

THE undersigned has the pleasure to announce to his customers and friends that he has this day opened a fresh supply of Goods by the above route, consisting as follows ; LADIES' AND MAID'S FULLY AND HAND-SOMELY TRIMMED STRAW HATS. Children's and Infort's do do. ‡ Transit through Egypt £2 5s. extra. For further particulars apply to F. BAYLEY, IN HOGSHEADS. 250 Full to the Bung £7 15s-Cash. Road, Pettah, valued at nupoore in Kandupalate of Yatinuwera. T. E. B. SKINNER, No. 6 No. 8 No. 9 250 CARGILL and Co. 22 "" 27. 22 250 Colombo, 17th December, 1869. Point de Galle. Fiscal's Office, Kandy, 22nd December, 1869. ,, No. 5 Kayman's Gate FOR SALE. French Plums, Currants, Essence of Beef, Sultana Raisins, Turkey Figs, Fruits in Syrup, Crystallis ed PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL CALCUTTA GUNNY BAGS, size 38 × 28 inch SOMELY TRIMMED STRAW HATS. Children's and Infant's do. do. Boys Straw Hats. Gent's white and colored Kid Gloves. Gent's Patent Leather Boots and Shoes of assort-250 Pettah No. 250 Steam Navigation Company. FISCAL'S SALE. 67 Fruits, Almonds and Raisins, &c. &c. WINES, BRANDIS, &c. " 250 No. No. No. at 70s. o/o for Cash. C. SHAND & Co. WINES, BRANDIS, &c. Amontillado, Vino Fino, and Duff Gordon's Sherry, extra fine and Old dry Port, Crabbie's Ginger Wine, Islay Whiskey, Martell's United Vineyard Proprie-tor's, Hennessy's and Otard's Brandy, Moet and Chan-don's and Brydon's Champagn in pints and quarts, Moselle, Jamaica Rum, Grange Curacoa, Dinner and Breakfatt Claret A REDUCTION of 20 per cent. is made on Return Passages to First and Second-class Passengers pro-vided such passage is taken within 6 months after arrival in Europe or Egypt 3 do do do Australia and other Ports to the Eastward of Suez, or vice versa. No. 8 No. 9 No. 10 250 250 250 No. 50.113. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF KANDY. Now Landing.Plaintiff Don Bonefacio Fernando.. No. 11 No. 12 No. 13 250 EX "PALMERSTON." 250 K. Pedro Fernando and 5 others......Defendants. CYNDER IN ONE DOZEN CASES. 250 NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 24th January, 1870, at one (1) o'clock, P. M., will be sold by Public Auction at the premises, the No. 14 No. 15 250 J. R. BELL and Co. Breakfast Claret. Prime Mess Beef in 28 and 56 lbs. kegs. 250 28th December, 1869. F. BAYLEY, No. 16 250 following property belonging to the Defendant in Do. Pickled Pork 28 and 56 lbs. kegs. Colombo, 20th December, 1869. No. 17 250 Shortly Expected Pickled Tongues in 28 and 56 lbs. kegs. Kandy, 10th December, 1869. AGENT. Galle, June, 1869. The above case. The right, title and interest of the 4th Defen-ing dant in the Houses and Grounds, bearing Assessment Nos. 186, 187 and and 188, situate at On Wednesday the 16th February, 1870, at 2 PER "BRITOMART." E. J. BRAND & CO.'S WINES. Roederer's champagne in quarts. o'clock in the afternoon, will be put up : The BOUTIQUES No. 1 Sea Street PASSAGE FOR LONDON. COLOMBO SCOTCH STORES CROWN SHERRY, Pale and Dry, in quarter Casks. Colombo Street in the town of Kandy. T. E. B. SKINNER, Pettah 250 Do. MADEIRA Do. CLARET, Superior Do. PORT, fine old FINEST VERMOUTH No. 1, Chatham Street, Fort. MESSRS. GREEN'S No. 2 The Bourique No. 3, 4, & 5 at Sea 300 Orders registered for arrival by Magnificent frigate built Ship "MALABAR" J. B. BELL and Co. Colombo, 28th December, 1869. MILLER & Co. MILLER & Co. AVE OPENED THE FOLLOWING GOODS: An assortment of John Moir and Sons' Tin-ned Meats, Fruit, Soups, Fish, Jam, &c. From Crosse and Blackwell, a general assortment of Oilmanstores, Sauce, Pickles, Dried Fruits, &c. &c. A beautiful selection of Plated Ware, comprising, Cruets, Salts, Mustards, Butter Dishes, Spirit Bottles, Flower and stands Biseuits Bayes. &c. in one dozen Cases. "MALADAD 1,219 Tons Begister. WILL sail from this in February. For families proceeding to and, this fine vessel presents every inducement, Fiscal's Office, Kandy, 22nd December, 1869. Street, together with nine rooms attach-ed to them, and situated within the Gate-Do. CURACOA Do. CROWN WHISKEY Martell's Brandy. 1,000 FISCAL'S SALE. A T 40s per dozen cash. J. P. GREEN. No. 52.302. carries an experienced Surgeon. ARMITAGE BROTHERS, Now being landed Ex." Palestine, J. R. BELL and Co. Colombo, 19th December, 1859. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF KANDY. From London: AGENTS: in lots. each valued at Per " Palestine." Flower and stands, Biscuits Boxes, &c. Crockery, Cutlery, Glassware, Clocks, Perfumery, from Patey, Low and Hendrie. On Saturday the 19th February 1870 at 4 o'clock A SMALL supply of HOOP IRON of the following sizes: 1, 11, 11 2 2 22 in: FOWLIE, RICHMOND & Cor FOR LONDON DIRECT. P. M. will be put up : A HOUSE & GROUND at COTANCHINA bearing Assessment No. 13 valued at... 250 On Wednesday, the 23rd February, 1870 at 4 o'clock S UPERIOR VIRGINIA GOLD LEAF TOBACCO C.V.P. Cognic (Bottled by Bontellean Cie) 40s DURHAM, GRINDROD and Co. from Fatey, Low and Hendrie. A few Marble Slabs 4 x 6 x 2 and 4 x 1 x 10, Har-ness, Saddles, Spare Saddlery of all kinds, Ridding, Driving and Common Whips. Italian Brooms, Beech wood folding Chairs, Hollow Ware, Galvanized Paile and tong Lowing Chairs, Hollow Ware, Galvanized The Fine A. I. Ship 250 "MIRELLA" MARTELL'S The stores ESSY'S ANDE MARQUE FINEST SPARKLING MOSELLE from A. Jordan, Coblenz. JUST LANDED EX "PALESTINE." CHAMPAGNE VINEYARD PROPRIETOR'S HENNESSY'S LA GRANDE MARQUE P. M. will be put up : The LABGE HOUSE and GROUND at Cotta (Passed S. S. No. 1. 69.) 727 Tons Register VILL load with despatch. Pails, and stops, Looking-Glasses, Spectacles, Pre-SUPERIOR OLD COGNAC. Wediwelleya Cumbure of 3 pelas, Made Cumbure of 12 lahas, all that piece of land of about 1 rood and 15 perches, 400 serves, &c. A SMALL SELECTION OF TOYS. Golden leaf and Fancy Tobaccoes, Manilla Che coots (Cigar Shape), Briar Root Pipes, and a lot of Fancy Articles too numerous to mention. Now ele ui uf from the Gienaray. Salt provisions in 23 and 56 lb. Kegs, Martell, United Vineyard Proprietor's and Otard Brandy, Ports, Sherries, Claret, Sauterge, Moselle Hock, Ginger Wine, Moet and Chandon Champagne, Old Jamaica Rum, Old Mingled Whiskey, De Cuyper's Gin, Curacoa, Noyeau, Herring's Cherry Brandy. BOTTLED EXPRESSLY FOR THE EAST serves. &c. For freight or passage, situated at at Cotta valued at Three BOUTIQUES situated at Cotta 600 Apply to C. SHAND & Co., BY BONTELLEAN and Co. and one of the most favorite brands in the Indian J. P. GREEN & Co. of land of about 3 roods and 32 perches with the BUILDINGS and plantations thereon, Kehel-cotue Hene of about 1 acre, Bulawe Watte of 1 pela valued at... ... 200 On Saturday the 26th February, 1870, at 4 o'clock Market. EX "SUMROO" FROM CALCUTTA. Colombo, 13th November, 1869. Price 40s. M. will be put up : The GARDEN called Millegahawatte with the House thereon, Bathele Watte of about 2 acres, situate at Ganorue in Yatinuwera. T. E. B. SKINNER, For Sale at the Godowns of the Undersigned. DURHAM, GRINDROD and Co. FOR LONDON. POWER Loom Alipore Gunny Bags at 95/per 100. Light Jail do. do. , 90/, , situated at Kolonawe and valued at ... ,, ,, called Andris Appoo's 10 BONDED WAREHOUSE. The A. I. Barque 75 Fiscal's Office, Kandy, 22nd December, 1869. Hene 75 ", ", Damalle Canatte Watte 15 For further particulars apply to Mr. MARTENSZ, FOWLIE, RICHMOND & Co. 10, Baillie Street "ALICE" Gin, Curacoa, Noyeau, Herring's Cherry Brandy. THE Undersigned have Storage Room for 5,000 CASES WINES, &c. 474 Tons. tain JAMES POUNDER, FOWLIE, RICHMOND & Co., Colombo, 10th December, 1869. Ex " Palestine" from London. Captain EXTENSIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE one of the Commissioners, SMALL Shipment of Gledstane's BRANDY Gold Label 60s. per Doz. C. A. LORENZ, TERMS LOW. Per Overland and Long Sea Routes A J. A. MARTENSZ. DURHAM, GRINDROD and Co. Agents THOROUGH BRED AUSTRALIAN HORSES, &c. Colombo, 17th December, 1869. FOWLIE, RICHMOND & Co. **COLOMBO SCOTCH STORES** GLENARAY" THE FOLLOWING, New Goods. TANCY Mohair Dresses, Striped and Tambour ed Grenadine Dresses, Coloured, Origina P THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE RECEIVED PER OVERLAND AND For London Direct. S HORTLY after the arrival of the Ship, which is daily expected, Messrs. VENN & Co. will sell FINEST KAISON TEA. MERCANTILE The Fine A. I. Ship "CITY OF AMOY" FANCY Mohair Dresses, Striped and Tambour-ed Grenadine Dresses, Coloured, Oriental and Satin Ribbons, Belt Ribbons, Blonde and Maltese Laces and Insertions, White Lace Shawls, Fancy Skirts, Coloured Sarsanets, Kid Gloves, Spotted, and Checked Book Muslins, Scarlet and Blue Twilled Flamel, Braids, Safety Pins, Tatting Needles, Brooches, Fancy Belt Clasps, Silk and Mohair Boot Laces, black and white Elastics various widths, Boot Elastics. Gentlemen's fancy Searfs, Duke of Edin-burgh Scarls, Black and coloured Silk Neck Ties, Elastic Braces, Cricket Belts, Puggaries, Gauze Merino Shirts, Chamoig Skins, Honey Comb and Huckabuck Towels, Silk Unbrellas, Pafagon and plain Frames, Alpacea and Cotton Umbrellas. IN BOXES OF 5 Ibs. EACH. ANNOUNCEMENTS No. 1, Chatham Street, Fort. 52 HORSES, 994 Tons. For passage JES. Prize for cash 18s. 20s. EX TILLER & Co. intend opening the above pre-mises in connection with the Kandy business EX "GLENARAY." HOUNDS, At one month's credit Apply to GEORGE WALL & Co. PIGS. CARGILL & Co. H. D. GABRIEL. BULLS, on Monday, the 13th Instant. M. & Co. when opening in (on atonday, the Join Instant. M. & Co. when opening in Colombo intend adopt-ing the CASH PRINCIPLE alone, pricing all Goods at a low figure for prompt payment: special arrange-ments will be made with parties at a distance who may favour flows with parties. Have received by the above Vessel Agents &c. PRIME STILTON CHEESE: Colombo, 29th December, 1869. A LARGE SUPPLY OF These Horses have been selected during the last UINNESS'S DUBLIN STOUT in quarts COMPAGNIE UNIVERSELLE DU GANAL three months by one of the first breeders and judges in Australia, the pedigrees of the thorough breds JUST OPENED. ALLSOPP'S PALE ALE in quarts and pints Reid & Co.'s LONDON STOUT in quarts and pints in Barrels 4 doz. quarts' and 7 doz. pints ALLSOPP'S PALE ALE IN HHDS. may favour them with their orders. NICHOLLS. &. Co. MARITIME DE SUEZ. and be seen at our office, properly attested and authenticated, and includes the BEST BLOOD IN THE WORLD, their age, qualification and antece-dents, are also explicitly stated. The Hounds, Pigs, and Bulls, are all of the best breed including the most valuable Shipment of Australian Blood and Stock, ever imported into Ceylon. As nearly all-M. & Co.'s Goods are purchased in England direct from the Manufacturers or af First THE UNDERSIGNED have been appointed PER OVERLAND. G ENTLEMEN'S DRESS BOOTS TRANSIT AGENTS at his port for the above Company, and will be glad to furnish any informa-tion in respect thereto on application at their Office. FRYER, SCHULTZE & Co. Colombo, 9th November, 1869. Hands they have the greatest confidence in offering them to the Consumer direct, at a moderate advance on wholesale prices. made to order, BY DAWSON & SONS. W. BOLAM: plain Frames, Alpacca and Cotton Umbrellas, Reid & Co.'s Brown Stout in Hhds. As Goods come forward they will be didy advertised. Colombo, 4th December, 1869: Hearth Rugs. Colombo and Kandy. MILLER & Co. 6th December, 1869. Kandy, 11th December, 1869. 20

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FOR SALE.	W. M. YOUNG AND CO.	APOTHECARIES HALL	DUNDEE BAGS.	POSTAL NOTICE.	To Australia.
A SSAM TEA IN 10 los. BOXES	5, BAILLIE STREET, FORT,	X'MAS. GOODS.	THE undersigned has just received a few bales of	Burner Prom Ommons	Letters6d. per { ounce. Books, and Patterns or 3d. per 4 Pre Samples of Mcrchandise.
ALSTONS SCOTT & Co.	82, GLENNIE STREET, SLAVE ISLAND.		L Dundee bass per "Elfa" at the following pric . No. 1 quality 100/ per 100	ON the 1st January next, Post Offices for the	up to 3 lbs, in weight. ounces. [ment Newspapers and print-] 2d. each not
NOTICE	HAVE just received a large and well selected. STOCK OF GOODS comprising	(Late Trowell & Co.) WHYTE & Co's Raisine, Currants, Peels, Fige &c.	8 , 75/ Parties can be supplied with same qualities of bag,	N the 1st January next, Post Offices for the receipt and despatch of prepaid LETTERS, or articles prepaid at LETTER rates, and prepaid Neus- papers, will be open at all the Stations on the line of	ed Trade Circulars. { above 4 ozs. } H. W. GILLMAN
S hereby given, that the Offices of the undermen- tioned Banks will be closed for business on 24th	OILMANSTORES, PERFUMERY, Stationery,	Whyte & Co's X'mas Plum Puddings. Whyte & Co's French Pates assorted.	for next year's crop, at a lower rate on making early arrangement.	Railway between Colombo and Kandy. PREPAYMENT IS COMPULSORY.	Postmaster-Gene General Post Office,
nd 25th Instant, and on 1st and 3rd January next. For the Oriental Bank Corporation, R. V. DUNLOP,	Which they are in a position to ther at low prices.	Whyte & Co's Mince Mest, Jams &c.	J. RUSSELL GRANT. Kandy, 27th October 1869.	The Mails will be despatched, for the present by the morning trains only.	Colombo, 13th December, 1869.
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India.	Colombo, December 18th, 18:3. FOR IMMEDIATE SALE	Whyte & Co's Hams in Tin, Ox Tongues, Whyte & Co's Wines all choice Brands,	Ordentel Dents dama di	Any article (except a Newspaper), which is not prepaid at letter rates, will not be forwarded by post	SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. COLOMBO.
London and China, J. ROBERTSON,	For delivery at the Wharf.	Whyte & Co's Spirits do do. Whyte & Co's E. B. & C. B. Beer and Porter. Whyte & Co's Soda Water and Lemonade.	Oriental Bank Corporation. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER)	ment affording every facility for the carriage of	ARRIVALS
For the Bank of Madras, Manager.	200 Tons Glasgow Hard SPLINT COAL	Whyte & Co's Assorted Tobaccos, '? " "	PAID UP CAPITAL £1,500,000 RESEBVED FUND £444,000	Parcels, &c. H: W. GILLMAN, Postmaster-General.	Dec. 31-British Barque Koladyne, Walker, 1,16 from Calcutta 15th December, cargo rice and sun
JNO. GIBBIE, Acting Agent.	106 Tone, No. 1 Govan Pig'Iron. Now being landed from the	Whyte & Co's Choices: Perfumes, Soups & s. Whyte & Co's Well selected Stationery. Whyte & Co's Diaries 1870.	Head Offices :- Threadneedle Street, London, OFFICES IN CEYLON . COLOMBO, KANDT, GALLE, JAFFNA, BADULLA,.	General Post Office, 6th December, 18° 7	From Calcutts four December, cargo rice and su Passengers Mrs. Walker and family. Jany: 1-British Barque Fisitani, J. J. Wood, i from Tuticoreen 30th Dec., cargo general-Presen
NOTICE is hereby given, that the rate of interest to be charged on Cash Gredit Bonds eminable in one year, and collaterally secured by a	" City of Amoy." Apply to	Whyte & Co's Handsome sets Glass Ware. Whyte & Co's do. sets Dinner Ware.	THE CORPORATION are prepared to issue and pur-	TITH reference to the following Postal Notice,	
fortgage over the Coffee Crops of 1869-1870, has	NOTICE.	Whyte & Co's do. Breakfast Ware.	chase at any of the above offices Drafts on the fol- lowing places at rates that may be ascertained on application :	VV HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has, under the powers of Ordinance No. 10 of 1869, section 9th	do 2-British Ship Baldovan, J. B. Watt, 8 from Bombay 20th Dec., in ballast. do 3-British Ship Malsbar R. Pearce, 1,21 from Bombay, in ballast.
een fixed at 8 per cent. By order of the Directors,	THE COMMISSIONERS of the Loan Board are prepared to lend money, at the rate of seven per	Whyte & Co's Hot-water Plates and Dishes. Whyte & Co's Rodgers Table Cutlery.	Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Foochoofoo, Hongkong Kurrachee, Madras, Mauritius, Melbourge, Negaua	clause 2nd, with the advice of the Executive Council, been pleased to direct that Post Offices in Ceylon	DEPARTURE. Dec. 31-British Barque Glenrose, J. Lonsdale, 4
R. V. DUNLOP, Acting Manager Oriental Bank Corporation,	cent. per annum, upon the security of Land as well as House Property, situated within the towns of Colombo,	Whyte & Co's Patent ('arbon Filters. ' Whyte & Co's Kerosene Lamps. Whyte & Co's Kerosene Oil.	tam, Pondicherry, Shanghai, Singapore, Sydney	shall grant to Telegraph Offices receipts for Tele- graphic Messages sent through the post, anything in the Ordinance No. 27 of 1865 to the contrary	bound to London, cargo general. GALLE.
Colombo 7th January, 1969.	Kandy and Galle. F. GRAY,	Whyte & Co's E. Plated Table Ware. Whyte & Co's B M Dish Cover	They draw on the Bank of England (on demand,) Union Bank of London, Bank of Scotland London and on the	notwithstanding. By His Excellency's Command,	ABRIVAL. Jany. 3-Russian Barque Suomi, from Swans August, 1869.
JUST PUBLISHED MUNIANDI	Loan Office, Colombo, 18th December, 1869.	Whyte & Co's Flower Vases. Whyte & Co's Best Boots and Shoes.	National Bank of Scotland, Provincial Bank of Ireland Commercial do. do National Bank do	HENRY T. IRVING, Col. Secy.	Jany, 4-British Steamer Baroda, shewed her passing to Westward.
CHRISTMAS DOUBLE NUMBER,	the second se	Whyte & Co's Flannel Shirts all Wool. Whyte & Co's Silk and Cotton Puggaries, Whyte & Co's Toys, Toys, Toys.	British Linen Company and on Paris and California.	Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, 28th December, 1869.	passing to Westward. PASSENGERS BY THE GALLE CO
CONTAINING amongst other Illustrations MUNIANDI distributing his Christmas Gift to the	JUST RECEIVED	Weyte & Co's 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10,	They also issue Circular Notes and Letters of Credit for the use of travellers. No Drafts are issued on Mail days.	POSTAL NOTICE	Jany, 1-2 Natives to Galle.
public of Ceylon. MUNIANDI'S Portrait Gallery of eminent contributors. Illustrations of the Months, &c. &c.	PER OVERLAND.		The following are the Rates ruling for Family Re-	Teligraphie Hussiges	to do-Mr. N. D. Schultze, Mr. Bu-ton, Mr. and Mr. A. G. Thomson from Galle, 2-Mr. Cameron and O. B. C. Shroff from
The following are a few only of the	The following Christmas Delicacies. CHEESE, Stillon, Che.hiro, and Chedder FINE FRENCH BUTTER in 24 lb, tins,	FOR SADE	6 months sight 1 0/0 Discount. 4 11 Par 3 11 11 0/0 Premlum.	OFFICERS in charge of Telegraph Offices, when posting Telegraph for swind Transmission	 Mr. Camaron and O. B. C. Short from the S. Mr. & Mrs. E. Coppakse and s ryant to Ba do Mrs. Trant, Mr. W. Vanderspar, and W. Lassesshand from Galls.
Christmas Articles : Ramen Brown's Pilgrimage.	GALANTINE OF GAME, TRUFFLED. TEUFFLED BIRDS.	At the Godowns of the Deresined. LEATHER RELINIC	2 " " I 0/0 " 1 " " 1 1 0/0 "	following manuer :	do 4 - A native to Galle.
The Dismal Association. An Easy Shave, or How to cultivate a Narrative.	PLUM PUDDING. MINOE MEAT.	2 at 6 inch. in Rolls J. GIRSON THOMSON, & Co.,	They receive money from Depositors on current	The receipt shall be presented ready written in the form ordinarily used by the Telegraph Office when delivering Telegrams to the addresses. This receipt shall be presented with the cover containing	BIRTH.
An Intercepted Correspondence. Proceedings of the Galle Harbor Commission. Edwin and Angelina, in four paroxysms. The Pensioned Husband.	WANTED.	Colombo, 11th August, 1869.	accounts and at 1, 2 and 6 months' notice of with- drawal. They are prepared to discount at current rates for	the Telegram to the Registry Clerk of the Post	On 29th Nov., at Inston, North Devon, the wi Clark, Esq., of a son.
The Pensioned Husband. Social Scraps.	A SUPERINTENDANT for a Young Coffee Es-		Constituents, approved Local Bills not having more than four months to run. Such Bills are required to	Office, and this Clerk shall compare the receipt so presented with the address on the cover, and shall,	OUTWARD MAILS FOR THE MON JANUARY, 1870.
COMIC ALMANAC.	A tate near Matale. The Salary will be from £150 to £200 a year at first, with a rapid increase to an approved man,	J. KENNEDR. WINE AND SPIRIT MEECHAN T.	be lodged with the Manager before 12 o'clock. If ent in later they will be retained until next day for	if he find them to agree, impress the Post Office date-stamp on the receipt as acknowledgment. The cover shall be taken charge of by the Registry	9* MADRAS & CALCUTTA. Moolt
PRICE ONE RUPEE.	App'y Z. Z.	E. & C. Bottled Beer and Porter .	consideration. CASH CREDITS. They are also prepared to grant edvances on Cosh	Clerk, who shall take care that, when it is forwarded to its address, an entry of it by name shall be made	10 ENGLAND, MEDITERRANEAN, &C. Deccai THE STRAITS AND CHINA Orisso BOMBAY Emeu
ANDREW BELL. Formerly of H. M. 58h Regt.	Post Office, Kandy,	BACON, BUTTER, CHEESE AND HAM, Stationery-Perfumery-Confectionery.	credit Bonds, collaterally secured; on terms specially adapted to the requirements of Planters and Agents,	on the face of the letter bill of the Mail packet in which it is transmitted	18* STRAITS AND CHINA Imper- (PONDICHERRY, MADRAS AND)
A NY ONE able to give information about the		SUGAR, TEA, TOBACCO, AND ESTATE TOOLS. E. & C. made Boots and Shoes,	Particulars may be obtained on application at the Colombo Office.	• H. W. GILLMAN, Postmaster-General.	18 { ENGLAND MEDITERANEAN } Donno
MESSRS, J. M. ROBERTSON & Co., COLOMBO.	Reduction in Prices.	Sauces, Jams, Tin Meats and Pickles. Oatmeal, Split Peas. Vermicell, Maccaroni,	Colombe, 8th November, 1869 R. V. DUNLOP. Acting Manager.	General Post Office, Colombo, 6th December, 1869.	23. CALCUTTA AND MADRAS, Mong (ENGLAND, MEDITERRANEAN &C. \ Hindo
FR SALE.	15 do do £ 8 0 0 20 do £ 9 0 0 21 do £ 9 0 0	FLANNEL AND WHITE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.	BANK OF MADRAS.	TNDER the powers conferred by the Ordinance	24 THE STRAITS AND CHINA Trava BOMBAY. Madra
Those Valuable Premises	25 , do do £12 0 0 30 , do do £14 0 0 THE undersigned having been appointed sole Agents	FELT AND PITH HATS.	(Incorporated by Charter of the Imperial Go- vernment.)	No. 10 of 1869, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVER- NOR, with the advice of the Executive Council, has	(THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES &c.) Maita. TO CORRESPONDENTS.
In King Street, Colombo,	L in Ceylon for the above WELLS, are now pre- pared to register orders for the same.	the newest pattern; PATENT MEDICINES	PAID UP CAPITALRs. 55,25000 RESERVE FUND	directed that, on and after 1st January next, the rates mentioned in the following Postal Notice shall	" Bernen " an have his ser have be
formerly occupied by the Bank of Hindustan. THE HOUSE has been thoroughly repaired, and	ALSTONS, SCOTT & Co., Colombo,	Fresh Provisions, (Al D. APOTHECARTES HASL)	BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hon'ble William Rierson Arbuthnot, of Measrs	be charged, and the rules set forth in the notice shall come into operation, on correspondence des-	they are not precisely such as we care to print. "No THOROUGHYARE" is advised to reconsider h ments especially those in reference to the Dep
I new Godowns built for storing purposes; the whole yielding a net rental of £240.	B. J. DUNLOP, JAPPNA.	FOR SALE	Arbuthnot & Co., President. F. Lushington, Esq., Accountant General. Col. A. C. Orr, R. E.	patched from Ceylon to the Countries therein named.	"VOLUNTART" and "R. F. D." are both un
For particulars apply to ARTHUR C. HOARE,	THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.	A SKA SUGAR-CRYSTALLIZED'in 84 lb. Bags	R. W. Lodwick, Esg., Deputy Accountant	By His Excellency's Command, HENRY T. IRVING, Col. Secy.	sideration. "S. T. B." in our next.
Attorney for Liquidators. Bank of Hindustan, China and Japan Limited. in Liquidation.	Capital £2,000,000,	do Unrefined in P64 lb. Cosen's English Bottled Sherry. Hemery's de do	 General. Hon'ble J. C. Loch, of Messrs. Parry & Co. E. Lecot, Esq., of Messrs. Lecot & Co. A. J. Byard, Esq., of Messrs. Bainbridge Byard 	Calculat Grandant Office	Holloway's PillsStomach, Liver, and Bowels. painful affections of the stomach and disordered as
Kandy.	ACCUMULATED FUNDS IN HAND	Hemery's do do Do do Brandy. Huntley & Palmer's 4 lbs. Cabin Biscuits in Cases of	Gair & Co.	POSTAL NOTICE.	mo nstrate that they possess regulating and renovating in a high degree. They speedily restore the appetit
Manures and Chemicals.	£1,500,000.	Do 2 lbs. do in cases of 144 tins.	W. Scott, Esq., of Messrs. Binny & Co. W. B. Liddell, Esq., of Messrs. Walker & Co. LONDON BANKERS, BANK OF ENGLANT.	Prepayment to destination of Correspondence between Ceylon and British India, Stratts, China,	inflammation of the bowels and other se ious ab ailments. Holloway's Pills afford the greatest on
JOHN BENNET LAWES, F. R. S., 59, Mark Lane, London,	Is entitled to rank amongst the Arst. LIFE.	Do 2 lbs. Fancy Biscuits in Cases of 144 tine. Ind Coope & Co.'s E. B. Beer in 4 dos. Cases.	Head Office.	Japan and Australia.	the dyspeptic invalid without harassing or weaken most sensitive constitution, or interfering material
has ready for delivery- Superphosphate of Lime. Dissolved Bones.	Large participation in profits, undoubted security, and exemption of insured from liability of partnership	JAIL GUNNY BAGS.	MADRAS. BRANCHES-BANGALOBE, BELLARY, BIMLIPA-	1. In pursuance of a convention entered into between India and Ceylon, and of a sanctioned arrangement for the collection in advance of the	painful affections of the stomach and disordered as the liver and howels, one single trial of these Pills monstrate that they possess regulating and renovating in a high degree. They speedily restore the appetit the unpleasant distention of the abdomen, and so inflammation of the bowels and other se ious ab ailments. Holloway's Pills afford the greatest co the dyspeptic invalid without harassing or weaken most sensitive constitution, or interfering material the ordinary studies, pleasures, or pursuits. The si and efficacy of this treatment has evoked the gratitus classes in both hemispheres, and commanded a sale f purifying Pills unprecedented in medical history
Uane Manure.	Forfeiture of a policy cannot take place from unin- tentional misstatement.	ALSTONS, SCOIT & Co., KANDY	TAM, CALICUT, COCONADA, COCHIN, COLOMBO, KAN- DY, OOTACAMUND, TUTICORIN, TRICHINOPOLY, NEGA- PATAM, ALEPPY, BERHAMPORE, GUNTOOR AND MANGA-	Infand postage due to the various countries on cor-	purifying Fills unprecedented in medical history
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Peruvian Guano.	LIBERAL SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.	@18430	Rules and Rates of Rusinges	lowing list will, from 1st January next, be levied here on correspondence intended for the above mentioned Countries.	The Ceylon Times.
Manures can be prepared and shipped in small or arge quantities for experiments, if required, also	Maclachlan Mackenzie & Co.	500000	THE BANK will negociate Bills, and issue Drafts drawn on demand, on the above pinces, and on the Head Office and Branches of the Banks of Bengal and	No charge will, after the 1st January next, be made within Ceylon on <i>fully prepaid</i> covers arriving	COLOMBO, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 5.
Tartaric, Citric and Sulphuric Asids.	LIFE and FIRE risks accepted on the spot without reference to England.	PICKLES, SAUCES, JAMS, &C. (FRED FROM ADDITERATION)	Bombay, at rates to be ascertained at the office.	from those Countries; and, on the other hand, fully prepaid covers despatched from Ceylon will be	
TO COFFEE PROPRIETORS AND ESTATE A G E N T S.	MR. HARREY MANUEL,	CROSSE & BLACKWELL,	The Bank receives money from depositors on Current	2. It will be perceived that, except in the case	TEECRAPHIC ITEMS.
THE INDERSIGNED being in class	18, NEW BOND STREET, LONDON.	Purveyors to the Queen,	Account, upon which interest is allowed at the rate of 2 per cent per annum on the minimum monthly balance, provided the same has not fallen below £10 during the half year.	of Letters by British Mail Steamers, full prepay- ment is necessary. Full payment in advance is, however, strongly recommended in all cases, as that	London, December 13, 1
egociate sales, on Commission, of crops of coming	DIAMOND MERCHANT AND JEWELLER TO	SOHO SQUARE, LONDON.	Fixed Deposits are also received, upon which in-	will now secure all the advantages of callying a	The prospectus of the London and Submarine Telegraph Company has be
G. JOHN	Bers to state that have a guite Consistent	CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S wel known Manufactures are obtainable from every	for 1 month at 2 per cent per annum.	letter to its destination without further charge, and without any delay, such as at present arises, from the necessity of collecting inland postage on deli-	sued. It proposes to lay a cable from pore to Hongkong and thence to Shang
Exchange and Produce Broker. 13 Baillie Street, 6th April, 1869.	of Precious Stones and Pearls, either on Purchase so for Sale on Commission.	respectable Provision Dealer in the World.	, 2 months , 3 do do , 6 do , 5 do do The Bank receives for safe custody Government	very.	Advices have been received from S the safe passage through the Canal in
	FOR SALE.	C. &. B.'s genuine goods, and that inferior articles are not substituted for them. To insure theorem wholesenergy their Dickler and	securities, Bank and Railway Stock, purchases and disposes of the same, and realizes, and remits the	if wholly unpaid	hours of the Steamer " Sterling" bound Glasgow to Bombay.
NOTICE.	At the Godowns of the undersigned. C IESLER'S PALE DBY SHEERY at 50/ per doz	all prepared in Pure Malt Vinegar, boiled in Oak Vats	dividends, interest and proceeds of Sale, as con- tituents may direct, on the following terms :	Where prepayment is compulsory, any letter, or other article, posted unpaid or insufficiently paid, will be returned to the sender through the Dead	Other steamers also bound for Bomba following the "Sterling."
THE BUSINESS that has hitherto been carried on under the name of E. H. PETERSON will, from lat January 1870, be carried on under the style and	DUFF GORDON & Co's SHERRY at 48/ ner	ly similar in quality to those supplied by them for	On receiving charge of Securities or Shares—Nil Realizing interest or dividends on do 1 per cent Buying or Selling do 1	will be returned to the sender through the Dead Letter Office.	The report in circulation as to the pro closing of the Canal is without any found
Firm of Peterson & Co,	PRELLER'S BRANDY at 45/ per , Do, LORMONT CLARET quarts. 24/ per ,	HER MAJESTY'S TABLE. C & B. are AGENTS for LEA & PEBRINS' CELE-	Returning to constituents do t Hours of Business :	To BRITISH INDIA;	The financial statement of the F

Do. LORMONT CLARET quarts. 24/per, Do. Do. Do. pints. 12/6 ", Do. CHATEAN BELAIE MARGAUX 45/ " EXSHAW'S BRANDY No. 1 at 70/ " Do. Do. No. 2 at 40/ " Do. CLARETS 30/at 76/ " HENNESSY'S U V P& JULES ROBIN'S BRANDY at 44/ C & B. are AGENTS for LEA & PERRINS' CELE-BRATED WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, and are Manufacturers of every description of Oilmen's Store of the highest quality. the French Peterson & Co. E. H. PETERSON. Hours of Business: 10 A. M. to 33 P. M. The Bank closes on Saturday at 12 P. M. Minister is satisfactory both as regards the including Aden, and the Post Offices maintained by Colombo, 22nd December, 1869. revenue and the national debt THOS. GIBBIE. December 15. Parliament is to reassemble on the 8th HAVING made arrangements to commence business from 1st January 1870, under the style and Firm of Peterson & Co. it is hereby requested that all outstanding debtors do settle their different claims on or before the 15th January 1870, after which date, all unsettle accounts uill, without exception, be handed over to my protor for recovery. Agent. FER SALL February. Dublin gunmakers' stores have been plundered by bands of Fenians. Chartered Mercantile Bank of India De LOSSY & Co's CHAMPAGNE at 44/ POMMERY & GRENO'S Do. at 80/ J. GIBSON THOMSON & Co. Colombo, 23rd Oct., 1869. Terms Cash. FOUR couples of beautiful OUIN EA.FOWLS, PRICE 188, A COMPLE. Apply to B. st the Office of this Paper. London and China. Liverpool, December 29th. CHIEF OFFICE, 65, OLD BROAD STREET, LONDON. OFFICES IN CEYLON. The Cotton market closed steady. Western Colombo, Kandy, Galle and Matale. INTEREST. Money is received on Deposit on the Following Madras Cotton 8§d. December 30th. FOR SALE. E. H. PETERSON. Colombo, 22nd December, 1869. X'MAS GOODS. At the Godowns of the Undersigned. A USTRALIAN FLOUR in 501b. Tins, at 15s. each. LEE HEDGES, & Ce., Cotton in request. Fair Dhollera 97d. THE undersigned will open his usual supply o MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS, on Monday next the 20th instant. J. LAWTON. terms: On Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the Minimum monthly Balances credited Half Yearly if the balance during the Half Year has not fallen below £100. On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 6 per cent, per London December 30th. NOTICE. Books, and Fatterns 5 Samples of Merchandise 5 ounces. (2d. each The Coffee market continues firm. Ceylon THE UNDERSIGNED will sell by Public Auction at his Rooms, at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday 3rd Jannary, 1870. 120 TINS WHITE PAINT. 50 do Green do 20 do Black do 10 do Blue do 1761 GALLONS LINSEED OIL In 5 Barrels of 351 Gallons each. M. C. MAARTENSZ, Auctioneer. Prepayment middling Plantation 71s. —____Native good ordinary 49s 6d. Trincomalie Street, Kandy, 19th November 1869. compulsory Kandy, 14th December, 1869. Ceylon Cocoanut Oil £41. Stocks of Coffee, 24,230 tons. Ships arrived from Ceylon; "Magnus" Darling" and "War Cloud." For Private Sale. JUST RECEIVED. 300 ACEES of Old Forest, part of the Galle Boddee Estate, in Upper Bulatgame. Cart Boad from Navelepitia into the property, For particulars, apply to MACKWOODS & co., MailSt Letters 3d. per 1 ounce Books, and patterns or 3 d. per 4 Samples of Merchandise 5 ounces. for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on " Ex Helen Finlayson" & " Aboyne." applicatio G OLDEN SHEBRY in Quarter casks at £8, to £12. PORT WINE in casks, at £8, to £13. J. GIBSON THOMSON & Co. Samples of Merchandise ounces. Newspapers and print-Metric Circulars. Supples of Merchandise ounces. Preyayment 2d 'each not above Metric Circulars. Metric application. Approved Bills not having more than 4 months to run discounted at current rates for Customers. EXCHANGE. The Bank purchases Bills and grants Drafts pay-able in London, Scotland and Ireland, Ceylon, India, Straits, China, Japan and Mauritius at Current rates. Drafts granted payable at the Branches of the Bank of New South Wales,—Circular Notes issued negotiable in Egypt, Syria and the principal towns in Europe. JAMES ROBERTSON Preyayment ounces. 2d ·each Inticorin January, 4th, About 5000 bales of Cotton remain for sale outside. Present price Rs. 135. ,7 Chatham Street. At the Godowns of the Undersigned, FISCAL'S SALE Bombay, January 3rd, Heavy rains and floods have proved destruc-TIRST-CLASS ESTATE TOOLS &0., 0 IN THE DISTRICT. COURT OF COLOMEO. POSTAL NOTICE. Holing and Weed ing Mamoties, Freeing Ares, Cattiss, Pruning Knives, Grass Kuives, Briar Hooks, Nails from 1¹/₂ "to 6," Coir Yarn. tive to the Cotton crops in some districts. RAILWAY POST OFFICES. Plaintif The Observer has the following :--O N the 1st January next, Post Offices for the crecipt and despatch of prepaid LETTERS, or articles prepaid at LETTER rates, and prepaid News-popers, will be open at all the Statians on the line of Railway between Colombo and Kandy. PREPAYMENT IS COMPULSORY. The Mails will be despatched, for the present, by the morning trains only. Any article (except a Newspaper) which is not pre-paid at letter rates, will not be forwarded by post to or from these Offices, the Railway Goods Department affording every facility for the carriage of Parcels, &c. H. W. GILLMAN, Postmaster General. JAMES ROBERTSON, Colombo, 1st January, 1869. LEE, HEDGES & Co. Trincomalie Street, Kandy, 6th December. 1869. NEW display upon the occasion was gorgeous. Countess Mayo and Lord and Lady Napier, ADVERTISEMENTS POSTAL NOTICE and the members of the order in India were present. The Duke was received with great cordiality. NOTICE. O^N and after the lat January next, the Post Office at Haputale will be closed. J. H. PERIES, Deputy Fiscal THE interest and responsibility of the undersigned in the "CETLON TIMES" Newspaper ceased on December 31st, 1869. H. W. GILLMAN, Postmaster General. Fiscal's Office, ombo, 16th December, 1869. Postmaster General. General Post Office, 23rd December, 1869. General Post Office, 6th December, 1869. All accounts due on that date must be paid to the undersigned, and those to whom memos. are sent are requested to pay the amount with as little delay as possible. THIS YEAR. NOTICE. FANCY GOODS The year which has just closed, has been a period of anxiety to those engaged in the Coffee enterprise, for in addition to the uncer-tainty which ever attends the Planters' expec-tations of crops, there was another element of uncertainty, that as to the supply of labor, Happily the season has thus far advanced without detriment to ingathering of crops. A ittle' Coffee was undoubtedly lost a few months Fiscal's Sale. W. M. YOUNG & Co. having made contracts for the ensuing year, for a steady supply of BASS' BEER in Hhds. are prepared to enter into en-gagements for Monthly supplies of BOTTLED BEER deiverable in Colombo or Kandy. Colombo, December 18th, 1869. FOR KEPPEL JONES. CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. NOTICE. O'HALLORAN BROTHERS. Ve. Defendant Norman Konstant Ve. Defendant Norman Alli. Defendant Norman January next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold at the Stores of Messre. Losshman & Co., it New Basar, the following the property of the same Defendant to wit. By Fren Letters...5d. per $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce Books, and Patterns or HAVE just opened a large stock of useful and pretty articles suitable for presents :-THE undersigned has established himself as 1 MERCHANT & COMMISSION AGENT Samples of Merchandise p to 3 lbs. in weight. Newspapers and print-ed Trade Circulars. To CHINA AND JAPAN. Berker Berker COMPRISING Ladies' Companions Sleeping Fancy Perfume Cases in Cestume great variety Baby Fancy Suprise and Perfume Nurse Fans Scotch Snut ALBUMS NAPKIN Port Polios Silver Pent Port Polios Ilver Pent Port Monnaies Ivory COMPRISING under the style and firm of WANTED. Dolls KEPPEL JONES & Co. KEPPEL JONES. 13, Chatham St., Colombo, compulsory ittle Coffee was undoubtedly lost a few months Cestume ao Baby do Nurse do Sootch Snuff Boxes NAPKIN KINGS Silver Pen and Pencil Cas Lyory do A EUROPEAN NUBSE to proceed to England (Overland) in attendance a lady and two children. Must be well recommended. ittle Coffee was undoubtedly lost a few months ago, when weeks of continuous wet and cold, unchequered by a single gleam of sunshine, perished some of the half-matured berries which fell blackened to the ground. Notwith-standing this partial loss of cherry, the crops in a number of districts, will exceed the esti-mates formed of them in the middle of the year. In other districts this is not the case, and short crops are mentioned where all had dant to wit. Two Hundred Bags of Rice. J. H. PERIES, By British Packet. Letters...6d. per 1 ounce—Prepayment compul-sory, except to Hongkong only.] Books, and Patterns or Samples of Merchandise up to 3 lbs. in weight. Newsmarers and print d 9d acchest Apply to W. M. YOUNG & Co. Baillie Stree January 1st, 1870. Deputy Fiscal. Fiscal's Office, Colombo, 17th December, 1869. Biver to be a second se FOUND. No. 5, Baillie Street. Cigar Cases WHIST MARKERS To hand Ex China Steamer. Can have the same by paying the cost WHISE Rose Water Crackers Costume do Perfume Images Prayer Book, with Hymns up to 3 lbs. in weight. Newspapers and print-ed Trade Circulars. By French Packet. Letters...7d. per $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce. Books, and Patterns or Samples of Merchandise. up to 3 lbs. in weight. Newspapers and print-ed Trade Circulars. Samples of Merchandise. Newspapers and print-ed Trade Circulars. Samples of Merchandise. Newspapers and print-above 4 ozs. Samples of Merchandise. Newspapers and print-above 4 ozs. Samples of Merchandise. Samples of Merchandise. Newspapers and print-above 4 ozs. Samples of Merchandise. GINGER PRESERVES Chna Ornaments Toys Perfume Locomotives Elegantly bound Books Squeaking Heads Morocco Bags &c. &c. &c. pulsory. FOR SALE. U CHOW CHOW EUCHONG TEA No. 1 Manilla Cigars No. 2 do do No. 2 Cortados Prayer Book, with Hyn A. & M. Children's Toys Books Perfumed Almanoks Brandy Flasks of this advertisement and short crops are mentioned where all had Apply at 31, New CHETTY STREET. At the Godowns of the Undersigned. been considered secure. There is no question that the season 1869-70 will have proved one of the most irregular known for many years,—irregular in results COSSART, GORDON & Co's., ALSO A well selected Invoice of the best JEWELLERY. such as Bracelets, Rings, Studs, Buttons, Chains, &c Outler Palmer & Co.'s MADEIRA Prepay-INVALID'S PORT. W. M. YOUNG & Co. matured in wood and Bottle. J. GIBSON THOMSON & Co. ment com not less than in crop time. Early districts have been late and districts usually late W. C. BRODIE & Co. pulsory.

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cases completely turned upon Managers, and we have seen small crops converted into bumwe have seen small crops converted into bum-pers, and liberal estimates unexpectedly dwarfed to lillipution proportions. On the whole we may sett-off the unpleasant disap-pointments against the welcome surprises, but then there is the large breadth of new Coffee land to be taken into account in some half a dozen districts, and then new estates, and new clearings on old estates will assuredly bring up our Coffee ex-ports to far on the right side of a million of Cwts. The supply of labor available for se-curing all this has proved just sufficient by dint of much scrambling and some heart-burning. Turning from the contemplation of the past to the year that is before us, we can foresee plainly a still larger encrease in the Coffee

to the year that is before us, we can foresee plainly a still larger encrease in the Coffee production of the country. We know of many hundreds of acres of Coffee land that during the season 1870-1 will yield their first large crops, many hundred also that will have just come into bearing, and still more of old Coffee that will have been made to feel the revivifithat will have been made to feel the revivifi-cation of fertilisers. It is impossible to shut our eyes to these facts, and looking at them, we cannot refrain from asking the question, whence are we to obtain the labor that is to gather and cure all this addition to our ordinary crop. We do not wish to become alarmists, but we desire to see this question answered, knowing but too well the ill consequences of a short supply of labor. It will not do to tell us that this cry of short labor supply has been fre-quently raised on former occasions, and has in nearly every instance proved a false alarm. It should be remembered that never before has the situation been the same as in this has the situation been the same as in this year. Not only will the Coffee crop be much larger than in any previous season, but the Indian demands for labor in the districts whence our Immigrants chiefly come, in consequence of large publicworks being in hand in the Madras Presidency, cannot fail to interfere with any large exodus of Tamils from South India to Ceylon during 1870. A constant addition to our immigration is needed in order to balance against the annual settlement of coolies on small holdings annual settlement of cooles on small holdings by means of their savings, and which we believe disposes of far more in Ceylon than any mortality: but taking into account the obstacles which this year present themselves, we cannot in our opinion expect even the ordi-nary influx of Tamils from the Southern districts of India. There will no doubt be a considerable return

There will no doubt be a considerable return this year to the old system of "coast ad-vances" with all its evil consequences, and though we are by no means prepared to main-tain that advances are unnecessary we know how much cause for regret there will be in the recurrence of old practies in this matter. We know there are many Planters of experience who with us, believe that we shall never secure a sufficient supply of labor without a special organisation for the purpose in India, that such organisation should be extended to new districts, should embrace the functions of Agent to the employers of labor, and should be supplement-ed by a steaner plying to Colombo. It is no ed by a steamer plying to Colombo. It is no reply to this proposal to remind us that a Go-vernment scheme of a like nature, broke down under the administration of one of our ablest Governors, and that new fields in Gangam were tried without success by a private Agent. The causes which resulted in the non-success of these projects are patent to us, and are in reality but reasons for fresh attempts, seeing that we have before us all the experience that resulted from those two efforts, one of them made in 1859 the other about 1865. Let the Planters Association see to this whilst there is time.

ANOTHER LEAP IN THE DARK.

A persual of the report of the Sub-Com-mittee of Council on the Galle Harbor Im-provements, and a reconsideration of the other published documents in connection with the subject leave a strong impression on our mind, that so far as the public are able to

aptly termed "leaps in the dark." Of the extreme desirability amounting al-most to a necessity, of rendering Galle Harbor a safe anchorage for the large influx of ship-ping of all classes and nationalities which will shortly resort to it, there is but one opinion in the colony, the only divergence in any quarter in this respect, being as to whether its necessity natches more of an impacial theorem of the short of the sho shortly resort to it, there is but one opinion in the colony, the only divergence in any quarter in this respect, being as to whether its necessity partakes more of an imperial than a local character, and whether the latter interest is sufficiently large to induce the colony to undertake any portion of the responsibility and risk involved in the cost of construction. Popular opinion backed by no less an autho-rity than that of the Governor, has declared that the work is essentially cosmopolitan but that our interest in it is sufficient to induce us to undertake the duty of Agents of British commerce in the execution of and the collection of the Harbor and wharfage dues, which are to meet the interest of the second which are to meet the interest on and the repayment of the capital invested. The colony is well content to discharge these duties : in might even be willing to go somewhat beyond them in consideration of the local advantages to accrue to us: at the same time although we would not view the question in any churlish spirit, we should as faithful custodians of the general bursary, see that we are taking a safe and just account of the expenditure involved. in order that when the task be completed we may be able to render a faithful account of our stewardship. It is impossible to conceal the fact that the anxiety evinced by the public as to the ulti-mate cost of the work, arises not from any doubt that a larger outlay than a quarter of a million would be undesirable, but from the apprehension that the revenues of the colony may be made to contribute any excess over that amount. We believe most implicitly that the sum of $£^{250,000}$ would prove but an instalment of the amount that will eventually be required to render Galle Harbor such a port of safety as it should be. We are content to leave out of consideration the removal of the sunken rocks within the harbor, and the construction of jetties, looking solely to the main works, the two Breakwaters. Fortunately for the interests of the public the engineering experience of the island is not entirely monopolised by the scientific members of the Commission : still less the acquaintance with hydraulic engineering, and therefore it becomes possible to analyse the calculations of the Commission without the guidance of their own figures. We are told by them that the use of costly staging may be dispensed with as the "rubble" of which the breakwater is to as the "rubble" of which the breakwater is to be composed, may be conveyed from the quar-ries to the edge of the water, and there "tipped" in the direction of the work. The use of the term "rubble," the mode by which it is to be placed in position, and the sketch of the sec-tion of the breakwater as given with the Combreakwater as given with the Commissioners' report, all shew clearly enough that they contemplate the employment of blocks of stone varying in size from four or five hundred weights to one or two tons. It scarcely re-

have ripened up their crops at an earlier period than usual. So also with out-turn. The tables have been in very many stormy weather, the outer face of the breakwaters must be composed of masses of stone of not less than ten or twelve tons each. Not only would the "tipping" of small stone in the manner contemplated, be a most protracted and wasteful process, but we venture to predict that the first heavy gale from seaward would scatter a "rubble" breakwater over the inside of the harbor. It must have been the know-ledge of this requirement which led Mr. Har-rison to recommend the use of staging for the purpose of lowering heavy masses of rock in-to their proper places, shoulder to shoulder, by means of travelling cranes. In one of the latest issues of the "*Illustrated London News*" is a sketch of some works of a somewhat simi-lar nature to our own, now being carried on in Holland by Dutch Engineers, confessedly the most skilful in the world. The use of the staging is there made ap-parent : it is scarcely possible that Dutch En-gineers would incur so much expense needless-ly, and although it is true that the works alluded to are of a somewhat more finished nature than of the harbor. It must have been the know-

to are of a somewhat more finished nature than those contemplated at Galle, in both cases the necessity is equal for the employment of large masses of stone which cannot be placed in position by the means suggested by the Com-missioners. There is indeed a mode by which this may be accomplished without staging; that by which the Plymouth Breakwater was constructed. The blocks of stone there emconstructed. The blocks of stone there em-ployed, varied in size up to ten or eleven tons. These huge masses when quaried, were con-veyed on waggons along trainways to the quays where by means of cranes they were lifted into vessels constructed for the purpose; on these arriving at the desired spot, a trapdoor in the vessel was opened, and the mass of stone fell into its place. Necessarily the cost of "get-ting" and removing such large masses of stone will be much greater than would be incurred with the Commissioners' rubble, and it is therefore one of the reasons why we direct at-tention to the fact.

tention to the fact. Let us look the probable cost boldly in th face; let a substantial contractor be found and let us ask the Imperial authorities to pr vide the full amount that may be needed render the work serviceable and permaner and we shall have the general community accord on this point.

THE RIFLES BAND .- The Band of the Ceylon Rifle Regiment, will play on Friday the 7th Instant, in the Cinnamon Gardens at 5 p. m., the following programme : -

PRO	GRAMME.
SELECTION.	COMPOSERS.
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	e the Queen.

MILITATY.-Extract from London Gazette dated 16th November 1869,-Ceylon Riffe Regiment Henry Augustus Bourchier Briston, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John Macaush, who retires, dated 17th November, 1869.

OFFICIAL ON DIT.—A report has been cur-rent for some days to the effect that in conse-quence of recent unfortunate occurrences at Manaarthe Governor has applied to the authorities of Fort Saint George, requesting them to appoint some member of the Madras Civil Service as Government Agent of the Northern Province. We do not protond its Northern Province. We do not pretend to vouch for the accuracy of this rumour, although it reached us from a quarter above suspicion.

THE MANNAR CASE. - We are glad to be able to assure our readers that the complexion of this unfortunate case, although sufficiently bad, is this unforting the case, although sufficiently bad, is not quite so serious as was at one time repre-sented, and that there is no probability, of any Commission being needed to enquire into the matter. The facts are sufficiently well estab-lished and we understand that decisive action will be taken by the Government very shortly. *Removal* in the case of both parties will be the result and notwithstanding a rumour to which subject leave a strong impression on our mind, that so far as the public are able to judge the Government are about to make an-other of those moves which have been so aptly termed "leaps in the dark." Of the extreme desirability amounting al-most to a necessity, of rendering Galle Harbor and the the the subject leave a strong impression on our evaluation of the case of both parties will be the result, and notwithstanding a rumour to which we allude elsewhere, our own impression is that Mr. Twynam will be removed to the Eastern Province being replaced by Mr. Birch; whilst Mr. Atherton will proceed to Anaradapoora being succeded by Mr. L. Liesh-

as Principal, assisted by a Master of a Vernacu-lar Branch, which will be conducted under the same roof. The buildings which were former-ly devoted to the "Industrial School" situated in the Çinnamon Gardens, will be appropriat-ed to this purpose so soon as the educational vote allows the necessary alterations to be made.

BALL TO THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH .--- We understand that at the meeting this afternoon of the Committee charged with the entertain-ment to H. R. H. the Duke of Edinburgh, it was resolved that the buildings for the Ball should be erected on the Galle Face and not in the Racket Court.

THE ADVANCE SYSTEM, --- A letter on this subject which appeared in the "Kandy Herald with the signature of "Old Boy" has been transferred to the columns of the "South of India Observer" with the following editorial

comments :---"We have read with pain "OLD Boy's" letter in the Kandy Herald of 2nd instant, and our feeling of pain is caused by our conviction that the state of things he desoribes, is absolutely truthful. We give his letter to our Wynaad readers; let them judge for themselves. Is it or is it not the case that the cooly, or the maistry rather, is the master on the estate? Is it not the case that Managers of estates have been coerced illegally by their mais-tries and coolies? Is it not the case that many estates lose large sums by advances for coolies? We leave the subject in the hands of our planting readers, feeling convinced that anything we can

readers, feeling convinced that anything we can say will fail to deepen or render more distinct the graphic lines drawn by this "OLD Boy."

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JAFFNA, December 23rd, 1869.

JAFFNA, December 23rd, 1869. This has been a most exceptionable season and most favorable to all cultivators, the paddy-fields for once are flourishing, and look in first rate con-dition, promising large crops all over the country. With the exception perhaps of 1866 we have not had such heavy and continuous rain for years, both 1867 and 1868 were years of drought, and the whole country suffered severely, but if nothing should spoil the prospects of the present harvest it will be certainly much larger this year than it have been 'very heavy in and about the town of Jaffna, I hear that many parts of the Pro-vince have had much more, I may mention the northern portion of the Peninsula and the Vanny Country. Of course the rains are very favorable to Cocoanut cultivation, and the Patchellepalle Estates are likely to pay their owners well during this coming season, during the few past years these properties have suffered most severely, and in some places so many trees had died through drought as to make the most sanguine planters fear that Cocoanut planting was after all a very poor speculation in this part of the country. How-ever, there is a brighter prospect for planters this year, and if it is followed by favorable rains in the sout the roth September last, about four or five days after taking over charge of affairs in this province and has not yet returned, I believe he has been down to Colombo since he left this, re-port says the visit was in reference to some un-pleasant affair which occurred at Mannth be-tween himself and the Assistant Agent at that Station, but no doubt you have been made ac-quinted with the particulars from a more relia-ble source. There is no doubt that much good will result from this long tour as it would appear in the Agent has been making the most of his ime while, away in enquiring into the irrigation requirements of the country in the neighbourhood of Anurajapoora and other portions of the province. It is said that he has inspected many This has been a most exceptionable season and most favorable to all cultivators, the paddy-fields

the purpose : that if the proposed works be executed Galle Harbor will not be a safe port, and that unless it be made a safe harbor at all times, the proposed dues cannot be imposed. The honorable member want into numerous details of a general character, in reference to the cost of the works, shewing that similar undertakings at home had cost f_{150} and f_{120} per lineal foot, that his own estimate had been f_{100} , whilst that of the Commission amounted to only f_{55} . He demonstrated the necessity for the use of staging, and urged that although it would cost $f_{60,000}$ it would be a real economy, in time and money, and that by not employing it the government would be losers not gainers. He urged the employment of a Contractor as the only means of determining the cost and of limiting the period of its execution. He protested against an insinuation that had been made as to his being *intercelled* in the question, declaring that his sole interest in it was as a member of Council anxious to discharge his duty. details of a general character, in reference to

Council anxious to discharge his duty. *The Colonial Secretary* declared the question to be not of an imperial character and that unless the work be proceeded with, the removal of the contract steamers to Trincomalie would follow, necessitating a heavy outlay on our part and great postal inconvenience. He [con-sidered that the revenue from port dues &c., would suffice to meet interest on a far larger sum than the quarter of a million, and deprecated the opposition to the project as in-dicative of the narrow isolated views held by

all small communities. Capi. For replied to the arguments in regard to cost, with a view to shew that the estimate of the Commissioners was safe; the work could be done for the sum named and

within five years. Mr. Witon after quoting from the Governor's address to Council, advised the work being given to a responsible contractor, at the same time he did not think the colony need care if the expenditure should exceed the sum

if the expenditure should exceed the sum named. The Tranurer submitted statements in refer-ence to the tonnage frequenting Galle Harbor from which it appeared that fixing the dues at a very low rate, the annual income would amount to the system of f 30,000. Mr. Harrison replied in reference to items of cost, and ingegard to the sneer of the Colonial Secretary about the narrow views of the public, he confessed to feeling that weakness---in his pocket: it was natural for those who had to bear the burle of taxation to entertain peculiar views on such matters, whilst those who incur-red no such liabilities could afford to look on and take very enlarged views ! After a few words from Mr. Coomaraswamy-the bill was proceeded with, the clause being carried by no to 5. At the last clause an amendment was pro-posed to the effect that the work should be entrusted to acontractor, which was also lost, the Gov rument declining to pledge itself to per course. Course there after the resting the state.

the Gov rument declining to pledge itself to any course. Council was then adjourned until to-morrow.

MADOOLSEEME, 27th December, 1869.

MADOOLSEEME, 27th December, 1869. The weather has for some time past been unusually fine. Madoolseeme has not for many years, if ever, known such a dry Decem-ber; an agreeable change from last year, when rain fell for 19 consecutive days. Crops are late on most estates, only $\frac{1}{2}$ of the estimate having been gathered, the sample though generally peaking rather small, is good. Labor is sufficient to allow our weeding to be carried on in the ordinary routine. Our pos-tal arrangement is unsatisfactory. Govern-ment should allow us a runner to a station at the bottom of "Battawatte," and notice should be taken of either the carelessness of the Badulla post holder in not starting the present runner's delay on the road. It is now a fre-quent ocurrance for us to get our books returnquent ocurrence for us to get our books returned to us with the entry "no tappal arrived as yet," and this several hours after the runner was due.

AMBEGAMOWA, December 29th, 1869. Any one who visited this district two or three years ago, and was to pay it another visit now, would be greatly surprised at seeing the vast change that has taken place in the apthree years ago, and now, would be greatly surprised at second vast change that has taken place in the ap-pearance of most of the estates. Properties that were then in a sad state of neglect, and you may lalmost say some abandonment, are now under a new regime in a most flourish ing condition and bearing good paying crops. "Thisyear a very fair average crop will be sent away from the district, and next year a large increase is expected. Cart hire has as yet been moderate, not having exceeded 5d. a yet were to advance a penny to a strange Kangany, without reference to his for-mer employer.

(40) or (50) acres of Coffee in full bearing, most astonishing fact Sir, I can assure you, more power to him say I, and may his shadow never grow less. In conclusion Mr. Editor I hope you will raise your voice to put a stop to such partial proceedings. Your, &c. DETECTOR.

COFFEE OUT-WURN.

COTTE OUT-JUNK.

ONLY A FOOL

KANGANIES AND COOLIES.

Your correspondents "Matelle West" and "An Old Boy" in your issue of the 2nd instant, disclose a very lamentable state of affairs, insubordinate and scheming Head Kanganies, gangs entirely under the Head Kangany's thumb, an utter want of all order and discipline, and "an unprecedented number of coolies absent from work" one of the facts related, i. e. that of a superintendent obliged to look quietly on and submint while a Kangany tortured a coolie at his own will and pleasure is so disgraceful to most of the parties concerned, that one hesitates to give a implicit evidence. I do not consider that the "whole duty of man" is comprised in securing a crop; to protect your coolies from wanton injury, appears a far higher and more imperative duty. And the first question that naturally suggests itself is "why make such scoundrels Head Kanganies ?" But the entire system of appointing men to be Head Kanganies because they bring large gangs to an estate, or for any other reason, but that of proved trustworthiness and efficiency is a rotten one : while to have the supply of labour solely dependent on one Kangany is simply the acme of badness. But I do not write with a view to comment upon the conduct of "Old Boy." doubtless he had a very hard part to play, he may have known that losing his crop would involve loss of his situation, so that some allowance must be made for him. I wish to suggest two or three rules which some of my neighbours and myself have acted upon for many years, and which, if regularly carried out, would I believe do away with the possibility of such scenes being enacted as "Old Boy" describes. These rules are simple, and such as every superintendent can carry out himself, without reference to P. A. Com-Your correspondents "Matelle West" and "An

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known a Kangany back up a coolie in any insubor-dination. But with regard to either Kanganies or coolies (the Labour Ordinance puts both in the same ca-tegory) disobeying or even neglecting orders, the law is stringent and simple; the planter has the remedy in his own hands (if he choose to use it) by taking to court any men neglecting or refusing to do his work. Better so, and keep yourself in the right, than knock down the man and put yourself in the wrong. I grant that coolies try one's temper considerably occasionally; I often think, how much we must try theirs.

theirs.

For my own part, I think as a rule my coolies keep their tempers better then I do.

Jungle, 28th December, 1869.

MAIL NEWS.

WAIL NEWS.

Council proceeding of this day extend precludes any attempt on our part to give more than a brief summary of them in our present issue.

ANOTHER HOUSE ROBBERY .- Scarcely a day passes without a burglary of some sort being reported in Colombo, and it is evident that this class of crime is on the increase. The tast affair of the kind we have heard of was lhe attack upon Mr. Hathorn's harness room, at Luke's place, Colpetty, during his absence in the New year's holidays. The thieves cleared out the room and got weil away with their booty. The appoo, however, soon discovered the robbery ; he at once put the Police on the track and two men were captured against whom the evidence is very strong, although the harness has not yet been discovered. It is to be hoped that if the case be proved against them they will not be let off with the merely nominal punishment which is too often awarded in such cases. They should be made an example of "Pour encourager les antres."

THE COLOMBO HUNT.—The Hunt had some good sport on New Year's day. The hounds met at the third turning in Colpetty, and a good field collected. They found soon after entering the Ginnamon, and the hare taking to the more open country in the direction of Borella was run into after a rattling spin of ten minutes. The hounds were again put into the cover and started another hare which they hustled about from one swamp to another for 15 or 20 minutes be ore they lost him in a big

bank of ferns. Yesterday there was a meeting of the Committee of the hunt in consequence of a request from Mr DAVIDSON that his hounds might be sent back to him, when it was resolved that a very cordial vote of thanks be given to Mr. Davidson for his kindness in ending the hounds.

The last meet of the season this morning was not so well attended as might have been expected, but those who had the courage to turn out at 5-30 did not go unrewarded. The pack put up a fine old hare which led them a merry dance down to the cemetery and was then lost in some thick swampy jungle, where they turned out an otter and wild cat, and it was with the greatest difficulty that the hounds were called off.

WANTED : A MOUNT FOR H. R. H .- It is rumoured that the Arab horses imported from Bombay at so much expense and trouble for he use of H. R. H. the Duke of Edingburgh, have not proved so successful as was expected, and that the Governor still lacks a fitting mount for our Royal visitor.

EDUCATIONAL .- We understand that a comquires a knowledge of hydraulic engineering, to demonstrate what will be at once appre-ciated by the unprofessional reader, namely under the management of Mr. Hill, of Kandy,

stand out on bail to appear whencalled upon, since this latter postponement nothing further has been assigned by the Court for such a long postpone-ment, but it is supposed to be on account of an appeal petition filed, by the defendants in the "Testamentary-case" and it is not probable fur-ther stefs will be taken until the result of the ap-peal to the Supreme Court is known. Our postal communication with Colombo has been very irregular during the heavy rains, but is more regular now.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

ORDER OF THE DAY. - Wednesday, Sth January, 1870. NOTICE OF MOTIONS. Mr. HARRISON to move, -- That the Govern men

of this Council to discuss the princi ples and me-rits of a Bill submitted to them? Whether it is not the right of any Member of

this Council to have submitted to him in Commit tee detailed Estimates of the cost of any work for the execution of which this Council is asked

vote money ? Whether, in the opinion of the Government, Whether, in the opinion of the Government, it is justifiable for a majority—consisting of the three Official Members of a Sub-Committee of this Council, appointed to consider a Bill impos-ing upon the Colony a heavy liability, and involv-ing the expenditure of a large amount of Public Money, to resist the application of the minority— consisting of the three Unofficial Members of that Sub-Committee, for a detailed Estimate of the cost of the work on which it is proposed to spend the money?

cost of the work on which it is proposed to spend the money? That a detailed Estimate of the cost of the works proposed for the improvement of Galle Harbour, and an Estimate of the time required for their completion, be prepared by the Director of Public Works, as the responsible Officer of Go-vernment, and presented to this Council. The Colonial Secretary to move the Third reading of the Bill :--

All the members present except .Mr. Dehi

The questions proposed by Mr. Harrison were put as motions, the whole of them being disallowed by the Government.

The Supply Bill was read a third time and passed.

The Council than resolved into Committee on the Galle Harbor Bill and on Mr. Harrison's motion it was arranged that the principle of the Bill should be discussed upon the second clause. On this being read the honorable member rose to oppose the second reading of the bill.

Mr. Harrison opposed the bill on four grounds; that it is unjust to throw all the responsibility on this colony : that the sum proposed to be expended is inadequate for

their favor to make them pay. Various artificial manures have been applied

on several estates in the district this year, but none with so good an effect as Bones and Poonac, which every one agrees is the best. Cattle manure is also used on a small scale for very good effect, but there is an absence very good effect, but there is an absence of good fodder in the district which prevents one from keeping a large stock. Only about a fourth of out crops have been sent away as yet, but next month the balance in our stores will be considerably reduced. Two hundred acres are being felled on three estates in this district this serson, which shews that some people still believe in Ambegamowa.

Our road is in very fair order indeed considering the amount of traffic on it.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. GALLE HARBOR

SIB, — Will, you allow me a brief space for a few remarks upon the manner in which a certain ,, organ" once an independent journal but now playing into the hands of the government, is giving a false impression in regard to the scientific opinions ex-pressed on the construction and cost of the propos-ed works in Galle Harbor. I am induced to do this because the public at large are quite incapable of forming right conclusions on this difficult question, and must look for graided to they whom they forming right conclusions on this difficult question, and must look for guidance to those whom they believe to be best qualified to express a sound opi-nion. We are told by one of your contemporaries that the member of the Commission who declares the work cannot be done for a quarter of a million, work cannot be done for a quarter of a million, stands alone against seven others, each as good men as himself. I would ask what has the fact of their being "as good men as himself" to do with an engineering question? The writer who lays so much stress on the fact that the dissentient Commuch stress on the fact that the dissentient Com-missioner did not accompany the others to Galle, knows as well as you or myself, that there was no necessity for his presence, as he had gone over every fathom of the harbor years ago, and that in fact it was his plans and his estimates that formed the first ground-work of all these proceedings 1 The public are told that the official majority com-prises there Engineers each of mhome are used.

The public are told that the official majority com-prises three *Engineers*, each of whom are as well qualified as the dissentient f Let us see who they are. The Director of Public Works, who until he came to Ceylon and was hoisted into his present anomolous position, had was holsted into ins present anomolous position, had never discharged any duties but those of a Locomotive Superintendant : the Surveyer General who cannot possibly know anything of practical engineering, and lastly, Heaven save the mark, a Colonel of the Royal Engineers.

gincers. Can you, Mr. Editor, or any of your readers, believe that the united wisdom of these gentlemen can for one moment weigh against the *practical* experience of a gentlemen who commenced his professional career on Marine engineering! The sham is too monstrous to take with the public for a moment. Yours & Yours &c., ARTEXERXES.

December 5th, 1869.

Another rule is, to get up a good large "Doray Perinal" of 25, or 30, or more; a gang directly under the master, without any Kangany (though of course obliged to obey all proper orders issued by the Kangany in carrying on the work.) This can be done; it may involve a little care and trouble for some time, like every thing else in this world worth having. If necessary, let these men be paid at a higher rate than the others. I consider that a healthy old coolie who has been on one estate for three or four years, who has been trained into habits of implicit and instinctive obedience and who would take any Kangany down to court at a word from take any Kangany down to court at a word from the superintendent, a man in fact whose thorough obedience can be relied on, is well worth a rupee a

the superintendent, a man in fact whose thorough obedience can be relied on, is well worth a rupee a month higher pay than an average coolie, who might possibly in some instance, obey the Kangany rather than the superintendent. But the advantages of having a large "Head gang" who don't owe any Kangany a penny are so obvious, that I need not enlarge upon them. Insubordination must have grown to a fearful height unchecked before it could result in such glar-ing outrage as "Old Boy" depicts. I cannot help thinking that if every Kangany or coolie knew that no matter how large his gang or how heavy the amount of advance involved, any act of deliberate misconduct or disobedience would *infallibly* be fol-lowed by severe punishment (whether fine, or flog-ging, or instant dismissal, or being taken to Court) insubordination would be rare. I will only adduce one instance of this out of many which I could give. A cangany on an estate near this who had been rather "drunk and disorder-ly" one night, was called up by the superintendent two or three days afterwards, and sentenced to a month's fine. On the Kaagany looking rather blue, the planter (a very "Dharmah Doray") politely in-formed him that he might take his choice, of paying down the fifteen rupees, or being im-mediately sent to court, and tried for misconduct. In a few hours the man very quietly and res-pectfully brought the money : an instance of how quietly people will submit to even severe punishment, when they know that it is the inflexible In a rew nours the man very quiety and res-pectfully brought the money : an instance of how quietly people will submit to even severe punishment, when they know that it is the inflexible rule of the estate and of the P. D. The rush of rule of the estate and of the F. D. The rush of crop was just coming on, and the Kangany in ques-tion had a fine large gang, of stout good coolies, turning out with admirable regularity; yet the superintendent did not hesitate to carry out the punishment he had determined on (though certainly he took three days to think over the matter); and

neither the Kangany nor one of his coolies seeme to contemplate the possibility of kicking up a "row

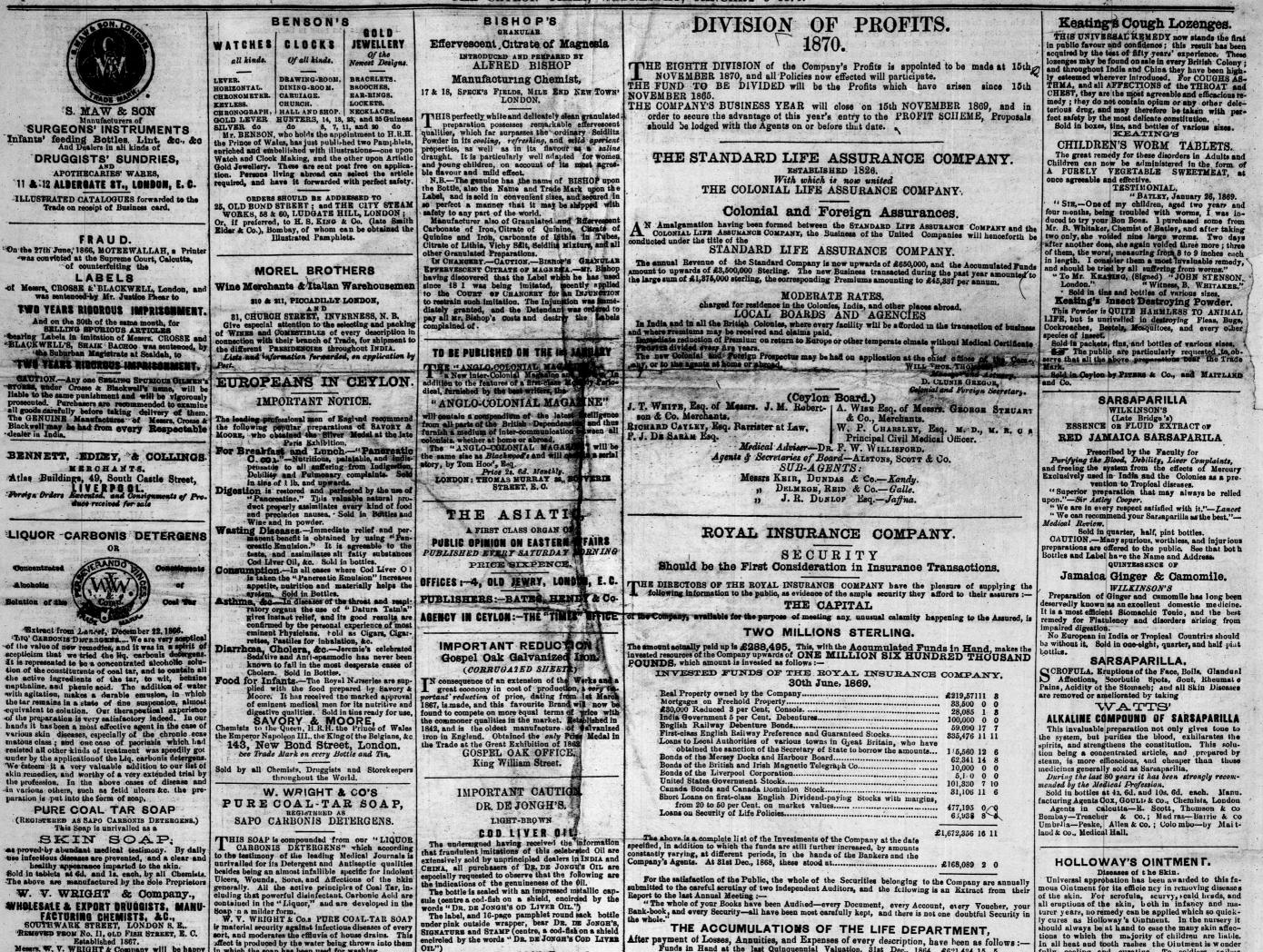
on the occasion. The third rule I would mention is never on any I have had the management of coolie (or Kangany.) I have had the management of coolies for 18 years, and have acted on this rule for -12, in carrying on and have acted on this rule for 12, in carrying on estate work, and have never seen occasion to regret it' and only once or twice (to a very slight degree) to infringe it I once caught a coolie kicking a boy in front of the lines, and gave him 4 or 5 severe cuts with a cane, on the spot. He knew it served him right, and took his licking "like a brick." Many of my neighbours adopt a similar rule. If a man has done something very heinous (beating a women, or thieving, or persuading other coolies to desort, or to remain in the lines, or to kick

tesst by Dr. Cumming and his friends. For what do these prayers signify? and in what spirit are they conceived? Not in any which resembles even faintly faith, hope, or charity: We find the re-verend rector of St. Dunstan's praying that "the machinations of Rome may produce confusion, and that many people may be rescued," we suppose during the confusion ; while Dr. Cumming suppli-cates that "the day of Rome's anticipated triumph-may prove that of her predicted ruin (vide the re-verend gentleman's works), "and that many may be brought out of darkness into light." Now the Pope of Rome has expressly declared that he will, if only "Dr. Cumming of Scotland" will recent his errors, himself run joyfully half way to meet and embrace that personage; and the Doctor replies by calling the Pope and his works Darkness, and pray-ing for his speedy ruin ! If there were such a thing as a Protestant Inquisition, properly provided with portesting inquisitors, it is easy to see that the days not only of Papists but of heretics, unbelievers, and all other defaulters would be of the shortest. And we have little doubt that it would be safer to-trust our bodies to Dr. Newman and the Pope to be dealt with according to their will, than to be con-signed to the tender mercies of Dr. Cumming and his followers. If has been said, too truly we fear, that but for the indifferentists and Gallies of this world, the zealois in religion would soon rend each other to pieces. Well may the careless bystander say, "See how these Christians love !"—Pall Mall Gazette.

Bay, "See now these Christians love !"-Pall Mall Gazette. FEARFUL GALE ON THE AMERICAN LARES.-By the arrival at Liverpool yesterday of the Isman steamer City of London we have details of the disastrous gales which occurred a fortnight ago on the American lakes. Amongst the many casualties reported are the follow-ing:-A Chicago despatch states that the schooner Ar-row, which was driven ashore at Grass Point about fif-teen miles north of Chicago, on the 16th, during a fierce storm, is a total wreck. On the 18th the tug G. W. Wood with a lifeboat, was enabled to reach the schooner, and the lifeboat, was launched and the crew of the Arrow placed in her, with four of the crew of the tug. The lifeboat was almost immediately stove to pieces, and the offictrs and crew of the Arrow and one man from the tug perished. The three other men from the tug were rescued, but were almost frozen to death. An Oswego despatch states that the barque Gorge Thurston, with 19,000 bushels of wheat on board, went ashore on the night of the 8th one mile east of Nicholson's Island, on the Canada shore of Lake. Ontario, and would become a total loss. Trom Port Stanley we learn that the steamer Brunos arrived there on the 18th, and reported having seen the brig Detroit sunk three miles from shore, off Point Bruce. The Bruno rescued three men from the enast-head, who had been clinging there for forty-eight hours. Two of the men had their feet badly frozen. The rest of the crew, five in number, together with the captain, the chief officer, a deck hand, and Mrs. English and her daghter were drowned. The gale on the 17th is reported to have been the severest ever witnessed at Chicago. The Themas A. Scott was carried ashore on the wreck on the night of the t6th. Nothing had beem heard of the passengers or crew I bid.

BIGANY.—A. curious charge of bigamy was heard yes-terday at the Lambeth Police-court. A mian named Baker had heen parted from his wife, who left him vo-luntarily. Some years after he heard that she had been tound drowned, and an acquaintance of hers identified the body as that of Mrs. Baker. Soon after that he married again, but about five weeks ago, finding his first wife was still living, he returned to her, and the com-plaints of the deserted second wife led to proceedings being taken against him. The officer in charge of the case stated that the first wife had had ½cogo left her, and probably found that she could not get the money without the assistance of her husband. The case was, adjourned,—Standard.

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