

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 46.

The following Returns from the Acting Registrar General are published for general information.
By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 5th February, 1887.

RETURNS of BIRTHS and DEATHS for the Fourth Quarter of 1886, ending 31st December.

DISTRICTS.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.				CHINESE.				DEATHS. BRITISH & FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			
	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.					
	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Females.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Females.				
Victoria,	25	24	35	13	181	160	673	442	British and Foreign, 25 Portuguese, 9 Indians, 5 Non-Residents, ....10 <hr/> 49			
Kaulung, .....	..	1	..	1	11	2	58	35			
Shaukiwán, ....	..	..	..	..	19	16	53	34
Aberdeen, .....	..	..	..	..	2	4	31	34
Stanley, .....	..	..	..	..	2	1	7	2
TOTAL, ..	25	25	35	14	215	183	822	547				
GRAND TOTAL.	ANNUAL DEATH-RATE, PER 1,000, FOR 4TH QUARTER OF 1886.							Tung Wa Hospital.	Italian Convent.	Asile de la St. Enfancc.	Total.	
Births, ... 448	Whole Population, 35.36							Males,	290	36	66	392
Deaths, ... 1,418	British and Foreign Community, 20.18							Females, ...	48	94	135	277
	Do., deducting non-Residents, 18.89							Total, ..	338	130	201	669
Chinese, 36.33												

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Acting Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office, Hongkong, 31st January, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 47.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Friday, the 11th instant, for trimming and turfing the slopes along the Magazine Gap Road.

For form of tender apply at this Office.

For specification and further particulars apply at the Surveyor General's Office.

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, 5th February, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 48.

The following Particulars and Conditions of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the spot, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1887, at 4 P.M., are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 5th February, 1887.

Particulars and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1887, at 4 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 Years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	LOCALITY.	Boundary Measurements.				Contents in Square ft.	Annual Rent.	Upset Price.
			NW.	SE.	NE.	SW.			
			feet.	feet.	feet.	feet.	\$	\$	
1	Inland Lot No. 1082.	Kennedy Town,	200	200	200	200	40,000	576	5,000