burners complete ready cottoned, at one half the prime charge, if trimmed the price will be as follows:—.

Laurps with Devices, trimmed and hung com plete 4s. 6d. per dozen. Lamps furnished unoiled and without Devices

2s. 6d. per dozen. THOS, WOOD. Lamp Contractor

King and George streets, Sydney, May 14, 1838.

## DANCING ACADEMY.

MR. CLARK begs to intimate to his Friends and the Public, that he has opened an ACADEMY for the Tuition of DANCING in Macquarie-street, opposite the School of In-dustry, where he will teach the most fashionable Dances now practised in Paris, London and Edinburgh, viz. - Quadrilles, Waltzes, Gallopedes, Mazourkas, Hornpipes, &c. Those Parents who may entrust him with the tuition of their Children may depend upon the strictest attention being paid to their general carriage and deportment

Further particulars may be obtained from Mr. Clark, on application at his Academy, Macquarie street.

N. B .- Private Families and Boarding Schools punctually attended to.

#### Immigration and Convict Labour.

THE undersigned Proprietors of Land and Stock are desirous of meeting their brother Colonists, to consider of an appeal to the justice and policy of the British Government respecting an improved system of Immigration, and the continuance of Convict Labour and Assignment, as well as the adopt of the preserve architics. as well as to adopt other measures relative thereto.

For this purpose, it is proposed to have a Public Meeting at the Pulteney Hotel, on May 25, the day after Her Majesty's Birth day, by which time it is confidently hoped that the public mind will be roused from its lethargy regarding a threatened crisis which would place insurmountable difficulties in the way of any healthy and profitable advancement of the Colony. The chair will be taken at twelve o'clock.

JOHN JAMISON, M. C. JOHN BLAXLAND, M. C. J. G. N. GIBBES, M. C. WILLIAM LITHGOW, M. C. S. RYRIE.
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E. MANNING, J. P.
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CHARLES FORBES, J. P.
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W. H. CLARKE, J. P.
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## APPRENTICES WANTED.

WANTED, TWO APPRENTICES to the SHIP BLOCK MAKING. Apply to Mr. JAMES EWEN, At his Manufactory, Globe-street, opposite the Queen's Wharf.

## Housekeeper Wanted.

WANTED, a middle aged Woman as House-keeper to a single Gentleman; as the situation is one of charge more than of labour, and very comfortable, none need apply who cannot give satisfactory reference as to character for sobriety and trustworthiness. Apply at Mr. George Smith's, Baker, opposite the Post Office.

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ANTED by a Young Man, a Situation in either of the above capacities, hading had considerable experience in the Colony, as well as being acquainted with most of the Mercantile Houses, he has no doubt but his services would be found an acquisition. Respectable references can be given.

an be given.

Alt letters to be addressed (post paid) to E. T. at Mr. Doyle's, Tailor, King-street East. Sydney, May 18, 1838.

## FURNITURE

PIANO FORTES.

JUST ARRIVED,

And now on Sale, at the Stores of the Undersigned, A FEW Splendid CABINET & SQUARE PIANO FORTES, with Metallic Plates, and every other improvement; also, Two SERAPHINES (the one, being a powerful Instrument, is well adapted for a small Church or Chapel.) The Furniture consists of a superb Secretary, Sofa, Book case, Wardrobe, Work Table, Chest of Drawers, Sets of Chairs, &c. &c. well worthy the attention of any Gentleman about to furnish a house. The Piano Fortes are warranted, and will, together with the Fur niture, be sold at Reduced Prices.

H. & C. WALTON & CO. May 1, 1838.

## TO CRICKETERS.

THE MEMBERS of the UNION CLUB not having received any answer to their challenge as advertised, do Challenge any Eleven Military Players, to play any time within

Their object not being emolument, though willing, they do not wish or desire to play for more than a triffing stake. Their chief wish is, that the noble game of Cricket should be upheld and practised in a Colony where rational amusements are so limited. May 12, 1836.

## TO LET.

NEAT COMPACT COTTAGE on the A Surry Hills. A Garden in full cultivation, and abundance of excellent water. Apply at the Office of this Paper.

## TO BE LET OR SOLD.

THE HOUSE, No. 6, Colonnade, Bridge-street, containing front Shop and Parlour, Rooms above, with two excellent Kitchens, Yard, Water, &c. For particulars apply to William Jones, Commercial Journal" Office, next door to the above.

Seven Hundred and Ninety Acres at Cook's River.

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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, A. POLACK,

## To Market Gardeners & Others,

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TO be LET, on moderate terms, about TWO ACRES of LAND, at the Surry Hills, adjoining the Premises and Garden of Mr. Waters 17 The very short distance of this Land from Sydney, renders it very desirable to any indus-trious Man, who understands the above Business, Apply to W. Jones, Printer, Bridge-street.

## ORWELL'S TEA.

N answer to the numerous inquiries for TEA, the Undersigned begs to acquaint the Public, that the whole of the CHESTS are sold, and only a FEW HALF and QUARTER CHESTS remain on hand, for which he will treat privately.

## A, POLACK. ORWELL'S CARGO,

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE CONTRACT, THE entire CARGO from China, ex Orwell, to suit Purchasers, on application to A. POLACK.

## GUNPOWDER TEA.

ON SALE, by Private Contract, by the Undersigned, A FEW TWELVE-CATTY BOXES OF Gunpowder Tea, EX ORWELL.

A. POLACK.

#### HYSON TEA, EX ORWELL.

A FEW CATTYS of the above for Sale, by Private Contract, by the Undersigned. A. POLACK

CAPER TEA.

THE Undersigned has a few CATTYS of Caper Tea, Ex ORWELL, on Sale by Private Contract.

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Ex MARY ANN. ON SALE BY PRIVATE CONTRACT, by the Undersigned, a few

CENTRULY OIL PAINTINGS. (Just Landed, ex Mary Ann,) by Stanfield, Turner, Corbould, Owen, Cooper, and Landscer.

# I. R. BELL,

TIN MANUFACTORY, No. 4, PITT STREET, SOUTH,

ADJACENT TO PARK-STREET,

SYDNEY, ESPECTFULLY acquaints the Public, Let that he has on hand a very large assortment of TIN WARE.

N.B.—Captains of Vessels served on the shortest notice of the best Materials and equally cleap. Up-country Settlers are particularly invited, I. R. B. having on hand a large assortment of UTENSILS for the use of DAIRY'S and other purposes.

and other purposes. Sydney, May 15, 1838.

Now Landing Ex "Kinnear." E LLIOTT'S PALE ALE, and IND and SMITH'S ditto. } in hhds.

J. WALFORD.

May 12, 1838.

GOODS Per "ORESTES", TO BE SOLD at Manning's Store, Queen's street; BEST ENGLISH SEED OATS and BARLEY. Apply at the Premises.

Grand Cabinet Rosewood Pianoforte,

To be Sold by Private Contract. N consequence of the owner being about to remove. It is nearly new, and will be offered at an extremely moderate price. Application to view the above to be made to W. DEBBLEWHITE,

ISLE OF FRANCE SUGAR, OF a very superior description, on Sale by the ton or bag.

A. POLACK.

Lower George-street.

## Elegant Service of Plate. &c.

THE following SERVICE of PLATED DISHES, &c. which were manufactured expressly for a Gentleman who is about returning to England, and lately brought out by Cap tain Mallard, of the Kinnear, is now left for Sale with Captain Mallard, and may be seen at the

Rooms of Mr. W. H. Tyrer, George-street: -B Dish Covers, richly chased silver mountings and handles, plated inside, sizes from 20 to 12 inches.
1 Double Dishes to match

Warmers.' Also, to match-3 Dozen fine carved Ivory Table Knives, London made, silver mounted 3 Dozen Desert ditto

Pair Carvers ditto A handsome Oak Plate Chest, made to fit the

## Ex ORESTES.

AND ON SALE AT THE STORES OF MR. E.MANNING, QUEEN'S PLACE, COUR THOUSAND BUSHELS of SEED Seven hundred bushels of the most superior

Seed Barley The above samples vegetate rapidly, and can be seen growing at the Warehouse.

ALSO. One hundred dozen of prime bottled Cider Five tons best yellow Soap, in boxes of 56lbs to 3 cwt. each Eighty barrels superfine Dantzie Flour Twenty small boxes Garden Seeds

Invoices of assorted Brushes Variety of splendid Marble Chimney Pieces The whole of the above Goods to be sold in quantities to suit purchasers. Sydney, May 12, 1838.

AT FOUR SHILLINGS PER BUSHEL, CASH, ON SALE, at the Stores of Mr. E. Manning Queen's-place, about One Thousand bushels FEED OATS. Sydney, May 11, 1838.

FEED OATS

#### Royal Victoria Theatre, PITT-STREET.

THE PUBLIC is most respectfully informed that THIS EVENING, SATURDAY, May 19, 1838. the Performance will commence with Sheridan Knowles' admired Tragedy, in five Acts, entitled

### VIRGINIUS;

THE LIBERATION OF ROME.

A Dance, by Mr. Fitzgerald,

A FAVORITE SONG, by MR. FALCHON. To conclude with the Burlette in one Act

ONE HOUR 3

THE CARNIVAL BALL. T. Simes, Acting Manager. J. Lazar, Stage Manager.

## VICTORIA CARNIVAL

HURSDAY, May 24, 1838, being the Anniversary of the Birth-day of Our Most Gracious Sovereign Lady Queen VICTORIA, it is intended to give A Fancy Dress Ball in commemoration of that auspicious event, in the Saloon of the Royal Hotel, which will be brilliantly fitted up for the occasion. A professional Gentleman will attend as Master of the Ceremonies. The Orchestral department under the superintendence of Mr. Sippe. The whole

under the direction of Messrs. Simmons and Meredith. Single Tickets One Guinea each; double Ticket, to admit Lady and Gentleman, One

Pound Eleven Shillings and Sixpence—Ball-room Refreshments included. Doors open at nine o'Clock, Carnival to comnence at ten o'clock.

Application for Tickets and Dresses to be made to Mr. Sparke, at the Bar of the Royal N. B .- No Masques admitted.

# To Play Goers.

DURING the cessation of performance, it is customary for thirsty souls to step out and cherish the inner man; let those who feel and the fine that had had been so disposed, step into Green's, at the Cricketer's, Pict-street, and they will find smoking hot ELDER WINE, to cause a genial glow in their veins. The Article is just imported from

the Lee ward Island.

Try London Cordial Gin—and you will be

## JEWELLERY.

A. DICK AS on hand, a very few splendid suits of Ladies' Jewels, in cases, viz:—Necklace, Earring, Broach, and Cross, set with Aquamarine, Amethyst, Topas, Cameos, &c. of the most exquisite workmanship, and latest fashion, not to be equalled by any other shop in Town, suitable for the approaching Ball to be given in

Honor of Her Majesty Queen Victoria's Birth Day. Also, a few Gentlemen's Dress Buckles. George-street, opposite the Barrack Gate.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales, IN EQUITY,

Between Alfred Kennerly, Plaintiff, And Esther Bigge, John Jones, Thomas Day, LOUISA BIGGE, ROBERT BIGGE, JOHN JAMES WOOD, and ANN WOOD, Defendants.

O BE SOLD pursuant to a Decree of this Honorable Court, made in this cause, bearing date the sixteenth day of December bearing date the sixteenth day of December last past, before John Gurner, Esquire, Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court, at his office in the Court House, king street, Sydney, on Thursday, the nineteenth day of July, at twelve o'clock at noon, in one lot.

All that Piece or Parcel of Land or Ground situate, lying, and being on the west side o Philip-street, in the town of Sydney, containing by admeasurement twenty-one pe together with two Cettages, and other Baild ings thereon erected, now in the occupation of Esther Bigge, one of the above-named Defendants, and known as Nos. 17 and 18 in Philip street aforesaid.

Conditions.-The Title commences with a Frant from the Crown to the said Esther Bigge, with uninterrupted possession ever since.

The Purchaser to pay 20 per cent, deposit on being declared the highest bidder, and the further sum of £600 previous to obtaining his order to be let into possession of the Premises, and the balance of the purchase money may remain on interest at 10 per cent, for twelve months, with security on the Property, and also to prepare and pay the expense of his own conveyance, security, and copies of title deeds if required.

and copies of the decas in required.

For particulars apply to the Chief Clerk at his
Office; to Mr. Edward Dormer O'Reully, the
Plaintiff's Solicitor, 2, King-street, Sydney,
where a Plan of the Property may be seen; and where a Plan of the Property may be seen; and to Mr. G. L. Poignand, the Defendants Solici-tor, Terry's Buildings, King-street, Sydney. Dated this Ninth day of May, 1838. JOHN GURNER,

Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court.

## Derwent Potatoes, Oats & Barley.

ME undersigned has received a Consign ment of the above, of a superior quality. arly application is requested. HENRY PECKHAM. Grocery and Provision Warehouse,

## TO LET,

35, York-street.

TURNISHED APARTMENTS, either for single Gentlemen or a small Family, at Mrs. Cooper's, George-street, opposite the Royal

## To Merchants, Landholders and Others.

TOR 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 Sussey streat Wharf, Sussex-street.

#### ALSO,

Two Steam Engines, nearly finished. One of them a 10 horse power, suitable for a corn mill; and the other 2½ horse power, well adapted for driving small machinery for manufacturing purposes, such as Mustard Mills, Drugs, &c., both high pressure engines.

N.B.—Steam Engines, Boilers, &c. Hydraulic Presses, Wood Sarver, and Sarver Mills, Cornella Corn.

Presses, Wool 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, May 10, 1838.

JUST LANDED, Ex "Kinnear,"

And on Sale at the Stores of the Under signed, DRIME Pickled SALMON, in jars suitable for Families
Ditto Herrings ditto

Pickles

Preserved Fruits Negrohead Tobacco

Day and Martin's Blacking, assorted sizes in each cask. I. M. ILLIDGE. Grocery and Provision Warehouse, George-street, opposite the Bank of Australia, May 9, 1838.

# EX KINNEAR,

FROM LONDON. RECEIVED BY THE ABOVE SHIP

AND ON SALE, BY INVOICE OR PACKAGE, By the Undersigned, -THE FOLLOWING GOODS; viz Broadcloths

Cassimeres Valencias, Ribbons, Shawls, Bandannas, Velvets, Silks, Satins, Sealing Wax.

Hosiery, Boots and Shoes Gloves, Flannels, Blankets, Sponge, Druggets, Blacking Herrings and Salmon

#### Coopers' Tools. ALFRED SAUNDERS.

Ex "Siam" "Cockermouth Cas-tle" and "Earl Harewood." SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF ENGLISH

FURNITURE.

R. HEBBLEWHITE begs to apprize the Public that the remainder of the above valuable Investment is now unpacked and open to view, at his extensive Stores, Lower George

street, FOR PRIVATE SALE. Comprising almost every variety of article in the Furniture department, of the best description, both for make and durability, having been shipped to this Colony expressly to meet the views of the numerous lately arrived and

The furniture consists of-Mahogany Chests Drawers Secretary and Book case, very superior Coluge and every description of Dining Tables Solid Top Loo Tables Pembroke Tables

Four post Bedsteads, Mahogony carved posts

daily expected Emigrants.

Pole Fire Screens

Squirrel Lynx

Fitch

French and Tent Ditto Horse and Doe Hair Mattrasses Mahogany Sideboards Mahogony Chairs, hair and Leather Seats Shield Flock ditto Rosewood and Mahogony Music Stands Ditto ditto Stools Ottomans and Foot Stools

Butler's Trays and Stands Mahogany Bidets Ditto Bed-steps, with night convenience Wardrobe 'hildren's Table Chairs Paper Hangings, of every description Chimney, Pier, and Toilet Glasses

# With a great variety of Colonial Furniture, too numerous to particularize. Ex "Captain Cook."

SPLENDID Collection of FURS, by the above vessel, consisting of Chinchilla Ermine

Swansdown, &c. Also, a variety of Fur Trimmings on sale at W. H. TYRER'S.

#### 81, George stteet. 25th April, 1838. On Sale at the Stores of the Undersigned,

THREE Butts Scotch OATMEAL, of superior quality White and Green Paint, in kegs of 28lbs, each A few setts of Dinner and Desert Services Powder F. O. in quarter-barrels of 25lbs. each Port Wine in bottle Sherry ditto ditto

The above at Reduced Prices, in order to Close Consignments. PAUL & CO. Charlotte-place, 10th May, 1838.

French and English Merinos.

W. II. TYRER has just received a splendid Assortment of Merrnos, of the choicest colors, and on sale at 81, George street. 25th April, 1838.

## SHIP NEWS. —o— ARRIVALS.

From Newcastle, on Tuesday last, the steamer From Newcastle, on Wednesday, the steamers

Sophia Jane and Tamar. From Newcastle, on Thursday, the steamer

From Newcastle, on Thursday, the steamer King William IV.
From London and the Cape of Good Hope, vesterday, having left the former place the 3d December, and the latter the 17th March, the ship Orontes, Robert Short, Esq. Master, with 242 Emigrants. Cabin passengers, Mrs. Morns, Mrs. Short, Dr. Brock, R. N. Surgeon, and Mrs. Brock. Amongst the Emigrants are 10 farm servants, 2 blacksmiths, 1 gardener, 4 carpenters, 1 joiner, cabinetmaker, brassfounder, 3 stonemasons, 4 brickmakers, 5 plasterers, 2 hat manufacturers, 1 saddle and harnessmaker, 2 tailors, 2 sawyers, 4 shoemakers, 6 female servatered. tailors, 2 sawyers, 4 shoemakers, 6 female servants, 1 painter and glazier, 1 cooper, and 2

From Launceston, last evening, the brig William, Captain Thom.

#### DEPARTURES.

For Java, on Wednesday last, the Justinia and Diamond.

For Timor, same day, the Captain Cook and

For Batavia, same day, the William Jardine

and Moffat.
For Madras, on Thursday, the Orestes. For Port Macquarie, yesterday, the steamer William the Fourth.

For Newcastle, same day, the steamer King

William IV. PROJECTED DEPARTURES.

The William for Timor and Jess for New Zealand, this day; the Marian Watson for Hobart Town, and Cockermouth Castle for London, to.

The Spartan sails for London on the 7th The Ganges has been also laid on for proximo. that Port.

Captain Milne has purchased the Currency Lass, and intends laying her on as a packet between this Port and Hobart Town, upon her return from New Zealand, for which she sails in a foundament.

The Kinnear is loading in the Cove for

The Ganges conveys to London the oil per

A day or two since the stage from the Fergusson to Lamb & Co.'s Wharf, where she is discharging, gave way, and several hands were precipitated into the water and recived a sound ducking. Two casks of beef were lost.

The life boat lately built in the Dock Yard under the superintendence of Captain Leth-bridge, turns out a complete hoax. What could the gallant Captain have been thinking about, it is even questionable whether his protege would answer as a dung barge.

The Henry and William sail in a day or two

Ine Henry and Muliam sail in a day or two for Timor via Torres' Straits. There are present in the harbour of Port Jackson, 7 ships; 17 barques; 5 brigs; 5 schoon-ers; and 1 cutter, besides the Musqueto fleet.

## SYDNEY MARKETS.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1838.—There was a most abundant supply this morning. Wheat as hefore. Flour at the late fall. All vegetables, save potatoes, at a lower figure. Dairy produce still high, compared with the resources of the Fruits, save oranges, scarce and dear. Colony. Frants, save oranges, scarce and affi-Poultry, through monopoly, keeps a high fi-gure; and any one might acquire a handsome competence by the sale of this article of consumption at a fair profit In butcher's meat, sumption at a lair profit. In butcher's meating, the only particular alteration is in mutton, which has been bought by the butchers as low as  $2\frac{1}{7}d$  per lb. per carcase; but the public are not benefitted as they ought to be by the fall. The hay and straw market has undergone no alteration.

GRAIN. - Wheat (Colonial) 4s. to 6s.

bushel; ditto Hobart Town, 7s. 6d. do.; ditto Launceston, 6s. 9d.; ditto maize, 4s. 6d. to 4s. 9d.; barley, 4s, 6d.; ditto oats, 5s.; ditto Hobart Town, 7s.

cwt.; cabbages, 1d. and 2d. each; carrots, 3d. per bunch; turnips, 2d. ditto; red cabbages, 6d. each; cauliflower. 4d. ditto; brocoli, 4d. per bunch; peas, 3s. peck; French beans, 2s. ditto; lettuce, 12 euch; endive, 2d. ditto; raddish, 1d. per bunch ditto; Spanish ditto, 2d. ditto; onions, 1d. ditto; garlie, 6d. ditto; rhubarb, 6d. onions, Id. ditto; garite; dd. tuto; Indaza; dd. ditto; celery, 3d. to 1s. per stick; horseradish, 4d. to 6d. ditto; vegetable marrow, 6d. each; cucumbers, 3d. ditto; tomatos, 6d. dozen; chilis 6d. quart; spinnage, 6d. dish; potatoe pumpkin, 10d. to 1s. each; Rio ditto, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; stringy

bark ditto, 8d. to 1s. ditto. FRUITS.—() ranges 10d. to 1s. 6d. per dozen; apples 1s. to 3s. 6d. ditto; pears 3s. to 8s. ditto; pomegranates 1s. each; grapes 2s. per 1b.; dates

DAIRY PRODUCE.—Fresh butter 2s. per lb.; salt ditto 1s. 6d. ditto; cheese 8d. to 10d ditto; eggs 2s. per dozen; bacon 1s. 2d. per lb.; ham 1s. ditto; lard 1s. ditto.

POULTRY....Fowls 3s. 9d. to 5s. per couple; ducks 6s. to 7s. ditto; geese 9s. to 12s. ditto; Turkies 20s. ditto; Pigeons 2s. 6d. ditto.
BUTCHER'S MEAT....Beef per lb. per joint 4d. to 5d.; ditto per quarter 2\frac{3}{4}d. to 3d.; mutton per lb. per joint 4d. to 5d.; ditto per cacase 2\frac{1}{2}d.; veal 9d. ditto; pork 9d. ditto; salt beef 4d. to 5d. ditto; ditto pork 9d. ditto.

#### Rates of Insurance.

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London and Inverpool
Hobart Town Per Cent
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Swan River
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New Zealand O ditto
South Sea Islands unto
Swan River

#### Freights.

To London and Liverpool... Wool 11/2d. per 1h 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.

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1838.

"Knowledge is power." Lord Bacon.

SYDNEY POLICE OFFICE.—The Sydney Police Office is becoming a very den of thieves, the very hot bed in which to rear corruption and afford a premium for perjury. This may be called strong language, and it may be so, but it is no less the truth, which we think we shall have little difficulty in exemplifying. During the period that Mr. Jilks was Chief Constable, he opposed, and effectively, a set of wretches called Informers, who gain their living by preying on the vitals of the poorer class of the inhabitants, thereby calling into action all their worst passions—lying, perjury, bribery, and a rooted and settled antipathy to the authority of men duly appointed as constables, and a stern resistance upon every favorable occasion, to their authority. This kind of proceeding Mr. Jilks well knew was a course which would undermine his authority, and that respect, which was due to him ex officio, besides leaving the inhabitants to be plundered almost with impunity; as, the constables while looking after their own private interest, to increase the scurvy and paltry pittance which they receive, must necessarily neglect the duty they owe the public in protecting them from the street robber and the midnight burglar. All these matters, we say, Mr. Jilks well knew and avoided without the slightest derilection of his duty; for informations in his time were tolerably rife, but they were so judiciously laid, and the parties who were mulcted through them, being of some standing, that they had more effect in checking the breaches of sundry acts, than devouring the carrion which is at present preyed upon. As soon as the departure of Mr Jilks for Windsor took place, which ought not to have been permitted, then the carrion flies burst forth from the chrysalis, in which, heretofore, they had from necessity, been enshrouded. Then the summon's list from half a dozen suddenly increased to twenty, thirty, and forty cases, for penalties for infractions of Acts in Council-and the list of robberies also increased; then perjury stalked abroad with unblushing front and was petted and rewarded for its firmness; and in fact the whole body, though like to a goodly apple, was rotten at the core, became what it now is, a department of Colonial Government, costing the public for this town alone the enormous annual sum of £11,000 for the purpose of supporting and training up a body of men, whose greatest ambition is who shall commit perjury most like truth, and who shall fill their pockets most successfully by preying on the vitals of the public. It is a precious Augean Stable, constituted as it now is, and would require another labor like that of Hercules, to cleanse it. We sincerely hope, for the good of the public, that His Excellency Sir George Gipps, when he becomes more acquainted with this system of

iniquity, will cleanse it from the stain.

## Ships in Harbour.

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QUEEN'S BIRTH DAY ... Preparations are going on in all parts of Sydney to celebrate this auspicious event. At Government House will be cious event. At Government House will be held a Levee and Ball, and the house will be illuminated both on the out and inside. A Carnival Ball will be given in the Saloon of the
Royal Hotel, and Mr. Buckingham, of the "Odd Fellows" Tavern, is getting up a private Ball and other festivities; the note of preparation is also resounding throughout the houses of numerous of the inhabitants. In fact, all ranks and classes of society appear determined to show their loyalty on the occasion: it is an event unpara-leled since the Elizabethean age, and will test the loyalty of the subject in all parts of the British Empire, who will, without doubt, heart in hand hail the event with rapturous applause.

Sydney College.-We have lying on our table, "The Eighth Annual Report of the Sydney College, in New South Wales, with a short statement of the proceedings of the Committee of Management, for the year ending the 26th of January, 1838." It appears by the Report that the Institution is not merely free from debt, but has a cash balance of £873 17 11d. ia its favor; that at the close of last year it obtained a grant of the land attached to it; that the last annual examination, in the presence of Lieutenant-Colonel Snodgrass, the Acting Governor, gave general satisfaction. The attention of the monied and influential portion of the commu-nity is called to the still limited means for the admission of boarders, which are daily increasing. The shares already making virtual returns of about 13 per cent., from the difference in the

fees paid by students presented by proprietors, and those paid by all other students not so preand those paid by all other students not so pre-sented. The Institution appears to be in a flourishing condition, and answering the most sanguine expectations of the proprietors. We wish it every success. We cannot do better than to close these few remarks with the following extract from the Report itself.—"It requires little exertion of the imagination to view the Sydney College, at no distant date, pouring Sydney College, at no distant state, pouring forth from its portals our future judges, legislators, and rulers, our heroes (if), unfortunately, this country should require such aid), our bards, historians, and our future men of science, of literature, and piety-let not this happy consummation be unnecessarily postponed or perilled. One more slight effort—slighter than any that has hitherto been made in its behalf,

and the good work is achieved. A CONSTABLE .- On Monday, one of the pre cious Sydney police constables, named William Glover, was brought before the police, charged with the following street robbery. On Saturday night, a man named Charles Elridge was walking through Clarence-street, having upon his arm a basket, conaining a pair of shoes and a pound note. Glover accosted him, told him he was drunk and wanted to inspect the basket of th lelridge told him that he was quite sober, showed him the contents of the basket, and offered him half-a crown to allow him to go on; Glover refused, but said that if he would give him tenshillings he might go about his business. Elridge refused, on the score of poverty; when Glover replied, that he should take him to the watchhouse, but first, said he, let's have "a drain," and they adjourned to a public house, where Glover partook of a glass of Port wine negus, his constitution would not allow him to indulge in spirits, after which he helped himself to the shoes and walked off with them. Mr. Assistant Chief Constable Jones finding this promising youth off his beat, looked for and found him on the Market Wharf, one pair of shoes he found upon his person, besides sundry other booty. which the fellow had picked up while on duty that evening. He has been committed for the

A VICTIM O' GAMMON .- On Tuesday a man named James Fitzsimmons entered the butcher's shop of Mr Myers, in York-street, and asked for pound of heef steaks cut from the rump with a nice yellow selvege. No sooner said than done; knife and steel were in instant collision, and a fathom of steak was dissevered according to the latest and most approved method.~ During this operation, a prime piece of bacon, cut from the real part, real gammon and no jummon, caught the roving eye of Fitzsimmons, who looked and longed, and longing purloined, and by a sudden turn of the wrist introduced it between his shirt and his own bacon, thinking doubtless that both would be on friendly terms Mr. Myers had watched all these movements with an Argus eye, and having the highest hacan, seize mons and ordered him to deliver it up, which he did, but although he surrendered Mr. Myers' bacon he could not save his own, being committed to take his trial for cabbaging the bacon. He left the bar exclaiming, "Here's a blessed wictim o' gammon!"

CORONER'S INQUEST .- On Thursday an Inquest was held at Mr. Cuninghame's, "Bunch of Grapes," King-street, on the body of a waterman named John Hull, who died in the Hospital that morning. It appeared that a few days previously, while on the Queen's Wharf, seized with a swimming in the head fell and fractured his skull, which caused his death. The Jury returned a verdict of "Died by the visitation of God."

Another Inquest was held on Thursday, at the "Evening Gun," Cumberland street, on the body of David Donovan. Deceased was the owner of some drays, and had a few days previously hurt himself while busied about them; he subsequently took cold, and was afflicted with Titanus, which caused his death. Dr. Russell having given a certificate to this effect, the Jury returned a verdict of " Died from lock

The other day an assigned female servant was brought before Mr. Ryan Breuan, charged with impropriety of conduct, and making her "lucky."
Upon being called upon for her defence, she stated that the reason for her misconduct was, that the tea-pot was sent from her master's table without any fresh tea being put in the infusion; this she could not, nor would not abide—it hurt her feelings; a good drop of green with a dash of souchong were her delight, but second distillation she abhorred. Mr. Brenan sent her to the Factory, where she would have an opportunity of pronouncing upon the merits of the tea in that establishment.

On Thursday morning His Excellency and Suite inspected St. James' watch-house, for what reason we know not.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Sippe with witnesses, and having his bass viol under his arm, appeared at the door of the old Theatre to grind away, as on the previous night, but no one being in attendance nor the doors opened he re-turned home. We recommend Mr. Sippe not to attend again-he has not the slightest occasion. He will soon have an opportunity of leading an Orchestra, despite envy, hatred, malice and all

uncharitableness. On Sunday evening a man named Michael Minton was drinking in Mrs. Atkinson's publichouse, on the Liverpool road, with Patrick Dwyer, when he missed from his pocket two one-pound notes and a dollar of rather a peculiar description; he subsequently saw a woman come into the house, call for some spirits, and tender the identical dollar in payment; he enquired of her from whom she had obtained it, when she pointed out Dwyer as the man who had given it to her. Minton gave information to the Military at Longbottom, and Corporal Lane went in pursuit of Dwyer, whom he found at the same house drinking, and saw him give a one-pound note to an old man to get changed, which note upon being examined proved to be one of those stolen from Minton, and which he had previously described to the Corporal. Dwyer has been committed for the robbery.

The following Memorial to the Governor and Council, praying that the doors of the Counc Chamber should be thrown open to the public is now in the course of signature, and will be presented by one of the Members at the earliest sitting.

To His Excellency Sir George Gipps, Knight Governor-in Chief, and to the Honorable the Legislative Council of the Colony of New South Wales, in Council assembled.

We, the undersigned magistrates, landholders, and other free inhabitants of the Colony, beg eave most respectfully to approach your honorable Council, and to shew—

That, fully sensible of the many and weighty That, fully sensible of the many and weighty public matters to which the attention of your honorable Council is directed, we should not presume to interrupt your deliberations by this appeal, but in the belief that it concerns as well the district and results of the Colony as the rethe dignity and repute of the Colony, as the ge

neral advantage of its inhabitants.

That as the practice, no less than the prin ciple of our laws, of our establishments, and of our institutions, is assimilated as near as may be to that of the parent state, we confidently hope, that in the same spirit we shall be permitted to enjoy the like privileges in all subordinate matters connected with the administra-

That the acknowledged advanced position now occupied by this Colony among the possessions of the British Empire, the extent of our population, our commerce, our wealth, and our intelligence, encourage us to come before your honorable Council, to pray that the doors of your Council Chamber may be opened for the admission of the public during your delibera-tions, under such modifications as to your honorable Council may seem necessary and

That we feel that it would be unnecessary and unbecoming to particularise in this petition the several British Colonies in which the privilege now prayed for is enjoyed, or to set forth the benefits that must result to the public welfare by that privilege being extended to this Colony. The former, we conclude, are already known t our honorable Council, and the latter we confi

dently hope are manifest.

That enjoying, as in this Colony we happily do, with but little deduction, the inestimable advantage of British laws and British privileges, the absence of the most important privilege is o much the more conspicuous and unsatisfacory in its operation.

That in referring to the annexed signatures we beg to state to your honorable Council that they were thought sufficient to express what is the prevailing wish throughout the Colony of ill those qualified to entertain an opinion upon he subject.

That we therefore earnestly trust that your nonorable Council will add this benefit to the nany wise and beneficent measures that have emanated from your honorable body, and for which your petitioners and the Colonists at large will entertain a grateful remembrance and in duty bound will ever pray, &c.

TABLE OF CUSTOMS' CHARGES. Table of the Charges payable to the Collector or other Officer of Customs, for the entry inwards or clearance outwards of Ships of Vessels at any Port or Harbour of New South Wales where an Officer of Customs is stationed; Vessels under fifty tons, registered in Sydney, excepted, viz:-

Entry Clearance

For every Steam Vessel employed in the Coasting Trade from one Port of New South Wales to another . . . . . . 0 1 3 0 1 3

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TABLE OF LIGHT-HOUSE DUES. Table of the Rates payable to the Collector of Customs, Sydney, on Ships and Vessels above Fifty Tons, arriving at Port Jackson, towards the maintenance of the Light House

at the entrance thereof, viz:-On every Ship or Vessel above Fifty, and not exceeding One Hundred Tons, employed in the Coasting Trade, from one Port of New South Wales to another .....

On every Steam Vessel, the Ton Register Measurement .......... On every other Ship or Vessel, the ton Register Measurement .....

On Monday Mrs. Barrett, shoemaker, of Market-street, observed one of her workmen leaving the premises under circumstances which excited her suspicion, she therefore stopped him and upon his being searched a pair were found under his coat, which he declared in the most innocent manner, he knew nothing about. He was however handed over to the police, and has been committed to take his trial for the same.

The Supreme Court adjourned, on Wednes. day, for a week, the witnesses to the Port Philiip case not being in attendance, when Commerford and others will be tried. The Revenue Cutter which was dispatched to bring up the witnesses has not returned. She is some time overdue.

The other day, a man named Bryan Carrol was sent to jail for three days, for being found in the Military Barracks, proceeding to fill his water cask from the tank in the rear of the building.

Tickets of Leave .... A printed notice has been posted up at the Police Office, setting forth that from and after its date, the 17th instant, all parties receiving Tickets of Leave are to report hemselves to the nearest Petty Sessions or gistrate acting singly in the district for which the Ticket is made out, otherwise the indulgence will be cancelled.

On Monday next another trotting match, in harness, will come off on the Parramatta Road, between Mr. Green's "Tom Thumb" and Mr. Crampton's " Spider," £50 aside.

There is a very strong suspicion existing that the constables keep in "plant" the runaway scamen from various ships in harbour, as upon the Captain's offering a pound a head for their apprehension, which they frequently do, the bsentees are immediately forthcoming.

Mr. Palmer having been acquitted, at the Supreme Court, for the murder of the boy at New Zealand, the Crown Solicitor has declined proceeding with the case which was before the Police for getting the witnesses out of the way the result will be a proseccution against David son for perjury.

LEVIEN'S LAST .-- Mine host of the Pultney appears, at times, to be inspired by other exhiliraters than his own wines. A constable, being charged with assaulting Mr. Enoch Cooper, he facetiously observed, 'he knock'd Cooper."

The Colonel has decided ex cathedra, that although many appear to think, he never will admit, "That drunkenness covers a multitude

A man named Matthew Toomer is in custody on a charge of horse stealing. It appeared upon the first examination, that the horse in question had been lent to Toomer by Mr. Wright of Parramatta, and that he had exchanged it with a person named Webb, receivng a bonus of £6.

A paragraph having recently appeared relating to the Clerk of the Bench at Wollongong in the district of Illawarra, we have been requested to state that the individual alluded to is not Mr. Henry Bailey, late of Parramatta. who was some time since announced in the Newspapers as having exchanged to Wollongong; this exchange not having been carried into effect.

Some time since a man named James Beattle

came to Sydney with four drays, and represented to Mr. Foster, who then kept the "Centaur," at the foot of the Brickfield Hill, that he was overseer to Mrs. Bunn's property at St. Omer's, in the County of St. Vincent. He told Mr. F. to let the men who were with him have what they thought fit and he would liquidate it. This went on for some days when Beattie produced a £10 order purporting to be drawn by a Mr. Nowlan, which Foster took, knowing that he did belong to Mrs. Bunn's estate, but upon it being presented to Nowlan he at once declared it a lorgery. Beattie was apprehended. There is a further charge of horse-stealing against

REGATTA....We have seen the Silver Cup which Mr. M. M. Cohen, of George-street, has handsomely offered as a prize for the second class boats in the Regatta, which comes off on Case deferred. Thursday next, being the anniversary of the Queen's Birth-day. It is a very handsome article, and one that will, we should imagine, cause as much pleasure to the winner, as it has a right to do, satisfaction in the giver. Mr. Cohen's object is to see whether by such means it is possible to form what has long been a desideratum, a Regatta Club.

Orders were given the other day by Mr. Brenan, the third Police Magistrate, that the Inspectors of every Parish was to make enquiry at the licensed houses, and if they found any licensed victualler having an assigned female servant, they would immediately take her away. We think this order very arbitary.

QUEER STATE OF THE ROADS .-- On Thurs lay last, as Mr. M'Dermott, of the firm o Brownlow and Co., was driving a tandam into Windsor, the leader slipped off some slabs laid across the South Creek at Howe's Bridge, and was immersed in the stream. With some con siderable difficulty the animal was rescued from its perilous situation.

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#### ORIGINAL POETRY.

The stars that shone on the silver foam, Danced lightly in the breeze, Each rising spray, reflects their ray, In the deep and dark blue sea. Yon cloud so light, by the moon so bright, Leaves not its bed of rest; "Tis like a child, in slumber mild, As it sleeps on its mother's breast.

PRAYERS AT SEA.

Silent and calm is all around-Why reigns this silence so profound? 'Tis mockery—else some form absurd. Perhaps, by sleep, they are oppressed, So still and silent is the morn; That being sunk in balmy rest, They dream of last night's passing storm Thus run my thoughts, as on the deck I gazed one morning, and behold-None could I see, surprise to check— Five bells, I knew, had just been toll'd. I stood, still gazing in surprise-I own I felt a little fear; When, suddenly I heard arise, Voices in chorns, sweet and I looked from whence the sounds arose, And then my memory sudden dawning,

## POLICE INCIDENTS.

Twas prayers at sea on Sunday morning.

Rushed torrent like, till it o'erflows-

John Shippington. with a face—ye gods, what a face!—was handed to the rostrum with his phiz enshrouded in a chequered pocket hand kerchief.

Colonel—Come, Mr. Shippington, you appear to be modest this morning, rather? John (withdrawing his wipe)-Excuse my Colonel - Rather variegated. Were you

drunk? John-To be sure-birth-day-kept it up-

you understand—all that kind of thing.
Colonel—You must pay five shillings John-Take the cash, but it isn't at all to my taste—birth-day, too—only comes once a-year. Let me off, Colonel.

Colonel -Go to the stocks, or pay John-Hard hearted, here's the rhino; never pay another visit—good byc.
Ann Campbell was charged with not being in the way which women wish to be who love their lords—that is, blind drunk, and using a

curbstone as a pillow. Bench—Were you drunk? Ann-No, groggy.
Bench-We don't know Groggy; he's not on mr list. Ann-Sorry-old acquaintance of mine; but

suppose you may as well put me down drunk don't care... I plead guilty. Bench. Pay five-Ann --- No.

Bench...Two hours stocks. Ann... Yes... Tata. Henry Hodge, charged with being about as

Colonel...Were you drunk? Henry...I had been drinking. Colonel—And eating perhaps. Henry ... Just so. Colonel... Then go to the stocks for two hours

Henry...Very well.

Jeremiah Brooks, mounting a nose born to hreaten and command, was charged with en oying the evening of the Queen's birth day by anticipation, letting off squibs and crackers and other fooleries. Constable—When I took him he had a whole

magazine of the pyrotechnic art upon him. I positively took him for Guy Fawkes. He said he was rery sorry, so I locked him up.

Jerry—Well come now, I didn't pin one to

your tail. Constable—No, but I pinned you. Bench—(With a frown.) No punning. Jerry-Well, I'm very sorry.

Bench—Then pay ten shillings.
Jerry—That's hard, when I was first sorry was locked up, and now I am again sorry nust be fined.

Bench - We shall give you six days-Jerry-! know a thing or two, it shall be paid in that time. Give me my magazine, and then just see if you will find another man as loyal as

I am in Sydney, on the 24th, that's all, just look out sharp and compare, I'm a regulatrump and no mistake.

omas M'Cann, frosty-headed, and aged about sixty, was put at the bar for being found lying indecently exposed in the streets.

Colonel --Oh, oh! so, so! you're another of

those frolicsome boys.

Thomas...Thrn if I am, it must be Joe Bowers' mob I belong to.

Colonel.. Come, sir, being facetious won't serve you. Have you any delence?

Thomas...Grog, mighty grog! Just take a humner and try.

bumper and try.

Colonel---You are fined five pounds, or go to iail for three weeks.

Thomas - The jail be it. " Here's a health to all them that's awa'." [muzzled and carried

off kicking.]
Police Office, Windson.—Tuesday, May
15.—William Whitela, holding a ticket-of-leave
for this district, was brought before the Bench
to answer a complaint preferred against him by a respectable practitioner of this town, for making use of language tending to degrade him

> Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 18th May, 1838

GENERAL ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given, that General Annual Licensing Meetings of the Justices of each District throughout the Colony, will be holden at the several Court-houses, or usual Places of Meeting in the said Districts respectively, on Tuesday the 19th day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the special purpose of taking into consideration all ap-plications which shall be made to the said Justices respectively for Licenses for Pub-

ic-houses for the year ensuing. Persons desirous of obtaining Licenses must deliver written notices of their intention to apply for the same to the Clerks of the respective Benches, or Courts of Petty Sessions, on or before Tuesday the 5th day of June next.

By His Excellency's Command, E. D. THOMSON.

# TO THE PUBLIC.

IN Reference to a paragraph which has appeared in several of the Public Papers, respecting the Sale of DISEASED SHEEP in this Town; We, the undersigned Butchers, beg mo t respectfully to inform our Friends and the Public, that we have not purchased, nor in any way become connected with the Sale of such

THOMAS HOLMES, 95, George-street 1. K. CLEEVE, 96, George-street; WILLIAM SAMUEL, Corner of King and George-streets, WILLIAM SHARP, Hunter-street.

## WANTED, IN the Office of the Undersigned, a Gentleman qualified to undertake the management of

the general business of a Solicitor's Office; also, an expeditious and good Copying Clerk. Liberal salaries will be given. D. POOLE.

George-street, 7th May, 1838.

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ADVERTISEMENT. To the Editor of the Sydney Gazette.

TN your true and impartial account in a late paper of the transaction between Mr. Sippe and others against Mrs. Levey, the name of a very respectable gentleman has been omitted, one who has proved himself for a long while the sincere friend of Mrs. L. and as I am a person whose greatest pleasure is to bring forth bright specimens of virtue and morality, particularly when connected in such a manner as is this paragon of uprightness and justice, I think it a duty due to all parties, to state the following circumstance which has escaped your notice. Mr. Cameron was much in need of a few pounds to save him from going to gaol, and equested Mrs. L. to advance the same, but she not having any money at command, asked her father to advance the sum to Mr. Cameron, provided Mr. C's. most worthy friend and companion Mr. Kerr, would become security for the money, which he did. Now, it was the wish on the trial at the Court of Requests, of Mr. Kerr to endeavour to get this security of his set aside, but justice thwarted his honest attempt. It was owing to his disinterestedness together with his wish to see all parties righted, that he put his wits to work and became adviser in the whole of the transactions that took place at the last Court of Requests. Do you think it probable that Mr. Kerr took advice or not, from any learned counsellor before he ventured to become the Manager of the late farce. The only thing we think Mr. Josephson went astray in, and did not act with his usual judgment, was his taking security at all, as it has fully proved.

I am, Sir, Your's &c. A LOVER OF JUSTICE. Sydney, May 17, 1838.

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Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellery, &c.

M. M. COHEN, Watchmaker and Manufacturing Jeweller, George

street, Sydn:y, HAS just received, per ship Ganges, a largo selection of Gold and Silver Watches, partaking of every recent improvement, as also fresh supply of town made Jewellery. A few very superior Box and Pocket Chr nometers for Sale.

# JAMES WATSFORD

BEGS to announce, that he is instructed to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at Sydney, on the 24th instant, at the Cattle Market, at one o'clock, a number of

Valuable Horses and Mares.

to which he calls the attention of the Public. Terms liberal.