

19. Within a month after the conclusion of an examination, the details concerning the subjects of the next ensuing examination will be published in the *Government Gazette*.

RESULT OF EXAMINATION.

20. Immediately after the receipt of the decision of the Examiners, the names of the first six Candidates will be published, in each case, in the *Government Gazette* in the order of merit, with the number of marks obtained and the names of the Schools where they were educated.

CORRESPONDENCE.

21. All correspondence with the Government and with the Syndicate of the University of Cambridge, on subjects connected with the Government Scholarships, must be sent through the Inspector of Schools for the time being.

22. Candidates who intend to compete at the next examination should file their applications at the Office of the Inspector of Schools, not later than 1st May next, by using the printed forms approved, for the purpose, by the Governor. The complete list of Candidates, to be submitted for the approval of the Governor, will be open for the inspection of Headmasters during the first week in May.

Hongkong, 10th September, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 370.

With reference to the Amended Regulations for Government Scholarships for the study of Law, Medicine, or Civil Engineering in the United Kingdom, the following additional details have been approved by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government:—

1.—PUBLIC SCHOOLS RECOGNIZED BY THE GOVERNOR.

The following Public Schools are, until further notice, recognized by the Governor as qualified to present Candidates for competition for the above mentioned Government Scholarships, viz., the Government Central School, the Hongkong Public School, St. Joseph's College, the Diocesan (Home and Orphanage) School, and the Victoria English School.

2.—DETAILS OF SUBJECTS.

The following additional details of subjects, selected by the Inspector of Schools, for the purpose of the next examination to be held in October, 1888, have been definitively approved:—

History.—In addition to general questions regarding the outlines of English History, special questions will be set with reference to the period of the Plantagenets (from Henry II to Richard II).

English Literature.—The period from the Conquest to Chaucer's death, as treated in chapters III and IV of Morley's First Sketch of English Literature. General questions will also be set with reference to the History of English Literature (Stopford Brooke's English Literature Primer).

Play of Shakespeare.—Julius Cæsar (with simple questions on the history of the words and the construction of sentences, and other questions arising out of the subject).

Latin.—Cæsar de Bello Gallico. Liber I. Grammatical and other questions will be set on the language and subject matter of the book. One or more easy passages, not contained in the book, will be set for translation into Latin, a vocabulary of the less familiar words being given.

Chemistry.—The non-metallic elements, with special reference to Oxygen, Hydrogen, Nitrogen, Carbon, and their Compounds (Roscoe's Lessons on Elementary Chemistry).

3.—FORMS OF APPLICATION.

For the purpose of filing the information required by Paragraphs 5 and 6 of the above Amended Regulations, the subjoined Forms of Application (A. to E.), copies of which can be obtained at the Office of the Inspector of Schools, are approved until further notice:—

(Form A.)

HONGKONG GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS.

FORM OF ENTRY.

To be filled up and, together with Certificates of Character, Age, Attendance, and Health, to be returned to the Inspector of Schools, not later than 1st May, 18.....

The undersigned hereby applies to be entered as a Candidate for the Government Scholarship to be competed for at the examinations to be held in October, 18.....

Christian (or School) Name and Surname }
of Candidate, }

Day, Month, and Year of Birth of Candidate }
date, } Born

Place of birth of Candidate, at

Name of School or College attended by }
Candidate during the last few years, } Educated at

In addition to the obligatory subjects (Grammar, Composition, History, Literature, Geography, Arithmetic, and Algebra) two of the undermentioned subjects must be taken by each Candidate. No Candidate can enter for more than two of the undermentioned subjects.

• The word "yes" must be written in the blank column opposite each of the two subjects chosen.

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| Euclid, | |
| Mensuration, | |
| Latin, | |
| Chemistry, | |

Date of application for Entry, Hongkong,

Ordinary signature of Candidate,

Signature of Headmaster as witness to }
above signature, }

(Form B.)

HONGKONG GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS.

CERTIFICATE OF CHARACTER.

The undersigned Headmaster of the _____ hereby certifies that the moral character of _____ whilst attending the said _____ from _____ to _____, has been _____

(Signature of Headmaster), _____

(Date), _____ 18 .

(Form C.)

Number of Documents annexed _____

HONGKONG GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS.

CERTIFICATE OF AGE.

This is to Certify that _____ will, on 14th October, 18 _____, be neither more than 20 (twenty) nor less than 17 (seventeen) years old, and I append the following document * specifying further details, viz. † _____

(Signature of Headmaster), _____

(Date), _____ 18 .

* In the case of a boy born in Hongkong since the first day of January, 1873, an "Extract of Entry in a register kept in the Colony of Hongkong, in terms of Ordinance No. 7 of 1872," which can be obtained at the Registrar General's Office, will be sufficient. In the case of a boy born in Hongkong, previous to the year 1873, an affidavit, by the mother or other witness of the birth, sworn to before a Magistrate, is necessary. A similar affidavit, sworn to before a British Consul, is required in the case of a boy born in China or Japan or elsewhere, unless a proper legal certificate of age, issued by a competent authority and sufficiently attested, can be produced. In the case of Chinese boys, giving satisfactory reasons for their inability to procure any evidence as afore mentioned, some near relative (or responsible guardian, bringing a letter from parent or uncle) must swear an affidavit before the Registrar General as to the date of birth.

† Here briefly describe the heading of any document annexed.

(Form D.)

HONGKONG GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE.

This is to Certify that has been a student of the during the last years and months, having been first enrolled on the day of the month of in the year 18 .., and that his actual daily attendances during the last years are recorded in the books of the as under:—

| Year. | Number of Daily Attendances during the year. | Remarks. |
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(Signature of Headmaster),

(Date), 18 ..

(Form E.)

HONGKONG GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS.

CERTIFICATE OF HEALTH.

This is to Certify that, having subjected to a medical examination with a view to ascertain whether he is in a sound state of health, I find that

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(Signature),

(Date), 18 ..

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 10th September, 1887.