

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 6.

The following Notice is published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th January, 1888.

NOTICE.

Owners of Tenements are reminded that Municipal Rates for the First Quarter of 1888, are payable in advance, during and within the month of January.

Such Rates should be paid before the 31st January, as, after that date, immediate application will be made to the Supreme Court for the recovery of arrears.

ALFRED LISTER,
Treasurer.

Treasury, Hongkong, 3rd January, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 7.

The following Returns of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the Month ended 31st December, 1887, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks, are published for general information.

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FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th January, 1888.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,	1,075,242	360,000
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	1,195,171	600,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	3,213,742	1,600,000
TOTAL,.....\$	5,484,155	2,560,000

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 8.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Monday, the 16th day of January, 1888, for removal of Machinery, &c. from Tytam Water Works to Victoria.

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,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th January, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 9.

The following Returns of Deaths for the week ended the 31st December are published for general information.

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FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th January, 1888.