

ADDITIONAL POLICE PENSION REGULATIONS

Made by the Governor in Council under Section 17 of "The Police Force Consolidation Ordinance, 1900," on the 30th day of January, 1901.

1. In estimating the conduct of subordinate officers and constables for pension purposes the expression "good" and "uniformly good" will be deemed to be synonymous terms.

2. The conduct of any subordinate officer or constable will be deemed "good" and will, subject to the report of the Captain Superintendent of Police, entitle him to full pension if he has not obtained during his term of active service an average of four black marks per annum under the Police Regulations for the time being in force, and one red mark shall cancel one black mark.

3. If any such officer or constable has obtained during his term of active service an average per annum of four black marks, his conduct will, as a rule, but subject to the report of the Captain Superintendent of Police, and unless the Governor in Council shall, in any particular case, otherwise determine, be estimated and his pension calculated upon the scale following:—

Scale.

Black Marks.	Conduct.	Deductions from full pension.
Four and under six black marks per annum,	very fair.	5 %
Six and under eight " " "	fair.	10 %
Eight and under ten " " "	indifferent.	15 %
Ten and under fourteen " " "	very indifferent.	25 %

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
HONGKONG.

R. F. JOHNSTON,
Acting Clerk of Councils.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 81.

Information has been received from the Military Authorities that Artillery Practice by the Volunteers will take place as under:—

On 19th February, 1901, from 2.5" R.M.L. guns over a sea range, and from machine guns over a land range across Repulse Bay.

Picquets will be posted to ensure safety on the land range.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th February, 1901.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 82.

The following Report on the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund, for the year 1900, is published.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th February, 1901.

THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND,
HONGKONG, 24th January, 1901.

SIR,—We have the honour to submit the following report on the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund, for the year 1900.

The amount to the credit of the Fund on the 31st December last was \$88,793.24 which included \$4,625.96 for interest paid by Government for the past year, as per Statement appended.

The average monthly contributions amount now to about \$1,200.

On the 31st December, 1899, the number of contributors on the books was 246, and on the 31st December, 1900, 318 (being an increase of 72), of whom 139 are bachelors, 171 are married men, and 8 are widowers.

During the period under review, 111 Officers joined the Fund, 36 left, and 4 died.

The total number of children on the books is 271.

There are in the list 14 pensioners, whose pensions aggregate \$1,341.94 per annum as follows :—

Mrs. Beavin,	\$ 14.45
„ Moosdeen,	63.67
„ Leung Chi-wan,	30.09
„ Moore,	239.85
„ Chan Tai,	54.85
„ Alarakia,	195.54
„ Chu Tsan,	81.62
„ Wong Yan Hin,	5.12
„ Chow Hung Shi,	46.53
„ Lo Lai Shi,	113.26
„ Wildey,	247.63
„ Ho Yow Tsoi,	187.51
Miss Jenny Madar,	30.91
„ Jalikar Madar,	30.91

We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servants,

A. M. THOMSON,
Chairman.

A. W. BREWIN,
FRANCIS W. CLARK,
E. H. D'AQUINO,
E. CORNEWALL LEWIS, } *Directors.*

The Honourable J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, C.M.G.,
Colonial Secretary,

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STATEMENT OF THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' PENSION FUND
UP TO 31st DECEMBER, 1900.

	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance.
	\$	\$	\$
Total up to December, 1899,	80,780.38	9,772.99	71,007.39
During 1900,	19,000.08	1,214.23	17,785.85
	\$ 99,780.46	10,987.22	88,793.24
		During 1900.	Total up to 31st Dec., 1900.
		\$	\$
Refund of Amounts erroneously levied,		2.40	3,561.67
Working Expenses,		369.80	2,683.35
Pensions paid,		791.85	3,331.96
Half Contributions refunded,		50.18	1,410.24
		\$ 1,214.23	10,987.22