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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:-

> An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the Law relating to the Protection of Game, Wild Beasts, Birds, and Fish.

Preamble.

HEREAS it is expedient to amend and consolidate the law relating to the protection of game, wild beasts, birds, and fish: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

PART I.

Preliminary.

Short title and division into parts.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Game Protection Ordinance, 190 ," and is divided into parts as follows:

Part I.—Preliminary.

Part II.—Wild Elephants, Buffaloes, and Game.

Part III.—Birds, Beasts, and Fishes not indigenous to Ceylon.

Part IV.—Indigenous Wild Birds. Part V.—Fish,

Part VI.—General.

Repeal.

2 There shall be repealed, as from the commencement of this Ordinance, the enactments specified in schedule I. to this Ordinance to the extent in the third column of that schedule mentioned.

Commencement.

- 3 (1) This Ordinance shall come into operation on such date as the Governor shall, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, appoint.
- (2) In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, "Government Agent" includes an Assistant Government Agent.
- "Close season" means the period between the first of June and the thirty-first of October, inclusive, in each year. But the Governor in Executive Council may, if he thinks fit, by notification in the Government Gazette, direct a different period to be observed as a close season with respect to any of the beasts, birds, or fishes to which this Ordinance applies, either generally or in any specified part of the Island.

The Government Agent of every province shall annually, in the first week of May, give notice of the close season by notification in the Government Gazette, and by affixing printed notices on the walls of the kachcheries, courts, gansabhawas, resthouses, Government dispensaries, and such other places in the province as shall give due publicity thereto; such notices shall be in the vernacular language generally in use in the district, division, or subdivision in which they are affixed.

PART II.

Wild Elephants, Buffaloes, and Game.

Interpretation.

- 4 In this part of this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires—
 - "Tusker" means any wild elephant having a tusk or tusks.
 "Elephant" means a wild elephant other than a tusker.
 - "Buffalo" means a wild buffalo.
 - "Game" means and includes-
 - (a) Sambur (Cervus unicolor).
 - (b) Spotted deer (Cervus axis).
 - (c) Red or barking deer (Cervulus muntjac).
 - (d) Paddy field deer (Cervus porcinus).
 - (e) Peafowl (Pavo cristatus).
 - (f) Grey partridge (Francolinus pondicerianus).
 - (g) Ceylon spur fowl (Galloperdix bicalcarata).
 - "Resident" means a person who has been resident in Ceylon for twelve continuous months. But the said expression shall be taken to include the following persons when they have not been resident in the Island for the said periods, namely:
 - (a) Officers of His Majesty's Naval and Military Forces when in Ceylon on His Majesty's Service.
 - (b) Officers in the Public Service of the Island.
 - (c) Proprietors of immovable property in Ceylon.
- 5 Subject to section 10, it shall be unlawful for any person to do any of the following acts:
 - (1) To shoot at or kill any tusker;
 - (2) To shoot at or kill any elephant, buffalo, or game, or capture, pursue, or attempt to capture any tusker, elephant, buffalo, or game—

without having obtained a license for that purpose as hereinafter provided.

No person to kill or capture elephants, buffaloes, or game without a license. License to shoot at an elephant.

6 (1) A license to shoot at or kill an elephant shall be in the form A in schedule II. hereto. Such license shall remain in force for three months from the date of issue, and shall be subject to the conditions inscribed thereon by the officer granting the same. The following stamp duty shall be payable on the issue of each such license, namely:

For residents 100
For non-residents ... 300

License to capture a tusker or elephant. (2) A license to capture a tusker or an elephant shall be in the form B in the said schedule. Such license shall be in force for three months from the date of issue, and shall be subject to the conditions inscribed thereon by the officer granting the same. A stamp duty of five hundred rupees shall be payable on the issue of each such license.

License to shoot at a buffalo.

(3) A license to shoot at or kill a buffalo shall be in the form C in the said schedule. Such license shall be in force for three months from the date of issue, and shall be subject to the conditions inscribed thereon by the officer issuing the same. The following stamp duty shall be payable on the issue of each such license:

Rs.

For residents .. 20 For non-residents .. 75

License to capture a buffalo.

(4) A license to capture a buffalo shall be in the form D in the said schedule. Such license shall be in force for the time therein specified, and shall be subject to the conditions inscribed thereon by the officer issuing the same. A stamp duty of two rupees shall be payable on the issue of each such license.

License to kill game.

(5) A license to shoot at, kill, or capture game shall be in the form E in the said schedule. Such license shall be in force up to the thirty-first day of December next following the date of issue, but shall not have any force or effect from the first day of June to the thirty-first day of October, inclusive. Every such license shall be subject to the conditions inscribed thereon by the officer issuing the same, and the following stamp duty shall be payable thereon:

Colonial Secretary or Government Agent to issue licenses.

- 7 (1) It shall be lawful for the Colonial Secretary, or for the Government Agent within his jurisdiction, to issue the license mentioned in sub-section (1) of the preceding section, and for the Government Agent within his jurisdiction to issue any of the licenses mentioned in sub-sections (2), (3), (4), and (5) of the said section.
- (2) The Colonial Secretary or Government Agent may attach to any license issued by him any conditions he may deem fit, and may fix the limits within which the license shall be in force. Such conditions and limits shall be inscribed on the license itself.

Refusal or revocation of license.

- 8 (1) The Colonial Secretary or the Government Agent may at his discretion refuse to issue any license under this Ordinance, and may revoke any license which shall have been issued by him.
- (2) Any person aggrieved by any order of the Government Agent refusing to grant or revoking a license may appeal to the Governor in Executive Council within seven days from the date of such order being communicated to him, and the decision of the Governor in Executive Council shall be final and conclusive.

Licenses in certain cases free of stamp duty.

- 9 (1) The Government Agent may, when it appears to him expedient to do so, issue free of stamp duty—
 - (a) The license referred to in sub-section 5 of section 6; and
 (b) A license for the destruction of any troublesome or dangerous tusker, elephant, or buffalo.

(2) The Government Agent on issuing any license under this section shall forthwith report the same to the Governor, detailing in such report the circumstances under which such license was issued.

Destruction of game on cultivated land permitted. 10 It shall be lawful for any person to kill, shoot at, destroy, pursue, capture, or attempt to capture, without a license, any tusker, elephant, buffalo, while trespassing in or upon any cultivated land on any game when so trespassing whether during the close season or at any other time. Provided that information of the capture or destruction of such animal shall be forthwith given to the nearest headman or police officer, and provided that in the case of a tusker being so captured or destroyed, the tusker and its tusks shall be held to be the property of the Crown.

Royalty on elephants oxported.

- 11 (1) A royalty of four hundred rupees shall be levied on the removal of every elephant whether wild or tame from the Island to any place beyond the seas. Such royalty shall be collected by the officers of Customs at the port of shipment.
- (2) No tusker shall be removed from the Island to any place beyond the seas except with a special license from the Governor, and subject to the payment of such royalty as the Governor may think fit to impose.

Penalties.

- 12 The following penalties are imposed for the following acts, which are hereby declared to be offences:
- (1) Any person who in contravention of this Ordinance shall shoot at or kill a tusker shall on conviction be liable to a fine of one thousand rupees, and the tusks shall be confiscated.
- (2) Any person who in contravention of this Ordinance or contrary to the tenor of any license issued to him, shall capture or attempt to capture a tusker, shall on conviction be liable to a fine of five hundred rupees, and the tusker, if captured, shall be confiscated.
- (3) Any person who in contravention of this Ordinance, or contrary to the tenor of any license issued to him, shall shoot at, kill, pursue, capture, or attempt to capture an elephant, shall on conviction be liable for each offence to a fine not exceeding two hundred and fifty rupees, or to rigorous imprisonment which may extend to a period of six months, or to both.
- (4) Any person who in contravention of this Ordinance, or contrary to the tenor of any license issued to him, shall shoot at, kill, capture, pursue, or attempt to capture a buffalo, shall on conviction be liable for each offence to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both.
- (5) Any person who in contravention of this Ordinance, or contrary to the tenor of any license issued to him, shall shoot at, kill, capture, pursue, or attempt to capture game, shall on conviction be liable for each offence to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both.
- (6) Any person who shall transfer a license issued to him under the provisions of this Ordinance, or who shall accept a license so transferred, or who shall infringe any of the conditions of a license issued to him, shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both.
- (7) Any person who shall remove or attempt to remove any elephant from the Island without paying the royalty leviable under section 11 (1), or shall in any way attempt to evade payment of the said royalty, shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months, or to both.

(8) Any person who shall remove or attempt to remove any tusker from the Island without obtaining a license under section 11 (2), or shall in any way attempt to evade payment of the royalty imposed by the Governor under the said section, shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months, or to both.

Shooting at night and netting prohibited. 13 (1) It shall not be lawful for any person to shoot at any game, unless trespassing in or upon any cultivated land, after dark and before daylight, or at any time to lay or spread any net or snare, except in or upon any cultivated land, for the purpose of capturing or destroying any game; and any person who shall shoot or attempt to shoot any game, or lay or spread or attempt to lay or spread any net or snare for the purpose of capturing or destroying any such game in contravention of this section, shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both.

Penalty.

- (2) Any person who shall shoot, kill, or capture, or attempt to shoot, kill, or capture game during the close season, shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both.
- (3) Any person who is found in possession of any fresh meat of game or of any fresh hides or horns of game during the close season shall be presumed, until he proves the contrary to the satisfaction of the court, to have committed an offence under sub-section (1) of this section, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both.

PART III.

Birds, Beasts, and Fishes not indigenous to Ceylon.

Interpretation.

14 The words "birds," "beasts," "fishes" in this part of this Ordinance mean birds, beasts, and fishes mentioned in the schedule hereto. But the Governor in Executive Council, by Proclamation to be published in the Government Gazette, may from time to time declare that this part of this Ordinance shall apply to any birds, beasts, and fishes to be named therein other than those mentioned in the said schedule. The Governor in Executive Council may also from time to time, by Proclamation to be published as aforesaid, exempt from the operation of this part of this Ordinance any birds, beasts, and fishes for the time being, subject to the provisions thereof.

No person to take, kill, &c., without license.

Proviso.

Reference to Governor.

Application for license in writing. Starrp on license.

Killing, &c., in close season prohibited.

- 15 No person shall take, kill, or destroy any birds, beasts, or fishes mentioned in schedule III. hereto without taking out a license empowering him to do so. It shall be lawful for the Government Agent of any province, within the limits of such province, to grant such licenses on such conditions as shall be therein imposed, or to refuse the same, or to revoke the same after they shall have been once granted, as shall seem fit. Provided that any person to whom a license may be refused, or whose license may be revoked, shall be at liberty to apply to the Governor for redress; and it shall be competent to the Governor to make such order on the application as to him shall seem fit.
- 16 The application for a license must be in writing; the license shall bear a stamp of five rupees, to be supplied by the applicant.
- 17 Nothing in the said licenses contained shall be held to allow the taking, killing, or destroying of birds, beasts, and fishes in the close season, which is hereby expressly prohibited.

Governor to make regulations. 18 It shall be lawful for the Governor in Executive Council from time to time to make regulations respecting the taking, killing, or destroying of birds, beasts, and fishes mentioned in the said schedule, and such regulations at any time to repeal, alter, or amend; and all licenses issued under this part of this Ordinance shall be subject to such regulations, and any breach thereof shall be punishable as a breach of such license. All such regulations, or any repeal, alteration, or amendment thereof, shall be published in the Government Gazette.

Penalties.

- 19 The following penalties are imposed for the following acts, which are hereby declared to be offences under this Ordinance
- (1) Any person who shall take, kill, or destroy any birds, beasts, or fishes mentioned in schedule III. hereto during the close season, or in contravention of any regulation made under the last preceding section, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, and in default of payment to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month.
- (2) Any person who shall take, kill, or destroy any birds, beasts, or fishes mentioned in the said schedule hereto without a license, or after the time for which the license shall be in force, or contrary to the tenor of such license, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, and in default of payment to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month.
 - (3) Any person who shall be found during the close season to be in possession of any of the birds, beasts, or fishes mentioned in the said schedule, alive or dead, or the flesh thereof, which he shall not be able to account for satisfactorily, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, and in default of payment to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month.

PART IV.

Indigenous Wild Birds.

Penalty on person wounding or killing any bird specified in first schedule.

- 20 Every person who-
- Knowingly wounds or kills any bird specified in schedule IV. to this Ordinance; or
- (2) Exposes or offers for sale, or knowingly has in his possession, or exports or attempts to export from Ceylon, any part of any such bird—

shall be guilty of an offence, and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees for each wild bird or part thereof in respect of which the offence is committed.

Onus of proof on charge of unlawful possession, &c., of bird. 21 Where any person is proceeded against for having in his possession any part of a bird specified in schedule IV. to this Ordinance, or for exporting or attempting to export any part of such bird, the proof that the bird to which the part belonged was wounded or killed without the limits of Ceylon shall be on such person.

Penalties for shooting, taking, or possessing birds or their feathers or skins. 22 Any person who during the close season shall knowingly and wilfully shoot or attempt to shoot, or shall use any boat for the purpose of shooting or causing to be shot, any bird specified in schedule IV. or V. hereto during the close season, or shall use any lime, trap, snare, net, or other instrument for the purpose of taking such bird, or shall expose or offer for sale, or shall have in his control or possession, during the close season, any such bird recently killed or taken, or the feathers or skin of any such bird recently killed or taken, shall be guilty of an offence, and punished on conviction thereof by a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

Proviso.

Provided that a person shall not be liable to be convicted of exposing or offering for sale or having the control or possession of such bird recently killed or taken, or the feathers or skin of such bird recently killed or taken, if he satisfies the court before whom he is charged either—

- (a) That the killing or taking of such bird, if in a place to which this Ordinance applies, was lawful at the time when it was killed or taken; or
- (b) That such bird was killed or taken in some place to which this Ordinance does not apply; and the fact that the bird was imported from some place to which this Ordinance does not apply shall, until the contrary is proved, be evidence that the bird was killed or taken in some place to which this Ordinance does not apply; or
- (c) That he came into possession of such feathers or skin at a time when the killing or taking of the bird from which such feathers or skin were taken was lawful.

Penalty for refusing to give name and place of abode.

23 Where any person shall be found offending against this part of this Ordinance, it shall be lawful for any person to require the person so offending to give his name and place of abode; and in case the person so offending shall, after being so required, refuse to give his real name or place of abode, or give an untrue name or place of abode, he shall be guilty of an offence, and punished on conviction thereof by a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

Power of Governor to grant licenses to kill scheduled birds. 24 Notwithstanding anything in this part of this Ordinance, the Governor, by writing under his hand, may, for such time and subject to such conditions as he thinks fit, authorize any person to kill for scientific purposes any bird specified in schedule IV. or V., and he may also authorize such person to export the skins of such birds.

Power of Governor to alter schedules. 25 The Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may, from time to time, by order published in the Government Gazette, declare that the name or names of any bird or birds shall be added to or expunged from the list of birds contained in schedule IV. or V., and thereupon, and while such order remains in force, this Ordinance shall be read and have effect as if the name or names of the bird or birds so added had been inserted, or as if the name or names of the bird or birds so expunged had not been specified in the schedule mentioned in such order.

Certificate of Director of Colombo Museum. 26 The production of a certificate signed by the Director of the Colombo Museum with regard to any bird which is alleged to be a bird specified in either schedule IV. or V., or with regard to any part of a bird which is alleged to be part of a bird so specified, shall be sufficient prima facie evidence of the facts therein stated, and no proof need be given of the signature or official character of the person signing the certificate.

PART V.

Protection of Fish.

Power to Governor to make rules to regulate the use of fishing nets.

- 27 (1) The Governor in Executive Council may from time to time make, and when made may revoke, amend, or alter, regulations prohibiting or restricting the use of nets or other appliances for taking fish or the use of any particular description of such nets or appliances—
 - (a) Within any specified area of the territorial waters of the
 - (b) In any river, canal, lake, or inland water of the Island, or in any specified part of any such river, canal, lake, or inland water.

- (2) All such regulations shall, upon publication in the Government Gazette, be in full force and effect.
- (3) Any person who shall use or attempt to use or join in using or attempting to use any net or other appliance for taking fish in contravention of any regulation made under this section shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction in the case of a first offence to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months; and in the case of a second or subsequent conviction to a fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and to simple or rigorous imprisonment which may extend to six months, or to both. The nets or other appliances in respect of which the conviction was had may be forfeited.

Prohibition of use of dynamite and poison for fishing. 28 Any person who uses any dynamite or other explosive substance, or any poisonous, stupefying, or noxious substance, to catch or destroy fish in any water within the Island, or at sea within one marine league of the coast, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction thereof to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or to both.

Place of trial of offences committed at 29 Any offence committed against this Ordinance at sea shall be deemed to have been committed on the coast adjoining the sea, or to have been committed in any place where the offender is found, and may be tried and punished accordingly.

PART VI

General.

Notice of close season need not be proved. 30 In any prosecution in which any person is charged with doing, during the close season, any act, the doing of which during such season is by this Ordinance prohibited, it shall not be necessary to prove compliance with the requirements of this Ordinance as regards giving notice of the close season.

Licenses not transferable.

31 Licenses issued under this Ordinance shall in no case be assignable or transferable; nor shall any person, except the person actually named in the license, be entitled to do any of the acts to authorize which the license is issued.

Jurisdiction of Police Courts and Village Tribunals. 32 (1) Police Courts are hereby empowered to deal summarily with all cases instituted under this Ordinance, and to impose the full penalties herein prescribed, anything in "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," or in any other Ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided that where the accused is a native within the meaning of "The Village Communities" Ordinance, 1889," offences under sections 12 (e), 19, 20, 22, 23, and 27 (3) shall be triable by the Village Tribunal having local jurisdiction, but the punishment which may be awarded by a Village Tribunal shall not exceed, in any such case, a fine of twenty rupees, with rigorous imprisonment, in default of payment, for a term not exceeding fourteen days.

- (2) No Police Court which is otherwise competent to try an offence under this Ordinance shall be deprived of jurisdiction by reason of the fact that the offence is triable by a Village Tribunal.
- (3) The Government Agent may exercise with regard to any offence under this Ordinance, which is triable by a Village Tribunal, the powers conferred on him by the 3rd provise to section 28 of "The Village Communities" Ordinance, 1889."

Burden of proof.

33 In any prosecution under this Ordinance for doing any act for which a license is required by this Ordinance, the burden of proving that he holds a license shall be on the person accused, and until the contrary is proved he shall be deemed to have held no license.

Reward to informer.

34 It shall be lawful for any Court or Village Tribunal imposing a fine under this Ordinance to award to the informer any share not exceeding a moiety of so much of the fine as is actually recovered and realized.

SCHEDULE I.

Ordinances Repealed.

No. and Year.	Title or Short Title.		tent Repeal.
19 of 1866	"An Ordinance to prevent the un necessary Destruction of Fish"	The	whole.
13 of 1887	"An Ordinance to extend the pro visions of Ordinance No. 19 of 1866 to places other than the Sea Coast"	The	whole.
10 of 1891	"An Ordinance to prevent the Wanton. Destruction of Elephants, Buffaloes, and other Game"	The	whole.
6 of 1893	"An Ordinance to prevent the Wanton Destruction of Birds, Beasts, and Fishes not indigenous to this Colony"	The	whole.
11 of 1902	"The Game Preservation Ordinance, 1902"	The	whole.
14 of 1905	"The Fisheries (Dynamite) Ordinance, 1905"	The	whole.
10 of 1906	"The Wild Birds Protection Ordinance, 1906"	The	whole.

SCHEDULE II.

A.—License to shoot at or kill one Elephant, not being a Tusker.

(Not transferable.) No. ---Under the provisions of the Ordinance No. of 190, section, I, _____, do hereby license _____, of _____, to shoot at or kill one elephant, not being a tusker, within (state limits). This license to remain in force for three months from the date **-, 190--**.

Note. - This license is issued subject to the conditions'inscribed on the back hereof.

B.—License to capture one Elephant or Tusker.

(Not transferable.)

No. -

Under the provisions of the Ordinance No. of 190, section, I, ———, Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent) -, do hereby license -, of -, and the trappers employed by him to capture one elephant or a tusker within (state limits).

This license to remain in force for three months from the date hereof.

Government Agent's Office, (or Assistant Government Agent's Office), -, 190<u>-</u>.

> Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent).

Note.—This license is issued subject to the conditions inscribed on the back hereof.

C.—License to shoot at or kill one Buffalo.
(Not transferable.)
No. ——.
Under the provisions of the Ordinance No. of 190, section, I, ——————————————————————————————————
Government Agent's Office, (or Assistant Government Agent's Office), —————, 190—.
·
Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent).
NOTE.—This license is issued subject to the conditions inscribed on the back hereof.
•
D.—License to capture one Buffalo.
` (Not transferable.)
No. ——.
Under the provisions of the Ordinance No. of 190, section , I,, Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent) for the do hereby license of to

I, ————, Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent) for the ————, do hereby license ————, of —————, to capture one buffalo within (state limits).

This license to remain in force until the ————, 190—.

Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent).

Note.—This license is issued subject to the conditions inscribed on the back hereof.

E.—License to shoot at, kill, or capture Game.
(Not transferable.)

No. —.

Under the provisions of the Ordinance No. of 190, section, I, —, Government Agent (or Assistant Government Agent) for the —, do hereby license, of —, to shoot at, kill, or capture game within (state limits), out of the close season (which is from — to —).

This license to remain in force until December 31 next inclusive, excepting the close season, which is from June 1 to October 31 inclusive.

Government Agent's Office, (or Assistant Government Agent's Office), —————, 190—.

Government Agent . (or Assistant Government Agent).

 ${\tt Note}.$ —This license is issued subject to the conditions inscribed on the back hereof.

SCHEDULE III.

Birds.	Beasts.	Fishes.,	
Pheasant English Partridge French Partridge Francolin Sand Grouse	Roe Deer Fallow Deer English Hare	Trout Perch Tench Gourami	

SCHEDULE IV.

List of Birds absolutely protected.

English Name. Sinhalese Name. Tamil Name. Kingfishers of all species.. Pilihuduwa Vichuli, Minkotti, Kalavaik-kuruvi Egret, large, white Badadel-koka ... Vellai-kokku Egret, little .. Sudu-koka .. Sinna-vellaikokku Egret, plumed .. Sudu-koka Peru-vellaikkoku Oriole, black-headed .. Kaha-kurulla Mampala-kuruvi, Mankoil, Manchalkuruvi Woodpecker, all species . . Kérala Thachchan-kuruvi.

Orange Minevet Gini-kurulla Marankotti

Orange Minevet .. Gini-kurulla .. – Trogon .. Gini-kurulla .. –

SCHEDULE V.

List of Birds protected during Close Season.

Teal, whistling Teal, cotton Séra ... Chemba-tara, Siraku

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, October 28, 1908. HUGH CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

The general purpose of the Draft Ordinance is (a) to consolidate the existing law with regard to the protection of game, fish, and other animals which is now contained in seven Ordinances; (b) to give effect to certain of the recommendations of a Committee which lately reported on the subject of game protection.

2. The principal changes introduced by the Draft Ordinance are the following:-

(a) The establishment of a uniform close season from June 1 to October 31;

(b) The imposition of an increased stamp duty on licenses issued to non-residents to shoot elephants, buffaloes, or game;

(c) An increase in the royalty on the exportation of elephants;

(d) Wide power is taken to restrict or prohibit the use of nets and other appliances for taking fish;

(e) The use of poisonous or stupefying substances for taking fish is prohibited;

(f) Village Tribunals, subject to certain limitations, are given jurisdiction to deal with offences under the Ordinance.

Attorney-General's Chambers, Colombo, October 29, 1908.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES, Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:—

An Ordinance to amend the Law relating to Cattle Trespass.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Cattle Trespass Ordinance, 1876" (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance"): Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Cattle Trespass (Amendment) Ordinance, 190," and shall be read and construed as one with the principal Ordinance.

Substitution of a new section for section 4.

Cattle trespassing on lands may be seized.

- 2 For section 4 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be substituted, namely:
 - 4. It shall be lawful for any proprietor or occupier (or any other person by his direction) of any land to seize any animals found trespassing therein or thereupon and to tie up and detain them until the damages, if any, occasioned by such trespass, assessed in manner hereinafter mentioned, and the fair expense of the keep of such animals during their lawful detention, shall be paid or recovered as hereinafter mentioned.

Amendment of section 6.

3 In section 6 of the principal Ordinance the words "if such trespass shall have been committed in the night time" in line 8 thereof are hereby repealed.

Amendment of section 7.

4 In section 7 of the principal Ordinance the words "in case the trespass shall have been committed in the night time" are hereby repealed.

Amendment of section 8.

5 In section 8 of the principal Ordinance the words "ten rupees" shall be substituted for the words "five rupees" in the 5th line thereof.

Substitution of a new section 10.

6 For section 10 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be substituted:

All rights under Ordinance forfeited, unless due notice is given to headman. 10. All right to the benefit of any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be forfeited, unless the notice required by section 7 shall have been given within forty-eight hours from the time of seizure (if any) or of trespass (if no seizure) to some police constable or local headman having jurisdiction in the district, if any such shall be resident within ten miles, or if no police constable or headman be resident within that distance, then within a reasonable period after such seizure or trespass. Provided always that nothing herein contained shall be held to take away or affect any right which the Crown or any person may have at common law for redress in respect of any damage sustained by trespass of animals.

Common law rights reserved.

Amendment of section 14. 7 In section 14 of the principal Ordinance the word "garden" shall be substituted for the words "enclosed garden" in the proviso.

By His Excellency's command,

Huch Clifford, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, October 8, 1908.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE object of the Draft Ordinance is to extend the provisions of the Cattle Trespass Ordinance, No. 9 of 1876, so as to protect the owners of unfenced lands, and to prevent the owners of cattle allowing their animals to stray indiscriminately.

2. The Draft Ordinance accordingly repeals so much of the old Ordinance as restricts its provisions to eases of cattle trespass on fenced lands, and imposes a fine on the owner of the trespassing animals, whether the trespass has taken place by day or night, and whether any damage has been caused or not.

Attornéy-General's Chambers, Colombo, October 13, 1908.

TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS. NOTICES IN

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

In the Matter of the Intestate Estate Testamentary Jurisdiction. of the late Anne Caroline Raux of No. 3,161. Colombo, deceased.

(I) Elizabeth Barbara Van Houten of Colombo, assisted by her husband (2) James Van Houten, of Colombo Petitioners.

Julius Cæsar Raux of Nugegoda.....Respondent. HIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo,

on October 3, 1908, in the presence of Mr. G. W. D. Prins, Proctor, on the part of the petitioners abovenamed; and the affidavit of the said 1st petitioner, dated September 21, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the 1st petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled as next of kin and heir of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to her accordingly, unless the respondent abovenamed or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 12, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 3, 1908.

HERMANN A. LOOS, District Judge.

AIn the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

amentary Prisdiction. No. 3,168.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Naina Marikar Asia Umma of Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, deceased.

Value of Estate, Rs. 3,500. Sekka Marikar Ismail Lebbe Marikar of No. 87, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo Petitioner. Vs.

(1) Thanga Umma of Modara in Colombo, widow of the late Sinne Tamby Naina Marikar, (2) Assen Tamby Hadjiar Abdul Madjid, (3) Cadijah Umma, and her husband (4) Sego Lebbe Ahamado Lebbe, (5) Yatia Umma, and her husband (6) Meera Lebbe Marikar Samsudeen, all of Moor street, Colombo, (7) Saria Umma, and her husband (8) Sekka Marikar Zainudeen, both of Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, (9) Saffer Umma, and her husband (10) Mohamado Tamby Ahamado Lebbe, both of Modara,

THIS matter coming on for disposal bounds mann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 16, 1908, in the presence of Mr. D. C. Pedris, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hernamed; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated October 13, 1908, having been read: It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as the husband and an heir of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents abovnamed or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 19, 1908, show suffi-cient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the

October 16, 1908.

contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS, District Judge. In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 3,169.

In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Jayasuria Arachchige Don Pedro Appuhamy of Pamunugama, in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, deceased.

Jayamaha Mudalige Dona Maria Hamine of Pamunugama aforesaid Petitioner.

And

(1) Jayasuria Arachchige Don Gabriel of Pamunugama aforesaid, a minor, and (2) Jayamahamudalige Gordianu

Perera of Colombo Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 16, 1908, in the presence of Messrs C. A. and G. E. de Livera, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 13, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow and an heir of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to her accordingly, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 19, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> HERMANN A. LOOS, District Judge.

October 16, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 3,171 C.

In the Matter of the Joint Estate of the late Hettikankanamagey Samel Appu and his wife EdippuliaratchigeyDonaSanchihamy, both of Mahara-Nugegoda in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale, deceased.

Hettikankanamagey Abilinu of Mahara-Nugegoda aforesaid Petitioner.

And

(1) Hettikankanamagey Sedris, Hettikankanamagey Baron, Hettikankanamagey Porlentina, and her husband (4) Halahatperumagey Juan Fonseka, all of Maĥara-Nugegoda..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Her-L mann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 17, 1908, in the presence of Messrs. Homer and de Livera, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated October 16, 1908, having

It is ordered that the said petitoner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the eldest son and an heir of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 19, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the court to the contrary.

> HERMANN A. LOOS. District Judge.

October 17, 1908,

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi

Testamentary Jurisd ction. No. 3,174 C. In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament and Codicil of William Grigor Sandison, some time Tea Planter of Ratnapura, Ceylon, and who formerly resided at Arbroath, but late of Perth, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal beofre Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 19, 1908, in the presence of Messrs. Julius & Creasy, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Robert Colquhoun Grant of Chrystlers Farm, Kotagala; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 12, 1908, having been read; and an extract registered will and testament of the above-named deceased and extract testament testamentar.having been produced: It is ordered that the will and codicil of William Grigor Sandison some time tea planter of Ratnapura, Ceylon, and who formerly resided at Arbroath, but late of Perth, deceased, dated respectively February 4, 1890, and October 2, 1897, certified copies whereof are now deposited in this court, be and the same are hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said Robert Colquboun Grant is the attorney of the executor named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have letters of administration with the will and codicil annexed issued to him accordingly, unless any person interested shall, on.or before November 19, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 19, 1908.

H. A. Loos. Acting District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo. Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Jurisdiction. No. 3,179 C.

estamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Laurestine Samuel Reginald Scharenguivel, late of Jaffna, and for some time an inmate of the General Hospital at Colombo, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A Took Hermann A mann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 26, 1908, in the presence of Mr. David Dawapurarathna, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Fretsz George Howard Scharenguivel of Hudson street, Kollupitiya, Colombo; and the affidavits (1) of the said petitioner dated October 22, 1908, and (2) of the attesting Notary Mr. C. F. Wijayasingha dated October 23, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the said Laurestine Samuel Reginald Scharenguivel, deceased, dated June 18, 1908, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said Fretsz George Howard Scharenguivel is the executor named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless any person interested shall, on or before November 26, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A, LOOS District Judge

October 26, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo. Order Nisi declaring Will proved. In the Matter of the Last Will and

mentary Taramentary Jurièdiction. No. 3,183 C.

Testament and two Codicils thereto of Alfred Charles Twentyman, late of Castlecraft, Walverhampton, in Co. Stafford, England, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 28, 1908, in the presence of Mr. F. C. Loos,

Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Herbert William Unwin of Colombo; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 21, 1908, the power of attorney in his favour dated September 16, 1908, granted by the executors in the said will named and the order of the Supreme Court dated October 16, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the said Alfred Charles Twentyman, deceased, dated November 3, 1903, and two codicils thereto dated December 19, 1906, and May 30, 1908, respectively, and copies of which are now deposited in this court, be and the same are hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said Herbert William Unwin is the lawful attorney in Ceylon of the executors named in the said will and that he is entitled to have letters of administration with the copies of the said will and codicils annexed issued to him accordingly, unless any person interested shall, on or before November 12, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> HERMANN A. LOOS, District Judge.

October 28, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 3,181.

In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Abdul Careem Tamby Amardeen, late of Colombo, dechas William Boake de Sara Colombo..... Petit

And.

(1) Asina Umma, (2) A. T. Samsudeen, both of Dean's road, Colombo, (3) the Secretary of the District Court ..Respondents. of Colombo.....

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 26, 1908, in the presence of Mr. A. C. Abeyewardene, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner. dated October 23, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the above-named second respondent, a relative of the deceased above-named, or on his refusal, the third respondent be, and he is hereby declared entitled to administer the estate of the said deceased, limited. however, for the purposes of representing the deceased in the action No. 26,300, D. C., Colombo, instituted by the petitioner for the recovery of a sum of Rs. 15,000 due on a mortgage bond dated November 7, 1907, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 12, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> HERMANN A. LOOS, District Judge.

October 26, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo. . Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 3,185.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Ian Forbes of Klang in the Federated Malay States and of Homeland Bushmead Avenue, Bedford, England, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on October 29, 1908, in the presence of Mr. F. J. de Saram, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner David

Scott of Colombo, and the order of the Supreme Court dated October 15, 1908; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 26, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the above-named Ian Forbes, deceased, dated September 23, 1904, an extract of which under the Seal of the Commissariat of Edinburgh is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said David Scott is the attorney of Ann Forbes, the executrix named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have letters of administration with copy of the said will annexed issued to him accordingly, unless any person interested shall, on or before November 19, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. Loos, District Judge.

October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisī.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 1,077.

In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Weerasinghe Jayewardena Ratabalage Don Amaris Vedarala, of Utuambogahawatta, deceased.

Vs.

(1) Dona Eusenia Hamy wife. of (2) Ganegoda Hitihamillage James Appuhamy, both of Boruggomuwa, (3)Dona Cornelia; Hamy, wife of (4) Yatiyantota Weeresekera Mudiyanselage Allis Appuhamy of Mabodale, (5) Dona Selestina Hamy wife of (6) Dunumalepatirennehelage Hendrick Sinno of Warakapola, (7) Dona Sara-

lentina Hamy of Utuambogahawatta. Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before E.
B. Denham, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on October 20, 1908, in the presence of Mr. H. A. Jayetileke, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Don Simon Jayewardena of Utuambogahawatta; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated October 19, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration of the estate of the deceased above-named issued to him, unless sufficient cause be shown to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary on or before November 18, 1908.

E. B. DENHAM, District Judge.

October 20, 1908.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Jurisdiction. No. 2,660.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Kasturia Araccilalagedera Pinghamy, deceased, of Naranwita in the Udapalata of Gampola.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Felix Reginald Dias, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on September 28, 1908, in the presence of Mr. N. Janse, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Kasturia Araccilalagedera Menikrala, late Aracci of Naranwita aforesaid; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated September 28, 1908, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Kasturia Araccilalagedera Menikrala, late Aracci of Naranwita aforesaid, be and he is hereby declared entitled to letters of

administration to the estate of Kasturia Araccilalagedera Pinhamy of Naranwita, in the Udapalata of Gampola, as the son of the said deceased, unless (1) Indulotegedera Ran Menika of Malgammana in Yatinuwara, (2) Ratnayake Mudianselagedera Ukku Menika of Naranwita aforesaid shall, on or before October 29, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R 18,
Dish Judge.

September 28, 1908.

The date for showing cause is extended to November 12, 1908.

FELIX R. DIAS, District Judge.

November 3, 1908.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 2,095. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Achimuttu, wife of Ponnampalam Paramananther of Punnalaikadduvan, deceased.

Ponnampalam Paramananther of Punnalaikadduran Petitioner.

 $v_{s.}$

Kanagasapai Muttukumaru of Punnalaikadduvan................ Respondent.

THIS matter of the petition of Ponnampalam Paramananther of Punnalaikadduvan praying for letters of administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased Achimuttu, wife of Ponnampalam Paramananther, coming on for disposal before R. N. Thaine, Esq., District Judge, on October 28, 1908, in the presence of Mr. R. R. Nalliah, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 27, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as the lawful husband of the said deceased to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondent above-named or any other person shall, on or before November 24, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 28, 1908.

R. N. THAINE, District Judge.

In the District Court of Tangalla.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 454. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Dona Ciciliana Wimalagunasekera Hamine, deceased, of Ittademaliya.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. T. Southorn, Esq., District Judge of Tangalla, on August 4, 1908, in the presence of Don Carolis Gunasekera Wellappuli, the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated August 4, 1908, having been read, and all parties heard.

It is ordered that letters of administration to the above-mentioned estate be issued to the petitioner Don Carolis Gunasekera Wellappuli, unless the respondents—(1) Don Dionis Gunasekera Wellappuli of Talahaganwaduwa and (2) Don Juwanis Gunasekera Wellappuli Appuhamy of Ittademaliya—shall, on or before November 30, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the court to the contrary.

W. T. SOUTHORN, District Judge.

October 26, 1908.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 537.

In the Matter of the Estate of the Udumalebbepody late bawapody of Kattankudy, deceased.

Udumalebbepody Meeralebbe of Kattankudy

.....Petitioner.

And

(1) Aliarlebbe Alimaumma, widow of Athambamapody, (2) Athambamapody Asiamuttu, (3) Athambamapody Mariaumma, (4) Athambamapody Kadisaumma, (5) Athambamapody Rahu-Udumalebbepody mattumma, (6) Kathersapody, (7) Udumalebbepody Isumalebbepody, (8) Udumalebbepody Simapillai, (9) Udumalebbepody Pattamuttu of Kattankudy......Respondents.

IHIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge of Batticaloa, on October 3, 1908, in the presence of Mr. S. J. Kanthappa, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit and petition of the said petitioner dated October 22, 1908, having been read :

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the brother of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents abovenamed or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 26, 1908, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge.

October 23, 1908.



NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,293.

In the matter of the insolvency of Balapuwaduge Samuel Gerard Mendis of Moratumulla in Mora-Gerard

OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on November 19, 1908, for proof of further claims.

By order of court,

C. B. PAULICKPULLE,

for Secretary.

Colombo, October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,294.

In the matter of the insolvency of Balapuwaduge Domingu Mendis of Moratumulla, Moratuwa.

OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on November 19, 1908, for proof of further claims.

By order of court,

C. B. PAULICPULLE, for Secretary.

Colombo, October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,306.

In the matter of the insolvency of Don Helenis Jayawardene of Wataraka in the Meda pattu of Hewagam korale.

OTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been allowed a certificate of the third class.

By order of court,

J. B. Misso, Secretary.

Colombo, November 2, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

In the matter of the insolvency of No. 2,309. Ranamukadewage Simon Fernando of Dam street in Colombo.

OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on December 3, 1908, for the grant of a certificate of conformity to the insolvent.

By order of court,

C. B. PAULICKPULLE, for Secretary.

Colombo, October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,313.

In the matter of the insolvency of Edmund Francis Dissanayake of Bambalapitiya, in Colombo.

OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on December 3, 1908, for the grant of a certificate of conformity to the insolvent.

By order of court,

C. B. PAULICKPULLE,

for Secretary.

Colombo, October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 123.

In the matter of the insolvency of Mohamado Ibrahim Saibo Said Ahamado of Kalutara.

OTICE is hereby given that the second sitting of this court in the above matter is adjourned to November 18, 1908.

By order,

WM. DE SILVA, Secretary.

October 28, 1908.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 125.

In the matter of the insolvency of Don Lewis Weerasekere Appuhamy of Molligoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sitting of this court in the above matter is adjourned to November 18, 1908, for assignee's report.

By order.

WM. DE SILVA. Secretary.

October 28, 1908.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 126.

In the matter of the insolvency of Don' Podi Sinno Weerasekere Appuhamy of Molligoda.

TOTICE is hereby give that the second sitting of this court in the above matter is adjourned to November 18, 1908, for assignee's report.

By order,

WM. DE SILVA, Secretary.

October 28, 1908.

In the District Court of Kalutara

No. 127.

In the matter of the insolvency of Ismail Lebbe Marikar Mohamed Haniffa of Henemulla.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sitting of this court in the above matter is adjourned to November 18, 1908, for assignee's report.

By order,

WM. DE SILVA, Secretary

October 29, 1908

In the District Court of Jaffna.

No. 53.

In the matter of the insolvency of Kartikesu Chanmukam of Vannarponnai East.

OTICE is hereby given that on October 26, 1908, a certificate of conformity as of the first class was granted to the above-named insolvent under the Insolvency Ordinance No. 7 of 1853.

By order of court,

District Court. Jaffna, October 29, 1908. R. KANTAIYAH.

Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 372.

In the matter of the insolvency of Vitarana Arnolis of Totagamuwa, insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on December 9, 1908, to consider the grant of a certifice formity to the insolvent.

By order of court,

E. M. DE COSTA,

Secretary.

Galle, October 30, 1908.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

No. 16.

In the matter of the insolvency of . Jerome Carvallio of Chilaw.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at a sitting of this court on December 2, 1908, for the purpose of making a dividend of the insolvent estate.

By order of court,

C. E. FERDINAND,

Secretary.

October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

No. 35.

In the matter of the insolvency of Don Thepanis Wijesundara of Indurana.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on November 24, 1908, the second sitting fixed for this day having been adjourned for the date aforesaid to enable the insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the insolvency Ordinance No. 7 of 1853.

By order of court,

C. P. W. GUNASEKARE.

Secretary.

District Court. Ke galla, October 29, 1908.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Seena Rawanna Mana Sinnaiya Pulle of Walpita, attorney of Seena Rawanna Mana Ramasamy Pulle.....

. Plæintiff.

No. 3,232.

l, Jayasekaragangoda Arachchiralage Don Hendrick, late Police Vidane; 2, Jayasekaragangoda Afachchiralage Don Lewis, late Police Headman; and 3,

Hadinappuli Appuhamilage Babahamy, all of Kaluaggala Defendants.

Vs.

OTICE is hereby given that on Friday, December 4, 1908, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the following property, specially hypothecated by bond No. 3,416 dated November 5, 1895, and attested by Henry J. P. Seneviratna. Notary Public, and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above action for the recovery of the sum

of Rs. 2,727 87, with interest on Rs. 1,500 at the rate of 30 per cent. per annum from March 6, 1898, till the day of payment, viz: :-

At 12.30 P.M.

I. An undivided half share of a portion of the garden called Dambugahawatta, situated at Kaluaggala, Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale; the whole portion is bounded on the north by the field, on the east by the garden — Punchappu, on the south by Crown land, and on the west by the land belonging to Jayatuhamy and others; and containing in extent about 3 acres.

At 1 P.M.

2. An undivided two-thirds of one-half share of the land called Kahatagahawatta, situated at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the said half share is bounded on the north by the field belonging to Seenchi Appu and others, on the east by the land belonging to Ungurala and by a half share of this land, on the south by the land

belonging to Geeris Appu and others, and on the west by the land belonging to Lenohamy; containing in extent about 6 acres.

At 2 P.M.

3. The field called Camwasamekumbura, situated at Maditiawala, Yatigaha pattu, Hapitigam korale; and bounded on the north by the land belonging to Davith poulamy, on the east by the field belonging to Pun and others, on the south by the field belong. Lapahamy Arachchirala and others, and on the west by the field belonging to Henchi Appu and others; and containing 4 parrahs of seed paddy sowing extent more or less.

At 3 P.M.

4. An undivided two-thirds of half of the garden called Kahatagahawatta, situated at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the said half share is bounded on the north by the field belonging to Perisyalage Daniel Appu and others, on the east by the land belonging to Ungurala, on the south by the garden belonging to Juan Appu and others, and on the west by the half share of this land; and containing in extent about 6 acres.

At 3.30 P.M.

5. An undivided two-thirds of the garden called Delgahawatta, situated at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the entire land is bounded on the north by the garden belonging to Poloris Appu, on the east by the garden belonging to Jayatu Hamy and others, on the south by the garden belonging to Leno Hamy, and on the west by the garden belonging to Punchi Nona; and containing in extent about 4 acres.

At 4 P.M.

An undivided two-thirds of the paddy; field called Deniyekumbura, situate at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the entire field is bounded on the north by the cinnamon garden of Punchi Sinno Appuhamy, on the east by the Panselawatta, on the south by the watercourse, and on the west by the field belonging to Karanis Appu and others; and containing about 7 . parrahs of seed paddy sowing extent more or less.

At 4.30 P.M.

7. An undivided two-thirds of the paddy field called Owitakumbura, situate at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the entire field is bounded on the north by the garden belonging to Karanis Appu, on the east by the field belonging to Punchi Appuhamy, on the south by the garden of Sidoris Naide and others, and on the west by the half share of the field belonging to Menik Hamy; and containing about 5 parrahs of seed paddy sowing

At 5 P.M.

8. An undivided two-thirds of the paddy field called Eriyagahakumbura, situated at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the entire field is bounded on the north by the garden belonging to Juanis Appu and others, east by the water-course, on the south also by the ela, and on the west by the half share of this field belonging to Leno Hamy; and containing 3 parrahs of seed paddy sowing extent more or less.

At 5.30 P.M

An undivided two thirds of the paddy field called Illukkumbura, situated at Kaluaggala aforesaid; the entire field is bounded on the north by the garden of Kaluhamy, on the cast by the field belonging to Ungurala, on the south by the water-course, and on the west by the portion of this field belonging to Lenohamy; and containing in extent 3 kurunies of seed paddy sowing more on less paddy sowing more or less.

On Saturday, December 5, 1908, at 10 A.M.

10. An undivided two-thirds of the paddy field called Halgahakumbura, situated at Maditiawala,

Yatigaha pattu, Hapitigam korale; the entire field is bounded on the north by the field belonging to David Appu and others, on the east by the garden belonging to Punchi Sinno and others, on the south by the field belonging to Punchi Sinno and others, and on the west by the garden belonging to Punchi Sinno and others; containing in extent 2 parrahs of seed paddy sowing more or less.

At 10.30 A.M.

11. An undivided two-thirds of the paddy field called Millagahakumbura, situated at Maditiawala aforesaid; and the entire field is bounded on the north by the field of Punchi Sinno and others, on the east by the water-course, on the south by the field belonging to Lapa Hamyarachchirala, and on the west also by the garden of the same person; and containing 2

At 11.30 A.M.

12. An undivided two-thirds of the garden called Delgahawatta, situated at a Pattegedara, Yatigaha pattu, Hapitigam korale, the entire land is bounded on the north by the land belonging to Koranis Appu and others, on the the east by the land belonging to Don Hendrick, late Police Headman, the first defendant, and others, on the south by the land belonging to Samel Vidanerala, and on the west by the dewata road; and containing in extent 6 acres more or less.

> E. ONDATJE. Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Colombo, November 4, 1908.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Muna Savenna Sathappa Chetty of Colombo...... Plaintif

No. 7,119.

(1) Mathew Herbert Senanayake of Mirigama, and (2) Nathaniel Paranavitane, Secretary of the District Court of Negombo, official administrator of the estate of the late Dona Elizabeth Senanayake of Mirigama Defendants.

OTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 5, 1908, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, mortgaged by bond No. 5,571, dated April 25, 1905, and attested by J. B. Jayaratne, Notary Public, and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above action, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,772.54, with interest on Rs. 3,598.04 at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from February 25, 1998, till payment in full, viz. :—

The land called Ambegahawatta alias Dambugallewatta, situated at Andupe in the Udugaha pattu of Hapitigam korale; bounded on the north by land claimed by Mr. Senanayaka and by the Dambugahawatta alias Dambugallewatta claimed by Perumbulige people, east by a portion of Ambegahawatta belonging to Sinnoappu and described in plan No. 1,012, south by land belonging to the railway line, and west by Crown land; containing in extent, according to the plan No. 370, 11 acres and 4 perches, inclusive of all the trees and buildings and appurtenances thereof, and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendants in, to, upon, or out of the said premises.

> E. ONDATJE, Deputy Fiscal.

'Fiscal's Office, Colombo, November 4, 1908.

Henry Louis Dissanayake of No. 90c, Reservoir road, MaradanaDefendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, November 30, 1908, at 4 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 124.52, with legal interest from July 31, 1908, till payment in full and costs of action, Rs. 23.25, viz.:—

All that premises bearing assessment No. 59, from and out of all that part of the garden with the buildings and the well standing thereon, bearing assessment Nos. 58, 59, and 60, situated at Hill street, within the Municipality of Colombo; and bounded on the north by the other part of the same property, on the east by the garden of Mr. Andrizen, now of Mr. Perera, on the south by a cross road, and on the west by the Hill street, containing in extent 23 69/100 square perches.

E. Ondatje, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Colombo, November 4, 1908.

In the Court of Requests of Colombo.

No. 10,157.

Vs. I (2) O. L. M

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, November 30, 1908, at 3 r.m., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said 2nd defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 269.75, with legal interest on Rs 260 from July 10, 1908, till payment in full and costs Rs. 36.75, viz.:—

An undivided half share of premises bearing assessment No. 7, situated at Silversmith street, within the Municipality of Colombo; bounded on the east by the property of Wappu Marikar, on the west by the house now occupied by Mr. A. S. Savundranayagam, on the south by Silversmith street, and on the north by Quarry road; containing in extent 1 acre more or less.

E. ONDATJE, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Colombo, November 4, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

nwellege Don Martinus Appuhamy of New Urugodawatta road, Grandpass in Colombo

.. Plaintiff.

No. 26,734.

734. • Vs.

(1) Weerakkodiarachchige Don Amaris Appuhamy of Mattakkuliya in Colombo, (2) John Paul Gabriel Appuhamy of Mattakkuliya aforesaidDefendants.

OTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, December 1, 1908, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon. will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property ordered to be sold by the order of court, dated September 7, 1908, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,093, with interest on Rs. 1,750 at 18 per cent. per annum from May 29, 1908, till June 26, 1908, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full

or other realization of the security together with costs of this action taxed at Rs. 142 75, viz.:—

All those three in one annexed pieces of a garden with the buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 18, situated at Mattakkuliya, within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province, and bounded on the north by another portion of this garden belonging to Hadji Marikar Meera Lebbe Marikar, on the east by the property of the late Kuruwe Mudaliyar, on the south by a of this property belonging to Abdul Ahamat Mutta mmah, and on the west by the high road; constaning in extent I road and 4 and 8 100 of a perch, together with the appurtenances thereof, and all the right, title, and interest of the 1st defendant therein and thereto.

Fiscal's Office, E. ONDATJE,
Colombo, November 4, 1908. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Plaintiff.

No. 6,312.

Vs. •

(1) Pedrick Gabriel Mirando and wife
(2) Kaludura Baby Emaline de Thabrew Hamine, (3) Edirimuni Malina
Lateru Hamine, executrix of the last
will and testament of Hemuddara
Abraham de Silva Gunasekera,
deceased, all of Liyanagemulla...... Defendants.

OTICE is nereby given that on November 30, 1908, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auctionat the premises the following property, mortgaged by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by bond No. 15,012 dated December 26, 1002 will be sold by by bond No. 15,012 will be sold by by bond No. 15,012 will be sold by by bond No

ber 26, 1902, viz.:-

(1) The undivided 23/35 share of the land called Dawatagahakurunduwatta, situate at Liyanagemulla in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, and the tiled house and other buildings standing thereon; the said land being bounded on the north by Dawatagahakurunduwatta belonging to the estate of Pehandi Migel Silva, on the east by the land belonging to Hendrick de Silva Gunasekera Arachchi, on the south by the land belonging to Mr. J. L. de Silva, Deputy Fiscal, deceased, and on the west by the high road; containing in extent 5 acres more or less:

(2) The five contiguous lots, namely, fourth, fifth, seventh, and eighth of Dawatagahakurunduwatta alias Bowelimuhandirangewatta, situate at Liyanagemulla, excluding from the said four lots the northern portion of 9 acres 1 rood in extent; the said four lots being bounded on the north by the land belonging to Suse de Silva, on the east by the field called Dikwela, south by the lands belonging to Migel Silva and others, and on the west by the high road; containing in extent 57 acres 2 roods and 16 perches more or less.

(3) The undivided \(\frac{1}{2}\) of the garden called Kandewatta alias Madamullawatta alias Madangahawatta, situate at ditto; the said land being bounded on the north by the garden of Jayaweerage Abraham Fernando, on the east, by the high road leading to Colombo, on the south (ce ela (water-course) separating a portion of this garden, and west by the Negombo lake; containing in extent 9 acres 1 rood and 17.60 perches more or less, and declared liable to be sold in satisfaction of the decree entered in the above case.

Amount to be levied Rs. 7,419 08, with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from April 24, 1906, till payment less Rs. 350.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office; Negombo, November 3, 1908. In the District Court of Negombo.

(1) John Peter Perera Seneviratne Dassanayaka, Notary, of Katuwellagama,
(2) Wijasingha Meegallage Podi Sinno

No. 7,058. Vs.

NOTE: is hereby given that on November 28, 1908, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, mortgaged by bond No. 11,813, dated October 31, 1903, and declared liable to be sold by the decree entered in the above case, viz.:—

An undivided 11/12 of ½ share of the land called Paragahawatta alias Kalahugahawatta, situate at Nilpanagoda in the Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, and bounded on the north by the Village Committee road (Gansawapara) and by the ditch and live fence separating a portion of this land, on the east also by the ditch and live fence separating a portion of this land, on the south by the land belonging to Wijesuriahinguruwanage Don Elias Appuhamy and others, and by the burial ground, and on the west by a footpath; containing in extent about 8 acres within the said boundaries.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,139.75, with interest on Rs. 1,006.25 at 9 per cent. per annum from January 31, 1908, till payment.

Fred. G. Hepponstall, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Negombo, November 3, 1908.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Ena Neana Cader Saibo and Company, No. 29, Castle Hill street, Kandy......Plaintiffs.

No. 19,210. V

Pitche Tamby's son, Peena Meera Saibo of Trincomalee street, Kandy, now of Puttalam road, Anuradhapura...... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 30, 1908, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to the following

lands, to wit:—

1. The houses bearing assessment Nos. 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 and the garden attached thereto of about 1 nellia of kurakkan in extent, situate at Trincomalee street and Brodie street in the town of Matale; and bounded on the east by Trincomalee road, south by wall of house No. 480 and the fence of the ground attached thereto and by the fence of the property of the late Mr. Amarasekera, west by K'g street, and on the north by Brodie street.

2. The house bearing assessment No. 551 and the ground attached thereto, situate at Trincomalee street aforesaid; and bound d on the east by Trincomalee road, south by wall of house No. 552 and ground attached thereto, west by the property of the late Siman Appu, renter, and on the north by the wall of house No. 550 and the ground attached thereto.

3. The house bearing assessment No. 164 and the ground attached thereto, situate at Trincomalee street aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the

limit of the property of Muna Thana, south by wall No. 163 and the ground attached thereto, west by Trincomalee road, and on the north by the wall of house No. 165 and the ground attached thereto.

Amount of writ Rs. 1,645.75, and interest.

A. V. WOUTERSZ, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Kandy, November 3, 1908.

Northern Province.



In the District Court of Puttalam.

P. R. L. V. Odayappa Cheddy of Puttalam Plaintiff. No. 2,028. Vs.

Muna Miyanna Muhaidin Saibo 6f Puttalam, presently of Jaffna......Defendant.

OTICE is hereby given that on Monday, November 30, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 540 30, with interest on Rs. 510 at 15 per cent. per annum from July 1, 1908, to July 27, 1908, and with interest thereafter on the aggregate at 9 per cent. per annum, and charges, viz.:—

1. In an undivided one-third share of a piece of land situated at Vannarponnai West, called Palluvilitoddam, containing or reputed to contain in extent 28 lachams of paddy culture, with its appurtenances including huts and wells; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Meyadeen Saibu Kaddu Vava, north by the property of Meyadeen Kandu Vava Meyadeen, west by the property of Usan Saibu Atham Vava and others, and on the south by lane.

2. In an undivided one-third share, with its appurtenances of a piece of land situated at Vannarponnai West, called Palluvilithoddam, containing or reputed to contain in extent 8 lachams of varaku culture, with its appurtenances including hut and well; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Muhammadu Ibrahim Meera Saibu, north by the property of Ussan Saibu Atham Vava, west by the property of Asana Maracaier Matharu Saibu, and on the south by lane.

3. In an undivided one-third of half share, with its

3. In an undivided one-third of half share, with its appurtenances of a piece of land situated at Vannarponnai West; called Palluvilitoddam, containing or reputed to contain in extent 14 lachams of paddy culture with its appurtenances including huts and well; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Aiyaturai Aiyer Chuppaiyer; north by the property of Lokampa Amma, wife of Siva Sangara Kurukkal; west by the property of Kartikesar Vairamuttu; and on the south by the property of Tangamuttu, wife of Kathiravelu and others.

V. THAMBIPILLAI, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Jaffna, October 30, 1908.

..Plaintiff

No. 5,478. Vs.

(1) Veluppillai Nagalingam, and wife (2)
Muttuppillai of Achchuvely......Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, November 28, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises

the right, title, and interest of the said 1st defendant, in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 590, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from August 29, 1907, until payment in full and costs of suit beings Rs. 88:33 and charges, viz.:—

7. In a piece of land situated at Navatkeri, called Periyaseema, containing or reputed to contain in extent 117 lachams of varaga culture with palmyras old and young; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Vallipuram and others, north by the property of Pettachchy, west by the property of Sathasivam, and on the south by the property of Sinniyah and others.

8. In a piece of land situated at Navatkeri called Maruthiseema, containing or reputed to contain in extent 4 lachams of varaga culture; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Kanapathippillai, north by the property of Veluppillai, west and south by the village limit of Puttoor

South.

9. In an undivided half share with its appurtenances of a piece of land situated at Navatker. called Thampanaikudiyiruppu, containing or reputed to contain in extent 2 lachams of varagu culture and $16\frac{1}{2}$ kulies with its appurtenances; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east and south by the property of Muttuppillai, north by the property of Vallippillai and others, and on the west by the pro-

perty of Veluppillai.

10. In a piece of land situated at Navatkeri called Thampallai, containing or reputed to contain in extent 43 lachams of varagu culture with its appurtenances including share of water of well standing on the northern side with way and water-course; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east and north by lanes, west by the property of Veluppillai, and on the south by the property of Muttuppillai.

11. In an undivided one-eighth share with share of water of well standing on the land called Veddaikkaranpathy lying on the western side, and way and water-course of a piece of land situated at Navatkeri called Ollai, containing or reputed to contain in extent 16½ lachams of varaga culture; bounded on reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Sinnappillai and others, north by the property of Kathirasy, west by the property of Sinnappillai and others, and on the south by lane.

> V. THAMBIPILLAI, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Jaffna, October 31, 1908.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

(nnattamby Vannittamby of Puttoor

No. 5.478.

Vs.

(1) Veluppillai Nagalingam and wife (2) Muttupillai of Achchuvely...... Defendants.

OTICE is hereby given that on Friday, November 27, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said two defendants in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 590, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from August 29 1907, until payment in full, and costs of suit being Rs. 88:33 and charges, viz.:

1. In a piece of land situated at Navatkeri; called Irakkanseema, Ilakaditoddamchennyseema, and Navithanseema, containing or reputed to contain in extent 8 lachams of varagu culture, with its appurtenances including houses and share of water of well standing on the western boundary with the right of use of way and water-course; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Periatamby

and others, north by the property of Muttuppillai, west by the property of Muttuppillai, and on the south by the property of Annamuttu.

All the right, title, and interest of the 1st defendant in the following property, viz.:-

2. In a piece of land situated at Navatkeri, called Thampanai, containing or reputed to contain in extent $13\frac{1}{2}$ lachams of varagu culture, with its apple bounded or reputed to be bounded on the by the property of Muttuppillai, north by the v imit of

Puttoor North, west and south by lane.
3. In an undivided two-fifth share, with appurtenances including share of well standing on the northern land called Impilan, together with the right of use of way and water-course of a piece of land situated at Navatkeri, called Tharaikkompurai, containing or reputed to contain in extent 93 lachmas of varagu culture, with share of well standing on the eastern limit; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Veluppillai and others, north by the property of Veluppillai and sand road, west by the village limit of Puttoor South, and on the south by the property of Arunasalam.

4. In an undivided two-fifth share, with its appurtenances of a piece of land situated at Navatkeri, called Katharuttaseema, Puliyadivitseema, and Pallanseema, containing or reputed to contain in extent 63 lachams of varagu culture, with palmyras old and bounded or reputed to be bounded on the th, and south by the property of Veluppillai, eas and a the west by the property of Arunasalam and

others.

5. In an undivided three-fifth share, with its appurtenances of a piece of land situated at Navatkeri, called Alakaiseema and Pandithanseema, containing or reputed to contain in extent $6\frac{7}{8}$ lachams of varagu culture, with palmyras and share of spontaneous trees on the eastern limit; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Muttuppillai, north by the property of Arumugam and others, west by the property of Veeragatty and others, and on the south by the property of Muttu-

tamby.

6. In an undivided two-fifth share, with share of the western land called water of well standing on the western land called Koddaikkadu and way and water-course of a piece of land situated at Navatkeri, called Koddaikkadu, containing or reputed to contain in extent 10 f lachams of varagu culture; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east and south by lanes, north by the property of Marimuttu, and on the west by the property of

Iramasy.

V. THAMBIPILLAI, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Jaffna, October 31, 1908.

Southern Province.

In the District Court of Galle.

Don Sandoris de Silva Wijesooriya of

No. 8,725. Vs.
Pasikkuhannedige Piklamy of Dodan-

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 5, 1908, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises, the following mortgaged property, viz.:-

1. One-fourth part of all the fruit trees and soil of the lot No. 6 of the garden called Welabodawatta, situate at Degalla and 1 of the 9 cubits tiled and cadjan thatched house standing on the said garden in extent 8.5 perches, together with the entirety of the tiled house of 33 cubits in length by way of primary mortgage.

2. All that 1/80 part of the fruit trees and soil of the garden called Pravenigalagawawalakadewatta, situate at Degalla, in extent about 2 acres by way of

primary mortgage.

3. All that 1/7 part of the fruit trees and soil of lot No of the garden called Welabodawatta, situate odanduwa, in extent about \(\frac{1}{2} \) an acre, toget! In the house of 17 carpenter's cubits stand! Seen by way of primary mortgage.

4. 43. 17/9 parts of the fruit trees and soil of the ot No. 4 of Welabodawatta, situate at Degalla, together with all the buildings standing thereon by way of secondary mortgage.

Writ? amount Rs. 1,686:30, with interest on Rs. 1,472:80 at 9 per cent. per annum from February 21, 1908, and poundage.

C. T. LEEMBRUGGEN, for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Galle, October 28, 1908.

Eastern Province.

S. J. Vallipuram of Badulla, now of Boat house, Nuwara Eliya.....Defendant.

December 5, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz.:—

A land lot No. 4,002 described in preliminary plan No. 1,932 called Punnaikudakadu, situated at Eraur, in Eraur pattu in the District of Batticaloa, Eastern Province; and bounded on the north by reservation for road, east by lands described in plan Nos. 170,369 and 156,813, west by Crown land called Punnaikudavempukadu, south by land described in plan No. 170,175, with all rights, in extent 45 acres 2 roods and 27 perches.

Amount to be levied, Rs. 2,846.59.

T. SINNATAMBY, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Batticaloa, October 29, 1908.

In the District Court of Trincomalee.

(1) Katiramatampi Katiravelupillai

and (2) Sangarapillai Seganadapillai, executors of the last will and testament of Dr. M. Eliyatamby, deceased Plaintiffs. No. 142. Vs.

(I) Canapatipillal Vallipurampillai and his wife (2) Vallipillain agam of No. 1 division, Trincomate Defendants.

November 28, 1908, at 11 o'clock in the morning, will be sold by public auction at the spot the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following mertgaged property, viz.:—

1. A piece of land situated in No. I division, Trincomalee, together with a tiled house and four coconut trees thereon and all other appurtenances relating to this property; bounded on the north-east

by the road called Swaminadamodaliartheru, on the south-east by the land of Sinnakunchu, widow of the deceased Arunasalapillai, on the south-west by the land of Vallipillainayagam, wife of Vallipurampillai and others, and on the north-west by the house and ground of deceased Jacob Petersz; containing in extent on the eastern and western sides 8 fathoms each and on the northern and southern sides 18 fathoms.

On Friday, November 27, 1908, at 10 A.M.

2. A paddy field lot W168 called Konankulamunmari, situated at Kinnia in Tamblegam pattu, Trincomalee; bounded on the south-east by land described in plan No. 106,957, and on all other sides by lands claimed by the late Mailvagana Mudaliyar; containing in extent 13 acres 1 rood and 17 perches.

3. A paddy field lot X 198 called Konankulavayal, situated at Kinnia in Tamblegam pattu, Trincomalee; bounded on the north-west by land described in plan No. 106,956, and on all the other sides by lands claimed by the late Mailvaganamodaliyar; containing in extent 25 acres 2 roads and 29 perches

ing in extent 25 acres 2 roods and 29 perches.

4. A paddy field lot No. P 198, situated at Kinnia in Tamblegam pattu, Trincomalee; bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 139,507, on the north-east by Crown land and land described in plan No. 108,354, on the south-east and south by land described in plan No. 108,354, on the south-west by lands described in plans Nos. 108,354 and 106,953 and lands claimed by the late Mailvaganamodaliyar, and on the west by land described in plan No. 139,523; containing in extent 14 acres 2 roods and 3 perches.

Writ amount, Rs. [2,969.63.

S. RAJU, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Trincomalee, October 30, 1908.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Suna Pana Ana Welleappa Chetty,
 Suna Pana Ana Weyna Natchiappa Chetty, both by attorney Suna Pana Arumogam Pillai of Kurunegala. Plaintiffs.
 No. 3,191.

Vs.

 Ena Mana Hameedo alias Ena Mana Abdul Hamido,
 Ana Mammado Cassim,
 Hundiram Simon de Silva Appuhamy,
 Kurunegala...... Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, November 28, 1908, commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be sold by public auction at the

premises, the right, title, and interest of the 1st defendant in the following mortgaged properties, viz.:—
1. An undivided 7/32 share of a piece of land, in extent 77 ft. long and 1 foot breadth, situated on the Bazaar street in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north by the garden of Muttu Weeran, east

by the boutique of Magudu, south by Bazaar street, and west by the boutique of Don Migel Appuhamy.

2. An undivided 7/32 share of a piece of land of I acre I rood and 38 perches in extent, and of the buildings, plantations, and everything thereon, situated at the Negombo road in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north by the Negombo road, north-east by the garden of Mr. Don Mark Weeratunga and the amuna belonging to Samuel Jayatileke, Mudaliyar, deceased, east by the water-course, south also by the water-course, south-west by the garden of J. G. Jayatileke and the limitary ridge of the field called Menumkumbura, and on the west by the Negombo road.

- 3. An undivided 4 share of an allotment of land, in extent of 1 rood, bearing assessment No. 97, and of the buildings, plantations, and everything thereon, situate at Bazaar street in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north by high road, east by garden of David Silva, south by circular lane, and west by the boutique of Ana Runa Lena Weerappa_Chetty.
- 4. An undivided 7/32 share of the land and the tiled house bearing assessment No. 8, in extent of 1 of 16 square perches, situate at Esplanade street in the town of Kurunegala, and bounded on the northwest by the house bearing assessment No. 9 of Mr. Thenne, President, north-east by the house and land bearing assessment No. 7 of Galgamuwe Banda Korala, south-east by minor road, and south-west by the Esplanade street.
- 5. An undivided 7/32 share the piece of land and of the tiled buildings bearing essment No. 81, in extent of 7 50/100 square perches, situate at Bazaar street in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north-east by the garden of the mosque, south-east and south-west by the garden of Joseph Fernando, north-west by the drain bordering Bazaar street.
- 6. An undivided 7/32 share of Dalupotakumburawatta bearing assessment No. situate at Bazaar street, in the town of Kurunegala, extent of 7 16/100 square perches; and bounded or and east by the garden of Hendrick there and Meera, north-west by the garden of Mur. Perceran, west and south-west by the remaining portion of the said Dalupotakumburawatta, south-east by Bazaar street.
- 7. An undivided 7/32 share of the piece of land and of the buildings bearing assessment No. 47, now No. 70, in extent of about 12 perches, situate at Bazaar street in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north by Bazaar street, east by the land of Letchimi Chetty, south by minor road called Cricket lane, west by the land of Mr. Ibrahim Notary.
- *8. An undivided 7/32 share of the land and of the buildings bearing assessment No. 96 and 96a, in extent of 4 perches, situate at Bazaar street in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north-east by land claimed by the villagers, south-east by land shown in the plan No. 50,969, south-west by a road, north-west by the drain bordering Bazaar street.
- 9. An undivided 7/32 share of the land and of the buildings bearing assessment No. 36, in extent of 1 rood 24 24/100 perches, situate at Bazaar street, Kurunegala; and bounded on the north and north-east by the land and house of Mr. E. Felsinger, east by the land of Don William Appuhamy and the land and the house of Pitche Tamby and others, and the land of Ena Magudu Mohammado and Migel Appu, south by Bazaar street, and on the west by the lands of Thomas de Silva.
- 10. An undivided 7/32 share of the land and of the buildings bearing assessment No. 71 and 71a, in extent of 12 21,920/100,000 perches, situate at Bazaar street in the town of Kurunegala; and bounded on the north by Bazaar street, east by land of Louis Arachchi, south by the lane, and west by the land of M. M. Ibrahim.
- 11. An undivided 7/32 share of the field called Mahawela, and of the buildings standing thereon, containing 20 cubits in breadth and in length 55 ft. on one side and on the other side 70 cubits, situate at Pallewalpola in Tiragandahe korale; and bounded on the east by the remaining portion of Mahawela, west by the land of Muttusamy, the son of Welaidam Pillai, south by a drain, and on the north by the Negombo road.

On Monday, November 30, 1908, at 1 P.M.

12. An undivided 7/32 share of Millagahamulahena, in extent of 20 seers kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Maduragodapitakanda in Ihalawisideke korale; and bounded on the north by chena of Hawna Dewaya; east by chena of Meniki, south by chena of Kade Bandappu, and west by chena of Puncha of Galagedara.

13. An undivided 7/32 share of Kahatagahamulahena, in extent of 6 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Maduragodapitakanda; and bounded on the north by the chena of Kapuri, east by galpila, south by Mahaela, and west by the limit of the chenal niging to Dr. Dias.

On Wednesday, December 2, 1904 P.M.

14. An undivided 8/32 share of Meganakumbura, in extent of 7 acres 2 roods and 2 perches, situate at Kalugalla in Meddeketiya korale; and bounded on the north by Vel-ela and Gonagalaralalagekumbura claimed by Kiri Menika and others, east by Meegahakumbura, chena belonging to Crown, south by the Crown land-called Velwala and Pallekumbura claimed by Ismail Lebbe, and on the west by the stream called Deligomuwe-ela.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,805·24½, with interest on Rs. 1,250 at 18 per cent. per annum from June 17, 1907, to July 30, 1907, and 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount from July 30, 1907, till payment in full, and poundage.

C. V. REBEIRA,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
negala, November 3, 1908.

District Court of Chilaw.

Cooke of chilaw.

Plaintiff.
No. 3

Vs.

Mohammado Saibo Yahapar Saibo of

DOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, December 3, 1908, commencing at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, specially mortgaged with the plaintiff by bond No. 1,167 dated November 15, 1907, viz.:—

Chilaw Defendant.

- (1) An undivided half share of the two cadjan thatched boutiques and premses situate at Bazaar street, in the town of Chilaw in Anaivilundan pattu, Pitigal Korale North, in the District of Chilaw; and bounded on the north by the wall of the boutique now being built by Musapher Noordeen, east by the boundary of Alensu Pieries' house, south by dewata road, and on the west by the high road; containing in extent 6 perches.
- (2) An undivided three-fifth share of the land called Ettanpariari tottam and the plantations thereon, situate at Wattakaly aforesaid; and bounded on the north by uppalam (salt pan), east by garden belonging to the defendant and his sisters, south by the garden of Vella Rawuthar and others, and on the west by uppalam (salt pan); containing in extent about 5 acres.
- (3) An undivided three-fifth shares of the garden called Uppuparangi tottam and the plantations thereon, situate Sangu'attan aforesaid; and bounded on the Lithony Perera, Kangany, east by Sangatattanweli (field), south by garden of Simon Mories and others, and on the west by road; containing in extent about 13 acres and 3 roads.

Amount to be levied Rs. 2,977 62 and poundage.

A. V. HERAT, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Chilaw, November 3, 1908. In the District Court of Negombo.

W. S. T. Sidamberam Chetty by his attorney Saththappa Chetty of Negombo.....

Plaintiff

No. 7,206.

Vs.

Udugampolage Manuwel Fernando and Wennappuwa......Defendants. another of

hereby given that on Monday, Novem-TOTE 1908, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold Aic auction at the premises the right, st of the said defendant in the followtitle, ar ing propa .¥iZ :--

An undivided & share of the land called Mellekele, situate at Kottaramulla, in Medapalata, Pitigal Korale Central, in the District of Chilaw; and bounded on the north by the other portion of this land belonging to Dominikku Perera Muhuppurala, son of Francisco Perera; east by the lands belonging to Gaweria Ukkuwa and others and by the land described in plan No. 64,191; south by the land belonging to Arunaselam Ponnampalam Mudaliyar; and west by the land described in plan No. 63,155; containing about 27 acres 1 rood and 3 perches in extent.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,347.25, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from March 31, 1908, and poundage.

· A. V. HERAT,

Deputy Fis

. Plaintiff.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Chilaw, October 29, 1908.

Province of Sabaragamú

In the District Court of Kegah. Warnakody Arachchige Don Lodrick Charles Perera Appuhamy of Ran-

wala Vs. ·

No. 2,423.

Biyagama Tenenehelage Punchy Banda Arachchi of KukulponeDefendant.

TOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, November 28, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises

the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for recovery of the sum of Rs. 576 25 with interest on Rs. 500 at 9 per cent. per annum from July 27, 1908, till payment in full and poundage, viz. :-

Kurudanemukalana and Dammullawatta, containing in extent 15 acres 2 roods and 39 perches, situated at Kukulpone in Beligal korale of the District of Kegalla; and bounded on the east by Pita-ela the land claimed by the villagers (vesiyan) and the road reservation, on the south, west, and north by lands claimed by villagers.

E. R. GOONEWARDENE, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office. Kegalla, October 27,

In the District Court of Colombo.

Pana Lana Pana Lana Saminathan Chetty

No. 26,560.

G. Simon Andris of No. 78, Dam street

in Colombo......Defendant.

OTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 5, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant, in the following property, for recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,022 50, with interest on Rs. 4,000 at 9 per cent. per annum from April 23, 1908, till payment in full and poundage, viz. :-

The land called Asweddumagawahena of 1 pela and 2 kurunies of paddy sowing extent, situated in the village Arukgammana in Kandupita Pattu North of Beligal korale in Four Korales of the District of Kegalla; and bounded on the east by the field and iwura, on the south by the limit of Narangahamulahena, on the west by Endgalamulahena, and on the north by Beruwehena and water-course.

> E. R. GOONEWARDENE, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Kegalla, October 29, 1908.

BY virtue of a Mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said court for the District of Kegalla will be holden at the Court-house at Kandy on Tuesday, December 1, 1908, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above-mentioned, and not to depart without leave asked and granted.

R. B. HELLINGS,

Fiscal's Office, Ratnapura, November 4, 1908.