

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

INDIA

SEIZURE OF 1716.8 GRAMMES OF OPIUM AT BOMBAY MADE ON 6 FEBRUARY 1947

Supplementary Report Communicated by the Government of India on 7 June 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.

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REPORT ON ILLICIT INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC ON DANGEROUS DRUGS

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| 1. Date of seizure | 6th February 1947. |
| 2. Port of seizure and the department making the seizure . . . | Bombay, Preventive Department,
New Custom House, Bombay. |
| 3. Number and description of packages, tins, wrappers,
labels, etc., seized, including the marks, if any, thereon. | |
| 4. Place of seizure. | Mole Station Railway Platform. |
| 5. Nature of contents; quantity. | 3 lbs. 12 9/16 oz (1 kg 716.8 gr.) of Indian Opium.
at Rs. 2/- (U.S. \$0.60) per tola. (11.7 grammes) |
| 6. Name of manufacturer and place of origin. | |
| 7. Name of the vessel its agents, the port from which it
started and its ports of call. | |
| 8. From whom, how, where, and at what price drugs were
obtained by accused, if any. | |
| 9. Personal particulars of accused, if any (name, nationality,
occupation and other details). | Name:-Shoroff Abdul Gafoor; Age:- 35 years; Nationality:-
Muslim; Occupation:-Wineman - working on daily wages;
Build:-Thin; Height:- 5' - 7" Residence:-No fixed
residence - Sleeps out side the main gate on the footpath;
Statement:- The accused stated in his statement that,
he was asked by one Mohamed to carry the drug for
Rs.80/- (U.S. \$24.12) to the Docks evidently trying to
implicate one whom he respects gave him away and does
not want to disclose the name. |

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- 10. Name and address of consignor.
- 11. Destination (country and place, and consignee)
- 12. Date of despatch from the country of origin,
if known.
- 13. No. of labels (or copies of labels), wrappers and tins or
other containers sent with the report.*
- 14. Any other particulars throwing light on the method employed
in the illicit traffic in drugs.
- 15. Judicial decision regarding the seizure.

The accused was convicted and sentenced by the 3rd
Presidency Magistrate to undergo (10) Ten-weeks
rigorous imprisonment.

Authority making this report:-

COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.

* If none is sent, reasons for not sending should be given.

(signed)

COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.

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