

No. 116.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The Honorable F. W. GREEN, Esquire, having resigned Office in consequence of ill-health, His Excellency The Governor has been pleased to appoint HENRY KINGSMILL, Esquire, to perform the duties of Attorney-General, from the 15th instant, pending the pleasure of Her Majesty's Government, or until further notice.

His Excellency has been further pleased to nominate the Acting Attorney General to a Provisional and Temporary Seat in the Legislative Council, and the Honorable HENRY KINGSMILL, Esquire, has been this day sworn in accordingly.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 16th December, 1859.

No 117.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

With reference to Ordinance No 13 of 1858, and the 6th Section thereof, it is hereby notified that the said Ordinance has been disallowed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 16th December, 1859.

No. 112.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Whereas on the morning of the 22d instant, a Burglary, accompanied by the murder of one LEW SAM-WON was committed at Show-kia-wan: Notice is hereby given, that a REWARD of

**TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS**

will be paid by this Government to any one giving such information as shall lead to the conviction of any person or persons engaged in the said murder.

This Notice has been duly circulated in the Chinese language.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 23d November, 1859.

No. 98.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

A Premium of One Thousand Dollars will be given by the Government for the best and most practicable Scheme for providing the City of Victoria with a constant and sufficient supply of Pure Water. The Report must be accompanied with Specifications, Plans, and Working Drawings, and a detailed Estimate of the whole service. It is not contemplated to expend a larger sum than £25,000, and it is hoped that the work may be efficiently executed for a much smaller outlay.

The Reports must be addressed to the Colonial Secretary, and reach his Office by noon of the 1st February 1860, when they will be submitted to the decision of a Committee of non-competitors appointed for the purpose by His Excellency the Governor.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 14th October, 1859.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.  
INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Insolvency of HENRY WILLIAM HYATT, a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—that the ESTATE and EFFECTS of the said Prisoner have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of this Court; and that the Schedule of the above named Prisoner has been filed in the said Court, and that it is ordered that the said Prisoner be brought up for examination at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, on SATURDAY, the 24th day of December, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-nine, at 10 o'clock in the Forenoon; and in case any Creditor intends to oppose the discharge of such Prisoner, he must give Notice in Writing of such his intention to the Court and such Prisoner, two days prior to the day of hearing.

By the Court,

WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER,  
Registrar.

Dated this Sixteenth day of December, 1859.

## COURT OF PROBATE, HONGKONG.

In re WILLIAM SCOTT, late of Hongkong, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—to the NEXT OF KIN, and all other Persons, to produce any WILL or CODICIL of the above Party that may be in their possession, before the Supreme Court, on THURSDAY, the 22d day of December, 1859; or, if none, that the Next of Kin do accept or refuse Letters of Administration; failing which Administration will be granted to the Registrar of the said Court.

By the Court,

WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER,  
Registrar.

## COPPER-PLATE PRINTING.

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## NOTICE.

THE SUPREME COURT will hold a Nisi PRIUS SITTING, on SATURDAY, the Twenty-fourth day of December instant, at ten o'clock in the Forenoon.

By order of the Court,

WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER,  
Registrar.

Hongkong, 17th December, 1859.

## NOTICE.

OUR Partnership was dissolved on the 1st inst. and the Firm will be continued in Liquidation

JOZE JORGE & Co.,  
in Liquidation.

Macao, 4th October, 1859.

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