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## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

### MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall on Friday, July 17, 1908.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated July 11, 1908.

*Present* :—Mr. E. M. de C. Short, Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper, C.M.G.; Sir Allan Perry, Kt.; Mr. H. A. Jayewardene, Major A. W. de Wilton; Mr. H. Tiruvilangam; Mr. R. S. Templeton; Mr. M. F. Khan; Mr. L. B. Fernando; Mr. A. Fairlie; Mr. T. L. Villiers, Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. H. L. de Mel; Mr. G. H. Alston; Mr. E. G. Jayewardene; and Dr. David Rockwood.

The Minutes of Special Meetings of May 29, 1908, June 5, 1908, June 12, 1908, and June 26, 1908, and of General Meetings of June 19, 1908, and copies thereof having been sent to each member of the Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of Special Meetings of May 29, 1908, June 5, 1908, June 12, 1908, June 26, 1908, and of General Meeting of June 19, 1908, be confirmed.

1. Pursuant to notice, Mr. C. P. Dias moved that this Council do tender to His Excellency the Governor and Lady McCallum their warmest congratulations on the happy occasion of the birth of a daughter to Their Excellencies.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried unanimously.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. C. P. Dias moved that, in view of the alarming spread of enteric in the city, the Council do request the Chairman to give instructions to the Sanitary Department to see that all infected areas and other over-crowded parts of the town are regularly disinfected, the Council supplying disinfectants to all who are unable to procure them.

It was resolved that this be considered with items Nos. 13 and 14 on the agenda.

3. Pursuant to notice, Mr. C. P. Dias moved that steps be taken without delay to have the open offensive drain, running along Price Park, converted into a covered one.

Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.

After discussion, Mr. C. P. Dias, with leave of Council, withdrew his motion on the understanding that some special measures are taken to render the drain less offensive.

4. With leave of Council Mr. C. P. Dias withdrew the following motion standing in his name:—

“That the conveyance of fish and other kinds of manure on public roads be prohibited, unless the carts are well disinfected to prevent their proving a nuisance to the public.”

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene moved that the Chairman do give orders to the Sanitary Department to inform the Member of the Ward of any case of infectious disease occurring in the Ward which he represents, and of which information has been received by the Sanitary Department; the information to consist of—

1. Name of disease.
2. Name of patient.
3. Name of street and number of house.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.

Sir Allan Perry, Kt., moved as an amendment that a copy of the Weekly Infectious Diseases Report be forwarded to the Ward Members.

Mr. G. H. Alston seconded.

The motion was withdrawn in favour of the amendment, which was carried.

6 to 10. The following extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 10, 1908, Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 27, 1908, Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of July 8, 1908, Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 9, 1908, and Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of July 10, 1908, were brought before the Council:—

*Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 10, 1908.*

(6) Applications for the post of Municipal Assessor.

The offer of the appointment to Mr. N. G. Powar is approved.

*Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 29, 1908.*

To consider further communications from the Government on the subject of the proposed Municipal loan, and the offer of a contribution to the Drainage Works, on certain conditions.

Considered Colonial Secretary's letters Nos. 83 and 84 of June 19 and 22, 1908, respectively.

The Committee finds the present position of affairs to be as follows, and bases thereon the following recommendations:—

(i.) *Harbour Scheme.*—The Council has accepted responsibility for the increased estimate of 5½ million rupees, and has appealed to the Government to reconsider the terms of the agreement entered into in 1901, under which provision to meet an expenditure of only 2½ to 3 million rupees was made. The Committee looks upon this appeal as a perfectly reasonable one in view of the fact that the Council would never have embarked on the scheme on the provision indicated in Colonial Secretary's letter No. 38 of May 31, 1901, had they been warned of the possibility of the estimate being practically doubled, and gathers from His Excellency's memorandum of March 16 last that this view is shared by the Colonial Government.

The Committee hopes therefore that the Secretary of State may still be induced to reconsider his decision in the matter and to authorize a readjustment of the conditions under which the Council accepted liability for the expenditure connected with the Harbour Scheme.

(ii.) *Extensions of the Drainage Scheme.*—The Council has been informed in the most explicit terms that entire responsibility (financial and otherwise) for all drainage extensions outside the Harbour Scheme rests with them and they have accepted that responsibility and in accordance with the admitted principle that responsibility and control must go together, have intimated their readiness to accept the administration either of the entire drainage works, or of all works outside the Harbour Scheme. They have further decided that, in view of the experience of the past, they will not commit themselves to any further expenditure, beyond that of the extension of the main sewer to Polwatta estimated to cost Rs. 988,344, until they have before them a complete plan and estimate in detail of Messrs. Mansergh's Scheme for the whole of Colombo. As the conditions laid down by the Secretary of State appear to include the continuation of the work upon the present lines and the immediate acceptance by the Council of the method of procedure indicated in Mr. E. L. Mansergh's statement of January 17 last, the Committee does not see that the Council is in a position to deal with the offer. The Committee questions on general grounds the advisability of entering into any undertaking which would have the effect of depriving themselves, as well as future Councils, of the control of Municipal Funds which is vested in them by Ordinance and of entrusting to other hands the expenditure of a sum of over twenty million rupees of Municipal money. The Committee further strongly advises the Council not to accept liability for any further works without being in possession of the fullest details of the works which will be provided and of a guarantee, in the form of a contract or otherwise, that the estimate will not be exceeded.

(iii.) *Loan for Drainage Extensions.*—As above stated the Government has intimated to the Council that funds for all drainage extensions will have to be raised by themselves, under Government guarantee, and this decision has been accepted by the Council, and appears to have been endorsed by the Secretary of State, who remarks that it will be more satisfactory if the Municipality could carry out the rest of the sewerage works without assistance.

The Committee concurs in the view taken by his Excellency that the Council will have no difficulty in raising Municipal loans on favourable terms and recommends adherence to this course in preference to a continued dependence upon the funds of the Colony for an indefinite period. The acceptance of the concession offered in letter No. 84 is accordingly not recommended.

The Committee notes that the proffered concession does not extend to the loan of Rs. 5,000,000 which the Council has already accepted from the Government for the Harbour Scheme and in respect of which the Council has strong claims upon the consideration of the Government, and advises the Council to press for a concession in respect of the interest payable on the harbour loan; with regard to the rest of the sewerage works, the Committee thinks that the Council should renew their request to Government to be placed in a sufficiently sound financial position to admit of their prosecuting the complete Drainage Scheme with due diligence.

*Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of July 8, 1908.*

- (2) To consider what special steps, if any, should be taken in connection with the prevention of the spread of Enteric disease.  
Resolved that it be recommended to Council, that an overseer and six coolies be temporarily employed as an enteric cleansing gang, and that they be engaged at once in anticipation of the sanction of Council.  
Resolved further that additional expenditure on drain flushing in such congested quarters as the Malay quarter of Slave Island, Dematagoda, and Grandpass road be recommended, and that special measures be taken to provide a suitable water supply, if Labugama water is not available.  
With regard to further and more permanent measures to be adopted, the Committee decides to await the report which the Medical Officer of Health has been engaged for some time past in preparing and which is expected to be ready within a few days.
- (8) Letter from Medical Officer of Health, No. 191 of June 16, 1908, to continue the services of the anti-mosquito gang into an anti-fly gang from July 1, 1908.  
Approved. The Committee would be glad to have a report on this work from time to time.

*Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 9, 1908.*

- (2) Estimate for paving outside St. John's Fish Market, Rs. 1,964 03.  
The Municipal Engineer's suggestion of carrying out the paving only, in reduction of the estimate, is approved.
- (5) Letter from Municipal Engineer, No. 670 of June 26, 1908, re appointment of Surveyors and Draughtsmen.  
The Committee has carefully considered the recommendations made by the Municipal Engineer, and recommends to the Council that the list of appointments, sanctioned by resolution No. 6 of February 14, 1908, be amended in terms of Municipal Engineer's letter No. 1,506 of October 28, 1907.
- (7) Papers re insanitary area in Dematagoda.  
Recommended to Council that street lines be appointed in accordance with the plan submitted by the Municipal Engineer, and that scavenging lanes be in the first instance opened up within the limits of such street lines.
- (8) Papers re advance to new Assistant Engineers to purchase a horse and trap, to be repaid by monthly instalments.  
Recommended that advances not to exceed Rs. 600 be made, when recommended by the Head of the Department, repayable by monthly instalments of not less than Rs. 50.

*Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of July 10, 1908.*

- (2) Estimate for surveying and drawing instruments, Rs. 4,500.  
Recommended; to be provided in Supplemental Budget.
- (4) Amended estimate No. 258 of 1907, "Surveying and Drawing Instruments" for a supplemental vote of Rs. 13,73, Rs. 1,738-73.  
Passed.
- (5) Estimate for paving outside St. John's Fish Market, Rs. 1,964 03.  
Sanctioned the item for paving.
- (7) Letter from Municipal Engineer, No. 636 of June 16, 1908, explaining that three iron safes of the sizes required cannot be purchased for Rs. 450 and asking that a sum of Rs. 850 be sanctioned.  
Recommended that two safes of the kind required by the Municipal Engineer be purchased this year.
- (8) Letter from Municipal Engineer, No. 670 of June 26, 1908, re appointment of Draughtsmen and Surveyors.  
Endorse the recommendation of the Works Committee.
- (10) Letter from the Hon. the Government Agent, Western Province, No. 2,980a of July 1, 1908, requesting authority for the employment of a temporary clerk, on Rs. 50 for one month, in connection with the acquisition of land for the Infectious Diseases Hospital.  
Recommended.
- (11) Papers re advance to new Assistant Engineers to purchase a horse and trap, to be repaid by monthly instalments.  
Endorse the recommendation of the Works Committee.

- (13) Papers *re* handing over of ambulance to the Fire Brigade and transferring a sum of Rs. 875 from "Infectious Diseases Vote" to the Fire Brigade Votes, Nos. 45, 48, 49, and 50, to meet working expenses from June 1 to December 31, 1908.  
Sanctioned.
- (16) Application from Mr. N. G. Powar, Assessor, for the temporary employment of a draughtsman on Rs. 50 per mensem and a peon at Rs. 12.50 per mensem.  
Recommended.
- (20) To strike off taxes due on 51 and 51a, Piachaud's lane, from 1st quarter, 1907, acquired for Skinner's road widening.  
May be struck off.
- (21) To strike off irrecoverable water-rate Rs. 1.68, Rs. 3.33, and Rs. 1.98, due on premises No. 45, Armour street, for 3rd and 4th quarters, 1907, and 1st quarter, 1908, as the whereabouts of the debtor is not known.  
May be struck off.

Resolved that Council do go into Committee to consider items 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 on the agenda.

(Council in Committee.)

6. The Chairman moved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 10, 1908, be adopted.

Major A. W. de Wilton seconded.—Carried.

7. The Chairman moved that paragraph iii. (2) be amended by the addition of the words "upon the conditions named" and that the report as amended be adopted, and further that, with a view to satisfy the Government as to the Council's determination to prosecute the drainage scheme and so to secure the sanction to the raising of further funds for urgent public works other than drainage, the Council is prepared to give a guarantee to Government that they will devote a sum of not less than a million rupees yearly up to the year 1914 for expenditure on the sewerage and sewage disposal of Colombo, the interest and sinking fund thereon being a first charge upon the Council's revenue, provided that the decision already arrived at to await complete plans and estimates is adhered to and full freedom of action in dealing with such plans and estimates is reserved.

Mr. T. L. Villiers seconded.—Carried.

8. With reference to item No. 2 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of July 8, 1908, it was resolved that four gangs of six coolies each, with four carts and an overseer for each gang, be temporarily employed as enteric cleansing gangs.

The Chairman moved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of July 8, 1908, be adopted as amended.

Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

9. The Chairman moved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal works of July 9, 1908, be adopted.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

10. The Chairman moved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of July 10, 1908, be adopted.

Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman moved that Council do resume and that the resolutions passed in Committee be adopted.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

11. The Council then proceeded to ballot for the election of a member for the Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation in place of Dr. W. H. de Silva, deceased, in terms of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1902.

The result of the ballot was declared by the Chairman to be in favour of Dr. David Rockwood, who was accordingly elected a member of the Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation.

12. The Draft Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, as amended in Committee of Special Meetings of Council, was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

Resolved that Council do go into Committee.

(Council in Committee.)

The Chairman moved that sections 37 (3) and 197 (a) as now drafted be adopted, and that section 197a do not come into operation for one year from the date of the passing of the Ordinance.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.

Resolved that the word "and" be inserted before the words "the ground" in section 197a, page 13 of draft, and that the word "rendering" be substituted for the word "render" after the word "cement" in same section, and carried as amended. The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper dissenting.

The Chairman moved that Council do resume, and that the draft Ordinance as amended be finally passed.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried, the Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper dissenting.

13. Colonial Secretary's letter, No. 97 of July 9, 1908, forwarding a report by the Principal Civil Medical Officer on the epidemic of enteric fever in Colombo, was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

14. Report by the Medical Officer of Health, on the incidence of enteric in Colombo, was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

The Chairman moved that these reports be referred to a Special Committee consisting of Sir Allan Perry, Kt., Dr. David Rockwood, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, Mr. H. L. de Mel, and the Chairman, and that the Committee be authorized to provide such temporary hospital accommodation as may appear to be required and adopt such other measures as the exigencies of the case may demand, and report to the Council. The

Committee to be further authorized to publish the full text of the report of the Medical Officer of Health as soon as it sees fit to do so, and further that this Council sanctions a vote on account of Rs. 20,000 for the above purpose.

Mr. L. B. Fernando seconded.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper moved as an amendment that the Chairman, in conjunction with the Municipal Engineer and the Medical Officer of Health, be authorized to take such steps as are necessary to give effect to the proposals contained in Sir Allan Perry's report dated July 7, 1908, and that this Council authorizes an expenditure in connection therewith of a sum not exceeding Rs. 25,000.

Mr. R. S. Templeton seconded.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper withdrew his amendment in favour of an amendment proposed by Mr. G. H. Alston that the words "and the report of the Medical Officer of Health" be added after the words "Sir Allan Perry's report dated July 7, 1908," to Mr. Cooper's amendment.

Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Mr. Alston's amendment carried.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the Council do decide whether the night-soil depôt should be further maintained or not.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.

After discussion, Mr. C. P. Dias, with leave of Council, withdrew his motion and undertook to give notice of a formal motion on the subject.

15. Letter from Municipal Engineer, No. 366 of April 14, 1908, to transfer the 20-inch Labugama main in Victoria Bridge road to Nagalagam street, at a cost of Rs. 27,766, was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated, together with letter No. 757 of July 16, 1908, forwarding a revised estimate.

The Chairman moved that the revised estimate of Rs. 9,389 be sanctioned as an urgent work.

Mr. A. Fairlie seconded.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper called for a division.

On a show of hands being called the Chairman declared the motion carried. Mr. R. S. Templeton, Major de Wilton, Sir Allan Perry, Kt., and the Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper, voted against the motion.

16. Letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, No. 62 of April 15, 1908, proposing the appointment of an officer of the 4th Class of the Civil Service as Additional Police and Municipal Magistrate, was brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved that the proposals of the Government be sanctioned experimentally for one year and that provision be made for the services of an officer of Class IV. of the Civil Service in the estimates of 1909.

Major A. W. de Wilton seconded.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene moved as an amendment that this Council do appoint its own Magistrate at a salary of Rs. 3,500, rising by annual increments of Rs. 250 to Rs. 5,000. Such Magistrate shall devote his time exclusively to magisterial work.

Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.

The Council divided on the amendment, and the voting being equal the Chairman gave his casting vote against the amendment which was lost, the original motion was then put to the meeting and carried.

17. Papers *re* appointment of a Head Clerk to the Secretary's Department were brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved that candidates be called for the post.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

18. Applications for the post of Accountant, and Chairman's memorandum thereon, were brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

The Chairman moved that he be authorized to depute the selection of a candidate from the list of applicants, or otherwise, to a competent person in England.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

19. Papers *re* appointment of an Assistant Superintendent to the Fire Brigade, with Chairman's minute thereon, were brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved the Chief Officer of the London Fire Brigade be asked to make a selection from the members of the London Fire Brigade.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper seconded.

The Council divided on the amendment, and on a show of hands being taken the motion was declared lost.

20. Letter No. 732 of July 10, 1908, from the Municipal Engineer, asking a further advance on account of the work in progress on Skinner's road, was brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved that the Municipal Engineer be authorized to incur a further expenditure of Rs. 100,000, and that the money be advanced out of the current balance, to be hereafter charged to loan.

Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

21. Papers *re* extension of Municipal limits southwards and application from certain inhabitants of Wellawatta to be included within Municipal limits were brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved that the matter be referred to a joint Special Committee consisting of the Works and Finance Committees.

Sir Allan Perry, Kt., seconded.—Carried.

22. Letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, No. 72 of May 19, 1908, forwarding copy of a letter from Mr. C. Gnanasakaram, offering to devote a sum of Rs. 10,000 towards the construction of a building for the homeless poor of Colombo, and requesting the views of the Council on the offer, was brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved that this Council does not view with favour the erection of an open hall as proposed, and cannot recommend to Government to accept the offer made for that purpose.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

23. Letter from Mr. Alfred E. Perera dated June 18, 1908, *re* offer of a piece of land at Ragama to build a poor house, was brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

The Chairman moved that Mr. Perera be thanked for the offer, and informed that the Council does not see its way to accept it at present.

Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

24. Letter from the Honorary Secretary of the "New Courts, Law Chambers," applying for an annual grant of Rs. 500 from the Council to that institution, was brought before the Council, having been previously circulated.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene moved that the Honorary Secretary be informed that the request cannot be granted.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

25. Paragraphs 1, 2, and 3, of the report of the Special Committee appointed to revise the present salaries of the employees of the Council, excepting those whose salaries were dealt with on October 12, 1906. Resolved that this item be postponed for next meeting of Council.

26. Application from Assistant Municipal Engineers for an increase of salary in view of the increased cost of living in Colombo, and Municipal Engineer's report and Chairman's memorandum thereon, were brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

Mr. H. A. Jayewardene moved that the matter be referred to a Special Committee consisting of the Works and Finance Committees.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

27. Application from certain rate-payers of the Municipality of Colombo to present a portrait of the late Mr. Charles Perera to the Council, was brought before the Council, having been previously circulated. The Chairman moved that the offer be accepted.

Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

28. Circular letter No. 90 of June 19, 1908, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, re the abandoning of the present system of Opium Rents and Licenses, were laid on the table.

29. Further extension of leave to Mr. D. Don Miguel, Clerk, Assessment Department, from June 12 to August 1, 1908, owing to continued ill-health.

The Chairman moved that the leave granted by him be confirmed.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

30. Excess of leave over 30 days granted to midwife Sarah Dias owing to ill-health, from April 16 to June 14, 1908, and Mr. J. de Silva, Head Clerk, Assessment Department, from July 3 to July 23, 1908. The Chairman moved that the leave granted by him be confirmed.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

31. The following insanitary cesspit privies to be closed, the parties concerned having failed to show cause to the contrary, viz : No. 69, 2nd Cross street, 67, New Moor street, 16, Wellawatta road, 51 and 55, Jampettah street, 114, New Moor street, 53, Jampettah street, 1, Arab Lane, 28, Brass founder street, 65, 2nd Division Maradana, and 56, Siripina lane.

The Chairman moved that the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health be adopted.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

32. To cancel sales of premises Nos. 3, 3a, and 3b, Colpetty lane; 32 and 105, Colpetty road; 21, St. James' street; 41, St. Joseph's street; 77-79, Ferry street; 24, Messenger street; 15a, Elie House road; 60-62, Galkapanawatte; 39, Blomendahl street; 363a/108, 64/289, 16, 130/330, and 350/185, Alutmawatte; 165/162, and 144/149, Mutwal; 225b, Colpetty road; 59, Wellawatte; 19, Muhandriam's road; 28, Ferry street; 174/263, 128a, 292a, 134/189, and 260/157, Modera street; 77/25, 6/11, and 71/18, Tanque Salgadoe (New Fishers' quarters); 132a/1, Fishers' Hill; 6, Marshall street; 7, Piachaud's lane; 73, Maligawatte; 50/51, Ferry street; 90l, Demetagoda; 3, Arab Passage; 49, Darley road; 45, Maligakande; 221, 70, and 237e, Demetagoda; 33/1 Maligakande; 90i, Demetagoda; 1, 2nd Lane, Pettah; 9, Gabo's lane II.; 1, Mitchoe's lane; 56, First Cross street; 42, Keyzer street; 119a, Madampitiya; 3, Forbes lane; 5, Wilson street; 186, 2nd Division Maradana; 32, 70, 71, 116, and 209, Sea street; 4, New Chetty street; 13a, Jail road; 87, Silversmith street; 25, St. John's road; 43, New Moor street; and 5, Peer Saibo's lane.

The Chairman moved that he be authorized to cancel the sales.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

33. Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the first quarter of 1908 was laid on the table.

34. Report of the Resident Engineer of the Colombo Drainage Works for the month of May, 1908, was laid on the table, having been previously printed and circulated.

35. City Analyst's reports on the town water for June, 1908, was laid on the table, having been previously printed and circulated.

36. The Colonial Auditor's remarks for the month of April, 1908, were laid on the table.

37. Statement of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to June 30, 1908, was laid on the table. The Progress Report of work done for June, 1908, was not ready.

38. Reports of inspectors on licensed carriages and on shops used for the sale of kerosine, poisons, and gunpowder were laid on the table.

The following documents were also laid on the table :—

Return of Committees of Municipal Council of 1908.

Proceedings of Committees.

Volunteer Band Programme for July, 1908.

The returns of average daily supply and consumption of water for March, April, and May 1908 were not received.

The Municipal Engineer's Report for June, 1908, on the condition of Tramway routes

Confirmed on August 21, 1908 :

E. M. DE C. SHORT,  
Chairman, Municipal Council,  
and Mayor of Colombo.

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Chairman, Municipal Council  
and Mayor of Colombo.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from  
January 1 to July 31, 1908.

## REVENUE.

	Estimated Revenue for 1908.		Receipts to July 31, 1908.			Estimated Revenue for 1908.		Receipts to July 31, 1908.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>TAXES.</b>									
1 Commutation under Road Ordinance ..	112,000	0	114,497	50					
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals (under section 128 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1887) ..	47,000	0	44,348	0	35 Dean's road market ..	20,000	0	9,163	24
2a Do. costs ..	200	0	188	24	36 Dean's road market, lighting charges ..	1,400	0	542	66
3 Dog tax ..	6,000	0	4,861	30	37 Grandpass market ..	2,500	0	1,158	33
<b>LICENSES.</b>									
4 Carriage and rickshaws for hire ..	15,000	0	14,967	25	38 Kollupitiya market ..	1,000	0	675	0
5 Passenger hackeries for hire ..	500	0	410	40	39 Muhammadan meat market, Dhobies' pond ..	720	0	480	0
6 Cart, coach, and tram cars ..	8,000	0	8,112	5	40 Gintupitiya street market ..	2,500	0	1,575	0
Do. arrears—1907 ..	—*		259	35	41 Gintupitiya street market, lighting charges ..	200	0	126	0
7 Boat ..	70	0	45	0	42 Slave Island market ..	9,000	0	5,720	0
8 Boat—issued by Master Attendant ..	5,300	0	—		43 Bambalapitiya market ..	600	0	380	0
Do. arrears—1907 ..	—*		8	55	44 Costs for recovery of arrears of market rents ..	400	0	628	25
9 Gun—issued by Government Agent ..	1,000	0	—		<b>SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.</b>				
10 To sell intoxicating liquors—issued by Government Agent ..	18,100	0	—		45 Dematagoda, slaughtering fees ..	20,000	0	12,385	90
11 Butchers ..	260	0	—		46 Dematagoda, feeding fees ..	23,500	0	14,698	25
12 Coal depôts, tanneries, &c. ..	700	0	534	0	47 Do. sale of blood ..	225	0	225	0
13 To slaughter cattle, sheep, and pigs (special) ..	100	0	6	50	48 Do. sale of manure ..	100	0	82	50
14 To sell meat (special) ..	250	0	95	0	49 Dematagoda, cost of gas to stove ..	300	0	151	35
15 To sell fish (special) ..	300	0	195	0	50 Madampitiya, grass land ..	200	0	120	0
16 Opium ..	81,500	0	40,555	50	51 Fees for inspection of frozen meat ..	1,200	0	655	49
17 Petroleum ..	2,500	0	1,937	0	<b>HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>				
18 Guides ..	200	0	55	0	52 For conserving private latrines ..	165,000	0	72,745	29
19 Poison ..	200	0	—		53 Buckets sold ..	250	0	150	0
20 Auctioneers and brokers ..	4,700	0	4,080	0	54 Disinfectants, &c., sold ..	900	0	673	51
21 Stamp duty on advocates', proctors', and notaries' certificates and articles of clerkship ..	5,500	0	760	0	55 For clearing cesspit privies ..	1,000	0	361	25
22 Stamp duty on licenses on arrack taverns ..	9,975	0	—		56 Lease of grass land at night oil depôt ..	5,520	0	3,220	0
<b>JUDICIAL FINES.</b>									
23 By Municipal Magistrate ..	40,000	0	20,213	32	<b>ASSESSMENT ACCOUNTS.</b>				
24 By Police Magistrate ..	50	0	70	75	<i>Consolidated Rates.</i>				
<b>TOLLS.</b>									
25 Victoria bridge, Grandpass ..	80,277	0	38,448	75	57 Consolidated rate—				
26 Bambalapitiya ..	56,987	0	3,772	6	arrears, 1902 ..	50	0	14	24
27 Mutwal ferry ..	1,730	0	865	4	58 Do. 1903 ..	200	0	67	38
28 Lock-gate ..	400	0	200	2	59 Do. 1904 ..	300	0	95	84
<b>MARKETS.</b>									
29 Edinburgh, fruit and vegetable ..	1,000	0	649	26	60 Do. 1905 ..	1,500	0	1,03	12
30 Price park, fruit and vegetable ..	4,000	0	2,656	44	61 Do. 1906 ..	4,000	0	4,836	10
31 Edinburgh, meat ..	5,000	0	3,645	0	62 Consolidated rate, current, 1907 (4th quarter, 1906, to 3rd quarter, 1907) ..	160,000	0	98,829	80
32 Edinburgh, meat, lighting charges ..	500	0	356	0	63 Consolidated rate, 1908 (4th quarter, 1907, to 3rd quarter, 1908) ..	500,000	0	244,694	51
33 St. John's fish mart ..	960	0	560	0	63a Consolidated rate, 1909 (4th quarter, 1908, to 3rd quarter, 1909) ..	10,000	0	1,862	19
34 St. John's fish market ..	2,500	0	1,148	79	64 Consolidated rate, costs ..	17,000	0	10,534	39
					65 Military contribution for lighting the Fort ..	1,702	0	1,276	38
					<i>Sale of Water.</i>				
					66 Sale of water ..	170,000	0	95,653	10
					67 Costs on recoveries ..	100	0	39	46
					68 Contribution by Military ..	10,000	0	—	

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	Estimated Revenue for 1908.		Receipts to July 31, 1908.			Estimated Revenue for 1908.		Receipts to July 31, 1908.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>									
69 Fees for registering bonds.	150	0	140	0	83 Mulct ..	1,500	0	651	43
70 Trunk roads, contribution by Government ..	32,570	0	—	—	84 Sale of tender and specification forms ..	40	0	6	25
71 Tramway mileage ..	4,834	0	4,833	32	85 General cemeteries, fees, &c. ..	5,500	0	3,913	50
72 Rent of grass land and other property ..	4,500	0	2,278	25	86 Rent of Superintendent's quarters, Bridge-of-boats	500	0	200	0
73 Racquet court fees ..	50	0	20	31	87 Rent of dynamite magazine	50	0	—	—
74 Galle Face, grazing fees ..	500	0	227	65	88 Fees for testing kerosine oil	500	0	623	50
75 Victoria park, grazing fees.	400	0	260	0	89 Guides' badges account ..	10	0	—	—
76 Campbell's park, grazing fees ..	200	0	96	35	90 Fees for testing electric meters ..	10	0	—	—
77 Price Recreation Ground, grazing fees ..	200	0	142	58	91 Rents of lands, Mansergh Avenue acquisition ..	1,000	0	—	—
78 Fees for testing and stamping weights and measures	300	0	81	36	92 Rent of lands, Skinner's road acquisition ..	2,000	0	—	—
79 Fees from tennis court, Victoria park ..	50	0	14	75	Revenue Account—Meter rent ..	—*	—	4,213	6
80 Interest ..	2,000	0	4,211	82	Advances of previous year adjusted ..	—*	—	2,929	12
81 Havelock park grazing ..	150	0	116	72	Revenue Account—Purchase of stores ..	—*	—	29,572	61
82 Miscellaneous ..	—	—	4,438	19	Revenue Account—Making concrete pipes ..	—*	—	3,901	38
Sale of stores ..	—	—	—	—					
Mulct ..	—	—	—	—					
Town Hall fees ..	—	—	—	—					
Overplus at sales ..	—	—	—	—					
Sale of tender and specification forms ..	3,510	0	—	—					
Sale of scavenging rubbish	—	—	—	—					
Deposits made by tenderers	—	—	—	—					
Sale of timber ..	—	—	—	—					
					Total ..	1,704,650	0	975,497	35

## EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated Expenditure for 1908.		Disbursements to July 31, 1908.			Estimated Expenditure for 1908.		Disbursements to July 31, 1908.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.</b>									
1 Annuity for waterworks ..	100,000	0	50,000	0	<b>SHROFF'S DEPARTMENT.</b>				
2 Annuity for Victoria bridge ..	8,000	0	—	—					
3 Interest and sinking fund on loans for Drainage Works ..	120,000	0	136,118	84					
4 Pensions ..	18,071	0	10,616	65					
5 Fee for audit of accounts ..	5,000	0	—	—					
6 Maintenance of police ..	60,000	0	30,000	0	<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>				
<b>SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF DEPARTMENTS.</b>									
<b>CHAIRMAN.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
7 Salary of Chairman ..	18,000	0	10,500	0	11 Salaries ..	3,697	0	2,179	10
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
8 Horse allowance to Chairman ..	1,200	0	700	0	12 Transport allowance ..	180	0	105	0
<b>SECRETARIAT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
9 Salaries ..	29,402	0	13,514	91	<b>ASSESSMENT DEPARTMENT.</b>				
10 Personal allowances ..	100	0	50	0	<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>				
					13 Salaries ..	11,175	0	5,138	29
					14 Commission to collectors ..	15,000	0	6,922	15
					15 Commission for assessing properties ..	1,000	0	—	—
					<i>Other Charges.</i>				
					16 Refunds ..	250	0	20	15
					17 Advertisements ..	1,000	0	200	55
					18 Transport allowances ..	900	0	150	0
					19 Costs in legal proceedings	1,000	0	174	75
					<b>COMMUTATION UNDER ROAD ORDINANCE DEPARTMENT.</b>				
					<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>				
					20 Salaries ..	2,910	0	1,767	50
					21 Personal allowance ..	150	0	—	—
					22 Commission, salaries of extra clerks, &c. ..	11,500	0	8,704	49

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	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
23 Refunds	100 0	53 45			
VEHICLES AND ANIMALS DEPARTMENT.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
24 Salaries..	2,934 0	1,702 22			
25 Commission, &c.	900 0	220 0			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
26 Refunds	50 0	23 50			
27 Badges, tin plates, and fare tables	1,440 0	1,414 74			
28 Painting and branding	270 0	91 80			
29 Capture of dogs	3,500 0	1,790 48			
30 Dog collars	500 0	421 0			
REVENUE OFFICER'S DEPARTMENT.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
31 Salaries..	9,530 0	5,219 12			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
32 Transport allowances	2,160 0	1,395 0			
MUNICIPAL COURT.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
33 Salaries..	5,728 0	3,455 33			
PRINTING DEPARTMENT.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
34 Salaries of staff	6,218 0	3,620 7			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
35 General upkeep and stores	775 0	660 54			
36 Repairs and upkeep of machinery and for gas	380 0	208 57			
PUBLIC WORKS DEPART- MENT.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
37 Salaries (excluding over- seers)	75,406 0	37,836 5			
38 Salaries of overseers	11,530 0	6,482 76			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
39 Transport allowances	7,980 0	4,228 55			
40 Drawing materials	460 0	66 1			
41 Photographic materials	406 0	401 3			
42 Overseers' transport allow- ances..	900 0	500 0			
WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
43 Salaries ..	20,412 0	11,019 5			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
44 Transport allowances	2,340 0	1,310 0			
FIRE BRIGADE.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
45 Salaries and wages	16,580 0	8,938 43			
46 Doctor's fee'	580 0	266 93			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
47 Transport allowances	660 0	363 0			
48 Uniforms, &c.	2,000 0	1,221 27			
49 Stores ..	2,970 0	1,769 68			
50 Horses ..	1,800 0	1,085 0			
51 Telephones	585 0	520 0			
52 Working expenses and lights..	1,860 0	861 62			
230 Mr. Thompson's hospital expenditure	—*	188 45			
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT, SANITARY BRANCH.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
53 Salaries..	40,542 0	23,030 98			
54 House allowances	720 0	420 0			
55 Salary of dog pound- keeper	453 0	252 0			
56 Fees to Analyst	6,000 0	4,000 0			
57 Fees to Bacteriologist	300 0	63 0			
58 Wages of disinfecting coolies	1,296 0	764 22			
59 Cleansing gang	4,287 0	820 16			
60 Salary of Inspector of outside dairies and laundries	1,440 0	840 0			
61 Plague camp establish- ment ..	216 0	126 0			
241 Wages to anti-mosquito gang and uniform to overseer	—*	52 0			
249 Enteric cleansing gang..	—*	46 44			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
62 Prevention of infectious diseases	7,000 0	5,500 81			
63 Cost of disinfectants	1,000 0	752 59			
64 Samples for analyses	50 0	38 49			
65 Midwives, remuneration, equipment, &c.	3,500 0	2,186 98			
66 Prevention of diseases in animals	400 0	131 75			
67 Transport of infected goods ..	500 0	65 75			
68 Transport allowances	5,580 0	3,205 0			
231 Cost of ambulance cart	—*	1,000 0			
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT, CONSERVANCY BRANCH.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
69 Salaries and wages	16,190 0	9,650 91			
70 House allowances	480 0	280 0			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
71 Conservancy of dry-earth closets	65,000 0	37,119 39			
72 Supply of coir dust	7,300 0	4,528 66			
73 Stationery, &c.	600 0	270 61			
74 Refunds	600 0	110 0			
75 Hire of bulls	39,500 0	22,755 54			
76 Postage	300 0	90 0			
77 Uniform, &c.	700 0	390 88			
78 Cost of disinfectants	1,000 0	691 60			
79 Rent of night soil depôt..	1,638 0	1,637 50			
80 Miscellaneous	600 0	48 58			
81 Transport allowances	1,200 0	420 0			
MARKETS.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
82 Salaries..	7,369 0	4,129 13			

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	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908. Rs. c.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908. Rs. c.
<i>Other Charges.</i>			<b>PUBLIC WORKS ANNUALLY RECURRENT.</b>		
83 Tools and equipment ..	300 0	182 0	<i>Buildings.</i>		
224 Uniforms to market- keepers, &c.	—*	437 0	117 Town Hall, maintenance of ..	3,697 0	655 19
<b>SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.</b>			118 Toll-houses, maintenance of ..	600 0	—
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			119 Guides' shelter, mainte- nance of ..	90 0	13 78
84 Salaries ..	3,690 0	2,327 50	120 Gas testing room, main- tenance of ..	104 0	—
85 House allowance to assis- tant ..	180 0	105 0	121 Store and workshop, main- tenance ..	175 0	—
<i>Other Charges.</i>			122 No. 2, Hulftsdorp, main- tenance ..	120 0	—
86 Transport allowances ..	180 0	105 0	123 Disinfector building, main- tenance ..	282 0	34 0
87 Feeding charges ..	4,500 0	2,185 66	124 Contingencies ..	86 0	84 51
88 Removal of undigested food ..	60 0	190 0	125 Disinfector, working of ..	1,350 0	606 91
89 Burying carcases of cattle	100 0	47 0	126 Plague camp buildings, maintenance of ..	1,000 0	131 84
90 Contingencies ..	200 0	3 50	127 Markets, repair of ..	4,850 0	1,390 0
91 Tools ..	350 0	192 78	128 Slaughter-houses, repairs.	1,000 0	32 0
228 Latrine accommodation, slaughter-house, Dema- tagoda ..	—*	3 50	129 Slaughter-houses, quarter- ly whitewashing ..	1,075 0	718 75
<b>GENERAL CEMETERIES.</b>			130 Latrines, repair of ..	1,150 0	163 94
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			131 Latrines, quarterly white- washing ..	1,000 0	700 0
92 Salaries ..	4,065 0	2,370 28	132 Latrines, monthly white- washing ..	440 0	21 95
93 House allowances ..	360 0	210 0	133 Cemeteries, upkeep of buildings ..	910 0	152 47
<i>Other Charges.</i>			134 Central Fire Station, upkeep of ..	690 0	239 30
94 Contingencies ..	300 0	827 21	135 Fire Brigade buildings, upkeep of other ..	370 0	110 82
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>			136 Conservancy buildings, repair of cart and cattle sheds ..	2,000 0	1,191 67
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &amp;c.</i>		
95 Salary of Head Guide ..	432 0	252 0	137 General upkeep of roads ..	26,444 0	11,099 2
96 Extra clerks, overtime allowances, &c. ..	2,000 0	2,577 25	138 Upkeep of metal roads, upon sub-estimates ..	167,525 0	64,500 54
<i>Other Charges.</i>			139 Upkeep of gravel roads, lanes, &c., upon sub- estimates ..	34,039 0	12,643 20
97 Inspectors' uniform, &c. ..	1,500 0	1,820 23	140 Tools for roads ..	2,900 0	1,390 54
98 Library ..	500 0	352 57	141 Repairs to steam rollers ..	7,417 0	1,694 82
99 Contribution to Law Library ..	500 0	500 0	142 Watering streets ..	18,410 0	10,202 26
100 Costs and expenses of legal proceedings ..	3,000 0	1,448 17	143 Repair and maintenance of roads, night soil depôt ..	3,900 0	1,048 97
101 Guides' coats ..	60 0	—	144 Narahenpitiya road, metalling of ..	2,800 0	2,424 14
102 Contribution to Volunteer Band ..	4,500 0	2,250 0	145 Carriage stands, upkeep of	223 0	—
103 Contribution to Govern- ment on account of electrical apparatus ..	100 0	—	146 Painting church street enclosure ..	357 0	—
104 Advertisements ..	1,000 0	855 35	147 Paved footways, repairs ..	1,500 0	850 87
105 Refund of fines, rents, &c.	265 0	42 0	148 Repairs to bridges, culverts, drains, &c. ..	25,250 0	14,256 40
106 Expenses of bookbinding	500 0	484 5	149 Conservancy of sewers and drains ..	10,160 0	2,931 38
107 Subscription to news- papers ..	100 0	93 0	266/07 Works in connection with Skinner's road widening ..	—*	31,954 52
108 Cost of grazing tickets ..	200 0	100 25	238/07 Widening Maradana bridge ..	—*	16,260 0
109 Postage ..	300 0	260 0	<i>Scavenging.</i>		
110 Subscription to telephone exchange ..	125 0	205 0	150 Scavenging ..	160,301 0	81,110 13
111 Seizure of cattle straying on public roads ..	2,574 0	1,296 0			
112 Miscellaneous ..	3,000 0	1,302 65			
113 Train and tram fare allowances ..	2,000 0	2,033 2			
114 Stationery ..	5,000 0	4,381 53			
115 Furniture ..	500 0	887 22			
116 Cost of peons' belts ..	100 0	89 75			

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	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>					
151 Conservancy of lake ..	5,060 0	2,026 13	175 Current for electric fans ..	2,800 0	2,092 57
152 Lake, sluices, and locks, upkeep ..	1,060 0	97 62	176 Weeding grounds of ceme- teries ..	172 0	76 77
153 Lake dredging ..	17,171 0	10,576 46	177 Surveys, tracings, &c. ..	2,752 0	1,391 88
154 Canal dredging ..	4,500 0	1,013 98	178 Store expenses ..	1,511 0	607 13
<i>Parks.</i>					
155 Victoria park, mainte- nance ..	6,923 0	4,720 13	179 Repairs to furniture of vaccine stations ..	50 0	11 0
156 Racquet court, mainte- nance ..	1,303 0	523 54	180 Tools for works ..	4,300 0	1,894 83
157 Jubilee fountain, main- tenance ..	112 0	12 46	219 Pile driver and new steam winch ..	—*	3,406 5
158 Gordon Gardens, mainte- nance ..	1,749 0	616 52	225 File proof of Municipal Court ..	—*	33 18
159 Galle Face esplanade, maintenance ..	833 0	256 43	222 Waterworks materials from Colonial Store ..	—*	1,304 8
160 Campbell park, mainte- nance ..	2,205 0	985 41	237/6 Cattle quarantine station and mart ..	—*	4,830 0
161 Price Recreation Ground, maintenance ..	1,080 0	566 86	<b>PUBLIC WORKS EXTRA- ORDINARY.</b>		
162 Havelock Town park, maintenance ..	2,007 0	1,018 30	<i>Waterworks.</i>		
163 Maligakanda park, main- tenance ..	650 0	28 10	181 Extension of water service	5,000 0	18 10
<i>Waterworks.</i>					
164 Maintenance charges ..	7,000 0	3,739 19	<i>Lighting.</i>		
165 Shifting and repair to standposts, &c. ..	500 0		128 15	182 Extension of lighting ..	6,000 0
Suspence account ..	—*		<i>Parks.</i>		
<i>Lighting.</i>					
166 Lighting public streets with gas ..	121,000 0	69,279 12	183 Improvements to Camp- bell park ..	4,012 0	1,331 90
167 Electric lighting of the Fort ..	18,200 0	10,212 0	184 Public garden, Rifle street	2,700 0	1,978 52
168 Shifting of lamps, repairs to fittings, &c. ..	2,000 0	268 31	185 Public garden, Union place ..	2,800 0	483 64
169 Lighting Municipal build- ings ..	9,000 0	4,022 15	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
170 Lighting Dean's road market ..	1,400 0	492 71	186 Conservancy buckets, con- struction of ..	1,000 0	—
171 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c. ..	1,000 0	—	187 Storage buckets for latrines ..	600 0	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>					
172 Ambulance carts, repairs.	512 0	23 7	188 Wall presses for Medical Officer, Health De- partment ..	789 0	600 79
173 Night soil carts, construc- tion and repairs of ..	5,000 0	3,863 71	189 Record shelves for Works Department ..	652 0	815 86
174 Septic tanks, maintenance, repairs, &c. ..	250 0	10 87	190 Record shelves for Municipal Court ..	415 0	352 89
			191 Cement testing machine ..	1,073 0	—
			223 Dust bins for markets ..	—*	364 80
			227 Official photographic albums ..	—*	150 0
			Items to be hereafter re-voted	—*	85,492 70
			<b>Total ..</b>	<b>5,577,147 0</b>	<b>1,011,473 94</b>

REVENUE.	Receipts to July 31, 1908.
	Rs. c.
Advance account ..	200,062 51
Balance ..	51,881 90
	<u>251,944 41</u>
Advance account—Making concrete sewer pipes ..	2,945 62
Balance ..	6,973 30
	<u>9,918 92</u>
Advance account—Repairs to water cisterns, St. John's latrine ..	3 92
Advance account—Clearing rubbish, Parsi Theatre shod ..	56 48
Advance account—Steam roller to Chief Construction Engineer ..	5 75
	<u>16,961 18</u>
Advance account—Purchase of stores..	26,918 35
Balance ..	
	<u>43,879 53</u>
Advance account—Purchase of stores, Waterworks ..	12,744 16

EXPENDITURE.	Disbursements to July 31, 1908.
	Rs. c.
Advance account ..	251,944 41
	<u>251,944 41</u>
Advance account—Making concrete sewer pipes ..	9,918 92
	<u>9,918 92</u>
Advance account—Purchase of stores..	26,918 35

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DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.		Receipts to July 1, 1908.	
		Rs.	c.
Deposit account .. .. .	..	14,878	95
Security deposits .. .. .	..	15,110	78
Owners of quarries .. .. .	..	205	0
Unpaid wages .. .. .	..	408	56
Drinking trough .. .. .	..	—	—
Land acquisition, Madampitiya drainage works .. .. .	..	65	75
Do. Mansergh Avenue .. .. .	..	567	94
Do. Skinner's road .. .. .	..	7,471	11
Temporary road, Panchikawatta .. .. .	..	1,171	46
Base Line road acquisition .. .. .	..	1,732	80
Church Yard lane acquisition .. .. .	..	4,603	45
Half fines to Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals .. .. .	..	158	50
Half rewards to Police Reward Fund .. .. .	..	399	0
Madampitiya-Mattakkuliya road .. .. .	..	185	0
Repairs, Victoria bridge road .. .. .	..	87	11
Clearing cesspits .. .. .	..	1,299	82
Waterworks .. .. .	..	5,432	72
Total .. .. .	..	53,777	95

## BALANCE ON JULY 31, 1908.

		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1907 .. .. .	..	—	299,359 69
Deduct debit balance on July 31, 1908 .. .. .	..	—	35,976 35
			263,383 34
Add credit deposit account .. .. .	..	—	53,777 95
			317,161 29
Deduct Advance Account .. .. .	..	51,881 90	
Do. Making concrete pipes .. .. .	..	6,973 30	
Do. Cisterns, St. John's latrine .. .. .	..	3 92	
Do. Clearing rubbish, Parsee theatre shed.. .. .	..	56 48	
Do. Steam roller to Chief Construction Engineer .. .. .	..	5 75	
Do. Purchase of stores .. .. .	..	26,918 35	
Do. Purchase of stores, waterworks .. .. .	..	12,744 16	
			98,583 86
Total .. .. .	..	218,577 43	

## ITEMS TO BE HEREAFTER RE-VOTED.

No. of Estimate.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount.
		Rs. c.
292 of 1906 ..	Skinner's road widening .. .. .	145 75
241 of 1907 ..	Acquisition of land, Base Line road .. .. .	49 25
233 of 1907 ..	Extension of sheep slaughter shed, Dematagoda .. .. .	2,601 5
238 of 1907 ..	Drainage, Polwatta .. .. .	19,466 24
248 of 1907 ..	Improvements to Central Fire Station .. .. .	11,483 0
40 of 1904 ..	Improvements to Dean's road market .. .. .	11,113 34
254 of 1904 ..	Timber shed, Suduwella .. .. .	4,933 32
244 of 1907 ..	Modara street drainage .. .. .	18,300 7
255 of 1907 ..	Talipot ceiling, Price Park .. .. .	54 63
256 of 1905 ..	Office and store, Suduwella .. .. .	9,105 35
264 of 1907 ..	Fitting shelves, Medical Officer, Health Department .. .. .	155 97
265 of 1906 ..	Construction of dog seizers' carts .. .. .	19 62
255 of 1905 ..	New roads, Suduwella depôt .. .. .	142 0
253 of 1907 ..	Surveying and drawing instruments .. .. .	1,738 73
230 of 1905 ..	Erection of water posts .. .. .	59 26
4 of 1907 ..	Salaries .. .. .	1,491 94
257 of 1907 ..	Bookkeeper's desks, Works Department .. .. .	879 13
249 of 1906 ..	Drain, Modera mosque .. .. .	1,578 71
223 of 1905 ..	Cost of Survey of Skinner's road .. .. .	10 60
279 of 1905 ..	Flushing carts .. .. .	9 75
257 of 1905 ..	Quarters for Storekeepers, Suduwella .. .. .	2,154 99
Total .. .. .		85,492 70

## EXPENDITURE on Estimate No. 138 (Rs. 167,525).—Amount upon Sub-Estimates for Metal Roads.

EXPENDITURE.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
192	Metalling, New Bazaar Ward .. ..	10,379 60	6,080 56
193	Do. St. Paul's Ward .. ..	10,563 60	4,425 9
194	Do. San Sebastian Ward .. ..	10,944 80	6,857 54
195	Do. Kotahena West .. ..	11,431 0	982 68
196	Do. Kotahena East .. ..	14,490 0	6,879 26
197	Do. Pettah Ward .. ..	15,600 0	7,636 26
198	Do. Fort Ward .. ..	21,781 65	8,259 81
199	Do. Maradana East .. ..	8,122 95	2,245 83
200	Do. Maradana West .. ..	16,082 55	6,590 51
201	Do. Kollupitiya East .. ..	14,656 95	2,912 40
202	Do. Kollupitiya West .. ..	13,632 30	5,174 18
203	Do. Slave Island .. ..	19,839 60	6,456 42
Total .. ..		167,525 0	64,500 54

## EXPENDITURE on Estimate No. 139 (Rs. 34,039).—Amount upon Sub-Estimates for Graveling Roads.

EXPENDITURE.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1908.	Disburse- ments to July 31, 1908.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
204	Graveling, Maradana East .. ..	2,555 76	420 5
205	Do. Maradana West .. ..	1,479 36	1,276 92
206	Do. Kollupitiya East .. ..	4,112 36	2,827 47
207	Do. Kollupitiya West .. ..	6,168 32	2,246 73
208	Do. Slave Island .. ..	2,418 54	420 23
209	Do. Kotahena West .. ..	3,729 30	2,555 26
210	Do. Fort .. ..	5,927 92	486 29
211	Do. Pettah .. ..	351 0	345 8
212	Do. New Bazaar .. ..	792 0	702 27
213	Do. San Sebastian .. ..	990 0	609 46
214	Do. St. Paul's .. ..	3,168 0	435 77
215	Do. Kotahena East .. ..	2,346 0	317 67
Total .. ..		34,038 56	12,643 20

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, August 17, 1908.

E. M. DE C. SHORT,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, and  
Mayor of Colombo.

## Progress Report.

Statement showing Expenditure and Balance on July 31, 1908.

Assistant Engineer, Northern Section. Est. No.	Date of Commencement.	Date of Completion	Vote.	Expenditure on this Month.			Total Expenditure to Date.	Balance to Date.		Excess.
				Through Advance Account.		Direct to Estimate.		Rs.	c.	
				Labour.	Stores.					
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>										
38 Salaries of Overseers ..	Dec. 1907	—	6,780 0	394 48	—	100 0	4,008 82	2,771 18	—	
42 Allowances to Overseers ..	—	—	300 0	—	—	25 0	175 0	125 0	—	
<i>Buildings.</i>										
<i>Maintenance of—</i>										
117 Town Hall ..	Dec. 1907	—	3,697 0	81 14	—	201 60	736 33	2,960 67	—	
118 Toll houses ..	—	—	125 0	—	—	—	—	125 0	—	
119 Guides' shelter ..	March, 1908	—	90 0	0 80	—	—	14 58	75 42	—	
120 Gas testing room ..	—	—	104 0	—	—	—	—	104 0	—	
121 Store ..	—	—	175 0	—	—	—	—	175 0	—	
122 No. 2, Hulftsdorp ..	—	—	120 0	—	—	—	—	120 0	—	
127 Repair of markets ..	Dec. 1907	—	3,000 0	35 50	53 50	—	337 99	2,662 1	—	
130 Repair of latrines ..	Do.	—	1,000 0	94 77	62 0	6 50	265 62	734 38	—	
131 Quarterly whitewashing of latrines ..	Jan. 1908	—	1,000 0	—	—	225 0	700 0	300 0	—	
132 Monthly whitewashing of latrines ..	Dec. 1907	—	340 0	—	—	—	21 95	318 5	—	
133 Upkeep of Cemetery buildings ..	June, 1908	—	620 0	9 71	8 16	11 85	97 67	522 33	—	
134 Upkeep of Central Fire Station ..	Dec. 1907	—	690 0	—	6 18	—	245 48	444 52	—	
135 Upkeep of Fire Stations ..	April, 1908	—	250 0	—	—	—	67 94	182 6	—	
<i>Roads, Bridges, and Culverts.</i>										
137 General upkeep of roads ..	Dec. 1907	—	13,644 0	619 64	30 3	486 25	7,319 23	6,324 77	—	
140 Tools for roads ..	Do.	—	1,600 0	25 38	21 2	3 53	674 83	925 17	—	
142 Watering streets and additional watering Tramway routes ..	Do.	—	8,660 0	544 49	14 75	340 24	5,662 12	2,997 88	—	
145 Upkeep of carriage stands ..	—	—	163 0	—	—	—	—	163 0	—	
146 Painting Church street enclosure ..	July, 1908	—	357 0	1 97	—	—	1 97	355 3	—	
147 Repairs to paved footways ..	Jan. 1908	—	1,200 0	66 75	—	—	728 92	471 8	—	
148 Repairs to bridges, culverts, and drains ..	Dec. 1907	—	17,500 0	1,393 34	903 00	1,286 78	12,568 49	4,931 51	—	
149 Conservancy of sewers and drains ..	Do.	—	6,760 0	475 3	—	—	2,562 76	4,197 24	—	
<i>Metalling roads in—</i>										
192 New Bazaar Ward ..	Jan. 1908	—	10,379 60	60 66	—	—	6,141 22	4,238 38	—	
193 St. Paul's Ward ..	Do.	—	10,563 60	269 12	33 59	240 0	4,727 80	5,835 80	—	
194 St. Sebastian ..	Do.	—	10,944 80	—	7 0	—	6,864 54	4,080 26	—	
195 Kotahena West ..	Dec. 1907	—	11,431 0	—	—	—	962 78	10,468 22	—	
196 Kotahena East ..	Do.	—	14,490 0	83 42	4 96	—	6,967 64	7,522 36	—	
197 Pettah Ward ..	Jan. 1908	—	15,600 0	79 90	8 38	381 87	7,724 54	7,875 46	—	
198 Fort Ward ..	Dec. 1907	—	21,781 65	226 45	29 39	1,109 20	8,515 65	13,266 0	—	
<i>Gravelling roads in—</i>										
209 Kotahena West ..	Jan. 1908	—	3,729 30	41 68	—	269 10	2,596 94	1,132 36	—	
210 Fort Ward ..	Dec. 1907	—	5,927 92	18 93	5 25	—	510 47	5,417 45	—	
211 Pettah Ward ..	April, 1907	—	351 0	—	—	13 60	345 8	5 92	—	
212 New Bazaar ..	Dec. 1907	—	792 0	—	—	—	702 27	39 73	—	
213 St. Sebastian ..	Do.	—	990 0	18 41	—	95 87	627 87	362 13	—	
214 St. Paul's ..	Do.	—	3,168 0	7 75	—	46 2	489 54	2,678 46	—	
215 Kotahena East ..	Do.	—	2,346 0	21 30	—	90 0	338 97	2,007 3	—	
<i>Scavenging.</i>										
150 Scavenging ..	Dec. 1907	—	91,636 0	6,632 19	31 33	138 17	54,610 42	37,025 58	—	
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>										
151 Conservancy of lake ..	Dec. 1907	—	1,560 0	90 73	—	—	466 56	1,093 44	—	
152 Upkeep of sluices, &c. ..	Do.	—	1,060 0	54 7	—	—	151 69	908 31	—	
154 Dredging St. Sebastian canal ..	Do.	—	4,500 0	169 55	—	—	1,183 53	3,316 47	—	
<i>Parks.</i>										
156 Upkeep of Racquet Court ..	Dec. 1907	—	1,303 0	64 70	7 9	—	595 33	707 67	—	
157 Do. Jubilee Fountain ..	Do.	—	112 0	—	—	—	12 46	99 54	—	
158 Do. Gordon Gardens ..	Do.	—	1,749 0	96 47	0 21	—	713 20	1,035 80	—	

Assistant Engineer, Northern Section—contd. Est. No. Parks.—contd.	Date of Commencement.	Date of Completion	Vote.	Expenditure on this Month.			Total Expenditure to Date.	Balance to Date.	Excess.	
				Through Advance Account.		Direct to Estimate.				
				Labour.	Stores.					
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
159 Upkeep of Galle Face Esplanade ..	Dec. 1907	—	833 0	78 92	4 33	—	339 68	493 32	—	
161 Do. Price Park ..	Do.	—	1,080 0	91 14	0 21	—	658 21	421 79	—	
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>										
176 Weeding ground, Madampitiya Cemetery ..	Dec. 1907	—	172 0	33 80	—	—	110 57	61 43	—	
180 Tools for works ..	Do.	—	550 0	55 52	52 71	50 54	294 26	255 74	—	
<i>Re-votes.</i>										
244/07 Modara street drainage ..	Sept. 1907	—	35,901 50	1,712 81	839 96	327 47	20,926 21	14,975 29	—	
238/07 Polwatta drainage ..	June, 1907	—	61,269 59	1,438 73	792 5	505 50	22,044 52	39,225 7	—	
<i>Deposit Accounts.</i>										
Drain obstruction, 130, Sea street ..	Nov. 1907	—	2 33	—	—	—	0 50	1 83	—	
Drain obstruction, 115/116, Layard's Broadway	Dec. 1907	—	15 18	—	—	—	12 46	2 72	—	
Drain obstruction, Cave & Co.'s Office ..	Nov. 1907	—	0 50	—	—	—	0 50	—	—	
Drain obstruction, 15/3, Polwatta road ..	Jan. 1908	—	7 25	—	—	—	6 1	1 24	—	
Drain connection, 15, St. Michael's road ..	Do.	—	25 89	—	—	—	21 5	4 75	—	
Drain connection, Surveyor-General's Office	Feb. 1908	—	157 86	—	—	—	113 38	44 48	—	
Drain connection, 27, Muhandiram's road ..	Do.	—	25 80	—	—	—	25 0	0 80	—	
Drain obstruction, 80, Kochchikade ..	Do.	—	14 37	—	—	—	12 19	2 18	—	
Drain connection, 2, St. Michael's road ..	—	—	51 60	—	—	—	49 1	2 59	—	
Drain connection, Kachcheri premises ..	—	—	9 20	—	—	—	4 30	4 90	—	
Drain connection, from 18/1, Turret road ..	—	—	28 32	—	—	—	22 1	6 31	—	
Drain connection, P. W. D. Office ..	June, 1908	—	67 71	—	—	—	19 44	48 27	—	
Drain connection, 123, Bankshall street ..	Do.	—	17 60	—	—	—	14 89	2 71	—	
Drain connection, 12/40 St. Michael's road ..	July, 1908	—	28 60	6 3	—	—	6 3	22 57	—	
Drain connection, 13, Turret road ..	Do.	—	25 90	6 3	—	—	6 3	19 87	—	
<i>Advance Accounts.</i>										
Repairs to water cistern, St. John's latrine ..	Feb. 1908	—	—	—	—	—	3 92	—	—	
Clearing rubbish from Parsee Theatre shed ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	56 48	—	—	
<i>Deposit Account.</i>										
Drain connection from 4, Carmel road ..	July, 1908	—	28 60	6 3	—	—	6 3	22 57	—	
Drain connection from 9/100, Carmel road ..	Do.	—	28 60	6 3	—	—	6 3	22 57	—	
Drain connection from 11/15, Carmel road ..	Do.	—	28 60	6 3	—	—	6 3	22 57	—	
Total ..	—	—	382,959 78	15,119 40	2,915 70	5,954 9	186,202 94	196,817 24	—	
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, SOUTHERN SECTION.</b>										
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>										
38 Salaries of Overseers ..	Dec. 1907	—	3,750 0	225 0	—	—	1,793 50	1,956 50	—	
<i>Buildings.</i>										
118 Maintenance of toll houses ..	—	—	475 0	—	—	—	—	475 0	—	
126 Upkeep of plague camps	Dec. 1907	—	1,000 0	5 54	1 16	3 10	138 54	861 46	—	
127 Repair of markets ..	Do.	—	1,850 0	5 7	—	—	1,146 8	703 92	—	
128 Repair of slaughter-houses ..	Feb. 1908	—	1,000 0	60 80	2 84	—	95 64	904 36	—	
129 Quarterly whitewashing of slaughter-houses ..	Jan. 1908	—	1,075 0	—	—	225 0	718 75	356 25	—	
130 Repair of latrines ..	Feb. 1908	—	150 0	2 86	—	—	64 45	85 55	—	
132 Monthly whitewashing of latrines ..	—	—	100 0	—	—	—	—	100 0	—	

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, SOUTHERN SECTION— <i>contd.</i> <i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, &amp;c.—contd.</i>	Date of Commencement.	Date of Completion.	Vote.	Expenditure on this Month.			Total Expenditure to Date.	Balance to Date.	Excess.
				Through Advance Account.		Direct to Estimate.			
				Labour.	Stores.				
Est. No.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
133 Upkeep of Cemetery buildings ..	March, 1908	—	290 0	15 50	—	9 10	93 77	196 23	—
135 Upkeep of Fire stations ..	Feb. 1908	—	120 0	—	—	—	42 88	77 12	—
136 Repair and maintenance of night soil depôt buildings ..	Dec. 1907	—	2,000 0	10 6	4 94	—	1,206 67	793 33	—
228 Latrine accommodation Dematagoda slaughter-house ..	July, 1908	—	66 99	14 23	32 50	3 50	50 23	16 76	—
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, &amp;c.</i>									
137 General upkeep of roads ..	Dec. 1907	—	11,000 0	694 28	3 67	225 70	5,174 41	5,825 59	—
140 Tools for roads ..	Do.	—	1,300 0	40 7	58 62	—	860 80	439 20	—
142 Watering streets ..	Do.	—	9,750 0	714 46	—	—	5,813 84	3,936 16	—
143 Roads, night soil depôt ..	Do.	—	3,900 0	100 96	—	—	1,951 43	1,948 57	—
144 Metalling Narahenpitiya road ..	Dec. 1907	—	2,800 0	17 6	—	10 0	2,441 20	358 80	—
145 Upkeep of carriage stands ..	—	—	60 0	—	—	—	—	60 0	—
147 Repair of paved footways ..	June, 1908	—	300 0	—	—	3 50	188 70	111 30	—
148 Repairs to bridges, culverts, &c. ..	Dec. 1907	—	7,750 0	455 27	485 17	422 5	4,730 91	3,019 9	—
149 Conservancy of sewers and drains ..	Do.	—	3,400 0	226 29	—	—	1,069 94	2,330 6	—
199 Metalling roads, Maradana East ..	Jan. 1908	—	8,122 95	481 83	104 10	1,792 1	2,831 81	5,291 14	—
200 Metalling roads, Maradana West ..	Do.	—	16,082 55	2 40	—	—	6,593 20	9,489 35	—
201 Metalling roads, Kollupitiya East ..	Do.	—	14,656 95	503 92	119 2	1,924 25	5,115 59	9,541 36	—
202 Metalling roads, Kollupitiya West ..	Do.	—	13,632 30	688 24	109 92	1,540 11	5,976 81	7,655 49	—
203 Metalling roads, Slave Island ..	Do.	—	19,839 60	70 32	24 60	—	6,551 34	13,288 26	—
204 Graveling roads, Maradana East ..	Feb. 1908	—	2,555 76	7 86	—	186 30	444 87	2,110 89	—
205 Graveling roads, Maradana West ..	Jan. 1908	—	1,479 36	8 60	15 75	—	1,320 63	158 73	—
206 Graveling roads, Kollupitiya East ..	Dec. 1907	—	4,112 36	169 74	—	316 0	2,997 26	1,115 10	—
207 Graveling roads, Kollupitiya West ..	Do.	—	6,168 32	63 68	10 50	304 0	2,472 91	3,695 41	—
208 Graveling, Slave Island ..	Do.	—	2,418 54	50 67	—	—	470 90	1,947 64	—
<i>Scavenging.</i>									
150 Scavenging ..	Dec. 1907	—	68,665 0	4,646 59	101 27	125 0	37,911 9	30,753 91	—
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>									
151 Conservancy of lake ..	Dec. 1907	—	3,500 0	242 99	—	—	1,893 29	1,606 71	—
153 Dredging lake ..	Do.	—	17,171 0	1,734 17	116 50	470 91	12,427 13	4,743 87	—
<i>Parks.</i>									
155 Upkeep of Victoria Park ..	Dec. 1907	—	6,923 0	456 4	1 83	162 38	5,178 0	1,745 0	—
160 Upkeep of Campbell Park ..	Do.	—	2,205 0	155 43	—	14 88	1,140 84	1,064 16	—
162 Upkeep of Havelock Park ..	Do.	—	2,007 0	155 78	23 23	7 63	1,197 31	809 69	—
163 Upkeep of Maligakanda Park ..	Jan. 1908	—	650 0	—	—	—	28 10	621 90	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
174 Maintenance and repairs, septic tanks ..	Dec. 1907	—	250 0	—	—	—	10 87	239 13	—
180 Tools for works ..	Do.	—	1,000 0	96 39	30 68	—	629 74	370 26	—
<i>New Works, Parks.</i>									
183 Improvements to Campbell Park ..	March, 1908	—	4,012 0	209 66	3 92	—	1,575 48	2,436 52	—
184 Public garden, Rifle street ..	Do.	—	2,700 0	80 87	—	33 25	2,059 39	640 61	—
185 Public garden, Union place ..	Do.	—	2,800 0	1 0	—	—	486 64	2,313 36	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
233/07 Extension of sheep slaughtering shed ..	Dec. 1907	—	3,326 0	—	—	550 0	2,601 5	724 95	—



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				Labour.	Stores.				
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, SOUTHERN SECTION—contd.</b>									
<i>Deposit Accounts.</i>									
Removal of cartload of rubbish, Ambawatta mills ..	Dec. 1907	Dec. 1907	0 75	—	—	—	0 75	—	—
Obstruction in drain, 15a, Forbes road ..	Feb. 1908	—	11 0	—	—	—	6 32	4 68	—
Obstruction in drain, 12, Dean's Passage ..	Mar. 1908	—	9 9	—	—	—	9 9	—	—
Drain connection, Prince's Club ..	April, 1908	—	100 38	—	—	—	100 38	—	—
Do. 79, 1st Maradana ..	Do.	—	20 0	—	—	—	20 0	—	—
Repairs to drain, 19, Forbes road ..	—	—	9 10	—	—	—	9 10	—	—
Deepening drain at 78-81, Union place ..	June, 1908	—	9 9	—	—	—	9 6	0 3	—
Drain connection from 4, Norris Canal road ..	July, 1908	—	226 77	67 89	77 25	10 50	139 64	87 13	—
Total ..	—	—	266,800 86	12,481 57	1,327 47	8,339 17	129,790 33	127,010 53	—
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, MECHANICAL.</b>									
<i>Printing Department.</i>									
36 Repair and upkeep of machinery and gas ..	Dec. 1907	—	380 0	—	—	13 65	208 57	171 43	—
<i>Buildings.</i>									
123 Upkeep of disinfectory building ..	—	—	282 0	—	—	—	—	282 0	—
125 Working of disinfectory building ..	Dec. 1907	—	1,350 0	49 54	95 30	—	589 75	760 25	—
<i>Roads, Bridges, and Culverts.</i>									
141 Repairs to steam rollers ..	Dec. 1907	—	7,417 0	177 75	2 13	225 0	1,874 70	5,542 30	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
172 Repairs to ambulance carts ..	Dec. 1907	—	512 0	2 96	—	—	26 3	485 97	—
173 Construction and repair of night soil carts ..	Do.	—	5,000 0	686 32	47 13	170 10	4,597 16	402 84	—
178 Store expenses ..	Do.	—	1,511 0	85 79	5 15	—	698 7	812 93	—
180 Tools for works ..	Do.	—	1,250 0	—	58 17	—	513 53	736 47	—
186 Construction of conservancy buckets ..	—	—	1,000 0	—	515 0	—	515 0	485 0	—
188 Wall presses for Medical Officer of Health ..	Jan. 1908	—	789 0	—	10 22	—	611 1	177 99	—
189 Record shelves, Works Department ..	April, 1908	—	652 0	7 57	23 76	76 43	649 78	2 22	—
190 Municipal Court Record shelves ..	Jan. 1908	—	415 0	—	—	—	352 89	62 11	—
52 Working expenses and lights, Fire Brigade ..	—	—	—	20 50	0 25	—	48 28	—	—
225 File presses for Municipal Court ..	June, 1908	—	110 0	20 21	1 92	26 30	55 31	54 69	—
226 Lighting conductor, Central Fire station ..	Do.	—	230 0	10 60	—	—	10 60	219 40	—
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
38 Salaries of overseers ..	—	—	1,100 0	—	—	100 0	600 0	500 0	—
42 Transport allowances ..	—	—	275 0	—	—	25 0	150 0	125 0	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
55/07 Talipot ceiling, Price Park market ..	Oct. 1907	—	54 63	—	—	—	54 63	—	—
264/07 Fitting shelves, almirah, Medical Officer of Health ..	Jan. 1908	—	181 67	—	—	—	155 97	25 70	—
265/07 Construction of dog seizers' carts ..	Aug. 1906	—	35 51	—	—	—	19 62	15 89	—
257/07 Two bookkeepers' desks ..	Dec. 1907	—	1,048 40	43 39	7 95	—	930 47	117 93	—
179/05 } 108/04 } Flushing carts ..	—	—	24 76	—	—	—	9 75	15 1	—
<i>Deposit Accounts.</i>									
Steam roller to Chief Construction Engineer ..	May, 1908	—	25 0	—	—	19 25	25 0	—	—
Total ..	—	—	23,642 97	1,104 63	766 98	655 73	12,696 12	10,995 13	—

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				Labour.	Stores.				
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
38	—	—	1,000 0	—	—	100 0	700 0	300 0	—
42	—	—	300 0	—	—	25 0	175 0	125 0	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
40	—	—	460 0	—	—	66 1	66 1	393 99	—
41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
177	Jan. 1908	—	406 0	—	—	18 50	401 3	4 97	—
180	Dec. 1907	—	2,752 0	161 9	45 79	29 70	1,608 34	1,143 66	—
115	Do.	—	1,500 0	14 49	60 60	—	801 8	698 92	—
124	Jan. 1908	—	500 0	—	—	29 69	887 22	—	387 22
219	Mar. 1908	—	86 0	—	—	—	84 51	1 49	—
227	Do.	—	4,750 0	—	—	—	4,393 6	356 94	—
	—	—	150 0	—	—	—	150 0	—	—
<i>Re-votes</i>									
409/02	Dec. 1904	—	9,737 75	170 12	4 0	900 5	11,289 46	—	1,551 71
226/05									
40/04									
254/05	June, 1907	—	5,024 36	30 45	3 3	2,414 94	4,966 80	57 56	—
255/05	April, 1905	—	1,974 11	—	—	60 0	142 0	1,832 11	—
256/05	Sept. 1905	—	41,441 60	1,010 44	327 17	967 20	10,159 2	31,282 58	—
258/07	March, 1908	—	1,725 0	—	—	—	1,738 73	—	13 73
257/05	Oct. 1905	—	2,687 9	139 62	—	0 50	2,294 61	392 48	—
249/06	April, 1908	—	1,894 0	19 98	—	—	1,583 19	310 81	—
248/07	Nov. 1907	—	19,859 95	736 18	354 64	146 79	12,618 82	7,241 13	—
266/07	March, 1907	—	50,000 0	1,856 10	589 38	12,424 1	34,582 27	15,417 73	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
<i>Advance Account—</i>									
	—	—	—	691 44	728 21	152 50	6,819 63	—	—
	—	—	—	31 0	—	—	397 73	—	—
	—	—	—	31 0	—	—	244 0	—	—
	—	—	—	15 50	—	—	149 74	—	—
	—	—	—	248 88	1 27	—	250 15	—	—
<i>Deposit Accounts.</i>									
	Feb. 1908	—	35 76	—	—	—	34 35	1 41	—
	Do.	—	35 76	—	—	—	34 78	0 98	—
	Oct. 1907	—	300 33	—	—	76 76	300 33	—	—
	Jan. 1908	—	35 76	—	—	—	24 51	1 25	—
	July, 1908	—	35 76	17 32	21 88	—	39 20	—	3 44
Total ..	—	—	146,691 23	5,173 61	2,135 97	17,411 65	96,955 57	59,563 1	1,956 10
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, WATERWORKS AND LIGHTING.</b>									
<i>Waterworks.</i>									
164	Jan. 1908	—	7,000 0	705 96	—	145 19	4,629 21	2,370 79	—
165	—	—	500 0	—	—	—	—	500 0	—
181	—	—	5,000 0	—	—	—	—	5,000 0	—
	—	—	7,162 25	223 57	—	15 18	1,954 11	5,208 14	—
	—	—	4,861 38	51 53	—	—	710 85	4,150 53	—

	Date of Commencement.	Date of Completion.	Vote.	Expenditure on this Month.			Total Expenditure to Date.	Balance to Date.	Excess
				Through Advance Account.		Direct to Estimate.			
				Labour.	Stores.				
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, WATERWORKS AND LIGHTING—contd.</b>									
Est No.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
216 Water supply to Reservoir lane	March, 1908	—	270 0	—	—	—	18 10	251 90	—
Suspense Account—									
Repairs to water service, Departmental	—	—	—	186 48	—	—	314 63	—	—
Re-votes.									
230/05 Erection of water posts	March, 1908	—	8,820 81	—	—	—	32 5	8,788 76	—
Lighting.									
166 Lighting public streets	—	—	121,000 0	—	—	9,642 94	69,279 12	51,720 88	—
167 Electric lighting of the Fort	—	—	18,200 0	—	—	1,440 0	10,212 0	7,988 0	—
168 Shifting lamps, repairs to fittings	—	—	2,000 0	—	—	52 10	268 31	1,731 69	—
169 Lighting Municipal buildings	—	—	9,000 0	—	—	522 44	4,022 15	4,977 85	—
170 Lighting Dean's road market	—	—	1,400 0	—	—	67 49	492 71	907 29	—
171 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c.	—	—	1,000 0	—	—	—	—	1,000 0	—
175 Current for electric fans	—	—	2,800 0	—	—	306 65	2,092 57	707 43	—
182 Extension of lighting	—	—	6,000 0	—	—	—	612 0	5,388 0	—
32 Working expenses and lights	—	—	—	—	—	79 1	625 79	—	—
217 Lighting Reservoir lane	—	—	343 40	—	—	—	343 40	—	—
Total	—	—	195,357 84	1,167 54	—	12,271 0	95,607 0	100,691 26	—
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>									
28 Painting and branding	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29 Capture of dogs	—	—	—	—	5 56	—	33 96	—	—
35 General upkeep of stores, Printing Department	—	—	—	—	11 41	—	37 99	—	—
49 Stores, Fire Brigade	—	—	—	—	74 26	—	666 83	—	—
62 Prevention of infectious diseases	—	—	—	17 0	83 60	8 86	317 11	—	—
63 Cost of disinfectants, Sanitary Branch	—	—	—	—	252 30	—	1,036 41	—	—
66 Prevention of diseases in animals	—	—	—	—	—	—	72 40	—	—
78 Cost of disinfectants, Public Health Department	—	—	—	—	206 69	—	895 29	—	—
80 Miscellaneous	—	—	—	—	2 13	—	55 67	—	—
83 Tools and equipments, markets	—	—	—	—	7 82	—	187 57	—	—
90 Contingencies, slaughter-houses	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 50	—	—
94 Contingencies, cemeteries	—	—	—	—	4 88	—	72 9	—	—
112 Miscellaneous, Secretary's Department	—	—	—	—	4 25	—	13 63	—	—
114 Stationery	—	—	—	—	12 90	—	142 75	—	—
59 Cleansing gang	—	—	—	—	160 76	—	554 2	—	—
98 Library	—	—	—	—	—	—	21 25	—	—
91 Tools, slaughter-houses	—	—	—	26 59	1 22	—	220 59	—	—
179 Furniture, vaccine stations	—	—	—	—	0 38	—	11 38	—	—
223 Dust bins for markets	—	—	—	—	—	—	364 80	—	—
249 Enteric cleansing gang	—	—	—	—	15 70	—	15 70	—	—
164 Maintenance charges, Waterworks	—	—	—	51 65	244 0	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	95 24	1,087 86	8 86	4,722 94	—	—
<b>Summary.</b>									
Assistant Engineer, Northern Section	—	—	382,959 78	15,119 40	2,915 70	5,954 9	186,202 94	196,817 24	—
Assistant Engineer, Southern Section	—	—	256,800 86	12,481 57	1,327 47	8,339 17	120,790 33	127,010 53	—
Assistant Engineer, Mechanical	—	—	23,642 97	1,104 63	766 98	655 73	12,696 12	10,995 13	—
Assistant Engineer, Waterworks, &c.	—	—	195,357 84	1,167 54	—	12,271 0	95,607 0	100,691 26	—
Assistant Engineer	—	—	146,691 23	5,173 61	2,135 97	17,411 65	96,955 57	59,563 1	1,956
Miscellaneous	—	—	—	95 24	1,087 86	8 86	4,722 94	—	—
Total	—	—	1,005,452 68	35,141 99	8,233 98	44,640 50	525,974 00	495,977 17	1,956 10

The following credits and debits have been made in Works Department books during the month in adjustment of errors, &c., and should be similarly posted to the Council's books:—

<i>Credit.</i>	<i>Debit.</i>	R. c.	Rs. c.
Advance account—Steam roller, Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions.	Deposit Account—Steam roller, Chief Construction Engineer, for adjustment of advance	—	5 75
Miscellaneous Revenue.	Do. do. for hire of roller	—	19 25
Do. (Dematagoda slaughter house.)	183 Improvements to Campbell Park, value of manure	—	30 0
62 Prevention of infectious diseases.	Advance Account for purchase of stores—Value of wooden buckets put into stock	26 17	
Advance Account for making concrete pipes.	Do. do. Value of concrete pipes put into stock	1,646 45	
249 06 Drainage through Maradana mosque.	Advance Account—Value of cement returned to store	15 50	
189 Record shelves, Works Department.	Advance Account—Value of materials returned to store	197 41	
78 Cost of disinfectants.	Advance Account—Value of buckets returned to store	3 0	
Deposit Account—Drain connection from 4, Norris-Canal road.	Advance Account—Value of materials returned to store	16 0	
148 Repairs to bridges, culverts, drains, &c.	Advance Account—Value of materials returned to store	33 13	
177 Surveys and tracings.	266 07 Construction of Skinner's road widening, for adjustment of account (A.E.)	—	1,937 66
219 Repairs to pile driver and new steam winch.	256 05 Office and Store, Suduwella, adjustment of labour	—	187 52
256 05 Office and Store, Suduwella.	219 Repairs to pile driver and new steam winch (value of steam winch adjusted)	—	366 0
			1,353 1

	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Total payments } Municipal Engineer .. ..	33,974 45	
for labour } Waterworks Engineer .. ..	1,167 54	
	Rs. c.	35,141 99
Municipal Engineer { Amount of cheque No. 1,145 ..	4,731 10	
	Do. 1,146 ..	4,038 39
	Do. 1,148 ..	10,365 3
	Do. 1,149 ..	1,455 23
	Do. 1,151 ..	13,366 75
	Do. 1,167 ..	10 0
	Do. 1,186 ..	24 0
	33,990 50	
Waterworks Engineer Do. 1,150 (part) .. ..	1,167 54	35,158 4
Refund by Municipal Engineer—		
Cash Memo. 1,992/14-8-08 .. ..	8 14	
Do. 1,995/14-8-08 .. ..	7 91	16 5

August 18, 1908.

R. SKELTON,  
Municipal Engineer.

LIST of persons licensed up to the end of August, 1908, under Ordinance No. 15 of 1889, to practice as Auctioneers and Brokers during 1908:—

*Auctioneers.*

23. Rienzie Guy Koelman	34. S. F. O. Lovell
24. Elvin R. Peries	35. Roy Daniel
25. H. O. Beven	36. W. E. Keell
26. R. W. Forbes	37. E. Masters
27. A. H. Barber	38. Arthur Sarsfield Riordan
28. F. N. Siedler	39. L. O. Leefe
29. W. S. Niles	40. H. E. Guimareus
30. Muggridge	41. T. W. Collette
31. J. L. B. Crozier	42. Alfred Gresham Hyde
32. Fred. Dias	43. William Francis Ebert
33. A. Frank West	

## Brokers.

47. Dinshaw Sorabjee Crawford	63. Robert Gordon
48. N. C. Robert	64. Charles Simpson Wilson
49. Moor Mohamed Cassim	65. John B. Blanchard
50. Rienzie Guy Koelman	66. Harry Martin
51. Elvin P. Peries	67. B. C. T. Abeywardena
52. John de Soya	68. V. Wellap Pillai
53. Emanuel Corea	69. W. E. Keell
54. H. O. Beven	70. H. M. Waldock
55. Henry Wijetilleka	71. F. W. Waldock
56. W. E. Drury	72. Gab Perera
57. R. W. Forbes	73. Colvin de Kretser
58. W. S. Niles	74. Arthur Sarsfield Riordan
59. J. T. Muggridge	75. L. O. Leefe
60. J. L. B. Crozier	76. Francis S. de Silva
61. John A. Peiris	77. T. W. Collette
62. B. Don Peiris	

R. R. DUNUWILLE,  
Secretary.

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, September 10, 1908.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

## Glenlyon-Preston Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the sum of Rs. 80 for converting the Preston bridge on the above-mentioned road into an iron bridge, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, have assessed the proportion due by the under-mentioned estates using the 6th section of the road to make up the private contribution of Rs. 82.05 as follows:—

Rate per acre, '0772c.		Amount.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates. Acreage.	Rs. c.
A. R. Ashton (A. Alger)	.. Iona .. 112 ..	8 65
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd. (G. D. Jamieson)	.. Polmont .. 48 ..	3 70
P. B. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding)	.. New Preston .. 167 ..	12 90
A. G. and C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding)	.. Preston .. 250 ..	19 32
Heirs of J. M. Smith (G. H. Hughes)	.. Albion .. 289 ..	22 33
A. G. and C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding)	.. St. Margarets .. 196 ..	15 15
	Total ..	82 5

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before September 24, 1908.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, September 3, 1908.

## Agra Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 908, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 896," will on Saturday, September 26, 1908, at 1.30 P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

## AGRA ROAD (between Lindula and end of Agra road).

Government moiety	.. Rs.	9,950
Private contributions	.. Rs.	10,000
1st section, 1 mile.		
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Dimbula Valley Co., Limited	.. Belgravia	.. 305
1st to 3rd section, 2 miles.		
A. V. & J. H. Renton	.. Tallankanda	.. 268
E. Temple	.. Deyenella	.. 267
Alfred J. & A. H. Bell (T. MacLachlan, Agent)	.. Fairfield	.. 319
The Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Limited	.. Wallaha	.. 290
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Limited	.. Mousaella	.. 550
Heirs of H. R. Farquharson & R. J. Farquharson	Eildon Hall	.. 413
The Bambrakelle Estates Tea Company, Limited	Bambarakele	.. 497
The Bambrakelle Estates Tea Co., Ltd.	.. Lot 110,386 Dell	.. 100
T. Fairhurst & W. C. Oswald	.. Oddington	.. 100
Mrs. Wiggan & Sons	.. Melton	.. 207
T. Fairhurst (W. C. Oswald)	.. Ferham	.. 273
Scottish Trust and Loan Company, Limited	.. Rahanwatta	.. 308
H. R. Wiggan	.. Queenwood	.. 228

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
	1st to 4th section, 2½ miles.				
The Dimbula Valley Co., Ltd.	.. Tillicoultry	.. 401	P. B. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding, Agent and Resident Manager)	.. New Preston	.. 167½
	1st to 6th section, 3½ miles.		A. G. & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding, Agent and Resident Manager)	.. Lot 110,383, Preston No. 2	.. 250
J. A. & N. G. Campbell	.. Waltrim	.. 370		1st to 17th section, 9 miles.	
Lord Chelmsford (C. M. Buckworth, Agent)	.. Agrakanda	.. 288	Ceylon Tea Plantation Company, Limited	.. Glenlyon, Stair, & Polmont	.. 683
	1st to 7th section 4 miles.			1st to 18th section, 10 miles.	
C. R. S. Carew (W. C. Oswald)	.. Fassifern West	.. 138	Portmore Tea Estates Company, Limited	.. Aldourie	.. 269
W. H. Sealey (A. J. Farquharson)	.. Fassifern East	.. 138		1st to 19th section, 10½ miles.	
	1st to 8th section, 4½ miles.		Agra Ouvah Estates Co.	.. Agra Ouvah	.. 331
F. A. & W. N. Fairlie	.. Khowlahena	.. 391	Do.	.. Fankerton	.. 193
Geo. Beck	.. Henfold and Regulas	.. 570		1st to 21st section, 11½ miles.	
The Alliance Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited (Whittall & Co.)	.. Gleneagles	.. 222	Charles Strachan & Co.	.. Hauteville	.. 320
The Dimbula Valley Tea Company, Limited	.. Lippakele	.. 206	Do.	.. St. George	.. 263
The Ceylon Estates Investment Association, Limited	.. Macduff	.. 221	John Stewart (F. C. Smith)	.. Sutton	.. 277
The Ceylon Tea Plantations Company, Limited	.. Begally Cymru, and Tangakelle	.. 910	Charles Strachan & Co.	.. Woodlake	.. 163
Sumtravale Estates Company, Ltd.	.. Maria	.. 297	R. W. Wickham	.. Holmwood	.. 391
The Dimbula Valley Tea Company, Limited	.. Elgin	.. 291	Charles Strachan & Co.	.. Freshwater	.. 251
Do.	.. Kellyhill	.. 158		1st to 22nd section, 12 miles.	
The Vellekelle Tea Company	.. Ouvahkellie	.. 593	Glasgow Estate Company, Ltd. (Whittall & Co.)	.. Glasgow	.. 472
	1st to 9th section, 5 miles.		Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	.. Waverly	.. 157
Heirs of John M. Smith (Graham W. Smith)	.. Caledonia	.. 255		1st to 23rd section, 12½ miles.	
	1st to 10th section, 5½ miles.		Glasgow Estate Company, Ltd. (Whittall & Co.)	.. Nithsdale	.. 242
H. F. W. & R. J. Farquharson	.. Agra	.. 276	Portmore Tea Estate Co., Ltd.	.. Portmore	.. 306
Mooloya Estates, Ltd. (Colombo Commercial Company, Ltd.)	.. Braemore	.. 265		1st to 24th section, 13 miles.	
	1st to 12th section, 6½ miles.		C. B. Lutyens & G. H. D. Elphinstone	.. Mornington	.. 404
C. R. Paterson	.. Cranley	.. 455	Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	.. Ardalie	.. 209
R. C. Paterson	.. Cranley Upper	.. 357	Heirs of T. Mackie & P. Moir (W. B. Bartlett, Agent)	.. Lot 112,364, Powys land	.. 165
N. & L. Bonaparte Wyse	.. Holbrook	.. 188		1st to 25th section, 14 miles.	
	1st to 14th section, 7½ miles.		New Dimbula Company, Ltd.	.. Diyagama	.. 3,125
Balmoral Ceylon Estates Company, Limited	.. Galatea	.. 189	Heirs of J. M. Sayers	.. Nutbourne	.. 165
	1st to 16th section, 8½ miles.		Balmoral Estates Company, Ltd.	.. Lot 112,363, Sandringham	.. 302
The Agra Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	.. Ardlaw	.. 209	Balmoral Estate Company, Ltd.	.. Lot 112,365, Yaravale	.. 240
Heirs of J. M. Smith (Graham W. Smith)	.. Albion	.. 275		And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.	
A. G. Seton & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding, Agent and Resident Manager)	.. St. Margaret's	.. 197		J. P. LEWIS, Chairman.	
Balmoral Ceylon Estates Company, Limited	.. Balmoral	.. 199		Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, September 10, 1908.	
Alliance Tea Company, Limited (Whittall & Co.)	.. Clydesdale	.. 227			
The Agra Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	.. Thornfield	.. 290½			
R. S. & G. J. Pieris	.. Wishford	.. 158			
A. R. Ashton	.. Agra Elbedde	.. 276			
G. L. Gwatkin	.. Iona	.. 112			
Do.	.. Torrington	.. 283			
Alex. Stevenson	.. Helbeck	.. 109			
	.. Lot 110,382, Mossend	.. 125			

## Nugatenna-Deanstone Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, the following gentlemen have been elected to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance, in respect of the Nugatenna-Deanstone road, for the term ending August 5, 1910:— Messrs. C. B. Clay (Chairman), T. U. Todd, and G. Johnstone.

J. P. LEWIS, Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, September 4, 1908.

**Nugatenna-Deanstone Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1908, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, September 26, 1908, at 1.30 P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**NUGATENNA-DEANSTONE ROAD.**

Government moiety	Rs. 1,055.00
Private contributions	Rs. 1,060.30

1st to 5th section, 2½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnstone)	.. Nugagalla	.. 222

1st to 8th section, 3¼ miles.

M. E. Waddilove (C. B. Clay)	.. Nowanagalla	.. 295
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1st to 10th section, 4.77 miles.

Whittall & Co. (C. B. Clay)	.. Meemunagala	.. 535
Do.	.. Deanstone	.. 576
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnstone)	.. Hare Park	.. 454
Whittall & Co. (T. U. Todd)	.. Kobonella	.. 718
Kana Luna Meeya Pulle	.. Fincham's Land No. 1.	.. 96
Puncha Vidane Duraya	.. Fincham's land No. 2.	.. 31½
Whittall & Co. (T. U. Todd)	.. Ensalwatta	.. 264
Burke Estate Co. Ltd. (G. Johnstone)	.. Dehigolla	.. 475
Do.	.. Looloo-watta	.. 309

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, September 11, 1908.

**Railway Gorge Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1908, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, September 26, 1908, at 1.30 P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**RAILWAY GORGE ROAD (between Caledonia Gap and the Railway Gorge).**

Government moiety	Rs. 647.00
Private contributions	Rs. 650.25

From 1st to end of 2nd section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Geo. Beck	.. Henfold and St. Regulas	.. 570
F. A. & W. N. Fairlie	.. Kowlahena	.. 391
The Alliance Tea Co. of Ceylon, Ltd. (Whittall & Co.)	.. Gleneagles	.. 222

Proprietors or Agents. Estates. Acreage.

From 1st to end of 3rd section, 1½ mile.

Sumtravale Estates Co., Limited	.. Maria	.. 297
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Limited	.. Lippakele	.. 206

From 1st to end of 6th section, 3 miles.

The Ceylon Estates Investment Association Limited	.. Macduff	.. 221
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company, Limited	.. Tangakelley	.. 910
The Vallekellie Tea Co.	.. Ouvahkellie	.. 593
The Dimbula Valley Tea Company	.. Elgin	.. 291
Do.	.. Kellyhill	.. 158

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kand, September 10, 1908.

**Wallaha Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1908, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, September 26, 1908, at 1.30 P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**WALLAHA ROAD (between Tillicoultry and Eildon Hall estates).**

Government moiety	Rs. 337.00
Private contributions	Rs. 338.69

1st section, .91 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
The Dimbula Valley Company	.. Tillicoultry	.. 401
The Ceylon Tea Plantations Company, Limited	.. Wallaha	.. 290
A. V. & J. H. Renton	.. Talankanda	.. 268

From 1st to end of 2nd section, 1.91 mile.

E. Temple	.. Deyanella	.. 267
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Limited	.. Mousaella	.. 550
Heirs of H. R. Farquharson and R. J. Farquharson	.. Eildon Hall	.. 413
Bambrakelle Estate Tea Co., Limited	.. Bambarakele	.. 497
Do.	.. Dell, lot 110,386	.. 100
T. Fairhurst & W. C. Oswald	.. Oddington	.. 100
Mrs. Wiggin & Sons	.. Melton	.. 207
J. Fairhurst (W. C. Oswald)	.. Ferham	.. 273
Scottish Trust & Loan Co. Limited	.. Rahanwatta	.. 308
H. R. Wiggin	.. Queenwood	.. 228

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kand, September 10, 1908.

**Parakaduwa-Hemmingford Branch Road.**

REFERRING to the notice dated August 18, 1908, and published in the *Government Gazette* Nos. 6,256 and 6,258 of August 21 and 28, 1908, respectively, notice is hereby given that under section 12 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, the under-mentioned persons were elected to form the local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by

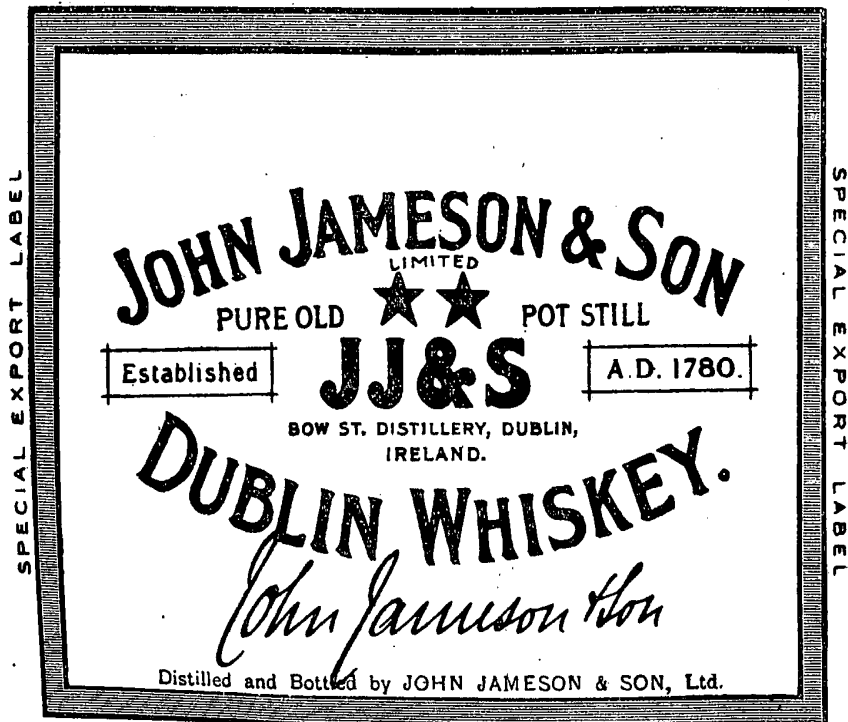
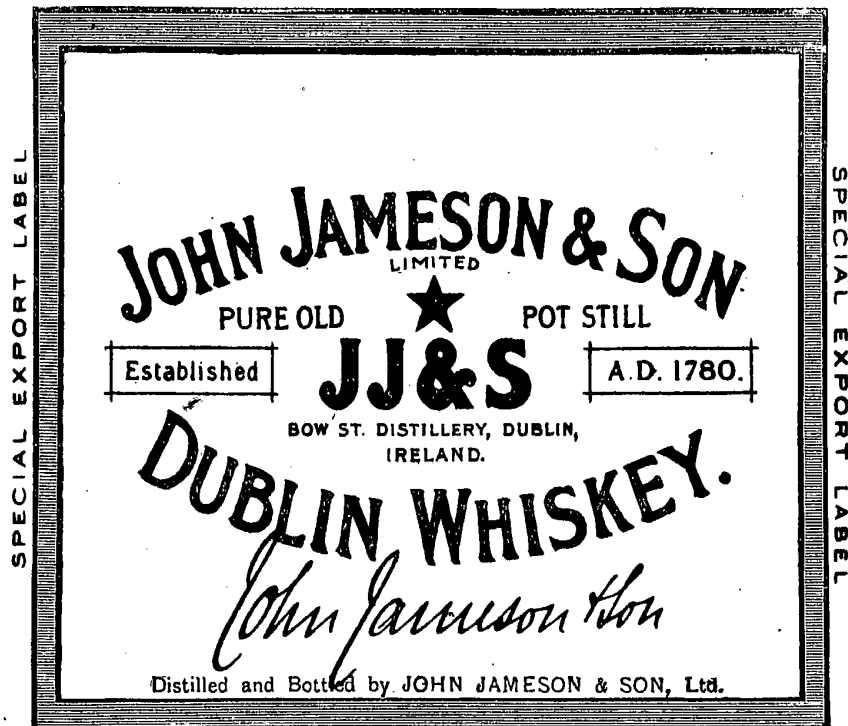
said Ordinance in respect of the above road, to serve from September 4, 1908, to September 4, 1910, viz.:—Messrs. A. Angus (Chairman), E. T. Grigg, and H. Mason.

J. C. W. Rook,  
for Chairman.

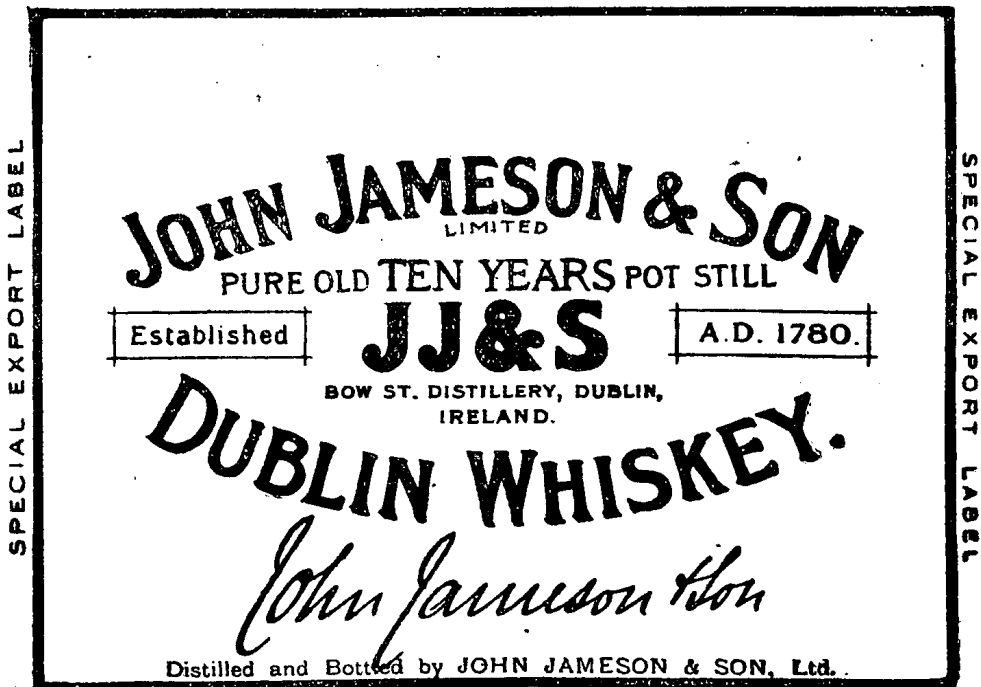
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, September 7, 1908.

**TRADE MARKS NOTIFICATIONS.**

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinance No. 9 of 1906, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy of Colombo, Solicitors, have applied for the registration of the following series of four Trade Marks in the name of Messrs. John Jameson & Son, Ltd., of Bow street, Distillery, Bow street, Dublin, Ireland, Distillers, who claim to be entitled to the use thereof, in respect of Fermented Liquors and Spirits, namely, Whiskey, in Class 43, in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—







The manner in respect of which the several marks differ from one another is that the number of stars differ in each of the first three marks, and there are no stars on the fourth mark which contains the words "Pure Old, Ten Years Pot Still," which words do not appear in the other three marks.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, September 10, 1908.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinance No. 9 of 1906, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Patrick Duncan Gourlay Clark, of Nivitigalla, Ratnapura, and John Robert Farbridge of Colombo, carrying on business in partnership as Engineers in Colombo, under the name, style, and firm of Clark & Company, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name, in respect of Machinery and parts of Machinery, in Classes 6 and 7 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—

### CHULA

The applicants claim the right to use every kind of type in the printing of the said Trade Mark, and also to print the said Trade Mark in all colours or combinations of colours.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, September 16, 1908.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

## NOTICES TO MARINERS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that the following Notices to Mariners be published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, September 15, 1908.

By His Excellency's command,  
HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

BENGAL.—No. 350.

*Persian Gulf. Shat-al-Arab river, western entrance—Alteration in buoyage.*

The following particulars, &c., relative to the above, issued by the Bombay Government (No. 82 of 1908), are republished :—

*Particulars.*—With reference to Admiralty Notice to Mariners, No. 1,163 of 1908, two new buoys have been laid down to mark the deepest channel now existing, and the positions of the under-mentioned buoys in the western entrance to the Shat-al-Arab river have been altered as follows :—

Name of Buoy.	Distance moved.	Depth now moored in, and Position from Fao Lights.
A new black conical buoy	—	1 fm. distant 12·8 miles S. 55° E.
A new red cask buoy	—	1 fm. distant 12·9 miles S. 57° E.
"Outer bar"	S. 75° E., 2 cables	2½ fms. distant 15·5 miles S. 52° E.
"Lawrence"	S. 20° E., 1·2 cables	1¾ fms. distant 12·6 miles S. 50° E.
"No. 2"	S. 79° W. 3 cables (in line with inner bar buoy and No. 1 buoy)	1½ fms. distant 7·5 miles S. 64° E.

*Position.*—Fao Lights, lat. 29° 58' 35" N., long. 48° 29' 25" E.

*Variation.*—0° 10' E.

*Charts affected.*—No. 1,235, Shat-al-Arab and Bahmishir river; No. 2,837, Persian gulf, western sheet.

*Publications.*—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 208.

*Authority.*—H. M. S. "Sphinx" Hydrographical Note, No. 1.

Calcutta, August 26, 1908.

F. DOBSON, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Officiating Port Officer of Calcutta.

BENGAL.—No. 351.

*China Sea—Cochin China—Saigon River approach. Cape Ti Wan—Shoals south-eastward of—*

The following particulars, &c., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1,173 of 1908), are republished :—

*Subject.*—The under-mentioned shoals exist to the south-eastward of Cape Tiwan, in the eastern approach to Saigon river.

*Position.*—Cape Ti wan, lat. 10° 22½' N., long. 107° 15' E.

Depths.	Bearing and Distance from South Extreme of Cape Ti wan.
4½ fathoms, sand	S. 77° E., 2 2/10 miles.
3½ fathoms, rock	S. 40° E., 3 3/10 "
3 fathoms, rock	S. 30° E., 2 "

*Variation.*—2° E.

*Charts affected.*—No. 1,269, Approaches to Saigon river.

No. 1,261, Saigon river to Kam ranh bay.

*Publication.*—China Sea Directory, vol. II., 1906, page 416.

*Authority.*—Paris Notice, No. 1,205 of 1908.

F. DOBSON, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Officiating Port Officer of Calcutta.  
Calcutta, August 26, 1908.

BENGAL.—No. 352.

*Pacific Ocean, North—Sandwich Islands, Hawaii and Maui Islands—Kailua bay and Nakalele head—Establishment of lights postponed.*

The following particulars, &c., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1,179 of 1908), are republished :—

*Subject.*—The establishment of lights at the under-mentioned places in Hawaii and Maui islands is postponed until further notice.

(a) Hawaii island.

*Position.*—On Kukailimoku point, half a mile westward of Kaliliki point, Kailua bay.

Lat. 19° 38½' N., long. 156° 0' W., on plan No. 1,377.

(b) Maui island.

*Position.*—On Nakalele head.

Lat. 21° 2' N., long. 156° 37' W.

*Charts affected.*—No. 1,377, Plan of Kailua bay; No. 1,510, Sandwich islands; No. 3,102, Hawaii to lat. 6° 15' N.

*Publications.*—List of Lights, part VII., 1908, page 117; Pacific islands, vol. III., 1900, pages 205, 212; Notices to Mariners Nos. 866, 868, of 1908. (This office Nos. 281 and 283 of July 3, 1908.)

*Authority.*—United States Commerce Notices, Nos. 2,233, 2,234, of 1908.

F. DOBSON, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Officiating Port Officer of Calcutta.  
Calcutta, August 26, 1908.

Total Quantities of the following Articles exported from the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the under mentioned Periods.

Vessels.	Date of Clearing	For what Port.	Plantation Coffee.	Tea.	Cacao.	Trunk Cinchona.	Branch Cinchona.	Cinchona Chips.	Coconuts.	Copra.	Coconut Oil.	Coconut Poonac.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Citronella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Plumbago.	Coir Rope.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Sapan-wood.	Kitul Fibre.	Deer Horns.
<b>COLOMBO.</b>	1908.		cwt.	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.	No.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	lb.	oz.	oz.	lb.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
ss. Kalomo	4-9	New York	—	45725	—	—	—	—	—	—	5014	—	14500	—	—	—	—	1284	—	—	42	—	—	—
ss. Kasama	5-9	New York and Boston	—	508513	—	—	—	—	—	—	3162	—	44000	181232	—	—	—	2911	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. City of London	5-9	London	—	209052	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10000*	—	—	—	—	504	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Lituanie	7-9	Vladivostok	—	468650	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18300	—	—	—	—	3294	34	—	—	—	—	—
ss. City of Athens	7-9	London	—	84282	47	—	—	—	17500	—	—	—	5000	—	—	—	—	4382	—	—	100	—	—	—
ss. City of Athens	8-9	Hamburg	—	5733	62	—	—	—	188105	1993	—	—	13300	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	463	—	—	—
ss. Oitensen	8-9	Hamburg	—	140915	—	—	—	—	188105	1993	—	—	5000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Ekaterinoslov	8-9	Odessa	—	339820	—	—	—	—	285807	9959	—	—	1200†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Patrician	8-9	London	—	198048	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Omrah	9-9	London	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4000	—	—	1200†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Manin	9-9	Venice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1200†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Totomi Maru	9-9	Japan	—	12000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1200†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Worcestershire	9-9	London	—	688063	70	—	—	—	38565	—	7725	—	980	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	—	—
ss. Bingo Maru	10-9	London	—	455536	106	—	—	—	72630	3193	—	—	326†9500	—	—	—	—	702	788	—	550	—	—	—
ss. Austria	11-9	China	55	8100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	—	—	—
ss. Isla de Pany	11-9	Manila	—	2200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Wakamiya Maru	11-9	Bombay	—	2009	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Pundua	11-9	Tuticorin	—	1080	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Purnee	11-9	Tuticorin	—	3400	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Wardha	11-9	Tuticorin	—	106	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Purnee	11-9	Mauritius	—	55999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Takasaki Maru	11-9	Bombay	—	900	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Purnea	11-9	Tuticorin	—	360	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Loodiana	11-9	Bombay	—	2074	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Ernest Simons	11-9	China	—	3250	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Fazilka	11-9	Mauritius	—	4100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Lalpoora	11-9	Bombay	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>GALLE.</b>																								
ss. Clan Lindsay	8-9	London	—	5760	—	—	—	—	10100	—	—	744	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

† And chips 612 lb.

† And chips 5,600 lb.

\* And chips 5,600 lb.

Importation of Rice from Indian and other Ports during the Week.

TO COLOMBO :—	Bags.	TO GALLE :—	Bags.
From Adrampatam	2,514	Bombay	60
Muttupet	2,256	Bangkok	5,000
Valangany	1,280		
Calcutta	6,246	Total	36,481
Tuticorin	6,785		
Karachi	6,234		
Singapore	6,106		
		From Calcutta	Nil
		Southern India	5,285

F. J. SMITH,  
for Principal Collector.

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, September 14, 1908

THE under-mentioned packages having been left in the King's Cask Warehouse beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that unless the same be cleared or bonded they will be sold by auction on Tuesday, September 29, 1908, at 12 noon:—

Date.	Vessel.	Port.	Marks.	Description of Goods.
1908.				
May 25 ..	ss. Totomi Maru ..	Bombay ..	—	One bundle tea shooks
June 8 ..	ss. Oroya ..	London ..	Address	One chair
June 9 ..	ss. Uganja ..	—	A. S.	Fifteen bags bone manure
July 4 ..	ss. Zieten ..	—	F. B. & Co.	Six bags flour
July 11 ..	ss. Macedonia ..	London ..	Address	One case cake
— ..	Unknown ..	—	—	Three casks cement sweepings
— ..	do. ..	—	—	Two rolls barbed wire
— ..	do. ..	—	—	Five bars, iron

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, September 10, 1908.

F. J. SMITH,  
for Principal Collector.

### UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### <sup>2</sup> The Grand Central Ceylon Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Australia Buildings, York street, Colombo, on September 29, 1908, at 11.30 A.M., to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions viz. :—

(1) That the Directors be, and are hereby authorized to transfer to the Knavesmire Estates Company, Limited, a portion of land in extent 39 acres 3 roods and 22 perches, being a part of all that estate known as Tumbage, situated in the village Tumbage in Lower Bulatgama and Uduwapalata in Three Korales in the District of Kegalla, Province of Sabaragamuwa, included in deed No. 9,314 in favour of the Company and signed by the Vendors of the Company, viz., the Hon. Mr. J. N. Campbell, Messrs. Wm. Forsythe, Joseph Fraser, J. P. Anderson, L. Bayley, F. E. Savill, and E. J. Weatherall, the price or consideration to be paid by the Knavesmire Estates Company, Limited, being Rs. 2,400 with interest thereon at 7 per centum per annum from March 6, 1905.

(2) That the price, when received from the Knavesmire Estates Company, Limited, be paid over by the Company to the said J. N. Campbell, Wm. Forsythe, Joseph Fraser, J. P. Anderson, L. Bayley, F. E. Savill, and E. J. Weatherall.

By order of the Directors,

CARSON & Co.,  
Agents & Secretaries.

Colombo, September 14, 1908.

#### <sup>2</sup> The Sellinsing Rubber Company, Limited.

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Australia Buildings, York street, Colombo, on September 26, 1908, at 12 noon, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution:—

“That the Directors be, and they are hereby authorized to raise the sum of Rs. 100,000 and for

the purpose of securing the same to issue 2,000 debentures for Rs. 50 each, bearing interest at 8 per cent. per annum and repayable on December 31, 1918, with the option for any individual debenture holder at any time before December 31, 1913, to exchange his or her debenture or debentures for fully paid ordinary shares in the Company at the rate of one share for each debenture. And that for further securing the same the Directors be, and they are hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the Company, a mortgage over all or any of the Company's properties and assets, and a trust deed in respect thereof, such debentures, mortgage, and trust deed to be in such form and to contain such covenants and provisions as the Directors may deem expedient. And that the Directors be authorized to pay the trustees for the debenture holders such remuneration as the Directors may determine.”

By order of the Directors,

CARSON & Co.,  
Agents & Secretaries.

#### The Bibile Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, September 28, 1908, at 12 noon.

#### Business.

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, September 16, 1908.

2-2/50  
35  
The Fernlands Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, October 2, 1908, at 12.30 P.M.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, September 16, 1908.

2-2/50  
18  
The Hapugahalande Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at its registered office, No. 22, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, September 29, 1908, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and account for season ended June 30, 1908.

2. To elect a Director.

3. To appoint an Auditor for season 1908—09.

4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 15 to 29, 1908, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEWIS BROWN & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, September 15, 1908.

2-2/50  
18  
The Langat River (Selangor) Rubber Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at its registered office, No. 22, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, September 28, 1908, at 12.45 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts from the commencement of the Company to June 30, 1908.

2. To elect a Director.

3. To elect an Auditor.

4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 14 to 28, 1908.

By order of the Directors,

LEWIS BROWN & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, September 17, 1908.

The Yataderia Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited. P.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at San Sebastian, on Wednesday, September 30, 1908, at 12.30 P.M., to confirm the following special resolutions as passed at the Shareholders' Meeting held on September 14, 1908:—

1. That the 1,900 fully paid shares of Rs. 100 each, forming the capital of the Company, be subdivided into 19,000 fully paid shares of Rs. 10 each.

2. That the Articles of Association of the Company be amended by inserting at the end of Article No. 11, the following words:—

“The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, or pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.”

FOR THE EASTERN PRODUCE AND ESTATES CO., LTD.,  
(THOS. P. SIMPSON, Manager.)  
Agents and Secretaries.

The Pine Hill Estates Company, Limited. P  
Q

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifteenth Ordinary Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 20, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, September 26, 1908, at noon.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

To declare a dividend.

To elect a Director.

To appoint an Auditor.

To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 20 to 28, 1908, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

MACWOOD & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, September 15, 1908.

The Colombo Assembly Rooms Co., Ltd. C

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the Colombo Assembly Rooms Co., Ltd., will be held at 12 noon, on Thursday, September 24, 1908, at 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo.

*Business.*

To confirm the following resolution passed at a meeting held for that purpose on August 22, 1908:—

“That the increase of capital, viz., the issue of 806 preference shares of Rs. 20 each on February 6, 1871, be and is hereby authorized.”

By order of the Directors,

W. SUTHERLAND ROSS,  
Secretary.

Colombo, September 17, 1908.

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**MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF "THE ASSOCIATED WINE STORES, LIMITED."**

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1. The name of the Company is "THE ASSOCIATED WINE STORES, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in No. 20, Jampettah street, Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
  - (a) To trade in different kinds of wines, spirits, and all other liquors and stores, and other merchandise.
  - (b) To buy, sell, export, import, trade, and deal, either by wholesale and (or) retail, in all kinds of wines, spirits, and all other stores and merchandise, and other products, wares, articles, and things of any kind whatsoever, either in a prepared, manufactured, or raw state.
  - (c) To carry on in the town of Colombo or elsewhere all or any of the following business, that is to say: as merchants, importers, exporters, traders, forwarding agents, and any other business which can or may be conveniently carried on in connection with the above or any of them.
  - (d) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire, and hold carriages and carts and other vehicles of any description whatsoever, and to hold all live and dead stock, chattels and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business which may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
  - (e) To engage, employ, maintain, and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, coolies, and other servants and labourers; and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
  - (f) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities, Government, municipal, local, or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
  - (g) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, reciprocal concession, amalgamation, or co-operation with any person or persons, corporation or company carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue, with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with such shares or securities; and to form, constitute, or promote any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.
  - (h) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere.
  - (i) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of produce or other merchandise, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
  - (j) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company, or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money or the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company, or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable or irredeemable or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and properties of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
  - (k) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licenses, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects, and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.
  - (l) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby, or any part or parts thereof.
  - (m) To sell the undertaking of the Company, or any part thereof, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
  - (n) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.

- (o) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, and other negotiable instruments.
- (p) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.
- (q) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and either as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others; and either by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and generally to carry on any business or effectuate any object of the Company.
- (r) To sell, let, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, transfer, deliver, charge, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration.
- (s) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company or partly in one way and partly in another or otherwise howsoever, with power to issue any shares either as fully paid up or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (t) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate or property or assets of the Company or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, money or shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) of the Company, or the debentures or debenture stock of obligations of any company or person or persons or partly one and partly any other.
- (u) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (v) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them. It being hereby declared that in the foregoing clause (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "person" includes any number of persons and a corporation, and that the "other objects" specified in any one paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Members is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Rupees Two hundred thousand (Rs. 200,000), divided into Two thousand (2,000) shares of Rupees One hundred (Rs. 100) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes, with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being or otherwise.

We, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a Company in pursuance of this Memorandum of Association, and we respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names:—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
J. C. A. CASIE CHITTY, No. 20, Jampettah street, Colombo	.. One
M. ARNOLIS PIERIS, Timbirigasyaya, Bambalapitiya	.. One
P. J. CASIE CHITTY, Green street, Colombo	.. One
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WALTER P. CASIE CHITTY, No. 19, Lascorreen street, Colombo	.. One
A. F. S. MASSILLAMANY, No. 44, New Chetty street, Colombo	.. One
A. P. CASIE CHITTY, No. 19, Lascorreen street	.. One

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, on this Ninth day of September, 1908:

JNO. N. KEITH,  
Proctor, Supreme Court.

## ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF "THE ASSOCIATED WINE STORES, LIMITED."

It is agreed as follows :—

1. *Table C not to apply ; Company to be governed by these Articles.*—The regulations contained in the Table C in the schedule annexed to "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinance, 1861," shall not apply to this Company, which shall be governed by the Regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.

2. *Power to alter the regulations.*—The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained and comprised in these Articles or not.

## INTERPRETATION.

3. *Interpretation clause.*—In the interpretation of these presents the following words and expressions shall have the following meanings, unless such meanings be inconsistent with, or repugnant to, the subject or context, viz. :—

*Company.*—The word "Company" means "The Associated Wine Stores, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

*The Ordinance.*—The "Ordinance" means and includes "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinances, 1861, 1888, and 1893," and every other Ordinance from time to time in force concerning Joint Stock Companies which may apply to the Company.

*Special resolution and extraordinary resolution.*—"Special resolution" and "extraordinary resolution" have the meanings assigned thereto respectively by "the Ordinance."

*These presents.*—"These presents" means and includes the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time in force.

*Capital.*—"Capital" means the capital for the time being raised or authorized to be raised for the purposes of the Company.

*Shares.*—"Shares" means the shares from time to time into which the capital of the Company may be divided.

*Shareholder.*—"Shareholder" means a Shareholder of the Company.

*Presence or present.*—"Presence or present" at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

*Directors.*—"Directors" means the Directors for the time being of the Company or (as the case may be) the Directors assembled at a Board.

*Board.*—"Board" means a meeting of the Directors or (as the context may require) the Directors assembled at a Board meeting, acting through at least a quorum of their body in the exercise of authority duly given to them.

*Persons.*—"Persons" means partnerships, associations, corporations, companies, unincorporated or incorporated by Ordinance and registration, as well as individuals.

*Office.*—"Office" means the registered office for the time being of the Company.

*Seal.*—"Seal" means the common seal for the time being of the Company.

*Month.*—"Month" means a calendar month.

*Writing.*—"Writing" means any matter expressed or described upon any substance by means of letters, figures, or marks, or by more than one of these means it being immaterial by what means or upon what substance the letters, figures, or marks are formed, and includes any matter printed, lithographed, photographed, inscribed, or type written.

*Singular and plural number.*—Words importing the singular number may include the plural, and *vice versa*.

*Masculine and feminine gender.*—Words importing the masculine gender may include the feminine, and *vice versa*.

## BUSINESS.

4. *Commencement of business.*—The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and notwithstanding that the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed or applied for or allotted they shall do so as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

5. *Business to be carried on by Directors.*—The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents.

## CAPITAL.

6. *The capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is Two hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 200,000), divided into 2,000 shares of Rs. 100 each.

7. *Arrangement on issue of shares.*—The Company may call up the balance capital whenever the Directors shall think fit, and may make arrangements on the issue of shares for a difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid, and the time of payment of such calls.

8. *Payment of amount of shares by instalments.*—If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the holder of the share.

9. *Increase or reduction of capital.*—The Company in General Meeting may, by special resolution from time to time, increase the capital by creation of new shares of such amount per share and in the aggregate



and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto as such resolution shall direct, and the Company in General Meeting may by special resolution reduce the capital as such special resolution shall direct, and may by special resolution subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company or any of them.

10. *New Shares.*—The new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof or any other General Meeting of the Company shall direct; and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

11. *How carried into effect.*—Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

12. *Same as original capital.*—Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents, any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payments of calls and instalments, transfer and transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise.

#### SHARES.

13. *Issue.*—The shares, except where otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper. Provided that such unissued shares shall first be offered by the Directors to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company as nearly as possible in proportion to the shares already held by them, and such shares as shall not be accepted by the Shareholder or Shareholders to whom the shares shall have been offered within the time specified in that behalf by the Directors may be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as they think most beneficial to the Company. Provided also that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot any shares in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company, without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

14. *Acceptance.*—Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company from time to time directs.

15. *Payment.*—Payment of shares shall be made in such manner as the Directors shall from time to time determine and direct.

16. *Shares held by a firm.*—Shares may be registered in the name of a firm, and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies.

17. *Shares held by two or more persons not in partnership.*—Shares may be registered in the name of two or more persons not in partnership.

18. *One of joint-holders other than a firm may give receipts; only one of joint-holders resident in Ceylon entitled to vote.*—Any one of the joint-holders of a share other than a firm may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable in respect of such share; but only one of such joint Shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, and if the joint-holders cannot arrange amongst themselves as to who shall vote or give proxies and exercise such other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, the Shareholder whose name stands first on the register of shares shall vote or give proxies and exercise those rights and powers; provided, however, that in the event of such first registered Shareholder being absent from the Island, the first registered Shareholder then resident in Ceylon shall vote or give proxies and exercise all such rights and powers as aforesaid.

19. *Survivor or joint-holder, other than a firm, only recognized.*—In case of death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

20. The joint-holders of a share shall be severally as well as jointly liable for the payment of all instalments and calls due in respect of such share.

21. *Company not bound to recognize any interest in share other than that of registered holder or of any person under clause 37.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 37 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

22. *Certificates.*—The certificates of shares shall be issued under the seal of the Company, and signed by two Directors or by one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries of the Company.

23. *How issued.*—Every Shareholder shall be entitled to one certificate for all the shares registered in his name, or to several certificates, each for one or more of such shares. Every certificate shall specify the number of the share in respect of which it is issued.

24. *Renewal of certificate.*—If any certificate be worn out or defaced, then upon production thereof to the Directors they may order the same to be cancelled and may issue a new certificate in lieu thereof; and if any certificate be lost or destroyed, then upon proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Directors, and on such indemnity as the Directors may deem adequate being given, a new certificate in lieu thereof shall be given to the person entitled to such lost or destroyed certificate. A sum of two rupees and fifty cents shall be payable for each such new certificate.

25. *Certificate to be delivered to the first named of joint-holders not a firm.*—The certificate of shares registered in the names of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

## TRANSFER OF SHARES.

26. *Exercise of rights.*—No person shall exercise any rights of a member until his name shall have been entered in the Register of Members, and he shall have paid all calls and other moneys for the time being payable on every share in the Company held by him.

27. *Transfer of shares.*—Subject to the restriction of these Articles, any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instrument in writing.

28. *No transfer to infant or person of unsound mind.*—No transfer of shares shall be made to an infant or person of unsound mind.

29. *Register of transfers.*—The Company shall keep a book or books, to be called "The Register of Transfers," in which shall be entered the particulars of every transfer or transmission of any share.

30. *Instrument of transfer.*—The instrument of transfer of any share shall be signed by both the transferor and transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of such share until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof.

31. *Board may decline to register transfers.*—The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved by them.

32. *Not bound to state reason.*—In no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

33. *Registration of Transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Rs. 2·50, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 31, 32, and 34, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

34. *Directors may authorize registration of transferees.*—The Directors may, by such means as they shall deem expedient, authorize the registration of transferees as Shareholders without the necessity of any meeting of the Directors for that purpose.

35. *Directors not bound to inquire as to validity of transfer.*—In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the shares, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but, if at all, upon the transferee only.

36. *Transfer Books when to be closed.*—The Transfer Books shall be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting, including the First General Meeting; also, when a dividend is declared, for the three days next ensuing the meeting; also at such other times as the Directors may decide, not exceeding further ten days in any one year.

## TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

37. *Title to shares of deceased holder.*—The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to shares of such Shareholder.

38. *Registration of persons entitled to shares otherwise than by transfer.*—Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Rs. 2·50; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

39. *Failing such registration, shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 38 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money, and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

## SHARES (SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE).

40. *The Directors may accept surrender of shares.*—The Directors may accept, in the name and for the benefit of the Company, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed, a surrender of the shares of Shareholders who may be desirous of retiring from the Company.

41. *If call or instalment be not paid, notice to be given to Shareholder.*—If any Shareholder fail to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder or his executors or administrators or the trustee or assignee in his bankruptcy requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

*Terms of notice.*—The notice shall name a day (not being less than one month from the date of the notice) on and a place or places at which such call or instalment and such interest and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid. The notice shall also state that, in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which the call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

*In default of payment, shares to be forfeited.*—If the requisition of such notice as aforesaid be not complied with, every or any share or shares in respect of which such notice has been given may at any time thereafter, before payment of calls or instalments, interest, and expense due in respect thereof, be declared forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect.

*Shareholder still liable to pay money owing at time of forfeiture.*—Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay, and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at 9 per cent. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

42. *Surrendered or forfeited shares to be property of the Company, and may be sold, &c.*—Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

43. *Effect of surrender or forfeiture.*—The surrender or forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all interest in, and also of all claims and demands against, the Company in respect of the share and the proceeds thereof, and all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly saved.

44. *Certificate of surrender or forfeiture.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Secretary or Secretaries that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture, and such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, and thereupon such purchaser shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

*Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bonâ fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 42 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

45. *Company's lien on shares.*—The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders or otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls, resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, although the time appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. And the Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

46. *Lien how made available.*—Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the assignee or trustee in his bankruptcy, requiring him or them to pay the amount for the time being due to the Company, and default shall have been made for twenty-eight days from such notice in paying the sum thereby required to be paid. Should the Shareholder over whose share the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

47. *Proceeds how applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 42 and 46 hereof shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

48. *Certificate of sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Secretary or Secretaries that the power of sale given by clause 46 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

49. *Transfer on sale how executed.*—Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such shares.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

50. *Preference and deferred shares.*—Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right of preference, whether in respect of dividend or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or at such a premium, or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued or then about to be issued, or subject to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may from time to time by special resolution determine.

51. *Resolutions affecting a particular class of shares.*—If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes, then the holders of any class of shares may, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders, consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or to the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares; and such resolution shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

52. *Meeting affecting a particular class of shares.*—Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no member, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat, unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be affected by the resolution, and that no vote shall be given except in respect of a share of that class, and that at any such meeting a poll may be demanded in writing by any members personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

## CALLS.

53. *Directors may make calls.*—The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the registered holders of shares, in respect of moneys unpaid thereon, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors, provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for the payment of each call.

*Calls, time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors.

*Extension of time for payment of call.*—The Directors shall have power in their absolute discretion to give time to any one or more Shareholder or Shareholders, exclusive of the others, for payment of any call or part thereof on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.

54. *Interest on unpaid call.*—If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment is not paid on or before the day appointed for the payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made, or the instalments shall have been due, shall pay interest for the same at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment, but the Directors may, when they think fit, remit altogether or in part any sum becoming payable for interest under this clause.

55. *Payment in anticipation of calls at interest.*—The Directors may at their discretion receive from any Shareholder willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the amount of his shares beyond the sum actually called up.

## BORROWING POWERS.

56. *Power to Borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the merchandise in hand, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of One hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 100,000). With sanction of a General Meeting the Directors shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any bonds, mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations, of the Company charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys hereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall, as regards the creditor, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

## MEETINGS.

57. *First General Meeting.*—The First General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time, not being more than twelve months after the registration of the Company, and at such place as the Directors may determine.

58. *Subsequent General Meetings.*—Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is prescribed, at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

59. *Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The General Meetings mentioned in the last preceding clause shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

60. *Extraordinary General Meeting.*—The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-tenth of the number of the Shareholders holding not less than one-tenth of the issued capital and entitled to vote.

61. *Requisition of Shareholders to state object of meeting; on receipt of requisition Directors to call meetings, and in default Shareholders may do so.*—Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company. Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

62. *Notice of resolution.*—Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

63. *Seven days' notice of meeting to be given.*—Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given either by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or by notices sent by post, or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting.

64. *Business requiring and not requiring notification.*—Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors retiring in rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatever of which special mention shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

65. *Notice of other business to be given.*—With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to the business which may be transacted at Ordinary General Meetings without notice, no General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be competent to enter upon, discuss, or transact any business which has not been specially mentioned in the notice or notices upon which it was convened.

66. *Quorum to be present.*—No business shall be transacted at a General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or the election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present in person at the commencement of the business three or more Shareholders entitled to vote.

67. *If a quorum not present, meeting to be dissolved or adjourned; adjourned meeting to transact business.*—If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of Shareholders shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

68. *Chairman of Directors or a Director to be Chairman of General Meeting; in case of their absence or refusal a Shareholder may act.*—The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within 15 minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the Chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the Chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

69. *Business confined to election of Chairman while Chair vacant.*—No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the Chair is vacant.

70. *Chairman with consent may adjourn meeting.*—The Chairman, with the consent of the meeting, may adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice shall be given.

71. *Minutes of General Meetings.*—Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of the same meeting, or by the Chairman of the succeeding meeting, and the same when so entered and signed shall be evidence of all such proceedings and of proper election of the Chairman.

#### VOTING AT MEETINGS.

72. *Votes.*—At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present in person or by proxy or by attorney duly appointed, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney; and unless a poll be immediately demanded in writing by at least three members present in person and not by proxy or by attorney at the meeting and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

73. *Poll.*—If a poll be duly demanded, the same shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman shall direct, and the result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

74. *Poll how taken.*—If at any meeting a poll be demanded, by notice in writing signed by three Shareholders present in person and not by proxy or by attorney at the meeting and entitled to vote, which notice shall be delivered during the meeting to the Chairman, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided; and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

75. *No poll on election of Chairman or on question of adjournment.*—No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

76. *Number of votes to which Shareholder entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall (except as provided for in the Article immediately following) have one vote for every one share held by him, up to five. He shall have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first five shares. When voting on a resolution involving the winding up of the Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

77. *Guardian of infant, &c., when not entitled to vote.*—The parent or guardian of an infant Shareholder, the committee or other legal guardian of any lunatic Shareholder, the husband of any female Shareholder not entitled to her shares as separate estate, and the executor or administrator of any deceased Shareholder, or any one of such persons as aforesaid, if more than one, shall not be entitled to vote in the place of such infant, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

78. *Voting in person or by proxy.*—Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or attorney duly authorized.

79. *Non-Shareholder not to be appointed proxy.*—No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company, but the attorney of a Shareholder, even though not himself a Shareholder of the Company, may represent and vote for his principal at any meeting of the Company.

80. *Shareholder in arrear or not registered at least three months previous to the meeting not to vote.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote or speak at any General Meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares, or any of them, shall have been paid; and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote or speak at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of or as the holder of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or speak duly registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote or speak.

81. *Proxy to be printed or in writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written, and shall be signed by the appointer, or if such appointer be a corporation, it shall be by the common seal of such corporation.

82. *When proxy to be deposited.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

83. *Form of proxy.*—Any instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

*The Associated Wine Stores, Limited.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, appoint \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ (a Shareholder in the Company), as my proxy, to represent me and to vote for me and on my behalf at the Ordinary (or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_, and at any adjournment thereof, and at every poll which may be taken in consequence thereof.

As witness my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_.

84. *Objection to validity of vote to be made at the meeting or poll.*—No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such vote shall be tendered, and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objection shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.

85. *No Shareholder to be prevented from voting by being personally interested in result.*—No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

86. *Number of Directors.*—The number of Directors shall never be less than three nor more than five.

87. *Their qualification and remuneration.*—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right thirty shares in the Company, whether fully paid up or partly paid up, and upon which, in the case of partly paid up shares, all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. As a remuneration for their services, the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding One thousand Rupees (Rs. 1,000), annually, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Director of the Company.

87½. *Appointment of first Directors and duration of their office.*—The first Directors shall be Patrick Anandappa, Shroff Mercantile Bank, Galle; A. F. S. Masselamany, Assistant Shroff, Mercantile Bank, Colombo; P. J. Casie Chitty, Landed Proprietor, Green street, Colombo; and M. P. L. Palaniappa Chetty, Trader, Sea street, Colombo, who shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

88. *Directors may appoint Managing Director or Directors; his or their remuneration.*—One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Visiting Agents of the Company or Superintendent or Superintendents of any of the Company's places of business for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents, Superintendent or Superintendents, and the Directors may impose and confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be imposed or conferred on any Manager of the Company. If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

89. *Appointment of successors to Directors.*—The General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof such successors may be appointed at a subsequent General Meeting.

90. *Board may fill up vacancies.*—The Board shall have power at any time and from time to time before the First Ordinary General Meeting to supply any vacancies in their number arising from death, resignation, or otherwise.

91. *Duration of office of Director appointed to vacancy.*—Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors subsequent to the First Ordinary General Meeting may be filled up by the Directors, but any person so chosen shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained, the same if no vacancy had occurred.

92. *To retire annually.*—At the Second Ordinary General Meeting and at the Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year two of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 93.

93. *Retiring Directors how determined.*—The Directors to retire from office at the Second, Third, and Fourth Ordinary General Meeting shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

94. *Retiring Directors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

95. *Decision of question as to retirement.*—In case any question shall arise as to which of the Directors who have been the same time in office shall retire, the same shall be decided by the Directors by ballot.

96. *Number of Directors how increased or reduced.*—The Directors, subject to the approval of a General Meeting, may from time to time at any time subsequent to the Second Ordinary General Meeting increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also, subject to the like approval, determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

97. *If election not made, retiring Directors to continue until next meeting.*—If at any meeting at which an election of Directors ought to take place the place of the retiring Directors is not filled up, the retiring Directors may continue in office until the First Ordinary Meeting in the next year, and so on from meeting to meeting until their place is filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting to reduce the number of Directors.

98. *Resignation of Directors.*—A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary or Secretaries, or by leaving the same at the registered office of the Company, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors, and on the acceptance of his resignation by the Directors, but not before his office shall become vacant.

99. *When office of Directors to be vacated.*—The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit (other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary) under the Company.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he is concerned or participates in the profits of any contract with or work done for the Company.

*Exceptions.*—But the above rule shall be subject to the following exceptions:—That no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company of which he is a Director, or by his being agent, or secretary, or proctor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or proctors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

100. *How Directors removed and successors appointed.*—The Company may, by a special resolution, remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and may, by an ordinary resolution, appoint another person in his stead, and the Director so appointed shall hold office only during such time as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

101. *Indemnity to Directors and others for their own acts and for the acts of others.*—Every Director or officer, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him respectively in or about the discharge of his respective duties, except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer, nor the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, shall be liable for any other Director or officer or for joining in any receipt or other acts of conformity, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortuous act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his respective office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

102. *No contribution to be required from Directors beyond amount, if any, unpaid on their shares.*—No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

103. *Powers of Directors.*—The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through the Managing Director, or by an Agent or Agents, Secretary or Secretaries of the Company, in such manner as the Directors shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in connection with the placing of the shares of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, cultivation, inspection, and supervision thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

104. The Directors shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such Ordinance and of these presents, and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting; but no regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made. The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

105. The Directors shall have power to purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, or otherwise acquire for the Company any estate or estates, land or lands, property, rights, options, or privileges which the Company is authorized to acquire at such price, and for such consideration, and generally with such titles on such terms and conditions as they may think fit; and to make, and they may make, such regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and for that purpose may appoint such managers, agents, secretaries, officers, visiting agents, inspectors

clerks, and servants for such period or periods, and with such remuneration, and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, officers, visiting agents, inspectors, clerks, or servants for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause.

106. The Directors shall have power to open from time to time on behalf of the Company any account or accounts with such bank or banks as they may select or appoint, and also by such signatures as they may appoint to draw, accept, make, endorse, and sign cheques, bills of exchange, and promissory notes, bills of lading, receipts, contracts, and agreements, and other documents on behalf and for the purpose of the Company, also proxy or proxies, appointment or appointments, to any proctor or proctors.

107. The Directors shall also have power to appoint an agent or secretary or agents or secretaries, and to enter into agreements in connection therewith; also to appoint a proctor or proctors, attorney or attorneys, and whatever other officers they may consider necessary to assist in carrying on the business of the Company, and from time to time to revoke such appointments. They shall from time to time determine as they shall see fit the duties of the agent or secretary or agents or secretaries and of the Managing Director and other officers; and may delegate to him or them all or any of the powers hereby made exercisable by the Directors, except those relating to shares and any others as to which special provisions, inconsistent with such delegation are herein contained; and they shall have power to fix the remuneration of such agent or secretary or agents or secretaries and Managing Director and other offices. They shall not, however, be entitled to delegate any powers of borrowing or charging the property of the Company to any agent of the Company or other person, except by instrument in writing, which shall specifically state the extent to which such powers may be used by the person or persons to whom they are so delegated, and the conditions under which they may be used; and such limitations and conditions shall be an essential part of the powers so delegated, and compliance therewith shall be a condition precedent to the exercise of these powers. The Directors shall also have the power to bring or defend any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings in the name of the Company.

108. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by the Shareholders in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other Company or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, property, estate, and effects of the Company, or any part thereof, respectively, to any company or person, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit; and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; the Company shall thereupon be dissolved.

109. The Directors shall exercise in the name and on behalf of the Company all such powers of the Company as are not expressly required to be exercised by the Company in General Meeting.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

110. *Meeting of Directors.*—The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined, three Directors shall be a quorum.

111. *A Director may summon Meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

112. *Who is to preside at Meetings of Board.*—The Board may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, and all meetings of the Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman, if one has been elected and if present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of the Chairman, or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then and in that case the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

113. *Questions at Meetings how decided.*—Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes, the Chairman thereof shall have a casting vote, in addition to his vote as Director.

114. *Board may appoint Committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit, and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such committee, either wholly or in part, and either as to persons or purposes, but every committee so formed shall, in exercise of the powers delegated to it, conform to all such regulations as may be prescribed by the Board. All acts done by any such committee, in conformity with such regulations and in the fulfilment of the purposes of their appointment, but not otherwise, shall have the like force and effect as if done by the Board.

115. *Acts of Board or Committee valid, notwithstanding informal Appointments.*—The acts of the Board and of any committees appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or any defect in the appointment of any Director or of any member of the committee, be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if every person had been duly appointed, provided the same be done before the discovery of the defect.

116. *Regulation of Proceedings of Committees.*—The meetings and proceedings of such committees shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of Directors, so far as the same are applicable thereto, and be not superseded by the express terms of the appointment of such committees respectively, or any regulation imposed by the Board.

117. *Resolution in writing by all the Directors are valid as if passed at a Meeting of Directors.*—A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted.

118. *Minutes of Proceedings of the Company and the Directors to be recorded.*—The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the following matters, viz.:—

- (a) Of all the appointments of officers and committees made by the Directors.
- (b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors, and of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (c) Of the resolutions, proceedings, and of all General Meetings.
- (d) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors and of the committees appointed by the Board.
- (e) Of all orders made by the Directors.



119. *Signature of Minutes of Proceedings and effect thereof.*—All such minutes shall be signed by the person or one of the persons who shall have presided as Chairman at the General Meeting, the Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting at which the business minuted shall have been transacted, or by the person or one of the persons who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, or Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively; and all minutes purporting to have been signed by any Chairman of any General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively, shall, for all purposes whatsoever, be *prima facie* evidence of the actual and regular passing of the resolutions, and the actual and regular transaction or occurrence of the proceedings and other matters purporting to be so recorded, and of the regularity of the meeting at which the same shall appear to have taken place, and of the chairmanship and signature of the person appearing to have signed as Chairman, and of the date on which such meeting was held.

120. *The use of Seal.*—The seal of the Company shall not be used or affixed to any deed or instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries of the Company, who shall attest the sealing thereof, such attestation on the part of the Secretaries, in event of a firm being the Secretaries, being signified by a partner of the said firm signing for and on behalf of the said firm as such Secretaries.

#### ACCOUNTS.

121. *What accounts to be kept.*—The Agent or Secretary or the Agents or Secretaries for the time being, or, if there be no Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, the Directors, shall cause true accounts to be kept of the paid up capital for the time being of the Company, and of all sums of money received and expended by the Company, and of the matters in respect of which such receipts and expenditure take place, and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company, and generally of all its commercial, financial, and other affairs, transactions, engagements, and of all other matters necessary for showing the true financial state and condition of the Company; and the accounts shall be kept in such books and in such a manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

122. *Accounts how and when open to Inspection.*—The Directors shall from time to time determine whether, and to what extent, and at what time and places, and under what conditions or regulations, the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by the statutes or authorized by the Directors, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

123. *Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet to be furnished to General Meetings.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the profit and loss account of the preceding year and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to the end of the previous year.

124. *Report to accompany Statement.*—Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company and as to the amount which they recommend to be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

125. *Copy of Balance Sheet to be sent to Shareholders.*—A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at, or posted to, the registered address of every shareholder.

#### DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

126. *Declaration of dividend.*—The Directors may, with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting, from time to time declare a dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders in proportion to the amount paid on their shares, but no dividend shall be payable except out of nett profits.

127. *Interim Dividend.*—The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend on the then current year.

128. *Reserve Fund.*—Previously to the Directors recommending any dividend, they may set aside, out of the profits of the Company, such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and shall invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

129. *Application thereof.*—The Directors may from time to time apply such portion as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant connected with the business of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purpose of the Company which they may from time to time deem expedient.

130. *Unpaid Interest or Dividend not to bear Interest.*—No unpaid interest or dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

131. *No Shareholder to receive Dividend while Debt due to Company.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend or bonus in respect of his share or shares whilst any moneys may be due or owing from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company in respect of such share or shares or otherwise howsoever.

132. *Directors may deduct Debt from the Dividends.*—The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all sums of money due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding such sums shall not be payable until after the date when such dividend is payable.

133. *Notice of Dividend; forfeiture of unclaimed Dividend.*—Notice of all interest or dividends or bonuses to become payable shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto; and all interest or dividends or bonuses unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by a resolution of the Board of Directors for the benefit of the Company, and if the Directors think fit may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund.

134. *Shares held by a Firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by a firm may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any partner of such firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm.

135. *Joint-holders other than a Firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by several persons jointly other than a firm may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any one of such persons.

## AUDIT.

136. *Accounts to be audited.*—The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

137. *Qualification of Auditors.*—No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transactions of the Company, but it shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he is a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

138. *Appointment and Retirement of Auditors.*—The Directors shall appoint the first Auditors of the Company and fix their remuneration; and all future Auditors, except as is hereinafter mentioned, shall be appointed at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and shall hold their office only until the First Ordinary General Meeting after their respective appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

139. *Retiring Auditors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

140. *Remuneration of Auditors.*—The remuneration of the Auditors other than the first shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, and this remuneration may from time to time be varied by a General Meeting.

141. *Casual vacancy in number of Auditors how filled up.*—If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor shall not be supplied at any Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur, the Directors shall (subject to the approval of the next Ordinary General Meeting) fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold the office until such meeting.

142. *Duty of Auditors.*—Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting, and it shall be his duty to examine the same with the accounts and vouchers relating thereto, and to report thereon to the meeting generally or specially as he may think fit.

143. *Company's Accounts to be opened to Auditors for audit.*—All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all times be open to the Auditors for the purpose of audit.

## NOTICES.

144. *Notices how authenticated.*—Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

145. *Shareholders to register Address.*—Every Shareholder shall give an address in Ceylon, which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

*Service of Notices.*—A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by sending through the post in a prepaid letter, addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode; and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served for all purposes, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless and until his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company their own or some other address in Ceylon.

146. *Notice to joint-holders of Shares other than a Firm.*—All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons other than a firm are jointly entitled, be sufficient if given to any one of such persons, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

147. *Date and Proof of Service.*—Any notice if served by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the letter containing the same would in ordinary course of post have been delivered at its address, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into a post office or post box, and the entry in the Company's books of the leaving or sending by post of any notice at or to such address shall be sufficient evidence thereof, and no further evidence shall be necessary.

148. *Non-resident Shareholders must register addresses in Ceylon.*—Every Shareholder residing out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notices.

All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

## ARBITRATION.

149. *Directors may refer disputes to Arbitration.*—Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or persons, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

## EVIDENCE.

150. *Evidence in action by Company against Shareholders.*—On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought or instituted by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover any debt or money claimed to be due to the Company in respect of his shares, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the defendant is or was when the claim arose on the Register of the Shareholders of the Company as a holder of the number of shares in respect of which such claim is made, and that the amount claimed is not entered as paid in the books of the Company; and it shall not be necessary to prove the registration of the Company, nor the appointment of the Directors who made any call, nor that a quorum of Directors was present at the Board at which any call was made, nor that the meeting at which any call was made was duly convened or constituted, nor any other matter whatsoever, but the proof of the matters aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.

## PROVISION RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

151. *Purchase of Company's Property by Shareholders.*—Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, or whether alone or jointly with any other Shareholder or Director, and any person not a Shareholder, may become the purchaser of the property of the Company or any part thereof in the event of a winding up or a dissolution, or at any other time when a sale of the Company's property or effects or any part thereof shall be made by the Directors under the powers hereby or under the Ordinance conferred upon them.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereto set and subscribed their names at Colombo, on the day, month, and year set opposite their respective names.

J. C. A. CASIE CHITTY, 9th September, 1908.

M. ARNOLIS PIERIS, 9th September, 1908.

P. J. CASIE CHITTY, 9th September, 1908.

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WALTER P. CASIE CHITTY, 9th September, 1908.

A. S. F. MASSILLAMANY, 9th September, 1908.

A. P. CASIE CHITTY, No. 19, 9th September, 1908.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, on this Ninth day of September, 1908:

JNO. N. KEITH,  
Proctor, Supreme Court.

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I, ARTHUR ANDERSON AMARASINGHA of Wekada in Otara palata of Pitigal Korale South, in the District of Chilaw, do hereby give notice in terms of the Rule (2) of the Schedule I.B of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in Sinhalese in the District of Kurunegala.

A. A. AMARASINGHA.

Wekada,  
September 14, 1908.

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I, SUDHASINGHERATNEBANDARA DON WILLIAM JAYAWARDENA of Batagama North in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, presently of No. 88, 1st Division, Maradana, Colombo, do hereby give notice, in terms of the Schedule I.B of section 8 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Kegalla.

S. D. W. JAYAWARDENA.

Colombo, September 9, 1908.

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IN PURSUANT to and in terms of the decree entered in action No. 19,138 of the District Court of Kandy, between George Dalziel and others, plaintiffs, and Henry Mathew Alley and Gerard Thorn Taylor, defendants—

Notice is hereby given that we, Reginald Marshall John and Lionel Ottley Leefe of Colombo, Licensed Auctioneers, or one of us, will sell by public auction at our office, No. 19, Upper Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, October 16, 1908, at 3 P.M., the estates and premises called and known as Loxton and Palmlands (in one lot) hereinafter described, and which have been declared bound and executable under the said decree for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 45,822, with interest thereon at 9 per

centum per annum from June 29, 1908, till payment in full, and costs of suit, to wit:—

1. All that and those the estate plantations and premises called and known as Loxton, comprising all that allotment of land, situate in the village of Caluvanchikudiyirippu in the Province of Eruvil of the District of Batticaloa, Eastern Province; containing in extent 150 acres 2 roods and 20 perches, as per plan dated December 1, 1895, made by J. E. Carey, Licensed Land Surveyor.

2. All that and those the estate plantations and premises called and known as Palmlands, comprising the following allotments of land, to wit:—

(1) A piece of land called Kaladawalla, situate at Kaladawalla in Eruvilpattu in Batticaloa; containing in extent 41 acres 1 rood and 15 perches, according to the plan thereof dated August 18, 1893, being a portion out of the land called Podoetalleycayney described in plan No. 47,738.

(2) All those five pieces of land situate at Kaladawalla aforesaid, containing in extent 61 acres 3 roods and 32 perches, and comprising the following allotments, to wit:—

(a) Lot No. 22 of Kaladawalla, containing in extent 28 acres and 1 rood.

(b) Lot No. 23 of Kaladawalla, containing in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 30 perches.

(c) Lot No. 24 of Kaladawalla, containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 14 perches.

(d) Lot No. 25 of Kaladawalla, containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 2 perches.

(e) Lot No. 26 of Kaladawalla, containing in extent 15 acres 2 roods and 26 perches.

Together with the buildings, stores, machinery, fixtures, furniture, tools, implements, elephants, cattle, carts, and other the live and dead stock in and upon the said estates and premises.

The above properties will be put up for sale in one lot at the upset price of Rs. 22,500.

For conditions of sale apply to us.

REGINALD M. JOHN,

LIONEL O. LEEFE,

Auctioneers.

Colombo, September 14, 1908.