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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.

ERRATUM in last *Gazette*.—For "16th Day of April, 1856" in the Passing Note at the end of Ordinance No. 10 of 1856, read "29th Day of May, 1856."

No. 68.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Account, rendered by the Trustees of St John's Cathedral for the Year ended 24th April last, is published for General information in accordance with Paragraph 16 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1847.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 31st May, 1856.

Dr.	THE TRUSTEES of ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL in Account Current with R. C. ANTROBUS, Treasurer.	Cr.	
1855 June 1	To Clerk's Salary, 11 Months @ \$14.86,..... \$163.46 " 2 Coolies, @ \$9 8 Months, \$10 3 Months,..... 102.00 " Repairs,..... 346.84 " Candles and Washing,..... 40.99 " Bread and Wine,..... 10.60 " Printing 300 forms of Prayer \$25, Adver- tising meeting \$1.50,..... } 26.50 " Sundries, Mops, &c. \$9.78, new Surplice \$8,.... 17.78 " Repairs of Organ and Seraphine 1852-53, 51.00 1856 April 24 " Balance in favor of Trustees, 395.11 \$1,354.28	1855 June 1 By Balance of last account,..... \$544.28 1856 April 24 " Seat rents collected, 810.00 1856 April 24 By Balance brought down,..... \$395.11 \$1,354.28	\$1,354.28

Examined with Vouchers and found correct.

(Signed) W. H. ALEXANDER,
Auditor on the part of the Government.

(Signed) GEO. LYALL,
Auditor for Seat-holders.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1856.

(Signed)

R. C. ANTROBUS,
Trustee, and Treasurer to the body of Trustees.

True Copy,

R. C. ANTROBUS,
Trustee and Treasurer.

No. 69.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The Honorable W. T. MERCER, Esquire, having been appointed by His Excellency The Governor to the Legislative Council of this Colony, pending the pleasure of Her Majesty's Government, has been this day re-sworn, and has taken his seat accordingly.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 2d June, 1856.