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GOVERNOR TO GO ON LEAVE
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THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE, WILL LEAVE FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM ON THE EVENING OF WEDNESDAY (JULY 5) FOR SIX WEEKS' VACATION.

DURING HIS HOLIDAY, SIR MURRAY WILL TAKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO HOLD HIS USUAL ROUND OF CONSULTATIONS AND MEETINGS WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE CONCERNED WITH HONG KONG AFFAIRS IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

THE GOVERNOR HAS DECIDED TO ADVANCE HIS ANNUAL VACATION THIS YEAR SO THAT ON HIS RETURN FROM LEAVE, HE WILL HAVE AN UNINTERRUPTED YEAR BEFORE THE COMPLETION OF HIS TENURE OF OFFICE IN AUGUST 1979.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

THE GOVERNOR WILL LEAVE BY BA 020 AT 8 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 5.

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SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR YOUTHS IN SHAM SHUI PO
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AN INTER-GROUP GAMES RALLY WILL BE HELD AT MAPLE STREET FOOTBALL PITCH TOMORROW (SUNDAY) TO MARK THE START OF THE SHAM SHUI PO YOUTH CENTRE'S SUMMER PROGRAMME.

AN EXHIBITION SHOWING VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE CENTRE'S YOUTH ACTIVITIES WILL ALSO BE STAGED FROM 10 A.M. TO 5 P.M. TOMORROW.

THERE WILL ALSO BE A VARIETY SHOW COMPRISING FOLK DANCE, LION DANCE, JUDO AND FOLK SONGS IN THE AFTERNOON.

ADMISSION IS FREE AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SHAM SHUI PO YOUTH CENTRE SAID TODAY: +THE AIM OF OUR CENTRE IS TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR RESIDENTS OF THE DISTRICT TO DEVELOP THEIR INDEPENDENCE, CONFIDENCE, SKILLS AND LEADERSHIP WHILE PARTICIPATING IN VARIOUS ACTIVITIES.

THE SHAM SHUI PO YOUTH CENTRE IS ORGANISING A VARIETY OF SUMMER PROGRAMMES FOR YOUTHS IN THE DISTRICT IN JULY AND AUGUST.

THE PROGRAMMES WILL INCLUDE VARIOUS TRAINING COURSES, COMMUNITY STUDY, LAUNCH PICNICS, CAMPING, AND SALE OF USED BOOKS.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO COVER THE GAMES RALLY AT MAPLE STREET FOOTBALL PITCH TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT 10 A.M.

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QUEENSWAY FLYOVER TO OPEN TO TRAFFIC ON MONDAY

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THE QUEENSWAY FLYOVER WILL BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC FROM 3 P.M. ON MONDAY (JULY 3).

WITH THE OPENING OF THE FLYOVER, NEW TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS AT THE JUNCTION OF GARDEN ROAD AND QUEENSWAY WILL BE IMPLEMENTED FROM SAME TIME ON MONDAY.

TRAFFIC DESCENDING FROM GARDEN ROAD TOWARDS QUEENSWAY AND COTTON TREE DRIVE WILL USE THE FLYOVER AND THE GROUND LEVEL RIGHT TURN FROM GARDEN ROAD TO QUEENSWAY WILL BE BANNED.

HOWEVER, TRAFFIC DESCENDING FROM GARDEN ROAD TOWARDS QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL AND DES VOEUX ROAD CENTRAL WILL NOT BE AFFECTED.

AT THE SAME TIME, VEHICLES GOING FROM DES VOEUX ROAD CENTRAL EASTWARDS ALONG QUEENSWAY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO TURN LEFT ONTO COTTON TREE DRIVE AND DRIVERS SHOULD USE CHATER ROAD AND MURRAY ROAD INSTEAD.

IN ADDITION, TRAFFIC ON MURRAY ROAD PROCEEDING TO COTTON TREE DRIVE OR THE MURRAY ROAD MULTI-STOREY CAR PARK WILL USE THE NEW SLIP ROAD TO THE NORTH OF THE FLYOVER.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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SPECIAL ARTICLE ON TRANSPORT IN MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS

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THE APRIL 1978 ISSUE OF THE HONG KONG MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS NOW ON SALE CONTAINS A SPECIAL REVIEW ARTICLE ON THE TRANSPORT CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATION.

ENTITLED '+TRANSPORT CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATION+', THE ARTICLE IS ONE IN A SERIES OF REVIEW ARTICLES ON SPECIAL TOPICS OF PUBLIC INTEREST PUBLISHED QUARTERLY BY THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

THE ARTICLE DESCRIBES THE TRANSPORT CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATION BASED ON THE FINDINGS OF THE 1976 BY-CENSUS.

IT COVERS TOPICS ON CAR AVAILABILITY AND ITS EFFECT ON TRIP MAKING, AND CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOURNEYS TO WORK AND TO SCHOOL.

COMPARATIVE FIGURES FROM THE 1971 CENSUS AND INTERNATIONAL FIGURES ARE PROVIDED WHEREVER POSSIBLE.

THE APRIL 1978 ISSUE OF THE MONTHLY DIGEST IS OBTAINABLE AT \$6 PER COPY AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE, GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING, CONNAUGHT PLACE.

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SECOND MOBILE POST OFFICE
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THE POST OFFICE ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE SECOND MOBILE POST OFFICE WILL BE RE-INTRODUCED ON MONDAY (JULY 3) TO SERVE CERTAIN COMMUNITIES IN THE SAI KUNG PENINSULA AND ALONG TAI PO ROAD INCLUDING THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY AT SHA TIN.

THE MOBILE POST OFFICE NO. 2 WILL OPERATE FROM MONDAY TO FRIDAY AND VISIT THE FOLLOWING PLACES AT THE TIMES STATED:-

	<u>CALLING POINT</u>	<u>ARRIVAL TIME</u>	<u>DEPARTURE TIME</u>
<u>MON., WED. AND FRI.</u>	CALDECOTT ROAD	8.50 A.M.	9.20 A.M.
	TAI WAI	9.35 A.M.	10.05 A.M.
	YUE KOK	10.40 A.M.	11.10 A.M.
	LAM TSUEN	12.30 P.M.	1 P.M.
	WO HOP SHEK	1.10 P.M.	1.40 P.M.
	KWUN TEI	1.50 P.M.	2.20 P.M.
	CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG	2.55 P.M.	3.25 P.M.
<u>TUE. AND THU.</u>	7 MILES CLEARWA- -TER BAY ROAD	9 A.M.	9.30 A.M.
	TAIPO TSAI	9.40 A.M.	10.10 A.M.
	10-1/2 MILES CLEARWATER BAY ROAD	10.25 A.M.	10.55 A.M.
	SHEUNG YEUNG	11.05 A.M.	11.35 A.M.
	HANG HAU	11.45 A.M.	12.30 P.M.
	HO CHUNG	1.45 P.M.	2.30 P.M.
	PAK SHA WAN	2.35 P.M.	3.05 P.M.

THE TYPES OF BUSINESS TO BE CONDUCTED AT THE MOBILE POST OFFICE INCLUDE THE SALE OF POSTAGE STAMPS, POSTAL STATIONARY, THE SALE AND ENCASHMENT OF BRITISH POSTAL ORDERS, THE ACCEPTANCE AND PAYMENT OF MONEY ORDERS AND THE ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED ARTICLES AND PARCELS. A POSTING BOX IS ALSO PROVIDED FOR ORDINARY POSTAL ITEMS.

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AS A RESULT OF THE RE-INTRODUCTION OF THE SECOND MOBILE POST OFFICE, THE CALLING SCHEDULE OF THE EXISTING MOBILE POST OFFICE NO. 1 HAS BEEN AFFECTED AND WILL BE RE-ARRANGED AS FOLLOWS:-

<u>STOPS</u>	<u>MON., WED. AND FRI.</u>	<u>TUE. AND THU.</u>
PING SHAN	8.35 A.M. - 9 A.M.	-----
HA TSUEN	-----	8.35 A.M. - 9 A.M.
HUNG SHUI KIU	9.05 A.M. - 9.55 A.M.	9.05 A.M. - 9.55 A.M.
LAM TEI	10 A.M. - 10.30 A.M.	10 A.M. - 10.30 A.M.
CASTLE PEAK HOSPITAL	10.35 A.M. - 11.05 A.M.	10.35 A.M. - 11.05 A.M.
CASTLE PEAK BAY	11.10 A.M. - 11.35 A.M.	-----
SHAM TSENG	11.50 A.M. - 12.20 P.M.	-----
LAU FAU SHAN	-----	11.25 A.M. - 11.55 A.M.
NGAU TAM MEI	-----	1.35 P.M. - 2.05 P.M.
SHEUNG TSUEN	1.50 P.M. - 2.15 P.M.	-----
TSUI KENG	2.25 P.M. - 2.55 P.M.	2.25 P.M. - 2.55 P.M.
KWU TUNG	3 P.M. - 3.30 P.M.	3 P.M. - 3.30 P.M.
SAN WAI	3.45 P.M. - 4.15 P.M.	3.45 P.M. - 4.15 P.M.

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SEMINAR ON NEW CHINESE LITERATURE SYLLABUS

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TEACHERS OF CHINESE LITERATURE WILL BE INTRODUCED TO A NEW SYLLABUS FOR SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL FORMS AT A SPECIAL SEMINAR TO BE HELD AT THE GRANTHAM COLLEGE OF EDUCATION IN GASCOIGNE ROAD, KOWLOON, FROM 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M. ON JULY 24.

THE NEW SYLLABUS HAS BEEN PREPARED BY THE CHINESE LITERATURE SUBJECT COMMITTEE OF THE CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, A NON-STATUTORY BODY OF EXPERTS THAT ADVISES THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION ON ALL ASPECTS OF SCHOOL CURRICULA.

APPLICATION FORMS FOR THE SEMINAR ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE SENIOR INSPECTOR OF THE CHINESE LANGUAGE TEACHING CENTRE, SECOND FLOOR, MA TAU KOK ROAD GOVERNMENT OFFICES, 1 MA TAU KOK ROAD, KOWLOON. COMPLETED FORMS MUST BE RETURNED BY JULY 7.

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WATER CUT
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THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN KENNEDY TOWN WILL BE TURNED OFF FOR SEVEN HOURS FROM 11 P.M. NEXT MONDAY (JULY 3) TO FACILITATE A LEAKAGE TEST.

THE AREA TO BE AFFECTED IS BOUNDED BY POKFULAM ROAD FROM ELLIOT SERVICE RESERVOIR TO POKFIELD ROAD INCLUDING VIOLET TERRACE, TAI PAK TERRACE, CHING LIN TERRACE, HEE WONG TERRACE, HOK SZE TERRACE, LI PO LUNG PATH, LI PO LUNG TERRACE AND 16-34 SMITHFIELD ROAD.

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FIRING PRACTICE
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FIRING PRACTICE WILL TAKE PLACE AT CASTLE PEAK RANGE ON THREE DAYS NEXT WEEK.

THE PUBLIC ARE REMINDED THAT IT IS DANGEROUS TO ENTER THE AREA WHEN THE RED FLAGS ARE FLYING DURING THE TIME OF FIRING PRACTICE.

THE PRACTICE TIMES ARE:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
JULY 5 (WEDNESDAY)	8.30 A.M. - 5 P.M.
JULY 6 (THURSDAY)	8.30 A.M. - 5 P.M.
JULY 7 (FRIDAY)	8.30 A.M. - 5 P.M.

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