

No. 143.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

At the request of Her Majesty's Consul at Canton, the following Notification is published for general information.

By Order,

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th December, 1863.

## NOTIFICATION.

BRITISH CONSULATE,  
*Canton, 22nd December, 1863.*

The undersigned having received the instructions of Her Majesty's Government respecting the further settlement of the Canton Claims on the Chinese Indemnity, the same are hereby notified for the information of those interested.

1st. Interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum is to be allowed on admitted claims from the date of loss, to the dates of payment of the Principal, which in the case of the Factory property will be from the 15th day of December, 1856, to the 22nd day of October, 1861: for the amount payable on the First Certificate issued by Her Majesty's Minister at Peking, and from the 15th day of December, 1856, to the 22nd day of October, 1862, on the amount of the Second Certificate: or, 4 years 312 days, and 5 years 312 days on the certificates respectively.

2nd. Interest at the same rate to be paid on the other admitted claims from the time of loss to the 31st instant inclusive.

3rd. The sum allowed to be payable on presentation of a Certificate to the Officer in charge of the Treasury chest at Hongkong to be granted by the undersigned after the verification of the interest and the claims non-admitted.

4th. Each Claimant on receiving the Certificate for interest to give a receipt in acknowledgment thereof as accepted in full satisfaction of the claim to which it refers as per annexed form.

Subjoined is a list of the Claimants to whom the above arrangement applies who are requested to send to this Office the amount of their claims for interests for verification with as little delay as possible.

D. B. ROBERTSON,  
*H. B. M.'s Consul for Canton.*

## LIST of CLAIMS referred to in the foregoing Notification.

1 K. H. Camajee & Co.	53 J. Trubshaw.	108 Canton Bowling Alley.
2 Birley & Co.	55 S. A. Seth.	109 D. Poonjabhoy.
3 W. H. Wardley & Co.	56 W. W. Dale.	110 Richard Deacon.
4 A. Deacon.	57 The Post Office.	111 Cassumbhoy Nathabhoy.
5 Blenkin, Rawson & Co.	58 John Coleman.	112 C. S. Lungrana.
6 Eduljee Framjee Sons & Co.	59 A. J. Campbell.	114 Rev. J. H. Gray, M. A.
7 S. Short.	60 G. Marshall.	115 F. B. Johnson.
8 P. F. Cama & Co.	61 Gibb, Livingston & Co.	116 A. J. How.
9 Cowasjee Pallanjee & Co.	62 Adam Scott.	117 H. D. Margesson.
10 D. N. Mody & Co.	63 Jamasjee Pestonjee.	119 T. C. Piccope.
11 R. McGregor & Co.	64 R. Ruttonjee & Co.	121 R. H. Baldwin.
12 The Mercantile Bank of India.	65 Lindsay & Co.	122 T. K. Ashton.
13 Arthur Smith.	67 H. B. Lemann.	123 A. L. Agabega.
14 Mohommedbhoy Dossibhoy.	68 Canton Billiard Club.	124 R. D. Park.
15 Ahmedbhoy Ramtoola	69 John Silverlock.	125 D. J. Barradas.
16 Ameroodin Jafferbhoy.	70 John Darling.	126 W. Walkinshaw.
17 Vully Mohommed Allcobhoy.	71 G. Urnson.	127 E. A. Still.
18 P. & D. N. Camajee & Co.	72 Canton Fire Brigade.	128 Francis Porter.
19 Abdoollally Ebrahim & Co.	73 Russell & Co., for Eng. Constituents.	129 Hadjee Mohamed & M. M. Hossein.
20 Canton Library.	74 Dent & Co.	130 Antonio Xavier.
21 G. L. Agabeg.	74a Dent & Co.	131 John Butt.
22 Gifford & Co.	75 R. H. Chambers.	132 Henry Davis.
23 A. Wilkinson & Co.	76 W. M. Norton.	133 Thomas Smith.
24 Samuel Mackenzie.	77 O. Cleverly.	134 J. C. Couper.
25 Holliday, Wise & Co.	78 Lyall, Still & Co.	135 Gow & Co.
26 Reiss & Co.	79 F. B. & B. D. Metta & Co.	136 A. W. Grosvenor.
27 D. W. Mackenzie & Co.	80 R. S. R. Fussell.	137 George Brice.
28 Agra & U. S. Bank of India.	81 A. Roger.	139 Alladinbhoy Habibbhoy.
29 Solomon Ebrahim.	82 F. Ede.	140 R. Jardine.
30 Li-sien-sang.	83 John Cardo.	141 T. L. Larkin.
31 Bateson Butt & Co.	84 B. C. Bhabba.	142 E. Whittall.
32 Moul & Co.	85 M. Fischer.	143 G. V. W. Fisher.
34 Nowrojee & Co.	86 G. de St. Croix.	144 J. Whillall.
35 Muncherjee Pestonjee & Co.	89 Amerally Abdoollally.	145 Mrs. Couper.
36 Commercial Bank of India.	90 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	139a Seamen's Bethel.
37 Henry Rutter.	90a Jardine, Matheson & Co.	11a MacGregor & Co.
38 Chalmers & Co.	91 Habibbhoy Ebrahim Sons & Co.	85a M. Fischer.
39 Dr. Dickson.	92 Fletcher & Co.	39a Dr. Dickson.
41 Dr. Hobson.	93 Gilman & Co.	104a Dr. Kenny.
42 The Wesleyan Missionaries.	94 W. Allanson.	77a O. Cleverly.
44 The Canton Rooms.	95 D. W. Bottlewallah.	146 Herman Schaffer.
45 Church Society.	96 Ahmed Hadjee Esaac.	147 J. des Vander Hoevan.
46 Queen's Factory Gardes.	98 Hadjee Abdoola Nathan.	148 J. A. Tinaway.
47 Public Gardens.	99 A. Fincham.	83 Y. J. Murrow.
48 Murray & Co.	100 D. Sassoon Sons & Co.	120 Steamer <i>Queen</i> .
49 Oriental Bank Corporation.	102 Allarakia Adam.	154 Owners of cargo of ditto.
50 John Scarth.	103 William Dent.	155 Mrs. Cleverly.
51 Framjee Nowrojee.	104 B. Kenny.	156 Mrs. Couper.
52 S. P. Johannes.	105 Turner & Co.	

*Form of receipt with reference to Factory Property other claimants to give special receipts information regarding which can be obtained on personal application at this Consulate.*

I (or we) hereby acknowledge to have received from D. B. Robertson, Esquire, H. B. M.'s Consul at Canton Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ for the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ payable at sight by the Officer in charge of the Treasury chest in the Colony of Hongkong being the interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum on \$ \_\_\_\_\_ the amount contained in the 1st Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ granted for Indemnity for losses at Canton by Her Majesty's Minister at Peking from the 15th day of December, 1856 to the date thereof viz. the 22nd October 1861 and on \$ \_\_\_\_\_ the amount contained in the 2nd Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ payable 12 months after said date or from the 15th December, 1856, to the 22nd October, 1862: And I (or we) have hereby accepted the same as a settlement in full of my (or our) claim for losses incurred by me (or us) through the destruction of the Foreign Factories at Canton on the 14th day of December, 1856, and I (or we) hereby relinquish all further claims on Her Majesty's Government in respect thereof.

## WEATHER TABLE 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.
December 26,	30.40	59	30.38	59	30.34	64
" 27,	30.43	57	30.43	57	30.41	57
" 28,	30.40	57	30.37	58	30.37	59
" 29,	30.36	59	30.36	57	30.36	57
" 30,	30.36	55	30.35	56	30.30	55
" 31,	30.26	54	30.20	57	30.00	58
1864, January 1,	30.00	55	30.00	57	29.95	57

No. 9.—*List of DEAD LETTERS which have been returned from the General Post Office in London and other places for the various reasons assigned upon them, addressed as undermentioned, the writers of which can obtain them on application.*

Anderson, R. D., 33 Pine Street, New York, .....	1	Hart, Hyman E., No. 171, Delancy, New York,.....	1
Burton, G. W., Murfresboro, Tennessee, U. S. A., .....	2	Hubert, Monsieur, Orne, .....	1
Bureauel, Exma. Sra. D. Henriqueta de Baso, Sevilla, .....	1	Johnston, H. M., 30 Newton Road, Westbourne Grove, Bayswater, London, .....	1
Buiglei, P. T., Paris, .....	1	Lindford, Arch Street, Philadelphia,.....	1
Cothell, Mrs. M. L., care of N. Chapman East, Boston, Mass., U. S. A., .....	1	Morrison, Roderick, ship <i>Glenclune</i> of London, Amoy, .....	1
Dugas, Monsieur, Lyon,.....	1	Morgan, Jas., 118 upper Luson St., Dublin, .....	1
Dowling, Miss, St. Helias, Jersey,.....	1	Moss, Mrs., 5 Little Rutland Street, Bedford Square, Stepney, London, .....	1
De Renzy, care of Mrs. Davis, 6 Westbourne St., Everton, Liverpool,.....	1	Pitt, Mrs. William, 21 Promenade des Anglais, Nice, La France,.....	1
Drysdall, Mrs. A., 320 Great Homer St., Liverpool, .....	1	Pattison, Frederick, New Broad Street, London,.....	1
Emanuelen, Sr. Don Teodoro Ottomar, Melbourne,.....	1	Pouiter, 101 Regent Street, Westminster, London,.....	1
Ellissen, William, care of Mr. Green, 8 Grafton Terrace, Kentist Town, London, .....	1	Ryaall, E. C., H. M. 86th Regt., Cathan, England, .....	1
Elles & Brunt, Katherine St., Liverpool, .....	1	Stephenson, Mrs. M. A., 51 St. Thomas St., Portsmouth,.....	1
Fazeau, A., Bordeaux, France, .....	1	Staten, Mrs. Emma, Gate of Maine, U. S. A.,.....	1
Fanbaime, John, care of W. Walker & Co, Collins St., West, Melbourne, .....	1	Smith, Mrs. J., No. 18 St. James Terrace, Madwell, London, .....	1
Forsyth, A., care of R. D. Gracy, New Orleans, .....	1	Sinclair, Mr. Peter, No. 24 Precedance St., St. Heliers, Jersey, .....	1
Fandell, Miss Fanny, General Post Office, London,.....	1	Schaeffer, F. A., Nicolapsky,.....	1
Hardie, Mrs. James, Kervintraught St., Glasgow, .....	1	Winchell, Mrs. E. E., Maltford County, Conn, U. S. A., .....	1
Hall, Mr. J. W., 46 New Market, Dublin, Ireland, .....	1	Young, Mrs. Elizabeth, General Post Office, Liverpool,.....	1
Hicks, Miss Anne, No. 7, Maguire St., Vaudhall Road, Liverpool, .....	1		

General Post Office, Hongkong, 29th December, 1863.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.