

MAGISTRACY, HONGKONG,  
2nd June, 1879.

Summary of cases deserving notice decided at the Magistracy of Hongkong, from 24th to 30th May, 1879, both days inclusive.

*Larceny.*

1. Ho A-kau, a servant, was convicted, on the 26th ultimo, of stealing a pair of shoes, the property of one Tang A-luk, and sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour.

*Rogues and vagabonds.*

2. Yéung A-wai and Yéung A-léung, tooth powder manufacturers, were each convicted, on the 27th ultimo, and sentenced to four weeks' imprisonment with hard labour as rogues and vagabonds, in that they were found in a yard at Shau-kí-wán for an unlawful purpose.

*Assault.*

3. Wong A-shing, a barber, was convicted, on the 28th ultimo, of assaulting with others unknown one Ch'an A-ü with iron bars, and sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labour.

4. Ch'an A-fuk, a coolie, convicted on the 28th ultimo, of assaulting one Ün A-ts'ung at the Chinese Recreation Ground with an iron bar, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labour.

*Larceny from the person.*

5. Ch'an A-t'ong, a chair coolie, was, on the 30th ultimo, convicted and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour, the first and last fourteen days of which to be in solitary confinement, for stealing a jade-stone bangle from the person of a child (the daughter of one Kwok Shing-ki) in the street. The accused was identified as an old offender.

*False weights and measures.*

6. Léung A-shü, master of the Kwong-tai chandler's shop, situated at No. 26, Aberdeen Street; Chéung A-tak, master of the I-hòp chandler's shop, situated at No. 5, Tank Lane, and Li A-shi, master of the Tin-mau chandler's shop, situated at No. 1, Astor Buildings, were summoned at the instance of one of the Inspectors of Weights and Measures for using false and deficient weights and measures in the disposal of their goods. Léung A-shü and Chéung A-tak were each fined \$40 or two months' imprisonment, and Li A-shi was fined \$15 or twenty-one days' imprisonment.

香港巡理  
府自己卯  
年四月初  
四日起至  
初十日止  
所審案情  
選錄于左

案竊偷爲

何亞九侍  
役也於本  
月初六日  
偷去鄧亞  
六鞋一對  
被拿到案  
官斷監禁  
六個禮拜  
並操苦工

案徒匪辦爲

楊中惠楊  
亞良以燒  
牙灰爲業  
於本月初  
七日潛入  
符箕灣園  
內欲行偷  
竊被拿到  
案官斷每  
人監禁二  
十八日並  
充苦工

黃勝者  
薙匠也  
於本月初  
八日  
以鑲尺  
毆打陳  
亞如被  
拿到案  
官斷監  
禁兩個  
月前作  
苦工

陳亞福挑  
夫也於本  
月初八日  
在大笪地  
以鉄尺行  
兇毆打袁  
亞松被執  
到案官判  
監禁兩個  
月兼操苦  
工

案奪搶爲

陳亞棠興夫  
也於本月初  
十日搶去郭  
成基之女玉  
鉅一隻被拿  
到案官斷監  
禁六個月首  
尾十四日困  
于幽牢餘則  
充作苦工查  
該犯屢行不  
義乃積匪也

案平公不秤斗

梁亞樹押巴顛街第廿六  
號雜貨店之東主也張亞  
德水池巷第五號義合雜  
貨店之東主也李亞時三  
十間第一號天茂之東主  
也爲店內發貨所用之秤  
斗細小賺人被巡市總差  
查出控之於案官斷梁樹  
張德每罰銀四十員否則  
監禁兩個月李時判罰銀  
十五員不完罰欸監禁廿  
一日抵消