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THE COURIER.

CALCUTTA GAZETTE,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1811.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1811.

At Tomorrow Wednesday, being CHRISTMAS-DAY, Divine Service will be performed at St. Mary's Church, as usual. The Sacrament will be administered and Collections made in aid of the different charities.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Port St. George, December 6, 1811.

The Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. S. Tate, Gentleman Cadet, to be an Ensign of Infantry, date of rank to be fixed hereafter.

DECEMBER 10, 1811.

Ensign Stewart of the Volunteer Battalion and Ensign Noble of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Sea, for the recovery of their health.

The Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. C. B. Dent, Paymaster at Vellore, to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for three months.

By order of the Honourable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) G. STACHEY, Sec. to Govt.
(Signed) P. N. BALMAIN,
Act. Adm. Gen. of the Army.

On Monday the 10th instant, arrived the Sloop Chesapeake, from Bengal the last, and Vizagapatam the 10th instant.

Arrived on Tuesday last, with Troops, the Ship Friendship, Captain Thomas Howell, from Batavia the 30th September, and Penang the 12th November.

MADRAS.

BIRTHS—At Jambiah, on the 4th instant, the Lady of Lieutenant C. O. Fairbairn, of a Son.
At the Presidency, on the 20th instant, the Lady of Quarter Master Wm. Henry, of H. M. 6th Regiment, of a Daughter.

DEATH—At Madras, on the 1st December, after an illness of only ten days, Lieutenant A. T. Trevelyan, 1st Battalion 14th Regt. N. I., the premature death of this Gentleman arose from a locked jaw brought on by the fracture of his right leg, in leaping out from a Bandy ship at speed and the helm broken—he was a good Officer, and was much esteemed by those who knew him.

BENGAL.

MARRIAGES—At Serampore on Tuesday, the 12th November, by the Rev. D. Brown, Mr. C. C. Aratoon, to Miss M. Mackintosh.

On Sunday morning last, by the Rev. Dr. Ward, Mr. John Evans, to Miss Mary Ann Moore.

At Alahan, on Thursday, the 4th July last, in Saint Lawrence's Church, Mr. M. Vandenberg, to Miss R. Laurence.

BIRTHS—On Saturday last, at Alden, the Lady of the Reverend C. Brown, of a Daughter.

On Thursday last, the Lady of Mr. M. Thomas, Esq. of a Daughter.

Same day, Mrs. R. Allan, of a Son.

At Purneah, on the 7th inst. the Lady of R. Barnes, Esq. of a Son.

On Saturday last, the 30th ult. the Lady of A. G. J. Tod, Esq. of a Daughter.

DEATHS—On Saturday last, Peter Spike, Esq. Acting President of the Board of Trade, and President of the Marine Board, one of the oldest and most respected Members of the Civil Service on this Establishment, and for many years a Member of the Supreme Council of Bengal, died of a violent illness, corresponding with the age of the deceased, was first seized on Sunday morning from the Ramparts of Fort William, while his remains were attended to the grave by a numerous and respectable body of friends.

On Sunday the 24th ult. Mr. E. P. Armstrong, Surgeon of the Ship Preston.

On Wednesday weeknight, Mr. John Emel.

Same day, Miss Elizabeth Scott, aged 6 years.

General Order, by the Right Honourable the Governor General.

PORT WILLIAM, Nov. 30, 1811.

In consequence of the decease of the late Peter Spike, Esq. by which melancholy event, the Honorable Company have lost a servant of highly distinguished merit, who has filled the most eminent situations under this Presidency, the Right Honourable the Governor General as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, is pleased to direct, that minute-guns, corresponding with his age (56 years) be fired from the Ramparts of Fort William at sunrise to-morrow.

The Flag to be hoisted half-mast, while the guns are firing.

Accounts were received in town on Saturday of the arrival in the river of the Transports Whitburn, Captain W. Friend, from Batavia, the 16th October; and the Thorne, Captain J. Savage, from ditto, the 21st October, and Malacca, the 30th ditto.

The following Officers have returned on these Ships from Java.

PER WHIRLWIND—Colonel George Wood, Captain Smith, Engineers, Captain Faithful, Artillery, Captain Brown, 6th Volunteer Battalion, Lieutenant Faithful, Surgeon, Captain J. Williams, 3d Volunteer Battalion, Mr. Parker, Assistant Surgeon, H. M. 14th Regiment.

PER BOSCH—Captain G. H. Gall, Body Guard, Lieutenant Fielding, ditto, Mr. G. Biddle, Assistant Surgeon, ditto, Mr. A. Stewart, ditto, Lieutenant G. M. Donald, 21st Regiment, Mr. Dent.

The Honourable Company's Ships Lord Eldon and Bataavia, and the several transports engaged on the late Expedition, sailed from Java on their return to India in October.

Commodore Broughton in the Illustrious, had sailed from Batavia, for Bombay.

On Monday evening, Major General Eden, Captain in the 1st Regiment of Foot Guards, embarked at Batavia on board the Cornwall transport, Captain Henderson, and sailed for Bengal, on the 10th of October. The Cornwall touched at Prince of Wales Island, and thence on the 5th ultimo, and arrived at Sangor Roads on Sunday last, when General Eden quitted the Ship and made the best of his way to town, accompanied with the French General Jauchet, a prisoner of war on parole.

Major Caldwell, of Artillery; Lieutenants Badesley, Elliot, Carr, Ellis, and Morrison, and two hundred and eighty Volunteer Sepoys, have returned to Bengal with the Cornwall.

BENGAL HURKAR.

SATURDAY, DEC. 7, 1811.

SECOND HALF YEARLY SESSIONS.

On Wednesday the second sessions of the Court of Sessions and General Civil Delivery commenced, before the Honourable Sir Henry Knollys, knight, chief justice, the Honourable Sir John Knollys and Sir William Harcourt, knight, justice judges, when the following Gentlemen were sworn of the Grand Jury, viz.

H. C. PLOWDEN, Esq. Foreman.
Alexander Wright, George Ward, John Dooling, John Trotter, Esq. Philip Cole, Stephen Lappinmudge, George Crutenden, Frederick Vassell, James M'Taggart, Dougal Campbell, George Abbott.

Sir W. Burroughs, in a very able speech of some length, remarked on the several cases, and lamented the frequent recurrence of the crime of murder in calendars of the Court.

The Grand Jury returned a true bill against Peter Hudson, a Matross of Artillery, for an assault, with intent to murder William Williams, of the same corps. There was a second count for a common assault. The prisoner pleaded not guilty.

William Williams deposed that, being on duty in the artillery guard room, on the night of 16th Nov last, about midnight, when lying in bed, he was suddenly awakened by the assault of the prisoner, who wounded him in four places with a fixed bayonet.

Robert Young of the same corps, also in confinement in the artillery guard, saw the assault and seeing the prisoner in the act, disarmed him; Peter Hudson the prisoner, expressed no repentance at what he had done or did he assign any cause of provocation—shortly after he was again committed to the guard—two or three more—Witness deposed that he had been acquainted with the prisoner two years, had always been friendly terms with him—he knew no witness having committed the act—he said that day he, the witness had on one occasion denied him permission to leave the guard-room.

The Counsel for the prisoner put several questions to the witness as to the state of prisoner's health for some time previous to the assault—Williams in his replies made it appear, that the Prisoner had been ill of a fever, and attended by the Surgeon of the corps—he was not aware of any mental derangement—the prisoner, he said was a man of a weak constitution.

Robert Young, a material witness, above alluded, being sick in the hospital, could not attend.

The next witness, Alexander Smith, clearly corroborated the first part of the testimony of Williams, and then, in answer to the questions by Robert Young—he deposed also, that the prisoner expressed his regret at being prevented completing the intention adding, "I wish I could kill two or three others, mentioning the names of Campbell and Chapman?" The Witness spoke in high terms of the prisoner's general character, and mentioned his having distinguished himself on active service, he knew of no illness or indisposition that had afflicted the prisoner, who at the time the assault, was under sentence of a court-martial, and the following day received 300 lashes.

No other evidence was called—the prisoner alleged nothing in defence, but exclaimed that the witnesses were forewarned.

Mr. Hemming addressed the Jury in behalf the prisoner, observing that it was not possible to attribute the conduct of the prisoner to any other cause than a temporary mental derangement arising from the violence of fever.

Sir John Ridsdale recapitulated the evidence, and the Jury without quitting the Court, returned a verdict—GUILTY.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6.

James Brannon was indicted for the wilful murder of William Clarke, by shooting him with a pistol in the left breast, at Meerut, on the 14th of September last.

The prisoner when arraigned, denied his name as stated in the indictment, he informed the Court, it was Brannon, and not Brannon; this assertion was disproved by his own signature, and the Court informed him that it could have been a valid objection, his person being identified, and the name so nearly resembling in sound.

The first witness produced was Sergeant James Hughes, of the Horse Artillery, to whom the prisoner instantly objected in the most clamorous and indecent manner, insisting, that the records of the Town Major's office be produced to show, that he was a dog, or such unworthy of credit—the learned Judge informed him the just grounds of objection to evidence in criminal trials, none of which existed in this case. The defence was allowed to state, that he knew the deceased, who was a Sergeant in the same corps and troop of the Horse Artillery with himself, that he saw him taken up at 8 o'clock on the 14th of September, the witness was Sergeant of the corps, that while he was in the guard-room, soon after he heard the report of a pistol and saw a man, who he supposed to be the prisoner, immediately ran out and found the deceased lying on his back with a wound on his left breast and a spark of fire on his right—he addressed the deceased by name, the deceased groaned and expired—the sergeant-major of the corps ordered the body to be brought into the guard-room, he placed the body on a cot in the guard-room, and returned to the spot from whence the body had been brought; he saw the sergeant-major examine a pistol he had taken up—the barrel and pan were damp and

found—it appeared the pistol had been just fired off—he knew the pistol belonged to Owen, a private in the deponent's troop—it was marked A 46—the pistol being produced, in Court, the deponent said, "I believe it mine," and returned with the body in the custody of a sentry during the night.

Brannon was at this time a prisoner in the guard under sentence of Court-Martial. The deponent saw the prisoner, Brannon, that evening standing by the dead body, and saw him again the next morning about 8 o'clock, lying on a small cot in the guard. The riding-master called me out, I went into the guard, when the prisoner, Brannon, without any promises or threats, made a confession. He said, "I am the man that shot Clarke;" to which, the deponent said, "In the name of God, what made you do that." He answered, "Liquor and persuasion." "Had Clarke and you any words?" He replied "no;" "were you drinking last night?" he cried, "I was," and then related how he obtained the liquor. The deponent asked the prisoner who were the men who persuaded him to murder Clarke; he said, "The prisoner, Brannon, who was the man who shot Clarke." He said, "I shot Clarke in his room and rid the corps of a villain."

The prisoner said, he put the pistol down on his cot, and went to his own barrack, where he saw Gilbey coming along the verandah of the barrack with a tea cup in his hand—Gilbey went with him towards the guard, and on the road, gave him the liquor to drink, saying, "Drink it and complete the job you have undertaken;" either shoot Clarke or Sergeant Major Burke, he rather chose Clarke, for Burke has been a good man, but is become bad through Clarke's persuasion. I will hang about the guard, till the job is done, and then I shall be free." The prisoner then went and took up the pistol, and standing in the verandah of the barrack, he saw Clarke at the distance of fifty or sixty yards, come out of his own barrack, to cross over to the privy. He went out and met him nearly thirty yards from the guard, and there shot him. He believed, he saw within three or four yards of the deceased, that the discharge forced the pistol out of his hand. He had no time to take it up—left it lying. He further related to the deponent, that on returning to the guard, Gilbey came to him, and said, "Well done, Brown, you have done the job completely; so long as you are in this guard, you shall neither want liquor nor any thing else; the murder will not be suspected, you shall not be flogged; you should go down to the country, you shall want nothing, if I should go with you; and if I don't go, I will give you plenty of money; my brother told you, you have rid the corps of a villain." The deponent said, he went and reported the circumstances to Lieutenant Playfair and Captain Frith; that no one was suspected, the prisoner made the confession; that the prisoner gave up no reason why he had made the confession, which greatly surprised the witness; the witness cannot read nor write, but knows the troop-mark on the pistol, A. No. 46.

On being asked how it was possible that a man in confinement could quit the guard-room, the deponent said, that the building was not a regular barrack, but consisted of four rooms, with many doors and windows, and that there was only one centinel. This witness does not know that any other persons were expected, previous to Brannon's confession; that he was well acquainted with the prisoner, & had always been in good terms with him.

Sergeant Major John Burke, deposes that he died with the deceased at his apartment on the 13th of September, between seven or eight o'clock, and was going to his own quarters two minutes after he heard the report of the pistol, and turned back; some one called out "Sergeant Clarke is shot,"—here Sergeant Major is the pistol?"—he took it up, and examined the

NIGHT HONORABLE ROBERT BLAIR,
Late Lord President of the College of Justice.

We have been favoured with the following account of the unanimous Resolutions and proceedings of the Faculty of Advocates, since the decease of the Lord President became known to that most respectable Body:—

“May 21, 1811, 10 o'clock, A. M.
“The Dean, presiding.
“The Dean stated to the Meeting that they could not fail to be already apprised of the death of the Lord President of the College of Justice on the preceding day; that in consequence of this melancholy event he had called them thus suddenly together, on the suggestion of several Members, who agreed with him in thinking that the Faculty ought not to lose a moment in resolving to show their deep feeling of this public calamity, and their profound respect for the memory of the deceased, in whatever manner might be thought best suited to the occasion.”

“On the motion of the Honorable Henry Erskine, seconded by Mr. John Clerk, it was resolved, That the Dean, accompanied by a few Members, shall immediately wait on the Lords, and lay before their Lordships the respectful petition of the Faculty of Advocates, in which, as a tribute to the general feeling, the Court should adjourn its Meeting for one day, without proceeding to the dispatch for its ordinary business.”

“Resolved, That immediately after the adjournment of the Court, this day, the Faculty shall meet again for the purpose of considering what further measures ought to be adopted on the present occasion.”

“Ereben die, 11 o'clock, A. M.

“The Dean presiding.
“The Dean reported to the Meeting, that, agreeably to their instruction, he had waited on the Lords; that with the concurrence of their Lordships, he had advanced, from his place at the Bar, expressed the opinion and wish of the Faculty in the manner they had directed, and an adjournment had accordingly taken place.”

“On the motion of the Honorable Henry Erskine, seconded by Mr. John Clerk, it was resolved, that, under the deepest impressions of grief on account of the calamitous event, which has deprived the country of a judge, whose talents and virtues cast a lustre on the Bar, which he presided, the members of the Faculty are desirous of testifying their veneration for the memory of the Lord President of the College of Justice, by attending his funeral in a body; and they request that the Dean, with his Council, will make such arrangements for that purpose as they may see fit; and further, it was resolved, that, immediately after the ceremony of interment, be reassembled, for the purpose of considering what further measures should be adopted for revivifying their admiration and esteem of that distinguished person, whose loss they now deplore.”

The Faculty again assembled upon Saturday last, in order to consider what further measures they should adopt for testifying their veneration for the memory of the late Lord President. On this occasion, we have been informed, John Clerk, Esq. introduced the subject to their attention in a speech to the following purport, and which, we are confident, our readers will consider as a tribute no less honorable to the memory of the deceased character, whose loss is so universally deplored, as to the feelings and ability of the gentleman by whom it was spoken:—

“I rise (said Mr. Clerk) for the purpose of submitting to the Faculty a proposal on the business for this Meeting is convened. In doing so, I shall not attempt to describe the feelings with which I am impressed. The love, the veneration, the admiration, which a rare assemblage of talents & of virtues were calculated to inspire—grief and regret for the loss of our most worthy President, are sentiments in which all who now hear me must be united. I have also the peculiar feelings necessarily occasioned by an acquaintance of thirty years, and the intercourse of private friendship with that excellent person. Were I to give way to these, I know not in what manner I could express, that

“We wish to give more farther and public testimony of our respect for the memory of the late Lord President. Sir we ought to raise a lasting monument of his character, for his character; a memorial to be transmitted to posterity of his name and his virtues. This being our object, it seems to me that the mark of respect best suited to the character and dignity of this distinguished man, is that which has generally been thought the highest tribute to be bestowed, that we should place his statue in the Hall of Justice. It is impossible to preserve to future ages. We owe this tribute of honour to the memory of unrivalled merit, and duty to ourselves, to the public, and to posterity, requires that it should be paid. Our predecessors have set us the example in raising the statue of a former President, and I have always thought it an obligation conferred on their posterity. I think it is impossible to look upon the statue of Lord President Forbes without being elevated by the contemplation

and by the recollections it occasions; nor did any one ever think it a mark of honour and respect unsuitable to his character. If our predecessors had done, and feel the value of what they have left us, it is incumbent on us to leave to those who shall come after us a monument, no less honourable to the dispenser of our veneration for his talents and virtues, which we revered when living, and lamented when withdrawn.”

Mr. Clerk then moved, that a Committee should be appointed to consider the business, and to report upon primum.

The motion was seconded by the Lord Advocate, in a short but very feeling and appropriate speech, and was, in like manner, supported by the Honorable Henry Erskine, in terms at once expressive of his own attachment to the person, and veneration for the memory of the deceased.

The motion was then unanimously adopted.

An afflicting detail has been laid on the table of the House of Commons, in consequence of the humane endeavours of Sir Samuel Romilly to modify our Penal Laws. It is a return of the number of commitments for trial in the years 1805-7-8, and 1809, distinguishing the Crimes, the Convictions, and the Sentences.”

In London and Middlesex alone, it appears, that the number were—

	Committed.	Indicted.	Convicted.
1805	2052	581	558
1807	2087	592	524
1809	1673	413	413
1801	1110	1074	810
1809	1222	1157	750

In this melancholy tale the gradual increase of crimes and convictions for the last three years is very remarkable; and we fear that this may be traced to the pressure of the times, for we observe that it is not the best of felicity that the increase of crimes is chiefly to be found.

To give an idea of the number of Commitments, Trials and Convictions for England, we subjoin the return for the year 1809:—

	Committed.	Indicted.	Convicted.	Executed.
Homicide	328	232	205	17
Capital do.	228	202	174	14
Western do.	307	233	195	4
Central do.	223	214	184	4
North do.	112	119	79	2
Northern do.	108	98	42	—
North Wales do.	10	10	5	—
Brecon do.	18	15	4	—
Lancashire do.	103	60	25	11
Dorset do.	8	4	2	—
London and Middlesex	1244	1157	750	7
	2740	2081	1217	50

The Country Courts Sessions afford a striking difference in the taste for petty thefts. In Kent the poor steal peas and King's stores—in Norfolk and in Sussex, fowls. In some other counties they steal every thing.

From the LONDON GAZETTE.

TUESDAY, JUNE 15.

WAR-OFFICE, JUNE 15.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Major St. George French to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Captain Henry William Davenport to be Major, vice French.

10th Regiment Light Dragoons—Henry Marquis of Worcester to be colonel, by purchase vice Mountgarret, promoted.

31 Regiment of Foot—Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Torres, from the 69th Foot, to be Captain of a company, without purchase, vice West, appointed to the 7th Veteran Battalion.

5th Ditto—Major John Grey, from half-pay of the Argyllshire Fencibles, to be Major, vice Balthour, who exchanges.

11th Regiment of Foot—Colonel Charles Griffiths, from half-pay of the Ancient Irish Fencibles, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Forster, who exchanges.

35th Ditto—Major George Berkeley, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Captain—M. Alister to be Major, vice Berkeley.

40th Ditto—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Thornton to be Lieutenant-Colonel without purchase.

47th Ditto—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Cumming to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

40th Ditto—Brevet Colonel John Vincent to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Brevet Major Adam Ormsby to be Major, vice Vincent.

60th Ditto—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Hill to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Captain T. D. Campbell to be Major, vice Hill.

58th Ditto—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Buckland to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Captain Jeffery Piercy to be Major, vice Buckland.

61st Ditto—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel R. James Coghlan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Captain John Chesham to be Major, vice Coghlan.

62d Ditto—Lieutenant Colonel Nathaniel Blackwell, from the 4th West India Regiment to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

60th Ditto—Major Charles Nicol to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

Capt. H. V. Graham, from the 26th foot to be Major, vice Nicol.

4th West. India Regiment—Colonel David Ximenes, from the 63d Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel without purchase, vice Blackwell, appointed to the 63d Foot.

Royal Corsican Rangers—Major W. Tuyl, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

7th Royal Veteran Battalion—Lieutenant Colonel Charles Augustus West, from the 3d Foot Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Cooke, placed on the Retired List.

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THE CREDITORS of Messrs. HARRINGTON and Co. are hereby informed that they have assigned over and conveyed the whole of their Estate and Effects to JAMES STRANGE, ANDREW SCOTT, and GEORGE ARBUTHNOT, Expires, in Trust for their Creditors at large, and the said Trustees, having taken charge of the same, request a Meeting of the Creditors, and Representatives of absent Creditors, at the Office of Messrs. HARRINGTON and Co. in the Black-Town, on Thursday next, the 26th Instant, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon, to take into consideration the state of their Affairs, and to adopt such measures as the Creditors may deem advisable for the effectual and speedy collection and distribution of the Estate.

Madras, December the 31st, 1811.

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Robert Gordon,

RETURNS his sincere thanks to the Public in general, for the liberal support he has experienced for years, and begs to give Notice, that he will on the first January next, add to JAMES ALLAN and JOHN MAIR, Partners in his business, which will be conducted from that date under the firm of

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Fort St. George, December 18, 1811.

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FRASER, NORRIS and REID.

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Madras, December 20, 1811

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der, Pomatum, Folio-paper and Letter Paper,

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rents, Pearl Bead, Gunpowder, Bird Seed,

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