The Council then went into Committee on the Bill.

Bill reported without amendment.

The Acting Colonial Secretary then moved the third reading of the Bill.

The Acting Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Question—put and passed.

Bill read a third time.

Question put—that this Bill do pass.

Bill passed, and numbered as Ordinance 33 of 1889.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL, 1890.—The Acting Colonial Secretary read the following. Report of the Finance Committee on this Bill:—

"The Committee having considered this Bill, recommend that the same be reported as amended."

The Council then went into Committee on the Bill.

Bill reported with amendments.

The Standing Orders being suspended, the Acting Colonial Secretary moved the third reading of the Bill.

The Acting Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Question—put and passed.

Bill read a third time.

Question put—that this Bill do pass.

· Bill passed, and numbered as Ordinance 34 of 1889.

ADJOURNMENT.—The Governor then adjourned, the Council until Wednesday, the 18th instant, at 3 P.M.

G. WILLIAM DES VŒUX, Governor.

Read and confirmed, this 18th day of December; 1889.

ARATHOON SETH, Clerk of Councils.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.--No. 519.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. No Tín-fuk (福 天 吳) to be a Public Vaccinator under The Vaccination Ordinance, 1888.

By Command,

A. LISTER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th December, 1889.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 520.

The following Pension Regulation is published for the information of Members of the Hongkong Civil Service.

By Command,

A. LISTER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 19th December, 1889.

PENSION REGULATION.

No service other than service on the fixed establishment on full or half pay will be taken into account in computing pensions or retiring allowances, except that, where the service on the fixed establishment has been immediately preceded by an unbroken period of service on the temporary establishment, such period will be taken into account. Leave of absence on half salary will only be counted at the rate of one month for every two months of such leave, provided that vacation leave, in cases where full salary is not available, shall be counted as though it were leave with full salary. But leave taken before the end of 1886, inclusive of vacation leave taken (after June, 1876) in conjunction with half pay leave will to the extent of one-sixth of an Officer's resident service be counted as full service for pension