

And whereas the Empire of Japan affords, in His Majesty's opinion, to the registered medical practitioners of the United Kingdom such privileges of practising in Japan as to His Majesty seems just

NOW, THEREFORE, His Majesty doth hereby, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, order, direct, and declare that the Second Part of the Medical Act, 1886, shall be deemed to apply to the Empire of Japan.

A. W. FITZROY.

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## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

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No. 69.

*Amendment of Regulations under the Sugar Convention Ordinance, 1904, (No. 14 of 1904), made by the Governor in Council under Section 3 of the said Ordinance, this 24th day of January, 1906.*

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The fourth regulation of the Regulations made by the Governor in Council under Section 3 of the Sugar Convention Ordinance, 1904, on the 30th day of June, 1905, for the Import and Export, &c., of Sugar (other than sugar in transit) is hereby amended by deleting the words 'unloads or' in the last paragraph thereof and by substituting a comma for the full-stop at the end of such regulation, and by adding the following clause:—

“but on the application of the master or agent of a vessel arriving in  
“the Colony having any sugar on board the Superintendent of  
“Exports and Imports may (without requiring any security) issue a  
“permit for the temporary deposit of such sugar in the Kowloon  
“Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown  
“Company, Limited, and the said Company shall hold or dispose of  
“such sugar as the Superintendent of Imports and Exports shall  
“direct.”

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
*Clerk of Councils.*

COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
24th January, 1906.

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## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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No. 70.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, No. 13.

THURSDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 1905.

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PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR  
(SIR MATTHEW NATHAN, K.C.M.G.).

His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, (Major-General VILLIERS HATTON, C.B.).

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, (THOMAS SERCOMBE SMITH).

„ the Attorney General, (SIR HENRY SPENCER BERKELEY, Kt.).

„ the Colonial Treasurer, (ALEXANDER MACDONALD THOMSON).

„ the Registrar General, (ARTHUR WINBOLT BREWIN).

„ the Director of Public Works, (WILLIAM CHATHAM).

The Honourable the Harbour Master, (LIONEL AUBREY WALTER BARNES-LAWRENCE).

„ Sir CATCHICK PAUL CHATER, Kt., C.M.G.  
 „ Dr. HO KAI, M.B., C.M., C.M.G.  
 „ Mr. WEI YUK.  
 „ Mr. ROBERT GORDON SHEWAN.  
 „ Mr. GERSHOM STEWART.

ABSENT :

The Honourable Mr. CHARLES WEDDERBURN DICKSON.

The Council met pursuant to summons.

The Minutes of the last Meeting, held on the 8th November, 1905, were read and confirmed.

PAPER.—The Colonial Secretary, by command of His Excellency the Governor, laid on the table the following paper :—

Report by the Examiners of Queen's College.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.—The Colonial Secretary, by command of His Excellency the Governor, laid on the table the following Financial Minutes, (Nos. 58 to 61), and moved that they be referred to the Finance Committee :—

M. NATHAN.

No. 5113 of  
1905, C.S.O.

The Governor recommends the Council to vote a sum of Three hundred and forty-eight Dollars (\$348) in aid of the vote Miscellaneous Services, Printing Miscellaneous Papers, for 100 copies of Street Index, 2nd Edition.

Government House, Hongkong, 10th November, 1905.

M. NATHAN.

(No. 4451 of  
1904, Extension.)

The Governor recommends the Council to vote a sum of Four hundred Dollars (\$400) in aid of the vote Public Works Department, Other Charges, Language Allowance to Mr. S. R. MOORE, Land Bailiff, who has passed the examination in the Hakka Colloquial.

Government House, Hongkong, 16th November, 1905.

M. NATHAN.

No. 8735 of  
1905, C.S.O.

The Governor recommends the Council to vote a sum of One hundred and eighteen thousand six hundred and fifty Dollars (\$118,650) in aid of the votes Public Works Annually Recurrent Expenditure and Public Works Extraordinary for the following items :—

*Public Works Annually Recurrent Expenditure.*

Maintenance of Buildings, .....	\$2,000
„ Gas Lighting, Kowloon, .....	100
„ Roads and Bridges in the City, .....	1,000
„ Roads and Bridges in New Territory, .....	1,500
„ Praya Wall and Piers, .....	6,500
„ Public Cemetery, .....	500

\$11,600

*Public Works Extraordinary.*

Bacteriological Institute, .....	\$ 7,600
Miscellaneous Drainage Works, .....	15,000
Miscellaneous Works, .....	9,800
Forming and Kerbing Streets, .....	25,000
Miscellaneous Water Works, .....	5,000
Water Supply—Tytam Tuk Scheme, .....	40,000
Typhoon Damages, .....	4,650
	107,050

Total, .....\$ 118,650

Government House, Hongkong, 1st December, 1905.

M. NATHAN.

No. 8023 of  
1904, C.O.D.

The Governor recommends the Council to vote a sum of Sixteen thousand eight hundred and ninety-one Dollars and forty-seven Cents (\$16,891.47) in aid of the vote, Military Expenditure, Expenses of Volunteers—Other Charges, Rifles and Equipment.

Government House, Hongkong, 2nd December, 1905.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded.

His Excellency the Governor addressed the Council.

Question—put and agreed to.

GENERAL LOAN AND INSCRIBED STOCK (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Attorney General moved the first reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend The General Loan and Inscribed Stock Ordinance, 1893.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

His Excellency the Governor addressed the Council.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

The Attorney General moved the suspension of the Standing Orders so that the Bill may be read a second time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

Council resumed, and Bill reported without amendment.

After some discussion,

The Attorney General moved the third reading of the Bill.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Mr. SHEWAN objected, but after some discussion the objection was withdrawn.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time.

Question put—that this Bill do pass.

Bill passed.

ADJOURNMENT.—The Council then adjourned until after the meeting of the Finance Committee, and on the Council resuming, the Colonial Secretary reported that Financial Minutes Nos. 58 to 61 had been considered by the Finance Committee and that the recommendations had been approved.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.—The Colonial Secretary, by command of His Excellency the Governor, laid on the table the Report of the Finance Committee, dated the 7th December, 1905, and moved its adoption.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT.—The Council then adjourned *sine die*.

M. NATHAN,  
Governor.

Read and confirmed, this 31st day of January, 1906.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Clerk of Councils.