

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 384.

Tenders for Contracts for the supply of the articles included in the undermentioned Schedules, for the Government Civil and Lock Hospitals, and Lunatic Asylum, from the 1st December, 1886, to 1st December, 1887, will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Saturday, 13th November.

**CIVIL HOSPITAL.**

**Schedule No. 1.—(Provisions).**

**DIET SCALE.**

**EUROPEAN, FULL DIET.**

*Breakfast.*

Fish, .....	8 oz.
or	
Eggs, .....	4
Lread, .....	8 "
Sugar, white, .....	1 "
Butter, .....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Salt, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

*Dinner.*

Beefsteak, .....	} .....	8 oz.
or		
Mutton Chop, .....		
Soup, { Beef, .....	} 1 pt.	
{ Vegetables, ...		
{ Pearl Barley, ..		
Potatoes, .....	8 oz.	
Pepper, .....	1 dr.	

*Supper.*

Bread, .....	8 oz.
Sugar, .....	1 "
Butter, .....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

At cents per ration.

**HALF DIET.**

Fish, fresh, cleaned, .....	8 oz.
Bread, .....	8 "
Sugar, white, .....	1 "
Butter, .....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Salt, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

Eggs, .....	2
Soup, { Beef, .....	} 1 pt.
{ Vegetables, ...	
{ Pearl Barley, ..	
Rice, .....	4 oz.
Pepper, .....	1 dr.

Bread, .....	8 oz.
Sugar, white, .....	1 "
Butter, .....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

At cents per ration.

**LOW DIET.**

Oatmeal, .....	3 oz.
Sugar, white, .....	1 "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Salt, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

Bread, .....	8 oz.
Beeftea, (Beef, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.), .....	1 pt.
Pepper, .....	1 dr.

Sago, .....	2 oz.
Sugar, .....	1 "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

At cents per ration.

**INDIAN FULL DIET.**

*Breakfast.*

Eggs, .....	4
or	
Fish, cleaned, .....	8 oz.
Rice, .....	12 "
Sugar, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Salt, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Pepper, .....	1 dr.

*Supper.*

Chicken, live, .....	12 oz.
or	
Fish, cleaned, .....	8 "
Rice, .....	12 "
Curry Stuff, .....	1 ct.
Ghee, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Sugar, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

At cents per ration.

**LOW DIET.**

Sago, .....	4 oz.
Sugar, .....	1 "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Salt, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

Rice, .....	8 oz.
Chicken, live (for Soup), .....	12 "
Pepper, .....	1 dr.

At cents per ration.

**CHINESE FULL DIET.**

*Breakfast.*

Rice, .....	12 oz.
Pork, .....	1 "
Fish, .....	2 "
Greens, .....	2 "
Salt Fish, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
Bean Sprouts, .....	6 "
Soy, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Salt, .....	2 dr.

*Supper.*

Rice, .....	12 oz.
Pork, .....	1 "
Fish, .....	2 "
Greens, .....	2 "
Salt Fish, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
Lily Root, .....	6 "
Soy, .....	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
Tea, .....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "
Pepper, .....	1 dr.

At cents per ration.

LOW DIET.

Sago, .....	4 oz.	Rice, .....	8 oz.
Sugar, .....	1 "	Beef (for tea), .....	8 "
Tea, .....	1/4 "	Tea, .....	1/4 "
Salt, .....	2 dr.	Pepper, .....	1 dr.

At cents per ration.

Extras.

\$ c.		\$ c.	
Calves Feet, .....	each, ..	Ghee, .....	per lb.,...
Pearl Barley, .....	per lb.,...	Dhall, .....	" "
Mutton, .....	" "	Oatmeal, .....	" "
Fish, fresh, cleaned, .....	" "	Mustard, .....	per bottle,
Fish, fresh, .....	" "	Bread, white, .....	per lb.,...
Fowls, cleaned, .....	" "	Beefsteak, .....	" "
Bacon, live, .....	" "	Beef for Tea, .....	" "
Bacon, American, .....	" "	Beef for Soup, .....	" "
Ham, American, .....	" "	Pork-chop, .....	" "
Ducks, live, .....	" "	Pork, Fat, .....	" "
Sago, fine, .....	" "	Pork, Lard, .....	" "
Arrowroot, West Indian, .....	" "	Coffee, unroasted, .....	" "
Tea, best Congou, .....	" "	Sugar, Brown, Refined, .....	per lb.,...
Plantains, .....	" "	Sugar, white, .....	" "
Lemons, .....	" "	Sugar, loaf, .....	10 "
Suet, .....	" "	Rice, best, .....	" "
Pigeons, .....	each, ..	Cabbage, .....	" "
Flour, .....	per lb.,...	Greens, .....	" "
Pumpkins, .....	" "	Sheep's or Bullock's Liver, .....	" "
Potatoes, Irish, .....	" "	Oranges, .....	" "
Potatoes, sweet, .....	" "	Lychees, .....	" "
Yams, .....	" "	Eggs, Fowls', .....	per doz.,
Carrots, .....	" "	Syrup, Golden, .....	per 12 qt. bottles,
Butter, best quality, .....	" "	Onions, .....	per lb.,...
Cheese, .....	" "	Milk, Preserved, .....	per doz.,
Salt, Table, .....	" "	Pepper, Ground, .....	per lb.,...
Salt, coarse for Cooking, .....	" "	Soy, Chinese, .....	" "

Schedule No. 2.—(Milk.)

Milk, Cows', .....	per Imperial quart	cents.
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CIVIL HOSPITAL.

Schedule No. 3.—(Bedding and Clothing.)

\$ c.		\$ c.	
Mattresses, Coir, 6 1/4 ft. x 3 ft. (25 lbs.).....each, ..	..	Trowsers, Blue Serge, .....	each
" Horse Hair .....	" "	Towels, Huckaback (3 1/3 feet long), .....	per doz. .
Pillows, Coir, 2 ft. 6 in. long, 1 ft. wide, (4 lbs.), ..	" "	" " " " fine, .....	" "
" Horse Hair, " " " " (3 lbs.), ..	" "	Sheets, 2 1/2 yards x 1 1/4 yards, seamless, .....	each, ..
" Cotton Wool, " " " " (3 lbs.), ..	" "	Pillow Covers, empty, .....	" "
Pillow Cases, Cotton, 2 ft. 9 in. x 1 ft. 3 in., ..	" "	Mattresses, .....	" "
Sleeping Jackets, Cotton, .....	" "	Shoes, Chinese for Attendants, .....	per pair .
" Pyjamas, .....	" "	Stockings " " " " .....	" "
" Jackets, Flannel, .....	" "	Garters " " " " .....	" "
" Pyjamas, .....	" "	Caps " " " " .....	each, ..
Long Coats, Blue Serge with Flannel lining, ..	" "		

Schedule No. 4.—(Sundries.)

\$ c.		\$ c.	
Fire Wood, .....	at ..	Lime, .....	per lb.,...
Charcoal, .....	per lb.,...	White Wax, .....	" "
Lamp Oil, .....	" "	Yellow " " " " .....	" "
Lamp Wick, .....	" "	Turpentine 1 Tin (5 gal.), .....	each, ..
T-cloth 8 lbs. Calico, .....	per piece of 24 yards,	Linseed Oil, " " " " .....	" "
Waste paper, .....	per picul,	Tumblers, common, .....	" "
Brooms, Coir and Bamboo, .....	each, ..	Black Pots, common, .....	" "
Cotton Wool, .....	per lb.,...	" No. 1, 2 and 4, .....	per doz.,
Saucepans, Earthen, .....	per doz.,	" " 8, 16 and 32, .....	" "
Dust Pans (Tin), .....	each, ..	" " 48 and 64, .....	" "
Soda, Washing, .....	per lb.,...	White Pots, per set of three 2nd, 3rd and } 4th sizes, .....	per doz.,
Soap, .....	" "		

Schedule No. 5.—(Washing.)

Bedding and Clothing, .....	per 100 pieces,	\$ cents.
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**LOCK HOSPITAL.**

**Schedule No. 1.—(Provisions).**

**EUROPEAN, FULL DIET.**

*Breakfast.*

*Dinner.*

*Supper.*

Fish, fresh, cleaned,.....	8 oz.
or	
Eggs,.....	4
Bread,.....	8 oz.
Sugar, white,.....	1 "
Butter,.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

Beefsteak,.....	8 oz.
or	
Mutton, alternately,.....	8 "
Soup, (Beef, 6 oz.),.....	1 pt.
Potatoes,.....	8 oz.
At cents per ration.	

Bread,.....	8 oz.
Sugar, white,.....	1 "
Butter,.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

**HALF DIET.**

Eggs,.....	2
Bread,.....	8 oz.
Sugar, white,.....	1 "
Butter,.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

Fish, fresh, cleaned,.....	8 oz.
Soup, (Beef, 6 oz.),.....	1 pt.
Rice,.....	4 oz.
At cents per ration.	

Bread,.....	8 oz.
Sugar, white,.....	1 "
Butter,.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ "
Tea,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

**LOW DIET.**

Bread,.....	8 oz.
or	
Rice,.....	12 "
Sugar, white,.....	1 "
Tea,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

Oatmeal,.....	2 oz.
Milk,.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ pt.

Bread,.....	8 oz.
or	
Rice,.....	12 "
Sugar, white,.....	1 "
Tea,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

At cents per ration.

**CHINESE, FULL DIET.**

Rice,.....	20 oz.
Vegetables,.....	8 "
Fish,.....	16 "
Pork, (substituted twice a week for Fish).	

Tea,.....	1 dr.
Sugar,.....	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Bread,.....	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

At cents per ration.

**LOCK HOSPITAL.**

**Extras.**

Fish,.....	per lb.,...	\$ c.
Pork,.....	" "	" "
Beef,.....	" "	" "
Chicken,.....	" "	" "
Sago,.....	" "	" "
Sugar Candy,.....	" "	" "
Tea, best Congou,.....	" "	" "

Chinese Cups, common,.....	per doz.,...	\$ c.
" Plates,.....	" "	" "
Dust Pans, (Tin),.....	" "	" "
Brooms,.....	" "	" "
Feather Brooms,.....	" "	" "
Scrubbing Brushes,.....	" "	" "

**Schedule No. 4.—(Sundries).**

Fire Wood,.....	at \$ per lbs.,...	\$ c.
Lamp Oil,.....	per lb.,.....	" "
" Wick,.....	" "	" "

Alum,.....	per lb.,.....	\$ c.
Soap,.....	" "	" "

**LOCK HOSPITAL.**

Mattresses, Coir, (5 ft. x 2 ft.),.....	each,.....	\$ c.
Women's Jackets, American Drill,.....	" "	" "
" " Fannel,.....	" "	" "
" " Pyjamas, American Drill,.....	" "	" "
" " " Fannel,.....	" "	" "
Grass, Sleeping Mats.....	per doz.,.....	" "

Sheets, (7 ft. x 4 ft.), Cotton, Seamless,.....	each,.....	\$ c.
Chemises for Europeans,.....	" "	" "
Print Morning Gowns for Europeans,.....	" "	" "
" " " for Japanese,.....	" "	" "
Pillows, Coir, (2 ft. long x 1 ft. wide),.....	" "	" "
Pillow Cases, (2 $\frac{1}{4}$ ft. long x 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ft. wide),.....	" "	" "

Tenders may be made for all 4 Schedules, or for each separately.

The Contractor will be required to enter into a Bond for the due fulfilment of his contract, and for the supply of all articles of the best quality.

Tenders must be in duplicate and in sealed envelopes, endorsed *Tender for Hospital Contract*.

For forms of tender apply at this Office.

All other information may be obtained from the Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital.

No tender will be received, unless the person tendering produces a receipt to the effect that he has deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum of \$200, as a pledge of the *bona fides* of his offer, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown, if such person refuses to carry out his tender, should the tender be accepted.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
*Acting Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 2nd October, 1886.