

Minutes of the proceedings of the SANITARY BOARD, at a special meeting held on Thursday, the 9th day of June, 1898.

PRESENT:

The Principal Civil Medical Officer, (Dr. JOHN MITFORD ATKINSON), President.
The Captain Superintendent of Police, (The Honourable FRANCIS HENRY MAY, C.M.G.), Vice-President.
The Director of Public Works, (The Honourable ROBERT DALY ORMSBY).
The Acting Registrar General, (ARTHUR WIMBOLD BREWIN, Esquire).
The Medical Officer of Health, (Dr. FRANCIS WILLIAM CLARK).

Bubonic Plague.—A recommendation by the Medical Officer of Health that the villages of Aberdeen and Aplichau be declared areas infected with Bubonic Plague was considered.

The President moved—

That the villages of Aberdeen and Aplichau be declared to be areas infected with Bubonic Plague, in accordance with Bye-law 25 made under section 13 of Ordinance 15 of 1894.

The Director of Public Works seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

A recommendation by the Medical Officer of Health to dispense with the services of the military engaged on special Plague duty was considered.

It was agreed to inform the Government that the services of these men might now be dispensed with, and it was also agreed to considerably reduce the number of Police engaged on Plague duties.

Report of Insanitary Properties Commission.—The report of the Board upon this report was considered, and amended.

Unwholesome Food.—The Medical Officer of Health applied for an order for the destruction of certain articles of food which he had seized at No. 36, Second Street, and which were unfit for human food. The Board agreed that the articles should be destroyed.

Height of Buildings.—Plans of certain buildings to be erected on Marine Lots 102 and 103 were submitted to the Board by the Medical Officer of Health for permission to exceed 76 feet in height, as required by section 12 of Ordinance 15 of 1894.

The Board agreed to grant the necessary permission.

Adjournment.—The Board then adjourned.

J. M. ATKINSON,
President.

Read and confirmed this 16th day of June, 1898.

F. W. CLARK,
Acting Secretary.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 278.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Monday, the 4th July, 1898, for the construction of a Market at Taikoktsui, Kowloon.

No work will be permitted on Sundays.

For form of tender, specification and further particulars apply at the Public Works Office.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th June, 1898.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 253.

The following Lot of Crown Land at Yaumati, (North of Police Station), will be sold by Public Auction on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1898, at 3 p.m.

Kowloon Inland Lot No. 798.

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale see page 520 of the *Government Gazette* for 1898.

By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 4th June, 1898.

List of unclaimed Telegrams lying in the Joint Telegraph Companies' Offices at Hongkong.

Bengsang.
Captain E. L. Guilding, c/o P. & O. Agents.
Chaicheng Hingchan.
Chamlouchow.
Cheongshingloong.
Cunningham.
Davidson.
Enguan.
Hophilin c/o Goomee.
Henton—Hongkong Hotel.
Hoachong.
Himwo.
Isaac—Windsor Hotel.
Jardine.
Lowaitong.
Lyall.

Manchongwo.
Medallist.
Mengkee.
Mrs. Hays—Hongkong Hotel.
Seidelin Stewart Terrace Peak.
Sweeketing.
Talmage—Thomas Cook.
Toppe—N. German Lloyd.
Vinh Thangqua Banboatoe.
Waiwoo.
Wingtai.
Wulima Ross, 2 Gage St.
1728.
2953, 2413.
6252.

J. M. BECK,
Acting Manager in China.

Hongkong Station, 18th June, 1898.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Poste Restante Correspondence, 18th June, 1898.

Address.	Letters.	Papers.	Address.	Letters.	Papers.	Address.	Letters.	Papers.	Address.	Letters.	Papers.
Abdulkhodar, A.	1 r.	...	Duckworth, A. U.	1	...	Ikeda, H.	1	...	McMinn, W.	1	...
Anderson, G. W.	1	...	Downer, J. H. W.	1	...	Inglis, T.	2	1	Mary, Miss	1	...
Ashton, Capt. S.	...	1	Din, Mehar	1 r.	...	Jacobsohn, R.	...	1 pc.	Morcess, M.	1	...
Adachard, Mons.	2	...	Duncan, J. S.	1	...	Jerman, T.	...	1	Nemhardt, V.	1	...
Aboodi, I.	1	...	Dow, J.	1	2	Jaffoy, C.	1 r.	...	V. de	2	...
Armstrong, F.	1	...	Din, Shurf,	1 r.	...	Junda Singh	1	...	Nahom, R. M.	1	...
Allie, C.	1	...	Dusling, A.	2	...	Nettleton, J. P. H.	3	...	Scholten, W.	1	...
Abdull, Paken	1	...	Din, Charagh	1 r.	...	Jesus, Mrs. J. de	1	...	Seidenberg,	1	...
Adams, L.	1	...	Ezekiel, A. R.	1	...	Jeffery, S.	1	...	Mme. F.	1	...
Alston, J.	1	1	Eisenstark, L.	2	...	Jaegton, H.	...	1 pc.	Smith, A.	1	...
Anthony, Miss	1	...	Efrag, M.	1	...	Jayasuriya, D.	3	...	Sang Yan	1	...
C. E.	{		Elliott, G. G.	1	...	Joseph, M. A.	1	...	Stainfield, H.	1	...
Alden, P.	1	...	Alves, Sra. D. E. L.	1	...	Jones, H. V. R.	1	...	Soares, A. G. B.	1	...
Erdmann, G.	...	1 pc.	Edgell, H.	4	...	Knows, W. W.	...	1 b.d.	Smith, T. H.	1	...
Brunschwig, E.	...	1 b.d.	Freer, Dr. R. M.	1	...	Kingsley, Miss J.	1	...	Ornly, G.	1	...
Bergen, G. von	1 r.	...	Fooks, D. E. V. R.	1	...	Korschelt, O.	2	...	Silva, P. H. M. de	1	...
Bohn, H.	1 r.	...	Finch, Mrs.	1	...	Klussen, A.	1	...	Solon, J.	1	...
Bloefield, T. H.	1	...	Fuller, Miss J.	1 r.	...	Kuyarji, M.	1	...	See & Co., Messrs	...	1
Breyer, T. F.	...	1 pc.	Fougerat,	1	2	Kuong Wo Lum	1	...	Temple, Lt. Col. R. C.	1	...
Bray, R.	1	...	Mons. H.	1	...	Kudersahib	1	...	Thomas, J.	2	1
Braunbeck, van	1	...	Fok, C.	...	1 pc.	Kohn, Mrs. Clara	1	...	Teale, A. W.	...	1
Basila, N. N.	1	...	Gillingham, H. E.	1	...	Koford, F. A. A.	1 r.	...	Thomson, C.	1	...
Baker, C. H.	1	...	Fox, G. W.	3	...	Kirby, E. J.	1 r.	...	Thyssen, E. F.	1 r.	...
Best, H. C.	1	...	Fuch, C. R.	...	1 pc.	Kirwin, C.	1	...	Tarapurwalla, M. C.	2	...
Bell, Miss Gladys	2	...	Giang Gee.	1 r.	...	Kubono, S.	...	1 pc.	Peers, W. A.	1	...
Birkett, H.	1 r.	...	Glover, T.	2	...	Kahnwiler, W. S.	1	...	Pryne, Adj't.	1	...
Bell, Miss E. L.	4	...	Grierson, J.	1	...	Lai Sing	1	1 pc.	Peter, D. J.	1	...
Boman, G. C.	1	...	Gribble, Rev. C.	1	...	Leslie, Miss G.	1	...	Ritson, C. P.	3	...
Bock, H. J.	1	...	Gdon, Z. E.	...	1 pc.	Liuvan, Mr.	1	...	Reid, A. S.	1	...
Bremm, F.	...	1 pc.	Graves, V.	1	...	Le Favre, W. A.	1	...	Remedios, C.	1 r.	...
Béroud, Mons.	1	...	Gutierrez, S. J.	1	...	Lambie, J. E.	1	...	Roth, W.	1	...
B. M. H., Miss	1	...	Granel, Herr	1	...	Laidler, H. W.	1	...	Rosenberg, M.	1	...
Buller, Mrs. M.	1 r.	...	Gonzaga, R.	1	...	Lassus, Mons.	1	...	Ross, Lt. Col. T. F.	1 b.d.	...
Brandenberg, J. A.	1	1	Graham, J.	1	...	Little, R. P.	1	...	Retournar, Mons.	1	...
Barros, J. J. D.	1	...	Glover, Miss M. E.	2	...	Lock, Capt.	...	1 b.d.	Rutzen, A. de	1	...
Bagg, W. N.	1	1	Gambourg,	1	...	Limjap, M.	1 r.	...	Rolf, O.	1	...
Bartar, M.	1	...	Miss R.	1 r.	...	London, P.	2	...	Rex, P.	1 pc.	...
Bary, C.	2	...	Griffith, Miss E.	1 r.	...	Le Merchant, Lieut.	1	...	Rozario, F. M.	1	...
Bonds, Mrs.	1 r.	...	Getty, R.	1	...	Lawrence, J. P.	...	1 b.d.	Ramasamy, S.	1	...
Bryan, M. R.	1	...	Horsey, M.	2	...	Low, P. Mc. N.	...	1 pc.	Raoge, Mrs. W.	1	...
Bose, W.	1	...	Hunter, Rev. G.	...	1 b.d.	Laglaize, L.	1	1	Remedios, Sra. D. A.	1 r.	...
Camillo, R.	1 r.	...	Hayami, S.	1	...	Le Miere, Capt. G.	2	...	Robinson, C.	1 r.	...
Clementson, E. H.	1	...	Hickey, Miss K.	2	...	Larson, Miss E.	1	...	Robertson, C.	1	...
Carkar Singh,	1	...	Head, J. W.	1	...	Lamm, A.	1	...	Smith, Miss A. M.	...	1 b.d.
Consillo, Mrs. E. y	1 r.	...	Harper, R.	1	...	McKellar, J.	...	1 b.d.	Singh, Kesmer	1 r.	...
Carey, K. B.	1	...	Hendrv, A.	1	...	Mendl, M.	...	1 pc.	Sordar Shah	...	1 pc.
Clementson, Mrs.	1	...	Hornby, Miss	1	...	Maber, Sra. P. M.	1	...	Stein, Minnie	...	1 pc.
Cumming, Miss	...	1 b.d.	Hermann, N.	1	...	MacArthur, J.	1	...	Santos, J. dos	1	...
Cohn, Frau	...	1 pc.	Hays, J.	1 r.	...	Mendes, Miss C.	1	...	Schoeller, F. von	1	...
Craster, Mrs.	2	...	Harris, J.	1 r.	...	Magalona, D. E.	1 r.	...	Silva, Sra. D. S.	2	...
Cooper, Dr. R.	1	...	Hargreaves, A. E.	1	2	Miller, L.	2	...	M. da
Collaço, T.	1	...	Hans, Mrs.	1	...	Metzker, P.	1 r.	...	Singh, Kala	1 r.	...
Cumye, W. S.	1	...	Hescott, T.	1	...	Mead, G. W.	2	...	Setna, J. M.	1	...
Campbell, D. C.	1	...	Hughes, C. W.	1 r.	...	Mitchell, F. J.	2	...	Schlosser, Mons.	1	...
Carr, E.	1 r.	...	Hancock, W. St. J.	1 r.	...	Magalona, D. E.	1 r.	...	Sun Sing & Co.	2	...
Conby, Capt.	1	...	Hargreaves, A. E.	1	2	Miller, L.	2	...	Schuster, Miss von	...	1
Christiani, T.	...	1	Hans, Mrs.	1	...	Metzker, P.	1 r.	...	Yokosi, Mr.	...	1 pc.
Chasel & Co., E.	1	1	Hall, G.	1	1	Mead, G. W.	2	...	Yong T. Park	2	...
Cameron & Co., Messrs	1	...	Hoile, Miss E.	3	...	Mitchell, F. J.	2	...	Yee Chong	1	...
Chan Tak Choy	1	...	Hutchinson, A.	1	...	Münter, Capt. B.	1	...	Yagi, S. B.	1	...
Clément, C.	1	...	Hayes, Hon. C. H.	1	...	Moorland, Lieut.	1	...	Zanella, A.	2	...
Dashbiell, L. M.	3	...	Harvey, Miss L.	1	1	Meyer, J. C.	1	2	Zecra, E. J.	1	...
			Irving, P.	1	...	Mordon, W.	...	1 pc.	Smart, H. C.	2	1
						Marcaida, Miss E. de	1 r.	...	Strugnell, W.	1	...
									Zielhm, R.	...	1 pc.

NOTE.—"r." means registered, "bk." means book, "p." means parcel, "pc." means post card.

Parcel for W. Draper, Esq., Madras, containing two watches, etc., detained for insurance fee.

For Merchant Ships.

Address.	Letters.	Papers.	Address.	Letters.	Papers.	Address.	Letters.	Papers.	Address.	Letters.	Papers.
Ebolus, s.s.	1	...	Euphrates, s.s.	1	...	Kildare, s.s.	1	...	Meinmon, s.s.	1 r.	...
Arara, s.s.	1	...	Falkland, s.s.	1	...	Kianglee, s.s.	1	...	Sophia Sutherland	1	...
Buluwayo, s.s.	2	2	Ganges, s.s.	1 r.	...	Kelat	1	...	Trainer, s.s.	1	...
Charon Wattana	...	1	Glaston	1	...	Kalgan, s.s.	1 r.	...	Tsuyetsu Maru, s.s.	1	...
Calabuga	1	...	Gov. Robie	2	...	Kweiyang, s.s.	1 r.	...	Terrier, s.s.	1	...
Cader,	1	...	Hong Faek, s.s.	1	4	Loanda	1	...	Prudentia, s.s.	1	...
Chawfa, s.s.	1 r.	...	Hing Shing, s.s.	1	...	Maree	1	...	Vale of Doon	1	...
Flinsdale	1	...	India (Yacht)	1	...	Mary L. Cushing	2	1	Undaunted, s.s.	3	...
						Muskoka	1	1	Szechuen, s.s.	1 r.	...
									Yola	1 r.	...

Books, &c., without Covers.

American Machinist.	Children's Friend.	Hamburgischer Correspondent.	Methodist New Connexion.	Rogueil Consulaire.
Aberdeen Weekly Journal.	Central Baptist.	Home Chat.	Melbourne Punch.	Roettcker Anzeiger.
Aftenholten.	Catalogue of Books.	Henry W. Bush & Co.'s	Magyar Kereskedelmi	Revista Técnica de Infan-
Airdril Advertiser.	Clarion.	Price List.	Múzeum.	teria y Caballería.
Amateur Photographer.	Cumberland Times.	Hoods Ltd. Price List.	Methodist Recorder.	Revue Religieuse.
A Legislação.	Compte Rendu du Congrès	Hamburger Fremden-Blatt.	Missionary Herald.	Social Review.
Athletic News.	Littéraire.	Himmelscher Geleitsbrief.	Morning Leader.	Science Siftings.
Answers.	Deux Mondes.	Humoristische Blätter.	Mechanical World.	Signal.
Australian.	De Maasbode.	Hanford Sentinel.	Monitor.	Spectator.
Army and Navy.	Daily Telegraph.	H Martino.	Macomochie Bros. Price	Samples of Powder.
A Palavra.	Durrant's Press Cuttings.	H Programma Del R. Insti-	Current.	Sunday Times.
American Messenger.	Das Echo.	tuto Internazionale.	Mudu's Select Library.	Sunday Stories.
Atkinson Brothers (Catalogue).	Deutsche Briefmarken-	Irish Ecclesiastical Gazette.	Medical News.	Spiritualism.
Army and Navy Auxiliary.	Zeitung.	Investor's Review.	Money Market Review.	St. Paul's Southsea Parish
(Catalogue).	Dresdner Nachrichten.	H Secolo XIX.	Neues Wiener Abendblatt.	Helper.
Auckland Times and Herald.	Daily Graphie.	Iwan der Narr, (Book).	New York Tribune.	Speaker.
Al-Busser.	Dortmunder Zeitung.	Journal de St. Petersbourg.	North-China Daily News.	South Wales Press.
British Weekly.	Direct Cash Trading Co.	Journal of Commerce.	New and Second-hand Ma-	Stuart, M. A.
Billy Bray (Book).	(Catalogue).	Japan Weekly Mail.	chinery, (Catalogue).	Society for the Propagation
Bailey's Useful Inventions.	Das Handels-Museum.	Jam-E-Jamshed.	North Down Herald.	of Gospel, &c.
Birmingham Weekly Post.	Devon Weekly Times.	Joseph Showell & Co.'s	New York Maritime Register.	South Wales Weekly Argus.
Berliner Lokal-Anzeiger.	Dakin's "Inclusive" Price	Price Current.	Northern Athletic Co.	Strand Magazine.
Billionist.	List.	Kent and Sussex Courier.	(Catalogue).	Steam Engine in India.
Brooklyn Daily Eagle.	Deutsche Papier.	King's County Chronicle.	Neues Wiener Tagblatt.	To Day.
British Columbia Review.	Diario de Notícias.	Klaedleradatfah.	Navy List.	Times.
Bristol Times and Mirror.	Diplomatic and Consular	Life of Faith.	Notidades.	The Lancet.
Builder.	Reports, &c., 1898.	Le Journal Egyptien.	Neuen Hamburger Zeitung.	Tit-Bits.
Bristol Mercury.	Export Trade.	Lloyd's Weekly Newspaper.	Newcastle Weekly Chronicle.	The Mail.
Beaumain-Zeitung.	El Siglofuturo.	Le Siegle Industriel.	To Day.	Truth.
Banner of Faith.	Engineering.	Le Moniteur Des Côtes-Da-	On and Off Duty.	Traité Des Maladies.
Boston Sunday Post.	Echo Du Vélay.	Nord.	Our Sisters in otherlands.	Table Talk.
Badminton Magazine.	Edinburgh's Medical Journal.	L'Illustrazione Italiana.	O Segado.	Tabaksnieuws.
Beiblatt zum Klubblatt-	East Cumberland News.	La Croix.	O Popular.	The Weekly Examiner.
-dattfch.	Evangelical Magazine.	Lyon.	On Convertible Spray	The South Western Star.
Berliner Tageblatt.	El Universal.	Le Journal.	Nozzle.	The World.
British Pharmacopoeia.	Fortnightly Review.	La Voce.	On Patent Steam En-	The Mansfield News.
Beilage zur "Poft."	Footsteps of Truth.	London Gazette.	gine.	The Manchester Guardian.
Chambers's Journal.	Life Fre: Press.	La Réforme.	Pall Mall Gazette.	The American Cuckoo-
Christian Commonwealth.	Friend of Israel.	La Gaudriole.	People's Journal.	(Paper).
Church Times.	Girls' Own Paper.	L'Univers Illustré.	People's Friend.	The Standard.
Cosmopolis.	Glasgow Weekly Mail.	L'Indépendance Belge.	Pearson's Weekly.	The Scotsman.
China Association.	Gil Blas.	Le Petit Journal.	Progress.	United Presbyterian Maga-
Commerce.	Glasgow Herald.	Le Temps.	Punch.	zine.
Catholic.	Glasgow Weekly News.	L'Oriente Serafico.	Pauline.	Universalsprache Volapük.
Cycle.	Graphic.	L'Esposizione Nazionale.	Partick and Maryhill Press.	Weekly Sun.
Cassell's Saturday Journal.	Gaceta De Madrid.	Leader.	Pick-Me-Up.	Warrnambool Standard.
Christian.	Granville Cycle. (Catalogue).	Lennox Herald.	Parmouth Herald.	Whyte, Risdale & Co.,
Ceylon Government Gazette.	Hunyadi János (Book).	Le Figaro.	Public Opinion.	(Catalogue).
Christian Herald.	Hawke's Bay Herald.	La Colombo.	Provinzial-Zeitung.	Weekly Times and Echo.
Consular Journal.	Home Circle.	La Gazette.	Polyglotten Wörterbuch.	Wings.
Cocaine Constitution.	Home Notes.	La Farfalla.	Quaver.	Weekly Scotsman.
Christian Pictorial.	Het Nieuws van den Dag.	Le Mekong.	Review of Reviews.	Western Electrician.
Christian World.	Hou' En Trouw.	La Stampa.	Revista Portuguesa.	Weekly Irish Times.
China's Millions.	Hearth and Home.	Le Petit Provencal.	Moschee.	Young Ladies' Journal.
	Hector's Lights.	Morning Post.		Young Woman.

Photos,
Letters,Cloth,
Samples of Iron,
Paper.Catalogues,
Foreign papers.

Dead Letters.

Ah Ching	S.S. <i>Benarbieh</i> , ... (regd.)	1 Letter.	Hine, Mrs. G.	Keat,	1 Letter.
Ah Tong.....	Freemantle, (regd.)	1 "	Hop Sing	Canton,	1 "
Allen, Mrs. J.	Glasgow,	2 Letters.	Humberston, Miss E.	London, (regd.)	1 "
Armstrong, J.	Cheshire,	1 Letter.	Huntly, J.	Leith,	1 "
Bailey, Miss A.	Ramsgate,	1 "	Jenkins, Miss E.	London,	1 "
Ball, L.	London,	1 P. Card.	Kahler, Mrs. M. A.	Leytonstone, (regd.)	3 Letters.
Baptists, A.	Lisbon,	1 Letter.	Langhinrichs, Fraulein O.	Hamburg,	1 Letter.
Belcher, G.	Dover,	1 "	Lita, Miss M.	Colombo,	1 "
Bug Singh	Laroot,	1 "	McKew, M.	Liverpool,	1 "
Braunfitt, Rev. T.	Hongkong,	1 "	Mertens, Madam C.	Colombo,	1 "
Bross, Mrs. C.	Yokohama,	1 (regd.)	Metzker, C.	Dagelburg,	1 P. Card.
Brown, Mrs. B.	Portsmouth,	1 "	Newton, Miss M.	Shanghai, (regd.)	1 Letter.
Chapman, S.	Manchester,	1 "	Price, Mrs. E.	London,	1 "
Chin Ying Pack	Saigon,	1 (regd.)	Roberts, Mrs. M.	N. Wales,	1 "
Collins, Mrs. C.	Dover,	1 "	Scantlebury, Mrs.	London,	1 "
Cretfield, A.	Essex,	1 "	Scott, Mrs.	London,	1 "
Curtice, Miss A.	Havre,	1 "	Skaar, K.	Port Said,	1 "
Curtis, Mrs.	London,	1 "	Smith, Miss	London,	1 "
Daver, P. F.	London,	1 "	Smith, Mrs. J.	Arbroath,	1 "
Deal, Mrs.	London,	1 "	Springwood, G.	London,	1 "
Draper & Co., H.	London, (regd.)	1 "	Stiff, W.	Hongkong,	1 "
Eatherton, Miss D.	West Worthing,	1 "	Symons, Miss E.	England,	1 "
Firku, P.	Vienna,	1 P. Card.	Taylor, Mrs. E. D.	Colombo,	2 Letters.
Fitch, Mt.	London,	1 Letter.	Thornold, Miss S.	London,	3 "
Foot, Miss A.	Portsmouth,	1 "	Tungte Chang	Hongkong,	1 "
Fung Shing Yau	Perras, U.S.A.,	1 "	Webb, G.	London,	1 "
Gabree, Miss A.	Havre,	1 "	Weeks, Mrs. F.	Essex,	1 "
Harding, Mrs. E.	Sydenham,	1 "	Welham, Mrs.	Hongkong,	1 "
Halter, Jas.	Hongkong,	1 "	Whiting, Miss E.	Lewisham,	1 "
Hie Soock	Colombo, (regd.)	1 "			

* The above letters have been returned from various places at which the addressees can not be found, or have been re-used. If not claimed within ten days, they will be opened and returned to the writers.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 18th June, 1898.