

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 173.—It is hereby notified that the following Sale of Pine Trees and Board-leaved Trees growing on Crown Land at Tytam Tuk will take place by Public Auction at the Office of the Superintendent, Botanical and Forestry Department, by order of His Excellency the Governor, on Tuesday, 1st July, 1913, at 3 p.m.:—

All that forest standing within the 60 feet and 125 feet contours and within the proposed new reservoir area at Tytam Tuk comprising in all about 57 acres, more or less.

The upset price will be \$1,995 and the highest bidder above the upset price shall be the purchaser.

All trees, shrubs, etc., must be cut down and removed by the purchaser, at his own cost, before the 31st December, 1913.

The purchaser will not be allowed to take up the roots of trees or shrubs.

The natural surface of the ground must not be disturbed any more than is actually necessary for the performance of the work.

Persons wishing to inspect the above forest should notify the Superintendent, Botanical and Forestry Department, who will arrange for an officer to have the area pointed out.

No. S. 174.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted against Hongkong.

Place or Port.	Nature of Measures.	Date.	Reference to Government Notification.
Singapore.	Hongkong declared an infected port on account of Small-pox.	4th April, 1913.	No. S. 85
Orissa.	Plague Regulations imposed in Orissa Ports against arrivals from Hongkong.	18th April, 1913.	No. S. 110.
Burmah.	Hongkong declared a Plague-infected port.	18th April, 1913.	No. S. 111.
Chittagong.	Regulations for the prevention of the introduction of Plague by sea enforced against arrivals from Hongkong.	18th April, 1913.	No. S. 112.
Netherlands-India.	Hongkong declared an infected port. Importation of the following articles from Hongkong or transshipped at this port is temporarily prohibited :—(1) wearing apparel, old and worn clothes, household effects for daily use, used bedding, unless these goods are transported as personal luggage or in consequence of removal. (2) rags. Refuse of new goods coming direct from the weaving-mills, from workshops where apparel is made or from bleaching-establishments, artificial wool, and cuttings of new paper, are not considered as rags. Quarantine up to 21 days according to the state of health on board the ships but subject to exemption on production of certificates legalised by the Netherlands Consul General at Hongkong.	23rd May, 1913.	No. S. 147.

No. S. 175.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted by Hongkong.

Disease.	Port or Place.	Restrictions in Force.	Authority.
Small-pox.	Hoihow.	Medical examination ; quarantine at the discretion of the Health Officer.	Proclamation No. 1 dated 3rd January, 1913.
Plague.	Pakhoi.	Do.	Proclamation No. 4 dated 28th February, 1913.

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13th June, 1913.