MAGISTRACY, HONGKONG,
24th November, 1879.

Summary of cases deserving notice decided at the Magistracy of Hongkong, from 15th to 21st November, 1879, both days inclusive.

Larcenies.

1. Chau A-sz, a farm-labourer, was, on the 15th instant, convicted of stealing divers articles of clothing of the value of $14, the property of Ch'an Lai-hò, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment; the first and last fourteen days to be in solitary confinement, the rest with hard labour.

2. Ch'an A-ying, a butcher, was, on the 15th instant, convicted of stealing a ladder belonging to the Kü-on Club at Chan-pak Lane, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment; the first and last fourteen days to be in solitary confinement, the rest with hard labour, in addition to an exposure in the stocks for six hours, the day previous to his release from Gaol. The accused was identified as an old offender.

3. Chiú A-wong, a cook, was, on the 17th instant, convicted of stealing a plane and a screw driver, the property of Yaú A-loi, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour, in addition to an exposure in the stocks for six hours. The accused was identified as an old offender.

4. Ch'an A-yaú, a coolie, was, on the 18th instant, convicted of stealing two jackets, one pair of trousers and one mat bag, the property of Ng A-lok, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour. The accused was identified as an old offender.

Breach of the Dangerous Goods Ordinance.
(No. 8 of 1873.)

5. Chung A-mun, a hawker, was, on the 19th instant, convicted and fined $25 for exposing a quantity of Kerosine Oil for sale, without first complying with the provisions of the Ordinance. The Kerosine and tins found to be forfeited.

Breach of "The Excise Ordinance (Opium)
1858-1879."

6. Ching A-tang, a hawker, and Li A-súi, describing himself as an Expectant Lieutenant at Tung-kún, were, on the 19th instant, convicted and fined $75 each or four weeks' imprisonment for having in their possession a quantity of prepared Opium without a permit from the Opium Farmer, the whole of the Opium and half of the fine (if paid) were ordered to go to the Opium Farmer.

Rogue and Vagabond.

7. Ch'an A-ün, a hawker, was, on the 21st instant, convicted of being a rogue and vagabond in that he was found in house No. 53 Wellington Street, for an unlawful purpose, and sentenced to three months' imprisonme nt with hard labour.

香港巡理府自己卯年十月初二日起至初八日止所判案情畧列於後

竊盜案

周亞四農夫也於本月初二日偷去陳麗好衣服等物約值銀十四圓被拿到案官斷監禁三個月首尾十四日困於黑牢餘則充作苦工

陳亞英屠夫也於本月初二日在鎮北街居安公館偷去樓梯一張被拿到案官判監禁六個月首尾十四日困居幽牢餘則操作苦工另監期將滿前一日發往犯事處枷號六點鐘蓋其前經繫獄乃舊犯也

趙亞旺廚子也於本月初四日偷去邱亞來做木器具兩件被拿到案官斷監禁六個月並操苦工另發往當衆處枷號六點鐘因其前經下獄乃舊匪也

陳亞有挑夫也於本月初五日偷去吳亞樂衣裳三件蓆包一個被執解案官判監禁六閱月並充苦工該犯前經繫獄乃舊匪也

爲貯危險貨

鍾亞滿小販也於本月初六日擅賣火水被控在案官斷罰銀廿五圓緝獲之火水盡行充公以警效尤

爲違洋煙例

鄭亞登小販也李亞瑞據稱東莞候補千總員弁也於本月初六日擅貯洋煙被執到案官斷每人罰銀七十五員否則監禁四個禮拜抵消所執之煙及罰項一半撥歸承充洋煙公司

爲辦匪徒案

陳亞元小販也於本月初八日在威靈頓街擅入五十三號屋內被拿解案官斷監禁三個月並充苦工