

HARBOUR MASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 281.—It is hereby notified that information has been received from the Military Authorities that Gun Practice will be carried out as under :—

<i>Date.</i> 1919.	<i>Work.</i>	<i>Direction.</i>	<i>Between hours of</i>
6th, 7th, 8th, 9th & 10th Oct.	Stonecutters	W.	8 a.m. and 12 Noon.
	Pakshawan	N.E.	”

All junks, ships, and other vessels are to keep clear of the ranges.

BASIL TAYLOUR, Captain, R.N.,
Harbour Master, &c.

3rd October, 1919.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 282.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate, which should be clearly marked “Tender for the supply and delivery of Stores”, will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Tuesday, the 21st day of October, 1919, for the supply and delivery of the following Stores required by Government Departments during the year 1920 :—

- Ironmongery, Household and Sanitary Utensils, Brushes, Tools, Lamps, etc.
- Asbestos, Rubber, Leather, Packings, Ropes, etc.
- Clothing, Drapery, Haberdashery, etc.
- Bamboo and Cane Goods, Firewood, etc.
- Drysalteries, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, etc.
- Lubricating Oils.
- Kerosene and Motor Spirit.
- Electrical Stores.
- Wrought Iron Pipes and Fittings, Brass Taps, etc.
- Iron and Steel Bars, Plates, Angles, Brass, Copper, and other Metals.
- Iron and Brass Castings, Manufactured Ironwork, etc.
- Timber.
- Bricks, Cement, Lime, etc.

Each of the above is a separate and distinct tender. Tenderers may quote for any one or more or all of the above lists, and any one or more or all may be accepted or rejected in whole or in part by the Government.

Each Tenderer must produce with each tender a receipt that he has deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum named on the respective tender form as a pledge of the *bonâ fides* of his tender, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown should the Tenderer refuse or fail to carry out, to the satisfaction of the Government, the whole or any portion of the respective tender or tenders which may be accepted. The deposit will be returned to any Tenderer whose tender is not accepted.

For forms of tender and further particulars apply at this Office.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

No. S. 283.—It is hereby notified that the following Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction will be held at the Offices of the Public Works Department on Monday, the 20th day of October, 1919, at 3 p.m.

Full Particulars and Conditions may be obtained at this Office.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.				Contents in sq. ft.	Annual Rent.	Upset Price.
			N.	S.	E.	W.			
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1388.	South of Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1259, Coronation Road.	feet. 130	feet. 130	feet. 130	feet. 130	16,900	\$ 232	\$ 13,520

The Purchaser of the Lot will also have to pay the sum of \$25 for boundary stones and \$30 for the Crown Lease.

No. S. 284.—The following description and terms of the proposed lease of certain Crown Land at Hok Un, Kowloon, East of Kowloon Marine Lots Nos. 52, 53 and 67, comprising portions of the Foreshore and Sea Bed, are published under the provisions of the Foreshores and Sea Bed Ordinance, 1901.

DESCRIPTION OF THE LOTS PROPOSED TO BE LEASED.

As shewn on plan signed by the Director of Public Works, which can be seen at the Office of the Public Works Department.

PROPOSED TERMS OF THE SALE AND CROWN LEASE.

1. In consideration of the terms agreed upon and upon completion of the reclamation of the Lots to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works, it is proposed to grant a Crown Lease of the whole of the area edged red on the said plan and having an area of about 138,150 square feet for the term of 75 years, (renewable on the usual terms) commencing from 25th September, 1899.

2. The lease will be subject to and contain all Exceptions, Reservations, Covenants, Clauses, and Conditions usually inserted in the Crown Leases of Marine Lots in the Colony of Hongkong; the lease will also specify the purposes for which the land is leased (*i.e.*, whether for the purpose of reclamation, building dwelling houses, factories, or godowns for the storing of coal or other goods, or whether for any other purpose) and shall contain a provision that in the event of the lessees, their executors, administrators, and assigns, or successors and assigns (as the case may be) failing, at any time during the continuance of the term of the said lease, to use the demised land for the purpose so specified as aforesaid, without the previous licence or consent of His Majesty, His Heirs, Successors or Assigns, signified in writing by the Governor, then it shall be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs, Successors or Assigns, by the Governor or by any Officer authorized by him in writing, to re-enter on the land, foreshore, and sea bed included in and demised by such lease or any portion thereof in the name of the whole, and thereupon the same shall be forfeited to and vest in the Crown; the lease will also contain in particular a reservation to the Crown of all mines and minerals under the demised land. The lease will also contain a proviso that the lessees are to have the option of renewing the lease for a further period on the usual terms.

3. The lessees of the Lots will also have to pay the sum of \$6.25 for each new boundary stone required to define the re-adjusted Lot, and \$30 for the Crown Lease.

No. S. 285.—Notice is hereby given under Section 3 of the Foreshores and Sea Bed Ordinance, 1901, that all persons having any objections to the granting of the lease as above described must send in particulars of their objections in writing to the Colonial Secretary before the expiration of a period of one month from the 3rd day of October, 1919, and all such objections will be considered by the Governor in Council.