9. Possession of each Lot sold shall be given to the Purchasers, and deemed to have been taken by them, on the day of sale.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BY THE PURCHASERS.

Memorandum that the persons whose names are hereunder written have been declared the highest bidders for the Lots described in the foregoing Particulars of Sale and hereunder specified opposite to their said names and signatures respectively, and do hereby agree with Her Majesty The Queen to become the Lessees thereof under and subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale, and on their parts to perform and abide by the said Conditions.

Number of Sale Lot.	Registry Number and Description of Lot Purchased.		Amount of Premium at which Purchased.	Signatures of Purchasers.
1 2 3 4 5 6	Inland Lot No. 394, "	\$140 \$140 \$140 \$140 \$140 \$140		

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 256.

The following Notice is published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th June, 1887.

POSTAL NOTES.

1. Postal Notes of the values named below, payable within three months at any Post Office in the United Kingdom, or at Constantinople, can be obtained at Hongkong or at any British Post Office in China (except Hoihow and Tientsin) at the following prices, which include Commission;—

1/	3 3	cents.
1/6		
5/	\$1.65	••
10/	\$3.30	••
20/	\$6.60	"

All money orders on the United Kingdom for even sums not exceeding £5 applied for at Hongkong or Shanghai will be issued by means of these Notes.

- 2. The purchaser of any Postal Note must fill in the Payee's name before parting with it. He may also fill in the name of the Office where payment is to be made. If this is not done the note is payable (within three months) anywhere in the United Kingdom, or at Constantinople. Any Postal Note may be crossed to a Bank.
- 3. Postal Notes should always be forwarded in Registered Covers. If this precaution is not taken no enquiries whatever will be made as to the loss or alleged loss of any Note.
 - 4. Postal Notes issued in the United Kingdom are not payable in Hongkong or China.

A. LISTER,
Postmaster General.

GENERAL POST OFFICE,

Hongkong, 15th June, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 257.

The following Returns of Deaths for the week ended the 11th instant are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th June, 1887.