

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 522.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Monday, the 5th proximo, for the supply of the undermentioned uniform for the use of the Government Fire Brigade for one year :—

European Boots for Foremen, Firemen, and others, per pair.
Chinese Shoes for Firemen and others, per pair.

Any of the above-mentioned articles, when required, are to be delivered free of charge at the Central Fire Brigade Station, Victoria.

Form of tender may be obtained at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

For further information apply to the Superintendent of the Fire Brigade.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 19th November, 1898.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 523.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Monday, the 5th proximo, for the supply of the under-mentioned Articles for the Government Steam-Launches, for the space of one year, from 1st January next :—

Bricks, Bath.	India Rubber, Red.	Rope, Manila.
„ Fire.	Lamp Wick.	„ Hemp.
Brooms, Bamboo.	Lime, White.	Soap.
Brushes, Scrubbing.	Log Line.	Soda.
„ Hard (Coir).	Marline.	Shovels.
„ Paint.	Oars.	Tallow.
Buckets, Iron.	Oil, Lamp.	Turpentine.
„ Wood.	„ Castor.	Twine.
Candles.	„ Crane.	„ Cotton.
Canvas.	„ Boiled Linseed.	Varnish, Ningpo.
Chinese Ming Yau.	„ Raw „	„ Copal.
Clay, Fire.	Packing, Hemp.	„ Japan.
Coals, Australian.	„ Round Wick.	„ Chinese.
Coal Tar.	„ India Rubber,	Wash, White.
Cotton Waste.	(assorted).	„ Yellow.
Emery Cloth.	Paint, Black.	Water.
Firewood.	„ Green.	White Lead.
Gauge Glasses.	„ Stone Colour.	„ Zinc.
Hambro Line.	Red Lead.	

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.

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By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 19th November, 1898.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 524.

Tenders are invited until Monday, the 5th proximo, at Noon, for photographing, during one year, certain persons, and the supply of two and in some cases three unmounted copies of each photograph.

All particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Captain Superintendent of Police.

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By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 19th November, 1898.