

# HEDEN.

## EXECUTEURS KAMER."

Publieke Verkooping van Vastgoed.

D E Directeuren der Executeurs Kamer, als de Generale Gemagtigden van den Heer JOHAN MICHEL LEIBBRANDT, zullen publick aan de meesthoudende doen verkoopen de volgende Vaste Goederen, behoorende aan ge-melde Heer LEIBBRANDT, te weten:

Rds. 5: 4, per huartaal Nommer.

\* Prys Rds. per enkele Nommer.

Op Heden, Maandag den 26 dezer.

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Een Huis en Erf, gelegen als boven, over de Woning van den Heer LEIBBRANDT, onder dubbele verdieping, met 7 grote kamers en andere Buitenvertrekken, thans verhuurd voor Rds. 48 per maand.

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Op Morgen, Dingsdag den 27 dezer.

Een Huis en Erf, gelegen in de Breedstraat, annex den Windkolk L. JACOB, nabij het Noorder Zeehoofd, behoendende een vaste maandelyksche huur van Rds. 24.

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Drie stukken Grond, gelegen als boven, achter het genoemd Pakhuis.

Op Donderdag den 1 Maart 1849.

Een Huis onder dubbele verdieping, gelegen in Dorpstraat, bevattende 6 kamers en andere vertrekken,—eene maandelyksche huur opbrengende van Rds. 28.

Een dito, gelegen als boven, verhuurd voor Rds. 24 per maand.

Een Pakhuis, mede gelegen in de Dorpstraat.

Een Huis, onder dubbele verdieping, gelegen in de Hanoverstraat, onlangs door den Heer LEIBBRANDT gekocht uit den Boedel van CAREL F. W. LANGERMAN, bevattende 5 kamers, en andere Buitenvertrekken, eene huur's maands opbrengende van Rds. 28.

Een dito anno ditto, verhuurd voor Rds. 25.

Een dito anno ditto, verhuurd voor Rds. 16.

Op Zaturdag, den 3 Maart 1849,

OP DE STOEP DER KOOPMANS BEURS.

Een STUK GROND, gelegen aan den Wynberg, voormalig behoende aan den Insolventen Boedel van ALEXANDER BURNS, groot 412 kwaadraad roeden, 72 ditto voeten.

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Na DE Verkooping zal elken dag ten ure 10 ure, afgemeld.

Bovengenoede HUIZEN en PAKHUIZEN zyn in den bestaat van reparatie, en bieden eene schoone geleghedt aan voor diegenen die hun geld op eene voordeelbare en seker wyze wenschen te beleggen.

Echter Ruim STRYKELD en BONUS zullen gegeven worden, en de Koopconditien, welke ten Kantore der Executeurs Kamer te zyn zyn, zullen zeer aaneenlyk voor de koopers worden gemaakt.

C. J. C. GIE, Sec.

St. George's straat, Kaapstad, 26 Feb. 1849.

De Heeren BLORE & BARTMAN, Afslager.

MUTUEELE

LEVENS ASSURANTIE GENOOTSCHAP

VAN DE

KAAP DE GOEDE HOOP.

Belangen van Premiums, ontrangen

van den aanvang, van 27 Mei 1845

tot 1 February 1849. £ 21,674 19 3

Verlenging van den Genootschap, uit-

vocht van sterfgevalen, betaald. £ 3,800 00

Belangen van opegelepen Fonds op

1 February 1849. £ 18,052 7 2

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Daar dit een MUTUEEL ASSURANTIE GENOOT-

SHAP is, worden de winsten niet, gelijk in maatschappijen van Eigenaren, onder de Deelhebbers en Assureerders verdeeld.—Het GEHEELE behoert aan de houders van Polissen, op het einde van elke DRIE JAREN, na het jaar 1850, wanneer de eerste verdeling g'geldt dat platte hebben; en elke houder kan syn Aandeel doorgaan v'geen som door hem verassureerde, of tot eenne tegenwoordige deling doen strekken, of doen aawenden ter vermindering van toekomstige jaarslyks premien door hem te betalen.

E. THOMPSON, Sec.

Heerengracht, 1 Nov. 1848.

Uitgegeven te No. 92, Waléstraat, Kaapstad, elken Maandag en Donderdag Ochtend en met de eerstvolgende post naar de Buitenv-Distrikten versonden.

Termer.-In de Stad per Rds. 22; per huartaal Rds. 5: 4.—In de Buitenv-Distrikten voor de twee nummers in derzelver geheei Rds. 23 per jaar; per kwartaal Rds. 7; doch waar al de stoffa van de Maandags Courant (in een taal) by wege van Supplement tot de Donderdag Courant wordt begeerd, Rds. 22 per jaar of Rds. 5: 4, per huartaal.

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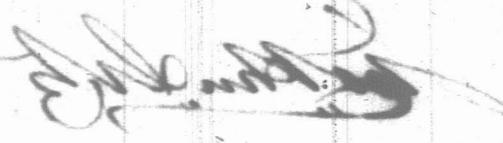
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## DE ZUID-AFRIKAAN.

KAAPSTAD 26 FEBRUARY 1849.

**MEN** zal niet onderstaand Extract bemerken, dat de afgelegene Kolonie Van Duiemens Land, in de maand September van het voorleden jaar, reeds in het hecht was van narijt waarnaar de Kaapsche Kolonisten nog hunkerden.

Het is der ingeprent aldaar niet alleen bekend, dat er door den Gouverneur dier Volkplanting een Rapport naar den Secretaris van Staat overgezonden is omrent het onderwerp eener Vertegenwoordigende Vergadering, maar zelfs is het antwoord van Zyn Liedschap op die mededeeling, in een Zitting des Rads op den 12 dier maand gehouden, aan deszelfs h. den medegelede, vergezel van het stadhoudt narigt, "dat de wenschen der kolonisten omrent dit gewigig onderwerp, op her punt standen om verwelnykt te worden."

Dit is zoo als het behoort, en stelt een zeer opvallende contrast daer tuschen de wyse waarop zulke taken albiere behandeld worden, alwaar de kolonisten teregt klagen dat zy omrent deze zaak geheel in het duistere zyn gelaten. Zy weten dat er een rapport naar huis gezonden is, en zy hebben alle reden te vermoeden dat het antwoord op hetzelste reeds een geruime tyd in kolonie ontvangen is, maar, om hen met den inhoud dier documenten bekend te maken, dit is eens zaken welke onze wyse regerders van zich niet kunnen verkrijgen. Waaruit dit onderscheid ontstaat, is eens viang welke inderdaad moeijlyk te beantwoorden valt, en ons nog meer verbysterd omdat wij van oordeel zyn dat de kolonisten dit, als een regt aan hen verschuldigd, vorderen kunnen.

Geheimhouding geest in zulk een geval tot niets anders danne vertrouwen—wantrouwen—wantrouw tot jaloezy—de ongelukkigste hartstog welke er tuschen de geregende en de regerders bestaan kan, en welke, eenmaal wortelen geschoten hebende, het onvermydelyk gevolg heeft, om niet zelden, zelfs de beste voornemens, uit een verkeerd oogpunt te doen beschouwen.

De tegenwoordige tyden vorderen inderdaad eenen anderen gedrags-regel. De Kolonisten zyn bewust van hun regt om inlichting te vorderen in alle zaken hunne onmiddelyke belang rakkende; zy eischen billyk spel—geen onderhandse gemoef. Elke Gouvernementalische, gevoelens behelzende openens onderwerpen door de Kolonisten voorgesteld ofwelke veranderingen beogen in het bestuur hunner angelegenheiten, behoort hen, of ten minsten de ledens der Wetgeving, bekend gemaakt te worden, ten einde ook hen in de gelegenheid te stellen, hunne gevoelens mede te deelen; en, tenzy dit geschiede, zal men hen de vryheid niet kunnen bewist, om het vermoeden te koesteren, dat er in den Staat iets bedorven is.

Het volgende is het bedoelde extract:—

"Ik heb groot gesenoen den Raad voortteleggen het afschrift einer depeche van den S. Secretaris van Staat, welke ik op den 15de der voorledene maand ontyncen heb.—Desele is in antwoord op een van my over het onderwerp van een Vertegenwoordigende Wetgevende Vergadering.—In die mededeeling ga ik het rapport dier Secretaris van Staat van my gevorderd had in een depeche, het afschrift waarvan ik in July 1847 aan den Raad voorgelegd heb."

"Volgens die mededeeling na am my gedaan is het duidelyk, dat het onderwerp onder overweging is, en ik vertrouw, dat alle twyfel omrent de voornemens van H. M. Gouvernement tot zyngeval worden gebragt.

"De versterkingen van den Secretaris van Staat zyn vol en dien, en hoevel omstandigheden ontstaan mogen, welke vordelacht beletten kunnen den Bill in den loop der zitting van 1848 te doen passeren, kan er ewelue gen twyfel bestaan of de kwestie sal fiaal afgedaan worden hetzij in de tegenwoordige of de volgende zitting van het Parlement."

—*Sydney Herald.*

In ons laaste nommer, verzochten wy onze lezers en inzonderheid de Ledens der Nederduitsche Hervormde Kerk in dat land, hunne aandacht te willen vestigen op betreue wi in eenne onzer kolonien uit het Tijdschrift "De Gereformeerde Kerkbipe," d.d. 10de February II. overgenomen hadden, en wy gevoelens ons thans genoot het belangryke onderwerp nog wat nadere toelichtingen. Het is van tyd tot tyd gebleken, dat de Synodale Commissie van Opvoeding en Onderwyser de zaak haart opgedragen, bysonder ter hartergenomen en ernstige pogingen ter harer bevordering aangewest heeft; maar, als men het grote gewigt daarvan is, en de dringende behoeftaaraan in aanmerking neemt, wien moet het dan niet bevremden, ja, bedroeven, dat die Commissie,—zelfs na de bekendmaking van haart voornemens, om een Instituut tot opleiding van Onderwyzers, zoo als die in ons blad van den 7 December 1848, is voorgekomen, zoo weinig aannemelijc gevonden heeft, als tot dus ver blijkt het geval geweest is zyn. De eenige reden die wy daervoor vindnen, is als niet van allen grond ontbloot, beschouwen kunnen, is deze, dat men niet het plan nog niet genoeg bekend was, de voorwaarden niet wist, op welke men daarvan deelnehmen kan, en in het onszere verkeerde, aangangde vooruitzichten van zulken, die in het Instituut tot Onderwyzers zullen worden opgeleid. Het ver-schusche ons daarom een wezenlyk genoegene, geneen eenigzins ontwikkelde voorstelling daarvan door de Commissie zelve voorgedragen te zien. Ten einde dan die zoog gewenschte zaak te helpen bevorderen, hebben wy die voordragt overgenomen, en wy twyfelen niet of derzelver meer aannemelijc bekendmaking ook door ons blad, zat het gevolg hebben, dat niet alleen ouders bewogen zullen worden om hunne kinderen in dat Instituut te laten onderwyzen, maar ook een genoegzaam aantal jongelingen sich opgewekt gevoelen sal om zich in hetzelte tot den zoon heilzamen als eerwaardigen stand van Onderwyzer der Jengd, onder zulke aannemelijc voorwaarden en voordeelige uitzichten, te laten bekwaam maken. Maar, hetgene wy daarmede bysonder toe doel hebben, is aanleiding te geven tot het doen van zulke hydrafien, waardoor de Commissie in staat kan worden gesteld, om het door haar in werkling gebrachte plan verder te ontwikkelen, uitbreiden, te vestigen. Wy aarzelen niet te verklaren, dat daarvan het geluk van het aankomende geslacht voor het grootste deel der bevolking in dit land, en dus het heel der maatschappij afhangen zal; en (wy behoeven dit nauwlyks te doen opmerken,) dat de Nederduitsche Hervormde Kerk thans nog ver weg het grootste en meest gevestigde Kerkgenootschap in dit land, zonder den steun aan het wankelen geraken zal, en ten val neigen moet. Reeds lang heeft men de nooddakelykhed ingezien en erkend, om langs zoodanig eenen weg ter bevordering van het eene en ter afwering van het anders werkzaam te zyn; maar de pogingen, daarioe aangewend, werden steeds vruchteloos bevonden. De tegenwoordige tyd schijnt de zaak meer te beginnen

stigen, en het plan der Commissie biedt geneen gelegenheid aan, om daarvan een gespan en heilzaam gebruik te maken. Is men dikromtrent thans koel en onverschillig en noodzakelijc men de Commissie om wegen gebrek aan ondersteuning het plan op te geven, men loopt dan het grootste gevaar van zich zoodanige gelegerheid voor de toekomst geheel afgesnyden, en, by die bevinding van de allerschandelycke gevolgen daarvan, het gressend zelverwyt deswege temeest verduren.—

Maar, wy koesteren de hoop, dat men nog in tyds de oogen openen zal voor het gegeat, dat dreigt, en zich zal laten bewegen tot opofferingen, die in de toekomst berouvenbare voorstellen aanbieden.

Wij zijn het intusschen duidelyk in, dat de Commissie dadelijk ondersteuning behoeft, om onafgebroken en met een goed gesolg op den eens geslagen weg voort te kunnen gaan. Wy zyn daarom op het denkbeeld gekomen, dezelve opmerkaam te maken, op het bestaan van een sohds, hetwelk overeenkomstig deszelfs bestemming naar ons inzien op geene betere wyse kan worden aangewend, dan door de bevordering van haar doel.

Wy hebben het oog op het zoogenaamde Educatie Fonds. Wy zyn daarom geneigd de Commissie aan te bevelen by de Directeure van dat fonds aanzoek te doen, om op voorwaarden die met de daarvoor gemaakte bepalingen beschikbaar zyn, de noodige ondersteuning te erlangen en wy twyfelen niet, of, dat lighzaam indielijk mogelyk volgaarde daaraan voldoen. Wanneer men slechts zoo ver gevorderd is, dat men de heilzame werking van het plan kan doen zien en vaderinden, valmen ongetwysfeld door de belanghebbenden zoodanige onverstening genieten, dat men niet alleen de voorgeschotene sommen terug kan geven, maar ook door eigen middelen geschraagd, vastig voortgaen en tot heel der maatschappij met moed en eyver waarmaan zyn kan.

### NOODLOTTIG ONGEVAL.

(Mededeelde.)

Eenige dagen geleden viel dier zoon van den Heer H. NEKETLING, Mz., van Vlaardingen, uit een kar, en verbrulde zyn arm zoog erg dat afzettende baat werd genomen, al het enigst middel om zyn leven te reden. Mortificatie volgde echter weldru, en duarde voort tot den dood van den 22ste deszer, wanneer die dood een einde maakte aan zyn lyden. De overledene was een veelbelovende jongeling van omtrent 18 jaren oud, en zyn dood zal waaraan gevoeld worden door zyne broeroof vader, voor wie hy van veel dienst was in een hoerderij.

HOOFDARTIKEL  
(Mededeelde.)

De berghen gevonden baren wee, en tien nietige werd geboren.

Myneher!—Toen uw blad van den 22 January alhier op den aankomende, een kleine briefje van my gevattende, waarin den verspreiders van hem gerucht dat nadere van den Eer. Heer Louw publiceert in een van uwe Nommen een artikel, dat de koornboer een lyd van tyd van omtrent *Twee Polder* vinding op elke mud koorn gezien had.

Volgens deszaaifinding wyl, dat men Drie Men en Tien Paarden nooit heeft omtrent *Ploeg* te behandelten, en dus een mud

zaal slechts Tien man omtrent. Als deszaaien niet kan worden verholpen, hoe eerder men dan het aantoeke.

Hetgeen wi behoven is een meerder ghet van bezoldigde Magistraten, om het regt binnen elks bereik te brengen;—

Zal men die gekleurde lieven niet leggen, en zoudent zy te regt of ten onregt, het niet gelooven, dat ty onderdrukt werden ten nutte der blank-n, en zoondt dat gevoelen niet sterker aannemding, om zich naar de Zedelings Instituut te begeven; of wat zoudt hen kunnen beletten om het voorbeeld der Boeren te volgen en over de grenzen der koloniën te trekken; alwaar zy hujane onfaachelykheid konden staande houden of zich by hessen of ander inlandsch overhoofd voegen. Om dese en andere redenen behoert van den Landlooper Wet niet kunnen doen.

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## THE ZUID-AFRIKAAN.

CAPETOWN, FEBRUARY 26, 1849.

It will be seen from the under-following extract, that the remote Colony of Van Diemen's Land, was, in the month of September of the past year, already in possession of information, after which the Cape Colonists are still hankering.

The inhabitants there have not only been informed that the Governor of that settlement had transmitted a report to the Secretary of State on the subject of a Representative Assembly, but even the reply of his Lordship to that communication was laid before the Council on the 12th of that month, accompanied by the pleasing intimation, that "the wishes of the Colonists on that important subject, were about to be gratified."

This is, as it should be, and offers a striking contrast between the manner in which similar matters are disposed of here, where the colonists justly complain that they are left entirely in the dark. They know that a Report was sent home, and they have every reason to suspect that the reply thereto has, a long time ago, been received in this Colony; but to make them acquainted with the contents of those documents, this is a matter to which the Administrator of our affairs cannot demean himself. From whence this difference originates, is a question which it is indeed difficult to solve, and which still more perplexes us, because we are of opinion that the Colonists can claim it as a right due to them. Secrecy in such a case only leads to suspicion—suspicion to jealousy—the most unfortunate passion that can exist between the governed and the governing, and which, having once taken root, often causes even the best intentions to be viewed in an erroneous light.

The present times require a different line of conduct. The Colonists are aware of their right to claim elucidation in all matters immediately affecting their interests;—they ask fair play—no underhand dealing. Every Government despatch on subjects proposed by the Colonists, or which aim at alterations in the management of their affairs, should be communicated to them, or at least to the members of the Legislative Council, in order that they also may be enabled to state their opinions; and, unless this be done, who will deny them the liberty to suspect that there is "something rotten in the state of Denmark?"

The following is the extract alluded to:

"I have great pleasure in laying before the Council copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State, which I received the 15th of last month. It is in answer to one of mine on the subject of a Representative Legislative Assembly. In that communication I made the report which I was called upon to furnish by the Secretary of State in a despatch, a copy of which I laid on the table of the Council in July, 1847.

"By the communication now made to me it is evident that the subject is under consideration, and I trust that all doubts as to the intentions of Her Majesty's government will be set at rest.

"The assurances of the Secretary of State are full and precise, and although circumstances may occur to prevent His Lordship carrying through the bill in the course of the session of 1848, yet there can be no doubt but that the question will be finally settled either in the present or the next session of Parliament."—*Sydney Herald.*

We have to acknowledge a communication from Mr. JOHN PROCTOR, stating, that if "A Plain Countryman," whose letter has appeared in the *Commercial Advertiser*, will come forward with his real name, he will favor him with a reply, but that he will take no notice of anonymous writers.

### FATAL ACCIDENT. (Communicated.)

A few days ago the son of Mr. H. NEETHLING, M.s., of Vlissingen, fell from a Cart and so seriously fractured his arm that amputation was resorted to as the only means to save his life. Mortification, however, soon ensued, and lasted until noon on the 22d instant, when death put an end to his sufferings. The deceased was a very promising youth of about 11 years of age, an ill his death will be severely felt by his bereaved parent, to whom he was of much service in his Agricultural pursuits.

### THE FRENCH MISSION IN THE BASUTA COUNTRY.

The Rev. Mr. Cassalis, of the French Protestant Missionary Society, whose Agents have for several years past been actively engaged and successfully labouring in the Basutoland, has arrived in Graham's Town with a view of drawing the public attention to the circumstances of that Mission. Many of our readers will doubtless be aware that the late Revolution in France has had the effect of entirely stopping the supplies which until then it drew from that country. The Missionaries have, therefore, been suddenly cut off from the maintenance of their present position. Under these circumstances the only alternative to the abandonment of the work, in which they have been so long and steadily engaged, will be such temporary aid as may be afforded to them by other Churches, and it is with this object in view that Mr. Cassalis has made his present journey. We are happy to say that the appeal, so far, has not been in vain,—this gentleman having been received in every district town with the greatest interest, and with that attention, which testifies most creditably to the Christian benevolence and zeal of the people of this Colony. Meetings, we understand, were held at Graaff-Reinet and Somerset, at which such means were adopted as were deemed calculated to secure the desired end. In the same way it is, we understand, proposed to call a public meeting at Graham's Town, for the purpose of affording to Mr. Cassalis an opportunity of explaining fully to those interested the peculiar and trying circumstances in which the natives are placed by the sudden withdrawal of that temporal support on which they depended. We confidently expect that the people of Albany will display on this occasion their wonted liberality. The case is one eminently worthy to excite the deepest sympathy of the whole Christian Church, and we trust, therefore, that in dealing with it all sectional differences will be laid aside and forgotten. That those making this appeal are deserving of help, is testified by a large body of evidence—proving most satisfactorily that their exertions and their influence have been of a very geography of a previously unknown section of South Africa, and they have done much towards raising the most debased and barbarous natives of this country in the scale of humanity. Many of those among whom they have laboured were previous to their arrival notorious cannibals. They were far worse than the Thugs of India—not merely waylaying and murdering the traveller, but after having fastened upon his mangled remains. Amongst such people has the French Mission been established, and it is sufficient proof of the efficiency of its labours to know that cannibalism is now unknown; that Europeans may pass through the country in safety; that a considerable trade in British manufactures is carried on with the people; and that wheat and Indian corn and millet are cultivated very extensively throughout the Basutoland country.—G. T. Journal, Feb. 17.

### Original Correspondence.

Pearl, 21 Feb. 1848.

"Mons parturientis peperit ridiculus muis"

Sir,—When your paper of the 22nd January last arrived on the 24th, containing a short letter of mine, in which I denounced the narrators of the report against the Revd.

Mr. Barker as liars and slanderers, this village was set in motion by three persons (known characters) who would (use their own words) write against it, for this was not to be tolerated; how dare any person take the part of a Missionary; they would teach that rash person, what it is to defend a Missionary; and after having been occupied from the 24th January till 6th February, what, after all, did they produce? Those correspondents, signing themselves "A Reader of your Paper," say, that they had never read more unintelligent lines, than in that letter. If they wish to read what is unintelligent, let them again read their own nonsensical production. I shall preserve this document as a relic, for it would be a pity to allow such a master piece of crudity to be lost. When I wrote that small letter, I did not intend, as they did, to exhibit any learning, but only to contradict vile slander; neither shall I be deterred by their proverb, which their short-sightedness has dictated to them, to take up my pen, in defence of innocence when assailed and insulted.

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### POSTSCRIPT.

LATEST EUROPEAN INTELLIGENCE.  
By the Stratford, which left England on the 16th December, and arrived here Yesterday, English Papers have been received, containing the following particulars:-

Prince Louis Napoleon has been elected President of the French Republic by a very large majority. Prior to his election, the Pope had been driven from Rome by his subjects, and the French immediately despatched a fleet with 3,000 troops to Rome, against the advice of Prince Louis, who strongly protested against it, as it might endanger the present peace of Europe. Orders were sent to countermand the previous instructions, but before their arrival the fleet had already sailed. The resolution to assist the Pope, was adopted in the National Assembly, by a majority of 417 votes.

Europe was still very disturbed; and Austria had withdrawn from the Germanic Confederation.

England and Ireland were tranquil, but business was very dull.

General Taylor had been elected President of the United States of America.

### LOST,

A PROMISSORY NOTE of MR. PIETER GEGHARD MEYBURG, Sr., for the sum of £42 5, dated the 24th October 1848, payable on the 24th Febr. INSTANT, to the order of Messrs. VAN DER BYL & Co., and by them endorsed.

Whoever returns the same to the Undersigned, or at any of the Cape Town Banks, will be rewarded.

S. V. HOFMEYR, H. Son.

Cape Town, 24th February 1849.

### Great Reduction in Prices!!!

THE Undersigned expecting shortly a large investment of Fancy and Staple Goods, will dispose at extremely low prices of his present Stock, consisting of Ladies' Dresses

Do. Books

Muslins, Silks

Cambrie, Jacquet

Cotton and Real Laces

Ribbon, Shawls

J. KILIAN, 10, Longmarket-street,

### Commissariat Office.

Cape Town, 26th February, 1849.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tenders for FORAGE CORN, (BARLEY AND OATS,) will be received at this Office, until THIS DAY, the 26th inst., at Noon. The Tenders are requested to state the price per 100 lbs English Weight, the quantity, and the time of delivery. Payment will be made by Bills at Par on Her Majesty's Treasury.

W. MILLER, Dep. Com. Gen.

### Commissariat Office.

Cape Town, February 23, 1849.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this Office until MONDAY, the 12th of March, at Noon, for supplying for the use of the Royal Engineer Department, in such quantity as may be required, the Tools, Implements, and Materials, requisite in the following Works, viz., Bricklayers', Carpenters', Masons', Painters', Glaziers', Plumbers', Blacksmiths', Locksmiths', Tinsmiths', and Turners', during a period of twelve months, commencing on the 1st of April next.

Detailed Lists of the Articles, with the conditions of the supply, and all necessary information, may be obtained at the Royal Engineer Office, in the Imhoff Battery.

W. MILLER, Dep. Com. Gen.

### TO CORN FARMERS.

THE Undersigned having purchased the Farm and Windmill formerly the property of Mr. VAN BREDA, will be ready on the 1st March next, to make private dealings in cash with such persons as might be willing to deliver Wheat at the aforesaid Place, situated at Liesbeek's River, near Montagu Bridge.

A. J. ZEEDERBERG.

### TAKE NOTICE.

#### A REDUCTION IN THE PRICES OF

#### BOOTS AND SHOES,

AT THE LONDON

### WHOLESALE AND RETAIL WAREHOUSE.

#### R. J. JOSEPH

HAS received per "NEPTUNE," and "ORATOR," a large assortment of Ladies', Children's, Gentlemen's, and Youth's.

#### BOOTS AND SHOES,

#### OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Which he offers at such greatly Reduced Prices as to defy competition.

#### R. J. JOSEPH,

ANATOMICAL BOOT & SHOE MAKER,

#### 24, HEERENGRAECHT,

CORNER of LONGMARKET-STREET,  
CAPE TOWN.

Also a quantity of empty Trunks to be sold cheap.

### PUBLIC SALE

Of CATTLE, GRAIN, &c.

AT A LONG CREDIT.

THE Undersigned will hold his Annual Sale, on FRIDAY, the 23rd MARCH, consisting of -

100 muids of beautiful Seed Klein Koren, free from weeds, 100 do. of Barley Wheat, also very fine and clean,

200 do. of clean Seed Oats, the produce of Bengal Seed, which the Undersigned imported direct from India last year, at a cost of upwards of £1 per muid, no expense having been spared to get clean and good Seed.

200 muids of clean Cape Oats, from steeped Seed, free from Smut.

30 very fine Geldings, some upwards of 15 hands high,

30 fine draught Oxen, in splendid condition, fit for shipment.

4 large stall fed Oxen.

3 double-furrow Ploughs and a nearly new pleasure Horse Wagon, made to order, and by the best makers at the Paarl.

J. J. PROCTOR.

Wolveldans, February 21, 1849.

#### 1000 FAT SHEEP and

#### 250 GOATS and YOUNG EWES.

ON MONDAY, the 5th March next, will be sold by Auction at Eenzamheid, the above number of Sheep and Goats, all in excellent condition and well worthy the attention of Butchers and others.

G. G. LINDEBERG.

Stellenbosch, Feb 23, 1849.

Mr. C. P. LINDEBERG, Auctioneer.

Also will be sold 10 good Draught Oxen.

MEETINGS UNDER INSOLVENT ESTATES.

BEFORE the Master of the Supreme Court, in the Master's Office, Public Buildings, Cape Town, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th Feb. 1849, at 10 o'clock, viz.,

M. J. van Scioor .. 1st Meeting.

J. H. E. Amos .. 1st do.

Edward Norton .. 2nd do.

D. J. Leiders .. 2nd do.

### BOARD OF EXECUTORS.

#### PUBLIC SALE OF LANDED PROPERTY.

THE Directors of the Board of Executors, as General Agents of Mr. JOHAN MICHAEL LEIBBRANDT, will cause to be publicly sold on

THIS DAY, (MONDAY,) THE 26TH INSTANT,

peremptorily to the highest bidder, the following Landed Property, belonging to the said Mr. LEIBBRANDT, viz.: -

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