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### UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE KURUWITA RUBBER COMPANY OF CEYLON, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE KURUWITA RUBBER COMPANY OF CEYLON, 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 a block of land about 125 acres in extent, situated in Kuruwita korale in the District of Ratnapura, in the Island of 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 tea and rubber 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 rubber, coconuts, 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, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
- (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market rubber, plumbago, minerals, tea, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such 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 rubber, coconuts, 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 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 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 consideration for 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, and generally to accept any consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares (the shares whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or in the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person or partly in one of these modes and partly in another or in any other kind or mode whatsoever.
- (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 "person" 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 Twenty-five thousand shares of Twenty 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 pursuance of this Memorandum of Association, and we respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names :—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
H. G. BOIS, Colombo .. .. .	One
FRED. WM. BOIS, Colombo .. .. .	One
HERBERT BOIS (by his attorney H. G. BOIS), Colombo .. .. .	One
W. H. FIGG (by his attorney T. C. HUXLEY), Colombo .. .. .	One
EDWARD C. SKRINE, Colombo .. .. .	One
H. E. GUILMARAENS, Colombo .. .. .	One
V. A. JULIUS, Colombo .. .. .	One

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this 12th day of December, 1910 :

O. P. MOUNT, Colombo, Solicitor.

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE KURUWITA RUBBER COMPANY OF CEYLON, 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 or 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 "The Kuruwita Rubber Company of Ceylon, 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 every person who has accepted any share or who has accepted part of a share jointly with another or others whose name is entered on the register of Shareholders as owner or joint-owner of such share.

"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 partnership, 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*.

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

#### 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 original capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Twenty-five thousand shares of Twenty Rupees (Rs. 20) 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 share 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, 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 and from time to time and at any time thereafter exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon; and due in respect of the shares in respect of which some 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 during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting; and when a dividend is declared, for the three days next ensuing after the meeting; also at such other times (if any) 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 35 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 instalments, 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 affected 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 shares 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 Fifty thousand Rupees (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, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company, both present and future, including uncalled capital 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 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 three 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.

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 duly authorized.

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 in or the Liquidator 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 :—

*(The Kurawita Rubber Company of Ceylon, 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 votes 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 one hundred 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 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 Harry Gordon Bois, Francis John Poynts Roberts, and Herbert William Crabbe, 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 Director to act as Secretary, Managing Director, or Managing Directors and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company, or Superintendents of any of the estates, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents 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 and Third 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. A General Meeting may from time to time at any time increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also 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 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 tortious acts 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 block of land at Kuruwita korale, Ratnapura, 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 Directors or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries of the Company other than the Director so signing, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of Secretaries in the event of a firm becoming Secretaries being signified by a partner or the Manager of the 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 the Shareholders 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 amalgamations, 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.
- (g) Before recommending any dividend to set aside out of the profits of the Company such sums as they think proper as a reserve fund to meet contingencies or for special dividends, or for equalizing dividends, or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company, and for other purposes as the Directors shall in their absolute discretion think conducive to the interests of the Company, and to invest the several sums so set aside upon such investments as they may think fit, and from time to time deal with and vary such investments and dispose of all or any part thereof for the benefit of the Company, and to divide the reserve fund into such special funds as they think fit, and to employ the reserve fund or any part thereof in the business of the Company, and that without being bound to keep the same separate from their other assets.

#### 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 is 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 for the time being in Ceylon 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 resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings of the Company.
- (5) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors.
- (6) 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 transactions 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 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 next 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 shall invest the same in such securities as they may with the sanction of the Company select, or shall place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

140. The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises of the Company, or for the repair or renewal or extensions 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.

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.

147. 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 or 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.

## NOTICES.

148. 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.

149. 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.

150. 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.

151. 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.

152. 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.

153. 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.

154. 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.

155. 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.

156. 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 twelfth day of December, 1910.

H. G. BOIS.

FRED. WM. BOIS.

HERBERT BOIS (by his attorney H. G. BOIS).

W. H. FIGG (by his attorney T. C. HUXLEY).

EDWARD C. SKRINE.

H. E. GUTMARAENS.

V. A. JULIUS.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo :

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O. P. MOUNT, Colombo, Solicitor.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF GORDON FRAZER AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "GORDON FRAZER AND COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
  - (1) To acquire and take over as a going concern the business now carried on by John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman at Colombo, in the Island of Ceylon, under the style or firm of Gordon Frazer and Company, and all the assets and liabilities of the proprietors of that business.
  - (2) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: planters of rubber, tea, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid in all its branches; carriers of passengers and goods by land or by water; forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers; proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; and of tug owners and wharfingers; and any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above or any of them.
  - (3) To carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above, or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of, or render profitable, any of the Company's property or rights.

- (4) To acquire and undertake the whole or any part of the business, property, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business which the Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (5) To apply for, purchase, or otherwise acquire any patents, *brevets d'invention*, licenses, concessions, and the like conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Company, and to use, exercise, develop, or grant licenses in respect of, or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, or information so acquired.
- (6) To enter into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, joint adventure, reciprocal concession, or otherwise with any person or company carrying on or engaged in or about to carry on, or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on, or engage in or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company. And to lend money, to guarantee the contracts of, or otherwise assist any such person or company, and to take or otherwise acquire shares and securities of any such company, and to sell, hold, or re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same.
- (7) To take or otherwise acquire and hold shares in any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company.
- (8) To enter into any arrangements with any governments or authorities, municipal, local, or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such government or authority any rights, privileges, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (9) To establish and support or aid in the establishment and support of associations, institutions, funds, trusts, and conveniences calculated to benefit employes or *ex-employes* of the Company (or its predecessors in business), or the dependents or connections of such persons, and to grant pensions and allowances, and to make payments towards insurance, and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public, general, or useful objects.
- (10) To promote any company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.
- (11) Generally to purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real and personal property, and any rights or privileges which the Company may think necessary or convenient for the purposes of its business, and in particular any land, buildings, easements, machinery, plant, and stock-in-trade.
- (12) To construct, maintain, and alter any buildings or works necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company.
- (13) To construct, improve, maintain, develop, work, manage, carry out, or control any roads, ways, tramways, railways, branches, or sidings, bridges, reservoirs, water-courses, wharves, manufactories, warehouses, electric works, shops, stores, and other works and conveniences which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the Company's interests, and to contribute to, subsidise, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out, or control thereof.
- (14) To invest and deal with the money of the Company not immediately required in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (15) To lend money to such persons and on such terms as may seem expedient, and in particular to customers and others having dealings with the Company, and to guarantee the performance of contracts by any such persons.
- (16) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, charged upon all or any of the Company's property (both present and future), including its uncalled capital, and to purchase redeem, or pay off any such securities.
- (17) To remunerate any person or company for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing or assisting to place, or guaranteeing the placing of any of the shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company, or the conduct of its business.
- (18) To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute, and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (19) To undertake and execute any trusts, the undertaking whereof may seem desirable, and either gratuitously or otherwise.
- (20) To sell or dispose of the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of the Company.
- (21) To adopt such means of making known the products of the Company as may seem expedient, and in particular by advertising in the press, by circulars, by purchase and exhibition of works of art or interest, by publications of books and periodicals, and by granting prizes, rewards, and donations.
- (22) To procure the Company to be registered or recognized in any foreign country or place.
- (23) To sell, improve, manage, develop, exchange, lease, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company.
- (24) To do all or any of the above matters in any part of the world, and as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and by or through trustees, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others.
- (25) To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Four hundred and Fifty thousand Rupees, divided into Three thousand shares of One hundred and Fifty 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 pursuance of this Memorandum of Association, and we respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names:—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Shareholder.
GORDON FRAZER, Colombo .. .. .	One
GEO. E. WOODMAN (by his attorney GORDON FRAZER), Colombo ..	One
F. JAS. HAWKES, Colombo .. .. .	One
E. E. POWELL, Colombo .. .. .	One
F. W. TRELOAR, Colombo .. .. .	One
F. A. FRAZER (by his attorney GORDON FRAZER), Colombo ..	One

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this Twenty-second day of December, 1910:—

OSMUND TONKS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

OSMUND TONKS, Colombo .. .. . One

Witness to the above signature, at Colombo, this Twenty-second day of December, 1910:

R. W. HISLOP,  
Solicitor, Colombo.

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF GORDON FRAZER AND 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 or 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 "Gordon Frazer and 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 shall forthwith acquire from John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman the business of merchants and agents now carried on by them in Colombo, in the Island of Ceylon, together with the goodwill of the said business.

3. 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.

4. 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.

5. The original capital of the Company is Four hundred and Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 450,000), divided into Three thousand shares of One hundred and Fifty Rupees (Rs. 150) each.

6. 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, and 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.

7. 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.

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

9. 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.

10. 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 person who for the time being shall be the registered holder of the shares.

11. 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 company, business, estates, or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such company, business, estates, or lands, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

12. 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.

13. 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.

14. 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.

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

16. 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 giving proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholders; 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 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.

17. 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.

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

19. 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.

20. 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.

21. 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.

22. 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.

23. The certificates of shares shall be issued under the seal of the Company and signed by one Director and the Secretary.

#### CALLS.

24. 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 three 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.

25. 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 cent. per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of actual payment.

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

27. 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.

28. 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 from time to time and at any time thereafter exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon, and due 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.

29. Subject to the provisions hereinafter contained shares may be transferred in the usual common form or in such other forms signed by the transferor and transferee as to the Directors may seem fit to accept. The transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of any share transferred until the name of the transferee is entered in the register as the holder thereof.

No transfer of shares shall be made during the original management without the consent and approval of the governing Directors or governing Director, as the case may be.

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

31. 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.

32. The Directors 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 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.

33. 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 fifty cents, 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 32, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

35. 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.

36. The Register of Transfers may be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting; and when a dividend is declared, for the three days next ensuing the meeting; also at such other times (if any) 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.

37. The executors or administrators or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder (not being one of several joint-holders) shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.

38. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title as the 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.

39. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 38 shall not, from any cause whatever, within two years 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 two years 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.

40. 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, which surrendered shares shall be dealt with by the Directors as they shall deem fit.

41. 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 instalments, with interest and expenses due in respect thereof, be declared forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect.

42. 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.

43. 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.



44. 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 such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly saved.

45. 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 affected 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 43 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

46. 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.

47. 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 shares the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

48. 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.

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

50. 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 the shares.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

51. 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.

52. 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.

53. 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.

54. The Directors may procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the assets in hand, or in the future to be obtained, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of carrying on the business of the Company or otherwise; and also from time to time at their discretion borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company.

55. For the purposes 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, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company, both present and future, including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or may make, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange.

56. 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.

57. 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.

58. 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.

59. 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.

60. 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.

61. 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, and upon which all calls or other sums then due have been paid.

62. 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, but any such meeting so convened shall not be held after three months from the date of such requisition.

63. If at any such meeting a resolution requiring confirmation at another meeting is passed, the Directors shall forthwith convene a further Extraordinary General Meeting for the purpose of considering the resolution and, if thought fit, of confirming it as a special resolution; and if the Directors do not convene a meeting within seven days from the date of the passing of the first resolution, the requisitionists or a majority of them in value may themselves convene a meeting.

64. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution, the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently on the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

65. The accidental omission to give any such notice to any of the members shall not invalidate any such resolution passed at any such meeting.

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

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

68. 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 in such other manner as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting.

69. 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 other officers 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.

70. With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to 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.

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

72. 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.

73. 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.

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

75. 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.

76. 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.

77. 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.

78. 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.

79. 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.

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

81. 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.

82. 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.

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

84. 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.

85. 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.

86. 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.

87. 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.

88. 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 shall, as nearly as circumstances will admit, be in the following form :—

*Gordon Frazer and 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 \_\_\_\_\_.

89. 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 votes 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.

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

91. In the event of a resolution being brought before a General Meeting involving the sale of the Company's estates or any portion thereof, or the winding up of the Company after the termination of the original management, a majority of three-fourths of the Shareholders present and (or) represented by proxy shall be necessary to carry such resolution.

#### DIRECTORS.

92. 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.

As a remuneration for their services, the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate such sum or sums as shall be provided for by the Company in General Meeting.

93. The first Directors shall be John Gordon Frazer, George Ernest Woodman, Frederick James Hawkes, and Edwin Evans Powell.

#### GOVERNING DIRECTORS, &C.

94. The said John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman shall be the first governing Directors of the Company, and shall be both entitled to hold office so long as they between them hold half of the ordinary share capital of the Company; and in the event of one of them vacating the office by death, resignation, or otherwise, the other shall be the sole governing Director, and shall be entitled to hold office so long as he holds one-third of the ordinary share capital of the Company.

The said John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman whilst holding office of governing Directors, and after one of them vacates the office of governing Director the other whilst holding office of governing Director, shall have full control of the business of the Company, and one of them shall be the Chairman of the Board of Directors, and they or the survivor of them have the power to appoint and remove any other Director or Directors, and may appoint any person in addition to any existing Directors, and may from time to time and at any time appoint, define, limit, and restrict the powers and duties, and fix the qualification and remuneration of any other Directors, and may remove any other Director whomsoever appointed, and may at any time convene a General Meeting of the Company.

So long as the said John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman or one of them shall be the governing Directors or Director of the Company no other Director or Directors shall be appointed without the consent of such governing Directors or Director. In case the said John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman shall cease to hold one-half of the ordinary share capital of the Company, each of them shall be deemed thereupon to be elected to office as a Director, unless under the first paragraph of this clause he becomes a sole governing Director.

When both the said John Gordon Frazer and George Ernest Woodman shall have ceased to be governing Directors (which event is hereinbefore and hereinafter referred to as the termination of the original management), then and from thenceforth the Directors shall have power from time to time and at any time to appoint any other persons to be Directors, but so that the total number of Directors shall not exceed five.

95. After the termination of the original management the qualification of every Director shall be the holding of shares of the Company of the nominal value Rs. 1,500.

96. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary or Secretaries, and upon the termination of the original management as Managing Director or Managing Directors of the Company, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors.

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.

97. Until otherwise determined by extraordinary resolution, the Directors for the time being shall continue to hold office, subject only to the 94th and 104th clauses hereof.

98. 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.

99. 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.

100. 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.

101. 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.

102. 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 tortious acts 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.

103. 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.

104. The office of the Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director 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.

105. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the business of Gordon Frazer & Co. and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any company, business, lands, estates, property, rights, or privileges, including the goodwill and connection of any business they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

106. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of a 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 business and others, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

107. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make, such rules or regulations for the management of the business and the 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.

108. 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 regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made.

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

109. 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.

110. 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 authorize 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.

111. 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.

112. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders 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 amalgamations, 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.

113. 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 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.
- (g) Before recommending any dividend, to set aside out of the profits of the Company such sums as they think proper as a reserve fund to meet contingencies or for special dividends or for equalizing dividends or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company, and for other purposes as the Directors shall in their absolute discretion think conducive to the interests of the Company, and to invest the several sums so set aside upon such investments as they may think fit, and from time to time deal with and vary such investments and dispose of all or any part thereof for the benefit of the Company and to divide the reserve fund into such special funds as they think fit, and to employ the reserve fund or any part thereof in the business of the Company, and that without being bound to keep the same separate from their other assets.
- (h) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company abroad in such manner as they think fit, and to establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company abroad, and to appoint any persons to be members of such local boards or any managers or agents, and to fix their remuneration.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

114. 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.

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

116. 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 is 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.

117. 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 thereat shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

118. 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 person 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.

119. 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.

120. 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.

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

122. 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.

123. 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 transactions 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.

124. The Secretary or Secretaries for the time being, or, if there be no Secretary 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.

125. 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 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.

126. 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.

127. 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.

128. 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 any two or more of the Directors.

129. A copy of such account, balance sheet, and report shall, for seven days previous to the meeting, be kept at the office open to the inspection of the members, but the same shall not be circulated, and no copy of, or extract from, the same shall be taken.

130. 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.

131. 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.

132. 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.

133. 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.

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

135. If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor is not supplied at the next 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.

136. 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.

137. 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.

138. 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.

139. 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.

140. 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 may place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks, and may from time to time deal with and vary such investments.

141. The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises 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.

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

143. 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.

144. 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.

145. 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.

146. 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.
147. 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.
148. 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 Shareholder 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.

## NOTICES.

149. Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Secretary or Secretaries or persons appointed by the Board to authenticate the same.
150. 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 Secretary or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address to which notices may be sent.
151. 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.
152. 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.
153. All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

## 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 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 Twenty-second day of December, 1910.

GORDON FRAZER.  
 GEO. E. WOODMAN (by his attorney GORDON FRAZER).  
 F. JAS. HAWKES.  
 E. E. POWELL.  
 F. W. TREBOAR.  
 F. A. FRAZER (by his attorney GORDON FRAZER).

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo :

OSMUND TONKS,  
 Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

OSMUND TONKS,

Witness to the above signature at Colombo :

R. W. HISLOP,  
 Solicitor, Colombo.

[Second Publication.]

The Randeniya Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at Hatton House, Hatton, on Saturday, February 4, 1911, at 12.30 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To authorize the Directors to borrow from time to time such sums of money not exceeding in the aggregate £3,500 sterling as they shall think proper on a primary mortgage of the Company's property at a rate of interest not exceeding 9 per centum per annum, the lenders to have

the option at any time within the next three years of taking repayments of their loans by the issue to them of ordinary shares in the Company; such shares to be issued to them at par.

2. To authorize the issue of 3,500 ordinary Fifteen-Rupee Shares in the Company at par.

3. To transact such further and other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

LIESCHING & LEE,  
 Secretaries.

Hatton, January 25, 1911.

**Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, February 11, at 12 o'clock noon:—

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts to December 31, 1910.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To elect an Auditor.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
**COLOMBO COMMERCIAL CO., LIMITED,**  
 (A. A. PRIDEAUX, Manager.)  
 Colombo, January 23, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, February 11, 1911, at 12.15 P.M.:—

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts to December 31, 1910.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To elect an Auditor.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
**COLOMBO COMMERCIAL CO., LIMITED,**  
 (A. A. PRIDEAUX, Manager.)  
 Colombo, January 23, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Kukuludah Coconut Estate Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, February 11, 1911, at 12.30 P.M.:—

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts to December 31, 1910.
- (2) To elect a Director.
- (3) To elect an Auditor.
- (4) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
**COLOMBO COMMERCIAL CO., LIMITED,**  
 (A. A. PRIDEAUX, Manager.)  
 Colombo, January 23, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**Mentenne Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 18, Upper Chatham street, Colombo, on Friday, February 10, 1911, at 3 P.M.

- Business.*
- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1910.
  - (2) To elect Directors and an Auditor, and to transact any other competent business.

By order of Directors,  
**GORDON FRAZER & Co.,**  
 Agents and Secretaries.  
 January 26, 1911.

**The Ceylon Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at noon on Monday, February 6, 1911, at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Queen street, Colombo:—

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1910.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint an Auditor.
- (5) To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
**GEORGE STEUART & Co.,**  
 Colombo, January 21, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Ceylon Provincial Estates Company, Limited**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office, No. 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 6, 1911, at 2.30 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for year ended December 31, 1910.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director, appoint an Auditor, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
**GEORGE STEUART & Co.,**  
 Colombo, January 21, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Pelmadulla Valley Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 1, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 13, 1911, at 2 Noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended September 30, 1910.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To appoint an Auditor and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
**LEE, HEDGES & Co.,**  
 Colombo, January 26, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**Sir H. Dias' Coconut Estates, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at its registered office, No. 22, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, February 9, 1911, at noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1910.
  2. To elect Directors.
  3. To elect Auditors for the current year.
  4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.
- The share transfer books of the Company will be closed from January 26 to February 9, 1911, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,  
**LEWIS BROWN & Co.,**  
 Colombo, January 25, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.



NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership subsisting between me, the undersigned, and John Costa Goncalves, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of "Novelties Manufacturing Company," has been dissolved as from August 31, 1910.

Simon Richard Nicolle de Fonseka.  
January 15, 1911.

K. J. PERERA, of Delatura, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, do hereby give notice, in terms of the Rule 2 of the Schedule I, B. to the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in Sinhalese in the district of Tangalla.

Delatura, January 6, 1911. K. J. PERERA.

O. SIMON P. JAYASINGHA, of Weligampitiya, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, do hereby give notice, in terms of the rule 2 of the Schedule I, B., to the Ordinance No. 1 of 1897, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in Sinhalese in the District of Badulla.

O. SIMON P. JAYASINGHA.  
Colombo, January 16, 1911.

In the District Court of Colombo.

(1) Payna Reena Pana Lana Rawana Mana Ramen Chetty and (2) Payna Reena Veopana Runa Thenappa Chetty, both of Sea street in Colombo. Plaintiff.

Vs.

Jayawardene Patabondige Simon Perera, of Wekada Thalpitiliyadda in Panadura totampana, in the District of Kalutara. Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree in the above-syled action, I am directed by the District Court of Colombo to sell by public auction at the spot on Friday, February 17, 1911, at 4.30 P.M., the under-mentioned property declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 5,845-83, with further interest and costs, viz. :—

All that allotment of land called and known as P. tuwila, situated at Dodangoda in Indagoda pattuwa of Pasdun korale, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province; containing in extent 19 acres 1 rood and 13½ perches.

For further particulars please apply to the undersigned.

D. P. TAMPOE,  
Auctioneer.

## 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, November 18, 1910.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated November 12, 1910.

*Present* :—Mr. K. W. B. Macleod, Acting Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; Mr. C. A. Lovegrove; Sir Allan Perry, Kt.; Major A. W. de Wilton; Mr. H. Tiruvilangam; Mr. L. B. Fernando; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. H. L. de Mel; Mr. E. G. Jayawardene; Dr. David Rockwood; Mr. P. D. Khan; Mr. G. L. Cox; Mr. W. Sutherland Ross; and Mr. A. J. Martin.

The Minutes of General Meeting of October 21, 1910, having been printed, and copy thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of General Meeting of October 21, 1910, be confirmed.

1. Pursuant to notice, Mr. H. L. de Mel asked whether this Council proposes to take over roads opened by land owners on private property and leading into the public streets.

The Chairman replied that, as regards the future, by-laws would be framed under the Municipal Councils' Ordinance so as to ensure the opening up of roads by land owners in a systematic way, and that the problem of existing insufficiently wide private roads would have to be dealt within lines equitable both to the rate-payers and to the private owners.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. H. L. de Mel inquired what supervision this Council exercises in respect of the drainage works now being carried on throughout the city.

The Chairman stated that although the Council exercises no direct supervision, it has an indirect supervision over the drainage works by the present arrangement, under which the Chief Resident Engineer of the Works conducts his correspondence with the Consulting Engineers through the Colonial Secretary, all important matters being communicated to the Council, any Member of which can state his views in debate. The accounts are being audited by the Colonial Auditor.

3. Pursuant to notice, Dr. David Rockwood moved for a return of "Works" sanctioned by Council during the years 1907, 1908, 1909, and 1910 :—(a) Estimated for, voted, but not taken in hand; (b) Sanctioned, but not estimated for; (c) With reasons in each instance. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

The Chairman intimated that the return, when ready, will be laid on the table, and circulated among the Members of the Special Committee on the Works Department.

4 to 7. The following extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Municipal Works of September 6, 1909, on Sanitation and Markets of November 9, 1910, on Municipal Works of November 11, 1910, and Finance and Assessment of November 11, 1910, were brought before the Council :—

#### *Extract from Minutes of Standing Committee on Municipal Works of September 6, 1909.*

(11) To consider the question of ricksha allowance given to officers of the Works Department being viewed as a commuted allowance to cover ricksha hire and cost of travelling generally.

The Committee approves of the allowances being treated as commuted allowances to cover ricksha hire and incidental travelling expenses.

#### *Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of November 9, 1910.*

(4) To consider whether the fee for cremations in the Madampitiya cemetery should be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 3.—No reason for reduction.

(5) Letter from the Medical Officer of Health, No. 193 of October 18, 1910, recommending the appointment of Dr. Leonard Fabian Hirst as Bacteriologist and Analytical Chemist to the Colombo Municipality.—Recommended.

*Extracts from Minutes of Standing Committee on Municipal Works of November 11, 1910*

- (2) Estimate for erection of a new Municipal Court-house on Municipal land adjoining the Kachcheri, Rs. 6,000.—Passed; also an extra Rs. 500 for necessary furniture and fittings.
- (3) Estimate for gateway, waiting room, &c., at the General Cemetery, Kanatta, Rs. 9,507.—Passed.
- (5) Revised Estimate for Skinner's road widening, for supplementary vote of Rs. 25,000, postponed at last meeting.—Passed.
- (6) Supplementary amount required under vote No. 243, "Surveys and Tracings," Rs. 900.—Passed.
- (7) Question of ear-marking a sum of Rs. 100,000 in the Budget for street improvements.—Recommended.
- (10) To consider the Municipal Engineer's suggestion for dust prevention by oiling the streets with kauri oil.—Approved.
- (13) To include the following rule in the Municipal regulations, viz. :—"Under no circumstances must expenditure, exceeding a sanctioned estimate, be incurred without special authority for so doing. Strict adherence to this rule is absolutely necessary in order to protect the Council's interests."—Passed.
- (14) Letter from Mr. C. L. Cox dated October 14, 1910, from Brighton, England, informing that he has selected Mr. J. Mortimer Blizard to fill the post of Assistant Engineer, Drainage. The Chairman recommends the appointment.—Passed.
- (15) Letter from Mr. C. L. Cox dated October 14, 1910, from Brighton, England, informing that he has selected Mr. James Douglas Mair to fill the post of Drainlayer. The Chairman recommends the appointment.—Passed.
- (16) Letter from the Municipal Engineer, No. 1,596 of October 31, 1910, requesting that the provision made in the estimate for scraping the 20-inch main from Labugama be devoted to the old instead of the new main.—Passed.
- (17) Tenders for supply of 2-in. metal during 1911.—Accept tenders of W. H. Boteju, K. Assen Cader, W. P. Boteju, S. Mohamado, and A. O. Saibo.
- (18) Tenders for supply of ½-in. metal during 1911.—Accept tenders of M. S. Abdul Cader and S. Samsudeen.
- (19) Tenders for the supply of screened gravel during 1911.—Accept tenders of M. K. S. Mohamado, U. Karuppen Kangany, J. D. Brampi Singho, M. K. Assen Cader, L. D. Arnolis Appuhamy, and W. S. Boteju.
- (20) Tenders for supply of river sand during 1911.—Accept tender of K. T. Cooray.
- (21) Tenders for whitewashing slaughter-house and public latrines during 1911.—Work to be undertaken departmentally.

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- (2) Estimate for erection of a new Municipal Court-house on Municipal land adjoining the Kachcheri, Rs. 6,000.—Passed; also an extra Rs. 500 for necessary furniture and fittings.
- (3) Estimate for gateway, waiting room, &c., at the General Cemetery, Kanatta, Rs. 9,507.—Passed.
- (5) Revised Estimate for Skinner's road widening, for supplementary vote of Rs. 25,000.—Passed.
- (6) Supplementary amount required under vote No. 243, "Surveys and Tracings," Rs. 900.—Passed.
- (7) Authority to transfer Rs. 250 to Estimate No. 221, "Upkeep, Price Recreation Ground," and Rs. 350 to Estimate No. 220, "Upkeep of Campbell park," from unexpended balance on vote No. 295.—Passed.
- (8) Authority to transfer a sum of Rs. 500 from saving on vote No. 256, "Public Ground near Eye Hospital," to vote No. 218, "Gordon Gardens."—Passed.
- (9) Supplementary amounts required under the following votes of 1910, viz. :—No. 163, Miscellaneous, Rs. 500; No. 104, Furniture, Slave Island dispensary, Rs. 118·38; No. 146, Upkeep of graves, Rs. 150; No. 93, Cost of disinfectants, Rs. 1,000; No. 110, Stimulants, Enteric Hospital, Rs. 200.—Passed.
- (10) Question of granting authority to the Financial Assistant to meet sanctioned expenditure from such savings on the votes concerned, instead of making special provision for them.—Allowed, subject to Chairman's sanction.
- (15) Placing of Mr. C. Foenander, Superintendent of the Conservancy Department, on an incremental scheme.—Approved the Medical Officer of Health's suggestion.
- (25) Temporary employment of the following staff to the Assessment Department for inspecting every property in the town for assessment purpose from January 1, 1911, viz. :—Two inspectors at Rs. 60 plus Rs. 25 conveyance allowance each per month, Rs. 2,040; two peons at Rs. 12·50 each per month, Rs. 300; total, Rs. 2,340.—Passed.
- (28) Leasing of building sites situated at the junction of Panchikawatta and 1st Division, Maradana, postponed at last meeting.—Approved Mr. Alvis's suggestion.
- (29) Question of leasing an encroachment on Municipal land at Welikada.—Allowed lease on consideration of surrender at a month's notice.
- (30) Question of entering into a contract with the Asiatic Petroleum Company, Limited, to supply petrol for the use of the Municipal motor car for one year.—Passed.
- (34) Payment of salary to a dismissed coachman of the Fire Brigade, in lieu of notice, for the month of April, 1910.—Passed.
- (35) Employment of a punkah boy for the Assessor's office in the Municipal Store buildings at Rs. 5 per mensem.—Approved.
- (36) Permanent employment of two clerks in the Commutation Department (as per resolution of this Committee of February 7, 1910), on Rs. 300 per annum from January 1, 1911.—Approved.
- (39) To include the following rule in the Municipal regulations, viz. :—"Under no circumstances must expenditure, exceeding a sanctioned estimate, be incurred without special authority for so doing. Strict adherence to this rule is absolutely necessary in order to protect the Council's interests."—Approved.
- (40) Letter from the Municipal Engineer, No. 1,592 of October 31, 1910, requesting that the Council be moved to sanction additional leave had by him in 1908 (thirteen days) and 1909 (three months) and to forego a refund of Rs. 352·82 in consequence of the leave.—Approved thirteen days in 1908 as employed on Council work.
- (43) Tender for supply of uniforms, &c., to Inspectors, Supervisors, &c., for 1911.—Accept the tender of J. Katheyzer.
- (44) Tenders for supply of grass and poonac to the Dematagoda slaughter-house for 1911.—Accept the tender of W. A. Adonis Silva.
- (45) Tenders for the purchase and removal of manure, litter, &c., from the Quarantine Station and Cattle Mart during 1911.—Accept the tender of S. Tambyah.
- (47) Tenders for supply of painted tin plates, &c., for carriages, &c., for 1911.—Accept the tender of S. F. Perera.
- (48) Tenders for supply of stationery, &c., for 1911.—Accept the tenders of W. E. Bastian & Co., N. S. Fernando, and K. P. P. Avinayake.

The Chairman moved that Council do go into Committee to consider items 4, 5, 6, and 7 on the agenda.—Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

(Council in Committee.)

4. The Chairman moved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of September 6, 1909, be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

5. The Chairman moved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of November 9, 1910, be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

6. With reference to item No. 15 of the recommendations of Standing Committee on Municipal Works of November 11, 1910, it was resolved that the designation of the post be "Drainage Inspector" instead of "Drainlayer."

The Chairman moved that the recommendations of the above Standing Committee be adopted as amended. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

7. The Chairman moved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of November 11, 1910, be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried. It being agreed that the staff recommended in item No. 25 be employed for 1911.

The Chairman moved that Council do resume, and that the resolutions passed in Committee be passed. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

8. Report of the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the further requirements of the Fire Brigade was brought before the Council, having been previously printed and circulated. Mr. Arthur Alvis moved that the report be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

With permission of Council, Mr. H. L. de Mel moved that the thanks of this Council be recorded for the services rendered by Mr. C. A. Lovegrove in this connection. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

9. Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the valuation of properties contained in the assessment books of 1910 for the year 1911, subject to such alterations as the Chairman may from time to time find necessary, in respect of the following wards, be adopted:—Fort and Crown lands, Pettah (East and West), San Sabastian, St. Paul's, Kotahena B, and New Bazaar. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

10. Application from Mr. N. M. Ingram, Assistant Municipal Engineer, for further extension of leave up to January 7, 1910.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the leave applied for be granted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

11. Excess of leave over 30 days granted to Inspector Davidson, owing to ill-health, on September 15 and 17 to 24, 1910.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the leave granted by the Chairman be confirmed. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

12. Excess of leave over 30 days granted to Mr. E. P. Wijeyeratne, Clerk, Commutation Department, owing to ill-health, from October 22, 1910.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the leave granted by the Chairman be confirmed. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

13. Excess of leave over 30 days granted to Mr. W. Lodewyke, Depôt Overseer, from August 11 to September 15, 1910, owing to ill-health.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the leave granted by the Chairman be confirmed. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

14. Excess of leave over 30 days granted to Mr. J. S. Perera, Clerk, Vehicles and Animals Department, from November 8 to 10, 1910, owing to ill-health.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the leave granted by the Chairman be confirmed. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

15. Report of the Resident Engineer of the Colombo Drainage Works for the month of September, 1910, was laid on the table, having been previously printed and circulated.

16. City Analyst's reports of the town water for October, 1910, were laid on the table.

17. Statement of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to September 30, 1910, and Progress Report of Work done for October, 1910, were laid on the table.

18. Reports of Inspectors on licensed carriages, were laid on the table.

The following documents were also laid on the table:—

Return of Committees of Municipal Council of 1910.

Proceedings of Committees.

Volunteer Band Programme for November, 1910.

Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for September, 1910.

The Municipal Engineer's Report for October, 1910, on the condition of tramway routes.

K. MACLEOD,  
Acting Chairman, Municipal Council,  
and Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on December 16, 1910:

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## Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from January 1 to November 30, 1910.

REVENUE.				
	Estimated Revenue for 1910.		Receipts to Nov. 30, 1910.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>TAXES.</b>				
1 Commutation under Road Ordinance ..	120,000	0	134,889	75
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals (under section 128 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1887) ..	50,000	0	63,475	25
3 Do. costs ..	150	0	381	70
4 Dog tax ..	5,500	0	5,264	62
<b>LICENSES.</b>				
5 Carriage and rickshas for hire ..	15,500	0	16,136	25
6 Passenger hackeries for hire ..	400	0	404	62½
7 Cart, coach, and tram cars ..	8,200	0	9,700	27½
8 Boat ..	45	0	67	23
9 Boat—issued by Master Attendant ..	5,700	0	5,996	25
10 Gun—issued by Government Agent ..	500	0	296	40
11 To sell intoxicating liquors—issued by Government Agent ..	18,500	0	—	—
12 To slaughter cattle, sheep, and pigs (special) ..	50	0	125	50
13 To sell meat (special) ..	600	0	885	0
14 To sell fish (special) ..	350	0	577	0
15 Opium ..	81,000	0	61,184	62
16 Petroleum ..	4,000	0	5,466	0
17 Guides' ..	60	0	60	0
18 Poison ..	200	0	156	75
19 Trade licenses ..	20,000	0	9,570	50
20 Auctioneers' and brokers' ..	10,000	0	9,515	0
21 Stamp duty on advocates', proctors', and notaries' certificates and articles of clerkship ..	6,000	0	6,984	13
22 Stamp duty on licenses on arrack taverns ..	10,500	0	10,237	50
<b>JUDICIAL FINES.</b>				
23 By Municipal Magistrate ..	45,000	0	37,898	63
24 By Police Magistrate ..	50	0	39	50
<b>TOLLS.</b>				
25 Victoria bridge, Grandpass ..	82,617	0	59,462	75
26 Bambalapitiya ..	62,982	0	47,236	50
27 Mutwal ferry ..	1,315	0	986	26
28 Lock-gate ..	415	0	242	10
<b>MARKETS.</b>				
29 Edinburgh, fruit and vegetable ..	1,800	0	2,027	9
30 Price park, fruit and vegetable ..	4,000	0	5,124	36
31 Edinburgh, meat ..	6,000	0	6,442	0
32 St. John's fish market ..	3,000	0	3,806	38
33 Dean's road market ..	20,700	0	18,967	84½
34 Grandpass market ..	2,500	0	1,646	70
35 Kollupitiya market ..	1,180	0	1,265	0
36 Gintupitiya street market ..	3,200	0	3,136	0
37 Slave Island market ..	4,000	0	—	—
38 Bambalapitiya market ..	750	0	729	0
39 Costs for recovery of arrears of market rents ..	100	0	247	85½
<b>SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.</b>				
40 Dematagoda, slaughtering fees ..	20,500	0	21,192	55
41 Dematagoda, feeding fees ..	24,000	0	24,831	40
42 Dematagoda, sale of blood ..	225	0	225	0
43 Dematagoda, sale of manure ..	100	0	188	50
44 Dematagoda, cost of gas to stove ..	300	0	284	40
45 Madampitiya, grass land ..	192	0	125	0
46 Fees for inspection of frozen meat ..	1,000	0	1,608	10
<b>PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>				
<i>Sanitary Branch.</i>				
47 Recoveries from limewashing bills ..	1,500	0	996	71
48 Disinfection of infected clothing ..	30	0	55	0
<i>Conservancy Branch.</i>				
49 For conserving private latrines ..	50,000	0	59,781	4
50 Buckets sold ..	200	0	59	73
51 Disinfectants, &c., sold ..	1,000	0	1,281	26
52 For clearing cesspit privies ..	750	0	330	75
53 Lease of grass land at night soil depôt ..	5,520	0	4,467	50
54 Costs on arrears on conservancy ..	1,000	0	1,225	90
<b>CATTLE MART AND QUARANTINE STATION.</b>				
55 Fees ..	32,500	0	35,641	82
56 Lease of boutiques, &c. ..	1,200	0	1,437	0
57 Sale of manure ..	600	0	740	50
<b>ASSESSMENT ACCOUNT.</b>				
<i>Consolidated Rate.</i>				
58 Arrears ..	184,508	0	157,319	28
59 Current ..	943,543	0	787,498	69
60 Advance ..	25,000	0	14,656	34
61 Consolidated rate, costs on recoveries ..	25,000	0	31,641	73
62 Military contribution for lighting the Fort ..	1,701	84	1,701	84
<b>SALE OF WATER.</b>				
63 Sale of water ..	250,000	0	267,534	82
64 Costs on recoveries ..	100	0	521	11
65 Contribution by Military ..	10,000	0	10,000	0
66 Meter rents ..	10,000	0	9,231	20
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>				
67 Fees for registering bonds ..	200	0	193	0
68 Trunk roads, contribution by Government ..	32,570	0	32,570	0
69 Tramway mileage ..	4,833	32	4,833	32
70 Fees for testing and stamping weights and measures ..	250	0	430	16
71 Interest ..	8,000	0	12,561	76
72 Miscellaneous ..	2,000	0	9,260	28
73 Mulct ..	1,500	0	1,217	24
74 Sale of tender and specification forms ..	50	0	60	35
75 General cemeteries, fees, &c. ..	7,100	0	8,861	67
76 Fees for testing kerosine oil ..	750	0	899	0
77 Cattle seizure fees ..	900	0	743	92
78 Fire brigade fees ..	200	0	260	0
79 Grazing fees ..	1,540	0	1,165	0
<i>Rents.</i>				
80 Racquet Court ..	1,000	0	880	0
81 Cricket pitches, &c. ..	160	0	400	25
82 Grass land and other property ..	4,750	0	5,510	75
83 Superintendent's quarters, Bridge-of-boats ..	480	0	440	0
84 Dynamite magazine ..	50	0	50	0
85 Mansergh avenue ..	24	0	30	0
86 Skinner's road ..	6,000	0	172	50
87 Maradana to Base Line road ..	1,392	0	2,414	31
88 Churchyard lane ..	600	0	505	16
89 Reclamation road ..	2,500	0	—	—
90 Estimated surplus at December 31, 1909 ..	350,000	0	—	—
91 Refund of overpayment account, Infectious Diseases Hospital ..	—	—	5,370	44
92 Refund of Mansergh avenue ..	—	—	466	25
93 Rent of Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kolonnawa ..	—	—	7	50
<b>Total</b> ..	<b>281,183</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2,014,512</b>	<b>40</b>

## EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated Expenditure for 1910.		Disbursements to Nov. 30, 1910.			Estimated Expenditure for 1910.		Disbursements to Nov. 30, 1910.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.</b>									
1 Annuity for waterworks	100,000	0	75,000	0					
2 Annuity for Victoria bridge	8,000	0	—	—					
3 Interest and sinking fund on loans	297,770	0	222,183	84					
4 Pensions	20,950	0	17,527	50					
5 Fee for audit of accounts	5,000	0	2,500	0					
6 Maintenance of police	60,000	0	45,000	0					
<b>SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF DEPARTMENTS.</b>									
<b>CHAIRMAN.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
7 Salary of Chairman	18,000	0	16,500	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
8 Horse allowance to Chairman	1,200	0	767	74					
<b>SECRETARIAT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
9 Salaries	23,605	0	21,585	79					
<b>ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
10 Salaries	7,937	0	8,205	98					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
11 Travelling allowance	180	0	—	—					
<b>SHROFF'S DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
12 Salaries	4,236	0	3,870	41					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
13 Transport allowance	180	0	165	0					
<b>ASSESSMENT DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
14 Salaries	14,344	0	14,436	20					
15 Commission to collectors	20,000	0	17,341	7					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
16 Refunds	250	0	204	98					
17 Advertisements	1,000	0	701	65					
18 Transport allowances	1,350	0	1,576	21					
19 Costs in legal proceedings	3,000	0	1,430	22					
20 Street number plates	3,500	0	3,324	86					
<b>COMMUTATION DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<b>ROAD ORDINANCE.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
21 Salaries	3,570	0	3,153	34					
22 Personal allowance	150	0	—	—					
23 Commission, &c.	12,500	0	9,072	8					
24 Salaries for extra clerks	300	0	618	82					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
25 Refunds	100	0	65	45					
26 Uniform (division officers')	300	0	48	0					
27 Miscellaneous	1,100	0	1,028	90					
<b>VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
28 Salaries and wages	20,090	0	16,781	15					
29 Commission on vehicles and animal taxes	240	0	120	0					
30 Extra clerks, &c., in connection with the licensing of vehicles	800	0	1,317	64					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
31 Horse allowance	600	0	550	0					
32 Ricksha allowances	1,440	0	1,359	51					
33 House allowances	360	0	330	0					
34 Boot allowances	90	0	—	—					
35 Uniforms	600	0	448	5					
36 Lighting cattle mart	1,000	0	688	95					
37 Contingencies	3,000	0	1,766	59					
38 Prevention of diseases in animals	1,000	0	630	6					
39 Tin plates for boat licenses issued by Master Attendant	400	0	197	9					
40 Refunds, Vehicles and Animals Department	100	0	40	33					
41 Badges, tin plates, and fare tables	1,600	0	1,122	13					
42 Painting and branding	300	0	581	49					
43 Capture of dogs	3,500	0	1,790	45					
44 Dog tickets	750	0	605	13					
45 Destruction of rats	3,600	0	3,711	45					
46 Cost of grazing tickets	200	0	103	74					
47 Underwood typewriter	365	0	365	0					
281 Cost of enamelled cart plates	—	—	568	6					
<b>REVENUE OFFICER'S DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
48 Salaries	11,117	20	9,594	43					
321/09 Salary of Revenue Officer	—	—	250	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
49 Transport allowances	2,760	0	2,349	35					
<b>MUNICIPAL COURT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
50 Salaries	11,796	0	11,294	77					
319 Gratuity to J. E. Attapattu's widow	—	—	87	0					
<b>PRINTING DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
51 Salaries of staff	6,693	50	6,134	70					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
52 General upkeep and stores	900	0	789	53					
53 Repairs and upkeep of machinery and for gas	510	0	266	96					
282 Compositors' frames	—	—	554	81					
<b>PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
54 Salaries (excluding overseers)	88,484	0	78,625	2					
55 Salaries of overseers	19,268	50	15,166	73					
300 Exchange compensation to Mr. Ingram	—	—	479	28					
319/09 Salary to Mr. Skelton	—	—	473	96					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
56 Transport, house, and personal allowances	8,100	0	6,439	83					
57 Survey and drawing materials	2,500	0	1,768	93					
58 Photographic materials and chemicals	500	0	158	82					
59 Overseers' transport allowances	3,600	0	2,979	40					
278 Commuted travelling allowance to head gardener	—	—	250	0					
280 Caretaker, Base Line road acquisition	—	—	353	31					
<b>WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
60 Salaries (excluding overseers' and mechanics')	26,373	0	24,557	0					
61 Salaries to overseers and mechanics	7,160	0	7,325	65					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
62 Transport allowances (excluding overseers' and mechanics')	5,780	0	5,104	93					
63 Transport allowance to overseers and mechanics	540	0	590	0					

	Estimated Expenditure for 1910.		Disbursements to Nov. 30, 1910.			Estimated Expenditure for 1910.		Disbursements to Nov. 30, 1910.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>FIRE BRIGADE.</b>									
(Including Ambulance.)									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
64 Salaries and wages ..	18,188	0	16,419	78					
65 Doctor's fee ..	640	0	475	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
66 Transport allowances ..	660	0	530	0					
67 Uniforms, &c. ..	3,141	0	1,573	20					
68 Stores ..	1,500	0	1,486	86					
69 Horses ..	3,420	0	3,135	0					
70 Telephones ..	600	0	515	0					
71 Working expenses and lights ..	2,560	0	2,099	22					
<b>PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<b>SANITARY BRANCH.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
72 Salaries ..	49,079	90	63,655	61					
73 House allowances ..	7,200	0	3,514	86					
74 Fees to analyst ..	6,000	0	5,500	0					
75 Fees to Bacteriologist ..	500	0	191	50					
76 Wages of disinfecting coolies ..	2,808	0	2,533	80					
77 Salary of inspector of outside dairies and laundries ..	1,440	0	840	0					
78 Salaries and fees, Municipal midwives ..	3,700	0	2,995	52					
79 Female attendant for contact ambulance ..	60	0	50	63					
301 Exchange compensation to Dr. Philip ..	—		641	25					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
80 Materials for disinfecting station ..	300	0	58	44					
81 Notification fees ..	2,000	0	925	50					
82 Segregation camps, feeding of contacts, &c. ..	6,000	0	2,337	30					
83 Miscellaneous ..	4,000	0	777	54					
84 Samples for analyses ..	100	0	15	50					
85 Midwives, remuneration, equipment, &c. ..	200	0	43	0					
86 Transport of infected goods ..	500	0	337	99					
87 Ricksha allowance ..	3,180	0	2,784	0					
88 Conveyance allowance ..	7,320	0	907	74					
89 Boot allowance ..	312	0	324	0					
90 Uniforms ..	395	0	363	95					
91 Repairs and equipment to furniture, vaccine station ..	50	0	—						
92 Shifting allowance to inspectors ..	120	0	110	0					
93 Cost of disinfectants ..	2,600	0	3,027	12					
<i>Special Expenditure.</i>									
94 Anti-pest gang ..	1,060	0	886	52					
95 Cleansing gang ..	3,692	80	1,172	65					
96 Enteric cleansing gang ..	1,704	0	1,353	8					
297 New contract van ..	—		800	0					
299 Seven hand ambulances ..	—		1,575	0					
<b>SLAVE ISLAND DISPENSARY.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
97 Medical officer ..	1,000	0	625	0					
98 Dispenser ..	600	0	500	0					
99 Salary of two visitors at Rs. 40 each ..	960	0	380	0					
100 One dispensary servant ..	180	0	150	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
101 Ricksha allowance to medical officer ..	180	0	150	0					
102 Ricksha allowance to the two visitors at Rs. 180 each ..	360	0	142	50					
103 Rent of station ..	900	0	450	0					
104 Furniture ..	500	0	685	13					
105 Medicines, &c. ..	500	0	1,049	31					
106 Contingencies ..	500	0	171	78					
<b>MUNICIPAL ENTERIC HOSPITAL.</b>									
107 Salaries ..	5,496	0	4,021	91					
					<i>Other Charges.</i>				
108 Diet ..	4,500	0	3,387	41					
109 Extras ..	1,500	0	1,076	81					
110 Stimulants ..	500	0	587	77					
111 Contingencies ..	600	0	760	2					
112 Burials ..	400	0	191	30					
113 Equipment ..	1,000	0	1,134	98					
114 Diet to nurses ..	960	0	494	50					
<b>PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<b>CONSERVANCY BRANCH.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
115 Salaries and wages ..	17,031	80	15,320	58					
116 House allowances ..	480	0	435	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
117 Conservancy of dry-earth closets ..	65,000	0	63,760	76					
118 Supply of coir dust ..	12,000	0	11,538	95					
119 Stationery, &c. ..	600	0	546	94					
120 Refunds ..	300	0	292	80					
121 Hire of bulls ..	39,500	0	38,335	65					
122 Postage ..	300	0	143	62					
123 Uniform, &c. ..	500	0	554	20					
124 Rent of night soil depôt, Nara-henpitiya ..	1,638	0	—						
125 Miscellaneous ..	1,500	0	1,064	14					
126 Transport allowances ..	1,200	0	1,060	0					
127 Oil allowance ..	48	0	43	0					
128 Supply of latrine buckets ..	600	0	443	26					
129 Supply of storage buckets for latrines ..	300	0	92	0					
<b>MARKETS.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
130 Salaries ..	6,114	0	4,936	2					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
131 Tools and equipment ..	300	0	199	66					
132 Hoses, &c., to markets ..	1,000	0	—						
133 Uniforms ..	374	0	221	40					
285 Demolition of Slave Island market ..	—		958	2					
<b>SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
134 Salaries ..	4,186	0	3,837	2					
135 House allowance to Assistant ..	180	0	165	0					
315 Fence behind slaughter house ..	—		153	41					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
136 Transport allowances to Superintendent ..	180	0	165	0					
137 Feeding charges ..	4,500	0	3,514	41					
138 Removal of undigested food ..	360	0	330	0					
139 Burying carcases of cattle ..	150	0	121	0					
140 Contingencies ..	200	0	113	59					
141 Tools ..	370	0	390	47					
142 Fencing ..	15	0	—						
279 Hose, Dematagoda cattle and slaughter shed ..	—		360	9					
<b>GENERAL CEMETERIES.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
143 Salaries ..	5,544	0	4,882	83					
144 House allowance to Cemetery-keeper, Kanatta ..	360	0	330	0					
275 Refund of fees, Cemetery-keeper, General Cemetery ..	—		68	50					
288 Liyeramentu cemetery ..	—		452	50					
289 Jawatta Muhammadan cemetery ..	—		40	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
145 Contingencies ..	300	0	67	95					
146 Upkeep of graves for manure, paint, &c. ..	350	0	389	99					
147 Laying out grounds ..	3,000	0	1,374	29					
148 Telephone ..	90	0	—						
300/09 Garden seats, General Cemetery ..	—		308	27					

	Estimated Expenditure for 1910.		Disbursements to Nov. 30, 1910.			Estimated Expenditure for 1910.		Disbursements to Nov. 30, 1910.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
149 Extra clerks, &c.	6,000	0	4,509	66					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
307 Upkeep of Municipal motor car	—		848	83					
308 Remuneration to Mr. Caldera for re-casting Municipal Council Ordinance	—		200	0					
306 Municipal motor car	—		5,870	0					
150 Inspectors' uniform, &c.	2,096	0	1,450	33					
151 Library	500	0	516	76					
152 Contribution to Law Library	500	0	500	0					
153 Costs and expenses of legal proceedings	3,000	0	2,545	79					
294 Gratuity to widow and three children of Marshal Perera, process server	—		144	0					
154 Guides' uniforms	90	0	—						
155 Contribution to Volunteer band	4,500	0	3,375	0					
156 Advertisements	1,500	0	2,153	73					
157 Refund of fines, rents, &c.	250	0	283	89					
158 Expenses of bookbinding	600	0	557	35					
159 Subscription to newspapers	100	0	93	0					
160 Postage	1,200	0	1,164	14					
161 Subscription to telephone exchange	1,400	0	1,217	17					
162 Seizure of cattle straying on public road	2,000	0	1,236	37					
163 Miscellaneous	2,000	0	2,950	54					
164 Train and tram fare allowances.	5,000	0	4,054	36					
324 Salaries, rural inspectors'	—		362	25					
165 Stationery	6,500	0	7,787	38					
166 Furniture	1,500	30	1,290	29					
167 Cost of peons' belts	100	0	30	50					
168 Remuneration to Master Attendant's clerk for writing boat licenses	320	0	299	81					
317 Remuneration to Mr. Heyn for reporting on Registration and Correspondence	—		250	0					
169 Contribution to Pasteur Institute	150	0	150	0					
170 Stamps for receipts given by Shroff	400	0	392	97					
171 Contribution to Friend-in-Need Society	4,000	0	3,641	77					
284 Advocate F. J. de Saram's fee for drafting New Municipal Council's Ordinance	—		2,250	0					
287 Commission to Mudaliyar Seneviratna for assessing Government properties	—		1,309	0					
<b>PUBLIC WORKS ANNUALLY RECURRENT.</b>									
<i>Buildings.</i>									
172 Town Hall, maintenance of	3,697	0	1,728	78					
173 Temporary enteric hospital, maintenance of	1,300	0	776	14					
174 Toll-houses, maintenance of	600	0	331	1					
175 Quarantine marts, maintenance of	2,000	0	477	22					
176 Guides' shelter, maintenance of	90	0	675	32					
177 Gas testing room, maintenance of	104	0	—						
178 Store and workshop, maintenance of	175	0	—						
179 No. 2, Hulftsdorp, maintenance of	120	0	—						
180 Suduwella depôt buildings, maintenance of	1,300	0	1,170	65					
181 Disinfector, working of	1,200	0	775	8					
182 Plague camp buildings, maintenance of	1,000	0	517	54					
183 Markets, repair of	6,600	0	4,793	85					
184 Slaughter-house, repairs	1,100	0	—						
185 Slaughter-house, quarterly whitewashing	1,075	0	—						
186 Latrines, repair of	1,300	0	1,275	43					
187 Latrines, quarterly whitewashing	1,000	0	—						
188 Latrines, monthly whitewashing	440	0	—						
189 Cemeteries, upkeep of buildings	1,420	0	1,123	84					
190 Central Fire Station, upkeep of	690	0	253	34					
191 Fire Brigade buildings, upkeep of other	400	0	—						
192 Conservancy buildings, repair of cart and cattle sheds	2,000	0	2,694	12					
193 Gala, Kachcheri road, maintenance of	100	0	52	84					
194 House No. 9, St. Joseph's street, maintenance of	120	0	—						
195 Madampitiya bungalow, upkeep	250	0	—						
298 Upkeep of Maligakanda office	—		603	61					
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &amp;c.</i>									
196 General upkeep of roads	31,283	0	29,231	99					
197 Upkeep of metal roads upon sub-estimates	144,900	0	100,732	43					
198 Upkeep of gravel roads, lanes, &c., upon sub-estimates	36,754	0	21,818	82					
199 Tools for roads	2,900	0	2,173	90					
200 Repairs to steam rollers	7,800	0	3,857	98					
201 Watering streets	25,000	0	19,216	99					
202 Repair and maintenance of roads, night soil depôt	3,900	0	3,621	72					
203 Narahenpitiya road, metalling of	2,800	0	201	57					
204 Carriage stands, upkeep of	223	0	—						
205 Painting Church street enclosure	357	0	188	60					
206 Paved footways, repairs	1,500	0	321	77					
207 Repairs to bridges, culverts, drains, &c.	19,250	0	19,519	45					
208 Conservancy of sewers and drains	8,900	0	7,906	16					
209 Maintenance and repairs to plant. Scavenging.	1,100	0	393	59					
210 Scavenging	165,598	0	145,357	19					
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>									
211 Conservancy of lake	5,060	0	2,688	80					
212 Lake, sluices, and locks, upkeep	1,925	0	1,531	31					
213 Lake dredging	18,028	0	10,156	21					
214 Canal dredging	3,000	0	1,647	49					
<i>Parks.</i>									
Maintenance—									
215 Victoria park	7,250	0	5,903	48					
216 Racquet court	1,303	0	1,118	51					
217 Jubilee fountain	112	0	50	31					
218 Gordon Gardens	1,809	0	1,862	26					
219 Galle Face esplanade	833	0	443	2					
220 Campbell park	2,219	28	2,160	24					
221 Price recreation ground	1,080	0	1,172	91					
222 Havelock Town park	2,220	0	1,886	64					
223 Maligakanda park	650	0	231	49					
224 Public garden, Riffe street	685	36	460	85					
225 Public garden, Union place	800	0	619	40					
226 Riding track, Victoria park	500	0	369	53					
<i>Waterworks.</i>									
227 Maintenance charges	14,000	0	12,723	14					
228 Purchase and upkeep of meters	6,500	0	6,269	73					
229 Tools	2,500	0	1,274	78					
230 Store expenses	500	0	462	71					
<i>Lighting.</i>									
231 Lighting public streets with gas	123,400	0	107,069	2					
232 Electric lighting of the Fort	18,200	0	16,040	0					
233 Shifting of lamps, repairs to fittings, &c.	2,000	0	743	97					
234 Lighting Municipal buildings	9,000	0	5,869	88					
235 Lighting Dean's road market	2,000	0	1,053	0					
236 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c.	1,000	0	273	10					
<i>Drainage.</i>									
237 Maintenance, Mansergh scheme	50,000	0	2,411	85					
291 Salaries	—		1,036	34					
292 Travelling allowance	—		175	0					
296 Payment to Mr. Cox for report on drainage administration in India	—		800	0					
310 Passage money to Drain Layer	—		445	50					
311 Passage money to Assistant Engineer	—		577	50					

	Estimated Expendi- ture for 1910.	Disburse- ments to Nov. 30, 1910.		Estimated Expendi- ture for 1910.	Disburse- ments to Nov. 30, 1910.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>			<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
238 Ambulance carts, repairs ..	200 0	1,864 62	259 Paving Ditch lane, Slave Island	1,600 0	—
239 Night soil carts, construction and repairs of ..	12,000 0	7,564 99	260 Kolonnawa, acquisition of land for permanent hospital ..	3,000 0	3,000 0
240 Septic tanks, maintenance, repairs, &c. ..	250 0	200 38	261 Garden roller and lawn mowers for General Cemetery, Kanatta	300 0	—
241 Current for electric fans ..	5,412 0	3,857 95	262 Six seats, Madampitiya cemetery	180 0	105 38
242 Weeding grounds of cemeteries ..	350 0	211 88	263 Twelve new scavenging carts ..	2,160 0	2,155 76
243 Surveys, tracings, &c. ..	4,525 0	4,935 14	264 Refuse destructor ..	100,000 0	—
244 Store expenses ..	1,803 0	1,742 3	265 One steam roller ..	12,000 0	—
245 Repairs to furniture of vaccine stations ..	50 0	—	266 Connecting Municipal buildings to Drainage Scheme ..	10,000 0	—
246 Tools for works ..	6,050 0	4,086 24	313 Acquisition on land at Lock-gate	—	4,500 0
247 Conservancy buckets, construc- tion of ..	1,050 0	28 73	<i>Buildings.</i>		
274 Relaying drain, Suduwella depôt ..	—	663 53	267 Extension, cooly lines, slaughter-house ..	3,000 0	1,285 60
277 Labugama reservoir ..	—	1 0	268 Coach shed, slaughter-house ..	750 0	616 11
283 Gratuity to T. E. Allappen ..	—	125 0	269 Dean's road market ..	35,000 0	4,845 63
286 Compensation re improvements to Union place ..	—	1,957 0	270 Maligakanda office ..	7,500 0	6,571 66
290 Gratuity to Kanapathy Kangany	—	177 32	271 Separate slaughter chambers ..	7,500 0	—
293 Passage money to Assistant Engineer, Mr. H. Wijeynathar	—	577 50	<i>Parks.</i>		
<i>PUBLIC WORKS EXTRAORDINARY.</i>			272 Havelock park, laying out ..	4,505 0	3,733 70
314 Payment to coolies on May 20, 1910 ..	—	401 83	273 Price park improvement ..	2,162 0	—
<i>Waterworks.</i>			<i>Votes on account of sanctioned Estimates.</i>		
303 Improvement to slaughter-house, Dematagoda ..	—	551 23	266/07 Skinner's road, con- struction of ..	100,000 0	108,982 98
248 Extension of water service ..	5,000 0	4,645 68	248/07 Central Fire Station (re-vote)	10,000 0	14,185 45
249 Improvement of water supply ..	126,000 0	95,047 46	255/05 Roads, Suduwella depôt (re-vote) ..	1,000 0	1,094 0
312 Gratuity to Moses Isaac Nadan, cooly, Works Department ..	—	112 50	256/05 Office and store, Suduwella depôt (re-vote) ..	2,500 0	9,492 88
<i>Bridge.</i>			298/09 Churchyard lane ..	45,000 0	16,090 52
250 Council's share of Maradana bridge widening ..	32,911 12	32,911 12	321/09 Infectious diseases hospital ..	25,000 0	24,020 27
<i>Lighting.</i>			322/09 Cattle mart (re-vote) ..	2,500 0	2,196 80
251 Extension of lighting ..	6,000 0	564 80	244/09 Riding track, Victoria park	—	1,122 19
<i>Roads.</i>			221/08 Latrine, Havelock park ..	—	30 76
252 Graveling of roads, &c., General Cemetery, Kanatta ..	1,783 0	81 26	316/09 Lighting, cattle quarantine station ..	—	3,757 0
253 Dust prevention ..	15,000 0	18,905 95	303/09 Conversion of Dhobies' pond market into washing tank	—	1,620 4
254 Road improvements ..	10,000 0	3,747 54			
255 Mansergh avenue ..	25,000 0	5,639 50			
256 Public ground near Eye Hospital	3,000 0	2,432 42			
<i>Drains.</i>					
257 Extraordinary works on main drains ..	5,000 0	2,517 75			
258 Street gullies ..	10,000 0	—			
			Balance ..	—	1969617 42
			Grand Total ..	2612909 46	2054512 40

## BALANCE SHEET. NOVEMBER 30, 1910.

Sundry Liabilities.	Amount, Rs. c.	Total, Rs. c.	Sundry Assets.	Amount, Rs. c.	Total, Rs. c.
(1) Deposit:—			(1) Advance Account:—		
(a) General ..	—	10,120 16	(a) Purchase of Stores, Works Department ..	36,631 93	
(b) Security deposits ..	—	18,723 0	(b) Purchase of Stores, Waterworks Department ..	147,700 77	
(c) Waterworks ..	—	9,989 36	(c) Miscellaneous ..	7,490 44	191,823 14
(d) Drainage works (latrines) ..	—	6,448 60	(2) Suspense Account ..	—	4,117 2
(e) Miscellaneous ..	—	5,044 27	(3) Cash:—		
(2) Excess of Assets over Liabilities:—			(a) At Bank on Current Account ..	222,167 69	
(a) Balance at credit on December 31, 1909 ..	583,387 48		(b) On fixed deposit ..	300,000 0	
(b) Excess of receipts over expendi- ture, November 1 to 30, 1910 ..	84,894 98		(c) In hand ..	500 0	
		668,282 46			522,667 69
Total ..		718,607 85	Total ..		718,607 85

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, December 29, 1910.

K. MACLEOD,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, and  
Mayor of Colombo.



## Progress Report.

Statement showing Expenditure and Balance on November 30, 1910.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, MAINTENANCE, NORTHERN DIVISION. 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.		
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
55 Salaries of overseers	Dec. 1909	9,838 50	455 95	—	—	225 0	8,029 2	1,809 48	—
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
59 Overseers, transport allowance	Dec. 1909	1,560 0	50 0	—	—	50 0	1,170 0	390 0	—
<i>Buildings.</i>									
Maintenance of—									
172 Town Hall	Dec. 1909	3,697 0	102 16	50 44	—	19 23	1,881 38	1,815 62	—
174 Toll houses	June 1910	125 0	—	—	—	—	68 60	56 40	—
176 Municipal buildings	Jan. 1910	859 0	102 80	36 27	—	—	814 39	44 61	—
183 Repairs to markets and slaughter-house	Dec. 1909	3,600 0	111 61	4 16	—	46 89	2,067 95	1,532 5	—
186 Repairs, &c., to latrines	Do.	2,440 0	9 75	—	—	200 75	1,167 16	1,272 84	—
189 Upkeep of buildings, cemeteries	Jan. 1910	620 0	—	—	—	—	337 34	282 66	—
190 Upkeep of fire station buildings	Do.	940 0	41 14	40 25	—	—	297 33	642 67	—
193 Maintenance of gala, Kachcheri road	Aug. 1910	100 0	—	—	—	—	52 84	47 16	—
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &amp;c.</i>									
196 General upkeep of roads	Dec. 1909	15,318 0	893 75	7 40	—	777 14	16,422 1	—	1104 1
197 Upkeep of metal roads	Do.	80,500 0	742 19	157 58	—	3,565 0	59,182 86	21,317 14	—
198 Upkeep of gravel roads	Do.	13,685 0	124 34	—	—	17 18	11,589 76	2,095 24	—
199 Tools for roads	Do.	1,200 0	—	51 21	—	—	920 20	279 80	—
201 Watering streets	Do.	12,000 0	574 58	—	—	—	10,303 88	1,696 12	—
204 Upkeep of carriage stands	—	163 0	32 40	—	—	—	32 40	130 60	—
258 Street gullies	—	10,000 0	—	—	—	—	—	10,000 0	—
254 Road improvements	Feb. 1910	10,000 0	881 95	357 89	—	554 26	5,358 69	4,641 31	—
205 Maintenance of Church street fence	Jan. 1910	357 0	—	—	—	—	188 60	168 40	—
206 Repairs to paved footways	Dec. 1909	1,000 0	—	—	—	—	321 77	678 23	—
207 Repairs to bridges, culverts, and drains	Do.	10,400 0	89 48	71 61	—	171 69	10,823 34	—	423 34
253 Dust prevention	Do.	15,000 0	293 5	—	—	164 70	19,775 55	—	4775 55
208 Conservancy of sewers, and drains	Do.	5,900 0	369 33	—	—	—	5,812 1	87 99	—
257 Extraordinary works on main drains	Do.	5,000 0	178 70	5 25	—	—	2,701 70	2,298 30	—
<i>Scavenging.</i>									
210 Scavenging	Dec. 1909	101,477 60	7,343 13	199 93	—	11 88	90,767 7	10,710 53	—
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>									
211 Conservancy of lake	—	1,000 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,000 0	—
214 Dredging canal	Dec. 1909	3,000 0	109 90	—	—	—	1,757 39	1,242 61	—
212 Upkeep of lake, sluice, and lock	Do.	1,925 0	120 10	—	—	—	1,651 41	273 59	—
<i>Parks.</i>									
216 Upkeep of Racquet court	Dec. 1909	1,303 0	136 56	—	—	—	1,255 7	47 93	—
217 Do. Jubilee fountain	—	112 0	—	—	—	—	50 31	61 69	—
218 Do. Gordon Gardens and ground round Queen's statue	Dec. 1909	2,309 0	288 43	116 24	—	62 75	2,243 82	65 18	—
219 Do. Galle Face esplanade	Do.	833 0	28 50	—	—	—	471 52	361 48	—
221 Do. Price recreation ground	Do.	1,330 0	59 60	4 2	—	9 0	1,253 53	76 47	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
242 Weeding of ground, Madampitiya cemetery	Dec. 1909	350 0	11 94	—	72 43	—	296 25	53 75	—
246 Tools for works	Jan. 1910	800 0	—	—	—	—	725 64	74 36	—
262 Six seats, Madampitiya cemetery	Do.	180 0	—	—	—	—	170 38	9 62	—
263 Twelve new scavenging carts	Do.	2,160 0	—	—	—	—	2,090 76	69 24	—
<i>Advance Account; Drainage Works—</i>									
Repairs to trenches	Dec. 1909	2,081 66	149 22	—	—	52 50	2,081 66	—	—

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, MAINTENANCE, NORTHERN DIVISION— <i>contd.</i> 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.		
<i>Advance Account.</i>									
Altering gullies connection, &c., for Surveyor-General's Office	May 1910	132 42	—	—	—	—	132 42	—	—
Obstruction in drain, new building, Freudenberg & Co.	Jan. 1910	11 53	—	—	—	—	11 53	—	—
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
Obstruction in drain, No. 115, Layard's Broadway	Oct. 1910	5 50	—	—	—	—	3 85	1 65	—
Drain connection, No. 24, Gintupitiya street	Sept. 1910	72 82	—	—	—	1 87	54 26	18 56	—
Drain connection, No. 26, Gintupitiya street	Do.	36 41	—	—	—	1 25	31 51	4 90	—
Making one concrete slab	Oct. 1910	3 0	—	—	—	—	2 49	0 51	—
Drain connection, No. 24, Wolfendahl street	Nov. 1910	69 30	8 74	—	—	—	8 74	60 56	—
Drain connection, No. 20, San Sebastian	Nov. 1910	34 4	10 79	—	—	—	10 79	23 25	—
For use of Racquet Court	Nov. 1910	100 0	10 11	—	—	—	10 11	89 89	—
Drain connection from No. 9, 5th Cross street	Jan. 1910	36 21	—	—	—	—	35 64	0 57	—
Obstruction in drain at Hindu temple, Kortoboam street	April	4 0	—	—	—	—	4 0	—	—
Obstruction in drain at No. 5, Chatham street	Feb. 1910	5 50	—	—	—	—	4 67	0 83	—
Obstruction in drain at No. 3, Old Moor street	April 1910	5 50	—	—	—	—	3 18	2 32	—
Laying granitessetts, Delmege, Forsyth & Co.	Do.	32 25	—	—	—	—	31 18	1 7	—
Drain connection, 98/213, Main street	May 1910	22 24	—	—	—	—	20 11	2 13	—
Obstruction in drain at No. 68, Hulftsdorp	June 1910	5 40	—	—	—	—	4 77	0 63	—
Obstruction in drain at No. 59, Old Moor street	Do.	5 50	—	—	—	—	4 77	0 73	—
Obstruction in drain at No. 79, Kochchikade	—	2 0	—	—	—	—	—	2 0	—
Works done in connection with the Vale festival	Aug. 1910†	100 0	—	—	—	—	100 0	—	—
Drain connection, 12/17, Carmel road.	April 1910	40 15	—	—	—	—	16 48	23 67	—
Shifting catch-pit, No. 102, Chekku street	Sept. 1910	35 0	—	—	—	—	10 23	24 77	—
Drain connection, 45, 10/53, Armour street	Do.	16 44	—	—	—	—	13 81	2 63	—
Drain connection, 45, 10/50, Armour street	Do.	26 91	—	—	—	—	23 50	3 41	—
Obstruction in drain, No. 120, Layard's Broadway	Do.	5 50	—	—	—	—	3 85	1 65	—
Drain connection, No. 70, Layard's Broadway	Oct. 1910	55 96	—	—	—	—	55 96	—	—
Drain connection, No. 54, Panchikawatte road	Nov. 1910	149 16	67 35	82 71	—	—	150 6	—	0 90
Laying granite kerbs on footway front of Freudenberg & Co.	—	25 0	—	—	—	—	—	25 0	—
Total	—	324,201 50	13,397 45	1,184 96	72 43	5,931 19	264,881 50	65,623 80	6303 80
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, MAINTENANCE, SOUTHERN DIVISION.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
55 Salaries of overseers	Dec. 1909	5,530 0	317 50	—	—	115 0	4,682 83	847 17	—
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
59 Overseers' transport allowance	Dec. 1909	1,140 0	80 0	—	—	35 0	1,114 39	25 61	—
<i>Buildings.</i>									
<i>Maintenance of—</i>									
173 Temporary entrie hospital	Jan. 1910	1,300 0	10 73	—	—	5 8	788 63	511 37	—
174 Toll houses	Feb. 1910	475 0	—	—	—	—	262 41	212 59	—
175 Quarantine markets	Dec. 1909	2,000 0	255 79	—	—	—	733 1	1,266 99	—
182 Plague camp buildings	Do.	1,000 0	124 11	—	—	—	641 65	358 35	—
183 Repairs to markets and slaughter-house	Do.	5,175 0	69 53	2 12	—	333 74	2,960 21	2,214 79	—
186 Repairs to latrines	Jan. 1910	300 0	6 65	—	—	—	124 67	175 33	—
189 Upkeep of buildings, cemeteries	Dec. 1909	800 0	—	—	—	—	786 50	13 50	—
190 Upkeep of fire station buildings	Feb. 1910	150 0	—	—	—	—	38 63	111 37	—
192 Repairs to cart and cattle sheds, conservancy buildings	Dec. 1909	2,000 0	—	—	—	—	2,579 23	—	579 23

\* Date of completion: April.

† Date of completion: September, 1910.

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			Through Advance Account.			Direct to Estimate.					
			Labour.	Stores, Works Department.	Stores, Waterworks Department.	Rs.	c.	Rs.			
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, MAINTENANCE, SOUTHERN DIVISION— <i>contd.</i>											
267	Mar. 1910	3,000 0	—	—	—	—	1,285 60	1,714 40	—	—	
268	April 1910	750 0	—	—	—	—	616 11	133 89	—	—	
279	Do.	368 0	—	—	—	—	360 9	7 91	—	—	
285	Do.	1,400 0	—	—	—	—	958 2	441 98	—	—	
303	Sept. 1910	1,200 0	348 22	156 1	—	110 12	1,041 39	158 61	—	—	
323	—	2,400 0	—	—	—	—	—	2,400 0	—	—	
<i>Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &amp;c.</i>											
196	Dec. 1909	15,965 0	1,227 29	6 6	—	96 61	15,290 5	674 95	—	—	
197	Do.	64,400 0	1,011 6	378 73	26 22	2,034 50	44,825 85	19,574 15	—	—	
198	Do.	23,069 0	59 79	—	—	64 58	11,278 29	11,790 71	—	—	
199	Do.	1,700 0	—	328 5	—	—	1,613 69	86 31	—	—	
201	Do.	13,000 0	406 5	—	—	166 66	9,893 74	3,106 26	—	—	
202	Do.	3,900 0	181 4	—	—	—	3,802 76	97 24	—	—	
203	Do.	2,800 0	129 52	—	—	—	331 9	2,468 91	—	—	
204	—	60 0	13 24	—	—	—	13 24	46 76	—	—	
206	—	100 0	—	—	—	—	—	100 0	—	—	
207	Dec. 1909	9,250 0	67 82	39 50	—	26 87	9,015 3	234 97	—	—	
208	Do.	3,000 0	252 93	0 77	—	—	2,617 18	382 82	—	—	
252	—	1,783 0	124 50	—	—	311 32	477 32	1,305 68	—	—	
256	Feb. 1910	2,500 0	—	—	—	—	2,441 79	58 21	—	—	
321	—	1,500 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,500 0	—	—	
<i>Scavenging.</i>											
210	Dec. 1909	64,120 40	5,490 82	136 26	—	—	67,794 12	—	3673 72	—	
<i>Lake and Canals.</i>											
211	Dec. 1909	3,060 0	287 25	—	—	—	2,976 5	83 95	—	—	
213	Do.	17,378 0	597 74	0 61	—	3,378 3	10,739 5	6,638 95	—	—	
<i>Parks.</i>											
215	Dec. 1909	7,450 0	355 55	64 22	—	125 0	6,335 75	1,114 25	—	—	
220	Do.	2,569 28	107 12	—	—	—	2,274 88	294 40	—	—	
222	Do.	2,200 0	156 90	3 4	—	48 20	2,046 58	153 42	—	—	
223	Do.	650	15 0	1 78	—	—	248 27	401 73	—	—	
224	Do.	685 36	24 0	—	—	—	484 85	200 51	—	—	
225	Do.	800 0	31 88	—	—	—	651 28	148 72	—	—	
226	Jan. 1910	500 0	12 84	—	—	—	400 37	99 63	—	—	
272	Do.	4,505 0	—	—	—	—	3,723 67	781 33	—	—	
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>											
240	Dec. 1909	250 0	—	6 40	—	—	206 78	43 22	—	—	
246	Jan. 1910	750 0	—	—	—	—	405 77	344 23	—	—	
259	—	1,600 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,600 0	—	—	
300	April 1910	400 0	—	—	—	—	308 27	91 73	—	—	
Advance Account—											
	May	20 85	16 53	—	—	—	20 85	—	—	—	
	July 1910	3 43	—	—	—	—	3 43	—	—	—	
315	Oct. 1910	180 0	19 83	16 59	—	130 10	189 83	—	9 83	—	

	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.				
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, MAINTENANCE. SOUTHERN DIVISION—contd.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. o.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
244/09 Riding track, Victoria park	May 1909	1,131 20	—	—	—	—	1,131 19	0 1	—
322/09 New buildings, quarantine station	Oct. 1909	2,021 80	—	—	—	—	2,196 80	725 0	—
303/09 Conversion of Dhobies' Pond market into washing tubs	Mar. 1910	2,450 0	—	—	—	—	1,620 4	829 96	—
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
Drain connection, 1, Lock-gate lane	Nov. 1909*	14 86	—	—	—	—	14 86	—	—
Drain connection, 2, Lock-gate lane	Do.*	15 92	—	—	—	—	15 92	—	—
Drain connection, 3, Lock-gate lane	Dec. 1909	44 55	—	—	—	—	36 67	7 88	—
Working of steam roller, Colpetty bridge	Jan. 1910	50 0	—	—	—	—	38 78	11 22	—
Working of steam roller, Ingham street	May 1910	53 0	—	—	—	—	22 44	30 56	—
Making granite sett entrance, opposite 35, Dean's road	Mar. 1910	39 50	—	—	—	—	34 16	5 34	—
Granite sett entrance, 105, Dean's passage	June 1910	39 50	—	—	—	—	38 57	0 93	—
Granite sett entrance, 36, Dean's road	Do.	39 50	—	—	—	—	37 4	2 46	—
Drain connection to Prince's Club, Guildford crescent	Aug. 1910	58 83	—	—	—	—	58 66	0 17	—
Drain connection to 73, Pichaud's lane	Nov. 1910	33 55	28 94	—	—	—	28 94	4 61	—
Drain connection near Hindu temple, Wellawatta	Do.	128 90	27 45	26 25	—	—	53 70	75 20	—
Drain connection, 46, Parana-wadiya road	Do.	37 95	3 60	32 24	—	—	35 84	2 11	—
Drain connection from 38, Muhandiram's road	April 1910	35 75	—	—	—	—	29 84	5 91	—
Relaying culvert at "Combs," Horton place	June 1910	272 75	—	—	—	—	265 50	7 25	—
Drain connection from 38, Glennie street	July 1910	84 35	—	—	—	—	54 59	9 76	—
Laying pipes to entrance to Wa. and Works Department premises	Do.	28 20	—	—	—	—	17 48	10 72	—
Drain connection from Mr. De Vos's premises, Bambalapitiya	Sept. 1910	250 0	—	—	—	—	237 76	12 24	—
Advance Account—Drain connection to Superintendent's bungalow, Hospital	May 1910†	29 0	—	—	—	—	29 0	—	—
Working of steam roller, Ingham street	July 1910	106 75	—	—	—	—	44 53	62 22	—
Total ..	—	286,983 18	11,861 22	1,199 86	26 22	6,980 81	225,425 51	65,820 45	4,262 78
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, CONSTRUCTION (WORKSHOP). Est. No.*									
<i>Printing Department.</i>									
53 Repairs and upkeep of machinery	Dec. 1909	230 0	16 86	—	—	—	125 17	104 83	—
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
55 Salaries of overseers	Jan. 1910	1,320 0	—	—	—	110 0	1,210 0	110 0	—
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
69 Overseers' transport allowance	Jan. 1910	300 0	—	—	—	25 0	275 0	25 0	—
<i>Buildings.</i>									
180 Upkeep of Suduwella depôt buildings	Dec. 1909	1,300 0	—	—	—	—	1,170 65	129 35	—
181 Working of disinfectant	Do.	1,200 0	52 29	—	—	—	827 37	372 63	—
<i>Bridges, Drains, Roads, Culverts, &amp;c.</i>									
200 Repairs to steam rollers	Dec. 1909	7,800 0	38 64	100 0	—	—	3,996 62	3,803 38	—
209 Maintenance and repairs to plant	Do.	1,100 0	—	1 63	—	—	395 22	704 78	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
238 Repairs to ambulance carts	—	200 0	—	—	—	—	—	200 0	—

\* Date of completion : January, 1910.

† Date of completion : May, 1910.

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.				
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, CONSTRUCTION—contd.									
239	Dec. 1909	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Construction and repairs, night soil carts	12,000 0	382 25	378 4	—	114 89	10,304 79	1,095 21	—	—
246	Jan. 1910	2,000 0	—	—	—	870 4	1,129 96	—	—
247	Oct. 1910	1,950 0	88 62	142 73	—	260 8	789 92	—	—
245	—	50 0	—	—	—	—	50 0	—	—
282	Mar. 1910	525 0	—	—	—	508 98	16 2	—	—
Total	—	29,075 0	578 66	622 40	—	249 89	19,943 92	9,131 8	—
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, CONSTRUCTION.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
55	Jan. 1910	2,580 0	—	—	—	215 0	2,018 33	561 67	—
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
59	Jan. 1910	600 0	—	—	—	50 0	463 33	136 67	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
57	Jan. 1910	2,500 0	—	2 0	—	41 18	1,706 76	793 24	—
58	Feb. 1910	500 0	—	—	—	—	158 82	341 18	—
166	Jan. 1910	1,800 0	31 17	82 50	—	—	1,384 24	415 76	—
243	Dec. 1909	6,075 0	466 0	2 13	—	173 68	5,789 84	285 16	—
244	Do.	1,803 0	79 75	—	—	—	1,503 96	299 4	—
246	Do.	2,500 0	159 41	38 18	—	—	1,746 35	723 65	—
274	Do.	674 6	—	—	—	—	663 53	10 53	—
280	Do.	500 0	26 30	—	—	—	379 61	120 39	—
<i>Advance Account—Making</i>									
314	Do.	1,937 30	161 71	—	—	11 20	1,937 30	—	—
147	—	700 0	—	—	—	—	401 83	298 17	—
265	Aug. 1910	1,220 0	—	—	—	—	1,276 29	—	56 29
265	Oct. 1910	12,000 0	—	—	—	—	13 95	11,986 5	—
<i>Buildings.</i>									
270	Feb. 1910	7,500 0	—	—	—	—	6,450 45	1,049 55	—
298	June 1910	1,000 0	56 0	—	—	—	659 61	340 39	—
269	Do.	35,000 0	509 47	136 64	—	168 59	5,488 34	29,511 66	—
<i>Advance Account—Drainage</i>									
318	Oct. 1909	24,561 46	1,279 51	221 0	0 68	148 90	19,338 98	5,222 48	—
322	—	6,000 0	—	—	—	—	—	6,000 0	—
266	Nov. 1910	1,110 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,110 0	—
266	Nov. 1910	10,000 0	—	514 96	—	—	514 96	9,485 4	—
<i>Roads.</i>									
255	Jan. 1910	25,000 0	123 90	—	—	3,933 50	8,554 56	16,445 44	—
250	Aug. 1910	32,911 12	—	—	—	—	32,911 12	—	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
221/08	July 1909*	317 34	—	—	—	—	30 76	286 58	—
248/07	Nov. 1907	16,512 82	743 25	330 64	—	354 13	15,216 82	1,296 0	—
255/05	April 1905	1,693 6	—	—	—	172 50	1,105 40	587 66	—
256/05	Sept. 1905	9,764 19	—	—	—	—	9,584 42	179 77	—
298/09	Oct. 1909	52,556 30	1,025 25	330 0	—	497 91	17,595 14	34,961 16	—
266/07	Mar. 1907	117,150 80	1,229 55	545 98	—	1,833 89	111,337 61	5,813 19	—
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
Loan of steam roller to H. L. Perera & Co.									
Removal of kerb stones on footpath opposite 40/42, Panchikawatta	Jan. 1910†	50 0	—	—	—	—	26 63	23 37	—
Drain connection from 19a, 19b, 30, and 31, Armour street	May 1910	10 0	—	—	—	—	5 78	4 22	—
	Feb. 1910	250 11	—	—	—	—	236 78	13 33	—

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			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.		
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, CONSTRUCTION—contd.</b>									
<i>Est. No.</i>									
Drain connection from 227, Armour street	May 1910	220 22	—	—	—	—	167 80	52 36	—
Drain connection from No. 55, Messenger street	June 1910	67 27	—	—	—	—	67 85	—	0 58
Loan of steam roller to Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extension	Oct. 1910	125 0	—	—	—	—	47 63	77 37	—
<i>Advance Account.</i>									
Loan of steam roller to Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extension	Nov. 1910	19 87	19 87	—	—	—	19 87	—	—
<b>Total</b>	—	<b>377,208 92</b>	<b>5,911 14</b>	<b>2,204 3</b>	<b>0 68</b>	<b>7,610 48</b>	<b>248,834 71</b>	<b>128,431 8</b>	<b>56 87</b>
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, LIGHTING.</b>									
<i>Printing Department.</i>									
53 Gas Printing Department	Jan. 1910	280 0	—	—	—	30 80	187 95	92 5	—
<i>Lighting.</i>									
231 Lighting public streets	Jan. 1910	123,400 0	—	—	—	9,620 17	107,069 2	16,330 98	—
232 Electric lighting, Fort.	Do.	18,200 0	—	—	—	1,488 0	16,040 0	2,160 0	—
233 Shifting of lamps and repairs to fittings, &c.	Do.	1,000 0	—	—	—	—	751 47	248 53	—
<i>Lighting—</i>									
234 Municipal buildings	Do.	9,000 0	—	—	—	563 3	6,289 71	2,710 29	—
235 Dean's road market	Do.	2,000 0	—	—	—	117 0	1,170 10	829 90	—
236 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c.	Do.	1,000 0	—	—	—	—	273 10	726 90	—
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>									
71 Working expenses and lighting, Fire Brigade	Jan. 1910	1,860 0	—	—	—	—	327 42	1,532 58	—
241 Current for electric fans, lighting extraordinary	Do.	5,412 0	—	—	—	371 3	4,228 98	1,183 2	—
36 Lighting cattle mart	Do.	1,000 0	—	—	—	67 5	756 0	244 0	—
251 Extension of lighting	Aug. 1910	6,000 0	—	—	—	—	564 80	5,435 20	—
<i>Re-votes.</i>									
316/09 Lighting cattle quarantine station	Dec. 1909*	4,320 0	—	—	—	—	3,757 0	563 0	—
<b>Total</b>	—	<b>173,472 0</b>	—	—	—	<b>12,257 8</b>	<b>141,415 55</b>	<b>32,056 45</b>	—
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, WATERWORKS.</b>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
61 Salaries, &c., to overseers and mechanics	Dec. 1909	7,160 0	563 66	—	—	137 50	7,166 81	—	6 81
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
63 Transport allowance to overseers and mechanics	Dec. 1909	540 0	40 0	—	—	—	480 0	60 0	—
<i>Waterworks.</i>									
227 Maintenance charges	Dec. 1909	17,947 0	809 16	15 0	63 34	—	14,495 64	3,451 36	—
228 Purchases and upkeep of meters	Do.	7,500 0	80 1	—	634 13	—	6,984 87	515 13	—
229 Tools	Jan. 1910	2,500 0	47 2	—	71 15	—	1,396 45	1,103 55	—
230 Store expenses	Dec. 1909	500 0	42 82	—	—	—	505 53	—	5 53
<i>Waterworks Extraordinary.</i>									
248 Extension of water service	Jan. 1910	5,000 0	—	—	—	—	4,645 68	354 32	—
249 Improvements to water supply	Do.	126,000 0	1,650 63	—	355 85	22 72	97,076 66	28,923 34	—
305 Extension in water main Buller's road	—	4,000 0	236 30	—	311 46	—	547 76	3,452 24	—
<i>Deposit Account.</i>									
House connection, waterworks	Jan. 1910	23,144 71	362 64	—	638 34	206 67	13,336 45	9,808 26	—

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			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.		
<b>ASSISTANT ENGINEER, WATERWORKS—contd.</b>									
<i>Buildings.</i>									
321/09 Permanent Infectious Diseases Hospital	Sept. 1909	25,000 0	15 90	—	—	31 0	24,042 42	957 58	—
<i>Advance Account.</i>									
Repairing burst in 27th main at Junction Bridge	Oct. 1910	662 19	10 90	—	155 91	—	662 19	—	—
<b>Total</b>	—	<b>219,953 90</b>	<b>3,859 54</b>	<b>15 0</b>	<b>2,230 18</b>	<b>397 89</b>	<b>171,340 46</b>	<b>48,625 78</b>	<b>12 3½</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>									
37 Contingencies, &c., cattle mart	Jan. 1910	518 78	24 82	75 0	—	—	518 78	—	—
27 Miscellaneous, commutation	Feb. 1910	117 90	—	—	—	—	117 90	—	—
38 Prevention of diseases in animals	Do.	18 75	—	—	—	—	18 75	—	—
42 Painting and branding, Veterinary Department	Mar. 1910	5 39	—	—	—	—	5 39	—	—
43 Capture of dogs	Jan. 1910	125 97	—	—	—	—	125 97	—	—
52 General upkeep and stores, Printing Department	Do.	55 33	—	11 17	—	—	55 33	—	—
68 Stores, Fire Brigade	Do.	1,348 36	—	42 50	—	—	1,348 36	—	—
71 Working expenses, Fire Brigade	Feb. 1910	24 24	—	—	—	—	24 24	—	—
80 Materials for disinfecting station	Mar. 1910	45 41	—	8 71	—	—	45 41	—	—
83 Miscellaneous, Public Health Department	Jan. 1910	110 79	4 66	12 24	—	—	110 79	—	—
93 Cost of disinfectants	Do.	3,234 78	—	207 66	—	—	3,234 78	—	—
95 Cleansing gang	Do.	878 52	147 42	38 10	—	—	878 52	—	—
94 Anti-pest gang	Feb. 1910	20 18	—	3 0	—	—	20 18	—	—
96 Enteric cleansing gang	Do.	18 94	—	1 36	—	—	18 94	—	—
106 Contingencies, Slave Island dispensary	Jan. 1910	36 65	—	4 0	—	—	36 65	—	—
111 Contingencies, Municipal Enteric Hospital	Do.	405 96	—	64 75	—	—	405 96	—	—
113 Equipment, Enteric Hospital	Mar. 1910	3 52	—	—	—	—	3 52	—	—
125 Miscellaneous, Conservancy Branch	Jan. 1910	74 46	—	5 12	—	—	74 46	—	—
129 Supply of storage buckets, latrines	Do.	96 0	—	4 0	—	—	96 0	—	—
131 Tools and equipment, markets	Do.	260 90	—	61 24	—	—	260 90	—	—
140 Contingencies, slaughter-house	Feb. 1910	86 92	—	6 83	—	—	86 92	—	—
141 Tools, slaughter-house	April 1910	106 60	—	—	—	—	106 60	—	—
145 Contingencies, cemeteries	Jan. 1910	76 16	—	14 86	—	—	76 16	—	—
160 Postage stamps	Do.	540 0	—	—	—	40 0	540 0	—	—
163 Miscellaneous, Secretary's	Do.	217 56	—	4 25	—	—	217 56	—	—
165 Stationery, Secretary's	Do.	95 55	—	—	—	—	95 55	—	—
104 Furniture, Slave Island dispensary	April 1910	18 38	—	—	—	—	18 38	—	—
45 Destruction of rats	Do.	591 5	—	144 0	—	—	591 5	—	—
86 Transport of infected goods	Do.	1 74	—	—	—	—	1 74	—	—
82 Segregation camp, feeding of contacts	June 1910	101 0	—	54 62	—	—	101 0	—	—
128 Supply of latrine buckets	July 1910	443 26	—	—	—	—	443 26	—	—
146 Upkeep of graves, cemeteries	Do.	45 4	—	—	—	—	45 4	—	—
39 Tin plates for boat licenses	Sept. 1910	228 45	33 81	—	—	—	228 45	—	—
151 Library	Feb. 1910	34 75	—	—	—	—	34 75	—	—
132 Hoses, &c., to markets	Nov. 1910	178 83	1 83	177 0	—	—	178 83	—	—
<b>Total</b>	—	<b>10,166 12</b>	<b>212 54</b>	<b>940 41</b>	—	<b>40 0</b>	<b>10,166 12</b>	—	—
<i>Summary.</i>									
Assistant Engineer, Maintenance, Northern Division	—	324,201 50	13,397 45	1,184 96	72 43	5,931 19	264,881 50	65,623 80	6,303 80
Assistant Engineer, Maintenance, Southern Division	—	286,983 18	11,861 22	1,199 86	26 22	6,980 81	225,425 51	65,820 45	4,262 78
Assistant Engineer, Construction, Workshop	—	29,075 0	578 66	622 40	—	249 89	19,943 92	9,131 8	—
Assistant Engineer, Construction, Works	—	377,208 92	5,911 14	2,204 3	0 68	7,610 48	248,834 71	128,431 8	56 87
Assistant Engineer, Lighting	—	173,472 0	—	—	—	12,257 8	141,415 55	32,056 45	—
Assistant Engineer, Waterworks	—	219,953 90	3,859 64	15 0	2,230 18	397 89	171,340 46	48,625 78	12 34
Miscellaneous	—	10,166 12	212 54	940 41	—	40 0	10,166 12	—	—
<b>Total</b>	—	<b>1,421,060 62</b>	<b>35,820 65</b>	<b>6,166 66</b>	<b>2,329 51</b>	<b>33,467 34</b>	<b>1,082,007 77</b>	<b>347,688 64</b>	<b>10,635 79</b>

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

<i>Credit.</i>		<i>Debit.</i>		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
192	Repairs, Conservancy Buildings ..	230	Construction and Repairs, Night Soil Carts: For adjustment of error ..	—	—	114	89
59	Transport Allowance of Overseers ..	210	Scavenging: Adjustment of error in typing, being ricksha allowance for scavenging inspector ..	—	—	30	0
61	Salaries of Overseers and Mechanics ..	227	Maintenance Charges, Waterworks: For salary of three sub-inspectors for Dec., 1909, and Jan. to April, 1910, adjusted ..	—	—	750	0
63	Transport Allowance to Overseers and Mechanics ..	227	Do. For allowance to three sub-inspectors for Dec., 1909, and Jan. to April, 1910, adjusted ..	—	—	150	0
270	Maligakanda Office ..		Advance Account, Purchase of Stores: Amount overcharged adjusted in one draughtsman table upon Issue Receipt No. 4,888, W. N. 2,777 ..	30	21		
270	Do. ..		Do. Amount overcharged adjusted in one teakwood drawing table against W. Note 2,753 ..	81	0		
166	Furniture ..		Do. Amount overcharged in two book racks against W. Note 2,787 adjusted ..	12	51		
166	Do. ..		Do. Amount overcharged in teakwood office table against W. Note 2,557 adjusted ..	1	57		
68	Stores, Fire Brigade ..		Do. Amount overcharged in eight scaling ladders against W. Note 2,971 adjusted ..	28	32		
145	Contingences, Cemeteries ..		Do. Amount overcharged on fifty arrows against W. Note No. 3,316 adjusted ..	21	11		
270	Maligakanda Office ..		Do. Value of materials returned to store ..	10	0		
—	Advance Account: Lotus Pond Latrine ..		Do. do. ..	29	92		
266/07	Construction of Skinner's road ..		Do. For materials put into stock ..	28	18		
210	Scavenging ..		Do. do. ..	5	69		
68	Stores, Fire Brigade ..		Do. do. ..	91	68		
248/07	Improvements to Central Fire Station ..		Do. do. ..	148	45		
269	Dean's Road Market ..		Do. do. ..	3	40		
39	Tin Plates for Boat Licences ..		Do. do. ..	2	8		
—	Advance Account: Making Concrete Pipes ..		Do. For pipes put into stock ..	622	50		
303	Addition to Dematagoda Slaughter-house ..		Do. For materials put into stock ..	14	7		
199	Tools for roads (Northern Division) ..		Do. do. ..	12	50		
—	Advance Account: Lotus Pond Latrine ..		Do. do. ..	32	0		
246	Tools for other works (construction) ..		Do. do. ..	506	3		
218	Upkeep of Gordon Gardens ..		Do. do. ..	29	31		
57	Surveying and Drawing ..		Do. do. ..	83	39		
213	Lake Dredging ..		Do. do. ..	15	51		
37	Contingences ..		Do. do. ..	520	70		
199	Tools for Roads (Southern Division) ..		Do. do. ..	6	77		
244	Store Expenses ..		Do. do. ..	317	82		
215	Upkeep of Victoria park ..	196	General Upkeep of Roads (Southern Division): Value of 12 carts leaf mould on Issue Receipt No. 5,361 ..			12	0
43	Sale of Manure ..	196	Do. Value of 12 cart loads cattle manure on Issue Receipt No. 5,362 ..			12	0
215	Upkeep of Victoria park ..	221	Price Recreation Ground: Value of 12 cart loads leaf mould on Issue Receipt No. 9,706 ..			6	0
—	Miscellaneous Revenue ..		Advance Account, for Purchase of Stores, Waterworks: Value of surplus materials put into stock ..			180	1
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.			
	Total payments to labourers by Municipal Engineer ..		—	35,820 65			
	Amount of cheques No. 2,243 to Municipal Engineer ..		5,460 65				
	Do. 2,244 do. ..		1,344 14				
	Do. 2,267 do. ..		360 22				
	Do. 2,268 do. ..		457 93				
	Do. 2,269 do. ..		78 53				
	Do. 2,270 do. ..		244 0				
	Do. 2,271 do. ..		494 88				
	Do. 2,272 do. ..		586 0				
	Do. 2,273 do. ..		545 92				
	Do. 2,274 do. ..		496 28				
	Do. 2,275 do. ..		218 73				
	Do. 2,276 do. ..		387 40				
	Do. 2,277 do. ..		8,867 12				
	Do. 2,285 do. ..		3,943 20				
	Do. 2,278 do. ..		514 69				
	Do. 2,279 do. ..		528 0				
	Do. 2,280 do. ..		297 0				
	Do. 2,281 do. ..		755 53				
	Do. 2,282 do. ..		616 83				
	Do. 2,283 do. ..		369 0				
	Do. 2,284 do. ..		9,236 44				
	Do. 2,317 do. ..		21 0				
	Amount received in cash voucher No. 2,167 ..		8 16				
	Refunded by Municipal Engineer as per cash bill No. 995 of Dec. 8, 1910 ..		35,821 65			1	0
			35,820 65				

Municipal Engineer's Office,  
Colombo, December 16, 1910.

R. SKELTON,  
Municipal Engineer.



**Minutes of Proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall  
on Friday, December 9, 1910, at 3 p.m.**

*Present* :—Mr. K. W. B. Macleod, Acting Chairman ; Mr. C. P. Dias ; Mr. C. A. Lovegrove ; Mr. H. Tiruvilangam ; Mr. R. S. Templeton ; Mr. L. B. Fernando ; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader ; Mr. Arthur Alvis ; Mr. H. L. de Mel ; Mr. E. G. Jayawardene ; Dr. David Rockwood ; Mr. P. D. Khan ; Mr. G. L. Cox ; and Mr. A. J. Martin.

The Council met this day at 3 p.m., pursuant to notice dated December 3, 1910, for the purpose of considering the Budget for 1911, in terms of sections 96 and 98 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.

The Chairman moved that Council do go into Committee. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

(Council in Committee.)

Under vote 29, Scavenging, it was resolved to alter the designation of "Scavenging Overseer" to "Superintendent of Scavenging."

The Chairman moved that the Council do resume, and that the Budget for 1911, as amended in Committee, be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

Confirmed on December 16, 1910 :

K. MACLEOD,  
Acting Chairman, Municipal Council,  
and Mayor of Colombo.

K. MACLEOD,  
Acting Chairman, Municipal Council,  
and Mayor of Colombo.

**MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE:**

**Notice to Rate-payers under Section 117 of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910.**

**I**T is hereby notified that the annual value of each house, building, land, or tenement has been entered in the assessment books for the year 1911.

The said assessment books are open to inspection at the Municipal Office up to February 28, 1911.

The Municipal Office,  
Galle, January 26, 1911.

By order,  
D. M. MOREIRA,  
Secretary.

**TRADE MARKS NOTICES.**

*Application No. 531.*

**I**N compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Freudenberg & Co., of Prince street, Fort, Colombo, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of Cutlery and Edge Tools in Class 12 and Metal Goods not included in other classes in Class 13 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



**"EYE" BRAND.**

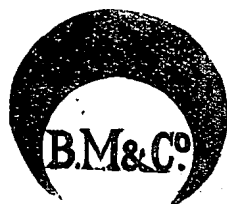
The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive device as illustrated above and the word "Eye," and the applicants disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 24, 1911.

P. E. PIERIS,  
Acting Registrar-General.

*Application No. 535.*

**I**N compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of Colombo, Solicitors, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Messrs. Brunner, Mond & Co., Limited, of Winnington, Northwich, Cheshire, England, Alkali Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof in respect of Bleaching Powder, Sequicarbonate of Soda for Laundry Purposes, Washing Soda, and other Preparations for Laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



The essential particular of the Trade Mark is the distinctive mark. The Trade Mark is declared to have been in use before the year 1888.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 24, 1911.

P. E. PIERIS,  
Acting Registrar-General.

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

Vessels.	Date of Clearing	For what Port.	Coffee.	Tea.	Cacao.	Trunk Cinnamon.	Cinchona Chips.	Cocounts.	Copra.	Cocount Oil.	Poonac.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Citronella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Plumbago.	Coir Rope.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Kittu Fibre.	Deer Horns.	Bamboo.
<b>COLOMBO.</b>																							
ss. Panay Lodge	1911	South Africa		41392						252										3230			
ss. Mongolie	16-1	London								99										275			
ss. Duplex	17-1	Calcutta		13207						22													
ss. Armand Belic	17-1	Marseilles		408369	26																		
ss. Otway	17-1	London	2	100997																260			
ss. Umkuzi	18-1	Cape Ports		560																			
ss. Kanagawa Maru	18-1	Japan		3400																			
ss. Wardha	18-1	Karachi		255363																			
ss. Matheran	19-1	London		514444	319		79500																
ss. Statesman	19-1	London		51368					8399			11200*								101	359	44	
ss. Leibniz	19-1	Hamburg		494339	457		22640			5002	1000	2381	12500		4830		198		111	540			
ss. City of Agra	20-1	London	28	617048							480				1243		2601		71	250	9		
ss. Christian Nebe	20-1	Vladivostok		130602	100		32010		500	2239					1067		104						
ss. Aki Maru	20-1	London		10412															45				
ss. Tosa Maru	21-1	Bombay			112																		
ss. Miyazaki Maru	21-1	Bombay																					
ss. Delhi	21-1	China		111671																100			
<b>GALLE.</b>																							
ss. Clan Gordon	16-1	London								1002													
ss. Chumpon	18-1	Penang & Singapore																					
ss. Landaura	20-1	Bombay																					

\* Chips.

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

COLOMBO	Bags.	Bombay	Penang	Singapore	Total
From Calcutta	42,279	88			
Tuticorin	12,372	2,000			
Rangoon	18,872				
Kobe	500				
<b>Total</b>	<b>83,923</b>	<b>2,088</b>			<b>86,011</b>

TO GALLE.	Bags.	From Calcutta	Southern India	Total
		11,243	18,489	29,732

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 23, 1911.

A. R. Slarves,  
for Principal Collector.

## Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Traffic for the Month ended November 30, 1910.

Receipts from	Month ended November 30, 1909.		Month ended November 30, 1910.		Increase. 1910 over 1909.		Decrease. 1910 below 1909.	
	No.	Rs. c.	No.	Rs. c.	No.	Rs. c.	No.	Rs. c.
Passengers, Ordinary and Special	631,122	320,308 92	703,342	348,669 44	72,220	28,360 52	—	—
Coolies	7,557	7,255 14	9,840	9,114 95	2,283	1,859 81	—	—
Season Tickets	4,726	14,775 0	5,332	17,063 80	606	2,288 80	—	—
Parcels and Mails	65,356	29,334 69	78,492	35,506 99	13,136	6,172 30	—	—
Horses, Carriages, and other Coaching Traffic	2,801	4,928 86	2,905	5,237 3	104	308 17	—	—
Goods (tons)	77,141	589,877 46	70,983	592,714 76	—	2,837 30	6,158	—
Live Stock	3,187	1,994 75	2,338	2,120 90	—	126 15	849	—
Miscellaneous	—	15,716 77	—	19,690 48	—	3,973 71	—	—
Motor Service	—	—	—	947 50	—	947 50	—	—
Total for the Month	—	984,191 59	—	1,031,065 85	—	46,874 26	—	—
Brought forward from previous return	—	3,788,857 4	—	4,448,410 86	—	659,553 82	—	—
Total from July 1 to November 30	—	4,773,048 63	—	5,479,476 71	—	706,428 8	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year	—	4,495,749 34	—	4,773,048 63	—	—	—	—
Increase	—	277,299 29	—	706,428 8	—	—	—	—
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Traffic Train Mileage, July 1 to Nov. 30	913,586	—	952,369	—	38,783	—	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year	867,354	—	913,586	—	—	—	—	—
Increase	46,232	—	38,783	—	—	—	—	—
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended	Month ended	Increase in	Decrease in	Nett Increase or Decrease from July 1 to Nov. 30.	
	Nov. 30, 1909.	Nov. 30, 1910.			Increase in	Decrease in
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Increase in 1910.	Decrease in 1910.
First Class Goods	80	111	31	—	72	—
Kerosine oil, 2nd class	188	297	109	—	454	—
Other, 2nd class	1,169	1,201	32	—	1,289	—
Rice, 3rd class	14,365	16,345	1,980	—	5,065	—
Arrack, 3rd class	308	296	—	12	150	—
Salt	819	679	—	140	—	401
Other, 3rd class	7,281	9,427	2,146	—	10,737	203a
Rubber, 3rd class	67	138	71	—	394	—
Coffee, 4th class	5	4	—	1	—	27
Cacao, 4th class	764	638	—	126	—	311
Coconut produce, 4th class	3,377	2,466	—	911	1,045	882b
Poonac, 4th class	734	600	—	134	251	—
Tea, 4th class	8,281	6,398	—	1,883	—	916
Timber, all classes	603	464	—	139	38	755c
Other, 4th class	2,706	2,698	—	8	1,285	66d
Cigars	37	33	—	4	17	—
Other, 5th class	1,589	1,434	—	155	950	—
Tea packing, 3rd and 6th classes	1,612	1,258	—	354	—	251
Manure, 3rd and 6th classes	6,369	5,318	—	1,051	169	20e
Plumbago, 3rd and 6th classes	1,645	1,691	46	—	141	67f
Other, 6th class	2,203	3,481	1,278	—	3,267	—
Copra, 6th class	58	5	—	53	—	237
Breakwater material	13,473	4,769	—	8,704	—	14,570
Railway material for extension	7,999	9,842	1,843	—	8,873	—
Railway material for existing line						
P. W. D. material	—	—	—	—	—	96
Bulk petroleum	727	685	—	42	41	—
Liquid fuel	647	684	37	—	184	—
Free goods	35	21	—	14	26	—
	77,141	70,983	7,573	13,731	34,448	18,802

- a. Increase in Tobacco, Beer, and other 3rd Class Goods.  
Decrease in Cinnamon, Cardamoms, and Tea Leaf.
- b. Increase in Coconuts.  
Decrease in Coconut Oil and Copra, 4th Class.
- c. Increase in Timber Wrought and Timber, 6th Class.  
Decrease in Timber, 5th Class.

- d. Increase in Cotton and other 4th Class Goods.  
Decrease in Staves, 4th Class.
- e. Increase in Manure, 6th Class.  
Decrease in Manure, 3rd Class.
- f. Increase in Plumbago, 6th Class.  
Decrease in Plumbago, 3rd Class.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

## LOCAL BOARD OF MATALE.

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1910.

REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount.	Total.	
		Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	
<i>Taxes.</i>								
Property rates	..	2,580	38	Interest and sinking fund on loan	..	717	76	
Property rates—arrears	..	842	66	Establishment	..	2,640	0	
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections	..	2,475	0	Office contingencies	..	258	33	
Other :—				Cost of audit	..	122	6	
Animals and vehicles	..	429	0	Revenue services	..	680	3	
Dogs	..	108	0	Education	..	50	0	
Government contribution in lieu of local rates	..	193	76	Sanitation	..	3,400	45	
				Lighting	..	1,209	19	
				Police charges	..	256	77	
				Public works :—				
			6,628	80	Ordinary	Rs. 5,826	89	
<i>Licenses.</i>								
Refund, stamp duty	..	3,737	27	Extraordinary	..	8,307	61	
Opium	..	2,409	12			14,131	50	
Other	..	88	50	Miscellaneous	..	1,284	42	
			6,234	89			24,753	51
<i>Rents.</i>								
Market	..	4,635	25	Balance on December 31, 1910	..		18,131	38
Lands	..	91	75					
Pasture	..	131	50					
Town Hall	..	237	16					
Cattle pound and slaughter-house	..	1,213	0					
Cemetery	..	116	50					
Royalty on sand	..	63	40					
			6,488	56				
<i>Fines.</i>								
Police Magistrate	..	636	50					
Cattle trespass	..	101	50					
Road tax defaulters	..	3	0					
			741	0				
<i>Sundries.</i>								
Sale of dog collars	..	15	75					
Government contribution to latrines	..	130	0					
Hire of hearse	..	37	50					
Miscellaneous	..	548	74					
			731	99				
Total revenue, 1910	..		20,825	24				
Balance on December 31, 1909	..		22,059	65				
Total	..		42,884	89	Total	..	42,884	89

I, F. G. Tyrrell, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid during the year 1910 on account of the Local Board of Matale, and that the balance is in the hands of the Assistant Government Agent of Matale.

F. G. TYRRELL,  
Chairman and Treasurer.

Sworn before me, at Matale, this 20th day of January, 1911 :

DAN. JOSEPH,  
Justice of the Peace.

F. A. PRINS,  
Member.

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities, 1910.

ASSETS.		Amount.	LIABILITIES.		Amount.		
		Rs.			Rs.		
		c.			c.		
Balance on December 31, 1910	..	18,131	38	Balance due Government on drainage loans	..	12,242	69
Assessment—arrears, 1910	..	837	62	Excess of assets over liabilities	..	6,726	31
Total	..	18,969	0	Total	..	18,969	0

I, F. G. Tyrrell, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of the assets and liabilities of the Local Board of Matale on December 31, 1910.

Sworn before me, at Matale, this 20th day of January, 1911 :

DAN. JOSEPH,  
Justice of the Peace.

F. G. TYRRELL,  
Chairman and Treasurer.

F. A. PRINS,  
Member.

## Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1911.

RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>					
Property rates ..	2,800 0		Interest and sinking fund ..	717 76	
Property rates—arrears ..	837 62		Establishment ..	3,000 0	
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	2,400 0		Office contingencies ..	250 0	
Other :—			Cost of audit ..	104 46	
Animals and vehicles ..	400 0		Revenue services ..	763 0	
Dogs ..	100 0		Education ..	50 0	
Government contribution in lieu of local rates ..	208 16	6,745 78	Sanitation ..	3,760 0	
			Lighting ..	1,405 0	
<i>Licenses.</i>					
Refund of stamp duty ..	2,000 0		Police charges ..	215 0	
Other ..	100 0		Public works ..	18,060 0	
		2,100 0	Miscellaneous ..	1,155 0	27,480 22
<i>Rents.</i>					
Market ..	5,484 0				
Fish market ..	384 0				
Vegetable market ..	732 0				
Gardens (lands) ..	80 0				
Pasture ..	125 0				
Town Hall ..	200 0				
Cattle pound and slaughter-house fees ..	1,500 0				
Cemetery fees ..	75 0				
Royalty on sand ..	50 0	8,630 0			
<i>Fines.</i>					
Police Magistrate ..	400 0				
Cattle trespass ..	100 0	500 0			
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>					
Sale of dog collars and muzzles ..	25 0				
Government contribution for loss of opium revenue ..	3,199 50				
Government contribution to upkeep latrines ..	130 0				
Hire of hearse ..	35 0				
Sundries ..	400 0	3,789 50			
Total ..		21,765 28	Probable Balance on December 31, 1911 ..		12,416 44
Balance on December 31, 1910 ..		18,131 38	Total ..		39,896 66
Total ..		39,896 66			

Local Board Office,  
Matale, January 20, 1911.F. A. PRINS,  
MemberF. G. TYRRELL,  
Chairman.

## LOCAL BOARD OF GAMPOLA.

## Estimated Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Gampola for 1911.

RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>					
Property rates ..	3,116 0		Cemetery fees ..	75 0	
Property rates—arrears ..	1,000 0		Royalty on sand ..	20 0	
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	2,800 0		Rent of road reservation ..	29 0	
Water rate ..	1,864 0		Private water service ..	60 0	
Water rate—arrears ..	600 0		Dry-earth closet charges ..	100 0	3,469 0
Animals and vehicles ..	200 0				
Dogs ..	80 0		<i>Fines.</i>		
Government contribution in lieu of local rates ..	304 0	9,964 0	Police Magistrate ..	100 0	
<i>Licenses.</i>					
Refund of stamp duty ..	1,750 0		Cattle trespass ..	20 0	120 0
Opium ..	4,000 0		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Other ..	300 0	6,050 0	Sale of dog collars ..	35 0	
<i>Rents.</i>					
Meat market rent ..	1,320 0		Hire of hearse ..	20 0	
Mutton market rent ..	480 0		Sundries ..	50 0	105 0
Fish market rent ..	180 0				
Pasture rent ..	5 0				
Cattle pound and slaughter-house fees ..	1,200 0		Probable Balance on December 31, 1910 ..		10,000 0
			Total ..		29,708 0



## DESCRIPTION OF EXPENDITURE.

	Amount.		Total.			Amount.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Cost of Administration.</i>									
<i>Establishment.</i>									
Salary—					<i>Police.</i>				
Secretary ..	1,500	0			Dog seizing ..	—		230	57
Recordkeeper and bookbinder (with clerical works) ..	192	3							
Peon ..	120	0			<i>Public Works.</i>				
Superintendent of Works ..	1,504	16			<i>Maintenance.</i>				
Sanitary Inspector ..	600	0			Upkeep—				
Allowance of Sanitary Inspector ..	120	0			Roads ..	8,952	28		
			4,036	19	Channels ..	869	66		
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>					Tower, clock ..	120	0		
Stationery ..	95	25			Grand bazaar and fish market ..	122	75		
Printed forms ..	116	9			Karaiur fish market ..	44	0		
Petty expenses ..	189	67			Kaikula bazaar ..	67	50		
			401	1				10,176	19
<i>Cost of Audit</i> ..	—		155	71	Repairs—				
<i>Revenue Services.</i>					Clock tower ..	—		169	7
Commission—					Improvements—				
Property rates ..	542	60			Receptacles (on account) ..	545	81		
Thoroughfares Ordinance collec- tions ..	761	19			Grand bazaar floor ..	2,144	91		
Private vehicles tax ..	35	30			Culvert ..	21	0		
Dog tax ..	5	81			Esplanade well ..	30	48		
Plates for carts, &c. ..	87	49						2,742	20
Stamps for branding carts ..	20	0			New works—				
			1,452	39	Karaiur latrine (for completing) ..	113	56		
<i>Sanitation.</i>					Parapet wall, Hospital road ..	22	91		
Latrines ..	1,513	77			Wire fencing, Karaiur cemetery ..	300	75		
Dry-earth system ..	353	80						437	22
Receptacles ..	671	48			<i>Miscellaneous.</i>				
Scavenging ..	2,959	47			Law expenses ..	321	88		
Esplanade well ..	109	80			Market-keeper, &c. ..	198	0		
Disinfectants, &c. ..	143	48			Assessment tax ..	122	82		
Infectious diseases ..	34	45						642	70
Malaria ..	299	56			<i>Refunds</i> ..	—		1,117	11
			6,085	81					
<i>Lighting</i> ..	—		699	53				28,345	70
					Balance on December 31, 1910 ..			2,325	38
								Total ..	30,671 8

I, Herbert Rayner Freeman, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid by me during the year 1910 on account of the Jaffna Local Board, and that the balance was in the hands of the Government Agent, Jaffna, on December 31, 1910.

H. R. FREEMAN,  
Chairman and Treasurer.

Certified as correct.  
S. THAMBYAH PILLAI, Member.

Sworn to before me, at Jaffna, this 23rd day of January, 1911:

V. THAMBIPILLAI,  
Justice of the Peace.

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Jaffna Local Board on December 31, 1910.

ASSETS.		Amount.	LIABILITIES.		Amount.
		Rs. c.			Rs. c.
Property rates ..		292	26	Commission—	
Dry-earth system ..		10	50	Property rates ..	12
Latrines ..		50	0	Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	81
				Repairs to tower, clock ..	170
		352	76		
Cash in Kacheheri on December 31, 1910 ..		2,325	38		263
				Surplus ..	2,414
Total ..		2,678	14	Total ..	2,678

I, Herbert Rayner Freeman, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge the above is a true and correct statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Jaffna Local Board on December 31, 1910.

H. R. FREEMAN,  
Chairman and Treasurer.  
S. THAMBYAH PILLAI, Member.

Sworn to before me, at Jaffna, this 23rd day of January, 1911:

V. THAMBIPILLAI,  
Justice of the Peace.

## Estimate of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Jaffna Local Board for 1910.

		DESCRIPTION OF REVENUE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>				<i>Rents.</i>	
Property rates ..	11,250 0			Markets ..	2,178 0
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	11,631 25			Other—	
Other—				Pasture ..	119 75
Private vehicles tax ..	850 0			Local Board lands ..	150 0
			23,731 25		2,447 75
<i>Licenses.</i>				<i>Fines</i>	
Liquor ..	633 75				25 0
Opium ..	226 13			<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
Carts ..	1,503 51			Dry-earth system ..	325 0
Other—				Latrines ..	410 0
Boats ..	425 54			Plates for carts ..	50 0
Manufactories ..	175 50			Sundries ..	236 1
Firearms ..	82 53				1,021 1
Butchers' ..	55 55				31,500 0
Poisons ..	39 0				
Petroleum ..	23 24				
Explosives ..	25 62				
Proctors' ..	570 37				
Notaries' ..	392 25				
Dogs ..	122 0				
			4,274 99		
				Balance on December 31, 1910 ..	2,325 38
				Total ..	33,825 38

		DESCRIPTION OF EXPENDITURE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Cost of Administration.</i>				<i>Public Works.</i>	
<i>Establishment.</i>				<i>Maintenance.</i>	
Salary—				Upkeep—	
Secretary ..	1,500 0			Roads ..	8,900 0
Recordkeeper and bookbinder ..				Channels ..	500 0
(with additional clerical work) ..	180 0			Tower, clock ..	120 0
Peon ..	120 0			Grand bazaar and fish market ..	135 0
Superintendent of Works ..	1,604 16			Slaughter-house ..	24 0
Sanitary Inspector ..	800 0			Infectious Diseases Hospital ..	65 0
Allowance of Sanitary Inspector ..	120 0			Grand bazaar latrine fences ..	43 0
			4,124 16		9,787 0
				Repairs—	
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>				Tower, clock (re-vote) ..	170 0
Stationery ..	100 0			Grand bazaar latrine ..	62 0
Printed forms ..	150 0				232 0
Petty expenses ..	225 0			Improvements—	
			475 0	New gate for cemetery ..	96 0
<i>Cost of Audit</i> ..	—		144 96	Drain and culvert 1st Cross street ..	31 0
				Thundampiddy road ..	22 0
<i>Revenue Services.</i>					149 0
Commission—				<i>New Works.</i>	
Property rates ..	746 20			Kamathiddy latrine ..	1,250 0
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections ..	950 0			Anchananthalvu latrine ..	1,350 0
Private vehicles tax ..	42 50			Passair latrine ..	995 0
Dog tax ..	6 10			Beach latrine ..	390 0
Plates for carts ..	110 0			Small bazaar (on account) ..	2,800 0
Stamps for branding carts ..	20 0			Parapet wall, Neeravy Kernie ..	340 0
			1,874 80	Drain near Sivan temple ..	175 0
					7,300 0
<i>Sanitation.</i>				<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
Conservancy ..	2,509 86			Law expenses ..	100 0
Receptacles ..	616 20			Market-keeper, &c. ..	198 0
Scavenging ..	2,837 40			Police assessment tax ..	106 80
Esplanade well ..	131 76			Clerical assistance to Maniagar ..	60 0
Disinfectants, &c. ..	604 78				464 80
Infectious diseases ..	100 0				
			6,800 0		
<i>Lighting</i> ..	—		970 0		
<i>Police.</i>				Balance available ..	1,053 66
Dog seizing ..	—		450 0	Total ..	33,825 38

Local Board Office,  
Jaffna, January 23, 1911.

H. R. FREEMAN,  
Chairman.  
S. THAMBYAH PILLAI,  
Member.



## LOCAL BOARD OF KEGALLA.

## Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure for 1911.

REVENUE.	Amount.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1910 ..	—	2,386 83	<i>Interest and sinking fund on loans</i> ..	—	500 0
<i>Taxes.</i>			<i>Cost of Administration.</i>		
Property rates—arrears, 1910 ..	559 83		Establishment ..	1,338 0	
Property rates—arrears, 1911 ..	1,186 29		Office contingencies ..	175 0	
Rates on Government buildings ..	130 50		Cost of audit ..	42 59	
Thoroughfares Ordinance collection	1,250 0		Revenue services ..	443 0	
Other ..	150 0				1,998 59
		3,276 62	<i>Education—Town Schools Ordinance</i> ..	—	50 0
<i>Licenses.</i>			<i>Sanitation</i> ..	—	1,590 0
Liquor ..	658 13		<i>Lighting</i> ..	—	1,147 0
Opium ..	1,110 77		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Carts ..	50 0		Maintenance ..	1,600 0	
Other ..	420 0		New construction ..	1,050 0	
		2,238 90			2,650 0
<i>Rents.</i>			<i>Police</i> ..	—	100 0
Markets ..	700 0		<i>Miscellaneous</i> ..	—	880 0
Other ..	500 0				8,915 59
		1,200 0	Probable Balance on December 31, 1911 ..		1,086 76
<i>Fines</i> ..	—	50 0			
<i>Miscellaneous</i> ..	—	850 0			
		10,002 35	Total ..		10,002 35

Local Board Office,  
Kegalla, January 24, 1911.

J. CONBOY, Chairman.  
ALBERT A. WICKRAMASINGHE,  
Member.

## SANITARY BOARD, NORTHERN PROVINCE.

## Statement of all Moneys received and paid and all Sums levied and expended under "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinances, 1892 to 1909," for the Year 1910, for the Small Town of Valvedditurai.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.		PAYMENTS.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1909 ..	—	1,481 72	Administration ..	321 12	
Assessment tax of 1909 (outstanding) ..	122 84		Sanitation ..	576 29	
Assessment tax of 1910 ..	305 56		Public works ..	1,084 32	
Road Ordinance funds ..	931 25				1,981 73
Refund of stamp duty ..	27 30		Balance on December 31, 1910 ..	—	922 40
Local rates on Crown property ..	34 64				
Miscellaneous ..	0 82				
		1,422 41			
		2,904 13	Total ..		2 904 13

Jaffna Kachcheri,  
January 17, 1911.

M. A. YOUNG,  
for Government Agent.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct. The revenue due has been duly collected, and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

T. C. CHANGARAPILLAI,  
Auditor.

## Statement of all Moneys received and paid and all Sums levied and expended under "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinances, 1892 to 1909," for the Year 1910, for the Small Town of Kayts.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.		PAYMENTS.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1909 ..	—	1,763 83	Administration ..	364 43	
Assessment tax of 1909 (outstanding) ..	305 99		Sanitation ..	641 83	
Assessment tax of 1910 ..	437 84		Public works ..	791 72	
Road Ordinance funds ..	1,156 25		Miscellaneous ..	3 80	
Refund of stamp duty ..	460 20				1,801 78
Local rates on Crown property ..	42 64		Balance on December 31, 1910 ..	—	2,365 79
Miscellaneous ..	0 82				
		2,403 74			
		4,167 57	Total ..		4,167 57

Jaffna Kachcheri,  
January 17, 1911.

M. A. YOUNG,  
for Government Agent.

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T. C. CHANGARAPILLAI,  
Auditor.

## Statement of all Moneys received and paid and all Sums levied and expended under "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinances, 1892 to 1909," for the Year, 1910, for the Small Town of Point Pedro.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.		PAYMENTS.	Amount.		
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	
Balance on December 31, 1909	—	1,599 83	Administration	374 19		
Assessment tax of 1909 (outstanding)	244 60		Sanitation	741 44		
Assessment tax of 1910	737 25		Public works	1,291 1		
Road Ordinance funds	1,358 75		Miscellaneous	46 24		
Refund of stamp duty	305 18					
Local rates on Crown property	71 10		Balance on December 31, 1910	—	2,452 88	
Registration of dogs	18 50				2,013 33	
Market	131 0					
		2,866 38				
Total		4,466 21			Total	4,466 21

Jaffna Kachcheri,  
January 17, 1911.

M. A. YOUNG,  
for Government Agent.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct. The revenue due has been duly collected, and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

T. C. CHANGARAPILLAI,  
Auditor.

Statement of Arrears of Sanitary Rates outstanding at the end of 1910 for the following Small Towns (*vide* Government Circular No. 155 of October 6, 1906).

Places.	Tax for 3rd Quarter, 1910, outstanding.		Tax for 4th Quarter, 1910.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Point Pedro	—	—	245 75	—	245 75	
Valvedditturai	65 36	—	123 64	—	189 0	
Kayts	218 92	—	218 92	—	437 84	
					Total	872 59

Jaffna Kachcheri,  
January 17, 1911.

T. C. CHANGARAPILLAI,  
Auditor.

M. A. YOUNG,  
for Government Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the properties mentioned in the annexed schedule having been seized for default of assessment tax by the owners for the several quarters of 1909 will be sold on the spot on the dates and time therein mentioned by public auction in conformity with the Ordinance No. 19 of 1905, unless in the meantime the amount in respect of the rates, together with the lawful cost of seizure and sale, is duly paid.

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

Colombo Kachcheri,  
January 25, 1911.

C. H. JONES,  
Assistant Government Agent.

## SCHEDULE.

Lot No.	Description.	Village—Molpe. Date of Sale—February 13, 1911.		Time of Sale.
		Quarter and Year.		
8	Garden	3rd quarter of 1909		9. 0 A.M.
30	House and garden	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		9.30 "
31	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		10. 0 "
34	Do.	2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		10.30 "
49	Do.	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		11. 0 "
73a	House and garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		11.30 "
108a	Garden	do.		12. 0 noon
102	Do.	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		2. 0 P.M.
		Village—Koralewella. Date of Sale—February 14, 1911.		
142	Garden	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		9. 0 A.M.
173	House and garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		9.30 "
191	House	3rd quarter of 1909		10. 0 "
211	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		10.30 "
219	House and garden	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		11. 0 "
220	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		11.30 "
237	Do.	3rd quarter of 1909		12. 0 noon
247	Do.	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		2. 0 P.M.
252	House and garden	3rd and 4th quarters of 1909		2.30 "
257	Garden	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909		3. 0 "
266	Do.	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		3.30 "
314	House and garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909		4. 0 "

Date of Sale—February 15, 1911.			
Lot No.	Description.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
322	House	1st quarter of 1909	9. 0 A.M.
327	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909	9.30 "
369	Do.	do.	10. 0 "
392	House and garden	do.	10.30 "
396	Garden	do.	11. 0 "
447	House	3rd quarter of 1909	11.30 "
451	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909	12. 0 noon
454	House and garden	do.	2. 0 P.M.
483	Do.	1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909	2.30 "
485	Do.	do.	3. 0 "
488	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909	3.30 "
498	House and garden	4th quarter of 1909	4. 0 "

Date of Sale—February 16, 1911.			
501	House and garden	2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909	9. 0 A.M.
508	Do.	3rd quarter of 1909	9.30 "
509	Do.	do.	10. 0 "
510	Do.	do.	10.30 "
520	Do.	do.	11. 0 "
525	Garden	1st and 3rd quarters of 1909	11.30 "
530	Do.	do.	12. 0 noon
696	House and garden	2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters of 1909	2. 0 P.M.

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

THE following specification has been accepted:—

No. 1,174 of January 7, 1911.

*Cecil Fairburn Hutchinson and William Sheppard Jeffares.*—"An artificial channel or gutter for collecting and diverting fluids and other substances from trees."

*Abstract.*—The invention provides a channel for leading off rain water which would otherwise flow down the tree and mix with the latex. The channel is made in sections provided with spikes which hold them in position against the tree, stop bars being provided to prevent the penetration from being too deep.

It terminates in a spout to deliver the rain water clear of the tapping area.

The claims are for (1) use of a channel and spout, made in sections (separate or jointed) for keeping the tapping area dry, (2) use of the spike, and (3) use of the stop bar.

Two sheets of drawings.

A. F. JOSEPH,  
Acting Registrar of Patents.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

### Malwala Ferry-Wewelwatta Factory Estate Road.

WITH reference to the notice dated October 14, 1910, and published in the *Government Gazettes* Nos. 6,408 and 6,409 of October 28 and November 4, 1910, respectively, notice is hereby given that under section 13 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, Mr. J.L. Grierson has been elected Member of the Local Committee in place of Mr. C. W. Baker who has left the district.

Provincial Road Committee, G. S. WOODMAN,  
Ratnapura, January 11, 1911. for Chairman.

### Duckwari-Cottaganga 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 1910-1911, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, February 18, 1911, at 1.30 P.M., at their office in Kandy,

proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

### DUCKWARI-COTTAGANGA ROAD.

Government moiety	Rs. 634.00
Private contributions	640.34

1st section,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Rangala Tea Co. (W. Sinclair)	Ranwella	200

1st to 4th section,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  mile.

Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Co., Ltd.	Cottaganga	590
M. L. Wilkins	Gonawela	560
C. J. Pattenson	New Tunisgala and Girindiella	734

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

L. W. BOOTH,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.  
Kandy, January 24, 1911.