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ENTITLED

The Statute Law Preservation Ordinance, 1886, Amendment Ordinance, 1888.

BE it enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:-

1. Ordinance No. 31 of 1886 is hereby amended as follows, viz. :

In Section 2 by striking out the words "Ordinances No. 7 of 1864 and No. 10 of 1875 are," and inserting in place thereof the words, "Ordinance No. 10 of 1875 is."

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 522.

It is hereby notified that the following Ordinances have received Her Majesty's confirmation and

Ordinance No. 18 of 1888. - The French Mail Steamers Ordinance continuation Ordinance, 1888. Ordinance No. 19 of 1888.—The German Mail Steamers Ordinance continuation Ordinance, 1888.

By Command,

ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 28th November, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 523.

It is hereby notified that, a question having arisen in a Colony possessing a Silver Standard as to the amount of salary bringing an Officer within the operation of Colonial Regulations 83 and 96n, the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has been pleased to decide, without attempting to establish any arbitrary relation between Gold and Silver, to fix upon a salary not exceeding \$600 as bringing an Officer within the last named regulation.

This decision will also apply proportionately to Colonial Regulations 66, 74, 99, and 153.

By Command,

Arathoon Seth, for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 28th November, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. -- No. 524.

The following Notice is published for general information.

By Command,

ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 29th November, 1888.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that for the present, and until greater progress shall have been made with the laying of the new water mains in the town, proposed new house-connections with the mains will have to stand over. Due notice will be given when applications may be sent in for leave to effect such connections.

J. M. PRICE. Surveyor General.

Public Works Department, Hongkong, 27th November, 1888.