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NOTICE.

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For Paterson's River.



THE CUTTER HYNDES, The Merchants, Shopkeepers and Inhabitants of Sydney together with the Settlers or the Hunter generally, are most

respectfully informed, that the Hyndes, cutter so well-known as a fast sailing and safe Vessel is laid on as a regular Packet to the Hunter, in place of the Thomson, cutter, which retires from the trade, having been found too large and of too heavy a draught of water.

She will continue as a regular Trader to the Hunter, if encouragement is given, which it is to be hoped will be the case, as a vessel of her des cription, tendered, as at the service of all on the River, is so much required. For further partic ulars, apply to

THOMAS HYNDES,

N. B.—In the absence of the Vessel, Goods received and Stored free of expense. Hyndes' Wharf, July 2, 1838.

For South Australia direct.

70 SAIL EARLY IN AUGUST, T H E B R I G NEREUS.

The greater part of her Cargo being engaged, early application is necessary. For Freight or Passage, apply to Messrs. V

and E. Solomon, 74, George-street; to Captain Munro, Cumberland-street; or, to Captain Milne, Prince-street. July 26, 1838.

BANK OF AUSTRALASIA. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that from and after the 1st Proximo, Interest will be charged and allowed at the following rates until

further Notice. Interest Charged.

On Bills having not more than 60

more than 100 days.. 12 per Cent.
On past due Bills, renewed Bills,
and overdrawn Accounts..... 12 per Cent.

Interest Allowed. On Current Accounts, on the daily

10 days sight 7 per Cent.

No partial payment will be made on any Deposit Receipt, and it is requested that previous notice be given to the Manager, of any Deposit exceeding Two Thousand Pounds. CHARLES FALCONER, **C**3

MANAGER. Sydney, June 27, 1838.

Public House Wanted.

NY Person having a PUBLIC HOUSE, A NY Person naving a 100 doing little or no business, may hear of a customer, by enquiring at the office of this Pa-

NOTICE.

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

> BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES 31st July, 1838.

THE Proprietors of Stock in this Bank are 1 requested to meet at the Banking-house George-street, on THURSDAY, the 16th day o August next, at 12 o'clock, to take into conside ation the expediency of increasing the number of Bank Shares, and to transact such other business as may be submitted to the Meeting.

JOHN BLACK,

TENDERS.

WEST MAITLAND CHURCH.

I T being anticipated that the Foundation of the above Church will be raised within one mouth Tenders for the continuation of the ex ternal (stone) walls are solicited; Persons desi rous of Tendering, are requested to send them to the Secretary on or before Saturday, August 25th. Security will be required for the due performance of the Contract. Plan and Specification may be seen, or any other information respecting it, on application to the Undersigned, by order of the Committee.

PETER GREEN, SECRETARY.

West Maitland July 30th, 1838.

Particular Notice.

A N Error having crept into the Advertise.
A ment respecting the Weights to be carried at the ensuing Hawkesbury Races.—All Persons concerned are hereby informed that the Weights will be as heretofore, which are as follows,

	st.	lbs.			
Two years old	ß	7			
Three years old	1	6			
Four years old	8	4			
Five years old					
Six years and aged	9	6			
For the Secretar	v,				
W.	W. CROSS.				

GRAINS FOR SALE.

THE Undersigned can supply Grains in an quantity at seven pence per bushel. NEWNHAM & TOOTH.

Kent Brewery, August 1st, 1838.

CLEWHTP?3 COLONIAL AND FOREIGN

MARBLE WORKS.

MRS. CLEWITT, in renewing her thanks to her Friends and the Public for the kind consideration and patronage evinced since the Business devolved upon her, has the satisfaction to announce the arrival from England of an efficient Statuary and Mason to superintend the Mar-ble Works, so that she now feels warranted in taking any or and Ornamental Masonry, &c., that she may be favored with, and invites an inspection of her Show Room, where Monuments, Tablets, Chim-

neys, &c., may be procured on the most reasona-ble terms that good Workmanship will admit. A supply of Plaster of Paris always on hand.

Pitt-street, 1st August, 1838.

R. LINCH & CO'S., FLOUR & CORN WAREHOUSE,

43, PITT-STREET: CORNER OF BATHURST-STREET, Opposite the " Edinburgh Castle."

L. & CO., beg leave to inform Mer-R. & CO., beg leave to inform Mer-chants, Owners and Captains of Vessels, with Families and others, who may favor them with their Orders, that they have laid in a large supply of

HAY, CORN, STRAW, BRAN, CHAFF, &c. which they are enabled to offer at very low prices. And always keeping an extensive stock on hand, they are enabled to compete with any House in the same line of Business in Sydney

W. PATTEN.

Australian and Italian Marble Works,

100, PITT-STREET.

NVITES the attention of the Public to his collection of Colonial Marbles, which he has at considerable expense brought to Sydney, and can with confidence recommend them as the handsomest specimens that have hitherto been

manufactured.

W. P. is also landing from the City of London, an extensive assortment of the Italian marble in blocks, consisting of statuary, Vein, Dove, and Black, which he intends manufacturing on the most reasonable terms and superior workmanship. Gentlemen in the interior will find it advantageous to purchase of him, as he will undertake to pack and fix them in any part of the

Monuments, Chimney Picces, Hearths, Wash stands, Baths, Sun-dials, Tombs, Head-stones &c. &c., with every article in the trade. August 4, 1838.

FINE FLOUR

Delivered in any part of Sydney, at

24s. per 100,

SECONDS FLOUR AT 19s. per 100.

mollinsmead's STEAM MILLS, KENT-STREET, SOUTH.

REMOVAL.

JAMES SUTTON & Co. beg to inform their friends and the public that they have removed from the "Horse and Jockey," Pitt-street, to those commodious stables at Mr. T. Douglass' nearly opposite the Police Office, where they will be happy to receive the commands of Gen tlemen desirous of entrusting horses to their care, assuring them that their utmost endeavours will be used to promote their interests.

Horses bought, sold, exchanged, and brokenin, to saddle or harness.

REMOVAL.

WILLIAM TOOGOOD.

RESTAURATEUR, DEGS most respectfully to inform his Patrons and the Public generally, that gratitude for their past favours, and a due regard to their future comfort, has induced him to remove from his late residence next the Rose and Crown, to those much more commodious Premises at the North. eastern corner of King and Castlereagh-streets, immediately opposite his former abode, and equally near the Supreme Court-house, &c., and is he has incurred very heavy expenses in effect ing the necessary repairs and alterations, he feels confident his humble exertions will not pass un-

W. T. having engaged a first rate Cook in addition to his former establishment, would be happy to undertake the management of private rewarded. dinner or supper parties, or to supply the neces ary materials for such.

Prime York and Westphalia Hams, Pickles Sauces, and Preserves on Sale.

King and Castlereagh-streets, Sydney, August 6, 1838.

JUST LANDED. AND ON SALE,

Ex "John" and "Sultana."

Grocery, and Italian Stores, between

FINE SULTANA RAISINS, in drums Turkey pulled Figs ditto
Fine imperial French Plums, in tin cases Muscatelle Raisins and Jordon Almonds, in beau

Turkey Raisins in barrels Cape Raisins in boxes

Hoases, in pints and quarts
A splendid assortment of Sauces for fish, game

Tomala Sance, Camp Sauce, Harvey's Sauce, John Ball Sauce, Reading Sauce, and London

French English and French Capers, Spanish Olives

scription, every other Article in the Trade is vays kent on hand.

on the same principle as in Town, and Goods of the first description only will be forwarded.

N. B .- A quantity of fine Loaf Sugar and Colonial Cheese, a few kegs of the Tybee's Negro head Tobacco (No. 1, Jones' Brand), either in

Pitt-street, Aug. 2, 1838.

ISLE OF FRANCE SUGAR,

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

FEED OATS

ON SALE, at the Stores of Mr. E. Manning Queen's place, about One Thousand bushels FEED OATS.

Sydney, May 14, 1838.

HENRY HAYES. TAILDR & DRAPER,

George-street,

EGS to announce to the Gentlemen of this colony, that, having now completed his arrangements, he is ready to receive and execute all orders in the above line, and respectfully invites their inspection of his Stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Waistcoatings, &c., &c.

experience of nearly six years, in some of the First West-end London Houses, (Stultz's, Nugee's, &c,) so justly eminent for their superiority of Cut and elegance of Style, and upon his adoption of a moderate scale of Charges, which will always be as low as compatable, with furnishing first-rate Materials, first-rate Workmanship, and the richest Style of finishing. Servants' Liveries tastefully made up.

WANTED, two good Journeymen, who shall have constant employment, and the best wages in the Colony.

Sydney, 3rd August, 1838.

WORKING BULLOCKS.

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

MANHEIM BROWN, Cailor, Draper, and Matter,

No. 8, George Street, N. B .-- An Apprentice wanted.

To Printers.

ANTED at the Office of this Paper THREE GOOD COMPOSITORS, to liberal Wages.

ORKMEN in the above line will find im-

July 30, 1838.

At Strickland's Wholesale and Retail, Tea

Market and Park-streets,

tiful condition English and Dutch Cheese in variety

Shell Almonds and Barcelona Nuts Walnuts in fine condition A large variety of Pickles from the first London

Beef Steak Sauce. Essence of Anchovies, Anchovies English and

English bottled Fruits of every description French Braudy Fruits and Maccaroni Alarge stock of fine Durham Mustand in pounds and half-pounds, Potted Yarmouth Herrings, Paste, fine Chocolate, Tapioca, Sago and Arrowroot, Jams and Jellies, English Wax, Sperm and Mould Candles, Teas and Coffees as usual, in great variety and of the best de-

Families and Dealears in the Country supplied

R. STRICKLAND.

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AT FOUR SHILLINGS PER BUSHEL, CASH.

From Nugee's, St. James's-street, London,

OPPOSITE WOOLLEY'S, IRONMONGERS,

H. H. rests his claims to an extensive Fashion-able Patronage, on the fact of his having had an

A CARD.

OPPOSITE THE COMMERCIAL BANK, SYDNEY 1st June, 1838.

will be given constant employment and

To Cabinetmakers.

W mediate employment. Also, one Wood Turner. Apply to B. A. Phillips, Cabinet-maker and Undertaker, George-street. *** An Apprentice wanted to the Cabinet-

Wants a Situation, A PERSON of respectable character, as a JOINER, CABINET MAKER, &c. in all its branches. The Advertiser being competent to undertake the management of an estab-lishment, a situation of that kind would be preferred; or has no objection to go to any of the new Colonies, he having been three years at

Application as to terms, address, &c. to be made to the Office of this paper; if by letter post paid.

WANTED immediately TWO BUTCHERS and a MAN who well understands the care of Horses. Apply as under.

CAUTION.

THE Public generally are cautioned against giving credit for Goods on my account without my written authority.

T. HOLMES.

95, George street, August 10, 1838. Board and Lodging.

GENTLEMAN and his WIFE, or two A SINGLE GENTLEMEN, can be accommodated with the above at the House of a Gentle modated with the above at the House of a Gentle-man engaged during the Day at a Public Office. Dinner hour 5 o'Clock.—References required. Address R. C. B. at the Office of this Paper, or enquire of Mrs. Dunsdon, Confectioner, George-

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto carried on by A. Summerbell and W. Phillips, both of Sydney, Shipwrights, is this Day DISSOLVED; all persons indebted to the late Firm, are requested to settle their Accounts, and all persons larging Chaines are interested. having Claims against them, are to present them to Mr. A. Summerbell, Moore's Wharf. Sydney, August 11th, 1838.

FOUND

ON WEDNESDAY LAST, a BLACK SWAN, the owner may have the same by paying for this Advertisement. Apply to

J. CRACKNELL, Kent-street, Sign of the "Green Dragon.

IMPORTANT TO FAMILIES.

AT PECKHAM'S GROCERY WAREHOUSE, YORK-STREET

following low prices:--Salt Butter at 2s. per lb. Fresh ditto at 2s. 6d. per lb. The trade supplied with butter by the firkin at noderate prices

Best Derwent Potatoes, with every variety of

the choicest Groceries

York-street, Sydney, 11th August, 1838.

To Newly Arrived Emigrants. CAPITALISTS, GRAZIERS,

AND OTHERS. A GRANT FROM THE CROWN.

O NE THOUSAND AND SIXTY ACRES of LAND for Sale by Private Contract, being that beautiful and highly improved Estate called "MONTPELLIER," in the Cowpastures. The improvements consist of a Dwelling-house, Garden, Orchard, Mens' Huts, Barn, Stock-yards, 130 Acres cleared, fenced with a new four-railed fence, and in cultivation, a Bullock Paddock, containing two hundred acres with a large quantity of felled timber. The advertiser deems it quite unnecessary to enlarge in describing the advantages this desirable and wellknown property possesses over most of the old grants of late offered for Sale; the richness of

he soil and the locality being the best in the

Colony, having at command the rapidly advanc-

ing Towns of Liverpool, Campbell, Berrima, and the Villiage of Stonequarry, insuring a higher price (at all times) for Farm Produce than can be obtained at Sydney, and an unlimitted out-let for the most extensive Herds. The Land has been accurately measured by an Eminent Surveyor and divided into Lots of from twenty to one hundred acres, and will be disposed of in one Lot, or in small Farms as divided, to suit

Plans and a more particular description of each lot may be seen at the office of the Agent, THOMAS BRENNAND,

purchasers, on Liberal Terms.

has always met with.

George-street, Sydney. August 7, 1838.

ON SALE.

T the undersigned, a large quantity of Gas A T the undersigned, a large quantity of the Fittings, Lustres, Pendants, Pillars, and Brackets, Bright Lacquered and Bronzed, and a variety of fancy Burners, a large quantity of Block Tin Pipeing $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{8}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{8}$, $\frac{3}{8}$ Inches Bore, Stop Cocks with Screw Couplings. and Screw Couplings to suit the Pipes. Imported from the best nakers in the mother country. WILLIAM BOURNE, Engineer.

Sussex-street, Sydney, August 9, 1838.

N B-Carriages, Saddle Horses and Gigs to

T. A. JOHNSON'S Livery Stables, Clarence-Street. A. J. begs to inform his Friends and the Public, that he has purchased of Mr. J. B. Jones, A NEAT CHARIOT, and solicits a continuance of the same encouragement that he

PUBLIC NOTICE,

To Merchants, Agents, Country Gentlemen, &c.

THE undersigned being at all times desirous of economizing their Advertisements, &c., beg to request the favor of those Gentlemen (forwarding Memorandums of Property for Sale by Public Auction), to state the several Newspapers in which they prefer in-

Auction Mart, George street, August 11, 1838.

ISAAC SIMMONS & CO.

serting.

moderate terms.

£100. TEN SHARES, of £10 each, in the lucra-tive Institution of the BANK of AUS TRALIA can be had by applying to MR. THOMAS STUBBS,

At Isaac Simmons and Co's.
Auction Mart, George-st Dixon's and Major Mitchell's large Map of New South Wales.

THE above Maps to be had at the "Old Established Engraving and Copperplate Printing Office, 19, King street East, either mounted, plain, colored, or for the pocket. ** Visiting, Complimentary, and Address Cards, Bill Heads, Bankers' Notes, Drafts, Re-Caddie Basins

ceipts, &c., executed in a superior style and on W. BAKER, Engraver, Stationer, &c

Seven Hundred and Ninety Acres

TO LET,

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

at Cook's River.

A. POLACK. George-street.

To Market Gardeners & Others

TO be LET, on moderate terms, about TWO ACRES of LAND, at the Surry Hills, adoining 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.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE BARGAIN BY JOHN CHALMERS, A THIRTY ACRE FARM, MOST pleasantly situated opposite the 13 Mile Stone, with a frontage of upwards of Eight Hundred feet, to the Liverpool Road. Nearly twenty Acres of the Land are cleared and stumped, so as at once, to receive the plough. The situation being low, the want of water is never known. A large reservoir with little la-bour could be formed in the rear. The land is

of a rich alluvial soil, and at one time, was a most beautiful Orchard. The furthermost por-TAMILIES may be supplied with very superior FRESH and SALT BUTTER, at the purpose of Potters or Brickmakers.

About the centre is created a specieus wooden frame 45 feet long with skilling, and could (timber being on the spot) be converted into a suitable and commodious Public House, at an

expense of about £50.

The contiguity of this property to Sydney offers at once an Independency to the industrious Farmer, Publican, Market Gardener, Poulterer,

TITLE-GRANT FROM THE CROWN. George-street Market Office, Sydney, 9th August, 1838.

Terms-liberal.

BRIGHTON ESTATE. THE Executors of the late F. STEPHEN, Esq., hereby inform the Purchasers of the

Brighton Property, that they are now prepared to execute Deeds of Conveyances of the same to A. POLACK.

Sydney, June 12 1838.

SPLENDID OIL PAINTINGS, Ex MARY ANN. ON SALE BY PRIVATE CONTRACT
by the Undersional " by the Undersigned, a few

SPRENDID OUR PAINTINGS.

(Just Landed, ex Mary Ann,) by Stanfield, Turner, Corbould, Owen, Cooper, and Landseer.

A. POLACK.

Ex ORESTES, AND ON SALE AT THE STORES OF MR. E.MANNING, QUEEN'S-PLACE, COUR THOUSAND BUSHELS of SEED

OATS Seven hundred bushels of the most superior 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 Dantzic 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

Sydney, May 12, 1838. MEDICAL HALL. GEORGE STREET, PARRAMATTA.

quantities to suit purchasers.

MR. LLOYD, Surgeon, Accoucheur, &c. respectfully announces to the Inhabitants of Parramatta and neighbourhood, that he has made arrangements so as to be able to supply MEDICINES of the choicest description at the Sydney prices. Bleeding, Cupping, Tooth-drawing, &c. performed at the above establishment.

Prescriptions dispensed with care.

Fumblers, fluted ditto Ditto star ditto Wine Glasses iqueur ditto Claret ditto Champagne ditto Goblets

Butter Boxes Custards, &c. &c. Terms made known at time of sale.

To Stationers, General Dealers,

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS. TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, BY W. HEBBLEWHITE, At his Rooms, Lower George-street, THIS DAY, the 15th Instant, at 11 o'clock precisely, REAMS FOOLSCAP PAPER 1 Case very superior Quills

Purchasers under £30, Cash; above that sum approved Bills at 3 months.

Instant, at Noon,

THE GOVERNMENT SCHOONER ISABELLA, about 127 Tons Burthen, coppered and copper-fastened, with her Masts, Sails, Rigging, Cables, Anchors, Boats, &c.

This Vessel may be inspected at the Dock Yard where she now lies any time between this and the day of Sale, and an Inventory of the Articles belonging to her may be seen at the Office of the Master Attendant. Office of the Master Attendant.

At the same time and place will be Sold, the Hull of the schooner Boat ANTELOPE, coppered and about 12 Tons Burthen.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, BY MR. BLACKMAN, At his Rooms, on TUESDAY, the 21st August,

Water. These desirable Premises are near Parramatta-street, adjoining Mr. Wood's Cottages, and opposite Mr. Dalton's Ground. It is now let to a respectable Tenant at the low rent of 13s. per week for 12 months from 23d June TITLE-GRANT FROM THE CROWN.

TERMS-Half Cash upon the fall of the bam

Odd Fellows' Tavern. Household Furniture, Books, cut Glass. plete; together with the entire Stock-in-Trade of Mr. GEORGE BUCKING-

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, BY SAMUEL SOLOMON. On THURSDAY the 15th day of August instant on THURSDAY the 15th day of August instant on the Premises, at Eleven o'clock precisely,

A QUANTITY of very superior Sherry, Port,
Madeira, Champagne, Ale, Porter, excellent Perry, Draught Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin,

Cherry, Braught Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin, Cherry, Raspberry, and Strawberry Brandy; Spirit Engine, Fountain, and Beer Engine, &c., comprising the whole Stock-in-Trade of the above flourishing. In above flourishing Inn. ALSO, The whole of the very superior Household Furniture, Oil Paintings, Chandeliers, Mirrors, Pier Glasses, Lustres, Cheffoniers, Musical Clocks, splendid Dining Tables, Sofas, Carpets,

BILLIARD TABLE.

TO SOLD BY PRIVATE CONTRACT. ON THE MOST LIBERAL TERMS,

four Cues, Marking Boards, Rules, with six new Bracket Lamps, Shades, &c. complete. For further particulars, apply to Mr. Joseph Sly, Cabinet-maker, Pitt-street, or Mr. Thomas W. Toby, "Steam Packet Inn," Parramatta.

Aspinall, Brown, & Co.'s Wharf.

SALES BY AUCTION.

HE SALE of the above invaluable WHARF, STORES, &c. &c. will be

THIS DAY,

AT ONE O'CLOCK PRECISELY. Twenty-seven Packages Splen-

didly Cut Glassware.

At his Rooms Lower George-street, THIS DAY, the 15th inst., at Eleven o'clock precisely,

QUART DECANTERS beautifully Cut Pint ditto ditto Claret ditto ditto

Druggists' Stoppered Bottles Cruet Castors

and Others.

AFTER WHICH, 25 YORK HAMS.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, BY MR. BLACKMAN, the Dock Yard, THIS DAY, the 15th THE GOVERNMENT

Sydney, 27th July, 1838.

VERANDAH COTTAGE,

at 12 o'clock precisely, NEAT BRICK BUILT VERANDAH A NEAT BRICK-BUILD VERANDAL COTTAGE, containing three Rooms, a good Stable and side entrance, an excellent Pump, which affords a never-failing supply of Phase desirable Premises are near

mer; and the remaining half of purchase money by an approved bill at three months, to ear date from the day of sale.

splendid Gig, Cart, Harness, &c. com-HAM, at the Odd Fellows' Tavern, situate at the corner of Elizabeth and

and a variety of other useful articles, in the best possible condition. Also, a quantity of Cut Glass, consisting of Tumblers, Goblets, Claret, Champagne, and other Wines; handsome China sets, Chimney Ornaments; together with a large quantity of Domestic Utensils, Casks, &c., &c. Also, a splendid Gig, and Horse, Cart, and Harness complete.

Terms made known at the time of Sale.

BILLIARD TABLE complete, with two A Cloths, two setts of Balls, Cue Rack, twenty-

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, BY W. HEBBLEWHITE,

SHIP NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

From Leith, on Sunday last, having left that place the 19th, the Downs the 26th, and the Lizard the 26th April, the ship Lady Kennaway, 543 tons, with 276 Scotch Emigrants. Cabin passengers, Dr. Waugh, Surgeon Superintendent, Miss Waugh, Miss Ann Waugh, Dr. Hung and Miss Loca Hope and Miss Hope.
From New Zealand, on Monday, having left

that place the 20th July, the brig Bee, Hunter master. Lading, 95 tuns oil. From Newcastle, same day, the steamer King

DEPARTURES.

For Calcutta, on Monday last, the barque Strathisla and ship John. For Sourabaya, same day, the ship Amelia

Thompson.
For Newcastle, same day, the steamers So. phia Jane and Tamar. For the same place, yesterday, the steamer King William IV.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.

The Tybee for Salem, this day; the Currency Lass for New Zealand, Denmark Hill for Port Phillip, and Kinnear for London, the 18th in-

The watermen are all on the qui vive, another whale having been caught on Monday afternoon by the boats belonging to Mr. Weller's party. It was a complete God-send, as the crews of the various boats had all returned from sea, little expecting that a whale would have ventured to show his snout inside of the South Reef; but so it was—the foolish little fish came and laid its carcase on the Sow and Pigs bank, and a cutter which was lying near it hailed the boatmen ashore, who immediately put off, and after a pretty considerable deal of digging at the whale hey succeeded in killing and towing it on the beach. It is a small 30-barrel whale, about the same size as the one caught a few days since which turned out about 4 tuns of oil, and 200 lbs whalebone. As the whales have now regularly set in, we shall not be at all surprised to hear that some of the cow whales have been captured; those caught are what they term " last year's calves." Again we say greasy luck to them; as from the little we see of the proceeds of cutting up and trying out, we consider whalers well earn all they get.

The Governor has sanctioned the placing of warps and and anchors at Newcastle for the use of the small craft trading to that Port.

The Emigrant ship Lady Kennanay made a very fine passage from Leith, and what was of more consequence, experienced very little sickness; there were only seven deaths, and those infant children, and seven births, which makes the same number landed as embarked. Emigration Committee sat vesterday on board and mustered them as to their claim to the Government bounty. They will be landed this morning.

The convicts per Lord Lyndoch were landed yesterday, and marched to Hyde Park Barracks for assignment.

The brig Bee came up on Monday from the whaling stations at New Zealand with a cargo of black oil. She has visited most of the Establishments on the southern end of New Zealand and with one or two exceptions reports that the whaling parties are doing very well. The schooner Dublin Packet had left Otargo for Sydney with a cargo of oil and bone for Mr. Weller's station at that place. The gangs there, we are sorry to hear, have not been so successful as they were last year. The season on that coast is nearly over.

The American ship Tybee sails to day for Salem (United States) with a cargo of wool, &c.

The steamer William IV. went down to Port Stephens, yesterday evening, with supplies for the whaling brig Tigress lying in there. She will proceed to Port Maquarie on Friday even-

The schooner Marian Watson is hourly expected up from Hobart Town, her owner, Mr. D. Egan has a full cargo waiting her, and will despatch her again for the Derwent a few days after her arrival from thence.

The Government schooner Isabella is to be sold by auction, at the Dock-yard, at 12 o'clock to day. From her well known sailing qualities. no doubt there will be some little competition amongst intended purchasers. She is, we be-lieve, pretty well found in sails and stores, and would answer well for the New Zealand or Island

The Kinnear has hauled out into a fair way, and will sail for London on Sunday morning. The Orontes has been moved into her berth, to take in provisions and stores for the new settlement at Port Essington; the man of war and she will leave in the early part of next month for that destination.

The Mary has completed the discharging her oil into the Cecilia, and has hauled round to Bettington's Wharf to heave down before refitting for sea again.

The brig Governor Phillip sails in the course of the day or to morrow for Norfolk Island with provisions for that settlement, and a military and passengers; the Coromandel with Emi-grants; Despatch and Fortune with general car-

dise and passengers.

The Integrity and Drummore sail in a few days for Calcutta, keeping company together through Torres' Straits.

Sydney General Trade List.

IMPORTS. Reports from the 4th to the 11th instant,

inclusive. August 6-JUNO (barque), 212 tons, Banks, master, from South Sea Fishery, S A Donaldson, agent; 763 barrels sperm whale oil, S A Do-

August 7-ULITEA (schooner), 70 tons, Waddy, master, from South Sea Islands, W H Waddy, master, from South Sea Islands, w H
Chapman, agent; 10 tuns cocoanut oil, 1½ ton
molasses, 28 bags sugar, 53 boxes arrowroot, W
that orders would have been issued to lock H Chapman; 100 lbs bananas, 300 cocoanuts,

R Waddy.

August 8—MARTHA (brig), 121 tons, Hay,
master, from New Zealand, A M'Gaa & Co,
agents; 19 casks sperm oil, 7 barrels fat, 2 bogsheads black oil, 30 bundles whalebone, 6 casks pork, A M'Gaa & Co; 4 brass swivels, Monte-flores & Co; 45 tons flax, D Scott.

August 8—WILLIAM (brig), 218 tons,
Watson, master, from Timor, H Bell, agent; 136

ponies, Watson & Co.

ponies, Watson & Co.
August 9—LORD I.YNDOCH (barque),
638 tons, Stead, master, from London, Edwards
& Hunter, agents; 311 male prisoners.
August 10—ARETHUSA (brig), 180 tons,
Taylor, master, from Calcutta, W Walker & Co, Taylor, master, from Calcutta, W Walker & Co, agents; 1162 bags sugar, 16 hogsheads tallow, 9 hogsheads cocoanut oil, 117 hogsheads molasses, 8 bags linseed, 60 kegs hog's lard, 7 bales cordage, 8 bales spunyarn, 50 bundles canvass, 100 bags split peas, 10 bags turmeric, 1 crate blocks, 28 bales twine, 49 bags 91 tubs cigars, 1 box shellac, 6 bayes easter oil 12 bayes agrayured 2 bayes 6 boxes castor oil, 13 boxes arrowroot, 3 boxes curry powder, 60 butts shooks, 1 bundle rattans, 25 bales jute, 1 box Cayenne pepper, 300 bags rice, 150 carriage wheels, 50 pairs shafts, 50 buckets, 6 bales hides, 2 bales sacks, 3 bales sack ing, 100 loose 5 bales door mats, 1 bale table cloths, 3 cases 1 bale millinery, 2 packages whips, box cau de Cologne, 1 box wax, 2 bags nut-megs, 1 bale senna, 1 box cloves, 19 boxes biscuit, 12 bales hemp, 3 chests bottled beer, 1 parcel muslin, 2 kegs buffalo humps, 1 bale saddlery,

August 11-TRUSTY (ship), 365 tons, Jamieson, master, from South Australia, T Gore & Co, agents; in ballast.

EXPORTS. Vessels cleared from the 4th to the 11th instant inclusive.

August 6-BLACK JOKE, 113 tons, Freeman, master, for Launceston; 30 pipes 30 hogs-heads 30 quarter-casks Cape wine, 2 casks sperm oil, 100 hides, 5 casks 1 case oranges, 1 gig, 12 bales bags, 1 case haberdashery, 3 casks 1 case cheese, 7 tierces provisions, 3 kegs tallow, 15 bags maize, 329 chests 290 half-chests 565 tencatty boxes 137 five catty boxes tea, 1 keg metal, 3 cases marble, 2 cases sundries.

August 6—ANN GALES, 303 tons, Giles,

master, for Bombay, in ballast.

August 6-JOHN, 472 tons, Smith, master,

for Calcutta; 10 cases preserves, 2 cases plated-August 10-AMELIA THOMPSON, 477

tons, Dawson, master, for Java, in ballast.
August 11--HANNAH, 90 tons, Hay, mas ter, for New Zealand; 1 tierce 5 boxes tobacco, 5 pipes arrack, 130 tons casks, 15 casks flour, 3 quarter-casks 2 barrels gunpowder, 3 packages hardware, 2 bales 2 cases 1 cask slops, 1 bale blankets, 10 whale-lines, 3 cases muskets, 86 oil shooks, 1 hogshead porter, 8 casks pork, 12 casks bread, 4 casks beef, 2 casks sugar, 7 chests tea 18 casks provisions, I cask vinegar.

Commercial Journal.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1838

" Knowledge is power."

Lord Bacon. THE MILITARY.

In a Colony like New South Wales, nothing can possibly be more dangerous than the having a military body, upon whom no reliance can be placed. The very safeguard of our lives and property in a country populated by a great portion of prisoners, depends solely on the integrity, honesty, and fidelity of the military. How differently situated must we then be when we daily witness robbery, murder, and every species of felony committed by soldiers-our wives and daughters wantonly assaulted, ill-used, and in danger of being violated by the very

Names of vessels daily expected in this Port from London:—Abel Gower, Lady Fitzherbert, Our Town of Sydney is nightly disturbed by the riotous conduct of these people and pages of the pharisaical Colonist. What did it please this sycophant to say of the Monitor some fifteen or twenty months back? what has he not said of the Australian, and our streets rendered unsafe to pass from fear of molestation by the soldiers. Notwith-standing the occasions which our columns of the Gazette?—and what would he not say The Countess of Durham left Leith a day or two before the Lady Kennaway, and the Rajah a week, both bound to this Port with merchanof the Herald, and in fact of all of us if he dare. The attack upon us last Saturday was as mild as could have been expected from so strange an animal, that has not failed ticed by other journals of the assaults, robberies, and other mis-doings of these to pronounce the Monitor a "dung cart" gentry, we do not find any steps or and the Herald, the "convict press" in some of his wild and restive moments. measures whatever taken to check their de predations, or the least possible assistance Let the Colonist look at home, and cleanse given when people endeavour to identify its own stables, before it steps across to its neighbours. Let it shake off all " flash" exsuch offenders; but on the contrary we find pressions, particularly when they are connected with aught that is "b-y." We, every obstacle thrown in the way of persons seeking to bring these miscreants to justice unfortunately, have not a file of this delecta-We certainly did expect that our daily complaints, together with the many police reble paper by us, or it would be easy to exports of offences committed by soldiers, tract a column of disreputable sayings, to

would have drawn the attention of the officers convince the public of the purity of the fastin command to these frequent infringements fading Colonist. If the moral " Castigator," and the enthusiastic, divine commentator require a second edition of the above, it shall be served up these men within the wall of their own barracks, until they should better know how out to them in the due course of time. to conduct themselves towards the public. But no such thing has taken place, and they

roam about, intent on plunder, or some other

species of outrage. It is a shameful and

serious matter for us to witness a parcel of

soldiers wearing Her Majesty's livery, sup-

ported by the public, and sent here for our

protection, linked with felons of the worst

description, and marched through the streets

on their way to Courts of Justice, to take their trials. We have scarcely a Session,

without being obliged-we may say reluct-

antly obliged-to witness the conviction of

our military, and oftentimes for offences

of very grave natures. On Saturday last,

for instance, we saw no less than four

soldiers arraigned as prisoners in the

Supreme Court on a charge of felony

of a most daring nature; and not many

weeks ago we had occasion to notice that

some of our soldiers, Mounted Policemen,

were committed to gaol for robbery on the

highway. Good God! is there then no

guarantee for the safety of the public, if

they are to be robbed on the Queen's high-ways, and by her own soldiers! What will

our English readers suppose of all this? Will they not be deterred from venturing

life and property here amongst us, when

they come to learn that our protectors be-

come plunderers, robbers, and murderers?

In times gone by the character of this Co-

lony was indeed considerably deteriorated,

but from very different reports, and said to

arise from very different causes. The penal

character of the Colony in days past by

tended materially to its prejudice. The

of the prison population—but not so now.

witness of the robberies and outrages com-

mitted by the military? Will not they do

bers, we are bound to say that we consider

not deny that there are many scabby sheep

that there are men at this very day now ac-

"Depravity of the Press" ----

THE COLONIST.

The enthusiastic, moral, and religious

Castigator," and his sapient co-adjutor of

the renowned (for scurrility) and hot brained

Colonist, appear to have suffered an internal

commotion through the effects of a true pic-

ture of life, which we published in a late

number of our Journal, and which in all

probability, although they dare not confess it, pleased the puritanical "Castigator" just as

much as it did the moral and religious reve-

It is rather surprising " Castigutor" did

not arouse the over anxious abuser of the

rights and privileges of man, to do his brand-

ing work, before the effect that caused his strictures had died away—had grown

rend commentator.

the best men in the Colony.

other?

The confederacy between "Castigator" and the Editor of the Colonist is quite clear, indeed we consider that the whole of the filthy matter emanated from the same debased and worthless mind. That the same article is pregnant with the basest calumny, envy, and malicious motive, no person can doubt for one moment. And for what?-Why, forsooth, it is because the "Commercial Journal" has risen in reputation while the Colonist has evidently retrogaded most materially; we think, to be candid on account of its hypocritical character and religious squabbles-it is because the Commercial Journal has increased in the number of its subscribers, seven hundred within the last five months, and now amounts to twenty-four hundred weekly, while the Colonist is evidently greatly on the decline-these are some of the reasons which has induced the Editor of this jeering production to come forward in the blackguard way he has-'tis true we have no more reason to complain than other papers of the Colony, who have in turn, as before stated, felt the venom and slander of this saintly Editor. We trust our readers will see the motives of the slanderer, and give such credit to his productions, as they may deem them worthy of; and in conclusion, we have to regret the necessity of thus far intruding on our columns; as it was our intention to have allowed the Colonist to die in peace; but the unjust attack of this puritanical hum-

Summary of English News.

bug has rendered a reply from us imperative.

greatest fears then arose from the violations The Emigrant Ship Lady Kennaway, from Leith and the Downes on the 25th April, has conveyed English Intelligence to our shores to that date. The aspect of affairs, both internal and external is of the same sing-song sort, that has characterised it for many a long day, and The false reports lately circulated by a lying Jesuistical priest in respect of these people has also tended to do the character of the Colony no great good. But what is nothing decisive but in a dribbling fashion, has yet been done to meet the wishes of the Inhabitants of New South Wales. Instead of being that compared to the daily reports which we towards us "ever distant ever dear"-we were lost in the distance, but for the few friends who had gone over the waters from their estates and more mischief to the Colony than any families, to guide aught that might be advanced for the well being of the Colony, so that the ob-Now, in comparing the general body of jects in view may be gained with greater facility, the prison population with the military, and and less clipping. considering the discrepancy of their num-

The following paragraph from the Times will show what was doing, with regard to New Zealand in the House of Lords April 10th.

the convict population much more subor-The Duke of Richmond presented a petition, dinate than the military; and while we cansigned by nearly all the mercha polis who carried on trade with the New Zealand amongst the flock, we dare as well assert Islands, and praying the Government to take efficient steps for the protection of their property and commerce in that quarter. Although the First Lord of the Admiralty was not present in his place, still he might be allowed to express his belief, that there could be no security for tually serving under sentence who are not far behind hand in point of honesty with merchants in those seas unless an adequate naval force was stationed there, which was not the case at present. The noble duke moved that the petition be referred to the select committee on the present state of the islands of New Zealand.—Ordered.

With regard to the proceeding in the House of Commons, touching the Government of this Colony, we say nothing, but place the following picture as painted by the *Times* of April 9th.

"Mr. C. Buller presented a petition from 500 inhabitants of New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land, praying that representative as-semblies may be granted to those Colonies. His hon. friend the Under Secretary for the Colonial Department had announced on a former day that it was the intention of Government to bring in a bill for the permanent settlement of the constitutions of both those Colonies. The questions which he wished to put to his hon, friend were first, whether the Government had made up their mind as to the principles of the bills which they would introduce for that purpose; and, secondly, whether their plan was one which would include the granting of representative assemblies to New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land. Sir G. Grey could not enter at that moment into any detailed explanation of the plan intended to be introduced by Her Majesty's Government. He would only say, that it was the peculiar circumstances of those Colonies that constituted the difficulties which stood in the way of granting them representative assemblies, and that those circumstancs did not exist in any other of our foreign settlements The plan which the Government intended to introduce would only be provisional. as the vast infinx of emigrants, to which those Colonies owed so much of their prosperity and resources, would render any other arrangement at present unsatisfactory."

Mr. Catterall's case came on for hearing be fore Mr. Justice Burton and a Civil Jury on Monday last. The information charged the de fendant with having incited Captain Adams, of the 28th Regiment, to commit a breach of the peace, in sending a certain letter to plaintiff, and causing a placard to be posted, reflecting on the character of the Captain. Mr. C. made a long and ireful defence, and was carried by his warmth to extremes, so much so that when reflecting upon the Attorney General, His Honor was obliged to caution him not to repeat similar language, or he should be obliged to commit him for contempt of Court. Mr. C. how-ever, once again forgot himself when speaking of the military generally, and was fined £50. Mr. C. was then inclined to sit down, but His Honor requested him to collect himself and proceed, as, in doing his duty, he had no wish to throw him off his defence. Mr. C. proceeded; first apologising as a gentleman would do when checked by a learned Judge, and having finished, His Honor proceeded to sum up. After which the Jury retired for a few minutes, and returned a verdict of Guilty. The defendant was then discharged on his own recognizances for £500, to appear on the last day of Term to receive

A DELICATE PURSE .- A few evenings ago, a man was walking along Gloster-street, when propensity suddenly seized him to knock a deenceless woman down, as a preparatory step to robbing her. Having made, as he thought, a thorough search, and found nothing, an idea struck him that the woman must be either dumb, or her mouth was turned into a pocket. To convince himself of one or the other of the facts, he forced his hand into her mouth, and drew therefrom sundry pieces of the coin of the realm. The woman not fancying such relief, begged a constable, who came up just at the time she had gained her equilibrium, o follow the man and take him into custody to follow the man and take him into custody. He did as she desired, and the man was lodged in the watchhouse; but as she did not appear against him on the following morning, he was discharged. Perhaps the woman was injured by the ruffian, and could not attend that morning. This man, had the Bench supposed such was the case, should have been remanded, until the woman's statement had been heard.

SUICIDE.—On Saturday morning last, a man named Hanmore, a brickmaker, at Ultimo, cut his throat, and almost instantly expired. The ill-fated man went from his home after breakfast in apparent health and spirits, and nothing can be conjectured as the cause for the rash act

CAUTION TO FREE SERVANTS .- On Saturday last, two men, servants of Mrs. Galbraith, were brought before the Police under the following circumstances:—It appeared that one of them had been discharged on the Friday morning for being drunk, but neglected to leave the premises. Being observed some time after in the hay loft, a question was put to him on the matter, when he gave the enquirer to understand that it was by the consent of the other servant he was going to sleep there that night. Mr. M'Alister being at the house of Mrs. Galbraith at the time, and suspecting something more than sleeping was intended, caused both the men to be lodged in the watchhouse. As there was nothing ad vanced to substantiate the supposition that the men meditated something more than repose, the Bench felt themselves bound, as the dismissal of one of the men from the service of Mrs. Gal-braith had been so recent, to discharge them At the same time the Bench observed, that the conduct of both had been extremely reprehen sible; and had their mistress chosen to prefer a charge of drunkenness against them, they would in all probability have had to pass the better part of a day in the stocks.

A seaman named Daley was committed to take his trial on Saturday last for stealing money from a fellow shipmate on Friday night, while drinking a *friendly* glass or two together at the Dundee Arms, Gloster-street.

LAND MARKS .- However much our rivers may require buoying and beaconing, it appears our roads are not so much neglected. The road between Sydney and Parramatta has as many holes as hills; but the cautious Surveyor has very properly plarted therein old stumps and branches of trees, to warn the rider or pedestrian of the danger in advance. It would be employing the men within the walls of Dawes' Battery, much more to the public advantage, if they were placed on the road above alluded to. than wasting their time and the public purse with preparing stone for walls that are not now required, and not at all, at the public expense. Before long, the presumption of some men will carry things to a pretty pass. If government men are employed for beautifying or improving a mansion, they ought, at least, to be fed and clothed by the individual so employing them.

On Friday evening last, a dinner was given at the Edinborough Castle, Pitt-street, by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, on the occasion of presenting a service of plate to Mr. G. Jilks, in testimony of their esteem for his exertions in forming the above Society, and as a tribute of general regard. About 50 members sat down to a most excellent dinner and the evening was spent with much glee and hilarity.

An old inhabitant named Sandy Campbell, residing in the neighbourhood of Cumberland-street, was found drowned in a well on Sunday morning last. It is thought he fell in acci-

To PRESERVE BRASS ORNAMENTS.-Brass ornaments, when not gilt or lacquered, may be cleaned e colour may be given to them by two simple processes. The first is to heat sal-ammoniac into a fine powder, then to moisten it with soft water, rubbing it on the ornaments, which must be heated over char-coal, and rubbed dry with bran and whiteing. The second is to wash the brass-work with roach alum boiled in strong ley, in the proportion of an ounce to a pint; when dry it must be rubbed with fine tripoli. Either of these processes will give to brass the brilliancy of gold.

DANCING IN CELLS .- On Saturday last the ladies on the tip-toe of expectation at the pros-pect of a trip to Parramatta, were jigging it way to the great annoyance of the public having business at the Police Office. The constables placed at the entrance of these cells should be fined for permitting these furies to create a disturbance. It is their duty not only to prevent their escape, but also to preserve order

among them. THROWING STONES .- A few days ago a man was directed by Messrs. Hughes & Hosking to proceed to their buildings in Lower Georgestreet, to take note of the number of men em ployed by the contractors on the building. Just as he arrived at the back part of the premises a stone was thrown at him, and almost immedi ately afterwards the contents of a pail from the warehouse was emptied upon him. A journey. man carpenter and an apprentice employed by Mr. Williams, the contractor for that part of the building, were suspected to be the leaders if not the real perpetrators of this shameful act, and were accordingly brought up to answer the charge preferred . As there were several work men employed on the same building it seemed very impossible that the parties accused could be positively sworn to, and the Bench discharged the prisoners; first of all stating that if they really were the parties their conduct was most disgraceful; yet if they were not the actual per-petrators, but had conspired with others to do the filthy deed, and it could be brought home to them, their punishment would be severe.

Several cases of absconding from ship, have within the last week been adjudicated by the Sydney Bench, when most of the seamen have learnt that however willing, or unwilling, they may be to return to their duty, yet for the offence they had not only forfeited their clothes, and wages due at the time of their absconding, but were liable to have a further deduction in their after pay, should the Captain prove that he had paid extra wages for labor during their absence from duty.

A man stated in the Police Court the other day, that he would not hesitate to buy a wheel barrow if the price asked was only three halfpence. If all old barrow men were of the same mind, there would be a great risk in leaving ex-posed the barrows in the Dock-yard or else The man above alluded to was committed to take his trial for having in his posses sion a Government barrow, of which he could give no account, save that he purchased it of ome dealer in one-wheeled carriages for a mere trifle, in consequence of which the Bench thought it looked very much like receiving stolen property, and dealt with it accordingly.

We beg to call the attention of our readers to the sale this day at public auction of all that first rate water side property, known as Aspinall, Browne & Co.'s Wharf, Stores, &c. in Darling Harbour. A more commodious wharf for loading or discharging vessels of any description is not in Sydney, as ships of any burthen may lay alongside in any weather, or at any

JONATHAN ONCE MORE .- " How old are ve?" said Mr. Major Kiplins to a dwarfish young man. "Twenty." "I wonder you aren't right down "Twenty." "I wonder you aren't right down ashamed of being no bigger; you look like a boy of ten." "All comes of being a dutiful child." "How so?" "When I was ten, father put his hand on my head and said 'Stop there,' and he then ran away; I've never seen him since, and didn't think it right in me to go on growing with.

The crops in the district of Cabramatta are in a dreadful state. The want of rain is severely felt. We have severe frosts at night, and summer days. Unless we have rain, we do not know what the small settlers will do. Cattle are starving. The pasturage is in such a state that we are forced to fall apple trees to feed the cattle with. The water holes are almost dry, and what little they do contain is brackish.—Corres.

EMIGRANTS .- Mr. Berry, in the course of the discussion on the merits of a petition presented to the Members in Council from Messrs. Walker and Manning, by his Excellency the Governor, stated that the regulations on boardemigrant ships should he as strict as prison ships. At present the regulations are so imperfect and ineffective that the health and comfort of the Emigrants cannot possibly be secured. Mr. B. thought that the length of time emigrants were kept in a state of idleness in the Government Buildings, would not improve them in any way; and added, that, if after a week no employment could be procured by their own exertions and enquiries, it would be much better for the Go. vernment to employ them; and rather than keep them in idleness at the expiration of the week, if no other situation or employment than the roads offered, that would be far better than increasing their taste for a lazy lounging life.— We are confident Government can find plenty of employment for a short period, for the disengayed portion of emigrants, after the week's en. quiry, without resorting to the roads. Will any respectable emigrant leave the home of his fa thers with the impression, that if no employ-ment is offered him in a week after his arrival he will be compelled to work on the roads?with road parties-for it will be impossible to form free gangs!

POLICE MAGISTRATES .- In Council the other day, R. Jones, Esq. stated that Police Magistrates ought to be married men. Many of these gentlemen have a serious objection to be wedded, to the fair sex after they have worn out twenty one years. To remove this objection, and to gratify their propensity for prepossessing damels, His Excellency the Governor introduced a Bill in Council on Tuesday week last, to authorise the marriage of females under twenty one.

CONSTABLES .- It is very strange that respect-CONSTABLES.—It is very strange that respectable people cannot walk the streets when they are on business, without being interrupted and questioned by the constables as to where they are going, and whether they are free. A few evenings back, a person while proceeding up Church Hill on business, was accosted by one of these fellows, and ordered to stand. When he came up, he asked him if he was free, the man said he was, besides a great many uncivil questions. The man was then allowed to go his ways without being brought to the watchhouse, as is generally the case.

Two apprentice boys attached to the ship Helvellyn, M'Lean master, were committed to the house of correction for ten days on Monday last, for insolence and using threatening lan-guage to the chief officer of that vessel. The boys said they had only acted on the defensive, and that the mate was the aggressor.

DRINKING WHEN ON DUTY .-- A gentleman while walking towards the South Barrack Gate, between seven and eight o'clock, on Friday morning last, was surprised to see the eccentric watchfulness of the sentry on duty, whose head was first turned to the right and then to the left, till it looked as rum as the liquor that was handed to him by a friend outside, which he with much restlessness drank off, and all the while going right and left, as in a "dumb

Affidavit Extraordinary.-A few days ago an affidavit was made out stating that the party assaulted had received some "glorious

The sale of glassware, postponed from the 11th instant, will take place this day, at the Rooms of Mr. Hebblewhite. We understand the glass is of recent importation, and splen-

The Chippendale allotments sold by Mr. Po. lack yesterday, realized the following prices:-133 feet 11 inches-Botany-street,

133 feet 11 inches—Botany-street,
to P. de Mestre, Esq at 23s per ft £154 0 0
66 feet to ditto to ditto, at 26s ... 85 16 0
66 feet to ditto, to ditto, at 27s ... 89 2 0
66 feet to ditto to ditto, at 60s ... 191 0 0
56 feet ditto to Mr A Young, at 61s 201 0 0
66 feet ditto to Mr H Isler, at 37s 122 2 0 66 feet ditto to J Roberts, Esq. at

66 feet ditto to ditto, at 30s 99 0 0 66 feet ditto to Mr J Levey, at 30s 99 0 0 66 feet ditto to ditto, at 36s 118 16 0 66 feet ditto to Mr E Ellis, at 39s 128 14 0 66 feet ditto to ditto, at 39s 128 14 0
227 feet to Bank-street, to Mr J Levy,
at 32s 475 4 0
86 feet 5 in. to Waterloo-place, to

258 feet 4 in. to Banks-street, to Mr J Tegg, at 22s...... 284 3 4 125 feet 4 in. to Abercrombie place, 112 16 0

Mr Gorrick, at 12s...... 104 18 0
401 feet 10 in to Abercrombie place, to Mr Sheppard, at 50s......1004 11 8 396 feet to Bank street, to — Mace

229 feet 6 in. to ditto, to W Hutchin-

to W Hutchinson, Esq., at 19s.... 157

264 feet to ditto to — Sea, Esq., at 18s 237 12 0 323 feet 4 in. to Wattle-street, to W Hutchinson, Esq., at 29s...... 468 16 8

£6,424 17 6 Amount of shares sold by A. Polack, on Mon-

172 10 0

£1,283 5 U

day, August 13. 16 Shares in the Bank of Australia, £10 per share paid up, sold to J. W. Gosling, Esq., at a premium of £7 per share... 102 0 0

15 Shares in the Bank of Austra lia, £10 per share paid up, sold to J. W. Gosling, Esq., at a premium of £7 5s. per share... Shares in the Bank of Austra. 258 15 0

lia, £10 per share paid up, sold to J. W. Gosling, Esq., at a premium of £7 5s. per share.. 10 Shares in the Commercial Bank, £60 per share paid up, sold to W, K. Knight, Esq., at a pre-

mium of £15 pershare..... 750 0 0

Ships in Harbour.

NAMES.	VESSELS	TON.	MASTERS.	AGENTS.	REMARKS.
Alligator H. M. S.	Ship	-	Bremer.	Government	Refitting
Arathusa	Brig	1	Taylor	Henry Mone	Discharging
Australia	Barque	365	Rhodes	Cooper & Holt	Refitting
Bee	Brig	145	Hunter	Egan	Discharging
Bright Planet	Barque	180	Steel	Gore & Co.	Refittiing
British Sovereign	Ship	35	Norris	Duke	Refitting
Beagle H. M. S	Ship		Wycomb	Government	Refitting
Brittomart H. M. S.	Brig		Stanley	Government	Refitting
Bengal Merchant	Barque	503	Campbel	A. B. Smith & Co.	Discharging
Cape Packet	Barque	210	H. Cape	P. De Mestre	Repairing
Cicelia .	Barque	247	Walker	Cooper	Loading for Londin
City of London	Barque	392	Reynolds	A. B. Spark	Refitting
Currency Lass	Sch.		Doors	Milne	Discharging
Drummore	Barque	275	M'Lane	1	Just arrived
Elizabeth	Barque	215	Vessay	Edwards & Co.	Discharging
Florentia	Ship	457	Deloitte	A. B. Smith	Discharging
Governor Phillip	Brig	198	Boyle	Government	Loading
Guiana	Barque		Darling	A, B. Spark	Refitting
Helvellyn	Barque		M'Lean	A. B. Smith	Discharging
Henry Wellesly	Barque		Freeman	Edwards & Co.	Discharging
Integrity	Barque		Pearson	A. B. Spark	Refitting
Isabella	Schooner		Merton	Government	To be Sold
James Laing	Ship	418		Fotheringham	Refitting
Janet Izat	Barque	197		Aspınall & Co.	Just arrived
Juno	Barque		Banks	R. Jones & Co.	Just arrived
Kinnear	Barque		Mallard	W. C. Botts	Loading for London
Lady Kennaway	Barque		Davidson	Montefiore & Co.	Discharging
Lady Mary Pelham	Barque			A. B. Spark	Refitting
Lady Hayes	Barque		Paterson	Edwards & Hunter	Discharging
Lord Lyndoch	Barque		Steid	Ditto	Just arrived
Martha	Brig	221		M'Gaa	Discharging
Marinus	Brig		Paterson	M'Gaa & Co.	Discharging
Mic Mac	Brig	145	a	J. Jones	Refitting
Mary	Barque		Stein	Hughes &Co.	Just arrived
Magistrate	Barque		Allen	A. B. Smith & Co.	Refitting
Nereus	Brig		Butcher	Duke & Co.	Discharging
Nimrod	Brig		Bennett	Wilson Bros.	Laid up
Orwell	Barque		Living	S. A. Donaldson	Refitting
Pero	Barque		Gray	Hughes & Hoskings	Loading
Roslyn Castle	Barque	450	O	Trustees of Long & Co.	
Sisters	Barque		Spurling	Duke	Discharging
Trusty	Barque Schooner		Jamieson	A. B. Spark	Refitting
Ulitea			Waddy	W. H. Chapman	Refitting
William	Brig /	218	Watson	Simmons & Co.	Refitting

cold in the memories of our pure and modest readers. If it were our custom to publish such filth as the Colonist attributes to us, then might he have spoken with some sort of reason, being a guardian (a strange one at times) of the public; his interference uncalled for save by "Castigator," in this instance may have had the effect of raking up the ashes of the dying embers of remembrance, which otherwise would not have been, as they now in all probability are, exposed to the criticism of he fastidious world. There is something so trite in the Colo-

nist's manner of attacking his contemporaries, when he presumes to stigmatize the thriving portion of the Colonial Press, that its influence, now-a-days, is comparatively lost on the public mind. There are a few persons that are still influenced by the cant nature of his articles; but even they are growing fewer and fewer, and those that renain will not be free from disgust .- A man that considers himself one of "the called" should not meddle with the things of this world, only as they are inseparably connected with the things of a better estate. Who will believe a man is fit to guide his worldly brother's mind, when he can leave his chosen flock to the mercy of the wolves, and resort to the tables of money changers and emigration agents; and like Count Barostein.

It is the dying state of his Colonist, that makes "Castigator's" commentator vent his studied spleen, and not our oversights, and errors-not of judgment, for we flatter ourselves that our expressions, generally will bear comparison with those that grace the sentence.

cheat his brother of his lady-love?