Magistracy, Hongkong, 1st September, 1879.

Summary of cases deserving notice decided at the Magistracy of Hongkong, from the 23rd to 29th August, 1879, both days inclusive.

Misconduct as a domestic servant.

1. Wong A-mún, servant to Mr. D. R. Griffiths, was, on the 27th ultimo, convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of \$3 in default ten days' imprisonment for disobeying the lawful orders of his master.

Rogue and vagabond.

2. Ch'an A-lok, a shoe maker, was, on the 27th ultimo, convicted of being a rogue and vagabond in that he was found in the Chéung-hòp shoe maker's shop at Lower Lascar Row for an unlawful purpose, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. The defendant was identified as having been in Gaol for gambling.

Larcenies.

- 3. Kwán A-fung, a coolie, was, on the 27th ultimo, convicted of stealing a pair of trousers the property of one Ng A-kái, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour.
- 4. Ho A-shing, a coolie, was, on the 23rd ultimo, convicted of stealing a pair of shoes the property of one Lam A-ping, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment, the first and last fourteen days of which to be in solitary confinement and the rest with hard labour, and further to be publicly exposed in the stocks for six hours on the day previous to his release from Gaol. The defendant was identified as an old offender.

Giving wilful false evidence.

5. Lau T'in-shing, a head coolie, was, on the 23rd ultimo, convicted of giving wilful evidence in a case in which one Ch'an A-kwok was charged with larceny and fined \$25 in default of payment two month's imprisonment with hard labour, and also to pay \$5 amends to the said Ch'an A-kwok or fourteen days further imprisonment with hard labour.

Disorderly behaviour.

6. Ch'an A-yau, described as having no occupation, was, on the 25th ultimo, convicted of behaving in a noisy, riotous and disorderly manner in a brothel at Square Street, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$5, in default of payment fourteen days' imprisonment, and to pay \$1 as amends or seven days' further imprisonment. He was also ordered to be exposed for six hours in the stocks near the brothel, and to find security for his good behaviour in \$25 for twelve months, in default one month's imprisonment.

Assaulting a Police Constable.

7. Léung Fuk-yung and Li A-chung, coolies, were, on the 25th ultimo, convicted of assaulting Police Constable No. 231, Wai A-tai, while in the due execution of his duty, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour each.

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Breach of the Excise Ordinance, (Opium). 1858-1879.

8. Lau A-man, an Opium seller, residing at house No. 3, Wái-yan Lane, was, on the 29th ultimo, convicted and fined \$60 or six weeks' imprisonment, for having in his possession a quantity of prepared opium without a permit from the Opium Farmer. All the opium and utensils seized together with a moiety of the fine (if paid) were ordered to be given to the Opium Farmer.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Hongkong Subsidiary Silver Coins.

Notice is hereby given that these Coins, of the respective values of 20 cents, 10 cents and 5 cents each, can be obtained at par by application to the Colonial Treasurer.

Not more than \$100 nor less than \$10 worth will be issued to each applicant in the following proportion, viz.:-

10 per cent. of 20-cent pieces.

By Command,

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> Frederick Stewart, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 13th August, 1879.

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NOTICE.

It is hereby notified, that Ships conveying Chinese Passengers under the provisions of Ordinance No. 5 of 1874, will not be allowed to carry them on the Upper or Weather Deck between the 1st of June, and the 15th of October, inclusive.

H. G. Thomsett, R.N., Emigration Officer, &c.

Harbour Department, Hongkong, 27th May, 1879. 七卯遵 初 \mathcal{F}_{l} 隻諭 日年毋此 條遵事事船 — H 面日起者則依照務政 違 特 示 Л 安止限由例甲得談廳 示 置斷至四 載戌凡 月 不九月華年有爲理