

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 282.

The following Bill, which was read a first time at a Meeting of the Legislative Council held yesterday, is published for general information.

J. M. GUTIERREZ,
Acting Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, Hongkong, 9th July, 1887.

A BILL

ENTITLED

*An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 16
of 1887.*

BE it enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. Section 2 of Ordinance No. 16 of 1887 is hereby amended by substituting the word and figures Section 28 for the word and figures Section 27 in the said section.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 283.

The following Returns of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the Month ended 30th June, 1887, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks, are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th July, 1887.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,.....	991,545	400,000
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,.....	1,057,740	500,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,.....	2,904,533	1,500,000
TOTAL,.....\$	4,953,818	2,400,000

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 284.

The following Returns of Deaths for the week ended the 2nd instant are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th July, 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-tsai.	Ha-wan.	Sheung Wan.	Chung Wan.	T'ai-ping Shan.	Sai Ying-pun.	Shek-tong T sui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour.
Convulsions, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	17	4	...	...	...
Diphtheria, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trismus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	7	1	...	...	...	...
Phthisis or Consumption, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bronchitis,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dysentery,	1	...	...	...	...	1†	...	...	3†	...	...	...	...
Diarrhœa,	1	...	...	...	...	2†	...	...	5*	1*	...	...	...
Do., Choleraic or Vomiting and Purgings, }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cholera Nostras, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1*
Colic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fever, Simple Continued, ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	...	...	...	...
Do., Remittent,	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Do., Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	...	...
Do., Typhoid or Enteric, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do., Attended with Rigors, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ague, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-Pox, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tetanus or Lock Jaw, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lung Disease, (Chronic), .....	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	2	6	1	1	...	1
Undiagnosed, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1
Heart Disease, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Acute Throat Disease, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stone in the Bladder, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Premature Birth, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Apoplexy, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Dropsy, Nature of unascertained, }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Dropsy, (Heart Disease), ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Marasmus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
Insolation, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ulcer, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Abscess, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Paralysis, (Spinal), .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Old Age,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Natural Cause,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wounds,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL,	9	...	...	3	...	3	19	1	23	46	10	1	4

* Acute.

† Chronic.

REMARKS.

Italian Convent.

Marasmus,	5
Trismus,	7
Fever, Simple Continued,	4
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	16
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French Convent.

Insolation,	3
Diarrhœa, (Chronic),	2
Remittent Fever,	2
Trismus,	8
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	15
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WEEK ENDING THE 2ND DAY OF JULY, 1887, AND THEIR CAUSES.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.								TOTAL AT DIFFERENT AGE PERIODS.						GRAND TOTAL.
KAU-LUNG DISTRICT.		SHAU-KI WAN DISTRICT.		ABERDEEN DISTRICT.		STANLEY DISTRICT.		Under 1 Month.	Over 1 & under 12 Months.	Over 1 & under 5 Years.	Over 5 & under 15 Years.	Over 15 & under 45 Years.	Over 45 Years.	
Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.							
2	11	15	..	..	..	26
..	16	..	..	..	..	..	16
..	1	..	..	..	..	1
..	3	2	5
1*	2*	1*	1*	..	..	..	2	3	1	4	4	14
..
..	1	1
..
1	2	..	..	..	..	3	1	3	3	1	11
..	2	1	..	1	..	4
..	1	4	2	7
..
..
..	1	..	1
..
..	7	8	15
2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	2	1	7
1	1	1	2
..	1	..	1
..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
..	1	1
..	2	2	4
..	1	1
..	3	2	..	..	..	5
..	1	2	..	..	..	3
..	1	..	..	..	..	1
..	1	..	1
..	1	1
..	1	..	1
..	1	1
7	1	..	2	3	1	..	..	18	25	26	6	32	26	133

REMARKS.

Tung Wa Hospital.

Lung Disease, (Chronic),	3
Convulsions,	9
Intermittent Fever,	3
Fever, Simple Continued,	2
Diarrhoea, Acute,	5
Dysentery, (Chronic),	3
Apoplexy,	1
Dropsy, Nature of unascertained,	4
<u>30</u>	

Alice Memorial Hospital.

Abscess,	1
<u>1</u>	

Berlin Foundling House.

Ulcer,	1
<u>1</u>	

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Acting Registrar General.

A SUMMARY OF DEATHS AND THEIR CAUSES SHOWN IN THE FOREGOING RETURN

DISEASE.	EUROPEAN AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.						
	Civil. — Esti- mated Popu- lation. 6,352	Army. — Esti- mated Strength. ...	Navy. — Esti- mated Strength. ...	VICTORIA DISTRICT.—						
				So-kon Po.	Bowrington.	Wan-t sai.	Ha-wan.	Sheung Wan.	Chung Wan.	Tái-ping Shan.
				Estimated Population,						
Infantile Convulsive Diseases, {										
Convulsions, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	17
Trismus Nascentium, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	7	1
Throat Affections, {										
Acute, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Chronic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chest Affections, {										
Acute,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chronic, .....	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2	6
Bowel Complaints, {										
Cholera, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cholera Nostras, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cholera Infantum, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diarrhœa,	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	5
Dysentery,	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3
Colic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fevers, {										
Malarial, {										
Remittent,	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	3
Simple Continued,	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2
Exanthematous, {										
Typhoid, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Measles, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-pox, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Typhus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marasmus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Other Causes,	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	9
TOTAL,	9	...	...	3	...	3	19	1	23	46

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
HONGKONG, 6th July, 1887.

AS HAVING BEEN REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING 2ND JULY, 1887.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.													TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
DIVISION.				Kaulung District.		Sháukiwán District.		Aberdeen District.		Stanley District.				
Sai Ying-pun.	Shek-tong Tsui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour. Estimated Population.	Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.				
				Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.			
.....	120,879		20,370	12,436	5,000	4,672	4,000	2,500	3,500	1,000	1,000			
4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	} 42	
...	16		
...	1	} 1	
...		
...	1	} 16	
1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	
...	} 20	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1		
...	} 23	
1	4		
1	7	} 23	
...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	11		
...	} 23	
...		
...	1	} 23	
...		
...	5	5	
2	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	26	
10	1	...	4	7	1	...	2	3	1	...	...	133	133

HUGH McCALLUM,
Secretary.

Statement showing the death-rate in the different registration districts during the week ending 2nd July, 1887.

British and Foreign Community.—Civil Population,		73.7	per 1,000 per annum.
Chinese Community.—Victoria	District,—Land	Population,	45.6
	Boat	.....	10.2
" Kaulung	Land	.....	29.3
	Boat	.....	10.4
" Sháukiwán	Land	.....	—
	Boat	.....	26.0
" Aberdeen	Land	.....	62.4
	Boat	.....	14.9
" Stanley	Land	—
	Boat	—
" The whole Colony,	Land	42.6
	Boat	12.3
" " Land and Boat Population,		36.8	" "

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Secretary.

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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 "	8	11	...	20	3	22	18	82	16.4	27.0	10.7	23.9
Do. the 19th "	9	10	...	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	24.8	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
Do. the 7th May,	6	21	...	20	4	13	23	87	32.8	29.1	6.2	24.7
Do. the 14th "	10	14	...	15	8	14	18	79	32.8	24.7	12.3	22.3
Do. the 21st "	12	22	1	20	5	32	18	110	41.0	35.8	12.3	31.2
Do. the 28th "	10	12	...	21	9	16	21	89	...	28.7	13.8	25.9
Do. the 4th June,	9	16	1	22	11	19	24	102	49.2	31.3	16.9	28.5
Do. the 11th "	14	15	...	16	5	32	17	99	40.9	32.4	9.2	27.9
Do. the 18th "	13	20	...	18	16	31	27	125	32.8	37.2	30.7	35.9
Do. the 25th "	10	19	2	16	10	32	30	119	40.9	37.9	16.9	33.8
Do. the 2nd July,	16	26	1	16	20	23	31	133	73.7	42.6	12.3	36.8

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