

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 363.

The following Minutes are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th August, 1888.

SANITARY BOARD, No. 6.

THURSDAY, 26TH JULY, 1888.

PRESENT :

The Colonial Surgeon, (Dr. PHILIP BERNARD CHENERY AYRES), President.
The Captain Superintendent of Police, (The Honourable WALTER MEREDITH DEANE), Vice-President.
The Surveyor General, (The Honourable JOHN MACNEILE PRICE).
The Registrar General, (JAMES HALDANE STEWART LOCKHART, Esquire).
JOHN DAVID HUMPHREYS, Esquire.
JOHN JOSEPH FRANCIS, Esquire, Q.C.
The Honourable WONG SHING.
NATHANIEL JOSEPH EDE, Esquire.
Dr. HO KAI.

ABSENT :

Dr. JAMES CANTLIE.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

The Minutes of the last Meeting, held on the 19th July, were read and confirmed.

No. 1012,
25th July,
1888.

BURIAL OF ANIMAL CARCASSES AT SEA.—Read a letter from the Colonial Secretary approving of a recommendation of the old Board on this subject.

No. 1013,
26th July,
1888.

MORTALITY STATISTICS.—Read a letter from the Colonial Secretary conveying the directions of the Government for the monthly publication of these returns in the *Gazette*.

PETITION.—Read a petition from Mr. E. M. XAVIER stating that he wished to vacate his office if he were compelled to wear the uniform approved by the Government.

Resolved—That the petition be transmitted to the Colonial Secretary with a recommendation that Mr. XAVIER's resignation be accepted.

S. B. 106,
21st July,
1888.

BY-LAWS.—Read a letter that had been sent to the Colonial Secretary asking for the opinion of the Government on the power of the Board to make By-Laws under Sub-section 1 of Section 13 of the *Public Health Ordinance*.

ADJOURNMENT.—The Board then adjourned until Thursday, the 9th of August, 1888, at 4.30 P.M.

PH. B. C. AYRES,
President.

Read and confirmed this 9th day of August, 1888.

WM. EDWARD CROW,
Acting Secretary.

SANITARY BOARD, No. 7.

THURSDAY, 2ND AUGUST, 1888.

EMERGENCY MEETING.

PRESENT :

The Colonial Surgeon, (Dr. PHILIP BERNARD CHENERY AYRES), President.
 The Captain Superintendent of Police, (The Honourable WALTER MEREDITH DEANE), Vice-President.
 The Surveyor General, (The Honourable JOHN MACNEILE PRICE).
 The Registrar General, (JAMES HALDANE STEWART LOCKHART, Esquire).
 JOHN DAVID HUMPHREYS, Esquire.
 The Honourable WONG SHING.
 Dr. JAMES CANTLIE.
 NATHANIEL JOSEPH EDE, Esquire.

ABSENT :

JOHN JOSEPH FRANCIS, Esquire, Q.C.
 Dr. HO KAL.

Read, the notice convening the Meeting.

No. 1063,
 31st July,
 1888.

BY-LAWS.—Read a letter from the Colonial Secretary conveying the opinion of the Government respecting the power of the Board to make By-Laws under Sub-section 1 of Section 13 of the *Public Health Ordinance*.

The Captain Superintendent of Police moved :—

That the draft By-Laws be referred back to the Sub-Committee for revision in accordance with the terms of the Colonial Secretary's letter of the 31st ultimo, No. 1063.

The President seconded.

Question—put and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.—The Board then adjourned.

PH. B. C. AYRES,
President.

Read and confirmed this 9th day of August, 1888.

WM. EDWARD CROW,
Acting Secretary.

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The following Returns of Deaths for the week ended the 28th July are published for general information.

By Command.

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th August, 1888.