

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 79.

The following Bills, which were read a first time at a Meeting of the Legislative Council held this day, are published.

J. G. T. BUCKLE,
Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, Hongkong, 23rd February, 1898.

A BILL

ENTITLED

An Ordinance to further amend The Prison Ordinance, 1885.

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

Amendment of section 1 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1883.

1. Clause (d) of section 1 of The Prison Ordinance, 1885, (No. 18 of 1885) is, hereby, amended by inserting the words "Assistant Superintendents," immediately after the words "Superintendents of prisons," and before the word "chaplains."

Objects and Reasons.

It is deemed desirable that an Assistant Superintendent should be appointed to Victoria Gaol, and this Ordinance confers the necessary power of appointment.

W. MEIGH GOODMAN,
Attorney General.

A BILL

ENTITLED

An Ordinance for the Naturalization of LEUNG P'UI CHI, alias LEUNG CHAK CH'ANG, alias LEUNG CHUNG.

WHEREAS LEUNG P'UI CHI (梁培之), alias LEUNG CHAK CH'ANG (梁澤根), alias LEUNG CHUNG (梁忠), a native of Heung Shan (香山) district, in the Kwong Tung (廣東) Province, in the Empire of China, now carrying on business as master of the Shui Ch'euung (肇昌) Bank, at No. 99, Bonham Strand, in this Colony, has resided in this Colony for the last thirty-seven years and has declared his intention of residing here permanently, and has petitioned to be naturalized as a British subject, within the limits of this Colony, and whereas it is expedient that he should be so naturalized.

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

Naturalization of LEUNG P'UI CHI.

1. LEUNG P'UI CHI (梁培之), alias LEUNG CHAK CH'ANG (梁澤根), alias LEUNG CHUNG (梁忠) shall be, and he is, hereby, naturalized as a British subject, within this Colony, and shall enjoy therein, but not elsewhere, all the rights, advantages and privileges of a British subject, on his taking the Oath of Allegiance under the Promissory Oaths Ordinance, 1869.