

*Jurisdiction of Court.*

9. All jurisdiction, powers, and authorities exercisable on Her Majesty's behalf by any Consular Officer of Her Majesty, or other British authority, under the following Articles of the General Convention of 1875 (namely):

Article Twenty-four.—Criminal cases where prosecutor and prisoner are British subjects, and civil cases between British subjects or between British subjects and other foreign subjects.

Article Twenty-five.—Civil cases between British and Tunisian subjects.

Article Twenty-six.—Crimes committed by British subjects and contraventions of Police and other Regulations,— and under the following Articles of the Convention of 1863 (namely):

Article Four.—Cases between British subjects respecting immovable property, or the ownership or occupation of houses or lands.

Article Seven.—Administration on death of a British subject intestate of his lands, houses, and tenements.

Article Eight.—Immovable property of a British subject insolvent,—

and by virtue of any provision in either of those Conventions giving a right to the treatment of of the most favoured or other nation,—

shall be exercised by the Court for Tunis and the Supreme Court, according to their respective jurisdiction and authority, and not by any other Consular or other authority on behalf of Her Majesty.

10. All Her Majesty's jurisdiction, civil and criminal, exercisable in the Regency of Tunis, otherwise than under the two Conventions aforesaid, and not by the Ottoman Order of 1873, vested exclusively in the Supreme Court, shall, to the extent, and in the manner, provided by this Order, be vested in the Court for Tunis.

11. The Court shall observe the provisions of Article Twenty-seven of the General Convention of 1875 relating to quittances or receipts.

12. The criminal jurisdiction of the Court is hereby extended to all such contraventions of Police Regulations, and other Regulations, from time to time in force, as are within Article Twenty-six of the General Convention of 1875; and every such contravention shall be deemed an offence making the person doing the act amenable to punishment: provided, first, that no punishment shall be imposed under this Article, unless the Regulation a contravention whereof is charged has been adopted with the concurrence or approval of Her Majesty's Consul-General for Tunis, and, secondly, that no punishment shall be imposed under this Article other than a fine not exceeding Five pounds, with or without imprisonment, for not exceeding fourteen days, with or without hard labour.

13. The criminal jurisdiction of the Court is hereby extended to such procuring of false evidence as is within Article Twenty-eight of the General Convention of 1875; and the same shall be deemed an offence making the person doing the act amenable to punishment; and a person convicted of that offence shall be liable to the punishment to which a person convicted in England of subornation of perjury is liable.

*Continuance of Order of 1873.*

13. Subject to the express provisions of this Order, the Ottoman Order of 1873, and the several Orders in Council amending the same, shall continue to apply to and be in force in the Regency of Tunis as if this Order had not been passed.

And the Right Honourable the Earl Granville,

one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at Windsor, the 18th day of May, 1881.

**PRESENT,**

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by "The Weights and Measures Act, 1878," it is (among other things) enacted, that where the Board of Trade, upon the application of any Local Authority from time to time represent to Her Majesty that it would be expedient to alter the fees taken in respect of the verification and stamping of weights and measures by the Inspectors of such authority under the said Act (whether specified in the Fifth Schedule to the said Act, or in any Order previously made under the 47th section of the said Act), or for the purpose of adapting those fees to the local standards provided by such authority, to add to the said fees, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time to alter or add to the said fees:

And whereas the Board of Trade have, upon the application of the Local Authorities for the county, cities, and boroughs named in Schedules A and B hereto annexed, represented to Her Majesty that it would be expedient to alter and add to the scale of fees taken in respect of such verification and stamping of weights and measures by the Inspectors of such Local Authorities in the manner set forth in the said Schedules:

And whereas it has been made to appear that the alterations and additions contained in the said schedules are reasonable and proper:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the power vested in Her by the said Act, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to alter and add to the fees heretofore taken by the Inspectors of the Local Authorities for the county, cities, and boroughs named in Schedules A and B hereto annexed, in the manner therein set forth; and the fees specified in the said schedules shall be taken accordingly in lieu of and in addition to fees specified in the Fifth Schedule to the said Act.

*C. L. Peel.*

**SCHEDULE A.****FEES OF INSPECTORS.**

The following fees are the maximum fees hereafter to be taken on the verification and stamping of weights and measures by the Inspectors of the Local Authorities for the county and boroughs following, viz.:

County of Westmorland.  
Borough of Birkenhead.  
Borough of Faversham.  
Borough of Hull.

*Weights.*

| Avoirdupois :  | s. | d.              |
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| Each weight from 100 lb. (cental) to 14 lb. (stone), inclusive ... ..              | 0  | 4               |
| Each weight from 7 lb. to 1 lb., inclusive ... ..                                  | 0  | 2               |
| Each weight from 8 oz. to $\frac{1}{2}$ dram, inclusive ... ..                     | 0  | 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Each weight from 4,000 grains to $\frac{1}{100}$ th of a grain, inclusive ... ..   | 0  | 1               |
| Each weight from 240 to 24 grains, inclusive, commonly called penny-weights ... .. | 0  | 1               |