

No. 74.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given, that Easter Monday will be observed as a Holiday, throughout the Public Departments of this Colony.

By Command,

J. M. PRICE,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 12th April, 1878.

NOTICE.

Owners of Tenements assessed to the Police, Lighting, Water and Fire Brigade Rates, are hereby informed that the Rates for the Second Quarter of the year 1878, are payable *in advance*, during and within the Month of April.

It is requested that such Rates may be paid before the 30th April, as after that date application will be made to the Supreme Court for the recovery of arrears.

CECIL C. SMITH,
Colonial Treasurer.

Colonial Treasury, Hongkong, 6th April, 1878.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Unclaimed Correspondence, 18th April, 1878.

| Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. |
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| Adwands & Co. 5 1 | Colliver, Capt. 1 | Gregg, Dr. 1 | Kennett, Mr. 1 regd. | Osgood, J. P. 1 | Seymour, Esq. 1 |
| Asplans, E. H. 1 | Collins, E. F. 8 | Gye, Alfred 1 | Lie, Mandarin 1 regd. | Paulsen, H. 1 | Sarda, Monsr. 1 |
| Alibhay, A. 1 regd. | Clark 1 | Gowdin, A.O.D. 1 | Lim Yun Yutsyá 1 | Pembroke, F. 2 1 | Smith, Chas. 1 |
| A-Foo 1 | Carson, Dave 7 2 | Holam, E. 1 | Latham, L. H. 1 2 | Pinchen, F. 1 | Smith, L. J. 1 |
| Ayala, Juan 1 | Caurisulo, A. 1 | Holler, Frederico 1 | Mirza, A. M. S. 1 regd. | Ponomareff, P.A. 4 | Shadforth, Jno. 1 |
| Bun Hang Hau 1 regd. | Clare, T. 1 | Harris, Capt. 2 | Mills, Chas. F. 2 | Robertson, B. 1 parcel | Smith, Heer 1 |
| Busk & Co., C.J. 1 | Costa, F. G. da 2 | Hawkins, Capt. 1 | Mansau, Thos. 1 | Rosenthal, P. 1 | Simani, F. 1 |
| Blankenger, J. 1 | Duchesne, M. 1 | Harvey, A. S. 2 | Macpherson, G. 11 | Rozario, P. P. do 1 | Shearer, James 1 |
| Bullock, T. L. 4 | Davidge, Mrs. L. 1 | Harvey, Capt. 1 | Machado, Crus 1 | Royal Bank 1 | Susso, Luigi 1 |
| Bryce, Mr. 1 | Davidson, G. B. 1 | Honsego 1 | Maher, J. M. 1 | Roberts, J. P. 1 | Tong Hing 2 |
| Boas, J. 1 | Davis, T. K. 1 | Hudson, Mrs. A.J. 1 | McLelland, Jno. 1 | Rodrigues, E.E. 1 | Thiel, John F.A. 1 |
| Burry, A. 1 | Franco, Carlos F. 1 | Hitchcock, Mr. 1 | Menegante, A. A. 1 | Strong, Miss. 1 1 | Wah Tan 1 regd. |
| Banks, Geo. 1 regd. | Gardner, C. J. 2 | Hewlett, A. R. 1 | Mally, F. de 1 regd. | Slater, A. T. 1 | Wellings, H. 3 |
| Banks, G. 1 | Geldart, J. 1 | Hahn, A. 1 | Nicholls, J. T. B. 2 | Williams, Arthur 1 | |
| Brandizi, Simon 1 | Gilkison, 1 | Irwin, Dr. 1 | | | |
| Booth, A. 1 | Graves, N. 1 | Koon, W. K. 1 regd. | | | |
| Bincker, E. 1 | | | | | |

For Merchant Ships.

| Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. Papers. | Letters. |
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| Anazi 1 regd. | Emily Chaplin 2 | Harbinger 4 | Maggie Douglas 1 | Paracca 1 |
| Aberney 1 | Empreza 1 | Hawkesbury 2 | Messenger 1 | Pauline 1 |
| Antipodes 1 | Explorador 1 | Henry S. Sanford 1 | Merse 2 1 | Parmenio 1 |
| Annie Lorway 3 2 | Eastern Isles, s.s. 1 | Hopeful 2 | Mars 1 | Per Ardua 3 |
| Benefactor 2 1 | Empress 1 | Henrik Hsen 1 | Mikado 1 | Presuits, s.s. 1 |
| Benarty, s.s. 3 | Empire 1 1 | Hermann 1 | Madeline 2 | Roderick Hay 1 |
| Belle of Oregon 1 | Firth of Tay 7 4 | Hylton Castle 5 1 | Maid of Judah 1 | R. B. Huller 1 |
| Chili 2 1 | Flodden 1 | Imbros, s.s. 3 | McCallum More 2 | St. Elmo 4 2 |
| City of Aberdeen 1 | Fitzpatrick, s.s. 1 | Irene 5 | Madras, s.s. 4 | Sophia 5 |
| Carnatic 1 | G. Caulfield 2 2 | Loweswater 1 2 | Magdala 1 | Sophie 6 |
| Carrisbrooke, ss. 1 | George Crashaw 5 | Leon Crespo 2 | Netherton 1 | Staghound 3 1 |
| Caller Ou 2 | Golden Spur 1 | Largs 1 1 | Oneida 1 | S. R. Mead 1 |
| Ceylon 2 | H. Armitage 1 | Lombardian 1 | Orange Grove 1 | Strathmore 16 |
| Charon Wattana 1 | Hosea, s.s. 1 | L. R. Burnham 1 | Peruvian 1 | Store Dealer 1 |
| | | | | Sir Harry Parkes 4 |

For H. M. Ships.

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| Curlew 1 Letter. | Falcon 1 Letter. | Growler 1 Letter. | Hart 1 L. 1 P. | Victor Emanuel 1 Letter. | Vigilant 1 Letter |
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Books, &c., without Covers.

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| Association of Female Workers. Alphabet. | Catalogue of Steam Engines. | Glasgow Weekly Herald. | London Iron Trade Exchange. | Newcastle Weekly Chronicle. | Saturday Review. |
| Bulletin, Am. Geo. Society. | Catalogue de la Littérature Française Moderne. | Helensburgh News. | Le Nord. | Punch. | The Implement Manufacturer's Review. |
| Birmingham Weekly Post. | Central-Blatt für das Deutsche Reich. | Iron Trade Circular. Illustrirte Zeitschrift, &c. | Le Belge. | Preussisches Handelsarchiv. | The Jersey Weekly Post. |
| Baiss Brothers & Co., p.c. Bùrcherische Freitags Zeitung. | Dorf Chronik. | Journal Amusant. | Lennox Herald. | Rotterdamsche Courant. Record. | The Westminster Post. |
| | Dresdner Nachrichten. | Journal de St. Petersburg. | La Gazette. | Revue Scientifique, &c. | Zeitschrift für logie. |
| | Dagblad. | Le Propagateur. | Monatsschrift für den Orient. | Sample of Braid. | |
| | Express. | | Niederländische Handels, &c. | | |
| | | | Neblspalter. | | |

Detained for Postage.

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General Post Office, Hongkong, 18th April, 1878.