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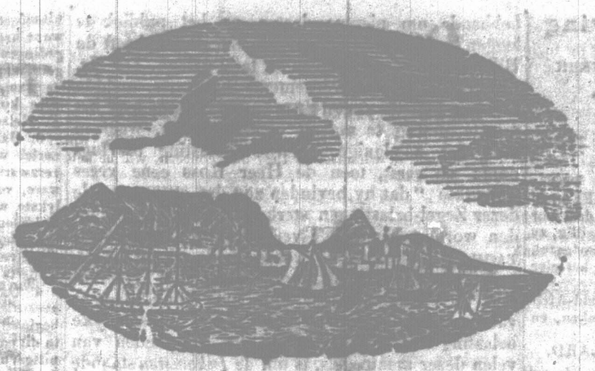

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De Zuid-Afrikaan.

[Tros Tyriusque mihi nullo discrimine agetur.—Virgil.]

DEEL XV. VRYDAG DEN 17 JANUARY 1845. No. 984.

R. CLARENCE
KEIZERSGRACHT
NABY HET CLUB-HUIS.

HEEFT altoos te koop, van de eerste kwaliteit en tegen matige prijzen:—

Alle soorten vreemde en Kaapsche Wynen, Brandewyn, Rum, Jenever, en Likeuren, by het vat, by de gallon of enkelde bottel.

Keurlyke oude Port 30s. 36s. tot 42s. per doz.,
Sherrys bleeke en bruine, 25s. 30s 36s. 42s. per dozya,
Champagne, 40s. 50s. 60s. tot 75s. per dozya,
Keurlyke oude Madeira, Malden, Claret,
Hock en Sauterne,
Kaapsche Sherry op Sherry droef, by de gallon of bottel,
Kaapsche Pontack, op Port droef, by de gallon of bottel,
Kaapsche Madeira, Hock en Muscadel,
Roode en witte CONSTANTIA van de Heeren Cloete en Colyn, in vaatjes van 9 tot 19 gallons, alsmede gebotteld en in kastjes van 1 doz. bottels.

ENGELSCHE ALE, PORTER, enz.

THEE.

OP MORGEN, (ZATURDAG) zullen de Ondergeteekenden op de Parade doen verkoopen, de volgende Thesen, om rekeningen te sluiten, als:—

55—40	catty	Kaatjes Koopjes,
22—25	„	„
54—25	„	Souchong,
10—10	„	best Pekoe Thee.

BORRADAILES, THOMPSON & PILLANS.

AAN
Handelaars in Yzer en Messenwerk.

OP aanst. DINGSDAG MORGEN, zullen de Ondergeteekenden eene publieke verkooping houden van YZER en MESSENWERK, enz. enz.

BORRADAILES, THOMPSON & PILLANS.

DE HEEREN
George Greig & Co.
HEBBEN NU GELAND
HUNNE GOEDEREN EX "CATHARINE."

BEVATTENDE bykans elke verscheidenheid KATOENEN en WOLLEN GOEDEREN, geschikt voor het saizoen. Alsmede Schoenen en Laarzen voor kinderen, dames en heeren; breede rand Hoeden, BREEDE BRD LINNEN, Zeildoek, MODISCHE MUSLINEN, rouw en ligtrouw d.o, Hoedjes, Muizen, Strookjes, Linten, fancy Doeken en Tjaals, Gros de Naples, enz. enz.

☞ Bass' Indische Ale, Porter, Papier, Oliën en Verwen, Kaas, Boter, Vet, enz. enz.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING VAN
KOOPMANSWAREN
TE SWELLENDAM.

OP VRYDAG en ZATURDAG, den 14 en 15de February 1845, zal eene Publieke Verkooping worden gehouden aan de Pakhuizen van den Ondergeteekende, Highstraat, Swellendam, van eene uitgebreide en wel geassorteerde hoeveelheid Koopmanswaren, expresselyk voor den Buitenhandel uitgezocht, bestaande in:

Rys,	Punjums,	Drilling,
Koffy,	Baftas,	Moleskins,
Suiker,	Chitzes,	Planje,
Thee,	Voerchits,	enz. enz. enz.

En eene verscheidenheid andere Goederen, voor dit saizoen geschikt.

☞ Zonder Reserve.
E. CLAASSEN.

Swellendam, 13 January 1845.

STELLENBOSCH.
TE KOOP OF TE HUUR.

DE Ondergeteekende van woning zullende veranderen, biedt deszelfs kostbaar Huis en Erf te Koop of te Huur aan, gelegen in de Rynevveld-straat, No. 2, in de onmiddelyke nabyheid van de aangenaame Wandelplaats "het Cingel," bevattende zes Kamers, benevens een Eetvertrek beneden, allen met Planken vloeren voorzien, Kenken, Buitenvertrekken, Wagenhuis, enz., en in de netste orde, met de benoodigde Kagchels, en een Tuin beplant met Vruchtebomen en genoegzaam Water.

Het grootste gedeelte der Koopschat kan den verkiezende onder voldoende Securiteit op renten worden gehouden.

J. A. MADER.

EENE GOEDE SPECULATIE
IN HET NIEUW AANGELEGDE DORP
PIKETBERG.

TE KOOP of TE HUUR op de voordeeligste voorwaarden, voor iemand die een Handel wenschte te drijven in bovengem. Dorp, een zeer geschikt en geryflyk Huis. Men vervoege zich hieromtrent te No. 15 Pleinstraat, Kaapstad.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPINGEN.

DE Ondergeteekende de Weduwe LOURENS PETRUS ERASMUS, zich van hare overtollige affaire wenschende te ontdoen, zal op DINGSDAG en WOENSDAG, den 28sten en 29sten dezer maand January, ter hare woonplaatse de "Nonna," gelegen over de Hexrivier, publiek laten verkoopen, de volgende Eigendommen:—

1. Een Erf, met het daaropstaande Woonhuis en Buitengebouwen, groot in grond 400 kwadraat roeden, gelegen in het beste gedeelte van het Dorp Worcester, op het Kerkplein.
2. Een Erf met een Woonhuis op hetzelve, groot 200 kwadraat roeden, gelegen als voorm. in de Kerkstraat.
3. Een Erf met een Woonhuis op hetzelve gelegen als voormeld.

Inmiddels zyn de Eigendommen uit de hand te koop.

Voorts een groot aantal Paarden, Ossen, Beesten en Varkens, Wagens, Ploegen en Eggen, Kelder, Bouw, Smits, Wagenmakers en Loojers Gereedschappen, eene groote kwantiteit Koorn, Garst, Rog en Haver, en vele andere Artikelen meer, te veel om te melden.

De Weduwe LOURENS PETRUS ERASMUS.

Worcester, 2 Jan. 1845.

BENOODIGD.

EEN bedaard, nuchter en eerlyk Persoon, van middelmatige jaren, als Koetsier tot een Rytuig met twee Paarden.

NB. Doch geene van de Mahomedaansche secte.—Adres by de Ondergeteekenden

De Wed. S. LEIBBRANDT, Groenepunt, of
J. S. LEIBBRANDT, 31, Leeuwestraat.

BENOODIGD.

TWEE Smids die Wagens kunnen beslaan,—Te bevragen by J. G. STEYTLER.

Loopstraat, No. 120.

BENOODIGD.

EEN Bekwame Onderwyzer of Onderwyzeres in de Hollandsche Taal, aan wien goede betaling, logies en verdere benoodigdheden zal gegeven worden. Men vervoege zich by den Ondergeteekenden, op de plaats Brakkekuil, Koeberg.

G. J. VISSER.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING
OP DE PLAATS
"KEEZENBOSCH."

In den Boedel van wylen *Anna Maria Basson*, en nagelaten Echtgenoot *Pieter Johannes Van der Westhuysen*, Senior.

DE Ondergeteekenden, in betrekking als Testamentaire Executeuren van opgem. Boedel, zullen op

DINGSDAG DEN 21 JANUARY 1845,

op de Plaats "KEEZENBOSCH," gelegen aan Zwartland, publiek doen verkoopen, de geheele nalatenschap tot gem. Boedel behoorende, bestaande in:—als de Eeuwigdurende Erfpachtplaats genaamd "KLIPFONTEIN," ter grootte van 3229 morgen, gelegen naby Saldanhabaai, in de Kaapsche Afdeeling, zynde eene uitmuntende Zaai- en Veeplaats, overvloedig voorzien van Water het geheele jaar door, en op dezelve staan twee goede Woonhuizen, benevens Stalling, Wagenhuis enz., en Trapvloer.

De Eeuwigdurende Erfpachtplaats genaamd LANGEBERG groot 2852 morgen en 320 kwadraat roeden, gelegen als boven, en annex de plaats Klipfontein, met een ander daaraangrenzend stuk Erfpachtland, ter grootte van 458 morgen en 370 kwadraat roeden, bekend wegens dezelfs extra goede weide voor vee. Zullende aan deze plaats worden verleend het uitsluitend regt op een Fontein en Dam, bekend onder den naam van Droogefontein, gelegen byna op den rand van de plaats Klipfontein, met eene Doordrift van 300 treden tot dezelve.

Deze beide plaatsen zyn te wel bekend en behoeven daarom geene verdere omschryving.

Voorts, 64 mudden Koorn, 150 mudden Haver, 10 goede Trek- en Rypaarden, 14 jonge Trekossen, 30 Aantrelbeesten van goed ras, 400 Schapen en Bokken, 3 Varkens; alsmede 4 Wagens 1 Kapkar, Ploegen, Eggen, Jukken, Trektouwen, Tuigen, Zadels, Graven, Pikken, Middezekken, 1 Koornbarp, 1 yzeren Hand Koornmolen, Smidsgereedschap en betgeen verder tot eene Boerdery behoort; en eindelyk Huismeubelen, bestaande in Ledekanten, Katels, Vederen Beddens, Kasten, Kisten, Stoelen, Tafels, Glas en Aardewerk, Keukengereedschap, en wat verder ten dage der Verkooping zal worden aangeboden.

De Konditien van Verkoop, benevens de Kaarten en Transporten van de Plaatsen zyn te vernemen, en te zien by den eersten Ondergeteekende.

H. H. LOEDOLFF, } Testamentaire
P. J. VAN DER WESTHUYSEN, } Executeuren.

Malmesbury, 30 Dec. 1844.
De Heer J. W. Moorrees, Vendu-Adm.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING
Te Malmesbury.

DE Ondergeteekende als gekwalificeerd door den Heer P. J. M. SPANGENBERG, op vertrek staande naar het distrikt Beaufort, zal op DINGSDAG den 28 January 1845, publiek alhier doen verkoopen voor rekening van gem. SPANGENBERG, als:—

Zekere Erf, gelegen in dit Dorp met een daarop staande groot sterk gebouwd Woonhuis voorzien van alle gemakken, en twee Huurhuizen. Zekere altoosdurende Erfpachtplaats genaamd Rheebokfontein, ter grootte van 2083 morgen en 103 kwadraat roeden, gelezen aan de Piketbergen, in de Kaapsche Afdeeling,—voorzien van de noodige Gebouwen, en overvloedig loopend water het geheele jaar door, en byzonder geschikt voor de aanteelt van Paarden en Beesten wegens derzelver goede Weide, hebbende een Boomgaard van omtrent 300 onderscheidene Vruchtboomen.

Voorts 40 Aantrelbeesten, 8 Merries en 7 Veulens, welke goed geteeld zyn, 3 Rydpaarden waaronder is een extra Schietpaard, 40 Schapen en Bokken, 50 mudden Koorn, 8000 lbs. Havergezaten, 1 Rolvat, 1 Stukvat, 4 en 6 leggers, 1 span nieuwe Tuigen, en het werk van een Windmolen, staande op de plaats van den Heer G. Kotze aan de Paardenberg;—alsmede Huismeubelen bestaande in Ledekanten, Katels, 5 nieuwe veder Beddens, Tafels, 2 dozyn goede Stoelen, 1 Huisklok, 2 Zakhorologies, Glas- en Aardewerk en Keukengereedschap;—eindelyk 3 extra goede Geweren, *Drie Aandeelen in de Protecteur Brand en Levens Assurantie Maatschappy, Een Aandeel in de Kolonialе Bank, Vyf Aandeelen in de Malmesbury Postwagen Maatschappy*, en hetgeen verder ten dage der Verkooping zal worden aangeboden.

De Konditien van Verkoop en de Kaarten en Transporten zyn te vernemen en te zien ten Kantore van

H. H. LOEDOLFF.

Malmesbury, 7 January 1845.

☞ De Verkooping zal precies ten 9 ure eenen aanvang nemen en koude Ververschingen zullen worden voorgedient.

De Heer J. W. Moorrees, Vendu-Adm.

WORCESTER.

DE Ondergeteekende als daartoe door den Heer PETRUS JOHANNES DU PLESSIS, Chrn., gekwalificeerd, die door sekere verpligtenis zyn Boerdery opgegeven, zal op

WOENSDAG & DONDERDAG,
Den 22ste en 23ste January 1845,

publiek ter zyner Woonplaatse *De Wilge Rivier*, gelegen annex de Hexrivier, Distrikt Worcester, laten verkoopen:—

Zeker halve Aandeel in een Eeuwigdurende Erfpachtplaats genaamd *De Koele Fontein*, ter grootte van 2965 morgen en 328 kwadraat roeden, gelegen aan *Wilge Rivier*, met goodanig regt op een aangemeten stuk Gouvernements grond annex dezelve. Dezelve is een zeer goede Schapenplaats.

2. Zeker HUIS en ERF gelegen in het Dorp Worcester, voorheen gedeelte van Erf 6, Blok I, gemerkt La. D, groot 52 kwadraat roeden en 128 do. voeten, en een geheele en goede Voorraad tot eene Boerdery behoorende Goederen, als:

Ploegen, Eggen, Wagenmakers en andere Hout, Buik- en andere Planken, Smids- Timmerwans en Keldergereedschappen, Stukvaten, Leggers, Kuipen, Trapbalies, Emmers, Karren, Paarden en Ossenwagens compleet, en onbelegene.

VOORTS

Een aanzienlyke Bastaard Engelsche Hengst, afkomstig uit de stoetery van den Heer M. Melck, 1 Ezel Hengst, gedreddeerde Muil-Reis, Aantrelpaarden, Merries gedekt door Estthengsten, Trek- en andere Ossen, waaronder 2 spannen uitmuntende Bastaards zyn; Aantrelbeesten, het grootste gedeelte Bastaard Vadersladers, Bastaard Merino Schapen.

EINDELYK

Huismeubelen, als Kasten, Vedels, Stoelen, Kleederkasten, Kombuisgereedschappen, en wat meer zal worden aangebragt.

PAUL JOH. ROUX, Pauls. Agent.

Worcester, den 29 December 1844.

Kolonialе Bank.

KAPITAAL £100,000

Directeuren:

De Wel-Ed. Hr. Jos. Jacobus Lodewyk Smuts, Presiden
„ „ JOHAN HENDRIK WICHT,
„ „ WILLEM HIDDINGH, LL.D.
„ „ ROELOF ABRM. ZEEDENBERG, Sr
„ „ EWAN CHRISTIAN,
„ „ RICHARD PAXTON DOBIE,
„ „ EDWARD EAGAR,
„ „ FREDRICH HERMAN KUNHARDT,
„ „ J. BARRY.

DE volgende zyn de grondbeginsels en bepalingen van deze Bank:—

De Aandeelhebbers zich by eene onherroepelyke clausule in de Akte van Overeenkomst verbindende hebbende, *dat deze Bank nimmer eenig Papieren Geld (of Bank Notes)* uitwaardigen zal, kan dezelve den regt onderworpen worden aan eenige bepalingen van het Wetgevende gezag, als zich in geenen deele met het in omloop zynde geld deser Kolonie bemoeijende.

Hare talryke Aandeelhouders, voor het grootste gedeelte uit de voornaamste Kapitalisten van deze kolonie bestaande, biedt de ontwyfelbaarste zekerheid aan allen die met dezelve handelen.

Dezelve houdt aanhoudende stilswygendheid in acht, met betrekking tot de rekeningen van private individuen, zynde een Declaratie tot dat effect door de personen die de zaken dezer Bank besturen, onderteekend.

Dezelve verleent alle mogelyk gemak aan het publiek binnen de palen van wysheid en omzigtigheid.

Dezelve verleent renten op zoodanige sommen die voor eene bepaalden tyd worden gedeponeerd.

Dezelve verschaft den Aandeelhebber die eene rekening met deze Bank houdt eene gelegenheid om voordeel uit zyne eigene transactien met dezelve te trekken.

Renten worden door de Bank betaald op vaste Deposita op sommen van £25 en daar boven tegen de volgende cours, te weten:—

Voor 3 en minder dan 6 maanden tegen 3 pCt. per jaar.
„ 6 „ „ 12 „ „ 3½ „ „
„ 12 „ „ 24 „ „ 4 „ „

☞ Directeuren vaceren op DINGSDAG, DONDERDAG en ZATURDAG, ten 11 uren A.M., om over application voor Disconto's te disponeren.

J. C. WICHT, Kassier.

ZUID-AFRIKAANSCHE BANK.

KAPITAAL £100,000.

Directeuren:

De Heer P. S. WATERMEYER, Voorzitter,
De Heer P. M. BRINK,
De Heer J. TROMP,
De Heer J. A. H. WICHT,
De Heer J. H. VANRENEN,
De Heer J. A. BAM,
De Heer ISAAC CHASE,
De Heer P. J. ROUX, P. zoon,
De Heer R. C. HOETS,

AANZOEKEN om Discontos aangenomen en overwogen dagelyks tusschen 9 en 11 ure.

G. RAWSTORNE, Kassier.

Berigt aan Crediteuren en Debiteuren.

In den Boedel van CAREL PETRUS VAN DER MERWE, overleden, van Wagenmakers Vallei, en nagelatene Weduwe.

ALLE Personen die vermeenen Crediteuren te zyn in opgemelden Boedel, worden verzocht hunne vorderingen intezenden aan den Heer WYNAND CHARLES DU PREEZ, van Klein Drakenstein, binnen den tyd van zes weken van heden gerekend;—en die aan gemelden Boedel verschuldigd zyn, worden aangemaand hunne schulden binnen denzelfden tyd te voldoen.

Wed. C. P. VAN DER MERWE, geb. DU PLESSIS, Testamentaire Executrice.

Wagenmakers Vallei, 10 Jan. 1845.

Berigt aan Crediteuren en Debiteuren.

In den ab intestato Boedel van JOHANNA LOUISA DE VILLIERS, overleden, van Aelter de Paarl.

ALLE Personen die vermeenen Crediteuren te zyn in opgemelden Boedel, worden verzocht hunne vorderingen intezenden aan den Ondergeteekende, ten Kantore van DE VILLIERS, FORD & Co., Paarl, binnen zes weken van heden; en diegenen die aan gezegden Boedel verschuldigd zyn, worden aangemaand hunne schulden binnen gemelden tyd te voldoen.

R. S. FORD, Dat. Executeur.

Paarl, 10 Jan. 1845.

OPROEPING VAN CREDITEUREN EN DEBITEUREN.

In den Boedel van wylen den Heer JOHANNES ARNOLDUS JANSON, en nagelaten Weduwe Mejufrouw CHRISTINA MARIA ZIEBEMAN.

ALLE degenen die eenige vordering hebben tegen opgem. Boedel, hetzy uit hoofde van Schuldbriefsen, Boekschulden, Beertogten, Administraties of anderzins, worden verzocht daarvan opgaaf te doen by den Heer P. D. MORGENROOD, in de Pleinstraat, No. 21, binnen den tyd van zes weken; en allen die aan gemelden Boedel iets verschuldigd zyn, worden mede verzocht hunne schulden binnen gemelden tyd te komen betalen aan gemelden Heer P. D. MORGENROOD, of aan de

Weduwe C. M. JANSON, Test. Executrice.

Den 8de January 1845.

WAARSCHUWING.
De Heeren H. DREYER & Co.

EIGENAARS geworden zynde van zeker stuk Land, gelegen in de Kaapsche Vlakte, tusschen Lulhoats Drift, Zeekoevallei, het Strand, Strandfontein, Hais, Kapeekraal, Olieboom en Slagterskraal, nu genaamd "MOWBRAY'S GIFT," groot omtrent 5000 morgen!

Wordt mits deze kennis gegeven, dat het grazen van Vee, het snyden van Riet en het jagen op gezegd Land, niet gedoogd zal worden zonder eene geschreven Ordre van de Eigenaren; en dat eenig persoon deze waarschuwing overtredende, in regten zal vervolgd worden.

H. M. VICTUALIE BUREAU.

Simonsbaai, 22 December 1844.

WORDT mits deze kennis gegeven dat Tenders en Monsters op dit Bureau zullen worden ontvangen, tot op den MIDDAG van ZATURDAG den 25 January 1845, (wanneer de partyen die tenders, of eenige persoon behoorlyk geauthoriseerd in geschrifte om het kontrakt hunnentwege te teekenen, verzocht worden tegenwoordig te zyn,) voor alle zoodanige

HOEVEELHEDEN GOEDE MEEL,

Voor H. M. Zeemagt, als vereischt, zullen worden voor het tydvak tusschen den 1ste February 1845, en den 31 January 1846, en zynde het zuiver voortbrengsel van KAAPSCHE KOORN alleen, en gewaarborgd goed te blyven gedurende negen achtereenvolgende maanden, van den dag der leverantie in de Simon's stad.

De Tenders moeten den prys uitdrukken in Sterling Geld per 100 lbs. Engelsch Gewigt, en de namen van twee Personen moeten voorgesteld worden als Borgen voor de behoorlyke nakoming van het Kontrakt, en zulke geschreven opgaaf van ben ten dien effecte, moet verteend, en den zoude gedeponeerd worden, wanneer de Tenders geopend worden, terwyl dezelve anderzins van de hand gewezen zullen worden.

COMMISSARIAAT.

TENDERS, met monsters, zullen op dit Bureau ontvangen worden tot 12 uro op DONDERDAG den 30 dezer, van zoodanige personen als gesteld mogten zyn

HAVER EN GARST

te leveren, tot eene uitgestrektheid van omtrent 600,000 lbs. Engelsch Gewigt, ten gebruike van dit Departement, in hoeveelheden van niet minder dan 5,000 lbs.; te worden geleverd in H. M. Magazynen, Kaapstad, gedurende het loopend jaar.

De Tenders moeten den prys uitdrukken in Sterling per 100 lbs. Engelsch Gewigt, alsmede de voorgestelde hoeveelheid en tyd van leverantie.

Betaling voor bovenstaande, wanneer de som £50 of daarboven bedraagt, zal geschieden in Wissels (onverminderd) getrokken op de Hoog-Edele Ed. Lords Commissarissen van H. M. Tresorie.

Elke Tender moet vergezeld gaan van een Instrument in Duplicaat, (afschriften waarvan op dit Bureau kunnen worden bekomen,) de partyen onder hoede verbindende tot de behoorlyke nakoming van de Leveringen in den Tender vervat, indien dezelve wordt aangenomen.

CHARLES PALMER, Adj. Com. Gen.
Commissariaats Bureau, Kaapstad, 3 Jan. 1845.

COMMISSARIAAT.
Kaapsch Gezouten Rundvleesch voor Mauritius.

TENDERS zullen op dit Bureau worden aangenomen tot 12 ure, op VRYDAG, den 31sten January aanstaande, voor de leverantie van

120,000 lbs. *Kaapsch gezouten Vleesch,*

te worden geleverd in H. M. Magazynen, Kaapstad, of aan een der Zeehoofden, volgens verklaring van het Commissariaat, in drie gelyke deelen, gedurende het tegenwoordig jaar, te weten: 40,000 lbs. in February, en gelyke hoeveelheden in April en Augustus aanstaande.

Het Vleesch moet VAN DE ALLER-BESTE KWALITEIT zyn, vry van zand of gruis, en, zoowel ten aanzien van het getal als de grootte der stukken, zoo naby mogelyk gelykstaan met Iersche Provisien, en te worden gewaarborgd, gezouten te zyn zonder het gebruik van Kaapsch Zout, en goed te blyven, ten minsten 12 maanden van den dag der aflevering.

De Tenders moeten bevatten den prys in Sterling Geld per 100 lbs. netto Engelsch Gewigt, met raten, niet van koloniaal hout.

Partyen te Port Elizabeth of dies nabyheid die tenderen mogten, zullen hunne voorwaarden moeten bekend stellen, indien de voorraad aan de Magazynen van het Commissariaat, dan wel aan het strand van de Haven wordt geleverd. Alsmede hunne voorwaarden indien geleverd in de Kaapstad, naar verklaring van het Commissariaat.

Elke Tender moet vergezeld gaan van een Document in Duplicaat (copyen waarvan te bekomen zyn op dit Bureau of op het Commissariaats Bureau te Graham's-stad of Port Elizabeth,) de partyen verbindende de voorwaarden in den Tender vervat, goed en naar behooren te volbrengen, indien dezelve wordt aangenomen.

Betaling voor bovenstaande leverantie zal geschieden in Wissels zonder korting, getrokken op de Lords der Schatkist.

Alle verdere byzonderheden zyn te vernemen op aanvraag op dit Bureau.

CHARLES PALMER, Adj. Com. Gen.
Commissariaats Bureau, Kaapstad, 14 Jan. 1845.

PARR'S LEVENS PILLEN.

DEZE kostbare Medicyn, welke in Engeland zoo veel aandacht tot zich trekt, als een middel om het menschelyk leven te verlengen, wordt door de Eigenaren aanbevolen ter genezing van de ongesteldheden welke eigen zyn aan de Oost en West-Indien, Zuid Amerika, en alle landen waar de spoedige aanwas en even spoedige verwelking van het gras, en de groote kracht van de stralen der Zon de lucht met vergiftige en schadelyke dampen verpesten; en bare byzondere geschiktheid voor deze luchtstreken is nu volkomen getoetst en bevestigd geworden. Deze ongesteldheden, namelyk, gal, lever en andere kwalen, verbonden aan eene ontsteltenis van de maag en van de voedende deelen, welke altoos in voortgelyke landen moeten bestaan, en welke zich voordoen door eene verscheidenheid van kentekenen, namelyk drukte op het hoofd en de borst, neerslagtigheid, en in vele gevallen door die smartelyke gevolgen windacht en aanwachtige en stuipachtige aandoeningen van de levens organen, zyn, in elk geval waarin zulks beproefd is, volkomen door deze medicyn genezen.

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KOLONIALE MAATSCHAPPY
Administratie en Boedelafdeeling.
ADVERTENTIE.

DIRECTEUREN van opgemelde Maatschappy, zy in kwaliteit als Executeuren des Testaments van wylen den Wel-Ed. Hr. JOHAN GEORGE MULLER, en nagelatene Weduwe Jufv. MARIA JOHANNA MULLER, geboren VAN REENEN, de ratio cavezerende voor dezelve weduwe als mede-Executrice, roepen by dezen elk en een iegelyk op die vermeenen mogten eenige Actie ofte Pretentie tegen gemelden Boedel te hebben hetzy uithoofde van Schuldbrieven, Boekschulden, Beertogten, Administratie of anderzins, om binnen de eerstkomende drie maanden na publicatie dezes op het Kantoor van meermelde Maatschappy, op het Kerkplein, No. 5, zoodanige Actie ofte Pretentie opgeeven, en te doen certificeeren, vermits Executeuren na verloop van dien tyd zullen overgaan tot het vereffenen van gem. Boedel; al mede worden die genen die aan denzelven iets verschuldigd zyn verzocht voor de expiratie van gem. drie maanden van hunne respective debita opgaaf te doen:

J. DE WET, Secr.

Kaapstad, Kerkplein, No. 5, den 2 Jan. 1845.

KENNISGEVING.

DE Ondergeteekenden, hunne vestiging alhier als GENERALE KOOPLIEDEN bekend makende, verzoeken den Handelaren te berigten, dat zy de Pakhuizen

No. 21, St. GEORGESTRAAT,
(Naast die van de Heeren HOME, EAGAR & Co.)

Gehuurd hebben, alwaar zy nu te koop aanbieden, een algemeen assortement

MANUFACTUREN,

Met groote zorg en opletterheid op de behoeften der Kolonie bysamengebragt, en welke zy zich overtuigd houden dat hunne aandacht verdienen; en ingekocht zynde tegen de laagste prijzen welke de Engelsche Markt gedoogde, zyn zy geneigd dezelve tegen matige prijzen van de hand te zetten. Hun tegenwoordig Voorraad bestaat in:—

Bruine en witte Punjums, van verschillende kwaliteiten,
Do. do. Baftas,
25 dms. witte Hemdenlinnen,
Middelslag en fyne goud-end Hemdenlinnen,
Meubelgeruit,
Chambrays,
Flannel, verschillende kwaliteiten,
9-4 tot 11-4 zware Witney Kombaarsen,
Katoenen Beddetyk, zeer sterk,
Katoenen Rugs en gekleurde Dekens, 9-4 tot 11-4,
Moleskins, fraai bewerkt, en van verschillende kwaliteiten,
Katoenen Broekengoed,
Witte en bruine Linnen Drilling,
Bruine Holland,
Scharlaken en Fawn Wollen Petten,
Gedrukte Katoenen Parasols,
Echte Brooks Rolletjes, en Milner, Cruden en Co's. Garen, No. 10 geassorteerd,
Witte en groene Baai,
Voerchits van zeer geschikte patronen,
Negemaakt Russisch Zeildoek
Blauwe en roode Baai en Serge Hemden,
Gryze Calico en Linnebaaische Hemden, mans lengten
Regatta en Heeren fyne Calico Hemden, met Linnen Borsten, en Boordjes,
Maleidsche Doeken,
Fransche Tjasis,
Katoenen Doeken in groote verscheidenheid,
30 dms. Wagenzeil, No. 3, zeer zwaar en geschikt,
Soldaten Deck Frokken,
Een assortement katoenen en gomelastieke Kruisbanden, en Heeren witte en bruine Sokken, extra kwaliteit,
Merino Hemden en Onderbrokken—alsmede een assortement Dames en Meisjes witte en zwarte Kousen,
Zijden Doeken,
fleurdelis Lacoutes,
Katoen Gekoord,
12 en 14 dms. Krip,
1 kist fyne zwarte Kastoorhoeden,
Een do. fluwelen Hoogbol do.

ALSMEDE,

Eene kleine hoeveelheid Gesplisten Eenten, Pearl Gort, Bath Kliakers, Aluin, Lyn en Stytsel.

EDWARDS & PATON.

Kaapstad, 4 January 1845.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING
VAN
VASE & LOSGOED.

In den Insolventen Boedel van PAUL FRANÇOIS ROOS, van de Paarl, Grofsmid.

OP DONDERDAG,
Den 23ste January aanst.
Des VOORMIDDAGS, ten 11 ure precies,

ZAL de Ondergeteekende per publieke Velling aan den Hoogsten Bieder doen verkoopen, op de plaats zelve, zeker

HUIS EN ERF,

Aan de Paarl, afdeeling Stellenbosch, zynde een gedeelte van de Plaats *Optenhorst en Olyfboom*, groot 1 morgen 92 kwadraat roeden, en 49 dito voeten, beplant met Wynstokken en verschillende soorten Vruchtboomen.

Dit Eigendom is voordeelig gelegen in het Noordelyk gedeelte van de Paarl, en zeer geschikt voor eenigen Handel.

De Smids ambacht en een Nigotie Winkel zyn aldaar met goed gevolg gedreven, en dezelve heeft dus geene verdere aanbeveling noodig.

LOSGOED,

Bestaande in HUISMEUBELEN, zoo als Stinkbouten Stoelen, Tafels, Ledekanten, vederen Bedden, een Kabinet, een Latafel, Koper-, Glas- en Aardewerk, een zilveren Snuifdoos, een zeer goede Horologie, Keukengereedschap, een Smidswinkel kompleet, en wat verder op den dag der verkooping zal worden aangeboden.

De Koopkonditien van het Vastgoed zyn te zien op 's Meesters Bureau, ten Kantore van den Resident Magistraat aan de Paarl, en op dat van den Ondergeteekende.

G. L. STEYTLER, Gz., Eenige Curator.

Kaapstad, den 19 December 1844

Op de verkooping in den Insolventen Boedel van P. F. Roos, op DONDERDAG den 23 January 1845, zal de Ondergeteekende per publieke Velling doen verkoopen, al het LOSGOED behoorende tot den Insolventen Boedel van P. JOHANNES LOUW, Jac. G. zoon, bestaande in:—HUISMEUBELEN, zoo als Tafels, een groote Kabinet, 6 zilveren Theelepels, 2 extra Kar en Rydpaarden, een Kar en paar achter Tuigen, een Zadel en Toom.

G. L. STEYTLER, Gz., Eenige Curator.

Kaapstad, den 19 Dec. 1844.

De Heer D. A. DE VILLIERS, Vendu-Adm.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING VAN
VATWERK.

OP den 29 JANUARY 1845, zal na de Verkooping van den Insolventen Boedel van PAUL F. ROOS, van de Paarl, worden verkocht, het volgende nieuw Vatwerk, als:—

Stukvaten, van 6 leggers uit,
Ryd-Leggers, Half Leggers, Pypen,
Halve Pypen, Halfamen, Aankers,
Emmers en Balies.

Paarl, 31 Dec. 1844.

D. A. DE VILLIERS, Vendu-Adm.

UIT DE HAND TE KOOP.

DE Ondergeteekende zal op MAANDAG den 20 dezer, uit de hand aan de Fransche Hoek, te koop aanbieden.

15 Bouwerven, zynde gedeeltens van de Plaats genaamd "LA COTTE," gelegen in de Fransche Hoek, aan den Publieken Weg, en grenzende aan de Pastory.

Geen Erven hebben loopend Water en kleine Vaatwerke, en daar dezelve aan den Publieken Weg naby een der uitspanplaatsen liggen, behoeft men niet te twyfelen of dezelve zullen een der voordeligste Handelsplaatsen uitmaken.

A. G. HUGO.

Klein Drakenstein, 6 January 1845.

ZUID-AFRIKAANSCHE MAATSCHAPPY
VAN
Administratie en Boedelberedding.

DE Directie van opgemelde Maatschappy in kwaliteit als Executeuren Testamentair van wylen den Wel-Ed. Heer JOHAN GEORGE MULLER, de-zelve overleden voor Mejufv. de Wed. MULLER, geboren VAN REENEN, mede-Executrice, zal op WOENSDAG den 5 en DONDERDAG den 6 February aanst., precies ten 12 ure op de respective Plaatsen waar de Goederen gelegen zyn, publiek aan de meestbiedenden doen verkoopen, de navolgende Aandeelen in Vaste Goederen door des overledens Boedel met andere Personen in gemeenschap besoten wordende;—en wel in de volgende orde,

1. Een vierde Aandeel in zeker Pakhuis en Erf, gelegen in de St. Georgestraat, thans gemerkt No. 26, en verhuurd aan de firma van VAN DER DYL & Co.

2. Een drie vierde Aandeel in zeker Pakhuis en Erf, mede gelegen in de St. Georgestraat, thans gemerkt No. 55, voormaals gediend hebbende tot een Kantoor van de Steam Navigation Company.

3. Een derde Aandeel in zeker Huis en Erf, gelegen in de Langestraat, over het Oudemanhuis, thans gemerkt, No. 187, en bewoond door Jufv. M. C. DRECK.

4. Een halve Aandeel in zeker Huis en Erf, gelegen in de Roetstraat, thans gemerkt No. 49, en bewoond door J. C. TOUAREN.

5. Een derde Aandeel in zeker Huis en Erf, gelegen in de Langestraat, op den Hoek van den Roetstraat, thans gemerkt, No. 8, en bewoond door Juffrouw de Weduwe M. WOLFF.

Deze Verkooping biedt aan Kapitalisten een byzondere gelegenheid aan om hun rentelooze geld met voordeel te belegge.

Kaapstad, Kerkplein No. 5, den 16 Jan. 1844.

ZUID-AFRIKAANSCHE MAATSCHAPPY
VAN
Administratie en Boedelberedding.

DE Directie van opgemelde Maatschappy, in kwaliteit als Testamentaire Executeuren des Boedels van wylen den Wel-Ed. Heer CHARLES ARNOLPH BECKER, anderzijds genoemd CAREL ARNOLDUS BECKER, en de Executeuren Datief des Boedels van JOHANNA ELIZABETH SCHOLTZ, zyne voorvoorledene Huisvrouw, zullen per publieke Veiling aan den meestbiedenden doen verkoopen op MAANDAG den 3de February aanst., ten 10 ure des Voormiddags, het welbekend Huis en Erf, gelegen op den hoek van de Kerk- en Loopstraten, thans bewoond door den Heer D. S. A. WAGNER.

Alsmede dat kostbaar Huis en Erf, gelegen op het Stadhuis plein, hoek van de Kortemarktstraat, thans bewoond door Mejufv. WELCH.

Beide deze Huizen zyn sterk gebouwd, bevatten vele gemakken, en zya byzonder wel gelegen tot het dryven van eenen winstgevenden Handel.

Kaapstad, Kerkplein, No. 5, 15 January 1845.

J. DE WET, Sec.
H. TENNANT, } Dative
GEO. HORNE, } Executeuren.

VERKOOPING VAN

BRANDHOUT.

EENE publieke Verkooping van het Hout en Bosch, gedeeltelyk vernield door den Brand welke onlangs heeft plaats gehad op het Eigendom van den Heer R. J. JONES, genaamd "*Grove*," zal gehouden worden op aanstaande DONDERDAG, den 23ste dezer, ten 11 ure.

BLORE & BARTMAN, Afslagers.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING VAN

SCHEPENKENNISSEN.

In den Insolventen Boedel van CHARLES POPE, *van Beaufort.*

OP MORGEN, ten 12 ure precies, zullen de volgende SCHEPENKENNISSEN worden verkocht, op de Stoep der Koopmans Beurs, om de Ondergeteekende boedel te vereffenen den Boedel afsluiten, te weten:—

Schepenkennis gepasseerd door P. G. WATERMEYER, qq daarna CHRISTIE, de dato 6 December 1844, en betaalbaar op den 1 November 1845, voor £100, met Interest van den 1 November 1844, speciale Verband van zeker Erf, met de daaroptaande Gebouwen, gemerkt No. 4, gelegen in het Dorp Beaufort, in Donkin-straat; dito, dito, voor het gelyk bedrag, en gelykvormig met bovenstaande, betaal baar op den 1 November 1846.

Een Polis van Assurantie zal als Collaterale Zekerheid aan den Kooper worden overgedragen.

Bovengemelde Schepenkennissen zyn het eerste Verband op het Eigendom dat £4000 waard is.

E. THOMPSON, Eenige Curator.

OP MORGEN, zal op de Verkooping van den Heer STEYTLER, op de Parade, worden verkocht, een extra Rypaard, 4 Jaren oud.

Op Dingsdag den 21 January

ZAL de Ondergeteekende per Publieke Veiling verkoopen aan Romperallei, de residentie, van den Wel-Edelen Heer JOHN BUCHANAN, ruim

DERTIG EXTRA MELKKOEIJEN,

Eenige met en andere zonder Kalven; een extra BUL, en een zeer fraaye opregte Ayreshire Bulkalf.

R. J. JONES.

De twee plaatsen, 'Romperallei' en 'Bamboesvallei,' zyn thans uit de hand te koop. Op eerstgemelde zya bykans 60 acres als Tuinground bewerkt.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING,

Te Simon's-stad.

DE Heer PIETER HUGO, verlangend zynde zich aan den Handel te onttrekken, zal op DINGSDAG, den 21 dezer, publiek doen verkoopen, zyn geheelen voorraad Wynen, bevattende, oude Kaapsche Sherry, Madeira, Hok, Zoete Pontak, Muskadel, enz., eenige waarvan van den oogst van 1836, en van keurlyke kwaliteit.

Alsmede zullen verkocht worden, Stukvaten, Leggers, Pipen, Halfhamen, Kanmers, Heves, en al hetgeen tot een Wynpakhuis behoort.

WM. ANDERSON, Afslager.

Simon's-stad, 7 Jan. 1845.

De Verkooping zal ten 10 ure A. M. beginnen.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING VAN

Schapen en Ossen.

OP DINGSDAG den 21 January aanst., zal ten Plaatse van den Heer C. B. GRUNELINGH, Groenkuntein, publiek worden verkocht, 140 Schapen en 40 Trek- en Slagtoesen, in den allerbesten staat, opgebragt door

T. J. VERSTER.

Kaapstad, 9 Jan. 1845.

De Heer D. A. DE VILLIERS, Vendu Adm.

3,500 SCHAPEN en 100 BEESTEN.—Op den 30 dezer, zal de Ondergeteekende eene Publieke Verkooping houden ter Plaatse van den Heer J. BEYERS, aan Stikland, van borengem. getal Slagtschapen en Beesten. Daar het wel bekend is dat de Ondergeteekende altyd het beste Vee opbrengt, is geene verdere aanbeveling noodig.

F. A. KEULER.

150 SLAGT- en TREKOSSEN.—Gemengeld Vee, opgebragt uit het Distrikt Swellendam, zal op den 10de February aanst, uit de hand te koop worden aangeboden, op het Dorp D'Urban. Het Vee is in eene zeer goede konditie.

15 January 1845. P. F. DE VILLIERS.

Aan de Hollandsche Zamenleving.

NEENE NIEUWE REEKS VAN HET MAANDWERK

DE HONGERY

Zal vroeg in February het licht zien.

DIEGENEN die belang stellen in de voortbestaande pligtpost van het aanstaande TYDSCHRIFT in de Hollandsche taal, worden vriendelyk uitgenoodigd daarvoor Intekeningen te teekenen, en om voorkomen dat iemand onwillig zy intekeningen voor zyn werk het welk eenigen tyd is voortgezet, tot het volgend Nummer zya, No. I. Nieuwe Reeks, betaalde daardoor tot een nieuw werk maakende.

Intekeningen Lysten liggen ten Kantore van de Zuid-Afrikaansche, Kaap de Goede Hoop en Koloniale anker, en aan den Winkel van den Ondergeteekende.

JAS. H. COLLARD.

No. 24, Heerengracht.

WEGGELOOPEN op den 9 January 1845, van de Plaats van den Heer J. BAUMMAN, aan Kuils Rivier, een schezel, lat zwart Hond met zwart hies en twee witte voorpoten en een witte schterpoot. Die hetzelve terugbezorgt by den Heer J. BOTLOS, Kuilsrivierstraat, No. 21, zal wel beloond worden.

Kaapstad, 16 Jan. 1845.

25 Vette Mast-Ossen, 30 Vette Nanksoxen, 30 Vette Kwartjes, 30 Vette Ossen Morgen.

DE ZUIDAFRIKAN.

DRIE PUBLIEKE BYEENKOMSTEN worden nu overal gehouden, en petitien stroomen van alle kanten in tegen de voorgestelde Zegel Acte. Nooit is er een maatregel geweest welke zoo algemeen en zoo eenparig door het volk werd tegengewerkt, als de tegenwoordige, en evenwel zien wy niets naar eene terugtrekking daarvan gelykende. Is het Gouvernement wezenlyk voornemens, om, niettegenstaande de algemeene weerzin, eene belasting op het volk te duwen, welke van den eersten koopman tot den geringsten ambachtsman verordeeld wordt, in sterke en zelfs persoonlyke taal? Is het met ernst voornemens om, met behulp van de meerderheid, bestaande uit de officieele *Posse Comitatus*, de Acte in Rade door te drijven, tegen de eenparige oppositie van het volk? Haakt het met ernst naar den roem van over het publiek gevoelen gezegevierd te hebben? Zoo ja, dan overtreft ons Gouvernement elk ander van den tegenwoordigen tyd in onbeschaamdheid, door een grondbeginsel optevolgen, zoo vreemd van dat waarop het Britsch volk in elk ander oord der wereld geregeerd wordt.

Kan het volk, onder zoodanige omstandigheden, regtvaardig veroordeeld worden, indien het alle bedaardheid verliest, en de kwestie met warmte en opgewektheid bestrydt? Kan iemand het met regt laken, wanneer het deszelfs gevoelens in sterke bewoordingen uitdrukt over zulke onredelyke handelingen?

Hebben wy het regt die *onredelyk* te noemen? Laten wy zien. In Mei 1844, werden de Begrootingen van 1845 onder de overweging van den Wetgevenden Raad gebragt, by welke gelegenheid Zyne Excellentie de Gouverneur, in eene Minute van den 28 Mei, aan den Raad mededeelde, dat de inkomsten voor 1845 begroot waren op £172,257 en de uitgaaf op £151,248, een surplus van £21,009 overlatende, ter beschikking van den Raad, er byvoegende, "Ik koester geen twyfel dat de inkomsten *te laag* gewaardeerd zyn, als zynde bykans £700 beneden het bedragen in 1843 ontvangen."

In opzigt tot onze publieke schuld, drukte Zyne Excellentie zich in deze bewoordingen uit:—"Ik kan niet nalaten den Raad geluk te wenschen, over de maatregelen welke met zoo veel vruchtgevolg genomen zyn, ter uitlossing en vernietiging van de Gouvernements Promessen, *zonder ongeryf voor het publiek of* het Gouvernement te veroorzaken. Uwe schuld op deze rekening ging niet lang geleden £200,000 te boven. Zy is nu verminderd tot £20,000, waarvan £9,888 op dit oogenblik in de Tresorie zyn, en zoodra laatstgemelde som £10,000 haalt, zal dezelve vernietigd worden.

De Heer MONTAGU—de Lord Kanselier dezer Kolonie—in zyne aanspraak in den Raad op den 22 Juny 1844, gaat verder. "Er zyn nu," zegt hy, "£10,000 Gouvernements Noten onuitgelost, waarvan £1,800 op dit oogenblik (22 Juny) in de Tresorie zyn. Het restant (£8,200,) zal geloof ik, langzamerhand ter betaling aangeboden worden. Ik moet u nu bekend maken met drie andere schulden welke afbetaald moeten worden." Hy gaat dan voort aantetoonen, dat er nog eene schuld is welke door de Kolonie aan het Gouvernement te huis verschuldigd is voor het Storm Fonds, aan de Oost Indische Compagnie wegens eene beleening in 1827, en voor Debentures ten bedrage van £61,803; waarvan £10,000 op den 18 Juny 1844 afbetaald zyn, in gedeeltelyke afdoening van het Storm Fonds, een Saldo overlatende van £51,803 onbetaald, welke hy voorstelt afteedragen uit eene som van £55,960, zynde het Saldo door private personen aan het Gouvernement verschuldigd op rekening van beleeningen uit het Storm Fonds, achterstallige belastingen en recognitie, het lange Beleening Fonds, het Voogden Fonds, het Neger Fonds, en de Lombard en Disconto Banken, en hy besluit zyne aanmerkingen met het volgende gezegde: "Indien ik hierin nauwkeurig ben, zult gy £55,960 hebben om £51,803 afteedragen; *en dit gedaan zynde, zult gy geen shilling schuldig blyven.*"

Konde er eene opgaaf van onze koloniale finantien zyn geweest meer voldoenend en aangenamer dan deze. Wat! In 1845 een Surplus van Inkomsten boven uitgaven van £21,009 en de middelen te hebben om *zonder dat Surplus aantetasten*, alle publieke schulden aftebetalen, zoodat *wy geen enkele shilling zullen schuldig zyn.*

Zyn er vele Gouvernementen die zich op zulk eenen bloeijenden finantieelen toestand kunnen beroemen?

Kon iemand het onder zulke omstandigheden verwacht hebben den Gouverneur ZES MAANDEN DAARNA naar de Raadkamer te zien komen met eene Zegel Ordonnantie—eene vermeerdering bevattende der bestaande,—en tevens nieuwe Zegelbelastingen daarstellende? Had Zyne Excellentie de Gouverneur of de Lord Kanselier, den Raad niet behooren mede te deelen, voor welke dringende behoefte van den staat, deze nieuwe belasting vereischt wordt. Hadden zy het "waarom" en "waarvoor," niet behooren aantetoonen?—Heeft eenig buitengewoon voorval plaats gevonden omtrent de begroote inkomsten van 1845? Om kort te gaan, is er iets aan den Raad medegedeeld den schyn van billykheid of gepastheid hebbende om nieuwe lasten op het publiek te leggen? Neen!—Niets. Zyne Excellentie heeft de Bill koeltjes voorgesteld en ter tafel gelegd. De Hr. MONTAGU, de Gouvernements Secretaris, meldde hierop dezelfs aankelyken inhoud, zonder het minste gewag te maken van de reden, waarom men tot zoodanige nieuwe belasting toevlugt nam; en eerst toen de Heer Ross eene zyner uitdrukte "dat hy bevinden zou dat er tegen zulke dezer Zegel belastingen sterke tegenwerpingen zouden worden gemaakt," verklaarde de Heer MONTAGU "dat er in de voorgestelde Zegel Acte geen verandering is gemaakt in het Heerenregt op Vastgoed, maar dat het Gouvernement van oordeel was, dat dit gene wenschelyke belasting was." Ons doel in het voorstellen van velen dezer maatregels, is om de *Inkomsten* staande te houden,—(wat! onze inkomsten aan het verminderen!!!) en vastgoed langzamerhand te bevryden van het Heerenregt.

Wanneer het in den loop van een of twee jaren (*een of twee jaren!*) bevonden wordt, dat de Zegels, gelyk men verwacht, £23,000 of £24,000 opleveren, *en de inkomsten zullen gedagen*—(het wel—eene belofte met eene voorwaarde welke nimmer gebeuren zal!!)—zonden (ja ZOUDEN) wy intusschen kunnen zyn het Heerenregt aanvankelyk, een paar cents te verminderen, en naderhand nog meer, maatregelen lang de Zegel Inkomst toeneeme en die regtvaardigen mogte.

Voorzeker zal een ieder, die de opgaven in Mei en Juny 1844 gedaan, herlezen, en dezelve vergelykt met deze handeling in December 1844 hoe slechts zes maanden later verbaasd staan over den voorgestelden Maatregel.

Geen jaar is nog verloopen sedert de landsgebeuren bezwaard zyn geworden met een penny op het pond voor de weg verpondingen welke ten minsten zes jaren lang, zoo niet alloos, zal moeten betaald worden—et ecce! worden nieuwe belastingen, op eene verbazende schaal, erger nog dan de zoo zeer gehaatte belasting op inkomen, voorgesteld en nieuwe zyn in de maak, want, zegt de Heer MONTAGU, "men stelt voor het geheel den Zegels op kantienen, en ale en bier licentien in dit tarief weg te laten, en voorziening te maken voor de betaling dezer licentien onder afzonderlyke Ordonnantien, hierna aan de Raad te worden gesubmitteerd!" Wat dan, moeten wy verwachten, wanneer deze belasting-vertoonende handelingen voortduren, en niet beperkt worden? Laat het publiek de vraag zelf beantwoorden.

Wy vernemen dat de volgende Petities aan den Heer EBDEN overgezonden zyn, om door Hem aan den Wetgevenden Raad te worden ingediend, te weten;—Memorien van de ingesetenen van Uitenhage, Port Elizabeth en Fort Beaufort, tegen de algemeene Zegel Acte, en de Kooplieden en de Courantiers van Graham's-stad tegen de Advertentie Belasting Acte.

Eene byeenkomst tegen de Zegel Acte staat ook te Graaff-Reinet gehouden te worden.

Het publiek wordt herinnerd, dat de Petitie aan den Wetgevenden Raad, tegen de Zegel Acte, ter teekening ligt in de Koopmans Beurs, op het Stadhuis, en in de verschillende Banken. De tyd voor de tweede lezing bepaald, nadert; men behoorde dus met het teekenen daarvan niet langer te dralen.

VERSCHRIKKELYKE MOORD EN ZELFMOORD.

Een der gruwelykste daden, waartoe de snoodheid van den mensch instaat is, werd op ll. Woensdag avond in deze stad gepleegd. Het blykt dat zekere vryzwart, genaamd Jan Smith, een kleedermaker van beroep, en in den omtrek van het Walendorp woonachtig, zich omstreeks 9 ure op gemelden avond naar het verblyf van zyne schoondochter, eene vrouw genaamd Evie, in dienst van den Heer J. Heydenrych, woonachtig in de Rozestraat, begaf, en aldaar gekomen zynde, haar op den stoep noodigde, wanneer hy haar om geld vroeg, en daar zy aan dezen eisch niet konde of wilde voldoen, trok hy een by zich verborgen poniaard te voorschyn, en, brengt het gelukkig schepsel daarmede eenen dodelyken steek in het hart toe, waardoor zy binnen weinige oogenblikken den geest gaf. Zoodra hy deze gruwelyndaad gepleegd had, snelde de booswicht naar zyne woning terug, en den arm van het geregt vreesende, pleegde hy zelfmoord door zich met een geweerschot het hoofd te verpletteren. Het noodlottig werktuig waarmede hy de vrouw doodde, werd naderhand gevonden in de riool naby het moordtoneel. Wy vernemen verder dat de vrouw *enceinte* was, zoodat de snoodaart met regt gezegd kan worden eenen driedubbelden moord te hebben gepleegd.

TOT NUT VAN 'T ALGEMEEN.

Terwyl het ons spyt te hebben moeten vernemen dat Jongejufv. GUNN, hoofd-onderwyzeres in de Maatschappy School tot Nut van het Algemeen—uithoofde van hare ziekelyke omstandigheden en op de stellige aanraading van hare geneeskundige Adviseurs haar gem. betrekking heeft moeten opgeven—strekt het ons tot byzonder groot genoegen de begunstigers van gem. Maatschappy te kunnen mededeelen, dat hare vacant geworden betrekking, dadelyk weder (van Maandag aanstaande) staat opgevuld te worden door de zoowel bekende, bekwame onderwyzeres van Jongejufvrouwen alhier—Mejufvrouw TWAITES. Wy wenschen ons Kaapsch Publiek en vooral gemelde Maatschappy geluk met dezen danwinst voor hunne School.

ZEGELREGT.

PUBLIEKE BYEENKOMST TE GRAHAMSSTAD.

Op Zaturdag had de publieke byeenkomst, waarvan wy in ons laatste gewag maakten, plaats op het Stads Bureau te Grahamsstad.

De Heer W. R. Thompson werd tot Voorzitter gekozen.

De volgende Resolutien werden toen voorgesteld en *eenparig* aangenomen:—

1. Dat deze byeenkomst met eene verwondering, aan vreesgrenzende, kennis heeft gekregen van het voornemen des Gouvernements om eene nieuwe schedulg van Zegelregt aan deze kolonie opteleggen, en aldus de inkomsten te vermeerderen door nieuwe lasten en ongemakken en het publiek te leggen.—Voorgesteld door den Heer M. Smith, en ondersteund door den Heer H. Blaine.

2. Dat deze byeenkomst stellig van gevoelen is, dat de voorgestelde veranderingen eenen zeer schadelyken invloed uitoefenen zullen op de publieke belangen, de handel, de nijverheid, de [illegible] wons handels verrichtingen grootelyks [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE
ZUID-AFRIKAAN.

CAPE TOWN, JANUARY 17, 1845.

MEETINGS are now every where held, and Petitions are pouring in from every quarter, against the proposed Stamp Act. There never was a measure so generally and unanimously opposed by the people as the present one, and yet we see nothing resembling to a withdrawal of it. Does the Government really intend, notwithstanding the popular execration, to throw upon the people a tax, which from the first rate Merchant to the most inferior Tradesman is condemned in strong and even in personal language? Does it earnestly intend, with the assistance of a majority, consisting of the Official *Passe Comitatus*, to carry the Act in Council against the unanimous opposition of the people? Does it seriously aim at the fame of having triumphed over popular feeling and public opinion? If so, our present Government exceeds every other of the present time, in audacity, in acting upon a principle so alien from that upon which the British people in every quarter of the Globe are governed.

Can the people, under such circumstances, be justly condemned, if they lose all calmness, and meet the question with warmth and agitation? Can any one justly reprehend them for expressing their opinion and their feelings in strong language about such unreasonable proceedings?

Are we justified in calling it *unreasonable*? Let us see:. In May 1844, the Estimates for 1845 were brought under the consideration of the Legislative Council, His Excellency the Governor in a Minute on the 28th of May communicated to the Council, that the Revenue for 1845 "is estimated at £172,257, and the Expenditure at £151,248, leaving a surplus of £21,009" to be appropriated by the Council, adding "I feel no doubt that the Revenue is *under* estimated, since it is nearly £700 below the amount realized in 1843."

In respect of our Public Debt, His Excellency expressed himself in these terms: "I cannot avoid congratulating the Council upon the measures which have been so successfully taken, for redeeming and cancelling the Government Promissory Notes, *without inconvenience either to the public*, or to the Government. Your debt not long since, on this account exceeded £200,000; it is now reduced to £20,000, of which £9,888 are at this moment in the Treasury, and as soon as it can be increased to £10,000 it will be cancelled."

Mr. MONTAGU,—the Lord Chancellor of this Colony,—in his speech in Council, on the 22d of June 1844, goes further. "There are *now*" says he, "£10,000 of Government Notes unredeemed, of which £1,000 are this day (22d June) in the Treasury. The remainder (£8,900) will come in for payment very slowly I apprehend. I must now apprize you of three other debts which must be discharged." He then proceeds to point out, that there still existed a debt due by the Colony to the Home Government, for the Storm Fund, to the East India Company for a loan in 1827; and for Debentures amounting to £61,803; of which £10,000 was paid off on the 18th June 1844, in part of the Storm Fund, leaving a balance of £51,803 unpaid, which he proposed to discharge out of a sum of £55,960, being the balance due to Government, by private individuals, by way of loans from the Storm Fund, and as Taxes and Land Rents, the Long Loan Fund, the Guardians Fund, the Negro Fund, and the Lombard and Discount Banks;—and he boastingly concludes his observations with saying—"If I am correct in this, you will have £55,900, to pay off £51,803; *and that having been done*, YOU WILL NOT OWE ONE SHILLING.

Could there have been a statement of our Colonial Finances, more satisfactory, more pleasing than this? What! to have a surplus of Revenue over Expenditure for 1845 of £21,009, and to have the means, *without interfering with that surplus* of paying off all our public debts, so that *we will not owe one shilling*,—.... Are there many Governments, who can boast of such a flourishing financial situation?

Was any body prepared under such circumstances, to see the Governor come down to the Council, SIX MONTHS AFTERWARDS with a Stamp Ordinance, containing an increase of the existing Stamps, and creating new Stamp Taxes. Should not His Excellency, or the Lord Chancellor, have stated to the Council for what exigency of state this new tax was required? Should they not have pointed out the "why" and the "wherefore"? Have any extraordinary occurrences taken place in the estimated revenue for 1845? In fact was any thing stated to the Council, which could have the semblance of justness or propriety in burthening the people with new taxes? Nay—Nothing. His Excellency coolly introduced the Ordinance, and laid it upon the table. Mr. MONTAGU, the Secretary to Government, therefore, simply stated the contents of the Stamp Act, without in any way communicating the "reason" why such new taxation is resorted to;—and it was now only on Mr. Rose's expressing his fear that he "will find very strong observations made to many of these Stamps," that Mr. MONTAGU explained, that in the proposed Stamp Act, "no alteration is made on the duties levied on the transfer of landed property, but the Government are of opinion, that this not a desirable tax. Our objects in proposing *many* of those Stamps is, *to keep up the Revenue*,—(What!! is our Revenue decreasing!!!—) and gradually to relieve the landed interest of the transfer duty. If in the course of a year or two—(*a year or two!*)—it is proved that the Stamps bringing as expected 3 or £4000, *and the Revenue can afford it*—(mark. A promise with a condition, that will never occur!!)—we may—(MAY)—then be able to *reduce* the transfer duties one per Cent. in the first instance, and more afterwards as the Stamp Revenue increase and justify it."

Surely, every one resuming the statements made in May and June 1844, and comparing them with this proceeding in December 1844, only six months afterwards, must be staggered at the proposed measure! Not a year has passed that the landholders have been burthened with a penny in the pound for a Road Tax, which will have to be paid for at least six years, if not permanently,—and again new taxes, upon a sweeping scale, worse than the so much decried Income Tax are proposed, and new ones are in making, for, says Mr. MONTAGU: "The whole of the Stamps on public houses and ale and beer Licences, it is proposed to omit in this Tariff, and it is proposed hereafter to provide for the payment of them by licenses under separate Ordinances hereafter to be submitted to Council!" What then must we expect, if these tax-creating proceedings are going on, and not put a stop to? Let the public answer the question themselves.

We hear that the following Memorials have been transmitted to Mr. Ebden, to be presented to the Legislative Council, viz: Memorials from the Inhabitants of Uitenhage, of Port Elizabeth, and of Fort Beaufort against the general Stamp Act; and of the Merchants at Graham's Town, and the Proprietors of Newspapers at Graham's Town against the Advertisement Tax Act.

A Meeting also at Great Beaufort is about to be held, against the Stamp Act.

The Public are reminded that the Petition to the Legislative Council against the Stamp Act, lying for signature in the Commercial Hall, the Town House, and in the Country, during the time fixed for the second reading, draws near; no longer delay therefore in signing the Petition should take place.

BARBAROUS MURDER AND SUICIDE.

One of the most barbarous deeds to which the depravity of man is capable, was committed in our Town on Wednesday Evening last. It appears that a certain person of color, named Jan Smit, a Tailor, residing near Waldendorp, proceeded about 9 o'clock on the above evening to the dwelling-place of his daughter-in-law, a young woman named Bring, in the service of Mr. Hoffenberg, residing in Rose-street, and called her outside on the stoep, and he demanded some money. The girl being unable or unwilling to comply with his demand, the brute instantly drew forth a dagger which he had concealed on his person, and stabbed her in the breast, and within a few seconds afterwards the unfortunate girl breathed her last. As soon as the deed had been perpetrated, the murderer ran home, and, fearing the arm of the law, took up a gun loaded with ball, placed the muzzle in his mouth, fired, and thus put an end to his wretched existence. The fatal dagger with which the woman had been stabbed, was afterwards found in a gutter near the scene of blood. We also regret to learn that the woman was *enceinte*, so that the villain may justly be said to have committed a treble murder.

SOCIETY "TOT NUT VAN 'T ALGEMEEN."

Whilst we felt grieved to learn that Miss GUNN, the principal English Teacher to the Girls' class in the above School, has been obliged, on account of indisposition and by the advice of her medical attendant, to give up her situation, we feel particularly gratified in being able to state for the information of the supporters of said institution, that the vacant situation will be filled up from Monday next by the well known and fully qualified Teacher of young ladies Mrs. Thwaites. We congratulate the Cape public and especially the above Society, on this acquisition of talent.

STAMP DUTIES.

Public Meeting at Graham's Town.

On Saturday the Public Meeting, notice of which was given in our last, was held in the Town Office at Graham's Town.

Mr. W. R. THOMPSON was called to the Chair.

The following resolutions were proposed by the several gentlemen whose names are affixed to them and *unanimously* passed:—

I.—That this meeting has learned with surprise, only equalled by apprehension, of the intention of the local government to impose a new Schedule of Stamp duties for this colony, so as to increase the revenue by entailing additional burdens and inconvenience upon the public.—Moved by Mr. W. Smith, seconded by Mr. H. Blaine.

II.—This meeting is decidedly of opinion, that the proposed alterations will have a most injurious effect upon the public interests,—that they will materially embarrass the ordinary transactions of business—lead to litigation—give rise to and foster a hateful class of Informers,—and thus be most injurious to society at large, as now constituted in this colony.—Moved by Mr. T. Nelson, seconded by Mr. J. Temlet, Sen.

III.—That this meeting is of opinion that no necessity whatever has been shown for an increase of the public burdens; and that, were it otherwise, it would, in the opinion of this meeting, be the most objectionable mode that could be devised to increase the amount of Stamp duties, still less to make, as is now proposed, a serious addition to their number.—Moved by Mr. R. Roberts, seconded by Mr. J. Black.

IV.—That this meeting deems it necessary to record their solemn conviction of the unconstitutional principle, exhibited in this and other instances, of Taxation without Representation,—to express their apprehension at the recent disposition shewn to burden the people and particularly the landholders with new Taxes—the tendency of which is to interfere with private property, embarrass the Trade of the country, excite disaffection amongst all classes, and entail upon the colony great and permanent injury.—Moved by Mr. W. Wright, seconded by Mr. E. L. Kift.

V.—That this meeting resolves to petition the Governor in Council against the proposed Stamp duties, and that five gentlemen be appointed by ballot to prepare a Memorial embodying the foregoing resolutions, and to forward the same, after it shall have been duly signed.—Moved by Mr. S. Gradwell, seconded by Mr. G. Wood.—*G. T. Journal, Jan. 2.*

PUBLIC MEETING AT UITENHAGE.

A public Meeting was held yesterday in the Uitenhage Hotel at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of expressing opinions relative to the proposed Stamp Ordinance. It was more numerously and respectably attended than anything of the kind has been in the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

Mr. Samuel Kerr being called to the chair, the following resolutions were unanimously passed—

Proposed by Mr. P. Black, seconded by Mr. Dunlop,

That this meeting views with serious alarm an attempt which is being made to increase the public burdens by the introduction of certain Stamp Ordinances, when there is no apparent necessity for such a measure.

Proposed by Mr. G. D. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Cadle,

That this meeting is of opinion that the Stamp Ordinances proposed are obnoxious in all their bearings,—will operate as a drag on the commercial transactions of the country,—are totally inapplicable to the circumstances of the community,—will create distrust and bad faith among the traders and farmers, and be a source of never-ending litigation.

Proposed by Mr. J. Saunders, seconded by Mr. Rudlip,

That this meeting is of opinion that the transfer dues proposed to be reduced by the introduction of these measures, although obnoxious to the community at large, are not so compared with the vexatious imposts which these Ordinances contemplate.

Proposed by Mr. King, seconded by Mr. J. G. Layt,

That the meeting viewing the public press as the principal medium for the diffusion of knowledge among our scattered population, protests against the contemplated attempt to impede its progress by the proposed tax of one shilling on each advertisement and one shilling on each newspaper.

Proposed by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Hudson;

That the following three gentlemen, Dr. Carter, Mr. Mitchell, and Mr. King, be appointed a committee to draw up a petition to the Governor in Council against the proposed Stamp Ordinances, founded on the resolutions passed this day; and that they be requested to obtain the signatures of the inhabitants and forward it to the seat of Government.

The Municipality of Graham's Town, the Eastern Province Bank, the Fire and Life Insurance and Mail Coach Companies, are about to transmit memorials to the Governor in Council against the New Stamp Ordinance.—*C. F. Times, Jan. 9.*

PUNCH.

Punch is a curious chap. How he judges of men and things by prophecy? We copy *verbatim* the following letter to

MR. MONTAGUE.

My dear Montague,—Your letter has given me great pleasure. You know how highly I have always thought of friendship; it is, as you say, a divine thing. Indeed, to my mind so divine, that it should never, no never be mixed up with money.

Nevertheless however we may differ on this little point, it is impossible for me to speak as I feel on your letter. It is characteristic written. There is a beauty, a fervour in your sentiments about friendship that convince me you have felt its transports, and are therefore, though poor in the world's esteem rich as our Emperor. My dear friend, cultivate this style of writing.—I am certain money is to be made by it.

I agree with you as to your opinion of the world; it is a glorious world—and glorious, indeed, are some of the people in it. The friendship that has so long subsisted between us, must make me acknowledge this. Your simile of a friend and a fiddle is perfect and touching. What, indeed, are they both made for, if not to be played upon?

Your picture of the unison of souls, when both the souls' hands are to the same bill, is beautiful, affecting. I have read the passage over twenty times. It has rather one word too many on two lines. The picture is perfect: a cabinet gem to be locked up in one's heart. The union of souls is a charming phrase; but, seriously, my friend, it is too fine. It is too much for a world so unromantic and suspected by the generous mind of the world. The sharpers, for instance, care not for souls, only inasmuch as they are in bodies. Now, unhappily, so far as we know, disembodied souls do not draw or accept; otherwise, what felicity would it be to me to meet and mingle with your spirit on a five-shilling stamp!

I confess, too, that it is tempting to think that, by the alchemy of a few ink-drops, I could put a hundred and fifty gold pieces (being the discount) in the purse of my friend. Alas! if the ceremony began and ended with ink, I would spend a Black Sea upon you. You should have my name ten thousand times multiplied, with a good wish in every stroke, hair and thick.

That you have conferred so many acquaintance, all happy with clean-ribbed bare to accept for you, and in the fulness of your friendship selected me, is a compliment, nay more, it is an evidence of your affection which I—I hope to deserve.

You know that I, as well as yourself, am apt to be imaginative. Imaginations, however, fly not always together. You say, that by accepting the bill, our souls would be united. My dear friend, for three months, I should feel corrective growing together, every day strengthening the process. I should call it a treatise for two; nay, I should hardly turn in my bed unincumbered. I should, in my fancy, become a Sinbad the Sailor with only single strength to bear about my united soul. You know the story of Sinbad and the Old Man of the Mountain? That is a fine allegory, though not understood. The truth is, the Old Man drew a bill, and Sinbad—careless but—accepted it.

You speak of the rose that wreath around the stamp. They are, indeed, very pretty. But, somehow, my eye fell upon the thistles; which I doubt not, the benevolence of Her Majesty causes to be embossed there: thistles, clearly significant that the man who accepts a bill, save for his own debt, is an ass.

I am, on the contrary,

Your affectionate friend,

JOHN RICHARDS.

Original Correspondence.

TO THE EDITOR OF "DE ZUID AFRIKAAN."

THE STAMP ACT.

Cape Town, 13th January 1845.

SIR,—The public meetings held lately on the subject of the proposed Draft of an Ordinance, for the extension of the Stamp Duty were numerous in condemning the proposed measure,—not as I aware of two opinions on the subject among the *populum* of this colony, except I saw a letter in to-day's *Advertiser* signed "A Merchant," which is "for the measure"—but as the writer has not come forward with his name, I doubt very much whether he is "A Merchant." The letter breathes so much in favor of the functionary, who is to follow *hard*, that he can afford time to be conveyed to town to attend his office at 10 o'clock in the morning, and be conveyed back to his country seat at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, that I do really think the scribbler is a "functionary." Let me ask the scribbler, why should the tradesman pay a Stamp on his earnings, and he be exempted on his handsome income? Is it because the tradesman must work hard from 6 o'clock in the morning till 6 o'clock at night to obtain a subsistence, and to be able to pay his *fair* share? If Government is REALLY in want of money, let an additional tax be laid on the imports, and the right or proper person will then bear the tax, namely the consumer of the article, on which the duty has been levied. The writer of the letter cannot *honestly* say that the measure will work well among the farmers. He has, no doubt, never set his foot beyond the Salt River, and wants to throw dust in the eyes of the people, by saying that the Fieldcornets may be employed in issuing Stamps,—this is nonsense! In the first place these authorities often live a great distance from the farmer, who may lose a sale before he is able to get a Stamp. In the second place, you cannot expect the Fieldcornets to do this duty without a remuneration—again an unnecessary expense—and besides, I doubt very much whether Government can force this duty on them. The scribbler takes for granted that all Companies have been profitable, and therefore includes the "Steam Navigation Company." But I forgot the following: the Wharf Company, the Fishing Company, the Whaling Company, the Mail Coach Company, the Pearl Postwagon Company. All these Companies established to develope the resources of this colony, although they have never been profitable to the Shareholders, the scribbler wants to tax.

But, Mr. Editor, I have to go into the details of the writer's letter. The duty of Government is to facilitate the intercourse of people, to promote trade, to assist in developing the resources of the colony,—but not to check trade, and to drive capital out of the colony.

In none of Her Majesty's Colonies, is there a Stamp Tax, even newspapers are exempted from this odious tax, and why must it be enforced in this colony?

Your's,

TWO SONS PUBLICO.

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.

Cape Town, Dec. 1, 1844.

SIR,—I am convinced that neither pen nor pen's correspondents will be deterred from the public duty of plain speaking with respect to the "Government Schools," by the scurrilous personalities which interested persons have heretofore heaped on those who have ventured to expose the abuses of the system. I would beg leave at present to direct a glance to its rise and origin. Sir George Napier, having to turn his attention to the question of education, and feeling it a subject rather out of his own line, called to his council Sir John Herschell, who was then on a visit at the Cape for the purpose of taking astronomical observations. Sir John, in his nonlucid intervals,—i.e. when the sky was too clouded for applying his instruments to the stars,—stooping to sublunary objects, produced a scheme for the general enlightenment of the colony. Since that period, we have the name of "Sir John Herschell," thrust into every paper put forth concerning these Schools;—"Sir John Herschell," little thinking, at the distance of 6,000 miles, what use his name is put to) shines in capital letters, to puzzle any, who may presume to call in question the perfection of these Schools, or of anything belonging to them. Among the innumerable reasons by which the above eminent astronomer intended to distinguish his scheme from all others, first and most prominent, we find a proposal to condense, by a new process, the concentrated wisdom and responsibility distributed, in ordinary cases, among the various members of a Committee or Board, into one irresponsible head, or individual; which, to theory, sounds indeed rather Popish; but an appeal to existing facts will show, in a moment, its practical absurdity, since it must be evident to all that the strict conscientiousness and known activity of our present Superintendent alone can permit such imagined [illegible] must be satisfied, either by personal oversight, or by inspection delegated to others, as to the general character of the instruction which any such superintendent may take. And what then becomes of his irresponsibility?

We find that the other points on which we delve (in the reply to Governor Napier's application) said principal stress, are periodical returns of the number of scholars; of the *amount of their attendance*, and of the degree of improvement made by them. Now I beg the candid attention of any reader to the report published in June of this year, by the present Superintendent of these Schools. It appears on that "on the establishment" are 25 Schools, numbering in all 1851 pupils: further, that, of the character mission schools in this colony, there are 25 which receive some pecuniary aid from Government, numbering 3,741 pupils, and that "*daily average attendance*," 2,275.

Pray, why not a word regarding the daily average attendance of the 25 Government Schools? On this point there is a strange confusion. It seems, the Superintendent's report, "The aggregate [illegible] at present to [illegible] ingeniously obtained by lumping together the [illegible] Mission schools receiving aid from Government, and the 1851 in the Government Schools." But, we say, what has [illegible] attendance?" We cannot express the peculiar feeling of no deficient in "plain English" as to consider these phrases of exactly the same import; since, as just before quoted, he accurately distinguishes between two things so very different from each other, in mentioning the daily average attendance of the Mission Schools. It only remains to conclude that the writer conceives his readers likewise to be little conversant with so old-fashioned an article as "plain English;" and to this may perhaps be attributed his great zeal for the establishment of additional Schools for their benefit.

As to the other point footed upon Sir John Herschell's letter, the degree of improvement made by the pupils, the report carefully avoids any particulars on that head.

I am, Sir, your's truly,

A FRIEND TO THE CAUSE OF EDUCATION.

P. S. The subject of the "Government Schools" has been well-treated, not only in your Journal, but also in your contemporary, the "Cape Town Mail," by "A Parent," by "Expositor," "Enquirer," and others. "Enquirer" gives some choice specimens of the style in which the scholars may be taught to aspire, in quotations from the letters of "Delta," one of the lights of the rising generation, who spreads his beams around the region of Stellenbosch. I think, however, that "Enquirer" omits the finest passages in those letters, which, I venture to say, surpass anything in the pages of Addison; such, for instance, as the following:—"The profound repose of calm contemplation, resting on a devotion whose every pulsation harmonized with that humility of pretension and confidence of hope, which indicate intellect gifted with every excellence, which can exact ignorance or storn knowledge!!" After this, Sir, I will not presume to add a word, except to express my hope that so great a writer has only, for a time, withdrawn his light from the public, shortly to shine forth again with fresh lustre.

* Among these, be it observed, are 69, paying £4 per quarter each, for a superior stile of education.

MEETING OF HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR AND THE GAIKA CAFFERS AT POST VICTORIA.

(*From a Correspondent.*)

Since my last to you of the 10th Dec. I have gone over a good deal of country, and which has necessarily caused some delay. However I may now say, in general, that on visiting the Interior I found everything tranquil; but cattle scarce, owing to the occupation of the ceded territory. I was fortunate to arrive at the Post of Victoria just in time to witness the result of the meeting between the High Commissioner and the Caffers on the first reading of the new treaties, proposed for their acceptance. His Honor arrived at Post Victoria on the 28th ult., and immediately sent to the Resident Agent at Block Drift, requesting his attendance, and also that of Sandilla and Botha, the principal chiefs of the Gaika Clans. Monday, the 31st inst., was appointed for the meeting, and on that day about 2 o'clock Macomo, Xo Xo (Kinkin), and Vandaal, Buttanie's eldest son, his father being on a visit to the Congos, with about 300 or 400 followers, arrived. But there was no Sandilla, though the Honor waited till 3 o'clock. At length tired of the delay, His Honor determined to hold the meeting, and gave directions for the Caffers to assemble. His Honor then proceeded to read article by article of the new treaties, and which were interpreted sentence by sentence by Mr. G. Cyrus. On concluding them His Honor told the Caffers he would give them eight days to consider the subject, desiring them to return home, and if they had any doubts upon any points to consult their worthy pastor at Block Drift, of whom they would receive every information. Macomo asked the agent, were he acquainted in the new treaties, how many there were to be, and also how the boundaries were to be drawn. To the latter His Honor replied, the same as had been fixed by Lord C. Somerset. Nothing more was said, I believe, on either side. The great feature I think in the new treaties is, that government retains the right of sending into Caffreland in quest of stolen property the Police and parties of the Cape Mounted Rifles, and who are to proceed as far as the cattle or horses may be driven. This clause caused no small excitement among the Caffers, and I should hope that so far the farmers will be satisfied, and give His Excellency the credit due to him in introducing a regulation which cannot fail to have a powerful effect in checking depredations in future. There will be now little chance of escape, the inhabitants placing the utmost confidence in Col. Somerset and his useful corps now stationed at Post Victoria.

I have thus given you an outline of the meeting,—now for the breaking up:—His Honor, after reading the treaties ordered, as I have said, the assembled Caffers to disperse, and as from their numbers this was not so speedily done as was wished, the next step was to call out the 91st guard, and C. M. Rifles, ordering them to disperse the meeting *vie et armis*. The scene that followed was most amusing. The men ran, the women on the market took fright, leaving their milk to be devoured by dogs—several Caffers were ridden over and others put in some peril at the point of the bayonet. The chiefs, as you may imagine, were much annoyed and excited by this usage, and they retired sulkily, remarking, that they came at His Honor's invitation, and that when they did come they were insulted. This was certainly a new way of recommending new treaties, and the resentment of His Honor is the more strange, he having so lately commended the same people, giving, as will be remembered, the colony over to the care of Macomo, when on his memorable march with the troops to Colesberg. In the evening a messenger, who had been sent for Sandilla, arrived and reported to His Honor that the chief refused to attend, but that if His Honor wished to see him he must proceed to Block Drift. This seems to have been a piece of bravado, repented of as soon as made, for a few hours afterwards, to the surprise of His Honor, the chief made his appearance, and, steadily denied having sent any such message. The correctness of the messenger is, however, fully credited. The chief, like most of his countrymen, is notorious for his disregard of truth. Probably it was fear that kept him away, until the result of the meeting was made known to him; and yet that he could make his appearance after such a *ruse* as I have described, is the more surprising. The matter appears to me quite inexplicable, nor do I pretend to unravel His Honor's policy. It strikes me, however, that if the presence of Sandilla was so important, it was useless to assemble the inferior chiefs while on the other hand, if it were not a matter of moment, then surely, there was no occasion for all this waste of resources.

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—*G. T. Journal, Jan. 9.*

WANTED,

A STEADY, Sober, and Honest middle aged Person, to drive a Carriage and two.

N.B.—But no Mahomedan.

Apply to the Undersigned,

The Widow S. LEIBBRANDT,
at Green Point, or
J. S. LEIBBRANDT,
Loop-street, No. 31.

To Ironmongers and Cutlers.

ON TUESDAY MORNING next, the Undersigned will hold a public sale of Ironmongery and Cutlery, &c. &c. &c.

FORSAYTHES, THOMPSON & PHILLIPS.

South African Association for the Administration and Settlement of Estates.

DIRECTORS of the above Association, in capacity of Testamentary Executors of the Estate of the late JOHAN GEORGE MULLER, Esq., and acting de facto for Mrs. the Widow MULLER, born VAN REENEN, as Co-Executrix, will cause to be publicly sold to the Highest Bidder, on the spots respectively, where the Property is situated, on WEDNESDAY the 5th and THURSDAY the 6th February next, at 12 o'Clock precisely, the following Shares in Landed Property held by the Estate of the deceased, in Co Partnership with other Individuals:—

1st.—One-fourth share in certain Store and Premises, situate in St. George's street, now marked No. 26, and let to the firm of VAN DER BYL & Co.

2d.—A three fourth Share in certain Store and Premises, also situate in St. George's street, now marked No. 56, formerly occupied as the Office of the Steam Navigation Company.

3d.—One-third Share in certain House and Erf, situate in Long-street, opposite the Missionary Chapel, now marked No. 137, and occupied by Mrs. M. C. DRIVER.

4th.—A half share in certain House and Premises, situate in Hout-street, now marked No. 43, and occupied by J. C. TORIEN.

5th.—One-third share in certain House and Premises, situate in Long-street, at the Corner of Dorp-street, now marked No. 5, and occupied by Mrs. the Widow M. WOLFF.

This Sale offers a favorable opportunity to Capitalists, for the Investment of their dormant Capital.

J. DE WET, Sen.

Cape Town, Church-square, No. 5.
Jan. 10, 1845.

TO THE DUTCH COMMUNITY.

A New Series of the Monthly Publication "THE HONIGBY," will be published early in February. Those Parties who may feel an interest in carrying on the only Periodical in the Dutch Language, will kindly subscribe their names, and to prevent any from feeling unwilling to subscribe to a work that has been carried on some time, the next number will be No. 1, New Series, thereby constituting it a New Work.

Subscription Lists are placed at the Office of the South African, Cape of Good Hope and Colonial Banks, and at the Shop of the Undersigned.

JAS. H. COLLARD, 24, Heerengracht.

PUBLIC SALE OF

MORTGAGE BONDS.

In the Insolvent Estate of CHARLES POPE, of Beaufort.

TO-MORROW at 12 o'Clock precisely, the following MORTGAGE BONDS will be sold, on the Stoep of the Commercial Exchange, to enable the undersigned to close the Estate, namely:

Mortgage Bond passed by P. G. WATERMEYER, Q.S. JAMES CHRISTIE, dated 6th December 1844, and payable on the 1st November 1845, for £100, with interest from 1st November 1844, Special Hypothecation of certain Erf, with the Buildings thereon, marked No. 4, situated in the Village of Beaufort, in Donkin-street; ditto, ditto, for the like amount, and similar to the above, payable on the 1st November 1846.

A Policy of Assurance will be ceded over to the purchaser as Collateral Security.

The abovementioned Bonds are the first Mortgage on the Property, which is worth about £4000.

E. THOMPSON,
Sole Trustee.

ON TUESDAY, 21st JANUARY,

THE Undersigned will sell by Auction, at "Rompe Vallei," the Residence of JOHN BUCHANAN, Esq., upwards of

30 Superior MILCH COWS,

more than half in Milk, some with Calves, others (about to Calve); an excellent Bull, and a very fine thoroughbred Ayreshire Bull Calf. R. W. JONES.

The Two Farms Rompe Vallei and Bamboo Valley, are also for Private Sale. The first has nearly 30 Acres in Garden cultivation.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE Undersigned, the Widow LAURENS PETRUS RAS, MUS, wishing to concentrate her affairs, will cause to be sold at her Dwelling Place "Nonna," situate beyond the Hex River, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 28th and 29th January next, the follow Property:—

1. An Erf, with the Dwelling House and Out Buildings erected thereon, measuring 400 square roods, situate in the best part of the Village of Worcester, in Church square.

2. An Erf, with a Dwelling House thereon, measuring 200 square roods, situate as aforesaid in Church-street.

3. An Erf, with a Dwelling House thereon, situate as aforesaid.

In the mean time the above are for private sale.

Further, a large number of Horses, Cattle and Pigs, Wagons, Ploughs and Harrows, Cellar and Farming Implements, Smiths', Wagonmakers' and Tanners' Tools, a large quantity of Wheat, Barley, Rye and Oats, and many other articles, too numerous to be described.

Widow L. P. ERASMUS.

Worcester, Jan. 2, 1845.

TO-MORROW will be sold at the Commission Sale of Mr. STEYTLER, an excellent Saddle Horse, 4 years old.

150 *Slaughter and Draught Oxen.*

THE above number of Cattle, brought up from the District of Swellendam, will be offered for Private Sale in the Village of D'Urban, on the 10th of February next. The Cattle are in excellent condition.

P. F. DE VILLIERS.

Jan. 15, 1845.

STELLENBOSCH,

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THE Undersigned intending to change residence, offers for sale or to let, his valuable House and Premises, situate in Rynevelds-street, No. 2, in the immediate vicinity of the pleasant Walking Place "Het Clagel," comprising six Rooms, besides a Dining Room on the ground floor, all boarded, Kitchen, Outbuildings, Wagonhouse, &c., and in the neatest order, with the necessary Fire Places, and a Garden planted with Fruit Trees and sufficient Water.

The greatest part of the Purchase money may, if required, be retained on interest, provided sufficient Security be given.

J. A. MEIDER.

SALE OF FIRE-WOOD.

A PUBLIC SALE of the Wood and Bush, partially reduced by the Fires that have recently taken place on Mr. E. J. Jones' Estate, the "Grove," will be held on THURSDAY next, the 23d inst. at 11 o'clock.

SLOTS & BARTMAN, Auctioneers.

STRAYED on the 9th January 1845, from the Place of Mr. J. FRONEMAN, at Kuils River, a slender light brown Horse with white face, hind legs and front legs. Whoever returns the same to Mr. J. SCHRADER, 21, Barrack-street, will be well rewarded.

Cape Town, Jan. 16, 1844. H. SCHRADER.

WANTED,

A COMPETENT TEACHER of the Dutch Language, to whom a liberal Salary, Board and Lodging will be given. For particulars apply to the Undersigned, at the place "Brakkekuil," near Koeberg.

G. J. VISSER.

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2 BLACKSMITHS, who understand the Shoeing of Wagons.—Apply to J. G. STEYTLER, No. 120 Loop-street.

MESSRS.

George Greig, & Co.

HAVE NOW LANDED

Their Goods per 'CATHERINE.'

COMPRISING almost every variety of COTTON AND WOOLLEN GOODS, suited for the Season. Also, Shoes and Boots, for Children, Ladies' and Gent's.; Broad brim Hats,—*Wide Sheeting*, Canvas; *Fashionable Muslins*, Mourning and half Mourning ditto, Bonnets, Caps, Cap Fronts, Ribbons, Fancy Handkerchiefs and Shawls, Gros de Naples, &c. &c. &c.

☞ Ross's Indian Ale, Porter, Paper, Oils and Paints, Cheese, Butter, Tallow, &c. &c.

R. CLARENCE,

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NEAR THE CLUB HOUSE.

HAS always on Sale, of the first quality and at moderate prices,

Every description of Foreign and Cape Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin, and Cordials by the Cask, Gallon, or single Bottle.

Fine Old Port, 30s 36s. to 42s. per dozen,
Sherry's, pale and brown, 23s 30s 36s. to 42s. per dozen,
Champagne, 40s 50s. 60s. to 75s. per dozen,
Fine old Madeira, Masdue, Claret, Hock, and Sauterne,
Cape Sherry on Sherry lees per Gallon or Bottle,
Cape Pontac on Port lees, per Gallon or Bottle,
Cape Madeira, Hock and Muscadelle,
Messrs. CLOETE's and COLYN's red and white Constantia in Casks of 9½ and 19 Gallons, also Bottled and in Cases of 1 dozen Pints.
English Ale, Porter, &c.

South African Association for the Administration and Settlement of Estates.

NOTICE.

THE Directors of the above Association, in their capacity of Executors Testamentary of the Estate of the late JOHAN GEORG MULLER, Esq., and surviving Widow Mrs. MARIA JOHANNA MULLER, born VAN RENNEN, and acting *de rato* for the said Widow as Co-Executrix, hereby call upon all Persons pretending to have any Claim or Demand against said Estate, whether arising from Bonds, Book Debts, Suretyships, Guardianships, Administrations or otherwise, to file and certify such Claim or Demand within three months from the publication hereof at the Office of said Association, No. 5, Church-square, as the Executors will after the expiration of said period proceed to liquidate the Estate.

And those indebted to the same are requested to give notice of their respective debts before the expiration of the above term of three months.

J. DE WET, Secretary.

Cape Town, Church-square, No. 5, Jan. 2, 1845.

South African Association for the Administration and Settlement of Estates.

THE Directors of the above Association in their capacity as the Executors Testamentary of the late CHARLES ARNULPH ETIENNE BECKER, Esquire, otherwise called CAREL ARNOLDUS BECKER, and the Executors Dative of the Estate of JOHANNA ELIZABETH SCHOLTZ, his predeceased Wife, will sell by public sale to the highest Bidder, on MONDAY, the 3d February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the well-known House and Premises, situated at the corner of Church and Loop-street, at present occupied by Mr. D. S. A. WAGNER.

As also, that valuable House and Premises, situated in the Town house Square, corner of Short-market-street, now occupied by Mrs. WELCH.

Both these properties are substantially built, contain a number of conveniences and are admirably well situated for carrying on a profitable trade.

J. DE WET. Sec.
H. TENNANT, } Executors
GEO. HOME, } Dative.

Cape Town, Church-square, No. 5, Jan. 16, 1845.

Notice to Creditors and Debtors.

In the Estate of late Mr. *Johannes Arnoldus Janson*, and surviving Widow *Christina Maria Ziedeman.*

ALL Persons having any Claims of what nature soever against the above Estate, are requested to send in the same to Mr. P. D. MORGENROOD, 21, Plein-street, within six weeks from this date; and those indebted to the Estate to pay their Debts within the same time to the said Mr. MORGENROOD.

Widow C. M. JANSON,
Executrix Testamentary.

Cape Town, 9th January 1845.

WORCESTER.

THE Undersigned being authorized thereto by Mr. PETRUS JOHANNES DU PLESSIS, Cs., who is compelled thereto on account of the infirm state of his health, will cause to be publicly sold on

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY,

The 22d and 23d JANUARY next,

at his Dwelling Place *De Wilge Rivier*, situate at Hex River, District Worcester,

Certain half share in a perpetual Quitrent Place called *Kools Fontein*, measuring 2965 morgen and 328 square roods, situate at Wilge Rivier, with the right to a piece of surveyed Government Ground adjoining the same. It is a very good Sheep Farm.

2. Certain House and Premises situate in the Village of Worcester, formerly part of Erf 6, Blok I, marked La D., measuring 52 square roods and 128 do. feet.

And a large assortment of Agricultural Implements, comprising Ploughs, Harrows, Wagonmaker's and other Wood, Wagon Bottoms, Planks, Smith's and Carpenter's Tools, Cellar Utensils, Stuckvats, Leaguers, Tubs, Buckets, &c.; also Carts, Horses, shod and unshod Bullock Wagons, &c.

FURTHER,

A fine Bastard English Stallion, bred by Mr. MELCK, a Jack Ass, Trained Mules, Breeding Horses, Mares covered by Jack Asses, Draught and other Oxen, among which two teams of excellent Bastards, Breeding Cattle, most of them Bastard Fatherland, cross-bred Merino Sheep, and

FINALLY,

Household Furniture, Wardrobes, Tables, Chairs, Kitchen Utensils, and such other articles as will be offered on the day of sale.

PAUL JOH. ROUX, Paul's Son, Agent.

Worcester, December 29, 1844.

PUBLIC SALE OF

MERCHANDIZE,

AT SWELLENDAM.

ON FRIDAY and SATURDAY, the 14th and 15th February, 1845, a Public Sale will be held at the Stores of the Undersigned, High-street, Swellendam, of an extensive select assorted lot of Merchandize, expressly selected for the Country Trade, consisting of:—

Rice,	Punjums,	Drilling,
Coffee,	Baftas,	Moleskins,
Sugar,	Prints,	Ready made Clothes,
Tea,	Voerchitz,	&c. &c. &c.

And a great variety of other Articles suited for the Season.

☞ *WITHOUT RESERVE.*

E. CLAASSEN.

Swellendam, Jan. 13, 1845.

A Fine Speculation in the new Established Village Piketberg.

FOR Sale or to Let on the most favourable conditions, for any Person wishing to carry on any Trade in said Village, a most suitable and comfortable House.—Apply at No. 16 Plein-street, Cape Town.

TEAS.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY MORNING, at Mr. J. TOWNSEND's Sale on the Parade, the Undersigned will dispose of the following Teas, to close accounts, viz:—

55—10 Catty Boxes Caper,
22—25 „ „ do.
54—25 „ „ Souchong,
10—10 „ „ very superior Pekoe Tea.

BORRADAILES, THOMPSON & PILLANS.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, in announcing their Establishment here as GENERAL MERCHANTS, beg to inform the Trade, that they have taken the Stores,

No. 31, St. George's-street,

(*Adjoining those of Messrs.* HOME, EAGAR & Co.)

Where they are now ready to offer to their notice, a general assortment of

MANUFACTURES

prepared with care and attention to the wants of the Colony, and which, they feel satisfied, will merit their inspection,—having been purchased on the most favorable terms that the present healthy state of the Home Market would allow, they feel disposed to sell the same at reasonable prices. Their present Stock consists of—

Brown and white Punjums, of various qualities	Blue and red Baize, and Serge Shirts
Do. do. Baftas	Grey Calico, and Blue striped Shirts, full sizes
75-inch white Sheeting	Regatta & Gent's. fine Calico Shirts, with Linen Fronts, Collars, and Wristbands
Medium and fine Gold-end Shirtings	Malay Handkerchiefs
Furniture Checks	French Shawls
Chambrays	Cotton Handkerchiefs in great Variety
Flannel, various qualities	30-inch Wagon Canvas No. 3, very heavy and suitable
8-4 to 11-4 heavy Witney Blankets	Soldiers' Duck Frocks
Cotton Bed Tick, very stout	An assortment of Cotton & India Rubber Braces, and Gent's Brown and White Socks, of *superior* quality
Cotton Rugs and colored Counterpanes, 9-4 to 11-4	Merino Shirts and Drawers
Moleskins of superior finish, and various qualities	An assortment of Ladies' and Maids' White and Black Hose
Cotton Trouser Stuff	Children's Socks
White and brown *Linen* Drill	Rolled Jaconetts
Brown Holland	Cotton Cord
Scarlet and Fawn Woollen Cups	12 and 14 inch Crape
Printed Cotton Parasols	1 case of fine Beaver Black Hats
Genuine Brooks' Reels, and Milner, Cruden & Co's Thread No. 10, assorted	1 do. Velvet Pile do.
White and green Baize	
Voerchitz of very suitable patterns	
Imitation Russia Duck	

ALSO

A small portion of Split Peas, Pearl Barley, Bath Bricks Alum, Glue, and Starch.

Cape Town, 4th January 1845.

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COLONIAL BANK.

CAPITAL £100,000.

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THE following are the leading principles of this Establishment:—

It having been agreed by the Shareholders as an irrevocable clause of the Deed of Settlement, *that it shall never become a Bank of Issue*, consequently it is free from all control of the Legislature, as not interfering with the currency of the Colony.

Its numerous Proprietors consisting of so large a portion of the Capitalists of this Colony, ensures the most undeniable security to its customers.

It observes inviolable secrecy as to the accounts of Individuals, a declaration in writing to that effect being signed by all persons connected with its management.

It affords every possible facility and accommodation to the public within the bounds of prudence and caution.

It pays interest on such monies as remain for a certain time.

It gives the Proprietor who keeps an account with the Bank the advantage of realizing a profit out of his own transactions with it.

Interest is allowed by the Bank on fixed deposits in sums of £25 and upwards at the following rates:—

For 3 months and under 6 months at 3 pCt. per annum.
„ 6 do. do. 12 do. 3½ do. do.
„ 12 do. 4 do. do.

☞ Directors meet every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 11 o'Clock A. M. for the despatch of business.

J. C. WICHT, Cashier.

SOUTH AFRICAN BANK.

CAPITAL, £100,000.

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APPLICATIONS for Discounts received and attended to daily between the hours of 9 and 11.

By Order of the Directors,
C. RAWSTORNE, Cashier.

PARR'S LIFE PILLS.

THIS invaluable Medicine, which has attracted so much attention in England, as a means of prolonging human life, is recommended by the Proprietors for the cure of disorders incident to the East and West Indies, South America, and all countries where the rapid growth and equally rapid decay of vegetation, and the intense power of the Solar rays cause the atmosphere to be charged with miasmatic and other deleterious vapours, and its peculiar applicability to these climates, has been now perfectly tested and established. These disorders—viz., bilious, liver, and other complaints, incident to a derangement of the stomach and alimentary ducts, which must always exist in such countries, and which exhibit themselves by a variety of symptoms, including oppression of the head and chest, depression of spirits, and in many instances, by those painfully distressing concomitants, flatulence, and nervous and spasmodic effections of the vital organs, have, in every instance, when tried, been effectually remedied by this medicine.

Prepared by T. ROBERTS & Co., Grane Court, Fleetstreet, London.

Sold by all Apothecaries in the Colony,—price 1s. 6d. and 3s. 9d. each box. Full directions are given with each box.

COMMISSARIAT.

TENDERS, with Samples, will be received at this Office, until 12 o'Clock on THURSDAY, the 30th instant, from such Persons as may be willing to supply

OATS AND BARLEY,

To the extent of about 600,000 lbs. English Weight, for the service of this Department, in quantities not less than 5,000 lbs.; to be delivered into H. M. Magazines, Cape Town, during the current year.

The Tenders to express the Price in Sterling per 100 lbs. English Weight, also the proposed quantity and period of delivery.

Payment for the above, when the amount may be £50 or upwards, will be made by Bills drawn at Par on the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Each Tender to be accompanied by and Instrument in duplicate (copies of which may be had at this Office), binding the party under penalty well and duly to perform the stipulations contained in the Tender, should it be accepted.

CHARLES PALMER, Dep. Com. Gen.

Commissariat Office, Cape Town, 31 January, 1845.

COMMISSARIAT.

Cape Cured Beef for Mauritius.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until 12 o'Clock, on FRIDAY the 31st instant, for the supply of

120,000 lbs. Cape Cured Salt Beef,

to be delivered into Her Majesty's Magazine, Cape Town, or at either of the Jetties at the option of the Commissariat, in three equal proportions, during the present year, viz., 40,000 lbs. in all February, and like quantities in April and August next.

The MEAT to be of the VERY BEST QUALITY, free from sand or grit, and both with regard to the number and size of the pieces, to be as nearly conformable to Irish Provisions as possible, and to be guaranteed as being cured without the employment of any Cape Salt, and to keep in good condition at least twelve months from the date of its delivery.

The Tenders to express the price in Sterling per 100 lbs. net English Weight, including the Casks, which must not be of Colonial Wood. Parties at Port Elizabeth, or in that vicinity, who may tender, will specify their terms if the supply be delivered at the Commissariat Magazine, or on the beach at that Port; also, their terms if delivered in Cape Town, to be at the option of the Commissariat.

Each Tender to be accompanied by an Instrument in duplicate (copies of which may be had at this Office, or at the Commissariat Offices at Graham's Town or Port Elizabeth) binding the parties under penalty well and duly to perform the stipulations contained in the Tender, should it be accepted.

Payment for the abovementioned supplies will be made in Bills drawn at Par on the Lords of the Treasury.

All further conditions and particulars may be known on application.

CHARLES PALMER, Dep. Com. Gen.

Commissariat Office, Cape Town, Jan. 14, 1845.

HER M. VICTUALLING OFFICE,

Simon's Town, Dec. 23, 1844.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tenders and Samples will be received at this Office till Noon on Saturday the 25th January, 1845, (when parties Tendering or some person duly authorized in writing to sign the Contract on their behalf are requested to be present)

FOR ALL SUCH QUANTITIES OF GOOD FLOUR,

for H. M. Navy, as may be required for the period between the 1st February, 1845, and the 31st January, 1846, to be the genuine produce of Cape Wheat only, and warranted to keep good for nine Calendar Months, from the date of delivery at Simon's Town.

The Tenders must express the price Sterling per 100 pounds English Weight, and the names of two Persons must be proposed as securities for the due fulfilment of the Contract, and a statement in writing from them to that effect must further be produced and deposited, if necessary, when the Tenders are opened, otherwise they will be rejected.

PUBLIC SALE OF

MOVEABLE AND IMMOVEABLE

PROPERTY.

In the Insolvent Estate of PAUL FRANÇOIS ROOS, of the Paarl, Blacksmith.

ON THURSDAY,

The 23d January next,

AT 11 O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON PRECISELY,

THE Undersigned will sell publicly to the highest Bidder, on the Spot, a certain

HOUSE AND PREMISES,

at the Paarl, Division Stellenbosch, being part of the Farm *Optenhorst and Olyfboom*, in extent 1 morgen, 92 square roods, and 49 do. feet, planted with Vines and various Fruit trees.

This Property is advantageously situated in the North part of the Paarl, and well adapted for any Business.

The Blacksmith's Trade and a Shop has been carried on in the same with good success, and it requires no further recommendation.

MOVEABLE PROPERTY,

Consisting in:—

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, as Stinkwood Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, Feather Beds, a Wardrobe, a Chest of Drawers, Copper, Glass and Earthenware, a Silver Snuff Box, and a very good Watch, Kitchen Utensils, a Smith's Shop complete, and what further may be offered on the day of Sale.

The Conditions of Sale may be seen at the Master's Office, at the Office of the Resident Magistrate of the Paarl, and at that of the Undersigned.

G. L. STEYTLER, G. son, Sole Trustee.

Cape Town, 19th Dec. 1844.

At the Sale of the Insolvent Estate of P. F. Roos, on THURSDAY, the 23d January 1845, the Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, all the MOVEABLE PROPERTY, belonging to the Insolvent Estate of P. JOHANNES LOUW, Jac. G. son, consisting in HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, as Tables, a large Wardrobe, 6 Silver Tea-spoons, 2 superior Cart and Saddle Horses, 1 Cart and pair Hind Harness, a Saddle and Bridle.

G. L. STEYTLER, G. son, Sole Trustee.

Cape Town, 19th Dec. 1844.

Mr. D. A. DE VILLIERS, Vendue Adm.

PUBLIC SALE OF FUSTAGE.

ON the 28d January 1845, after the conclusion of the Sale in the Insolvent Estate of PAUL P. ROOS, will be sold at the House of Mr. J. M. BREAKE, Paarl, the following new Fustage, viz:—

Three-leaguer Stukvats,
Riders, half Leaguers, Pipes, half Pipes, Half-ums,
10 Gall. Casks, Buckets and Tubs.

D. A. DE VILLIERS, Vendue Adm.

Paarl, Dec. 31, 1844.

PUBLIC SALE

At Simon's Town.

MR. PIETER HUGO, wishing to retire from Business, will cause to be sold on TUESDAY, the 21st instant, his whole Stock of WINES, comprising Old Cape Sherry, Madeira, Hock, Sweet Pontac, Muscadel, &c. some of which are of the Vintage of 1836, and of excellent quality.

Also will be sold, Stuckvats, Leaguers, Pipes, Half-ums, Buckets, Heavers, and everything appertaining to a Wine Store.

W. ANDERSON, Auctioneer.

Simon's Town, 7th January 1845.

Sale to commence at 10 a. m.

WARNING.

Messrs. HENDK. DREYER & Co.

HAVING become the Purchasers of a certain Piece of Land, situate in the Cape Flats, between Luihout's Drift, Zeekoe Valley, the Strand, Strand Fontein's House, Kapes Kraal, Olifboom and Slagter's Kraal, now called "MONTAGUE'S GIFT," in extent about 5000 morgen.

Notice is hereby given, that Grazing of Cattle, Cutting Reeds, or Sporting on the said Land will not be permitted without a written order from the Proprietors; and any Person offending will be Prosecuted.

PUBLIC SALE ON THE FARM

"KEERENBOSCH."

In the Estate of the late ANNA MARIA BASSON and surviving Husband PIETER JACOBUS VAN DER WESTHUYSEN.

THE Undersigned, in quality as Testamentary Executors of the above Estate, will cause to be publicly sold on TUESDAY the 21st January 1845, on the Farm "Keerenbosch," situate at Zwartland, the whole of the Effects belonging to the above Estate, viz:—

The Perpetual Quitrent Farm called "Klipfontein," measuring 3,229 morgen, situate near Saldanha Bay, in the Cape Division, being an excellent Corn and Cattle Farm, abundantly supplied with Water throughout the year, and comprising two good Dwelling Houses, Stabling, Wagon House, Thrashing Floor, &c.

The perpetual Quitrent Farm called "Langeberg," measuring 2,952 morgen and 220 square roods, situate as above, and annex the Farm "Klipfontein," with a Piece of Quitrent Land adjoining the same, in extent 458 morgen and 370 square roods, well known on account of its excellent Pasturage for Cattle. An exclusive right will be granted to this Farm to the Fountain and Dam, known by the name of "Drooge Fontein," situate nearly on the verge of the Farm "Klipfontein," with a thoroughfare leading to it of 300 paces.

Both these Farms are too well known to need any further description.

Further, 64 muids of Wheat, 150 do. Oats, 10 good Saddle and Draught Horses, 14 young Draught Oxen, 30 head of breeding Cattle of good breed, 400 Sheep and Goats, 3 Pigs, 4 Wagons, 1 Covered Cart, Ploughs, Harrows, Yokes, Ropes, Harness, Saddles, Spades, Pickaxes, Mealie Bags, a Corn Harp, an Iron Corn Mill, Smiths' Tools, and what further appertains to a Farm, and, finally, Household Furniture, consisting in Bedsteads, Stretchers, Feather Beds, Clothes Presses Chests, Chairs, Tables, Glass and Earthenware, Kitchen Utensils, and what further may be offered on the day of sale.

The Conditions of Sale, together with the Diagrams and Deeds of Transfer of the Farms, may be ascertained and inspected at the first Undersigned's.

H. H. LOEDOLFF, } Test.
P. J. VAN DER WESTHUYSEN, } Executors.

Malmesbury, Dec. 30, 1844.

J. W. MOORREES, Vendue Adm.

PUBLIC SALE OF SHEEP AND OXEN.

ON TUESDAY next the 21st Instant, will be sold by Auction at the Place of C. E. GRUNDELING, Groene Fontein, 750 Sheep and 40 draught and slaughter Oxen, in the very best condition, brought up by

T. J. VERSTER.

Cape Town, Jan. 1845.

D. A. DE VILLIERS, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE

At Malmesbury.

THE Undersigned authorized thereto by Mr. P. J. M. SPANGENBERG, on the eve of his departure to the District of Beaufort, will cause to be publicly sold here on TUESDAY the 28th January 1845, for account of said SPANGENBERG,—

Certain Erf, situate in this Village, with a large substantial Dwelling-house erected thereon, replete with every convenience, and 2 Hire Houses.

Certain perpetual Quitrent Farm called 'Rheeboksfontein,' measuring 2088 morgen and 103 square roods, situate at Piquetberg, in the Cape Division, provided with the requisite Buildings, abundance of running water throughout the year, and being well adapted for the breeding of Horses and Cattle, having extensive Pasturage, and a garden planted with about 300 different Fruit Trees.

Further, 40 breeding Cattle, 8 Mares and 7 Foals, which are well bred, 3 Saddle Horses, among which a capital Shooting Horse, 40 Sheep and Goats, 50 muids of Wheat, 8000lbs. of Oat Sheaves, 1 Water Cask, 1 Stukvat of 6 Leaguers, 1 team of new Harness, and the Machinery of a Wind Mill, erected on the Farm of Mr. G. KOTZE at Paardenberg. Also Household Furniture, consisting in Bedsteads, Stretchers, 5 new Feather Beds, Tables, 2 dozen good Chairs, a House Clock, 2 Watches, Glass and Earthenware and Kitchen Utensils; and finally, 3 excellent Guns, 3 SHARES IN THE PROTECTEUR FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, 1 Share in the COLONIAL BANK, 5 Shares in the Malmesbury Post Wagon Company, and what further may be offered on the day of Sale.

The Conditions of Sale and the Diagrams and Deeds of Transfer may be ascertained and inspected at the Office of

H. H. LOEDOLFF.

Malmesbury, Jan. 7, 1845.

☞ The Sale will commence at 9 o'Clock precisely, and COLD REFRESHMENTS will be provided.

Mr. J. W. MOORREES, Vendue Administrator.

FOR PRIVATE SALE.

THE Undersigned will offer for private Sale, at Fransche Hoek, on MONDAY, the 20th instant,

15 BUILDING LOTS.

being parts of the Place called "LA COTTE," situate at Fransche Hoek, along the Public Road, and adjoining the Parsonage.

Said Building Lots are provided with running Water, and Pasturage; and being situated on the Public Road, near one of the Outspan-Places, they will no doubt constitute one of the best places for Trade.

J. G. HUGO.

Klein Drakenstein, Jan. 6, 1845.

3500 *Sheep and* 100 *Bullocks.*

THE Undersigned will hold a Public Sale of the above quantity of Slaughter Sheep and Cattle at the Place of Mr. J. BRYNER, Stikland, on the 30th instant. The Undersigned is well known to bring the best Cattle that no further recommendation is wanted.

F. A. KEULER.

Notice to Creditors and Debtors.

In the Intestate Estate of JOHANNA LOUISA DE VILLIERS, deceased, of Behind the Paarl.

ALL Persons claiming to be Creditors in the above-named Estate, are hereby required to file their Claims with the Undersigned, at the Office of DE VILLIERS, FORE & Co., Paarl, within six weeks from the date hereof; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to pay their Debts within the same period.

E. S. FORE, Executor Dative.

Paarl, 10th January 1845.

Notice to Creditors and Debtors.

In the Estate of CAREL PETRUS VAN DER MERWE, Deceased, of Wagonmakers Valley, and surviving Widow.

ALL Persons claiming to be Creditors in the above-named Estate, are required to send in their Claims to Mr WYNAND CHARLES DU PLESSIS, of Klein Drakenstein, within the period of six weeks from the date hereof, and those indebted to the said Estate, are requested to pay their debts within the same period.

Widow C. P. VAN DER MERWE,
born DU PLESSIS, Executrix Test.

Wagonmakers Valley, Jan. 10, 1845.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED IN TABLE BAY.

Jan. 13. *Isabella*, British bark, 587 tons, G. Johnstone, from Calcutta Nov. 3, to London. Cargo sundries. Put in for water. Dickson, Burnie & Co., Agents.

16. 2 P.M. Standing in N. W. a Ship, and S. W. a Vessel.

SAILED OUT OF TABLE BAY.

Jan. 13. *Sir Charles Napier*, British bark, J. Wright, to Bombay.

14. *John Knox*, British bark, R. B. Cleland, to London.

14. *British Queen*, British schooner, W. Evans, to Ichaboe.

15. *Thomas*, British bark, T. C. Gardiner, to Saldanha Bay.

14. *Robert Stride*, British bark, W. Spurgin, to London.

VESSELS IN TABLE BAY,

With their Commanders, Destinations, and Agents.

SHIPS.

Earl of Lonsdale, J. Pele.—Liverpool.—Borradailes & Co.
William Metcalfe, E. Phillipson.—London.—Granger & Co.

BARKS.

Augusta Jessie, J. Harvey.—London.—J. Findley.
British Empire, C. Young.—London.—W. Billingsley.
Catharine, A. Brown.—London.—Ross & Co.
Dove Cornwallis, T. Foss.—London.—Searight & Co.
Gentoo, T. Beard.—Uncertain.—Thomson & Co.
Indemnity, W. Gibson.—Uncertain.—Phillips & Co.
Isabella, G. Johnstone.—London.—Dickson & Co.
West Indian, G. Jamieson.—Ichaboe.—Thomson & Co.

BRIGS.

Adele, W. Pelham.—London.—Borradailes & Co.
Antonia, A. Dromett.—Uncertain.—Home & Co.
Bromleys, V. Knox.—Algoa Bay.—Thomson & Co.
Coquette, J. Bruce.—Uncertain.—Searight & Co.
Harmony, H. Douglas.—St. Helena.—Ross & Co.
Martha, T. Thompson.—Coast of Africa.—Borradailes & Co.
Regalia, R. Elliock.—Uncertain.—Phillips & Co.
Thomas Snook, C. Laing.—Mauritius.—Home & Co.
William Bayley, N. Tyack.—London.—Phillips & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Chanticleer, T. Challis.—Algoa Bay.—Rutherfoord & Co.
George Henry Harrison, S. Reed.—Breede River.—J. Jearey
Jane Cumming, J. Reel.—Uncertain.—B. Norden.
Princess Royal, C. S. Twyning.—China.—Granger & Co.
Rosebud, J. Murison.—Port Natal.—Ross & Co.
Sophia, J. Sillanda.—Saldanha Bay.—P. W. Silberbauer.

STEAMER.

Phœnix, E. Harrington.—Algoa Bay.—Steam Company.

DUTCH—SHIP.

Oud Nederland, B. H. Kuiper.—Dordrecht.—O. J. Truter.

BARK.

Clara Anna Maria, F. J. Bahema.—A Market.—O. J. Truter.

FRENCH—SHIP.

Telaire, E. Bastard.—Nantes.—J. Albertus.

AMERICAN—SHIP.

Moslem, N. Franks.—New York.—I. Chase.

PORTUGUESE—BRIG.

Union, J. M. da Silveira.—Lisbon.—Thomson & Co.

ARRIVED IN SIMON'S BAY.

Jan. 11. *Ann Maria*, American whaling bark, 196 tons, J. Carr, from Whaling to Fell River. Cargo 1100 barrels sperm oil. Put in to refit. Spoke Jan. 10 off Agulhas, the bark *Laurence*, for England. I. Chase, Agent.

12. H M. Brig *Helena*, 16 guns, Commander Sir C. Ricketts, from Mauritius Dec. 28, to Simon's Bay. Passenger, Mr. Percy, R.N. Brings a mail.

SAILED OUT OF SIMON'S BAY.

Jan. 13. *Harvest*, American bark, W. Brooks, to Whaling.

VESSELS IN SIMON'S BAY,

With their Commanders, Destinations, and Agents.

H.M. Frigate *Winchester*, Capt. C. Eden.—(Flag Ship.)
H.M. Brig *Helena*, Comm. Sir C. Ricketts.—

SHIP.

Manlius, J. Hodge.—London.—Dickson & Co.

AMERICAN—BARK.

Ann Maria, J. Carr.—Fall River.—I. Chase.

ARRIVED IN ALGOA BAY.

Jan. 5. *Jim Crow*, British schooner, 187 tons, G. Geere, from the Downs Oct. 17, to Algoa Bay. Cargo sundries. Passenger, Mr. Phillips. Maynards, Higgins & Co., Agents.

7. *Nina*, British bark, 425 tons, M. Eden, from Liverpool Oct. 29, to Algoa Bay, in ballast.

VESSELS IN ALGOA BAY,

With their Commanders, Destinations, and Agents.

BARKS.

Harriet, W. Duthie.—London.—J. O. Smith.
Nina, M. Eden.—Uncertain.—

BRIGS.

Apame, G. Wilson.—London.—Maynards & Co.
Daphne, J. McMillan.—London.—Heugh & Co.
Innus, R. F. Cragg.—London.—Black & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Jim Crow, G. Geere.—Uncertain.—Maynards & Co.
Rosebud, J. Winn.—Uncertain.—J. H. Clark.

MARKT PRYZEN

Tot den 16 January, 1845.

Aloe per pond		Aloes per pound	0 — 5½ St.
Amandelen. per 1.000		Almonds, per 1,000	11 — 14 Rd
Appelen. per lb.		Apples, per lb	0 — 10 St.
Abrikosen, per ditto		Apricots, ditto	6 — 12
Aardappelen per mud.		Potatoes, per maud	6½ — 8 Rd.
Azijn, per legger		Vinegar, per leag.	42 — 60
Bonnen per mud		Beans, per maud	15 — 20
Balken, per stuk		Beams, each	0 — 0
Boter, pr. lb.		Butter, per lb.	18 — 24 St.
Brandewyn, per legger		Brandy, p leag	16 — 27 Rd.
Bokkevellen		Buck Skins	2 — 2½
Drooge Ossenhuiden		Dry Ox Hides	2 — 2½
Eenden en Makouwen		Ducks & Maac. do.	3 — 4
Erwten, per mud		Peas, per maud	0 — 8
Gerst, ditto		Barley, per maud	8 — 8
Ganzen, per stuk		Geese, each	1 — 1½
Haver, per mud		Oats, per maud	6 — 8
Hooi, per 100 ponden		Hay, per 100 lbs.	3 — 4
Hoenders per stuk		Hens, each	1 — 1
Houtskolen, per zak		Charcoal, p sack	1 — 1
Honing, pr. lb.		Honey, per lb.	8½ — 20 St.
Kaasen, Kaap, per lb.		Cheese, Cape, p. lb.	8 — 12
Kalkoenen elk		Turkeys, each	0 — 8 Rd.
Kaf, per 10 zakken		Chaff, 10 sacks	37 — 54 Rd.
Kalk, schulpe, pr ½ aam		Lime, Shell, p ½-aam	0 — 0
—— Steen		—— Stone ditto	0 — 0
Koren, ——10 Mud.		Wheat, 10 muids	110 — 153½
Linzen, per mud		Lentil per maud	0 — 22 Rd.
Melien, per mud		Maize per maud	0 — 7½
Meel, fyn, per 100 lb.		Flour, fine, p. 100lb	0 — 9
Okkernoten per 100		Walnuts, per 100	0 — 64 St.
Olyphantstanden pr. pond		Elephants' Teeth, lb	0 — 64 St.
Peren, per pond		Pears, per lb.	4½ — 5 St.
Persiken, ditto		Peaches, ditto	1½ — 2
Planken, per voet		Planks per foot	0 — 0
Rogge, per mud		Rye, per maud	0 — 7 Rd.
Rozijnen, per pond		Raisins, per lb.	8½ — 4½ St.
Tabak, per pond		Tobacco, per lb.	0 — 7½ St.
Stroo, per 16 zak.		Straw, p. 16 sacks	0 — 20 Rd.
Tyger, Leeuwen & Strais Vellen, per stuk		Lion, Tiger, & Ostrich Skins	0 — 64
Uyen per mud		Onions per maud	5½ — 5½
Varkens, gemeste		Pigs, fattened, each	0 — 18
—— ongemeste		—— unfattened	0 — 6½
—— speen		—— sucking	0 — 3
Vederen, strauw, pr. stk.		Feathers, Ost. each	0 — 11 Rd.
—— Badde per lb.		—— Bed per lb.	0 — 1½ Rds
Vet, of talk, per pond.		Suet or Tallow, p. lb.	10 — 12 St.
Vygen per maal		Figs, per lb.	0 — 6
Wyn, ordinaire, per leg.		Wines, ordinary per leg.	7 0 — 55 Rds
Pontak		Pontac	0 — 0
Wol, Schaape per lb.		Cape Wool, per lb.	6 — 8½ St.
Wol, fyne, p. lb.		Wool fine, per lb.	0 — 20
Zoethoutenen per 100		Oranges, per 100	0 — 4½ Rds
Zout per maal		Salt, per maid	2½ — 3½
Zuurlemoenen per aam		Lemon Juice, p aam	0 — 8½
Zoolleder per ½ huid		Sole Leather, ½ hide	0 — 5
Zeep, per pond		Soap, p. lb.	0 — 11½ St.

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