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**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.**

The Contract for publishing this *Gazette*, entered into on the 24th September, 1853, was terminated on the 30th ultimo; and notice is hereby given, that a NEW SERIES of this *Gazette* will be published hereafter, to commence from the 7th instant, under a New Contract, and that

"THE HONGKONG GOVERNMENT GAZETTE"

will, as before, be the only Official Organ for PROCLAMATIONS, NOTIFICATIONS, and PUBLIC PAPERS, of this Government.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER, *Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 2d July, 1855.

No. 76.

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.**

Tenders will be received at this Office for the conveyance of *Fifteen Chinese Convicts* to Singapore.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria,  
Hongkong, 9th July, 1856.

*Schedule of Lots of Land proposed to be sold, at West Point, &c.*

ORDER OF SALE.	LOCALITY.	BOUNDARY MEASUREMENTS.				CONTENT IN SQUARE FEET.	FIXED ANNUAL RENT.
		N.	S.	E.	W.		
1	Inland.						
2	West Point	52½	52½	52½	52½	2,756	£ s. d. 8.15.0
3	"	52½	52½	52½	52½	2,756	8.15.0
	Marine.						
4	West Point	105	105	300	300	31,500	52.10.0
5	"	105	105	300	300	31,500	52.10.0
	Inland.						
6	{ Victoria Proper, site of Harbour- Master's Boat- house }	66	100	135	...	6,750	24.10.0

WILLIAM COWPER,  
*Acting Surveyor General.*

No. 77.

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.**

Notice is hereby given, that a Sale by Public Auction of Crown Lands on Leases will be held on the ground to be sold, on Monday, the 21st instant, the Sale to commence at 3 P.M.

The following Descriptive Statement of the Lots to be offered at the Sale is published for general information.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria,  
Hongkong, 12th July, 1856.

No. 48.

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.**

Tenders will be received at this office for the conveyance of *Two Military convicts* to England.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria,  
Hongkong, 10th April, 1856.

**NOTICE.**

THE Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr IZIDORO A. D'ALMEIDA in our Firm ceased on the 28th ultimo, and Mr FRANCISCO AHUJAS has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm,

JOZE JORGE & Co.

Macao, 3d July, 1856.

**NOTICE.**

WHEREAS the Firm of NYE BROTHERS & Co. of Canton, China, did, on the 11th day of March, 1856, at the Office of the UNITED STATES CONSULATE in Canton, execute an Assignment of all their Property, real and personal, in trust for the benefit of their Creditors, to the undersigned: We hereby give notice to all concerned to make payment to us of all sums due to, and to present to us any claims against, the said Firm.

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Canton, 18th March, 1856.

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*Agents in China for the  
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Hongkong, 10th April, 1856.

C A R P.

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and

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