

Account of the average amount of Notes in Circulation at the Bank of the Oriental Bank Corporation in Hongkong for the month ending 31st March, 1863, rendered in accordance with the terms of Her Majesty's Royal Charter of Incorporation.

NOTES ISSUED,.....\$771,114.
SPECIE IN RESERVE,.....\$300,000.

J. McDOUALL,
Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, 1st April, 1863.

I hereby certify that I this day inspected the Books and Treasure of the Oriental Bank Corporation, and found the necessary amount of Specie as required by the Royal Charter.

F. H. BIRCH,
Accountant.

Victoria, Hongkong, 10th April, 1863.

FRED. FORTH,
Colonial Treasurer.

No. 49.

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,

W. H. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th April, 1863.

Account of the average amount of Notes in Circulation at the Branch of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China in Hongkong for the month ending 31st March, 1863, rendered in accordance with the terms of Her Majesty's Royal Charter of Incorporation.

NOTES ISSUED,.....\$771,797.
SPECIE IN RESERVE,.....\$300,000.

WALTER ORMISTON,
Manager.

Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China, Hongkong, 1st April, 1863.

I hereby certify that I this day inspected the Books and Treasure of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China, and found the necessary amount of Specie as required by the Royal Charter.

F. H. BIRCH,
Accountant.

Victoria, Hongkong, 10th April, 1863.

FRED. FORTH,
Colonial Treasurer.

No. 43.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Tenders will be received at the Surveyor General's Office, until noon of the 16th Instant, for the construction of an additional School Room and Arcade at the Central School, Gough Street.

Plans and Specification may be seen on application at the Surveyor General's Office, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st April, 1863.