



# DAILY INFORMATION BULLETIN

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**PUBLIC CO-OPERATION VITAL IN FIGHT AGAINST CRIME  
SAYS GOVERNOR**

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THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE, TODAY REITERATED THAT CLOSE CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE PUBLIC AND THE POLICE WAS ESSENTIAL IN THE FIGHT AGAINST CRIME.

SIR MURRAY UNDERLINED THIS IMPORTANT FACTOR AT A MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF CHOI HUNG ESTATE'S MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES AND AREA COMMITTEES DURING A VISIT TO WONG TAI SIN TO SEE FOR HIMSELF CONDITIONS IN THE DISTRICT.

HE DESCRIBED THE TWO TYPES OF COMMITTEES AS IMPORTANT INSTITUTIONS AND SAID THAT WITH PUBLIC CO-OPERATION CRIMES WILL SOONER OR LATER BE MASTERED. AT PRESENT, THERE ARE 12 MAC'S AND A POLICE NEIGHBOURHOOD UNIT OPERATING IN THE ESTATE WHICH HOUSES ABOUT 49,000 PEOPLE.

ACCOMPANIED BY MR. TONY NEON, CITY DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (KOWLOON) AND MR. IAN STRACHAN, CITY DISTRICT OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN), SIR MURRAY BEGAN HIS TOUR WITH A VISIT TO THE SITE FOR THE PROPOSED LION ROCK AERIAL ROPEWAY STATION NEAR THE SHATIN PASS ESTATE.

HE WAS BRIEFED BY MR. STRACHAN ON THE PROGRESS OF CLEARING THE SITE. TWO PLOTS OF FARMLAND IN THE AREA HAVE ALREADY BEEN CLEARED. STILL PENDING CLEARANCE ARE A TAOIST PLEASURE GARDEN, A MONASTERY AND A BUDDHIST NUNNERY.

THE GOVERNOR THEN PROCEEDED TO BLOCK 48, TSZ WAN SHAN ESTATE WHERE HE MET REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BLOCK'S MUTUAL AID COMMITTEE AS WELL AS THE TSZ WAN SHAN AREA COMMITTEE. SIR MURRAY EXPRESSED KEEN INTEREST IN THE OPERATION OF THE WATCHMEN PATROL SCHEME UNDERTAKEN BY THE MUTUAL AID COMMITTEE.

SIR MURRAY THEN INSPECTED THE PO KONG INTERCHANGE WHILE ON HIS WAY TO CHOI HUNG ESTATE. WORK ON STAGE I OF THE INTERCHANGE, LINKING UP THE PO KONG VILLAGE ROAD WITH SHATIN PASS ROAD AND THE LUNG CHEUNG ROAD EXTENSION, WAS COMPLETED LAST MONTH. THE SECOND STAGE IS DUE TO START AT THE END OF THE YEAR.

AFTER HIS MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF CHOI HUNG ESTATE'S MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES, SIR MURRAY CALLED AT THE WONG TAI SIN CITY DISTRICT OFFICE WHERE HE MET MEMBERS OF THE DISTRICT'S COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE. HE SHOWED KEEN INTEREST IN THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE.

SET UP IN MAY THIS YEAR, THE COMMITTEE AIMS AT CO-ORDINATING GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS' EFFORTS IN THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AT DISTRICT LEVEL AND TO POOL DISTRICT SERVICES TOGETHER WHEREVER POSSIBLE.

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CHAired BY THE CITY DISTRICT OFFICER, THE COMMITTEE IS MADE UP OF THE DISTRICT POLICE COMMUNITY RELATIONS OFFICER, URBAN SERVICES OFFICER, COMMUNITY AND YOUTH OFFICER, RECREATION AND SPORTS OFFICER AS WELL AS DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE EDUCATION, HOUSING AND LABOUR DEPARTMENTS.

FOR THE PAST SIX MONTHS, IT HAS BEEN ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN PROVIDING SERVICES FOR THE NON-SCHOOL AND NON-WORK CHILDREN IN THE 12-13 AGE GROUP IN WONG TAI SIN.

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## POST OFFICE SET FOR CHRISTMAS MAIL RUSH

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WITH CHRISTMAS JUST ROUND THE CORNER, THE POST OFFICE IS GEARING ITSELF FOR THE LAST MINUTE RUSH.

TO ENSURE THAT ALL MAIL IS DELIVERED IN TIME, SPECIAL STEPS ARE BEING TAKEN TO CLEAR THE FLOOD OF POSTAL ITEMS EXPECTED IN THE REMAINING WEEKS BEFORE CHRISTMAS.

THESE INCLUDE EMPLOYING EXTRA TEMPORARY LABOURERS TO BACK UP PRESENT STAFF, AN ADDITIONAL FLEET OF LORRIES TO HELP COLLECT AND CONVEY LETTERS FROM POST BOXES TO POST OFFICES, AND MOBILISING ALL EXISTING STAFF COUPLED WITH CANCELLATION OF ALL LEAVE FROM EARLY DECEMBER UNLESS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY.

A POST OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT WHILE EVERYTHING POSSIBLE WAS BEING DONE TO COPE WITH THE HEAVY LOAD OF CHRISTMAS MAIL, SENDERS COULD MAKE A GREAT CONTRIBUTION BY POSTING AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

+THERE IS NOTHING TO LOSE BUT EVERYTHING TO GAIN BY POSTING EARLY,+ HE STRESSED ADDING THAT THIS WOULD NOT ONLY HELP EASE THE PRESSURE ON THE POST OFFICE BUT ALSO AVOID THE RISK OF LATE DELIVERY AS A RESULT OF POSTING TOO LATE.

THE SPOKESMAN ALSO URGED THE PUBLIC TO ENSURE THAT THEIR LETTERS WERE PROPERLY AND CORRECTLY ADDRESSED.

HE POINTED OUT THAT EACH YEAR AN AVERAGE OF SOME THREE MILLION 'DEAD LETTERS' COULD NOT BE DELIVERED BECAUSE THEY WERE INCORRECTLY ADDRESSED.

EVERY YEAR THE LATEST POSTING DATES FOR OVERSEAS CHRISTMAS MAIL ARE PUBLICISED WELL IN ADVANCE IN THE PRESS AND OVER THE RADIO TO KEEP THE PUBLIC INFORMED OF THE DATES FOR POSTING.

THE 'CLIMAX' COMES IN DECEMBER WITH A DRAMATIC UPSURGE IN POSTAL ITEMS AS PEOPLE TRY TO CATCH THE LAST MAIL.

LAST DECEMBER ALONE THE POST OFFICE HANDLED ABOUT 23 MILLION OUTGOING AND INLAND LETTERS IN ALL. THIS REPRESENTED AN INCREASE OF EIGHT MILLION OVER THE AVERAGE MONTHLY RATE.

AT THE SAME TIME INCOMING LETTERS WENT UP TO 8.7 MILLION, 4.2 MILLION OVER THE AVERAGE MONTHLY FIGURE.

AIR PARCELS POSTED, INCREASED FROM A MONTHLY AVERAGE OF 57,000 WITH AN OVERALL WEIGHT OF 65,000 KILOGRAMMES TO 72,000 ITEMS WEIGHING 80,000 KILOGRAMMES- WHILE INCOMING AIR PARCELS WENT UP FROM AN AVERAGE OF 17,000 TO 24,000 ITEMS, REGISTERING A NET INCREASE OF 10,000 KILOGRAMMES IN TERMS OF WEIGHT.

AT THE SAME TIME INCOMING SURFACE MAIL PARCELS MORE THAN DOUBLED FROM A MEAN OF 25,000 TO 51,000 ITEMS IN DECEMBER, WHILE OUTGOING MAIL PARCELS AMOUNTED TO 245,000 IN OCTOBER LAST YEAR — TWICE THE AVERAGE MONTHLY FIGURE.

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## PRIVATE SCHOOLS FILL VITAL GAP IN EDUCATION SYSTEM

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PRIVATE SCHOOLS PROVIDE ABOUT 50 PER CENT OF SECONDARY PLACES IN HONG KONG, THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, MR. KENNETH TOPLEY, SAID THIS AFTERNOON.

SPEAKING AT THE PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY OF NEW METHOD COLLEGE, MR. TOPLEY SAID: +IF PRIVATE SCHOOLS ARE A LUXURY IN OTHER COUNTRIES, THEY FILL A VITAL GAP IN THE SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNMENT-AIDED SCHOOLS IN HONG KONG.+

HE EXPRESSED HIS APPRECIATION FOR THE WORK DONE BY SCHOOLS SUCH AS NEW METHOD COLLEGE.

THE DIRECTOR SAID: +IT IS CLEAR THAT NEW METHOD COLLEGE HAS PLAYED, AND NO DOUBT, WILL CONTINUE TO PLAY, A VERY IMPORTANT PART IN EDUCATION IN HONG KONG. IT HAS CO-OPERATED TO THE FULL WITH THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT IN ITS WORK, AND ITS EXPANSION RUNS PARALLEL TO THE EXPANSION OF EDUCATION IN HONG KONG IN RECENT YEARS, WHICH REFLECTS THE KEEN INTEREST MR. WILSON WANG TAKES IN THE EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF HONG KONG.

+I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO PAY TRIBUTE TO MR. WANG'S EFFORT AND TO CONGRATULATE HIM ON THE SUCCESS HIS SCHOOL HAS HAD IN ALL THESE YEARS.+

THE COLLEGE STARTED AS AN 11-ROOM SCHOOL HOUSED IN DOMESTIC PREMISES WITH AN ENROLMENT OF 358 IN 1951. AT PRESENT THERE ARE 48 CLASSES IN THE MATRICULATION SECTION, 227 CLASSES IN THE SECONDARY SECTION AND 73 IN THE PRIMARY AND KINDERGARTEN, HOUSED IN SEVERAL PROPERLY BUILT SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN BOTH HONG KONG AND KOWLOON.

+THE ENROLMENT TOO, I NOTICE, HAS INCREASED MORE THAN 40-FOLD SINCE THE SCHOOL'S MODEST START 23 YEARS AGO,+ MR. TOPLEY SAID.

ADDRESSING THE PUPILS, THE DIRECTOR SPOKE ABOUT THE NEED FOR "THINKING IN SCHOOL."

HE SAID: +AS PUPILS, YOU HAVE NO DOUBT BEEN TOLD BY YOUR TEACHERS TO THINK FOR YOURSELVES, BUT MOST PUPILS DO NOT QUITE GRASP WHAT THIS MEANS, OR HAVE NOT GIVEN ENOUGH THOUGHT TO WHAT IT CAN MEAN OR, IN A FEW CASES, ARE PERHAPS TOO LAZY TO THINK. WHY THINK, YOU MAY ASK, WHEN YOU CAN SO CONVENIENTLY LEARN THE FACTS YOU HAVE TO LEARN? THIS IS THE QUESTION I SHOULD LIKE TO DWELL ON TODAY.

+THE FUNCTION OF EDUCATION USED TO BE TO TRAIN THE YOUNG IN THE TRADITIONS AND CUSTOM OF SOCIETY. THIS WAS TRUE IN THE PAST WHEN THE AVERAGE MAN WAS EXPECTED TO CONFORM TO THE PATTERN OF A SOCIETY WHICH WAS MORE OR LESS STATIC.

/+BUT TODAY, .....

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+BUT TODAY, WHO WOULD DARE TO, AND WHO CAN POSSIBLY, PREDICT THE PATTERN OF SOCIAL LIFE IN HONG KONG OR ANYWHERE ELSE FOR THAT MATTER IN, SAY, ANOTHER 20 YEARS' TIME?

+IF YOU ARE UNCERTAIN OF THE SHAPE OF THE FUTURE YOU SHOULD REALIZE THAT EDUCATION IS AN ON-GOING PROCESS OF ADJUSTMENT AND THAT LEARNING SHOULD GO ON FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE.+

URGING STUDENTS TO DEVELOP THE HABIT OF THINKING FOR THEMSELVES, MR. TOPLEY TOLD THEM TO BE INTERESTED AND ALERT AT ALL TIMES AND KEEP THE NEED FOR CLEAR THINKING IN MIND.

SPEAKING TO THE TEACHERS, MR. TOPLEY REMINDED THEM THAT THEY PLAYED A VERY IMPORTANT PART IN THIS ROLE.

+OF COURSE YOU WILL FIND IT EASY TO TAKE A LESSON FROM A TEXTBOOK AND REQUIRE THE PUPILS TO MEMORIZE ALL THE FACTS, BUT THE RESULT OF THIS IS NO MORE THAN TO PRODUCE A PUPIL WHO HAS ONLY KNOWLEDGE OF THE PAST BUT IS UNABLE TO HANDLE PROBLEMS OF AN EVER-CHANGING SOCIETY LIKE THE ONE WE LIVE IN. TO TRAIN CHILDREN TO THINK IS MORE DIFFICULT AND TIME-CONSUMING THAN TO TEACH ACCORDING TO A STANDARD PATTERN.+

THE DIRECTOR POINTED OUT THAT TO DEVELOP A QUESTIONING AND DISCOVERING HABIT IN PUPILS, TEACHERS MUST BE CONFIDENT AND BE READY TO VENTURE ON THE ROAD OF EDUCATIONAL ENQUIRY EVEN AT THE RISK OF EXPOSING SOME LACK OF A READY ANSWER.

+YOU HAVE TO BE READY TO ACCEPT THE FACT THAT A TEACHER IS AS FALLIBLE AS ANY OTHER HUMAN BEING. FURTHERMORE YOU HAVE TO IMPRESS THIS UPON YOUR PUPILS. ABOVE ALL, WE MUST HAVE THINKING TEACHERS BEFORE WE CAN HAVE THINKING PUPILS.+

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LADY MACLEHOSE OPENS SPECIAL SCHOOL  
FOR SLOW LEARNING CHILDREN

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THE LIONS MORNINGHILL SCHOOL, A SPECIAL SCHOOL FOR SLOW LEARNING CHILDREN, WAS OPENED THIS MORNING BY LADY MACLEHOSE, PATRON OF THE HONG KONG ASSOCIATION FOR MENTALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS.

THE 10-CLASSROOM CO-EDUCATIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATES 200 PUPILS FROM SIX TO SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE.

AS IN ORDINARY SCHOOLS, THE SUBJECTS TAUGHT ARE CHINESE, MATHEMATICS, SOCIAL STUDIES, HOME ECONOMICS, ART AND CRAFT, MUSIC AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION. THE CURRICULUM ALSO INCLUDES TRAINING IN SELF-HELP AND PRACTICAL SKILLS.

THE TEACHERS ARE ALL QUALIFIED TEACHERS AND SIX OF THEM HAVE COMPLETED ADDITIONAL TRAINING AS TEACHERS OF SLOW LEARNING CHILDREN.

ADDRESSING THE GATHERING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY, THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, MR. KENNETH TOPLEY SAID: +THE AIM OF A MODERN SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMME IS TO DEVELOP EACH CHILD TO HIS FULL POTENTIAL AND TO BECOME SELF-SUPPORTING AND CONTRIBUTING MEMBERS OF SOCIETY.+

HE EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE HONG KONG ASSOCIATION FOR MENTALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS, ONE OF THE PIONEERS OF EDUCATION FOR SLOW LEARNING CHILDREN, WOULD BE WILLING TO SPONSOR MORE SCHOOLS FOR SLOW LEARNERS AS MORE OF THIS TYPE WERE NEEDED.

AT PRESENT THE ASSOCIATION OPERATES TWO SCHOOLS FOR THESE CHILDREN.

MORNINGHILL SCHOOL WAS STARTED IN 1964 BY A GROUP OF PARENTS AND IT CAME UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION IN 1965. IT BECAME A SUBSIDIZED SCHOOL IN 1968 AND IN OCTOBER OF THE SAME YEAR WAS RENAMED LIONS MORNINGHILL SCHOOL TO COMMEMORATE A DONATION OF \$200,000 FROM THE LIONS CLUB TOWARDS THE COST OF A NEW SCHOOL BUILDING.

MR. TOPLEY GAVE THE ASSOCIATION AN ASSURANCE OF SUPPORT FROM THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AND WISHED IT EVERY SUCCESS BOTH NOW AND IN ITS FUTURE DEVELOPMENT.

THE DIRECTOR SAID THE PAST 20 YEARS HAD WITNESSED GREAT CHANGES IN COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO THE MENTALLY HANDICAPPED.

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+IN THE PAST IT WAS THOUGHT THAT THE MAJORITY OF THE HANDICAPPED WERE UNABLE TO LOOK AFTER THEMSELVES AND HAD TO BE LOOKED AFTER BY OTHERS FOR MOST OF THEIR LIVES. TODAY, THE ATTITUDE IS DIFFERENT. WE NOW KNOW THAT THE VAST MAJORITY OF HANDICAPPED PEOPLE CAN BE TAUGHT TO BE SELF-SUPPORTING AND TO BE CONTRIBUTORS TO SOCIETY RATHER THAN A BURDEN UPON IT.

+TODAY THE EMPHASIS IS ON TEACHING AND TRAINING FOR THE HANDICAPPED AND NO LONGER ON CUSTODIAL CARE. WE REGARD THE MENTALLY HANDICAPPED CHILD AS A DEVELOPING PERSON WHO CAN LEARN AND DEVELOP EVEN THOUGH HE WILL LEARN MORE SLOWLY THAN OTHERS. WE ARE MORE CONCERNED WITH HIS CAPABILITY THAN HIS DISABILITY, WITH THE WAY IN WHICH HE IS LIKE OTHER CHILDREN THAN THE WAY IN WHICH HE DIFFERS.+

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LADY MACLEHOSE TO VISIT WAH FU ESTATE  
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NOTE TO EDITORS:

LADY MACLEHOSE WILL TOUR WAH FU ESTATE IN ABERDEEN ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON ACCOMPANIED BY THE SECRETARY FOR HOUSING, MR. IAN LIGHTBODY.

SHE WILL START HER TOUR BY OFFICIATING AT THE OPENING OF THE NEWLY FORMED WAH FU RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION PREMISES ON THE GROUND FLOOR OF WAH CHING HOUSE.

LATER LADY MACLEHOSE WILL DROP IN AT THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS ASSOCIATION CHILDREN'S CENTRE AND STROLL THROUGH THE ESTATE'S TOWN CENTRE AND MARKET. SHE WILL ALSO VISIT A FAMILY IN WAH KWONG HOUSE.

REPRESENTATIVES OF NEWS MEDIA ARE WELCOME TO COVER THE VISIT. LADY MACLEHOSE WILL ARRIVE AT WAH CHING HOUSE AT ABOUT 3 P.M.

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WATER SITUATION REPORT

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THE TOTAL WATER STORAGE IN ALL RESERVOIRS AS AT 9 AM TODAY (MONDAY) STOOD AT 54,477 MILLION GALLONS, REPRESENTING 80.9 PER CENT OF THE FULL CAPACITY OF 67,300 MILLION GALLONS. AT THIS TIME LAST YEAR THERE WERE 58,553 MILLION GALLONS IN STORE.

THIS MORNING'S STORAGE AT PLOVER COVE WAS 38,730 MILLION GALLONS, COMPARED WITH 45,653 MILLION GALLONS ON THE SAME DAY LAST YEAR. PLOVER COVE'S PRESENT STORAGE REPRESENTS 76.7 PER CENT OF ITS FULL CAPACITY OF 50,500 MILLION GALLONS.

TRACES OF RAINFALL WAS RECORDED AT THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS ENDING AT 9 AM TODAY. TOTAL RAINFALL RECORDED SO FAR THIS YEAR IS 2,112.3 MM (83.16 IN).

THE MEAN AVERAGE RAINFALL SINCE JANUARY 1 STANDS AT 2,125 MM (83.66 IN), REPRESENTING A SHORTFALL OF 0.6 PER CENT.

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TRAVEL FIGURES UP SLIGHTLY

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A TOTAL OF 8,167,398 TRAVELLERS ENTERED OR LEFT HONG KONG IN THE FIRST TEN MONTHS OF THIS YEAR, ACCORDING TO FIGURES RELEASED TODAY BY THE IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT.

THIS WAS AN INCREASE OF ONLY 1.52 PER CENT OVER THE SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR WHEN THE NUMBER WAS 8,045,052.

THE FIGURES INCLUDE TRAVELLERS BY AIR, LAND AND SEA BUT EXCLUDE TRANSIENTS AND PERSONS REFUSED PERMISSION TO LAND.

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CONSUMER ADVISORY SERVICE

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THE FOLLOWING PRICES WERE REALISED TODAY (MONDAY) AT SALE UNDER THE RICE CONTROL SCHEME AND AT THE VEGETABLE MARKETING ORGANISATION WHOLESALE MARKET AND THE FISH MARKETING ORGANISATION WHOLESALE MARKET AT CHEUNG SHA WAN, KOWLOON:

SUPPLIES AND WHOLESALE PRICES OF RICE

<u>GRADE OF RICE</u>	<u>AVAILABILITY OF SUPPLY</u>	<u>WHOLESALE PRICE (\$/CATTY)</u>
<u>CHINA RICE</u>		
SEE MEW	GOOD	1.94
S.C. JIEN	GOOD	1.78
PO NGAI	GOOD	--
CHU CHO	GOOD	--
<u>THAI RICE</u>		
100% WHOLE	GOOD	1.77
10-15% BROKENS	GOOD	1.68
A1 SUPER EXTRA	GOOD	1.66
A1 SUPER	GOOD	1.39
WHOLE GLUTINOUS	GOOD	1.72
<u>U.S. RICE</u>	GOOD	1.91
<u>AUSTRALIAN RICE</u>	GOOD	1.88
<u>PAKISTAN RICE</u>	GOOD	--
<u>TAIWAN RICE</u>	GOOD	--

SUPPLIES AND WHOLESALE PRICES OF SWINE

(ALL SOURCES)

AVAILABILITY OF SUPPLY	-	GOOD
WHOLESALE PRICES OF PORK (\$/PICUL-LIVE WEIGHT)	-	340 (AVERAGE)

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SUPPLIES AND WHOLESALE PRICES OF MARINE FISH

(FMO CHEUNG SHA WAN WHOLESALE FISH MARKET)

SPECIES	AVAILABILITY OF SUPPLY	WHOLESALE PRICE (\$/CATTY)		
		HIGH	LOW	MODE
GOLDEN THREAD	NORMAL	5.50	1.60	3.50
BIG-EYES	NORMAL	3.50	1.60	2.10
SQUID	NORMAL	6.20	2.60	4.50
HAIR-TAILS	LIMITED	2.80	0.50	1.60
LIZARD FISHES	GOOD	3.80	1.20	2.20
CROAKERS	NORMAL	2.40	1.00	1.70
CONGER-PIKE-EELS	LIMITED	3.50	2.10	3.00
MELON COAT	GOOD	2.60	1.40	2.00
BREAMS	LIMITED	5.70	1.10	4.00
YELLOW BELLY	LIMITED	1.50	1.00	1.20
MACKERELS	LIMITED	5.80	2.50	5.00
RED GOAT FISH	SCARCE	1.70	1.80	1.10
FORK-TAIL	---	NO SALE		
HORSE-HEAD	SCARCE	5.80	2.50	4.80
MELON SEED	LIMITED	3.00	1.40	2.00
POMFRETS	LIMITED	13.00	3.50	7.50
GARROUPAS	LIMITED	8.50	7.00	7.80
YELLOW CROAKER	GOOD	6.00	2.00	5.00

SUPPLIES AND WHOLESALE PRICES OF LOCALLY PRODUCED VEGETABLES

(V.M.O. CHEUNG SHA WAN WHOLESALE VEGETABLE MARKET)

TYPE OF VEGETABLE	AVAILABILITY OF SUPPLY	WHOLESALE PRICE (\$/CATTY)		
		HIGH	LOW	MODE
FLOWERING CABBAGE	SCARCE	3.50	1.40	3.00
WHITE CABBAGE	LIMITED	2.40	0.80	1.40
CHINESE LETTUCE	SCARCE	2.40	1.00	1.80
WATER SPINACH	SCARCE	1.00	0.30	0.70
CHINESE KALE	SCARCE	3.40	1.20	2.60
STRING BEANS	SCARCE	2.40	1.50	2.00
SPRING ONION	LIMITED	1.60	0.40	1.00
SPINACH	SCARCE	4.00	1.50	3.00
WATER CRESS	LIMITED	3.60	2.00	3.00
LEAF MUSTARD CABBAGE	SCARCE	2.20	0.80	1.50
CHINESE SPINACH	---	---	---	---
TOMATO	SCARCE	4.00	2.00	3.20

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