

Sporting Intelligence.

24TH NOVEMBER, 1809.

THE COMMITTEE have the pleasure to publish for general information, the following Days

SPORT, FOR THE ENSUING Madras Races.

SATURDAY,
THE 20TH JANUARY, 1810.

The Maiden Subscription Purse of £. 100 each P. P. the best of three mile heats carrying ten stone—fifteen Subscribers.

ALSO

The Maiden Subscription Purse of £. 50 each P. P. weight for age. The best of two mile heats. Three years carrying 7. 7. Four years 8 stone, five years 8. 4. six years 8. 7. seven years and aged 9 Stone. 14 Subscribers.

WEDNESDAY,
24TH JANUARY, 1810.

The Ladies Plate of £. 100 free for all Horses, &c. give and take, 14 hands and aged carrying 9 Stone, the best of two mile heats.

ON THE SAME DAY,

His Highness the Nabob's Plate of £. 100 free for all Horses, carrying 9 Stone the best of three mile heats.

SATURDAY,
27TH JANUARY, 1810.

A Subscription of 100 Pagodas each, and 25 Pagodas entrance to be added to the Purse, free for all Horses, Mares, or Geldings carrying 8 Stone, 7 lbs. one threemile heat, the Horses to be bonafide the property of Subscribers. Six Subscribers.

The Handicap Plate of 100 £. free for all Horses the best of three mile heat.

ALSO

A Subscription Sweepstakes of 50 Pagodas each P. P. free for all Country Horses, the best of two mile heats carrying 9 Stone—two Subscribers.

The Horses to be ready for Starting at half past six, each day of running and the Trumpet will be sounded as usual for Saddling and Mounting.

All Horses to be shown, entered, aged, ascertained and measured on Monday the 15th January, at the Stand at seven o'clock in the morning; Entrance Money to be paid for all Horses, whether for Maiden, Match, Purse or Sweepstakes at the time of Entrance, or double at the Post, and any Horses Starting without the previous deposit of the Entrance money will not be entitled to the Purse, Plate, &c. The money that has been expended in repairing and improving the Course will be collected with and form a part of the Entrance money.

The usual allowance of 3lbs. will be made to Mares and Geldings entered for the public Plates.

All private Matches to be run under the direction of the Committee.

The Committee have directed Chains to be placed across the Course, to prevent trials, and riders exercising their Horses upon it.

Any Gentleman desirous of a trial is requested to apply to Mr. THOMAS BIRTLES, the keeper of the Course, who will give the necessary directions for hoisting the Flag to warn all persons and riders off the Course during the trial.

The trials to be run on the exercising Ground or outer Course, and no Horses are to be exercised or brought on the Ground until the trial is over.

The Maiden Subscriptions will close on the 1st of January, 1810, after which no Subscribers will be admitted but with the unanimous consent of the parties subscribing.

FOR SALE.
AT THE

COURIER OFFICE.

BLANK Wills.—Common Interest Bonds, Powers of Attorney.—Bills of Lading.—Respondentia Bonds, Judgement Bonds.—Pass Notes, &c. &c. and Parade Reports for Regiments of Native Infantry.

WHERE ALSO

ORDERS FOR PRINTING,

Visiting Tickets.—Cards of Invitation.—Battalion Returns, &c. &c. and all work in the Printing Line will be gratefully received, and executed with neatness and dispatch.

ALSO

Copper Plate Printing neatly struck off, and visiting Cards &c. engraved.

ADVERTISEMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all demands upon the Estate of the late Major General EDWARD COLLINS, deceased; are desired to be presented for Payment to the Administrator Lieutenant C. RUNDALL, Fort St. George, previous to the 31st December next. After which period as the Accounts of the Estate will then be finally adjusted; no demands thereon can be attended to; Those persons indebted to the Estate, who may not have paid the Amount of their respective Debts to the said Administrator prior to the period above mentioned are informed, that legal measures will be adopted for the recovery of the same.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th November, 1809

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE MANAGERS for the PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS have the pleasure of informing the SUBSCRIBERS that the FIRST BALL is fixed for Monday the 11th Instant, at the Pantheon.

MADRAS, 1st December, 1809.

MESSRS. COLT, HART and WESTON, do hereby request all Persons having any Claims on the late Co-partnership of COLT, BAKER, HART and Co. or of the preceding firms, to prefer them for payment on or before the 31st of December next: and all Persons indebted to the said Co-partnerships are desired to discharge the same without delay.

MADRAS, 2th Nov. 1809.

WANTED.

ONE thousand Candles of Northward Grey, to be delivered in the course of the ensuing season at the Distillery, near the Custom House, where farther particulars may be known by applying to Mr. WM. MAGGS, who will contract for the same.

MADRAS, 1st December, 1809.

To be sold by Public Auction,

ON THE 20TH DECEMBER NEXT,

If not previously disposed of by Private Sale.

(Situated at Vipery.)

THAT Elegant Spacious Mansion, lately occupied by Major-General COLLINS deceased; consisting of, on the Ground Floor, a Saloon, 24 feet by 15. 9 inches, Dining Room, 26 feet long by 24 feet wide, two Bed Rooms, 24 by 15 feet, three do. 16 feet square, with Closets attached, and a front Verandah, 2 feet in length by 9 feet 9 inches in breadth. The Upper Floor contains an Elegant Drawing Room, of 46 feet 6 inches in length, by 2 feet 3 inches in Width, three Bed Rooms of 14 feet square, each with two closets and a Verandah, 24 feet by 10.

The Out Houses are excellent and Commodious, and in the Garden which is well stocked with the choicest Fruit Trees, &c. there is a neat detached Bungalow. The whole of the Premises are in excellent order and surrounded by a Brick Wall. For further particulars apply to Lieutenant RUNDALL, Fort St. George.

MESSIEURS

Pepper and Co.

ANXIOUS TO CLOSE A CONCERN

ARE DISPOSING OF

**THE FOLLOWING
ARTICLES,**

AT PRIME COST,

VIZ.

LADIES and Gentlemen's Silk Hose and Gloves, Gentlemen's half Cotton Hose, five sets of fashionable Silver Patent Tin Dish Covers, Several Dirks and Hangers, and a few dozen of Honey Water.

FOR PRIVATE SALE.

By Balfour & Hogg,

A FAST Trotting Grey Arab Mare with a neat light Cane bodied Buggy, Hood Lamps &c. Complete, and a set of handsome Plated Harness Price 170 Pagodas.

A Strong Stout Chestnut Mare that goes remarkably well in a Buggy Price 70 Pagodas.

ALSO

A Handsome Cane bodied Buggy with Hood and lamps, Price 100 Pagodas.

SALES BY AUCTION.

To be Sold by Public Auction,

By Balfour & Hogg,

AT THEIR AUCTION ROOM,

ON FRIDAY next, the 8th

SALE TO COMMENCE

AT HALF PAST 10 O'CLOCK,

FORTY CASE BOTTLES

TURPENTINE,

SEVEN KEGS OF

PAINTS,

AND

**A FEW
EUROPEAN HAMPS.**

To be Sold by Public Auction,

By Balfour & Hogg,

AT THEIR AUCTION ROOM,

ON FRIDAY next, the 8th Instant,

AT 11 O'CLOCK,

(If not previously disposed of by Private Contract.)

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY LEAGUERS OF COLUMBO ARRACK, the Leaguers gauge for one hundred and twenty five to one hundred and eighty five gallons each, and will be sold one Leaguer in a lot.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER WHICH WILL BE SOLD, About fifty Chests of Stone China Ware, consisting of Dinner and Breakfast Sets.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

By Balfour & Hogg,

A FINE TONED

PIANO FORTE,

WITH ADDITIONAL KEYS.

By Broadwood & Son,

PRICE 160 PAGAS.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

By Balfour & Hogg,

A CAPITAL

VIOLINCE NO.

PRICE 45 PAGAS.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

By Balfour and Hogg,

A HAND

WELL FINISHED

Light Palquin,

PRICE 80 PAGAS.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

By Balfour and Hogg,

EXCELLENT

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BOOKS

MORROW.

several sets of valuable sale To-

Catalogues may be had from 10-morrow

morning.

SALES BY AUCTION.

To be Sold by Public Auction,

By Ashton & Meppen,

AT THEIR ROOM,

FACING THE ESPLANADE,

ON FRIDAY next, the 8th Instant,

SALE TO COMMENCE,

AT 1 O'CLOCK,

**THE FOLLOWING
ARTICLES.**

AN Invoice of Youths, Boys and Girl's Hats, the remainder of the Glass Ware, as advertised in the last paper, 10 Kegs of Pearl Barley, in excellent order, 4 Kegs of Canary Seed, perfectly fresh, 2 Kegs of Rand Seed, and a few canical Caricaes.

Several Horses and Cattle will be sold the same day.

The particulars of which will be mentioned in Hand Bills.

N. B. As Many Gentlemen have expressed that they find it inconvenient to wait for the Sale of Horses and Conveyances till the usual hour of putting them up, which is in general at 1 o'clock, ASHTON & MEPPEN, in future intend commencing their sale with them, AT 11 O'CLOCK.

**THREE LEAGUERS
OF
BATAVI ARRACK.**

Batavi Arrack.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

Ashton and Meppen,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED
THE FOLLOWING

ARTICLES,

WHICH WILL BE SOLD
VERY REASONABLE,

FOR REAL MONEY.

BENGAL TABLE CLOTHS, of the following dimensions, ten Cubits by seven and a half—7 do. by five and a half, 5 do. by 4 and a half; also a few pieces of Worked Muslin for Gowns, of beautiful patterns, and a few dozen of Bengal Napkins.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

Ashton and Meppen,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,

TWO BOXES

OF

Borradaile's Hats,

THEY ARE

OF AN EXCEEDING

GOOD QUALITY,

AND IN EXCELLENT SHAPE,

AND WILL BE SOLD,

VERY REASONABLE.

Ashton and Meppen,

HAVE ALSO RECEIVED

A GOOD COLLECTION

OF NEW

BOOKS,

WHICH WILL BE SOLD

**H BENEATH
THE USUAL PRICE.**

To be Sold by Public Auction,

er and Co.

ON FRIDAY, the 7th Instant,

AT 10 O'CLOCK,

THE HIGHEST BIDDER,

TO CLOSE A CONCERN,

THE principal Articles are an assortment of handsome Cut and Plain Glass Ware, a large quantity of China Ware, and variety of other Articles, the particulars of which will be inserted in the Hand Bills.

MADRAS: PRINTED BY M. KELLY, NEXT DOOR TO THE TOWN MAJOR'S HOUSE IN THE FORT.

*. It is requested that those SUBSCRIBERS to the COURIER who are occasionally changing their Residence, will give early notice of the place to which they remove to the PRINTER who will pay attention to their order and any SUBSCRIBERS at the Presidency to whom the Papers may not deliver the Paper in proper time, are requested to give information of the same in order that this irregularity may be prevented in future.

We the undersigned, Grand Seneschal Marshal and States, &c. of Sweden, do hereby make known, for ourselves, and in our capacity as deputies of our fellow citizens, lawfully elected and empowered, that in consequence of a meeting of the States, which have been called by His Royal Highness Charles, Hereditary Prince of Sweden, D. of Sudermania, &c. Regent of Sweden, we have been convinced, by our own experience, as well as by explanation communicated to us in this place, of the calamitous state of the Kingdom, both with regard to its domestic concern, and its relations with foreign powers. We have found, with the deepest concern, that the peaceful situation in which our country was placed, with respect to all foreign arts and powers, was destroyed by His Majesty Gustavus Adolphus. A war commenced and carried on several years, which was not occasioned by reasons connected with the interests of Sweden, which might have been easily avoided, which have been terminated without making any sacrifices; and which led to the most disastrous results; that the former prosperous condition of the Kingdom was thereby converted into universal misery and distress; agriculture was deprived of the necessary arms to cultivate the ground, and the mines fell into decay; that the State was burdened with debts, amounting to several millions, and the subjects with oppressive taxes; that the military forces of the country, partly raised by illegal means, were sacrificed, without necessity or benefit to the State; that the German dominion, and soon after a valuable third part of Sweden, the Duchy of Finland, were lost in an unequal conflict with an enemy far superior in force; that, notwithstanding such severe misfortunes, and unquestionable proof of the dissolution of the empire, the King obstinately refused to enter into any negotiations of peace, or any agreement with a power possessed of a decisive influence over the fate of the Continent; that the whole country was thus exposed to the most imminent danger of utter destruction; and lastly, that the King made an arbitrary attempt, not warranted by law, against the Bank of the States, the sacred property of the whole nation. Considering all those painful circumstances, and being deeply impressed with a lively sense of our duty to save our native land, assert our national independence, and guard our safety both public and private, we have unanimously determined that the compact between the King and subjects is irrevocably dissolved, and that he has violated his oath and sacred duty. We have farther taken into consideration, that as the public welfare is and ought to be our supreme law, and that this imperiously demands the government of a King who has attained his full age, and that the present calamities of our country might in future times easily be renewed, under the influence of sentiments and principles inherited or impressed upon the mind by parental authority and the powerful suggestions of kindred;—we have, on the most momentous grounds, taken the solemn and irrevocable step of abdication, and have resigned the crown into the hands of His Majesty; and this day of the Diet, we have unanimously pronounced the following conclusion:

We hereby declare, that Gustavus Adolphus, who was hitherto our King and Lord, &c. has forfeited the Crown not only for his issue, but for ever excluded the Government of Sweden.

BY THE STATES, &c.

May, in the year 1719, and 1720.

DEATH.—On the 14th of May, the Right R. and Right Honorable Beilby Porteus, Lord Bishop of London, &c. &c. in the 78th year of his age, a truly pious and learned Divine