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### UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON NARANGODA COCONUT ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE CEYLON NARANGODA COCONUT ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office is to be established in Negombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
  - (1) To acquire St. Catherine's estate in Narangoda as from August 13, 1910.
  - (2) To purchase, take on lease, or otherwise acquire any other estate or estates.
  - (3) To sell, let, underlet, surrender, transfer, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities of money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company or for any other consideration.
  - (4) To work and develop St. Catherine's or Narangoda estate and any other estate or estates that may be subsequently acquired.
  - (5) To invest, lend, or otherwise deal with the monies of the Company upon such security or without security and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
  - (6) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company, to receive money or deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company, or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable or irredeemable, or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights; and properties of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.

- (7) 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 or exchanged, transferred or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereof, or any part or parts thereof.
- (8) To make, accept, endorse, issue, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, warrants, debentures, bills of lading, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (9) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in the conduct of its business.
- (10) To provide for the welfare of persons in the employment of the Company or formerly in their employment, and the widows and children of such persons and others dependent upon them by granting money or pensions, subscribing to sick, or benefit clubs, or societies, or otherwise as the Company shall think fit, and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects or for any exhibition or any public, general, or useful object.
- (11) To procure the Company to be registered in the Island of Ceylon and if when desired elsewhere, or to establish and regulate in the United Kingdom, Ceylon, or in the Colonies, or elsewhere abroad agencies for any of the purposes of the Company.
- (12) To pay for any lands, real and personal, immovable or movable estate or property of assets of any kind, acquired or to be rendered to the Company, or for any services rendered to 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 (whether partly paid up or fully paid up) 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 as fully paid up or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (13) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands real or personal, immovable or movable estate or property or assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company, or in discharge of any consideration to be raised by the Company, moneys or shares whether partly paid up or fully paid up of any company, or the debentures or debenture stock or obligations of any company or person or partly one or partly any other.
- (14) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (15) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world and as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise and either alone or in conjunction with others, either by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, corporations, or otherwise.
- (16) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conclusive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them. It being hereby declared that in the foregoing clause (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "person" includes any number of persons and a corporation, and the "other objects" specified in any one 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 authorized capital of the Company is One hundred and Eighty thousand Rupees divided into Six thousand shares of Thirty Rupees each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital of the Company may be 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 respectfully 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.
GEO. SCHRADER, Wester Seaton estate, Negombo .. .. .	One
JNO. H. PEREIRA, Johnsland, Negombo .. .. .	One
C. L. DE ZYLVA, Nelsruhe, Negombo .. .. .	One

Witness to the above three signatures, at Negombo, this Twenty-first day of September, 1910:

S. C. SANSONI,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Negombo, Ceylon.

SOLOMON FERNANDO, Sigiya, Colombo .. .. .	One
CHAS. P. DE SILVA, Carlton House, Moratuwa .. .. .	One
J. W. WEERASURIYA, Dodanduwa .. .. .	One
DAVID ROCKWOOD, Fountain House, Colombo .. .. .	One

Witness to the signatures of SOLOMON FERNANDO, CHAS. P. DE SILVA, and J. W. WEERASURIYA, at Colombo, this Sixth day of October, 1910:

L. B. FERNANDO,  
Proctor, Supreme Court.

Witness to the signature of DAVID ROCKWOOD, at Colombo, this Eighteenth day of October, 1910:

L. B. FERNANDO,  
Proctor, Supreme Court.

## ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON NARANGODA COCONUT ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

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

## INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

The word "Company" means "The Ceylon Narangoda Coconut Estates 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 includes the feminine, and *vice versa*.

## BUSINESS.

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

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

## CAPITAL.

4. The original capital of the Company is One hundred and Eighty thousand Rupees (Rs. 180,000), divided into Six thousand shares of Thirty Rupees (Rs. 30) 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, 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.

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.

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 shares 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.

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 or any such estates or lands, 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, payments of the whole or any part of the purchase price or any such estates or lands, and that without offering the shares allotted to the Shareholders.

12. Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereto 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 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 shares.

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.

22. The certificates of shares shall be issued under the seal of the Company, and signed by the Directors and the Agents and Secretaries.

#### CALLS.

23. The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the Shareholder in respect of all moneys unpaid on their shares, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times, provided that one month's 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.

24. 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 pay interest to the time of actual payment, but the Directors may when they think fit remit altogether or in part any sum becoming payable for interest under this clause.

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

26. The Directors shall have power on 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.

27. 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 same 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 advance have been made, the Board may pay or allow interest at such rates as the Shareholders paying such sum in advance and the Directors may agree upon.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

30. 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.

31. 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 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.

32. 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 31, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

34. 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.

35. 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.

36. 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.

37. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to share 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.

38. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 37 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.

39. 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.

40. 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 instalments is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

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

41. 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.

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

43. 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.

44. 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 or 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 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 42 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

45. 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 moneys 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.

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

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

48. The certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by clause 46 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

49. 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.

50. 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 at 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.

51. 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 of such consent in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

52. 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 the 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.

53. The Directors may 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, 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, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Rs. 20,000.

54. With the sanction of a General Meeting the Board may borrow such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. A certificate under the hands of two Directors or of one Director and the Secretary 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.

55. 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.

56. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at 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, allotments 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 money 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 two 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 Meeting 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 Shareholder or Shareholders holding in the aggregate one-eighth part of the shares of 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 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 convene the second meetings 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 by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) 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 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 be adjourned to the same date 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 meetings, or if he shall refuse to take the chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; or 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 meetings from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice thereof shall be given.

76. The 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 in person or by proxy or 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 of 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 executors 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 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 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 appointer, or if such appointer be a company or corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such company or corporation.

88. The instrument appointing a proxy shall, as nearly as circumstances will admit, be in the following form:—

*The Ceylon Narangoda Coconut Estates 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, a majority of three-fourths of the Shareholders present and (for) 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 constructed 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 of at least fifty 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.

93. The first Directors shall be Dr. Solomon Fernando, John H. Pereira, Dr. David Rockwood, and C. Lionel de Zylva, who shall hold the office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

94. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company, or Superintendent or Superintendents of any 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 (or) Visiting Agent or Visiting Agents, or Superintendent or Superintendents.

The Directors may confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all of 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.

95. 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 96.

96. 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.

\*97. 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.

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

99. 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.

100. 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.

101. 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.

102. 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.

103. 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.

104. 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.

105. 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 of expense happening to the Company by the inefficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

106. 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.

107. 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 ceased 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.

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

109. 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 in 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.

110. 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.

111. 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 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.

112. 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 revoke such appointment.

113. The Director shall have the 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.

114. 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.

115. 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.

116. 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 debt 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 purpose 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 vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate to any one of 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 Directors in that behalf and from time to time 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 several sums so set aside upon such investments as they may think fit, and from time to time deal with and every 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 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.

117. 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.

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

119. 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.

120. 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.

121. The Board may delegate any of their powers to committee 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 informed 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 purpose of their appointment, but not otherwise, shall have the like force and effect as if done by the Board.

122. The meetings and proceedings of such committee shall be governed by 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.

123. 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.

124. 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.

125. 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 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.

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

## ACCOUNTS.

127. 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 manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

128. 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 Shareholder 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.

129. 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.

130. 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.

131. 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.

132. 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 recommended should be paid out of the profit by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

133. 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.

134. 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.

135. 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.

136. 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.

137. 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.

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

139. 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.

140. 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.

141. 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.

142. 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.

143. 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.

144. 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.

145. 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.

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

147. No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend or bonus in respect of his share or shares, whilst any money 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.

148. 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.

149. 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.

150. 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.

151. 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.

152. 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.

153. 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.

154. 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.

155. 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.

156. 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.

157. 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 it into a post office or post box, and the entry in the Company's books of 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.

158. 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.

159. 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.

160. 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 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 RELATING TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

161. 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 effect or any part 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 respective names at the places and on the dates hereunder written.

GEO. SCHRADER.

JNO. H. PEREIRA.

C. L. DE ZYLVA.

Witness to the above three signatures, 21st September, 1910 :

S. C. SANSONI,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Negombo.

SOLOMON FERNANDO, Sigiriya, Colombo.

CHAS. P. DE SILVA, Carlton House, Moratuwa.

J. W. WEERASURIYA, Dodanduwa.

DAVID ROCKWOOD, Fountain House, Colombo.

Witness to the signatures of SOLOMON FERNANDO, CHAS. P. DE SILVA, and J. W. WEERASURIYA, at Colombo, this 6th day of October, 1910 :

L. B. FERNANDO,  
Proctor, Supreme Court.

Witness to the signature of DAVID ROCKWOOD, at Colombo, this 18th day of October, 1910 :

L. B. FERNANDO,  
Proctor, Supreme Court.

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## The Roseberry Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Fifteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Colombo, on Saturday, March 4, 1911, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ending December 31, 1910.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 19 to March 4, 1911, inclusive.)

By order of the Board,

BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,  
Colombo, February 10, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

## The Palmerston Tea Company, Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Fifteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 4, 1911, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the twelve months ending December 31, 1910.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

(The transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 19 to March 4, 1911, inclusive.)

By order of the Board,

BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,  
Colombo, February 10, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

## The Hanwella Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Third Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort Colombo, on Wednesday, March 15, 1911, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ending December 31, 1910.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The transfer books of the Company will be closed from March 2 to 15, 1911, inclusive.)

By order of the Board,

BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,  
Colombo, February 10, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

## The Kandyan Hills Company, Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at 12 noon on Tuesday, February 28, 1911, at the registered office of the Company, Australia Buildings, York street, Colombo.

*Business.*

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

(The transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 22 to 28, 1911, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

CARSON & Co.,  
Colombo, February 16, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Syston Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at noon on Tuesday, February 28, 1911, at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Queen street, Colombo.

*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, February 15, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Nahavilla Estates Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at 12.30 P.M. on Tuesday, February 28, 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, February 15, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at their registered office, No. 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, February 24, 1911, at 3 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for season 1910.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 14 to 24, 1911, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Board of Directors,

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

**Gulanegoda Products Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at No. 18, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 28, 1911, at noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for eight months ended December 31, 1910.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To appoint an Auditor and for such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

SKRINE & Co.,  
Colombo, February 14, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Hingurugama Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., Slave Island, Colombo, on Wednesday, March 1, 1911, at 11.30 A.M., for the following purposes:—

- (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 declare a dividend.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

COLOMBO COMMERCIAL CO., LIMITED,  
Colombo, February 14, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Kelani Valley Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered offices of the Company, No. 18, Upper Chatham street, Colombo, on Friday, March 3, 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 a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co.,  
Colombo, February 16, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Sunderland (Ceylon) Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 27, 1911, at 12.30 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.
2. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 20 to 27, 1911, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITFALL & Co.,  
Colombo, February 15, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Neboda Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited  
(in Liquidation).**

AT a Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named Company duly convened and held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., Slave Island, Colombo, on February 11, 1911, the following resolutions were duly passed:—

“That the Liquidator's accounts of the liquidation be approved and adopted.”

“That in the opinion of this Meeting the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.”

Colombo, February 13, 1911.

E. M. LEY,  
Liquidator.

**The Rayigam Company, Limited.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Fifteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's registered office, No. 20, Baillie street, Colombo, on Wednesday, March 1, 1911, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

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

The share transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 20, 1911, to March 2, 1911, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

MACKWOOD & Co.,  
Colombo, February 15, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Templestowe Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at their registered office, No. 6, Prince street, Colombo, on Friday, March 3, 1911, at noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the season ending December 31, 1910.
  2. To declare a dividend.
  3. To elect a Director.
  4. To appoint an Auditor for 1911, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.
- The transfer books of the Company will be closed from February 18, 1911, to March 3, 1911, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,  
February 16, 1911. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Bank of Uva, Limited.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Fourth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held within the registered office, No. 21, Baillie street, Colombo, on Saturday, February 25, 1911, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1910; to declare a final dividend for the year 1910; and to transact any other competent business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

HARRISONS & CROSFIELD, LTD.,  
Colombo, February 17, 1911. Secretaries.

**M. ANAWADUGE DOMINGO SILVA**, at present of Marawila, in the District of Chilaw in terms of Rule 2, Schedule I., B., section 8, of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 do hereby give notice that, three months hence, I intend to apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in Sinhalese in the District of Kandy.

Marawila, September 28, 1910.

M. D. SILVA.

In the District Court of Kandy.

A. L. A. R. Muttu Ramen Chetty of Colombo. Plaintiff.

No. 20,161.

Vs.

Vena Una Mandiram Pandithan of Kaduganawa. Defendant.

BY virtue of the decree entered in the above action and the order issued to me, I shall sell by public auction, at Kandy, at the Office of Messrs. Beven & Beven, Proctors and Notaries, Victoria Drive, Kandy, at 1 P.M. on Saturday, March 11, 1911, the under-mentioned property situate in Kandy District, and declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of Rs. 22,880, with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from November 25, 1910, till payment and costs of suit, viz. :—

1. All that allotment of land called Dambagollahena, situate at Rangomuwa in Pallo palata of Tempane containing in extent 5 acres 1 rood and 2 perches.
2. All that allotment of land called Malwattegedahena, situate at Weligodapola in Pallo palata korale; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 17 perches.
3. All that allotment of land called Malwattegedahena, situate at Weligodapola aforesaid; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 30 perches.
4. All that divided northern half part or share of the allotment of land called Malwattegedahena, situate at Weligodapola aforesaid; containing in extent sufficient land to sow 1 pela of paddy.
5. All that allotment of land called Letchemitotam, situate at Kotikambe in Pallo palata korale; containing in extent 101 acres 1 rood and 35 perches.

The above premises are contiguous to each other and will be sold in one lot.

C. E. KARUNARATNA,  
6, Hulftsdorp, Colombo. Auctioneer.

In the District Court of Negombo.

S. P. K. N. Supperamanian Chetty. Plaintiff.

No. 8,059.

Vs.

- (1) Thommage alias Mahawalage Marsilinu Fernando and wife (2) Lianage Juana Perera, both of Nainamadama, (3) Kuranga Jose Perera of Boralessa. Defendants.

BY virtue of the decree in the above action and the commission issued to us, we shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Monday, March 13, 1911, the under-mentioned lands situate in Chilaw District, declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of Rs. 1,058.50, with further interest and costs, viz. :—

At 10.30 A.M.

- (1) The western 26/49 parts of the land Millagahawatta, in extent about 1 acre, situate at Nainamadama.

At 11 A.M.

- (2) Undivided 9/98 parts of Millagahawatta, in extent 2 roods and 1 perch, situate at Nainamadama.

At 11.30 A.M.

- (3) Undivided 5/18 parts of Kosgahawatta alias Talgahawatta, in extent about 1½ acre, situate at Nainamadama.

At 1 P.M.

- (4) Undivided 2/6 parts of Kosgahawatta, in extent about 2 acres and 3 roods, situate at Bandirippua.

KARUNARATNA, LOOS, & KURERA,  
Negombo. Auctioneers.

## St. PAUL'S CHURCH, KANDY.

## Statement of Accounts for the Year ended December 31, 1910.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
To Balance January 1, 1910	—	1,587 56	By Stipends	—	4,472 14
Sunday Collections:—			Church servants	—	434 50
Holy communion	633 3		Organist and choir	—	618 80
General	1,779 95		Lighting	—	354 0
Sinhalese	173 30	2,586 28	Poor	—	409 47
Special Collections:—			Special collections, 1910	743 91	
Diocesan funds	155 84		Endowment fund collection, 1909	41 76	785 67
Choir fund	11 93		Synodal assessment	—	191 50
Endowment fund	123 39		Repairs to buildings	—	113 16
Easter day	232 75		Sundries:—		
Good Friday	220 0	743 91	Repairs to organ	275 0	
Pew rents	—	654 62	Church wine and bread	121 84	
Stipend Funds:—			Childermote board	17 50	
English	2,213 0		Printing, carpentry, &c.	146 35	
Sinhalese	Rs. 534 75		Municipal taxes	147 36	
Less commission to collector	53 42	481 33	Collectors' commission	52 87	
Tamil	89 50	2,783 83	Matting for Vicarage	32 7	
Interest per incorporated trustees	—	1,474 91	Insurance	18 75	
Sundries:—			Book drapery	7 19	
Rents	90 0		Printing expenses (Vicars' monthly accounts)	94 03	
Donations	180 0		Bank commission	3 33	
Bank interest	27 83	297 83	Balance	—	912 42
Total		10,128 94	Total		10,128 94

Audited and found correct:

J. B. BISHOP,  
J. A. HUNTER, Govt. Auditor } Auditors.

LOUIS H. S. PIERIS,  
Honorary Treasurer,  
St. Pauls, 1910.

February 7, 1911.

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

THE following Specifications have been accepted:—

No. 1,127 of April 16, 1910.

Thomas Cockerill.—"Improvements in drying and like machines."

Abstract.—The article to be treated (e.g., a freshly coagulated sheet of rubber) is placed between two parallel endless belts of cloth, &c., which travel at the same speed and grip the substance to be dried. In the form of apparatus shown, the belts pass round a number of cylinders, most of which are steam heated to effect the drying, the last three being water-cooled to cool the substance under treatment.

The drying of india rubber is specially claimed.

Seven claims: one sheet of drawings.

No. 1,162 of October 3, 1910.

Daniel Michel Weigel.—"A process of coagulation and antiseptising caoutchouc or indiarubber by electricity, the use of antiseptics, and heat."

Abstract.—Creosote or some other antiseptic is added to the latex which is then subjected to the action of an alternating current, the thermal and mechanical effect of which causes the coagulation. Salt may be added before passing the current. No apparatus is described. The claims are for the use of an alternating current for coagulation and in conjunction with it, the addition of antiseptics, and of salt or similar matter.

Four claims.

A. F. JOSEPH,  
Acting Registrar of Patents.

THE following Specification has been accepted:—

No. 1,177 of January 20, 1911.

William Jackson.—"Improvements in apparatus for drying tea leaf, or other produce, in which apparatus the heated air is drawn through the drying chamber."

Abstract.—A hinged door is provided whereby the exhaust fan is prevented from drawing air from outside the apparatus into the drying chamber, but without interfering with proper delivery of the tea leaf. The door may be made in two parts hinged together, the operation of both parts being only required when there is an abnormal accumulation of leaf.

Claims.—1. In apparatus for drying tea leaf, or other produce, the provision, at the discharge outlet from the drying chamber, of means which will prevent external air being drawn in, but will allow of the tea leaf, or other produce, being forced out; substantially as hereinbefore explained.

2. In apparatus for drying tea leaf, or other produce, the provision, at the discharge outlet from the drying chamber, of a door, which tends to close under the suction of the fan, or the like, but will open to allow of discharge of the dried tea leaf or other produce.

3. In an arrangement in accordance with the preceding second claiming clause, making the door in two parts hinged, or equivalently connected, together for the purpose hereinbefore explained.

One sheet of drawings.

A. F. JOSEPH,  
Acting Registrar of Patents.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on December 17, 1910, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated December 13, 1910.

*Present* :—The Hon. Mr. L. W. Booth, Chairman; Mr. E. Beven; Mr. W. D. Gibbon; Mr. W. C. Price; Mr. E. L. Wijegoonewardana; Mr. R. W. Jonklass; and Mr. V. M. Saravanamuttu.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on November 19 having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval, and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read, and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted :—

(a) Statements of Receipts and Expenditure from close of 1909 to November 30, 1910, on account of the Municipal Fund, comprising the (No. 1) General Revenue and Consolidated Rate (Police and Lighting), and (No. 2) Water-rate Accounts.

(b) Progress Report of Works brought up to the same date.

(c) Health Officer's Report for November.

(d) Statement of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of Work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of November.

(e) The Reservoir Readings for November.

Resolved—That the several statements, together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, as required by section 83 of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, and the Health Officer's report be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, stand-pipes, and house-service taps inspected during November.

4. Correspondence :—

(1) Letter No. 21 of November 17, 1910, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Galle, *re* the extension of the jurisdiction of Municipal Magistrates to offences under "The Dog Registration Ordinance, 1901," for the information of the Municipal Council, Kandy.

Resolved—That the attention of the Colonial Secretary be invited to his letter No. 6 of May 12, 1909, *re* fines under Ordinance No. 3 of 1897.

(2) Letter No. 23 of December 8, 1910, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary intimating that the amendments to the Market by-laws will be shortly proclaimed.—Read.

(3) Letter of December 8, 1910, from the Superintendent of Municipal Works recommending the purchase of a steam road roller.

Resolved—That a 4-ton steam road roller be purchased.

5. To confirm the sale of the following ferry tolls :—Kundaşale and Ilukmodara, Rs. 45.

Resolved—That the higher offer of Rs. 57 be accepted.

6. Recommendation by the Medical Officer of Health—"That the cesspit privies attached to premises Nos. 55 and 56, King street, be closed and dry-earth closets substituted therefor."

Resolved—That the recommendation be approved.

7. To confirm the full pay leave in excess of thirty days allowed to the following officers during the year :—(1) Mr. G. E. Mutukisna (Head Clerk), 34 days; (2) Mr. C. L. Morol (Inspector), 33 days; (3) Mr. L. B. Rambukwella (Store-keeper), 47 days.

Resolved—That leave allowed to (1) and (2) be confirmed, but that (3) be given only half-pay for the 5 days in excess of 42 days.

8. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

*Law and General Subjects.*

(1) That the by-laws *re* prevention of the sale of any article of food mixed with injurious ingredients be adopted.

(2) That by-law 138 be amended by the substitution of the following for the last paragraph :—"The sum payable if not paid on or before the 10th day of the month in respect of which it is due may be recovered by the Council, as if it were a tax under 'The Municipal Councils' Ordinance,' and any existing or future amending Ordinances."

(3) That the Notary's Bill (Rs. 115) for drawing up deed of re-conveyance of land to Moya Lebbe be paid.

*Finance and Assessment.*

(4) That plots Nos. 6 and 7 on the Bogambra Recreation Ground be allotted to the Public Service Cricket Club on payment of Rs. 2 per mensem.

(5) That the annual value of the United Service Library be fixed at Rs. 500 from next year.

(6) That payment of Rs. 60 for writing out the annual assessment notices be sanctioned.

*Municipal Works.*

(7) That the following applications for house-service pipes be allowed on usual conditions :—(1) No. 313 and A, Peradeniya road, T. C. H. Marikar; (2) Nos. 914 and 915, Peradeniya road, D. C. D. Silva.

Resolved—That the recommendations be adopted.

Confirmed this 21st day of January, 1911 :

L. W. BOOTH, Chairman.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy, as required by Section 98 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on Saturday, December 17, at 9.15 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated December 13, 1910.

*Present* :—The Hon. Mr. L. W. Booth, Chairman; Mr. E. Beven; Mr. V. M. Saravanamuttu; Mr. R. W. Jonklaas; Mr. E. L. Wijegoonewardana; Mr. W. D. Gibbon; and Mr. W. C. Price.

The Chairman laid before the Meeting the Budget for 1911, as prepared by the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment, and which had been published in the *Government Gazette* and circulated among the Councillors, together with a statement of the taxes necessary to be levied during 1911, in terms of section 97 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.

On the motion of Mr. Beven the Council went into Committee.

The items were considered *serialim*, and the following additions were made :—(1) Drain along Lake road, Rs. 630; (2) steam road roller, Rs. 6,000. The Council then resumed.

Mr. Beven moved that the Budget as amended be adopted. Mr. Wijegoonewardana seconded.—Carried.

Confirmed this 21st day of January, 1911 :

L. W. BOOTH, Chairman.



## Budget for 1911 (approved by the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of October 15, 1910).

REVENUE.						
	Estimate for 1911.		Total.	Estimate for 1911.		Total.
	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.
<i>Cemetery Account.</i>						
Fees and graves ..	..	—	1,000 0	From liquor ..	..	3,000 0
<i>Commutation Rate.</i>						
Rate ..	..	—	13,500 0	From hotels ..	..	4,000 0
<i>Interest.</i>						
From Bank, &c. ..	..	—	1,500 0	From taverns ..	..	3,600 0
<i>Judicial Account.</i>						
Municipal Court ..	..	1,800 0		From poison ..	..	50 0
Police Court ..	..	1,500 0	3,300 0.	From firearms ..	..	200 0
<i>Lake Silt.</i>						
Contribution by Government ..	..	—	3,000 0	<i>Scavenging.</i>		
<i>Licenses.</i>						
For auctioneers ..	..	350 0		Bucket fees and day service ..	..	14,500 0
Dangerous and offensive trades ..	..	1,500 0		Costs ..	..	50 0
Opium ..	..	13,005 0		Profit on clearing private cesspit privies ..	..	300 0
Sundries ..	..	400 0	15,255 0	<i>Slaughter-house.</i>		
<i>Miscellaneous Receipts.</i>						
Badges and fare tables ..	..	250 0		Fees from cattle ..	..	6,000 0
Sundries ..	..	300 0	550 0	Fees from sheep and goats ..	..	1,200 0
<i>Public Market.</i>						
Monthly rents ..	..	10,500 0		<i>Taxes.</i>		
Daily rents ..	..	6,000 0		On vehicles and animals ..	..	3,800 0
Costs ..	..	300 0		Costs ..	..	15 0
Lighting ..	..	2,500 0	19,300 0	<i>Tolls.</i>		
<i>Rents.</i>						
From cattle shed ..	..	660 0		Bogambra ..	..	40 0
From Town Hall ..	..	250 0		Gonawatta and Talatu-oya ..	..	125 0
From lands and spaces ..	..	850 0		Halloluwa ..	..	762 0
From vegetable market ..	..	325 0	2,085 0	Illukmodara and Kundasale ..	..	—
<i>Registration of Dogs.</i>						
From certificates, &c. ..	..	—	500 0	Lewella ..	..	1,757 0
<i>Stamp Duties.</i>						
From carriages ..	..	1,900 0		<i>Public Works.</i>		
From carriers ..	..	500 0		Per Government on account Udawattekele ..	..	1,100 0
From butchers ..	..	225 0		Rents on account recreation ground ..	..	550 0
From proctors ..	..	750 0		Booths ..	..	250 0
From notaries ..	..	100 0		<i>Assessment Tax Account.</i>		
<i>Arrears</i> .. 9,000 0						
<i>Tax for 1911 and Government compensation</i> .. 32,500 0						
<i>Estimated surplus at December 31, 1910</i> .. 35,000 0						
						<b>Total .. 181,264 0</b>

EXPENDITURE.						
	Estimate for 1911.		Total.	Estimate for 1911.		Total.
	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.
<i>Cemetery Account.</i>						
Establishment ..	..	960 0		<i>Legal Expenses.</i>		
Tools, &c. ..	..	50 0	1,010 0	Retaining fees, &c. ..	..	300 0
<i>Commutation Rate.</i>						
Commission ..	..	800 0		<i>Lake Silt.</i>		
Advertising ..	..	150 0		Per estimate ..	..	3,000 0
Peons ..	..	260 0		<i>Licenses.</i>		
Books and forms ..	..	140 0		Printing and advertising ..	..	100 0
Sundries ..	..	100 0		<i>Miscellaneous Charges.</i>		
Refunds ..	..	50 0	1,500 0	Badges and fare tables ..	..	250 0
<i>Government Loans.</i>						
On account lake silt—sinking fund ..	1,570 0			Sundries ..	..	150 0
Interest ..	..	630 0		Fire engine ..	..	185 0
On account drainage—sinking fund ..	392 45			Refunds ..	..	150 0
Interest ..	..	514 62	3,107 7	Band ..	..	900 0
<i>House of Shelter.</i>						
Wages, &c. ..	..	—	222 87	Telephone ..	..	125 0
<i>Judicial Account.</i>						
Establishment ..	..	1,218 0		Steam roller ..	..	6,000 0
Printing, &c. ..	..	150 0	1,368 0	<i>Office Charges.</i>		
Establishment .. 7,382 66						
Audit .. 666 67						
Stationery, books, and stamps .. 900 0						
Furniture .. 150 0						
Advertising and printing .. 400 0						
Sundries .. 250 0						
						<b>10,755 50</b>

	Estimate for 1911.		Total.			Estimate for 1911.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Pensions.</i>					<i>Midwife's remuneration, equipments, &amp;c.</i>				
For three pensioners	—		1,340	0	..	500	0		
<i>Public Market.</i>					<i>Uniforms, boots, &amp;c.</i>				
Establishment	1,236	0			..	400	0		
Commission	420	0			<i>Works recommended by Health Officer</i>				
Books and forms	100	0			..	300	0		
Sundries	150	0			<i>Clearing side drains of town</i>				
Lighting	2,880	0			..	500	0		7,446 67
			4,786	0	<i>Time Charges.</i>				
<i>Rents.</i>					<i>Town clock keeper and charges</i>				
Expenses on account cattle shed	425	0			..	—			200 0
Expenses on account Town Hall	350	0			<i>Tolls.</i>				
Rents of leased lands	300	0			<i>For repairs of boats and approaches</i>				
			1,075	0	..	—			1,291 40
<i>Registration of Dogs.</i>					<i>Public Works.</i>				
Seizing, feeding, &c.	—		2,000	0	Establishment	3,000	0		
<i>Stamp Duties.</i>					Sick pay, &c.	300	0		
Commission, &c.	—		750	0	Printing	225	0		
<i>Scavenging.</i>					Booths	250	0		
Night soil wages	17,057	0			<i>Public works estimates per Schedule A.</i>				
Night soil materials, &c.	4130	0			..	33,419	25		
Pits	2,880	0			Orderly	110	0		37,304 25
Streets	14,727	32			<i>Assessment Tax Account.</i>				
			38,794	32	<i>Arrears, commission, &amp;c.</i>				
<i>Slaughter-house.</i>					..	—			500 0
Establishment	804	0			<i>Charges Account, 1911.</i>				
Grass	1,500	0			Commission	600	0		
Books and forms	150	0			Books and forms	375	0		
Sundries	60	0			Peons	240	0		
			2,540	0	Sundries	150	0		1,365 0
<i>Taxes.</i>					<i>Maintenance of Police</i>				
Commission, printing, &c.	—		225	0	..	—			14,500 0
<i>Sanitation.</i>					<i>Street lighting</i>				
Establishment	4,546	67			..	—			25,000 0
Disinfectants, burials, &c.	1,200	0			<i>Street names and house numbers</i>				
					..	—			200 0
								167,408	91
					Balance Cr.	..		13,855	9
					Total	..		181,264	0

## No. 2.—WATER RATE ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.		Estimate for 1911.		Total.		EXPENDITURE.		Estimate for 1911.		Total.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Arrears	..	7,500	0			<i>Arrears—Commission, wages, &amp;c.</i>		..	—		300 0
Rate for 1911 and Government contributions	..	30,000	0			<i>Charges Account, 1911.</i>					
				37,500	0	Establishment	7,464	36			
<i>Fairland and Roseneath.</i>						Audit	333	33			
For 1911	..	—		1,750	0	Pensions	670	0			
<i>Water Service Account.</i>						Stationery, books, and stamps	450	0			
House service	..	1,000	0			Advertising, printing, &c.	300	0			
Rents of meters	..	300	0			Commission	500	0			
Water used in excess and sold	..	3,000	0			Peons	120	0			9,837 99
				4,300	0	<i>Interest and sinking fund</i>					
<i>Sundries.</i>						<i>Waterworks maintenance</i>					
Grass, &c., sold	..	1,500	0			..	—			18,154 43	
Rents	..	300	0			<i>Water Service Account.</i>					
Interest	..	1,800	0			House service	1,600	0			
				3,600	0	Meter rent charges	1,000	0			
Estimated surplus at December 31, 1910	..	—		60,000	0	Water in excess charges	100	0			2,700 0
										35,818 42	
						Balance Cr.	..			71,331 58	
						Total	..			107,150 0	

Municipal Office,  
Kandy, October 7, 1910.

L. W. BOOTH,  
Chairman.



	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
<i>Time Charges.</i>			<i>Public Works.</i>		
Town clock keeper ..	—	180 0	Superintendent ..	3,000 0	
			Do. horse allowance ..	480 0	
<i>Meter Account.</i>			Head Overseer ..	600 0	
Clerk ..	—	240 0	Storekeeper ..	420 0	4,500 0
			Two thirds charged to No. 1 Account	3,000 0	
<i>Scavenging Night Soil.</i>			One-third charged to No. 2 Account	1,500 0	4,500 0
Supervisor of conservancy ..	—	1,110 0			
			Total ..		17,068 0

	PENSIONS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
L. Vanderstraaten, Accountant ..	..	750 0	
Miskin Abdin, Head Overseer ..	..	792 0	
W. E. Weeresinghe, Storekeeper ..	..	468 0	2,010 0
Two-thirds charged to No. 1 Account	..	1,340 0	
One-third charged to No. 2 Account	..	670 0	2,010 0
Audit fees ..	..	—	1,000 0
Two-thirds charged to No. 1 Account	..	666 67	
One-third charged to No. 2 Account	..	333 33	1,000 0

## Taxes Proposed to be levied in 1911.

Description of Taxes.	Maximum leviable under the Ordinance.	Amount at present levied.	Amount proposed to be levied.	Authority under which levied.
1. Consolidated rate for police and lighting ..	—	6 per cent. on annual value of property.	6 per cent. on annual value of property.	Section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.
2. Water-rate ..	—	6 per cent. on annual value of property.	6 per cent. on annual value of property.	Section 5 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1884.
	Each. Rs. c.	Each. Rs. c.	Each. Rs. c.	
3. Carriages other than carts ..	5 0	5 0	5 0	Section 127 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.
Carts or hackeries ..	4 0	4 0	4 0	
Rickshas ..	2 50	2 50	2 50	
Horses, ponies, or mules ..	2 50	2 50	2 50	
Bullocks or asses ..	1 0	1 0	1 0	
Bicycle, car, or cart ..	3 0	—	3 0	
Tricycle, car, or cart ..	3 0	—	3 0	
Handcart ..	4 0	—	4 0	
4. Dogs, registration ..	1 50	1 25	1 25	Section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1901.
5. Commutation of labour ..	2 50	2 0	2 0	Section 129 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.
<i>For Passengers.</i>				
6. Cars not exceeding 10 cwt. unloaded ..	20 0	20 0	20 0	Sections 3 and 4 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1908.
7. Cars exceeding 10 cwt. and not exceeding 15 cwt. unloaded ..	25 0	25 0	25 0	do.
Cars exceeding 15 cwt. and not exceeding 20 cwt. unloaded ..	30 0	30 0	30 0	do.
Cars exceeding 20 cwt. unloaded ..	35 0	35 0	35 0	do.
When let for hire, double the above rates.				
Motor bicycles ..	5 0	5 0	5 0	do.
Motor tricycles, including tricars ..	10 0	10 0	10 0	do.
Trailers ..	3 0	3 0	3 0	do.
<i>For Goods.</i>				
(1) Each tractor, with or without a load, and whether let for hire or not, the same rate as for motor cars of corresponding weight.				
(2) Each trailer ..	15 0	15 0	15 0	Sections 3 and 4 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1908.



		Estimated Revenue.	Receipts.			Estimated Expenditure.	Disbursements.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Deposit Account.</i>				<i>Deposit Account.</i>			
Securities	Rs. 2,710·63			Securities	Rs. 2,282·08		
Miscellaneous	940·10			Miscellaneous	1,001·12		
			3,650 73				3,283 20
Total Receipts			216,015 89	Total Disbursements			214,872 21
Cash Balance on January 1, 1910			116,994 70	Cash Balance on November 30, 1910			118,138 38
Grand Total			333,010 59	Grand Total			333,010 59

Kandy, January 20, 1911.

VIVIAN PEREIRA, A.N.F.A. (LOND.),  
Accountant.

## DEPOSIT ACCOUNT, NOVEMBER 30, 1910.

	Remaining on December 31, 1909.	Receipts to the month of November, 1910.	Total.	Disbursements to the month of November, 1910.	Remaining on November 30, 1910.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Securities	3,191 30	2,710 63	5,901 93	2,282 8	3,619 85
Miscellaneous	322 40	940 10	1,262 50	1,001 12	261 38
	3,513 70	3,650 73	7,164 43	3,283 20	3,881 23

Kandy, January 20, 1911.

VIVIAN PEREIRA, A.N.F.A. (Lond.), Accountant.

## Progress Report of Works done brought up to November 30, 1910.

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted for the Year 1910.		Expenditure.		Total Expenditure.	Unexpended Balance.
		Rs.	c.	During Nov., 1910.	Up to Oct. 31, 1910.		
1	Upkeep of pavements	2,635	0	227 90 <sup>a</sup>	2,011 23	2,239 13	395 87
2	Town streets	11,300	0	472 61 <sup>b</sup>	8,491 26	8,963 87	2,336 13
3	Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's roads	999	0	95 2 <sup>c</sup>	850 81	945 83	53 17
4	Udawattekele roads	2,200	0	347 73 <sup>d</sup>	1,424 16	1,771 89	428 11
5	Halloluwa, Bahirawakanda, Hospital, and Huduhumpola roads	1,900	0	171 12 <sup>e</sup>	726 6	897 74	102 26
6	Municipal buildings	2,160	0	167 70 <sup>f</sup>	1,580 87	1,748 57	411 93
7	Watering streets	1,000	50	—	814 84	814 84	185 66
8	Market buildings	1,800	0	58 58 <sup>g</sup>	1,072 26	1,130 84	669 16
9	Ornamental trees	496	0	1 6 <sup>h</sup>	481 29	482 35	13 65
10	Tools	600	0	—	863 91	863 91	—
11	Bathing and dhobies' tanks	155	0	96 42 <sup>i</sup>	33 75	130 17	14 83
12	Recreation ground and esplanade	1,000	0	59 46 <sup>j</sup>	500 2	559 43	440 57
13	Sundry minor works	400	0	15 30 <sup>k</sup>	199 35	214 65	185 33
14	Repairs to cemetery-keeper's house	50	0	—	14 42	14 42	35 58
15	Wace park	435	0	45 26 <sup>l</sup>	180 27	225 53	209 47
16	Recreation ground improvements	1,540	0	176 84 <sup>m</sup>	1,246 29	1,423 13	116 87
17	Repairs to carriage and ricksha stands	100	0	—	36 86	36 86	63 14
18	Building barrel drains	2,209	60	—	53 13	53 13	2,156 47
19	Concreting pavements	566	0	63 0 <sup>n</sup>	3 50	66 50	499 50
20	Public seats, maintenance	175	0	32 90 <sup>o</sup>	146 46	179 36	—
21	Clearing silt from Meda-ela	200	0	—	232 48	232 48	—
22	Constructing a set of cooly lines	3,129	50	—	3,063 24	3,063 24	78 87
23	Lady Blake's drive	570	0	—	157 87	157 87	412 13
24	Egg-shaped drain, Katugastota road	3,546	75	—	2,821 11	2,821 11	725 64
25	Improvements to office	1,467	86	—	1,424 53	1,424 53	43 33
26	New carpenters' shed	540	0	—	437 57	437 57	102 47
27	Cement concreting bed of Meda-ela	193	50	—	34 7	34 7	159 43
28	Building drain opposite jail	920	0	29 76 <sup>p</sup>	396 27	396 27	503 73
29	Drainage	10,000	0	484 45 <sup>q</sup>	283 94	768 39	9,231 62
30	Room at Katukele school	600	0	—	585 31	585 31	14 69
31	Building lines, inspection shed, Hermitage Bungalow	2,572	34	—	2,533 42	2,533 42	38 92
32	Building walls round latrines	275	0	—	255 27	255 27	19 73
33	Drain, Lady Torrington road	814	0	516 7 <sup>r</sup>	314 33	830 40	—

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted for the Year 1910.		Expenditure.		Total Expenditure.	Unexpended Balance.
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
34	Erecting guard rails ..	342	50	312	50s	312 50	30 0
24/09	Retaining wall, Bahrawakande road ..	49	84	—	—	36 80	13 4
28/09	Vegetable market ..	104	87	—	—	4 90	99 97
34/09	Incinerator for burning rubbish ..	1,099	31	—	—	621 57	477 74
35/09	New Lewella road ..	869	81	—	—	692 74	177 7
36/09	Drains at the back of public offices ..	394	19	—	—	4,996 26	—
38/09	Boat house ..	781	72	—	—	1,260 67	—
41/09	Fence round Sir Ward's statue ..	520	1	—	—	533 4	—
	Diversions of stream ..	1,716	15	129	13t	848 64	738 38
	A Clearing vegetation ..	300	0	63	96u	184 72	51 32
	B Clearing silt from drains ..	500	0	38	6v	35 28	426 66
	C Opening and covering pits ..	2,880	0	272	43w	2,110 6	497 46
	D, E & F Ferry approaches and Ferry boats ..	741	62	—	—	59 17	322 1
	G House of shelter ..	222	87	61	23x	138 95	22 69
	H Maintenance of waterworks ..	4,746	0	403	6	2,542 20	1,800 74
	I Maintenance of two fountains ..	80	0	—	—	0 58	79 42
	Scavenging streets ..	14,727	32	1,160	47	12,363 94	1,902 91
	Extension of waterworks ..	5,743	0	419	47	2,352 23	2,971 30
	Fire engine ..	175	0	13	44	137 64	23 92
	Lake silt ..	3,000	0	304	90	1,755 99	949 11
	House service ..	1,600	0	126	11	1,992 77	—

(a) Cleared gratings Rs. 18·31, excavated, transported, and spread gravel on pavements Rs. 32·20, cleared barrel drains Rs. 24·30, repaired manholes Rs. 2·74, repaired manhole covers Rs. 15·48, cost of 6 barrels cement Rs. 60, 200 baskets Rs. 38·70, 141 superficial feet 2-in. jak planks Rs. 45·12, and 7 lb. Jeye's powder Re. 1·05 = Rs. 227·90.

(b) Weeded Victoria drive Rs. 6, laid gregsonite to Victoria drive Rs. 38·32, 13 cubes metal broken and supplied Rs. 87·75, cost of blasting materials Rs. 114·63, transported 51 cubes metal Rs. 63·75, cost of 10 gallons 2 bottles coconut oil Rs. 25·51, 10 cwt. pitch Rs. 38·64, 10 gallons creosote Rs. 14·51, 10 cwt. asphalt Rs. 53·36, wire netting, screws, &c. Rs. 9·62, 6 brass brooms Rs. 12, 12 bottles kerosine oil Re. 1·80, 6 coir brooms 72 cents, and 2 cwt. coke Rs. 6 = Rs. 472·61.

(c) Removed landslips, Lewella road, Rs. 34·33, repaired metal sieve Rs. 3·17, excavated and transported gravel Rs. 40·27, cost of timber Rs. 12, 2 catties Rs. 5·25 = Rs. 95·02.

(d) Cleared jungle and spread gravel, Udawattakelle roads, Rs. 111·52, spread gravel, cut jungle, and filled wash-aways, Lady McCarthy's road, Rs. 182·80, pay of Forest Overseer Rs. 35, cost of 1 barrel cement Rs. 10, baskets Rs. 6·25, and brooms Rs. 2·16 = Rs. 347·73.

(e) Spread and consolidated 12½ cubes metal Rs. 40·90, transported metal Rs. 35·75, broke and supplied 12½ cubes metal Rs. 84·37, piled metal Rs. 10·10 = Rs. 171·12.

(f) Cleared Town Hall premises Rs. 4·30, repaired market roof Rs. 2·75, shifted tiles, beef market shed, Rs. 4·47, repaired latrines Rs. 29·40, whitewashed market latrines Rs. 9·60, repaired and shifted cooly lines, Mahaiyawa, Rs. 15·14, repaired floors, public latrines, Rs. 14·25, repaired cattle shed Rs. 6·90, cleaning and oiling band stand Rs. 40, cost of materials Rs. 40·89 = Rs. 167·70.

(g) Piled metal Rs. 5·14, spread metal Rs. 53·44 = Rs. 58·58.

(h) Cost of materials Re. 1·06.

(i) Cost of one sluice gate Rs. 96, cost of 1 bottle oil 42 cents = Rs. 96·42.

(j) Wages of watcher and hire of bullocks for mowing machine Rs. 51·91, dug out hills and repaired ground Rs. 6·15, cost of materials Re. 1·35 = Rs. 58·06.

(k) Cleared and oiled Ward statue and painted rails Rs. 12, repaired fences Rs. 3·30 = Rs. 15·30.

(l) Attended to plants, Wace park, Rs. 29·52, weeded ground and swept paths Rs. 14·54, cost of materials Re. 1·20 = Rs. 45·26.

(m) Loaded and blasted stones Rs. 6·50, repaired trollies Rs. 2·70, wages of extra guards Rs. 36·76, cost of extra diets Rs. 15·64, cost of blasting materials Rs. 80·46, cost of materials for repairing trollies Rs. 22·78, cost of 4 cwt. coke Rs. 12 = Rs. 176·84.

(n) Cost of 6 barrels cement Rs. 60, cost of baskets Rs. 3 = Rs. 63.

(o) Repaired seats Rs. 30·50, cost of 6 dozen screws Rs. 2·40 = Rs. 32·90.

(p) Wages of extra guards Rs. 29·76.

(q) Cost of 21 barrels of cement Rs. 210, cost of timber, nails, &c., Rs. 14·97, transported metal Rs. 21·75, enlarged quarry Rs. 78·85, made centerings Rs. 13·46 = Rs. 484·45.

(r) Built manhole covers and drains Rs. 20, cleared quarry Rs. 97·63, 75 lineal feet covered drain and 118 feet open drain Rs. 238·50, cost of 13 barrels cement Rs. 130, baskets Rs. 12·50, powder Rs. 13, and iron Rs. 4·44 = Rs. 516·07.

(s) 125 lineal feet guard rails made and erected Rs. 312·50.

(t) Built watcher's hut Rs. 55·34, removed planks from concrete over Rs. 4·80, cost of 4 barrels cement Rs. 40, 2 carts lime Rs. 16, and other materials Rs. 11·93 = Rs. 129·13.

(u) Cleared vegetation Rs. 63·96.

(v) Cleared silt from drains in town streets Rs. 38·06.

(w) Earthwork in opening and covering pits, Rs. 270·50, cost of materials Re. 1·98 = Rs. 272·48.

(x) Wages of watcher Rs. 12, shifted tiles Dharma lines, Rs. 5·75, 50 lineal feet galvanized iron guttering Rs. 31, repaired gutters Rs. 12·48 = Rs. 61·23.

## Health Officer's Report for November, 1910.

*Scavenging.*—The scavenging of the town was satisfactorily performed during the month.

*Drainage.*—The drains were kept clean and well flushed by the rain which fell during the month.

*Water Supply.*—Good.

*Market.*—Clean and well kept.

*Slaughter-houses.*—Well kept.

*Public Latrines.*—Clean and well kept.

*Cooly Lines.*—All fairly well kept.

*Alleys.*—These were kept in a sanitary state as possible.

*Bakeries.*—All fairly well kept.

*Eating-houses.*—All fairly well kept.

*Boutiques.*—These were regularly inspected and found well kept. Foodstuffs, &c., exposed for sale were found good and wholesome.

*Food Supply.*—The food supply was good. 458 cattle, 186 buffaloes, 104 sheep, and 263 goats were slaughtered during the month. 6 head of cattle, 1 buffalo, and 11 sheep and goats were rejected.

*Public Health.*—The health of the town during the month was good. Two cases of chickenpox, 4 cases of continued fever, and 1 case of smallpox were reported. All necessary precautions have been taken to prevent a spread of the last-named disease.

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

Medical Officer of Health.

Kandy, November 24, 1910.

LIST of persons licensed under Ordinance No. 15 of 1889 to carry on business as Auctioneers and Brokers within the Kandy Municipality during 1911 :—

Auctioneers.		Auctioneers and Brokers.	
1. Charles Saul.	4. C. E. Karunaratne.	6. P. U. de Motte.	
2. M. Ahamado Lebbe.	5. T. A. Pate.	7. John F. Ratnayako.	
3. Charles L. Grebe.			

Municipal Office,  
Kandy, February 11, 1911.

JAS. JAYATILLEKE,  
Secretary.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

## LOCAL BOARD OF KALUTARA.

## Probable Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health of Kalutara for the Year 1911.

REVENUE.	Amount.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance of December 31, 1910	—	6,453 93	Establishment	—	3,060 0
<i>Taxes.</i>			Office contingencies	—	200 0
Assessment tax for the three quarters of 1910	2,020	35	Police charges	—	150 0
Assessment—arrears of 3rd and 4th quarters of 1910	1,070	62	Revenue services	—	900 0
Do. tax on account of Government buildings for 1911 and 1912	314	0	Sanitary charges	—	5,900 0
		3,404 97	Plague	—	120 0
Commutation	—	6,000 0	Upkeep of roads, &c.	—	4,500 0
Dog tax	100	0	Upkeep of public buildings and places	—	400 0
Vehicle tax	150	0	Purchase of stores and repairing stores	—	600 0
		250 0	<i>Lighting.</i>		
<i>Licenses.</i>			Cost of lighting street lamps, &c.	—	3,800 0
Opium	5,382	75	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Carriers	550	0	Refund of advances	300	0
Boats	100	0	Contribution towards the cost of audit	217	11
Proctors' and notaries'	400	0			517 11
Liquor	1,250	0	Acquisition of Campannewela Cemeteries	—	3,600 0
Petroleum	125	0			250 0
Butchers'	29	25			
Firearms	45	0	Probable expenditure	—	23,997 11
		7,882 0	Probable balance	—	4,168 79
<i>Fines.</i>					
Fines by Police Magistrate	100	0			
Fines on cattle seized	150	0			
		250 0			
<i>Rents.</i>					
Town Hall, leases of trees, &c.	75	0			
Markets	700	0			
		775 0			
<i>Sundries.</i>					
Slaughter-house	750	0			
Sundries	400	0			
Cemeteries	200	0			
		1,350 0			
Conservancy	—	1,800 0			
		1,800 0			
Total	28,165	90			
					Total .. 28,165 90

Local Board Office,  
Kalutara, January 30, 1911.

G. F. PLANT, Chairman  
CYRIL A. L. ORR, Member



## LOCAL BOARD OF NEGOMBO.

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board, Negombo, for the Year 1910.

## REVENUE.

	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1909	—	17,560 94	Grazing fees, esplanade	58 50	
<i>Taxes.</i>			Rent of stalls Nos. 1 and 2, meat market	248 0	
Assessment tax	8,673 89		Rent of hut on esplanade	1 50	2,567 30
Commutation tax	6,335 0		<i>Fines.</i>		
Dog tax	374 0		Fines by Police Magistrate	354 75	
Taxes on vehicles and animals	538 50	15,921 39	Fines on road tax defaulters	20 0	374 75
<i>Licenses.</i>			<i>Sundries.</i>		
Liquor	1,462 50		Hire of Local Board hearse	14 50	
Opium	7,636 40		Fines on contractors	79 33	
Carts	378 30		Petty collections	216 95	
Hackeries	508 95		Contributions from District Road Committee, Colombo	30 0	
Proctors' and notaries'	653 25		Fees on cattle seized	42 75	
Boats	459 23		Contributions towards Pension Fund	115 72	
Butchers'	87 25		Cash security by metal contractor	200 0	
Petroleum	65 0		Cash security by gravel contractor	50 0	
Special	5 61		Sale of scavenging refuse	720 0	
Carriages and coaches	175 50		Fines on dog tax defaulters	59 0	
Gunpowder	8 15		Fees for digging graves	30 0	
Licenses to sell meat in private stalls	33 0		Deposit on account tin plates	404 0	
Poisons	9 75		Seizing fee on dogs	6 50	
Rickshaws	292 50	11,800 69	Refund of advance	90 0	
Guns	25 30		Deposit cash security, Leitan's lane	50 0	
<i>Rents.</i>			Cash security account, fruit market	250 0	
Rent of meat market	837 50		Deposit on account tender forms	15 0	2,373 75
Rent of land at Ettukal	40 0		<b>Total</b>		<b>50,598 82</b>
Rent of steam boat jetty	120 0				
Rent of petroleum store	80 0				
Rent of stalls on esplanade	283 50				
Slaughter-house fees	894 30				
Rent of huts at Kammachodda	4 0				

## EXPENDITURE.

	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Salaries.</i>			<i>Lighting Charges.</i>		
Salaries of the establishment	2,711 96		Cost of lighting street lamps	3,078 8	
Salaries of cemetery-keeper, &c.	528 0	3,239 96	Cost of chimneys, &c.	145 11	3,223 19
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>			<i>Police Charges.</i>		
Allowance to peon for binding files	24 0		Cost of destroying dogs	—	75 0
Cost of stationery	177 7		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Cost of advertisement	85 85		General upkeep of road (gravel)	3,398 77	
Cost of printed forms	138 10		General upkeep of road (metal)	1,505 96	
Postage stamps, binding books	66 30		Maintenance of the Jubilee clock tower	49 70	
Wages of tom-tom beater, &c.	38 50	529 82	Repairs to existing drains and culverts	104 25	
<i>Audit Charges.</i>			Painting Munnakkara bridge	85 90	
Audit charges	—	162 19	Expenditure on Munnakkara bridge abutment	1,364 87	
<i>Revenue Services.</i>			Munnakkara bridge piers	402 53	
Remuneration to assessors	150 0		Repairs to Local Board buildings	127 27	
Cost of dog collars	50 0		Repairs to Plague Hospital	143 48	
Commission to division officers, &c.	1,034 22		Cost of tools, &c.	217 36	
Cost of tin plates	95 33	1,329 55	Cost of repairing latrines	149 32	
<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>			Fences round latrines	20 3	
Cost of clearing side drains	840 0		Cost of painting street lamps	56 63	
Cost of disinfectants	75 0		Cost of path through Munnakkara	80 31	
Cost of burying paupers	3 0		Repairs to garden seats and painting	30 15	
Cost of upkeep of latrines	670 0		Alterations to meat market	325 59	
Rent of slaughter-house	12 0		Repairs to stalls near Court-house	17 2	
Cost of watering streets	82 40				
Cost of scavenging the town	2,090 0				
Wages of slaughter-house cooly	48 0				
Smallpox charges	30 58				
Rent of site of latrines	36 0	3,886 98			

	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Expenditure on 3rd Cross street drains	1,221 56		<i>Plague Account.</i>		
Cost of repairing wire fence round esplanade	15 0		Wages of caretaker of hospital	—	130 8
Cost of repairing drain in Chilaw road	434 75		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Boutique in Fish Market street	995 30		Allowance to brass band	300 0	
Improving portion of Sea street	167 80		Deposit on account of Pension Fund	109 92	
Renewing platform of culverts	131 99		Refund of cash security	775 0	
Improvements to Leitan's lane	409 5		Sundry charges	111 73	
Culvert near resthouse	219 74				1,296 65
Raising wing walls, Periamulla bridge	25 50		Total payments	25,660 26	
Repairs to St. Mary's street drain	50 55		By Balance on December 31, 1910	24,938 56	
Improvements to Police Barrack street latrines	36 46				
		11,786 84	Total		50,598 82

I, B. Constantine, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid by me on account of the Local Board, Negombo, in the year 1910, and that the balance is in the hands of the Hon. the Government Agent, Western Province.

Sworn to before me at Negombo, this 20th January, 1911:

H. MILLIGAN,  
Justice of the Peace.

Certified as correct:

J. E. DE ZOYSA,

B. CONSTANTINE,  
Chairman.

Member.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Negombo, for 1910.

ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1910	—	24,938 56	Charges on account of public works in December, 1910	373 9	
<i>Sundries.</i>			Cost of watering streets in December, 1910	8 5	
Scavenging refuse	60 0		Cost of lighting street lamps and cost of chimneys in December, 1910	305 47	
<i>Compensation.</i>			Cash security on account of metal contract (1910)	200 0	
Compensation on public buildings (1910)	440 0		Cash security on account of kerosine oil contract (1910)	150 0	
		500 0	Cash security on account of metal contract (1911)	200 0	
			Cash security on account of gravel contract (1911)	50 0	
			Pension Fund	16 12	
Total	25,438 56		By Balance	—	1,302 73
			Total		24,135 83
			Total		25,438 56

Local Board Office,  
Negombo, January 23, 1911.

J. E. DE ZOYSA,  
Member.

B. CONSTANTINE,  
Chairman.

Estimate of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board, Negombo, for the Year 1911.

REVENUE.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1910		—	24,938 56	Rent of huts at Kammachodda		6 0	
<i>Taxes.</i>				Rent of stalls Nos. 1, 2, and 3, meat market		444 0	
Assessment tax	9,835 0			Rent of hut on esplanade		6 0	
Commutation tax	6,340 0			Slaughter-house fees		900 0	
Dog tax	300 0			Grazing fees esplanade		58 50	
Taxes on vehicles and animals	538 0						2,896 50
			17,013 0	<i>Fines.</i>			
<i>Licenses.</i>				Fines by Police Magistrate		—	50 0
Liquor	1,500 0			<i>Sundries.</i>			
Opium	9,312 0			Hire of Local Board hearse		15 0	
Carts	400 0			Fines on contractors		50 0	
Hackery	400 0			Petty collections		250 0	
Proctors' and notaries'	653 25			Contributions from District Road Committee, Colombo		30 0	
Boat	460 0			Fees on cattle seized		40 0	
Butchers'	87 25			Contribution to Pension Fund		32 23	
Petroleum	75 0			Scavenging refuse (December, 1910)		60 0	
Special	5 0			Fines on dog tax defaulters		60 0	
Carriages and coaches	175 50						537 23
Gunpowder	8 15			<i>Compensation.</i>			
License to sell meat in private stalls	33 0			Compensation on public buildings (1910)		440 0	
Poisons	9 75			Compensation on public buildings (1911)		440 0	
Rickshaws	292 50						880 0
Guns	25 30			Total			59,751 99
<i>Rents.</i>							
Rent of meat market	900 0		13,436 70				
Rent of land at Ettukal	40 0						
Rent of steam boat jetty	120 0						
Rent of site of petroleum store	80 0						
Rent of stalls near Court-house	342 0						

		EXPENDITURE.			
	Amount.	Total.		Amount	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Salaries.</i>					
Salaries of the establishment ..	2,261 50		Upkeep of road to gravel pit (Ithagodella) ..	70 0	
Salaries of cemetery-keeper, &c. ..	528 0	2,789 50	Repairs to Infectious Diseases Hospital buildings (in Civil Hospital grounds) ..	25 0	9,103 0
<i>Pension.</i>					
Pension to Mr. H. W. Ball (for nine months) ..	—	508 50	<i>Payments due for December, 1910.</i>		
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>					
Allowance to Local Board peon for binding files ..	24 0		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Office contingencies ..	500 0	524 0	General upkeep of roads (gravel) ...	84 50	
<i>Audit Charges.</i>					
Cost of auditing Local Board account ..	—	160 0	Repairs to existing drains and culverts ..	21 10	
<i>Revenue Services.</i>					
Remuneration to assessors ..	150 0		Repairing, painting, &c., night soil carts ..	10 80	
Commission to division officers, &c. ..	2,000 0		Repairs to stalls near Court-house ..	3 50	
Cost of dog collars ..	90 0		Periamulla bridge wing walls ..	114 72	
Cost of tin plates ..	100 0	2,340 0	Chilaw road drains ..	116 69	
<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>					
Cost of flushing side drains ..	840 0		Repairs to latrine in Police Barrack street ..	9 12	
Cost of disinfectants ..	150 0		Improvements to latrine in Chilaw road ..	9 36	
Cost of conservancy of latrines ..	600 0		Cost of tools ..	3 30	373 9
Cost of burying paupers ..	10 0		<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>		
Rent of site of slaughter-house, &c. ..	36 0		Cost of watering streets (December, 1910) ..	—	8 5
Cost of scavenging the town ..	2,412 0		<i>Lighting Charges.</i>		
Wages of slaughter-house cooly ..	48 0		Cost of lighting street lamps, chimneys, &c. (December, 1910) ..	—	305 47
Cost of watering streets ..	150 0		<i>Balance Votes of 1910.</i>		
Smallpox ..	250 0	4,496 0	General upkeep of roads (metal) ..	1,056 4	
<i>Plague Account.</i>					
Wages of caretaker of Plague Hospital ..	—	130 8	Sea street widening ..	1,875 20	
<i>Lighting Charges.</i>					
Cost of lighting street lamps, &c. ..	—	3,400 0	Filling Kammachodda pond ..	2,875 0	
<i>Police Charges.</i>					
Cost of destroying dogs ..	—	150 0	Strengthening piles, Munnakkara bridge ..	297 97	
<i>Public Works.</i>					
General upkeep of roads (gravel) ..	3,792 0		Improvements to Leitān's lane ..	98 96	6,203 17
General upkeep of roads (metal) ..	3,661 0		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Maintenance of Jubilee clock tower ..	100 0		Sundry charges ..	100 0	
Repairs to existing drains and culverts ..	250 0		Refund of cash security on account metal contract (1910) ..	200 0	
Painting Munnakkara bridge ..	120 0		Refund of cash security on account kerosine oil contract (1910) ..	150 0	
Repairs to Munnakkara path ..	120 0		Refund of cash security on account metal contract (1911) ..	200 0	
Repairs to Local Board buildings ..	150 0		Refund of cash security on account gravel contract (1911) ..	50 0	
Repairs to Plague Hospital at Ettukal ..	200 0		Allowance to brass band ..	240 0	
Cost of tools ..	250 0		Pension Fund ..	16 12	956 12
Painting, repairing, and fencing latrines ..	200 0		<i>Improvement Works.</i>		
Painting and repairing garden seats ..	35 0		Metalling Kundanvilla road ..	606 0	
Repairing, painting, and tarring night soil carts ..	25 0		Metalling Fish Market street ..	195 0	801 0
Painting street lamp posts ..	60 0		<i>Total payments</i> ..		
Repairing fence round esplanade ..	20 0			—	32,247 98
Repairs to stalls near Court-house ..	25 0		Balance on December 31, 1911 ..	—	27,504 1
			<b>Total ..</b>	<b>59,751 99</b>	

Local Board Office,  
Negombo, January 23, 1911.

B. CONSTANTINE,  
Chairman.  
J. E. DE ZOYSA,  
Member.





## BOARD OF HEALTH, PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

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

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1909	1,850 2	Pay of clerk ..	50 0
<i>Receipt during 1910.</i>		Pay of supervisor ..	120 0
Assessment tax ..	322 44	Pay of scavenging contractor ..	240 0
Poll tax ..	501 0	Pay scavenging cooly ..	150 0
Dog tax ..	16 85	Pay of lighting contractor ..	330 0
Stamp duty on licenses ..	492 10	Cost of stationery ..	23 92
Opium rent ..	471 55	Cost of printed forms ..	12 18
Slaughter-house fees ..	113 23	Cost of writing receipts, &c. ..	26 26
Fines ..	2 50	Commission to collectors ..	58 30
		Cost of building cement drains, &c. ..	1,268 18
		Remuneration to Auditor ..	25 0
		Sinking fund on loans ..	76 0
		Interest on loans ..	133 0
		Cost of stores purchased ..	67 45
		Cart and cooly hire ..	7 62
		Cost of disinfectants ..	12 64
		Miscellaneous ..	27 97
			2,638 52
		Balance on December 31, 1910	1,131 17
Total	3,769 69	Total	3,769 69

Ratnapura Kachcheri,  
February 3, 1911.

G. COOKSON,  
Chairman.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct, and that, subject to the remarks in my report of January 31, 1911, the revenue due has been duly collected, and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

There are no arrears of rates outstanding at the end of the year 1910.

R. DE ALWIS, Auditor.

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

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1909	2,085 38	Pay of clerk ..	60 0
<i>Receipts during 1910.</i>		Pay of inspector ..	210 0
Assessment tax ..	694 95	Pay of scavenging contractor ..	180 0
Poll-tax ..	584 50	Pay of scavenging coolies ..	192 0
Dog tax ..	32 55	Pay of lighting contractor ..	180 0
Stamp duty on licenses ..	339 15	Pay of cemetery coolies ..	300 0
Opium rent ..	471 59	Cost of stationery ..	23 94
Slaughter-house fees ..	108 30	Cost of printed forms ..	12 16
Cemetery fees ..	100 90	Cost of writing receipts, &c. ..	42 14
Fines in nuisance cases, &c. ..	100 50	Cost of building cement drains ..	122 0
Miscellaneous receipts ..	30 80	Cost of repairs to wells ..	45 0
		Remuneration to Auditor ..	25 0
		Sinking fund on loans ..	90 0
		Interest on loans ..	157 50
		Value of stores purchased ..	98 14
		Cart and cooly hire ..	21 94
		Repairs to school buildings ..	129 75
		Repairs to lamps ..	2 50
		Compensation for land acquired ..	55 18
		Commission to collectors ..	90 14
		Cost of timber purchased ..	60 0
		Miscellaneous ..	18 97
			2,111 36
		Balance on December 31, 1910	2,437 26
Total	4,548 62	Total	4,548 62

Ratnapura Kachcheri,  
February 3, 1911.

G. COOKSON,  
Chairman.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct, and that, subject to the remarks in my report of January 31, 1911, the revenue due has been duly collected, and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

The arrears of rates outstanding at the end of the year 1910 is Rs. 5-96.

R. DE ALWIS, Auditor.









**Pupuressa Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a general meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the Pupuressa road will be held at Pupuressa factory on Saturday, February 18, 1911, at 9.30 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To elect a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.

2. The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (1) The names of the estates which use the road (with their acreages);
- (2) The sections used by these estates;
- (3) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for an assessment on the private contribution of Rs. 2,698.72 on the maintenance estimate for 1910-1911, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

L. W. BOOTH,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 3, 1911.

**Ulapane-Riverside Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at Mahawilla bungalow on Friday, February 24, 1911, at 2.30 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To elect a new Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the Ordinance for two years.

2. The Local Committee to consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to—

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

for an assessment on the private contribution of Rs. 1,790.73 on the maintenance estimate of 1910-1911, and to transact such other business as may come before it.

L. W. BOOTH,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 11, 1911.

**Haputale-Dambatenna Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety of the cost of repairing of storm damages, Haputale-Dambatenna road, 1910-1911, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road, as follows:—

Total Government moiety .. Rs. 250  
Total moiety of private contributions .. Rs. 260

**ASSESSMENT OF SEVERAL ESTATES.**

1st section, 1 mile.

Private contributions .. Rs. 45.22  
Total acreage, 3,572—Rate per acre, 1.2,659c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Lanka Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Thotulugala	556	7	3
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	20	31
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	17	88
Total ..			3,572	45 22

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
2nd section, 1-mile.				
			Private contributions	Rs. 45.22
			Total acreage, 3,572—Rate per acre,	1.2,659c.

Lanka Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Thotulugala	556	7	3
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	20	31
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	17	88
Total ..			3,572	45 22

**3rd section, .75 mile.**

Private contributions .. Rs. 33.91  
Total acreage, 3,572—Rate per acre, .9,493c.

Lanka Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Thotulugala	556	5	28
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	15	23
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	13	40
Total ..			3,572	33 91

**4th section, 1 mile.**

Private contributions .. Rs. 45.22  
Total acreage, 3,016—Rate per acre, .4,993c.

Ceylon Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	24	6
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	21	16
Total ..			3,016	45 22

**5th section, 1 mile.**

Private contributions .. Rs. 45.22  
Total acreage, 3,016—Rate per acre, 1.4,993c.

Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	24	6
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	21	16
Total ..			3,016	45 22

**6th section, .25 mile.**

Private contributions .. Rs. 11.30  
Total acreage, 3,016—Rate per acre, .3,746c.

Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Pitaratmalie	1,605	6	2
Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	5	28
Total ..			3,016	11 30

**7th section, .75 mile.**

Private contributions .. Rs. 33.91  
Total acreage, 1,411—Rate per acre, 2.4,032c.

Lipton, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,411	33	91
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*Abstract.*

Thotulugala .. Rs. 19.34  
Pitaratmalie .. Rs. 109.99  
Dambatenna .. Rs. 130.67  
Rs. 260.00

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay in to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Badulla, on or before April 25, 1911.

Provincial Road Committee  
Badulla, January 26, 1911.  
A. P. BOONE,  
for Chairman.

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 Cinchona.	Cinchona Chips.	Cocconuts	Copra	Cocconut Oil.	Cocconut Ponnac.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Chironella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Plumbago.	Coir Hope.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Kital Fibre.	Beer.	Horn.	Saperwood.
<b>COLOMBO.</b>	1911.																							
ss. Alenious	6-2	London		474114	692		3988	16835	2000			5501*			3048		643			276	72			
ss. Graf Stroganoff	6-2	Odessa		96808																				
ss. Villa de la Ciotat	6-2	Marseilles		42676	50																			
ss. Barbarosa	6-2	Sydney		200886	11																			
ss. Nirani	7-2	Calcutta								302														
ss. Socotra	7-2	Australia		80528																				
ss. Salazie	7-2	China		700																				
ss. Silesia	7-2	Kobe		31408	1																			
ss. Macedonia	7-2	Australia		301264																				
ss. Arcadia	8-2	China		118839																				
ss. Sumatra	8-2	London		243592																				
ss. Sornali	8-2	London		355234	197																			
ss. Vladimir	8-2	Viadivostock		624590																				
ss. Guhistan	9-2	London		145575																				
ss. Brasilia	9-2	Hamburg		14224	442																			
ss. Dameric	9-2	Cape Ports		44795	50																			
ss. Thesusus	10-2	South Africa		60020																				
ss. Ischia	10-2	London		167468				5950		350														
ss. Chan Chattan	10-2	Hong Kong		22172	199																			
ss. Kago Maru	10-2	London		415973																				
ss. Goeben	11-2	Bremen		589023	234				500															
ss. Kybels	11-2	Hamburg			200			46375																
ss. Alicante	11-2	Manila		300	400			27707																
ss. Kansao	11-2	New York		264224	475																			
ss. Mooltan	11-2	London		21533																				
ss. Denbighshire	11-2	London		109556	296																			
ss. Vadala	11-2	Calcutta																						

\* And Chips 1224 lb. † And Chips 5,600 lb. ‡ And Chips 11,200 lb. § And Chips 33,600 lb.

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

From Tuticorin	Bags. 9,276	} Total 56,583
From Calcutta	Bags. 36,049	
From Cocomada	Bags. 5,954	
From Calcutta	Bags. 1,546	} Total 56,583
Bombay	Bags. 1	
Hong Kong	Bags. 3,757	

TO GALLE { From Calcutta 2,890 } Total 2,890  
Southern India Nil }

|| And Chips 33,600 lb.

A. R. STARR,  
for Principal Collector.

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, February 14, 1911.

**NOTICES TO MARINERS.**

**T**HE two-second occulting red acetylene gas buoy light exhibited at end of the breakwater extension works has been discontinued from this date, and there being no further necessity for the buoy it will be removed.

A fixed red light exhibited from the jib end of the Titan crane has replaced the gas buoy-light until further notice.

Master Attendant's Office,  
Colombo, February 13, 1911.

JOHN A. LEGGE,  
Master Attendant.

**TRADE MARKS NOTICES.**

*Application No. 526.*

**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. John Walker & Sons, Limited, of Dunster House, 12, Mark Lane, London, E.C., England, Distillers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof in respect of Whisky, in Class 43 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—

**JOHNNIE WALKER**

The essential particular of the Trade Mark is the following:—the words "Johnnie Walker."

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, February 8, 1911.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

*Application No. 529.*

**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 Mr. John Alexander Fellows, of Norfolk House, Cannon Street, London, England, Merchant, who claims to be the proprietor of the following Trade Mark, has applied for the registration of the same in his name in respect of Veneer Wood in single sheets or consisting of various layers glued together by glue, casein, or cement, also boxes, casks, and barrels or other packages made of the above in Class 50 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—

**VEERPAK.**

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, February 15, 1911.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

*Application No. 547.*

**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. Stevenson & Howell, Limited, of Standard Works, 95a, Southwark Street, London, S.E., England, Manufacturing Chemists, who claim to be the proprietors thereof in respect of substances used as food or as ingredients in food in Class 42, and mineral and aerated waters, natural and artificial, including ginger beer, in Class 44 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—

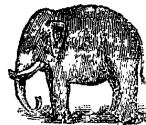
**ORANA**

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, February 14, 1911.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

*Application No. 548.*

**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. John Crabbie & Co., Limited, of 108, Great Junction Street, Leith, Scotland, Wine and Spirit Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors thereof in respect of Wines, Spirits, Liqueurs, and Cordials (alcoholic), in Class 43 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



The essential particular of the Trade Mark is the device of an elephant.

The Trade Mark is declared to have been in use by the applicants prior to December 21, 1888.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, February 14, 1911.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.