

CONVENTION FOR LIMITING THE MANUFACTURE AND
REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION OF NARCOTIC DRUGS OF 13 JULY 1931
AS AMENDED BY THE PROTOCOL OF 11 DECEMBER 1946.

EGYPT

SEIZURE OF 672 GRAMMES OF HASHISH AT KANTARA ON DECEMBER 3, 1946

Report communicated by the Government of Egypt,
24th February 1947.

Note by the Secretary-General

In accordance with Article 23 of the Convention for Limiting the Manufacture and Regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs of 13 July 1931, as amended by the Protocol of 11 December 1946, the Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the following report on the above-mentioned seizure to the Members of the United Nations and to the other parties to the Convention.

On the arrival of Haifa train at Kantara, AHMED IBRAHIM EL HAROUN proceeded to the Customs Office to pay the Customs dues on a basket containing fruits. On examining the said basket, a quantity of 672 grammes of hashish was found hidden among the fruits.

The accused admitted that he had bought the seized drug from Rafa to sell it to a certain person in Port-Said, whose name he declined to mention.

He was tried by the Summary Native Court, Kantara on 13.2.47 and sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment and a fine of L.E.200.

The source of origin of the seized drug is under enquiry.
