

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 687.—Notice is hereby given under Section 3 of The Foreshores and Sea Bed Ordinance, 1901, that all persons having any objections to the granting of the Lease as above described must send in particulars of their objections in writing to the Colonial Secretary before the expiration of a period of one month from the 10th day of August, 1906, and all such objections will be considered by the Governor-in-Council.

And notice is also given that if after the expiration of such period of one month the Governor-in-Council shall declare it to be expedient to grant a Lease of the said Lot, the said proposed sale will be proceeded with, and that the Crown Lease of the Lot shall be deemed to demise to the lessee the foreshore or sea bed included in such Lease free and discharged from all rights, privileges, profits-à-prendre, and easements, whether public or private, which may have existed or may be claimed in or over such foreshore and sea bed, so far as is necessary for carrying out the purposes for which the land is leased.

W. CHATHAM,
Director of Public Works.

10th August, 1906.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 688.—Tenders will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Tuesday, the 28th August, 1906, for the erection of a Mortuary at Kowloon.

No work will be permitted on Sundays.

For Form of tender, specification and further particulars apply at the Public Works Office.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. CHATHAM,
Director of Public Works.

9th August, 1906.

SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 689.—Returns of Deaths, for the month of April, 1906.

A SUMMARY OF DEATHS AND THEIR CAUSES SHOWN IN THE ATTACHED RETURN AS

DISEASE.	EUROPEAN AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.										
	Civil,—Estimated Population.	Army,—Estimated Strength.	Navy,—Estimated Strength.	VICTORIA DISTRICT.—										
				No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	
				Estimated Population,										
Infantile Convulsive Diseases. {														
{ Convulsions,	1	22
{ Trismus Nascentium,	1
Throat Affections, {														
{ Acute,
{ Chronic,
Chest Affections, {														
{ Acute,	4	...	...	1	7	2	...	1	4	3	5	7	2
{ Chronic,	3	...	...	2	8	1	8	3	10	3	5	5	...
Bowel Complaints, {														
{ Cholera,
{ Diarrhœa,	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2
{ „ Choleraic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Dysentery, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
{ Colic, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fevers. {														
{ Malarial, {														
{ Remittent,
{ Intermittent, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
{ Simple Continued, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Puerperal, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Influenza, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Exanthematous, {														
{ Typhoid, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Measles, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Small-pox,	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	2	2	1	4	5
{ Bubonic Plague, ...	1	...	...	3	4	1	9	15	4	6	5	30	42
Marasmus and Atrophy, .....	...	...	...	1	17	10	2	...	...	...	2	4	2
Other Causes,	9	...	...	9	39	6	2	9	6	2	11	18	4
TOTAL,	20	...	...	17	100	22	21	32	26	17	30	68	58

HAVING BEEN REGISTERED DURING THE MONTH ENDED 30TH APRIL, 1906.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.												
DIVISION.			Kaulung District.		Sháukiwán District.		Aberdeen District.		Stanley District.		TOTAL.	
Unknown.	Peak.	Harbour. Estimated Population.	Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Estimated Population.		Total Estimated Population.	
			Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.	Land.	Boat.		
194,950		39,729	73,473	<i>Vide</i> Harbour.	11,592	7,728	3,784	5,062	920	1,035	338,273	
...	1	24	} 25
...	1	
...	} ...
...	
3	...	3	14	3	4	1	2	1	67	} 144
2	...	6	6	2	6	6	...	1	77	
...	} ...
...	...	4	3	13	
...	} 23
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...	6	2	2	1	...	12	} ...
...	
...	} 182
...	
...	} ...
...	...	1	7	7	37	
...	...	2	10	132	} ...
...	...	1	3	42	
2	...	19	40	18	10	4	2	...	2	...	212	212
7	...	* 36	87	* 30	20	10	8	4	5	1	619	619

RETURN SHEWING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE

CHINESE COMMUNITY.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.

VICTORIA.

HEALTH DISTRICT.

CAUSES.

CAUSES.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.		VICTORIA.													
	Civil.	Army. Troops. Women & Children and Camp followers.	Navy.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	Unknown.	Peak.	Harbour.
I.—General Diseases.																
<i>A.—Specific Febrile Diseases.</i>																
<i>Zymotic.</i>																
Small-pox,	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	2	2	1	4	5	...	...	1
Fever, Relapsing, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Diarrhœa,	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	4
Dysentery, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plague,	1	...	...	3	4	1	9	15	4	6	5	30	42	...	...	2
<i>Malarial.</i>																
Malarial Fever, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Fever, Remittent, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Septic.</i>																
Septicæmia, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...
Cellulites of Neval, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
<i>Veneral.</i>																
Syphilis, (Acquired) .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
„ (Congenital), .....	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>B.—Diseases dependent on Specific External Agents.</i>																
<i>Effects of Injuries.</i>																
Multiple Injuries, .....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drowning, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Hæmorrhoids, .....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fracture of Skull, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Starvation, .....	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rupture of Spleen, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Errors of Diet.</i>																
Alcoholism Chronic,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>C.—Developmental Diseases.</i>																
Immaturity at Birth, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Debility, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Old Age, .....	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Marasmus and Atrophy, .....	...	...	...	1	17	10	2	...	...	...	2	4	2	...	...	1
<i>D.—Miscellaneous Diseases.</i>																
Malignant New Growths:—																
Cancer of Liver, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
General Tuberculosis,	1	...	...	...	7	1	...	2	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	1
Beri-beri,	3	...	...	1	3	...	2	1	4	1	3	9	1	2	...	4
II.—Local Diseases.																
<i>A.—The Nervous System.</i>																
Meningitis, .....	...	...	...	5	11	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Apoplexy,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
Paralysis, (Undefined), .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Infantile Convulsions, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tetanus, .....	...	...	...	1	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trismus, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Epilepsy, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Carried forward,...</i>	10	...	...	...	12	84	17	18	25	12	11	15	52	55	2	21

RETURN SHEWING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE

CAUSES.	BRITISH AND FOREIGN COMMUNITY.			CHINESE COMMUNITY.														
	Civil.	Army.		VICTORIA.														
		Troops.	Women & Children and Camp followers.	Navy.	HEALTH DISTRICT.													
					No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	Unknown.	Peak.	Harbour.	
<i>Brought forward,...</i>	10	...	...	...	12	84	17	13	25	12	11	15	52	55	2	...	21
Local Diseases,—Contd.																		
<i>B.—The Circulatory System.</i>																		
Endocarditis, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Heart Disease,.....	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	3	1	1	1	1	...	2	...	2
Aneurysm, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pericarditis, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Syncope,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>C.—The Respiratory System.</i>																		
Haemspéricardium, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Bronchitis,	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	2
Pneumonia,	3	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	1	4	3	3	4	2	1	...	1
Phthisis,	1	...	...	...	2	5	1	5	...	8	2	4	4	...	2	...	4
Pleurisy, .....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Empyema, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Atelectasis,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Collapse of Lung, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
<i>D.—The Digestive System.</i>																		
Ankylosuicasis, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Rupture of Liver, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Gangrene of Intestine, .....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Distomiasis, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Enteritis,.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Cirrhosis of Liver, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Peritonitis,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hernia,	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jaundice,.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
<i>E.—The Urinary System.</i>																		
Nephritis, (Acute),.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rupture of Bladder, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>G.—Affections connected with Pregnancy.</i>																		
Premature Labour,.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>H.—Affections connected with Parturition.</i>																		
Post Partum Hæmorrhage, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Child-birth,.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>I.—The Skin.</i>																		
Carbuncle, .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
III.—Undefined.																		
Gargrene, .....	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	4
Undiagnosed, .....	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	4
Total,.....	20	...	...	...	17	100	22	21	32	26	17	30	68	58	7	...	36

MONTH ENDED THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, 1906, AND THEIR CAUSES,—Continued.

CHINESE COMMUNITY.								TOTAL AT THE DIFFERENT AGE PERIODS.														GRAND TOTAL.					
KAULUNG DISTRICT.		SHÁUKI-WÁN DISTRICT.		ABER-DEEN DISTRICT.		STANLEY DISTRICT.		Under 1 Month.		1 month and under 12 months.		1 year and under 5 years.		5 years and under 15 years.		15 years and under 25 years.		25 years and under 45 years.		45 years and under 60 years.			60 years and over.		Age Unknown.		
Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Land Population.	Boat Population.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.		Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	Non-Chinese.	Chinese.	
51	20	11	4	4	2	3	...	...	33	2	56	1	61	...	48	2	45	1	99	3	40	1	32	...	...	424
1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	7	...	4	...	4	...	...	17
1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
...
2	2	4	1	2	1	3	1	4	1	7	...	6	...	1	
7	1	4	2	12	...	6	...	6	...	4	1	22	
5	2	5	6	...	1	1	...	1	...	2	1	6	...	4	1	35	
...	26	...	16	...	4	...	57	
1	1	1	1	
...	1	1	2	
...	1	3	
...	1	1	
1	1	2	
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1	1	1	
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1	1	
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...	1	1	
10	4	2	1	...	2	...	10	...	4	...	4	...	5	...	1	...	2	29	
87	30	20	10	8	4	5	1	1	39	2	66	3	84	...	63	4	63	2	158	5	72	3	52	...	2	619	

The Govt. Civil Hospitals.

<i>Causes.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Diarrhoea,.....	1
Tuberculosis,	1
Phthisis,.....	2
Heart Disease,.....	1
Peritonitis,	1
Septicæmia,.....	1
Plague,	1
Alcoholism,	1
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The Alice Memorial and Nethersole Hospitals.

<i>Causes.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Debility,	1
Tuberculosis,	2
Meningitis,	1
Carbuncle, (Septicæmia).....	1
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The Tung Wa Hospital.

<i>Causes.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Diarrhoea,.....	5
Plague,.....	24
Septicæmia,.....	2
Marasmus and Atrophy,.....	1
Beri-beri,	15
Heart Disease,.....	7
Pneumonia,	5
Phthisis,	23
Pericarditis,.....	1
Prolonged labor, (Exhibition)	1
Meningitis,	1
Apoplexy,	1
Bronchitis,	2
Tetanus,	1
Epilepsy,	1
Rupture of Bladder,	1
Tuberculosis,	1
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Mortuary.

<i>Causes.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Plague,	24
Syphilis,	1
Apoplexy,	3
Beri-beri,	9
Phthisis,	8
Decomposed,	1
Tuberculosis,	2
Pneumonia,	4
Bronchitis,	2
Ankylosnicasis,	1
Atelectasis,	1
Relapsing Fever,.....	1
Marasmus & Atrophy,	1
Heart Disease,.....	1
Hæmpericardium,	1
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The Italian Convent.

<i>Causes.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Marasmus & Atrophy,	4
Trismus,	1
Meningitis,	1
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L'Asile de la Ste. Enfance.

<i>Causes.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Syphilis,	11
Marasmus and Atrophy,.....	16
Tuberculosis,	4
Meningitis,	14
Tetanus,	22
Bronchitis,	3
Phthisis,	1
Heart Disease,.....	1
Diarrhoea,.....	1
Gangrene of Intestine,	1
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A. W. BREWIN,
Registrar General.

5th June, 1906.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEATH-RATE IN THE DIFFERENT REGISTRATION DISTRICTS
DURING THE MONTH ENDING 30TH APRIL, 1906.

British and Foreign Community,—Civil Population,.....	23.3	—per 1,000 per annum.
Chinese Community,—Victoria District—Land Population,	24.3	} " "
" " " V. Harbour ,,	20.2	
" Kaulung " Land " 	14.3	} " "
" Sháukiwán " Land " 	20.9	
" " " Boat " 	15.7	} " "
" Aberdeen " Land " 	25.7	
" " " Boat " 	8.5	} " "
" Stanley " Land " 	66.1	
" " " Boat " 	11.7	} " "
" The whole Colony, Land " 	21.8	
" " " Boat " 	18.1	} " "
" " " Land and Boat Population,	21.2	
" " " { British, Foreign & Chinese Community, excluding Army and Navy,	21.5	" "

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEATHS RECORDED UNDER THE DIFFERENT GROUPS OF
DISEASES FOR EACH MONTH OF THE CURRENT YEAR.

DEATH-RATE RECORDED
PER 1,000 PER ANNUM.

1906.	CONVULSIVE DISEASES.		Throat Affections.	Chest Affections.	Bowel Complaints.	Fevers.	Other Causes.	TOTAL.	British and Foreign Community, Civil Population, 10,181.	CHINESE COMMUNITY.		
	Under one Month.	Over one Month.								POPULATION.		
										Land.	Boat.	Land & Boat.
									271,375	50,930	322,305	
Month of January,.....	44	5	...	172	22	35	207	485	22.5	16.8	11.9	16.0
" February,	38	4	...	153	13	72	174	454	17.4	17.4	13.7	16.8
" March,	22	7	...	188	23	119	193	552	23.6	18.7	16.9	18.4
" April,	24	1	...	144	14	182	254	619	23.3	21.8	18.1	21.2

G. - A. WOODCOCK,
Secretary.

1st August, 1906.