No. 79.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Return of Notes in Circulation and Specie in Reserve at the Bank of the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA, in Hongkong, is published for general information. By Order,

> W. H. ALEXANDER, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 15th July, 1863.

Account of the average amount of Notes in Circulation at the Branch of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China in Hongkong for the month ending 30th June, 1863, rendered in accordance with the terms of Her Majesty's Royal. Charter of Incorporation.

A. H. ANDERSON, Acting Manager.

Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, Hongkong, 3rd July, 1863.

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

F. H. BIRCH,

Accountant.

FRED. FORTH, Colonial Treasurer.

Victoria, Hongkong, 13th July, 1863.

No. 80.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The subjoined Post Office Notification is published for general information. By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 15th July, 1863.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st day of August next, the Packet Agency at Whampoa will be closed, and the Community must make their own arrangements for the conveyance of their correspondence to and from Hongkong from that date.

> F. W. MITCHELL, Postmarter General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 15th July, 1863.

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## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Return of Sale of Crown Lands, held on the 14th instant, is published for general information.

By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th July, 1863.

Schedule of Land Sold by Public Auction, on the 14th July 1863

No. of Lot.	Purchaser.	Fixed Annual Rent.	PREMIUM.
Farm. 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51	Granville Sharp, Granville Sharp, M. J. d'Aquino, R. C. R. Owen, A. Sassoon, M. J. d'Aquino, Granville Sharp, J. B. Taylor, A. Pestonjee, P. Framjee, A. Pestonjee, D. Ruttunjee,	87.00 16.00 22.00 15.00 18.00 32.00 36.00 24.00	\$\begin{align*} \mathbb{g} \\ 155 \\ 605 \\ 270 \\ 350 \\ 365 \\ 490 \\ 620 \\ 815 \\ 300 \\ 480 \\ 1,\ddot 20 \end{align*}
	Total,	363.00	6,490

CHAS. St. GEO. CLEVERLY, Surveyor General.