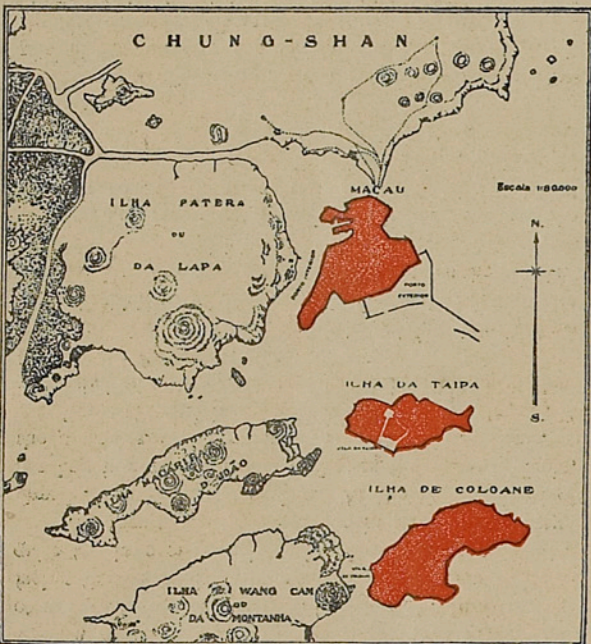


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In the Post Office, Revenue Office, and other government departments only Macau bank-notes are accepted, but Hongkong notes circulate freely at fluctuating market rates.

Daily Steamers run to Hongkong. Sailing times and other information are obtainable at Hotels and Information offices. Motor cars and Taxis may be hired and there are bus services.

Some Hotels cater solely for Chinese, and there are some that offer good accommodation suitable for foreigners. Portuguese foods and wines are obtainable at several restaurants, and should not be missed.

A regular service of motor launches is maintained between Macau and the islands of Taipa and Coloane, charging a nominal passenger-fare. Cargo can also be transported in the same vessels.

Passports.—Foreigners visiting Macau must produce a "VISA" by a Portuguese Consul, and must present themselves for registration at the Passport Office within 48 hours of their arrival.

The Post Office Building houses the Postal Services, Savings Bank, Telephone Exchange, and Radio Station with service for telegrams to all places within wireless communication from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m., and from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 3 p. m. to 7 p. m. on Sundays and holidays. Radio telecom services to Hongkong are maintained.

Climate. During the hot season Macau, being open to the South-West Monsoon, is most agreeable and salubrious, as the following data, the mean of observations during the period 1930-1947.

The average temperature from July to September is 82° F., and from December to February the average is 61° F. The greatest humidity (85%) occurs from April to June, and the least (68%) from October to January when the sky is generally clear. Fog is very rare except from February to April. The months of greatest rainfall are from May to July with an average of 12.0 in. per month; the minimum 1.2 in. monthly from November to January. Occasionally there are heavy rains accompanying typhoons during July, August, and September.

The N. E. monsoon continues from October to March and the S. W. from April to September. Southeasterly winds are frequent and provide the colony with pleasant breezes even on the warmest days.

The Public Health Services of the Colony are very efficiently maintained and it is long since any disease attained epidemic proportions.

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