

CHAPTER I.—DEFINITIONS

ARTICLE 1

The Contracting Parties agree to adopt the following definitions for the purpose of the present Convention:

Raw Opium.—"Raw opium" means the spontaneously coagulated juice obtained from the capsules of the *Papaver somniferum* L., which has only been submitted to the necessary manipulations for packing and transport, whatever its content of morphine.

Medicinal Opium.—"Medicinal opium" means raw opium which has undergone the process necessary to adapt it for medicinal use in accordance with the requirements of the national pharmacopœia, whether in powder form or granulated or otherwise or mixed with neutral materials.

Morphine.—"Morphine" means the principal alkaloid of opium having the chemical formula $C_{17}H_{19}NO_3$.

Diacetylmorphine.—"Diacetylmorphine" means diacetylmorphine (diacetylmorphine, heroin) having the formula $C_{21}H_{23}NO_5$.

Coca Leaf.—"Coca leaf" means the leaf of the *Erythroxylon Coca* Lamarck and the *Erythroxylon novo-granatense* (Morris) Hieronymus and their varieties belonging to the family of Erythroxylaceæ and the leaf of other species of this genus from which it may be found possible to extract cocaine either directly or by chemical transformation.

Crude Cocaine.—"Crude cocaine" means any extract of the coca leaf which can be used directly or indirectly for the manufacture of cocaine.

Cocaine.—"Cocaine" means methyl-benzoyl lævo-ecgonine ($[\alpha] D_{20}^{\circ} = -16^{\circ}4$) in 20 per cent solution of chloroform, of which the formula is $C_{17}H_{21}NO_4$.

Ecgonine.—"Ecgonine" means lævo-ecgonine ($[\alpha] D_{20}^{\circ} = -45^{\circ}6$ in 5 per cent solution of water), of which the formula is $C_9H_{15}NO_3 \cdot H_2O$, and all the derivatives of lævo-ecgonine which might serve industrially for its recovery.

Indian Hemp.—"Indian hemp" means the dried flowering or fruiting tops of the pistillate plant *Cannabis sativa* L. from which the resin has not been extracted, under whatever name they may be designated in commerce.

CHAPTER II.—INTERNAL CONTROL OF RAW OPIUM AND COCA LEAVES

ARTICLE 2

The Contracting Parties undertake to enact laws and regulations to ensure the effective control of the production, distribution and export of raw opium, unless laws and regulations on the subject are already in existence; they also undertake to review periodically, and to strengthen as required, the laws and regulations on the subject which they have enacted in virtue of Article 1 of the Hague Convention of 1912 or of the present Convention.

ARTICLE 3

Due regard being had to the differences in their commercial conditions, the Contracting Parties shall limit the number of towns, ports or other localities through which the export or import of raw opium or coca leaves shall be permitted.