No. 28 of 1890.

An Ordinance to abolish the Tax on Dry Grain.

WHEREAS it is expedient to abolish the tax, duty, or share due to the Crown in respect of dry grain grown in this colony: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Preamble.

1 In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires—

Definition:

"Dry grain" shall mean and include every description of grain and produce, other than paddy, which at the date of the passing of this Ordinance is subject to the payment of any tax, duty, or share to the Crown.

"Dry grain."

2 From and after the passing of this Ordinance there shall cease to be levied by and payable to the Crown such tax, duty, or share as by law, custom, or usage (whether general or local) has heretofore been so levied and payable in respect of dry grain grown in this colony.

Tax on dry grain abolished.

3 So much of the Ordinances set forth in the schedule hereto and of any other Ordinance as is inconsistent with this Ordinance shall be and the same is hereby repealed. Repeal.

SCHEDULE.

Ordinance No. 14 of 1840 Ordinance No. 29 of 1865 Ordinance No. 5 of 1866 Ordinance No. 11 of 1878 Ordinance No. 9 of 1884 Ordinance No. 16 of 1885

16th December, 1890.