ESTIMATED BALANCE OF THE ASSETS OF THE COLONY ON THE 31st DECEMBER, 1902.

Estimated Revenue on account of 1902,	\$4,322,731.00
" on Land Sales 1902,	316,800.00
Total Estimated Revenue,	\$4,639,531.00
Estimated Expenditure Ordinary,\$4,446,846.00)
,, Extraordinary, 1,141,021.00	
	\$5,587,867.00
Estimated Expenditure in Excess over Revenue,	\$ 948,336.00
Balance on 1st January, 1902,	\$1,097,655.54 *
Less Expenditure in Excess of 1902 Revenue,	948,336.00
Estimated Balance of 1902 Assets,	\$ 149,319.54
* Arrears of Revenue,	

\$ 1,097,655.54

Dr. ESTIMATED LOAN ACCOUNT, 1902.					Cr.
To Inscribed St	tock Loan at $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ interest, off on the 15th April, 1943,	£341,799.15.1	By Sinking Fund,		£31,528.11.9
Dr.		LOAN ACCO	OUNT, 1901.		Cr.
To Inscribed Sto	ock Loan at $3\frac{1}{2}$ % interest, to on the 15th April, 1943,	£341,799.15.1	By Sinking Fund,		£20,363.12.8

A. M. THOMSON, Treasurer.

Treasury, Hongkong, 11th September, 1902

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 614.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Robert Gordon Shewan provisionally and subject to His Majesty's confirmation to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council in place of Thomas Henderson Whitehead whose term expired on the 24th ultimo.

By Command,

F. H. MAY, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th October, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 615.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Edward Dudley Corscaden Wolfe to act as Second Police Magistrate during the absence of Joseph Horsford Kemp on vacation leave.

By Command,

F. H. MAY, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th October, 1902.