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48TH GOVERNMENT LOTTERY

Tickets Now On Sale

Tickets for the second Government lottery this year, the 48th in the series, are now on sale.

The tickets, at \$2 each, can be brought at all Royal Hong Kong Jockey Club selling booths and at 14 ferry piers of the Hong Kong and Yaumati Ferry Company.

They are also obtainable from the head offices and branches of the following banks: The Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, the Chartered Bank, the Dao Heng Bank, the Hang Seng Bank, the Hong Kong Chinese Bank, the Kwong On Bank, the Liu Chong Hing Bank, the Overseas Trust Bank, the Shanghai Commercial Bank, the Wing On Bank, the Bank of East Asia, the Mercantile Bank, the Hong Kong Industrial and Commercial Bank, the Commercial Bank of Hong Kong and the Wing Lung Bank.

The draw for the winning numbers will take place in the City Hall theatre at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 17, 1972.

As usual, there will be a total of 56 prizes and a number of special prizes. The first prize will amount to 30 per cent of the total proceeds, and each of the five second prizes will amount to two per cent. There will be a further 50 prizes, each of 0.3 per cent of the total proceeds.

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A number of special prizes, each of \$100, will be paid to holders of tickets the last three digits of which correspond to a special number to be drawn.

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Note to Editors: The Government Lotteries Management Committee will hold a news conference at 1 p.m. on Monday, June 5, at the City Hall Restaurant, when details of the 48th Government lottery will be announced.

You are cordially invited to have the conference covered.

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NEW LAUNDRY FOR MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Under Construction In Chai Wan

A new laundry for the Medical and Health Department is now under construction in Chai Wan to cope with the rapidly expanding hospital services.

The new laundry building is situated on a slope at Chai Wan Road in the vicinity of the Chai Wan Cottage Area.

The building site, with an area of 38,000 square feet, was a squatter area with 90 cottages and huts housing about 600 people. Prior to construction work, these squatters had been resettled to estates in Ngau Tau Kok and Sau Mau Ping.

Built along the same lines as a factory, this new two-storey building has a floor area of over 40,000 square feet. The ground floor comprises an engine room and store rooms. On the upper floors are the laundry, the receiving and despatch office and general offices.

Cars and trucks can go up to the upper floor via a slipway. Its capacity is equivalent to that of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital laundry. It can handle about one million pounds hospital clothing per month, including the clothing of patients and the uniforms of hospital staff.

The estimated cost of this laundry building is \$8,290,000, of which about one-third is allotted to the provision of equipment.

Construction work began early last year, and is expected to be completed in October this year.

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