

No. S. 141.—Returns of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the month ended 31st May, 1911, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	5,447,444	4,000,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	13,392,598	9,000,000
National Bank of China, Limited,	24,520	<i>Nil.</i>
TOTAL,.....\$	18,864,562	13,000,000

No. S. 142.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted by Hongkong.

Disease.	Port or Place.	Restrictions in Force.	Authority.
Cholera.	Bangkok.	Medical examination; quarantine at the discretion of the Health Officer.	Proclamation No. 1 dated 6th May, 1910.
Plague.	Pakhoi.	Do.	Proclamation No. 5 dated 18th May, 1911.
Cholera.	Hoihow.	Do.	Proclamation No. 6 dated 27th May, 1911.

No. S. 143.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted against Hongkong.

Place or Port.	Nature of Measures.	Date.	Reference to Government Notification.
Netherlands-India.	Hongkong declared an infected port. Importation of the following articles from Hongkong or transhipped at this port is temporarily prohibited:—Animal refuse, claws and hoofs; human hair, animal hair and bristles; hides un-tanned, salted or cured with arsenic; raw wool and rags; used bags or sacks; as also tapestry and used embroideries, unless they form part of personal luggage or household effects being removed.	12th May, 1911.	No. S. 111.

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