

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 309.

Intimation has been received from His Imperial Japanese Majesty's Consul in this Colony that, from this date, vessels proceeding to Japan from, or via Hongkong or Amoy, will be subject to Medical inspection at Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 4th July, 1888.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 310.

The following Notice is published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th July, 1888.

## NOTICE.

A special sessions of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace will be held at the Justices' Room at the Magistracy, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the sixteenth day of July, 1888, for the purpose of considering an application for the temporary transfer of the licence of the *Rose, Shamrock, and Thistle* Hotel, from CARL BERCOVITZ to ISRAEL WEINBERG.

H. E. WODEHOUSE,  
*Police Magistrate.*

Magistracy, Hongkong, 5th July, 1888.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 311.

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, 1888, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks, are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th July, 1888.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China, .....	1,239,050	420,000
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, .....	1,099,993	550,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, .....	3,005,864	1,500,000
TOTAL,.....\$	5,344,907	2,470,000

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 312.

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

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 7th July, 1888.

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.	Táipingshan.	Saiyingpun.	Shektongsui.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour.
Convulsions, .....	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	7	2	..	..	1
Diphtheria, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trismus Nascentium, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	10	..	..	..	..	..
Phthisis or Consumption, ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bronchitis and Pneumonia, .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dysentery, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	†1	..	†1	†10	..	..	..	..
Diarrhœa, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	†2	..	..	*1	..	..	..	*1
Cholera, .....	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Choleraic Diarrhœa, .....	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fever, Simple Continued,...	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do., Remittent, .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do., Intermittent, .....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	8	4	..	..	1
Do., Typhoid or Enteric, ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Debility, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Tetanus or (Lock Jaw), .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Marasmus, .....	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	12	5	..	1	3
Lung Disease, (Chronic), ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Undiagnosed, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	1
Dropsy, Heart Disease, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	18	5	1	1	5
Vomiting and Purging, .....	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Syphilis, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Worms, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Beri Beri, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Accidental Injury, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Strangulation, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Natural Causes, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Fracture of Spine, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Stricture of Urethra, .....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Acute, Throat Disease, ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Drowning, .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>TOTAL, .....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>

\* Acute.

† Chronic.

‡ 5 Acute. 5 Chronic.

REMARKS.

Italian Convent.

Convulsions, .....	1
Trismus Nascentium, .....	10
Marasmus, .....	6
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Asile de la St. Enfance.

Convulsions, .....	1
Diarrhœa, (Acute), .....	1
Diarrhœa, (Chronic), .....	1
Trismus Nascentium, .....	9
Remittent Fever, .....	1
Fever, Simple Continued, .....	1

WEEK ENDING THE 30TH DAY OF JUNE, 1888, AND THEIR CAUSES.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.								TOTAL AT DIFFERENT AGE PERIODS.						GRAND TOTAL.
KAULUNG DISTRICT.		SHAUKIWAN 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	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	12	..	..	..	19
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	..	..	19
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
*1	*3	..	*1	..	*1	..	..	..	1	2	1	7	4	12
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	3	10
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5
3	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	1	4	1	5
..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	5	12
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	2	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	7	15
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
1	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	4	1	..	..	..	6
..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	15	17	32
..	5	..	..	4	10	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	2	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	31	15	53
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	4
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..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
8	20	1	2	5	14	1	1	22	14	20	14	88	58	216

REMARKS.

Tung Wa Hospital.

Lung Disease, (Chronic), .....	10
Convulsions, .....	4
Intermittent Fever, .....	8
Dysentery, (Acute), .....	5
Dysentery, (Chronic), .....	5
Dropsy, Heart Disease, .....	1
Vomiting and Purging, .....	14
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Alice Memorial Hospital.

Syphilis, .....	1
Beri Beri, .....	1
Fracture of Spine, .....	1
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J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
Registrar General.

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

DISEASE.	EUROPEAN AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.						
	Civil. — Esti- mated Popula- tion.  6,456	Army. — Esti- mated Strength.  ...	Navy. — Esti- mated Strength.  ...	VICTORIA DISTRICT.—						
				Sokoupo.	Bowrington.	Wantsai.	Hawan.	Sheungwan.	Chungwan.	Táipingshan.
				Estimated Population, .....						
Infantile Convulsive Diseases, {										
Convulsions, .....	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	2	7
Trismus Nascentium; .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	10	1
Throat Affections, {										
Acute, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chronic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chest Affections, {										
Acute, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chronic, .....	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	2	12
Bowel Complaints, {										
Cholera, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cholera Nostras, .....	8	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	2	18
Cholera Infantum, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diarrhoea, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1
Dysentery, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	10
Colic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fevers, {										
Malarial, {										
Remittent, .....	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	8
Simple Continued, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Exanthematous, {										
Typhus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid, .....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Measles, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-pox, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marasmus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
Other Causes, .....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	1
TOTAL, .....	10	1	2	1	...	4	20	1	35	58

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,  
HONGKONG, 4th July, 1888.

AS HAVING BEEN REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING 30TH JUNE, 1888.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.												TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
DIVISION.				Kaulung District.		Sháukiwán District.		Aberdeen District.		Stanley District.			
Saiyungpun.	Shek toungtsni.	Kennedy Town.	Harbour. Estimated Population.	Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.			
				Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.		
.....	124,310		20,630	12,748	5,000	4,776	4,000	2,500	3,500	1,000	1,000		
2	..	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	} 39
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	} 1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	...	1	3	1	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	32	} 32
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	1	1	5	...	5	...	...	4	10	...	...	63	} 85
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	1	1	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	10	} 33
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	5	} 33
4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	
...	...	...	...	3	7	...	...	...	1	...	...	12	} 33
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
1	...	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	20	20
17	1	2	12	8	20	1	2	5	14	1	1	216	216

WM. EDWARD CROW,  
Acting Secretary.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEATH-RATE IN THE DIFFERENT REGISTRATION DISTRICTS  
DURING THE WEEK ENDING 30TH JUNE, 1888.

British and Foreign Community.—Civil Population, .....		80.5	per 1,000 per annum.
Chinese Community.—Victoria	District,—Land	Population, .....	58.1
"	" Boat	" .....	30.2
"	Kaulung	Land	32.6
"	" Boat	" .....	208.0
"	Sháukiwán	Land	10.9
"	" Boat	" .....	26.0
"	Aberdeen	Land	104.0
"	" Boat	" .....	208.0
"	Stanley	Land	52.0
"	" Boat	" .....	52.0
"	The whole Colony,	Land	55.1
"	" Boat	" .....	74.7
"	" Land and Boat Population,	58.8	" "

WM. EDWARD CROW,  
*Acting Secretary.*

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,  
HONGKONG, 4th July, 1888.

1888.	CONVULSIVE DISEASES.		Throat Affections.	Chest Affections.	Bowel Complaints.	Fevers.	Other Causes.	TOTAL.	British and Foreign Community, Civil Population.	DEATH-RATE RECORDED PER 1,000 PER ANNUM.		
	Under one Month.	Over one Month.								CHINESE COMMUNITY.		
										POPULATION.		
									Land.	Boat.	Land & Boat.	
Week ending the 7th January,	11	24	1	24	6	99	25	190	97.4	60.9	15.3	52.2
Do. the 14th "	9	20	...	22	6	94	29	180	56.8	60.1	10.7	50.7
Do. the 21st "	11	25	...	12	5	107	25	185	73.0	56.8	26.0	50.9
Do. the 28th "	13	14	...	20	9	103	13	172	56.8	53.9	24.5	48.3
Do. the 4th February,	7	17	...	23	8	73	30	158	56.8	51.4	12.2	43.9
Do. the 11th "	6	15	2	16	3	56	22	120	24.3	39.0	13.8	34.2
Do. the 18th "	12	12	...	18	8	44	22	116	40.5	36.1	15.3	32.1
Do. the 25th "	8	9	...	21	2	22	23	85	24.3	25.3	16.8	23.7
Do. the 3rd March,	8	16	...	20	6	19	14	83	24.3	22.7	24.4	23.1
Do. the 10th "	9	8	...	15	5	16	15	68	48.6	19.1	13.7	18.1
Do. the 17th "	5	9	1	23	9	13	18	78	24.3	22.7	18.3	21.9
Do. the 24th "	14	5	...	18	6	13	13	69	24.3	20.2	15.3	19.2
Do. the 31st "	7	7	1	25	6	16	7	69	26.2	19.8	18.3	19.5
Do. the 7th April,	5	3	...	15	8	14	22	67	14.3	20.9	6.1	18.1
Do. the 14th "	11	5	1	24	6	14	12	73	24.2	20.9	18.3	20.4
Do. the 21st "	2	10	...	19	8	16	20	75	16.2	21.9	18.3	21.2
Do. the 28th "	7	10	...	19	9	14	20	79	16.2	26.2	6.1	21.2
Do. the 5th May,	5	8	...	19	10	14	13	69	8.1	21.9	10.7	19.8
Do. the 12th "	11	17	...	25	13	15	19	100	32.3	29.4	18.3	27.3
Do. the 19th "	9	7	...	14	12	15	25	82	8.1	27.6	6.1	23.5
Do. the 26th "	17	8	...	31	25	20	27	128	40.3	37.7	25.9	35.4
Do. the 2nd June,	9	11	...	30	39	26	26	141	24.2	40.9	36.6	40.0
Do. the 9th "	13	14	...	19	52	38	34	170	64.5	49.8	35.1	47.0
Do. the 16th "	15	5	...	35	42	23	29	149	48.4	41.5	39.6	41.2
Do. the 23rd "	13	16	...	35	137	26	35	262	40.3	79.1	54.9	74.5
Do. the 30th "	20	19	1	32	85	33	26	216	80.5	55.1	74.7	58.8

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,  
HONGKONG, 4th July, 1888.

WM. EDWARD CROW,  
*Acting Secretary.*