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For South Australia, to follow the Lady Wellington."



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217 tons Register, John Gray, commander, having the greater part of her Cargo engaged, will meet with quick despatch. For Freight or passage apply to the Master on board; or, to

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To the Farmers and Settlers on the Paterson and William's Rivers.



THE undersigned begs to return his grateful thanks for the kind & generous patronage he has received, and begs to acquaint them that he has now completed his arrangements for the expeditious and regular converges of their product to Suday for lar conveyance of their produce to Sydney lo are conveyance of their products to space, as ale, &c., having laid on the fast-sailing cutter "PROVIDENCE," as a constant trader to the Paterson, and the "JANE," to the William's River. Application for freight, &c., to be made

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THE fine fast-sailing A I brig SYMMETRY, 250 tons burthen, having a large por tion of her cargo engaged will meet with quick despatch. For Freight or Passage

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NOTICE.

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Union Assurance Company of Sydney.

A GENERAL MEETING of the PRO-PRIETORS of the UNION ASUR-ANCE COMPANY will be held on MONDAY, the 9th day of July next, at one o'clock precisely, to receive the Report for the half-year ending the 30th instant, and for general pur-

Also, to elect a Director in the room of Mr. Brown, who has returned to Europe.
Candidates for the office of Director are required to give intimation of their intention of offering themselves on or before Monday, the

> ADAM WILSON, SECRETARY

Sydney, 14th June, 1838.

GOVERNMENT FORMS.

E VERY description of GOVERNMENT FORMS constantly on Sale at the Printing Office of WILLIAM JONES, 7, Colonnade, Bridge street.

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BANK NOTICE.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Half-yearly Meeting of the Proprietors of this Bank, will be held within the Banking House, George-street, on Friday, the 20th July next, at Twelve o'Clock precisely, for the pur-pose of declaring a Dividend for the Half-year ending 30th June; and for the election of four Directors, in the room of Robert Scott, of Glendon, and James Atkinson, of Toongabbee, Esquires, who retire by rotation; and Thomas Brown and C. W. Roemer, Esquires. Merchants, resigned.

L. DUGUID, Managing Director.

Commercial Bank, Sydney, June 16, 1838.

SYDNEY DISPENSARY.

THE Committee of the Sydney Dispensary beg to intimate to the Subscribers, that they have appointed Mr. Charles Nightingale to be their Collector for the present year.

This institution has peculiar claims on the benevolent members of the community, as nearly one thousand patients have been relieved during

the past year. JOHN M'GARVIE, Honorary Sccretary.

COMMERCIAL BANK.

Sydney, June 1, 1838.

To the Proprietors of Shares in the Capital Stock of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN-

THE prescribed period for holding the scut lately occupied by me in the direction of your Establishment, (to which you did me the honor of electing me two years since), having expired on the last Annual Election of Directors, I am now again enabled to offer myself to your consideration as a Candidate for re-election at

the approaching Anniversary, to be held on Friday, 20th July next.

In soliciting the favour of your votes on the occasion, I have but little claim to urge on my behalf, other than an anxious regard for the prosperity of the Institution, and I flatter my-self a punctual attention to the duties of the Office of Director during the short time I had the honour to occupy that station.

I beg leave to subscribe myself, Ladies and Cantheren

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient Servant. W. H. MOORE.

AUSTRALIAN FIRE & LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GENERAL MEETING of PROPRIE GENERAL MEETING of PROPRIE-TORS of this COMPANY will be held on WEDNESDAY, 18th July next, at twelve o'clock, to receive the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ending the 30th instant; to elect two Directors, in the room of John Lamb, Esq. and John Lord, Esq. who retire by rotation on the 1st August; and for general business.

Candidates for vacancies in the Direction are required to give fourteen days' notice previous to the day of Election, to one of the weekly Boards; and retiring Directors may be re-

Secretary.

Sydney, 16th June, 1838.

Tutor's Assistant Lost.

OST, by Thomas Simpson, between the Shop of Mr. Mackenness, Pitt street, and Mr. Winthorp's Bathurst-street. a TUTOR'S ASSISTANT, with the name of Thomas Simp son, Leith, 1811. Any Person having found the same, by leaving it at this Office, will be rewarded for their trouble, the same being a keepsake in the Family

MRS. BARTON

BEGS to inform the Parents and Guardians of her Pupils that her Establishment will re open, after the Vacation, on Monday, the 10th of July.

O'Connell-street, June 16, 1838.

MISS DUBOST.

IN returning thanks to her Friends and the Public for their liberal encouragement, begs to intimate, that after the vocation her school will re-open on the 9th of July. TERMS.

Board and instruction, including £. s. d. the general branches of Education, with plain and fancy Necdlework 30 0 0 Day Pupils 8 8 0 EXTRAS.

Music (taught by Mr. Dean).... 12 12 0 Dancing 8 8 (

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A class for Drawing on Saturday mornings,

rom ten o'clock until one. A quarter's notice, or a quarter's payment is required, previous to the removal of a pupil.

Each Boarder to provide two pair of Sheets, and six Towels. N. B.—Each Young Lady will be required to provide her own Bed and Bedding.

Elizabeth-street, next door to the Normal Institution.

WINE MERCHANT

COMMISSION AGENT,

No. 5, Bridge-street.

W. RICHARDS, JUN.,

NFORMS his Friends and the Public gener Lally, that he intends commencing Business as above, on the 1st of July; and, as W. R. will keep none but Wines of the most superior description, solicits their patronage, and begs to assure them that all orders will be attended to most punctually.

FOUND,

A SHAWL, in Macquarie street, on Sunday last; the Owner may have it on describing it, and paying the expense of this a lvertisement. Apply at the Commercial Journal Office, 7, Colonnade, Bridge street. June 21, 1838,

Royal Victoria Theatre, PITT-STREET.

This Evening, Saturday, June 23, 1838,

THE Public are most respectfully informed that the Performance will commence with the laughable Farce, in two Acts, entitled the

nonest thieves To be followed with the interlude, in one Act

ADVICE GRATIS.

AFTER WHICH, A DANCE, BY MISS LAZAR. To conclude with the Comic Drama, entitled

THE PERIGRINATIONS OF PICKWICK.

In consequence of the númerous enquiries for n consequence of the numerous enquires for the revival of the celebrated Drama of THE JEWESS, the public is most respectfully informed, that it will speedily be produced upon a scale of great splendour.

T. SIMES, Acting Manager. J. LAZAR, Stage Manager.

A CARD. MR. F. MAKIN, Surgeon and Accou-cheur, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons in London, &c., begs to announce to the Inhabitants of Liverpool, Campbell Town, and their vicinities, that he has commenced the practice of his Profession at Liverpool, immedipractice of his Profession at Liverpool, immediately opposite to the Stores of Mr. Hoskins, where he hopes seven years practical experience in the largest Provincial and Metropolitan Hospital in England, under the immediate superintendence of his relative, R. Owen, Esq., F. R. S., Hunterian Professor to the Royal College of Surgeons, Curator of the Museum, &c. &c., will proceed him a portion of the mubble patronage. Families attended by the year, and supplied with Medicines direct from the Apothecaries'

A CARD.

PATRICK HALL,

BASKET MAKER, &c., &c., YORK-STREET.

Next door to the sign of the "Flowerpot,"

IIAS always on hand a large assortment of BASKETS, on the most reasonable terms. N.B.—Three good hands immediately required, who will meet with every encouragement Sydney, 19th June, 1838.

A CARD.

MANHEIM BROWN,

Tailor, Draper, and Patter, No. 8, George Street,

OPPOSITE THE COMMERCIAL BANK, SYDNEY, N. B .-- An Apprentice wanted.

V. LIPSCOMB.

TAILOR, &c. &c. &c.

No. 19, Kent-street, (near the Sign of the "Saint Andrew," Sydney,

RESPECTFULLY acquaints the Public and his Friends, that he carries on the above Business, and such Persons as will do him the honor and favor of their commands may depend on the best Materials, and on the most reasonable terms. Sydney, 19th June, 1838.

MICHAEL KELLAR,

PLAISTERER, BRICKLAYER, &c., &c. PITT STREET.

(NEXT DOOR TO MR. STARK'S, BAKER,) Sydney,

RESPECTFULLY begs leave to acquaint the Public, that he carries on the above Business, and that he is in that line in the constant habit of staining walls in distemper colour, stucco, plastering, and setting fire stoves, and solicits a share of patronage and support.

N. B .- All orders duly appreciated and attended to. Sydney, June 19, 1838.

GEORGE DENT.

BUILD TOIMER. No. 3, GLOUCESTER-STREET,

Back of Her Majesty's Customs, Bydney.

RESPECTIVILLY begs leave to acquaint Merchants and Shipowners that he continues to carry on the above business on the most reasonable terms, and by the quickest despatch, and solicits a share of their patronage and sup-N. B .- G. D. has been brought up to the

above branch alone, at Blackwall.

SYDNEY BREWERY. OHARLES BROOKS

BEGS leave to inform his Friends and the Public generally that he has taken the above concern, lately in the occupation of Mr. Kay, and he has no doubt that the practical experience he has had for the last twelve years, whilst in the service of Mr. Wright, of the Australian Brewery, that he will be able to fulfil punctually all orders he may be favoured with, and he has no doubt of being able to give gereral satisfaction. June 12, 1838,

Australian Social Lodge, No. 260,

THE Brethren of the above Lodge will con-Tavern, on MONDAY, the 25th instant. at High Twelve, to celebrate the Anniversary of Saint John the Baptist.

The Brethren will re-assemble and dine together in open Lodge, at Brother Barnes'. Dinner on the table at six o'clock. Visiting Members are respectfully invited to

attend. By order of the W. M. JOHN GILBERT,

Secretary. Messrs. H. WATT, } Stewards.

REMOVAL.

WILLIAM MADDEN, respectfully begs leave to acquaint his Friends and the Public, that he has REMOVED from his late residence in Parramatta street, to those extensive Premises at the south corner of Castlereaghstreet, opposite to the sign of the "Currency

N.B .- Orders for Plumbing, Painting and Hazing, promptly executed. Sydney, June 22, 1838.

AUSTRALIAN SAW MILLS. BATHURST STREET.

TEDAR PLANK on Sale at the following

Parties purchasing Cedar in the log can have cut to any dimensions required.

W. G. GARD & CO. Bathurst-street, June 12, 1838.

HOUSE TO LET.

TO BE LET, that comfortable and commo dious House, being No. 5, Colonnade, Bridge-street, now occupied by N. I., Kentish, Esq., having a good well of water, and back entrance to Queen street. Terms moderate. Possession may be had on the 20th of August next. Apply to

WILLIAM JONES, PRINTER, BRIDGE-STREET.

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,

A. POLACK,

To Market Gardeners & Others. TO be LET, on moderate terms, about TWO ACRES of LAND, at the Surry Hills, ad-

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

THE Unexpired Lease, nineteen years, of that neat Verandah Cottage and Ground situate at Willoughby, on the North Shore, op-posite the Wharf of Messrs. W. Walker and Co. n the district of Hunter's Hill. The Cottage small store room attached; the Ground consists of about four acres, two of which are in a high state of cultivation. Apply to

TO BE LET OR SOLD.

THOMAS HOWELL, King-street, West. To Sheep Farmers, Beef Salters, and Others.

THE Undersigned is now making some large oval Sheep Washing Tubs, which he can recommend as heing of the best materials and workmanship; also a large quantity of good full-sized Beef Tierces, which he can supply at a low rate, as well as every description of Cooperage, from a three hundred gallon Butt down to a one gallon Keg.
N. B.—Ships' Water Casks, Nun Buoys, &c.,

made and repaired. B. WHYTE, Cooper.

George-street, near the Bank of New South Wales.

Fashionable Bonnets. FINE Tuscan, Dunstable, and French Chip Bonnets, gipsy and cottage shapes Blue, black, and drab Children's Beaver ditto Black and colored French and British Merinos Plaid and embroidered French Merino Lambs' Wood December on Sale at Wool Dresses, on Sale at

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George-street, Opposite the Post Office.

SPLENDID OIL PAINTINGS. Ex MARY ANN.

ON SALE BY PRIVATE CONTRACT by the Undersigned, a few SPARADIR OIF BVIABILEOS" (Just Landed, ex Mary Ann.) by Stanfield, Turner, Corbould, Owen, Cooper, and Landseer.

A. POLACK.

OF a very superior description, on Sale by the ton or bag. A. POLACK.

ISLE OF FRANCE SUGAR,

FEED OATS 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 14, 1838.

NOTICE.

THE Public are informed that the Wood A stock Saw Mills, with Rabbitting, and Turning Machinery, and the Flour Mill, with Smut, Dress, and Biscuit Machinery, will commence work early in July. These Mills are near Kiama, Illawarra.

Timber, &c., to be Sold at the following prices

E. s. d.

Flooring Boards and Battens, at †> 100 feet 0 15 0
Rabbitted ditto - - - †> ditto - 1 0 0
Scantling - - + †> ditto - 0 13 0
Felloes for drays, †> 100 in number - 3 0 0
Ditto for Carisor Carriages - †> ditto - 2 10 0
Spokes for Drays - - + †> ditto - 0 8 0
Turned Naves for Drays - + †> ditto - 0 4 6
Ditto ditto for Carts or Carriages †> ditto - 0 3 6
our and Shin Bisonit and in Carisor Carriages †> ditto - 0 6

Flour and Ship Biscuit, sold in Sydney, at Reduced Prices TERMS .- For all sums under £30, cash; above that sum, approved Bills at three months. Timber cut on the shortest notice; and Coach builders can be supplied with the finest country

Pine.
W. Carter, Ship Agent, &c., Australian Stores near the Queen's Wharf, will have always at his Stores, a supply of the above-stated articles. All orders addressed to W. Carter, shall be punctually attended to.
Timber will be sold at Woodstock, Illawarra

Market Prices, and will be ground for the Public at 9d per bushel, and dressed &c. at 1s.

Tenders addressed to W. Carter, for the conveyance of Timber, Biscuit, and Flour, by vessels from the Sterry Kings, to his Stores in Sydney will be from Kiama to his Stores in Sydney, will be received on or before the 1st of July.

J. G. COLLINS. Petersham, 15th June, 1838,

12 June, 1838,

19 June, 1838.

HUGH EAGLESON, TAILOR, &O., &O.

RESPECTFULLY acquaints the Public that he carries on the business as above, and invites the attention of those concerned in the shipping. Clyde-street, Darling Harbour, 3 doors from the Sign of the "Rainbow Inn."

JAMES BARTON, BOOT AND SHOE MAKER. MARKET STREET WEST,

Two doors from the sign of the "White Hart, opposite the Market, Sydney, I NVITES Settlers from the Interior to call at his Shop, where they will be served with the STRONGEST BOOTS and SHOES for their Government Servants, and cheaper than any Shop in Sydney.

K. HAMPSON, ENGINEER AND MACHINIST,

KENT-STREET, SOUTH, Near the Thistle. BEER ENGINES & Spirit Fountains made to Order, superior to any imported. Tur-

ning Lathes of every description on the most ap proved principle.

N. B -An Apprentice wanted. WILLIAM ROWLEY. LOOKSMITH,

&c., &c., &c MARKET STREET EAST, Near Elizabeth-street, Sydney,

RESPECTFULLY acquaints the Public that he carries on the above business, and such persons as will do him the favor of their commands, may depend on punctual attention. Sydney, 12 June, 1838,

To Parents and Guardians. MR. PECK BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public that he will be happy to devote his leisure hours to the instruction of a limited number of

Pupils on the Violin.

Designing,
Terms may be known by applying at his residence, Hunter street, two doors from O'Connell-street.

or two Pupils in Wood Carving, and ornameutal

would also undertake the tuition of one

CAPE BARLEY SEED MARKET GARDENERS, and VILLA OWNERS; to be had only at the Stores

Underwood's Buildings, George. street, opposite the Herald Office. At the reduced price of 4s. per bushel. Per "Mary Anne."

LEWIS BARNETT.

ON SALE, At the Stores of the Undersigned,

CANVAS, patent, and twine, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 Harpoons, Blyth and Son's Lances, ditto Lances, ditto
Sheathing Copper, 18, 20, and 22 oz.
Copper nails, in proportion
Linseed Oil, in tanks and five gallon cans
White Lead, in 56lb, and 28lb. kegs Green Paint, in 28lb kegs Blacking, Day and Martin's real Japan

Pork, prime Irish Mess, in barrels.

ALSO, Sugar—Isle of France and loaf Tea—Hyson, Caper, and Hyson Skin, ex Ornell Brandy—Martel's and Hennessey's old Cognac Rust—Demerara Winter Slops, &c.

Trafalgar Warehouse, Kent-street, North. N. B.-Two Iron Coolers to be Sold cheap. Grand Cabinet Rosewood Pianoforte.

THOMAS AGARS,

To be Sold by Private Contract, TN consequence of the owner being about to at an extremely moderate price.

Application to view the above to be made to

W. HEBBLEWHITE, Lower Gange-street,

FOR SALE,

At the Stores of the Undersigned,

AT VERY LOW PRICES, FINE COLONIAL TOBACCO, small figs Ditto ditto larger

A large quantity of Wheat Fine samples of Maize, &c., &c.

June 16, 1838.

on sale.

79 CASKS superior SCOTCH ALE 2 Butts Scotch Oatmeal White Lead, in 28lb. kegs White Lead, in 281b. Regs
Green Paint, ditto ditto ditto
Carriage, Tandum and Gig Harness
White spool Threads, assorted
Lined Collars, Capes, Pelerines, Laces, &c.
Gunpowder, F. O, in 251b. packages
Port, Sherry, and Madeira Wines, in bottle, of

superior quality.

15th June, 1838.

Colonial Snuffs

STEADY industrious MAN for the Store A Apply as above.

Soap and Tobacco. THE UNDERSIGNED have constantly on Colonial Fig Tobacco

Colonial Soap, &c., from their Manufactories, Lane Cove. ALSO,

BARLOW'S

Nos. 3, AND 4, BRIDGE-STREET. E VERY description of Engraving, Printing or Lithograph, done well, and on reasonable terms.

POLICY."

Eight-day Dutch Clocks, &c.

The very best Eight-day Clocks

A TOWN CLOCK, in thorough good con-dition, with large bell, and every thing com-plete to be fixed in Church or Building, at the option of the Purchaser or Purchasers.

WANTED.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or STRAYED from Bungarrabee Estate, on or about the 21st January last, An Iron Grey Mare branded k on the neck. It stolen, the above REWARD will be given to any person, who will give such information as may lead to the conviction of the offender; and if strayed, whoever will deliver her to Joshua John Moore, Esq., at Cabramatta, near Liverpool, or

June 18th, 1838. "Talbot Inn" Livery Stables,

George street, Sydney.

MOUTEN, in returning thanks to his MOUTEN, in returning thanks to his Friends and the Public for their support, begs to apprise them that he has taken the Livery Stables at the above Inn, under his own immediate management. Those Friends who may be pleased to continue their patronage may rest assured that their Horses will be carefully attended to, and be supplied with the best pro-

Talbot Inn," George street Sydney, 12th June, 1838.

CAUTION,

THE Public are requested to be on their guard in receiving a SILVER WATCH stolen from the undersigned on Monday last :-No. 4,644; Maker's name "Ellison," London. HENRY DENNY. Dealer, Sydney Market,

WORKING BULLQCKS.

SEVERAL TEAMS of excellent WORKING CATTLE for Sale by Private Contract, Apply to Mr. A. Polack, George-street.

S. RUSSELL, Druitt-street, Sydney. A Young Woman of good character may hear of a situation by application to the above.

At the Stores of the Undersigned,

"EX JANE."

PAUL & CO., Charlotte-place,

WANTED.

BASKETS. THREE CASES of FANCY BASKETS, of all shapes, just opened, and on SALE at J. Maclehose's Bazaar, No. 6, Hunter-

American ditto ditto, from imported leaf Cut Tobacco

London and Liverpool Soap. KIRK & SON, Wharf, Sussex-street.

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prietor deeming "HONESTY THE BEST

A. STREET, has just received a few cases of the best DUTCH CLOCKS ever imported into Sydney, which she offers for Sale at the following low prices:—

alarums, of the best quality, with brass works 0 16 0 ALSO,

11, Hunter-street, \ June 15, 1838. \

SHOEING SMITH and FARRIER, to A SHOEING SMITH and FARRIER, to proceed to Windsor. To prevent trouble, the wages will be 35s. per week. None need apply but a Person who thoroughly understands and is master of his business, also sober, and a Man of industrious habits. Application to be made at the Office of the "Commercial Joural," or S. Smallwood, Windsor. None but a nerson of the above description will be treated

at the Estate of Bungarrabec on the Western Road, shall receive £2 Reward. CHARLES SMITH,

Pitt-street, June 19, 1838.

SHIP NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

From Newcastle on Tuesday, the steamer From the same place, on Wednesday, the

steamer Tamar.
From Newcastle, on Thursday, the steamer William the Fourth

DEPARTURES.

For Java, on Tuesday, the ship Duchess of Northumberland Roxburgh master. Passengers Matthew Macalister, Esq. and Dr. Ronald. For the same place, same day, the ship Fer-

For Newcastle, same day, the steamer King

For Newcastle, on Wednesday, the barque

For the same place, the same day, the steamer

For the same place, on Thursday, the steamer For Port Phillip, same day, the schooner

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.

The Lady Wellington for South Australia Spartan for London, Edward and Ranger, for Port Phillip, to-morrow; and Superb for London.

The Revenue Cruizer Ranger sails to-morrow for Port Phillip. The trade between that set-tlement and this place seems to be on the inabout sailing during the present week.

The barque Pero has commenced receiving cargo for South Australia, she having been chartered by Captain Devlin, of the Lady Wellington, to convey stores, &c., for the use of that

H. M. S. Connay sails on the 1st proximo on her cruise to the castward. Her commander understand, intends to visit Pleasant Island the Friendly Islands, and the other Islands in the Eastern Seas. The five seamen of the Sir David Ogleby proceed with her, also Captain London, late muster of that vessel, who will act as pilot.

The barque British Sovereign is getting the eccessary alterations done to her at the wharf of Mr. Henry Moore, to enable her to proceed to sea as a sperm whaler. She is purchased by Captain Duke & Co. for that trade.

The schooner Edward has gone up to her owner's wharf to complete her lading for Port Phillip. She will sail to-morrow.

The barques Jane and Ellen have completed the discharge of their cargoes, at their respective wharfs, and will haul off to refit for sea again

The brig Symmetry has hauled round into the Cove, ready to receive cargo for London.

The Port Phillip Revenue Cutter Ranger Captain Roach, returned to port on Tuesday Morning, having proceeded only as far as Two-fold Bay. From Twofold Bay, Captain Roach despatched a whale boat to the long Beach, to the Southward, thinking that the Prince George might be on shore there. The crew of the whale-boat suffered much from the cold weather and shortness of provisions—the native dogs having one night, while the men were asleep under their boat (as the crew were in the habit of doing,) stolen the whole of provisions, and actually taken the seal-skin cap from off the head of one of the men without waking him. After an absence of eleven days from the Ranger, the crew returned on board, nearly famished. The Lindsay, was at Twofold Bay, taking in Cattle for

We understand that Harbour dues and other Port charges are levied upon all vessels fre quenting Port Phillip. If such is the case, we should say that a Harbour Master and Pilot should be appointed for the Harbour forthwith, as it is a Port of considerable difficulty in the

SYDNEY MARKETS.

FRIDAY, June 22, 1838.—Our market was plentifully supplied with vegetables and dairy a high figure.

WHEAT—(Colonial), from 5s to 5s 6d per bushel; Launceston ditto, 5s 6d to 6s ditto; Derwent ditto, 6s 6d to 7s ditto.

VEGETABLES-Potatoes, from 5s to 8s per cwt.; cabbages, 2d to 3d each; carrots, 1 d per bunch; turnips, 2d ditto; raddishes 1d ditto;

Dairy Produce—Fresh butter, 2s 6d per lb.; salt ditto, 1s 10d to 2s ditto; cheese, 10d to 1s ditto; lard, 10d ditto; eggs, 1s 9d per dozen; bacon, 10d to 1s per lb; ham, 1s

FRUIT-Oranges, from 6d to 1s per dozen; lemons, (colonial) 3d to 6d ditto; Lisbon ditto, 6d to 2s ditto.

POULTRY-Fowls, 4s 6d to 6s per couple turkies, 12s to 14s and some as high as 18s ditto

turkies, 12s to 14s and some as mgn as 1es cutto, geese, 7s to 8s each; ducks, 8s per couple; roasting pigs, 5s to 6s each.

BUTCHER'S MEAT-Beef, per lb. per joint, 35d to 4d; mutton, ditto; beef salt, 4d; pork,

Aberdeenshire

British Sovereign

Cape Packet Conway H. M. S.

Australia

Diana

Ellen Ganges

Guinaa

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London and Liverpool 2½ to 3	3 per Cent
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Launceston	14 ditto
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Freights.

To London and Liverpool---Wool 11d. per lb Oil, old measure, £4. 10s. to £4. 15s. per

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

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Commercial Journal.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1838.

"Knowledge is power." Lord Bacon.

The Ordnance Property Bill.

WE have purposely deferred the consideration of this very important subject, until the public had opportunity to consider and fully weigh a measure which will have an important influence on the future interests of this Colony,

In looking through the debates on the second reading of this Bill, before the Legislative Council on Thursday week, we cannot but be gratified by the assurance that the Council collectively evinces a desire to correct the old and pernicious system of hasty legislation, which was so long the means of fettering the Colonists with enactments passed on the odious plea of "expediency," or the "peculiar constitution of the Colony,' which, to make use of some of the honorable Members own words, were contrary to the spirit of British Law, and a disgrace to the Colonial Code. We cannot but be gratified with the knowledge that the smuggling of Bills through the Council for particular purposes, by the political jugglery of the head of the Government, for the satisfaction and interest of a corrupt Secretary of State for the Colonies, or his satellites, has received its death blow by the admission of the people into their Parliament : for we question if even the honorable Members will deny, that the cession to the public, of this privilege, will spur the honest and independent Members to an increased exertion, and be a salutary check to the polished artifices of the interested or intimidated, if such there be in our Colonial Parliament.

The question now before the Council and the public, as stated by the introducer and supporters of the Bill is this; that a corporate body shall be created out of the officers of the Ordnance Department, who shall have full power to hold, and to manage certain of the possessions of Her Majesty's government, with power to sue for the recovery of, or be sued for the illegal detention or possession of property, in like manner as private individuals: that this body shall have the power to alienate by sale, change, or otherwise any of the possessions in them vested for the improvement and benefit of that particular department, always, be it understood, under the rules and regulations of the Board of Ordproduce yesterday, yet the latter still maintains nance at Home, by which they are to be guided, and to which alone they are to be responsible for their actions. By this Bill the Executive Government are not only empowered to confirm to this body by deed of grant all the possessions hitherto used for military purposes, but to extend to it unlimited grants of land, and other pickings, which the extension of the Colony, and the consequent increase in the strength of the department may require. In this Bill, if it should pass (which we fervently pray it may not) would be included the Military Barracks, valued at a low estimate at £100,000; Dawes' Battery and the surrounding land which, from its locality to the water's edge, is worth as much more; the Military Hospitals, with extensive gardens and paddocks thereto appended, worth a considerable sum more, besides numerous other slices, value

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unknown, which on the most moderate computation are estimated at half a million of money, which will immediately pass from the controll of the Colonial Government, unsatisfactorily constituted as it is, into the the Colony, having no interest in its prosdepartment, as it forms a source of patronage and preferment to needy relatives, whose

hands of a body wholly unconnected with perity, further than the augmentation of the power and perquisites of that particular continued arrival will require the creation of new appointments, to be paid by fresh alienations ad infinitum.

It is to the unhappy practice of smug-gling hitherto adopted, and to the facility with which enactments, specially recommended from home, and supported by the head of the Government here, have passed through the Council, that we attribute this attempted violation of good faith on the part of the Home Government; and we congratulate our fellow Colonists on the determined opposition of a large majority of the Council to a Bill, which, if passed, would sweep from the Emigration Fund a sum specially required at this time, when labour is scarcely procurable at any price-when that fund is nearly exhausted, and the energies of the being strangers, and not able to procure a female government are immediately required to provide for its augmentation. What may we not expect after this attempt so provi-dentially nipped in its bud? or, rather, what extravagant propositions might we not have expected, if this iniquitious Bill had been palmed upon a packed Council, as others have been before now, and passed without discussion or opposition? We even now fancy we see the giggle of the principal juggler at home, when the gratifying intelligence was conveyed to him, that our goodtempered, complying Conncil had graciously and immediately conceded to the suggested improvement in the Ordnance. We thank God that better days are opening on usthat our Councillors are roused from that state of lethargic indifference to their own and the public interests, by which we must suppose them to have been actuated hitherto-that they have avowed in the Council their deference to public opinion, which they court out of doors, and by which they will be guided in their legislation; and we are doubly thankful that the doors of our

they are to be governed. The further consideration of this Bill is postponed until the 26th instant, when we shall again take up the subject, and enter more fully into its details. In the mean time, we call upon the Colonists, individually and collectively, to use all their influence with the independent Members to prevent the Bill passing into law.

Council Chamber are thrown open to the

public, who are thus, for the first time, ad-

mitted to, though they have no voice in, the

debates on Acts of the Legislature, by which

The following Memorial, we are happy to say, is in course of signature to oppose this obnoxious Bill; and we call upon our fellow Colonists in general to lose no time in attaching their signatures thereto-thereby crushing in the bud what, if allowed to pass into a law, will be the greatest innovation ever practised upon the Colonists of New South Wales :-

To His Excellency Sir George GIPPS, Knight Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of New South Wales and its Dependencies,

TO THE HONORABLE THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

IN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED. orial of the undersigned inhabitants of

That your memolists have learned with, much

New South Wales, humbly sheweth,

concern, that a Bill has been brought under the consideration of your Honorable Council, the object of which is to vest the whole of the Crown Lands now in the occupation of the Ordnance Department, by whatever means acquired or taken, or which may hereafter be granted to, or come into its possession, in the principal Officers for the time being of Her Majesty's Ordnancs, with power to sell, let, or exchange the same, and to appropriate the proceeds to the use of that department, independently of the sanction or controul of your Coun cil, or of any Legislative Body. That it appears to your memoralists quite incapable to calculate, or foresee, far less to enumerate, the many evils that would inevitably flow from the conferring powers so extensive and extraordinary as is here contemplated; but your memoralists would beg respectfully to represent that not the least of these evils is, that immense sums (the amount of which cannot at present be known or estimated), derivable from the sale of such valuable portions of Crown Lands, would be diverted from the chicagon. would be diverted from the objects to which, under the authority of Her Majesty's Government, your memoralists are entitled to expect they should be exclusively appropriated; viz.

they should be excusively appropriated; viz. the importation of a virtuous and industrious population, to which your memoralists look forward as the means of raising the Colony of New South Wales to a height of prosperity unparalleled in the annals of colonization. Your memoralists would respectfully submit to your Honorable Council, that the Bill now under consideration is not only altogether sub versive of the vitally important principle above referred to, on which the prosperity of the Co-lony depends, but that it is at the same time highly unconstitutional in its tendency; as its obvious effects is to render a branch of t lic service independent of the Legislature for

support; a result your memoralists would respectfully submit highly dangerous to the liber

ties of the people, and altogether opposed to the spirit of the British Constitution.

Your memoralists would therefore respect fully urge these circumstances upon the consider ation of your Honorable Council, and as it is evident that without a very greatly increased influx of available labour, the Colony must enevitably retrogade in the scale of prosperity and that as it is to the funds arising from th of Crown Lands, the Colonists can alone look for obtaining the requisite supply, your memoralists trust your Honorable Council will not sanction the passing of an Act which will have effect not only of turning the proceeds arising from such sales, into another and foreign channel, but also of subverting a fundamental principle of the British Constitution, viz., the right of controul which the Legislature should possess over the expenses of the Government, and which consequently cannot fail to prove highly detrimental to the best interests of the

And your memoralists will ever pray.

Very little has been done in the Suprem Very little has been done in the Supreme Court during the week which may be considered of public interest. Mr. Rowe appears before the Court this morning to receive their Honor's decision. On Tuesday the common, and on the 28th the special Jury cases commence.

It is rumoured that Dr. Anderson, who for any years has held the situation of Surgeon to the Colonial Hospital at Parramatta, has resigned in consequence of ill health, and will be Surgeon. Mr. Ecklord was the first person who performed the "Tallocotian" operation in this publicans? lamps? When they were in full ope-Colony (that is, putting a new nose on an old face); the operation was performed on a female prisoner at Parramatta about two years ago, but she improvidently lost it in the public streets in a "bit of a spree" shortly after. Mr. Eckford was then doing duty as Parramatta Hospital, during the temporary absence of Dr. Anderson. Report speaks of Mr Eckford as a very clever Surgeon, and we have no doubt his removal to Parramatta will prove an acquisition to the inhabitants of that rising Town.

Mr. Eckford we learn came to this Colony in the Duchess of Northumberland, and is nearly related to Dr. Moncrief, late Assistant Surgeon

at Sydney Hospital. We were not aware until recently that it was necessary to have two female, and one male sponsor in Baptism in the Established Church There must certainly be some error in this, as we well know that one male and one female is all that is required at home. Our attention has been called to this subject by the fact, that on the recent arrival of the Duchess of Northumber-land, the parents of a child belonging to the established religion were reluctantly compelled to have it baptized in the Catholic faith, they

The whole of the Immigrants by the ship Orontes have obtained situations, with very good wages, with the exception of one or two families who have a numerous progeny to provide for—a circumstance which will always operate against their meeting with ready employment in the country; masters not being desirous to incur the heavy expense attendant upon the removal of a large family 90 or 100 miles up the country and maintaining them after. We have a de cided objection to the importation of large fa milies, as well on the score of humanity, as the private interests of the Colonists.

Wednesday being the anniversary of Her Ma-Wednesday being the anniversary of Her Majesty's accession to the Throne, a Royal Salute was fired from Dawes' Battery at the usual hour; the ships in harbour displayed a beautiful appearance, from the variety of flags with which they were decorated. In the evening numerous parties were given, as well by public as private individuals. The day passed over with "eclat;" and we wish our youthful and amiable Sovereign many a happy renewal thereof.

On the same day the Mogistrates invested.

On the same day the Magistrates inspected the different public houses in the vicinity of Sydney, for the purpose of forming their opinions as to which were, and which were not eligible for a renewal of their licenses.

The intention of the Magistrates to bring Mr. T. W. Smart to trial for an imputed libel Messrs. Simmons & Co. has been neutralised by the Attorney General, on the ground that the complainants could not claim the protection of the Criminal, being ousted by the Civil side of the Court on a former occasion, and in the same action.

The Banks will be closed on Friday next, it being the anniversary of Her Majesty's proclamation.

The unwarrantable attack which has appeared The unwarrantable attack which has appeared in a recent number of a contemporary, on the gentlemen of the legal profession who have recently arrived in this Colony, is in bad taste. If they have failed in promoting their future prospects in life, by emigrating to New South Wales, after years of a painful and laborious study, and at an enormous expense, surely it is enough for them to feel that, without the gratuitous insult thus offered. Such articles do more to depre-ciate our taste in the eye of an English reader, than what the writer of the article to which we allude is probably aware of.

WINDSOR, JUNE 19, 1838 .- This being the day appointed for granting licenses to publicans, our worthy and highly respected Police Magistrate, Mr. North, availed himself of the occasion to Mr. North, availed himself of the occasion to address the assembled applicants, with a view of impressing upon their minds that they were not to consider their licenses were granted for the mere purpose of selling spirits, but that the individuals requiring refreshment should have it individuals requiring refreshment should have it in comfort accompanied by cleanliness, and that shot away Mr. C's ear. They then proceeded to he should closely investigate the characters of applicants and the regularity of their duties; and in a very clear and comprehensive speech gave them to understand that new regulations would be adopted before the next licensing day.

Mrs. Thompson's farm at the winterwork, where they received a warmer salute from the men, who one and all turned out to defene their mistress's property. One of the bushrangers was knocked down, and the others ran off, but in he should closely investigate the characters of Correspondent.

land Dogs prowling therein render it extremely dangerous, more especially to females, we have not unfrequently seen individuals accompanied by as many as three of these truly dangerous

A boat race came off on the evening of Thursday last, between three four-oared gigs, pulling from the point off Fort Macquarie, round Pinch-gut Island, and back to the Prince George Resering after a pretty match, a Gig built by Mr. Shean, of Cockle Bay, for the Harbour Master, came in first; a Gig owned by Mr. Scott, of the Ranger, built by Mr. Luke, second; and the Prince George's Gig third Prince George's Gig third.

AN EXTRAORDINARY FACT.—As our Reporter in the discharge of his duties, was yesterday morning making enquiry through the Markets as to the prices of the different articles exposed for sale, he was absolutely refused any informa tion whatever, from an individual who sells fowls, &c. close to Mr. Ginger's, on the ground that, as the Proprietor of this Journal did not furnish him with a paper gratuitously, he would give no information. Now, in answer to this unreasonable demand, all we have to say is, that were we to furnish papers gratuitously to every founder, and to our rising metropolis. We think that Government ought to lend a liberal were we to furnish papers gratuitously to every person from whom we obtain information, ours would be but an indifferent calling. We think that drawing public attention to the state of the arrangements.

The Police Office area, George-street, and the Collision of Vork street at the back of the Police Office area, George-street, and the Collision of Collisi Markets facilitates the sale of produce -else, why do we do so? And those who are not disposed to conceal the actual state of the Markets, will readily give the required prices. On the present occasion, one of Mr. Ginger's men, in the absence of his master, kindly gave the necessary information.

The lovers of painting will be much gratified by visiting Mr. Barlow's establishment, Colonnade, Bridge-street, where may be seen two va-luable pictures, painted by Sir Thomas Lawrence from originals by Sir Joshua Reynolds, being faithful copies of their Majesties King George the Third and his Consort, measuring eight feet high by five feet wide.

The men who set fire to the wheat stacks of Mr. Humphrey, of Hunter's River, have been discovered and committed to take their trials .-One of Mr. Humprey's assigned servants turned informer against two of his fellow servants res pecting the whole affair, and a female servant corroborated the evidence against them, having corroborated the evidence against them, having heard the men confess while in a state of partial intoxication, that they committed the offence for the purpose of driving Mr. Humphrey from the farm. Mr. H. is a sufferer by this villainous transaction to the amount of about £500 .-

A man named Sharpley, residing in Castle-reagh-street, was on Tuesday brought before the Police, charged with obstructing a constable in the execution of his duty, while endeavouring to convey his (Sharpley's) assigned female servant to the watch house for being drunk on Sunday night. He was fined 20s. and 5s. 10d. costs. The woman was handed over to the other Court to be dealt with.

In laying before our readers the names of the several individuals who received publicans' licenses at Parramatta on the 19th instant, we would ask, as their worships thought it necessucceeded by Mr. Eckford, at present attached to the Colonial Hospital, Liverpool, as Assistant their intention to make any prompt arrangement ration a stranger would be struck with the pau-city of night lamps—in fact their glimmer was distant and far between; we therefore trust, that for the safety of the lives and limbs of her Majesty's lieges, some decisive arrangement will be made forthwith.

The following are the names of parties who received licenses for Parramatta: James Watsford, jun., Union, Church street. Edward Lakeman, White Horse, Macquarie

Robert Green, Rose and Crown, corner of Macquarie street Margaret Macdonald, Three Crowns, Church-

street. James Walker, Scotch Thistle, North Church-Edward Smith, corner of George and Church-

Edward Drinkwater, Coach and Horses, Church-street. William Burgen, sen., Strong Man, Churchstreet.

street

Thomas Whittey Toby, Steam Packet, Georgestreet. Andrew Nash, Wool Pack Inn, George street. Thomas Reynolds, Shepherds' Inn, Mac-

Mrs. Hannah Walker, Red Cow, George-Thomas Simon, Duke of Wellington, Church-T. D. Fitzsimmons, The Cottage, O'Connell-

James Bridges, Babes in the Wood, Georgetreet. James Pike, Kangaroo Inn, Church-street.

On the same date licenses were granted to the ollowing parties for the country districts:-Michael Ryan, Irish Harp, Liberty Plains. Emanual Neich, Bath Arms, Burwood,

James Broadbent, Lamb and Lark, Windsor William Faulkner, Punch Bowl, Liverpool

toad.
John Ireland, Plough Inn, Parramatta Road.
W. Smith, Angel Inn, Liverpool Road.
Charles Morris, Royal Arms, Liberty Plains.
Christopher Moonies, Madeira Inn, Western

Joseph Smith, Roan Horse, Windsor Road. Daniel Carter, Sheop and Sheaf, ditto. David Coulton, White Hart, ditto, Charles Roberts, Star Inn, Concord. James Minton, Red House, Bedlam Point. James Landers, Bush Tavern, Sydney Road. James Kerwin, Horse and Jockey, Duck

River Bridge.

which was entered into.

We wonder how it is that Military Commanding Officers in Garrison at Sydney cannot make it convenient to dispose of trumpery cases which occur in the Regiments under their command, without sending them before the Civil authorities, thereby inconveniencing the Magistrates, retarding public business, and giving Reporters something to write which could very well be dispensed with. The case to which we allude was that of a private soldier charged with assault. Colonel Wilson said, that not wishing to interfere in the matter, he had referred it to the Commanding Officer, who had given the man a good character, but was sorry to state he could not say the same of the female, who complained of the assault. However, as the assault had been proved, he must hold the defendant to bail,

The Masonic Lodge of Australia, No. 548 will dine at the Pulteney Hotel, this day. at six o'clock.

The Rev. Mr. M'Kenny, residing in Prince-street, was on Tuesday fined 5s. and 3s. 6d. costs, for having a goat feeding on the open space near the flag staff.

By the latest accounts from Bathurst, we are tremely cautious not to verge from the main road, as the number of Mastiffs and Newfoundland Dogs prowling therein roads: the bustle that ensued, the fourth man effected the police. On further enquiry it was ascer-tained by the hat and handkerchief left, that one of the party was formerly an assigned ser vant to Mrs. Thompson. The police are in pursuit of them.

A dreadful scene occurred last week in the district of Cabramatta. A number of Convicts who had been carousing at one of those scenes of iniquity, called sly grog shops, quarrelled as they were going home, and a fight ensued. One man was knocked down and kicked so severely in his groin, that he will never recover it; and an assigned servant to a Mr. Bull had his scul fractured, and was carried into the bush towards his master's house, where he was left lying. During the night Mr. Bull was alarmed by g the dogs bark for several hours, and as hearin he could not keep them quiet he went towards the spot, where he found his servant in a dying

We regret to learn that the funds for the com-pletion of St. Mary's Cathedral, Hyde Park, are in a reduced state: to mar its present state of forwardness would not be very creditable. We

lice Office, was crowded by noon yesterday with applicants for spirit licenses, together with their surcties. The meeting of the Magistrates being held with closed doors (vide Van Diemen Land), we had not an opportunity up to the time of going to press of ascertaining who were or who were not refused, although our Reporter was in attendance; yet by our next publication we trust to be enabled to give the names of the favored parties.

Joseph Perry, on whom sentence of death was passed at the last Criminal Sittings of the Supreme Court for robbery, has been respited, and removed from the condemned cells.

The number of prisoners for trial in the Sydney Gaol are encreasing as was foretold. There were yesterday received seven more prisoners for trial from the country, as also those convicted at Bathurst Quarter Sessions.

STATE OF SYDNEY GAOL, JUNE 19, 1838,-Bail Confines..... 21 Interior.....

The military are becoming every day more annoying; we have been furnished by our Parramatta Correspondent with a lengthy report of an assault and robbery committed in that town by three privates of the 28th regiment on a female, and it was only yesterday in the Sydney Police Office, that a soldier of the 50th regiment, was committed to take his trial for stripping a man of his jacket who was in a state of intoxication. The soldier in his defence said, he only wanted to "exchange," but the Bench would not have it, and enquired if he wanted to exchange "red for white?" The man from The man from whom the jacket was taken in answer to a question from the Bench replied, that he had no wish to become a soldier; he was subsequently sentenced to six hours in the stocks for drunkenness.—There is neither honor or manliness in the conduct of such soldiers. Men of the 28th and 50th regiments, ought to look on their colours, and simply ask themselves the ques tion, is it fair to disgrace the honors purchased by the best blood in the British Empire, when chivalry was the order of the day, and in which we had no participation? Is it fair to disgrace even in the grave, the mouldering honor of those gallant fellows who belonged to those excellent regiments, and whose blood flowed spontaneously, aye,—and cheerfully to fertilize the plains of Salamanca, and the barren heights of the Pyrenees, and who scaled the peace of Europe therewith. These questions are thrown out with the best intention, trusting that they will be the means of reclaiming them who act so rash and inconsiderate. What must those officers and men feel (few though they be) in those regiments at present, the remnant of a hundred hard fought battle fields, when they hundred hard-lought battle neids, when they see individuals in their regiments levelling themselves below the worst species of convicts? Shame we say, on such conduct, and we trust, that the few hints here thrown out, will meet with proper consideration.

The balloon that was inflated at the School of Arts will be let off this afternoon, at four o'clock, P. M. from the building in Pitt street.

Coroner's Inquest.-An inquest was held on Thursday morning, at the "Bunch of Grapes," King-street, East, on the body of Wil-liam Dart, a free man, who died in the Colonial Hospital on the previous day of natural causes. Verdict accordingly.

Another inquest was held on the same day at the same place, on view of the body of Mr. Charles Nye, late a clerk in the Colonial Secretary's Office, who died in the Hospital on the previous evening. It appeared that the deceased had of late been much addicted to the excessive use of ardent spirits, and on Saturday last he was removed to the Hospital in a state of great exhaustion, and labouring under internal disease. The jury returned a verdict of " Died by the immoderate use of ardent spirits."

Police Incidents.

Ellen Macguiggan, the announcement of whose name produced an anxiety to ascertain the nature of her offence, whether from its length, or technicality, we do not know; appeared in the box, attired in the remains of what would be called in Yorkshire, a six shuttle plaid, surmounted by a bonnet that appeared to have seen its best days, was charged with stealing from the Captain of a coaster, eleven pounds in notes, and some odd silver. A quantity of articles of female attire was produced, which Ellen had purchased for the purpose of renovating her outward person, but as the Cap-

tain did not appear, Ellen, was discharged.

A man named Wright, for being found curvetting at the Queen's Wharf, about two o'clock on Wednesday morning, was sentenced to pay a fine of five shillings, or in default, to set two

hours in the stocks.

William Walsh, was charged with stealing two pots value 10s. from off the farm of Mr. Charles Smith, situate at Cook's River. The constable who apprehended him on being asked where he found him? replied in Cook's River. "Was he swimming?" enquired the modern Norbury. The nature of the case appeared to be one (more of tresspass than felony.) Walsh be one (more of tresspass than ielony.) waish admitted having taken the pots, but contended that they were his property, together with the land on which they were put up; under these circumstances the Bench in the absence of Mr. Smith, adjourned the case until Monday next, and admitted Walch to hall during that time and admitted Walsh to bail during that time.

and admitted waish to ball during that time.

Ellen Hays, charged by Inspector Prosser with being drunk in Pitt-street on Wednesday night, and using obscene and disgusting language, was fined five shillings and allowed to depart. This was a degree of leniency in no way commensurate to the offence. We should like to see constables properly supported in like to see constables properly supported in suppressing the abominable language so com-monly made use of in the streets of Sydney; at Hobart Town things are managed different—the

Hobart Town things are managed different—the use of gross expressions being visited with a fine of five pounds, which is found to be a salutary check on this species of depravity.

March of Improvement.—No fewer than seven Bacchanalians posted the regulars on Thursday. By the bye, if they continue to "tip" at this rate, it will make a great alteration in our Exchequer. From four to six hours in the stocks, we admit, is a most disagreeable in the stocks, we admit, is a most disagreeable

alternative.
Matthew M'Intyre, charged by constable
Boyle with drunkenness and disorderly conduct on the previous day, was sentenced three hours to the stocks, in default of which the five shillings. Mac. tendered 3s. 7d.—all he was possessed of-but the Bench was inexorable, and consequently would not fall in with his terms.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

WEDNESDAY, 20 JUNE, 1838.

1. Council met, pursuant to adjournment; His Excellency the Governor in the Chair. The Oath of Allegiance to Her Majesty the Queen, administered to Robert Campbell, Esq. Penal Settlement Bill; Motion made, and question put, that this Bill be again re-committed and some earthal alterations much Pages de Pages ted, and some verbal alterations made; Passed; to be read a third time on Tuesday next.

2. His Excellency the Governor laid upon the 1. A Despatch, dated the 11th November, 1836, addressed by the Right Honorable Lord Glenelg to Sir Richard Bourke, transmitting a Glenelg to Sir Richard Bourke, transmitting a Glenelg to Sir Richard Bourke, transmitting a Glenelg to Sir Richard Bourke, transmitting as

Circular Despatch, addressed to the Governors of Colonies having Legislative Assemblies, upon the subject of vesting all Military Lands and Buildings in the Principal Officers of the Ord nance Department; and also, the Draft of a Bill, containing the Provisious necessary to meet the desired object, and directing the same to be laid before the Legislative Council, of this

to be laid before the Legislative Council, of this Colony; To be printed.

2. A List of Lands, and Buildings transferred to the Ordnance, by the Board of Works, 1st January, 1836; To be printed.

3. Maps, and Plans, of the Lands, and Buildings, referred to in the List above mentioned.

4. Estimate of the Cost of erecting Military Barracks at Sydney, and at Newcastle; To be

Council adjourned at two o'clock, until Tues.

Death.

On Wednesday last, at Parramatta, aged 80 years, Mr. Thomas Barber, who has been a resident of that Town nearly 40 years.