

No. 302.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint His Honour Mr. FRANCIS ARTHUR HAZELAND to act as Chief Justice, during the absence on leave of His Honour Sir FRANCIS TAYLOR PIGGOTT, Kt., or until further notice, with effect from the 3rd October, 1910.

30th September, 1910.

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 303.—Attention is drawn to the provisions of Article IX of the Treaty of Tientsin which requires every non-Chinese subject crossing the border line of the New Territories to be in possession of a passport furnished him by his national representative in China. British subjects should address themselves to H. B. M.'s Vice-Consul, Canton, forwarding at the same time the necessary fee, *viz.*, \$4.20.

No. 304.—It is hereby notified that the following persons have declared themselves willing to be formed into a Volunteer Reserve under the Volunteer Reserve Ordinance, 1910, and that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to accept their services:—

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| ABRAHAM, E. | HOUGH, T. F. |
| ATKINSON, Dr. J. M. | HUGHES, J. O. |
| BAIN, H. M. | HUTCHINGS, J. |
| BAKER, R. | IRVING, E. A. |
| BEAVIS, C. E. H. | JACK, W. C. |
| BIRD, L. G. | JAFFÉ, D. |
| BIRD, R. E. O. | JENKINS, A. |
| BOND, C. | KELLY, S. |
| BRAIDWOOD, W. D. | KESWICK, H. |
| BRANCH, Capt. B. | LAFRENZ, C. J. |
| BRETT, C. W. T. | LEWINGTON, Capt. J. S. |
| BRETT, L. E. | MACKENZIE, A. |
| BRYAN, J. J. | MAY, Sir F. H., C.M.G. |
| CALVERT, A. | MILLER, J. F. |
| DALZIEL, J. | OLSON, J. |
| DOBBS, W. | OSBORNE, E. |
| DUNCAN, L. G. | PARKINSON, C. H. |
| ELVES, W. B. | PIDGEON, J. H. |
| GAST, W. J. J. | SMYTH, F. |
| GEDGE, H. J. | SYKES, H. |
| GIBBS, L. | THORNHILL, A. |
| GIPSON, G. | WAKEMAN, G. H. |
| GOLDSMITH, H. E. | WATSON, A. |
| GRÖNE, Dr. F. | WHEAL, J. A. |
| GROVE, F. | WILSON, G. L. |
| HAMILTON, T. | WODEHOUSE, P. P. J. |
| HEARD, E. | WOOLLEY, W. H. |

No. 305.—The following Finding of the Court of Enquiry into the circumstances attending the fire on board the Steamship *Kum Chow*, is published.

A. M. THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

30th September, 1910.