

No. S. 21.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted against Hongkong.

Place or Port.	Nature of Measures.	Date.	Reference to Government Notification.
Philippine Islands.	All passengers from Hongkong to produce special certificate.	7th March, 1918.	No. S. 49.
Newchwang.	All vessels arriving from Hongkong will be treated as Suspected Vessels.	27th May, 1919.	No. S. 86.
Singapore.	Hongkong declared an infected port on account of plague.	19th July, 1918.	No. S. 181.
Bengal.	Regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea enforced in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Hongkong.	24th June, 1918.	No. S. 192.
Netherlands-India.	<p>Hongkong declared an infected port on account of plague. Importation of the following articles from Hongkong or transhipped at this port is temporarily prohibited:—(1) wearing apparel, old and worn clothes, household effects for daily use, and used bedding, unless these goods are transported as personal luggage or in consequence of removal; (2) rags. (Refuse of new goods coming direct from the weaving-mills, from workshops where apparel is made, or from bleaching-establishments, artificial wool, and cuttings of newspaper, are not considered as rags.)</p> <p>Quarantine up to 21 days according to the state of health on board the ships but subject to exemption on production of certificates legalised by the Netherlands Consul-General at Hongkong.</p>	10th Feb., 1920.	No. S. 38.

CLAUD SEVERN,
Colonial Secretary.

20th January, 1922.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 22.—In view of the approaching Chinese New Year, it is hereby notified that, in accordance with Ordinance No. 3 of 1888, permission is given for Crackers to be fired as follows:—

Within those portions of the City of Victoria and the Kowloon Peninsula bounded by the following limits:—

(1.) City of Victoria.

South.—Bonham Road.

North.—The Praya.

West.—Western Street.

East.—Sai Street and Morrison Street.

(2.) Queen's Road East from Royal Naval Hospital entrance to Kennedy Road, by Kennedy Road to a line running through Hing Wan Street, down Stone Nullah Lane to Wanchai Road and Tai Wo Street to Praya East, along Praya East to Burrows Street and by Burrows Street to the Gas Works, Wanchai Road. Wanchai Market and both sides of the street are included in these limits.

(3.) Kowloon Peninsula.

North.—Austin Road, from Canton Road to the junction with Nathan Road.

South.—Peking Road.

East.—Carnarvon Road.

West.—Canton Road, between Peking Road and Austin Road.

On Friday, the 27th January, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.; and on Saturday, the 28th January, from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. On Friday, the 3rd February, from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m.

Within those portions of the City of Victoria and the Kowloon Peninsula (South of a line running from the junction of Nanking Street and Temple Street, Yau-ma-ti, to the boundary of Kowloon Marine Lot No. 40) not comprised in the above limits, with the exception hereafter mentioned:—

From 4 p.m. on Friday, the 27th January, till 4 p.m. on Sunday, the 29th January, and on Friday, the 3rd February, from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m.

No cracker-firing will be permitted in Ice House Lane, Duddell Street, or in the lanes leading out of Duddell Street for a distance of 80 yards from Queen's Road.

Cracker-firing is to be strictly confined to the times named above, both within and without the prescribed area; and both sides of all streets, or parts of streets named as the boundaries above, are to be considered as within the prescribed area.

No burning cracker or other fire is to be thrown above the head or near any person or inflammable material, and all reasonable precaution must be taken against accident, as every one is liable for damage arising from his carelessness.

The firing of crackers is not to be carried on in the vicinity of places of Christian Worship during Divine Service.

Attention is drawn to Government Notification No. 298 of the 8th July, 1921. No person shall make, sell, or have in his possession any fireworks which explode by detonation, or which contain any explosive ingredient or mixture other than black gunpowder, charcoal, sulphur and saltpetre.

The Police have strict orders to summon or arrest persons firing crackers in contravention of the foregoing restrictions.

*The Firing of Bombs, "Electric" crackers and "Golden Coin" crackers
is Strictly Prohibited.*

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Captain Superintendent of Police.

20th January, 1922.