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### ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

#### Madulkele-Kabaragala Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a general meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the Madulkele-Kabaragala road will be held at Nillomally estate bungalow on Saturday, February 27, 1909, at 3 P.M.

#### *Business.*

1. To elect a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.
2. The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—
  - (1) The acreage of the land belonging to each estate;
  - (2) The sections used by each estate;
  - (3) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of each estate—

for an assessment on the private contribution on the maintenance estimate for 1909, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 15, 1909.

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#### Huluganga-Bambraela Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a general meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the Huluganga-Bambra-ela road will be held at Moragahagalla bungalow on Wednesday, March 17, 1909, at 9 A.M.

#### *Business.*

1. To elect a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.
2. The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—
  - (1) The acreage of the land belonging to each estate;
  - (2) The sections used by each estate;
  - (3) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of each estate—

for an assessment on the private contribution on the maintenance estimate for 1909, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 19, 1909.

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**Vellaioya-Shannon Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Vellaioya-Shannon road for 1909, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said road, as follows:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 347.50
Private contributions	..	Rs. 347.50

1st to 4th section, 131 chains 20 lines.

Total acreage, 2,319—Moiety of cost, Rs. 347.50—  
Rate per acre, 1498c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Eastern Produce and Estates Co. (H. Scoble, Nicholson)	Vellai-oya	.. 1881	..	281 86
C. Shipton (F. R. Souter)	Agra-oya	.. 438	..	65 64
Total			..	347 50

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman of the Local Committee (Mr. H. Scoble Nicholson, Vellai-oya estate, Hatton) on or before February 25, 1909.

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 15, 1909.

**Haputale-Dambatenna Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety of the cost of maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1909, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road, as follows:—

**HAPUTALA-DAMBATENNA ROAD.**

Total Government moiety	..	Rs. 2,206.00
Total moiety of private contributions	..	.. 2,250.12

Assessment of several estates.

1st section, 1 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 383.65
Private contributions	..	.. 391.32

Total acreage, 3,572—Rate per acre, 10.9552c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Lanka Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Thotulugala	556	..	60 91
Ceylon Tea plantation Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	..	175 83
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	154 58
Total			..	3,572 391 32

2nd section, 1 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 383.65
Private contributions	..	.. 391.32

Total acreage, 3,572—Rate per acre, 10.9552c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Lanka Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Thotulugala	556	..	60 91
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	..	175 83
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	154 58
Total			..	3,572 391 32

3rd section, .75 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 287.74
Private contributions	..	.. 293.50

Total acreage, 3,572—Rate per acre, 8.2166c.

Lanka Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Thotulugala	556	..	45 68
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	..	131 86
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	115 96
Total			..	3,572 293 50

4th section, 1 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 383.65
Private contributions	..	.. 391.32

Total acreage, 3,016—Rate per acre, 12.9748c.

Ceylon Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	..	208 65
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	183 7
Total			..	3,016 391 32

5th section, 1 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 383.65
Private contributions	..	.. 391.32

Total acreage, 3,016—Rate per acre, 12.9748c.

Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	..	208 25
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	183 7
Total			..	3,016 391 32

6th section, .25 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 95.98
Private contributions	..	.. 97.84

Total acreage, 3,016—Rate per acre, 3.24403c.

Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	..	52 7
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	45 77
Total			..	3,016 97 84

7th section, .75 mile.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 287.74
Private contributions	..	.. 293.50

Total acreage, 1,411—Rate per acre, 20.8008c.

Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	..	293 50
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**ABSTRACT.**

	Rs.	c.
Thotulugala	..	167 50
Pitaratmalie	..	952 9
Dambatenna	..	1,130 53
Total		.. 2,250 12

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay in to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Badulla, on or before March 6, 1909.

J. O'K. MURTY,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Badulla, February 6, 1909.

#### Road from Koslanda to Poonagala Factory.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety of the cost of the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1909, the Provincial Road Committee of Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road as follows:—

#### ROAD FROM KOSLANDA TO POONAGALA FACTORY.

Government moiety .. Rs. 650  
Total private contributions. Rs. 663

1st and 2nd sections, first and second  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

Government moiety .. Rs. 236.35  
Private contributions .. Rs. 241.08

Total acreage, 2,844—Rate per acre, 8.4767c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
J. M. Robertson, & Co.	.. Arnhall ..	226 ..	19 16
Do.	.. Ampitakanda..	291 ..	24 66
G. A. Coombe, Makal- deniya Tea and Rubber Co.	.. Makaldeniya..	703 ..	59 60
Poonagala Valley, Ceylon, Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	.. Poonagala Group	..1,624 ..	137 66
Total		.. 2,844	241 8

3rd and 4th sections, third and fourth  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

Government moiety .. Rs. 236.35  
Private contributions .. Rs. 241.08

Total acreage, 2,844—Rate per acre, 8.4767c.

J. M. Robertson, & Co.	.. Arnhall ..	226 ..	19 16
Do.	.. Ampitakanda..	291 ..	24 66
G. A. Coombe, Makal- deniya Tea and Rubber Co.	.. Makaldeniya..	703 ..	59 60
Poonagala Valley Ceylon, Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe.	.. Poonagala Group	..1,624 ..	137 66
Total		.. 2,844	241 8

5th and 6th sections,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

Government moiety .. Rs. 177.30  
Private contributions .. Rs. 180.84

Total acreage, 2,327—Rate per acre, 7.7713c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
G. A. Coombe, Makal- deniya Tea and Rubber Co.	.. Makaldeniya..	703 ..	54 64
Poonagala Valley Ceylon, Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe.	.. Poonagala Group	..1,624 ..	126 20
Total		.. 2,327	180 84

#### ABSTRACT.

	Rs.	c.
Arnhall	..	38 32
Ampitakanda	..	49 32
Makaldeniya	..	173 84
Poonagala Group	..	401 52
Total	..	663 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay in to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, on or before March 6, 1909.

J. O'K. MURTY,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee  
Badulla, February 6, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Uva, will, under section 35 of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, hold elections at the Badulla Kachcheri on February 22, 1909, at 1 P.M., of European and Burgher members of the District Road Committees of Upper and Lower Uva for the remainder of the year 1909.

J. O'K. MURTY,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Badulla, February 8, 1909.

#### Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Grant-in-Aid Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, acting under the provisions of section 6 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa will, on April 3, 1909, at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to alter and vary the limits of the district including the estates to be assessed on account of the Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Grant-in-aid road, and that at the same time and place the committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

It is proposed that the amended district shall consist of the following estates:—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
The Mahawala Tea Estate, Co., Ltd.	.. Mahawala	.. 940
N. D. P. Silva & Co.	.. Silvaland	.. 1,017

Proprietors or Asents.	Estate.	Acreage.
The Consolidated Tea and Lands, Co.	.. Hapugastenna Group	.. 3,732
Do.	.. Hopewell	.. 633
Do.	.. Alupolla	.. 444
Do.	.. Balakotenna	.. 170
Do.	.. Welwatta	.. 171
Do.	.. Welawalamukalana	.. 763
A. H. Fernando and J. P. A. Ranawaka (lessees)	.. Agar's land	.. 307
W. D. Holland and A. H. Allenby	.. Dikmukalana	.. 180
Total		.. 8,357

J. C. W. Rock,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, February 11, 1909.

#### Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory Estate Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, acting under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1902, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa will, on April 3, 1909, at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to alter and vary the limits of the district including the estates to be assessed on account of the Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory estate cart road, and that at the same time and place the committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions. It is proposed that the amended district shall consist of the following estates:—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
N. D. P. Silva & Co.	.. Silvaland	.. 1,017
Consolidated Tea and Lands, Co.	.. Hapugastenna group	.. 3,732
Do.	.. Hopewell	.. 325
Do.	.. Alupolla	.. 230
Do.	.. Welwatta	.. 250
Do.	.. Welawalamukalana	.. 352
A. H. Fernando and J. P. A. Ranawaka (lessees)	.. Agar's land	.. 307
W. D. Holland and A. H. Allenby	.. Dikmukalana	.. 180
Total		.. 6,393

J. C. W. Rock,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, February 11, 1909.

#### Parakaduwa-Hemmingford Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned road during 1908, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will, on

April 3, 1909, at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### PARAKADUWA-HEMMINGFORD BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. 585 of March 7, 1908.)

	Rs.	c.
Government moiety	.. 421	0
Private contributions	.. 425	25

#### 1st section.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.
The General Tea Estates, Limited	.. Hemmingford	.. 424
Do.	.. Alnoor	.. 423
Do.	.. Pathberiya	.. 254
Do.	.. Bovilae	.. 196
Durampitiya Rubber Co., Limited	.. Kotunagalla	.. 369
Do.	.. Pathberiya	.. 107
Do.	.. Meegastenna	.. 130
Total		.. 1,903

#### 2nd section.

The General Tea Estates, Limited	.. Hemmingford	.. 424
Do.	.. Alnoor	.. 423
Do.	.. Pathberiya	.. 254
Do.	.. Bovilae	.. 196
Durampitiya Rubber Co., Limited	.. Kotunagalla	.. 369
Do.	.. Meegastenna	.. 130
Total		.. 1,796

#### 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th sections.

The General Tea Estates, Limited	.. Hemmingford	.. 424
Do.	.. Alnoor	.. 423
Do.	.. Pathberiya	.. 254
Do.	.. Bovilae	.. 196
Durampitiya Rubber Co., Limited	.. Meegastenna	.. 130
Total		.. 1,427

#### 7th and 8th sections.

The General Tea Estates, Limited	.. Hemmingford	.. 424
Do.	.. Alnoor	.. 423
Do.	.. Pathberiya	.. 254
Do.	.. Bovilae	.. 196
Total		.. 1,297

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

J. C. W. Rock,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, February 23, 1909.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following properties at Nawalapitiya have been seized for non-payment of taxes for the third quarter, 1909, and will be put up for sale by public auction on March 25, 1909, at 9 A.M. on the spot, unless in the meantime the taxes and costs are paid.

Further particulars can be had at the Local Board Office, Nawalapitiya.

B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
for J. P. LEWIS,  
Government Agent.

Kandy, February 23, 1909.

List referred to.

Lot No.			Lot No.		
53	Kotmale road	House	42	Dolosbage road	House
81	Do.	Tea garden	65	Do.	do.
20	Ambagomuwa road	House	75	Do.	do.
21	Do.	Field	77	Do.	Waste land
22	Do.	Tea garden	78	Do.	House
73	Do.	House	89	Do.	do.
96	Do.	do.	90	Do.	do.
98	Do.	Waste land	93	Do.	do.
100	Do.	House	95	Do.	do.
106	Do.	Tea garden	96	Do.	do.
119	Do.	Waste land	102	Do.	do.
122	Do.	House	3	Hill road	Waste land
123	Do.	do.	8	Do.	do.
28	Gampola road	do.	9	Do.	do.
29	Do.	do.	10	Do.	Lines
36	Do.	Building lot	13	Do.	Waste land
41	Do.	House	14	Do.	House
51	Do.	Building lot	2	Penitudumulla	do.
32	Dolosbage road	House	3	Do.	Waste land
33	Do.	do.	6	Do.	Lines
39	Do.	do.	13	Do.	Field
			19	Do.	House
			27	Do.	Field
			37	Do.	do.
			41	Do.	Tea garden
			44	Do.	do.
			12	Bailey road	Lines
			13	Do.	House
			15	Do.	Tea garden
			18	Do.	House
			2	Market road	do.
			3	Do.	do.
			4	Do.	do.
			5	Do.	do.
			6	Do.	Grass field

## LOCAL BOARD OF TRINCOMALEE.

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board, Trincomalee, for the Year 1908.

## REVENUE.

	.Rs.	c.	Amount.	Total.
			Rs.	Rs. c.
1. Taxes—				
(a) Property rates.				
Assessment tax	2,938	59	—	—
Assessment tax on Crown property	148	98	—	—
(b) Thoroughfare Ordinance collection	—	—	3,087	57
(c) Water rates	—	—	3,741	0
(d) Other:				
Dog tax	—	—	77	0
2. Licenses—				6,905 57
(e) Liquor	—	—	384	75
(f) Opium	—	—	933	39
(g) Carts	—	—	548	15
(h) Other:				
Boats	96	90		
Butchers'	41	11		
Carriages	28	50		
Guns	50	35		
Manufactories	57	0		
Notaries' and proctors'	104	50		
Explosive	4	27		
Petroleum	19	0		
Poisons	14	25		
Boutique license fees	73	50	489	38
				2,355 67

	Rs.	c.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
3. Rents—				
(i) Markets—				
Arrears of rents for previous years ..	..	359 42		
Small bazaar rent .. ..	..	1,237 55		
Meat market rent .. ..	..	44 0		
Boutique rent .. ..	..	98 0		
Big bazaar rent .. ..	..	667 2		
			2,405 99	
(y) Other—				
Arrears of rents for previous years ..	..	184 74		
Pasture rent .. ..	..	1,429 33		
Gala rent .. ..	..	82 12		
Slaughter-house fees .. ..	..	100 24		
Cemetery fees .. ..	..	6 0		
Rent of Local Board lands and houses ..	..	76 58	1,879 1	
				4,285 0
4. Fines—				
Police Court .. ..	..	184 75		
Road defaulters .. ..	..	20 0		
Miscellaneous .. ..	..	44 69		
				249 44
5. Miscellaneous—				
Proceeds sale of land in Fisher's quarter ..	..	360 0		
Conservancy of Court-house latrine .. ..	..	60 0		
Security .. ..	..	45 82		
Sundries .. ..	..	29 48		
				495 30
				14,290 98
			Balance on December, 1907..	651 99
			<b>Total</b> .. ..	<b>14,942 97</b>

	Rs.	c.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>				
1. Interest and Sinking Fund on loan .. ..	..	—	—	990 0
2. Cost of Administration—				
(a) Establishment :				
Pay, Secretary and Clerk .. ..	..	1,140 0		
Inspector's salary and commuted allowance ..	..	1,190 0		
Pay of messenger .. ..	..	121 94		
Inspector's uniform allowance .. ..	..	10 0		
			2,461 94	
(b) Office Contingencies :				
Stationery, printed forms, and furniture ..	..	123 31		
Filing papers .. ..	..	18 0		
Postage stamps .. ..	..	25 0		
Petty expenses .. ..	..	18 0		
			184 81	
(c) Cost of audit .. ..	..	—	142 67	
(d) Revenue services :				
Commission to division officer .. ..	..	308 44		
Commission to division officer for previous years ..	..	313 95		
Commission to assessment tax collector .. ..	..	164 93		
Commission to dog tax collector .. ..	..	7 60		
Tin labels for carts and carriages .. ..	..	36 54		
Assessment tax on Local Board buildings .. ..	..	63 18		
Pay of market-keeper and watcher .. ..	..	240 0		
Refund of security .. ..	..	42 0		
Half fines in market cases paid to renters .. ..	..	10 25		
Half boutique license fees paid to market renters ..	..	3 0		
Refund of commutation tax .. ..	..	6 0		
Sundries .. ..	..	104 44	1,300 33	
				4,089 75
3. Education (Town School Ordinance) .. ..	..	—	—	
4. Sanitation—				
Scavenging .. ..	..	3,413 36		
Conservancy of latrines .. ..	..	263 12		
Pay of Infectious Diseases Hospital watcher .. ..	..	60 0		
Pay of cemetery-keeper .. ..	..	50 0		
Refund of advances on account of smallpox .. ..	..	933 33		
				4,719 81

	Rs.	c.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
5. Lighting—	—	—	—	850 0
6. Police—	—	—	—	
Seizing and destroying dogs	—	—	—	42 72
7. Public Works—				
(i) Maintenance :				
Repair and upkeep of roads and drains	1,284	55		
Purchase of a hand-cart	45	0		
Repairs to buildings	502	53		
Esplanade	380	24		
			2,212	32
(f) New Constructions :				
Wire fence to Local Board land in Division No. 10	16	0		
A temporary slaughter-house	36	0		
Market at big bazaar	174	50		
Three latrines at Back bay and Dutch bay beach	1,216	81		
Providing beacons to mark fishing grounds at Back bay	35	0		
			1,478	31
				3,690 63
				14,382 91
Balance on December 31, 1908				560 6
Total				14,942 97

I, Geoffrey Montague Cookson, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of all the moneys received and paid during the year 1908 on account of the Trincomalee Local Board, and that the balance was in the hands of the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, on December 31, 1908,

G. COOKSON, Chairman.

Sworn to before me at Trincomalee on the 15th day of February, 1909 :

Certified: M. M. SUBRAMANIAM, Justice of the Peace.  
S. VISWALINGAM, Member.

**Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Trincomalee, on December 31, 1908.**

ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
<b>TAXES.</b>			<b>INTEREST AND SINKING FUND ON LOANS.</b>		
<i>Property Rates.</i>			Rs. 990 per annum for 21 years 1909 to 1929	—	20,790 0
Assessment tax for the 4th quarter of 1908	—	731 2			
<b>LICENSES.</b>			<b>COST OF ADMINISTRATION.</b>		
<i>Carts.</i>			<i>Revenue Services.</i>		
Refund of stamp duty on cart license	—	28 50	Refund of security for gala rent for 1908	25 0	
<i>Other.</i>			Half-fines in market cases for 1908	3 75	
Refund of stamp duty on other license	—	31 11	Half boutique license for 1908	33 75	
<b>RENTS.</b>			Refund of security for market boutiques	15 0	77 50
<i>Markets.</i>			<i>Sanitation.</i>		
Arrears of big tazaar market rent for 1905	—	332 24	Cost of scavenging for De- cember	—	255 75
<i>Other.</i>			<b>PUBLIC WORKS.</b>		
Slaughter-house fees on 4 head of cattle	—	1 48	<i>Maintenance.</i>		
<i>Fines.</i>			Pay of esplanade coolies for December	30 0	
Fines on scavengers for Decem- ber	—	0 73	Repairing dust bins	60 0	90 0
Total		1,125 8	<i>New Construction.</i>		
			For building a flank-wall to latrine	—	44 8
			Total		21,257 33

I, Geoffrey Montague Cookson, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge the above is a true and correct statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Trincomalee, on December 31, 1908.

G. COOKSON, Chairman.

Sworn to before me at Trincomalee on the 15th day of February, 1909 :

M. M. SUBRAMANIAM, Justice of the Peace.

S. VISWALINGAM, Member.







## LOCAL BOARD OF ANURADHAPURA.

## Statement of Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Anuradhapura for the Year 1908.

REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1. Taxes—			
(a) Property rates :			
Assessment tax .. .. .	..	2,525 0	
Assessment tax on Crown property ..	..	600 0	
		<u>3,125 0</u>	
(b) Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	..	—	3,413 50
(c) Water-rates .. .. .	..	—	
(d) Other :			
Dog tax .. .. .	..	40 68	
Taxes on bulls, carts, horses, &c. ..	..	118 75	
		<u>159 43</u>	
2. Licenses—			
(e) Liquor license .. .. .	..	—	1,593 14
(f) Opium license .. .. .	..	—	3,250 81
(g) Cart license .. .. .	..	—	1,447 80
(h) Other :			
Guides' .. .. .	..	28 50	
Butchers' .. .. .	..	28 50	
Guns .. .. .	..	111 15	
Notaries' and proctors' .. .. .	..	275 50	
Explosives .. .. .	..	13 30	
Petroleum .. .. .	..	18 5	
Poison .. .. .	..	4 75	
		<u>479 75</u>	
3. Rents—			
(i) Market rent .. .. .	..	—	4,700 24
(j) Other :			
Gala rent .. .. .	..	1,046 11	
Pasture rent .. .. .	..	531 22	
Slaughter-house fee .. .. .	..	211 65	
Cattle pound fees .. .. .	..	362 92	
Cemetery fees .. .. .	..	326 0	
Ground rent .. .. .	..	69 50	
		<u>2,547 40</u>	
4. Fines—			
Fines in Local Board cases .. .. .	..	—	535 88
5. Miscellaneous—			
Latrine censervancy collections .. .. .	..	815 50	
Sundries, such as balance proceeds of the sale of stray cattle, &c. .. .. .	..	36 83	
Royalty on forest produce .. .. .	..	115 95	
		<u>968 28</u>	
			1,783 96
			<u>24,005 19</u>

EXPENDITURE.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1. Interest and Sinking Fund on loans .. .. .	..	—	—
2. Cost of administration—			
(a) Establishment :			
Inspector's salary and allowance .. .. .	..	690 0	
Pay of sub-inspector .. .. .	..	240 0	
Pay of messenger .. .. .	..	175 50	
Inspector's uniform allowance .. .. .	..	50 0	
		<u>1,155 50</u>	
(b) Office contingencies—			
Stationery, printed forms, &c. .. .. .	..	138 75	
Allowance for stamping receipts .. .. .	..	30 0	
Petty expenses .. .. .	..	159 72	
		<u>328 47</u>	
(c) Cost of audit .. .. .	..	—	205 81

	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
(d) Revenue service :		
Paying Police assessment tax on Local Board buildings ..	369 60	
Commission to division officer for 1906 ..	19 95	
Commission to division officer for 1907 ..	347 32	
Commission to assessment tax collectors ..	70 92	
Purchasing tin plates for carts, &c. ..	41 27	
	—	849 6
3. Education (Town School Ordinance) ..	—	—
4. Sanitation—		
Scavenging and latrine conservancy ..	4,441 50	
Clearing rubbish, &c. ..	145 95	
Putting kerosine oil for stagnant ponds ..	12 90	
Paying arrears on account of latrine conservancy ..	62 50	
Analysing soda water ..	15 50	
Smallpox duty, batta for police ..	137 21	
	—	4,815 56
5. Lighting street lamps ..	—	1,056 38
6. Police charges ..	—	49 95
7. Public works—		
(e) Maintenance :		
Upkeep of roads and buildings ..	5,034 13	
Purchasing a night soil cart ..	189 60	
Upkeep of flower garden ..	145 14	
Upkeep of Botanic gardens ..	198 0	
Upkeep of general cemetery ..	288 0	
Purchasing tools and materials ..	131 45	
Repairing and painting latrines and benches ..	65 51	
	—	6,051 83
(f) New construction :		
Laying cement concrete pipes from drinking pond to bathing pond ..	66 78	
Erecting three lamp posts ..	28 21	
Constructing two permanent latrines ..	1,017 47	
Track metalling the road at Mirisawetiya reservation past the jail ..	483 72	
Making a pavement with raised walls for getting water for the drinking water carts ..	344 14	
Building a pork market ..	337 95	
Putting up a bund round the drinking pond ..	210 50	
	—	2,488 77
Refunds—		3 0
Refunds ..	—	—
		17,004 13
Balance on December 31, 1908 ..		7,001 6
Total ..		24,005 19

I, Benjamin Horsburgh, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid by me on account of the Local Board, Anuradhapura, and that the balance is in the hands of the Government Agent.

B. HORSBURGH, Chairman.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of February, 1909:

T. A. CAREY, Justice of the Peace.

I, Simon Dias Krisnaratna, Member of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Anuradhapura, do hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid on account of the Local Board, Anuradhapura.

S. D. KRISNARATNA, Member.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board of Anuradhapura on December 31, 1908.

		ASSETS.			
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>			Rents		
Arrears on assessment tax for the 3rd and 4th quarters ..	—	900 9	Other—		
			Arrears on slaughter-house fee for December, 1908 ..	0 63	
			Arrears on cattle pound fees for December, 1908 ..	0 62	
			Arrears on cemetery fees for December, 1908 ..	—	
<i>Licenses.</i>				—	1 25
Arrears on liquor licenses for 1908 ..	—	—	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Arrears on cart licenses for 1908 ..	—	16 0	Arrears on latrine conservancy collection for 1908 ..	—	110 50
Other—					
Arrears of stamp duty on other licenses for 1908 ..	—	42 50	Total ..		1,069 84

		LIABILITIES.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Revenue Service.</i>					
Commission to division officer for 1908 ..	360 0			Expenses incurred on account smallpox in 1908 ..	1,563 60
Paying police tax on Local Board building for 4th quarter, 1908 ..	100 59			Amount to be paid to contractor on account new latrine cleared during 1908 ..	18 0
Paying commission to tax collector for 4th quarter, 1908 ..	30 0				1,977 43
			490 59	<i>Refund.</i>	
<i>Sanitation.</i>				Refund of stamp duty on opium license for 1908 ..	— 50 0
Scavenging and latrine conservancy for 1908 ..	395 83				
				Total ..	2,518 2

I, Benjamin Horsburgh, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board of Anuradhapura for 1908.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Chairman.

Sworn to before me at Anuradhapura, this 3rd day of February, 1909 :

T. A. CAREY,  
Justice of the Peace.

I certify to the correctness of the above amount :

S. D. KRISNARATNA,  
Member.

### Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Anuradhapura for the Year 1909.

		REVENUE.	
		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1. Taxes—			
(a) Property rates :			
Assessment tax ..	2,151 96		
Assessment tax on Crown property ..	600 0		
Arrears in assessment tax ..	900 9		
			3,652 5
(b) Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	—		3,413 50
(c) Water-rates ..	—		—
(d) Other :			
Dog tax ..	100 0		
Taxes on bulls, carts, horses, &c. ..	120 0		
			220 0
2. Licenses—			
(e) Liquor ..	—		1,175 0
(f) Opium license ..	—		2,800 0
(g) Cart license ..	757 0		
Arrears in cart license ..	16 0		
			773 0
(h) Other :			
Butchers' ..	30 0		
Guns ..	47 0		
Notaries' and proctors' ..	140 0		
Explosives ..	8 50		
Petroleum ..	10 0		
Guides' ..	15 0		
			250 50
3. Rents—			
(i) Market rent ..	—		3,550 0
(j) Other :			
Gala rent ..	460 0		
Pasture rent ..	335 0		
Slaughter-house fees ..	212 0		
Cattle pound fees ..	363 0		
Cemetery fees ..	320 0		
Ground rents ..	60 0		
Arrears on other rents ..	33 50		
			1,783 50
4. Fines—			
Fines in Local Board cases ..	—		500 0

	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
5. Miscellaneous—		
Sundries .. .. .	815 0	
Arrears on latrine conservancy collection for 1908 ..	110 0	
	925 0	
		19,042 55
Balance on December 31, 1908 ..		7,001 6
		26,043 61
		Total .. .. .
		26,043 61
EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1. Interest and Sinking Fund on loans .. .. .		
2. Cost of administration :		
(a) Establishment :		
Inspector's salary and allowances .. .. .	690 0	
Pay of sub-inspector .. .. .	240 0	
Pay of messenger .. .. .	180 0	
Inspector's and messenger's uniform allowance ..	40 0	
	1,150 0	
(b) Office contingencies :		
Stationery and printed forms .. .. .	200 0	
Stamping receipts .. .. .	30 0	
Petty expenses .. .. .	200 0	
	430 0	
(c) Cost of audit .. .. .		89 21
(d) Revenue service :		
Commission to division officers .. .. .	430 0	
Arrears in commission to division officer for 1908 .. .. .	360 0	
Commission to assessment tax collector .. .. .	120 0	
Police assessment tax on Local Board properties .. .. .	400 0	
	1,310 0	
3. Education (Town School Ordinance) .. .. .		
4. Sanitation—		
Scavenging and latrine conservancy .. .. .	5,100 0	
Arrears in scavenging and latrine conservancy for 1908 .. .. .	395 83	
For clearing rubbishes, minor repairs, &c. .. .. .	200 0	
Expenses incurred on account of smallpox in 1908 ..	1,563 60	
Amount to be paid to contractor on account of clearing new latrines .. .. .	18 0	
	7,277 43	
5. Lighting .. .. .		1,200 0
6. Police charges .. .. .		100 0
7. Public works—		
(e) Maintenance :		
Upkeep of roads and buildings .. .. .	5,500 0	
Upkeep of flower garden .. .. .	180 0	
Upkeep of general cemetery .. .. .	300 0	
Purchasing tools and materials .. .. .	200 0	
	6,180 0	
(f) New construction :		
Taking levels, &c., in connection with town drainage scheme .. .. .		250 0
(g) Balance brought forward for expenditure for 1909 :		
For constructing two permanent latrines .. .. .	142 53	
Repairing and painting latrines and benches ..	54 49	
Constructing a double culvert .. .. .	165 0	
Constructing a cement concrete drain round the old latrine near gala .. .. .	60 0	
Putting up a bund round the drinking pond ..	139 50	
	561 52	
Refund—		
Refund of stamp duty on opium license for 1908 ..		50 0
		18,598 16
Probable balance on December 31, 1909 ..		7,445 45
		Total .. .. .
		26,043 61

Local Board Office,  
Anuradhapura, February 3, 1909.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Chairman.  
S. D. KRISNARATNE,  
Member.

## LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND IMPROVEMENT, KEGALLA.

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1908.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1907	—	1,260 3	Interest and Sinking Fund on loans	—	389 35
<i>Taxes.</i>			<i>Cost of Administration.</i>		
Property rates	912 50		Establishment	1,034 97	
Thoroughfares Ordinance collection	1,169 50		Office contingencies	154 19	
Water	—		Cost of audit	56 86	
Other	154 50		Revenue services	309 64	
		2,236 50	Sanitation	—	1,555 66
<i>Licenses.</i>			Lighting	—	1,239 54
Liquor	641 25		Police	—	80 77
Opium	1,357 93		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Carts	62 70		Maintenance	728 91	
Other	446 50		New construction	186 70	
		2,508 38	Miscellaneous	—	915 61
<i>Rents.</i>			Markets construction, &c.	—	6,566 84
Markets	25 50				12,224 59
Other	376 56				2,847 68
		402 6	<i>Loan.</i>		
Fines	—	95 0	Markets construction, &c.	—	6,566 84
Miscellaneous	—	570 30			12,224 59
Loan for the construction of public markets	—	8,000 0			2,847 68
		8,000 0			15,072 27
Total		15,072 27			15,072 27

I, G. F. R. Browning, do swear that the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid by the Chairman on account of the Local Board of Kegalla.

G. F. R. BROWNING,  
Chairman.

T. B. EKNELLIGODA,  
Justice of the Peace.

ALBERT A. WICKRAMASINGHE,  
Member.

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board of Kegalla for 1908.

ASSETS.			LIABILITIES.		
	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Balance, December 31, 1908	—	2,847 68	Balance of loan received from Government for the construction, &c., of the public markets at Kegalla	7,875 41	
Assessment tax, arrears, 1908	415 82		Commission on assessment tax collected	60 74	
Rates on Government buildings for 1908	106 50		Postage stamps affixed to letters during December, 1908	1 99	
		522 32	Messrs. Delmege Forsythe & Co., for petrol supplied	135 85	
					8,073 99
Total		3,370 0	Total		8,073 99

I, G. F. R. Browning, do swear that the above is a true and correct statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board of Kegalla on December 31, 1908.

G. F. R. BROWNING,  
Chairman.

T. B. EKNELLIGODA,  
Justice of the Peace.

ALBERT A. WICKRAMASINGHE,  
Member.

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

Vessels.	Date of Clearing	For what Port.	Plantation Coffee.	Tea.	Cacao.	Trunk Cinchona.	Branch Cinchona.	Cinchona Chips.	Coconuts.	Copra.	Coconut Oil.	Coconut Ponnac.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Citronella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Pumbeago.	Coir Rope.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Sapan-wood.	Kitul.	Deer Horns.
<b>COLOMBO.</b>	1909.																							
ss. Wardha	15-2	Bombay		1000																				
ss. Fazilka	15-2	Mauritius	2	9611																				
ss. Landaura	15-2	Calcutta		20												370								
ss. Dunera	15-2	Calcutta		1050																				
ss. City of Karachi	15-2	London		449102	362											2400		1614				49		
ss. Lancelotti	16-2	Odessa		52413						9007								234						
ss. Pelawan	17-2	China		72640																				
ss. Felho	17-2	China		69550							199													
ss. Ceylon Maru	17-2	Bombay		29036																				
ss. Workman	18-2	London and Liverpool	51	159685	86				98785							1120			100	240				
ss. Kostroma	18-2	Odessa		108316						6000			6226*											
ss. Nile	19-2	London		265689	96				41565	1002		2002												
ss. Syria	19-2	Straits and China		16369																				
ss. Princess Alice	19-2	Yokohama		8950	125																			
ss. Ceylon	19-2	London		140912	191																			
ss. Tourane	19-2	China		1800																				
ss. Cian MacNab	19-2	London		261149																				
ss. Delta	20-2	China		74865																				
ss. Cian Maclean	20-2	London		1710	204																			
<b>GALLE.</b>																								
NH																								

\* Chips.

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

TO COLOMBO :—	From	Bags.	TO GALLE :—	From	Bags.
Adrampatam	394	Calcutta	6,315		
Tuticorin	12,854	Southern India	3,227		
Ammapatam	305				
Calcutta	41,436	Total	9,542		
Gopalpore	18,855				
Rangoon	8,536				

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, February 23, 1909

F. J. Swinga,  
for Principal Collector.

## NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following specifications have been accepted :—

*No. 1,032 of April 30, 1908.*

*Ettore Bellini & Alessandro Tosi.*—"System of directed Wireless Telegraphy."

*Abstract.*—The aerial portion of a station is formed of two isosceles triangles in vertical planes, one at right angles to the other, and intersecting at their axes. The vertices of the triangles are at the top. Those two closed oscillating circuits are connected respectively to two fixed windings placed at the bases of those triangles and in the planes of them and intersecting at the axes of the triangles. A third winding mounted so that it is capable of being rotated about a diameter as an axis corresponding with the axis of intersection of the triangles and the two diameters of the fixed windings, is used for the following purposes :—At a receiving station for the purpose of determining from what direction radiations are coming by rotating that third winding until the indications on a cymoscope in circuit with it shows that it is in the plane of the resultant field produced by the currents in the fixed windings excited by the radiations received by the aerial ; and at a transmitting station for the purpose of varying the intensity and phase of the fields composed by the fixed windings and consequently varying the direction of the resultant field, that is to say, the direction of the waves radiated.

An alternative device for transmission of directed waves is also described, viz., an annulus in a horizontal plane having a conductor spirally wound on it to take the place of the windings previously described.

Six claims : One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,  
Registrar of Patents.

*No. 1,023 of March 5, 1908.*

*The British Automatic Aerators, Ltd.*—"Improvements in or relating to self-contained Aerating Machines."

*Abstract.*—In a self contained aerator the combination with the head of two snift valves and to oppositely disposed valves for the gas and liquid and rockers and tappets to operate them ; measuring chambers and passages in the interior to connect the operating parts ; and arrangements in block tin or other incorrodible metal to carry the valves, spindles, and devices as shown in the drawings.

Thirteen claims : Three sheets of drawings.

*No. 1,024 of March 18, 1908.*

*Harry Creasy.*—"A process of and apparatus for the production of Ice and Cold."

*Abstract.*—The invention depends on the property possessed by certain anhydrous salts, such as thio-cyanate of ammonium, of absorbing or liquifying ammonia gas and going into solution with the ammonia, requiring that heat be supplied (called the latent heat of solution) for that purpose ; and on the additional property of disengaging that heat when the ammonia is vapourised from the solution, the absorbent returning to its solid condition.

The plant consists of a pair of vessels capable of rotation, each of which is alternately a generator and an absorber and in which are coils alternately used as heating and cooling coils. There is a condenser and a receiver. The refrigerating substance is liquid ammonia which expands into ammonia vapour in circulating through the refrigerating coils.

Besides the claim for using anhydrous salts and ammonia in this way, the combined generator and absorber and the means for reversing or alternating its use for either purpose and to expose by rotation of its fresh surfaces of the absorbent, are claimed also.

Four claims : Two sheets of drawings.

*No. 1,058 of November 6, 1908.*

*William Hooker.*—"Improvements in automatic apparatus for supplying air for various purposes."

*Abstract.*—This invention provides devices by which a vertical air holder that rises and falls according to whether it is being charged or discharged, breaks at the top of its rise and makes at the bottom of its fall, the electric circuit supplying the motor that operates the pump or bellows supplying air to the air holder. The devices are a disc switch and a non-rigid connection between the air holder and the handle of that switch.

Three claims : One sheet of drawings.

*No. 1,068 of February 5, 1909.*

*Sydney Julius.*—"Improvements in or relating to glass blowing machines for blowing hollow objects especially glass bottles, jars, or the like in moulds."

*Abstract.*—Preliminary and finishing moulds, split and hinged to open and shut by racks operated by pneumatic pistons, are arranged on a rotary horizontal table. Head moulds, split and hinged to open and shut by racks operated by pneumatic pistons, are arranged on discs mounted in vertical planes capable of rotation about a common horizontal axis and capable of rotation together about the vertical central column of the machine. Air for blowing is introduced through the centre spindle of each head mould. The operations



of blowing bottles or other hollow objects in the preliminary and finishing moulds are controlled by valves admitting and releasing air under pressure to the moulds and to various pistons for opening and shutting the moulds. The pneumatically driven devices and the rotating table and discs, and the combinations of those with split and hinged moulds previously in use, are claimed.

Nine claims : Five sheets of drawings.

No. 1,069 of February 10, 1909.

*The Ozonair, Ltd., and Edward Lionel Joseph.*—"Improvements in the ventilation of buildings."

*Abstract.*—Air, previously ozonised, cooled, or heated, purified, or otherwise treated, is caused to circulate (e.g. by a pump) through pipes having delivery branches to the chambers to be supplied; and outlet branches from those chambers are provided with pipes that conduct the air back to the circulating pump to be treated again, and mixed, if necessary, with fresh outside air, so that the invention consists essentially in causing the body of air enclosed within a building to circulate continuously, the air being ozonised, cooled, or heated and purified in the course of that cycle.

Two claims : One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,070 of February 10, 1909.

*The Ozonair, Ltd., and Edward Lionel Joseph.*—"Improved method of and means for effecting the sterilization of water by means of ozone or other gaseous agent."

*Abstract.*—The ozone or other agent is caused to bubble up through a layer of the water to be sterilized; then to percolate upwards among several layers of inert granular material (say glass marbles) down among which the water to be sterilized is percolating; and then to meet water which is issuing as fine spray or jets from many fine nozzles. The ozone after that goes to be purified and is circulated again as described.

The method of sterilizing is claimed and the apparatus as shown in the drawings for carrying it out.

Three claims : One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,071 of February 12, 1909.

*John Blum & Alfred William Carpenter.*—"Improvements in and relating to the manufacture of artificial para rubber."

*Abstract.*—Turf or peat (such as can be purchased in bales in Belgium and Holland) is heated to a temperature of about 160° F. in a chamber isolated from air and light. Water is sprayed on it together with the ferment which is present in imperfectly formed caoutchouc, or a ferment capable of producing the higher alcohols of the olifines. At the same time the substance is subjected to the action of a deoxidising agent, such as zinc, to prevent the alcoholic product that tends to form as a result of the fermentation from actually forming, or to reduce it by oxidation as soon as formed. A suitable quantity (about one pound of sugar to a ton of turf) of saccharine substance or substance containing saccharine-like matter may be added to the ferment. The turf or peat is kept in the fermenting chamber for a period of about 3 weeks. About one ton of peat or turf is treated at a time.

The hydrocarbon mass obtained from the fermenting chamber is conveyed to a steam jacketed cylinder (20 feet high and 3 to 4 feet diameter) previously half filled with a mixture of water and a red grain nitrogenous substance obtained by disintegrating and grinding Haut Congo Rouge Rubber. The Rouge Rubber and water are mixed in the proportion of 1.8 parts of the former to 1 part of the latter by weight. Mineral salts, consisting of common soda (17 ounces) and the product of chalk (21½ ounces) treated with hydrochloric acid, are introduced to the mixture in the cylinder. The whole is boiled for about 4 hours. After boiling and cooling the floating mass formed in the cylinder is the artificial Para-rubber desired. That product may be purified by the action of methylated spirit; may be softened by petrol; and pressed in moulds. The quality of the rubber so produced improves if it is kept for about six months.

Six claims : One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,  
Registrar of Patents.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

*The Kampong Kuantan Rubber Company, Limited.*

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Julius and Creasy, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 9, 1909, at 3.45 P.M.

### Business.

To confirm the special resolution passed at the General Meeting of the Company held on February 22, 1909, namely, "That the Company be liquidated voluntarily."

To appoint a Liquidator.

To pass the following resolutions:—

"That the draft agreement with the Kampong Kuantan Rubber Company, Limited (London), be

approved, and that the Liquidator be authorized to enter into an agreement in the terms of the said draft agreement and to carry the same into effect."

"That the Liquidator be authorized to request the London Company to allot the whole or any portion of the shares in the London Company which represent the consideration for the purchase of the Ceylon Company's assets to the Shareholders of the Ceylon Company in proportion to their holdings."

To appoint an Auditor of the Liquidator's accounts.

By order of the Directors,  
BOUSTEAD BROS.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 24, 1909.

2/50  
3/25  
The Lapan Utan Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Boustead Bros., Colombo, on Wednesday, March 10, 1909, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1908.

To elect a Director and to appoint an Auditor.

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

By order of the Directors,

S TEAD BROS.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 19, 1909.

2/50  
3/31  
The Ceylon Tea and Coconut Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, March 5, 1909, at 3.30 P.M., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution:—

"That the Directors be authorized to make a firm offer of the Company's entire business, estates, and effects, as at December 31, 1908, and that, in the event of the firm offer being accepted, the Directors be further authorized to execute and carry out the transfer to the purchasers of the Company's entire business, estates, and effects, and be empowered to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying into effect any such sale."

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 25, 1909.

2/50  
3/31  
The Estates Company of Uva, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 13, 1909, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

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

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

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 6 to 13, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 25, 1909.

The Seremban Estate Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 7, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 16, 1909, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

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

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

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 9 to 16, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 25, 1909.

The Vogan Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 1, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 6, 1909, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year 1908.

2. To declare a final dividend.

3. To elect a Director.

4. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 23 to March 3, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEE, HEDGES & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 20, 1909.

The Lanka Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 1, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Wednesday, March 10, 1909, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts of the Company for the year 1908.

2. To elect a Director.

3. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 27 to March 12, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEE, HEDGES & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 24, 1909.

**The Jehong (Perak) Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's office, No. 17, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, March 12, 1909, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

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

To declare a dividend.

To elect a Director.

To appoint an Auditor for the current year.

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

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 26 to March 15, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

BOSANQUET & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 24, 1909.

**The Bristol Hotel Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office, 29, York street, Colombo, on Monday, March 8, 1909, at 1.30 P.M.

*Business to be transacted.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the half-year ended December 31, 1908.

2. To declare a dividend.

3. To elect two Directors.

4. To appoint an Auditor.

And any other business which shall be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 2 to 8, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

CLEMENT R. INGLEBY,  
Secretary.

Colombo, February 12, 1909.

**The Castlereagh Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, San Sebastian, Colombo, on Thursday, March 11, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1908.

2. To declare a dividend.

3. To elect a Director and an Auditor.

To transact such other business as may be brought forward.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 2 to 13, 1909, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

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

Colombo, February 22, 1909.

**The Yataderiya Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, San Sebastian, Colombo, on Thursday, March 11, 1909, at 12.30 P.M.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1908.

2. To declare a dividend.

3. To elect a Director and an auditor.

To transact such other business as may be brought forward.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 2 to 13, 1909, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

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

Colombo, February 22, 1909.

**The Templestowe Estate Company of Ceylon Limited.**

THE Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at their registered office, No. 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, at 3 P.M. on Friday, March 5, 1909.

*Business.*

To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the season ending December 31, 1908.

To declare a dividend.

To elect a Director.

To appoint an auditor for 1909, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 24, 1909, to March 5, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

**The Udapolla Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 18, Upper Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on March 12, 1909, at 3 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1908.

2. To elect a Director.

3. To appoint an Auditor, and to transact any other business that they may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 26, 1909.

THREE months hence I, George Edwin de Livera, of Colombo, shall apply to the Registrar-General to be enrolled a Notary Public for the District of Galle.

GEO. E. DE LIVERA.

No. 4, Hulftsdorp,  
Colombo, February 18, 1909.

IN terms of rule 2 of Schedule I. B. of section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, I, Vincent Muthiah Anthonippillai, presently of Colombo, do hereby give notice of my intention to apply, three months hence, to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the English language in and throughout the District of Chilaw.

V. M. ANTHONIPPILLAI.

40, Hulftsdorp,  
Colombo, February 17, 1909.

HENRICUS ABRAHAM ABEYWARDENE of "Carlton," Bambalapitiya, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the District Court of Colombo.

H. A. ABEYWARDENE.

"Carlton," Bambalapitiya,  
February 25, 1909.

T. LLYAMPALAM PONNIAH of Sandilipay in Jaffna, presently of No. 128, Grandpass road, Colombo, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the District Court of Colombo.

T. PONNIAH.

128, Grandpass road,  
Colombo, February 25, 1909.

THAMBAPILLAI WALLOOPPILLAI of Balan-goda, and presently of St. Heliers, Cotta road, Colombo, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the District Court of Ratnapura.

T. WALLOOPPILLAI.

St. Heliers, Cotta road,  
Colombo, February 25, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Pana Rupa Wana Kana Nalla Caruppen  
of No. 69, Sea street, Colombo... Plaintiff.  
No. 28,137. Vs.

(1) John Marsalis Perera Wijeyeratne Jayawardene and (2) Eugina Perera Wijeyeratne Jayawardene, nee Fernando, husband and wife, both of Dehiwala, in the Palle pattu, Salpiti korale... Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree entered in the above case, I am directed by this court to sell by public auction on Saturday, March 20, 1909, at 4.30 P.M. at the spot the following property, declared bound and executable under the said decree, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 5,681.25, with interest and costs of suit, and ordered to be sold by the said decree, to wit:—

All that defined portion of land, with the buildings standing thereon, marked E, from and out of all that allotment of land bearing lot No. 11A in the registered plan No. 1, situated in the village Dehiwala, in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale; in extent 2 acres and 3 roods.

J. W. H. EBERT,  
Auctioneer.

Colombo, February 16, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Frederick Charles Loos of Colombo ..... Plaintiff.

No. 24,388. Vs.

Bastian Aratchige Don Elias Perera of  
Bambalapitiya, Colombo ..... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree entered in the above case, I am directed by this court to sell by public auction the following properties, declared bound and executable under the said decree, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 13,620.48, with interest and costs of suit, and ordered to be sold by the said decree, to wit:—

On Friday, March 19, 1909, at 5 P.M. at the spot.

All those two contiguous allotments of land bearing assessment Nos. 24 and 25, with the building standing thereon, situate at Bambalapitiya, which said two allotments now form one property; in extent 2 acres and 23 perches.

And on Friday, March 26 at 2 P.M. on the spot.

An undivided one-fourth of all that land called Bogahawatta, situate in the village Ambulgama-deniya in Alutkuru korale.

2. An undivided one-sixth of half of all that land called Imbulgahadeniya and the adjoining field Imbulgahakumbura, situated in the village Ambulgama-deniya aforesaid.

3. An undivided half of all that land called Kosgahalande, situated in the village Ambulgamadeniya aforesaid.

J. W. H. EBERT,  
Auctioneer.

Colombo, February 22, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Margaret Keith of Colombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 27,260. Vs.

(1) Henaderage Charles Perera and his wife (2) Dona Harriet Perera Jayatilleke, both of Welikada, in Colombo... Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree entered in the above case, I am directed by this court to sell by public auction on Saturday, March 27, 1909, commencing at 4.30 P.M. at the spot the following properties, declared bound and executable under the said decree, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,710, with interest and costs of suit, and ordered to be sold by the said decree, to wit:—

(a) All that allotment of land, with the buildings standing thereon, situated in the village Welikada in the Palle pattu, Salpiti korale; in extent 1 acre and 20 perches.

(b) All that allotment of land, with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Welikada aforesaid; in extent 1 acre and 17 perches, excluding therefrom the portion in extent 1 rood and 23.75 perches taken over by the Crown for the Railway purposes.

(c) All those two contiguous allotments of land now forming one property, with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Welikada aforesaid; containing in extent, exclusive of the road passing through the land, 6 acres 1 rood and 12 perches, excluding therefrom a portion in extent 64 perches taken over by the Crown for Railway purposes.

J. W. H. EBERT,  
Auctioneer.

Colombo, February 18, 1909.