

At 3 p.—“The typhoon is about to enter the coast to the Eastnortheast of Hongkong. It may blow a gale from Southwest, when the centre passes to the North of the Colony. Barometer now falling quickly.”

On the 3rd 5.15 a.—Black North cone hoisted.

At 11.45 a.—“The centre of the typhoon was passing North of Hongkong between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. last night. It probably passed between Macao and Canton early this morning, moving West-northwest.”

Forecast:—“S. winds, decreasing; squally, rainy.”

At 1.45 p.—Black North Cone lowered.

F. G. FIGG,
Acting Director.

Hongkong Observatory, 6th August, 1902.

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The following Notice is published.

By Command,

F. H. MAY,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th August, 1902.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Masters of vessels are cautioned to go as SLOW AS POSSIBLE when passing in the vicinity of the wreck of the S.S. *Pakshan* off the Sailors' Home.

Much damage and delay to the work of removing the wreck has been caused through the wash of passing vessels.

R. MURRAY RUMSEY,
Ret. Com., R.N.,
Harbour Master, &c.

Harbour Department, Hongkong, 8th August, 1902.

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Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th August, 1902.

STATEMENT OF SANITARY MEASURES ADOPTED AGAINST HONGKONG.

Place or Port.	Nature of Measure.	Date.	Reference to Government Notification.
Shanghai.	Vessels from Southern and Formosan ports declared suspected.	28th February, 1902.	No. 127.
Manila.	Quarantine imposed. Hongkong vessels to complete five days from date of departure.	22nd March, 1902.	No. 179.
Singapore.	Hongkong declared to be infected with Plague.	20th May, 1902.	No. 310.
Indo-China.	Hongkong declared infected with Plague and Cholera. Immigration of Asiatics from Hongkong into Indo-China is forbidden, also the importation of grain, flour, rags, old clothes and bedding.	25th May, 1902.	No. 328.
Saigon.	Twelve days' quarantine imposed upon arrivals from Hongkong.	30th May, 1902.	No. 343.
Lisbon.	Portuguese Board of Health, Lisbon, on the 15th May, 1902, declared the ports of Canton and Hongkong as infected with Cholera as from April 2nd, 1902.	8th July, 1902.	No. 420.
Bangkok.	Vessels from Hongkong or China ports must call at Kohphai for pratique.	8th July, 1902.	No. 422.
Foochow.	Vessels from Hongkong to be visited and inspected at Pagoda, and to be then dealt with as is authorized by the Sanitary Regulations.	15th July, 1902.	No. 427.