GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 251.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Hongkong Volunteer Corps:—

Lieutenant A. R. GRIEVE to be Supernumerary Captain.

H. B. WHEELER to be Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant Grieve promoted.

By Command,

A. M. THOMSON, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 252.

James Macdonald, Assistant Government Marine Surveyor, having reported his return from leave of absence, His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint him to be Acting Government Marine Surveyor with effect from the 1st April, 1902.

By Command,

A. M. THOMSON,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 253.

With reference to Government Notification No. 667 of the 6th November, 1901, it is notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to approve the appointment of Major J. H. GWYNNE, 2nd Royal Welsh Fusiliers, as the Military Representative in the Wong-nei-chong Recreation Ground Committee, vice Captain H. ROTHERHAM, R.W.F., on leave.

By Command,

A. M. THOMSON, Acting Colonial Secretury.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. -No. 254.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Frederick George Figg to act as Director of the Hongkong Observatory during the absence on leave of W. Doberck, or until further notice.

By Command,

A. M. THOMSON, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.-- No. 255.

The following Notice is published.

By Command,

A. M. THOMSON, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 1902.

NOTICE.

Government Notification No. 635 of 1901 is hereby cancelled.

In future, parcels forwarded by Parcel Post to Ports in China where British Postal Agencies are established will be enclosed in Mails addressed to the British Office only.

Before the delivery of the parcels can be taken, the addressees will be required to produce a certificate from the Customs Authorities to the effect that the parcels have been passed for and duty paid.

If an examination of the contents of the parcels is considered necessary by the Customs Authorities, such examination will take place in the presence of the addressees in the British Post Office.

E. CORNEWALL LEWIS,

Acting Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 19th April, 1902.