

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 1.—Returns of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the month ended 31st December, 1911, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks:—

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	6,024,987	4,000,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	21,707,242	12,500,000
TOTAL,\$	27,732,229	16,500,000

No. S. 2.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted by Hongkong.

Disease.	Port or Place.	Restrictions in Force.	Authority.
Cholera and Small-pox.	Bangkok.	Medical examination; quarantine at the discretion of the Health Officer.	Proclamation No. 1 dated 6th May, 1910.

C. CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

5th January, 1912.

TREASURY.

No. S. 3.—It is hereby notified that, in accordance with the terms of the Rating Ordinance, No. 6 of 1901, Owners and Occupiers of Tenements are reminded that Rates for the First Quarter of 1912 are payable in advance on or before the 31st January, 1912.

If any person shall fail to pay such Rates on or before the 29th February, 1912, proceedings will be taken in the Supreme Court for their recovery without further notice.

No Refund of Rates on vacant tenements will be granted unless such Rates have been paid during and within the month of January, nor unless application is made for such refund within fifteen days from the expiration of the Quarter.

A. M. THOMSON,
Colonial Treasurer.

5th January, 1912.

REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 4.—Return of books registered under the Copyright Ordinance, No. 14 of 1910, during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1911.

No.	Time of making the entry.	Title of Book.	Name of the Publisher, and Place of Publication.	Name and Place of Abode of the Proprietor of the Copyright.	Date of First Publication.
5	12 noon, 23rd Dec., 1911.	Picturesque Hongkong.	J. Arnold, Hongkong.	J. Arnold, 3, The Albany, Hongkong.	20th December, 1911.