

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The scarcity of water in the Pok-foo-lum Reservoir rendering necessary the greatest economy of the present diminished supply, persons having water laid on to their premises are enjoined to see that leaky and defective pipe joints, taps and other fittings are made watertight.

They are also earnestly requested to adopt all precautions against too lavish a use of water obtained from the mains and to prohibit their servants from drawing water from that source for the irrigation of gardens.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th February, 1878.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Unclaimed Correspondence, 15th February, 1878.

Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.
Adwards & Co. 5	Doherty, J. 1 bk.	Holler, Frederico 1	Moreland, L. 1	Rosenthal, P. 1	Thomas, F. F. 1
Asplans, E. H. 1	Evans, C. H. 1	Harris, Capt. 2	Mann, Henry 2	Storrer, Dr. 2	Tong Hing 2
Blight, John J. 1	Evans, E. 1	Imbert, B. 1	McEnary, J. 1	Shuraffally, T. 6	Tomochy, M. S. 1
Buchanan, G. 1	Fadden, Thos. 1	Ing Gung 1	Mirza, A. M. S. 1 regd.	Solomon, J. A. 1	Tirofille, Monsr. 1
Burnell, K. A. 1	Fisher, Joseph 1	Johnston, Fred. 1	Mills, Chas. F. 2	Stuebeck, J. 1	Tucker, B. W. 1
Barnby, Alfred 1	Fox, Mrs. 1	Jessop, H. R. H. 3	Mansau, Thos. 1	Smith, Geo. 1	
Barnes & Co., 1	Gillis, Jas. A. 1	Kerr, Thomas 1	McCann, Wm. 2	Scott, Mrs. E. 1	Ughes, G. 1
Bun Hang Hau 1 regd.	Gibson, Edward 1	Kong-ung War 1 regd.	McCann, Thos. 2	Silva, A. B. 1	
Boon, Mrs. W. J. 1	Gardner, C. J. 1	Luna, Miss 1	Nicholls, J. T. B. 2	Slater, A. T. 1	Vidal, A. 1
Brown, Capt. 1	Geldart, Rev. E. 1	Lannigar, J. 1	Pelago, José 1	Spence, A. S. 1	
Campbell, W. 4	Gilkison, W. P. 1	Loder, A. B. 3	Paulsen, H. 1	Stronach, W. S. 1	Wing Seng 1 regd.
Croat, P. L. 1	Hutchinson 1	Lin, Mandarin 1 regd.	Price, Mrs. S. 1	Sasso, Luigi 1	Williams, T. 1
Caven, George 1 bk. regd.	Hernand, A. D. 1	Merali, Albert 1	Rayment, E. W. 11	Seymour, Esq. 1	Williams, John 1
Donohue, Hugh 1	Harriman, H. 2	Moore, Miss 1	Robertson, R. 1 parcel	Sarda, Monsr. 1	Walker, Joseph 1
De Souza 1	Hartye, W. 1	Mahd., Meedye 1 regd.	Rutgers, P. A. 1	Tayt, C. 2	Wah Tan 1 regd.
Deverill, John 1	Hampton, Wm. 1	MacDonald, J. E. 1	Rosahl, J. E. 1	Tucker, Robt. E. 1	Wingfield, A. 1
Duchesne, M. 1	Holam, E. 1		Ryan, John 1	Tooth, R. 1	
Dantra, K. R. 1			Rollan, Monsr. 1	Thede, Heinrich 1	Young Lung 1 regd.
				Tocque, P. 1	Yung Tung Hoi 1

For H. M. Ships.

Audacious,.....4 Letters.	Lapwing,.....1 Letter.	Victor Emanuel,.....4 Letters.	Vigilant,.....1 Letter. 1 Paper.
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For Merchant Ships.

Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.	Letters. Papers.
Adonis 1	Edward Albroth 1	H. Armitage 1	Maggie Douglas 1	Riga, s.s. 1	Tail Long 1
Anazi 1 regd.	E. Dougall 1	Hosea, s.s. 1	Messenger 1	River Lagan 26	Tai Watts 1
Benefactor 2	Elgin 1	Harbinger 4	Merse 1 regd. 2	Roderick Hay 1	Thales, s.s. 1 regd.
Beemah 1	Emily Chaplin 2	Humboldt 1	M. of Argyle 1	Rhuddland } 1	Ulloch 2
Benarty, s.s. 3	E. M. Young 3	Hawkesbury 2	Mars 1	Castle } 1	Undaunted 1
Batavia 1 regd.	Elizabeth Ostel 2	Imbros, s.s. 2	Martha Jackson 1		
Carrizal 1	Empreza 1	Jubilee 2	Northampton 13	Sarah Nicholson 1	
C. W. Cochrane 3	Explorador 1	James Shepherd 2	Patria 1	Sapphire 1	Victoria 1
Commissary 4	Emma Florence 1	Kaisow 3	P. J. Carleton 1	Star of the North 1	Victory 1
Chili 2	Eastern Isles, s.s. 1	Lass of Gawler 1	Palestine 2	St. Elmo 4	
Cashmere 1	Firth of Tay 7	Loweswater 1	Presto 1	Sophia 5	Wm. Turner 2
City of Aberdeen 1	G. Caulfield 2	Leon Crespo 2	Peruvian 1	Sophie 6	Winlow 5
Calabar, s.s. 2	Gunza, s.s. 1	Lars of Gawler 1	Roving Sailor 1	Staghound 3	Wildwood 1
Chandos 3	George Crashaw 5	Larges 1	Rhoda 1	S. R. Mead 1	W. Pendleton 1
Carnatic 1	Globe 1	Ladoren 2	Ridive 1	Strathmore 16	
Corona 1	Garmonth 1	Lombardian 1	Ritt 1	Store Dealer 1	
Cilurnum 1	Golden Russett 1	Madra 1	Rosina 2	Sir Harry Parkes 2	Yentai, s.s. 2
Daphne 1	Genevieve 1		Renton 1	Thomas Bell 7	Zamora 4
				The Murray 6	Ziba 1
				Twilight 1	

Books, &c., without Covers.

Age.	Dunferline Saturday Press.	Glasgow Weekly Herald.	Japan Herald Mail Summary.	Niederländische Handels, &c.	Sample of Cotton.
Astenblad.	Daily Recorder.	Germania Lebens Berscherungs Artien Gesellschaft.	Journal Amusant.	Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung.	Statuten der Lebens und Pensions Berscherungs.
Ardrossan & Saltcoats Herald.	Daily Telegraph.	Genoekundige Courant.	Lloyds Weekly.	New Zealand Advertiser.	Stieler's Schul Atlas.
Art of Building.	Der Landbote.	Geo. Curling, p.c.	Le Propagateur.	Nature, &c.	South Pacific Times.
Bremer Handelsblatt.	Der Weinlander.	Grammatica Italiana.	London Iron Trade Exchange.	Gazzetta de Venezia.	Sample of Ribbons.
Belgravia.	Die Modenwelt.	Gazzetta de Venezia.	Le Nord.	Public Ledger.	
	Die Gartenlaube.	Iron Trade Circular.	Mail.	Punch.	
	Dorf Chronik.	Illustrirte Zeitschrift, &c.	Mitchell's Maritime Register.	Ragione.	Teviotdale Record.
	El Imparcial.	J. Monton en Zonen, p.c.	Möller & Co., Hagen p.c.	Revue des Deux Mondes.	The Times, Weekly Edition
	Fuchs and Kunad, p.c.	Jahreshbericht.		Rotterdamsche Courant.	
	Fanfulla.	Journal de Débats.		Standard.	Zoebeli & Co., p.c.

Detained for Postage.

Thomaz, Antonio, Rua do Peligro, Callao, (30 cents),.....1 Letter.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 15th February, 1878.