No. 106.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given, that the Queen's Exequatur empowering M. Musso to act as Italian Consulat this port, received Her Majesty's signature on the 27th February, 1879.

By Command,

W. H. MARSH,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1879.

No. 107.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Criminal Calendar at the April Sessions is published for general information.

By Command,

W. H. Marsh,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1879.

## CRIMINAL CALENDAR—APRIL SESSIONS, 1879.

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No.	Names.	CRIMES.	DAY OF TRIAL.	VERDICT.	SENTENCE.
1	Fung A-yau,		Postponed to 30th April, 1879.		
2	Wong A-sing,	1. Larceny from the Person. 2. Previous conviction. 3. ", "	Apr. 18th.	Guilty on all counts.	18th April. Three years' Penal Servitude.
3	Leung A-tsün,	Larceny from the Person.	Apr. 18th.	Guilty.	18th April. One year's Imprisonment with hard labour.
4	Chan A-hi, and Wong-Kai-Lam, .	<ol> <li>Breaking, entering, and stealing in a Dwelling House.</li> <li>Assault. Chan A-hi only.</li> <li>Previous conviction. Chan A-hi only.</li> <li>" " "</li> <li>" "</li> </ol>	_	Both prisoners guilty on 1st count. Chan A-hi guilty on 2nd count. Pleads guilty to 3rd, 4th & 5th counts.	18th April.  Chan A-hi,—Five years' Penal Servitude on the 1st count, and one year's Imprisonment on 2nd count, to be contemporaneous with first sentence.  Wong-Kai-Lam,—One year's Imprisonment with hard labour.
5	Chan A-sap, and Lau A-chün,	2. Previous conviction, Law A Chiin	Apr. 18th.	Both prisoners guilty on 1st count. Lau A-chiin pleads guilty to 2nd & 3rd counts.	18th April. Chan A-sap,—Two years' Imprisonment with hard labour. Lau A-chün,—Three years' Penal Servitude.
6	Un A-cheung,	<ol> <li>Child Stealing.</li> <li>Enticing away a Child with intent to deprive the Father of possession of said Child.</li> <li>Detaining a Child with intent to deprive the Father of possession of said Child.</li> </ol>	Apr. 18th.	Guilty on 1st & 3rd counts. Not guilty on 2nd count.	19th April. On 1st count,—Three years' Penal Servitude, to be kept in Solitary Confinement, three terms of one month cach, in each year. On the 2nd count,—Three years' Penal Servitude, to be kept in Solitary Confinement, three terms of one month each, in each year, both sentences concurrent.
7	Tsang A-mui, {	<ol> <li>Larceny from the Person with Violence being armed.</li> <li>Assault and Wounding, being armed.</li> </ol>	Apr. 18th.	Not guilty.*	

The evidence of identity was too weak to allow of a conviction. It was clear, however, that an assault and robbery had been committed by some one.

As to Cases Nos. 2, 3 and 4.

As to Cases Nos. 5, 6 and 7.

JOHN SMALE, Chief Justice.

JNO. J. FRANCIS,
Acting Puisne Judge.

Č. B. PLUNKET, Registrar.

