

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 645.

With reference to Government Notification No. 427 of the 9th of August last, the following is published.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 29th October, 1901.

*Telegram from Governor, Hongkong, to Secretary of State.*

*Dated 17th October, 1901.*

“Referring to your Circular Despatch of 10th June last receive from Hongkong and Shanghai Bank 12,500 pounds Hongkong Contribution.

BLAKE.”

*Telegram from Secretary of State to Governor, Hongkong.*

“Referring to your Telegram of 17th October, cheque received from Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Generosity of Colony highly appreciated.

CHAMBERLAIN.”

*Governor, Hongkong, to Secretary of State.*

No. 427.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
HONGKONG, 19th October, 1901.

SIR,—In answer to your Circular Despatch of 10th June last, I had the honour to forward to you by telegraph on the 17th instant the sum of £12,500, which at 1/11 represents \$130,434.77. The balance of the total subscription, which amounted to \$130,477.63, I have now the honour to enclose with the lists of subscribers, the amount subscribed being made up as in the enclosed Statement by the Honorary Secretary and Honorary Treasurers.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant,

H. A. BLAKE,  
*Governor.*

The Right Honourable

J. CHAMBERLAIN, M.P.,  
*His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies,*  
*&c., &c., &c.*

STATEMENT.

QUEEN VICTORIA MEMORIAL FUND.

Expenditure.		Receipts.	
Cost of advertising Subscription List in <i>Daily Press</i> , .....	\$ 9.10	AMOUNTS SUBSCRIBED:—	
Cost of advertising Subscription List in <i>Hongkong Telegraph</i> , .....	4.50	By Hongkong Government, ...	\$ 50,000.00
Cost of advertising Subscription List in <i>China Mail</i> , .....	9.00	„ Chinese, .....	48,584.63
Balance, .....	130,477.63	„ European and Indian Communities, .....	31,915.60
			\$ 130,500.23
	\$ 130,500.23	<i>Note.</i> —Of this amount \$124,028.23 has been collected at date.	
			\$ 130,500.23
		By Balance, .....	\$ 130,477.63

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
*Hon. Secretary.*

C. P. CHATER, }  
T. JACKSON, } *Hon. Treasurers.*

Hongkong, 16th October, 1901.