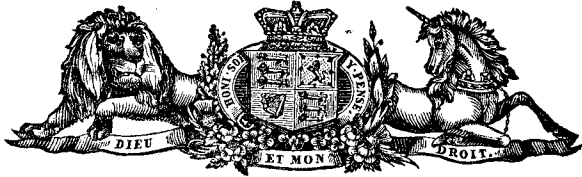


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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE Contract hitherto in force for the publication of GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS having ceased on the 21st instant Notice is hereby given, that the *HONGKONG GOVERNMENT GAZETTE*, this day established, will be hereafter the only Official Organ of Proclamations, Notifications, and all Public Papers of this Government.

By Order,

W. CAINE,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Victoria, Hongkong, 24th September, 1853.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The attention of Consignees of Vessels and others whom it may concern is particularly called to the practice of delaying, till immediately before the Vessel's departure, to apply for the necessary alterations in the Certificate of Registry.

Such application made in proper time would obviate much inconvenience to Consignees and Masters, and promote the regular Despatch of Vessels.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria,  
Hongkong, 5th October, 1854.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Wanted, a passage to Perth, Western Australia, for three European Convicts.

Sealed Tenders will be received addressed to the Colonial Secretary, and particulars may be learnt on application at the Harbour Master's Office.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria,  
Hongkong, 17th August, 1854.

NOTICE.

THE ordinary CRIMINAL SESSIONS of the SUPREME COURT will be held on *Monday, the 16th instant*, at 11 o'clock, A.M.

By order of the Court,

WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER,  
*Acting Registrar.*

NOTICE.

THE SUPREME COURT will sit in *Nisi Prius* on *Saturday, the 14th day of October instant*, at 11 o'clock A.M.

By order of the Court,

WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER,  
*Acting Registrar.*