

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 541.

The following Returns of Deaths for the week ended the 17th December are published for general information.

By Command,

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 23rd December, 1887.

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE

CAUSES.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.										
				VICTORIA DISTRICT.										
				DIVISION.										
	Civil.	Army.	Navy.	Sokoupo.	Bowrington.	Wantsai.	Hawan.	Sheungwan.	Chungwan.	Taip'ingshan.	Sayingpun.	Shektongtsui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour.
Convulsions,	1	..	1	2	12	12	1	..	..	..
Diphtheria,
Trismus,	6	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Phthisis or Consumption,
Bronchitis,
Dysentery,
Diarrhoea,	4†	..	..	..	..
Do., Choleraic or Vomiting and Purging, }
Cholera Nostras,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Colic,
Fever, Simple Continued,	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Do., Remittent,	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Do., Intermittent,	1	12	1	1	..	..	1
Small-pox,	3	17	1	..	..	..	..
Measles,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asthma,
Tetanus or (Lock Jaw),
Lung Disease, (Chronic),	1	2	1	..	3	13	1	..	..	1
Dropsy, Nature of unascertained,	1	1	..	..	..
Dropsy, Heart Disease,	1	2	..	..	..	..
Continued Fever without Diarrhoea but with Eruption,	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Undiagnosed,	2	..	..	..	1
Apoplexy,	1	1	..	..	..	..
Ulcer (non-malignant),	1	..	..	..	..	..
Marasmus,	1	..	..	..	..	..
Accidental Injury,	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Drowning,	1
Felo de se,	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cerebral effusion,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hydrocephalus,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alcoholism and Small-pox,	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Old age,
TOTAL,	5	..	..	..	2	3	12	3	30	65	8	2	..	4

* Acute.

† Chronic.

REMARKS.

Italian Convent.

Trismus,	5
Ulcer, (non-malignant),	1
Marasmus,	1
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French Convent.

Trismus,	6
Fever, Simple Continued,	3
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WEEK ENDING THE 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1887, AND THEIR CAUSES.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.								TOTAL AT DIFFERENT AGE PERIODS.						GRAND TOTAL.
KAULUNG DISTRICT.		SHAUKIWAN DISTRICT.		ABERDEEN DISTRICT.		STANLEY DISTRICT.								
Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	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.	
..	8	17	4	..	..	29
..
..	11	..	..	..	..	..	11
..
..
..	1†	..	2*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	8
..
..	2	..	..	..	2
..
..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	2	2	9
..	1	..	1	1	..	3
..	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	12	4	19
..	6	12	1	2	..	21
..	1	..	..	1
..
..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	9	15	26
..	1	1	2
..	2	1	3
..	1	1	..	2
..	2	..	1	..	..	..	3
..	2	..	2
..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	1	..	..	..	..	1
..	2	..	2
..	1	..	1
..	1	1	2
..	1	..	..	1	..	1
..	1	..	1
..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
9	3	2	3	1	..	1	..	14	19	36	12	43	29	153

REMARKS.

Tung Wa Hospital.

Lung Disease, (Chronic),	7
Convulsions,	3
Intermittent Fever,	12
Small-pox,	12
Dropsy, Nature of unascertained,	2
Apoplexy,	1
Diarrhœa, (Chronic),	4

AS HAVING BEEN REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING 17TH DECEMBER, 1887.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.													TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
DIVISION.				Kaulung District.		Sháukiwán District.		Aberdeen District.		Stanley District.				
Saiyingpun.	Sheklongtsui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour. Estimated Population.	Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.				
				Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.			
.....	122,463		20,490	12,580	5,000	4,720	4,000	2,500	3,500	1,000	1,000			
1	29	} 40	
...	11		
...	} ...	
...		
...	} 26	
1	1	2	1	1	26		
...	} ...	
...	2		
...	} 10	
...	8		
...	1	1	...	2	} ...	
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...	3	} ...	
1	1	19		
1	1	2	1	1	...	11	} 55	
...	1	5		
...	} ...	
...	1		
...	21	} ...	
1		
...	1	1	
...	21	21	
3	2	1	1	
8	2	...	4	9	3	2	3	1	...	1	...	153	153	

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Statement showing the death-rate in the different registration districts during the week ending 17th December, 1887.

British and Foreign Community.—Civil Population,.....	40.6	per 1,000 per annum.
Chinese Community.—Victoria District,—Land Population,	53.8	
" " " Boat "	10.2	" "
" Kaulung " Land "	37.2	" "
" " " Boat "	31.2	" "
" Sháukiwán " Land "	22.0	" "
" " " Boat "	39.0	" "
" Aberdeen " Land "	20.8	" "
" " " Boat "	—	" "
" Stanley " Land "	52.0	" "
" " " Boat "	—	" "
" The whole Colony, Land "	50.1	" "
" " " Boat "	15.3	" "
" " " Land and Boat Population,.....	43.4	" "

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SANITARY BOARD ROOM, HONGKONG, 21st December, 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 "	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
Do. the 9th "	14	16	...	17	13	29	23	112	73.7	34.9	12.3	30.5
Do. the 16th "	9	21	...	15	15	25	38	123	40.9	37.8	23.0	35.0
Do. the 23rd "	16	15	1	27	9	24	31	123	89.9	36.3	19.9	33.2
Do. the 30th "	11	11	...	15	13	31	24	105	32.7	30.4	27.6	29.9
Do. the 6th August,	10	15	...	21	8	35	25	114	16.3	35.2	24.5	33.1
Do. the 13th "	13	6	...	9	8	35	29	100	32.7	28.6	27.6	28.4
Do. the 20th "	15	9	1	25	8	40	23	121	49.0	36.6	23.0	34.0
Do. the 27th "	20	11	...	16	19	35	29	130	16.3	39.2	32.2	37.8
Do. the 3rd September	17	9	...	19	20	24	18	107	16.3	32.9	21.5	30.7
Do. the 10th "	13	5	...	25	7	35	24	109	24.5	32.2	26.0	31.0
Do. the 17th "	18	13	...	13	10	33	21	108	8.2	32.2	26.1	31.0
Do. the 24th "	19	14	1	24	15	32	13	118	24.5	34.3	32.2	33.9
Do. the 1st October,	15	10	...	12	10	41	12	100	24.5	29.9	19.9	28.0
Do. the 8th "	16	10	...	17	7	29	13	92	16.3	31.0	7.7	26.5
Do. the 15th "	12	12	1	21	7	32	18	103	32.6	32.5	15.3	29.2
Do. the 22nd "	13	8	...	21	7	30	20	99	32.6	31.0	13.8	27.7
Do. the 29th "	19	12	...	23	10	23	22	109	8.1	34.6	19.9	31.8
Do. the 5th November	7	9	1	25	8	40	18	108	48.8	31.0	24.5	29.7
Do. the 12th "	1	13	...	22	13	35	23	107	...	34.2	15.3	30.6
Do. the 19th "	10	12	...	27	12	48	40	149	48.8	48.0	12.2	41.1
Do. the 26th "	7	12	...	27	11	34	22	113	65.1	31.8	15.3	30.3
Do. the 3rd December,	7	18	3	28	9	40	21	126	24.4	40.7	15.3	35.8
Do. the 10th "	4	25	...	32	12	45	45	163	73.1	50.8	19.9	44.9
Do. the 17th "	11	29	...	26	10	55	22	153	40.6	50.1	15.3	43.4

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