

## SCHEDULE OF FARM LOTS FOR SALE, 14th July, 1863.

No.	LOCALITY.	AREA IN ACRES.	ANNUAL RENT.	REMARKS.
1	Wooden Bridges, Stanley Road, .....	4 $\frac{5}{10}$	\$45	Level area 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres.
2	S. E. of Jews' Cemetery, .....	8 $\frac{7}{10}$	87	Do. 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ do.
3	Stanley Road, S. of 1st Bridge, .....	1 $\frac{8}{10}$	16	Available.
4	N. of 1st Bridge, .....	2 $\frac{2}{10}$	22	Do.
5	Junction with Valley Road, .....	1 $\frac{5}{10}$	15	Do.
6	S. of Village Bridge, .....	1 $\frac{8}{10}$	18	Do.
7	N. of Jews' Cemetery, .....	3 $\frac{2}{10}$	32	Do.
8	E. of Ravine Bridge, .....	3 $\frac{8}{10}$	36	1 acre level.
9	W. of Ravine Bridge, .....	2 $\frac{4}{10}$	24	$\frac{3}{4}$ do.
10	S. of Village, .....	2 $\frac{7}{10}$	27	Available.
11	N. of Village, .....	1 $\frac{5}{10}$	15	Do.
12	Village Turn, (Race Course,) .....	2 $\frac{6}{10}$	26	Do.

CHARLES ST. GEO. CLEVERLY,  
*Surveyor General.*

No. 74.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The subjoined List of Masters and Mates who have passed the Board of Examiners instituted under Ordinance No. 17 of 1860, (to carry out certain provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854,") between the 1st July, 1862, and the 30th June, 1863, is published for general information.

By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER,  
*Acting Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 2nd July, 1863.

## LIST of MASTERS and MATES who have passed their Examination between the 1st July, 1862, and the 30th June, 1863.

DATE.	NO. OF CER- TIFICATE.	NAME.	RANK.	DATE.	NO. OF CER- TIFICATE.	NAME.	RANK.
1862.				Feb. 13	43	Charles L. Gardiner	Master.
July 6	21	John Wotherspoon	Master.	" 13	44	George Meacom	Chief Mate.
" 15	22	G. S. Wilson	Do.	" 13	45	Martin Edmonds	2nd Mate
" 19	23	Thomas J. E. Johnson	2nd Mate.	March 19	46	John McPhee	Chief Mate.
August 26	24	Richard Gibbon	Master.	Feb. 28	47	Peter Carter	Do.
" 29	25	George Doo Pitman	Chief Mate.	March 19	48	Thomas Tribbey	Master.
" 29	26	Charles Jas. Bolton	Master.	April 2	49	Robert Enscoe	Do.
Sept. 8	27	David Beattie	2nd Mate.	" 2	50	Michael G. McKee	Do.
October 1	28	Louis Meyer	Master.	" 2	51	Thomas C. Purdy	Do.
" 2	29	George C. Sladden	Chief Mate.	" 2	52	Mitchel Van Es	Chief Mate.
" 6	30	Robert Carroll	Master.	" 2	53	Frederick M. Darke	Master.
" 14	31	Charles Baker	2nd Mate.	" 2	54	William Carnachan	Do.
" 18	32	Otto Demsky	Master.	" 13	55	William Orr	Do.
Nov. 26	33	William Bainbridge	Chief Mate.	" 13	56	J. J. S. Brunn	Do.
" 26	34	William H. Roscow	Do.	" 13	57	William James Edwards	Chief Mate.
Dec. 9	35	Niels Holbek	Master.	" 13	58	George A. Shackelford	Do.
" 26	36	Eugelbert Rinman	Do.	" 13	59	William Jamieson	Do.
" 26	37	Henry Hudson	Do.	" 25	60	James Ross	Master.
" 26	38	Richard Caw	Do.	" 25	61	Benjamin C. Townsend	Do.
" 27	39	Edward G. T. D. Moller	Do.	May 11	62	Ditlev Torm	Do.
1863.				" 20	63	Albert Vincent Waters	2nd Mate.
Jan. 14	40	William H. Whitehead	Chief Mate.	" 21	64	John Fletcher	Do.
" 14	41	John Pierce Clark	Master.	" 21	65	Henry Francis	Do.
Feb. 13	42	William Shields	Do.				

Harbour Master's Office, Hongkong, 2nd July, 1863.

ROBT. McMURDO,  
*Acting Harbour Master.*

No. 76.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Post Office Notification is published for general information.

By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER,  
*Acting Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 4th July, 1863.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that commencing with the first Mail despatched from this Office for the United Kingdom after the 1st proximo, the whole postage on Letters sent *via Marseilles* will be collected entirely by the scale in operation for Letters forwarded *via Southampton*, and in order to cover the transit rate paid to France, 4d. up to the weight of  $\frac{1}{2}$  an ounce, instead of 3d. per  $\frac{1}{4}$  ounce will be levied.

Thus the new rates of postage on Letters sent *via Marseilles* will be as follows:—

Not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ oz.	Above $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz.	Above 1 oz. and not exceeding 2 oz.	Above 2 oz. and not exceeding 3 oz.	Every ounce after the first.
1s. 4d.	2s. 8d.	5s. 4d.	8s.	2s. 8d.

And a corresponding alteration will take place in the rates of postage collected in this Office on Letters sent in transit through the United Kingdom when forwarded *via Marseilles*.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 4th July, 1863.

WEATHER TABLES FOR THE PAST WEEK.

REGISTER AT HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

1863.	6 A.M.		NOON.		6 P.M.	
	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Thermometer.
June 27,	29.74	82	29.78	80	29.73	80
" 28,	29.80	82	29.81	82	29.75	82
" 29,	29.74	83	29.72	84	29.68	82
" 30,	29.73	82	29.73	80	29.74	81
July 1,	29.86	82	29.85	81	29.87	81
" 2,	29.91	81	29.92	80	29.91	79
" 3,	29.91	80	29.94	83	29.94	83

REGISTER AT BLOCK HOUSE, VICTORIA PEAK.

Height above Sea Level 1,770 feet.

DATE.	BAROMETER.					HYDROMETER.					THERMOMETER.		WINDS.						REMARKS AS TO WEATHER.	
						DRY BULB.			WET BULB.		Self Registering		Force, ranges from 0 to 12.							
	6 A.M.	9 A.M.	NOON.	3 P.M.	6 P.M.	6 A.M.	NOON.	6 P.M.	6 A.M.	NOON.	6 P.M.	Min.	Max.	6 A.M.		NOON.		6 P.M.		
1863.											6 A.M.	3 P.M.			Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.
June 27	27.85	27.93	27.92	27.91	27.88	74.00	74.30	73.30	74.00	74.30	73.00	72.00	75.00	S	8	SSW	7	S	2	Fog, rain, squally; evening fog, wet dew.
" 28	27.93	27.97	27.97	27.95	27.90	73.00	77.00	76.15	73.00	76.00	75.15	72.00	78.30	S	5	—	0	SSE	3	6 A.M. fog, rain; from 9 A.M. fine.
" 29	27.90	27.92	27.91	27.85	27.78	75.30	79.10	75.00	75.00	77.30	74.55	73.30	80.15	—	0	EbN	1	E	7	Fog, wet dew; noon fine; 4 P.M. overcast, cloudy. A threatening appearance of weather; evening rain; strong gale during past night, with rain at intervals.
" 30	27.84	27.90	27.92	27.90	27.89	73.30	74.30	74.50	73.30	74.00	74.25	72.30	75.50	SEbE	7	SSE	4	SSE	5	6 A.M. fog, rain, squally; 10 to 4 P.M. fog, wet dew; evening rain; showers at intervals during past night.
July 1	27.98	28.02	28.02	28.01	28.00	74.30	73.30	74.00	74.15	73.15	73.30	72.50	75.00	SbE	6	SSW	5	SSW	4	Fog, drizzle; evening fog, wet dew.
" 2	28.05	28.09	28.09	28.06	28.05	73.00	74.00	73.30	73.00	73.30	73.00	72.00	74.30	SEbS	5	SbE	2	SE	4	Fog, rain; from 10.30 A.M. fog, wet dew.
" 3	28.06	28.11	28.11	28.10	28.10	73.00	77.00	75.15	73.00	76.00	74.00	72.00	77.55	SEbS	4	EbS	3	ESE	2	6 A.M. fog, rain; from 9 A.M. fine.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

List of unclaimed LETTERS and PAPERS lying in the Hongkong Post Office for Parties not known, 3rd July, 1863.

Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		Letters. Papers.		
Almeida, A. A.	3	Carberry, Mrs. M.	1	Finlay, J.	1	Irvine, J.	2	Munro, J.	1	1	Shields, Capt.	1
Aegerter, J.	1	Comp, J.	1	Graves	4	2	Jones, T.	2	Nunes,	2	Suche	1
Agner, C. F.	1	Clark,	1	Gomes, J.	1	Joseph, P.	1	Osborne, F.	1	1	Spalding, G.	1
Ager, W.		Chaves, M.	2	Green,	2	Jeger, G.	1	Oson, S. M.	1	1	Smith, H. T. & Co.	2
Abrahams, T.	15	Conery, W.	1	Goodail, G.	1	Johnson, H.	1	Oliver, W.	1	1	Sn. Juan, M.	1
Arkaright, G.	2	Cranston, J. W.	1	Granderie, E.	6	Kurssens, H. J.	1	Petrie, T.	1	1	Thompson	2
		Corcelles, G.	1	Girette, C.	4	King, M.	1	Pickering, C. W.	3	14	Thomas, Capt.	1
		Clarance, Mrs.	1	Garis, W.	2	Kenrick, G. C.	1	Parker, Thos.	1	1	Teirney, P.	1
		Clare, W.	1	Hide	1	Luna	2	Powell, H. J.	1	1	Taita, Y.	2
				Hay	2	Lucas, Miss	1	Pogson, G.	1	1	Tridan, I.	1
				Harton, H.	1	Lala	1	Ronald, S.	1	1	Telford, Rev.	1
				Hodgson, W.	1	Lecog, A.	1	Roza, A. F.	1	1	Van der Laan	1
				Hirsah, A.	1	Laun, E.	3	Rementer, G.	2	2	Vial,	1
				Hussmann, C.	1	Langlois, Capt.	1	Rubbert, F.	1	1	Viether, H.	1
				Harrison, E.	2	Marques, C. M.	1	Roza Maria	1	1	Williamson, A. B.	1
				Hooker, T. S.	3	McRimmon, J.	1	Rodriguez, A. P.	1	1	Wallis, C.	1
				Hooker, T.	1	McKayna, P.	2	Rodriguez,	2	2	Wade, J.	2
				Holliday, T.	1	Mason, P.	2	Smith	4	1	Williamson, W.	1
				Hoddon,	1	Moote, Capt.	1	Stephens, E.	1	1	Whitehead, W.	1
				Hall, Mrs.	2	Mello, A.	2	Shineful, C.	1	1	Williams, D.	10
				Hardy,	1	Marr, J. B.	2	Stokes, C.	1	1	Wall G. & Co.	1
				Hawkins, T. E.	1	Nearas, C. M.	1	Souza	4	4	Xavier,	1
				Herbert, Capt.	1	Monroe, G.	1					
				Habier, M.	1							
				Ferreira, A.	2							
				Freedle,	1							
				Fortozo, G.	2							
				Folgin, Capt.	2							
				Fraser, W. J.	1							
				Farren, J.	1							
				Fernandes, A. P.	1							
				Fisher, A.	5							
				Imbert, E.	1							