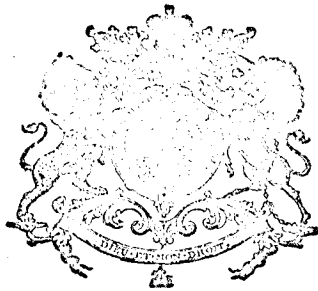


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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The Contract for publishing this *Gazette*, entered into on the 24th September, 1853, was terminated on the 30th ultimo; and notice is hereby given that a New Series of this *Gazette* will be published hereafter, to commence from the 7th instant, under a New Contract, and that "*THE HONGKONG GOVERNMENT GAZETTE*" will, as before, be the only Official Organ for PROCLAMATIONS, NOTIFICATIONS, and PUBLIC PAPERS, of this Government.

By Order,

W. T. MERCER, *Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, 2d July, 1855.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF HONGKONG.

No. 9 of 1859.

MONDAY, 21<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER, 1859.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, AND ALL THE MEMBERS.

The Council met to-day, pursuant to adjournment.

The Minutes of the last Council were read and approved.

The Bill entitled "*An Ordinance to apply a Sum not exceeding Ninety Thousand Pounds to the Public Service of the Year 1860,*" was read a second time;

And the Council went into Committee upon the Estimates for the said Year.

The Governor ordered, that the Estimated Assets over Liabilities, on the 1st January, 1860, be put down at £40,000 instead of £45,000 as shown in the Estimates. The alteration was accordingly made.

The following Votes were then agreed to:—

	£	s.	d.
GOVERNOR'S ESTABLISHMENT,	3,300	0	0
COLONIAL SECRETARY'S do.	3,050	0	0
COLONIAL TREASURER'S do.	1,785	0	0
AUDITOR GENERAL'S do.	1,550	0	0
SURVEYOR GENERAL'S do.	2,570	0	0
CLERK OF COUNCIL'S do.	205	0	0
REGISTRAR GENERAL'S do.	1,994	10	0
HARBOUR MASTER AND EMIGRATION OFFICER'S ESTABLISHMENT,	2,002	10	0
POLICE RATE COLLECTOR'S ESTABLISHMENT,	672	10	0
JUDICIAL ESTABLISHMENT,	6,585	0	0
ECCLESIASTICAL do.	800	17	0
CHARITABLE ALLOWANCES,	50	0	0
EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENT,	1,542	10	0
MEDICAL do. (including HOSPITALS,)	3,362	11	8
CHIEF MAGISTRATE'S ESTABLISHMENT,	3,320	0	0
POLICE,	12,980	10	0
GAOLS,	3,305	0	0
PENSIONS, RETIRED ALLOWANCES, AND GRATUITIES,	150	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES,	50	0	0
WORKS AND BUILDINGS,	22,550	0	0
ROADS, STREETS, AND BRIDGES,	17,500	0	0
SPECIAL EXPENSES, &c.,	300	0	0
Total,	£89,625	18	8

The Appropriation Bill being in accordance with the above Votes, His Excellency The Governor put the Question, —That this Bill do pass, and that the Title be,—"*An Ordinance to apply a Sum not exceeding Ninety Thousand Pounds to the Public Service of the Year 1860.*"

Question put, and carried; the Ordinance being numbered "*No. 4 of 1859.*"