

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 20.—1895.

17th June.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the payment of Wharf dues to the Mayor and Burgesses of San Fernando.

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F. NAPIER BROOME,

GOVERNOR.

27th June, 1895.

WHEREAS by Section 3 of the Ordinance No. 24 of 1878, intituled "An Ordinance to vest in Her Majesty the Queen the San Fernando Tramroad," it is enacted that the several Wharf dues specified in Schedule G of Ordinance No. 10 of 1853, intituled "An Ordinance for the regulation of Municipal Corporations in this Island," shall henceforth be paid to the Receiver-General and shall be by him carried to the credit of the General Revenue of the Colony ;

And whereas by Section 2 of "The Municipal Corporations Amendment Ordinance, 1886," (5 of 1886) it is enacted that "in lieu of the Wharf duties

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imposed by Section 64 of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1853 aforesaid and specified in the Schedule G thereto annexed on all goods landed on or shipped from the San Fernando Wharf there shall be levied and paid to the Receiver-General under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 24 of 1878 the several dues and sums specified in the Schedule to the said Ordinance No. 5 of 1886 aforesaid ;”

And whereas by a Memorandum of Agreement dated 31st January, 1879, made between the Hon. John Scott Bushe, Colonial Secretary, acting therein on behalf of the Colonial Government, and Adolphe Boucaud, Town Clerk, acting therein on behalf of the Borough Council of San Fernando, it was agreed that the debt recited in the preamble of the said Ordinance No. 24 of 1878 then amounted to £12,400, and that the Receivership of the Wharf dues created by the said Ordinance should cease as soon as the said debt was extinguished ;

And whereas by Section 2 of Ordinance 4 of 1892 it was declared that the said debt then amounted to the sum of £6,900, and that such sum should from thenceforth be extinguished and be no longer due ;

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the said Agreement of 31st January, 1879, and to impose other Wharf dues in lieu of the Wharf dues specified in the Schedule annexed to the said Ordinance No. 5 of 1886 and in a certain other Ordinance intituled “An Ordinance to add to and amend the Tariff of Wharf dues to be levied and taken on packages shipped from and landed on the San Fernando Wharf,” (10 of 1886) :

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Be it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may for all purposes be cited as Short title.
“The San Fernando Wharf Dues Amendment Ordinance, 1895.”

It shall be read and construed as one with the Construction.
Ordinance No. 10 of 1853 aforesaid.

2. From and after the commencement of this Ordinance there shall be levied and paid as heretofore to the Receiver-General in lieu of the Wharf dues imposed by Section 2 of the said Ordinance No. 5 of 1886 and specified in the Schedule thereto and the Wharf dues imposed by and specified in Section 1 of the said Ordinance No. 10 of 1886 the several dues and sums specified in the Schedule A to this Ordinance, and such dues when received by the Receiver-General shall, after deducting therefrom all costs and expenses in anywise incurred in the collection thereof, be paid to the Mayor and Burgesses of San Fernando. Wharf dues to be paid to Mayor and Burgesses.

3. No dues shall be charged in respect of any goods, merchandize and effects the property of the Colonial Government which may be landed on or shipped from the San Fernando Wharf. Government goods free.

4. All payments of San Fernando Wharf dues which were collected before the passing of this Ordinance by the Receiver-General and paid to the Mayor and Burgesses of San Fernando shall be good, valid and effectual, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Section 3 of the said Ordinance No. 24 of 1878 contained. Legalizing previous payments.

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Repeal.

5. The Ordinances specified in the Schedule B to this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of such Schedule.

Provided that this repeal shall not affect the validity or invalidity of anything done or suffered or any right accrued or liability incurred before the commencement of this Ordinance or any proceeding pending at the commencement of this Ordinance.

Passed in Council this Seventeenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

CHAS. J. ROOKS,
Acting Clerk of the Council.

SCHEDULE A.

TARIFF OF WHARF DUES

to be levied and taken on the undermentioned packages of Produce and Merchandize landed on or shipped from the San Fernando Wharf:—

EXPORTS.

	£	s.	d.
For every hogshead of Sugar	0	0	6
„ tierce of Sugar, puncheon of Rum or Molasses.	0	0	3
„ barrel or bag of Sugar, Cocoa, Coffee, or other Colonial Produce	0	0	1

IMPORTS.

For every hogshead of Tobacco	0	2	6
„ hogshead, puncheon, tierce or crate of Merchandize, and case or bale over 4 cubic feet, not enumerated	0	0	6
„ barrel of Merchandize... ..	0	0	2
„ case, bale, trunk, box of 4 cubic feet and under	0	0	3
„ case galvanized iron equal 100 six feet sheets...	0	0	6
„ case Soda Water, Ginger Ale or Lemonade ...	0	0	3
„ case Brandy, Gin, Champagne, Whiskey, Wine or Spirituous Liquors	0	0	3
„ quarter cask ditto of 25 gallons	0	0	3
„ half cask ditto of 50 gallons	0	0	6
„ bag, basket, jar, firkin, demijohn, half barrel, keg, tin or drum	0	0	1
„ box of Candles, Soap, Pipes, American Cheese, Tin-plates, half box of Fish of 50 lbs., Florida Water, Raisins	0	0	1
„ case containing Carboy of Acid	0	0	3
„ box of Fish (100 lbs.), or any wet goods over 60 lbs.	0	0	2
„ bag of Corn, Salt, Starch, Pepper... ..	0	0	0½
„ half box Raisins, Figs, Vermicelli	0	0	0½
„ bundle of Iron Hoops, Brooms, Buckets, Shooks, Forks, Spades, Shovels	0	0	1
Sheet Lead, per roll	0	0	6
Piping (Lead), per coil	0	0	3
Fencing Wire	0	0	1
Hams and Bacons, loose, per dozen	0	0	2
Earthenpots, Jars, Goblets, empty Demijohns, per dozen	0	0	1
Onions, Potatoes, loose, per 100 lbs.	0	0	1

IMPORTS.—CONTINUED.

	£	s.	d.	
Grating Bars, per 100 lbs. ... ..	...	0	0	1
Iron, Iron Piping, per 100 lbs. ... ..	...	0	0	1
Iron Pots and Stoves, per 100 lbs. ... ..	...	0	0	2
Grindstones and Flagstones, each ... ..	...	0	0	1
Dripstones, per pair ... ..	...	0	0	2
Anchors, Anvils, Axles, per 100 lbs. ... ..	...	0	0	1
Spokes (per 100) ... ..	...	0	0	2
Naves and Felloes, per dozen ... ..	...	0	0	2
Canetop Cutters, Cornmills, Cornshellers, each ... ..	...	0	0	2
Dried Fish and dried Meat (loose), Tasso, &c., per 100 lbs.	0	0	1	
Draining Pipes, 12 inches and under, each ... ..	...	0	0	1
„ over 12 inches ... ..	...	0	0	2
Lumber (per 1,000 feet) ... ..	...	0	1	6
Staves (per 1,000) ... ..	...	0	1	0
Shingles (per 1,000) ... ..	...	0	0	6
Fencing Posts and Sleepers, per 1,000 ... ..	...	0	1	6
Coals (loose), Patent Fuel in block, per ton ... ..	...	0	0	6
Iron Tanks, each ... ..	...	0	1	0
Steam Boiler with tubes ... ..	...	0	10	0
„ without tubes ... ..	...	0	7	6
Sugar Mill, complete ... ..	...	0	10	0
Machinery (loose) ... ..	...	0	1	6
Sugar or Carron Pans, per 100 gallons ... ..	...	0	0	6
Carriage and Cart Wheels, per pair ... ..	...	0	1	0
Carriage, complete ... ..	...	0	4	0
Cart or Gig ... ..	...	0	2	0
Horses and Mules ... ..	...	0	1	0
Oxen and Asses ... ..	...	0	0	6
Slates, Tiles and Bricks, per 1,000 ... ..	...	0	0	9
Wood Hoops, per 1,000 ... ..	...	0	1	0
Pipes or Butts, 120 gallons or over ... ..	...	0	1	0
Box of Kerosine Oil ... ..	...	0	0	1
Goats, Pigs, Sheep and Dogs, each ... ..	...	0	0	1
Packages Red Herring of 10 boxes ... ..	...	0	0	1

SCHEDULE B.

NO. AND YEAR.	TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
24—1878	... An Ordinance to vest in Her Majesty the Queen the San Fernando Tramroad.	Section 3.
5—1886	... "The Municipal Corporations Amendment Ordinance, 1886."	The whole.
10—1886	... An Ordinance to add to and amend the Tariff of Wharf Dues to be levied and taken on packages shipped from and landed on the San Fernando Wharf.	The whole.