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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Return of Notes in Circulation and Specie in Reserve at the Bank of the Oriental Bank Corporation in Hongkong, is published for general information.

By Order,

FRED. FORTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 4th November, 1858.

Account of the average Amount of Notes in Circulation at the Bank of the Oriental Bank Corporation in Hongkong, for the Month ending 30th October, 1858, rendered in accordance with the Terms of Her Majesty's Royal Charter of Incorporation.

NOTES ISSUED, SPECIE IN RESERVE, \$547,716. \$200,000.

P. CAMPBELL,

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, 1st November, 1858.

I inspected this day the Books and Treasure Vault of the Oriental Bank Corporation, and hereby certify, that the Amount of Species shown is in accordance with the Terms of the Royal Charter.

HENRY C. LEWIS, For the Colonial Treasurer.

J. A. CARVALHO,
Accountant.

Victoria, Hongkong, 4th November, 1858.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Return of Notes in Circulation and Specie in Reserve at the Bank of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China, in Hongkong, is published for general information.

By Order,

FRED. FORTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 4th November, 1858.

Account of the average Amount of Notes in Circulation at the Bank of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China, in Hongkong, for the Month ending 31st October, 1858, rendered in accordance with the Terms of Her Majesty's Royal Charter of Incorporation.

NOTES ISSUED, SPECIE IN RESERVE, \$202,246.* \$100,000.

· exclusive of the Notes of the Mercantile Bank still outstanding.

JOHN COSTERTON, Manager.

Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China, in Hongkong, Hongkong, 1st November, 1858.

I have this day inspected the Books and Treasure Vault of the above-mentioned Bank, and hereby certify, that the Amount in Reserve is found to be in accordance with the Terms of the Royal Charter.

HENRY C. LEWIS, For the Colonial Treasurer.

J. A. CARVALHO,
Accountant.

Victoria, Hongkong, 4th November, 1858.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified, that under the terms of Section 3, Ordinance No. 11 of 1844, and Section 1 of Ordinance 7 of 1858, Wednesday, the 10th Day of November next, is fixed for a Special Sessions of Justices of the Peace, to be held on that day, at the Office of the Chief Magistrate of Police, at Eleven o'Clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering Applications for Licenses for the Sale of Spirituous and Fermented Liquors, during the Year commencing the 1st December next.

Applications for such Licenses must be lodged at the Chief Magistrate's Office, at least Ten Days before the Sessions, in the Form prescribed by the above quoted Section of the first mentioned Ordinance; and no application will, after that period, be received for submission to the Sessions.

Printed Forms of Applications may be obtained, by intending Applicants, at the Chief Magistrate's Office, on Week Days, between the Hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

By Order,

FRED. FORTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 8th October, 1858.

NOTICE.

HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, 23d October, 1858.

All Persons intending to apply for "Seamen's Boarding-house Licenses" for the Year 1858-9, under Ordinance No. 6 of 1852, whether for Houses already occupied, or for new Boarding Houses, will send in their Applications in writing to this Office before Monday the 15th November next, stating the Name of the Applicant, the District number of the House, and whether the latter is now Licensed or not.

It is further notified, that preference will be given to large airy Houses situated on the Queen's Road to the westward of Gough Street Stairs.

A. L. INGLIS, Harbour Master.