

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 65.

The following Notice is published.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st February, 1901.

POLICE NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given that in view of the approaching Chinese New Year, the Captain Superintendent of Police has been authorised to give permission, under Ordinance 13 of 1888, for Crackers to be fired as follows:—

Within that portion of the City of Victoria bounded by the following limits:—

1. Centre Street from the Sea to Bonham Road;
2. Bonham Road from Centre Street to No. 8 Police Station;
3. A line running from No. 8 Police Station down Rutter Street, Po Yan Street, New Street, and crossing Queen's Road through Wo Fung Street to the Sea;
4. The Praya from Wo Fung Street to Centre Street;

On Monday, the 18th February, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.; on Tuesday, the 19th February, from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

On Monday, the 25th February, from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m.

Within that portion of the City of Victoria not comprised in the above limits.

From 4 p.m. on Monday, the 18th February, till 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 20th February, and on Monday, the 25th February, from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m.

Cracker firing is to be strictly confined to the times named above, both within and without the prescribed area; and both sides of all Streets, or parts of Streets named as the boundaries above are to be considered as within the prescribed area.

No burning Cracker or other fire is to be thrown above the head or near any person or inflammable material, and all reasonable precaution must be taken against accident, as every one is liable for damage arising from his carelessness.

The Police will have strict orders to summon or arrest persons firing Crackers in contravention of the foregoing restrictions.

The Firing of Bombs is Strictly Prohibited.

By Command,

F. H. MAY,
Captain Superintendent of Police.

Central Police Barracks, Hongkong, 1st February, 1901.

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On the 26th, 27th and 28th February, 1901, being the days fixed for the Races at Wong-nai-ch'ung the following Regulations, under Ordinance No. 10 of 1869, having received the approval of His Excellency the Governor, will be in force:—

I. Between the Clock Tower and Praya East:—

(a) All Horses and Vehicles going Eastward are to keep on the LEFT HAND, or Northern side of the Road.

(b) On returning Westward, Horses and Vehicles are to keep on the RIGHT HAND, or Northern side of the Road passing any Vehicles they may overtake according to the Common Rule of the Road.

II. (a) All Horses and Vehicles going Eastward are to turn down to the Eastern Praya by Arsenal Street, and continue along the Praya or Wántsai Road East of No. 2 Station, and the Road West of Bowrington Canal.

(b) All Horses and Vehicles returning from the Race Course are to keep the route authorised in the preceding Sub-section.