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1) Govr Grigg 899 ----- 4th October 1926.

Customs Management Ordce: No 25 of 1926

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This Ordinance is the fruit of the recommendations of the Customs Conference which met at Dar-es-Salaam in March 1925 (Report on O.A.G.18953/25 E.Africa) in accordance with which the Tanganyika Customs Ordinance, 1922, subject to certain specified amendments, must be used as the basis of a uniform Customs Ordinance in the three territories.

I annex a rote as to the differences between the new Ordinance and the Tangenyika model. The differences are not such as need be gone into closely here with the exception of Sections 252(d) and 263 of the Kenya Ordinance.

- (1) Section 252(d) adds to the Covernor's power to make regulations so as to cover regulations governing the conditions under which goods can be moved into or from Henya under any agreement with any other territory. (See para. 8(b)(1) of the Conference Report).
- (2) Section 262 empowers the Governor to enter into such an agreement, and is also in accordance with the recommendations of the Conference (para.8 (b)(2)-of the Report).

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duty in Kenya on goods which have already paid duty in Kenya on goods which have already paid duty on entry into T.T., and in para.8(a) of the Conference Report it was contemplated that this would be done by amending the Customs Tariff Ordinance.1923. It appears, however, from para.20 of the letter of 31st August from the Chief Secretary, Tanganyika, to the Colonial Secretary, Kenya, Gov.X.7159) that the Tanganyika Covernment considers the whole matter through the Customs Tariff Ordinance.

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?'Acknowledge, and note that Clause 263 of the Ordinance, which appears to follow the recommendation of the Dar-es-Salaam Conference in para. 8(8(5)) of its Report, is accepted by Kenya and Uganda as a suitable instrument for the institution of free trade with neighbouring it is breasured that territories, and say that/steps are also being taken to amend the Customs Tariff Ordinance this approction to para.8(a) of the Report; and say that the S. of S. has received a copy of the letter from the Chief Secretary, Tanganyika, dated 31st August and also of the draft Tanganyika Ordinance enclosed therewith, and that it appears from para.20 of the letter that the Governments concerned have agreed that some further amendment of the Customs Tariff Ordinance is necessary that that contemplated by the Conference; and also that the Taggaryika Covernment considered that the whole of the necessary legislation to give effect to the scheme proposed by the Conference for the treatment of re-exports, should be enacted by an amendment of the Customs Tariff Ordinance and not of the Customs Tanagement Ordinance. Note from the Attorney-General's report that final agreement with Tanganyika on this matter has not yet been reached, and say that in the circumstances before tendering any advice

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The following are the principal Sections in which the Kenya Customs Tariff Ordinance 1926 differs from the Tanganyika Customs Ordinance, 1922:(In addition to the differences noted below, the amendments recommended by the Dares-Salaam Conference see 0.A.G.18953/25-in para.9 of its Report have, in the main, been adopted, except that the change from "shipowner" to "wharf owner" noted under (e) of that paragraph does not appear to have been made).

29. This Section has been expanded in accordance with para.9(a) of the Report of the Customs Conference.

49. The list of prohibited imports is larger than that of the Tanganyika Ordinance.

60. This Section is comparatively new.

70. The provision that the Commissioner may revoke licences when and as he shall think fit is new; compare 66 of Tanganyika Ordinance.

73. This Section differs in form from Section 69 of the Tanganyika Ordinance.

76. This Section is not in the Tanganyika Ordinance, but is apparently taken from the Customs Acts of this country.

96. This Section is not in the Tanganyika Ordinance, but was in the former Kenya Ordinance.

97. This Section is not in the Tanganyika Ordinance, but was in the former Kenya Ordinance.

108. This appears to be taken from the South African Acts.

114. This Section is not in the Tanganyika
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and also forms part of the Customs law of this country

123. This Section is new.

131. This Section is not in the Tanganyika Ordinance, but part of the former Kenya Ordinance.

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217(r). This is not in the Tanganyika Ordinance.

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252(d). See para.b(i) on page 4 of the Customs Conference Report.

260. This appears to be a new Section altogether.

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263. See para.b(ii) on page 4 of the Customs Conference Report.

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KENYA

October, 1926.

X.F. 7631

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated copies of the Customs Management Ordinance, 1926, (No. XXV of 1926), together with a copy of the Legal Report by the Attorney General.

- 2. This Ordinance passed its third reading in the Legislative Council on 13th August and I assented to it in His Majesty's name on September 28th, 1926.
- Ten printed copies of the Ordinance will 3. be sent in due course.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

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GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LIEUTENANT COLONEL L.C.M.S. AMERY, P.C., SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

LEGAL REPORT

THE CUSTOMS MANAGEMENT BILL. 1926.

This will is the outcome of pretracted negotiations with the Governments of Uganda, Tanganyika Territory and Zansibar and has as its main object the co-ordination of Customs procedure in all British Dependencies in Asstern Africa. Agreement on all main principles has been reached and Ordinances differing only in detail are being emacted in the four territories consermed. By this means Customs procedure over a wide area can be standardised and formalities simplified, the way being paved at the same time for the institution of a system of free trade or Customs Union between any or all the territories named.

Advantage of the opportunity thus afforded has been taken to consolidate all laws relating to Customs Management including the main ordinance of 1910, the provisions of which are no longer sufficiently comprehensive or exact to furnish adequate powers of control over the external trade of the Colony which has increased greatly in complexity during recent years.

The provisions of the Bill follow closely similar legislation in other countries, the main framework being the Tanganyika Territory Customs ordinance of 1922. Suitable amendments to meet existing local conditions have been made after investigations and reference to the laws governing Customs Management in all parts of the British Ampire. To

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clause for which a precedent does not exist has been inserted and all the wain provisions of the legislation hitherto in force in this Colony have been included.

Clause 263 of the Bill has been accepted by the Governments of Kenya and Uganda as a suitable instrument for the institution of a system of free trade with meighbouring territories, but final agreement with Tanganyika Territory on this matter has not yet been reached. This clause empowers the voverner in Council to enter into an agreement of this nature with adjacent British territories and has been adopted from a similar emactamnt in the Union of wouth Africa where a system of free trade between that country and Northern and couthern and couthern and desire has seen in operation for a number of yours.

A Comparative Table is attached.

In my opinion his -xcellency the Governor may properly assent to this hill in the name and on behalf of his Majesty.

Mairobi, Znd september, 1926. (Sal) W. C. HUC ATTO HI M = G IN HAL.

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An Ordinance to Consolidate and Amend the Law Relating to Customs.

28TH SEPTEMBER, 1926. Date of Assent

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of Kenya, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows

PART I -FRELIMINARY.

 The Ordinance may be cited as "the Customs Short title Management Ordinance, 1926."

This Ordinance shall come into operation on a date Commencement to be fixed by notice by the Governor in the Gazette

3. In this Ordinance and in all Customs Ordinances the Interpretation following words and expressions shall have the meaning hereby assigned to them unless there is something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction:—

"By authority" means by the authority of the Commissioner of Customs or any officer of Customs doing duty in the matter in relation to which the expression is used:

- "Carriage" includes vehicles and conveyances of all kinds;
- "Collector" includes the Commissioner and any collector of Customs and any principal officer of Customs doing duty at the time and place and any officer doing duty in the matter in relation to which the expression is used.
- " Commissioner " means the Commissioner of Customs or any officer for the time being lawfully acting in that capacity
- " Court" means any duly constituted court having jurisdiction other than a native court;
- "Customs Ordinances" includes this Ordinance and all * Taws and regulations relating to Customs in force within the Territory;
 - " Pays" does not include Sundays or public holidays is
 - "Documents" includes books:
- Drawback means a repayment of the duty noder the provisions of the Customs Ordinances upon science expertation. The term drawback mediades bountly or allowance.
- "Dutiable goods "includes all goods in respect of which any duty of Customs is payable;
- "Explosives" means nitro-glycerine, dynamic guncotton, blasting-powder, fulminate of mercury or other metal-, and every other explosive substance being any compound of, or having any ingredients in common with, any of the above, and not being gunpowder, percussion caps, rockets, or fuses, but including fireworks;
- "Exportation" or "exporting" means the conveyance of goods across the frontier to a foreign port or from a port in the Territory to a foreign port;
- " Foreign port" means any place beyond the limits of the Territory or of the Uganda Protectorate;
- "Gazette" means the Official Gazette of the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya.
- "Goods" includes all kinds of movable or personal property including animals;
- $^{\prime\prime}$ Goods under drawback $^{\prime\prime}$ includes all goods m respect of which any claim for drawback has been made;
- "Government warehouse" means any place provided by the Government and approved by the Commissioner for the storing of goods entered to be warehoused;

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- "Importation" or "importing" means the bringing of goods into or within the Territory by sea, air or land from a foreign port;
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 - " Licensed " means licensed by the Commissioner:
- " Master" means the person in charge or command of any ship except a pilot;
- "Officer" includes all persons employed in the service of the Customs other than labourers, and also includes any Government officer for the time being performing duties in relation to the Customs.
- Owner in respect of a ship includes every person acting as agent for the owner-or who receives freight or other charges payable in respect of the ship;
- 'Owner' in respect of goods includes any person (other -than an officer of Customs acting in his official capacity) being or holding bimself out to be the owner, importer, exporter, consignee, agent, or person in possession of, or beneficially interested in, or having any control of, or power of disposition over the goods:
- " Parts beyond the seas" means any country or place outside the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya and the Uganda Protectorate:
- " Package" includes every means by which goods for carriage may be cased, covered, enclosed, contained or packed;
 - " Port " means any established port :
 - " Prescribed " means by Regulations;
- "Sea" includes any lake, part of which is outside the limits of the Territory;
- "Ship" includes every description of yessel used in navigation not propelled by cars only;

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"Smuggling" means any importation, exportation, or carriage coastwise, or attempted importation, exportation, or carriage coastwise, of goods with intent to defraud the revenue or to evade any prohibition of, restriction on, or regulation as to the importation, exportation or carriage coastwise of any goods; and "smuggle" and "smuggled goods" have corresponding meanings;

"Territory" means the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya and the territorial waters thereof:

"The Customs" means the Department of Customs:

"This Ordinance" includes all regulations made thereunder:

"Transit warehouse" means any warehouse appointed by the Commissioner for the landing and assortment of goods (subject to the control of the Customs) for delivery to the consignee or for shipment;

"Wharf" means a place for the landing or shipment of goods appointed for the purposes of this Ordinance:

"Wharf-owner" includes any owner or any occupier of any wharf.

Obligation to answer questions.

4. Whenever by this Ordinance any person is required to answer any question, such person shall, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, truly answer any such question that may be asked.

Obligation to produce documents.

5. Whenever by this Ordinance any person is required to produce documents, such person shall, to the best of his power, produce to the collector all documents relating to the subject-matter mentioned.

PART II.-ADMINISTRATION.

Commissioner.

6. There shall be a Commissioner who shall be the permanent head of the Customs and shall, under the Governor, have the chief control of the Customs throughout the Territory.

Powers of Commissioner.

7. The Commissioner shall have the control and management of the collection of duties and of matters incidental thereto and of the officers and persons employed in the Customs Department, subject to any law governing public service in the Territory or any regulation in force under such law.

8. In relation to any particular matters or class of matters Delegation by or to any particular province or district, the Commissioner may, with the consent of the Governor, by writing under his hand, delegate any of his powers under any Customs Ordinance (except this power of delegation) so that the delegated powers may be exercised by the delegate with respect to the matters or class of matters specified or the province or district defined in the instrument of delegation.

9. A delegation shall be revocable in writing at will, Revocation of and no delegation shall prevent the exercise of any power by the Commissioner.

10. All persons acting in the service of the Customs at Continuance the commencement of this Ordinance shall be deemed to have been duly appointed.

11. The seal of the Customs shall be the seal in use at Customs seal the commencement of this Ordinance, until a further or other seal be prescribed. Such seal shall be judicially noticed.

12. The vessels and boats employed in the service of the Customs flag Customs shall be distinguished from other vessels and boats by such fiag as shall be prescribed.

13. The Governor may, by notice in the Gazette-

Appointment o boarding stations, etc.

(a) appoint boarding stations for the boarding of ships by

officers;

(b) establish ports and fix their limits;

(c) appoint wharves within ports and fix their limits. 14. Ports and wharves may be established or appointed Appointment of

for specified limited purpases or without any such limitation. wharves.

15. The Commissioner may, by notice in the Gazette-

Appointment of sufferance wharves, etc.

(a) appoint sufferance wharves in any port;

(b) appoint places for the examination of goods.

16. All boarding stations, ports, wharves, and examina- Continuance of tion places in actual use by authority at the commencement stations, etc. of this Ordinance shall continue as if established or appointed under this Ordinance.

Accommodation on wharves.

17. Every wharf-owner shall provide to the satisfaction of the collector suitable office accommodation on his wharf for the exclusive use of the officer employed at the wharf, also such shed accommodation for the protection of goods as the Commissioner may in writing declare to be requisite.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

Refore whom declarations may be made.

18. Declarations under this Ordinance may be made before the person presiding over any court or before any notary public, commissioner for oaths, or collector, and also before any officer authorised in that behalf by the Commissioner.

Declaration by

19. No person shall knowingly receive a declaration made under this Ordinance by any person under the age of eighteen years.

Working days and hours

20. The working days and hours of the Customs shall be as prescribed, and except when working evertime is permitted by the collector, cargo shall only be received loaded or worked on, or discharged from any ship on working days and during working hours.

Penalty: Fifty pounds.

Overtime charges.

21. When working overtime is permitted overtime at prescribed rates shall be charged for the services of the officers. and when the attendance of officers at unappointed places is permitted attendance fees at prescribed rates shall be charged

PART III.-CUSTOMS CONTROL. EXAMINATION ENTRIES, AND SECURITIES GENERALLY

('ustoms control of good

- 22. Goods shall be subject to the control of the Customs as follows :-
 - (a) As to all goods imported, from the time of importation until delivery for home consumption or until exportation whichever shall first happen.
 - (b) As to all goods under drawback, from the time of the claim for drawback until exportation.
 - (c) As to all goods subject to any export duty, from the time when the same are brought to any port or place for exportation until the payment of the duty.

(d) As to all goods for export, the exportation of which is subject to compliance with any condition or restriction under any Ordinance, from the time the goods are made or prepared in, or are brought into, any prescribed place for export, until their exportation.

23. All goods on board any ship or boat from parts Goods on ships beyond the seas shall also be subject to the control of the Contons Customs whilst the ship or boat is within the limits of any control. port in the Territory.

24. The control of the Customs especially includes the Right of right of the Customs to examine all goods subject to such examination control.

All the expenses of any examination of goods shall Cost of be borne by the owner.

26. No goods subject to the control of the Customs shall Customs control be moved, altered, or interfered with except by authority and in accordance with this Ordinance.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

27. Neither the Customs nor the Government shall be No claim for liable for any loss or damage occasioned to any goods subject for loss. to the control of the Customs except by the wilful act of some officer.

28. Goods imported through the Post Office shall be Goods imported subject to the control of the Customs equally with goods otherwise imported.

29. When goods are imported into the Territory through Procedure the Post Office the declaration form or label affixed to the postal packets package under the Postal Regulations may, at the Commissioner's discretion, be accepted in lieu of the entry required under the provisions of this Ordinance, and the account of the contents, value and other particulars entered on such declaration form or label and signed by the sender may, subject to Customs verification, be accepted for the purpose of assessing the duty payable. All goods contained in any packets imported by post and found not to agree with the particulars entered on the declaration form or label shall be liable to forfeiture.

Accommodation on wharves. -

17. Every wharf-owner shall provide to the satisfaction of the collector suitable office accommodation on his wharf for the exclusive use of the officer employed at the wharf, also such shed accommodation for the protection of goods as the Commissioner may in writing declare to be requisite.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

Before whom declarations may be made.

18. Declarations under this Ordinance may be made before the person presiding over any court or before any notary public, commissioner for oaths, or collector, and also before any officer authorised in that behalf by the Commissioner.

Declaration by youths.

19. No person shall knowingly receive a declaration made under this Ordinance by any person under the age of eighteen years.

Working days and hours

20. The working days and hours of the Customs shall be as prescribed, and except when working overtime is permitted by the collector, cargo shall only be received, loaded, or worked on, or discharged from any ship on working days and during working hours.

Penalty: Fifty pounds.

Overtime charges.

21. When working overtime is permitted overtime at prescribed rates shall be charged for the services of the officers, and when the attendance of officers at unappointed places is permitted attendance fees at prescribed rates shall be charged.

PART III.—CUSTOMS CONTROL, EXAMINATION ENTRIES, AND SECURITIES GENERALLY

Customs control of good i

- 22. Goods shall be subject to the control of the Customs as follows :-
 - (a) As to all goods imported, from the time of importation until delivery for home consumption or until exportation whichever shall first happen.
 - (b) As to all goods under drawback, from the time of the claim for drawback until exportation.
 - (c) As to all goods subject to any export duty, from the time when the same are brought to any port or place for exportation until the payment of the duty.

(d) As to all goods for export, the exportation of which is subject to compliance with any condition or restriction under any Ordinance, from the time the goods are made or prepared in, or are brought into, any prescribed place for export, until their exportation.

23. All goods on board any ship or boat from parts Goods on ships beyond the seas shall also be subject to the control of the Customs Customs whilst the ship or boat is within the limits of any control port in the Territory

24. The control of the Customs especially includes the Right of right of the Customs to examine all goods subject to such control.

25. All the expenses of any examination of goods shall examination be borne by the owner.

26. No goods subject to the control of the Customs shall Customs control be moved, altered, or interfered with except by authority and in accordance with this Ordinance.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

27. Neither the Customs nor the Government shall be No claim for liable for any loss or damage occasioned to any goods subject for loss to the control of the Customs except by the wilful act of some officer. .

28. Goods imported through the Post Office shall be Goods imported subject to the control of the Customs equally with goods otherwise imported.

29. When goods are imported into the Territory through Procedure the Post Office the declaration form or label affixed to the postal packets package under the Postal Regulations may, at the Commissioner's discretion, be accepted in lieu of the entry required under the provisions of this Ordinance, and the account of the contents, value and other particulars entered on such declaration form or label and signed by the sender may, subject to Customs verification, be accepted for the purpose of assessing the duty payable. All goods contained in any packets imported by post and found not to agree with the particulars entered on the declaration form or label shall be liable to forfeiture.

No. XXV Entries

30. Entries may be made and passed for all goods subject to the control of the Customs.

Owner to make entry.

31. Entries shall be made by the delivery of the entry with the prescribed number of duplicates thereof by the owner to the collector.

Power to allow special entries.

32. The Commissioner may permit the entry of any goods in such form and manner and on such conditions as he may direct, to meet the exigencies of any case to which the provisions of any laws relating to the Customs are not strictly applicable.

Person making entries to answer questions.

33. Any person making any entry shall, if required by the collector, answer questions relating to the goods referred to in the entry.

Collector to pass entry.

34. Entries shall be passed by the collector signing the entry, and on passing of the entry the goods shall be deemed to be entered, and any entry so passed shall be warrant for dealing with the goods in accordance with the entry

Goods to be dealt with according to entry

35. All goods in respect of which any entry has been made and passed shall forthwith be dealt with its accordance with the entry.

Penalty : Fifty pounds.

Passengers baggage.

36. Goods being the personal baggage of passengers in any ship may, subject to any prescribed conditions, be imported or exported without entry.

Inland carriage and navigation.

37. Goods may be imported or exported by inland carriage or navigation or by air subject to the prescribed regulations.

Penalty: One hundred pounds

Right to require security.

38. The Commissioner shall have the right to require and take securities for compliance with this Ordinance and generally for the protection of the revenue of the Customs, and pending the giving of the required security in relation to any goods subject to the control of the Customs may refuse to deliver the goods or to pass any entry relating thereto.

Nature of security.

39. Where any security is required to be given, such security may be by bond or guarantee or cash deposit or all or any of such methods so that in each case the security shall be approved by the collector.

40. When security is required for any particular purpose, General bonds security may by the authority of the Commissioner be accepted to cover all transactions for such time and for such amount as the Commissioner may approve.

41. All Customs securities may, after the expiration of Cancellation of three years from the date thereof or from the time specified for the performance of the conditions thereof, be cancelled by the Commissioner.

- 42. If the collector shall not at any time be satisfied New securities. with the sufficiency of any security the collector may require a fresh security and a fresh security shall be given accordingly.
- 43. The form of Customs security in the Schedule Form of to this Ordinance shall suffice for all the purposes of a bond or security. guarantee under this Ordinance, and, unless otherwise provided therein, shall bind its subscribers jointly and severally for the full amount.

44. Whenever any such Customs security is put in suit Effect of by the Commissioner, the production thereof without further security. proof shall entitle the Commissioner to judgment for their stated liability against the persons appearing to have executed the same, unless the defendants shall prove compliance with the condition or that the security was not executed by them or shall prove release or satisfaction.

45. All permits shall be issued subject to such conditions Issue of as may be prescribed, and may be revoked, altered, or suspended by the collector.

PART IV -THE IMPORTATION OF GOODS.

- 48. For the purposes of securing the importation of Importation. goods-
 - (1) the ship may be boarded;
 - (2) the cargo shall be reported;
 - (3) the goods shall be entered, unshipped, and may be examined.

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DIVISION I .- PROHIBITED AND RESTRICTED IMPORTS.

Power to prohibit imports.

- 47. (1) The Governor may if he thinks fit, from time to time, by order published in the Gazette, prohibit, restrict, or regulate the importation, whether by land, air or sea, into the Territory or any area or place therein of any goods or class of goods.
- (2) An order under this section may specify any goods or class of goods, either generally or in any particular manner, whether with reference to the country of origin or the route of importation or otherwise.

Prohibited imports.

48. No prohibited imports shall be imported.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

The following are prohibited imports :--

- (a) Goods the importation of which is prohibited by or under the authority of this Ordinance or any law for the time being in force in the Territory
- (b) False money and counterfeit sterling, coin of the realm, and any money purporting to be such, not being of the established standard in weight or fineness.
- (1) Indecent or obscene prints, paintings, books, cards, lithographic or other engravings or any other indecent or obscene articles
- (d) Manufactured articles bearing the name, address or trade mark of any manufacturer or dealer, or the name of any place in the United Kingdom or any British possession, calculated to impart to them a special character of British manufacture, and not of such manufacture
- (e) Matches in the manufacture of which white phosphorus has been employed.
- (f) Any, article marked without the authority of His Majesty with the Royal Arms or monogram, or arms or monogram so closely resembling the same as to be calculated to deceive.

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49. Goods of which the importation is for the time being Restricted restricted or regulated by or under the authority of this Ordinance or any law for the time being in force in the Territory (in this Ordinance referred to as restricted or regulated imports) shall not be imported except in accordance with the restrictions or regulations applicable.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

50. If an offence against section 48 or section 49 is Increase'of committed while a state of war exists in which His Majesty penalties in war time. is engaged, the penalty shall extend to five hundred pounds or imprisonment of either description for two years.

51. Merchandise on board a ship calling at any port in Prohibited the Territory, but intended for and consigned to some port or consigned to place outside the Territory, shall not be deemed to be unlaw- places outside fully imported into the Territory if the goods are specified on the ship's manifest and are not transhipped or landed in the Territory or are transhipped or landed by authority.

DIVISION II .- THE BOARDING OF SHIPS.

52. The master of a ship shall not suffer his ship to Ships to enter enter any place other than a port unless from stress or weather or other reasonable cause.

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53. The master of every ship within three nautical miles Ship to bring to of the coast shall bring his ship to for boarding on being signalled. approached by or hailed or signalled from any vessel in the service of the Customs having hoisted the Customs flag, or from any vessel in the service of His Majesty or of the Government of the Territory having hoisted the proper ensign and pennant.

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Ship to come quickly to place of unloading.

56. The master of every ship after his ship has been brought to at the boarding station and boarded by the officer. shall come up to the proper place of mooring or unlading as quickly as practicable without touching at any other place.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

Ship not to be moved without authority

57. No ship after arrival at the proper place of mooring or unlading shall, except by authority or by direction of the harbour authority, be removed therefrom before the discharge of the cargo intended to be discharged at the port shall have been completed.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

Restriction on officer

58. No person except the port pilot and the health officer before customs or person duly authorised by him, shall board any ship before the proper officer of Customs.

Penalty : Ten pounds.

DIVISION III.-THE REPORT OF THE CARGO. ..

Report of cargo

- 59. The master or a responsible officer of the ship delegated by the master or the owner of every ship arriving from parts beyond the seas shall-
 - (a) within twenty-four hours after arrival at any port make report of the ship and her cargo by delivering to the collector an inward manifest of goods on board:
 - (b) answer questions relating to the ship and her cargo, crew, passengers, stores and voyage;
 - (c) produce documents relating to the ship and her carge.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Amendment of inward report.

60. The Commissioner shall permit the master or owner of any ship to amend any obvious errors in the manifest or to supply any omission which in the opinion of the Commissioner results from accident or inadvertence by furnishing an amended or supplementary manifest, and the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, levy thereon such fee as may be prescribed. Except as herein provided no import manifest shall be amended.

61. When any ship is lost or wrecked upon the coast, Master of the master or owner shall, without any unnecessary delay, wrecked to report. make report of the ship and cargo by delivering to the collector a manifest, so far as it may be possible for him to do so, at the Customs House nearest to the place where the ship was lost or wrecked, or at the Chief Customs Office of the Territory.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

Division IV .- THE ENTRY, UNSHIPMENT, LANDING AND EXAMINATION OF GOODS.

63. All imported goods shall be entered in the prescrit ed Kinds of form either-

- (a) for home consumption;
- (b) for warehousing:
- (c) for transhipment; or
- (d) for transit.

68. If the owner cannot immediately supply the full Provisional particulars for making an entry and shall make a declaration to that effect before the collector, he may make a provisional entry and deposit a sum sufficient to cover the duty involved.

64. A provisional entry on being passed by the collector Passing of shall be warrant for the landing and examination of the goods: Provided that delivery of the goods may be made as prescribed.

85. (1) The owner of goods included in a provisional Perfect entry entry shall, within three months after the passing of the entry months. or within such further time, if any, as the collector may see fit to allow, make complete entry thereof.

- (2) A complete entry of the goods included in a provisional entry shall be made in such a manner as if the provisional entry had not been made.
- 66. Entries shall be made of the whole of any cargo Passing of unshipped or to be unshipped within such time after the report of the ship as may be prescribed, or within such further time, if any, as the collector may see fit to allow.

(a) If default shall be made in the entry of any goods pursuant to this section, the collector may cause the goods to be removed to a warehouse; and if the goods are not claimed and entries passed therefor within three months after such removal, the goods may be sold by the collector.

(b) If the goods are of a perishable nature they may be sold at any time the collector thinks fit either before or after warehousing.

Breaking bulk.

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67. The bulk cargo of a ship arriving within three nautical miles of the coast shall not be broken, except with the permission of the collector, or as regards goods for which entry has been passed.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Authority for unshipment.

68. Except as prescribed, goods may be unshipped only pursuant to-

(1) a collector's permit, general or special; or

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Licences for boats and lighters.

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Revocation of licences.

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Use of unlicensed boats or lighters.

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Cancellation of licence by Commissioner

- 80. The Commissioner may by notice in the Gazette cancel the licence-
 - (a) in default of payment of any part of the licence fee; or
 - (b) where the owner or keeper of the warehouse has been convicted of a breach of any Customs Ordinance or revenue law or has become a bankrupt.

Cancelling by Covernor

81. The Governor may at any time, for good cause, cancel a licence

Effect of cancellation of

- 82. Whenever a licence is cancelled-
- (a) the duties on the warehoused goods shall be paid, or the goods shall be exported or removed to another approved warehouse within such time as the collector shall direct. Goods not so cleared or removed shall be taken by the collector to the King's warehouse at the owner's expense and sold
- (b) the warehouse shall cease to be a licensed warehouse unless relicensed under this Ordinance.

Continuation of existing licences

83. All warehouses licensed at the commencement of this Ordinance shall be deemed to be similarly licensed under this Ordinance, but unless actually licensed under this Ordinance such warehouses shall cease to be licensed on the expiration of the period for which the last payment of licence fee was made prior to the commencement of this Ordinance.

Officer to take be warehoused.

84. Upon the landing of any goods to be warehoused, goods landed to or so soon as practicable thereafter, the officer shall take a particular account of the goods and shall enter such account in a book.

> Unless where otherwise provided, such account shall be that upon which the duties shall be ascertained and paid.

Completion of warehousing.

85. When any goods entered for warehousing have been duly deposited in the warehouse, the officer shall certify that the warehousing is complete by signing a receipt for the goods. No. XXV.

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86. If any goods entered to be warehoused are not Removal warehoused accordingly by the owner, the collector may of goods to warehouse. remove them to the warehouse.

The licensee of the warehouse shall pay all charges for the removal of goods removed by the collector and shall have a lien on the goods for such charges.

87. Goods entered for warehousing shall be deposited in Packages in the warehouse in the packages in which they were imported, which goods to be deposited except goods repacked or skipped on the wharf which shall be deposited in the packages in which they were when the account was taken.

88. The licensee of every warehouse shall-

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- (1) stack and arrange the goods in the warehouse so that reasonable access to and examination of every package may be had at all times;
- (2) provide sufficient lights and just scales and weights for the use of the officer;
- (3) find all labour and materials requisite for the storing. examining, packing, marking, coopering, weighing, and taking stock of the warehoused goods whenever the collector may desire;
- (4) pay the duty on all warehoused goods removed from his warehouse except by authority and on all warehoused goods not produced to the officer on demand unless such goods are accounted for to the satisfaction of the collector.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

89. No person shall, except by authority, open any Opening warehouse or gain access to the goods therein.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

90. The collector may require the owner of any goods Collector may in any private warehouse, within a time to be specified by him, order removal of goods from to remove them to some general warehouse or to pay the duty private to thereon, and if the order is not complied with the goods may general warehouse. be sold by the collector.

91. Goods warehoused in any warehouse for two years Period of shall, if not removed therefrom or re-warehoused, be sold by warehousing the collector.

No. XXV. Re-warehousing.

- 92. Re-warehousing shall be effected as follows:-
- (a) An application for re-warehousing shall be made by the owner to the collector.
- (b) The goods shall be examined by the officer at the expense of the owner.
- (c) Duty shall be paid on any disallowed deficiency.
- (d) A re-warehousing entry shall be made by the owner for the goods, according to the result of the examina-
- (e) On the passing of the entry a fresh account shall be substituted for the last account, and this shall complete the re-warehousing.

Goods for exhibition

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93. Warehoused goods may be permitted to be taken out of the warehouse without payment of duty for the purpose of public exhibition or any similar purpose for such convenient time and in such suitable quantities as may be prescribed by the Commissioner subject to security for the return of the goods or for payment of the duty.

Collector to have access to warehouse.

94. The collector at all hours of the day or night shall have access to any part of any warehouse and power to examine the goods therein and for that purpose to break open the warehouse or any premises necessary to be passed through to secure access.

Regauging or reweighing of goods.

95. Warehoused goods may be regauged, remeasured, reweighed, or examined by the officer, either by direction of the collector or at the request and expense of the owner, and duty shall be payable according to the result, unless the collector is of opinion that any loss shown is excessive, in which case the duty shall be paid on the original entry with any reduction which the collector may see fit to allow:

Provided that no allowance shall be made for any deficiency on wines or spirits in bottles.

Sampling of warehoused goods.

96. The collector may permit moderate samples to be taken by the importer of any warehoused goods without entry and, save in so far as duty may eventually become payable as on the deficiency on the original quantity, without payment of duty.

97. The collector may allow the owner or other person having control of warehoused goods to sort, separate, pack and repack such goods and to make such lawful alterations therein or arrangements and assortments thereof as may be necessary for the preservation of such goods or in preparation for the sale, shipment or legal disposal of the same and also to permit any part of such goods so separated and not worth the duty thereon to be destroyed without payment of duty on the portion so destroyed.

98. Warehoused goods subject to an ad valorem duty Revaluation. which have deteriorated in quality may be revalued on the application of the owner, and duty shall be paid according to the result if the collector is satisfied that the deterioration has been accidentally caused.

99. The Commissioner may cause any warehoused goods Goods not which in the opinion of the collector are not worth the duty be destroyed. payable thereon to be destroyed and may remit the duty.

The owner of any goods destroyed shall pay to the licensee of the warehouse, or to the collector in case the goods were in a King's warehouse or Government warehouse, the charges payable in respect of the destroyed goods.

100. No goods of a readily combustible or inflammable Combustible nature shall be warehoused except by permission of the goods. collector, and if any such goods shall be landed the same may be deposited in any safe available place that the collector shall approve, and whilst so deposited the same shall be deemed to be in a King's warehouse and be liable to be sold by the collector in the same manner as goods of a perishable nature deposited in a King's warehouse unless duly cleared or wareboused in some warehouse with the approval of the collector, and such goods shall be charged with the expenses for removing, securing, watching, and guarding the same until sold.

Penalty : One hundred pounds.

101. Warehoused goods may be entered-

- (a) for home consumption;
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Entry of warehoused goods.

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102. If after goods have been entered for warehousing either on importation or removal and before they have been actually warehoused, they shall be entered for home consumption, exportation or removal, the goods so entered shall be considered as constructively warehoused and may be delivered for home consumption, exportation or removal as if actually warehoused.

DIVISION II .- KING'S WAREHOUSES AND GOVERNMENT WAREHOUSES

King's warehouses

103. King's warehouses and Government warehouses, may be appointed by the Commissioner by notice in the Gazette.

Fees for goods deposited

104. Fees shall be paid in respect of any goods ware housed or deposited in any King's warehouse or Government warehouse according to such scale as may be prescribed.

Fees to be paid before removal of goods

105. All fees shall be paid before the removal of the goods.

Power to sell

106. If any goods deposited in a King's warehouse shall not be lawfully removed within three months after deposit. the goods may be sold by the collector. Perishable goods may be sold at any time the collector may think fit.

Purposes of King's warehouses

107. King's warehouses and Government warehouses shall be wholly under the control of the Customs. King's warehouses shall be specially available for the examination of goods and the storage of seized and unclaimed goods, but otherwise all the provisions of this Ordinance relating to warehouses shall so far as practicable apply to King's warehouses and Government warehouses.

Payment of charges.

108. The Commissioner may refuse to allow delivery of any goods deposited in a King's warehouse or Government warehouse until he has been furnished with satisfactory proof that the freight, removal charges and rent due in respect of the goods have been paid.

DIVISION III .- TRANSIT WAREHOUSES.

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(2) An order under this section may specify any goods or class of goods, either generally or in any particular manner, and may prohibit, restrict, or regulate the exportation either to all places or to any particular country or place, and may require any goods to be consigned to a person authorised by the order to receive the goods, and may require the production within a named time of evidence to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of the due delivery of the goods to such consignee.

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Tonnage of export ship.

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Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Conditions for export

115. Before any goods are taken on board à ship for export, the goods shall be entered for export in the prescribed manner.

Goods to be shipped at wharf.

116. Goods subject to the control of the Customs for exportation or removal coastwise shall be shipped either directly at a wharf or after conveyance to the snip in a licensed boat or lighter direct from a wharf.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Short-shipped

- 117. If any goods entered for export are not shipped according to the entry--
 - (1) the owner shall immediately report the fact to the officer and amend his entry for the goods;
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Penalty: Twenty pounds.

Documents and security

118. The collector may require the owner to produce documents for any goods entered for export, and in the case of goods subject to the control of the Customs to give security that the same will be landed at the place for which they are entered or otherwise accounted for to the satisfaction of the collector.

Certificate of clearance.

119. The master of any ship shall not depart with his ship from any port without receiving from the collector a certificate of clearance.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

120. Before any certificate of clearance shall be granted, Requisites for the master or owner of the ship shall make due report outwards clearance. as prescribed, and-

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125. The master of every ship departing from any port Ship to bring to shall bring his ship to, if required, at the boarding station at proper appointed for the port and by all reasonable means facilitate boarding by the officer, and shall not depart with his ship from any port with any officer on board such ship in the discharge of his duty without the consent of such officer.

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Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Master to account for

missing goods.

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126. The master of every ship after clearance shall-(a) on demand by an officer produce the certificate of clearance:

(b) account to the satisfaction of the collector for any goods specified or referred to in the outward manifest and not on board his ship.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Goods exported to be landed at proper destination

127. No goods shipped for export shall be unshipped or landed without the permission of the collector except in parts beyond the seas.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Certificate of landing.

128. If required by the Commissioner a certificate from the Chief Customs Officer at the past of destination shall be produced by the exporter in proof of the due landing according to the export entry of any goods subject to the control of the Customs, and the collector may refuse to allow any other goods subject to the control of the Customs to be exported by any person who fails within a reasonable time to produce such certificate of the landing of any such goods previously exported by him or to account for such goods to the satisfaction of the collector.

PART VII.—SHIPS STORES.

Use of ships' stores.

129. Ships' stores, whether shipped in parts beyond the seas or in the Territory, unless entered for home consumption, or except as prescribed, shall only be used by the passengers and crew and for the service of the ship.

Relanding ships' stores.

130. No ships' stores shall be used contrary to the last preceding section or shall be unshipped except by permission of the collector.

Penalty: Fifty pounds.

Ships' stores under seal.

131. Ships' stores shipped from warehouse without payment of duty, or shipped on drawback, must remain under Customs seal whilst the vessel is in any port or place in the Territory or on her passage from one such port or place to another before her final departure on a foreign voyage.

Penalty: Fifty pounds.

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132. Surplus ships' stores may on the permit of and at Surplus stores he discretion of the collector be entered in like manner as on permit. perchandise or warehoused for future use as ships' stores.

PART VIII .- THE DUTIES.

DIVISION I .- THE PAYMENT AND COMPUTATION OF DUTIES GENERALLY.

133. Goods imported and intended for transmission to Goods for the ne Uganda Protectorate shall be deemed to be goods imported Protectorate. or consumption within the Territory and shall be liable to the ke duties, restrictions and conditions as provided by this or ny other law relating to Customs.

134. Customs import duties shall not be levied on the Goods not liable to import duty. ollowing goods :-

(a) Goods originating in the Uganda Protectorate.

(b) Goods imported into the Territory from the Uganda Protectorate on which duty has been paid on importation into the Uganda Protectorate.

(c) Goods which are proved to have been produced or manufactured within the Territory.

(d) Goods re-imported into the Territory on which no drawback has been allowed on exportation :

Provided that in cases where goods are re-imported after alteration, renovation or repair, duty shall be chargeable on the cost of such alteration, renovation or repair effected in parts beyond the seas.

135. (1) All goods which have been imported free of duty Sale of Crown, on the ground that they are the property of the Crown, or of an officer of the Government, or of any company, firm or individual privileged by contract or otherwise to import such goods free of duty shall, in case of the sale thereof, be liable to and be charged with the same duties as may be payable on the importation of similar goods not being the property of the Crown or of such officer, company, firm or individual.

(2) The officer of a public department in whose charge such goods may be sold or whoever shall cause such goods to be sold shall furnish the Commissioner with particulars of the sale thereof and out of the proceeds of the sale pay to the Commissioner the duties which may be due thereon.

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Time for 136. All import duties shall be paid at the rate in force ascertaining when the goods are entered for home consumption. rate of import

duties. Export duties.

137. All export duties shall be paid at the rate in force when the goods are entered for export.

Weights and measures.

138. Where duties are imposed according to weight or measure, the weight or measurement of the goods shall be ascertained according to the standard weights and measures by law established

Allowance for tare and draft

139. Allowances for tare and draft shall be made as prescribed.

Proportion

140. Where duties are imposed according to a specified quantity, weight, size or value, the duties shall apply in proportion to any greater or lesser quantity, weight size or value

Duty, how fixed

141. Whenever goods are sold or prepared for sale as or are reputed to be of a size or quantity greater than their setuple size or quantity, duties shall be charged according to such first-mentioned size or quantity.

Duties, where payable.

142. Duties shall be paid or secured in the manner and at the port or place prescribed, unless the Commissioner otherwise allows.

Highest duties to be charged.

143. If any goods are or can be classed under two or more names, headings, or descriptions, with a resulting difference as to duty, duty shall be charged when it is a difference between liability to or freedom from duty, and the higher or highest of the duties applicable shall be charged when it is a difference as to two or more duties.

When goods composed of two or more materials.

144. Goods composed of any article liable to duty as a part or ingredient thereof and not chemically forming another distinct substance shall, at the discretion of the Commissioner. be chargeable with the full duty payable on that article, and as if such article formed the whole composition; if composed of more than one article liable to duty then with the full duty payable on the article charged with the highest rate of duty and as if such article formed the whole composition.

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145. Goods charged with duty by measurement shall at Measurement the expense of the owner be heaped, piled, sorted, framed, or otherwise placed in such manner as the collector may require to enable the measurement and account thereof to be taken; and in all cases where the same are measured in bulk the measurement shall be taken to the full extent of the heap or pile.

148. When the duty on any goods sold at any collector's Value of sale shall be ad valorem, the value of such goods shall, if approved by the collector, be taken to be the value as shown by the sale.

147. All goods derelict, flotsam, jetsam, or lagan, or Derelict goods handed, saved, or coming ashore from any wreck, or sold as droits of Admiralty, shall be charged with duty and shall be subject to the same conditions as if imported in the ordinary course.

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149. Small samples of the bulk of any goods subject to Samples. the control of the Customs may, subject to the prescribed conditions, be delivered free of duty.

150. If after any agreement is made for the sale or Alteration of delivery of goods duty paid any alteration takes place in the where duty duty collected affecting such goods before they are entered for altered home consumption, then, in the absence of express written provision to the contrary, the agreement shall be altered as follows :--

- (a) In the event of the alteration being a new or increased duty, the seller after payment of the new or increased duty may add the difference caused by the alteration to the agreed price.
- (b) In the event of the alteration being the abolition or reduction of duty, the purchaser may deduct the difference caused by the alteration from the agreed price.

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. (c) Any payment of increased duty or refund resulting from the alteration not being finally adopted shall be allowed between the parties as the case may require.

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Recovery of duties.

151. All duties shall constitute Crown debts charged upon the goods in respect of which same are payable and be payable by the owner of the goods and recoverable at any time in any court of competent jurisdiction by proceedings in the name of the collector.

DIVISION II.-INVOICES.

Delivery of invoice with entry.

152. With the entry of any goods there shall be delivered to the collector the original invoices, bills of lading, bills of parcels or other such documents showing the value of the articles at the place at which they were purchased together with the freight, insurance and other charges on the same.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Invoices.

153. Invoices required under the last precading section shall, at the discretion of the Commissioner, be submitted in duplicate, one copy of which shall be retained and filed as the Commissioner may direct.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Particulars on invoices.

154. All invoices and certificates thereto relating to goods imported into the Territory shall contain such particulars as may be prescribed by Regulations, and the Commissioner may refuse to accept any invoice or certificate in respect of which the Regulations are not complied with.

Conversion of cost not expressed in sterling.

155. Where the invoice cost is not expressed in sterling the Commissioner shall fix the rate at which the invoice cost shall be converted for the purposes of the Customs Ordinances.

Commissioner may require special information

156. The Commissioner at his discretion may require the owner to state the place and date of purchase, and the name and style of the firm from whom the goods are purchased, or any other information he may deem necessary for the purpose of ascertaining the accuracy of the value for duty as shown in any invoice.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

157. Whenever the collector has a doubt as to the Value may be accuracy of the declared value of the dutiable goods, he may detain such goods and assess the value thereof.

Should the owner object to the value so assessed he may request that the value may be ascertained by experts in the manner prescribed.

Should the owner refuse to pay the duty as assessed by the collector or ascertained by the experts, the collector may sell the goods.

The provisions of this section shall not apply in cases where the Commissioner is of opinion that any evasion of this Ordinance has been committed or attempted.

DIVISION III.-DEPOSITS, ABATEMENTS, REMISSIONS AND REFUNDS OF DUTIES.

158. In prescribed cases the duty payable on any goods Retention of may be retained by the Customs on deposit for a period not exceeding six months, and the deposit may be returned to the owns: if the goods are exported within the prescribed time.

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(a) goods have received damage or have been pillaged during the voyage;

- (b) goods have whilst under Customs control been damaged or destroyed; or
- (c) duty has been paid through manifest error of fact or patent misconception of the law-

a refund, rebate, or remission of duty, as the case may require, may be made in the manner prescribed.

160. When any duty has been short levied or erroneously Short paid refunded, the person who should have paid the amount short recovered. levied or to whom the refund has erroneously been made shall pay the amount short levied or repay the amount erroneously refunded on demand being made by the collector.

161. If any practice of the Customs relating to classifying No refund-if or enumerating any article for duty shall be altered, so that less duty is charged upon such article, no person shall thereby become entitled to any refund on account of any duty paid before such alteration took effect.

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DIVISION IV -DISPUTE AS TO DUTY

Payment of duty under protest.

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- . 162. (1) If any dispute arises as to the amount or rate of duty payable in respect of any goods, or as to the liability of any goods to duty, under the Customs Ordinances, the owner of the goods may pay under protest the sum demanded by the collector as the duty payable in respect of the goods, and thereupon the sum so paid shall, as against the owner of the goods, be deemed to be the proper duty payable in respect of the goods, unless the contrary is determined in a suit brought in pursuance of this section.
- (2) The owner may, within the time limited in this section, bring an action against the collector, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for the recovery of the whole or any part of the sum so paid.
- (3) A protest in pursuance of this section shall be made by writing on the entry of the goods the words " Paid under Protest," and adding the signature of the owner of the goods or his agent.
- (4) No suit shall lie for the recovery of any sum paid to the Customs as the duty payable in respect of any goods, unless the payment is made under protest in pursuance of this section and the suit is commenced within six months after the date of payment.
- (5) Nothing in this section shall affect the terms and provisions of section 159

PART IX.—DRAWBACKS

Drawbacks allowed

163. Drawbacks of import duty may be allowed on exportation in respect of such goods to such amount and in such manner as may be prescribed.

Limit of value

164. No drawback shall be allowed on any goods of a less value for home consumption than the amount of the drawback or on which the import duty paid did not amount to two pounds.

Examination of goods under drawback

165. All goods in respect of which any claim for drawback shall be made shall before exportation be produced for examination by the Customs and shall be examined accordingly.

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- 166. For the purpose of claiming drawback a drawback Drawback claim shall be presented to the collector in the prescribed form.
- 167. The person claiming drawback on any goods shall Declaration make a declaration upon the claim that the goods have been exported and have not been relanded and are not intended to be relanded, and that such person at the time of shipping was entitled to the drawback, and the name of such person shall be stated in the claim, and the receipt of such person on the claim countersigned by the holder of such claim if the same shall have been transferred in the meantime, shall be a sufficient discharge for such drawback.

168. (1) No drawback claim shall be paid except with Restrictions of the consent of the Commissioner unless presented for payment payment of drawback within six months from the date of the shipment of the goods claim.

(2) The Commissioner may prohibit the payment in whole or in part of any drawback but so as not to deprive the person entitled thereto of any remedy he may have for such drawback.

PART X .- THE COASTING TRADE.

189 Coasting trade " means all trade by sea from any What is place within the limits of the Territory direct to any other place within the said limits, and all vessels when engaged in coasting trade shall be deemed to be coasting vessels to the extent of that frade only.

170. The master of any coasting ship shall not suffer any. Coasters not to goods to be taken into or put out of his ship from or into any take in cargo a sea or deviate. other ship at sea except with the sanction of the collector. nor suffer his ship to deviate from her voyage unless forced to do so by unavoidable circumstances or under circumstances explained to the satisfaction of the collector at the first available. opportunity.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

171. The owner of any ship employed in the coasting Owner may trade may with the consent of the collector report such ship report ship. inwards or outwards in lieu of the master.

Every such owner so reporting shall be subject to the same provisions and liable to the same penalties under this Ordinance as the master of such ship.

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172. The master or owner of every coasting ship shall deliver to the collector particulars of all cargo on board the ship.

· Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Regulation of coasting trade

- 173. (1) The Governor may, if he thinks fit, from time to time, by order published in the Gazette prohibit, restrict, or regulate the carriage coastwise of any goods or class of goods, and, subject to the terms of any such order, references in this Ordinance to prohibited, restricted, or regulated imports or exports shall, when the context so admits, include goods of which the carriage coastwise is prohibited, restricted. or regulated.
- (2) The coasting trade generally as regards the Customs shall be regulated in manner prescribed and books shall be kept, documents produced, and entries made accordingly.

PART XI.—AGENTS

Authorised agents

174. Any owner of goods may comply with the provisions of this Ordinance by an agent lawfully authorised; such agent shall be either a person exclusively in the employment of the owner or shall be a Customs agent duly licensed in the manner prescribed.

Authority to be produced

175. Any officer-may require from any agent the production of his written authority from the principal for whom he claims to act, and in default of the production of such authority may refuse to recognise the agency.

Liability of agents.

176. Any person who acts as the agent of the owner of any goods for any of the purposes of the Customs Ordinances shall be deemed to be the owner of the goods, and shall accordingly be personally liable for payment of any Customs duties payable in respect of the goods, and shall be liable to perform all acts in respect to the goods which the owner is under the Customs Ordinances liable to perform. But nothing herein contained shall relieve the principal from any liability.

Liability of principals

177. Any person who authorises an agent to act for him in relation to any goods for any of the purposes of the Customs Ordinances shall be liable for the acts and declarations of his agent, and may accordingly be prosecuted for any offence committed by the agent with respect to any such goods in the

same manner as if he had himself committed the offence, but shall not be sentenced to imprisonment unless he actually consented to the commission of the offence. And nothing herein shall relieve the agent from liability to prosecution.

PART XII.-OFFICERS.

DIVISION I .- POWERS OF OFFICERS

178. The commander or officer in charge of any ship or Ships and boat in His Majesty's service or in the service of Customs, boats to such ship or boat having hoisted and carrying the proper ensign or pennant or Customs flag, may chase any ship which does not bring to when lawfully signalled or required to do so and may, after having fired a gun as a signal, fire at or into such ship to compel her to bring to.

179. Any officer may require the master of any ship Officers may hovering within three nautical miles of the coast to depart, hovering on and if such ship shall fail to depart accordingly within twelve coast. hours thereafter any officer may board and bring such ship into port and search her.

The collector may examine all persons on board of such ship and they shall each thereupon answer questions relating to the ship and her cargo, crew, passengers, stores, and voyage, and produce documents relating to the ship and her cargo.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

180. Any officer may at the risk of the owner open Power to packages and examine, weigh, mark and seal any goods subject examine all goods. to the centrol of the Customs, and the expenses of the examination including the cost of removal to the place of examination shall be borne by the owner.

181. Any officer may-

Power to board and search snips.

- (1) board any ship,; (2) search any ship;
- (3) secure any goods on any ship.

182. The power of an officer to board shall extend to Boarding. staying on board any ship, and the collector may station an officer on board any ship, and the master shall provide any suitable sleeping accommodation and suitable and sufficient food for such officer.

Penalty: Fifty pounds.

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Searching.

183. The power of an officer to search shall extend to every part of any ship, and shall authorise the opening of any package, locker, or place, and the examination of all

Securing goods.

184. The power of an officer to secure any goods shall extend to fastening down hatchways and other openings into the hold and locking up, sealing, marking, or otherwise securing any goods or the removal of any goods to a King's warehouse

Seals, etc., not to be broken. 1247

185. No fastening, lock, mark, or seal placed by an officer upon any goods or upon any door, hatchway, opening, or place upon any ship shall be opened, altered, broken; or erased, except by authority, whilst the goods upon which the fastening, lock, mark, or seak is placed or which are intended to be secured thereby shall remain subject to the control of the Customs.

Penalty: Fifty pounds.

Or on vessels in port bound to another port within Territory.

186. No fastening, lock, mark, or seal placed by an officer upon any goods or upon any door, hatchway, opening. or place for the purpose of securing any stores upon any ship which has arrived in any port from parts beyond the seas and which is bound to any other port within the Territory shall be opened, altered, broken, or erased except by authority; and if any ship enters any port with any such fastening, lock, mark, or seal opened, altered, broken, or erased contrary to this section, the master shall be guilty of an offence against this Ordinance.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Officers may patrol coasts. etc.

187. Any officer and any person acting in his aid when on duty may patrol upon and pass freely along and over any part of the coast or any railway or the shores, banks, or beaches of any port, bay, harbour, lake or river.

Boats on service may be moored in any place.

188. The officer in charge for the time being of any vessel or boat employed in the service of the Customs may haul any such vessel or boat upon any part of the coast or the shores, banks, or beaches of any port, bay, harbour, lake, or river, and may moor any such vessel or boat thereon and continue such vessel or boat so moored as aforesaid for such time as he shall deem necessary.

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189. Any person on board any ship or boat or who may Power to have landed from or got out of any ship or boat or in any question other manner have entered the Territory may be questioned by any officer as to whether he has any dutiable goods or any prohibited, restricted, or regulated imports or exports upon his person or in his possession or in his baggage.

190. If any officer of Customs or of police shall have Detention and reasonable cause to suspect that any person is unlawfully suspected carrying or has any goods subject to the control of the Customs persons. or any prohibited, restricted, or regulated imports or exports secreted about him the following consequences shall ensue:-

(1) The officer may detain and search the suspected

(2) Before the suspected person shall be searched he may require to be taken before the collector.

The collector may order the suspected person to be searched or may discharge him without search. But females shall only be searched by a female searcher appointed by the collector.

191. No officer shall without reasonable grounds cause Penalty for any person to be searched.

Penalty: Ten pounds.

192. Any officer of Customs or police upon reasonable Power to stop suspicion may stop and search any carriage for the purpose of ascertaining whether any dutiable goods or any prohibited, restricted, or regulated imports are unlawfully contained therein and the driver of any carriage shall stop and permit such search whenever required by any such officer.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

193. For the purposes of preventing or detecting any Collector may offence against the Customs Ordinances a collector may of Folice officer offence against the Customs to exercise all or any of the authorise any officer of Customs. powers of a police officer, either generally or with reference to any particular case or class of cases.

194. Any person lawfully making any seizure under any Power to call Customs Ordinance may, in the King's name, call upon any person present to assist him, and such assistance shall be rendered accordingly.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

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No. XXV. Power to seize goods.

195. Any officer of His Majesty's forces or any officer of Customs or police may seize any forfeited ship or goods upon land or water or any ship or goods which he has reasonable cause to believe are forfeited.

Seized goods to be secured

196. All seized goods shall be taken to the nearest King's warehouse or to such other place of security as the collector shall direct.

Notice of seizure to be given.

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197. When any ship, boat, or goods have been seized as forfeited, the seizing officer shall give notice in writing of such seizure and the cause thereof to the master or owner or agent of the ship, boat, or goods (unless such master or owner be present at the seizure in which case no notice shall be necessary) either by delivering such notice to him personally or by letter addressed to him and transmitted by post to or delivered at his last-known place of abode or business, and all ships, boats, or goods seized shall be deemed to be condemned and may be sold by the Commissioner unless the person from whom such ship, beat, or goods shall have been seized or the owner shall within one month from the date of seizure give notice in writing to the collector at the nearest port that he claims them; but if any goods so seized shall be of perishable nature or shall be live animals the same may forthwith be sold by the collector.

Seized goods may be eturned on security.

198. A collector may authorise any ship, boat, or goods seized to be delivered to the claimant on his giving security to pay their value in case of their condemnation.

Procedure after seizure of goods.

- 199. (1) Whenever any ship, boat, or goods have been seized by any officer and claim to such ship, hoat, or goods has been served on the collector by the owner of such ship, boat, or goods, the collector may retain possession of the ship, boat, or goods, and may either-
 - (a) without taking any proceedings for their condemnation, by notice under his hand require the claimant to institute a suit against him for the recovery of the ship, boat, or goods, in which case, if such claimant shall not within two months after the date of such notice enter such suit, the ship, boat, or goods shall be deemed to be condemned without any further proceedings; or

(b) may himself cause a suit to be instituted in any com-

- petent court for the forfeiture of the ship, boat, or goods.
- (2) If, within two months after receiving the claim, the collector has neither required the claimant to institute a suit as mentioned in (a) nor himself caused a suit to be instituted (as mentioned in (b), the ship, boat or goods shall be handed over to the claimant.
- 200. All forfeited ships, boats and goods shall be Disposal of forfeited ships disposed of or destroyed in such manner as the Commissioner and goods. may direct.

201. All goods seized by any person not being a Customs Delivery of officer shall forthwith Be conveyed to the nearest Custom House and there delivered to an officer.

202. Any officer of Customs or police may without Arrest of warrant arrest any person whom he has reasonable ground to anapsed of believe is guilty of committing, or attempting to commit, or amuggling, etc. being concerned in the commission of any of the following offences-

(a) smuggling; or

(b) unlawfully conveying or having in his possession any smuggled goods.

203. Any officer arresting any person shall as soon as Reasons for practicable after arrest give him a statement in writing of the reason for his arrest.

204. Every person arrested may be detained until such Arrested time as he can without undue delay be taken before a before magistrate.

205. Any magistrate before whom any person is brought Powers of magistrate. under this Ordinance may-

- (1) commit such person to gaol until he can be brought before a court of competent jurisdiction to be dealt with according to law; or
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No. XXV. Production of documents, etc., in cases of seizure

206. Whenever information in writing has been given on oath to the collector that goods have been smuggled, undervalued, unlawfully entered, or illegally dealt with, or that it is intended to smuggle, undervalue, unlawfully enter, or deal illegally with any goods, or whenever any goods have been seized or detained, the owner shall immediately upon being requested so to do by the collector produce and hand over to him all books and documents relating to any such goods or to any other goods imported or exported by him at any time within the period of five years immediately preceding such request, and shall also produce for the inspection of the collector and permit him or any officer authorised by him to make copies of or extracts from all books or documents of any kind whatsoever wherein any entry or memorandum appears in any way relating to such goods.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Collector may impound documents

207. The collector may impound or retain any document presented in connection with any entry or required to be produced under this Ordinance, but the person otherwise entitled to such document shall in lieu thereof be entitled to a copy certified as correct by the collector and such certified copy shall be received in all courts as evidence and of equal validity with the original.

Collector may require further proof of proper entry.

208. The collector may require from the owner of any goods proof by declaration or the production of documents that the goods are owned as claimed and are properly described, valued, or rated for duty, and the collector may refuse to deliver the goods or to pass any entry relating thereto pending such proof.

Translation of foreign documents

209. If any document in a foreign language be presented to any officer for any purpose connected with Customs business, the collector may require to be supplied with an English translation to be made at the expense of the owner by such person as the collector may approve or to be verified as he may require.

Customs samples.

210. Samples of any goods under the control of the Customs may for any purpose deemed necessary by the collector be taken, utilised, and disposed of by any officer in manner prescribed.

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211. In all cases not herein otherwise provided for the General power collector may exercise any power exercisable by the Customs.

DIVISION II .- PROTECTION TO OFFICERS.

212. No officer shall be liable for any seizure under this Reasonable Ordinance for which there shall have been reasonable cause, seizure a bar to and when any claimant recovers any ship, boat, or goods seized or any proceeds thereof and at the same time reasonable cause for the seizure is found, such finding shall bar all proceedings against all officers concerned in the seizing.

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213. Any officer of Customs shall be liable to be trans- Liability to ferred from one place to any other place within the Territory or the Uganda Protectorate and shall act for such ports or districts as shall be assigned to him for that purpose by the Commissioner and shall perform such duties as may be required of him by the senior Customs officer at any particular port or place at which any such officer of Customs may be stationed. .

214. If any officer, clerk, or other person acting in any Officers taking office or employment in or belonging to the Customs shall take fee or reward not authorised. or receive any fee, perquisite or reward, whether pecuniary or to be dismissed otherwise, directly or indirectly, from any person (not being a person duly appointed to some office in the Customs) on account of anything done or omitted to be done by him in, or in any way relating to, his said office or employment, except such as he shall receive under any law, or by permission of the Governor, such officer, clerk or other person so offending shall, on proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Governor, be dismissed from his office.

215. Every person who shall be appointed to any office Declaration on or employment in the Customs shall, on his admission thereto, office. in addition to any oath which may be required by law to be taken by him, make the following declaration before a Magistrate :-

" J. A. B., do declare that I will be true and faithful in the execution to the best of my knowledge and power of the trust committed to my charge and inspection in the service of the Customs of the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya and Uganda Protectorate, and that I will not require, the, or

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receive any fee, perquisite, gratuity, or reward, whether pecuniary or of any sort or description whatever, either directly or indirectly, for any service, act, duty, matter, or thing done or performed, or to be done or performed, in the execution or discharge of any of the duties of my office or employment on any account whatever, other than my salary. and what is or shall be allowed me by law or by any special order of the Governor."

PART XIII.-FORFEITURES AND PENALTIES.

DIVISION I.—FORFEITURES.

Forfeiture of ships.

- 216. The following ships or boats not exceeding two hundred and fifty tons registered tonnage shall be forfeited to His Majesty :-
 - (1) Any ship or boat used in smuggling or knowingly used in the unlawful conveyance of any sneuggled or forfeited goods.
 - (2) Any ship or boat found within three nautical miles of the coast failing to bring to for boarding upon being lawfully required to do so.
 - (3) Any ship or boat hovering within three nautical miles of the coast and not departing within twelve hours after being required to depart by an officer.
 - (4) Any ship or boat from which any goods are thrown overboard, staved or destroyed to prevent seizure by the Customs.
 - (5) Any ship or boat found within any port with cargo on board and afterwards found light or in ballast or with the cargo deficient and the master of which is unable to account lawfully for the difference.
 - (6) Any ship or boat within three nautical miles of the coast having false bulkheads, false bows, sides, or bottoms, or any secret or disguised place adapted for the purpose of concealing goods or having any hole, pipe, or other device adapted for the purpose of running goods.

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The owner of any ship exceeding two hundred and fifty tons registered tonnage which would be forfeited if the ship were two hundred and fifty tons registered tonnage or less, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds, and the ship may be detained until the penalty is paid or until security is given for its payment.

217. The following goods shall be forfeited to His Forfeiture of goods. Majesty :--

- (a) All smuggled goods.
- (b) All goods imported in contravention of any prohibition, restriction or regulation excepting only goods the importation of which is prohibited, restricted, or regulated by notice and which shall have been shipped to be imported without knowledge of the notice by the shipper and before the expiration of a reasonable time for the acquisition of knowledge thereof at the port of shipment and so that such excepted goods shall, at the discretion of the Commissioner, either be re-exported or be disposed of in such manner as the Commissioner may approve.
- (c) All goods imported in any ship or boat in which goods are prohibited to be imported.
- (d) All dutiable goods found on any ship or boat being unlawfully in any place.
- (e) All goods found on any ship after arrival in any port and not being specified or referred to in the inward manifest and not being baggage belonging to the crew or passengers and not being satisfactorily accounted
- (f) All goods in respect of which bulk is unlawfully broken.
- (a) All goods which being subject to the control of the Customs shall be moved, altered or interfered with except by authority and in accordance with this Ordinance.
- (h) All goods which by this Ordinance are required to be removed or dealt with in any way and which shall not be removed or dealt with accordingly.

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receive any fee, perquisite, gratuity, or reward, whether pecuniary or of any sort or description whatever, either directly or indirectly, for any service, act, duty, matter, or thing done or performed, or to be done or performed, in the execution or discharge of any of the duties of my office or employment on any account whatever, other than my salary, and what is or shall be allowed me by law or by any special order of the Governor."

PART XIII.—FORFEITURES AND PENALTIES.

DIVISION I.—FORFEITURES

Forfeiture of ships.

- 216. The following ships or boats not exceeding two hundred and fifty tons registered tonnage shall be forfeited to His Majesty:—
 - Any ship or boat used in smuggling or knowingly used in the unlawful conveyance of any smuggled or forfeited goods.
 - (2) Any ship or boat found within three nautical miles of the coast failing to bring to for boarding upon being lawfully required to do so.
 - (3) Any ship or boat hovering within three nautical miles of the coast and not departing within twelve hours after being required to depart by an officer.
 - (4) Any ship or boat from which any goods are thrown overboard, staved or destroyed to prevent seizure by the Customs.
 - (5) Any ship or boat found within any port with cargo on board and afterwards found light or in ballast or with the cargo deficient and the master of which is unable to account lawfully for the difference.
 - (6) Any ship or boat within three nautical miles of the coast having false bulkheads, false bows, sides, or bottoms, or any secret or disguised place adapted for the purpose of concealing goods or having any hole, pipe, or other device adapted for the purpose of running goods.

The owner of any ship exceeding two hundred and fifty tons registered tonnage which would be forfeited if the ship were two hundred and fifty tons registered tonnage or less, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds, and the ship may be detained until the penalty is paid or until security is given for its payment.

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- (e) All goods imported in any ship or boat in which goods are prohibited to be imported.
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- (i) All goods in respect of which any entry, invoice, declaration, answer, statement, or representation which is false or wilfully misleading in any particular has been delivered, made or produced.
- (j) Any carriage or animal used in smuggling or in the unlawful conveyance of smuggled or forfeited goods.
- (k) The cargo of any ship or boat which hovers about the coast and does not depart within twelve hours of being required by an officer to depart.
- (1) All goods not being passengers' luggage found on any ship after clearance and not specified or referred to in the outward manifest and not accounted for to the satisfaction of the collector.
- (m) All prohibited exports put on any ship or beat for export or brought to any wharf or place for the purpose of export, and all restricted or regulated exports, which, in contravention of any restriction or regulation, are put on any ship or boat for export or brought to any wharf or place for the purpose of export.
- (n) All dutiable goods concealed in any manner
- (o) Any package having concealed therein goods not enumerated in the entry or being so packed as to deceive the officer
- (p) All dutiable goods found in the possession or in the baggage of any person who has got out of or landed from any ship or boat or in any other manner entered the Territory and who has denied that he has any dutiable goods in his possession, or who when questioned by an officer has not fully disclosed that such goods are in his possession or baggage.
- (q) All goods offered for sale on the pretence that the same are prohibited or smuggled goods.
- (r) All warehoused, drawback or transhipment goods shipped for exportation or entered to be so shipped on any vessel of less than ten tons registered tonnage

218. When any suit is instituted for the forfeiture of any Appraisement ship, boat, or goods seized under the Customs Ordinance, there seized shall at the same time be filed an appraisement of the ship, boat, or goods seized, made by an officer or other person authorised by the Governor. The appraisement shall be sworn to and shall be final as to the value of the ship, boat or goods for the purposes of jurisdiction.

219. The forfeiture of any goods shall extend to the Forfeited forfeiture of the packages in which the goods are contained, packages and and the forfeiture of any package under section 217 shall extend to all goods packed or contained in the package.

DIVISION II .- PENALTIES

220. All persons to the number of two or more assembled Assembly for for the purpose of smuggling, or for preventing the seizure of, or for restuing after seizure any smuggled goods, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for any term not exceeding five years.

221. Whoever-

- (a) being an officer of the Customs or Police makes any collusive seizure or delivers up or makes any agreement to deliver up or not to seize any ship, boat, carriage, or goods liable to forfeiture, or conspires or connives with any person to import or export, or is in any way concerned in the smuggling of any goods for the purpose of seizing any ship, boat, carriage, or goods and obtaining any reward for such seizure;
- (b) gives, or procures to be given, or offers or promises Bribe offered to give or procure to be given any bribe, recompense or reward to, or makes any collusive agreement with, any officer to induce him in any way to neglect his duty, or who by threats, demands, or promises attempts to influence any efficer in the discharge of his duty; or

(c) rescues any goods which have been seized or, before Rescuing goods or after seizure, staves, breaks, or destroys any goods or documents relating thereto to prevent the seizure thereof or the securing the same or the proof of any offence.

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Shooting at Customs ship, etc.

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Whoever_

- (a) shoots at any ship or boat in the services of the Customs;
- (b) shoots at any officer in the execution of his duty; or
- (c) wounds or maims any officer in the execution of his duty,

shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for life.

Removal or destruction of dutiable goods.

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223. Whoever-

- (a) removes any dutiable goods from a warehouse without paying the duty;
- (b) wilfully destroys any goods duly warehoused; or
- (c) by force or violence assaults, resists, or obstructs any officer of Customs or other person duly employed for the prevention of smuggling in the execution of his duty.

shall be guilty of an offence and shall be hable to a fine net-exceeding one hundred pounds, or to imprisonment of other description for two years. On the conviction of an officer of an offence under (b), no duty on the said goods shall be paid and the Governor may order compensation to be paid out of the general revenue of the Territory.

Smuggling

224. No person shall-

- (a) smuggle any goods;
- (b) without lawful excuse (proof whereof shall lie upon him) have in his possession, on board any ship, any such goods or prohibited imports; or
- (c) have in his possession, power, or control any goods of which the export is for the time being prohibited, restricted, or regulated with intent to snuggle, or knowing that they are intended to be snuggled.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

Master not to use or allow use of ships for smuggling, etc.

225. The master or owner of a ship or boat shall not use his ship or boat, or knowingly suffer her to be used, in smuggling.

Penalty: One hundred pounds.

226. (1) Any person who, in regard to any prohibited, regulated, or restricted import to which this section applies—relation relation.

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- (a) without any reasonable excuse (proof whereof shall imports lie upon him) has in his possession, on board any ship, any such import;
- (b) smuggles, or attempts to smuggle, into the Territory any such import;
- (c) without lawful excuse (proof whereof shall lie upon him) has in his possession any such import which has been smuggled into the Territory;
- (d) aids, abets, counsels, or procures, or is in any way knowingly concerned in the smuggling into the Territory of any such import; or
- (e) fails to disclose to an officer on demand any knowledge in his possession or power concerning the smuggling or intended smuggling into the Territory of any such import.

shall be guilty of an offence against this Ordinance.

Penalty: Imprisonment of either description for two years.

- (2) This section shall apply to all prohibited, restricted, or regulated imports to which the Governor by order declares that it shall apply:
 - (3) This section shall not prevent any person from being proceeded against for any offence against any other section of this Ordinance, but he shall not be liable to be punished twice in respect of any one offence.

227. No person shall-

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- (a) evade payment of any duty which is payable;
- (b) obtain any drawback which is not payable;
- (c) prepare, pass or present any document purporting to be a genuine invoice which is not in fact a genuine invoice;
- (d) bring into the Territory or have in his possession without lawful excuse (the proof of which shall lie upon him) any bill heading or other paper appearing to be a heading or blank capable of being filled up and used as an invoice for goods from foreign parts;

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- (q) mislead any officer in any particular likely to affect the discharge of his duty;
- (h) move, alter or interfere with, except by authority, any goods subject to the control of the Customs:
- (i) refuse or fail to answer questions or to produce documents:
- (i) sell or offer for sale any goods upon the pretence that such goods are prohibited imports or smuggled goods;
- (k) sell or expose for sale or have in his possession for sale or any purpose of trade on board any ship in a port any goods not shown as required by section 59 on the ship's report.

Penalty: One hundred pounds:

Provided that the Commissioner may issue licences subject · to such conditions as he may think necessary for securing payment of any export or import duties payable-

- (a) to persons from the shore to trade on board ships;
- (b) for such articles as are carried on board ship for sale to passengers to be sold to persons visiting the ship in harbour: and
- (c) for the sale from the ship of ice, fresh provisions and similar goods.

General penalty.

228. (1) Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of an offence, and, subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty or imprisonment not exceeding the amount of the pecuniary penalty or the term of imprisonment set forth and provided in respect of the particular provision of the Ordinance which has been so contravened, or to both such fine and imprisonment, or, if no pecuniary penalty or imprisonment is provided, to a fine not exceeding ten pounds.

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(2) Provided always that the Attorney-General or the Commissioner may at his discretion, in lieu of prosecuting an offence under this section, sue for and recover by civil suit or other appropriate proceedings any penalty which may have been incurred (but so that the court shall have power to reduce the penalty), and no person against whom any such suit or other appropriate proceedings shall have been had shall be liable to prosecution for any offence under this section in respect of the same subject-matter.

229. When a penalty is jointly and severally incurred Joint and by any number of persons, such persons shall each and every to penalties. one be liable to pay the whole penalty.

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230. Whoever aids, abets, counsels, or procures or by Aiders and act or omission is in any way directly or indirectly concerned in the commission of any offence against this Ordinance shallbe deemed to have committed such offence and shall be punishable accordingly.

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234. In any Customs prosecution or proceedings where Value for the penalty is based on the value of the goods, such value shall purpose of be taken to be the value of goods of the like kind but of the best quality upon which the duties of importation shall have been paid as sold at or about the time of the offence at Mombasa, even though such penalty may have been incurred at any other place in the Territory.

235. Any person may at the same time be charged with Maximum an offence against this Ordinance and with intent to defraud of intent to the revenue, and if in addition to such offence he is convicted of such intent, the maximum pecuniary penalty shall be double that otherwise provided.

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236. When any person is convicted of an offence against this Ordinance punishable by a pecuniary penalty, but not by imprisonment for a term of two years or more, and it shall appear that such person had at any time within the previous five years been previously convicted of any offence against this Ordinance, the court may, in lieu of or in addition to imposing any pecuniary penalty, sentence such person to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding two years and with or without the right of release on payment of a penalty.

PART XIV.—CUSTOMS PROSECUTIONS.

Meaning of Customs prosecutions.

237. Prosecutions for offences against this Ordinance, and proceedings for the recovery of Customs duties or penalties, or for the condemnation, or forfeiture of ships, boats, or goods are herein referred to as "Customs prosecutions."

How instituted

238. Customs prosecutions may be instituted in the name of the Attorney-General or the Commissioner by suit, information, or other appropriate proceeding in any court having jurisdiction therein.

Application of Petitions of Hight Ordinance, Cap. 17.

239. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, the Petitions of Right Ordinance, shall apply to all civil proceedings under this Ordinance by or against the Attorney-General or the Commissioner in like manner as it applies to suits by or against the Government, except that the consent of the Governor shall not be required to any proceeding which is by this Ordinance expressly permitted to be taken against the Attorney-General of the Commissioner.

Limitation of Customs. prosecutions

240. Customs prosecutions shall be instituted within five years next after the date of the offence committed.

Protection to witnesses

241. No witness on behalf of the Attorney-General or the Commissioner in any Customs prosecution shall be compelled to disclose the fact that he received any information or the nature thereof or the name of the person who gave such information, and no officer appearing as a witness shall be compelled to produce any reports made or received by him confidentially in his official capacity or containing confidential information.

242. In every Customs prosecution the averment of the Averment of prosecutor or plaintiff, and in every proceeding under this sufficient. Ordinance against the Attorney-General or the Commissioner the averment of the defendant, shall be deemed to be proved in the absence of proof to the contrary, but so that-

- (a) when an attempt to defraud the revenue is charged the averment shall not be deemed sufficient to prove the intent; and
- (b) no person shall be sentenced to imprisonment unless his guilt is established by evidence.
- 243. The production of the Gazette containing any Proof of order, Gazette notice, or regulation appearing to have been issued or made under this Ordinance, or the production of any document purporting to be certified by the collector to be a true copy of or extract from any such order, Gazette notice, or regulation issued or made under this Ordinance, shall be prima facie evidence of the issue or making of such order, Gazette notice, or regulation and that the same is in force.

244. If in any Customs prosecution of the any Burden of proof proceedings under section 199 for the recovery of any ship. boat, or goods seized by a Customs officer any question shall arise whether or not the duties of Customs have been paid in

respect of any goods or whether or not any goods have been lawfully imported, exported, carried coastwise, unshipped, or shipped, the burden of proof that such duties have been paid or that such goods have been lawfully imported, exported, carried coastwise, unshipped, or shipped, as the case may be, shall lie on the defendant in a Customs prosecution and on the plaintiff in the aforesaid proceedings under section 199.

- 245. In any Customs prosecution the fact that any Proof of office person is an officer may be proved by viva voce evidence.
- 246. Where the committal of any offence causes a for- Conviction to feiture of any ship, boat, or goods, the conviction of any condemnation person for such offence or the judgment or decree of a civil court for recovery of any part of a penalty attached to the commission of such offence shall have effect as a condemnation of the ship, boat, or goods in respect of which the offence is committed.

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242. In every Customs prosecution the averment of the Averment of prosecutor or plaintiff, and in every proceeding under this sufficient. Ordinance against the Attorney-General or the Commissioner the averment of the defendant, shall be deemed to be proved in the absence of proof to the contrary, but so that-

- (a) when an attempt to defraud the revenue is charged the averment shall not be deemed sufficient to prove the intent; and
- (b) no person shall be sentenced to imprisonment unless. his guilt is established by evidence.
- 243. The production of the Gazette containing any Proof of order, Gazette notice, or regulation appearing to have been issued or made under this Ordinance, or the production of any document purporting to be certified by the collector to be a true copy of or extract from any such order, Gazette notice, or regulation issued or made under this Ordinance, shall be prima facie evidence of the issue or making of such order, Gazette notice, or regulation and that the same is in force.

244. If in any Customs prosecution or in any Burden of proof proceedings under section 199 for the recovery of any ship, on defendant boat, or goods seized by a Customs officer any question shall arise whether or not the duties of Customs have been paid in respect of any goods or whether or not any goods have been lawfully imported, exported, carried coastwise, unshipped, or shipped, the burden of proof that such duties have been paid or that such goods have been lawfully imported, exported, carried coastwise, unshipped, or shipped, as the case may be, shall lie on the defendant in a Customs prosecution and on the plaintiff in the aforesaid proceedings under section 199.

245. In any Customs prosecution the fact that any Proof of officeperson is an officer may be proved by viva vocc evidence.

246. Where the committal of any offence causes a for Conviction to feiture of any ship, boat, or goods, the conviction of any condemnation person for such offence or the judgment or decree of a civil court for recovery of any part of a penalty attached to the commission of such offence shall have effect as a condemnation of the ship, boat, or goods in respect of which the offence is committed.

PART XV.—SETTLEMENT OF CASES BY THE COMMISSIONER.

Settlement of dispute by Commissioner.

247. If any dispute shall arise between any officer and any person with reference to any contravention of this Ordinance, the Commissioner may with the consent of such person in manner prescribed inquire into and determine the dispute and shall have power by order to impose, enforce, mitigate or remit any penalty or forfeiture which he shall determine has been incurred.

Commissioner's order to be final

248. Every such order shall be final and without appeal and shall not be liable to be quashed on any account, and a copy thereof shall be delivered to such person and may be enforced in the same manner as a decree or order of the Supreme Court.

Power of Commissioner to of limited amount

249. Notwithstanding anything contained in sections impose penalties 247 and 248 and in any case under this Ordinance in which a penalty is provided or in which anything is liable to confiscation or forfeiture, such penalty may be imposed or such confiscation or forfeiture may be ordered by the Commissioner without the consent of the person liable, but only to the extent of ten pounds in value or amount.

Powers of Commissioner at inquiries

- 250. (1) The Commissioner or other duly appointed person in holding any inquiry under this part of this Ordinance may hold such inquiry in public, and may-
 - (a) summons the parties and any witness before him;
 - (b) take evidence on oath :
 - (c) require the production of documents;
 - (d) allow reasonable expenses to witnesses and costs to successful parties.
- (2) No person being summoned as a witness at any inquiry under this Ordinance shall-
 - (a) disobey such summons:
 - (b) refuse to be sworn as such witness:
 - (c) refuse or fail to produce any documents he may be required to produce:

(d) being sworn as witness, refuse or fail to answer any questions lawfully put to him.

Penalty: Twenty pounds.

251. Costs may be awarded for reasonable expenses Receiving of incurred by either party and shall be recoverable as debt in the same manner as costs awarded by a court.

PART XVI.-REGULATIONS

252. (1) The Governor in Council may make Regulations Power to make not inconsistent with this Ordinance prescribing all matters which by this Ordinance are required or permitted to be prescribed or for giving effect to this Ordinance or for the conduct of any business relating to the Customs and in particular for prescribing-

(a) the conditions under which goods may pass through the Territory in transit;

- (b) the fee to be paid for any treaser issued under this Ordinance-and generally;
- (c) the charge to be made for rent on goods on premise administered by the Customs;
- (d) the conditions under which the removal from or into the Territory may take place of goods which are subject to any agreement made under this Ordinance with the Government of any other territory;
- (e) a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds for the breach of such regulations.
- (2) All such Regulations shall be published in the Gazette.

PART XVII.-MISCELLANEOUS.

253. The person in command of any ship holding com- Commissioned mission from His Majesty or from any foreign state having on ships to be board any goods other than ship's stores laden in parts beyond the seas shall, when called upon by the Commissioner or an officer specially authorised by the Commissioner so to do-

(a) deliver an account in writing of the quantity of such goods, marks, and numbers thereof, and the names of the shippers and consignees, and declare to the truth thereof;

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Power to search commissioned ships.

254. Ships under commission from His Majesty or any foreign state having on board any goods other than ship's stores laden in parts beyond the seas may be boarded and searched by an officer especially authorised as mentioned in the last preceding section in the same manner as other ships, and the officer may bring any such goods ashore and place them in a King's warehouse.

Rewards for detaining persons. 255. The Governor may award to any officer or other person detaining any person liable to detention under any law relating to Customs, if such person shall be convicted, such reward as he may think fit, not exceeding the sum of ten pounds for each person so detained.

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256. The Governor may order such reward as he may see fit to be paid out of any pecuniary penalty or composition to any officer or other person by whose means the same is recovered.

Rewards to officers making seizure. 257. The Governor may order to be paid in respect of any seizure made under any law relating to the Customs to the person or persons making the same such rewards as he may see fit, not exceeding the value of goods or things so seized: Provided that the Governor, on the recommendation of the Commissioner, may make special rewards exceeding the value of the goods seized in the case of the seizure of any prohibited, restricted, or regulated imports to the person or persons making the same, but no such reward shall exceed the sum of one hundred pounds.

Power of Governor to distribute seizer's share of seizure so as to reward persons not actually present.

258. The Governor may, on the condemnation of any ships, boats, or goods, or on the apprehension of any parties, or on the recovery of any penalties under any law relating to the Customs, direct the seizer's share of such ships, boats, or goods, or of any penalties or reward that may be recovered on account of any such seizure to be distributed so that any other person, through whose information or means such seizure shall have been made, or penalty recovered, or party apprehended, and whom he may deem to be so entitled, may participate in such proportions as the Governor shall deem expedient.

Commissioner may prescribe forms. 259. The Commissioner may prescribe the form of all bonds, documents, and papers necessary for the carrying out of this Ordinance, and make any addition or alteration to existing or prescribed forms.

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260. (1) Where a prescribed form contains by way of note or otherwise a clear direction or indication of any requirement of the Customs as to—

- (a) the colour or size of the form;
- (b) the number of copies of the document to be tendered (the words "in duplicate" or similar words shall be sufficient indication of the number required);
- (c) the nature or form of the information to be furnished to the Customs;
- (d) any action to be taken by the person concerned or his agent in the transaction in which the document is
- (c) receipts to be signed by ship's officers, railway officers or other persons in proof that the goods described in the form have been received for carriage or otherwise;

the requirements so indicated shall be deemed to be prescribed.

- (2) The Commissioner may remove copies of any prescribed form in addition to the number indicated on the
- (3) In cases where the forms prescribed differ from existing forms, the Commissioner may permit the continuance of the use of the latter until such time as he may think fit.

261. At sales by the collector-

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- (a) the goods shall be sold by auction or by tender and after such public notice as may be prescribed and where not prescribed after reasonable public notice;
- (b) the goods may be sold either free of or subject to duty and charges;
- (c) no bidding or tender shall be necessarily accepted and the goods may be re-offered until sold at a price satisfactory to the collector;
- (d) the purchase money shall be paid in cash on the acceptance of the bid or tender; if not so paid the lot may be again offered, but the person whose bid was accepted shall be liable to pay to the collector any loss sustained by reason of his failure to comply with this condition;

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- (e) should there be any discrepancy between the quantity stated in the sale list and the actual quantity available, the collector shall not be bound to deliver more than the quantity available for delivery;
- (f) the goods shall be removed from the warehouse within three days after the sale, and if not so removed, shall be charged warehouse fees from the date of sale up to the date of delivery;
- (g) all goods remaining in the warehouse after the sale shall be at the purchaser's risk and expense.

Proceeds of sales.

262. The proceeds of any goods sold by the collector shall be applied as follows:—

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Secondly, in payment of the duty

Thirdly, in the payment of the warehouse rent and charges,

Fourthly, in the payment of the freight, if any, due upon the goods if written notice of such freight shall have been given to the collector.

And the balance, if any, shall be paid into general revenue, but may be refunded to the person entitled thereto if claimed within six months from the date of sale.

Agreements with Governments of other East African territories.

- 263. The Governor in Council may enter into an agreement with the Government of any territory in Eastern Africa, being a portion of the British Dominions or under the protection of the Crown, or which is administered by a mandate held by His Majesty, providing is
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264. (1) The Customs Ordinance (Chapter 87 of the Repeal and Revised Laws) is hereby repealed.

(2) All proclamations, rules, regulations and notices duly made or issued under the Ordinances hereby repealed shall, so far as applicable for the purposes of this Ordinance, be of the same validity and effect as if they had been made or issued under this Ordinance. All such proclamations, rules, regulations and notices shall remain in force until revoked, altered, or varied by regulations duly made under the provisions of this Ordinance.

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By this security the subscribers are, pursuant to the Form of Customs Management Ordinance, 1926, bound to the Commissioner of Customs of the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya insert amount or mode of ascertaining amount intended to be paid in default of compliance with condition), subject only to this condition that if (here insert the condition of the security), then this security shall be thereby discharged.

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Note.-If liability is not intended to be joint and several and for the full amount here state what is intended as, for example, this: "The liability of the subscriber is joint only," or "The liability of (mentioning subscriber) is limited to ascertaining limit).

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This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Legislative Council and found by me to be a true and correct printed copy of the said Bill.

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