GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 218.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Friday, the 25th instant, for the construction of a retaining wall at the Civil Hospital.

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, 19th May, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 198.

The following Rules and Regulations made by the Governor in Council, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 7 of 1883, are re-published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 12th May, 1888.

Rules and Regulations made by the Governor in Council, this 10th day of August, 1883, for the effectual carrying out of Ordinance

No. 7 of 1883, in the Hill Districts.

- 1. Each tenement shall be provided with a suitable dust-box, and all solid refuse matters of every description shall be deposited in the dust-box, and in no other place. The dust-box will be emptied and the contents removed daily by the Government Scavenger.
- 2. Each tenement shall be provided with a suitable water-tight covered receptacle for the reception of kitchen and scullery sullage waters. This receptacle will be emptied and the contents removed daily by the Government Scavenger.
- 3. The ablution waters of each tenement shall be disposed of by the occupants of the tenement in the manner best suited to the peculiarities of the site on which the tenement is situated, but always in such manner that no public or private water supply used for domestic purposes shall be polluted thereby.
- 4. Each tenement shall be provided with proper closet accommodation for the inhabitants thereof, including servants; and all night-soil and urine shall be removed daily by a Government Contractor.
 - 5. No manurial cultivation will be permitted within the drainage area of the Pokfulam Reservoir.
- 6. No one shall throw or deposit rubbish or waste matters of any kind whatsoever upon, or allow any drainage to flow over, any hillside, vacant ground, road, side-channel or drain, whether the property of the Government or not, without the permission of the Sanitary Board.
- 7. In accordance with Section 11 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1883, no one shall keep cattle, goats, or pigs, without a licence from the Sanitary Board.
- 8. Any breach of the preceding regulations shall, upon summary conviction before a Police Magistrate, be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment with or without hard labour for any period not exceeding three months.
 - J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Acting Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, Hongkong, 10th August, 1883.