

*Customs Duties.***No. 8.—1885.****An Ordinance to exempt certain articles from the levy of Customs Duties.**

ARTHUR GORDON.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend, in certain respect, the Ordinances No. 17 of 1869, intituled "An Ordinance for the General Regulation of Customs in the Island of Ceylon," No. 14 of 1871 intituled "An Ordinance to adjust Customs Duties to the currency of Rupees and Cents," and No. 39 of 1884 intituled "An Ordinance to re-adjust the Customs Duties leviable under Ordinances No. 17 of 1869 and No. 14 of 1871:" Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

Exemption from duties on goods mentioned in schedule.

1. From and after the time when this Ordinance shall come into operation, the goods, wares, and merchandize mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall, when imported into this Island, be exempt from all duties of Customs now payable or chargeable in respect thereof under or by virtue of the said Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, the said Ordinance No. 14 of 1871, and the said Ordinance No. 39 of 1884: Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall affect any duties or arrears of duties which shall be due or payable at the date when this Ordinance shall come into operation.

Ordinance to be read as one with No. 17 of 1869, No. 14 of 1871, and No. 39 of 1884.

2. This Ordinance and the said Ordinances No. 17 of 1869 No. 14 of 1871, and No. 39 of 1884 shall be read as one Ordinance.

SCHEDULE.

Bricks and Tiles	Seeds:—
Drawing Materials	Rape
Felt	Puppy
Gunnies	Niger
Hoop Iron	Mustard
Instruments, Surgical &c.	Bird
Lime and Clay	Senna Leaves
Orchilla Weed	Stones of Sorts
Printing Materials	Tallow and Grease
Prints and Pictures	Timber
Rattan	Woods:—
Resin	Dye
Seeds:—	Sandal and
Cotton	Of sorts
Castor	

Passed in Council the Thirteenth day of February, One thousand Eight hundred and Eighty-five.

R. H. SINCLAIR,
Acting Clerk to the Council.

Assented to by His Excellency the Governor the Nineteenth day of February, One thousand Eight hundred and Eighty-five.

JOHN F. DICKSON,
Acting Colonial Secretary.