GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 253.

The following Regulations are published under the provisions of section 42 of Ordinance 8 of 1879.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th June, 1888.

REGULATIONS

Made by the Governor in Council under the provisions of Sub-section c of Section 28 of Ordinance 8 of 1879, this 22nd day of May, 1888.

- 1. The following is declared to be a "part of the Colony" in respect of which the provisions of sub-section (C) of section 28 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1879, shall apply, viz.:—
 - (a.) The shore on the North side of the town of Victoria, from opposite the Gas Works at Shek-tong-sui to opposite the Canal at Bowrington.
 - (b.) The shore at Kowloon Point opposite the Naval Yard Basin.
- 2. The following are specified as "Wharves" in respect of which the provisions of sub-section (C) of section 28 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1879, shall apply, viz.:—

In Victoria.
Sailors' Home Wharf.
Sai Wo Lane Steps.
Gibb's Wharf.
Pedder's Wharf.
Government Wharf.
Steps at West End of Praya East.
Jardine's Steps.

At Kowloon. Yaumatí Police Station Wharf. Tsim-shá-tsui Wharf. Hung Hom Stone Wharf.

ARATHOON SETH, Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, HONGKONG.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 254.

The following Finding of the Marine Court, held on the 5th instant, to enquire into the conduct of Mr. Robert Lyle, First Mate of the British Steam-ship Crusader, Official No. 63856, whose Certificate of Competency is No. 8 of Hongkong, is published for general information.

By Command,

Frederick Stewart, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th June, 1888.

FINDING.

Having carefully considered the evidence given before this Court in the presence of the accused, ROBERT LYLE, as also his statement in defence, the Court finds that it has not been proved that the said ROBERT LYLE is guilty of gross misconduct or of drunkenness, and his certificate is therefore not dealt with.

The Court, however, must mark their disapproval of his conduct by directing that he shall be discharged from his ship in accordance with the powers contained in Sub-section 4 of Section XIII of Ordinance 8 of 1879.

Given under our hands at Hongkong, this 5th day of June, 1888.

R. Murray Rumsey, Ret. Com. R.N., President of Court. J. Buckner, Staff Commander, R.N.

F. H. WALLACE, March

G. W. Atkinson, Masters of Mercantile Marine.