

No. 11.—1880.

J. R. LONGDES.

An Ordinance to amend and continue the Ordinance No. 10 of 1876, intituled "An Ordinance to repeal the Wharf and Warehouse Ordinance, 1865, and to make further provision for the establishment in Colombo and regulation of a Company to perform the duties of Wharfingers and Warehousemen."

Preamble.

WHEREAS by the 3rd section of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1876, intituled "An Ordinance to repeal the Wharf and Warehouse Ordinance, 1865, and to make further provision for the establishment in Colombo and regulation of a Company to perform the duties of Wharfingers and Warehousemen," it is enacted that the said Ordinance should continue in force until the 30th day of June, 1880: And whereas by the Ordinance No. 15 of 1879, intituled "An Ordinance for continuing the Ordinance No. 10 of 1876, intituled 'An Ordinance to repeal the Wharf and Warehouse Ordinance, 1865, and to make further provision for the establishment in Colombo and regulation of a Company to perform the duties of Wharfingers and Warehousemen,'" the said Ordinance No. 10 of 1876 was continued in force until the end of the Session of the Legislative Council of the year 1880: And whereas it is necessary to amend and continue the said Ordinance No. 10 of 1876 in the manner hereinafter appearing, **BE IT KNOWN THAT IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON,** with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Schedule A. to contain

1. THE schedule A. to the said Ordinance No. 10 of 1876 shall be and the same is hereby repealed, and in lieu and instead thereof

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the schedule A. hereto shall be the schedule of the maximum rates, rents, and charges to be enforced under the said Ordinance.

maximum rates
leviable under
Ordinance No.
10 of 1876.

2. THE said Ordinance No. 10 of 1876, intituled "An Ordinance to repeal 'The Wharf and Warehouse Ordinance, 1865,' and to make further provision for the establishment in Colombo and regulation of a Company to perform the duties of Wharfingers and Warehousemen," shall remain and continue in force for a period of five years from the passing of this Ordinance, and from thence to the end of the then next Session of the Legislative Council.

duration of said
Ordinance
prolonged.

SCHEDULE.

A.
IMPORTS.

			Rs.	cts.
Asphalt	...	—	▼ ton	1 75
Cement	...	—	▼ barrel	0 45
Cotton goods	...	In bales or cases of ordinary size	each	0 45
Earthenware	...	{ Crates or casks of ordinary size	do.	1 10
		{ Of large size	do.	1 25
Fish (dried)	...	{ In packages not exceeding 1 cwt.	each pkge.	0 8
		{ Exceeding 1 cwt.	▼ cwt.	0 8
Flour	...	{ In barrels	each	0 45
		{ In bags of 200 lbs.	do.	0 20
Glassware	...	In crates or casks	do.	1 25
Gunny Bags	...	Manufactured jute and such like goods in bales	each	0 45
		{ In casks or cases of ordinary size	each	0 75
Hardware	...	{ Of large size	each	1 25
		In bars, bundles, hoops, plates, pig, or packages not exceeding one ton in weight	▼ ton	1 50
Manure	...	—	do.	1 50
Nails, &c.	...	In kegs or drums of 1 cwt.	each	0 20
Oil, turpentine, &c...	...	In drums of 5 gallons	do.	0 30
		According to size :		
Oilman stores	...	{ Packages of 1 dozen size	do.	0 20
		{ do. 2 do.	do.	0 40
		{ do. 3 do.	do.	0 60
Parcels	...	And small packages, not over 25 lbs. in weight (not containing valuables)	do.	0 20
Rice and Grain	...	Per bag of 164 lbs.	do.	0 9
Sugar	...	Per bag of 164 lbs.	each	0 10
Staves	...	{ Hogsheads, or 100 bundles	▼ 100 bds.	9 50
		{ Puncheons, per 100 bundles	do.	11 0
Tar	...	In barrels	each	0 45
Vegetables and miscellaneous articles	...	{ Such as potatoes, onions, ginger, pepper, saffron, arrowroot and such like. If in baskets or tubbins not exceeding 1 cwt.	do.	0 8
		{ Or if in larger packages at	▼ cwt.	0 8
		{ In butts and pipes	—	1 80
		{ Puncheons	—	1 25
Wines, Spirits, and Malt Liquor	...	{ Hogsheads	—	0 65
		{ Barrels of bottled Beer or Porter	—	0 65
		{ Quar'r casks	—	0 40
		{ Cases of 3 dozens	—	0 60
		{ Do of 2 dozens	—	0 40
		{ Do of 1 dozen	—	0 20

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EXPORTS.

Rates for receiving and shipping Goods.

Ra. 6-75 per	{	18 Casks	not exceeding 10 cwts. each	} Coffee.
		30 Tierces or hogsheds	do. 6 do.	
		40 Barrels	do. 4 do.	
		120 Bags	do. 1½ do.	
		12 Pipes	do. 18 do.	
Ra. 6-75 per boat-load of	{	20 Puncheons	do. 10 do.	} Coconut oil.
		30 Hogsheds	do. 5 do.	
		60 Bales cinnamon of 100 lbs. each; larger or smaller bales in proportion.		
Ra. 8 per boat-load of	{	160 Bags cinchon chips.		
		30 Bales cinchona of 336 lbs. each; larger or smaller bales in proportion.		
		30 Cases cinchona of 336 lbs. each; larger or smaller cases in proportion.		
		160 Bags cinchona (not pressed.)		
		50 Bales cotton wool of 300 lbs. each; larger or smaller bales in proportion.		
		120 Bags esao not exceeding 1½ cwt. each.		
		40 Barrels plumbago not exceeding 5 cwts. each.		
		100 Cases or chests of tea of 100 lbs. each; larger or smaller cases or chests in proportion.		
		50 Bales jute of 300 lbs. each; larger or smaller bales in proportion.		
		40 Bales gunnies of 300 lbs. each; larger or smaller bales in proportion.		
Ra. 8 per boat-load of		2,000 Shells, or 800 ballots or 40 bales, Coir Yarn, fibres, &c.		
" 8	"	120 cwts. Deer horns in bundles		
" 8	"	100 " Deer horns, loose		
" 8	"	160 " Ebony		
" 9	"	5,000 (in number) Coconuts		
" 8	"	100 cwts. Sapanwood		

N.B.—No quantity, however small, can be charged less than half a boat-load.

RATES FOR WAREHOUSE RENT.

I.—IMPORTS.

Transit Warehouse, single rates, as provided for under the terms of the Lease.

	For a week	...	cts.
For each Butt, pipe, or puncheon			60
" Half pipe or Hogshed	"		25
" Barrel or quarter-cask	"		15
" Cask or keg of smaller size	"		10
" Crate, cask or case of hardware, earthenware or ironmongery	"		25
" Bale, case, or box measuring 60 cubic feet or upwards	"		25
" " " " 40 cubic feet and under 60 cubic feet	"		20
" " " " 25 " " 40 " " "	"		15
" " " " 15 " " 25 " " "	"		12
" " " " 10 " " 15 " " "	"		8
" " " " 5 " " 10 " " "	"		6
" small box or package	"		4
" Bag of rice or sugar	"		4
For Beer, wine, or spirits, in bottle, per dozen quarts	"		4
" Coir yarn or rope, in ballots or bundles, per cwt.	"		5
Heavy goods, such as metal or timber, per ton	"		25

1. Other goods of like size or weight to be charged in proportion to these rates.
2. Goods left on the Quay, half the above rates; but Manure will be charged full rates.
3. Goods may remain in the Transit Warehouse free of rent for three days, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, after which they will be subject to double the above rates. A week's rent will be charged for all fractions of a week.

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II.—BONDED WAREHOUSE.

The following rates will be charged on all goods warehoused in the Bonded Warehouses.

Rent will commence on the day the goods are deposited therein; and a week's rent will be charged on all fractions of a week.

								cts.
For each	Butt, pipe or puncheon	—		For week	—			40
"	Half pipe or hoghead	—		"	—			20
"	Barrel or quarter cask	—		"	—			12
"	Octave or cask of like size	—		"	—			8
"	Crate, cask, or case of hardware, earthenware, or ironmongery	—		"	—			20
"	Bale, case, or package measuring 60 cubic feet or upwards	—		"	—			20
"	" " " " 40 cubic feet and under 60 cub. ft.	—		"	—			16
"	" " " " 25 " " 40 " " "	—		"	—			12
"	" " " " 15 " " 25 " " "	—		"	—			8
"	" " " " 10 " " 15 " " "	—		"	—			6
"	" " " " 5 " " 10 " " "	—		"	—			4
"	smaller box or package	—		"	—			2
"	Bag of sugar or rice	—		"	—			4
	Iron, or other heavy goods in bulk, per ton	—		"	—			20
	Beer, wine or spirits, per dozen quarts	—		"	—			1

III.—EXPORTS.

The following rates will be charged on all goods brought for shipment. Such goods will be allowed three clear days free of rent, after which they will become liable to the payment of a daily rent.

								cts.
For each	Leagner, pipe, or cask of like size	...		For a day			25
"	Hoghead, or cask of like size	...		"	...			12
"	Cask or barrel of coffee, not weighing more than 3 cwt. gross	...		"	...			6
"	" " " weighing more than 3 and not exceeding 7 cwt.	...		"	...			8
"	" " " weighing more than 7 cwt.	...		"	...			12
For each	barrel of plumbago	...		"	...			7
"	Bale, case, or package measuring 60 cubic feet and upwards	...		"	...			25
"	" " " " 40 cubic feet and under 60 cub. ft.	...		"	...			20
"	" " " " 25 " " 40 " " "	...		"	...			15
"	" " " " 15 " " 25 " " "	...		"	...			12
"	" " " " 10 " " 15 " " "	...		"	...			8
"	" " " " 5 " " 10 " " "	...		"	...			6
"	smaller box or package	...		"	...			2
"	Bag of coffee	...		"	...			4
	Coir goods in ballots or bundles, per cwt.	...		"	...			4

No rent charged for goods brought to the wharf and removed therefrom on the same day.

No rent charged for goods on days when the storm flag is hoisted.

* Passed in Council the Twenty fourth day of November, One thousand Eight hundred and eighty.

J. A. SWETTENHAM,
Clerk to the Council.

Assented to by His Excellency the Governor this First day of December, One thousand Eight hundred and eighty.

J. DOUGLAS,
Colonial Secretary.