

No. S. 75.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted by Hongkong.

Disease.	Port or Place.	Restrictions in Force.	Authority.
Small-pox.	Shanghai.	Medical examination ; quarantine at the discretion of the Health Officer.	Notification No. 512 of 9th December, 1921.
Cholera.	Manila.	Do.	Notification No. 16 of 13th January, 1922.

No. S. 76.—Returns of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the month ended 28th February, 1922, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks :—

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	10,688,945	5,000,000*
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	41,481,285	26,900,000†
Mercantile Bank of India, Limited,	1,397,327	550,000§
TOTAL,	\$ 53,567,557	32,450,000

* Sterling Securities deposited with the Crown Agents valued at £577,000.

† Securities with the Crown Agents and Straits Government £1,500,000.

§ Securities with the Crown Agents £130,000.

No. S. 77.—The following statement of the securities lodged with the Crown Agents by the Mercantile Bank of India, Limited, against their notes in circulation, is published for general information under Section 5 of the Mercantile Bank Note Issue Ordinance, 1911, (Ordinance No. 65 of 1911) :—

Security.	Amount.	Nominal Value.	Price when deposited.	Latest market price.
• 5½ % A Series Treasury Bonds 1929,	£130,000	par.

CLAUD SEVERN,
Colonial Secretary.

10th March, 1922.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 78.—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for Repairs to No. 1 Police Launch", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Friday, the 31st day of March, 1922.

Specifications can be obtained at the Government Marine Surveyor's Office.

Repairs to be executed to the satisfaction of the Government Marine Surveyor.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.