GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 74.

The following Telegram is published.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1898.

"Токю, 14th February, 1898.

"GOVERNOR,

" Hongkong.

"Medical inspection enforced against all arrivals from Formosa from 10th instant.

"SATOW."

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 75.

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Police Constable No. 112 ALEXANDER CLARKE to be an Assistant Inspector of Nuisances under section 9 of The Public Health Ordinance, No. 24 of 1887.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1898.

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By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th February, 1898.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

1. The parcel post has been extended to the Republic of Honduras and to Peru. The following are the rates of postage, dimensions, &c.:—

To Honduras (viâ London and Belize).	Not over 3 tbs.	Over 3 fbs. but not over 7 fbs.	Over 7 fbs. but not over 11 fbs.	Greatest length 3 feet 6". Greatest length and	
	\$1.85.	\$3.45.	\$5.00.	girth combined 6 feet.	
To Peru (viâ London and France or Germany).	\$2.95	\$4.00	\$4.90	Greatest length 2 feet. Greatest length and girth combined 4 feet.	

Prohibited Contents:—To Honduras:—Letters. To Peru:—Letters, corrosive liquids, guns, swords, pistols, or other instruments of war.

2. From the date of publication of this notice the following rates will be charged on parcels to:—

Cameroons (viâ London).	Not over 3 lbs.	Over 3 tbs. but not over 7 tbs.	Over 7 lbs. but not over 11 lbs.
	\$1.80.	\$2.20.	\$3.75.
British East Africa (viâ London)	ï	or 1st tb.	For each subsequent
		80 cts.	45 cts.

^{3.} Parcels to Mauritius, viâ Colombo, may now be insured up to \$500, and to the Austrian Post Office in the Ottoman Empire up to \$200.

A. M. THOMSON,

Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 12th February, 1898.