

No. S. 113.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tenders for Metalling and tar painting hilly portion of Lai Chi Kok - Castle Peak and Taipo Roads", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Monday, the 12th day of May, 1924, for metalling and tar painting main portions of the Castle Peak and Taipo Roads.

No work will be permitted on Sundays.

For Form of tender, specification and further particulars apply at this Office.

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

No. S. 114.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for Shaukiwan Road Improvement near Eastern Gate of Taikoo Dockyard", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Monday, the 12th day of May, 1924, for improving the Shaukiwan Road near Eastern Gate of Taikoo Dockyard.

No work will be permitted on Sundays.

For Form of tender, specification and further particulars apply at this Office.

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

HAROLD T. CREASY,
Director of Public Works.

25th April, 1924.

No. S. 115.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following telegram has been received from H.B.M. Consul-General, Manila :—

"My letter 8th March, Regulation requiring Vessels to call at Mariveles revoked and inspection will be made outside Manila harbour effective 20th April. Third class passengers and new crew still must comply with the vaccination requirements."

Lieut.-Comdr. CONWAY HAKE, R.N.R.,
Harbour Master, &c.

HARBOUR MASTER'S DEPARTMENT,
HONGKONG, 17th April, 1924.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO MARINERS, No. 701.

CHINA.

NANKING DISTRICT—YANGTZE RIVER.

Chinkiang to Nanking—New Chart Published.

The following Chinese Admiralty Chart is now on sale at the Coast Inspector's Office, Custom House, Shanghai :—

No. 148.—Yangtze River: Shiherhwei to Tienhokou. Price \$2.

The following recently published Chinese Admiralty Charts are also on sale :—

- No. 149.—Yangtze River : Tienhokou to Nanking. Price \$2.
 No. 150.—Yangtze River : Nanking to Chitoushan. Price \$2.
 No. 151.—Yangtze River : Chitoushan to Huangchow Hsintan. Price \$2.

This Notice is issued at the request of the Hydrographic Department of the Chinese Navy.

T. J. ELDRIDGE,
Coast Inspector.

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS,
 MARINE DEPARTMENT,
 SHANGHAI, 17th April, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 92.—The following description and terms of the proposed leases of certain Crown Lands at Shaukiwan, comprising portion 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.

Lot No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.				Contents in sq. ft.	Annual Rental.
		N.	S.	E.	W.		
Shaukiwan Inland Lot No. 509.	Shaukiwan East.	As per plan.				About 7,440	\$ 26
Shaukiwan Inland Lot No. 510.	Do.	Do.				8,530	30
Shaukiwan Inland Lot No. 511.	Do.	Do.				6,960	24
Shaukiwan Inland Lot No. 512.	Do.	Do.				5,130	18

A plan of the Lots, signed by the Director of Public Works, can be seen at the Office of the Public Works Department.

PROPOSED TERMS OF THE SALE AND CROWN LEASES.

1. In consideration of the agreed conditions and upon completion of the reclamation of the above Lots to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works, it is proposed to grant Crown Leases of the whole of the areas coloured red on the said plan and having areas of 7,440 square feet, 8,530 square feet, 6,960 square feet and 5,130 square feet respectively for the term of 75 years commencing from the date of a letter from the Director of Public Works stating that the areas are at the disposal of the lessees, renewable for a further term of 75 years at a re-assessed Crown Rent. The amount of Crown Rents is subject to re-adjustment when the reclamation has been completed in accordance with the areas actually occupied.

2. The Crown Leases of the areas coloured red on the said plan will be subject to and contain all Exceptions, Reservations, Covenants, Clauses, and Conditions usually inserted in the Crown Leases of Shaukiwan Inland Lots in the Colony of Hongkong; the