
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No. 573.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, No. 9.

 Thursday, 12th July, 1934, at 2.30 p.m.

PRESENT :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
(Sir WILLIAM PEEL, K.C.M.G., K.B.E.).

His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, (Major-General OSWALD CUTHBERT BORRETT, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O.).

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, (Sir THOMAS SOUTHORN, K.B.E., C.M.G.).

„ the Attorney General, (Mr. ROGER EDWARD LINDSELL).

„ the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, (Mr. NORMAN LOCKHART SMITH).

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

„ Mr. EDWARD DUDLEY CORSCADEN WOLFE, C.M.G., (Inspector General of Police).

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

„ Dr. ARTHUR ROBARTES WELLINGTON, C.M.G., (Director of Medical and Sanitary Services).

„ Mr. RICHARD McNEIL HENDERSON, (Director of Public Works).

„ Sir WILLIAM EDWARD LEONARD SHENTON, Kt.

„ Mr. CHARLES GORDON STEWART MACKIE.

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

„ Mr. JOSÉ PEDRO BRAGA.

„ Mr. Ts'ò SEEN-WAN, O.B.E., LL.D.

„ Mr. CHAU TSUN-NIN.

„ Mr. WILLIAM HENRY BELL.

„ Mr. JOHN OWEN-HUGHES.

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

1. The Council met pursuant to adjournment. His Excellency the Governor occupied the Chair.

MINUTES.

2. The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 28th June, 1934, were confirmed.

PAPERS.

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

Regulation made by the Governor in Council under section 2 of the Public Places Regulation Ordinance, 1870, Ordinance No. 2 of 1870, relating to horses, etc., using Deep Water Bay beach, dated 26th June, 1934.

Regulations made by Governor in Council under section 3 of the Dogs Ordinance, 1927, Ordinance No. 21 of 1927, dated 28th June, 1934.

Order made by the Chief Justice under section 115 of the Bankruptcy Ordinance, 1931, Ordinance No. 10 of 1931, dated 1st June, 1934.

By-law made by the Sanitary Board under section 16 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, Ordinance No. 1 of 1903, dated 7th November, 1933.

Order including Pokfulam under section 78 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, Ordinance No. 1 of 1903, dated 29th June, 1934.

Administration Reports, 1933 :—

Part I.—General Administration :—

Report of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

4. The Colonial Secretary laid on the table the Report of the Finance Committee (No. 8), dated the 28th June, 1934, and moved its adoption.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

MOTIONS.

5. *Exchanges Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to regulate and control Exchanges.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

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

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

7. *Crown Counsel's Fees Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Crown Counsel's Fees Ordinance, 1903.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

8. *Foreign Mission Sisters of St. Dominic Incorporation Bill.*—The Hon. Sir WILLIAM EDWARD LEONARD SHENTON, Kt. addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to provide for the Incorporation of the Regional Superior in Hong Kong of the Foreign Mission Sisters of St. Dominic commonly known as Maryknoll Sisters.”

The Hon. Mr. ROBERT HORMUS KOTEWALL, C.M.G., LL.D. seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

9. (1933 Supplementary) *Appropriation Bill*.—The Colonial Treasurer moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to authorize the Appropriation of a Supplementary Sum of Twenty-seven thousand two hundred and forty-three Dollars and sixty-seven Cents to defray the Charges of the year 1933.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Colonial Treasurer 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. *Summary Offences Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Summary Offences Ordinance, 1932.”

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.

ADJOURNMENT.

11. The Council then adjourned until Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1934, at 2.30 p.m.

W. PEEL,
Governor.

Confirmed this 26th day of July, 1934.

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

No. 574.—His Excellency the Governor 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 1934.—An Ordinance to amend the law relating to trustees.

Ordinance No. 19 of 1934.—An Ordinance to amend the Crown Counsel's Fees Ordinance, 1903.

Ordinance No. 20 of 1934.—An Ordinance to provide for the Incorporation of the Regional Superior in Hong Kong of the Foreign Mission Sisters of St. Dominic commonly known as Maryknoll Sisters.