

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 422.—It is hereby notified that combinations, in telegrams, of clear language and code in one ten letter group are not admissible.

No. 423.—It is hereby notified that, on and after the 15th instant, the following six codes are authorised in telegrams exchanged between Italy (excluding Ancona, Bari, Barletta, Brindisi, Partocarsini, Taranto and Venezia) and those extra-European countries which admit code:—

A.B.C. 5th Edition.

Western Union.

Lieber's.

Bentley's (not including oil and mining supplements).

Broomhall's (not including the rubber edition).

Meyer's 39th Edition.

No. 424.—It is hereby notified that the area of land between Jordan Road and the northern boundary of the Kowloon Cricket Club, has been allotted to the Kowloon Cricket Club for the purpose of forming Tennis Courts. A plan of the area can be seen upon application at the Office of the Director of Public Works.

Trading with the Enemy Second Amendment Ordinance, 1915.

No. 425.—It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to exempt until further notice from the operation of sections 4 and 5 of the Trading with the Enemy Second Amendment Ordinance, 1915, all liquidators appointed under the provisions of the Alien Enemies (Winding up) Ordinance, 1914, in so far as may relate to any sum of money or property which could lawfully be dealt with by such liquidators in the course of the winding up of the trade or personal affairs, as the case may be, of the firms or persons whose trade or personal affairs such liquidators have been appointed respectively to wind up.

Notification No. 417 of 1915 is hereby revoked.

No. 426.—The following is published for general information.

FOREIGN OFFICE,

July 20, 1915.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome the following translation of a Royal Decree dated July 4th, and published in the *Italian Official Gazette* of the 8th:—

ARTICLE I.—The Blockade declared by the Royal Government on the 26th and 30th May, 1915, is extended to the whole zone of the Adriatic Sea to the North of the Otranto-Aspri-Ruga (Strade Bianchi) line.