

<i>Collector of Stamp Revenue.</i>	
Cost of Stamps, excess,	\$ 50.37
<i>Ecclesiastical.</i>	
Difference in Exchange on account of Colonial Chaplain's (Rev. Mr. KIDD) salary being paid in England,	\$ 12.11
SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.	
<i>Colonial Treasurer.</i>	
Revenue Service.—Petty Expenses in Assessments, excess,.....	\$ 13.00
<i>Judicial.</i>	
Administration of Justice.—Compensation to Witnesses and Fees to Counsels and Attorneys, excess,	\$ 277.80
<i>Police.</i>	
New Recruits, 20 men from England,.....	\$ 5,927.51
Clothing, excess,	2,111.96
Pensions and Gratuities, excess,	754.64
Arms and Ammunitions, excess,.....	422.75
	\$9,216.86
<i>Charitable Allowances.</i>	
Sundry Allowances, excess,	\$ 221.50
<i>Works and Buildings.</i>	
Maintenance of Public Gardens, amount paid in England for Seeds, &c.,.....	\$ 209.04

The different votes are agreed to.

Adverting to the suggestion of His Honour the Acting Chief Justice that the time has come for revising the Prison Ordinance, No. 4 of 1863, His Excellency the Governor lays upon the table copies or extracts of despatches relating to the Dietary Scale, and to the structure of the Prison, which, His Excellency says, will be printed and distributed, so that Honourable Members may consider the requirements of the Secretary of State.

His Excellency adjourns the Council, *sine die*.

J. POPE HENNESSY,
Governor.

Read and confirmed, this 11th day of November, 1878.

H. E. WODEHOUSE,
Clerk of Councils.

HONGKONG.
ANNO QUADRAGESIMO-SECUNDO
VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

JOHN POPE HENNESSY, C.M.G.,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

No. 3 OF 1878.

Title. An Ordinance to amend "The Markets Ordinance, 1858."

[11th November, 1878.]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS it is expedient to amend an Ordinance entitled the "Markets Ordinance, 1858" by authorising the Governor in Council to grant licences to sell or expose for sale in places other than a public market articles of food for man usually sold or exposed for sale in a public market under the conditions hereinafter expressed: Be it enacted by the Governor of Hong-kong, with the advice of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Governor in Council may grant licences for sale of food elsewhere than in public market. I. Notwithstanding anything contained in the "Markets Ordinance, 1858" or in the "Markets Ordinance, 1867," from and after the coming into operation of this Ordinance, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time, to grant licences for the sale of articles of food for man usually sold or exposed for sale in a public market elsewhere than in a public market to such persons for such considerations and for such periods as he shall think fit, and it shall be lawful for any person holding such licence to sell or expose for sale such articles as he may be empowered to sell or expose for sale under such licence during the continuance of such licence.

II. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to make Regulations for the proper conduct of business authorised to be carried on under this Ordinance by licences generally or by any particular licence, and from time to time to repeal, alter, or vary the same; and such Regulations shall be binding as well upon the grantees of such licences as upon all persons employed by or dealing with the grantees of such licences, and such Regulations may be enforced by such penalties as may be specified therein: Provided that such Regulations shall be published in the *Gazette* for at least two weeks before they shall come into operation, and that no penalty shall exceed the sum of \$500.

And may make Regulations enforceable by penalties.

Regulations to be published in *Gazette*.

III. All penalties under this Ordinance may be recovered in a summary manner before a Police Magistrate, and shall not affect any condition for the forfeiture or cancellation of the licence subject to which the same may have been granted.

Penalties may be recovered before Police Magistrate summarily.

Passed the Legislative Council of Hongkong, this 11th day of November, 1878.

H. E. WODEHOUSE,
Clerk of Councils.

HONGKONG.
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JOHN POPE HENNESSY, C.M.G.,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

No. 4 OF 1878.

An Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice of the Legislative Council thereof, to authorize the Appropriation of a Supplementary Sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand Dollars to defray the Charges of the Year 1877.

Title.

[11th November, 1878.]

WHEREAS it has become necessary to make further provision for the public service of the Colony for the year 1877, in addition to the charge upon the revenue for the service of the said year already provided for in the Estimates submitted to the Legislative Council; Be it enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Preamble.

I. A sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand dollars shall be and the same is hereby charged upon the revenue of this Colony for the service of the year 1877, the said sum so charged being expended as hereinafter specified; that is to say:—

Supplementary Estimates, 1877.

ESTABLISHMENTS.				\$	c.
Colonial Secretary,	-	-	-	277	43
Auditor General,	-	-	-	404	56
Surveyor General,	-	-	-	1,044	08
Collector of Stamp Revenue,	-	-	-	43	37
Ecclesiastical,	-	-	-	12	11
Medical,	-	-	-	349	90
Total Establishments,				\$2,131	45

SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.				\$	c.
Colonial Treasurer,-	-	-	-	13	00
Surveyor General,	-	-	-	180	00
Judicial,	-	-	-	277	80
Police,	-	-	-	8,920	20
Fire Brigade,	-	-	-	264	73
Charitable Allowances,	-	-	-	1,605	58
Works and Buildings,	-	-	-	2,400	09
Roads, Streets, and Bridges,	-	-	-	25,289	98
Miscellaneous Services,	-	-	-	2,456	37
Land and Houses purchased,	-	-	-	1,005	00
Total exclusive of Establishments,				\$42,412	75
Total,				\$44,544	20

Passed the Legislative Council of Hongkong, this 11th day of November, 1878.

H. E. WODEHOUSE,
Clerk of Councils.