

21. No person, not being a servant of the company, shall alight from or board any carriage while such carriage is in motion, or at any place or spot not being one of the appointed stopping places for passengers during the run as then being made by that carriage.

22. No person, not being a servant of the company, or duly authorised by the company, shall go or be upon any part of the tramway line or track, which term, for the purposes of this rule, shall include all the tramway buildings, sheds, steps, ways, embankments, bridges, viaducts, cuttings, areas and spaces not provided for the use of passengers.

S. B. B. McELDERRY,
Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
23rd September, 1926.

No. 130.

Regulations made by the Governor in Council under section 2 of the Emergency Regulations Ordinance, 1922, Ordinance No. 5 of 1922, on the 3rd day of March, 1927.

Prohibition of Meetings and Processions.

1. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, by order published in the Gazette, to prohibit the holding of any proposed meeting, which, in his opinion, is likely to be conducted in a seditious or disorderly manner, or at or during which, in his opinion, seditious or disorderly utterances are likely to be made or seditious or disorderly matter is likely to be exhibited or used, or at or during which a general strike is likely to be advocated or promoted.

2. No person shall take part in any meeting so prohibited, and no person shall without lawful authority or excuse be present at any meeting so prohibited.

3. It shall be lawful for any police officer to use any force, and to effect any entry, which may appear to be reasonably necessary for the purpose of preventing the holding of any meeting so prohibited, or for the purpose of dispersing any meeting so prohibited, and also to search any premises entered and to seize any thing which may appear to be evidence of any offence.

4.—(1) In any case in which he may consider that the urgency of the occasion so requires it shall be lawful for the Governor, without consulting the Executive Council and without publication of the order in the Gazette, to prohibit the holding of any proposed meeting, which, in his opinion, is likely to be conducted in a seditious or disorderly manner, or at or during which, in his opinion, seditious or disorderly matter is likely to be exhibited or used, or at or during which a general strike is likely to be advocated or promoted.

(2) It shall be lawful for any police officer to use any force, and to effect any entry, which may appear to be reasonably necessary for the purpose of preventing the holding of any meeting so prohibited, or for the purpose of dispersing any meeting so prohibited, and also to search any premises entered and to seize any thing which may appear to be evidence of any offence.

(3) Any such order may be proved in any legal proceedings by the production of a certificate under the hand of the Colonial Secretary, and judicial notice shall be taken of such signature on such certificate.

5. In these regulations,

- (a) "Meeting" includes every assembly, gathering, celebration, service and ceremony, whether open to the public or not, and every procession.
- (b) "Seditious matter" has the same meaning as in the Seditious Publications Ordinance, 1914, and "seditious utterances" means utterances which if reduced to writing would be seditious matter.

D. W. TRATMAN,
Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
3rd March, 1927

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 131.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. ARTHUR CAWTE FRANKLIN to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of Hong Kong.

2nd March, 1927.

No. 132.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. GEORGE ALEXANDER WALKER to act as Manager of the British Section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway during the absence on leave of Mr. HERBERT PINCKNEY WINSLOW or until further notice, with effect from the 5th March, 1927.

4th March, 1927.

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 133.—With reference to Government Notification No. 80 of 11th February, 1927, it is hereby notified that the date on which the Treaty of Friendship, Commerce and Navigation with the Mexican Government will lapse is the 22nd June, 1927, and not as therein stated.

W. T. SOUTHORN,
Colonial Secretary.

3rd March, 1927.

The Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance, 1900.

No. 134.—With reference to the notice of the nomination by His Excellency the Governor of a member of the Board of Arbitrators to determine the amount of compensation to be paid in respect of the resumption of the properties known as Tsat Tze Mui Village Houses Nos. 5 and 68 published in the Gazette of the 4th February, 1927, as Notification No. 64, and the owner having failed within seven days from the date of such publication to nominate a member to represent him or her on the said Board, I, the undersigned, Chairman of the said Board, do hereby nominate and appoint LAWRENCE GIBBS, Esquire, A.M.I.C.E., to be a member of the said Board on behalf of such owner.

J. H. B. NIHILL,
Chairman of the Board of Arbitrators.

COURTS OF JUSTICE,
4th March, 1927.