**4.** Sub-section 4 (b) of section 9 of the principal Amendment Ordinance is amended by the deletion of the word No. 16 of "that" in the third line thereof.

Passed the Legislative Council of Hongkong, this 8th day of September, 1921.

S. B. B. McElderry, Clerk of Councils.

Assented to by His Excellency the Governor, the 9th day of September, 1921.

CLAUD SEVERN,
Colonial Secretary.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 381.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G., to be a Member of the Recreation Grounds Committee.

9th September, 1921.

No. 382.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Mr. P. H. HOLYOAK, Mr. H. BIRKETT, Mr. T. E. PEARCE, and Mr. R. J. WILTON to be Members of the Recreation Grounds Committee, as representatives of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club, the Hongkong Jockey Club, the Hongkong Cricket Club, and the Hongkong Football Club respectively.

9th September, 1921.

## NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 383.—With reference to Government Notification No. 732 of the 28th December, 1899, information has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that, corresponding to the action taken by the majority of medical educational establishments in the United Kingdom, the authorities of the London School of Tropical Medicine have decided to increase the fees of students by 25 per cent.

No. 384.—In filling vacancies in the Government Clerical Service preference will in future be given to candidates who have passed the Matriculation or Senior Local examination of the University of Hongkong.

The above examinations will this year commence on Monday, 28th November, and entries should reach the Registrar of the University on or before 1st October.

When the results of these examinations are published, successful candidates who wish to be considered for posts in the clerical service should apply in writing to the Colonial Secretary.