

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 682.

Tenders for Contracts for the supply of the articles included in the undermentioned Schedules, for the Government Civil Medical Department, from the 1st January to 31st December, 1902, will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Saturday, the 30th instant:—

GOVERNMENT CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Schedule No. 1.—(Provisions.)

DIET SCALE.

EUROPEAN, FULL DIET.

Breakfast.—7.30 A.M.

Eggs, (or Fish 6 oz.,) ... 3
 Bread, 8 oz.
 Butter, $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, white, 1 ,,
 Milk, $2\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.

Dinner.—1 P.M.

Soup { Beef or Mutton, 6 oz.
 Vegetables, ... $1\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Pearl Barley, ... 1 ,,
 Beef Steak (rump), or } 8 ,,
 Mutton Chop, ... }
 Potatoes, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.
 Vegetables, (fresh), ... $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Bread, 4 oz.

Supper.—5 P.M.

Bread, 8 oz.
 Butter, $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, white, 1 ,,
 Milk, $2\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.

At cents per ration.

HALF DIET.

Eggs, (or Fish 6 oz.,) ... 3
 Bread, 4 oz.
 Butter, $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, white, 1 ,,
 Milk, $2\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.

Soup { Beef or Mutton, 4 oz.
 (clear) { Vegetables, ... $1\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Chicken (cleaned) or } 8 ,,
 Mutton, }
 Potatoes, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.
 Bread, 4 oz.

Bread, 4 oz.
 Butter, $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, white, 1 ,,
 Milk, $2\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.

At cents per ration.

LOW DIET.

Bread, 4 oz.
 Butter, $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, white, 1 ,,
 Milk, $2\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.

Bread, 4 oz.
 Beef Tea, (Beef $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.), . $\frac{1}{2}$ pt.

Bread, 4 oz.
 Butter, $\frac{1}{2}$,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, white, 1 ,,
 Milk, $2\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.

At cents per ration.

INDIAN, FULL DIET.

Breakfast.—7.30 A.M.

Eggs, (or Fish 6 oz.,) 4
 Rice, 12 oz.
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,
 Sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$,,

Supper.—4 P.M.

Chicken, live, 1 lb.
 Rice or Flour, 12 oz.
 Curry Stuff, 1 ct.
 Ghee, 1 oz.
 Sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$,,

At cents per ration.

LOW DIET.

Rice, 8 oz.
 Eggs, (or Fish 3 oz.,) 2 ,,
 Tea, $\frac{1}{4}$,,

Rice, 8 oz.
 Chicken, (live for Soup), 1 lb.

At cents per ration.

Schedule No. 2.—(Milk.)

Milk, Cow's,per Impl. quart..... cts.

Schedule No. 3.—(Bedding and Clothing.)

	\$	c.		\$	c.
Caps, (Chinese),each			Pillow Covers, Empty,		
Flannel,per yard			(Drill),each		
Garters, Silk, (Chinese),per pair			Sheets, Cotton, 3 yds. × 1 $\frac{3}{4}$		
Mattresses, Coir, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ft. × 3 ft.			yds. (Seamless),per pair		
(25 lbs.),each			Shoes, (Chinese),per pair		
Mattresses, Cotton Wool, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$			Sleeping Jackets, Cotton,		
ft. × 3 ft. (25 lbs.), "			(for men and women),each		
Mattresses, Horse Hair, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ft.			Straight Jackets, "		
× 3 feet (25 lbs.), "			Sleeping Trousers, Cotton,		
Mattress Covers, Empty,			(for men and women),per pair		
(Ticking), "			Sleeping Jackets, Flannel,		
Mattress Covers, Empty,			(for men and women),each		
(Drill), "			Sleeping Trousers, Flannel,		
Nainsook,per yard			(for men and women),per pair		
Night Dresses, White Flannel, each			Sleeping Mats, Grass,each		
Pillows, Coir, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. × 1 ft.			Slippers, Leather,per pair		
(4 lbs.), "			Stockings, (Chinese), "		
Pillows, Horse Hair, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ×			Towels, Huckaback, (3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		
1 ft. (3 lbs.), "			long),per dozen		
Pillow Cases, Cotton, 2 ft. 9 in.			Towels, Huckaback, (Fine), "		
× 1 ft. 5 in., "			Uniform for Wardmaster,		
Pillow Covers, Empty, (Tick-			Making,per suit		
ing), "			Uniform for Chinese At-		
			tendants, Making, "		

Schedule No. 4.—(Sundries.)

	\$	c.		\$	c.
Bathbricks,each			Oil, Lamp, (Ground-nut),...per lb.		
Black Lead,per packet			Oil, Raw Linseed, (Hub-		
Brooms, Bamboo,each			buck's),per tin of 5 gallons		
Brooms, Coir, "			Oil, Tea,per lb.		
Calico, (T-Cloth, 8 lbs.),per piece of 24 yards			Pakmaukan, "		
Camphor, (Chinese),per lb.			Pans, Dust, (Tin),each		
Charcoal, "			Paper, Japanese,per lb.		
Cotton Wool, "			Paper, Waste, "		
Emery Cloth,per piece			Sandpaper,per piece		
Firewood,per 100 lbs.			Soap, (Chinese),per lb.		
Lamp-wick, (Chinese),per lb.			Soap, Yellow, "		
Lamp-wick, Kerosene,per yard			Tumblers, Common,each		
Lime,per 100 lbs.			Turpentine, (Hubbuck's),...per tin of 5 gallons,		
Oil, Kerosine, { (Russian),per lb.			Waste, White,per lb.		
{ (Comet), "			Wax, (Japanese), "		
Matches,per packet of 10 boxes			Wax, Yellow, "		

Schedule No. 5.—(Washing.)

Bedding and Clothing,per 100 pieces\$ cents.

Tenders may be made for all 5 Schedules, or for each separately.

The Contractor will be required to enter into a Bond for the due fulfilment of his contract, and for the supply of all articles of the best quality.

The Contractor must supply store accommodation ample enough for the housing of provisions, &c., and such store must be kept in a sanitary condition.

Tenders must be in duplicate and in sealed envelopes, endorsed *Tender for Hospital Contract*.

For form of tender apply at this Office.

All other information may be obtained from the Principal Civil Medical Officer, Government Civil Hospital.

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 \$200 as a pledge of the *bonâ 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.

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

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 16th November, 1901.