

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

No. 837.

Hong Kong.

ORDINANCE No. 1 of 1903. (PUBLIC HEALTH AND BUILDINGS).

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor in Council has, under section 210 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, appointed the hours of 2 a.m. to 9 a.m. as additional or further hours between which, until the 27th of December, 1934, inclusive, blasts may be fired at low tide on the foreshore to the south-west of Q.B.I.L. No. 4 and to the north-west of Q.B.M.L. No. 1 in connection with the new Shaukiwan Road.

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

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
7th November, 1934.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No. 838.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, No. 15.

Thursday, 18th October, 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 SOUTHOORN, 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).

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

„ Dr. WILLIAM BROWNLOW ASHE MOORE, (Acting Director of Medical and Sanitary Services).

„ Sir WILLIAM EDWARD LEONARD SHENTON, Kt.

„ Mr. CHARLES GORDON STEWART MACKIE.

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

„ Mr. Ts'o SEEN-WAN, O.B.E., LL.D.

„ Mr. CHAU TSUN-NIN.

„ Mr. WILLIAM HENRY BELL.

„ Mr. JOHN OWEN-HUGHES.

„ Mr. HENRY ROBERT BUTTERS, (Deputy Clerk of Councils).

ABSENT:

The Honourable Mr. JOSÉ PEDRO BRAGA.

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

MINUTES.

2. The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 27th September, 1934, were confirmed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

3. His Excellency the Governor addressed the Council concerning China's action in regard to silver.

PAPERS.

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

Notification made by the Governor in Council under section 6A (2) (a) of the New Territories Regulation Ordinance, 1910, Ordinance No. 34 of 1910, relating to the Chinese Catholic Cemetery at Sai Kung, dated 26th September, 1934.

Regulations made by the Governor in Council under section 3 (1) of the Wireless Telegraphy Ordinance, 1926, Ordinance No. 11 of 1926, relating to distribution licences, dated 26th September, 1934.

Order made by the Governor in Council under section 7 of the Rating Ordinance, 1901, Ordinance No. 6 of 1901, dated 29th September, 1934.

Regulations made by the Governor in Council under section 3 (1) of the Pensions Ordinance, 1932, Ordinance No. 21 of 1932, dated 28th September, 1934.

Addition to Regulation 18 of the Post Office Regulations made by the Governor in Council under section 3 of the Post Office Ordinance, 1926, Ordinance No. 7 of 1926, dated 6th October, 1934.

Administration Reports, 1933:—

Part III.—Public Health:—

Medical and Sanitary Report.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

5. The Colonial Secretary laid on the table the Report of the Finance Committee (No. 13), dated the 27th September, 1934, and moved its adoption. The Colonial Treasurer seconded. Question—put and agreed to.

MOTIONS.

6. *Dangerous Goods Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled "An Ordinance to amend further the Dangerous Goods Ordinance, 1873." The Colonial Secretary seconded. Question—put and agreed to. Bill read a first time.
7. *Railways (No. 2) Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled "An Ordinance to amend the Railways Ordinance, 1909." The Colonial Secretary seconded. Question—put and agreed to. Bill read a first time.

8. *Police Force Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Police Force Ordinance, 1932.”
The Colonial Secretary seconded.
Question—put and agreed to.
Bill read a first time.
9. *Criminal Procedure Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, 1899.”
The Colonial Secretary seconded.
Question—put and agreed to.
Bill read a first time.
10. *Merchandise Marks Amendment (No. 2) Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend further the Merchandise Marks Ordinance, 1890.”
The Colonial Secretary seconded.
Question—put and agreed to.
Bill read a first time.
11. *Sand Bill.*—The First reading of this Bill was postponed.
12. *Morrison Scholarships Fund Incorporation Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to incorporate a Body of Trustees capable of holding property and empowered to administer a trust fund known as the Morrison Scholarships Trust Fund for the purpose of providing scholarships at Queen’s College in this Colony.”
The Colonial Secretary seconded.
Question—put and agreed to.
Bill read a first time.
13. *Estate Duty Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Estate Duty 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.
14. *Evidence Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Evidence Ordinance, 1889.”
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. *Liquors Amendment Bill*.—The Second reading of this Bill was postponed.

ADJOURNMENT.

16. The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

W. PEEL,
Governor.

Confirmed this 8th day of November, 1934.

H. R. BUTTERS,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

No. 839.—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. 34 of 1934.—An Ordinance to amend further the Dangerous Goods Ordinance, 1873.

Ordinance No. 35 of 1934.—An Ordinance to amend the Railways Ordinance, 1909.

Ordinance No. 36 of 1934.—An Ordinance to amend the Police Force Ordinance, 1932.

Ordinance No. 37 of 1934.—An Ordinance to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, 1899.

Ordinance No. 38 of 1934.—An Ordinance to amend further the Merchandise Marks Ordinance, 1890.

Ordinance No. 39 of 1934.—An Ordinance to incorporate a Body of Trustees capable of holding property and empowered to administer a trust fund known as the Morrison Scholarships Trust Fund for the purpose of providing scholarships at Queen's College in this Colony.