Objects and Reasons.

The object of this Bill is to provide for the postponement of the date of the June settlement from the 23rd day of June till the 14th day of July, 1925, and to validate, notwithstanding such postponement "every contract for the purchase or sale of shares for the June settlement day and every contract for the carrying over of shares until the June settlement day".—The Bill also provides for the payment of interest at the rate of 8% per annum, during such period of postponement, in respect of every sum of money due and payable under the above contracts on June settlement day.

H. E. Pollock, Attorney General.

30th June, 1925.

N.B.—It is proposed to move the suspension of the Standing Orders so as to enable the above Bill to be passed through all its stages at one sitting of the Legislative Council.

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 179.—Statement of Sanitary Measures adopted against Hongkong.

Place or Port.	Nature of Measures.	Date.	Reference to Government Notification.
Manila.	Inspections outside Manila harbour from 20th April. Third class passengers and new crew must comply with the vaccination requirements.	16th A pril, 1924.	
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CLAUD SEVERN,

Colonial Secretary.

3rd July, 1925.