

## No. 362.

*The Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899, Ordinance  
No. 10 of 1899, Table L, Quarantine Regulations.*

It is hereby declared by order of His Excellency the  
Governor in Council that Shanghai is a place at which an  
infectious or contagious disease, namely, cholera, prevails.

D. W. TRATMAN,  
*Clerk of Councils.*

COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
8th June, 1932.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

## No. 363.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, No. 7.

Thursday, 26th May, 1932, at 2.30 p.m.

## PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT  
(Hon. Mr. WILFRID THOMAS SOUTHORN, C.M.G.).

His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, (Major-General JAMES  
WALTER SANDILANDS, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.).

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, (Mr. EDWIN RICHARD HALLIFAX, C.M.G., C.B.E.).  
„ the Attorney General, (Mr. CHALONER GRENVILLE ALABASTER, K.C.,  
O.B.E.).

„ the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, (Mr. ALAN EUSTACE WOOD).

„ the Colonial Treasurer, (Mr. EDWIN TAYLOR).

„ Mr. HAROLD THOMAS CREASY, C.B.E., (Director of Public Works).

„ Commander GEORGE FRANCIS HOLE, R.N. (Retired), (Harbour Master).

„ Dr. ARTHUR ROBERTS WELLINGTON, (Director of Medical and Sanitary  
Services).

„ Mr. THOMAS HENRY KING, (Acting Inspector General of Police).

„ Sir HENRY EDWARD POLLOCK, Kt., K.C.

„ Mr. WILLIAM EDWARD LEONARD SHENTON.

„ Mr. ROBERT HORMUS KOTEWALL, C.M.G., LL.D.

„ Mr. JOSÉ PEDRO BRAGA.

„ Mr. TS'Ō SEEN-WAN, O.B.E., LL.D.

„ Mr. CHAU TSUN-NIN.

„ Mr. WILLIAM HENRY BELL.

Mr. ROLAND ARTHUR CHARLES NORTH, (Deputy Clerk of Councils).

## ABSENT:

The Honourable Mr. JOHN JOHNSTONE PATERSON.

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1. The Council met pursuant to adjournment. His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government occupied the Chair.

## MINUTES.

2. The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 19th May, 1932, were confirmed.

## PAPERS.

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—

Rescission of the Order made by the Governor in Council under the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899, Ordinance No. 10 of 1899, dated 6th May, 1932.

Rescission of the Order made by the Governor in Council under the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899, Ordinance No. 10 of 1899, dated 11th May, 1932.

Order made by the Governor in Council under section 3 and 4 of the Importation and Exportation Ordinance, 1915, Ordinance No. 32 of 1915, on 14th May, 1932.

Declaration under the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899, Ordinance No. 10 of 1899, Table L, Quarantine Regulations, dated 17th May, 1932.

Additional by-laws under section 16 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, for the regulation of Dairies.

Administrative Reports, 1931 :—

Part II.—Law and Order :—

Report of the Registrar of the Supreme Court.

## REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

4. The Colonial Secretary laid on the table the Report of the Finance Committee (No. 6), dated the 19th May, 1932, and moved its adoption.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

## MOTIONS.

5. The Colonial Secretary moved :—

That this Council approves of the expenditure of a further sum of \$75,700 on the Kai Tak aerodrome and hangar during the financial year 1932 which sum shall be met from a future loan and shall meanwhile be charged as an advance from the surplus balances of the Colony.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

6. *Registration of United Kingdom Patents Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the law relating to the Registration of United Kingdom Patents.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

7. *Pensions Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the law regulating the granting of Pensions, Gratuities and other Allowances in respect of public service.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

8. *Vagrancy Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the law relating to Vagrancy.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

9. *Vaccination Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Vaccination Ordinance, 1923.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

10. *Employers and Servants Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Employers and Servants Ordinance, 1902.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

11. *Military Stores (Exportation) Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Military Stores (Exportation) Ordinance, 1862.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

12. *Births and Deaths Registration Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the law relating to the Registration of Births and Deaths.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

13. *Employment of Young Persons and Children at Sea Bill.*—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to regulate the employment of Young Persons and Children at Sea.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

14. *Importation and Exportation Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Importation and Exportation Ordinance, 1915.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

15. *United Kingdom Designs (Protection) Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the United Kingdom Designs (Protection) Ordinance, 1928.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

16. *Chinese Young Men's Christian Association Bill.*—The Hon. Mr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., LL.D. moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Directors of the Chinese Young Men's Christian Association of Hong Kong.”

The Hon. Mr. R. H. KOTEWALL, C.M.G., LL.D. seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Hon. Mr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., LL.D. reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Hon. Mr. R. H. KOTEWALL, C.M.G., LL.D. seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

17. *St. Stephen's College Incorporation Bill*.—The Hon. Mr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., LL.D. moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of St. Stephen's College."

The Hon. Mr. W. E. L. SHENTON seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Hon. Mr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., LL.D. reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Hon. Mr. W. E. L. SHENTON seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

#### ADJOURNMENT.

18. The Council then adjourned until Thursday, the 9th day of June, 1932, at 2.30 p.m.

W. T. SOUTHORN,

*Officer Administering the Government.*

Confirmed this 9th day of June, 1932.

R. A. C. NORTH,  
*Deputy Clerk of Councils.*

No. 364.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has given his assent, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty the KING, to the following Ordinances passed by the Legislative Council:—

Ordinance No. 18 of 1932.—An Ordinance to amend the law relating to the Registration of United Kingdom Patents.

Ordinance No. 19 of 1932.—An Ordinance to amend the law relating to Vagrancy.