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No. 273. Read the following letter from A. O. HUME, Esq., C.B., Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, (Statistics,) to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 6th August 1875, No. 422 :—

I AM directed to transmit herewith amended copies of the alphabetical List of Articles (A) and the List of Foreign Countries (B), which were forwarded with my Circular No. 78—81 of the 22nd January last; and to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Acting Governor in Council, these revised lists may be adopted, in future, in the preparation of the Returns of Trade and Navigation.

2. I am to enclose copy of a letter addressed to the Government of Bombay, containing instructions with reference to certain specified items in the List of Articles (A).

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From A. O. HUME, Esq., C.B., Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, (Statistics,) to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, dated Simla, 4th August 1875, No. 412.

I AM directed to transmit herewith amended copies of the alphabetical List of Articles (A) and the List of Foreign Countries (B), which were forwarded with my Circular No. 78—81 of the 22nd January last; and to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, these revised lists may be adopted, in future, in the preparation of the Returns of Trade and Navigation.

2. The amendments in the alphabetical List of Articles include several of the alterations suggested by the Commissioner of Customs in his letters which accompanied yours of the 4th and 24th June last, Nos. 3,143 and 3,563; but, in regard to the points noted below, his suggestions have not been carried out for the reasons given.

Item VI. *Books and Printed Matter.*—It is desirable that weight should be given, as the English returns do so; and as the exact weight is not required, I am to inquire if the approximate weight cannot be given without any trouble by taking the total weight of the package and making a deduction for the packing case.

Item XIV. *Chemical Products and Preparations.*—All mineral products or preparations not otherwise enumerated, used in dyeing and other processes subservient to manufacture and the arts, should be placed under this head. "Drugs and Medicines" comprise only vegetable products. A list is enclosed showing the classification to be adopted with regard to "Drugs and Medicines" and "Chemical Products;" and it is hoped that with its aid there will be no difficulty in distinguishing the articles that should be shown under the two heads XIV and XXIV.

Item XXXII. *Glass.*—With reference to the objection to give the weight of "Bottles, Common" and "Other Ware," it does not seem necessary to weigh these articles. As the weights are entered in the English Returns, they must have been given to the Custom-house on export from England. It is only necessary, therefore, for importers to cause their friends in England to add the weight as given to the Custom-house in London to the invoice.

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26th August 1875.

Item LXVI. *Provisions.*—5. Other sorts of provisions. As most of the articles under this head are sold by weight, and as besides freight is charged by weight on the cases, there appears to be no difficulty in furnishing weight.

Item LXXVIII. *Stone and Marble.*—Every importer must know how many tons his blocks of marble and stone weigh, as the information must be contained in the freight bill. Weight should, therefore, be given.

Item LXXXVIII. *Wool, "Braids" and "Other Sorts."*—The English returns show weight, and it should, therefore, be given (in lbs.)

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

List of Drugs and Chemical Products.

DRUGS.	CHEMICAL PRODUCTS.
Aloes.	Alum.
Ambergris.	Aniline and other Dyes extracted from
Angelica, not candied.	Coal-tar.
Aristolochia.	Aqua-fortis (Nitric Acid).
Camomile flowers.	Arsenic.
Canella Alba.	Barytes.
Cantharides.	Boracic Acid.
Cardamoms.	Borax.
China root.	—, refined in the United Kingdom.
Coculus Indicus.	Brimstone, rough or refined.
Colocynth.	Chloride of lime.
Columbo root.	Citrate of lime.
Cubebs.	Citric Acid.
Gentian.	Copperas.
Ginseng.	Cream of Tartar.
Grains, Guinea, and of Paradise.	Gallic powder.
Hellebore.	Lead, Acetate of.
Ipecacuanha.	—, Chromate of.
Jalap.	Mercury, prepared.
Moss, of other sorts than Rook Moss for	Morphia and its salts.
Dyers' use.	Phosphorus.
Nux Vomica.	Potash, viz —
Oranges, dried, not candied.	Prussiate of.
Orris root.	Sulphate of.
Pitch, Burgundy.	Bichromate of.
Quassia.	Muriate of.
Radix—	Quinine, Sulphate of.
Contrayerva.	Saccharum Saturni, or Sugar of lead.
Enula.	Sal, viz. —
Campana.	Ammoniac.
Eringii.	Limonum.
Serpentaria.	Prunella.
Rhatania.	Salicine.
Rhubarb.	Soda, Sulphate of.
Salap or Salop.	Sulphuric Acid or Oil of Vitriol.
Sarsaparilla.	Tartaric Acid.
Sassafras.	Tinical.
Seneka root.	Verdigris.
Senna.	Vitriol.
Squills.	
Stavesacre.	
Tar, Barbadoes.	
Turpentine, of Venice, Scio, or Cyprus.	

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26th August 1875.

No. 274.

ORDER THEREON, 26th August 1875, No. 1,292.

Separate Revenue, No. 24.

Customs.

COMMUNICATED to the Board of
Revenue for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. F. R. Bantleman.



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For the Secy. to the
Govt of India,
Revenue Dept.,
Madras

100 copies each of the
following Lists which
should have accom-
panied letter No. 422
of the 11th Augt 1875 from
the Dept. of Revenue,
Agriculture & Commerce.

- A. Alphabetical List of
Articles
- B. List of Foreign Countries
- C. Index to the Alphabeti-
cal List of Articles A
- D. List of Drugs & Chemical
Products, as classified
in the Returns of the
Board of Trade

Calcutta, the 11th Sept
1875

Received at Madras 18 Sept/75

40 copies of each sent to Secy of Revenue
on the 18 Sept 1875

Govt. of 1875: Madras.

REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated August, 28th.

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G.O. 26th August 1875, No. 1,292.

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No. 278-274.

Trade and Navigation Returns.—Communi-
cating to the Board of Revenue for information
and guidance letter from the Government of India
transmitting amended copies of the alphabetical
List of Articles and the List of Foreign Countries
which were forwarded with Circular No. 78-81 of
23rd January last, and requesting the adoption of
these revised lists, in future, in preparing—

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A.
ALPHABETICAL LIST OF ARTICLES.

List according to Secretary of State's Committee.	PARTICULARS REQUIRED IN RETURNS.		List according to Secretary of State's Committee.	PARTICULARS REQUIRED IN RETURNS.	
	Weight, quantity or number.	Value.		Weight, quantity or number.	Value.
I. AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS ...	Number	Value.	XXIII. COTTON: continued—		
II. ANIMALS, LIVING—			iv. Thread, sewing ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.
1. Horses ...	Number	Value.	v. Canvas ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.
2. Other kinds ...	Number	Value.	vi. Other sorts ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.
III. APPAREL (including haberdashery, millinery, &c., but excluding hosiery) ...		Value.	XXIV. DRUGS AND MEDICINES (excluding Chemicals)—		
IV. ARMS, AMMUNITION, &c. (excluding military accoutrements)—			1. Camphor ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Fire-arms and parts thereof ...	Number	Value.	2. Peruvian bark ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Gunpowder, common ...	lbs.	Value.	3. Other sorts ...	...	Value.
3. Ditto, sporting ...	lbs.	Value.	XXV. DYEING AND COLOURING MATERIALS—		
4. Other sorts ...	...	Value.	1. Aniline dyes ...	...	Value.
V. ART, WORKS OF ...		Value.	2. Cochineal ...	Cwt.	Value.
VI. BOOKS AND PRINTED MATTER (including maps and charts) ...	Cwt.	Value.	3. Indigo ...	Cwt.	Value.
VII. BORAX ...	Cwt.	Value.	4. Madder or munjeet ...	Cwt.	Value.
VIII. BUILDING AND ENGINEERING MATERIALS—			5. Myrabolams ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Asphalt ...	Cwt.	Value.	6. Safflower ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Bricks and tiles ...	Number	Value.	7. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
3. Cement ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXVI. EARTHENWARE AND PORCELAIN†		Value.
4. Chalk and lime ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXVII. EXHIBITIONS, ARTICLES FOR		Value.
5. Clay ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXVIII. FEATHERS ...	lbs.	Value.
6. Earthenware piping ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXIX. FIREWORKS ...		Value.
7. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXX. FLAX—		
IX. CABINET-WARE AND FURNITURE ...		Value.	1. Raw ...	lbs.	Value.
X. CANDLES OF ALL SORTS ...	lbs.	Value.	2. Twist and yarn ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.
XI. CANES AND RATTANS ...	Cwt.	Value.	3. Manufactures—		
1. Raw ...	Cwt.	Value.	i. Piece goods ...	yds. and denom.	Value.
2. Manufactures ...	...	Value.	ii. Thread, sewing ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.
XIII. CARRIAGES, CARTS, &c. (excluding railway carriages) and parts thereof ...	Number	Value.	iii. Canvas ...	yds. and denom.	Value.
XIV. CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS—			iv. Other sorts, including bags and sacks ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.
1. Brimstone ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXXI. FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—		
2. Quinine ...	Cwt.	Value.	1. Fruits—		
3. Other sorts ...	...	Value.	i. Bidmish and buzarbutto nuts ...	Cwt.	Value.
XV. CHINESE AND JAPANESE-WARE (including lacquered ware, but exclusive of earthenware and porcelain)* ...		Value.	ii. Cocoanuts ...	Number	Value.
XVI. CLOCKS AND WATCHES ...	Number	Value.	iii. Other sorts ...	...	Value.
XVII. COAL—			2. Vegetables, fresh ...	...	Value.
1. Coal ...	Tons	Value.	XXXII. GLASS—		
2. Coke ...	Tons	Value.	1. Sheet and plate ...	Supl. feet.	Value.
3. Patent fuel ...	Tons	Value.	2. Beads and false pearls ...	Cwt.	Value.
XVIII. COFFEE ...	Cwt.	Value.	3. Bottles, common ...	Cwt. and gross.	Value.
XIX. COIR—			4. Other ware ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Unmanufactured ...	Cwt.	Value.	XXXIII. GRAIN AND PULSE—		
2. Manufactures of (excluding ropes) ...	Cwt.	Value.	1. Gram ...	Cwt.	Value.
XX. CORALS, REAL ...	lbs.	Value.	2. Rice in the husk (paddy) ...	Cwt.	Value.
XXI. CORDAGE AND ROPE OF VEGETABLE FIBRE (excluding jute) ...	Cwt.	Value.	3. " not in the husk ...	Cwt.	Value.
XXII. CORKS ...	Cwt. and denom.	Value.	4. Wheat ...	Cwt.	Value.
XXIII. COTTON—			5. Pulse ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Raw ...	Cwt.	Value.	6. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Twist and yarn ...	lbs. and denom.	Value.	XXXIV. GUMS AND RESINS—		
3. Manufactures—			1. Cutch and gambier ...	Cwt.	Value.
i. Piece goods—			2. Rosin ...	Cwt.	Value.
a. Grey (unbleached) ...	yds. and denom.	Value.	3. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
b. White (bleached) ...	yds. and denom.	Value.	XXXV. HARDWARE AND CUTLERY (including plated ware) ...		Value.
c. Coloured, printed or dyed ...	yds. and denom.	Value.	XXXVI. HEMP—		
d. Handkerchiefs and shawls in the piece ...	Number	Value.	1. Raw ...	Cwt.	Value.
e. Other sorts ...	yds. and denom.	Value.	2. Manufactures of (excluding cordage):		
ii. Lace and patent net ...	yds. and denom.	Value.	i. Cloth ...	Yards.	Value.
iii. Hosiery, pure and mixed ...	...	Value.	ii. Bags and sacks ...	Number	Value.
			XXXVII. HIDES AND SKINS—		
			1. Hides, raw ...	Cwt. and number.	Value.
			2. " dressed or tanned ...	Cwt. and number.	Value.
			3. Skins, raw ...	Cwt. and number.	Value.
			4. " dressed or tanned ...	Cwt. and number.	Value.
			XXXVIII. HOPS ...	Cwt.	Value.
			XXXIX. HORNS ...	Cwt.	Value.
			XL. ICE ...	Cwt.	Value.

* See also Entry No. XLVI.

† Exclusive of Earthenware piping which is classed under VIII. Building and Engineering materials.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF ARTICLES—continued.

List according to Secretary of State's Committee.	PARTICULARS REQUIRED IN RETURNS.		List according to Secretary of State's Committee.	PARTICULARS REQUIRED IN RETURNS.	
	Weight, quantity or number.	Value.		Weight, quantity or number.	Value.
XLI. INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS—			LIII. METALS: continued—		
1. Musical ...	...	Value.	4. Lead—		
2. Photographic ...	...	Value.	i. Ore ...	Cwt.	Value.
3. Scientific, philosophical, &c. ...	...	Value.	ii. Pig ...	Cwt.	Value.
XLII. IVORY—			iii. Wrought—		
1. Unmanufactured ...	lbs.	Value.	a. Sheets, pipes, and tubes ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Manufactured ...	...	Value.	b. Sheets for tea canisters ...	Cwt.	Value.
XLIII. JEWELLERY, &c.—			c. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Precious stones and pearls, unset ...	...	Value.	iv. Other sorts ...	lbs.	Value.
2. Jewellery ...	...	Value.	5. Quicksilver ...	...	Value.
3. Plate ...	...	Value.	6. Steel—		
XLIV. JUTE—			i. Cast ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Raw ...	Cwt.	Value.	ii. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Manufactures of—			7. Tin—		
i. Gunny bags { power loom ...	Number	Value.	i. Unwrought ...	Cwt.	Value.
hand loom ...	...	Value.	ii. Wrought—		
ii. " cloths { power loom ...	yds. and	Value.	a. Plates or sheets (not tinned iron) ...	Cwt.	Value.
hand loom ...	yds. and	Value.	b. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
iii. Rope and twine ...	Cwt. and	Value.	8. Zinc or Spelter—		
iv. Other kinds ...	denom.	Value.	i. Unwrought ...	Cwt.	Value.
XLV. LAC—			ii. Wrought or manufactured ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Dye ...	Cwt.	Value.	iii. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Shell ...	Cwt.	Value.	9. Metals, unenumerated ...	Cwt.	Value.
3. Stick ...	Cwt.	Value.	LIV. MILITARY AND OTHER UNIFORMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS ...		Value.
4. Other kinds ...	Cwt.	Value.	LV. MUSK ...	Ounces	Value.
XLVI. LACQUERED WARE (OF INDIAN MANUFACTURE)		Value.	LVI. NATURAL CURIOSITIES ...		Value.
XLVII. LEATHER—			LVII. OILS—		
1. Unwrought ...	Cwt.	Value.	1. Animal ...	Gallons	Value.
2. Manufactures of—			2. Essential ...	Gallons	Value.
i. Boots and shoes ...	Pairs	Value.	3. Mineral ...	Gallons	Value.
ii. Saddlery and harness ...	...	Value.	4. Vegetable, not essential ...	Gallons	Value.
iii. Other sorts ...	...	Value.	LVIII. OIL AND FLOOR CLOTH ...	Sq. yds.	Value.
XLVIII. LIQUORS—			LIX. OPIUM ...	Chests and Cwt.	Value.
1. Ale, Beer, and Porter ...	Gallons	Value.	LX. PAINTS AND COLOURS		
2. Spirits—			1. Painters' materials ...	Cwt.	Value.
i. Brandy ...	Gallons	Value.	LXI. PAPER AND PASTEBOARD—		
ii. Rum ...	Gallons	Value.	1. Printing paper ...	Cwt.	Value.
iii. Other sorts ...	Gallons	Value.	2. Writing paper and envelopes ...	Cwt.	Value.
3. Wines and Liqueurs—			3. Other kinds of paper ...	Cwt.	Value.
i. Champagne ...	Gallons	Value.	4. Pasteboard, millboard, &c. ...	Cwt.	Value.
ii. Claret ...	Gallons	Value.	LXII. PERFUMERY (other than musk) ...		Value.
iii. Port ...	Gallons	Value.	LXIII. PITCH, TAR, AND DAMMER ...	Cwt. and	Value.
iv. Sherry ...	Gallons	Value.	LXIV. PLANTS, LIVING ...	denom.	Value.
v. Other sorts ...	Gallons	Value.	LXV. PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING MATERIALS (other than paper) ...		Value.
4. Other sorts ...	Gallons	Value.	LXVI. PROVISIONS—		
XLIX. MACHINERY AND MILLWORK—			1. Bêche de mer ...	lbs.	Value.
1. Steam-engines and parts—			2. Butter ...	lbs.	Value.
i. Locomotives (excluding those for railways) ...	...	Value.	3. Salted Fish ...	lbs.	Value.
ii. Other sorts ...	...	Value.	4. Fruits and Vegetables: dried, salted, or preserved ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Agricultural (not being steam) ...	...	Value.	5. Other sorts of provisions ...	Cwt.	Value.
3. Other sorts ...	...	Value.	LXVII. RAGS AND OTHER MATERIALS FOR MAKING PAPER ...	Cwt.	Value.
L. MANURES—			LXVIII. RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING-STOCK—		
1. Animal bones ...	Tons	Value.	1. Locomotive engines and tenders ...	Number	Value.
2. Guano ...	Tons	Value.	2. Carriages and trucks ...	Number	Value.
3. Other kinds ...	Tons	Value.	3. Materials for construction ...	Cwt.	Value.
LI. MATCHES, LUCIFER AND OTHER		Value.	LXIX. SALT ...	Tons	Value.
LII. MATS—			LXX. SALTPETRE ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Floor matting (China) ...	Sq. yds.	Value.	LXXI. SEEDS—		
2. Other sorts ...	Sq. yds.	Value.	1. Essential (to be enumerated under respective names) ...	Cwt.	Value.
LIII. METALS—			2. Linseed ...	Cwt.	Value.
1. Brass—			3. Mustard ...	Cwt.	Value.
i. Unwrought ...	Cwt.	Value.	4. Poppy ...	Cwt.	Value.
ii. Wrought ...	Cwt.	Value.	5. Rape ...	Cwt.	Value.
2. Copper—			6. Teel or gingelly ...	Cwt.	Value.
i. Ore ...	Cwt.	Value.	7. Seeds imported by any public Society for gratuitous distribution ...	Cwt.	Value.
ii. Old, for re-manufacture ...	Cwt.	Value.	8. Other sorts ...	Cwt.	Value.
iii. Unwrought (ingots, cakes, &c.) ...	Cwt.	Value.	LXXII. SHELLS AND COWRIES—		
iv. Wrought—			i. Shells (chanks and large ornamental shells) ...	Number	Value.
a. Coin ...	Cwt.	Value.	ii. Cowries ...	Cwt.	Value.
b. Mixed or yellow metal, for sheathing ...	Cwt.	Value.	LXXIII. SHIPS, AND PARTS OF		Value.
c. Sheets and other manufactures ...	Cwt.	Value.			
3. Iron—					
i. Ore ...	Cwt.	Value.			
ii. Old, for re-manufacture ...	Cwt.	Value.			
iii. Cast (pig) ...	Cwt.	Value.			
iv. Wrought—					
a. Bar ...	Cwt.	Value.			
b. Angle, bolt, and rod ...	Cwt.	Value.			
c. Sheets and plates (including tinned plates) ...	Cwt.	Value.			
d. Galvanized (other than wire) ...	Cwt.	Value.			
e. Hoops ...	Cwt.	Value.			
f. Anchors, cables, and kentledge ...	Cwt.	Value.			
g. Nails, screws, and rivets ...	Cwt.	Value.			
h. Wire ...	Cwt.	Value.			
i. Other manufactures of wrought or cast iron, or of iron mixed with steel ...	Cwt.	Value.			

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF ARTICLES—concluded.

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	Weight, quantity or number.	Value.		Weight, quantity or number.	Value.
LXXIV. SILK—			LXXXIII. TOBACCO—		
1. Raw ...	lbs.	Value.	1. Unmanufactured ...	lbs.	Value.
2. Manufactures—			2. Manufactured—		
i. Thread for sewing, &c. ...	lbs. and	Value.	i. Cigars ...	lbs.	Value.
ii. Piece goods ...	denom.	Value.	ii. Other sorts ...	lbs.	Value.
iii. Goods of silk mixed with other materials ...	Yds. and	Value.	LXXXIV. TOYS AND REQUISITES FOR GAMES ...		Value.
iv. Other sorts ...	denom.	Value.	LXXXV. UMBRELLAS ...	Number	Value.
LXXV. SOAP (of all kinds) ...	Cwt.	Value.	LXXXVI. WAX (excluding candles) ...	Cwt.	Value.
LXXVI. SPICES—			LXXXVII. WOOD—		
1. Betelnuts ...	lbs.	Value.	1. Teak ...	Cubic	Value.
2. Cassia ...	lbs.	Value.	2. Other timber ...	Tons	Value.
3. Cinnamon ...	lbs.	Value.	3. Firewood ...	Tons	Value.
4. Ginger ...	lbs.	Value.	4. Ornamental—		
5. Pepper ...	lbs.	Value.	a. Sandal ...		Value.
6. Other sorts ...	lbs.	Value.	b. Ebony ...		Value.
LXXVII. STATIONERY (excluding paper) ...		Value.	c. Other kinds ...		Value.
LXXVIII. STONE AND MARBLE ...	Cwt.	Value.	5. Manufactures of ...		Value.
1. " Jade ...	Cwt.	Value.	LXXXVIII. WOOL—		
LXXIX. SUGAR AND SUGARCANDY ...	Cwt.	Value.	1. Raw ...	lbs.	Value.
1. Other saccharine produce ...	Cwt.	Value.	2. Manufactures of—		
LXXX. TALLOW ...	lbs.	Value.	i. Piece goods ...	Yds. and	Value.
LXXXI. TEA ...		Value.	ii. Shawls ...	denom.	Value.
LXXXII. TELEGRAPH, MATERIALS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ...		Value.	iii. Braids ...	Number	Value.
			iv. Other sorts ...	lbs.	Value.
			LXXXIX. ALL OTHER ARTICLES OF MERCHANTISE—		
			1. Unmanufactured ...		Value.
			2. Manufactured ...		Value.
			XC. TREASURE—		
			1. Gold ...		Value.
			2. Silver ...		Value.

1. Articles are invariably to be shown in yards, cwt., lbs. or gallons, &c., as indicated opposite each in the 2nd column; and besides this, the real value, whether determined by appraisers, in the case of goods dutiable ad valorem, or declared under Sec. XXVI. of the Consolidated Customs Act, is to be shown. In the case of some articles, column 2 is blank; of these, the value only need be shown.

2. Where in the 2nd column of this list the word "denomination" occurs, it is intended that, besides the weight, measure, or quantity now specified as obligatory, the tale or denomination hitherto in use in the trade, such as "pairs," "pieces," "dozens," &c., should also be shown, so as to facilitate comparison with the returns of former years.

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Europe.

1. UNITED KINGDOM.
2. AUSTRIA—
 - i. Trieste.
3. BELGIUM.
4. DENMARK.
5. FRANCE—
 - i. Dunkirk.
 - ii. Havre.
 - iii. Brest.
 - iv. Nantes.
 - v. Bordeaux.
 - vi. Marseilles, &c.
6. GERMANY—
 - i. Hamburg.
 - ii. Bremen, &c.
7. GREECE.
8. HOLLAND.
9. ITALY—
 - i. Ancona.
 - ii. Brindisi.
 - iii. Palermo.
 - iv. Messina.
 - v. Leghorn.
 - vi. Genoa.
 - vii. Venice, &c.
10. MALTA.
11. NORWAY.
12. PORTUGAL.
13. RUSSIA—
 - i. Odessa.
 - ii. Riga, and so on.
14. SPAIN—
 - i. Barcelona.
 - ii. Cadiz.
 - iii. Gibraltar, and so on.
15. SWEDEN.
16. TURKEY IN EUROPE.
17. OTHER COUNTRIES IN EUROPE.

Africa and adjacent Islands.

18. ABYSSINIA.
19. CAPE OF GOOD HOPE (including Port Elizabeth).
20. EASTERN COAST OF AFRICA (comprising the coast between Natal and Abyssinia).
21. EGYPT—
 - i. Alexandria.
 - ii. Port Said.
 - iii. Suez (for local trade).
22. MADAGASCAR.
23. MAURITIUS.
24. NATAL.
25. RÉUNION (Bourbon).
26. ST. HELENA.
27. OTHER COUNTRIES IN AFRICA.

America.

28. CANADA.
29. CENTRAL AMERICA.
30. SOUTH AMERICA—
 - i. Demerara.
 - ii. Rio de Janeiro.
 - iii. Buenos Ayres.
 - iv. Callao.
 - v. Valparaiso, &c.
31. UNITED STATES—
 - i. New York.
 - ii. Boston.
 - iii. Charleston.
 - iv. New Orleans, and so on.
32. WEST INDIES—
 - i. Jamaica.
 - ii. Cuba.
 - iii. Trinidad, and so on.
33. OTHER COUNTRIES IN AMERICA.

Asia.

34. ADEN.
35. ARABIA—
 - i. Territories of the Imâm of Maskat.
 - ii. Other Arabian States.
36. BORNEO.
37. CEYLON.
38. CHINA—
 - i. Hong-Kong.
 - ii. Treaty Ports.
39. JAPAN.
40. JAVA.
41. MALDIVES, (EXCEPT MINICOY, WHICH IS TO BE REGARDED AS A BRITISH INDIAN PORT SUBORDINATE TO THE PRESIDENCY OF MADRAS).
42. MEHRAN AND SONMIANI.
43. PERSIA.
44. PHILIPPINES.
45. SIAM.
46. STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.
47. TURKEY IN ASIA—
 - i. Smyrna.
 - ii. Beyrout, and so on.
48. OTHER COUNTRIES IN ASIA.

Australia.

49. NEW SOUTH WALES.
50. QUEENSLAND.
51. SOUTH AUSTRALIA.
52. VICTORIA.
53. WESTERN AUSTRALIA.
54. TASMANIA.
55. NEW ZEALAND.
56. AGGREGATE RETURN OF TRADE PASSING THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL.

N. B.—1. Endeavours should be made to show the trade with chief countries in detail separately for each port as well as in a total for the country, wherever this is possible.

2. Transit trade passing via Suez should no longer be shown under that head, which disappears from the list, but under the countries of destination.

3. The present heading "Mediterranean Ports" also disappears, each port being classed under the country to which it belongs.

4. Trade with an inland country must be classed under the country to which belongs the port at which the articles are landed.

5. Trade with the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, as well as with the Laccadives, and with Minicoy (one of the Maldives), to be treated as Coasting or Interportal.

6. Trade with ports in India subject to Foreign Governments, European or Native, to be treated as "Foreign Coasting" under a separate head from the Coasting Trade of British India.

7. The present heads "Persian Gulf" and "Red Sea" disappear, the trade being classed under the countries to which the ports of the adjacent coasts belong.

8. Under "Siam" is to be classed the trade between British Burmah and the Island of Junk Ceylon or Salang.

LIST OF DRUGS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS, AS CLASSIFIED IN THE RETURNS
OF THE BOARD OF TRADE.

DRUGS.	CHEMICAL PRODUCTS.
Aloes.	Alum.
Ambergris.	Aniline and other Dyes extracted from Coal tar.
Angelica, not candied.	Aquafortis (Nitric Acid).
Aristolochia.	Arsenic.
Camomile flowers.	Barytes.
Canella alba.	Boracic Acid.
Cantharides.	Borax.
Cardamoms.	——, refined in the United Kingdom.
China root.	Brimstone, rough or refined.
Cocculus Indicus.	Chloride of lime.
Colocyath.	Citrate of lime.
Columbo root.	Citric Acid.
Cubebs.	Copperas.
Gentian.	Cream of Tartar
Ginseng.	Gallic powder.
Grains, Guinea, and of Paradise.	Lead, Acetate of.
Hellebore.	——, Chromate of.
Ipecacuanha.	Mercury, prepared.
Jalap.	Morphia and its salts.
Moss, of other sorts than Rock Moss for Dyers' use.	Phosphorus.
Nux Vomica.	Potash, viz. :—
Oranges, dried, not candied.	Prussiate of.
Orris root.	Sulphate of.
Pitch, Burgundy.	Bichromate of.
Quassia.	Muriate of.
Radix :—	Quinine, Sulphate of.
Contrayerva.	Saccharum Saturni, or Sugar of lead.
Enula.	Sal, viz. :—
Campana.	Ammoniac.
Eringii.	Limonum.
Serpentaria.	Prunella.
Rhatania.	Salicine.
Rhubarb.	Soda, Sulphate of.
Salep or Salop.	Sulphuric Acid or Oil of vitriol.
Sarsaparilla.	Tartaric Acid.
Sassafras.	Tincal.
Seneka root.	Verdigris.
Senna.	Vitriol.
Squills.	
Stavesacre.	
Tar, Barbadoes.	
Turpentine, of Venice, Scio, or Cyprus.	

Note.—These lists shew that only primary vegetable products are classed as "Drugs." Mineral substances and chemical preparations from primary vegetable products, &c., are classed as "Chemicals."

In the Indian returns the classification of articles as "Drugs and Medicines" and "Chemical products and preparations" should be based on the same principle.

FROM

A. O. HUME, Esq., C.B.,

Secretary to the Government of India,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

Department of Revenue,
Agriculture, and Commerce.*Statistics.*

SIMLA, the 4th August 1875.

SIR,

I AM directed to transmit herewith amended copies of the Alphabetical List of Articles (A) and the List of Foreign Countries (B) which were forwarded with my Circular No. 78—81 of the 22nd January last, and to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, these revised lists may be adopted in future in the preparation of the returns of trade and navigation.

2. The amendments in the alphabetical list of articles include several of the alterations suggested by the Commissioner of Customs in his letters which accompanied yours of the 4th and 24th June last, Nos. 3143 and 3563, but, in regard to the points noted below, his suggestions have not been carried out for the reasons given:—

Item VI. *Books and printed matter.*—It is desirable that weight should be given, as the English returns do so; and as the exact weight is not required, I am to inquire if the approximate weight cannot be given without any trouble by taking the total weight of the package and making a deduction for the packing case.

XIV. *Chemical products and preparations.*—All mineral products or preparations, not otherwise enumerated, used in dyeing and other processes subservient to manufacture and the arts, should be placed under this head. "Drugs and medicines" comprise only vegetable products. A list is enclosed showing the classification to be adopted with regard to "drugs and medicines" and "chemical products," and it is hoped that with its aid there will be no difficulty in distinguishing the articles that should be shewn under the two heads XIV and XXIV.

XXXII. *Glass.*—With reference to the objection to give the weight of "bottles common" and "other ware," it does not seem necessary to weigh these articles. As the weights are entered in the English returns, they must have been given to the Custom House on export from England. It is only necessary therefore for importers to cause their friends in England to add the weight as given to the Custom House in London, to the invoice.

LXVI. *Provisions.*—5. Other sorts of provisions. As most of the articles under this head are sold by weight, and as besides freight is charged by weight on the cases, there appears to be no difficulty in furnishing weight.

LXXVIII. *Stone and marble.*—Every importer must know how many tons his blocks of marble and stone weigh, as the information must be contained in the freight bill. Weight should therefore be given.

LXXXVIII. *Wool, "Braids" and "other sorts."*—The English returns show weight, and it should therefore be given (in lbs).

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. O. HUME,

Secretary to the Government of India.

1875.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,
AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

STATISTICS.

To
THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

No. 412.

Dated Simla, the 4th August 1875.

SUBJECT.

AMENDMENTS in the alphabetical list of articles
and the list of countries included in the returns
of sea-borne trade and navigation.

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