

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 189.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Monday, the 16th instant, for making about 20 miles of Fire Barriers.

For forms of tender apply at this Office.

For specifications and further particulars apply at the Office of the Botanical and Afforestation Department.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th May, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 190.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Friday, the 20th instant, for the construction of Quarters for Boatmen, Chinese Constables, Interpreter, &c., Hunghom Police Station.

For form of tender apply at this Office.

For specification and further particulars apply at the Surveyor General's Office.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th May, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 191.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Monday, the 23rd instant, for the construction of Filter Beds and Service Reservoir at the Albany end of Conduit, Tytam Water-works.

For form of tender apply at this Office.

For specification and further particulars apply at the Surveyor General's Office.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th May, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 175.

The following Lots of Crown Land at Hunghom, will be sold by Public Auction, on Monday, the 9th day of May, at 4 P.M.

Kaulung Inland Lots Nos. 31 to 33, 155 to 164 inclusive, and 167 and 168.

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale see Government Notification No. 159 of the 23rd instant.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 30th April, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 192.

The following Returns of Deaths for the week ended the 30th April are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th May, 1887.

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE

CAUSES.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.										
				VICTORIA DISTRICT.										
				DIVISION.										
	Civil.	Army.	Navy.	So-kon Po.	Bowrington.	Wan-tasai.	Ha-wan.	Sheung Wan.	Chung Wan.	Tái-ping Shan.	Sai Ying-pun.	Shek-tong T sui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour.
Convulsions,	2	..	2	6	1	..	1	1
Diphtheria,
Trismus,	2	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Phthisis,
Bronchitis and Pneumonia,
Dysentery, (Acute),	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea,	1*	..	..	..	..	..
Do., Choleraic or Vomiting and Purging, }
Cholera,
Colic,
Fever, Simple Continued,	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do., Remittent,
Do., Intermittent,	7	2	..	..	..	..
Do., Typhoid,
Do., Attended with Rigors,
Ague,
Small-Pox,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	..	..	..	..
Measles,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asthma,
Debility,
Dropsy, (Heart Disease),	1	..	..	..	1
Tetanus or Lock Jaw,
Lung Disease, (Chronic),	1	1	1	10	1	..	..	..	..
Undiagnosed,	1	..	1	..	..	..	1
Unclassed, (Worms),	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Paralysis, (on both side),	1	1	..	..	..	..
Apoplexy,	1	1	..	..	..	..
Natural Causes,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Child Birth, (Undelivered),	1	..	..	..	..
Accidental Injury,	1
Ulcer,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Continued Fever without Diarrhoea but with Eruption	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Quinsy,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Old Age,
Tumour Malignant,	1	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL,	3	..	..	..	..	3	7	1	13	29	12	..	1	4

* Chronic. † Acute.

REMARKS.

Italian Convent.

Trismus,	4
Convulsions,	1
Measles,	1
Unclassed, (Worms),	1
Ulcer,	1
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French Convent.

Trismus,	2
Convulsions,	2
Lung Disease, (Chronic),	1
Fever, Simple Continued,	2
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A SUMMARY OF DEATHS AND THEIR CAUSES SHOWN IN THE FOREGOING RETURN

DISEASE.	EUROPEAN AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.							
	Civil. — Esti- mated Popula- tion. 6,334	Army. — Esti- mated Strength. ...	Navy. — Esti- mated Strength. ...	VICTORIA DISTRICT.—							
				So-kon Po.	Bowrington.	Wan-tsay.	Ha-wan.	Sheung Wan.	Chung Wan.	Tai-ping Shan.	
				Estimated Population,							
Infantile } Convulsions, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	6
Convulsive } Trismus Nascentium,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...
Throat Affections, { Acute,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Chronic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chest Affections, { Acute, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Chronic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	10
Bowel Complaints, {	Cholera, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cholera Nostras, ....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cholera Infantum, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Diarrhoea, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Dysentery, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	Colic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fever, {	Malarial, {	Remittent, ....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
	Simple Continued, .....	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	Exanthe- matous, {	Typhoid,
		Measles,	1	1	...
Small-pox, ...		1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Typhus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Other Causes, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	3
TOTAL,	3	...	...	...	...	3	7	1	13	29

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
HONGKONG, 4th May, 1887.

AS HAVING BEEN REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING 30TH APRIL, 1887.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.													TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
DIVISION.				Kaulung District.		Shaukiwán District.		Aberdeen District.		Stanley District.				
Sai Ying-pun.	Shek-tong Tsui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour. Estimated Population.	Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.				
.....120,285			20,325	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.			
				12,382	5,000	4,654	4,000	2,500	3,500	1,000	1,000			
1	...	1	1	1	14	} 21	
...	7		
...	1	} 1	
...		
1	2	16	} 16	
...		
...	} 4	
...		
...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3		
...	1		
...	} 25	
2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10		
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3		
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1		
4	2	} 8	
...	8		
...	1	} 15	
4	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15		
12	...	1	4	7	...	1	1	82	82	

HUGH McCALLUM,
Secretary.

Statement showing the death-rate in the different registration districts during the week ending 30th April, 1887.

British and Foreign Community.—Civil Population,				24.6	per 1,000 per annum.
Chinese Community.—Victoria District,—Land Population,				28.5	} " "
"	"	"	Boat "	10.2	
"	Kaulung	"	Land "	29.4	} " "
"	"	"	Boat "	—	
"	Shauiwán	"	Land "	11.2	} " "
"	"	"	Boat "	13.0	
"	Aberdeen	"	Land "	—	} " "
"	"	"	Boat "	—	
"	Stanley	"	Land "	—	} " "
"	"	"	Boat "	—	
"	The whole Colony,	"	Land "	27.3	} " "
"	"	"	Boat "	7.7	
"	"	"	Land and Boat Population,	23.5	" "

HUGH McCALLUM,
Secretary.

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
HONGKONG, 4th May, 1887.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEATHS RECORDED UNDER THE DIFFERENT GROUPS OF DISEASES FOR EACH WEEK OF THE CURRENT YEAR.									DEATH-RATE RECORDED PER 1,000 PER ANNUM.			
1887.	CONVULSIVE DISEASES.		Throat Affections.	Chest Affections.	Bowel Complaints.	Fevers.	Other Causes.	TOTAL.	British and Foreign Community, Civil Population.	CHINESE COMMUNITY.		
	Under one Month.	Over one Month.								POPULATION.		
									Land.	Boat.	Land & Boat.	
Week ending the 8th January,	2	10	...	22	7	17	21	79	33.3	25	7.7	21.6
Do. the 15th "	2	4	...	26	6	12	24	74	24.9	24.6	7.7	21.3
Do. the 22nd "	1	8	...	20	8	8	21	66	16.6	19.7	13.8	18.6
Do. the 29th "	3	4	...	22	5	12	17	63	16.6	18.6	16.9	18.3
Do. the 5th February,	5	6	...	21	4	17	22	75	16.5	20.8	23.1	21.2
Do. the 12th "	4	15	...	23	6	13	23	84	49.4	26.3	9.2	23.0
Do. the 19th "	5	5	...	27	7	19	15	78	24.7	24.5	12.3	22.1
Do. the 26th "	5	6	...	20	5	16	17	69	8.2	20.4	16.9	19.7
Do. the 5th March,	13	9	...	20	4	10	22	78	24.7	25.6	9.2	22.4
Do. the 12th "	9	10	...	20	3	22	18	82	16.4	27.0	10.7	23.9
Do. the 19th "	8	11	...	15	7	18	24	83	32.9	25.9	13.8	23.6
Do. the 26th "	11	5	...	20	2	10	21	69	57.5	21.1	7.7	18.5
Do. the 2nd April,	7	11	...	14	2	19	24	77	16.4	24.8	10.8	22.1
Do. the 9th "	10	5	...	17	4	27	11	74	16.4	24.7	7.7	21.4
Do. the 16th "	6	10	...	15	6	12	20	69	16.4	22.2	10.8	20.0
Do. the 23rd "	9	12	...	15	1	26	15	78	32.8	23.3	16.9	22.0
Do. the 30th "	7	14	1	16	4	25	15	82	24.6	27.3	7.7	23.5

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