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Return of Lands Leased during the Year 1927.

District.	Term of Years.	No. of Grants.	Acreage.	By Grant or Sale.	Average Sale Price per Acre.	Total Acreage Leased.	Total Acreage remaining unsold.
HONG KONG.			<i>a. r. p.</i>		<i>\$ c.</i>		
1. Victoria Marine.....	99 (renewable)	5	4. 1. 20 2/5	Sale.	10,894.17	All lands in the Colony, with the exception of the Cathedral, and some University, and Admiralty and Military Lands are granted on lease with or without premium. Lands which are let for short terms or on temporary permits are not included except in the case of the New Territories.	A small quantity of arable land in the Colony exclusive of the New Territories is let on yearly lease or to tenants at will. Crown land for building purposes is made available as circumstances require.
2. " "	75 (do.)	1	5. 0. 16	Grant.	.....		
3. Victoria Inland	999	6	11. 2. 6	Do.	.....		
4. " "	99 (renewable)	3	0. 2. 31	Sale.	10,992.77		
5. " "	75 (do.)	13	10. 2. 1	Do.	162,910.55		
6. " "	Do.	6	10. 0. 21	Grant.	.....		
7. " "	75	1	2. 2. 21 4/5	Do.	.....		
8. " "	21	2	0. 0. 4 2/5	Sale.	43,636.36		
9. Victoria Garden	21	2	0. 2. 5 1/5	Do.	2,178.40		
10. Rural Building	75 (renewable)	6	5. 1. 24	Do.	3,986.52		
11. " "	Do.	2	2. 1. 2 2/5	Grant.	.....		
12. " "	75	1	0. 2. 31	Do.	.....		
13. Aberdeen Inland	999	6	0. 0. 34 3/5	Do.	.....		
14. Apichau Inland	75 (renewable)	1	0. 0. 8 2/5	Do.	.....		
15. Shaukiwan Inland.....	Do.	18	0. 3. 32 1/5	Do.	.....		
16. " "	Do.	1	0. 0. 29 2/5	Sale.	32,648.30		
17. Quarry Bay Inland ...	Do.	1	0. 3. 36 4/5	Do.	8,341.85		
18. Permanent Pier.....	50	1	0. 0. 6 2/5	Do.	87,750.00		
KOWLOON.							
19. Kowloon Marine	999	2	49. 0. 8	Grant.	.....		
20. Kowloon Inland.....	75 (renewable)	6	0. 3. 39 1/5	Sale.	126,836.94		
21. " "	Do.	48	4. 3. 37 2/5	Grant.	.....		
22. " "	75	14	0. 2. 0	Do.	.....		
23. Permanent Pier.....	50	1	0. 0. 6 2/5	Sale.	41,542.50		
24. Hung Hom Inland.....	75 (renewable)	3	12. 0. 2	Grant.	.....		
NEW KOWLOON.							
25. New Kowloon Inland...	75 (renewable for 24 less 3 days)	45	2. 0. 32 4/5	Do.	.....		
26. Sheung Shui Inland ...	Do.	1	1. 1. 2	Sale.	1,567.70		
NEW TERRITORIES.							
<i>(Northern District.)</i>							
27. Agricultural	75 (renewable for 24 less 3 days)	48	18. 0. 14 2/5	Do.	156.66		
28. Building	Do.	128	2. 2. 24	Do.	467.55		
29. Orchard	Do.	5	20. 2. 36 4/5	Do.	63.29		
30. Tilling Floor	Do.	11	0. 1. 17 3/5	Do.	368.06		
31. Agricultural	5	21	25. 2. 17 3/5	Grant.	.....		
32. " "	Annual	225	117. 2. 4 4/5	Do.	.....		
33. Golf Course etc.	Do.	10	36. 1. 11 1/5	Do.	.....		
<i>(Southern District.)</i>							
34. New Kowloon Building	75 (renewable for 24 years less 3 days)	4	0. 1. 0	Sale.	87.00		
35. Tsun Wan Building ...	Do.	2	0. 1. 4 4/5	Do.	314.00		
36. Hang Hau Building ...	Do.	2	0. 0. 6 2/5	Do.	14.00		
37. Islands Building	Do.	39	1. 0. 3 1/5	Do.	443.00		
38. Tsun Wan Agricultural	Do.	1	0. 1. 6 2/5	Do.	31.00		
39. Tsun Wan Grave	Do.	1	8. 3. 8	Do.	959.00		
40. Islands Drying Ground	Do.	1	0. 0. 35 1/5	Do.	94.00		
Carried forward.....	...	694	359.2. 10 1/5				

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<i>Brought forward...</i>		694	<i>a. r. p.</i> 359. 2. 10 1/5		\$ c.		
NEW TERRITORIES, —Continued. (Southern District.)							
41. Islands Agricultural ...	75 (renewable for 24 years) less 3 days)	1	0. 0. 36 4/5	Sale.	156.00		
42. " " " ...	5	1	14. 0. 0	Grant.	.....		
43. Islands Cemetery	5	1	0. 1. 16	Do.	.....		
44. Tsun Wan Agricultural ...	5	1	0. 2. 16	Do.	.....		
45. Tsun Wan Building ...	(75 renewable) (Converted from Agricultural into Building)	2	0. 0. 9 3/5	Do.	.....		
46. Islands Building	Do.	3	0. 0. 20 4/5	Do.	.....		
47. Chek Lap Kok Quarry	1	1	50. 0. 0	Do.	.....		
48. " " " ...	1	1	30. 0. 0	Do.	.....		
49. Ting Kau Quarry	1	1	0. 0. 36 4/5	Do.	.....		
Total	...	706	455. 0. 26 1/5	...	.....		

Return of Lands Re-entered, Surrendered, and Resumed during the Year 1927.

District.	Re-entered.	Surrendered.	Resumed.	Aggregate Totals
<i>a. r. p.</i>	<i>a. r. p.</i>	<i>a. r. p.</i>	<i>a. r. p.</i>	<i>a. r. p.</i>
HONG KONG.				
(including Kowloon & New Kowloon)				
1. Hong Kong Island	29. 2. 4 4/5	33. 1. 31 4/5	0. 2. 22	63. 0. 18 3/5
2. Kowloon.....	8. 1. 26 3/5	43. 1. 23 2/5	0. 2. 21	52. 1. 31
3. New Kowloon	5. 0. 9 2/5	8. 2. 33	166. 0. 26	179. 3. 28 2/5
NEW TERRITORIES.				
(Northern District excluding New Kowloon)	39. 2. 9 3/5	6. 2. 32	7. 1. 16	53. 2. 17 3/5
(Southern District)	8. 2. 28 4/5	220. 1. 25 3/5	5. 3. 12 4/5	234. 3. 27 1/5
Total	91. 0. 39 1/5	312. 2. 25 4/5	180. 0. 17 4/5	584. 0. 2 4/5

REMARKS.—Persons having possession of lands or houses previous to the Treaty were allowed to retain them on payment of certain assessed rentals now collected by the Treasurer. In cases where such lands or houses are not leased, the occupiers are treated as tenants at will.