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| | <i>Brought forward,</i> | 499,131.60 |
| GAOLS, | | 33,821.00 |
| CHARITABLE ALLOWANCES,..... | | 640.00 |
| TRANSPORT, | | 3,500.00 |
| WORKS AND BUILDINGS, | | 161,400.00 |
| ROADS, STREETS AND BRIDGES,..... | | 44,500.00 |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES, | | 24,500.00 |
| LAND AND HOUSES PURCHASED, | | 32,500.00 |
| MILITARY CONTRIBUTION, | | 94,200.00 |
| | TOTAL,..... | \$894,192.60 |

No. 130.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

H. P. DRUMMOND, late Fourth Clerk in the Colonial Treasury, having absconded, is dismissed the Service of this Government from the 19th Instant.

By Command,

CECIL C. SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 26th August, 1867.

No. 131.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Hydrographic Notice, forwarded through Messrs. LONEY & Co., of Yloilo, is published with the sanction of the Senior Naval Officer, for the information of Mariners and others whom it may concern.

By Command,

CECIL C. SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 27th August, 1867.

Reefs &c., in the Philippine Archipelago not noted in the Charts, communicated by Captain Fagg of the Spanish Merchant Steamer "SUD OESTE."

REEF off St. Fernando in Latitude about 16° 35' N., Longitude 0° 45' W. of Manila.—This reef I passed one morning under full steam when my attention was called by seeing the bottom quite clearly. I immediately stopped the Engines and took the following bearings. South point of the isthmus of San Fernando S. 50° E. and the Church of San Juan to the northward E. 10° N. These bearings are of course only approximations; I sounded first in 5 fathoms continued my course dead slow to the southward and had 5, 6, 6, 7, 9 and from thence out of soundings in 50 fathoms.

Another Reef also exists to the southward of the island of Sibuyan bearing from the Cresta del Gallo N.E. 4 to 5 miles. I have several times gone across this bank laying immediately in my track from Romblon to Zebu the least water I have found on it has been 5½ fathoms.

On Wednesday the 24th July when returning from the village of Tibiao where I had been to try and save the cargo of the Schooner *Isabel Segunda* lost on a Reef of Rocks that extends to the North and North East of the Island of Balbatan. I found myself suddenly over a Reef of Coral the bottom of which plainly visible. I immediately stopped the Engines and took the bearings of the Pueblo or Village of Nalupa distant about 2 to 2½ miles E. by S., some of the rocks seemed awash, and where the Steamer was, I had 1½ fathoms soundings varying. This Reef is well known to the small coasters on this coast although not marked in the charts.

Yloilo, Island of Panay, 31st July, 1867.

No. 132.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency The GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint CHARLES LANGDON DAVIES, Esquire, to act as Coroner in the absence of FREDERICK STEWART, Esquire, on vacation leave.

By Command,

CECIL C. SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 28th August, 1867.

WEATHER TABLES FOR THE PAST WEEK.

REGISTER AT HARBOR MASTER'S OFFICE, PRAYA WEST.

| 1867. | | 6 A.M. | | NOON. | | 6 P.M. | |
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| | | <i>Barometer.</i> | <i>Thermometer.</i> | <i>Barometer.</i> | <i>Thermometer.</i> | <i>Barometer.</i> | <i>Thermometer.</i> |
| August | 24 | 29.83 | 82 | 29.80 | 85 | 29.83 | 85 |
| " | 25 | 29.84 | 82 | 29.79 | 85 | 29.70 | 85 |
| " | 26 | 29.74 | 83 | 29.75 | 85 | 29.72 | 84 |
| " | 27 | 29.70 | 83 | 29.74 | 87 | 29.75 | 85 |
| " | 28 | 29.75 | 84 | 29.73 | 87 | 29.70 | 86 |
| " | 29 | 29.69 | 85 | 29.65 | 87 | 29.63 | 86 |
| " | 30 | 29.63 | 84 | 29.63 | 86 | 29.65 | 86 |

REGISTER AT BLOCK HOUSE, VICTORIA PEAK.
Height above Sea Level 1,770 feet.

| DATE. | BAROMETER. | | | | | HYDROMETER. | | | | | | THERMOMETER. | | WINDS. | | | | | | REMARKS AS TO WEATHER. | |
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| | 6 A.M. | 9 A.M. | NOON. | 3 P.M. | 6 P.M. | DRY BULB. | | | WET BULB. | | | Self-Registering. | | Force, range from 0 to 12. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 6 A.M. | NOON. | 6 P.M. | 6 A.M. | NOON. | 6 P.M. | Min. | Max. | 6 A.M. | | NOON. | | 6 P.M. | | | |
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| 1867. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aug. 24 | 28.20 | 28.23 | 28.22 | 28.17 | 28.14 | 74.00 | 78.00 | 76.05 | 73.05 | 74.05 | 74.05 | 74.05 | 79.05 | SW | 1 | SbW | 1 | SSW | 3 | Passing fog; from 9.30 A.M. fine clear weather. | |
| " 25 | 28.14 | 28.18 | 28.17 | 28.10 | 28.09 | 75.00 | 77.05 | 77.05 | 72.05 | 75.00 | 74.00 | 75.00 | 79.05 | NW | 1 | SW | 3 | SW | 1 | Do. | |
| " 26 | 28.10 | 28.13 | 28.13 | 28.08 | 28.07 | 74.05 | 78.00 | 76.05 | 74.00 | 74.00 | 74.00 | 74.05 | 78.05 | S | 3 | SbW | 3 | SbW | 1 | Do. | |
| " 27 | 28.07 | 28.11 | 28.11 | 28.09 | 28.07 | 74.05 | 78.05 | 76.05 | 74.00 | 74.00 | 74.00 | 74.05 | 79.00 | SW | 3 | SbE | 1 | S | 1 | Passing fog; from 9.45 A.M. clear but cloudy. | |
| " 28 | 28.12 | 28.14 | 28.14 | 28.09 | 28.06 | 75.00 | 79.05 | 77.00 | 73.05 | 75.05 | 73.05 | 75.00 | 81.00 | SSW | 2 | SbW | 2 | SW | 1 | Fine throughout. | |
| " 29 | 28.05 | 28.08 | 28.08 | 28.07 | 28.00 | 75.05 | 80.00 | 79.00 | 74.00 | 77.00 | 74.05 | 76.00 | 80.00 | SW | 3 | Calm | — | NWbW | 3 | Passing fog; from 9.30 A.M. fine; afternoon distant thunder at intervals. | |
| " 30 | 28.00 | 28.03 | 28.03 | 27.98 | 27.96 | 76.05 | 81.00 | 77.00 | 74.00 | 77.00 | 74.00 | 77.00 | 84.00 | NbW | 2 | S | 1 | Calm | — | Fine though heavy and cloudy; afternoon passing fog and slight rain and distant thunder at intervals; 6 P.M. very fine. | |

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

List of unclaimed LETTERS and PAPERS lying in the Hongkong Post Office for Parties not known, 30th August, 1867.

| Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. |
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| Aigremont, Monsr. 1 | Clark, Allan 1 | Fryer, J. (Steward) 3 | Lamprey, Jones 1 | Peters, J. C. 1 | Souza, Jose 1 | | |
| Aytie, Miss 1 | Caysle, John 1 | Gelbrecht, Otto 1 | Lyon, Marius 2 | Capt. 1 | Stewart C. E. 1 | | |
| Adam, James 1 | Compton, J. S. 2 | Greenfield, Chs. M. 1 | Lavalette, S. Mon. 1 | Porter, Thos. 1 | Chief Officer 1 | | |
| Amoo, Mr. 1 | Cauvra, F. 1 | Gordon, John 1 | Mendonça, Thomé G. 1 | Pratt, G. S. 1 | Satien, F. 1 | | |
| Abong, Mr. 1 | Clarke, Edwd. 1 | Glennie, Peter 5 | Marshall, Thomas Mr. 5 | Powers, Hy. (Engineer) 1 | Seaton, Wm. A. 1 | | |
| Boardman, Wm. (Engineer) 1 | Chatain, J. B. Monsr. 1 | Girolamo, Perotti 1 | Mitchell, Scott & Co. 1 | Priener, A. J. 1 | Souza, Cordiano 1 | | |
| Brown, Hy. 2 | Chock, Along Mr. 1 | Graham, Chas. 1 | Mori, Giuseppe 1 | Quong Veng Ki 1 | Smith, Louisa Miss 1 | | |
| Bowley, G. 1 | Cheong, Sun Mr. 1 | Grant, James (Seaman) 1 | Morice, W.W. 1 | Rowan, Chs. E. 2 | Saunders, J. C. 1 | | |
| Becker, Mr. 1 | Coward, Miss 1 | Gottschalk, F. 2 | Morieux, H. C. 1 | Robertson, D. E. 1 | Stevens, Wm. 1 | | |
| Bridgett, Ronald 2 | Curramy, R. P. 1 | Gardner, C. J. 1 | Murton, N. 2 | Roza, J. H. 1 | Smith, O. 1 | | |
| Borgan, A. 1 | Curvino, G. S. 1 | Gibson, Henry 1 | Murton, N. 2 | Reeve, H. Capt. 1 | Todd, Geo. 2 | | |
| Brown, A. 1 | Chock, Along 1 | Gibiez, Victor Monsr. 1 | Monteiro, Sta. 1 | Rozario do, Guilhermina 1 | Taylor, P. H. 1 | | |
| Brohn, F. C. 1 | Darrell, N. B. 1 | Grant, Geo. 1 | Anna Caetano 1 | M. Snra. 1 | Thompson, J. & Co. 1 | | |
| Brandt, Paul 1 | Defries, Josephe Monsr. 1 | Gemma, Miss 1 | Mitchell, Wm. 1 | Radeny, B. 1 | Twigg, A. 1 | | |
| Blanc, Louis, Monsr. 1 | Dainsel, Mrs. 1 | Hanssen, H. H. 1 | McNicol, Peter 1 | Roberts, Henry 1 | Taylor, Albert 1 | | |
| Brent, Walter 2 | Dale, Eben 2 | Huston, S. Mr. 1 | Millett, F. G. 1 | Rutter James 5 | Taylor, N. S. 1 | | |
| Borlase, Jas. S. Mrs. 1 | Dalbert, A. H. 1 | Held, Georges 1 | Maclagan, Robt. 1 | Raphael, R. S. 2 | | | |
| Blossom, Jerry 1 | Dalrymple Fred. 1 | Higginson, E. J. Capt. 1 | Major, F. 1 bk. | Rudolf Ricardo 1 | Warren, Robt. 1 | | |
| Barberry, A. & Co. 1 | Donough, J. 1 | Hugh, Mr. 1 | Moore, F. Wm. 1 | Roberts, Wm. (Engineer) 1 | Wright, W. 1 | | |
| Bois, P. du 1 | Davis, John H. 1 | Hannahs, Geo. F. 1 | Murton, N. 2 | Rangel, Anto. N. 1 | Wilson, D. 1 | | |
| Burns, W. Mr. 1 | Daley, Richard 1 | Hine, Nelson M. 1 | Monteiro, Sta. 1 | Scott, H. 1 | William 1 | | |
| Burkett, Capt. 1 | Eastlack, C. W. Dr. 1 | Inglis, A. Mr. 1 | Anna Caetano 1 | Shields, Robt. 1 | Wright, R. J. 1 | | |
| Braddon Com-mander 1 | Espinosa, Juan L. Sr. Dr., Consul General del Peru 2 | Jonas, Thomas 1 | Martin, W. 1 | Sharpe, C. F. Capt. 1 | Wilson John 1 | | |
| Barker, E. Mrs. 1 | Englesham, Capt. 1 | Kingsley, S. O. 1 registd. | Macadam, Wm. (Engineer) 1 | Smith, R. 1 | Williams, Fred. 1 | | |
| Borboen, L. 1 | Fore, William 1 | King, J. E. 1 | Mello, Pedro de 1 | Simpson, James 1 | Wilson, Geo. 3 | | |
| Behagen, M. 1 | Furst, William 1 | Keerzema, I. H. 1 | Nolan, M. Capt. 1 | Stewart, Messrs. & Co. 1 | Ward, Emely 1 | | |
| Collens, J. S. 1 | Fries, de Joseph 1 registd. | Kay, Robert 2 | Nanneumacher, N. 1 | Woolford, J. I. 1 | Wray, Wm. 1 | | |
| Collins, W. H. 1 | Field, A. W. 1 | Lichfield, John 1 | Northcott, Jas. B. 1 | Wilt, Wm. 1 | Wakefield, F. 2 | | |
| Revd., Pekin 1 | Field, James B. 1 | Lapoldt, Nina Mrs. 1 | Norris, Thomas 1 | Williams, J. Edwd. 1 | Wilson, J. A. Capt. 1 | | |
| Cornabe, W. A. 1 | | Lopez, Luis 1 | Oliver, Rose 2 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | Webb, James 1 | | |
| Carretal & Co. 1 | | Lourenço, Caetano J. 1 | Oates, Thomas 1 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Carter, H. 1 | | Leffen, J. B. 1 | Oong Fu, Mr. 1 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Conradsen, P. C. 1 | | Laserte, De Chs. 1 | Ozorio, Carlos A. 1 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Cochrane, Wm. 1 | | Lec, Monsr. 1 | Patmore, H. J. 1 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Ceaton, H. N. 1 registd. | | | Paoleon 2 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Chatfield, Chs. Capt. 1 | | | Piñeyro, F. 2 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Chavez Filomeno 1 | | | Padgham, G. Capt. 1 | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |
| Clark, Douglas 1 | | | | Wilson, J. A. 1 | | | |

List of LETTERS and PAPERS lying at the Hongkong Post Office for Merchant Vessels, 30th August, 1867.

| Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. |
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| Ada 2 | Courier 1 | Hadasah 1 | Laurel 1 | Pembrokeshire 2 | Sardinia 8 | | |
| Aden 1 | Corypheus 1 | Henriette 5 | Leon 2 | Pallais Gallien 2 | Shunlee 2 | | |
| Atrevida 1 | Chetah 1 | Harkaway 1 | Lucerne 1 | President 1 | Sultana 3 | | |
| Anna Maria 1 | City of Manchester 1 | Henry Handley 2 | Libra 1 | Penang 1 | Sir William Wallace 1 | | |
| Agenoria 1 | Charmont 1 | Hugh Fortesque 7 | Luisita 1 | Palmerston 1 | Stella 1 | | |
| Amicus 1 | Clio 2 | Herald 5 | Monarchy 1 | Pacific 2 | Sabastian Cabot 4 | | |
| Argonaute 1 | Conqueror 1 | Helen 3 | Margaretha Simonette 1 | Peiho 2 | | | |
| Alhambra 1 | Co ea 1 | Heroes of Alma 2 | Monarch 6 | Penguin 1 | T. E. Boyd 1 | | |
| Arc-en-Ciel 1 | Cleta 2 | Henriette Gerardina 1 | Mirella 1 | Pride of the Ganges 1 | Tavistock 1 | | |
| Abbotsford 2 | Cymbeline 1 | Sussanne 1 | Maiden Queen 1 | Prudhoe 1 | Tyater Leong 1 | | |
| Arima 1 | Dunmail 1 | Home 1 | Martaban 1 | Queen of England 4 | Tamerlane 2 | | |
| Admiral Charner 1 | Dilpussund 1 | Isabella Ridley 2 | Melros 1 | Qu. of the Age 1 | Tonia 2 | | |
| Burdeos Habana No. 2 1 | Eastfield 1 | Ines 1 | Min 2 | Rosa del Faria 3 | Union 2 | | |
| Bella of the Sea 2 | Ellen 1 | Indomitabile 1 | Maggie Lauder 1 | Rudolph 1 | | | |
| Bengalen 4 | Eva 2 | Ille et Vilaine 1 | Maria Elizabeth 1 | Rantilope 2 | Vesta 2 | | |
| Burdwan 3 | Englishman 1 | John Fraser 1 | Malvern 7 | Regent 2 | Vigil 1 | | |
| Birch Grove 1 | Emerald 1 | Jem of the Ocean 2 | Maria Morton 2 | Reindeer 1 | Viscount Canning 1 | | |
| Baniam 7 | Ecliptic 1 | Japan 2 | Morning Star 2 | Rome 1 | Viscount 1 | | |
| Belle of the South 21 | Flora 1 | Jenie 1 | Northumberland 1 | Reconnaissance 8 | Vision 2 | | |
| Blairmore 1 | Formica 1 | Japara 1 | Newcastle 6 | Ramsey 7 | Vander Palm 3 | | |
| Bosphorus 1 | Free Trade 1 | Juanita 1 | New Granada 1 | Resolution 1 | Ville de Grenade 2 | | |
| Charmian 1 | Falcon 1 | Jane Avery 1 | Nothumbria 5 | Regina 1 | | | |
| Crimea 2 | Feordres 1 | John Milton 1 | Norwood 1 | Red Deer 2 | Walga 1 | | |
| Catherine Elizabeth 7 | Foam 2 | Kim Joo Hong 2 | Neptune 1 | St. Aubin 2 | Wealth of Nations 2 | | |
| Chine 1 | Golden Fleece 10 | Katarina Maria 1 | Omar Pacha 3 | Silome 4 | Water Witch 2 | | |
| Chusan 1 | Gazelle 1 | Lobelia 6 | Onward 5 | Shanghae 2 | Wild Gazelle 1 | | |
| Cedars 6 | Gamecock 1 | Lauderdale 2 | Ocean Child 1 | Servantes 2 | Water Lily 1 | | |
| Cosmos 10 | Glenroy 3 | Lord Clyde 2 | Osprey 6 | Sarah Scott 2 | | | |
| Capiolina 3 | Gladiateur 1 | Lima 1 | Onega 1 | Star of China 2 | Yokohama 1 | | |
| Challenger 1 | Guajara 1 | Lyeemooon 1 | Pocahontas 2 | Sea Flower 4 | Yangtze 2 | | |
| | | | | Stuart Wortley 3 | Yvonne 1 | | |