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UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON COCONUT COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "CEYLON COCONUT COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (a) To purchase from the proprietors thereof Clovis Estate, situated in the District of Kurunegala, Ceylon.
 - (b) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and any rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business), and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
 - (c) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.

- (d) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said property or any portion thereof, and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof, as a coconut estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce coconuts, rubber, tea, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
- (e) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
- (f) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
- (g) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company, or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise.
- (h) To lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
- (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (g) or (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea or any other produce in such or any other factory.
- (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market coconuts, rubber, plumbago, minerals, tea, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such coconuts, rubber, plumbago, minerals, tea, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places, and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
- (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in coconuts, rubber, tea, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
- (l) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits and products and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of coconuts, rubber, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company, or as agents for others and on commission or otherwise.
- (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
- (n) To establish and maintain in the United Kingdom, Ceylon, or elsewhere stores, shops, and places for the sale of coconuts, rubber, tea, coffee, cacao, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
- (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
- (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
- (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purpose of the Company upon the security of cash, credit bonds, or of hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
- (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby, or any part or parts thereof.
- (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon, either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (u) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.

- (v) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any part of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (w) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (x) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (y) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
- (z) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z 1) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z 2) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever, with power to issue any shares either fully or partially paid up for such purpose.
- (z 3) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real and personal, immovable and movable estate, property, and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person, or partly one and partly other.
- (z 4) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z 5) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above-mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "persons" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

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

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Shareholder.
E. R. WILLIAMS, Colombo	One
ALLAN S. LONG PRICE, Kurunegala	One
R. F. S. HARDIE, Colombo	One
CECIL SHIPTON, Hatton	One
A. P. WALDOCK, Colombo	One
A. S. BERWICK, Colombo	One
W. E. DRURY, Colombo	One

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo the Fifth day of July, 1909.

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ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON COCONUT COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

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

INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

The word "Company" means "Ceylon Coconut Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

"Shareholder" means a Shareholder of the Company.

"Presence or present" at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney.

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

"Writing" means printed matter or print as well as writing.

Words importing the singular number only include the plural, and *vice versa*.

Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine, and *vice versa*.

BUSINESS.

2. The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and if the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

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

CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Five thousand shares of One hundred Rupees (Rs. 100) each.

5. The Directors may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, increase the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares of such amounts per share, and in the aggregate and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto as such resolution shall direct; and they shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as may be considered expedient.

6. Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents, any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the same provisions in all respects with reference to the payments of allotment money, calls and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise, as if it had formed part of the original capital.

7. The Directors may in like manner, and with like sanction, reduce the capital or subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company.

SHARES.

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

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

10. The shares, except when otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they consider proper. Provided that such unissued shares shall first be offered by the Directors to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of

an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, or as remuneration for work done for or services rendered to the Company, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company, shall direct, and, if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

12. Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company may from time to time direct.

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

14. Shares may be registered in the name of two or more persons not in partnership.

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

16. In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

17. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 36 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

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

19. Every Shareholder shall be entitled to a certificate or certificates under the common seal of the Company, specifying the share or shares held by him and the amount paid thereon.

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

21. The certificate of shares registered in the name of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

CALLS.

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

23. If any Shareholder fail to pay the amount of any call due by him on or before the day appointed for payment thereof, he shall be liable to pay interest for the same at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of actual payment.

24. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution of the Directors authorizing the call was passed.

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

26. The Directors may at their discretion receive from any of the Shareholders willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the moneys due upon their respective shares beyond the sums actually called for; and upon the moneys so paid in advance, or upon so much thereof as in respect of, the shares in respect of which such advances have been made, the Board may pay or allow interest at such rate as the Shareholders paying such sums in advance, and the Directors may agree upon, not exceeding, however, six per centum per annum.

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

30. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise, or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of two rupees and cents fifty, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer, upon payment whereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

33. In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument or transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but only, if at all, upon the transferee.

34. The Register of Transfers may be closed at such times and for such periods as the Directors may from time to time determine, provided always that it shall not be closed for more than twenty-one days in any year.

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

35. The executors or administrators or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.

36. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon securing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title as the Directors think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares, or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 36 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share; or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money, and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

39. If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

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

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

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

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

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

43. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture, and such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, and thereupon such purchaser shall be deemed the holder

of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be effected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than nine per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 41 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

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

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

46. The nett proceeds of any such sale shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

47. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary, that the power of sale given by clause 45 has arisen and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

52. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Rs. 50,000.

53. With the sanction of a General Meeting the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. A certificate under the hands of one Director and the Secretary, or of two Directors, to the effect that in taking any loan the Directors are not exceeding their borrowing powers, shall be sufficient and binding on the Company and all concerned, and shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors.

54. For the purpose of securing the repayment of any such moneys so borrowed or raised, or for any other purposes, the Directors may grant, create, execute, and issue any mortgages, cash, credits, debentures, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, or unpaid calls, or may make, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange.

55. Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled, discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise.

56. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

58. Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is so prescribed, then at such place and at such time as soon after the first day in each year as may be determined by the Directors.

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

60. The Directors may whenever they think fit call an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-eighth of the number of Shareholders of the Company for the time being, or by any Shareholder or Shareholders holding in the aggregate one-eighth part of the shares of the Company for the time being subscribed for.

61. Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company.

Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

62. Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting.

63. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

64. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the object and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting.

65. Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors in the place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever of which special mention shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

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

67. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present or represented at the commencement of the business two or more Shareholders entitled to vote.

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

69. The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present at the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the Chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the Chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

70. No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting, except the election of a Chairman, whilst the Chair is vacant.

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

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

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present in person or by proxy, or by attorney, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some member present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

74. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes

to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided; and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

75. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

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

77. On a show of hands every member shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him up to ten, and an additional vote for every ten shares beyond the first ten up to one hundred, and an additional vote for every twenty-five shares held by him beyond the first hundred.

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

79. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney.

80. No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote at any meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares have been paid, and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company in respect of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been possessed of the share in respect of which he claims to vote at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

81. No Shareholder who has not been duly registered as such for three months previous to the General Meeting shall be entitled to be present and to speak and vote at any meeting held after the expiry of three months from the incorporation of the Company.

82. No person shall be entitled to hold a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company, but this rule does not apply to a power of attorney.

83. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written, and shall be signed by the appointor, or if such appointor be a company or corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such company or corporation.

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

The instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form :—

Ceylon Coconut Company, Limited.

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

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

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

86. No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

87. The number of Directors shall never be less than two or more than five, but this clause shall be construed as being directory only, and the continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies.

The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right at least twenty fully or partly paid shares in the Company upon which all calls for the time being have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors.

As a remuneration for their services, the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Two thousand Five hundred Rupees annually, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

88. The first Directors shall be A. S. Long Price, Robert Farquhar Spottiswood Hardie, Arthur Plyer Waldock, Ernest Reed Williams, and Cecil Shipton who shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

89. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company, or Superintendents of any person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents or Superintendents.

The Directors may confer on the Managing Director, or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be conferred on any Manager of the Company.

If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

90. At the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office, and at the first Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 91.

91. The Directors to retire from office at the second, third, fourth, and fifth Ordinary General Meeting shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

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

93. Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

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

95. Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors or provisional Directors arising from death, resignation, or otherwise, may be filled up by the Directors, but any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

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

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

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

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

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

101. No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

102. The office of the Director shall be vacated—

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

Provided that no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company of which he is a Director, or by his being agent, or secretary, or solicitor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

103. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the Clovis Estate and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any other lands, estates, or property they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

104. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

105. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make, such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and, in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise

all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods, and with such remuneration, and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

106. The Directors shall exercise in the name and on behalf of the Company all such powers of the Company as are not expressly required to be exercised by the Company in General Meeting, and shall generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such Ordinances and of these presents and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting; but no regulations made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made.

The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

107. The Directors shall have power to appoint a proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys to assist in carrying on or protecting the business of the Company, on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

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

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

110. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders of the Company in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit; and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

111. In furtherance and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in the last preceding clause, and of the other powers conferred by these presents, it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have the powers following (that is to say):—

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the award.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents, with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions, as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of, and in the substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

112. The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings at such places and times and in such manner as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

113. A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

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

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

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

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

118. The acts of the Board and of any committees appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or Committee, or defect in the appointment or qualification of any Director or of any member of the committee, be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if such person had been duly appointed or qualified, provided the same be done before the discovery of the vacancy or defect.

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

120. The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in a book or books to be provided for the purpose :—

- (1) Of all appointments of (a) officers and (b) committees made by the Directors.
- (2) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors.
- (3) Of the names of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (4) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (5) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings of the Company.
- (6) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors.
- (7) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of committees appointed by the Board.

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

ACCOUNTS.

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

123. The Directors shall from time to time determine whether, and to what extent, and at what times and places, and under what conditions or regulations the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholders shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by statute or authorized by the Directors or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

124. At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the income and expenditure of the Company for the previous financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to the end of the same period.

125. The statement so made shall show, arranged under the most convenient heads, the amount of gross income, distinguishing the several sources from which it has been derived, and the amount of gross expenditure, distinguishing the expense of the establishment, salaries, and other heads of expenditure. Every item of expenditure fairly chargeable against the year's income shall be brought into account, so that a just balance of profit and loss may be laid before the meeting, and in case where any item of expenditure which may in fairness be distributed over several years has been incurred in any one year, the whole amount of such item shall be stated with the addition of the reasons why only a portion of such expenditure is charged against the income of the year.

126. The balance sheet shall contain a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company, arranged under the heads appearing in the form annexed to the table referred to in Schedule C to "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinance, 1861," or as near thereto as circumstances admit.

127. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which the Directors recommend should be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

128. A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at or posted to the registered address of every Shareholder.

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

AUDIT.

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

131. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor of the Company and fix his remuneration. He shall hold office till the second General Meeting of the Company. All subsequent appointments shall, except as is hereinafter mentioned, be made at the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and the Auditor or Auditors appointed at such meeting shall hold office only until the first Ordinary General Meeting after his or their appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

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

133. Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

134. If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor is not supplied at the Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur in the office of Auditor, the Directors shall fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting after his appointment.

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

136. The Auditor or Auditors for the time being shall have a list delivered to him or them of all books kept by the Company, and he or they shall at all reasonable hours in the daytime have access to all accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company for the purpose of audit.

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

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

139. The Directors may, before recommending any dividend or bonus, set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and may invest the same in such securities as they may select, or place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks, and may from time to time deal with and vary such investments and apply such reserve fund or such portion thereof as they think fit to meet contingencies, or for special dividends, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises of the Company, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purposes connected with the interest of the Company that they may from time to time deem expedient without being bound to keep the same separate from the other assets.

140. Any General Meeting declaring a dividend may direct payment of such dividend wholly or in part by the distribution of specific assets and in particular of paid-up shares, debentures or debenture stock of the Company or of any other company or in any one or more of such ways, and the Directors shall give effect to such direction and when any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution they may settle the same as they think expedient and in particular may issue fractional certificates and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets or any part thereof and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any Shareholders upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties and may vest any such specific assets in trustees upon such trusts for the persons entitled to the dividend as may seem expedient to the Directors. Where requisite a proper contract shall be filed, and the Directors may appoint any person to sign such contract on behalf of the persons entitled to the dividend and such appointment shall be effective.

141. No unpaid dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

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

143. The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all such sums of money as may be due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding the fact that such sums or any of them are not payable until after the date when such dividend or bonus is payable.

144. Notice of any dividend that has been declared, or of any bonus to be paid, shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto, and any dividend or bonus unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by the Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund.

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

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

NOTICES.

147. Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or persons appointed by the Board to authenticate the same.

148. Every Shareholder shall give an address in Ceylon, which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

149. A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by being sent through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode, and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address to which notices may be sent.

150. All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons are jointly entitled other than a firm, be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the Register of Shareholders, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

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

152. Every Shareholder residing out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notices.

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

ARBITRATION.

153. Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

EVIDENCE.

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

PROVISION RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

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

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereto set and subscribed their names at Colombo this Fifth day of July, 1909.

E. R. WILLIAMS.
ALLAN S. LONG PRICE.
R. F. S. HARDIE.
CECIL SHIPTON.
A. P. WALDOCK.
A. S. BERWICK.
W. E. DEURY.

Witness to the above signatures :

HERBERT S. HAWKES,
Assistant to Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co., Colombo.

The Seremban Estate Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the registered office, No. 2, Queen street, Colombo, on Monday, August 16, 1909, at 12 noon, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, of confirming as a special resolution the resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on July 30, 1909, viz. :—

“ That the Seremban Estate Rubber Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.”

In the event of the above resolution being passed, it will be for the meeting to appoint a Liquidator and an Auditor to audit the Liquidator's accounts, after which the following resolutions will be submitted, viz. :—

1. “ That the Liquidator be instructed to transfer to the Shareholders, in proportion to their holdings, the 187,500 fully-paid shares of £1 each in the Seremban Rubber Estate Company, Limited, which have been received as consideration for the sale of the Company's property.”

And

2. “ That the Liquidator be instructed to distribute the balance of cash (being undivided profits) among the Shareholders in the following manner, viz. :—By paying a dividend at the full available rate on all capital paid up on December 31, 1908, and a

dividend at half such rate on capital which was not paid or payable till March 31, 1909, but paying no cash dividend on capital not paid or payable till June 30, 1909.”

The Share Transfer Register will be finally closed on Saturday, August 14, 1909, at 12 noon.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, August 5, 1909.

The Ratwatta Cocoa Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Ratwatta Cocoa Company, Limited, will be held at noon on Saturday, August 14, 1909, at No. 14, Queen street, Colombo.

Business.

To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for year ended June 30, 1909.

To declare a dividend.

To elect two Directors.

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

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, August 3, 1909.

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The Ceylon Tea and Coconut Estates
Company, Limited.
(In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on September 6, 1909, at 12 noon, for the purpose of considering the Liquidator's account and to pass a resolution that the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.

O. T. MACDERMOTT,
Liquidator.

Colombo, August 4, 1909.

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The St. Heliers Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventeenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, at 11 A.M. on Saturday, August 21, 1909.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.
2. To declare a dividend; and
3. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from August 7 to 21, 1909, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

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The Clunes Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, August 20, 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.

By order of the Directors,
WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.
Colombo, August 4, 1909.

The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited.

THE Extraordinary General Meeting summoned to be held on August 10 is postponed to August 20, 1909, at noon, at Messrs. Mackwood & Co.'s office, 20, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, to consider and pass the following resolution:—

That the Directors be and they are hereby authorized to borrow for the purposes of the Company any sum or sums of money not exceeding Five thousand rupees (Rs. 5,000) in excess of the sum of Rs. 30,000, which the Directors are empowered at their discretion to borrow or raise for the purposes of the Company, at such rate of interest not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum, as the Directors may determine and upon such terms and conditions as to repayment of the moneys so borrowed and otherwise as they may think proper.

By order of the Directors,
HARLOD NORTH,
Secretary.

Kandy, August 5, 1909.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Mimanga William Fernando of Bam-
balapitiya.....Plaintiff. 6
No. 27,736 C. Vs.

Alfred Wijegunawardene of Lascoreen
street, Colombo.....Defendant.

BY virtue of the decree entered in the above action, and in terms of the directions therein contained, I shall offer for sale by public auction at the spot at 5 P.M. on Monday, August 30, 1909:—

All that defined allotment of land called and known as Madangahawatta *alias* Kambarangahawatta, with all the buildings, plantations, and trees thereon, bearing present assessment No. 39, situated at Mutwal (Tanque Salgado) in Colombo; containing in extent 1 rood 12 50/100 perches, declared especially bound and executable, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,492, with further interest and costs, and ordered by the said decree to be sold by me.

The land borders the high road, and there is on it a substantial house facing the sea.

For inspection of title deeds and further particulars apply to Messrs. R. F. de Saram & Son, Proctors, Colombo; or to

C. E. KARUNARATNA,
Auctioneer.

6, Hulftsdorp.
Colombo, August 5, 1909.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo, held in the Town Hall on Friday, June 18, 1909.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated June 12, 1909.

Present:—Mr. E. M. de C. Short, Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; the Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper, C.M.G.; Dr. C. T. Griffin; Major A. W. de Wilton; Mr. H. Tiruvilangam; Mr. P. D. Warren, C.M.G.; Mr. L. B. Fernando; Mr. A. Fairlie; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. E. G. Jayewardene; Mr. F. C. Allen; and Mr. G. H. Alston.

The Chairman proposed that the Minutes of May 28, 1909, be taken as read and confirmed.
Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper drew attention to two errors in item No. 6 of the Minutes, and it was resolved that the word "both" in line 2 of his amendment be deleted, and that the word "such" be substituted for "each" in line 3.

The Minutes of General Meeting of May 28, 1909, were then confirmed as amended.

1. Pursuant to notice, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene presented a petition from the beef and mutton stall-holders of the Dean's road market, and moved that the Council do fix the stall rents to be paid for each stall in the said market and discontinue the system of putting up the stalls for competition among the butchers.

Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, with leave of Council, withdrew his motion on the Chairman explaining that it was not proposed to put the stalls up to public competition.

2 to 6. The following extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of June 7, 1909, on Municipal Works of June 8, 1909, on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of June 9, 1909, on Finance and Assessment of June 11, 1909, and on Municipal Works of May 6, 1909, were brought before the Council:—

Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of June 7, 1909.

(3) Cost in District Court case No. 23,529c, amounting to Rs. 718.10, to be recovered from the defendant, (R. P. Gauder), a Municipal pensioner.

Recommended that Mr. Gauder be informed that payment of his pension will be suspended so long as he remains a debtor to the Council.

Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Municipal Works of June 8, 1909.

(2) Estimate for ten water-tight silt carts (to be transferred from vote for Polwatta drainage) Rs. 2,250. Recommended, the carts being required for the removal of semi-liquid refuse.

(5) Letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, No. 80 of May 7, 1909, asking if the Council is prepared to pay an annual rent of Rs. 200 for the proposed telephone connection for the Drainage Works Office, Madampitiya, and stating that such charge should be met from the Drainage Works Estimate.—Sanctioned.

(6) Letter from the Municipal Engineer, No. 645 of May 8, 1909, requesting that a sum of Rs. 12,000 from the vote for "Polwatta Drainage," and a sum of Rs. 2,250 from vote for "Extension of Ferry Lane," be transferred to the Skinner's road improvement scheme.

Recommended, further drainage work in Polwatta being rendered unnecessary in consequence of the early extension of the Mansergh Scheme to this locality, and the sum of Rs. 2,250 being unexpended balance not now required for Ferry lane.

(10) Letter from the Municipal Engineer, No. 740 of May 21, 1909, forwarding personal recommendations for placing the existing staff of Surveyors, Draughtsmen, and Overseers upon the new scheme proposed for the outdoor staff.

The recommendations will be considered after the new scheme has been approved by the Council. Meanwhile, as the case of Mr. Vandersmagt, the Assessment Surveyor, who holds a special appointment and who is not on the scheme, has been awaiting consideration for a long time, the Committee recommends that he should be treated similarly to Mr. LaBrooy, the Inspector of Private Buildings, and given an increment of Rs. 168 for 1909, and hereafter at the rate of Rs. 84 annually until a maximum of Rs. 3,000 is reached. It is to be noted that Mr. Vandersmagt has served for seven years without annual increment.

(14) Chairman's memorandum suggesting the temporary appropriation of the sum of Rs. 10,000 voted for widening of Turret road, as an advance towards construction of Churchyard lane, pending the raising the loan.

Recommended, it being very desirable that a start should be made with the Churchyard New Road construction at the earliest possible date and it not being possible to utilize the money at present on the Turret road scheme.

(15) Authority to acquire a piece of land for the hospital at Kolonnawa at a cost of Rs. 500 or thereabouts.

Recommended, the land being necessary for the consolidation of the block.

(16) Letter from the Municipal Engineer, No. 798 of June 4, 1909, asking for authority to transfer a sum of Rs. 500 from vote No. 227 "Surveys and Tracings" to estimate No. 279 of 1908 (Clearing Infectious Diseases Hospital sites).

Recommended, for the purpose of erecting permanent boundary marks.

Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of June 9, 1909.

(2) Question of improving the water supply and fittings in the public markets, as they are quite inadequate at present for the standard of cleanliness necessary where the food supply of the town is handled, estimated to cost Rs. 3,715.

The work is in the Committee's opinion one of necessity, and it is recommended that it be carried out as soon as funds can be provided.

(3) Letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, No. 69 of April 8, 1909, suggesting the establishment of dhobies' tanks in the Municipal land, in Saunders' place and the abolition of the meat market.

The Committee recommends the abolition of the Muhammadan meat market and the conversion of the buildings into washing tanks for the dhobies who now wash in the lake at Dhoby Island.

(7) Letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, No. 87 of May 21, 1909, stating the inability of the Government to undertake work on behalf of the Municipal Council at the Bacteriological Institute.

In the opinion of the Committee it will repay the Council to contribute to the Institute a sum sufficient to cover the salary of an Assistant Bacteriologist, on the condition that the Council's work is done free of all other charges, and recommendation is made to Council accordingly.

(8) Letter from the Municipal Engineer, No. 310 of March 5/8, 1909, forwarding drawings in connection with the Infectious Diseases Hospitals.

The Committee suggests that a Special Committee should be appointed to consider the plans and report to the Council, the plans being meanwhile circulated.

The Committee is of opinion that it will save time and conduce to economy if a sum of Rs. 20,000 or Rs. 25,000 can be advanced at once for the purpose of preparing the sites and of cutting cabook for the hospital buildings, and recommends that this, if possible, be done.

(10) Employment of a peon on Rs. 180 per annum for the Assistant Medical Officer of Health.

This item was omitted from the Committee's last resolution by an oversight.

The Committee recommends that a peon be allowed for the Assistant Medical Officer of Health on the usual initial salary.

Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 11, 1909.

(5) Payment of a proportionate rebate to the renter of the Lock Gate toll during the period the lock was closed to traffic (February 8 to 25, 1909).

The Committee recommends that the rent be remitted during the period of closure.

(8) Increment to Mr. D. J. G. Caldera, Précis Clerk.

The Committee is of opinion that Mr. Caldera, having served on a reduced salary for over two years and done good work, may now be restored to a higher scale of pay, and recommends payment for the current year at Rs. 1,008.

Extract No. 10 of Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of May 6, 1909, as postponed at last Meeting of Council.

(10) Papers *re* scheme of pay for Draughtsmen, Surveyors, Overseers, &c. (see A, B, and C).—Recommended to Council.

The Chairman moved that Council do go into Committee to consider items 2, 3, 4, and 5 on the agenda.—Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

(Council in Committee.)

2. Resolved that the words "as a set off against the amount due" be added after the word "suspended" in the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of June 7, 1909.

3. Resolved that items 2, 5, and 6 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of June 8, 1909, be adopted.

The Chairman moved that item No. 10 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of June 8, 1909, be adopted.—Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper moved as an amendment that the matter be postponed till the consideration of the budget for next year.—Mr. P. D. Warren seconded.

On a show of hands being taken, the amendment was declared lost and the motion carried.

Resolved that items 14, 15, and 16 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of June 8, 1909, be adopted.

4. Resolved that items Nos. 2, 3, and 10 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of June 9, 1909, be adopted; item No. 7 was deferred, pending receipt of further information.

Resolved that item No. 8 be adopted, provided the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment can make the necessary provision.

5. Resolved that item No. 5 of the recommendations of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of June 11, 1909, be adopted.

With reference to item No. 8, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene moved that the matter be deferred and that the papers regarding Mr. Caldera be circulated.—Mr. L. B. Fernando seconded.

On a show of hands being called for, the motion was declared lost and the recommendation was adopted.

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

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried, the Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper dissenting from item No. 10 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of June 8, 1909.

6. Resolved that this item be postponed to next meeting of Council and that in the meanwhile the papers be circulated.

7. The Council then proceeded to ballot for the election of a Member for the Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation in place of Sir Allan Perry, Kt., resigned.

The result of the ballot was declared by the Chairman to be in favour of Dr. C. T. Griffin, who was accordingly elected a Member of the Standing Committee on the Regulation of Markets and Sanitation.

(Mr. G. H. Alston joined the Council at this point.)

Resolved that items Nos. 9, 10, and 11 in the agenda be advanced.

9. Chairman's Administration Report of the Colombo Municipality for the year 1908 was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper moved that the report be forwarded to Government.

Mr. P. D. Warren seconded.—Carried.

10. Chairman's memorandum explaining the absence of the report of the Special Committee appointed at the last meeting to consider the Drainage by-laws was laid on the table, having been previously circulated.

11. Letter dated June 11, 1909, from Mr. M. F. Khan, resigning his seat in the Council, owing to his departure for Bombay, was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

The Chairman moved that this Council greatly regrets the loss of Mr. M. F. Khan's services on this Board and fully reciprocates the sentiments expressed in his letter.

Mr. F. C. Allen seconded.—Carried.

8. Chairman's memorandum on the subject of widening Maradana road was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated.

The Hon. Mr. F. A. Cooper moved that as the Chairman's memorandum being of a confidential nature the public be asked to withdraw while the Council discusses the matter.

Mr. P. D. Warren seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman moved that Council do go into Committee.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

(Council in Committee.)

Mr. F. C. Allen moved that the Chairman be deputed to interview the Hon. the Colonial Secretary and lay the matter fully before him. The Council will be prepared to undertake the erection of the necessary retaining wall, estimated by the Government to cost about Rs. 28,000, on the understanding that the strip of land required for the improvement of the road is handed over free of further cost other than in respect of buildings and boundary walls disturbed, and authorizes the Chairman to make the best terms possible with the Government, submitting them hereafter for the final sanction of the Council.

Mr. G. H. Alston seconded.—Carried.

Resolved that Council do resume and that the resolution passed in Committee be adopted.

12. The following insanitary cesspit privies to be closed, the parties concerned having failed to show cause to the contrary, viz., 92, Hulftsdorp street and 90, Dam street

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

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

13. Cancellation of sales of premises Nos. 7 and 12, Kanatta road; 91, 125, 23, and 16, Kotahena street; 11a, Vauxhall street; 198 and 230, Nagalagam street; 43g, 50, 49, 47f, 43c, 26, 1a, 43, 81, 45a, 43d, 60a, 47, 47h, 3, 8, 25c, and 47c, Temple road; 23, 20, 18a, 17, 16a, and 15/16, Cotta road; 19/65/66, 34b, 6/11, 9/14, 28/81, 27a/79, 26/78, and 2/7, Tanque Salgado (New Fishers' Quarters); 39 and 32, Tanque Salgado; 174/263, 168/257, 216, 246, 48/61, 244/236, 131/165, 22/32, 4/2, 132a/167, 91/108, and 92/109, Modera street; 2, 26, 3, 65, 47, 37, 11, 24, and 81, New Chetty street; 47, 28a, 33, 232e, 202b, 83a, 90f, 90n, 90h, 90e, 90i, 126, 197f, 53a, 232c, 217, 220d, 169a, 187, 269, 197, 197c, 268, 128b, 237e, 204b, 208, 59a, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 194, 4, 77a, 102, 197e, 206d, 17, 19, 13, 144, and 51, Dematagoda; 186/181, 85/83, 59c/98, 195, 188, 212/212, 55/65, 11/9, and 12/10, Mutwal street; 372a/195, 194, 197a, 340/181/183, 113/324, 366/99, 330/119, 220/50, 130/330, 254/204, 66a/291, and 363a/108, Autmawata; 8, Church street; 25, Blomendahl road; 26b/3, 26b/2, 26b/1, and 26b, College street; 13, Lock Gate lane; 48, 12, and 67b, Piachaud's lane, 49, Darley road, 1/1a, 20, and 40a, Forbes' road; 22d, Skinner's Road South; 11 and 32, Elie House road; 8, Rudd's lane; 3, 1, and 2, Second Cross street; 64a, 68, 52, 73, 43, 88, 75a, 75, 73a, 72a, and 56a, Maligawatta; 4, Arab place; 13, Jail road; 10, 2, 1a, 37, and 5a, Avondale road; 16, Forbes' lane; 6/7, Oilman street; 19, St. Michael's road; 106, 240a, 240, 134, and 99b, Colpetty road; 72/74, 24, 22, Barber street; 17 Green street; 36, 37, 47, and 72, Cemetery street; 66a, Wellawatta; 167, 139, and 138, Sea street; 17, and 33/35, Mosque lane II.; 19, 8, and 9, Van Rooyan street; 47, 19, 28, 49, and 23a, Mosque lane I.; 2, Pickering's road; 15/15a and 3, Bambalapitiya; 2, St. Michael's road; 38, Layard's Broadway; 7, Alexandra place; 187 and 18, Grandpass road; 35, 6, 68/69, 106, 113, and 7a, Vuistwyke; 13, Pickering's road; 44, 22, and 63, Galkapana-watta; 2, Gabo's lane II.; 13b, 61c, 147, and 177, Second Division, Maradana; 8, Sutherland road; 40, Dean's road; 21 and 29, Brassfounder street; 43c, Temple road; 21, St. James' street; 136/7, Bonjean road; 37a, 52, 62, 37, 62c, 33f1, 58a, Maligakanda; 16, Silversmith lane; 7a, Vincent street; 38/39, Wilson street; 107, First Division, Maradana; 4a and 5a, Symon's road; 7 and 8/9, Rodney street; 3b, Yakbedda road; 15k and 15j, Jail road; 85, New Chetty street; 107/109 and 118/119, Jampettah street; 2a, Forbes' lane; 7, Captain's Garden; 9a, Skinner's Road South; 38, Hill street; 32 and 41, Gintupitiya street; 141 and 132a/1, Fishers' Hill; 3, Captain's Garden; 1, Wellon passage; 57, Muhandiram's road; 44, Chekku street; 11, New Moor street; 39, Hill street; 4, 25, 2a, and 2, Mosque lane; 3a and 14a, Kollupitiya lane; 6, Marshall street; 9, Nelson's lane; 7, Norris road; 94a, Third Division, Maradana; 6/6a, Vincent street; 74a and 74, Hulftsdorp; 31a/2, Maligakanda; 179, 177, 103, 53, 105, 56, 112, 121, 137a, and 165, Madampitiya; 75, Mattakkuliya; 28 and 27, Ferry street; 87, Maliban street; 3, Peer Saibo's lane; 48e, Wellawatta; 8, 5, 4, 3, and 1, St. James' street; 13/14, Oilman street; 29a, Tottewatta; 39, Brassfounder street; 77 and 17, Kotahena street; 94a, Galkapanawatta; 3, Messenger lane; 7c, Madampitiya; 21/23, Mutwal street; 59/62, Vuistwyke; 92, Wall street; 9, Tottewatta; 65, New Chetty street; 44, 10, and 40, Muhandiram's road; and 6/6a, Kollupitiya lane.

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

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

14. Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the first quarter, 1909, was laid on the table.

15. Report of the Resident Engineer of the Colombo Drainage Works for the month of April, 1909, was laid on the table, having been previously printed and circulated.

16. City Analyst's reports on the town water for May, 1909, were laid on the table, having been previously printed and circulated.

17. Statement of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to May 31, 1909, and Progress Report of Work done for May, 1909, were laid on the table.

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

The following documents were also laid on the table :—

Return of Committees of Municipal Council of 1909.

Proceedings of Committees.

Volunteer Band Programme for June, 1909.

Return of Average Daily Supply and Consumption of Water for April, 1909.

The Municipal Engineer's Report for May, 1909, on the condition of Tramway routes.

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

Confirmed on July 16, 1909 :

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

A.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Present and Proposed Pay of Draughtsmen.

Designation.	Minimum.	Increment.	Remarks.	Maximum.	Remarks.	Allowance.	Total No.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.		Rs. c.	
1. <i>Draughtsmen.</i>							9
Present pay ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Proposed pay ..	1,200 0	72 0	Annual	1,992 0	In 11 years	—	
2. <i>Assistant Draughtsmen.</i>							
Present pay ..	600 0	50 0	After two years in class & four years' total service	840 0	—	—	
Proposed pay ..	720 0	60 0	Annual	1,140 0	In 7 years	—	
3. <i>Probationer Draughtsmen.</i>							
Present pay ..	300 0	50 0	Annual	540 0	In 5 years	—	
Proposed pay ..	480 0	48 0	Annual	624 0	In 3 years	—	

NOTE.—In all cases tram car or train fare allowance to be given to same extent as Clerical Service, and in addition it is essential that out-of-pocket expenses when on outside duty to be paid monthly on presentation of certified statement countersigned by the Assistant Engineer in charge as is the present practice.

B.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Present and Proposed Pay of Surveyors and Levellers.

Designation.	Minimum.	Increment.	Remarks.	Maximum.	Remarks.	Allowance.	Total No.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.		Rs. c.	
1. <i>Surveyors and Levellers.</i>							5
Present pay ..	900 0	50 0	After two years in class & four years' total service	1,320 0	—	—	
Proposed pay ..	1,200 0	72 0	Annual	1,992 0	In 11 years	—	
2. <i>Assistant Surveyors and Levellers.</i>							
Present pay ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Proposed pay ..	900 0	60 0	Annual	1,140 0	In 5 years	—	

NOTE.—In all cases tram car or train fare allowance to be given to same extent as Clerical Service, and in addition it is essential that out-of-pocket expenses when on outside duty to be paid monthly on presentation of certified statement countersigned by the Assistant Engineer in charge as is the present practice.

C.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Present and Proposed Pay of Overseers' Staff.

Designation.	Minimum.	Incre-	Remarks.	Maximum.	Remarks.	Allowance.	Total No.
	Rs. c.	ment. Rs. c.		Rs. c.		Rs. c.	
1. <i>Head Overseers.</i>							
New Works (2) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workshop (1) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Present pay ..	1,200 0	50 0	Annual after 3 years in class	1,800 0	In 15 years	300 0	2
Proposed pay ..	1,320 0	60 0	—	1,920 0	In 10 years	300 0	3
2. <i>Works Overseers—</i>							
Upkeep (2) } Present pay ..	—	—	Daily pay	—	Daily pay	—	—
Works Special (2) } Proposed pay ..	720 0	48 0	Annual	1,296 0	In 12 years	180 0 (2) 300 0 (2)	4
3. <i>Head Overseers, Upkeep and Scavenging Inspectors.</i>							
Present pay ..	1,200 0	50 0	Annual after 3 years in class	1,800 0	In 15 years	300 0	3
Proposed pay ..	1,200 0	60 0	Annual	1,800 0	In 10 years	300 0	
4. <i>Metalling Overseers.</i>							
Present pay ..	540 0	50 0	Biennial	1,080 0	—	—	3
Proposed pay ..	696 0	48 0	Annual	1,176 0	In 10 years	120 0 (Bicycle)	
5. <i>Ward Overseers.</i>							
Present pay ..	540 0	50 0	Biennial	1,080 0	—	—	2
Proposed pay ..	600 0	48 0	Annual	1,080 0	In 10 years	120 0 (Bicycle)	

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from
January 1 to June 30, 1909.

REVENUE.

	Estimated Revenue for 1909.		Receipts to June 30, 1909.			Estimated Revenue for 1909.		Receipts to June 30, 1909.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
TAXES.									
1 Commutation under Road Ordinance ..	115,000	0	118,550	0					
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals (under section 128 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1887) ..	48,000	0	48,344	59	30 Price park, fruit and vegetable ..	4,000	0	2,577	68
2a Do. costs ..	200	0	128	9	31 Edinburgh, meat ..	5,000	0	3,035	0
3 Dog tax ..	6,500	0	4,557	21	32 Edinburgh, meat, lighting charges ..	500	0	260	0
LICENSES.									
4 Carriage and rickshas for hire ..	15,000	0	14,953	0	33 St. John's fish mart ..	960	0	320	0
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	1,225	50	34 St. John's fish market ..	2,500	0	2,057	96
5 Passenger hackeries for hire ..	500	0	374	80	35 Dean's road market ..	20,000	0	8,515	43
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	41	80	36 Dean's road market, lighting charges ..	1,400	0	345	13
6 Cart, coach, and tram cars ..	8,000	0	8,116	80	37 Grandpass market ..	2,500	0	861	67
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	253	65	38 Kollupitiya market ..	1,180	0	683	0
7 Boat ..	70	0	48	45	39 Muhammadan meat market, Dhobies' pond ..	1,080	0	615	0
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	2	85	40 Gintupitiya street market ..	2,500	0	1,530	0
8 Boat—issued by Master Attendant ..	5,700	0	—	—	41 Gintupitiya street market, lighting charges ..	200	0	108	0
9 Gun—issued by Government Agent ..	500	0	—	—	42 Slave Island market ..	9,000	0	4,185	0
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	279	30	43 Bambalapitiya market ..	840	0	396	0
10 To sell intoxicating liquors—issued by Government Agent ..	18,500	0	—	—	44 Costs for recovery of arrears of market rents ..	400	0	144	85
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	18,548	75	SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.				
11 Butchers' ..	300	0	—	—	45 Dematagoda, slaughtering fees ..	20,500	0	10,419	25
12 Coal depôts, tanneries, &c. ..	600	0	510	0	46 Dematagoda, feeding fees ..	24,000	0	11,692	95
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	270	0	47 Do. sale of blood ..	225	0	225	0
13 To slaughter cattle, sheep, and pigs (special) ..	20	0	19	50	48 Do. sale of manure ..	100	0	52	0
14 To sell meat (special) ..	250	0	795	0	49 Dematagoda, cost of gas to stove ..	300	0	111	60
15 To sell fish (special) ..	300	0	420	0	50 Madampitiya, grass land ..	200	0	100	0
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	25	0	51 Fees for inspection of frozen meat ..	1,000	0	—	—
16 Opium ..	61,000	0	40,805	50	PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.				
17 Petroleum ..	3,000	0	1,318	0	<i>Sanitary Branch.</i>				
18 Guides' ..	200	0	50	0	52 Recoveries from lime-washing bills ..	2,000	0	1,038	99
19 Poison ..	200	0	—	—	53 Disinfection of infected clothing ..	30	0	29	62
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	142	50	<i>Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station.</i>				
20 Auctioneers' and brokers' ..	4,800	0	4,460	0	54 Fees ..	24,000	0	17,067	50
21 Stamp duty on advocates', proctors', and notaries' certificates and articles of clerkship ..	6,000	0	1,767	0	55 Lease of boutiques, &c. ..	1,200	0	—	—
22 Stamp duty on licenses on arrack taverns ..	10,500	0	—	—	56 Sale of manure ..	600	0	—	—
Cattle shed licenses ..	—	—	695	0	<i>Conservancy Branch.</i>				
Cotton Depôt licenses ..	—	—	50	0	57 For conserving private latrines ..	165,000	0	78,681	54
Bakery licenses ..	—	—	408	0	58 Buckets sold ..	250	0	96	0
Ice manufactory licenses ..	—	—	50	0	59 Disinfectants, &c., sold ..	1,000	0	1,007	76
Aerated water manufactory licenses ..	—	—	50	0	60 For clearing cesspit privies ..	750	0	289	75
JUDICIAL FINES.									
23 By Municipal Magistrate ..	35,000	0	24,632	52	61 Lease of grass land at night soil depôt ..	5,520	0	2,307	50
24 By Police Magistrate ..	50	0	24	50	62 Costs on arrears on conservancy ..	5,000	0	1,566	94
TOLLS.									
25 Victoria bridge, Grandpass ..	81,837	0	35,798	75	ASSESSMENT ACCOUNTS.				
26 Bambalapitiya ..	59,867	0	22,455	64	<i>Consolidated Rates.</i>				
27 Mutwal ferry ..	1,260	0	525	0	63 Consolidated rate—arrears, 1902 ..	30	0	34	65
28 Lock-gate ..	401	0	100	31	Do. 1903 ..	60	0	63	80
MARKETS.									
29 Edinburgh, fruit and vegetable ..	1,675	0	1,071	62	Do. 1904 ..	150	0	127	11
					Do. 1905 ..	300	0	290	62
					Do. 1906 ..	1,500	0	858	30
					Do. 1907 ..	10,000	0	11,452	64
					Do. 1908 ..	170,000	0	115,799	42

	Estimated Revenue for 1909.		Receipts to June 30, 1909.			Estimated Revenue for 1909.		Receipts to June 30, 1909.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
70 Consolidated rate, 1909, current (4th quarter, 1908, to 3rd quarter, 1909) ..	600,000	0	221,370	73					
71 Consolidated rate, 1910, advance (4th quarter, 1909, to 3rd quarter, 1910) ..	20,000	0	1,476	45					
72 Consolidated rate, costs on recoveries ..	20,000	0	10,200	18					
73 Military contribution for lighting the Fort ..	1,702	0	850	92					
<i>Sale of Water.</i>									
74 Sale of water ..	220,000	0	104,666	17					
75 Costs on recoveries ..	100	0	237	58					
76 Contribution by Military ..	10,000	0	2,500	0					
Do. arrears, 1908 ..	—	—	2,500	0					
77 Meter rents ..	10,000	0	3,937	80					
MISCELLANEOUS.									
78 Fees for registering bonds ..	200	0	80	50					
79 Trunk roads, contribution by Government ..	32,570	0	—	—					
80 Tramway mileage ..	4,834	0	4,833	32					
81 Rent of grass land and other property ..	4,500	0	1,611	75					
82 Racquet Court fees ..	50	0	22	91					
83 Galle Face, grazing fees ..	400	0	148	73					
84 Victoria park, grazing fees ..	420	0	207	75					
85 Campbell's park, grazing fees ..	200	0	—	—					
86 Price Recreation Ground, grazing fees ..	220	0	91	9					
87 Fees for testing and stamping weights and measures ..	200	0	112	48					
88 Fees from tennis court, Victoria park ..	50	0	39	0					
89 Interest ..	3,000	0	3,520	48					
90 Havelock park grazing ..	200	0	119	81					
91 Miscellaneous ..	2,000	0	3,239	29					
92 Mulct ..	1,500	0	492	34					
93 Sale of tender and specification forms ..	40	0	8	75					
94 General cemeteries fees, &c. ..	6,000	0	3,670	0					
95 Rent of Superintendent's quarters, Bridge-of-boats ..	500	0	240	0					
96 Rent of dynamite magazine ..	50	0	—	—					
97 Fees of testing kerosine oil ..	750	0	275	0					
98 Guides' badges account ..	10	0	4	50					
99 Fees of testing electric meters ..	10	0	—	—					
100 Rents of lands, &c., Mansergh Avenue acquisition ..	—	—	—	—					
101 Rents of lands and sale of building materials, Skinner's road acquisition ..	6,000	0	911	68					
102 Rent of lands and sale of building materials, road from Maradana to Base Line road ..	1,500	0	873	82					
103 Rent of lands and sale of building materials, Churchyard lane improvement ..	2,000	0	1,507	1					
104 Rent of lands, &c., New Infectious Diseases Hospital acquisition ..	—	—	331	82					
Fees for upkeep of graves ..	—	—	636	69					
Dyeing House Licenses ..	—	—	65	0					
Total ..	1,920,011	0	1,001,599	75					

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated Expenditure for 1909.		Disbursements to June 30, 1909.			Estimated Expenditure for 1909.		Disbursements to June 30, 1909.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.									
1 Annuity for waterworks ..	100,000	0	25,000	0					
2 Annuity for Victoria bridge ..	8,000	0	—	—					
3 Interest and sinking fund on loans for Drainage Works ..	302,500	0	92,637	97					
4 Pensions ..	20,597	11	10,180	40					
5 Fee for audit of accounts ..	5,000	0	—	—					
6 Maintenance of Police ..	60,000	0	15,000	0					
SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF DEPARTMENTS.									
CHAIRMAN.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
7 Salary of Chairman ..	18,000	0	9,000	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
8 Horse allowance to Chairman ..	1,200	0	600	0					
SECRETARIAT.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
9 Salaries ..	29,910	0	15,098	3					
10 Personal allowances ..	100	0	—	—					
<i>Special Expenditure.</i>									
11 Cost of a Roneo Duplicator ..	310	0	310	0					
SHROFF'S DEPARTMENT.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
12 Salaries ..	3,931	0	1,966	10					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
13 Transport allowance ..	180	0	90	0					
ASSESSMENT DEPARTMENT.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
14 Salaries ..	14,889	0	7,237	88					
15 Commission to collectors ..	18,000	0	7,408	67					
16 Commission for assessing properties ..	—	—	—	—					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
17 Refunds ..	250	0	46	69					
18 Advertisements ..	1,000	0	79	50					
19 Transport allowances ..	1,500	0	750	0					
20 Costs in legal proceedings ..	2,500	0	1,205	25					
20 ¹ Metal tickets for dogs ..	600	0	600	0					
<i>Special Expenditure.</i>									
21 Street numbers ..	3,500	0	—	—					
COMMUTATION DEPARTMENT.									
ROAD ORDINANCE.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
22 Salaries ..	3,294	0	1,653	0					
23 Personal allowance ..	150	0	150	0					
24 Commission, salaries of extra clerks, &c. ..	12,500	0	7,037	52					

	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1909. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to June 30, 1909. Rs. c.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1909. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to June 30, 1909. Rs. c.
<i>Other Charges.</i>			56	600 0	515 0
25 Refunds	100 0	23 40	57	2,160 0	901 77
VEHICLES AND ANIMALS DEPARTMENT.			<i>Special Expenditure.</i>		
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			58	600 0	528 0
26 Salaries..	3,492 0	1,700 84	PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT, SANITARY BRANCH.		
27 Commission, &c.	200 0	111 39	<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>		
<i>Other Charges.</i>			59	48,160 0	20,188 76
28 Refunds	50 0	—	60	720 0	360 0
29 Badges, tin plates, and fare tables	1,600 0	1,267 28	61	432 0	216 0
30 Painting and branding	300 0	—	62	6,000 0	3,000 0
31 Capture of dogs	3,509 0	1,646 27	63	500 0	110 0
32 Dog collars	750 0	—	64	2,592 0	1,260 0
33 Transport allowance to tax collector	300 0	150 0	65	—	—
REVENUE OFFICER'S DEPARTMENT.			66	1,440 0	720 0
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			67	—	—
34 Salaries..	9,780 0	4,507 77	68	3,700 0	1,709 11
<i>Other Charges.</i>			69	60 0	25 0
35 Transport allowances	2,760 0	1,240 0	272	50 0	50 0
MUNICIPAL COURT.			<i>Other Charges.</i>		
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			70	300 0	55 59
36 Salaries..	11,232 0	3,110 98	71	3,600 0	1,802 80
PRINTING DEPARTMENT.			72	1,570 0	798 0
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			73	6,000 0	1,323 8
37 Salaries of staff	6,517 0	3,291 75	74	4,000 0	2,701 89
<i>Other Charges.</i>			75	—	—
38 General upkeep and stores	900 0	611 86	76	100 0	6 45
39 Repairs and upkeep of machinery and for gas	437 0	124 16	77	200 0	122 4
PUBLIC WORKS DEPART- MENT.			78	1,000 0	537 88
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			79	500 0	175 0
40 Salaries (excluding over- seers)..	83,187 0	37,025 22	80	2,760 0	1,025 0
41 Salaries of overseers	15,250 0	6,155 89	81	4,320 0	1,430 66
42 House allowance to Mr. Spiers	300 0	300 0	82	312 0	156 0
43 Personal allowance	240 0	120 0	83	395 0	359 31
<i>Other Charges.</i>			84	33 0	18 0
44 Transport allowances	7,560 0	3,621 66	85	15 0	15 0
45 Survey and drawing materials	2,500 0	185 34	<i>Special Expenditure.</i>		
46 Photographic materials and chemicals	500 0	125 37	86	1,420 0	602 0
47 Overseers' transport allowances	2,340 0	780 0	87	4,320 0	2,100 0
WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.			88	4,237 0	2,143 59
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			89	3,112 0	1,929 66
48 Salaries ..	30,844 7	11,279 86	90	420 0	420 0
<i>Other Charges.</i>			260	6,127 78	1,907 57
49 Transport allowances	4,260 0	1,269 33	278	6,000 0	4,757 94
FIRE BRIGADE.			279	1,500 0	135 21
(Including Ambulance.)			<i>Special Expenditure.</i>		
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>			86	1,420 0	602 0
50 Salaries and wages	17,550 0	8,258 29	87	4,320 0	2,100 0
51 Doctor's fee	640 0	155 4	88	4,237 0	2,143 59
<i>Other Charges.</i>			89	3,112 0	1,929 66
52 Transport allowances	660 0	285 0	90	420 0	420 0
53 Uniforms, &c.	3,141 0	1,188 25	260	6,127 78	1,907 57
54 Stores ..	3,325 0	850 52	278	6,000 0	4,757 94
55 Horses ..	3,420 0	1,710 0	279	1,500 0	135 21

	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1909. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to June 30, 1909. Rs. c.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1909. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to June 30, 1909. Rs. c.
SLAVE ISLAND DISPENSARY.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
91 Medical Officer ..	750 0	—			
92 Dispenser per annum ..	480 0	—			
93 Salary of two visitors at Rs. 30 each ..	720 0	—			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
94 Ricksha allowance to Medical Officer ..	180 0	—			
95 Ricksha allowance to the two visitors at Rs. 180 each ..	360 0	—			
96 Rent of station ..	900 0	—			
97 Furniture ..	500 0	—			
98 Medicines, &c. ..	500 0	—			
99 Contingencies ..	500 0	—			
CATTLE MART AND QUARAN- TINE STATION.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
100 Superintendent ..	1,200 0	600 0			
101 Assistant Superintendent	600 0	300 0			
102 House allowance to Super- intendent ..	360 0	180 0			
103 Coolies ..	1,800 0	900 0			
274 Ricksha allowance to Superintendent, Cattle Mart ..	180 0	90 0			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
104 Lighting ..	1,000 0	11 30			
105 Tools and equipment ..	2,000 0	1,236 22			
106 Contingencies (unforeseen charges for additional staff, coolies, equip- ment, &c.) ..	5,000 0	2,284 17			
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT. CONSERVANCY BRANCH.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
107 Salaries and wages ..	17,176 0	8,179 67			
108 House allowances ..	480 0	240 0			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
109 Conservancy of dry-earth closets ..	65,000 0	32,612 66			
110 Supply of coir dust ..	10,500 0	4,880 60			
111 Stationery, &c. ..	600 0	274 38			
112 Refunds ..	300 0	176 38			
113 Hire of bulls ..	39,500 0	19,334 0			
114 Postage ..	600 0	100 0			
115 Uniform, &c. ..	500 0	300 0			
116 Cost of disinfectants ..	2,600 0	1,386 65			
117 Rent of night soil depôt, Narahenpitiya ..	1,638 0	—			
118 Miscellaneous ..	600 0	787 66			
119 Transport allowances ..	1,200 0	600 0			
120 Oil allowance ..	48 0	24 0			
121 Supply of latrine buckets	600 0	28 0			
122 Supply of storage buckets for latrines ..	300 0	36 0			
MARKETS.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
123 Salaries ..	7,367 0	3,532 48			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
124 Tools and equipment ..	300 0	111 73			
125 Hoses, &c., to markets	1,000 0	—			
126 Uniform for market- keepers and collectors	482 0	318 0			
SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
127 Salaries ..	4,038 0	2,043 96			
128 House allowance to Assistant ..	180 0	90 0			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
129 Transport allowances to Superintendent ..	180 0	90 0			
130 Feeding charges ..	4,500 0	1,597 56			
131 Removal of undigested food ..	360 0	180 0			
132 Burying carcasses of cattle	150 0	32 0			
133 Contingencies ..	200 0	51 52			
134 Tools ..	370 0	82 16			
GENERAL CEMETERIES.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
135 Salaries ..	4,595 0	2,161 67			
136 House allowances to ceme- tery-keeper, Kanatta ..	360 0	180 0			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
137 Contingencies ..	300 0	113 71			
MISCELLANEOUS.					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
138 Salary of Head Guide ..	432 0	216 0			
139 Extra clerks, overtime allowances, &c. ..	5,000 0	3,297 88			
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
140 Inspectors' uniforms, &c. ..	2,000 0	967 96			
141 Library ..	500 0	323 14			
142 Contribution to Law Library ..	500 0	500 0			
143 Costs and expenses of legal proceedings ..	3,000 0	1,478 25			
144 Guide's coats and Head Guides' uniform ..	90 0	69 50			
145 Contribution to Volunteer Band ..	4,500 0	1,125 0			
146 Advertisements ..	1,000 0	610 89			
147 Refund of fines, rents, &c.	260 0	91 93			
148 Expenses of bookbinding	500 0	441 66			
149 Subscription to news- papers ..	100 0	93 0			
150 Cost of grazing tickets ..	200 0	69 40			
151 Postage ..	1,000 0	520 44			
152 Subscription to telephone exchange ..	600 0	779 17			
153 Seizure of cattle straying on public roads ..	2,500 0	870 92			
154 Miscellaneous ..	3,000 0	1,088 93			
155 Train and tram fare allowances ..	5,000 0	2,259 57			
156 Stationery ..	5,500 0	3,807 23			
157 Furniture ..	900 0	791 86			
158 Cost of peons' belts ..	100 0	5 50			
159 Remuneration to Master Attendant's clerk for writing boat licenses ..	300 0	—			
160 Tin plates for boat licenses	400 0	—			
161 Contribution to Govern- ment on account of electrical apparatus ..	—	—			

	Estimated Expenditure for 1909.		Disbursements to June 30, 1909.			Estimated Expenditure for 1909.		Disbursements to June 30, 1909.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
262 Gratuity to Narayan Kangany ..	177	36	177	36	186 Upkeep of gravel roads, lanes, &c., upon sub-estimates ..	39,792	0	9,435	45
268 Refund of amount deposited by N. Muttu Carpen ..	150	0	150	0	187 Tools for roads ..	2,900	0	884	27
272 Stamps for receipts given by Shroff ..	1,000	0	154	70	188 Repairs to steam rollers ..	5,600	0	1,065	45
276 Cost of four bicycles for night supervisors ..	600	0	600	0	189 Watering streets ..	25,000	0	9,720	37
277 Cost of passage to Assistant Medical Officer of Health ..	583	0	583	0	190 Repair and maintenance of roads, night soil depôt ..	3,900	0	1,713	5
296 Contribution to Pasteur Institute, Coonoor ..	—		150	0	191 Narahenpitiya road, metalling of ..	2,800	0	95	99
PUBLIC WORKS ANNUALLY RECURRENT.					192 Carriage stands, upkeep of ..	223	0	18	7
<i>Buildings.</i>					193 Painting Church street enclosure ..	357	0	—	
162 Town Hall, maintenance of ..	4,197	0	986	86	194 Paved footways, repairs ..	1,500	0	65	17
163 Toll-houses, maintenance of ..	600	0	40	64	195 Repairs to bridges, culverts, drains, &c. ..	27,750	0	15,992	38
164 Guides' shelter, maintenance of ..	90	0	42	59	196 Conservancy of sewers and drains ..	10,160	0	4,125	57
165 Gas testing room, maintenance of ..	104	0	—		197 Maintenance and repairs to plant ..	1,220	0	413	57
166 Store and workshop, maintenance ..	175	0	—		288 Making up Hill Lane, Hill street, Kotahena ..	—		56	75
167 No. 2, Hulftsdorp, maintenance ..	120	0	—		<i>Scavenging.</i>				
168 Suduwella depôt buildings, maintenance ..	1,150	0	27	58	198 Scavenging ..	160,200	0	71,997	42
169 Contingencies ..	86	0	—		<i>Lake and Canals.</i>				
170 Disinfecter, working of ..	1,200	0	425	22	199 Conservancy of lake ..	5,060	0	2,105	70
171 Plague camp buildings, maintenance of ..	1,000	0	399	6	200 Lake, sluices, and locks, upkeep ..	1,500	0	1,242	0
172 Markets, repair of ..	5,000	0	2,082	49	201 Lake dredging ..	17,598	0	6,403	74
173 Slaughter-houses, repairs ..	1,000	0	143	62	202 Canal dredging ..	4,500	0	739	59
174 Slaughter-houses, quarterly whitewashing ..	1,075	0	439	50	<i>Parks.</i>				
175 Latrines, repair of ..	1,250	0	604	95	203 Victoria park, maintenance ..	7,300	0	3,176	16
176 Latrines, quarterly whitewashing ..	1,000	0	436	25	204 Racquet court, maintenance ..	1,303	0	483	74
177 Latrines, monthly whitewashing ..	440	0	60	0	205 Jubilee fountain, maintenance ..	112	0	—	
178 Cemeteries, upkeep of buildings ..	1,000	0	588	89	206 Gordon Gardens, maintenance ..	1,309	0	644	28
179 Central Fire Station, upkeep of ..	690	0	118	61	207 Galle Face esplanade, maintenance ..	833	0	339	63
180 Fire Brigade buildings, upkeep of other ..	370	0	172	54	208 Campbell park, maintenance ..	2,220	0	1,201	63
181 Conservancy buildings, repair of cart and cattle sheds ..	2,000	0	829	69	209 Price Recreation Ground, maintenance ..	1,080	0	521	68
182 Gala, Kachcheri road, maintenance ..	100	0	38	3	210 Havelock Town park, maintenance ..	2,230	0	1,298	49
183 House No. 9, St. Joseph's street, maintenance ..	120	0	—		211 Maligakanda park, maintenance ..	650	0	166	0
257 Erection of wall opposite Technical College ..	450	0	450	0	212 Public garden, Rifle street, maintenance ..	686	0	170	58
259 Quarantine Station and Cattle Mart ..	6,423	0	2,630	95	<i>Waterworks.</i>				
269 Fishery harbour latrine ..	2,600	0	1,064	30	213 Maintenance charges ..	10,500	0	7,710	89
275 Upkeep of Maligakanda Office ..	1,250	0	173	32	214 Shifting and repair to standposts, &c. ..	—		—	
281 Extension and equipment of store and temporary office, Maligakanda ..	10,000	0	7,409	63	215 Purchase and upkeep of meters ..	7,500	0	1,295	47
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &c.</i>					299 Replacing 3-in. main Dematagoda by 7-in. main ..	—		135	2
184 General upkeep of roads ..	27,084	0	11,700	16	<i>Lighting.</i>				
185 Upkeep of metal roads upon sub-estimates ..	163,873	0	43,868	86	216 Lighting public streets with gas ..	122,200	0	60,015	26
					217 Electric lighting of the Fort ..	18,200	0	8,736	0
					218 Shifting of lamps, repairs to fittings, &c. ..	2,000	0	247	50
					219 Lighting Municipal buildings ..	9,000	0	4,199	26
					220 Lighting Dean's road market ..	1,400	0	428	66
					221 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c. ..	1,000	0	10	0

	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1909. Rs. c.	Disburso- ments to June 30, 1909. Rs. c.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1909. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments to June 30, 1909. Rs. c.
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>					
222 Ambulance carts, repairs.	400 0	209 70	250 Erection of latrines, night soil depot ..	620 0	—
223 Night soil carts, construction and repairs of ..	10,000 0	6,500 89	251 For reducing the dust nuisance (upon sub-estimates) ..	10,000 0	2,649 14
224 Septic tanks, maintenance, repairs, &c. ..	250 0	90 22	252 Forming and draining of roads (upon sub-estimates) ..	10,000 0	249 39
225 Current for electric fans ..	4,240 0	1,923 49	258 Lighting and water service and fittings to new stalls, Dean's road market ..	900 0	826 93
226 Weeding grounds of cemeteries ..	200 0	76 60	263 Wages of caretaker, demolition of buildings, repairs, &c., Mansergh Avenue ..	200 0	—
227 Surveys, tracings, &c. ..	4,050 0	1,110 92	264 Do. Skinner's road ..	400 0	187 74
228 Store expenses ..	1,500 0	1,194 13	265 Do. Base Line road ..	405 0	187 75
229 Repairs to furniture of vaccine stations ..	50 0	37 80	266 Do. Churchyard lane ..	200 0	93 88
230 Tools for works ..	5,150 0	2,085 49	267 Do. Infectious diseases hospital, Kolonnawa ..	750 0	372 31
231 Conservancy buckets, construction of ..	1,500 0	525 31	270 Notice boards for public stands for vehicles ..	1,100 0	—
232 Storage buckets for latrines ..	300 0	—	271 Remington typewriter for Works Department ..	320 0	320 0
291 Construction of 15 water carts ..	—	3,877 72	280 Upkeep of electric fans and lights, Maligakanda office ..	600 0	23 25
PUBLIC WORKS EXTRA-ORDINARY.					
<i>New Roads, Bridges, Culverts, &c.</i>					
<i>New Works and Buildings.</i>					
<i>Lands and Buildings to be acquired.</i>					
<i>Waterworks.</i>					
233 Extension of water service	5,000 0	473 0	289 Cost of steam crane ..	—	5,250 0
<i>Lighting.</i>					
234 Extension of lighting ..	6,000 0	5,904 50	RE-VOTES.		
<i>Parks.</i>					
235 Improvements to Campbell park ..	—	—	Est. No.		
236 Public garden, Rifle street ..	—	—	183 of 1908, Improvements to Campbell park ..	988 62	198 11
237 Do. Union place ..	—	—	246 of 1908, Temporary enteric hospital ..	14,397 51	8,997 9
<i>Buildings.</i>					
238 Temporary Infectious Diseases Hospital ..	8,000 0	—	250 of 1908, Purchase of meters ..	14,000 0	10,812 63
<i>Drains.</i>					
273 Extraordinary works on main drains ..	5,000 0	12 0	266 of 1907, Construction of Skinner's road ..	115,000 0	82,497 84
<i>Miscellaneous</i>					
239 Wall presses for the Department of Medical Officer of Health ..	—	—	238 of 1907, Polwatte drainage ..	22,326 66	6,936 45
240 Record shelves for Works Department ..	—	—	244 of 1907, Modera drainage ..	831 79	170 34
241 Do. Municipal court ..	—	—	248 of 1907, Improvements to Central Fire Station ..	28,721 16	9,355 50
242 Cement testing machine ..	—	—	256 of 1905, Office and store, Suduwella (new vote) ..	23,895 81	5,961 80
243 Record almirah for Municipal Court ..	400 0	307 24	256 of 1905, Office and store, Suduwella (supplemental) ..	7,000 0	—
244 Riding track for Victoria park, laying out of (Rs. 14,000) ..	2,500 0	608 0	40 of 1904, Improvements to Dean's road market ..	1,162 56	518 48
245 Shelter at Madampitiya cemetery ..	1,266 0	—	162 of 1907, Construction of 3 mud barges ..	3,163 69	2,691 30
246 Construction of a hand dredger ..	3,272 0	—	261 of 1906, Extension of Ferry lane ..	3,253 0	565 33
247 Widening Turret road (on account) ..	10,000 0	—	255 of 1905, Roads, Suduwella depot ..	1,175 89	—
248 Two hand ambulances with rubber tyred wheels at Rs. 225 each ..	450 0	450 0	259 of 1908, Store and temporary office, Maligakanda ..	14,700 62	14,827 56
249 For providing rubber tyres for two existing ambulances at Rs. 50 each ..	100 0	—	262 of 1908, Filling up old drains, Gasworks street ..	1,859 0	873 94
			220 of 1908, Latrine, St. Michael's road ..	186 0	—
			221 of 1908, Latrine, Havelock park ..	3,057 0	—
			337 of 1903, Conversion of railing, dog pound ..	130 0	—

Est. No.	Estimated Expenditure for 1909.	Disbursements to June 30, 1909.	Est. No.	Estimated Expenditure for 1909.	Disbursements to June 30, 1909.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
252 of 1907, Covering top of railing, dog pound	66 0	—	284 of 1908, Bamboo tats, Grandpass market	339 40	342 96
274 of 1908, Gall Face seats	250 0	263 50	218 of 1908, Movable shelter, Revenue Dept.	22 57	20 25
235 of 1908, Surveying and drawing instruments and materials	1,463 8	1,074 93	239 of 1908, Labugama main, Victoria Bridge road	5,288 56	761 55
279 of 1908, Clearing and surveying lands, Infectious Diseases Hospital	1,481 27	1,444 39	185 of 1908, Public garden, Union place	2,397 34	185 41
236 of 1908, Cost of 3 iron safes	310 0	—			
230 of 1905, Erection of water posts	3,764 78	647 84			
255 of 1908, Conversion of ropes to chains, Dematagoda slaughter-house	829 19	—			
			Balance	2,270,212 82	923,718 69
			Grand Total	2,270,212 82	1,001,599 75

ADVANCE ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1909.	Receipts to June 30, 1909.	EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1909.	Disbursements to June 30, 1909.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Advance account	—	217,512 73	Advance account	—	268,636 77
Balance	—	51,184 4			
		268,696 77	Advance account—Making concrete pipes	—	2,347 80
Advance account—Making concrete pipes	—	2,347 80	Balance	—	4,708 69
Balance	—	4,708 69			
		7,056 49	Advance account—Making concrete pipes	—	7,056 49
Advance account—Purchase of stores	—	35,405 98			
Balance	—	30,229 4	Advance account—Purchase of stores	—	65,635 2
		65,635 2			
Advance account—Purchase of stores, Waterworks	—	6,717 0	Advance account—Purchase of stores, Waterworks	—	31,894 34
Balance	—	25,177 34			
		31,894 34			
Advance Account—Loan of steam roller to Construction Engineer	—	59 89			
Suspense account	—	1,353 94			
Advance account—Imprest..	—	500 0			

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.

	Receipts to June 30, 1909.
	Rs. c.
Deposit account	.. ..
Security deposit	.. .. 10,552 1
Owners of quarries	.. .. 18,354 98
Deposit Account—drain connection..	.. .. 185 0
Deposit Account—unpaid wages	.. .. 1,382 82
Half fines to Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	.. .. 525 67
Half fines to Police Reward Fund	.. .. 975 50
Deposit Account—clearing cesspits..	.. .. 1,310 0
Deposit Account—waterworks	.. .. 1,873 72
	.. .. 7,296 41
Total	.. 42,456 11

BALANCE ON JUNE 30, 1909.

	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on June 30, 1909	—	77,881 6
Add Credit Deposit Account	42,456 11	
Add balance on December 31, 1908	337,491 76	
	<hr/>	379,947 87
		457,828 93
Deduct Advance Account	51,184 4	
Do. Advance Account, making concrete pipes	4,708 69	
Do. do. purchase of stores	30,229 4	
Do. do. purchase of stores, Water-works	25,177 34	
Do. do. Loan of steam roller to Construction Engineer	59 89	
Do. Suspense Account	1,353 94	
Do. Advance Account, imprest	500 0	
	<hr/>	113,212 94
Total	—	<hr/> 344,615 99

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, July 13, 1909.

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

Progress Report.

Statement showing Expenditure and Balance on June 30, 1909.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, NORTHERN SECTION. Est. No.	Date of Commencement.	Vote:	Expenditure this Month.					Total Expenditure to Date.	Balance to Date.	Excess.
			Through Advance Account.				Direct to Estimate.			
			Labour.	Stores, Works Department.	Stores, Waterworks Department.					
Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>										
41 Salaries of Overseers ..	Dec. 1908	6,430 0	349 32	—	—	100 0	2,926 83	3,503 17	—	
<i>Other Charges.</i>										
47 Transport allowance to Overseers ..	Jan. 1909	720 0	—	—	—	50 0	185 0	535 0	—	
<i>Buildings.</i>										
162 Maintenance and cleaning Town Hall ..	Dec. 1908	4,697 0	262 19	93 44	2 65	216 63	1,360 16	3,336 84	—	
163 Toll houses ..	May 1909	125 0	39 48	38 90	—	—	119 2	5 98	—	
164 Guides' shelter ..	April 1909	90 0	—	1 37	—	—	43 96	46 4	—	
165 Gas testing room ..	June 1909	104 0	—	15 61	—	—	15 61	88 39	—	
166 Store and workshop ..	—	175 0	—	—	—	—	—	175 0	—	
167 House No. 2, Hulftsdorp ..	—	120 0	—	—	—	—	—	120 0	—	
182 Gala, Kacheheri road ..	April 1909	100 0	—	—	—	—	38 3	61 97	—	
183 House No. 9, St. Joseph's street ..	—	120 0	—	—	—	—	—	120 0	—	
169 Contingencies ..	—	86 0	—	—	—	—	—	86 0	—	
172 Markets ..	Dec. 1908	3,600 0	76 76	137 75	—	4 32	1,047 51	2,552 49	—	
175 Latrines ..	Do.	1,000 0	151 0	6 82	8 28	—	739 56	260 44	—	
176 Quarterly whitewashing of latrines ..	Jan. 1909	1,000 0	—	—	—	—	436 25	563 75	—	
177 Monthly whitewashing of latrines ..	Dec. 1908	440 0	10 0	—	—	—	70 0	370 0	—	
178 Upkeep of buildings, cemeteries ..	Do.	620 0	8 35	—	—	—	289 17	330 83	—	
179 Upkeep of Central Fire Station ..	Do.	690 0	10 98	4 91	—	—	134 50	555 50	—	
180 Upkeep of fire stations ..	Mar. 1909	250 0	8 29	4 0	—	1 92	102 7	147 93	—	
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &c.</i>										
184 General upkeep of roads ..	Dec. 1908	13,644 0	624 22	1 90	—	425 12	7,053 35	6,590 65	—	
185 Upkeep of metal roads ..	Do.	89,192 15	1,194 51	252 18	1 79	3,954 43	22,827 72	66,364 43	—	
186 Upkeep of gravel roads ..	Feb. 1909	21,443 60	—	4 56	—	—	1,491 99	19,951 61	—	
187 Tools for roads ..	Dec. 1908	1,600 0	6 5	—	—	—	524 82	1,075 18	—	
189 Watering streets ..	Do.	13,250 0	479 60	—	3 75	—	4,746 68	8,503 32	—	
192 Upkeep of carriage stands ..	June 1909	163 0	5 49	—	—	—	5 49	157 51	—	
193 Maintenance of Church street fence ..	—	357 0	—	—	—	—	—	357 0	—	
194 Repairs to paved footways ..	April 1909	1,000 0	16 89	2 80	—	—	84 86	915 14	—	
195 Repairs to bridges, culverts, &c. ..	Dec. 1908	17,500 0	810 31	409 5	—	171 10	10,038 97	7,461 3	—	
196 Conservancy of sewers and drains ..	Do.	6,760 0	502 19	4 56	—	—	2,972 85	3,787 15	—	
288 Making up Hill lane, Hill street ..	May 1909	705 0	273 36	16 20	—	104 10	450 41	254 59	—	
273 Extraordinary works on Main drain ..	June 1909	5,000 0	192 91	293 96	—	46 60	533 47	4,466 33	—	
<i>Scavenging.</i>										
198 Scavenging ..	Dec. 1908	93,400 0	6,609 23	496 40	—	175 74	48,964 3	44,435 97	—	
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>										
199 Conservancy of lake ..	Dec. 1908	1,560 0	82 50	—	—	—	702 67	857 33	—	
202 Dredging St. Sebastian canal ..	Do.	4,500 0	107 63	1 78	—	—	849 0	3,651 0	—	
<i>Parks.</i>										
204 Upkeep of Racquet Court ..	Dec. 1908	1,303 0	73 40	4 91	—	1 58	562 5	740 95	—	
205 Do. Jubilee Fountain ..	—	112 0	—	—	—	—	—	112 0	—	
206 Do. Gordon Gardens ..	Dec. 1908	1,809 0	146 99	25 55	—	20 0	836 82	972 18	—	
207 Do. Galle Face Esplanade ..	Do.	833 0	22 50	—	—	—	362 13	470 87	—	
209 Do. Price Recreation ground ..	Do.	1,080 0	86 60	—	—	—	608 28	471 72	—	

Assistant Engineer, Northern Section—contd. Est. No.	Date of Commence- ment.	Vote.	Expenditure this Month.				Total Ex- penditure to Date.	Balance to Date.	Excess.
			Through Advance Account.			Direct to Estimate.			
			Labour.	Stores, Works Department.	Stores, Waterworks Department.				
Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
226 Weeding ground, ceme- teries ..	April 1909	200 0	19 19	—	—	—	95 79	104 21	—
230 Tools for works ..	Dec. 1908	900 0	51 23	20 18	—	—	239 83	660 17	—
251 Dust nuisance ..	Feb. 1909	9,463 20	89 76	—	—	500 35	2,688 65	6,774 55	—
290 Laying granite cube road paving, Leyden Bastian road ..	May 1909	536 80	5 27	2 28	—	432 0	518 30	18 50	—
291 Construction of 15 water carts ..	May 1909	5,250 0	76 92	—	—	1 33	3,954 64	1,295 36	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
238/07 Drainage, Polwatta ..	Jan. 1907	8,076 66	81 50	7 4	—	—	6,685 62	1,391 4	—
244/07 Drainage, Modara ..	Sept. 1907	831 79	51 37	119 44	—	—	341 15	490 64	—
218/08 Movable shelter, Price park ..	Oct. 1908*	22 57	—	—	—	—	20 25	2 32	—
284/08 Tats to Grandpass Market ..	Mar. 1909	339 40	—	—	—	—	242 96	96 44	—
274/08 Galle Face seats ..	Do.	250 0	—	—	—	—	263 50	—	13 50
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
Drain connection from 319, Modera street ..	May 1909	19 80	12 94	—	—	—	27 44	—	7 64
Drain connection from 314, Modera street ..	Do.	30 80	10 96	—	—	—	19 49	11 31	—
Drain connection from 17/1, Turret road ..	Dec. 1908	26 13	—	—	—	—	4 24	21 89	—
Drain connection from 35a, Kollupitiya road ..	Do.	27 24	—	—	—	—	27 24	—	—
Drain connection, 5/266, St. Michael's road ..	May 1909	28 60	9 13	13 0	—	—	25 25	3 35	—
Obstruction in drain at 4, Chatham street ..	Dec. 1908	4 95	—	—	—	—	3 7	1 88	—
Drain connection from 47, Muhandiram's road ..	May 1909	39 0	8 44	22 0	—	—	33 70	5 30	—
Drain connection from 7b, Silversmith street ..	Nov. 1908	54 34	—	10 55	—	—	50 17	4 17	—
Drain connection from 79, Hulftsdorp street ..	Jan. 1909	61 9	5 99	23 0	—	—	66 23	—	5 14
Drain connection from 12/17, Carmel road ..	Do.	40 15	—	—	—	—	16 48	23 67	—
Obstruction in drain, 40, Chatham street ..	Feb. 1909	2 72	—	—	—	—	2 57	0 15	—
Drain connection from Freuden- burg & Co.'s premises ..	Do.	135 43	—	—	—	—	110 17	25 26	—
Drain connection from 38 or 5/247, Kollupitiya ..	June 1909	38 22	11 83	20 49	—	—	32 32	5 90	—
Obstruction in drain at 14, Old Moor street ..	Feb. 1909	5 50	—	—	—	—	4 65	0 85	—
Drain connection from 11, Hudson road ..	Mar. 1909	30 91	3 76	8 30	—	—	27 34	3 57	—
Drain connection from 20, St. Michael's road ..	Nov. 1908	21 50	—	—	—	—	21 50	—	—
Drain connection from 77, Koch- chikade ..	Mar. 1909	68 47	—	—	—	—	49 73	18 74	—
Drain connection from 175, Mutwal street ..	Do.	23 0	—	—	—	—	14 69	18 31	—
Drain connection from 112/3a, Mutwal street ..	May 1909	28 32	5 51	14 50	—	—	22 7	6 25	—
Drain connection from 15 or 7/55, Albert road ..	Do.	24 20	3 66	13 0	—	—	20 3	4 17	—
Drain connection from 45, 9/16, Muhandiram's road ..	Do.	39 0	9 24	22 0	—	—	34 61	3 39	—
Drain connection from 64, Kochchikade ..	Do.	34 65	—	—	—	—	10 55	24 10	—
Drain connection from 34, Kollupitiya road ..	Do.	24 20	4 76	15 62	—	—	23 63	0 57	—
Drain connection from 179, Mutwal ..	Do.	36 2	5 51	21 97	—	—	30 4	5 98	—
Drain connection from 4, Carmel road ..	July 1908	28 60	—	0 1	—	—	26 95	1 65	—
Drain connection from 9, Carmel road ..	Do.	28 60	—	0 1	—	—	27 1	1 59	—
Drain connection from 11/15, Carmel road ..	Do.	28 60	—	0 1	—	—	27 7	1 53	—

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ASSISTANT ENGINEER, NORTHERN SECTION—contd.									
Est. No.									
Drain connection from 13, Turret road	July 1908	24 72	—	0 1	—	—	24 49	0 23	—
Drain connection from 20-21, Mosque lane	June 1909	53 90	11 66	35 10	—	—	46 76	7 14	—
Drain connection from 133, Mutwal street	Do.	17 87	11 48	7 75	—	—	19 23	—	1 36
Drain connection from 39, Kollupitiya road	Do.	24 20	4 53	15 62	—	—	20 15	4 5	—
Drain connection from 7, Silversmith street	June 1908	137 83	49 12	18 33	—	—	67 45	70 38	—
Drain connection from 36 or 5/144, Kollupitiya	June 1909	24 20	5 13	15 62	—	—	20 75	3 45	—
Drain connection from 5/120 or 34, Kollupitiya	June 1908	24 20	4 10	13 0	—	—	13 35	10 85	—
Drain connection from 5/226, St. Michael's road	June 1909	25 30	5 90	15 50	—	—	21 40	3 90	—
Drain connection from 44 or 9/19, Muhandiram's road	Do.	39 5	9 91	24 74	—	—	34 65	4 40	—
Drain connection from 23, Silversmith street	Do.	95 70	16 99	50 58	—	—	67 57	28 13	—
Drain connection from 2, Old Moor street.	Do.	45 10	13 2	13 8	—	—	26 10	19 0	—
Drain connection from 43, Layard's Broadway	Do.	57 88	13 48	13 8	—	—	26 56	31 32	—
Drain connection from 6/196, Dias place	Do.	74 60	12 50	40 8	—	—	52 58	22 2	—
Drain connection from 24 and 25, Silversmith street	Do.	123 59	9 52	68 38	—	—	77 90	50 69	—
Drain connection from 114, Mutwal street	Do.	27 77	10 50	16 86	—	—	27 36	0 41	—
Drain connection from 169, Mutwal street	Do.	30 52	11 2	13 69	—	—	24 71	5 81	—
Drain connection from 90 and 91, Quarry street	Do.	29 25	18 80	5 26	—	—	24 6	5 19	—
Drain connection from 84, Mutwal street	Do.	29 97	5 53	17 58	—	—	23 11	6 86	—
Total	—	323,279 86	12,830 91	2,534 31	16 47	1,281 70	127,550 37	195,757 13	27 64
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, SOUTHERN SECTION.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
41 Salaries of overseers	Dec. 1908	5,170 0	286 66	—	—	100 0	2,655 4	2,514 96	—
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
47 Transport allowance to overseers	Jan. 1909	720 0	—	—	—	55 0	295 0	425 0	—
<i>Buildings.</i>									
163 Toll houses	June 1909	475 0	99 45	58 68	—	—	158 13	316 87	—
171 Plague camp buildings	Dec. 1908	1,000 0	7 23	—	—	—	406 29	593 71	—
172 Markets	Jan. 1909	2,100 0	190 11	22 76	—	—	1,566 68	533 32	—
173 Slaughter-house	Feb. 1909	1,000 0	24 51	—	—	—	168 13	831 37	—
174 Quarterly whitewashing, slaughter-houses	Jan. 1909	1,075 0	—	—	—	—	439 50	635 50	—
178 Upkeep of cemetery buildings	Feb. 1909	380 0	—	—	—	—	308 7	71 93	—
180 Upkeep of fire stations	Do.	120 0	—	—	—	9 75	84 68	35 32	—
181 Repairs and maintenance of night soil depôt buildings	Mar. 1909	2,000 0	8 33	2 55	—	—	898 72	1,101 28	—
175 Latrines	May 1909	250 0	65 4	—	11 40	—	121 82	128 18	—
259 Cattle mart and quarantine station	Dec. 1908	6,423 0	316 83	62 0	0 62	574 43	3,311 97	3,111 3	—
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &c.</i>									
184 General upkeep of roads	Dec. 1908	13,440 0	741 11	11 25	—	—	6,234 25	7,205 75	—
185 Upkeep of metal roads	Do.	74,680 65	453 63	185 43	—	82 87	26,620 34	48,060 31	—
186 Upkeep of gravel roads	Do.	18,348 6	304 29	24 32	11 16	—	9,439 8	8,908 98	—
187 Tools for roads	Jan. 1909	1,300 0	30 98	4 25	—	1,255 80	418 33	881 67	—
189 Watering streets and tramway routes	Dec. 1908	11,750 0	669 29	0 91	21 17	182 85	6,096 13	5,653 87	—

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ASSISTANT ENGINEER, SOUTHERN SECTION—contd.										
190	Repairs and maintenance of roads, night soil depôt	Dec. 1908	3,900 0	146 85	—	—	304 20	1,859 90	2,040 10	—
191	Metalling Narahenpitiya road..	Do.	2,800 0	264 69	9 56	—	—	350 24	2,449 76	—
192	Upkeep of carriageways	April 1909	60 0	—	—	—	—	18 7	41 93	—
194	Repairs to paved footways..	—	500 0	—	—	—	—	—	500 0	—
195	Repairs to bridges, culverts, drains, &c...	Dec. 1908	10,250 0	558 11	255 91	—	150 70	8,173 80	2,076 20	—
196	Conservancy of sewers and drains	Do.	3,400 0	201 15	—	—	—	1,860 62	1,539 38	—
285	School Lane, Dematagoda..	May 1909	1,150 0	338 51	—	—	142 50	670 40	479 60	—
<i>Scavenging.</i>										
198	Scavenging	Dec. 1908	66,800 0	5,005 39	91 61	—	—	35,235 30	31,564 70	—
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>										
199	Conservancy of lake	Dec. 1908	3,500 0	241 28	0 60	—	—	1,727 41	1,772 59	—
201	Lake dredging	Do.	7,028 0	591 77	1 52	—	—	4,298 91	2,729 9	—
<i>Parks.</i>										
203	Upkeep of Victoria park	Dec. 1908	7,300 0	380 51	2 26	—	138 54	3,558 93	3,741 7	—
208	Upkeep of Campbell park	Do.	2,220 0	122 21	2 85	—	—	1,326 69	893 31	—
210	Upkeep of Havelock Town park	Do.	2,230 0	131 76	1 93	—	11 0	1,443 18	786 82	—
211	Upkeep of Maligakanda park..	Jan. 1909	650 0	7 53	—	—	—	173 53	476 47	—
212	Upkeep of public garden, Rifle street	Do.	686 0	35 94	—	—	—	206 52	479 48	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>										
224	Septic tanks, maintenance and repairs	April 1909	250 0	—	24 0	—	—	114 22	135 78	—
230	Tools for works	Dec. 1908	1,000 0	69 98	3 49	—	—	290 52	709 48	—
244	Riding Track, Victoria park	May 1909	2,500 0	508 20	3 6	—	—	1,119 26	1,380 74	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>										
183/08	Improvements to Campbell park	Mar. 1908	988 62	15 83	—	—	—	213 94	774 68	—
246/08	Temporary enteric hospital..	Aug. 1908	14,397 51	21 90	25 11	—	3 87	9,047 97	5,349 54	—
255/08	Conversion of ropes to chains, Dematagoda slaughter-house	Nov. 1908	829 19	4 49	—	—	—	4 49	824 70	—
185/08	Public garden, Union place	Mar. 1908	2,397 34	427 85	81 55	—	30 0	694 81	1,702 53	—
<i>Deposit Account..</i>										
	Drain connection from No. 2, Staple street	Dec. 1908	15 95	—	—	—	—	5 56	10 39	—
	Drain connection from 35a, Reservoir road	Feb. 1909	9 90	—	—	—	—	1 97	7 93	—
	Drain connection from 4, Norris Canal road	April 1909	120 89	—	—	—	—	114 69	6 20	—
	Drain connection from 14/30 to 14/41, Chapel lane	Do.	55 33	—	—	—	—	58 87	—	3 54
	Drain construction from 77a, Dematagoda	May 1909	27 6	—	—	—	1 22	26 46	0 60	—
	Opening pavement, 41, Parana-wadiya lane	Do.	39 82	—	—	—	3 50	39 82	—	—
	Drain connection from No. 24/43, Dematagoda	June 1909	42 68	11 73	23 50	—	—	35 23	7 45	—
	Total	—	275,380 0	12,283 14	899 10	44 35	5,887 56	131,893 47	143,490 7	3 54
WORKSHOP FOREMAN.										
<i>Printing Department.</i>										
39	Repair and upkeep of machinery	Dec. 1908	237 0	6 58	—	—	—	41 9	195 91	—

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WORKSHOP FOREMAN—contd.														
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>														
41 Salaries of Head Overseer ..	Jan. 1909	1,200	0	—	—	—	100	0	600	0	600	0	—	
<i>Other Charges.</i>														
47 Transport allowance to Head Overseer ..	—	300	0	—	—	—	25	0	150	0	150	0	—	
<i>Municipal Buildings.</i>														
168 Upkeep of Suduwella depôt..	Dec. 1908	1,150	0	—	—	—	—	—	27	58	1,122	42	—	
170 Working of disinfectors	Do.	1,200	0	52	6	76	64	—	553	92	646	8	—	
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &c.</i>														
188 Repairs to steam rollers	Dec. 1908	5,600	0	46	79	—	—	—	1,112	24	4,487	76	—	
197 Maintenance and repairs to plant	Jan. 1909	1,220	0	—	—	—	—	—	413	57	806	43	—	
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>														
200 Repairs to Lock-gate, St. Sebastian ..	Dec. 1908	1,500	0	60	4	13	33	—	1,315	37	184	63	—	
201 Lake dredging ..	Do.	10,570	0	356	42	53	90	18	2	3,108	44	7,461	56	
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>														
222 Repairs to ambulance carts ..	Feb. 1909	400	0	8	69	—	—	—	75	89	324	11	—	
223 Construction and repair of night soil carts ..	Dec. 1908	10,000	0	1,085	61	21	85	511	6	7,619	55	2,380	45	
229 Repairs to furniture, vaccine stations ..	May 1909	50	0	—	—	—	—	—	37	80	12	20	—	
230 Tools for works ..	Jan. 1909	1,250	0	—	—	22	34	28	80	724	13	525	87	
231 Construction of latrine buckets ..	Do.	1,500	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	525	31	974	69	
243 Record almirah for Municipal Council Court	April 1909	400	0	—	—	—	—	13	12	307	24	92	76	
<i>Re-votes.</i>														
162/07 Construction of three mud barges ..	Oct. 1908	3,163	69	117	94	—	—	52	49	2,801	74	361	95	
Total ..	—	39,740	69	1,734	13	188	6	748	49	19,413	87	20,326	82	—
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, LIGHTING.														
<i>Lighting.</i>														
216 Lighting public streets	—	122,200	0	—	—	—	—	10,136	19	60,015	26	62,184	74	—
218 Alterations and repairs to lamps ..	—	2,000	0	—	—	—	—	7	50	247	50	1,752	50	—
219 Lighting Municipal buildings ..	—	9,000	0	—	—	—	—	644	29	4,199	26	4,800	74	—
220 Lighting Dean's road market..	—	1,400	0	—	—	—	—	47	24	428	66	971	34	—
221 Gas apparatus, chemicals, &c. ..	—	1,000	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	0	990	0	—
217 Electric lighting, Fort..	—	18,200	0	—	—	—	—	1,488	0	8,736	0	9,464	0	—
<i>Fire Brigade, Other Charges.</i>														
57 Lights ..	Dec. 1908	1,860	0	—	—	—	—	85	75	400	25	1,459	75	—
<i>New Works.</i>														
234 Extension of lighting ..	Jan. 1909	3,039	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	29	89	50	50	—
286 Extension of lighting, Gregory's road ..	—	2,960	50	—	—	—	—	2,915	50	2,915	50	45	0	—
<i>Printing Department.</i>														
39 Gas for stove and engine, Printing Department	—	200	0	—	—	—	—	8	40	87	15	112	85	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>														
225 Current for electric fans	—	4,240	0	—	—	—	—	265	38	1,899	49	2,340	51	—
280 Upkeep of electric fans and lights, Maligakanda	May 1909	600	0	17	70	—	—	—	—	40	95	559	5	—
Total ..	—	166,700	0	17	70	—	—	15,598	25	81,969	2	84,730	98	—

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ASSISTANT ENGINEER, WATERWORKS.										
<i>Maintenance.</i>										
213	Dec. 1908	10,500 0	649 22	—	562 74	75 0	8,753 37	1,746 63	—	
215	Do.	7,500 0	104 55	—	—	—	1,524 70	5,975 30	—	
		10,171 86	347 67	—	961 12	—	3,778 23	6,393 63	—	
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>										
48	—	7,820 0	601 16	—	—	12 50	4,014 32	3,805 68	—	
<i>Other Charges.</i>										
49	—	540 0	40 0	—	—	—	240 0	300 0	—	
<i>Re-votes.</i>										
239/08	Oct. 1908	5,288 56	—	—	—	—	761 55	4,527 1	—	
230/05	Mar. 1909	3,764 78	44 90	23 25	165 19	150 0	1,031 18	2,733 60	—	
250/08	Jan. 1909	14,000 0	—	—	—	—	10,812 63	3,187 37	—	
<i>New Works.</i>										
233	Mar. 1909	3,926 0	—	—	—	—	434 85	3,491 15	—	
284	May 1909	1,074 0	—	—	—	—	691 27	382 73	—	
	Do.	2,938 4	458 7	—	546 29	—	2,938 4	—	—	
	June 1909	295 42	295 42	—	—	—	295 42	—	—	
	Do.	294 70	231 3	—	63 67	—	294 70	—	—	
	Do.	32 55	—	—	—	32 55	32 55	—	—	
Total	—	68,145 91	2,772 2	23 25	2,299 1	270 5	35,602 81	32,543 10	—	
ASSISTANT ENGINEER.										
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>										
41	Jan. 1909	2,450 0	—	—	—	100 0	600 0	1,850 0	—	
<i>Other Charges.</i>										
45	Mar. 1909	2,500 0	—	32 97	—	—	218 31	2,281 69	—	
46	—	500 0	—	0 50	—	—	125 87	374 13	—	
47	Jan. 1909	600 0	—	—	—	25 0	150 0	450 0	—	
<i>Latrines.</i>										
269	April 1909	2,600 0	281 97	322 80	—	557 65	1,669 7	930 93	—	
<i>Buildings.</i>										
238	—	8,000 0	—	—	—	—	—	8,000 0	—	
275	Mar. 1909	1,250 0	55 10	—	2 45	—	230 87	1,019 13	—	
281	—	10,000 0	384 74	4 72	—	1,694 43	7,985 56	2,014 44	—	
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>										
157	Dec. 1908	900 0	9 38	53 57	—	—	867 23	32 77	—	
227	Do.	3,550 0	293 98	0 5	—	18 60	1,673 45	1,876 55	—	
228	Do.	1,500 0	92 67	2 91	—	46 40	1,256 99	243 1	—	
230	Do.	2,000 0	84 36	19 20	—	—	1,084 19	915 81	—	
271	Mar. 1909	320 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
264	Dec. 1907	400 0	31 20	—	—	—	320 0	—	—	
265	Do.	405 0	31 20	—	—	—	218 94	181 6	—	
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ASSISTANT ENGINEER—contd.									
266 Land acquisition, Church-yard lane ..	Dec. 1907	200 0	15 60	—	—	—	109 48	90 52	—
Advance Account—Making concrete pipes ..	—	—	48 55	46 51	—	—	3,015 75	—	—
267 Wages to caretaker, demolition of buildings, repairs, to Infections Disease Hospital ..	Dec. 1908	750 0	61 0	8 13	—	—	521 44	228 56	—
263 Wages of caretaker, demolition of buildings, &c., Mansergh Avenue ..	June 1909	200 0	17 0	—	—	—	17 0	183 0	—
<i>Markets.</i>									
258 Lighting, water service, and fittings, Dean's road market ..	Jan. 1909	900 0	—	—	—	15 0	826 93	73 7	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
40/04 Improvements to Dean's road market ..	Dec. 1904	1,162 56	7 45	—	—	—	525 89	636 67	—
256/05 Office and store, Suduwella ..	Sept. 1905	30,895 81	292 43	60 33	—	167 36	6,196 60	24,699 21	—
248/07 Office and quarters, Fire Brigade ..	Nov. 1907	28,721 11	624 55	96 85	—	568 25	10,076 90	18,644 21	—
266/07 Construction of Skinner's road ..	Mar. 1907	129,250 0	3,050 53	1,396 50	101 69	3,203 48	87,626 86	41,623 14	—
259/08 Store and temporary office, Maligakanda ..	Sept. 1908	14,700 62	23 50	3 0	—	223 27	14,667 59	33 3	—
262/08 Filling up old drains, Gasworks street ..	Aug. 1908	1,859 0	—	—	—	—	873 94	985 6	—
279/08 Clearing and surveying lands, New Infectious Diseases Hospital ..	Nov. 1908	1,981 27	81 10	31 0	—	8 96	1,556 49	424 78	—
261/06 Extension of Ferrystreet ..	Do.	1,003 0	—	—	—	—	565 33	437 67	—
235/08 Surveying and drawing instruments ..	Sept. 1908	1,457 8	—	—	—	—	1,078 93	378 15	—
255/05 Roads, Suduwella Depot ..	April 1905	1,832 11	—	—	—	—	—	1,832 11	—
236/08 Cost of three iron safes ..	—	310 0	—	—	—	—	—	310 0	—
337/03 Conversion of railing dog found ..	—	130 0	91 48	—	—	—	91 48	38 52	—
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
Drain connection from 66, Panchikawatta road ..	Dec. 1908	26 60	—	—	—	—	9 90	16 70	—
Drain connection from 77a, Panchikawatta road ..	Do.	26 60	—	—	—	—	23 0	3 60	—
Drain connection from 60a and 61, Panchikawatta road ..	Do.	150 65	—	—	—	—	149 9	1 56	—
Drain connection from 77, Panchikawatta road ..	Do.	63 82	—	—	—	—	61 47	2 35	—
Drain connection from 77b, Panchikawatta road ..	Jan. 1909	66 70	—	—	—	—	60 79	5 91	—
Drain connection from 70, Panchikawatta road ..	Do.	63 82	—	—	—	—	47 77	16 5	—
Drain connection from 25, Skinner's road ..	Do.	66 70	—	—	—	—	60 65	6 5	—
Drain connection from 69, Panchikawatta road ..	Jan. 1909	60 95	—	—	—	—	60 12	0 83	—
Drain connection from 76c, Panchikawatta road ..	Do.	63 82	—	—	—	—	50 90	12 92	—
Drain connection from 77d, Panchikawatta road ..	April 1909	63 82	—	—	—	—	60 16	3 66	—
Drain connection from 49, Panchikawatta road ..	Do.	99 47	—	—	—	—	77 78	21 69	—
Drain connection from 26, Skinner's road ..	Mar. 1909	147 20	—	—	—	—	109 45	37 75	—
<i>Advance Account.</i>									
Loan of steam roller to Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions ..	May 1909	—	—	—	—	—	59 89	—	—
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
Loan of steam roller to Hutson & Company ..	Feb. 1909	81 25	—	—	—	—	64 35	16 90	—
Total ..	—	253,308 96	5,577 79	2,079 4	104 14	6,628 40	145,265 36	111,119 24	—

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Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		
MISCELLANEOUS.									
134 Tools for slaughter-house ..	—	—	2 47	—	—	—	84 63	—	—
88 Cleansing gang ..	—	—	—	135 98	—	—	582 21	—	—
154 Miscellaneous, Secretary's Department ..	—	—	—	9 18	—	14 0	72 34	—	—
74 Miscellaneous, Health Department ..	—	—	—	1 52	—	—	263 71	—	—
54 Stores, Fire Brigade ..	—	—	—	272 57	—	—	633 24	—	—
73 Segregation camp, feeding of contacts ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	64 36	—	—
57 Working expenses, Fire Brigade ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	26 25	—	—
89 Enteric cleansing gang ..	—	—	—	3 75	—	—	77 91	—	—
106 Contingencies, cattle mart ..	—	—	—	39 0	—	—	248 50	—	—
111 Health Department, stationery ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	9 0	—	—
116 Cost of disinfectants ..	—	—	—	360 27	—	—	1,746 92	—	—
124 Tools and equipment, markets ..	—	—	—	24 21	—	—	135 94	—	—
137 Contingencies, cemeteries ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	113 71	—	—
31 Capture of dogs ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	117 12	—	—
156 Stationery, Secretary's Department ..	—	—	—	12 70	—	—	81 60	—	—
70 Materials for disinfecting station ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	40 21	—	—
38 General upkeep and stores, Printing Department ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	24 79	—	—
78 Prevention of diseases in animals ..	—	—	—	3 75	—	—	22 50	—	—
118 Miscellaneous, conservancy branch ..	—	—	—	8 74	—	—	31 79	—	—
133 Contingencies, slaughter-house ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	51 52	—	—
122 Supply of storage of buckets ..	April 1909	—	—	200 0	—	—	236 0	—	—
104 Lighting, cattle mart and quarantine station ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	8 50	—	—
279 Contingencies, Public Health Department ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	17 66	—	—
71 Destruction of rats ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	172 0	—	—
121 Supply of latrine buckets ..	—	—	—	744 0	—	—	772 0	—	—
Total ..	—	—	2 47	1,815 57	—	14 0	5,634 41	—	—
Summary.									
Assistant Engineer, Northern Section ..	—	323,279 86	12,830 91	2,534 31	16 47	1,281 70	127,550 37	195,757 13	27 64
Assistant Engineer, Southern Section ..	—	275,380 0	12,283 14	899 10	44 35	5,887 56	131,893 47	143,490 7	3 54
Workshop Foreman ..	—	39,740 69	1,734 13	188 6	—	748 49	19,413 87	20,326 82	—
Assistant Engineer, Lighting ..	—	166,700 0	17 70	—	—	15,598 25	81,969 2	84,730 98	—
Assistant Engineer, Waterworks ..	—	68,145 91	2,772 2	23 25	2,299 1	270 5	35,602 81	32,543 10	—
Assistant Engineer ..	—	253,308 96	5,577 79	2,079 4	104 14	6,628 40	145,265 36	111,119 24	—
Miscellaneous ..	—	—	2 47	1,815 57	—	14 0	5,634 41	—	—
Total ..	—	1,126,555 42	35,218 16	7,539 33	2,463 97	30,428 45	547,329 31	587,967 34	31 18

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

Credit.	Debit.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
	Advance account for purchase of stores:—		
238/1907 Drainage, Polwatta ..	For materials returned to store ..	369 70	
259 Cattle mart and quarantine station ..	Do. do. ..	53 93	
266/1905 Office and store, Suduwella ..	Do. do. ..	117 96	
198 Scavenging, northern division ..	Do. do. ..	0 72	
228 Store expenses ..	For surplus material put into stock ..	32 72	
Deposit account : 69, Panchikawatte road ..	For materials returned to store ..	6 0	
	Carried over ..	581 3	

<i>Credit.</i>	<i>Debit.</i>	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
	Brought forward	581 3	
Deposit account, drain connection, 5/266, St. Michael's road	Advance account for purchase of stores:—		
Do. 45, Muhandiram's road	For materials returned to store	10 50	
Do. 15 or 7/55, Albert road	Do. do.	16 50	
Do. 34, Colpetty road	Do. do.	10 50	
Do. 5/120 or 34, Colpetty road	Do. do.	10 50	
74 Miscellaneous, Health Department	Do. do.	3 75	
162/1907 Construction of 3 mud barges	For materials put into stock	4 75	
157 Furniture	For materials returned to store	7 50	
88 Cleansing gang	For materials put into stock	6 60	
39 Advance account—Making concrete pipes	Do. do.	208 71	
Gas for stove and engine, Printing Department	For concrete pipes put into stock	1,788 0	
225 Current for electric fans	For adjustment of value of gas bag paid direct	2 50	
40/1904 Improvements to Dean's road market	For lamps paid direct	24 0	
	For stores overcharge	0 4	
Miscellaneous revenue			2,674 88d
259/1908 Store and Office, Maligakanda	Deposit account—Opening pavement at Paranawadiya lane, No. 41, for Dept. charges		3 50
	281, Extension and equipment, Office and store, Maligakande, for adjustment of accounts materials paid direct	165 7	
	Labour	21 40	
			186 47
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Total payment for labour	Municipal Engineer	—	32,346 58
	Waterworks Engineer	—	2,871 58
	Amount of cheque No. 1,103	4,510 89	35,218 16
	Do. 1,104	4,286 21	
	Do. 1,124	11,704 91	
Municipal Engineer	Do. 1,125	11,550 52	
	Do. 1,126	289 55	
	Amount in cash	4 50	
		32,346 58	
	Amount of cheque No. 1,083	41 66	
Waterworks Engineer	Do. 1,097	50 0	
	Do. 1,127	2,736 11	
	Do.	100 0	
		2,927 77	
Refund by Waterworks Engineer, cash memo. No. 221 of July 16, 1909			35,274 35
			56 19

July 16, 1909.

C. LESLIE COX,
for Acting Municipal Engineer.

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy, held in the Town Hall,
Kandy, on June 19, 1909, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice
dated June 15, 1909.

Present :—The Hon. Mr. J. P. Lewis, Chairman; Mr. E. Beven; Mr. W. D. Gibbon; Mr. E. L. Wijegoonewardene; Mr. S. A. Owen; Mr. W. C. Price; Mr. R. W. Jonklaas; and Mr. V. M. Saravanamuttu

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on May 22 having been previously submitted to the Chairman for approval, and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted:—

- (a) Statements of Receipts and Expenditure from close of 1908 to May 31, 1909, on account of the Municipal Fund, comprising the (No. 1) General Revenue and Consolidated Rate (Police and Lighting), and (No. 2) Water Rate Accounts.
- (b) Progress Report of Works brought up to the same date.
- (c) Health Officer's Report for May.
- (d) Statement of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of Work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of May.
- (e) The Reservoir Readings for May.

Resolved,—That the several statements, together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, as required by section 90 of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 7 of 1887, and the Health Officer's Report, be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table:—Report by the several inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, standpipes, and house service taps inspected during May.

4. Correspondence :—

(1) Letter No. 7 of May 21, 1909, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, *re* regulations under "The Motor Car Ordinance, 1908."

Proposed by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Beven, that the following by-law be passed and numbered as 251 B :—

"Horns shall not be used to warn the public of the approach of any vehicle other than motor vehicles."—Carried.

Proposed by Mr. Jonklaas, seconded by the Chairman, that in by-law 251 A the words "or in the case of a motor cycle a suitable horn or bell" be deleted.—Carried.

(2) Letter No. 8 of June 12, 1909, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, intimating that the new by-law prohibiting people from sitting on the bund wall will not come into force until section 124 (2) of the Ordinance has been complied with. It was agreed to draw the attention of Government to all those by-laws where the requirements of this section have not been fully complied with.

5. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

Finance and Assessment.

(1) That the Municipal Council carters be paid Rs. 10 as compensation for each head of cattle suffering from rinderpest destroyed by order of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) That the following excesses on votes for 1908 be sanctioned :—

No. 1 Account.

	Rs.	c.
Commutation rate	45	92
Judicial account	41	0
Miscellaneous charges	13	64
Office charges	148	97
Registration of dogs	19	36
Stamp duties	16	95
Sanitation account	2,995	0
Slaughter-house	45	84
Taxes	20	64
Public Works charges	76	46
Assessment tax account	371	94
Maintenance of Police	619	22

Public Works Estimates.

	Rs.	c.
No. 9, ornamental plants	221	16
No. 10, tools	16	77
Concreting pavements (19)	28	44
No. 28, ornamental fence	6	99
No. 30, widening, Trincomalee street.. .. .	60	23

No. 2 Account.

	Rs.	c.
Water-rate	285	65
House service	485	62
Meter charges	1,430	47
Hermitage bungalow	91	6

(3) That the salaries of the Secretary and the Superintendent of Municipal Works be raised to Rs. 3,000 each per annum, and that such increase be considered final. The increase to take effect after expiry of three years service in their post.

(4) Supplemental Budget of 1909.

Proposed by Mr. Beven, seconded by Mr. Wijegoonewardene, that the recommendations be adopted—Carried.

Municipal Works.

That a site for building a pavilion be allowed to the Orient Tennis Club on payment of Rs. 25 a year for the whole piece of ground given for the use of the club.

Proposed by Mr. Wijegoonewardene, seconded by Mr. Saravanamuttu, that the recommendations be adopted.—Carried.

Confirmed this 24th day of July, 1909:

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

Progress Report of Works done brought up to May 31, 1909.

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure	Amount voted for the Year.		Expenditure for May, 1909.		Expenditure up to April, 1909.		Total Expenditure.		Unexpended Balance.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1	Upkeep of pavements	2,635	50	142	0a	711	38	853	38	1,732	12
2	Town streets	7,200	0	435	70b	1,531	33	2,017	3	5,182	97
3	Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's roads	900	0	44	94c	3	9	394	72	505	28
4	Udawattakele roads	2,200	0	217	34d	427	92	646	26	1,554	74
5	Halloluwa, Bahirawakande, Hospita ^l , and Huduumpola roads	1,900	0	32	17e	468	38	500	55	1,399	45
6	Municipal buildings	2,160	0	358	17f	793	76	1,156	93	1,003	7
7	Watering streets	1,025	0	51	45g	318	64	370	9	654	91
8	Market buildings	1,800	0	129	53h	167	44	296	97	1,503	3
9	Ornamental trees	496	0	100	63i	125	38	226	1	269	99
10	Tools	1,000	0	46	28j	48	91	95	19	904	81
11	Bathing and washing tanks	200	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	200	0
12	Recreation ground and esplanade	1,000	0	54	52k	258	57	313	9	686	91
13	Sundry minor works	400	0	6	58l	31	0	37	58	362	42
14	Repairs to cemetery-keeper's house	50	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	0
15	Wace park	556	0	26	26m	76	16	102	42	453	58
16	Recreation ground improvements	2,930	0	60	93n	334	95	395	88	2,534	12
17	Repairs to carriage & ricksha stands	100	0	0	96o	—	—	0	96	99	4
18	Building barrel drains	2,000	0	229	64p	1,295	33	1,524	97	475	3
19	Concreting pavements	572	0	—	—	440	52	440	52	131	48
20	Public streets, maintenance	175	0	3	60q	4	65	8	25	166	75
21	Clearing silt from Meda-ela	230	0	144	58r	—	—	144	58	55	42
22	Constructing a set of cooly lines	3,059	65	1,110	35s	541	15	1,651	50	1,408	15
23	Lady Blake's drive	570	0	3	63t	111	8	114	73	457	27
24	Retaining wall, Bahirawakanderoad	606	50	—	—	140	15	140	15	466	35
25	Improvements to vegetable stalls	198	0	27	25u	183	44	210	69	—	—
26	Wire fence round cattle shed	231	50	160	72v	60	7	220	79	10	71
27	Erecting a Horbury latrine	160	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	160	0
28	Building a latrine	600	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	600	0
29	Building a vegetable market	3,500	0	—	—	27	25	27	25	3,472	0
30	Dust bins	89	0	—	—	85	0	85	0	4	0
31	Fixing boundary stones, Lady Blake's drive	250	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	250	0
32	Repairing and arranging store	262	0	13	14w	153	41	171	95	90	5
33	Apparatus for flushing market and slaughter-house drains	454	0	66	18x	96	35	162	63	291	37
34	Incinerator for burning rubbish	4,500	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,500	0
35	New road, Lewella	2,015	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,015	0
36	Drains round Public Offices	4,534	0	173	4y	386	7	559	81	3,994	19
37	Drain alongside of the Railway	900	0	113	29z	1,142	13	1,260	42	—	—
38	Boat house	1,450	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,450	0
27/08	Schoolroom, Katukele	1,002	77	30	0aa	894	63	924	63	78	14
35/03	Retaining wall, Meda-ela	524	30	14	0bb	—	—	14	0	510	30
36/08	New refuge	128	0	—	—	94	81	94	81	23	19
37/08	Town Hall improvements	20	0	—	—	7	60	7	60	12	40
A	Clearing vegetation	300	0	—	—	75	69	75	69	224	31
B	Clearing silt from side drain	500	0	—	—	6	0	6	0	494	0
C	Opening and covering in pits	2,800	0	208	91cc	696	86	905	77	1,894	23
D	Ferry approaches	260	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	260	0
E&F	Ferry boats	1,100	0	51	0dd	682	63	733	63	366	37
G	House of refuge	222	0	14	46ee	64	80	79	26	142	74
H	Maintenance of waterworks	4,746	0	233	80	1,132	25	1,366	5	3,379	95
I	Maintenance of two fountains	146	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	146	0
	Scavenging streets	13,821	38	1,163	75	4,342	81	5,506	56	8,314	82
	Lake silt	3,000	0	259	15	1,497	58	1,756	73	1,243	27
	House service	1,600	0	52	61	243	55	296	16	1,303	84
	Fire engine	259	0	13	2	51	14	64	16	194	84

(a) Clearing silt from barrel drains Rs. 19·28, clearing gratings Rs. 18·07, making 7 manhole covers and cost of timber Rs. 93·16, repairs to barrel drains Rs. 5·59, and gravelling pavements Rs. 5·90 = Rs. 142.

(b) 26 cubes metal broken and piled Rs. 119·50, 34 cubes metal spread and consolidated Rs. 105·45, proportionate cost of store and line watchers Rs. 43·71, picking loose stones from town streets Rs. 14·50, clearing quarry Rs. 2, clearing anthills, Victoria drive, Rs. 3·99, removing land slips Rs. 3·60, repairs to gratings Rs. 8·03, weeding town streets Rs. 52·52, clearing side drains, Gregory road, Rs. 5·34, spreading gravel Rs. 9·02, spreading gravel, Lady Longden's, Rs. 21·16, clearing bund, Victoria drive Rs. 17·24, carving and painting letters on signboard Rs. 4·24, supervision Rs. 10·40 = Rs. 435·70.

(c) 2 miles side drains Rs. 17·50, clearing jungle Rs. 15·09, reducing sides Rs. 9, repairs to culverts Rs. 12·85 = Rs. 44·94.

(d) Clearing and deepening side drains and reducing sides, Udawattakelle roads and paths Rs. 172·32, clearing land slips Rs. 1·02, cost of materials Rs. 4, supervision Rs. 4, forest overseer's pay Rs. 35 = Rs. 217·34.

(e) Repairs to culverts, Hantane road, Rs. 11·31, clearing side drains Rs. 12·38, repairing hand rails, Bahirawakande, Rs. 4·43, contingencies Rs. 4·05 = Rs. 32·17.

- (f) Whitewashing lake spilt store Rs. 5·10, repairing roof Rs. 32·40, repairs to latrines Rs. 18·50, whitewashing latrine Rs. 7·10, repairs to office lavatory, Rs. 15·90, clearing Town Hall premises Rs. 20·97, whitewashing walls and clearing garden Rs. 12·85, and supervision Rs. 10, cost of materials Rs. 197·69, varnishing ceiling and fixing gutters to store Rs. 37·66 = Rs. 358·17.
- (g) Hire of bullocks for water carts Rs. 25·87, repairs to water carts Rs. 10·58, labour in making a barrel for water carts Rs. 15 = Rs. 51·45.
- (h) Whitewashing market Rs. 2, metalling approaches to market Rs. 45·60, repairs to stalls Rs. 14·26, 3 cubes of metal broken and piled Rs. 10·80, repairs to roof of market latrine Rs. 11·87, cost of 5 butchers' blocks Rs. 40 = Rs. 129·53.
- (i) Painting 45 iron tree guards Rs. 67·50, pruning, planking, and watering trees Rs. 33·13 = Rs. 100·63.
- (j) Cost of tools Rs. 46·28.
- (k) Wages of watcher Rs. 10·40, hire of bullocks for mowing machine Rs. 44·12 = Rs. 54·52.
- (l) Tarring gallery Rs. 6·58.
- (m) Sweeping and weeding paths and grounds Rs. 15·11, 4½ cubes gravel spread on paths Rs. 11·15 = Rs. 26·26.
- (n) Cost of loading and blasting Rs. 25·93, cost of baskets Rs. 35 = Rs. 60·93.
- (o) Cost of planks 96 cents.
- (p) 72 cubes of earth excavated Rs. 33·95, 6 cubes metal broken Rs. 21·60, 172 lineal feet cement concreting Rs. 97·29, 132 feet cement plastering Rs. 29·80, 74 lineal feet brick arching Rs. 37, supervision Rs. 10 = Rs. 229·64.
- (q) Repairing seats Rs. 3·60.
- (r) Clearing vegetation and silt from Meda-ela Rs. 144·58.
- (s) Cost of brick and lime Rs. 345, 9·80 cubes stone masonry Rs. 176·40, transporting tiles Rs. 23·75, 10 cubes brickwork Rs. 220, cost of timber Rs. 315·20, cost of door frames Rs. 30 = Rs. 1,110·35.
- (t) Clearing land slips Rs. 3·65.
- (u) Constructing vegetable stalls Rs. 27·25.
- (v) Erecting wire fence round cattle sheds Rs. 58·72, cost of 6 gates Rs. 102 = Rs. 160·72.
- (w) Cost of materials Rs. 13·54.
- (x) Cost of rubber hose Rs. 63·20, cost of materials Rs. 3·08 = Rs. 66·28.
- (y) 15 cubes stones wedged Rs. 150, cost of steel bars Rs. 23·04 = Rs. 173·04.
- (z) Earth filling Rs. 2·10, building, connecting, water-course Rs. 2·50, fixing manhole covers Rs. 3·50, cost of materials Rs. 110·19 = Rs. 118·29.
- (aa) Cost of 2 tables Rs. 24 and 2 chairs Rs. 6 = Rs. 30.
- (bb) Cost of 2 carts lime Rs. 14.
- (cc) Earthwork in excavating night soil pits Rs. 127·04, covering in pits Rs. 79·44, clearing jungle Rs. 2·93 = Rs. 208·91.
- (dd) Pitching and caulking Lewella boat Rs. 21·51, repairs to iron work Rs. 29·85 = Rs. 51.
- (ee) Wages of watcher Rs. 12·40, whitewashing latrine Rs. 2·86 = Rs. 14·46.

G. FRED. BUULTJENS,
Superintendent of Works.

Kandy, July 13, 1909.

Health Officer's Report for May, 1909.

Scavenging.—The scavenging of the town both by day and night has been satisfactorily performed in spite of the scarcity of cattle, consequent on an outbreak of rinderpest.

Drainage.—Surface and open drains clean and well kept; barrel drains flushed and cleaned.

Public Market.—Clean and well kept.

Food Supply.—The food supply was of good quality. During the month, 519 cattle, 97 buffaloes, 256 goats, and 127 sheep were slaughtered; 4 buffaloes and 3 head of cattle were rejected during the month.

Fish Boutiques.—Frequent inspections were made; no fish unsuitable for food was exposed for sale.

Public Latrines.—The public latrines have been kept in as sanitary a condition as possible during the month.

Dairies.—Clean and well kept.

Laundries.—Clean and well kept.

Bakeries.—All well kept. I have instructed the Inspectors to prosecute again all bakers who have latrines within a radius of 30 feet of a bakery.

Alleys.—These are regularly limewashed and cleaned.

Slaughter-house and Exposing Sheds.—Clean and in good order.

Cooly Lines.—Clean and well kept.

Houses and Gardens.—165 notices were issued during the month by the Inspectors to limewash premises, to clean cesspits, to construct drains, &c. Most owners and occupiers of houses have attended to orders given them. Action has been taken in case of defaulters.

Public Health.—The health of the town has been on the whole satisfactory. The following is a statement of infectious diseases reported to me during the month:—Enteric 6 cases, measles 9 cases, of which 2 were outside Municipal limits; chickenpox 1 case (outside Municipal limits).

Rinderpest.—In town 22 heads of cattle belonging to scavenging coolies and 5 belonging to a trader succumbed to rinderpest. Precautions for the spread of the disease are being taken by the Veterinary Surgeon, and the Health Department is doing all that is possible to help him. The Council has appointed a special officer to help the Veterinary Surgeon and also to see that instructions issued to the scavenging coolies regarding their cattle are carried out. This class of cooly is very ignorant and cannot or will not obey instructions. The cattle are the private property of the coolies.

GEO. P. HAY, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.), L.F.P. & S. (Glas.),
Health Officer.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Kandenewera-Wariapola Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee of the Central Province, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the above-mentioned road, as follows, to make up the amount (Rs. 3,272) of the estimate approved by the Governor, for the maintenance of the road during 1909:—

1st and 2nd sections, 1 mile 66 chains.

Total acreage 2,740—Cost of sections, Rs. 715—
Rate per acre 2609c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Wariapola Estates Co., Ltd. (George Steuart & Co.)..	Wariapola	960	250 52
Do.	Kandenewera	1,000	260 95
P. Colquhoun			
Adams	Wattegodde	344	89 76
Ceylon Land and Produce Co., Ltd. (R. Anderson)	Strathisla	436	113 77
		2,740	715 0

3rd section, 46 chains.

Total acreage, 1,780—Cost of section, Rs. 246—
Rate per acre 1,382c.

Wariapola Estates Co., Ltd. (George Steuart & Co.)..	Kandenewera	1,000	138 21
P. Colquhoun			
Adams	Wattegodde	344	47 54
Ceylon Land and Produce Co., Ltd. (R. Anderson)	Strathisla	436	60 25
		1,780	246 0

4th and 5th sections, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 2,346—Cost of sections, Rs. 1,868 80—
Rate per acre 7965c.

Wariapola Estates Co., Ltd. (George Steuart & Co.)..	Kandenewera	1,000	796 59
P. Colquhoun			
Adams	Wattegodde	344	274 3
Ceylon Land and Produce Co., Ltd. (R. Anderson)	Strathisla	436	347 31
Bandarapola Ceylon Co., Ltd. (Jas. Anderson).	Karagahalanda	106	84 44
Do.	Godapola	460	366 43
		2,346	1,868 80

6th section, 28 chains.

Total acreage, 1,450—Cost of section, Rs. 442 20—
Rate per acre 3049c.

Wariapola Estates Co., Ltd. (George Steuart & Co.)..	Kandenewera	1,000	304 96
P. Colquhoun			
Adams	Wattegodde	344	104 91

Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Bandarapola Ceylon Co., Ltd. (Jas. Anderson)	Karagahalanda	106	32 33
		1,450	442 20

ABSTRACT.

	Rs.	c.
Wariapola estate	250	52
Kandenewera estate	1,500	71
Wattegodde estate	516	24
Strathisla estate	521	33
Karagahalanda estate	116	77
Godapola estate	366	43
	3,272	0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to T. Maclachlan, Esq. (Wariapola estate, Matale), Chairman of the Local Committee, on or before August 18, 1909.

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, July 28, 1909.

Maskeliya Branch Roads.

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 Dimbula branch roads, viz., Norwood-Maskeliya, Maskeliya-Cruden, Brownlow-Luccombe, and Norwood-Upcot, will be held at the Maskeliya Club, on Wednesday, August 18, 1909, at 3 P.M.

Business.

- To elect a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.
- The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial 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 under-mentioned private contributions on the maintenance estimates for 1909, and to transact such other business as may come before it:—

	Rs.	c.
Norwood-Maskeliya road	4,949	0
Maskeliya-Cruden road	1,010	0
Brownlow-Luccombe road	787	80
Norwood-Upcot road	2,512	88

N.B.—The General Meeting for the election of the Local Committee must consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, July 30, 1909.

Dikoya Branch Roads.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above roads will be held at Norwood on Thursday, August 26, 1909, at 3 P.M., to consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to—

- (1) The acreage of the land belonging to each estate.
- (2) The sections used by each estate.
- (3) The name of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents and of the agents of each estate—

for an assessment on the following contributions on the maintenance estimates for 1907 :—

	Rs.	c.
Norwood-Campion road ..	3,797	60
Bathford Valley road ..	1,407	94
Wanarajah road ..	955	46

J. G. PALMER,
Chairman, Local Committee.

Fordyce Estate,
Dikoya, July 30, 1909.

Norton-Carolina Branch Road.

(Retaining Wall and Culvert No. 121.)

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 building a retaining wall and for rebuilding portion of culvert No. 121 on 6th mile of the above-mentioned road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates on the 10th section of the road, as follows, to make up the private contributions :—

NORTON-CAROLINA BRANCH ROAD.

Government moiety ..	Rs.	155	0
Private contributions ...	Rs.	158	87

(Estimate No. 639 of 1909.)

Total acreage 5,435—Rate per acre, '0292c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Alliance Tea Co. (H. B. Bremner) ..	Aberdeen ..	480 ..	14	4
Heirs of R. Aspland (W. C. Lloyd) ..	Norton ..	336 ..	9	82
H. C. Bryett ..	Hardenhuish ..	258 ..	7	54
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg) ..	Lammermoor ..	187 ..	5	46
H. C. Bryett ..	Ella-oya ..	219 ..	6	40
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg) ..	Laxapanagalla ..	344 ..	10	6
Do. (do.) ..	Theberton ..	201 ..	5	87
Fred. Clerk (C. R. Robson) ..	Elfindale ..	640 ..	18	71
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg) ..	Galawatta ..	176 ..	5	14
Carson & Co. (W. C. Lloyd) ..	Donnybrook ..	375 ..	10	97
R. Fenwick (D. A. Robertson) ..	Glengariffe ..	338 ..	9	87
Eastern Produce and Estates Company Ltd. (C. Shipton) ..	Dandukelawa ..	1,881 ..	54	99
			Rs.	158
				87

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before August 23, 1909.

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, August 2, 1909.

Norton-Carolina Road.

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

NORTON-CAROLINA ROAD (from Carolina estate, 11th mile, Ambagamuwa to Norton bridge).

Government moiety ..	Rs.	1,493	00
Private contributions ..	Rs.	1,507	93

(Estimate No. 221 of 1909.)

1st to 3rd section, 1½ mile.

Total acreage 7,279—Moiety of cost, Rs. 430-71—
Sectional rate, '0591c.—Total rate, '0591c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
W. P. Barber & F. W. Waldock (M. G. Stone) ..	St. Aubins ..	336 ..	19	89
Carolina Tea Co. (S. P. Blackmore) ..	Dotiagala ..	181 ..	10	71

1st to 5th section, 2½ miles.

Total acreage, 6,762—Moiety of cost, Rs. 287-14—
Sectional rate, '0424c.—Total rate, '1015c.

Scottish Ceylon Tea Co., Ltd. (J. N. Scorey) ..	Lonach and Benachie ..	759 ..	77	14
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1st to 8th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 6,003—Moiety of cost, Rs. 430-71—
Sectional rate, '0717c.—Total rate, '1732c.

A. H. & E. P. Harding (E. P. Harding), Killin ..	307 ..	53	23
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1st to 9th section, 4¼ miles.

Total acreage, 5,696—Moiety of cost, Rs. 143-57—
Sectional rate, '0252c.—Total rate, '1984c.

A. H. & E. P. Harding (C. C. & E. P. Harding) ..	Comar ..	261 ..	51	83
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1st to 10th section, end of road, 5¼ miles.

Total acreage, 5,435—Moiety of cost, Rs. 215-33—
Sectional rate, '0396c.—Total rate, '2380c.

Alliance Tea Co. (H. B. Bremner) ..	Aberdeen ..	480 ..	114	33
Heirs of Robert Aspland (W. C. Lloyd) ..	Norton ..	336 ..	80	3
H. C. Bryett ..	Hardenhuish ..	258 ..	61	47
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg) ..	Lammermoor ..	187 ..	44	55
H. C. Bryett ..	Ella-oya ..	219 ..	52	18
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg) ..	Laxapanagalla ..	344 ..	81	95
Do. ..	Theberton ..	201 ..	47	89
Fred. Clerk (C. R. Robson) ..	Elfindale ..	640 ..	152	45
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg) ..	Galawatta ..	176 ..	41	93

Proprietors or Agents. Estates. Acreage.	Amount.
	Rs. c.
Carson & Co. (W. C. Lloyd) .. Donnybrook.. 375 ..	89 33
R. Fenwick D. A. Robertson) .. Glengariffe .. 338 ..	80 52
Eastern Produce & Estates Co., Ltd. (C. Shipton) .. Dandakalawa 1,881 ..	448 3
	Rs. 1,507 46

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before August 23, 1909.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,507 93
Unexpended balance, 1908 ..	0 47
	Rs. 1,507 46

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, August 2, 1909.

Rangalla-Nitre Cave 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 sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1908, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, August 28, 1909, at 1.30 P.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the contributions:—

RANGALLA-NITRE CAVE ROAD.

	Rs. c.
Government moiety ..	612 0
Private contributions ..	618 12

1st and 2nd sections, 1½ mile.

Proprietors or Agents. Estates. Acreage.	
The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (Wm. Sinclair); Agents, Whittall & Co. .. Rangalla ..	130

1st to 3rd section, 2½ miles.

The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (Wm. Sinclair); Agents, Whittall & Co. .. Poodelgodde ..	331
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1st to 4th section, 3 miles.

The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (Wm. Sinclair); Agents, Whittall & Co. .. Madultenne ..	202
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1st to 5th section, 3¾ miles.

The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (Wm. Sinclair); Agents, Whittall & Co. .. Kaladuriya ..	216
A. H. Kerr & Beilby .. Ferndale ..	310
R. Ellis, Lessee .. Leangapella ..	321
C. J. Pattenson (C. F. Broad, Superintendent) .. Peru ..	138
N. Thompson & C. Roles .. Esperanza ..	523
Do. .. Mount Mar and Winchfield Park ..	500
R. H. Ellis .. St. Martins ..	594
Burnside Tea Co. (Whittall & Co.) .. Wattedgalla ..	250

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

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, August 4, 1909.

Duckwari-Cottaganga Branch 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 above road will be held at Cottaganga estate on Tuesday, August 17, 1909, at 10 A.M.

Business.

- To elect a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.
- The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to—

- The acreage of the land belonging to each estate;
- The sections used by each estate;
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of each estate—

for an assessment on the private contribution of Rs. 427.23 on the maintenance estimate of 1909, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

J. P. LEWIS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, August 3, 1909.

Kadugannawa-Alagalla 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 above-mentioned road will be held at the Alagalla bungalow, on Thursday, August 26, 1909, at 3 P.M.:

Business.

- To elect a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.
- The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to—

- The acreage of land belonging to each estate;
- The sections used by each estate;
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of each estate—

for an assessment on the private contribution of Rs. 1,436.22 on the maintenance estimate for 1909, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

J. P. LEWIS,

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, August 4, 1909.

Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory Estate Road.

IN terms of section 14 of the Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, I hereby give notice of my intention to hold a General Meeting of the proprietors or the resident managers of the estates interested in the Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory Estate Road, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa, for the purpose of electing a Local Committee, which shall consist of not less than two nor more than five members, to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance, for the term July 22, 1909, to July 22, 1911.

The General Meeting shall consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

The meeting will be held at the Hapugastenna factory at 2 o'clock P.M. on Saturday, August 28, 1909.

J. C. W. Rock,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, August 3, 1909.

Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory Estate Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Local Committee having estimated the cost of upkeep of the Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory Estate road at Rs. 14,600 during the year 1909, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 19 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the upkeep of the said road as follows:—

MALWALA FERRY-WEWELWATTA FACTORY ESTATE ROAD.

Amount to be recovered from estates, Rs. 7,300.
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 6,378—Moiety of cost, Rs. 6,000—
Sectional rate, 94.0733 cents per acre.

				Assessment.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
N. D. P. Silva & Co.	.. Silvaland	.. 1,017	..	956 73
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Company	.. Hapugastenne Group	.. 3,732	..	3,510 82
Do.	.. Hopewell	.. 325	..	305 74
Do.	.. Alupolla	.. 230	..	216 37
Do.	.. Wewelwatta	.. 250	..	235 18
Do.	.. Welawalamu-kalana	.. 352	..	331 14
W. D. Holland and A. H. Allenby	.. Dikmukalana	.. 165	..	155 22
A. H. Fernando and J. P. A. Ranawaka (lessees)	.. Agarsland	.. 307	..	288 80
Total				.. 6,000 0

5th to 7th section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 5,361—Moiety of cost, Rs. 3,000—
Sectional rate, 55.9597 cents per acre.

				Assessment.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Company	.. Hapugastenne Group	.. 3,732	..	2,088 41
Do.	.. Hopewell	.. 325	..	181 87
Do.	.. Alupolla	.. 230	..	128 71
Do.	.. Wewelwatta	.. 250	..	139 90
Do.	.. Welawalamu-kalana	.. 352	..	196 98
W. D. Holland and A. H. Allenby	.. Dikmukalana	.. 165	..	92 33
A. H. Fernando and J. P. A. Ranawaka (lessees)	.. Agarsland	.. 307	..	171 80
Total				.. 3,000 0

				Assessment.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
8th to 13th section, 6 miles.				
Total acreage, 1,629—Moiety of cost, Rs. 5,600—				
Sectional rate, 343.7691 cents per acre.				

				Assessment.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Company	.. Hopewell	.. 325	..	1,117 25
Do.	.. Alupolla	.. 230	..	790 67
Do.	.. Wewelwatta	.. 250	..	859 42
Do.	.. Welawalamu-kalana	.. 352	..	1,210 7
W. D. Holland and A. H. Allenby	.. Dikmukalana	.. 165	..	567 22
A. H. Fernando and J. P. A. Ranawaka (lessees)	.. Agarsland	.. 307	..	1,055 37
Total				.. 5,600 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman of the Local Committee, Mr. J. S. Patterson, Hapugastenne Group, Ratnapura, on or before August 31 next.

J. C. W. Rock,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, July 21, 1909.

Ellearawa-Pinnawala Estate Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that Government having estimated the cost of maintenance of the Ellearawa-Pinnawala Estate road at Rs. 3,000 during the year 1909, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 19 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said road as follows:—

		Rs.
Two-fifths contribution by Government	..	1,200
Three-fifths contribution by estates	..	1,800
Total		3,000

Total acreage, 2,410—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,800—
Rate per acre, 74.6887 c.

				Assessment.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
W. F. and Frank M. Laurie	.. Maratenna	.. 525	..	392 12
A. G. Layard and A. D. Sly	.. Detenegala	.. 450	..	336 10
C. T. Marzetti	.. Kandahar	.. 245	..	182 99
M. Cornelis Perera	.. Cecilton	.. 372	..	277 84
Messrs. Tarrant & Co.	.. Ferndale and Sherwood	.. 399	..	298 1
Ray J. Layard	.. Pambagolla	.. 419	..	312 94
Total				.. 1,800 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman of the Local Committee, Mr. Albert D. Sly, Detenegala estate, Balangoda, on or before August 31 next.

R. B. HELLENGS,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, July 21, 1909.

Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Grant-in-aid Road.

WITH reference to the notice dated June 7, 1909, and published in the *Government Gazettes* Nos. 6,314 and 6,315 of June 11 and 18, 1909, respectively, notice is hereby given, under section 14 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, that the under-mentioned persons were elected to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance in respect of the above road, to serve from June 30, 1909, to June 30, 1911, viz. :—

W. Hendry (Chairman), J. Sheridan Patterson, P. H. Bird, and A. E. Pietersz.

J. C. W. Rock,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, July 24, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the 26th clause of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861 all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European Member of the District Road Committee, Hambantota, for the remainder of 1909, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Southern Province, at least ten days before the day of election.

The election will be held on August 24, 1909, at 10 A.M. at the Hambantota Kachcheri.

H. A. BURDEN,
Secretary.

Provincial Road Committee.
Galle, July 30, 1909.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

THE following resolution passed by the Local Board of Matara on July 10, 1909, setting apart places for public bathing and for washing of horses, cattle, clothes, and mats in terms of by-law No. 4 of Chapter VIII. in Schedule D of the Local Boards' Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898, is hereby published for general information :—

“Resolved,—That the bathing kraals at Kotuwegoda, Meddawatta, Naimana, Gingasmulla, Kade-widiya, and Karawa be reserved for people to bathe in, the kraal at the northern end of the bridge be

reserved for washing mats and clothes, and that no cattle be bathed in the river within Local Board limits save between the river's mouth and the Gingasmulla kraal on the southern, and the river's mouth and the Karawa kraal on the northern, side of the river.”

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

Local Board Office,
Matara, July 27, 1909.

TRADE MARK NOTICES.

Application No. 373.

IN compliance with the provisions of “The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904,” as amended by the Ordinance No. 9 of 1906, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy of Colombo have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Messrs. F. C. Calvert & Co., of Tower Chemical Works, Gibbons street, Bradford, Manchester, England, Manufacturing Chemists, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of Carbohc Acid for use in manufactures; Carbohc Acid or preparations thereof for Agricultural, Horticultural, Veterinary, and Sanitary purposes; Carbohc Acid or preparations thereof for use in Medicine and Pharmacy; Hard and Soft Soap (included in Class 47); and Perfumery (including Toilet Articles, Preparations for the Teeth and Hair, and Perfumed Soap); in Classes 1, 2, 3, 47, and 48 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

CALVERT'S

The essential particular of the Trade Mark is the distinctive word “Calverts.”

The Trade Mark has been declared to have been used by the applicants in respect of the goods named since the year 1861.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, August 2, 1909.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

THE under-mentioned goods having been left in the Wharfage Company's Warehouses beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that unless the same be cleared or bonded they will be sold by public auction on Monday, August 23, 1909, at 12 noon:—

No. 5.—BONDED WAREHOUSE.

Date of Landing.	Entry Number and Date.	Vessel.	From.	Marks and Number.	Description.
1909.	1909.				
Jan. 2	1,739 of Jan. 20	ss. Jelunga	London	J B P # 3 S K	1 case
Jan. 6	2,182 of Jan. 25	ss. Polynesian	Marseilles	L S M	1 case
Jan. 9	1,952 of Jan. 21	ss. Mooltan	London	A L M M	1 case
Jan. 9	2,188 of Jan. 25	do.	do.	Nil # 9/12	4 cases
Jan. 27	856 of Feb. 9	ss. Ceylon Maru	Japan	V. Coomaraswamy & Co.	1 parcel
Jan. 27	1,229 of Feb. 11	ss. Cheshire	Liverpool	A upon Colombo	1 case
Feb. 6	237 of Mar. 3	ss. Moldavia	London	R. F. Brown	1 parcel
Feb. 9	1,793 of Feb. 19	ss. Purnea	Tuticorin	C. A. Mana	1 package
G WAREHOUSE.					
Feb. 9	—	ss. Sunda	China	Nil	1 bundle tea shooks
PARCELS WAREHOUSE.					
Jan. 27	—	ss. Cheshire	Liverpool	T C & S Colombo # 1	1 case
Jan. 28	—	ss. Jelunga	Calcutta	H. E. Gottlier	1 case empty
Mar. 9	—	ss. Staffordshire	Liverpool	L S A	1 case
Mar. 19	—	ss. Syria	London	Colombo upon A V R A in a diamond	1 case empty
I WAREHOUSE.					
Feb. 13	—	ss. Himalaya	Calcutta	Nil	1 bag manure
J WAREHOUSE.					
Jan. 12	—	ss. Itenda	Calcutta	Nil	1 sole plate
Jan. 21	—	ss. Assaye	China	Nil	1 bag seed
Jan. 27	—	ss. Ceylon Maru	Japan	D in a diamond	1 bundle tea shooks
Jan. 27	—	do.	do.	H in a diamond	1 bag grain
Feb. 9	—	ss. Purnea	Tuticorin	Bombay upon S S V	4 bags poonac
Feb. 12	—	ss. Seirstand	Bangkok	B B T C L	2 pieces staves
Mar. 27	—	ss. Wardha	Calcutta	H K M	1 bag rice
TRANSHIPMENT WAREHOUSE.					
1908.					
Mar. 2	—	ss. Staffordshire	Rangoon	Nil	1 bundle iron
Dec. 10	—	ss. Nizam	Bombay	M in a triangle	1 bundle medicinal roots
1909.					
Feb. 17	—	ss. Bezwada	Calcutta	Nil	2 bags rice
Feb. 17	—	—	—	Nil	1 bag grain
Q WAREHOUSE.					
Mar. 21	—	ss. Purnea	Tuticorin	Nil	2 bags manure

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, July 30, 1909.

C. D. VIGORS,
Principal Collector.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to direct that the following Notice to Mariners be published for general information:—

By His Excellency's command.

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 23, 1909.

CEYLON.

Trincomalee Harbour—Buoys altered and removed.

1. South-east Dockyard Shoal Buoy has been removed.
2. York Shoal Buoy removed.
3. Kerbela Rock Buoy altered to position N 27° W; 4.95 cables from Dockyard flagstaff.
Charts affected: 815 and 816.
Sailing Directions: Bay of Bengal, pages 113 and 114, Supplement to Bay of Bengal, 1908, page 13.

G. A. COLBERT,
Acting Master Attendant.