

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 119.

Notice is hereby given that WILLIAM PEARSON, of No. 29, Rue des Vinaegriers, Paris, has complied with the requirements of Ordinance 18 of 1898, for the registration in this Colony of his Mark as applied to a Hygienic Preparation; and that the same has been duly registered.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 120.

Notice is hereby given that Messrs. SABATIÈRE, PÈRE ET FILS, of Thiers, France, have complied with the requirements of Ordinance 18 of 1898, for the registration in this Colony of their Mark as applied to Cutlery; and that the same has been duly registered.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 121.

Notice is hereby given that Messrs. A. VAN HOBOKEN & Co., of Rotterdam, Holland, have complied with the requirements of Ordinance 18 of 1898, for the registration in this Colony of their Mark as applied to Gin; and that the same has been duly registered.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 122.

The following is published.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 25th February, 1899.

"CENTURION" AT HONGKONG,
20th February, 1899.

HYDROGRAPHICAL MEMORANDUM No. 10.

The following information has been received:—

From Japanese Government.

GULF OF TOKYO. EXISTENCE OF A SUNKEN ROCK OFF MATSUWA-SAKI.

During a recent survey, a sunken rock was found off Matsuwa-saki, the western cape at the entrance to the Uraga channel. The rock is locally named Iwato dashi, and has $6\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms of water on it, but there may be probably less water. It lies on the following bearings:—

Tsurugi saki lighthouse.....W. $\frac{1}{2}$ S., distant $9\frac{1}{4}$ cables.
Ame saki extreme.....N.W. $\frac{3}{4}$ N.

KIUSHU WEST COAST, YATSUSHIRO SEA. EXISTENCE OF SUNKEN REEFS OFF SHISHI JIMA.

A recent examination by Captain Takagi, I.J.N., has developed the two reefs named locally Jino me sone, and Okino me sone, near Ao shima, Yatsushiro sea. The former reef has 4 fathoms of water, and the latter $\frac{1}{2}$ fathom of water. The angles taken from the reefs are as follows:—

Jino me sone	{	Tokoro jima S.W. pt. to Akase*.....	79° 31'
		Akase to Mato shima.....	14° 26'
Okino me sone	{	Tokoro jima S.W. pt. to Akase*.....	72° 33'
		Akase to Mato shima.....	19° 26'

*Approximate position { Lat. 32° 15' 5" N.
 { Long. 130° 12' 10" E.

Chart 836.

From H.M.S. "Barfleur."

CHEMULPHO.

Beacon on North Watcher has been washed away.

Charts 1258, 1270.

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From Commissioner of Customs, Kowloon.

TOLO CHANNEL.

From Kuob Reef, a rocky ledge runs out in a N.E. direction for about 200 yards with only 2 feet on it at extremity.

Chart 1964.

E. H. SEYMOUR,
Vice-Admiral.