GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 545.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Friday, 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, 1889.

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

ARATHOON SETH,
for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th December, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 546.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Friday, 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.
Water.
Firewood.
Lamp Wick.
Lamp Oil.
Castor Oil.
Crane Oil.
Cotton Waste.
Tallow.
Soap.
Hemp Packing.
Round Wick Packing.
India Rubber Packing, assorted.
" " Red.
Emery Cloth.
Coal Tar.
White Wash.
Yellow Wash.

Chinese Varnish.
Shovels.
Black Paint.
Red Lead.
Green Paint.
White Lead.
White Zinc.
Stone Colour Paint.
Candles.
Bamboo Brooms.
Buckets, Iron.
" Wood.
Brushes, Scrubbing.
" Hard (Coir).
" Paint
Rope, Manila.
" Hemp.
Log Line.

Hambro Line.
Marline.
Lime, White.
Canvas.
Twine.
" Cotton.
Bath Bricks.
Fire Bricks.
Fire Clay.
Gauge Glasses.
Ningpo Varnish.
Copal Varnish.
Japan Varnish.
Oars.
Turpentine.
Chinese Ming Yau.

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,

ARATHOON SETH,
for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th December, 1888.