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~~Handwritten~~ to Secretary. Sanction? - send copy of the ord<sup>re</sup> + CA's report, with copy of the ord<sup>re</sup> + CA's report + 20/12/08 to the 20 of communication to the Bureau International de Recherches. I suggest that we should send the CA's reports, as otherwise there may be a misunderstanding as to the reasons for our suspending the trade from the country. [Signature]

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Governor's Office

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December 31st 1908

~~WEST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.~~

NO. 895.

(Incl. S.)

My Lord,

I have the honour to transmit herewith two authenticated and ten printed copies of the East Africa native Intoxicating Liquor Ordinance as passed by the legislative Council to which I have assented in the name of His Majesty.

P. An explanatory memorandum by the Crown Advocate is attached.

I have the honour to be,  
With the highest respect,  
My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient,  
humble servant,

(In the absence of H.E. the Governor).

H.E. Principal Secretary of State  
for the Colonies,  
Downing Street,  
LONDON, S.W.

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WEST AFRICA TRADE COMPANY LIMITED, GENERAL MANAGERS, 1908.

His Excellency the Governor of Sierra Leone, in the year 1907 in addition to provisions of the Ordinance of Native Intoxicating Liquors imposed a tax on trees for the purpose of...

By the proviso to section 21 of that Ordinance His Excellency was empowered to suspend the operation of the Ordinance in so far as it relates to the tax on trees until the December 31st 1908. The object of this Ordinance is to enable His Excellency to further suspend the imposition of the tree tax as it is considered that owing to improved condition of the general of shambas on the Coast due to a considerable extent to the abolition of the local States of slavery, this tax should not be levied.

The Ordinance enables His Excellency to proclaim that the tax shall be levied from such date as he may think fit.

This is an Ordinance to which His Excellency may properly give his assent.

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GROWN ADVICE

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The U.S. of S.  
Foreign Office.

Sir,

I am so. to transmit to you, for con-  
~~sultation to Sir E. Grey~~ ~~and~~ ~~to~~  
~~the~~ ~~British~~ ~~Embassy~~ ~~in~~ ~~Paris~~ ~~and~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~Native~~ ~~Intercultural~~ ~~Liquor~~ ~~Commission~~  
relating to the ~~new~~ ~~factor~~ ~~and~~ ~~the~~ ~~tax~~  
of ~~the~~ ~~Ordinance~~ ~~passed~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~U.S.A.~~  
Native Intercultural Liquor Commission

MINUTE.

- Mr. Butler
- Mr. Just.
- Mr. Ambrosius.
- Mr. Cox.
- Sir C. Lucas.
- Sir F. Hopwood.
- Col. Seely.
- The Earl of Crewe.

*see p. 12 of 1873*  
*see no objection, but*  
*should be commended*  
*to the Princes*  
*International Bureau*

in the U.S.A. and to suggest the  
2. ~~will~~ ~~not~~ ~~be~~ ~~the~~ ~~last~~ ~~of~~ ~~its~~ ~~kind~~  
Ordinance, ~~in~~ ~~order~~ ~~to~~ ~~prevent~~ ~~the~~ ~~imposition~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~tax~~ ~~on~~  
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is that  
used for ~~tax~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~importation~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~tax~~ ~~on~~  
owing to the impoverished condition  
of owners of ~~the~~ ~~land~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~U.S.A.~~ ~~due~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~abolition~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~legal~~ ~~status~~ ~~of~~ ~~slavery~~, ~~it~~ ~~is~~ ~~considered~~ ~~that~~  
this ~~tax~~ ~~should~~ ~~not~~ ~~be~~ ~~imposed~~ ~~at~~ ~~present~~.

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(Signed) L. ANTIBUR

Order of 1907  
Order 167/1907

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and of 1873

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