## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No. 579.—His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following Ordinances:—

Ordinance No. 7 of 1927—An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Directors of the Japanese Residents Association of Hong Kong (Hong Kong Nipponjin Kwai 香港日本人會).

Ordinance No. 8 of 1927.—An Ordinance to authorize the Appropriation of a Supplementary Sum of One million and eighty-three thousand eight hundred and ninety-two Dollars and forty-two Cents to defray the Charges of the year 1926.

E. W. Hamilton, Councils.

Council Chamber,

6th October, 1927.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 580.—With reference to Government Notification No. 541 of the 16th September, 1927, concerning the issue of \$3,000,000 Hong Kong Currency six per cent. Bonds to Bearer being part of the \$5,000,000 Loan authorised by the Public Works Loan Ordinance, 1927, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Sir Joseph Horsford Kemp, K.C., C.B.E. (Chairman), Hon. Mr. Charles McIlvaine Messer, O.B.E., and Mr. Vandeleur Molyneux Grayburn to form a Board to consider applications and to allot the Bonds.

3rd October, 1927.

No. 581.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint, provisionally and subject to His Majesty's pleasure, Mr. Roland Arthur Charles North to be a Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils, during his tenure of office as acting Secretary for Chinese Affairs, with effect from 5th October, 1927.

6th October, 1927.

## NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 582.—Notice is hereby given of the accession of this Colony to the Treaty of Commerce and Navigation between the United Kingdom and Estonia. The stipulations of the Treaty will apply to this Colony as from the 14th of July, 1927.