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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

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, 1909," and shall be read and construed as one with the principal Ordinance.

Substitution of a new section for section 4.

2 For section 4 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be substituted, namely:

Cattle trespassing on lands may be seized.

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Ordinance the words "if such trespass shall have been committed in the night time" in line 8 thereof are hereby repealed.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7 of the principal Ordinance the words "in case the trespass shall have been committed in the night time" are hereby repealed, and the words "or some other person in his behalf" shall be inserted immediately after the words "trespassed upon" in line 27 of the said section.
- 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 fifth and sixth lines 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. 7 For section 12 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be substituted, namely :
- Substitution of new section 12. (1) Any person without lawful right removing or taking away or attempting to remove or take away or causing to be removed or taken away any cattle from the custody of the person entitled to keep or detain the same under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and in default of payment to rigorous imprisonment for a term not exceeding fourteen days.
- Penalty for removing, &c., cattle from lawful custody. (2) Any offence under this section shall be triable by the Village Tribunal of the division in which the offence was committed, and if there is no Village Tribunal, by the Police Court having local jurisdiction. When the offender is not subject to the criminal jurisdiction of a Village Tribunal, the offence shall be tried by the Police Court having local jurisdiction.
- Amendment of section 14. 8 In section 14 of the principal Ordinance the word "garden" shall be substituted for the words "enclosed garden" in the proviso.
- 9 In sections 5, 6, 7, 9, 13, and 14 of the principal Ordinance the words "or line of railway or land appertaining thereto" shall be inserted immediately after the words "irrigation works" wherever they occur in the said sections.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 28, 1909.

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 cases 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. Provision is also made for the protection of the railway; and the offence of unlawfully removing seized cattle is made triable by the Village Tribunal.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, January 8, 1909.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

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

**An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, intituled
“ An Ordinance amending the Law relating to Indian
Coolies employed on Ceylon Estates.”**

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, intituled “ An Ordinance amending the Law relating to Indian Coolies employed on Ceylon Estates,” in certain particulars: 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 and commencement.

1 (1) This Ordinance may be cited as “ The Indian Coolies’ Ordinance, 1909,” and shall be read and construed as one with Ordinance No. 13 of 1889 and the Ordinance amending the same.

(2) It shall come into operation at such date as the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, shall appoint.

Addition of new section 4 A.

2 The following section shall be added immediately after section 4 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, and shall be numbered 4 A:

Limitation of prosecution of labourers for certain offences.

4 A No criminal proceedings shall be instituted against any labourer for any offence under section 11 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1865, as amended by “ The Servants’ and Labourers’ Ordinance, 1905,” after thirty-six months shall have elapsed from the date when such offence is alleged to have been committed.

Substitution of new section 6.

3 The following section shall be substituted for section 6 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1889:

Payment of wages.

(1) It shall be the duty of every employer to pay the wages of the labourers in his employment monthly within one month from the expiration of the month during which the wages have been earned.

(2) Where wages are payable at a daily rate, the monthly wages shall be computed according to the number of days on which the labourer was able and willing to work, whether the employer was or was not able to provide him with work. Provided that an employer shall not be bound to provide for any labourer more than six days’ work in the week.

(3) When the contract of service is determined by one month’s previous notice or warning by the labourer to the employer or by the employer to the labourer, all wages due to the labourer for his period of service shall be paid in full to him by the employer on the day when such contract is so determined as aforesaid.

(4) In computing the amount of wages due to a labourer for any period of service, the labourer shall be debited with the amount of all advances of money made to him and with the value of all food, clothes, or other articles supplied to him during such period which the employer is not liable in law to supply at his own expense.

(5) The wages of a labourer shall not be deemed to have been duly paid as required by this section unless the full amount thereof, subject only to the deductions allowed by sub-section (4), has been paid either directly to the labourer himself or to some person expressly authorized by the labourer to receive his wages on his behalf or on his account.

(6) Any employer who fails to pay the wages of any labourers in his employment within the period limited by sub-section (1) shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees on a first conviction, and to two hundred rupees on a second or subsequent conviction. If any fine imposed

under this section is not paid within twenty-one days of the date when the same is imposed, the Government Agent may recover the amount thereof in the manner provided by section 23 of "The Medical Wants Ordinance, 1880."

Addition of new sections.

4 The following sections shall be added to Ordinance No. 13 of 1889 and shall be numbered from 19 to 30:

Immunity of labourers from arrest on civil process.

19. From and after the day of , 1909, no kangany, subordinate kangany, or labourer shall be liable to arrest under the provisions of "The Civil Procedure Code, 1889," in execution of a decree for money.

Notice to determine contract of service.

20. A notice or warning of the intention of any labourer to determine his contract of service, if given by any other person on behalf of the labourer, shall not be effectual in law, unless and until the labourer has personally signified to his employer his desire to determine his contract of service.

Declarations that labourers have been duly paid.

21. (1) It shall be the duty of every employer to forward to the Government Agent of the Province in every month a declaration under his hand that the wages of the labourers in his employment for the month immediately preceding the month before that in which the declaration is made have been duly paid as required by this Ordinance.

(2) Every such declaration shall be forwarded so as to reach the kachcheri not later than the third day of the month, and shall be in form I. in schedule C hereto.

(3) Where an employer has given notice in writing to the Government Agent with regard to any estate under his charge that the duty of forwarding the declaration required by this section has been entrusted to an assistant superintendent, such assistant superintendent shall thereupon be bound to comply with the requirements of this section.

(4) Any employer, or any assistant superintendent who is bound as aforesaid to comply with the requirements of this section, who fails in any month to furnish the declaration required by this section before the prescribed date, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on a first conviction to a fine which may extend to ten rupees and on a second or subsequent conviction to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

(5) Any employer or assistant superintendent bound as aforesaid who knowingly furnishes a declaration which is false or incorrect in any material particular shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine which may extend to three hundred rupees.

Duty of employer to prepare and keep a complete register of labourers.

22 It shall be the duty of every employer to prepare and keep up to date a complete register of all labourers employed on his estate, whether borne on the check-roll or working on any form of contract. Such register shall be as nearly as material in form II. in schedule C hereto. Every employer shall before the day of , 1909, forward to the Government Agent of the Province a copy of such register certified under his hand to be correct. Any employer who fails to forward a copy of the register certified as aforesaid within the appointed time shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

Every employer shall thereafter from time to time enter on the register the names of any labourer whom he shall take into his employment, whether on monthly contract of service or any other form of contract. He shall also, whenever a labourer dies or quits his service, record the fact and the date thereof in the register.

Prohibition of employment of labourers without discharge ticket or certificate.

23. (1) From and after the said day of _____, 1909, no employer shall take into his employment any labourer other than a boy or girl below the age of fifteen who has been born in Ceylon and has not previously been employed on an estate, unless he has received in respect of such labourer—

- (a) A discharge ticket issued and forwarded to him by some other employer in accordance with section 24; or
- (b) In the case of a newly imported labourer, a certificate issued from the cooly depôt at Ragama in accordance with section 25 or
- (c) A certificate issued by a Police Magistrate in accordance with section 26.

(2) Any employer who shall take any labourer into his employment in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction thereof to a fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

(3) Any employer who takes into his employment any labourer not being a Ceylon-born boy or girl below the age of fifteen who has not previously been employed on an estate without receiving for such labourer the discharge ticket or certificate required by this section shall, if such labourer is bound by any contract of service with any other employer, be deemed to have taken such labourer into his employment without taking reasonable precautions to ascertain whether or not such labourer was so bound, and shall be liable civilly, in case the labourer is under advance to the person to whom the labourer is so bound, to pay to such person as liquidated damages double the amount of such advances.

Duty of employer to issue and forward discharge ticket, and penalty for default.

24. (1) Whenever any labourer quits the service of any employer, having given the notice or warning required by law, or having been authorized to do so by his employer by means of the document known as a *tundu*, it shall be the duty of the employer to prepare a discharge ticket as nearly as material in the form III. in schedule C. If the labourer entered the service of the employer on a discharge ticket, the employer shall file such discharge ticket in his office and shall prepare a new discharge ticket.

(2) Where the labourer quits the service of his employer in order to take service with some other employer in Ceylon, the former employer shall forthwith forward the discharge ticket to the new employer.

(3) Where a labourer has given the notice or warning required by law, but has not, at the time when he quits the service of his employer, secured any other employment, it shall be the duty of the employer to give him a memorandum in the form IV. in schedule C stating that the labourer has duly given notice and that a formal discharge ticket will be issued to any new employer on application; and also stating the amount of the labourer's unliquidated liability, if any. Upon such application being made, it shall be the duty of the employer to forward to the new employer a discharge ticket within three days of the date of application.

(4) Any employer who fails to prepare or forward a discharge ticket, or to give to any labourer a memorandum in any case where he is required by this section to do so, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction thereof to a fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Issue of certificates from Ragama.

25 (1) The Superintendent of the cooly depôt at Ragama, or such other officer as may be authorized by the Governor for the purpose, shall prepare certificates in the form V. in schedule C with regard to all labourers despatched from the depôt and shall forward the same to the employers to whom the labourers are despatched.

(2) In the event of any other depôt being established for the reception of Indian immigrant labourers, the Governor may authorize the officer in charge of such depôt to issue certificates for the purpose of this Ordinance; and such certificates

shall for the purposes of this Ordinance be equivalent to certificates issued from the depôt at Ragama.

Certificates
issued by
Police
Magistrates.

26. (1) On the application of any labourer any Police Magistrate, if he is satisfied by affidavit that such labourer has not been employed on an estate in Ceylon for the thirty-six months immediately preceding the date of application, shall issue a certificate to that effect in the form VI., schedule C.

(2) No stamp duty shall be chargeable on affidavits sworn or affirmed for the purposes of this section.

27. (1) Any Police Magistrate, if he is satisfied that any discharge ticket has been lost or destroyed, may, on the application of the labourer to whom the discharge ticket refers or of his employer, order or authorize the employer by whom such discharge ticket was given, or, if such employer is no longer in charge of the estate on which the labourer was employed, then the person for the time being in charge of such estate, to prepare and forward to the new employer a duplicate of the lost or destroyed discharge ticket.

(2) Any person refusing to prepare and forward a duplicate discharge ticket on the order of a Police Magistrate, or issuing a duplicate discharge ticket without the authority of such order, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees.

Offences in
relation to
discharge
tickets and
registers of
labourers.

28. Any person who—

- (a) Knowingly prepares or issues a discharge ticket which is false in any material particular; or
- (b) Fraudulently makes use of a genuine discharge ticket; or
- (c) Knowingly makes any false entry alteration in or addition in the register required to be kept by this Ordinance—

shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction thereof to a fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to both.

Power of
Governor to
alter forms.

29. The Governor in Executive Council may from time to time make such alterations as he may deem requisite in any of the forms prescribed in any of the forms in schedule C hereto, or may prescribe new forms to be used in substitution for any of such forms.

Sanction to the
institution of
criminal
proceedings.

30. No criminal proceedings shall be instituted in respect of any alleged offence under sections 21, 22, 23, 24, and 28 without the previous sanction in writing of the Colonial Secretary.

Addition of
schedule to
Ordinance
No. 13 of 1889.

5 Schedule C to this Ordinance shall be appended as schedule C to Ordinance No. 13 of 1889.

SCHEDULE C.

Form 1.

(Section 21.)

Declaration.

_____ Estate in the District of _____.

I hereby declare in terms of section 21 of "The Indian Coolies' Ordinance, 1909," that the wages of the labourers employed on the above-named estate for the month ending the _____ day of _____, 19—, have been duly paid in accordance with the requirements of the said Ordinance.

(Signed) _____,
Superintendent.

Dated the _____ day of _____, 19—.

Form II.
(Section 22.)
Register of Labourers.

Name: ———.
Approximate age: ———.
Sex: ———.
Caste: ———.
Village: ———.
Taluk: ———.
District: ———.
Father's name: ———.
Mother's name: ———.
Height, viz., tall, short, or medium: ———.
Body marks: ———.
General appearance: ———.
Date of engagement: ———.
Whether employed permanently or on contract works: ———.
Name of kangany: ———.
Number of Ragama certificate (if any): ———.

Form III.
(Section 24.)
Discharge Ticket.

In pursuance of section 24 of "The Indian Coolies' Ordinance, 1909," this is to certify that the labourer whose name and description are appended has been duly discharged from my service.

(1) This labourer—

- (a) Was one of the coolies on my original register.*
- (b) Came to me with a certificate from the Cooly Depot.*
- (c) Came to me on Discharge Ticket from ——— Estate in ——— District.*
- (d) Came to me on notice from ——— Estate in the ——— District.*
- (e) Came to me with a certificate from the Police Magistrate at ———.*

(2) This labourer has been in my employ since ———, 19—.

(3) The reason for his discharge is ———.

(4) The amount of his debt to this estate is Rs. ———.

Description of Labourer.

Name: ———.
Approximate age: ———.
Sex: ———.
Caste: ———.
Number of Ragama certificate (if any): ———.
Village: ———.
Taluk: ———.
District: ———.
Name of father: ———.
Name of mother: ———.
Name of kangany: ———.
Height, viz., tall, short, or medium: ———.
Colour, viz., dark, light, or medium: ———.
Body marks (if any) ———.
General physical characteristics: ———.

Superintendent.

Dated ———, 19—. Estate ———, District.

* Strike out the lines which do not apply.

Form IV.
(Section 24 (3)).

Memorandum with regard to Labourer leaving on Notice.

Estate, _____ District.

MEMORANDUM that the labourer whose name and description are appended hereto left this estate on notice on the _____ day of _____, 19—, and that a formal Discharge Ticket will be issued to his employer on application. The amount of his [or her] unliquidated liability is Rs. _____.

Date: _____, 19—. (Signed) _____,
Superintendent.

Name and Description of Labourer.

Name: _____, Father's name: _____.
Sex: _____, General appearance: _____.

Form V.

(Section 25.)

No. of Certificate.

Ragama Certificate.

I HEREBY certify that the labourer whose name and description are appended was despatched from the Depôt at Ragama to _____ Estate on the _____ day of _____, 19—.

Name and Description of Labourer.

Name: _____.
 Approximate age: _____.
 Sex: _____.
 Caste: _____.
 Village: _____.
 Taluk: _____.
 District: _____.
 Name of father: _____.
 Name of mother: _____.
 Name of kangany: _____.
 Height, viz., tall, short, or medium: _____.
 Colour, viz., dark, light, or medium: _____.
 Body marks (if any): _____.
 General physical characteristics: _____.

Dated _____ 19 —. (Signed) _____
 Superintendent.

Form VI.

(Section 26.)

Certificate of Police Magistrate.

Police Court of _____.

I HEREBY certify, in terms of section 26 of "The Indian Coolies' Ordinance, 1909," that I am satisfied that the labourer whose name and description are appended has not been employed on any estate in Ceylon during the thirty-six months immediately preceding the date of this certificate.

Name of labourer: _____.
 Sex: _____.
 Father's name: _____.
 General appearance: _____.

Dated _____, 190—. (Signed) _____
 Police Magistrate.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
 Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, January 29, 1909.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE object of the Draft Ordinance is to give effect to the recommendations contained in the Report of the Labour Commission.

2. In form the Ordinance is an amendment of the existing Ordinance (No. 13 of 1889) relating to Indian immigrant labourers.

3. The following are the principal alterations which the Draft Ordinance will effect:—

- (a) After the lapse of 36 months from the commission of the offence prosecutions under section 11 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1865 (for illegally quitting service, &c.) are barred.
- (b) The wages of labourers are payable monthly, within one month of the expiration of the month during which the wages are earned.
- (c) Payment must be made either directly to the labourer himself or to some person expressly authorized by the labourer to receive his wages on his behalf or on his account.
- (d) Failure on the part of an employer to pay wages within the prescribed time is made an offence punishable with a fine, which is leviable on the estate.
- (e) After a specified date the imprisonment of kanganyes and labourers on civil process for debt is abolished.

- (f) A notice to quit service if given by any other person on behalf of the labourer is invalid, until the labourer has personally signified to his employer his desire to determine his contract of service.
- (g) Employers are required, under pain of criminal proceedings, to forward to the Government Agent in every month a declaration that they have paid their labourers the wages which are then due.
- (h) The employer is required to prepare and keep up to date a complete register showing all labourers employed by him, including those working on contract. A certified copy of the initial register must be forwarded to the Government Agent.
- (i) After a specified date it is made a punishable offence for an employer to take into his employment a labourer (except a Ceylon born boy or girl under the age of 15 not previously employed in estate labour) without—
- (1) A discharge ticket ; or
 - (2) In the case of newly imported labour, a Ragama certificate ; or
 - (3) A certificate issued by a Magistrate that the labourer has not been employed for 36 months on an estate in Ceylon
- (j) An employer who takes a labourer into his employment without a discharge ticket or certificate is punishable with a fine. If the labourer is in fact an absconder and is under advance, the employer is liable to pay the lawful employer double the amount of such advances.
- (k) Provision is made for the issue of discharge tickets ; memoranda to this effect that discharge tickets will be issued on application, Ragama certificates, duplicates of lost discharge tickets, and other details relating to the system of discharge tickets.
- (l) Penalties are provided for the various offences created by this Ordinance.
- (m) As a check against vexatious or indiscreet prosecutions, the previous sanction of the Colonial Secretary is required before criminal proceedings can be instituted.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, January 20, 1909.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to amend "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," in certain particulars.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance," as regards the provision there made for the rank and precedence of the Chief Justice and Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court : 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 Courts (Amendment) Ordinance, 1909," and shall be read and construed as one with the principal Ordinance.

Addition of new section 12 A.

2 Immediately after section 12 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be added and shall be numbered 12 A :

Rank and precedence of future Chief Justices and Puisne Judges.

12 A Provided that the rank and precedence of any Chief Justice and Puisne Judge who shall be hereafter nominated and appointed shall be as follows :

Every Chief Justice so nominated and appointed shall have rank and precedence above and before all persons whomsoever within the Island excepting the Governor or the Officer for the time being Administering the Government, the Lieutenant-Governor (if any), the Officer in Command of His Majesty's Naval Forces on the station, if of the rank of an Admiral, and the Senior Officer in command of His Majesty's Troops, if of the rank of a General ; and excepting such persons as by law or usage in England take place before the Chief Justice of England.

Every Puisne Judge so nominated and appointed shall have rank and precedence above and before all persons whomsoever within the Island excepting the Governor or the Officer for the time being Administering the Government, the Lieutenant-Governor (if any), the Officer in Command of His Majesty's Naval Forces on the station, if of the rank of an Admiral, the Senior Officer in Command of His Majesty's Troops, if of the rank of a General, the Chief Justice and the Members of the Executive Council; and excepting such persons as by law or usage in England take place before the Puisne Judges of the High Court of Justice in England.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 29, 1909.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

This Ordinance is introduced on the instructions of the Secretary of State that the law with regard to the precedence of future Chief Justices and Puisne Judges should be assimilated to that which prevails in other Crown Colonies.

2. The substantive changes made by the Ordinance are that any future Chief Justice will take place after the Officer in Command of His Majesty's Naval Forces on the station if of the rank of an Admiral and the Senior Officer in Command of His Majesty's Troops if of the rank of a General. Future Puisne Judges will take place after Members of the Executive Council.

3. The rank and precedence of the present Chief Justice and Puisne Judges as laid down by the Courts Ordinance is not disturbed:

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, January 19, 1909.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Intestate Joint Estate of the late Kodikarage Don Hendrick Appuhamy and his wife Mabulage Nonohamy, both of Padukka.

Kodikarage Don Charles Appuhamy of Padukka.....Petitioner.

And

- (1) Kodikarage Don Cornelis Appuhamy, (2) Kodikarage Dona Elisa Hamine and her husband (3) Mahaluloge Don Simon Jayawardena, all of Padukka. Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 8, 1908, in the presence of Mr. D. W. Moonesinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated December 2, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as a son and heir of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased and the letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before February 18, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

December 8, 1908.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Berandigampolage Menchihamy of Kelanimulla, deceased.

Hettiarachhige Selestina Gomis Abeyesinghe Weerakoon Hamine of Kelanimulla.....Petitioner.

And

- (1) Kahandawala Aratchige Elias Appu, (2) Kahandawala Aratchige Siman, (3) Kahandawala Aratchige Missia, (4) Kahandawala Aratchige Thomas, (5) Kahandawala Aratchige Podi Nona, (6) Kahandawala Aratchige Babia, (7) Kahandawala Aratchige Babahamy..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. M. de Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 18, 1908, in the presence of Mr. T. F. Bandaranaike, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named, and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated February 17, 1907, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as a creditor 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 February 11, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. M. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

December 18, 1908.

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In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Joint Intestate
Jurisdiction. Estate of the late Gajesinghe
No. 3,229. Aratchige Don Portenti Muppara
and his wife Subasinghe
Aratchige Dona Madalena Hamine,
both of Mawalagama, deceased.

Gajesinghe Atchige Don Girigoris
Appu of Mawalagama Petitioner.

And

(1) Gajesinghe Atchige Dona Lucihamy, (2) Gajesinghe Atchige Dona Agida Hamy and her husband (3) Weewitawidanalage Don Jeremias, both of Niripola in Udugaha pattu of Hewagama korale Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. M. de Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 18, 1908, in the presence of Mr. T. F. Bandaranaike, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated November 20, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the son 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 February 11, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. M. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

December 18, 1908.

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In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Joint
Jurisdiction. Estate of the late Kodigarage Don
No. 3,197. John Charles Samaranayaka and
his wife Dona Margida Perera,
both of Kotuwila, deceased.

Kodigarage Don Richard Samaranayaka
of Kotuwila in Ambetalenpahala of
Alutkuru Korale South Petitioner.

And

(1) Dona Missia Samaranayaka, (2) Neunpitiyage Cornelis Peiris, (3) Neunpitiyage Rosalin Peiris, (4) Neunpitiyage Charles Peiris, (5) Neunpitiyage William Peiris, a minor appearing by his guardian *ad litem* above-named 2nd respondent, all of Panadure, (6) Don Dionis Wijewardene of Ranale, (7) Dona Elizabeth Wijewardene, wife of (8) Don Solomon Wijesundera, both of Kosgama, (9) Dona Agnes Wijewardene of Ranale, (10) Dona Josaline Wijewardene of Ranale, (11) Don George Wijewardene of Ranale, (12) Dona Nella Wijewardene of Ranale, the 10th, 11th, and 12th respondents by their guardian *ad litem* the above-named 6th respondent, (13) Dona Meary Samaranayaka, wife of (14) Korlage Don Davith Appuhamy, both of Kotuwila aforesaid, and (15) Dona Calo Samaranayaka of Batepola in Meda pattu of Siyane korale Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 1, 1908, in the presence of Mr. D. E. Wanigesooria, Proctor, on the part of the

petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated November 3, 1908; having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as the 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 January 21, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

December 1, 1908.

The date for showing cause against the above Order Nisi is extended to February 18, 1909.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

January 21, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. of the late Christina Anna Fernando
No. 3,239. Jayewardena of Dehiwala
in Palle Pattu of Salpiti korale,
deceased.

Patenella de Mendis Goonetilleke
Hamine of Maggona, presently of Dehiwala,
aforesaid Petitioner.

And

(1) Albert Perera Jayewardena, (2) Joseph Vincent Perera, (3) Agnes Mary Perera, (4) Mary Georgiana Perera, (5) Lazarus Francis Perera, minors appearing by their guardian *ad litem*, (6) Francis Charles Perera, all of Dehiwala, aforesaid Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on January 14, 1909, in the presence of Mr. H. P. Weerasooriya, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 3, 1908, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled as a near relative (mother) of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and the letters of administration do issue to her accordingly, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before February 25, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

January 14, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and
Jurisdiction. Testament of George Adolphus
No. 3,246 C. Hole of Borella in Colombo, in the
Island of Ceylon, deceased.

Ethel May Tranchell Hole of Philadelphia,
Uyana, Moratuwa Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on January 25, 1909, in the presence of Messrs. F. J. and G. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Ethel May Tranchell Hole; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated January 9, 1909, and of the

affidavit dated January 18, 1909, of the Notary Public who attested the will of the above-named deceased, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the above-named George Adolphus Hole, deceased, dated July 18, 1905, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said Ethel May Tranchell Hole is the executrix named in the said will, and that she is entitled to have probate of the same issued to her accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before February 11, 1909; show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

January 25, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and
Jurisdiction. Testament of Anne de Livera of
No. 3,252. Kalutara, widow of Frederick
John de Livera, C.C.S., deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on January 28, 1909, in the presence of Messrs. F. J. and G. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Gerald Frederick de Livera of Matara; and the affidavits (1) of the said petitioner dated December 29, 1908, and (2) the affidavit dated January 26, 1909, of the Notary who attested the will of the said deceased having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the above-named Anne de Livera, deceased, dated August 3, 1907, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said Gerald Frederick de Livera 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 the February 18, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

January 28, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. of the late Balapuwaduge Hendrick
No. 3,254. Mendis of Laksapatia in Mora-
tuwa, deceased.

Mututantrige Martin Fernando of Mora-
tumulla Petitioner.

And

(1) Wannakuwattewaduge Netholia
Fernando, (2) Balapuwattewaduge
William Martin Fernando, a minor
appearing by his guardian *ad litem*
Kalubowilage Joseph Fernando of
Laksapatia Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on January 28, 1909, in the presence of Mr. John de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated February 27, 1909, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as a nominee of the widow of the deceased above-named, to administer the estate of the said deceased and the letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents

above-named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before February 18, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

Colombo, January 28, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. of the late Ahamado Lebbe Mari-
No. 3,259 C. kar Manatchy Umma *alias* Mohi-
deen Natchia Manatchy Umma of
Panchikawatta, Colombo, deceased.

Sinne Lebbe Hadjar Abdul Hamid of
Old Moor street, Colombo Petitioner.

And

Sinne Lebbe Hadjar Abdul Azeez of
Panchikawatta in Colombo Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Hermann A. Loos, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on February 2, 1909, in the presence of Mr. W. P. Gunawardene, Proctor on the part of the petitioner above-named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated February 2, 1909, having been read: It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as 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 respondent above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before February 18, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

HERMANN A. LOOS,
District Judge.

February 2, 1909.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and
Jurisdiction. Testament of Kos Mohamadu
No. 559. Tamby Lebbe Marikar of Kalutara
deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before P. E. Pieris, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on January 29, 1909, in the presence of Mr. O. G. D. Alwis, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Tamby Lebbe Marikar Thena Mohamadu Salideen of Kalutara; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated January 25, 1909, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will and testament of Kos Mohamadu Tamby Lebbe Marikar of Kalutara, deceased, dated December 20, 1908, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondent Pakir Umma of Kalutara shall, on or before February 19, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.

January 29, 1909.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the
Jurisdiction. late Hettigedara Appuhamy,
No. 2,561. deceased, of Ipiladena in Kandy
palata of Yatinuwara.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Felix Reginald Dias, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on December 17, 1908, in the presence of Mr. C. Jayetilleke, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Hettigedera Dingiri Amma of Ipiladena aforesaid; and the

affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 16, 1908, having been read :

It is ordered that the petitioner Hettigedera Dingiri Amma of Ipiladena aforesaid, be and she is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration *de bonis* to the estate of Hettigedera Appuhamy of Ipiladena in Kandupalata of Yatinuwara, deceased, as the daughter of the said deceased, unless any person on or before January 28, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,
District Judge.

December 17, 1908.

On the motion of Mr. Jayetileke, Proctor for petitioner, it is ordered that the date for showing cause against the *Order Nisi* be extended to February 18, 1909, and notice be issued.

F. R. DIAS,
District Judge.

January 26, 1909.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate and Property of Nakaratnam, wife of Sinnatamby Ponniah of Kokkuvil, late of Perak, in Straits Settlements, deceased.

Sinnatamby Ponniah of Kokkuvil, presently of Perak Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Sidampananther Veeragattipillai, and his wife (2) Teywanai of Kokkuvil, (3) Chinnattamby Chinniah, and his wife (4) Tankam of Kokkuvil, and (5) Ammakkuddi, daughter of Veeragattipillai of ditto Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of Sinnatamby Ponniah of Kokkuvil, presently of Perak, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, Nakaratnam, wife of Ponniah of Perak, coming on for disposal before R. N. Thaine, Esq., District Judge, on December 3, 1908, in the presence of Mr. T. C. Changarapillai, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and affidavit of the petitioner dated July 30, 1908, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the widower of the said intestate, and as such is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondent or any other person shall, on or before January 20, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

R. N. THAINE,
District Judge.

December 3, 1908.

Order Nisi extended for February 15, 1909.

R. N. THAINE,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Mullaittivu.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Maniar Velupillai of Vavuniya, deceased.

Varitampi Murukeser of Vavuniya Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Varitampi Kandiah, and wife (2) Sinnatangam of Point Pedro Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Maniar

Velupillai, coming on for disposal before H. W. Codrington, Esq., District Judge, on January 14, 1909, in the presence of Mr. M. Asaipillai, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated February 5, 1908, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the husband of one of the heirs of the said intestate and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person shall, on or before February 10, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
District Judge.

January 14, 1909.

In the District Court of Mullaittivu.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Uguralege Velatte Korala of Poomaduwa in Vavuniya, deceased.

Uguralege Kandate of Ulukkulama in Sinnacheddikulam Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Uguralege Menik Etani of Ulukkulama, (2) Kavuralege Seerale of Anuradhapura, (3) Sellawanniamige Mali Etani of Anuradhapura, (4) Kiriamige Naidurala of Ulukkulama, (5) Kiriamige Ukkurala of Ulukkulama, (6) Pinhamige Rankiri of Ulukkulama Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of Uguralege Kandate of Ulukkulama praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Uguralege Velatte coming on for disposal before H. W. Codrington, Esq., District Judge, on December 17, 1908, in the presence of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated December 14, 1908, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the brother of the said intestate, and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person shall, on or before February 15, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
District Judge.

December 17, 1908.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Manuel Pulle Moopu Savery Pulle, deceased, of Kattakado.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Arthur Charles Allnut, Esq., District Judge of Puttalam, on December 21, 1908, in the presence of Mr. Wilfred A. Muttukumara, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the petitioner's affidavit dated November 23, 1908, and petition dated December 21, 1908, having been duly read:

It is hereby ordered that the said petitioner Francisca above-named be and she is hereby appointed administratrix of the intestate estate of Manuel Pulle Moopu Savery Pulle, deceased, unless the above named respondent Anthony Saverimuttu of Kattakado or other person or persons interested in the said estate

shall, on or before January 8, 1909, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 22, 1908. A. C. ALLNUTT,
District Judge.

Date for showing cause to the above *Order Nisi* is extended to February 1, 1909.

January 8, 1909. R. G. SAUNDERS,
District Judge.

Date for showing cause extended to February 8, 1909.

By order,
J. S. PHILIPS,
Secretary.

February 1, 1909.

In the District Court of Puttalam.
Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. of Aloysius Mudiyanse
No. 276. Anthappu, deceased, J. S. Philips,
the Secretary of the District Court
of Puttalam..... Petitioner.

R. C. de Silva, Mudaliyar, guardian *ad*
litem over the minors (1) Juse Appu
and (2) Peter of Mundel..... Respondent

THE above matter coming on for disposal before
A. C. Allnutt, Esq., District Judge, on Decem-
ber 30, 1908, in the presence of Mr. A. E. Strong,

Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the
petitioner's affidavit and petition of to-day's date
having been duly read: It is ordered, and decreed
that the above-named petitioner be and is hereby
declared entitled to obtain letters of administration
to the intestate estate of the above-named deceased
and that the same be issued to him accordingly, unless
the respondent or any other person interested shall,
on or before January 6, 1909, show sufficient cause
to the contrary to the satisfaction of this court.

A. C. ALLNUTT,
District Judge.

December 30, 1908.

The date for showing cause against the above *Order*
Nisi is extended to January 27, 1909.

By order of court,
J. S. PHILIPS,
Secretary.

January 27, 1909.

The date of showing cause against the above *Order*
Nisi is extended to February 9, 1909.

By order of court,
J. S. PHILIPS,
Secretary.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,294. In the matter of the insolvency of
Balapuwaduge Domingo Mendis
of Moratumulla, Moratuwa.

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 February 18,
1909, for the appointment of an auditor.

By order of court,
J. B. Misso,
Secretary.

Colombo, January 28, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2 337. In the matter of the insolvency of
Vavenna Mohammado Yoosoofof of
2nd division Maradana, Colombo.

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 February 18,
1909, for the appointment of an assignee.

By order of court,
J. B. Misso,
Secretary.

Colombo, January 28, 1909.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 125. In the matter of the insolvency of
Don Louis Weerasekera of Molligoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that the certificate
meeting in the above matter has been fixed
for February 25, 1909.

By order,
WM. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kalutara, January 27, 1909.

In the District Court Kalutara.

No. 126. In the matter of the insolvency of Don
Podi Sinno Weerasekero of Molligoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that the certificate
meeting in the above matter has been fixed
for February 25, 1909.

By order,
WM. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kalutara, January 27, 1909.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 129. In the matter of the insolvency of
Theodore Albert de Alwis of
Panadura.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of
this court in the above matter is adjourned to
February 18, 1909.

By order,
WM. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kalutara, January 28, 1909.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 388. In the matter of the insolvency of
Abdul Rahiman Lebbe Hadjar
Abdul Caffoor of Galupiadde, Galle,

WHEREAS Abdul Rahman Lebbe Hadjar Abdul
Caffoor, has filed a declaration of insolvency,
and a petition for the sequestration of the estate of
Abdul Rahiman Lebbe Hadjar Lebbe Caffoor, under
the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given
that the said court has adjudged the said Abdul
Rahiman Lebbe Hadjar Lebbe Caffoor insolvent
accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court,
to wit, on March 1, 1909, and on March 18, 1909, will
take place for the said insolvent to surrender and
conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said
Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set
forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are
hereby required to take notice.

By order of court,
D. M. JANSZ,
Secretary.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

R. Kuna Vana Murugappa Chetty of
Sea street, Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 19,100. Vs.

Cottage Lawrence de Silva of Demata-
goda, Colombo Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, March 13, 1909, at 1 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 October 15, 1908, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,461 with interest on Rs. 2,300 at 24 per cent. per annum from October 30, 1903, till December 4, 1903, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full and costs of suit or realization of decree, viz. :—

All that allotment of land called Godellapitahena, situated at Dalugama, in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale, now formed into a coconut estate, and bounded on the north by lands claimed by A. Don Hendrick and others, R. Don Simon Appuhamy and others, A. Caro Appu and others, Bastian Fernando and others, J. R. Migel Pulle, and by land described in plan No. 55,422; on the north-east by lands claimed by Baba Kankanama and Isaac Silva Appuhamy, and by land described in plan No. 55,422; on the east by land claimed by J. R. Migel Pulle, W. D. Perera, A. Isaac Perera, and M. Julius Fernando; on the south-east and south by land described in plan No. 55,422 and by land claimed by J. R. Migel Pulle, E. Perera, and Dona Lucia and others, T. Saram, V. Dona Catherina, D. G. Jayatilleke, W. D. Perera, V. Don Mathes Appuhamy, R. Simon Appu, and B. Bastian Dias; on the south-west by land claimed by V. Dona Catherina, D. G. Jayatilleke, V. Don Mathes Appuhamy, B. Bastian Dias Naide, B. Juan Dias Naide and others and T. Juan Appuhamy and others; and on the west and north-west by lands claimed by T. Juan Appuhamy and others, A. Don Hendrick and others, R. Don Simon Appuhamy and others, A. Caro Appuhamy and others, A. Don Mathes and others, Ba' a-kankanama and Bastian Fernando and others; containing in extent 52 acres 3 roods and 24 perches, save and except therefrom two portions in extent 20 acres 3 roods and 21 perches marked A and B in the figure of survey No. 56,307 dated March 22, 1862, and duly authenticated by Charles Simmons, Esq., Surveyor-General, and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim, and demand of the defendant in, upon, or out of the said property.

E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, February 3, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

R. Dornhorst of Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 20,420 C. Vs.

Sinne Lebbe Maricar Lebbe Cando
Natchia of Messenger street, Colombo,
administratrix of the estate of Assena
Lebbe Maricar Alla Pitche, deceased. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, March 12, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property mortgaged with the plaintiff and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above action for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,000, with interest thereon at 10 per cent. per annum from January 1, 1902, till September 16, 1904, and thereafter on the

aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, viz. :—

All that portion of an allotment of land called Dewatagahalande, situated in the village Meewala, in the Meda pattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo; which said portion is bounded on the north-east by portions of the same land allotted to Ibrahim Lebbe Cadija Umma, wife of A. L. Sultan Lebbe Maricar, and Ibrahim Lebbe Mohamado Slema Lebbe, marked letters A and B, respectively, on the east by land claimed by Kusalhamy, on the south-east by Attenagalu-oya, on the south-west by land claimed by Nonchihamy and others, and on the west by land claimed by Cornis Appu and Sulanchi Appu, by tank, and by land described in plan No. 74,436; containing in extent 14 acres.

E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, February 3, 1909.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Richard De Abrew, Doctor of Beruwala Plaintiff.
No. 3,881. Vs.

Tenkutti Adiris de Silva Guhaselera
Karunaratna, Police Officer of Kalu-
wamodera Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 27, 1909, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises, the following properties mortgaged by defendant with plaintiff to wit for the recovery of Rs. 6,174.32 with interest on Rs. 5,000 at 16 per cent. per annum from September 24, 1909, till date of decree and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, viz. :—

1. An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ part of the soil (excluding the planter's share of the trees) and of the remaining trees and the planter's half share of the trees of third plantation of the land called Wellatuduawatta *alias* Mudiyansegewatta and together with the large new tiled house built by the defendant with cabooks together with all the other buildings standing thereon, situated at Kaluwamodera; and bounded on the north by Awariwatta *alias* Mudiyansegewatta, east by Wellagederawatta, south by Wellabodawatta belonging to the Mudaliyar and another Wellabodawatta, and on the west by the lower portion of the same land; containing in extent of about $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

2. An undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the soil and trees (excluding the planter's share of the trees) and the planter's half share of the second plantation of the northern portion of Welituduwewatta, situated at the said village; and bounded on the north by Awariwatta *alias* a portion of Mudiyansegewatta, on the east by Welituduwewatta, on the south by Welituduwewatta, and on the west by the seashore; containing in extent of about $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre.

3. An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ part of the soil (excluding the planter's share) and of the remaining trees of the land called Digarollewatta *alias* Gammnewatta, situated at the said village; and bounded on the north by Mawatawatta, on the east by the high road, on the south by Kadawarayawatta, and on the west by Wellabodawatta; containing in extent of about $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre.

4. The entire soil and of the remaining trees (excluding twenty coconut trees for the planter's share of all the trees) of the land called Gangamoyatuduwe-watta, situated at Kaluwamodera; and bounded on the north-east by Gangabodamahawatta, south-east by Tuduhehenawatta and Tuduhewewatta purchased from the Crown, south-west by the sea, and on the

north-west by the river; containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 17 perches.

5. The entire soil and of the remaining trees (excluding the planter's $\frac{1}{2}$ share) of three breadfruit trees and three coconut trees of the first plantation of the land called Muttettuwawatta, situated at Kaluwamodera in Alutgambadda; and bounded on the north by two portions of the said land, on the east by Mahawatta, south by Gasahewatta and Totéwatta, and on the west by the river; containing in extent of $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre.

6. The entire soil and all the trees of the eastern portion of Mahawatta *alias* Gangabodawatta, situated at Kaluwamodera; and bounded on the north by Mahawatta *alias* Baduwatta, on the east by Tittewawatta *alias* Kitulgahawatta, on the south by a portion of Muttettuwawatta, and on the west by Gangabodawatta; containing in extent of about 1 rood.

7. The entire soil and of the remaining trees (excluding $\frac{5}{7}$ of the planter's half share) of the land called Dachchagederawatta, situated at the said village; and bounded on the north by Tottewatta, on the east by Baduwatta *alias* Mahawatta, on the south by Gangewatta, and on the west also by Gangewatta; containing in extent of about 1 rood.

8. Two-third of the planter's half share of all the trees and undivided $\frac{7}{36}$ parts of the soil and soil share trees of the land called Aththikkagahawatta *alias* Saranankanangewatta, situated at Moragalla in Alutgambada; and bounded on the north and east by two portions of the said land, south by Kalawilawatta, and on the west by the seashore; containing in extent $\frac{1}{2}$ acre.

9. An undivided $\frac{1}{3}$ part of the soil (excluding the planter's share of the trees) and of the remaining trees of the land called Mahawattewatta *alias* Elabodawatta, and the tiled boutique room of 25 feet in length standing thereon, situate at Kaluwamodera; and bounded on the north by the canal, on the east by Gamagewatta, on the south by a portion of Mahawatta, and on the west by high road; containing in extent 2 roods and $7\frac{24}{100}$ perches.

10. The entire soil and all the things standing thereon of the land called Messabendukotumea, situated at Bondupitiya; and bounded on the north by the land appearing in plan No. 25,246, on the east by the lot No. 8,183 of the land appearing in plan No. 2,253, and the land appearing in plan No. 125,246, on the south by the lot No. 8,183 of the land appearing in plan No. 2,253, and on the west by the land appearing in plans Nos. 19,017, 197,020, and 74,017; containing in extent of about 5 acres.

On Monday, March 1, 1909, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

11. The soil and trees of the southern 5 acres of the entire land Batagodakanda of the extent of 20 acres and 19 perches, situated at Walagedara; and bounded on the north by the land appearing in plan No. 175,532; and Batagodawatta belonging to Don Thidoris Appu, on the east by a road, on the south by Dolabodawatta belonging to J. Arnolis Appu, Paragamagewatta and Bataketiawatta belonging to J. Baba Appu, Wijesuriyawatta belonging to W. Don Davith, and Naranowitawatta belonging to H. Baba Appu and J. Don Nicholas, and on the west by Alutgederawatta belonging to Don Adrian Appu.

12. The southern portion being two acres in extent together with all the things standing on a portion of the land called Batagodakanda, situated at Walagedara; and bounded on the north by Batagodawatta belonging to Don Siyadoris Wedi Singho, Police Headman and others, Higgahawatta and Millagahawatta belonging to others; on the east, south, and west by the portion of the said land being lot No. 9,628, purchased from the Crown by Tenkutti Salis de Silva and

two others; the entire land being of the extent of about 8 acres and 5 perches.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Kalutara, February 3, 1909.

B. P. GOMES,
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Helena Wijeyawardana of Sedawatta in Ambatelepahala of Alutkuru Korale South, executrix of the last will and testament of Don Philip Wijeyawardana, Muhandiram, late of Sedawatta, deceased Plaintiff.

No. 20,836 C. Vs.

(1) Bartholomews Perera Wijesekera Gunawardana of Mabola, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, (2) Muna Pana Kana Palaniappa Chetty of Sea street, in Colombo, (3) Don Johannes Wijegunatileke of Mabola aforesaid Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 27, 1909, 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 defendants in the following property, ordered to be sold by the order of court, dated December 21, 1908, all those allotments of land together with all the buildings and stones standing thereon, and now forming one property, to wit:—

(a) All that part of Marandagahadeniyakumbura, situate at Gampaha-Medagama, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by the high road, on the east by the railway land, on the south by the garden of Nonohamy and others, and on the west by Kotalawala canal; containing in extent 1 acre and 24 square perches more or less.

(b) All that garden called Halgahawatta, situate at ditto; and bounded on the north by deni land of Dhanayaka, on the east by the garden of Sanchi Appu and by railway land, on the south by the live fence of the land of Malwattege Allis, Vel-vidane Arachchi and others, and on the west by the canal and by the garden belonging to pansala; containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and $25\frac{64}{100}$ square perches more or less.

(c) All those $\frac{1}{2}$ parts of the garden called Kongahawatta, situate at ditto; and bounded on the north by the ditch of Romanis Silva's field and railway land, on the east by railway land, on the south by the ditch of Don Allis, Vel-vidane Arachchi's field and burial ground, and on the west by the live fence of the lands belonging to Anakerahettiarachchige Nonohamy and others; containing in extent 1 rood more or less.

(d) All the machinery, engine, boiler, plant stock, implements, utensils, fixtures, articles, and things now standing and being on upon or belonging to or used in connection with the fibre mill standing on the above-mentioned lands called Marandagahadeniyakumbura, Halgahawatta, and Kongahawatta situated at ditto: together with all the rights, easements, and appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises hereby mortgaged belonging or in any wise appertaining or usually held, occupied, used, or enjoyed therewith, or reputed or known as part and parcel thereof, and all the estate, right, title, and interest, claim, and demand whatsoever of the 1st defendant into, upon, or out of the same.

Amount to be levied, Rs. 6,122.51 with interest on Rs. 5,798.81 at 9 per cent. per annum from October 3, 1907, till payment.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Negombo, February 3, 1909.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Na Neana Cader Saibo & Company,
No. 29, Castle Hill street, Kandy..... Plaintiffs.
No. 19,210. Vs.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 26, 1909, commencing at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction, at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said 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 King street, and north by Brodie street.

2. The house bearing assessment No. 551 and the ground attached thereto, situate at Trincomalee street aforesaid; and bounded on the east by Trincomalee road, south by wall of house No. 552 and the ground attached thereto, west by the property of the late Simon Appoo, 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; bounded on the east by the limit of the property of Muna Thana, south by wall of house No. 163 and ground attached thereto, west by Trincomalee road, and on the north by the wall of house No. 165 and ground attached thereto.

Amount of writ Rs. 1,645.75 and interest.

A. V. WOUTERSZ,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Kandy, January 30, 1909.

Southern Province.

In the District Court of Galle.

Katalowetotahewage Bais Appu of
Weligama Plaintiff.
No. 8,288. Vs.

Manikku Badaturuge Babun Appu of
Ahangama Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, March 6, 1909, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the spot, the following mortgaged property, viz.:—

All that $\frac{1}{2}$ part of all the fruit trees and soil together with the 9 cubits tiled house standing on the land called Sarukkaliawatta, of the extent of 3 acres 2 roods and 34 perches, situate at Ahangama.

Writ amount, Rs. 1,149.24 with poundage.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, February 2, 1909.

In the District Court of Galle.

Don Elias Amarasiri Jayasinha, Mudali-
yar of Galle..... Plaintiff.
No. 8,465. Vs.

Don John *alias* Dharmasena Jinadasa
Subasingha of Galle and another..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, March 2, 1909, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon will be sold by public auction at the premises, the following mortgaged property, viz.:—

(1) All that and those the contiguous lots Nos. 17, 18, 19, and 20 of the garden called De Hope, situate at Galupiyadda together with the upstairs house and all other buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment Nos. 373 and 374, containing in extent 39.26 perches.

(2) All that and those the three contiguous lots Nos. 14, 15, and 16 of the garden called De Hope *alias* Banewatta, at ditto, in extent 28.32 perches, Writ amount Rs. 1,542.91 with interest on Rs. 1,351.66 at 9 per cent. per annum from November 5, 1907, and poundage, less Rs. 800.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, January 29, 1909.

In the District Court of Galle.

M. K. M. P. R. Letchimanan Chetty of
Galle Plaintiff.
No. 8,984. Vs.

Sinna Lebbe Markar Mohammado Ismail
of Talapitiya Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, March 4, 1909, commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises, the following mortgaged property, viz.:—

1. Except 1 coconut tree and 1 del tree standing on the extreme southern limit all that allotment of land called Sangaragattawatta, in extent 1 rood and 19 perches together with the thatched house of 5 carpenter's cubits standing thereon, situate at Galupiyadda.

2. All the soil and soil share trees of Kongahadoowatta and the adjoining owita, in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 12.98 perches, situate at Andigama.

Writ amount, Rs. 2,361.93, with interest on Rs. 2,215.28 at 9 per cent. per annum from July 28, 1908.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, February 2, 1909.

In the District Court of Galle.

A. R. A. R. S. M. Ramanathan Chetty
of Galle Plaintiffs.
No. 9,010. Vs.

Mohamed Hanifa Mohamed Cassim and
others of Galle..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, March 1, 1909, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the spot the following mortgaged property, viz.:—

All the soil and trees of the garden called Baasgawatta *alias* Kiralaowitawatta, in extent 7 acres and 35 perches, exclusive of $\frac{1}{2}$ of the planter's one-third share of the new plantation thereof, situate at Unawatuna together with all the buildings standing thereon.

Writ amount Rs. 34,868.17 with interest on Rs. 33,971.25 at 9 per cent. per annum from September 27, 1908, less Rs. 9,196 recovered.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, January 29, 1909.

In the District Court of Galle.

B. M. A. R. S. M. Supperamanian Pillai of
Galle Plaintiff.

No. 9,260. Vs.

Mohamed Hanifa Cassim of Galle Fort Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, March 2, 1909, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following mortgaged property, viz. :—

1. All that divided one-half part of the soil and trees of the garden called Josigewatta *alias* Calderawatta, in extent 4 acres 3 roods and 16 $\frac{22}{25}$ perches, situate at Dadalla.

On Wednesday, March 3, 1909, at 2 P.M.,
at the spot.

2. All the soil and trees of a defined portion of the garden called Mawellegewatta *alias* Mahawellewatta marked Lr. A and the adjoining low or owita land called Mawellegewatta-addaraowita *alias* Mahawellewatta-addaraowita marked Lr. B together with the 15 cubits house standing thereon, situate at Watareka, in extent 4 acres and 5.80 perches.

On Thursday, March 4, 1909, at 2 P.M.,
at the spot.

3. All the soil and fruit trees of the lot No. 5 of the garden called Pitawala Mawatabodawatta together with the tiled upstairs house of 15 cubits marked Municipal No. 248 standing thereon, exclusive of the defined north-eastern one-fourth portion marked Lr. A and the house marked No. 247 thereon, and a strip of land in extent 20 yards in length and 1 yard in breadth, adjoining the said portion and lying towards the west thereof, situate at Dangedara, in extent 39.1 perches.

Writ amount, Rs. 23,701.51, with interest on Rs. 23,262.4 at 9 per cent. per annum from November 18, 1908, less Rs. 1,250 paid.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, February 2, 1909.

In the District Court of Galle.

M. K. M. P. R. Letchimanan Chetty of
Galle Plaintiff.

No. 9,310. Vs.

A. C. Ahamed Ismail of Galle Fort Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, March 3, 1909, at 3.30 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, viz. :—

The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ part of the soil and trees of the land called Arachchigewatta *alias* Ilukkelewatta situate at Kalegama.

Writ amount, Rs. 1,060.80, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from November 17, 1908.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, February 2, 1909.

In the District Court of Matara.

(1) Walgamage Salaman Appu and (2) Don Nikulas Amarasekare Palihawadana, both of Babaranda Plaintiff.

No. 4,125. Vs.

(1) Anganetta Cornelia Perera Ekanayaka Tillakaratne Lama Etami of Kadeweediya in Matara, (2) Catherine Tillakaratne, wife of (3) C. P. Samarakkody, Gate Muhandiram, Tinagala estate, Panagoda, Hanwella, (4) Edmund Tillakaratne, Muhandiram of West Giruwa pattu, Tangalla, and (5) Eroline Tillakaratne of Kadeweediya in Matara Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, March 6, 1909, at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 4,630.35, less Rs. 339.45 recovered, at the risk of the original purchasers, viz. :—

The soil and fruit trees of the land called Waraduwagehena, Demataharahena, Kankanangekongahahena, Weragampitagehena, Amarasekaragemahawatta, Aparekkagewatta, Patangiawatta, Weragampitagepelawatta, all adjoining each other, in extent of 15 acres and 14 perches, situate at Goigodapanguwa in Babaranda, in the Wellaboda pattu of the Matara District (exclusive of the planter's half share of Demataharahena and Kankanangekongahahena, and the planter's half share of second plantation of Amarasekarage Mahawatta); and bounded on the north by Wehellagewatta, Vitaranagewewadeniya, Kalubalagedeniya, Dematahenewalgamagewekumbura, east by Kalubalagehena and Kongahawatta, south by Maunahegewatta, Mahagamagewatta, and Weragampitagewatta, and on the west by Wehellagewatta, Liyanapatiranagewatta, Palugahawewa, and Maunahegewatta.

G. F. DE LIVERA,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Matara, January 29, 1909.

Eastern Province.

In the District Court of Trincomalee.

Retnamma, widow of Arumugampillai of No. 6 division, Trincomalee Plaintiff.

No. 182. Vs.

(1) Veerappan Pattiniyar, (2) Pattiniyar Sinnatamby, (3) Pattiniyar Muttucumaru, (4) Pattiniyar Karuvaltamby, and (5) Kathiramer Chellappa, personally and as representative of the estate of his late wife Nagamuttu the 6th and guardian *ad litem* of her minor children Tankamma and Kadiraman, all of Pallucudieruppu Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, February 26, 1909, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the spot the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following mortgaged property viz. :—

1. An undivided 10/12 share out of $\frac{1}{2}$ share of a piece of land called Ellumullukandan, containing in extent 15 acres as per deed of assignment and 13 acres and 2 roods as per Fiscal's transfer in favour of Karuvaltampi, situated at Mathavanpiddy in Toppur, Koddiiyar pattu, Trincomalee. The said $\frac{1}{2}$ share is

bounded on the east by the field of Kalanthar Sinnatampi, on the west by the watercourse, on the north by Uppar, and on the south by field of Pakiranpillai Allapitchai.

On Friday, February 26, 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

2. An undivided 10/12 share out of a piece of paddy land known as Tampiarvalichanai, lot No. 11,934, containing in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 5 perches, situated in Mallicaitivu in Koddipattu, Trincomalee; the boundaries of the whole land are on the east by watercourse, on the west by Crown land, on the north by the field of Poothur Kathiravali, and on the south by the field of Murugapper Kanatipillai.

On Friday, February 26, 1909, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

3. An undivided 10/12 share out of a piece of land called Akaththikundupalla, lot No. 3,828, containing in extent 9 acres 2 roods and 2 perches, situated at Toppur in Koddipattu, Trincomalee; the boundaries of the said whole land are on the north by the field of Tampiah Muttucumaru Vanniah, on the east by water channel and the field called Ellumullukkandan, on the south by the field of Levvaitamby Sathakkulevvai, and on the west by field called Akaththikundupallamarukuchenai.

Writ amount Rs. 970.21.

S. RAJU,

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Trincomalee, January 27, 1909. Deputy Fiscal.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Kura Mana Periya Karpen Chetty by his Attorney Muna Ramen Chetty of Kurunegala Plaintiff.

No. 3,177.

Vs.

Recowa Senewiratne Maya^T Bandare Heratmudianselage Banda *alias* Senewiratne H. M. Banda, late Korala of Linigiriya Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 27, 1909, 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, viz. :—

(1) An undivided half or six-twelfth of Pathahahena, now a garden of 6 kurunies of kurakkan sowing extent; bounded on the north by chena of Appuhamy, on the east by field, on the south by chena of Wedikkaraya, and on the west also by the chena of Wedikkaraya, situate at Ambahera.

(2) An undivided half or six-twelfth of Hitiragederawatta, of about 5 kurunies of kurakkan sowing in extent; bounded on the north by Alutwatta, on the east also by Alutwatta, on the south by garden of Puchirala, on the west by garden of Appuhamy, situate at Rekowa.

(3) An undivided half or six-twelfth of Lindakumbura, Udagamavidanagekumbura, Udagamukumbura, and Moonamallagekumbura, all about 3 amunams and 2 pelas paddy sowing extent, and Udayagonawatta of 3 lahas kurakkan sowing extent Munamallagevatta of about 1 thimle kurakkan sowing extent, and Elabodahena, now a garden of 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Rekowa; and bounded on the east by Gederawattawela and liminary ridge to the field of Panagomuwe Kiri Banda and others, on the south by fence to the garden of Ranhamy Vaccinator and Dingiri Appu, on the west by endaru fence to the garden of Ukku Menika and others and by the village limit of Ambahena, and

on the north by Ambaheragamima and by Alabodawatteagala.

(4) An undivided half or six-twelfth of Siambalagamulawatta, of 15 lahas of kurakkan sowing in extent, situate at Rakwana; bounded on the north by Welekiula, on the east by endaru fence of the garden of Ranhamy Vaccinator and others, on the south by Muruthagaha and Wayaweta to the limit of the chena of Dingirihamy Vedarala and others, and on the west by Millewetahena to the limit of the chena of Ranhamy Vaccinator and others, situate at Rekowa.

(5) An undivided half or six-twelfth of Palamelangekumbura, of 2 amunams and 2 lahas of paddy sowing extent, situate at Godawite; bounded on the east by field of Mudianse and by field of Appuhamy, on the south by field of Appuhamy, on the west by Rako-ela, and on the north by land belonging to Kiri Banda, late Arachchi, and others.

(6) An undivided one-fourth of Hitinawatta, of about 6 acres of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations and buildings thereon, situate at Godawita; bounded on the north by limit of the garden of Mudalihamy and others, and on the west by fence of the garden of Appuhamy.

(7) Bulugahamulawatta, of 5 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situate at Polwattegedera; bounded on the north by Medirihena-galweta, on the east by Hitinawatteagala, on the south by fence to the garden of Ukkurala, on the west by limit to the chena of Bomaluwehena.

(8) Kewitiyagolle *alias* Kuratiyagollehena, of about 1 pela of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantation thereon, situate at Polwattegedera; bounded on the east by Galkanda, on the south by chena of Banda Korala, on the west of Mala-ela, and on the north by limit to Morankala-alutwatta.

(9) An undivided half share of Poyahawattahena, 6 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, and Ihalagahamulahena, of 1 thimbe of kurakkan sowing extent, all from one property, with the plantations thereon, situate at Polwattegedera; bounded on the north by kahata tree and Danpaudura to the limit of the chena Kuretiyagollehena; on the east by Welipillewahas, Ihalewelabadawetia, and by the tree ambagaha to the limit of Ihalewelapillewa; on the south by Medirihena of Sohonderala; and on the west by chena of Yalagamayapansalwatta and Walawwehenagamimagawetia.

(10) Kongahamulhena, of 8 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situated at Polwattegedera; bounded on the north by chena of Dingiri Natchire, east by ditch to the garden of Appu and Bandirala, on the south by chena of Dingiri Natchire, and on the west by Dingiri Natchire's owita.

(11) Menderihena, now a garden of 6 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situated at Polwattegedera; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Bandirala Korala, on the east by Galweta and agala, on the south by Bomaluwehena and Anuwatta, and on the west by Gasweta to the chena Atchire.

(12) Bogahamulhena, now a garden of 4 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situate at Polwattegedera; bounded on the north by Gallindapitiyawatta of Ungurala, on the east by Unanadandakumbura of Ukkurala, on the south by Bogahamulhena, and on the west by Malwattehena.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,658.25, with further interest on Rs. 1,000 at the rate of 18 per cent. per annum from June 12 until day of judgment, and thereafter at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount until payment in full.

T. G. WILLET,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Kurunegala, February 2, 1909.

DISTRICT AND MINOR COURTS NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, the records enumerated in the schedule annexed will be destroyed under the provisions of Ordinance No. 12 of 1894.

Any person interested in any record may personally, by proctor, or by duly authenticated petition, claim upon good cause shown, that such record may not be destroyed.

Schedule.

Court of Requests money cases from January 1, 1860, to the end of 1898.

C. V. BRAYNE,
District Judge.
Negombo, February 3, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Kandy, by Rajalingam Kangany and three others of Kadugannawa, against the proprietor of Werly Groce and Lindula estate, Kadugannawa, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 130.95.

D. W. WICKRAMASINGHE,
Chief Clerk.

Court of Requests,
Kandy, January 23, 1909.

List of Testamentary Cases under Official Administration in the District Court of Puttalam for the Half-Year ended December 31, 1908.

Number of Case.	Whose estate.
129 ..	Piru Pathumma Natchia, wife of Udumalebbe Maricar Naina Lebbe Maricar of Kalpitiya.
144 ..	Halperumage Lucian Fonseka of Puttalam.
159 ..	Gabrielpillai Annavi Augustinopillai Annavi of Karukuchena.

District Court,
Puttalam, January 26, 1909.

C. H. JONES,
Additional District Judge.

List of Uncertificated Insolvents for the Half-Year ended December 31, 1908.

District Court,
Puttalam, January 26, 1909.

Nil.

C. H. JONES,
District Judge.

LIST OF JURORS AND ASSESSORS.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

Batticaloa District.

LIST of Persons liable to serve as Jurors and Assessors in the District of Batticaloa, Eastern Province, for the year 1909, under section 257 of the Ordinance No. 15 of 1898 (Criminal Procedure Code).

Letters prefixed to a name signifies that the person is qualified to serve as a Special and as an Ordinary English-speaking Juror.

ENGLISH-SPEAKING JURORS.

Aiyaturai, V. C. Manikam, clerk, Kachcheri	Koddaimunai	Chelliah, Tambiyappah, native writer, Kachcheri	Puliyantivu
s Amarasingham, Edward Newton, landed proprietor	Sengallady	s Cotton, John Wallan, superintendent of estates	Paddiruppu
Anthonipillai, Swampillai, head clerk, Forest Department	Puliyantivu	s Emerson, Louis Perrottet, irrigation engineer	Rugam
Arambamoorthy, A. S., agent, Ceylon Steamship Co., Ltd.	Koddaimunai	Estagoepillai, Celestin, head clerk, Provincial Road Committee Office	Puliyantivu
Arulambalam, Ramanather, registrar of lands	do.	Francis, Emmanuel, clerk, Kachcheri	do.
s Backhouse, Charles James, planter	Vandarumoolai	s Fraser, John Hill, irrigation engineer	Unnichchai
Balthazaar, John Joseph, irrigation sub-inspector	Vakaneri	s Green, T. Stanly	Puliyantivu
Barnes, Samuel Robert, land clerk, Kachcheri	Puliyantivu	s Herft, Cecil Richard Lorenz, district engineer	do.
Bartlett, George C., irrigation sub-inspector	Unnichchai	Johnson, Harry, inspector, Local Board	do.
Casinader, John Hannah, draughtsman, Provincial Engineer's Office	Puliyantivu	Kanagasabai, Kurunathapillai, contractor	do.

Kandiah, S., inspector of schools	Puliyantivu	Olegasakeram, John Wilmot, provincial registrar's clerk	Puliyantivu
Kasupathippillai, N. Canavadi- pillai, native writer, Kachcheri	Navateudah	Perera, John Samuel, forest ranger	Periya Pullumala
Krishnapillai, Alfred Kandap- pillai, chief clerk, Kachcheri	Puliyantivu	Ponnambalam, V., irrigation sub-inspector	Rugam
Kumarakulasingham, A. Barr, translator, Kachcheri	do.	Ragunader, A. S., notary public	Sengallady
Markander, K. Vaitilingham, landed proprietor	do.	Ramanader, J. H., irrigation sub-inspector	Unnichchai
Muttiah, J. A., irrigation sub- inspector	Rugam	Somanader, Robert S., irriga- tion clerk	Unnichchai
Muttiah, Kandapper, landed proprietor	Puliyantivu	Stephens, George Clement, clerk, Kachcheri	Koddaimunai
Muttukristna, Arunachalam, clerk, Kachcheri	do.	Templer, George Dawson, as- sistant conservator of forests	do.
Nevins, Robert, irrigation sub- Inspector	Unichchai	Vallipuram, George W., super- intendent of minor roads	Puliyantivu
		Varey, James Arthur, irriga- tion engineer	Vakaneri

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Abraham, Solomon, irrigation clerk	Vakaneri	Kandapody, Kannauthapody T. T., registrar	Panichchayadi- munmarie
Akamadulevvai, Muhaiyadin bava, landed proprietor	Eravur	Kandapody, Tholippody P. H., landed proprietor	Pankudavely
Akamadulevvai, Pakkeertamby, police headman	Muravodai	Kandappan, George, landed pro- prietor	Ondatchinadam
Akamadulevvai, Umarulevvai, landed proprietor	do.	Kandavanam, Sinnatamby P. H., landed proprietor	Palugamam
Akamadulevvaipody, Umaru- katta, vaddai vidahn	Oddaimavady	Kariapper, M. P. H. Mukamad- mukaiyadin, police headman and farmer	Sainthamaruthu
Akamparapillai, Somanader Van- nakku, landed proprietor	Mandoor	Karuvalltamby, Nallatamby P. H., police headman	Kiran
Aliyarlevvai, Akamadulevvai- pody, Vanniah, landed proprietor	Eravur	Manmunai-pody, Kannauthapody V. V., vaddai vidahn	Panichchayadi- munmarie
Allegekoen, S. A., searcher and binder, Land Registry	Puliyantivu	Markandu, K. Vannaku, landed proprietor	Amirthakaly
Amarasingham, Tambappillai, overseer, Public Works Depart- ment	Urany	Meerasaibulevvai, Meeralevvai- pody Vanniah, farmer	Sainthamaruthu
Asanarlevvai, Mukamadulevvai, landed proprietor	Eravur	Mootatamby, Sinnatamby P. H., police headman	Kurukkalmadam
Cheenitamby, Veerakkuddy, landed proprietor	Kaluvanchikudy	Mundapody, Vela Vannimai, farmer	Naippaddimunai
Chembappody, Kalikkuddip- pody, farmer	Pandiruppu	Mylvaganampillai, Kadirama- laipody Vanniah, farmer	Pandiruppu
Elaiyatampody, Sembakud- dipody V. V., vaddai vidahn	Kokkaddichcho- lai	Nallatamby, Kadiramamatamby, police headman	Eravur
Gnanamuttu, Savirimuttu, landed proprietor	Pankudavely	Nalliah, N., notary public	Koddaimunai
Kadiramalai, Veerakkuddy, police headman and farmer	Periya Kallar	Parasiramapillai, Murukapper Tombutor, landed proprietor	Kurumanvely
Kadiramalaipody, Sambunader Tombutor, landed proprie- tor	Makilloor	Periyatamby, Kadiramalaipody Udaiyar, police headman and farmer	Kalmunai
Kadiramatamby, Kandaperumal landed proprietor	Kallady Uppodai	Ponnambalam, Kumarasuriyer, clerk, District Engineer's Office	Kalmunai
Kailayapillai, Kanavadippillai, farmer	Karativu	Sapapathippillai, T. K., landed proprietor	Kallady Uppodai
Kanagasabai, P. H. K., landed proprietor	Illuppaiyadich- chenai	Selvadurai, N. S.	do.
Kanavadippillai, Cheddipoddy, farmer	Naippadimunai	Silva, T. I., merchant	Puliyantivu
Kanavadippillai, Kandapper, police headman and farmer	Turainilavanai	Sinnalevvai, Maraikar A., landed proprietor	Kattankudy
Kanavadippillai, Kumaravelly, police headman	Sengallady	Sinnappu, Somanader Tombutor, landed proprietor	Mandur
Kanavadippillai, Pattiniyar, landed proprietor	Arappattai	Sinnatamby, Kanavadippillai, farmer	Pandiruppu
		Sinnatamby, Kadiramalaipody Vannimai V. V., vaddai vidahn	Kokkaddichcholai
		Sittrapoopalapillai, Kandapper, landed proprietor	Koddaimunai

Somanader, Henry, second clerk, Provincial Road Committee Office	Pulyantivu	Umarulevvaipody, Mukamadulevvai, landed proprietor	Eravur
Subramaniam, A., contractor	do.	Velauder, Murugapper, police headman	Sittandikudiyirruppu
Subramaniam, T., merchant	do.	Veluppillai, K. Tombutor, landed proprietor	Eravur
Tambimuttu, Kattamuttu, landed proprietor	Valaiyiravu	Veluppillai, Notary Sithamparapillai, notary public	Pulyantivu
Tambinainat, S. P. H., landed proprietor	Valaichenai	Venasitamby, Visuvanader P. H., landed proprietor	Palugamam
Tissaveerasinghe, James J., clerk Land Registry	Pulyantivu		
Umarulevvaipody, Akamadulevvaipody, vannah, landed proprietor	Eravur		

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