

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 516.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Wednesday, the 21st instant, for the supply of the undermentioned Articles for the Government Steam Launches, for the space of one year, from 1st January next:—

Coals, Australian.	Chinese Varnish.	Hambro Line.
Water.	Shovels.	Marline.
Firewood.	Black Paint.	Lime, White.
Lamp Wick.	Red Lead.	Canvas.
Lamp Oil.	Green Paint.	Twine.
Castor Oil.	White Lead.	„ Cotton.
Crane Oil.	White Zinc.	Bath Bricks.
Cotton Waste.	Stone Colour Paint.	Fire Bricks.
Tallow.	Candles.	Fire Clay.
Soap.	Bamboo Brooms.	Gauge Glasses.
Hemp Packing.	Buckets, Iron	Ningpo Varnish.
Round Wick Packing.	„ Wood.	Copal Varnish.
India Rubber Packing, assorted.	Brushes, Scrubbing.	Japan Varnish.
„ „ Red.	„ Hard (Coir).	Oars.
Emery Cloth.	„ Paint.	Turpentine.
Coal Tar.	Rope, Manila.	Chinese Ming Yau.
White Wash.	„ Hemp.	
Yellow Wash.	Log Line.	

Also Picked Sydney Coal, for Office and Household use, to be delivered from Godown in such quantities (not less than $\frac{1}{4}$ ton) as may be required. Coolie hire to be paid by Government.

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 \$100, 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.

For form of tender apply at the Colonial Secretary's Office, and this form only must be used.

For further information apply at the Offices of the Captain Superintendent of Police, and the Harbour Master.

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

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

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

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 517.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Wednesday, the 21st instant, for the supply of the undermentioned Articles for the use of the Police Department, from the 1st day of January to the 30th day of June, 1888.

Gram.	Oats.	Paddy.	Bran.	Barley.	Straw.	Grass.	Hay.	Lamp Oil.	Lamp Wick.	Small do.	Brooms.	Small do.	Baskets.	Do., small.	Coarse Paper.	Water Buckets.	Do. Tubs.	Yellow Soap.	Common do.	Salt.	Lamp Chimneys.	Do., small.	Firewood.	Cash.	Bamboo carrying Poles.	Paint Brushes.	Dust Fans.	Bath Bricks.	
per picul.	do.	do.	do.	do.	do.	do.	do.	per jar, 24 cattles.	per dozen.	do.	each.	do.	do.	do.	per lb.	each.	do.	per lb.	do.	do.	each.	do.	per picul.	per 1,000.	each.	do.	do.	do.	do.

The above enumerated Articles must be of good quality, deliverable at the Central Police Barracks, at such times and in such quantities as may be required.

The successful tenderer will be expected to enter into a bond, containing a penalty in case of failure or refusal to carry out the terms of the tender.

Form of tender may be obtained at the Colonial Secretary's Office, and this form only must be used.

For further particulars apply at the Office of the Captain Superintendent of Police.

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

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

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