

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

ISSUED BY THE BRITISH PACKET.

The *Delongy* will be despatched with Mails for the Straits Settlements, Penang, India, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, Europe, and countries served through the East.

There are no mails for the Australian Colonies, E. or S. Africa, nor for the West Indies.

The hours of closing the Mails, &c. :—

1.—Money Order Office closes; Post Office closes except the night box, which remains open all night.

From the instant,—

- 7 A.M.—Post Office opens.
- 10 A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter ceases.
- 11 A.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters.
- 11.10 A.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 18 cents until
- 11.30 A.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely.
- 11.40 A.M.—Late Letters may be posted *on board the packet* with late fee of 18 cents until time of departure.

ALFRED LISTER,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 13th December, 1878.

NOTICE.

Applications for Passage Brokers' Licences for the Year 1879, under Ordinance No. 5 of 1874, are received at this Office, from this date up to the 31st instant.

Applicants are requested to state the names and addresses of the parties they offer as Sureties under Section VI of the Ordinance aforesaid.

J. P. McEuen,
Acting Emigration Officer, &c.

Harbour Department, Hongkong, 7th December, 1878.

No. 235.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Tenders will be received at this Office, until Noon on Saturday, the 21st December, for the supply of the undermentioned Articles for the use of the Police Department, from the First day of January, to the Thirtieth day of June, 1879.

Oil.	Lampwick.	Buckets.	Tubs.	Salt.	Soap.	Gram.	Bran.	Paddy.	Oats.	Straw.	Hay.
Per jar. of 24 cattles.	large & small, per dozen of each.	each.		per lb.		per picul.					

The above enumerated Articles must be of good quality, deliverable at the Central Police Barracks, at such times and in such quantities as may be required.

Form of Tender and any further information can be obtained on application at the Office of the Captain Superintendent of Police.

No Tenders will be received unless prepared in the Form required.

By Command,

C. MAY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 30th November, 1878.