

ARTICLE V.

The conditions under which armed assistance shall be afforded by either Power to the other in the circumstances mentioned in the present Agreement, and the means by which such assistance is to be made available, will be arranged by the Naval and Military authorities of the High Contracting Parties, who will from time to time consult one another fully and freely upon all questions of mutual interest.

ARTICLE VI.

The present Agreement shall come into effect immediately after the date of its signature, and remain in force for ten years from that date.

In case neither of the High Contracting Parties should have notified twelve months before the expiration of the said ten years the intention of terminating it, it shall remain binding until the expiration of one year from the day on which either of the High Contracting Parties shall have denounced it. But if, when the date fixed for its expiration arrives, either ally is actually engaged in war, the alliance shall, *ipso facto*, continue until peace is concluded.

In faith whereof the Undersigned, duly authorised by their respective Governments, have signed this Agreement, and have affixed thereto their Seals.

Done in duplicate at London, the 13th day of July, 1911.

E. GREY,

*His Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State
for Foreign Affairs.*

TAKAAKI KATO,

*Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of
His Majesty the Emperor of Japan at the Court
of St. James.*

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

No. 269.

Regulations made by the Governor-in-Council under Section 3 of the Public Places Regulation Ordinance, 1870, (Ordinance 2 of 1870), for the maintenance of good order and preservation of property in King's Park, Kowloon, and for the better enjoyment thereof by persons frequenting the same, this 24th day of August, 1911.

The Regulations made under the abovementioned Ordinance published in the *Government Gazette* on the 10th November, 1905, and 2nd July, 1909, and on pages 18, 19, 20 and 26 of the Regulations of Hongkong, 1910, are hereby repealed and the following Regulations are substituted therefor:—

King's Park.

1. These Regulations shall apply to the piece of land situate in Kowloon known as "King's Park" delineated and shown on the plan marked "King's Park" signed by the Director of Public Works and countersigned by the Governor and deposited in the Land Office under the provisions of the Recreation Grounds Ordinance, 1909.
2. The maintenance and preservation of King's Park shall be under the care and direction of the Director of Public Works.
3. No person shall alter or interfere with King's Park without the written permission of the Director of Public Works.
4. Subject to these Regulations the portions of King's Park marked A, B, and D and 01 to 09 on a Plan deposited in the Office of and signed by the Director of Public Works and dated 14th July, 1911, are set aside for the use of the different Clubs, Associations and bodies mentioned in the Schedule hereto upon the days and for the purposes therein mentioned. The unapportioned area (except the Rifle Range) shall be for the general use of the Public, but shall not be used by any Club or Association for games of any description.

5. The portions of King's Park so set aside as aforesaid shall be appropriately marked off by the Director of Public Works.
6. The permission to use any such portion or the expenditure of any money thereon shall not confer upon any Club or other body the exclusive right to the use of such portion.
7. The Governor through the Colonial Secretary may give permission for all or any of the portions so set aside as aforesaid or any part of any of them to be used for any purpose other than those specified in the Schedule hereto, and may also give the like permission for the use for any period not exceeding 7 consecutive days of the whole or any portion of the unapportioned area for any purpose Provided that if any such permission be granted under this regulation notice of the same having been granted shall be forthwith posted by the applicant in some conspicuous part of King's Park and shall be published in at least one daily paper.
8. Whenever in the opinion of the Director of Public Works it is expedient for its maintenance, or preservation to close any part of King's Park he shall cause a notice in that behalf to be inserted in at least one daily paper, and to be posted in some conspicuous part of King's Park, specifying the part that is closed, and no person shall thereafter use such part until a further notice has been published and posted as aforesaid notifying the re-opening of such part.
9. Riding over any portion of King's Park is prohibited, except for such purpose and subject to such conditions, as the Governor, upon application to him through the Colonial Secretary, may, in writing, permit. Notice of such permission shall be posted and published in the same way as permission given under Regulation 7.
10. The riding of bicycles over any portion of King's Park is prohibited.
11. The grazing of horses, cattle, sheep and goats in King's Park is prohibited.
12. No person shall cut or injure any fence or other property of the Government in King's Park.
13. All persons using King's Park shall conduct themselves in a quiet and orderly manner.
14. No part of King's Park may be used as a drying ground nor for the deposit of builders' or other rubbish.
15. The rifle range shall not be open for general public use and when rifle practice is in progress a red flag will be shown on Danger Flag Hill and users of King's Park must then keep out of the danger zone of fire.

SCHEDULE.

KING'S PARK.

Area.	To whom allotted.	Purpose for which allotted.	Days.
A	Kowloon Bowling Green Club,	Lawn Bowls,	} Every day.
B	Kowloon Cricket Club,	Cricket,	
D	Yaumati School,	Playground,	} Every week-day.
01 to 09	United Service Recreation Club,	Golf,	} Every day.

NOTE:—A, &c., refer to the plan deposited in the Office of the Director of Public Works.

24th August, 1911.

No. 270.

Conditions of Licence to store 30 gallons of Petrol for the use of Motor Cars, in the ground floor and backyard of a domestic building, made by the Governor-in-Council under Section 10 of the Dangerous Goods Ordinance, 1873, (Ordinance No. 1 of 1873), this 3rd day of September, 1911.

GARAGE LICENCE (PETROL).

1. In these conditions "Petrol" means petroleum or any product of petroleum adapted for the use of motor cars which gives off an inflammable vapour at a temperature of less than 73° Fahrenheit when tested in the manner laid down in the Rules relating to the importation of Petroleum into the Colony: and "Insurance Drum" means a strong hermetically sealed metal drum such as is commonly known as an Insurance Drum containing not more than 10 gallons.

2. No Petrol shall be kept or allowed to remain in any roofed-over portion of the licensed premises except a quantity not exceeding 20 gallons in the tanks of the motor cars, or partly in such tanks and partly in an Insurance Drum.

3. Such tanks shall be so constructed and maintained that no leakage, whether of liquid or vapour, can take place therefrom, and shall be filled and emptied in the open air only.

4. No fire or artificial light shall be used in the roofed-over portion of the licensed premises in which any motor car with Petrol in its tank is, except incandescent electric light, and no inflammable goods or materials shall be kept in the roofed-over portion of such premises except as aforesaid.

5. Not more than 10 gallons of petrol may be kept in the unroofed backyard of the licensed premises (provided such backyard is at least 10 feet deep and 13 feet wide), in an "Insurance Drum", such Drum to be kept in a brick or concrete store (with a well fitting metal cover) of sufficient capacity to hold the whole of the ten gallons in case of leakage, such store to be constructed, ventilated and maintained to the satisfaction of the Captain Superintendent of Police, each ventilator to be protected with strong fixed wire gauze. On the outside of the store shall be painted large white letters in English and Chinese "Petrol: Dangerous, Highly Inflammable". No other substance or article shall be placed in such store.

6. The store described in Condition 4 must be kept locked when not in actual use, and shall not be opened except by the licensee or by a responsible person authorised by him.

7. No fire, matches or artificial light shall be used in any portion of the backyard except incandescent electric lamps enclosed in glass globes or shades protected by wire to the satisfaction of the Captain Superintendent of Police: no inflammable materials shall be kept or allowed to remain in such backyard.

8. No Petrol shall be sold on the licensed premises except in the original 10 gallon drums. Every such drum shall bear the words "Petrol: Dangerous, Highly Inflammable" legibly and indelibly stamped or marked thereon or on a metallic or enamelled label attached thereto, and such drum shall also bear a label on which shall be written in English and Chinese "In case of accident smother fire with sand, earth or cloth".

9. Before repairs are done to any tank or drum, the tank or drum shall, as far as practicable, be cleaned by the removal of all Petrol and of dangerous vapours derived from the same. No Petrol shall be allowed to run into any sewer or drain.

10. All due precautions shall be taken for the prevention of accidents by fire or explosion, and for the prevention of unauthorised persons having access to the Petrol or to the vessels containing or intended to contain, or having actually contained, the same; and every person managing, or employed on, or in connection with, any motor car, shall abstain from every act whatever which tends to cause fire or explosion, and which is not reasonably necessary, and shall prevent any other person from committing such act.