

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 330.

The following Lots of Crown Land at Wanchai Road will be sold by Public Auction at the Offices of the Public Works Department, on Monday, the 26th day of June, 1899, at 3 p.m.

Inland Lots Nos. 1,551, 1,552, and 1,553.

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale see page 956 of the *Government Gazette* for 1899.

By Command,

J. G. T. BUCKLE,
for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 10th June, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 331.

The following Lots of Crown Land at Tai Kok Tsui will be sold by Public Auction at the Offices of the Public Works Department, on Monday, the 26th day of June, 1899, at 3.30 p.m.

Kowloon Inland Lots Nos. 887 to 897 (both inclusive).

Kowloon Marine Lots Nos. 44 to 46 (both inclusive).

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale see page 958 of the *Government Gazette* for 1899.

By Command,

J. G. T. BUCKLE,
for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 10th June, 1899.

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

Activity.	Molchanoff, Steamer <i>Indus</i> .
Arandes No. 5 Shelley Street.	Munshan.
Baldimento.	Pescio.
Cass c/o Peninsular.	Phillips c/o Punjom Mining Co.
Cheong c/o Yikloong Iron Shop, West Point.	Putnam.
Chinchap.	Robinson.
Chianglong.	Taicheong.
Francis—Daniel.	Thornton.
George.	Tinwahsek Chiatho.
Glaess.	Vijan.
Hapkee.	Wahkyecchyong Patchoay Saiwingfong.
Hongshwesing c/o Yeetaysing.	Wilde c/o Jardine.
Jackson.	Winhmao.
Kinguan.	Wooitung.
Kongsongthye.	Yuenshing.
Kwongyuepoon.	657.
Koin Nainsanh.	3872.
Legolong.	7893.
Luenfat.	

J. M. BECK,
Acting Manager in China.

Hongkong Station, 17th June, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 346.

The following Returns of Deaths are published.

By Command,

J. G. T. BUCKLE,
for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th June, 1899.

A SUMMARY OF DEATHS AND THEIR CAUSES SHOWN IN THE ATTACHED RETURN AS

DISEASE.	EUROPEAN AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.										
	Civil.—Estimated Population.	Army.—Estimated Strength.	Navy.—Estimated Strength.	VICTORIA DISTRICT.—										
				No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	
	8,915			Estimated Population,										
Infantile Convulsive Diseases, {														
Convulsions, .....	...	1	...	...	24	8	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Trismus Nascentium, .....	...	...	...	...	39	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Throat Affections, {														
Acute, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chronic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chest Affections, {														
Acute,	5	...	...	3	4	...	6	3	1	1	2	...	2
Chronic,	1	...	...	...	4	7	6	4	5	3	3	3	...
Bowel Complaints, {														
Cholera, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diarrhœa, .....	...	...	...	...	8	...	1	...	1	1	1	2	3
Choleraic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dysentery, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Colic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fevers, {														
Malarial, {														
Remittent, .....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Simple Continued, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Influenza, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Exanthematous, {														
Typhoid,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Measles, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-pox, .....	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Bubonic Plague,	1	...	...	7	18	6	23	41	15	24	28	141	30
Marasmus, .....	...	...	...	...	12	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Causes,	12	1	...	2	28	5	7	7	11	3	6	6	2	
TOTAL,	20	2	...	13	138	42	45	55	34	33	41	153	39	

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
HONGKONG, 13th June, 1899.

HAVING BEEN REGISTERED DURING THE MONTH ENDED 31ST MAY, 1899.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.													TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
DIVISION.				Kaulung District.		Sháukiwán District.		Aberdeen District.		Stanley District.				
Non-Residents.	Unknown.	Peak.	Harbour. Estimated Population.	Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.				
				Land.	Boat. <i>Vide</i> v. Harbour.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.			
168,260			24,350	29,790		7,110	3,990	2,650	4,905	980	1,455			
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	38	} 86
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	
...	} ...	
...		
...	...	...	4	6	1	1	...	...	6	...	...	45	} 107
...	1	...	8	4	3	4	4	1	1	...	...	62	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} 27
...	...	...	...	4	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	26	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} 27
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} 457
...		
...	...	...	2	1	1	4	2	1	...	...	...	13	} 457
...	...	...	...	23	11	1	...	2	3	...	...	41	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} 457
...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} 457
...		
...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	} 457
...	8	...	23	28	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	397	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	19
...	1	...	13	14	9	1	1	4	1	...	...	134	134
...	10	...	51	82	27	15	9	10	11	...	...	830	830

C. W. DUGGAN,
Secretary.

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE

CAUSES.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.												
				VICTORIA DISTRICT.												
				DIVISION.												
	Civil.	Army.	Navy.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	Unknown.	Peak.	Harbour.
I.—General Diseases.																
<i>A.—Specific Febrile Diseases.</i>																
<i>Zymotic.</i>																
Small-pox, .....	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1
Fever, Typhoid, (Enteric)...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diarrhœa, .....	...	...	...	...	8	...	1	...	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	...
Dysentery, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bubonic Fever, (Plague), ...	1	...	...	7	18	6	23	41	15	24	28	141	30	8	...	23
<i>Malarial.</i>																
Fever, Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Remittent, .....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
„ (Undefined), .....	...	...	...	...	15	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Beri-Beri, .....	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
<i>Venereal.</i>																
Syphilis, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
<i>B.—Diseases dependent on Specific External Agents.</i>																
<i>Poisons.</i>																
Gaseous, (Accident), .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Effects of Injuries.</i>																
Drowning, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Hanging, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Fracture of Skull, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Extensive Wound of left leg, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fracture of Cervical Vertebra,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Errors of Diet.</i>																
Alcoholism, Acute, Delirium Tremens,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>C.—Developmental Diseases.</i>																
Immaturity at Birth, .....	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Debility, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Old Age,	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Marasmus and Atrophy, .....	...	...	...	...	12	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Inanition,	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
<i>D.—Miscellaneous Diseases.</i>																
Anæmia,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cellulitis of leg, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
II.—Local Diseases.																
<i>A.—The Nervous System.</i>																
Apoplexy, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paralysis, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hemiplegia, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Infantile Convulsions, .....	...	1	...	...	24	8	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Tetanus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Trismus, .....	...	...	...	...	39	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tetanus (Traumatic), .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
<i>Carried forward,...</i>	8	2	...	9	119	34	29	45	27	28	34	145	37	8	...	31

MONTH ENDED THE 31ST DAY OF MAY, 1899, AND THEIR CAUSES.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.								TOTAL AT THE DIFFERENT AGE PERIODS.																GRAND TOTAL.			
KAULUNG DISTRICT.		SHAUKI-WAN DISTRICT.		ABERDEEN DISTRICT.		STANLEY DISTRICT.		Under 1 month.		1 month and under 12 months.		1 year and under 5 years.		5 years and under 15 years.		15 years and under 25 years.		25 years and under 45 years.		45 years and under 60 years.		60 years and over.			Age Unknown.		
Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.		Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	
...	
1	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	
...	1	
4	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
...	1	
28	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	25	...	76	1	90	...	135	...	42	...	23	...	...	397
23	11	1	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	5	...	13	...	6	...	4	...	...	...	41
1	1	4	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	13
...	8	...	6	...	3	...	1	1	19
3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	
...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
...	1	
5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1	4	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	9
...	2	11	...	...	...	13	
...	1	1	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	
...	1	...	...	...	...	1	
1	2	...	...	...	2	
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	
1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	12	...	24	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	
...	48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
...	2	...	...	...	...	...	48	
...	2	
69	21	10	5	9	4	...	...	2	50	1	45	...	83	...	95	1	109	2	175	2	61	2	46	...	...	674

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE

CAUSES.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.												
				VICTORIA DISTRICT.												
				DIVISION.												
	Civil.	Army.	Navy.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	Unknown.	Peak.	Harbour.
<i>Brought forward,...</i>	8	2	...	9	119	34	29	45	27	28	34	145	37	8	...	31
Local Diseases,—Contd.																*
<i>B.—The Circulatory System.</i>																
Heart Disease,.....	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	...
Aneurysm Thoracic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Heart Disease, (Congenital),	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thrombus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
<i>C.—The Respiratory System.</i>																
Bronchitis,	3	...	...	3	3	...	5	2	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	3
Pneumonia,	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Phthisis,	1	...	...	...	4	7	6	4	5	3	3	3	...	1	...	8
Pleurisy, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Asthma, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>D.—The Digestive System.</i>																
Tonsillitis,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cirrhosis of Liver, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peritonitis Suppurative,.....	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>E.—The Urinary System.</i>																
Bright's Disease, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
<i>H.—Affections connected with Parturition.</i>																
Retained Placenta,.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Child-birth, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
<i>I.—The Skin.</i>																
Boils, .....	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
III.—Undefined.																
Dropsy, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Undiagnosed, .....	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	6
Total,.....	20	2	...	13	138	42	45	55	34	33	41	153	39	10	...	51

REMARKS.

The Govt. Civil Hospitals.

Causes.	No.
Bubonic Plague,	105
Typhoid Fever,.....	1
Fracture of Cervical Verte-	
bra,	1
Delirium Tremens,	1
Syphilis,	1
Anæmia,	1
Heart Disease,	1
" Congenital,	1
Phthisis,	1
Pneumonia,	2
Cirrhosis of Liver,.....	1
Peritonitis,.....	1
Total,.....	117

The Tung Wa Hospital.

Causes.	No.
Bubonic Plague,	74
Remittent Fever,.....	5
Beri-beri,	8
Syphilis, (Tertiary),	1
Old Age,	1
Debility,	1
Anæmia,	1
Cellulitis of leg,	1
Apoplexy,	2
Paralysis,	1
Hemiplegia,.....	1
Tetanus (Traumatic),	1
Heart Disease,	5
Aneurysm, (Thoracic),	1
Thrombus,	1
Phthisis,.....	22

Carried forward,.....126

The Tung Wah Hospital,—Contd.

Causes.	No.
<i>Brought forward,.....</i>	<i>126</i>
Pneumonia,	3
Bronchitis,.....	1
Bright's Disease,	2
Total,.....	132

The Alice Memorial and Nethersole Hospitals.

Causes.	No.
Beri-beri,	1
Convulsions,.....	1
Tetanus (Traumatic),	1
Heart Disease,.....	1
Total,.....	4

MONTH ENDED THE 31ST DAY OF MAY, 1899, AND THEIR CAUSES,—Continued.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.								TOTAL AT THE DIFFERENT AGE PERIODS.														GRAND TOTAL.				
KAULUNG DISTRICT.		SHAUKI-WAN DISTRICT.		ABER-DEEN DISTRICT.		STANLEY DISTRICT.		Under 1 Month.		1 month and under 12 months.		1 year and under 5 years.		5 years and under 15 years.		15 years and under 25 years.		25 years and under 45 years.		45 years and under 60 years.			60 years and over.		Age Unknown.	
Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.		Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.
69	21	10	5	9	4	...	...	2	50	1	45	...	83	...	95	1	109	2	175	2	61	2	46	...	...	674
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	5	1	2	...	...	...	...	11
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
3	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	9	...	9	...	10	...	...	33
3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	1	1	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
4	3	4	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	...	7	1	28	...	14	...	2	...	...	...	59
...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
82	27	15	9	10	11	...	...	3	50	3	59	2	91	...	102	2	122	6	233	4	88	2	63	...	...	830

REMARKS.

Mortuary.	
Causes.	No.
Bubonic Plague,	40
Diarrhoea,	1
Dysentery,	1
Remittent Fever,	1
Beri-beri,	1
Syphilis, (Tertiary),	1
Convulsions,	2
Phthisis,	4
Bright's Disease,	1
Total	52

The Italian Convent.	
Causes.	No.
Fever,	4
Marasmus,	7
Convulsions,	8
Trismus,	9
Phthisis,	6
Dropsy,	1
Total	35

The Asile de la Ste. Enfance.	
Causes.	No.
Diarrhoea,	8
Fever,	15
Marasmus,	11
Old Age,	1
Convulsions,	24
Trismus,	39
Phthisis,	2
Boils,	9
Total	109

A. W. BREWIN,
Acting Registrar General.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEATH-RATE IN THE DIFFERENT REGISTRATION DISTRICTS DURING THE MONTH ENDED 31ST MAY, 1899.

British and Foreign Community.—Civil Population,.....	26.9	—per 1,000 per annum.
Chinese Community.—Victoria District—Land Population,	43.0	} per 1,000 per annum.
" " V. Harbour ,,	38.4	
" Kaulung " Land " 	33.0	" "
" Sháukiwán " Land " 	25.3	} " "
" " " Boat " 	27.0	
" Aberdeen " Land " 	45.2	} " "
" " " Boat " 	26.9	
" Stanley " Land " 	Nil.	} " "
" " " Boat " 	"	
" The whole Colony, Land " 	40.8	} " "
" " " Boat " 	33.8	
" " Land and Boat Population,	39.8	" "
" " { British, Foreign & Chinese Community, excluding Army and Navy,	39.3	" "

C. W. DUGGAN,
Secretary.

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
HONGKONG, 13th June, 1899.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEATHS RECORDED UNDER THE DIFFERENT GROUPS OF DISEASES FOR EACH MONTH OF THE CURRENT YEAR.									DEATH-RATE RECORDED PER 1,000 PER ANNUM.			
1899.	CONVULSIVE DISEASES.		Throat Affections.	Chest Affections.	Bowel Complaints.	Fevers.	Other Causes.	TOTAL.	British and Foreign Community, Civil Population.	CHINESE COMMUNITY.		
	Under one Month.	Over one Month.								POPULATION.		
										Land.	Boat.	Land & Boat.
Month of January,	35	23	2	97	17	28	120	322	20.1	14.7	16.5	14.9
" February,	37	22	...	131	28	45	104	367	25.5	17.2	15.9	17.1
" March,	37	24	1	112	21	56	132	383	12.1	18.4	17.9	18.3
" April,	36	28	...	92	28	135	126	445	17.4	21.0	21.7	21.1
" May,	49	37	...	107	27	457	153	830	26.9	40.8	33.8	39.8

C. W. DUGGAN,
Secretary.

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
HONGKONG, 13th June, 1899.