

No. 170.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, in accordance with Section 12 of "The Police and Lighting Rate Ordinance, 1863," His Excellency the GOVERNOR, by and with the Advice of the Executive Council, has fixed the Police Rate for the Year 1868 at Ten and a quarter per cent for Houses in the City of Victoria; and in accordance with Section 18 of the same Ordinance at Five per cent for Houses in the Villages of this Island.

The above Rate, as regards Houses in Victoria, will be levied exclusive of a Lighting Rate of One and a half per cent under Section 12 of the above Ordinance, and a Water Rate of Two per cent per Annum under the Provisions of Ordinance No. 12 of 1860.

The Police, Lighting and Water Rates will, under terms of the Ordinances, be payable Quarterly in advance, at the Colonial Treasury, between the first and last Days of the first Month in each Quarter.

These several Rates shall be charged and chargeable on and recoverable from the Owners of the Tenements in respect of which the above assessment has been made.

By Command,

CECIL C. SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th December, 1867.

No. 172.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Under the Provisions of Ordinance No. 11 of 1844, Notice is hereby given that a Special Sessions of the Justices of the Peace will be held at the Police Magistrates' Court, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Thursday, the 9th Day of January, 1868; and thereafter on the first Thursday of every Month, for the purpose of considering applications for granting or transferring Spirit Licenses.

Such applications to be lodged at the Police Magistrates' Court, at least Ten Days before each of the Sessions now notified.

By Command,

CECIL C. SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th December, 1867.

NOTICE.

Applications for Passage Broker's Licenses for the Year 1868, under Ordinance No. 11 of 1857, will be received at this Office from this date up to the 31st December next.

Applicants are requested to state the names and addresses of the Parties they offer as Sureties, under Clause I of the Ordinance aforesaid.

Medical Men desirous of practising under the Emigration Act and local Emigration Ordinances whose Diplomas are not already registered, are requested to send them to this Office for Registration, otherwise their Certificates will not be received.

H. G. THOMSETT,
Harbor Master, &c.

Emigration Office, Hongkong, 5th November, 1867.

WEATHER TABLES FOR THE PAST WEEK.

REGISTER AT HARBOR MASTER'S OFFICE, PRAYA WEST.

1867.	6 A.M.		NOON.				6 P.M.	
	Baro- meter.	Thermo- meter.	Baro- meter.	Thermo- meter.	THERMOMETER.		Baro- meter.	Thermo- meter.
					Self Registering.			
					Min.	Max.		
December 14	30.27	64	30.30	67	63	67	30.26	65
" 15	30.27	64	30.33	68	66	68	30.26	67
" 16	30.39	61	30.34	65	60	70	30.34	63
" 17	30.37	57	30.32	62	54	65	30.32	59
" 18	30.29	56	30.26	64	55	64	30.27	61
" 19	30.27	56	30.25	65	55	65	30.23	60
" 20	30.21	56	30.20	65	57	67	30.15	64

REGISTER AT BLOCK HOUSE, VICTORIA PEAK.

Height above Sea Level 1,770 feet.

DATE.	BAROMETER.					HYDROMETER.						THERMO-METER.		WINDS.						RAIN. Inches during the previous 24 hours.	REMARKS AS TO WEATHER.				
	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.							
														Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.						
1867.																									
Dec. 14	28.40	28.47	28.59	28.54	28.38	54.00	56.00	59.00	52.00	54.05	53.00	54.00	61.05	E	4	EbN	5	EbN	2	0.00	Fine but very hazy.				
15	28.40	28.50	28.69	28.68	28.41	55.00	63.05	67.00	54.00	57.00	55.00	55.00	64.05	EbN	4	EbN	1	NbE	1	0.60	Dense fog; from 8.30 A.M. fine but hazy.				
16	28.36	28.49	28.58	28.62	28.45	52.05	57.05	54.05	47.00	49.00	45.05	52.05	68.00	NNE	6	NbE	3	NE	5	0.00	Passing fog; from 10 A.M. fine but hazy.				
17	28.38	28.52	28.68	28.64	28.40	48.00	57.00	53.05	39.05	45.00	46.00	48.00	60.00	NbN	3	ENE	2	NNW	1	0.60	Fine but very hazy.				
18	28.38	28.49	28.63	28.63	28.39	49.00	57.05	55.05	41.00	48.05	50.00	49.00	60.05	ENE	4	NbE	1	NbE	1	0.00	Do.				
19	28.36	28.48	28.63	28.60	28.35	52.00	61.05	58.00	46.00	51.00	50.05	52.00	63.00	NE	5	NbN	1	N	1	0.60	Do.				
20	28.31	28.41	28.54	28.54	28.27	54.00	61.00	57.00	48.00	54.00	48.00	54.00	64.00	ENE	4	E	3	E	4	0.00	Fine but hazy.				

No. 38.—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, Catherine Miss, 19, Lower Grove Street, Commercial Road, East, London,	1	Hill, Richard, Esq., Ship Broker, Liverpool,	1
Argento, Francisco, Brig "Carmen,"	2	James, Mrs., Post Office, Sydney,	1
Almeida, A. A., Messrs., Macao,	1	Jamieson, R., Editor, "North China Herald," Shanghai,	1
Baron, F. H., Esq., Wicklon Hall, Wicklon, Ireland,	1	Knowles, Capt. W., "Glendoveer,"	1
Brown, H., care of Mr. H. Berens,	1	Kerr, J. G., M.D., Canton,	1
Barrs, Esq., Paymaster, H.M.S. "Rattler,"	1	Killek, Mrs., No. 123, Brunswick Street, Hackney Road, East, London,	1
Black, Capt., "Surah,"	2	Littlewood, W., View Point, Sandhurst,	1
Bingham, H., Capt., "Jane Leach,"	1	Long, Depy. Comy. Gerl.,	1
Bernal, A.,	3	Lawler, Margaret, Sydney,	1
Black, Capt., "Ensign,"	1	Latham, Mrs., Poste Restante, Mentone, France,	1
Burrows, Capt., "Black River Packet,"	1	McBean, T. R., "Iron Prince,"	6
Brunton, Capt., "Young Lochinvar,"	1	Monteith, G. D.,	1
Lasnoto, Lorenzo, Barca Espanhola, "Shanghai,"	1	Mary, Ann, Mrs., Greens Lane, Little Consdale St., East, Melbourne, next Green's Livery Stable, Melbourne,	1
Baptiste J. S., Foochow,	1	McKenzie, & Co., Melbourne,	1
Bachulder, N. A., Capt., "George Raynes,"	1	Moore, H. C.,	1
Black, Capt., "Omar Pascha,"	1	May, F. Neville,	1
Clough, B., Capt., "Northern Light,"	1	Munier, P., Madame, 22, Boulevard de Michel, Paris,	1
Clarke, Lieut., 29, Regt.,	2	Miller, Robt., Esq., Dublin,	1
Crawford, Patrick, Sydney,	1	Mcwat, S., Esq., Solicitor, St. James Street, Newcastle on Tyne, England,	1
Clarkson, R. M., Capt.,	1	Mallia, P., Mrs., 4, Strada Mezzodi, Valetta, Malta,	1
Crickton, Robert, Sandy Creek, Tarnagully, Victoria, Australia,	1	Norton, Ellen, Mrs., No. 2, Gloucester Villas, Talbot Road, Camden Road, London,	1
Dawson, Ann, Miss, No. 46, Graudy Street, Newtown, Poplar, London,	1	Oliver, Capt., care of D. Sassoon Sons & Co.,	2
Drake, John, "Onward,"	1	Porter, James,	1
Davidson, W. M., 205, Glass Terrace, Gertrude Street, Collingwood, Melbourne,	1	Pattenson, A. S., "Morning Star,"	1
Dunn, Frank, Capt., sch. "S. Allen,"	1	Rafin, De, Monsieur, "Guajara,"	2
Duncan, Geo., Capt., "William Melhuish," Sydney,	1	Robertson, Mr.,	1
Edwards, J. B.,	1	Roberts, John,	1
Elliot, Mrs., New South Wales,	1	Riske, Capt., "Lightfoot,"	1
Elorday, S.,	1	Ryder, Sophia, Miss, 30, Grenville Place, Brighton, Sussex, England,	1
Fraser, Duncan, "Wild Deer,"	1	Sell, Mr., care of Revd. E. E. Lord, Ningpo,	1
Fettis, D., "Hongkong,"	1	Schmidt, Capt., "Ta-lu,"	1
Fitcher, Mrs., No. 4, Commodore Court, High Street, Poplar, London,	1	Shanegan, H.,	1
Georgie, Vargano, Esq., Shamo, Greece,	1	Smith, Geo., Melbourne,	1
Gregory, Isaac, Esq., Chief Officer of Ship "Cossipor," to kind care of Messrs. Dalgety, Buckley & Co., Port Lyt'hton, Canterbury, New Zealand,	1	Scapellino, Luigi Girotti,	1
Gardner, Capt., "Maggie McLean,"	2	Stoddard, Thos. F., 155, Howard Street, Detrach, Michigan, U. S. A.,	1
Green, W., Passenger of Str. "London," care of Messrs. Bacon & Co., Adelaide, S. A.,	1	Smith & Tower, Messrs., New York, U. S. A.,	1
Garnier, Mon., "E. F. Conqueror,"	1	Veneroni, Guiseppe,	1
Houghton, Mrs., care of Colonel Freeman, 22nd Regt., M. N. I., Bangalore,	1	Vaschald, Fils, Monsr.,	1
Herffernan, Mrs., G. P. O., Melbourne,	1	Valencia, Jose,	1
Hart, R., Post Office, Singapore,	1	Vicent, John, Port Natal,	1
Hawkins, Thos. E., G. P. O., Sydney, N. S. W.,	1	Withers, Capt., "Ellenborough,"	1
Higgs, Florence, Miss, Chez Mde. Brulley, Sainte Marie des Champs, Chatilloa sous Bagneux, pres, Fontenay aux Roses, pres, Paris,	1	Wardlaw, J. B., Sydney,	1
Hooper & Co., Alt, Messrs., London,	1	Willberg, E. Mrs., Melbourne,	1
		Woodruff, Capt., "Antipodes,"	1
		Wood, E. E., Miss, Post Office, San Francisco, California,	1
		Wright, Chas. L. & Co., Boston,	1
		Wicks, Mr., No. 4, John Street, Commercial Road, E., London,	1

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.