

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 90.

The following return from Mr. W.M. TAYLOR, of the quantity of Spirits distilled by the China Sugar Refining Company, Limited, is published for general information.

Proof Gallons.

Spirits manufactured during the quarter ended 27th February, 1889,15,840.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 2nd March, 1889.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 91.

The following Returns of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the Month ended 28th February, 1889, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks, are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 2nd March, 1889.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,	1,510,157	510,000
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	1,646,458	800,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	3,548,223	1,400,000
TOTAL,.....\$	6,704,838	2,710,000

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 92.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Tuesday, the 19th instant:—

1. For repairing, colouring, lime-whiting, and painting the Lock Hospital, Out-offices, &c.
2. For repairing, colouring, lime-whiting, and painting the Quarters, Out-offices, &c., for Superintendent, Government Civil Hospital.
3. For repairing, colouring, lime-whiting, and painting the Government Civil Hospital, Entrance Lodge, Out-offices, &c.
4. For repairing, colouring, lime-whiting, and painting the Harbour Master's Office, Out-buildings, &c.

For forms of tender apply at this Office.

For specifications 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, 2nd March, 1889.