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TRAFFIC IN OPIUM AND OTHER DANGEROUS DRUGS.

ANNUAL REPORTS BY GOVERNMENTS FOR 1944.

ZANZIBAR.

Communicated by the Government of the United Kingdom.

Note by the Acting Secretary-General.

In accordance with Article 21 of the Convention of 1931 for limiting the Manufacture and regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs, the Acting Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the above-mentioned report to the parties to the Convention. The report is also communicated to other States and to the Advisory Committee on Traffic in Opium and other Dangerous Drugs.

(For the form of annual reports, see document O.C.1600).

A. GENERAL.

I. Laws and Publications.

II. Administration.

III. Control of International Trade.

IV. International Co-operation.

No change.

V. Illicit traffic.

(i) 1 kg. 352 gr. of opium was confiscated during 1944.

(ii) 1/2 kilogramme of Indian hemp was confiscated during 1944.

(iii) 17 prosecutions took place in 1944 under the Dangerous Drugs decree. In 15 cases, the accused were convicted and 2 cases ended in acquittal of the accused.

(iv) In 16 cases accused were prosecuted for being in possession of Indian hemp and in one case for being in unlawful possession of opium.

(v) Nationalities or tribes of persons prosecuted were as follows:

13 Africans, 5 Arabs and 2 Indians were prosecuted under the Dangerous Drugs decree of which 2 Africans were acquitted.

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B. RAW MATERIALS.

VII. Raw Opium. VIII. Coca Leaf. IX. Indian Hemp.

No change.

C. MANUFACTURED DRUGS.

X. Internal Control of Manufactured Drugs.

4. (a) The following were the numbers of licensed opium addicts in 1944 by races:

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January 25th, 1945. SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER IN-CHARGE.