

No. 59.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Sales of Land by Public Auction will be held, on the Ground to be sold, on Friday and Saturday, the 24th and 25th instant, commencing at 5 o'clock P.M.

The following Schedule of the Lots for Sale is published for general information. Lots from No. 1 to 20, to be sold, if practicable, on the 24th instant, and the remainder on the following day.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 3d June, 1859.

Schedule of Lots of Land proposed to be sold by Public Auction on Friday and Saturday, the 24th and 25th June, 1859, at 5 o'clock P.M.

ORDER OF SALE.	LOCALITY.	BOUNDARY MEASUREMENTS.				AREA SQUARE FEET.	ANNUAL RENTAL.
		N. & E.	S. & W.	S. & E.	N. & W.		
1	Peel Street Extension, ...	142	80	195	205	21,645	£ 4 1 0
2	Rear of I Lot No. 504, ...	185	269	260	112	30,000	5 10 4
3	Do., Do., 503, ...	110	111	112	100	11,660	2 2 4
4	East of I Lot 577, ...	340	290	360	160	29,000	4 0 0
5		N. W.	258	288	345	180	54,300
6	West of I Lot No. 577, ...	240	282	305	305	35,760	4 10 7
7	South of Bonham Road, ...	320	340	220	320	103,100 of which unavailable } 54,450	14 13 0
8	North of Mohamedan Burial Ground, ...	820		560		61,500 of which unavailable } 10,890	16 12 5
9	North of Bonham Road, ...	200	200	330	330	66,890	30 5 0
10	Do., Do., ...	440	260	330		55,000	25 5 0
11	South of Police Station, ...	100	100	100	100	10,000	9 3 8
12	Do., Do., ...	100	100	100	100	10,000	9 3 8
13	West Do., ...	45	45	30	30	1,350	2 16 0
14	Market Street, Taipingshan, ...	140	100	130	25	8,125	7 9 2
15	South of Market Street, ...	80	100	80	100	8,000	5 10 0
16		80	100	80	100	8,000	5 10 0
17	South of Market Street and North of Bonham Road, ...	160	100	160	100	16,000	7 6 5
18	Upper Cause Road, Taipingshan, ...	108	100	108	100	10,800	7 8 9
19	Do., Do., ...	108	100	108	100	10,800	7 8 9
20	South of Lot 48, ...	105	105	15	27	2,205	7 1 0
21	Hawan, ...	37	37	30	30	1,110	2 11 0
22	Do., ...	51	57	56	56	3,192	7 6 0
23	Do., ...	57	57	50	50	2,350	5 17 2
24	Do., ...	20	20	43	43	860	1 19 6
25	Do., ...	20	20	43	43	160	1 19 6
26	Wanchai, ...	50	50	50	50	2,500	9 1 6
27	Do., ...	50	50	50	50	2,500	9 1 6

CHAS. ST. GEO. CLEVERLY,  
Surveyor General.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

THE Next GENERAL MAILS per Steamer "MALABAR," will close on TUESDAY, the 21st instant, at 6 o'clock P.M.

The usual SUPPLEMENTARY MAILS will be made up on the following morning. LETTERS received from 9 to 11 o'clock A.M., for a late fee of 6d., NEWSPAPERS 1d.; and from 11 A.M. to half-past 12 o'clock P.M., for a late fee of 1s. on each LETTER, and 2d. on each NEWSPAPER.

All Letters and Newspapers posted between the hours of 11 A.M. and half-past 12 o'clock P.M. must be prepaid.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Acting Post-Master.

Post-office, Hongkong,  
9th June, 1859.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Between JULIUS HALLPIKE, Plaintiff,  
and ALEXANDER WILSON, Defendant.

WHEREAS an action has been commenced in this Court at the Suit of the above named JULIUS HALLPIKE, against the above named ALEXANDER WILSON, to recover damages for the breach of a Promise and Agreement by the said ALEXANDER WILSON to take the said JULIUS HALLPIKE into partnership in the Firm or Business carried on at Hongkong under the name or style of MACEWEN & COMPANY, and it being alleged that the said ALEXANDER WILSON does not reside within this Island or its Dependencies, a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the Fourth day of July next, wherein GEORGE NORRIS, of Hongkong aforesaid, Storekeeper, is Garnishee: Notice is hereby given thereof, and that if at any time before final judgment in this action the said ALEXANDER WILSON or any Person on his behalf will give the security and notice, and file the Appearance or Plea required by the Ordinance of this Island, intituled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate Process in actions at Law against Persons absent from the Colony," the said Attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this 16th day of June, A.D. 1859.

EDWARD H. POLLARD,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.

NOTICE.

MR THOMAS DAVID NEAVE, is a Partner in our Firm in China.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.  
Hongkong, June 1859.

NOTICE.

MR J. K. SMITH has been admitted a Partner of our House, of which we have established a Branch at Singapore, under the same Firm,—the Partners being—

JAMES ADAM SMITH, of London;  
ROBERT PHILIP WOOD, of Liverpool;  
LAWRENCE ROBERTSON BELL, Manila;  
and JOHN KNOX SMITH, at Singapore.

SMITH, BELL & Co.  
Manila, 30th May, 1859.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned beg to notify that they have taken over the Business of Mr H. J. TARRANT, Solicitor and Notary Public.

G. COOPER TURNER & HAZELAND,  
Solicitors and Notaries Public.

Hongkong, 8th June, 1859.

CONSULATE FOR SPAIN IN HONGKONG.

FOR the Public information here, the Superior Authority of the Philippine Islands has transmitted to me the following advertisement:—

"As some cases which lately occurred give cause to suppose that the Ordinances on Importation of Merchandise into these Islands are forgotten, it is hereby reminded that, as the Ports of the Philippines open to foreign Trade are Manila, Suva, Iloilo and Zamboanga: there only ships of all flags can resort to for the purpose of realizing their Cargoes, subject to the Regulations of the Customs passed by this Government.

"For public information, this is published in the Boletin Oficial. Manila, 15th May, 1859. (Signed) J. J. de ELIZAGA, Secretary to the Governor of the Philippine Islands."

True Translation,

The Consul for Spain,

J. J. DE AGUILAR.

COPPER-PLATE PRINTING.

PERSONS having ENGRAVED PLATES may have VISITING CARDS (Enamelled or Plain) printed from them at the Office of the "China Mail."

REQUIRED FOR THE GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL.

CONTRACTORS required to supply the following PROVISIONS, &c., to the GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL, for the Year commencing 26th June, 1859.

The Articles must be of the best quality. The Conditions of the Contract, &c., may be ascertained by applying to the undersigned.

- BEEF STEAKS, at per lb.
- do. SOUP, "
- POWLS, "
- FRESH FISH (best) "
- SALT do. "
- MUTTON CHOPS, "
- SHEEPS' HEAD and FEET, at per head and 4 feet.
- PORK CHOPS, at per lb.
- do. LIVER, "
- do. LARD, "
- BUTTER, "
- RICE (1st quality) at so many lbs for 4s. 2d.
- POTATOES, at per lbs.
- SWEET POTATOES, "
- YAMS, "
- ARROWROOT (1st quality) "
- SAGO, "
- PEARL BARLEY, "
- COFFEE, "
- TEA (good Congou) "
- SUGAR (White) "
- CABBAGE, "
- PUMPKIN, "
- RADDISHES, "
- ONIONS, "
- LAMP OIL, "
- CHARCOAL, "
- FIREWOOD, lbs. per 4s. 2d.
- EGGS, per dozen.
- MILK, (Cow's) at per bottle of 24 oz.
- BROWN BREAD, at per loaf or lbs.

J. IVOR MURRAY, M.D.,  
Colonial Surgeon.

Hongkong, June, 1859.

REQUIRED FOR THE GOVERNMENT LOCK HOSPITAL.

CONTRACTORS required to supply to the Government Lock Hospital DAILY RATIONS as under, for the Year commencing 26th June, 1859. The Articles must be of the best quality, and delivered free of expense. Conditions, &c., may be ascertained by applying to the undersigned.

- I.—Full Diet. 1lb FISH. 1lb RICE. 1lb VEGETABLES. Twice a Week 1lb of PORK, substituted for 1/2 lb of the FISH. at per Ration. II.—Low Diet. 1/2 lb FISH. 1lb RICE. 1/2 lb VEGETABLES. at per Ration. III.—Sundries. TEA (good Congou) at per lb. PORK FAT,..... " LAMP OIL,..... " FIREWOOD lbs per 4s. 2d.

J. IVOR MURRAY, M.D., Colonial Surgeon

Hongkong, June, 1859.

招人承辦皇家醫館各樣食物於本年五月二十六日即英六月二十六日起以一年為期牛肉每磅若干羊頭連四脚每磅若干雞每磅若干上鮮魚每磅若干鹹魚每磅若干羊排骨每磅若干羊頭連四脚每付若干豬排骨每磅若干豬肝每磅若干白豬油每磅若干牛油每磅若干上白米每四個絲鈴兩個邊宜若干磅薯仔每磅若干番薯每磅若干大薯每磅若干上藕粉每磅若干西谷米每磅若干大麥每磅若干架啡每磅若干上工夫茶葉每磅若干火油每磅若干椰菜每磅若干番瓜每磅若干紅羅白每磅若干蔥頭每磅若干火油每磅若干炭每磅若干柴每四個絲鈴兩個邊宜若干磅若干...

招入承辦娼妓醫院各樣食物於本年五月二十六日即英六月二十六日起以一年為期其所供之食物分開二等第一等每人每日要魚一磅米一磅菜三羽每個禮拜兩日加猪肉三羽減魚半磅第二等每人每日要魚半磅米一磅菜三兩以上所供兩等之人食用其票內務要寫明每人每日該銀若干另好工夫茶葉每磅若干豬油每磅若干火油每磅若干柴每四個絲鈴兩個邊宜若干磅以上各食物務要上好的包送至醫院如要知其詳細者問皇家醫生仔厘便知 己未年五月初四日示

NOTICE. MR FREDERICK M. HARSANT is authorized to Sign our Firm per procuracy, during the absence of Mr W. A. BOWRA from the Colony. BOWRA & Co. Hongkong, 4th June, 1859.

Steam for SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES, & SOUTHAMPTON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, & CALCUTTA. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship "MALABAR," Captain ———, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above Places, on WEDNESDAY, the 22d June, at 2 P.M.

CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 20th; SPECIE until Noon on the 21st, and PARCELS until 2 P.M. on the 21st. For Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply at the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shipper to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from incorrectness on such declaration.

MAXN. FISCHER, Superintendent. Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office, Hongkong, 9th June, 1859.

NOTICE. IS hereby given, that the Co-partnership under which THOMAS SAMUEL RAWSON, WILLIAM WEMYSS KER, WILLIAM PATERSON and MINCHIN SIMONS, have heretofore carried on business as MERCHANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS in Singapore, under the style of KER, RAWSON & Co., expires on the 30th instant. Singapore, 4th April, 1859.

NOTICE. WILLIAM WEMYSS KER, WILLIAM PATERSON, and HENRY MINCHIN SIMONS, will carry on business as MERCHANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS, from and after the 1st May next, as Co-partners, under the style of PATERSON, SIMONS, & Co. Singapore, 4th April, 1859.

NOTICE. DISSOLUTION of the partnership hitherto existing between the former Members of the Firm ADAM & Co., Batavia and Sourabaya, having taken place on the 31st ultimo, the undersigned begs to intimate, that he will continue the Business, as heretofore, at both places, and under the same style as formerly. Notice is at the same time given, that, from this date, Mr D. T. BRYCE has been admitted a Partner at Batavia and Sourabaya; and that Mr W. W. COOK has been admitted as partner of the Sourabaya Firm. Batavia, 1st January, 1859. J. H. ADAM.

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NOTICE. Partnership heretofore existing between Mr HALL and Mr W. STUCKEY, as caused on the 31st May last. The same is continued by Mr HALL. 4th June, 1859.

FOR SALE. At the Office of the China Mail, "HSIN CHING LU," or "Book of Experiences" by T. F. WADK, Esq., Chinese Secretary; THREE PARTS, designed to assist Students in the Dialect. Price \$6.00. Mail Office, Hongkong, 4th May, 1859.