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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency SIR RICHARD GRAVES MACDONNELL, C.B., has been pleased to appoint CHARLES VANDELEUR CREAGH, Esquire, to be Assistant Superintendent of the Hongkong Fire Brigade; such appointment to take effect from the 1st Instant, inclusive.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 31st December, 1868.

No. 141.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that for the ensuing Year, the Hongkong Stone Quarry Farm is let, under certain Conditions, to TSANG-KONG; and that the Kowloon Stone Quarry Farm is similarly let to CHAN-KAM.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 31st December, 1868.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Owners of Tenements assessed to the Police, Lighting, Water and Fire Brigade Rates, are informed that the Rates are payable *in advance* during and within the month of January, for the First Quarter of the Year 1869.

After the 31st Instant, Rates not paid are recoverable under Section 4 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1867.

FREDK. FORTH,
Colonial Treasurer.

Colonial Treasury, Hongkong, 30th December, 1868.

No. 132.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Under Provisions of Ordinance No. 11 of 1844, Notice is hereby given that a Special Sessions of the Justices of the Peace will be held at the Police Magistrates' Court, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Thursday, the Seventh Day of January, 1869; and thereafter on the First Thursday of every Month, for the purpose of considering Applications for granting or transferring Spirit Licenses.

Such Applications to be lodged at the Police Magistrates' Court, at least Ten Days before each of the Sessions now notified.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 28th November, 1868.