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LAND SALES IN THE WESTERN PROVINCE.

No. 2,938, W. P.—On Tuesday, February 27, 1912, at 12 noon, the Hon. the Government Agent for the Western Province will put up for sale or settlement, at his office in Colombo, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Fifteen allotments of land situated in the Siyane Korale East of the Colombo District of the Western Province.

Preliminary plan 14,726.—Udugaha pattu, Siyane Korale East. Village—Ataudakanda.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
2571	Meegahawatta <i>alias</i> madalagahawatta	Dunu- Crown	Eight coconut trees over 40 years in bearing and 3 jak trees over 40 years	0 1 22	120
2572	Do.	do.	Thirty-seven coconut trees 2 to 5 years old, 1 old jak tree in bearing	1 2 4	120
2573	Mahakanda <i>alias</i> gahahena	Kurundu- Crown (A. Podi Sinno, applicant)	Jungle	3 0 7	80
2574	Do.	Crown	To be reserved for a stream	3 3 15	—
2575	Mahakanda <i>alias</i> elamukalana	Deiyanpanna- Crown (A. Juvathhamy, applicant)	Jungle	2 2 9	80
2576	Do.	Crown	To be reserved for a stream	1 1 13	—

Preliminary plan 14,729.—Udugaha pattu, Siyane Korale East. Village—Alawala.

2580	Galapallelanda	Crown (G. Podi Sinno, applicant)	Batta jungle	3 1 13	90
2581	Do.	Crown (G. Pelis Appu, applicant)	do.	2 0 38	90
2582	Do.	Crown (G. Amaris Appu, applicant)	do.	3 1 38	90
2583	Uttuvadeniyawatta	Crown	Eleven coconut trees 8 years old, 2 jak trees 8 years old, 20 arecanut trees 8 years old (encroachment by R. Don Adonis)	0 2 23	120

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
D 24	Ketakekalahakumbura	Crown	Yearly cultivated with paddy	1	1 15	150
E 24	Ketakekalahakumburapillewa	Crown	Open ground	0	0 37	80
Preliminary plan 14,727.—Udugaha pattu, Siyane Korale East. Village—Alawala.						
2577	Mahakanda <i>alias</i> Samadara-elamukalana	Crown (D. Suwarisa, applicant)	Batta jungle	3	0 9	80
Preliminary plan 14,744.—Udugaha pattu, Siyane Korale East. Village—Ataudakanda.						
2652	Ketakekalahawatta	Crown (A. Juvathamy, applicant)	Thirty-four coconut trees 10 to 15 years old, 10 trees in bearing	0	3 0	150
2653	Ellawatta <i>alias</i> Ketakekalahawatta	do.	Seven coconut trees over 30 years in bearing, 1 jak tree 30 years old, 4 areca-nut trees in bearing	0	0 35	150

Further information regarding these lands may be obtained from the Hon. the Government Agent, Western Province, and respecting their plans, &c., from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 6, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Nó. 2,408, C. P.—On Thursday, February 22, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Nuwara Eliya District, Central Province, will put up for sale or settlement, at his office in Nuwara Eliya, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Forty-one allotments of land situated in the Kotmale, Walapane, and Uda Hewaheta divisions of the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
Preliminary plan 5,884. Village—Medakumbura.						
16013	Karagahayatahena	H. D. D. Appuhamy	Patana	1	1 34	40
Preliminary plan 6,177. Village—Tiripeha.						
567	Warapitiyekumbura	A. Appuhamy	Reservation for stream	1	0 19	—
568	Do.	do.	Chena	1	2 29	20
Preliminary plan 6,191. Village—Kalaganwatta.						
598	Henahungodagalpadikadullahena	U. V. Vidane	Chena	1	0 23	20
599	Do.	do.	Reservation for stream	0	2 10	—
Preliminary plan 6,192. Village—Kalaganwatta.						
600	Bedeulpothahena	P. Appuhamy	Chena	0	3 4	20
601	Bedeulpothakumbura	do.	Paddy field	0	0 3	100
602	Bedeulpothahena	do.	Reservation for stream	0	1 2	—
Preliminary plan 6,193. Village—Kalaganwatta.						
603	Kirimetiyaupotha	G. Siyatu	Reservation for stream	0	2 23	—
604	Do.	do.	Chena	1	0 35	25
605	Kirimetiyaamahagahagawahena	U. Appuhamy	do.	1	2 6	25
Preliminary plan 6,178. Village—Arukwatta.						
569	Umalayahena	G. L. Punchirala	Reservation for stream	0	1 16	—
570	Do.	do.	Chena	1	1 14	20
Preliminary plan 6,179. Village—Arukwatta.						
571	Kiritigolwelgollehena	V. Dingirala	Reservation for stream	0	2 12	—
572	Do.	do.	Chena	2	2 38	20
Preliminary plan 6,180. Village—Arukwatta.						
573	Illuktennehena	L. Vidane	Chena	1	0 14	20
574	Do.	do.	Reservation for footpath	0	0 18	—
Preliminary plan 6,182. Village—Teripeha.						
575	Moonamaletulahena	N. Appuhamy	Chena	2	3 39	20
576	Do.	do.	Reservation for stream	0	3 6	—
577	Do.	do.	do.	0	2 16	—
578	Do.	K. Appuhamy	Chena	1	1 7	20
Preliminary plan 6,183. Village—Arukwatta.						
579	Dehigahatulemullehena	G. H. Punchirala	Reservation for stream	1	0 2	—
580	Do.	do.	Chena	1	0 26	20
581	Dehigahatulehena	H. Appu	do.	1	1 15	20
582	Do.	do.	Reservation for stream and footpath	0	1 9	—
Preliminary plan 6,185. Village—Arukwatta.						
584	Bukmigahayatahena	K. Appuhamy	Chena	0	2 3	20
585	Do.	do.	Reservation for stream	0	0 34	—
586	Do.	do.	do.	0	0 27	—
587	Do.	do.	Chena	0	3 4	20

Preliminary plan 6,166. Village—Wegama.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
504	Galbidiuchiriya ..	M. G. Appuhamy ..	Reservation for path ..	0 1 3	—	
505	Do. ..	do. ..	Abandoned paddy field ..	1 1 36	15	
506	Do. ..	do. ..	do. ..	0 0 37	15	
507	Do. ..	do. ..	Chena ..	2 2 36	15	
508	Do. ..	do. ..	Reservation for stream ..	0 1 25	—	
G 14	Gamagederapatana ..	D. Ranhamy ..	Patana ..	0 1 15	15	
Preliminary plan 6,169. Village—Wegama.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
519	Kirimetiypatana ..	D. Banda ..	Reservation for path and stream ..	2 0 4	—	
520	Do. ..	do. ..	Patana with a few trees ..	6 0 27	20	
521	Do. ..	do. ..	Reservation for stream ..	1 1 37	—	
Preliminary plan 6,173. Village—Ketayapatana.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
559	Galpotupitahena ..	W. K. S. Appuhamy ..	Chena ..	1 0 11	15	
Preliminary plan 6,157. Village—Bambaragama.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
456	Tanapelessa ..	K. M. Punchi Banda ..	Chena ..	4 1 36	20	
457	Do. ..	do. ..	Reservation for stream and path ..	1 0 30	—	

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 10, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE NORTHERN PROVINCE.

No. 654, N. P.—On Tuesday, February 20, 1912, at 11 A.M., the Government Agent for the Northern Province will put up for sale or settlement, at his office in Jaffna, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Seven allotments of land situated in the Pachchilaippali and Jaffna divisions of the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

Preliminary plan 3,819.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
499	Tanmakkeni ..	V. Arumugam ..	Jungle fit for coconut ..	19 1 35	19	
500	Do. ..	— ..	Reservation for footpath ..	0 3 30	—	
501	Do. ..	A. Catherasar ..	Jungle fit for coconut ..	16 2 16	18.35	
Preliminary plan 3,813.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
484	Kokkuvil East ..	V. Muttiah ..	Dry tank ..	0 1 12.5	320	
485	Do. ..	do. ..	do. ..	0 1 32.75	320	
Preliminary plan 3,828.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
512	Passaiyur ..	Gabriel Pedro ..	Waste land ..	0 0 12.87	1,600	
513	Do. ..	— ..	Reservation for lane ..	0 0 2.37	—	

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Northern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 6, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

No. 2,617, S. P.—On Tuesday, February 20, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Government Agent for the Southern Province will put up to auction, at his office in Galle Kachcheri, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Seventeen allotments of land situated in the Four Gravets division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 9,290. Village—Kapuhempola. Claimant—Nil.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
1559	Horagodayadeniyagoda or Galagawaliyadda ..	N. G. Babyhamy ..	Jungle ..	1 3 17	60	
Preliminary plan 9,067. Village—Godakanda. Claimant—K. V. Harmanis Appu.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
657	Kaluwagaha-addarakanattegoda ..	— ..	Garden ..	2 2 27	50*	
660	Do. ..	— ..	do. ..	0 1 13	50*	
Claimant—G. K. Babahamy.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
661	Kaluwagaha-addaragodawatta ..	— ..	Garden ..	0 0 4	50*	
Preliminary plan 9,342. Village—Ihalagoda. Claimant—Nil.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
1707	Galpottewattekanda ..	J. D. Wickramenayaka ..	Jungle ..	3 1 32	60	
1708	Do. ..	do. ..	Chena ..	0 0 1	—†	
Preliminary plan 8,845. Village—Niyagama. Claimant—K. G. Siyadoris.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
26357	Welamitimullehena ..	M. D. Siriwardena ..	Cinnamon ..	0 0 11	130	
Preliminary plan 9,227. Village—Ihalagoda. Claimant—Nil.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
1402	Gonamullekanda ..	Mr. T. W. Goonewardane ..	Patana ..	1 2 2	70	
Preliminary plan 7,184. Village—Ankokkawala. Claimant—Nil.					Extent. A. R. P.	Upset price per acre, Rs.
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.			
20221	Iriyagahawilegodabedda ..	G. Babappu ..	Chena ..	1 0 6	30	
20223	Egodakanattewattegoda ..	D. H. Arnolis ..	do. ..	1 2 5	30	
20225	Katikagodabedda ..	S. A. de S. Jayaweera ..	Jungle ..	4 1 36	30	

* With mining rights Rs. 200.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre. Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
Preliminary plan 8,905. Village—Ankokkawala. Claimant—Nil.							
17	Katikagodabedda	H. L. M. Nanayakkara	Jungle	2	0	38	30
Preliminary plan 9,285. Village—Niyagama. Claimant—Nil.							
1530	Rajamukalagoda	—	Patana	7	2	24	110
1531	Do.	—	do.	0	0	31	—*
1532	Do.	—	do.	0	1	37	—*
1533	Rajamukalagodadeniya	—	Deniya	0	1	17	—*
1534	Rajamukalagoda	—	Patana	0	0	24	—*
1535	Do.	—	do.	2	0	0	—*
1536	Do.	—	Chena	17	1	16	160
1537	Do.	—	do.	4	0	27	—*
1538	Wewagoda-addaradeniya	W. G. Babahamy	Deniya	1	0	5	110
Claimant—W. G. Babahamy.							
1539	Wewa-addaraduwwatta	W. G. Babahamy	Garden	0	0	12	60
1540	Wewagodaowita	do.	Owita	0	0	33	60
Claimant—Nil.							
1541	Rajamukalagoda	C. C. Jayaweera	Jungle	2	3	4	150
1542	Do.	do.	do.	1	0	28	—*

* Reservation.

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Southern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,618, S. P.—On Tuesday, February 27, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Government Agent for the Southern Province will put up to auction, at his office in Galle Kachcheri, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Twenty-five allotments of land situated in the Bentota-Wallalawiti korale division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre. Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
Preliminary plan 7,307. Village—Paragahatota. Claimant—Nil.							
20707	Amuhengodakele	K. K. Cornelis	Jungle	2	1	34	75
Preliminary plan 9,234. Village—Kudauragaha. Claimants—H. Hendrick and others.							
Q 7	Dombagahapitiyekumbura	H. Hendrick Appu	Field	5	2	4	75
Claimant—H. Sandiris Appu.							
1421	Dombagahapitiyekumbura	H. Hendrick Appu	Sweet potatoes	0	0	32	75
Preliminary plan 9,370. Village—Magala North. Claimant—Nil.							
1802	Polhunnakele	S. Ondiris Appu	Jungle	1	1	10	50
1803	Do.	H. H. Pedonis	do.	0	2	33	55
1804	Do.	do.	do.	0	1	28	50
Claimant—Hewahakuru Pedonis.							
1805	Polhunnakele	H. H. Pedonis	Sweet potatoes	0	0	17	50
Claimant—Nil.							
1806	Polhunnakele	—	Jungle	0	0	14	—*
Preliminary plan 9,369. Village—Magala North. Claimant—K. Busaneris.							
1801	Etambagahawatta	K. Busaneris	Garden	1	1	11	60†
Preliminary plan 9,283. Village—Magala. Claimant—H. Sauneris.							
1525	Udamagalawatta	H. Sauneris	Coconuts	0	2	4	35
Claimant—Nil.							
1526	Udamagalawattekele	H. Sauneris	Forest	0	1	11	60†
Preliminary plan 9,329. Village—Magala North. Claimant—S. Ayadorisa.							
1667	Dikhena	S. H. Ayadorisa	Chena	1	0	20	55
Claimant—Nil.							
1668	Dikhena	—	Chena	0	0	4	—*
Preliminary plan 9,353. Village—Pahalaganhaya. Claimant—Nil.							
1734	Kebellakanda	M. V. Bastian Appu	Jungle	1	2	12	60
Preliminary plan 9,325. Village—Yatagala. Claimant—Nil.							
1658	Kurunduwatta-addaradeniya	—	Deniya	0	1	30	35
Preliminary plan 9,355. Village—Yatagala. Claimant—Nil.							
1738	Dikkele	L. P. Wickramaratne	Jungle	1	3	31	80
1739	Do.	—	Chena	1	0	14	—*
1740	Do.	—	Jungle	0	0	13	—*
Preliminary plan 9,292. Village—Goluwamulla. Claimant—O. K. Saraneris.							
1561	Delattepawara	O. K. Saraneris	Chena	0	3	2	35
Preliminary plan 9,116. Village—Pitigala. Claimant—Nil.							
853	Ganga-addaraowita	J. Appu Singho	Owita	0	0	28	40
Claimant—J. Appu Singho.							
854	Watta-addaramanana	J. Appu Singho	Chena	0	3	12	50
855	Do.	do.	Garden	0	0	38	50
Claimant—Nil.							
856	Watta-addaramanana	J. Appu Singho	Chena	0	0	9	—*
857	Indigasmanana	I. L. M. Ibrahim	do.	0	3	12	50

* Reservation.

† With mining rights Rs. 250.

‡ With mining rights Rs. 150.

Lot.	Name of Land	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
Preliminary plan 9,348. Village—Pahala Omatta. Claimant—Nil.							
1715	Ambalanwelamanana	U. John Sinno	Chena	0	2	3	60
1716	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	2	—*
1717	Totakumbureatnaga	do.	do.	1	3	1	60
Preliminary plan 9,264. Village—Horangalla. Claimant—Nil.							
1495	Naimanagalakanda	B. Romanis	Jungle	2	0	32	50
1497	Dolabodawatta	do.	Garden	0	0	18	50
1498	Radatotawatta	do.	do.	0	0	30	50
Preliminary plan 9,087. Village—Paragahatota. Claimants—D. F. Gunasekera and others.							
C 5	Battigewatta	M. Noris Appu	Garden	0	1	15	75

* Reservation.

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Southern Province, and plans from of them the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sale of thirty-five allotments of land situated in Magam pattu and the gravets division of the Hambantota District of the Southern Province fixed for Thursday, February 1, 1912 (see *Government Gazette* No. 6,480 of December 22, 1911, Notice No. 2,616, S. P.), will be postponed for Monday, February 5, 1912, at 2 P.M. The sale will be held at this Kachcheri.

Hambantota Kachcheri,
January 5, 1912.

G. FURSE ROBERTS,
Assistant Government Agent.

LAND SALES IN THE EASTERN PROVINCE.

No. 1,304, E. P.—On Tuesday, February 27, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Trincomalee District will put up to auction, at his office in Trincomalee Kachcheri, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Twenty-four allotments of land situated in the Koddiair division of the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province.

Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
Preliminary plan 4,294. Claimant—Crown.							
724	Muttur	S. Sinnetamby	Fit for coconut	1	0	17	16
726	Do.	do.	do.	3	2	34	17
Preliminary plan 4,298. Claimant—Crown.							
730	Muttur	A. Seenitamby	Fit for coconut	1	2	19	16.50
732	Do.	M. Casie Lebbe	do.	1	2	14	16.50
734	Do.	Seeni Mohammadu	do.	4	0	17	16.50
735	Do.	Abdul Rahiman Alim	do.	1	0	29	17
737	Do.	Y. Mastan	do.	1	0	37	17
Preliminary plan 4,163. Claimant—V. Pattiniam.							
I	Toppur	V. Pattiniam	Fit for garden	0	3	2	250
Claimant—Crown.							
81	Toppur	—	Fit for paddy	0	0	16	25
82	Do.	—	do.	0	0	30	30
83	Do.	—	do.	0	0	15	40
84	Do.	K. Meydin Pitchai	do.	0	2	9	30
85	Do.	P. Meydeen Bawa	do.	0	3	36	17.50
87	Do.	A. Muttuvappoo	Fit for paddy (unirrigable)	0	2	25	30
88	Do.	do.	Fit for paddy	0	0	23	50
91	Do.	—	do.	0	0	10	50
92	Do.	—	do.	0	0	26	50
Preliminary plan 4,312. Claimant—K. Kandappu (encroachment by the claimant).							
773	Kunittivu	—	Fit for paddy	0	0	17	15
Claimant—K. Kandappu.							
774	Kunittivu	—	Fit for paddy	0	0	20	17
Claimant—Crown.							
776	Kunittivu	K. Kandappu	Fit for paddy	1	3	12	17
777	Do.	do.	do.	1	0	31	17
780	Do.	P. Veerakutty	do.	0	3	9	17
781	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	12	17
782	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	8	15

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 6, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,305, E. P.—On Friday, February 16, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Government Agent for the Eastern Province will put up for sale or settlement, at his office in Batticaloa, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government.

Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
Preliminary plan 4,220.—Eravur pattu. Claimant—Crown.							
388	Chittandikudi	K. Mailipodi	Jungle	6	0	1	15
Preliminary plan 4,309. Claimant—Crown.							
763	Chittandikudi	N. Nathanai	Chenai	2	2	11	20

Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
Preliminary plan 4,166.—Rukam pattu. Claimant—Crown.						
123	Kanittivu	General sale	Jungle land fit for paddy	4	2 34	20
124	Do.	J. Suvakkinpillai	do.	1	2 28	20
125	Do.	do.	Open waste land	6	2 24	20
Preliminary plan 4,170. Claimant—Crown.						
133	Lavanai	S. Poopalappillai	Chenai	5	1 12	16
Preliminary plan 4,249.—Koralai pattu. Claimant—Crown.						
557	Pettalai	V. Panikkan and others	Coconut garden	2	1 20	35
558	Do.	B. Nicolaspillai	do.	0	1 36	50
559	Do.	General sale	Jungle	0	1 20	16
Preliminary plan 4,331. Claimant—Crown.						
838	Chittandikudi	T. Attiyan	Jungle	1	3 16	19
Preliminary plan 4,136.—Porativu pattu. Claimant—Crown.						
94997	Palamunai	R. A. Arunachalam and others	Chenai	7	2 29	15
94999	Do.	T. Kasinater and others	do.	5	1 8	15
Preliminary plan 3,358. Claimant—Crown.						
90430	Vellaveli	K. Chinnappillai	Jungle fit for paddy	4	1 37	15
Preliminary plan 3,757. Claimant—Crown.						
93551	Vellaveli	V. Veeran and another	Jungle fit for paddy	2	0 26	15
Claimant—Encroachment.						
93552	Vellaveli	V. Veeran and another	Paddy land	1	3 26	15
Preliminary plan 1,625. Claimant—Crown.						
4708	Kovil Porativu or Periya Porativu	V. Sinnavappodi	Coconut garden	0	1 14	76
Preliminary plan 3,815.—Manmunai Pattu South. Claimant—Crown.						
93723	Ampilanturai	V. V. Eliatampi, &c.	Land fit for paddy cultivation	8	3 3	15
93724	Do.	V. V. Sinnattampippodi, &c.	do.	10	1 30	15
93725	Do.	P. H. Nallatampippodi, &c.	do.	16	3 30	15
93726	Do.	T. T. Nallatampippodi, &c.	do.	16	2 14	15
93727	Do.	M. Kumarappodi, &c.	do.	9	3 17	15
93728	Do.	P. H. Nallatampippodi, &c.	do.	10	2 28	15
93730	Do.	A. T. Sinnattampippodi, &c.	do.	16	2 30	15
93731	Do.	V. V. Sinnattampippodi, &c.	do.	4	3 21	15
93733	Do.	do.	do.	109	2 0	15

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,306, E. P.—On Saturday, February 24, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Government Agent for the Eastern Province will put up for sale or settlement, at his office in Batticaloa, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government.

Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
Preliminary plan 4,313.—Manmunai Pattu South. Claimant—Crown.						
783	Munaikkadu	K. Kanapatiyan	Sandy (scrub)	1	0 33	15
Preliminary plan 4,314. Claimant—Crown.						
784	Munaikkadu	K. Pattappen	Sandy (scrub)	1	0 0	15
Preliminary plan 4,259.—Koralai pattu. Claimant—Crown.						
605	Nasuvantivu	S. Meeramukaiyatin	Jungle	3	2 6	18
Claimant—Encroachment.						
606	Nasuvantivu	S. Meeramukaiyatin	Jungle	0	0 16	15
Preliminary plan 3,039.—Eravur pattu. Claimant—Crown.						
88026	Sittandikudi	M. Kasupattippillai	Jungle fit for paddy	19	2 0	25
88027	Do.	do.	do.	18	2 0	25
88028	Do.	do.	do.	23	3 9	25
Preliminary plan 3,636.—Chammanturai pattu. Claimant—Crown.						
93055	Chammanturai	N. Veerakkuddi	Garden	0	1 34	15
93056	Do.	Kumanan Aiyer	do.	0	0 36	15
93057	Do.	V. Katiramalai	do.	0	3 6	15
93058	Do.	A. Velan	do.	0	0 32	15
93059	Do.	T. Rannakkutti	do.	0	1 37	15
93060	Do.	K. Seenittampi	do.	0	1 16	15
93061	Do.	V. Poopali	do.	0	1 20	15
93062	Do.	S. Katiramalai	do.	0	2 2	15
93063	Do.	P. Veerakkutti	do.	0	1 32	15

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

No. 1,978, N.W. P.—On Monday, February 26, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the District of Puttalam will put up for sale or settlement, at his office in Puttalam, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Seventeen allotments of land situated in the Demala hatpattu division of the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 408. Village—Puliyankulam. Claimant—Crown.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
34	Kongahawattahena, &c...	Chena	Chena	19	2	17	30
Preliminary plan 3,890. Village—Wembuwewa. Claimant—Crown.							
284	Wembuwewakele	Mudaliami, Korale Arachehi	Forest	3	2	15	65
285	Do.	do.	Reservation for road	0	0	35	—*
Preliminary plan 3,891. Village—Ihala Puliyankulam. Claimant—Crown.							
286	Meegahahena	Sarapavedaralage Kandappu	Forest	1	1	14	65
287	Do.	do.	Reservation for stream	0	1	18	—*
288	Do.	do.	do.	0	2	13	—*
289	Palugahakele	do.	Forest	0	3	29	65
290	Do.	do.	Reservation for stream	0	0	11	—*
291	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	19	—*
Preliminary plan 3,978. Village—Uppukulam. Claimant—P. L. T. Tennappa Chetty.							
612	Uppukulamkele	P. L. T. Tennappa Chetty	High jungle	20	3	14	40
613	Do.	do.	Reservation for fields, &c.	5	3	16	—*
614	Uppukulamvayal	do.	Paddy field	21	1	14	60
615	Do.	do.	Land suitable for paddy	2	1	18	60
616	Uppukulamkele	do.	Forest	28	0	18	40
617	Uppukulamhena	do.	Bare land	6	1	5	30
618	Uppukulamkele	do.	Reservation for tank bund	2	1	7	—*
619	Path	do.	Path	0	1	35	30

* Not for sale.

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent of Puttalam, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.

No. 1,829, N.C. P.—On Friday, February 16, 1912, at 12 noon, the Government Agent for the North-Central Province will put up to auction for sale or settlement, at his office in Anuradhapura, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Twenty-one allotments of land situated in the Nuwaragam palata and Tamankaduwa divisions of the North-Central Province.

Preliminary plan 3,526.—Meda pattu. Claimant—Crown.

Lot.	Village.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
11204	Ansolondewa	—	Ela reservation	9	1	10	—
11205	Do.	Late G. W. Jayawardene, Mudaliyar	Jungle fit for paddy	0	2	16	—
11206	Do.	do.	do.	70	3	30	—*
11207	Do.	do.	Paddy field	16	3	12	—*
11208	Do.	do.	do.	10	1	18	—*
11209	Do.	do.	Garden with coconut trees and other fruit trees	2	0	5	—*
11210	Do.	do.	Bund reservation	0	3	22	—
Preliminary plan 3,609.—Kanadara korale.							
11419	Usgallewa	P. Appuhamy, Vel-Vidane, and three others of Ithalapotane	Jungle fit for paddy	6	3	21	15
11420	Do.	do.	Bund reservation	0	2	25	—
11421	Do.	P. Appuhamy, Vel-Vidane	Jungle fit for paddy	1	3	8	15
11422	Usgalawewa	do.	do.	2	2	34	15
11423	Do.	do.	Bund reservation	0	0	29	—
11424	Do.	do.	Jungle fit for paddy	0	2	3	15
11424½	Do.	do.	do.	0	2	17	15
Preliminary plan 3,796.—Kanadara korale.							
311	Ellewewa	M. Punchirala	Jungle fit for garden	0	3	12	15†
Preliminary plan 3,802.—Nuwaragam korale.							
322	Pahaladiganegama	Appurala Badderalage Ukkurala of Madurupitiya	Jungle fit for garden	1	3	25	15.50
Preliminary plan 3,733.—Willachchiya korale.							
133	Walanteluwewa	Punchiralage Badderalala	Jungle fit for paddy	2	1	7	16
134	Do.	Badderalage Appuhamy, Vel-Vidane	Jungle fit for garden	0	2	20	16
135	Do.	Appurala Gamaralage Menikrala	do.	1	2	28	16
136	Do.	do.	Footpath reservation	0	0	28	—
137	Do.	do.	Bund reservation	0	0	17	—

* To be settled on certificates of quiet possession on the administratrix of the estate of the late G. W. Jayawardene, Mudaliyar, with the exception of 4 acres and 25 perches, which is to be settled at upset price.

† This lot was advertised before (*vide Gazette* No. 6,467 of October 20, 1911).

Further particulars regarding these lands may be obtained from the Government Agent, North-Central Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 6, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE PROVINCE OF UVA.

No. 1,073, P. of U.—On Thursday, February 22, 1912, at 12 noon, the Government Agent for the Province of Uva will put up to auction or settlement, at his office in Badulla Kachcheri, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Forty-four allotments of land situated in the Udukinda, Bintenna, and Wellawaya divisions of the District of Badulla of the Province of Uva.

Preliminary plan 1,578. Village—Balagala in Yatipalata korale of Udukinda division.
Applicant—Mr. N. P. R. Cooray of Welimada. Claimant—Crown.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
			A.	R.	P.	
279	Bombugalahinna ..	Patana ..	38	3	39	25
280	Bombugalahinna and Bombugalahadowe <i>alias</i> Ambegamuhinnepatana ..	do. ..	1	3	12	—*
281	Bombugalahadowe and Ambegamuhinnepatana ..	do. ..	31	3	8	25

Preliminary plan 1,541. Village—Pangaragammana in Bintenna korale of Bintenna division.
Applicant—Meera Saibo Arachchi of Pangaragammana. Claimant—Crown.

122	Migahakumbura ..	Field ..	0	0	29	40
123	Do. ..	do. ..	0	0	10	40

Preliminary plan 1,581. Village—Kelipanawela in Kandapalla korale of Wellawaya division.
Applicant—Joseph Sathianadhen of Koslanda. Claimant—Crown.

291	Taranaketiya ..	Patana ..	2	2	14	—*
292	Do. ..	Forest and small patches of patana ..	10	1	22	37
293	Do. ..	Patana with forest trees ..	2	0	12	37
Claimants—Icy Lebbe and others.						
C 12	Ellawalagawawatta ..	Garden containing jak, kitul, arecanut, and pera trees ..	1	2	12	—*
D 12	Do. ..	Garden containing jak, arecanut, coconut, biling, and mango trees ..	1	1	0	34

Preliminary plan 1,573. Village—Haputalegama in Mahapalata korale of Udukinda division.
Applicant—Yahalebedde Galpassiyegedera D. M. Appuhamy. Claimant—Crown.

259	Kalugalpotta ..	Patana ..	0	0	15	60
260	Do. ..	do. ..	3	0	26	25

Final village plan 27. Village—Uda Kumbalwela in Kumbalwela korale of Yatipalata division.
Claimant—Crown.

13a	Dimbulgastennapatana ..	Patana and chena ..	28	2	17	25
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Preliminary plan 1,566. Village—Haputalegama of Mahapalata korale of Udukinda division.
Applicant—G. P. N. Kurukulasuriya of Haputale. Claimant—Crown.

222	Blackwood estate ..	New clearing ..	0	0	11	—*
223	Do. ..	do. ..	0	3	0	25†
224	Do. ..	Tea ..	0	1	12	300†
225	Magirikanda ..	Patana ..	0	0	27	25
226	Blackwood estate ..	Tea ..	0	0	2	300†
227	Magirikanda ..	Patana ..	0	0	10	25
228	Blackwood estate ..	Tea ..	0	0	6	—*
229	Magirikanda ..	Patana ..	1	0	11	—*
230	Do. ..	do. ..	0	1	23	—*
231	Do. ..	do. ..	10	2	0	25

Preliminary plan 1,579. Village—Medagama in Yatipalata korale of Udukinda division.
Applicant—N. P. R. Cooray of Welimada. Claimant—Crown.

282	Hotupeellepatana ..	Patana ..	1	2	16	25
283	Do. ..	do. ..	0	1	29	—*
284	Do. ..	Patana and scrub ..	39	0	6	25
285	Medagamahinnepatana ..	do. ..	1	3	35	—*
286	Do. ..	do. ..	30	0	4	25

Preliminary plan 1,582. Village—Naulla in Kandapalla korale of Wellawaya division.
Applicant—Joseph Sathianadhen of Koslanda. Claimant—A. L. R. Ramundunajikera.

E 12	Medahirapatana ..	Forest and patana containing milla, dewa, daminna, and keena trees ..	8	0	2	44
F 12	Do. ..	do. ..	0	2	32	—*
G 12	Do. ..	do. ..	3	1	13	30
H 12	Do. ..	do. ..	0	1	27	—*

Preliminary plan 419. Village—Haputale (Yahalebedda) in Mahapalata korale of Udukinda division.
Applicant—Mr. Thomas Hudson, Glenanore, Haputale. Claimant—Crown.

F 51	Nayakoledarundawatta ..	Land planted with blue gum and acacia trees, they are from 1 to 3 years old ..	6	1	14	100†
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Preliminary plan 1,565. Village—Kirawanagama in Medapalata korale of Udukinda.
Applicants—Mr. E. F. C. Farr of Waldemar estate and Mr. F. J. Whittall of Gampaha estate. Claimant—Crown.

215	Wewabedapatana ..	Patana ..	43	2	30	—†
216	Do. ..	do. ..	27	0	21	25
217	Waldemar estate ..	Old tea ..	0	0	4	400†
218	Wewabedapatana ..	Patana ..	6	1	37	—†
219	Do. ..	do. ..	9	2	18	25

* Reservation.

† Encroachment.

† To be reserved, above 5,000 feet elevation.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
			A.	R.	P.	
220	Wewabedapatana	.. Patana ..	2	1	25	25
221	Do.	.. do. ..	0	1	39	—*
Preliminary plan 1,574. Village—Haputalegama in Mahapalata korale of Udukinda division. Applicant—H. A. D. Hendrick, Glenanore estate, Haputale. Claimant—Crown.						
261	Welanhinna	.. Patana ..	2	0	26	—*
262	Do.	.. do. ..	10	0	5	20
Preliminary plan 1,572. Village—Haputalegama in Mahapalata korale of Udukinda division. Applicant—Haputalebedde Alutgedera Ukku Banda. Claimant—Crown.						
257	Kalugalpotta	.. Patana ..	5	0	30	20
258	Do.	.. do. ..	0	3	33	—*

* Reservation.

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Province of Uva, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

No. 854, P. of S.—On Wednesday, February 28, 1912, at 1 p.m., the Government Agent for the Province of Sabaragamuwa will put up to auction, at his office in Ratnapura, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Three allotments of land situated in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Preliminary plan 2,154. Village—Halpe in Kadawata korale.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
598	Minirammaditta	.. Mr. Gerald Abbott ..	.. Patana with a few kahata, ba-dulla, and velan trees ..	5	0	15	25
599	Do.	.. — ..	.. Patana ..	0	2	9	—*
Preliminary plan 8,632. Village—Bambarabotuwa in Nawadun korale.							
92	Polwattemukalana	.. K. G. Hendrick Appuhamy ..	.. Forest ..	18	2	8	55†

* This is a reservation and not available for sale.

† There is an estate cart road passing along the northern boundary of this lot.

Further information respecting these lands may be obtained from the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES BY THE SETTLEMENT OFFICER.

No. 1,739, S. O.—On Monday, March 4, 1912, at 12 noon, the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Hellala, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Four allotments of land situated in the Giruwa Pattu West division of the Hambantota District of the Southern Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 202.—Talwatta.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
7i	Koswattahenakella	.. Edirimanage Appuwa ..	.. Chena ..	0	1	36
2	Daminiyagahahenakella	.. Kudage Kottanhamy ..	.. Garden ..	0	1	24
7s	Do.	.. do. ..	.. do. ..	0	3	19
1t	Kohombagahawatta <i>alias</i> Aragahawatta	.. Marappulige Ukkuwa ..	.. do. ..	4	2	9

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 5, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,740, S. O.—On Friday, March 8, 1912, at 12 noon, the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Palle Julampitiya, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Forty-one allotments of land situated in the West Giruwa pattu division of the Hambantota District of the Southern Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 380.—Galpotheyaya.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
13b	Ehalagahamadithawatta	.. Aggarahengamage Don Andiris ..	.. Garden ..	0	2	0
13c	Do.	.. do. ..	.. do. ..	1	0	27
26j1	Wewagawahena	.. Crown (applied by Hettiachchige Arnolis) ..	.. Chena ..	0	3	25
Block survey preliminary plan 382.—Malhewageaia.						
23m	Kalagahawatta	.. Crown (applied for by Giganagamage Don Davith) ..	.. Garden ..	1	2	17
23o	Lolugodahena	.. Crown (applied for by Henry Vitanachechi Gunawardena) ..	.. Chena ..	0	3	36
20	Samayanpala-arahena	.. Crown ..	.. do. ..	1	0	3
23p	Lolugahahena	.. Crown (applied for by Henry Vitanachechi Gunawardena) ..	.. do. ..	3	0	19

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
23r	Wewagawawatta <i>alias</i> Samayanparahenakella	Crown (applied for by Munasinge Davithhamy)	Garden	1	1	23
23s	Ambagahawatta	Crown (applied for by Munasinge Don Andris)	New clearing	1	2	8
23t	Do.	Crown (applied for by Munasinge Babunhamy)	do.	1	1	27
23u	Rodimullearehenakella	Crown (applied for by Munasinge Don Kottan)	Garden	1	0	21
23v	Ambagahawatta	Crown	New clearing	0	0	16
Block survey preliminary plan 386.—Handapangalageaina.						
76	Tlukketiyahenakoratuwa	Crown (purchased by Kodikarage Thiyadoris)	Garden	2	1	6
Block survey preliminary plan 383.—Palle Julampitiya.						
62h	Bunugehena	Kitulagodage Finerishamy	Garden	0	2	26
76a	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	30
19i	Kammalewattehena	Crown (applied for by Mohotti Malwattage Felix)	Chena	1	0	35
19o	Bogahahenekella	Crown (applied for by Edirisinge Punchi Baba)	do.	0	2	35
19p	Pahalawatttekella	Crown (applied for by Wirasin Hetti Arachchige Babahamy)	Garden	0	3	20
19r	Pahalawatttekella and Gurugalpolehena	Crown	New clearing	0	3	11
19t	Gurugalpotehena	Crown (applied for by Hettiachchige Juwanis)	do.	1	0	15
44a	Galagawawatta	Crown (applied for by Nallaperumage Baba)	Garden	0	3	25
45k	Yahapalahenekoratuwa	Crown (applied for by Jasin Arachchige Nicholas)	Chena	0	2	23
45l	Rodehenekella	Crown (applied for by Samaraweera Natachchige Sedoris)	do.	1	0	26
45m	Patanigemandiyehena	Crown (applied for by Kodikarage Disanhamy, Police Officer)	New clearing	3	0	5
45n	Do.	Crown (applied for by Liyana Patiranage Andiris Appu)	do.	6	2	33
45o	Galagawahena	Crown (applied for by Vitaranage Andirishamy)	do.	1	1	38
45r	Do.	Crown (applied for by Jayawardena Kitulagodage Porolis)	Chena	1	2	21
45t	Galagawahenakabella	Crown (applied for by Nallaperumage Baba)	do.	0	3	37
45u	Iriketiyahenakabella	Crown (applied for by Don Siyadoris Ratnayaka)	do.	1	1	31
45v	Atembehenakella	Crown (applied for by Arachchige Don Daris)	do.	2	0	17
62r	Weragodahena <i>alias</i> Bogahahena	Crown (applied for by Don Nikulas Abeysiri Samarayayaka)	do.	0	2	16
62x	Medahena	Crown (applied for by Jasin Arachchige Nicholas-hamy)	Garden	0	3	4
62y	Do.	Crown (applied for by Jasin Arachchige Don Abaran and Hitawaka Liyanage Don Andiris)	Chena	6	3	15
62z	Kahatahenekoratuwa	Crown (applied for by Wijesinge Don Nicholas)	Garden	1	1	3
62aa	Gurumadittahena	Crown (applied for by Wijesinge Don Peneris)	New clearing	0	3	28
62ab	Bogahahenekella	Crown (applied for by Edirisinge Punchi Baba)	Chena	0	0	27
62ac	Bogahahenekella	do.	do.	0	1	20
62ad	Sapugahagodahenekoratuwa	Crown (applied for by Jayasekera Kankanange Don Louis)	Garden	0	2	31
62ae	Kahatahena	Crown (applied for by Kuruppuge Dasan)	Chena	0	3	12
62af	Kahatahenekoratuwa	Crown (applied for by Jayasin Arachchige Don Juwanis)	Garden	0	0	39
75	Mekiliyagahamadittewatta <i>alias</i> Sapugahawatta	Ranaweeragamage Subehamy	do.	2	0	39

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 5, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,741, S. O.—On Friday, March 8, 1912, at 12 noon, the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Palle Julampitiya, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Seventeen allotments of land situated in the Giruwa Pattu East division of the Hambantota District of the Southern Province.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
1a	Buruthagahawatta	Deerasinghe Arachchige Don Suwaris	Garden	0	2	27
2	Buruthagahakoratuwa	do.	do.	0	3	0
1d	Tiruwagoda	Wijesinghe Arachchige Don Hendrick	do.	1	3	29
1t	Talgahawatta	Wijehinge Babunhamy	Chena	0	1	32
1f	Do.	do.	Garden	0	0	15
14	Do.	do.	do.	1	2	11
15a	Do.	do.	do.	1	2	2
1k	Ratadehigahahenakoratuwa	Nedungodage Simanhamy	do.	1	0	38
12e	Ratadehigahawatta	do.	do.	1	3	6
1n	Galkanugawakoratuwa	Don Davith Abeysinghe, Police Officer of Mellaketigoda	do.	0	1	15
1o	Marawahena	Mananperige Allishamy	Chena	0	0	22
12h	Maragahawatta	do.	Garden	1	0	33
12f	Wadigewatta	Ketiapage Sinno	do.	0	1	31
12g	Maragahawatta	Henpitagamage Nicholashamy	do.	0	1	2
15f	Ketakelagahakoratuwa	Nedungodage Simanhamy	Chena	0	3	20
22	Medawattahena and Hatamunegewattahena	do.	Garden	2	3	8
15c	Kahatagahakoratuwa	Nedungodage Baban Appu	do.	1	0	18

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 5, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,742, S. O.—On Tuesday, February 27, 1912, at 12 noon, the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Deniyaya Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Three allotments of land situated in the Morawak korale division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 169.—Matugobe.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
120k	Karawilawelehena	Crown, applied for by Appusingho Silva	Forest and jungle	26	1	23
120i	Lianagewatta or Karawilawelehena	Crown, encroachment by Hikkaduwa Liyanage Appusingho	Tea	0	0	6
120j	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	24

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 5, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,743, S. O.—On Saturday, February 24, 1912, at 12 noon, the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Ratnapura Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Ten allotments of land situated in the Nawadun korale division of the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Block survey preliminary plan 71.—Damme.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
8d	Tanagulanahena	Crown (applied by Damme Arachchige Ratranhamy)	Chena	2	2	6
Block survey preliminary plan 60.—Palawela.						
19l	Gangawattahena, Hikgahahena, Weweldeniyahena	Crown	Chena	14	2	28
19l2	Gangawattahena	do.	Garden	0	2	29
19l3	Gorokgodellahena	do.	Chena	3	3	30

Block survey preliminary plan 68.—Weragama.

14a	Pansalawatta	Attadassy Unnanse	Garden	0	2	19
14	Do.	do.	do.	0	1	0
14b	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	6
15b	Navinigodella	Crown	Chena	0	0	16
16h	Dawatagodellawattadeniya	do.	Field	0	1	28
16i	Dawatagodellawatta	do.	Garden	0	3	39

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 8, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,744, S. O.—On Friday, March 1, 1912, at 12 noon, the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement at Kamburupitiya, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Thirty-five allotments of land situated in the Gangaboda pattu division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 182.—Ganagama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
34a	Kajugahapitannewattahena	Otupitiye Mohottige Don Juvanis	Citronella	1	2	27
34b	Kanattewattahena	Wickramasingha Malawi Patirannage Don Tiyaadoris	Chena	1	3	26
38	Meegahawattahena	(1) Wanigasekera Arachchige Kiriana, (2) Dona Cecilia Wimalagunasekera	Citronella	2	3	10
38a	Gulugahahena	(1) Dona Cecilia Wimalagunasekera, (2) Peumajjacharige Babandrisa	Chena	0	2	38
44	Garalagoda	Andris Perera Hatarasinghe Senviratne, Police Officer of Ganagama	Citronella	6	1	20
44a	Garalagodawatta	do.	Garden	0	0	37
44b	Danpahalayakoratuwa	Galgamage Don Bastian of Ganagama	Citronella	0	3	13
50	Dunumadalagahatenna	Malwala Arachchige Don Abraham	do.	4	0	34
Block survey preliminary plan 513.—Narandeniya.						
11	Galwalagawahena	(1) Simon Bartholemeuz Wellapillai, (2) Samarasinha Gunasekara Liyanage Don Carolis	Citronella	20	2	30
11a	Galwalgawadeniya	Babanis de Silva Wellapuli	Field	0	0	14
11b	Galwalagawahena	(1) Simon Bartholemeuz Wellapillai, (2) Samarasinha Gunasekara Liyanage Don Carolis	Jungle	0	0	37
11c	Do.	do.	Citronella	0	0	4
11d	Diganeaddarahena	do.	Garden	0	0	15
11e	Galwalagawahena	do.	Citronella	25	2	34
12	Kahawattagodakoratuwa	Simon Bartholemeuz Wellapillai	Garden	0	0	27
13	Galwalagawahena	Simon Bartholemeuz Wellapillai and Samarasinha Gunasekara Liyanage Don Carolis	Citronella	0	1	28
13a	Galwalagawahenawatta	do.	Garden	0	1	1
13b	Do.	do.	Citronella	0	1	10
20	Wandurewatta	Don Nikulas Wadanambu	do.	4	2	13
22c	Lavallugahakoratuwa, Wattawatta, &c.	Endoris Dias Velappuli	do.	2	0	33
22g	Etaorawewatta	Gamachchige Juanis	do.	0	1	23
22k	Amunakanneaddarakoratuwa	S. B. Velappule, Vel-Vidane	do.	0	3	36
23	Lindagawawatta	(1) Vidanagamage Andris, (2) Endoris Dias Velappule	do.	1	1	28
25i	Samaragodawayawatta	The trustees of Gontenne temple	Garden	0	3	12
25j	Do.	do.	Citronella	0	2	39

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
25g	Liyanagahakoratuwa	Babanis de Silva Wellappulle	Citronella	1	0	10
25r	Kapukanatta	do.	do.	2	0	30
39b	Katumbuhena	Pahalage Edaya	Garden	0	1	20
55i	Nugagahahena	Abegoonewardene Vidanagamage Don Carolis	Citronella	0	2	3
59j	Bajamagewatta	do.	Garden	0	1	18
59k	Do.	do.	do.	0	2	18
63a	Ilukketiyawatta	(1) Don Peduru Liyanage Don Carolis, (2) Hewasuri-baddanage Don Henderick	Citronella	0	0	29
63b	Maragahakoratuwa	(1) Abeygoonewardene Vidanagamage Don Allis, (2) ditto Cornelis	do.	1	1	1
17	Gulugahahena	Pinwatliyanage Andiya	Chena	1	0	21
39e	Nuga-arehena..	Crown	Citronella	0	1	21*

* For lease.

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 9, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,745, S. O.—On Thursday, April 11, 1912, at 1 P.M., the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Naulla Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Six allotments of land situated in the Bogoda korale, Yatikinda division, of the Badulla District of the Province of Uva.

Block survey preliminary plan 174.—Dandugalla.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
47	Rambukhena	Crown, applied by Hastanayaka Mudiyanse- Hadukuma of Mahakapalle of Udumere	Chena	4	3	30
42	Kendagollahena	D. Kiri Banda, Ratemahatmaya, Sudu Banda, and others	do.	12	1	39
48	Rambukhenakele	Kahatawela Kiri Banda and Ratnayake Mudiyanse- lage Sudu Banda, Korala	Open chena	1	0	20
49	Rambukhena	do.	do.	0	1	30
50	Medakanduramukalana	Crown	Forest	1	0	13
51	Medakandurepatana	do.	Patana	16	0	20
72	Napier estate	do.	do.	1	0	13

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 13, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,746, S. O.—On Friday, April 12, 1912, at 10 A.M., the Land Settlement Officer will put up for sale or settlement, at Bandarawela Court-house, the under-mentioned portion of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. An allotment of land situated in the Mahapalata korale of the Udukinda division of the Badulla District of the Province of Uva.

Block survey preliminary plan 115.—Kahagolla.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
55ac	Galkandepatana	Crown, applied by Mr. T. B. Coombe of Kahagolla, Haputale	Patana	37	2	26

Upset price at Rs. 25 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 13, 1912.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

(Continued from page 21.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up for sale by public auction, at the Matara Kachcheri, at 1 P.M., on February 22, 1912, the under-mentioned land, situated in the Matara District. The highest bidder will be required to deposit one-fourth of the purchase amount in cash, the balance to be paid within one month after the date when the acceptance of the offer by Government is notified to the purchaser. The cost of preparing the Crown transfer will be paid by the purchaser.

Land referred to.

All that allotment of land called Maragahawattahena (lot 10,226 in preliminary plan 1,268), situate at Wilpita, on the Kamburupitiya-Akuressa District Road Committee road, in Gangaboda pattu of the Matara District, 5 miles from the Akuressa Resthouse, containing in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 6 perches. Upset price per acre, Rs. 50 without mining rights.

The Kachcheri,
Matara, January 12, 1911.

A. C. ALLNUTT,
Assistant Government Agent.

LAND ACQUISITION NOTICES.

HAVING been duly directed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, acting under the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Ordinance of 1876," section 6, to take order for the acquisition of the following land, required for a public purpose, namely, for the construction of the Chilaw Railway, to wit:—

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
1a	Pauper's place	Coconut garden, 2 coconut trees	St. Mary's Convent, Negombo	0	0	2.50

I hereby give public notice, as required by section 7, that the Government proposes to take possession of the land. All persons interested in the aforesaid land are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before me at the Colombo Kachcheri on February 12, 1912, at 12 noon, and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

Colombo Kachcheri,
January 17, 1912.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1911.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

COLOMBO DISTRICT.

Paddy: the paddy plants of the maha season are blossoming. Yala harvest nil.
Dry grain: nil.
Other products: the flowering prospects of coconuts are not very satisfactory. The average price of coconuts varies from Rs. 60 to Rs. 70 per 1,000 nuts. Fruits, such as pineapples and mangoes, are very scarce; oranges and jak are procurable.
Staple products: a bushel of imported rice is sold from Rs. 4 to Rs. 6.
Rainfall: there had been several good showers of rain during the month.
Harvest prospects: generally good.
Health of people: enteric fever, measles, chickenpox, and dysentery are on the increase.
Health of cattle: rinderpest prevailed in Hewagam korale to a very large extent. The disease is on the decrease now.

KALUTARA DISTRICT.

Paddy: the maha cultivation is thriving well.
Dry grain: nil.
Other products: (a) the supply of vegetables and dessert fruits was scanty; (b) the flowering of coconuts was good. The crop of coconuts for the month is estimated at 3,159,500 nuts.
Prices of staple products: rice, Rs. 5 to Rs. 7 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 50 to Rs. 80 per 1,000 nuts.
Remarks on harvest prospects generally: nothing can be said at present of the coming harvest.
Rainfall at Kalutara: total, 13.84 in.; average, 4.45 in.
Health of people: satisfactory, except for a few cases of dysentery, chickenpox, measles, and contagious fever mostly in the totamunes.
Health of cattle: there were a few cases of rinderpest in Rayigam korale and totamunes.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

KANDY DISTRICT.

Paddy, maha: paddy in crop. Yala: nil.
Dry grain, maha: kurakkan in crop. Yala: nil.
Rainfall: sufficient.
Prospect of the coconut crop: flowering, fair. Estimated produce for the month of December, 1911: Udunuwara, 60,720; Yatinuwara, 15,000; Tumpane, 15,000; Harispattu, 45,450; Uda Dumbara, 950. In other divisions crops are not ascertainable.
Prices of staple articles: paddy, Rs. 2 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 per bushel; rice, Rs. 6.25 per bushel; salt, Rs. 3 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 6 per 100.
Health of people: good.
Health of cattle: good.

MATALE DISTRICT.

Rainfall: 22.26 in.
Paddy: maha fields in plant and promising.
Dry grain: kurakkan chenas in plant and promising.
Coconut: (a) flowering good; (b) 116,800 nuts approximate crop.
Tanks in Matale North are full.
Health of people: good.
Health of cattle: good.
Prices: moderate.

NUWARA ELIYA DISTRICT.

Paddy: maha cultivation fields are being ploughed.
Dry grains: chenas have young plants that are growing in a healthy condition.
Health of population: good. There are a few cases of fever and chickenpox in Diyatileke korale of Uda Hewaheta.
Health of cattle: good.
Prices of staple articles: paddy, Rs. 2 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 and Rs. 2 per bushel; Indian corn, Rs. 2 per bushel; rice (Coast), Rs. 5 to Rs. 7.50 per bushel; rice (country), Rs. 4.50 to Rs. 5.50 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per 100 nuts.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

JAFFNA DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospect of a good harvest this year.
Dry grains: varaku, mondy, and kurakkan in ears; prospects good.
Other products: condition of flowers and nuts, moderate. Price, Rs. 8 per 100.
Tobacco: planting in progress.
Prices of staple articles: paddy, Rs. 2.12 per bushel; rice, Rs. 5.75 per bushel; pairu, Rs. 4.50 per bushel; varaku, Re. 1.75 per bushel; salt, 4 cents per lb. and 9 cents per measure.
Health of people: fever and dysentery prevail in some places.
Health of cattle: good.

MANNAR DISTRICT.

Weather: rainfall, 18.05 in.; maximum temperature, 84.8 in.; minimum temperature, 74.3 in. Direction of wind: north-east.

Agriculture—Paddy : sowing for the kalapokam has been much interfered with by the continuous rainfall since the beginning of the month, and in consequence of this and the shortage of cattle a considerable proportion of the available paddy land remains unsown. Two tanks in Metkumulai pattu are reported to have breached. Tobacco : gardens are being manured. Coconuts : flowering is just commencing after the drought. Palmyras : nil. Dry grains : in ear. The chenas have been damaged by rain and caterpillars.

Health of people : the inevitable outbreak of malarial fever of a severe type in consequence of the floods has commenced.

Health of cattle : normal.

Prices of food stuffs : rice, Rs. 5·50 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 8·50 per 100.

MULLAITTIVU DISTRICT.

Paddy—kalapokam cultivation : dry sowing is in ear, and mud sowing partly in ear and partly in young stage. Many tanks have breached during the recent heavy rains, and cultivation under some of them may fail for want of water. Dry grain : kurakkan in chenas are in ear. The prospects of the crop in Vavuniya North is unsatisfactory owing to the heavy rains.

Other products—coconuts : the trees have been flowering well. The estimated crop for the month was 102,975 nuts.

Prices of staple products : rice, Rs. 5 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2·25 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 per bushel ; elu, Rs. 8 per bushel ; kollu, Rs. 4 per bushel.

Rainfall : there has been an unusually heavy rainfall throughout the district during the month, and many houses and compounds and roads were flooded and many tanks breached.

Harvest prospects : doubtful.

Health of inhabitants : unsatisfactory. Fever was prevalent almost in all villages.

Health of cattle : good. Rinderpest was prevalent in Vavuniya South.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

GALE DISTRICT.

Maha crop is thriving.

The cultivation of dry grain is restricted.

Coconut, tea, cinnamon, and vegetables are general products. The prospects of coming crops of coconut are good. The estimated crop for the month is 3,001,087.

Coast rice, Rs. 4 to Rs. 5·50 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 40 to Rs. 50 per 1,000.

Rainfall of the month : generally wet.

There is no standing harvest to report upon.

Health of the inhabitants has been satisfactory. Dysentery, fever, and chickenpox prevailed in some parts of the district.

MATARA DISTRICT.

Weather : wet.

Agriculture : crops are looking well ; a fair harvest is expected.

Health of people : bad ; fever is very prevalent, nearly universal in some localities.

Health of cattle : there were 14 cases of rinderpest (and there are contacts) in Wellaboda pattu, and one solitary case in Kandaboda pattu.

Food supply : rice, Rs. 4 to Rs. 6 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2·25 per bushel ; fine grain, Re. 1·50 to Rs. 2·50 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 4 to Rs. 12 per 100.

HAMBANTOTA DISTRICT.

Paddy cultivation : fields are being cultivated for pasumaha.

Fine grain : crops on chenas are ripe and ready to be reaped.

Weather : maximum temperature, 84·1° ; minimum temperature, 73·3° ; rainfall, 9·56 in.

Health of people : fever is prevailing to a great extent in the district.

Health of cattle : there were a few cases of rinderpest during the month.

Prices : country rice, Rs. 5 per bushel ; Coast rice, Rs. 5 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2·25 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2·25 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 60 per 1,000 ; plantains, Rs. 50 per 100 bunches ; Indian corn, Rs. 2 per 100 ; pumpkins, Rs. 20 per 100 ; sweet potatoes, Rs. 2 per cwt. About 300,000 coconuts were picked during the month.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

BATTICALOA DISTRICT.

Paddy : munmari cultivation generally in the plant stage, in some places in ear.

Other grain and products : chena produce is being gathered. Coconut trees flourishing, and prospects good.

Public health : fever, cold, and cough prevail in the district.

Cattle disease : rinderpest has broken out in Akkarai pattu.

Paddy, Rs. 2·25 per bushel.

Rainfall : 22·15 in. in 1910 ; 32·63 in. in 1911.

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT.

Rainfall : excessive.

Paddy—munmari cultivation : plants growing.

Tobacco : planting.

Coconuts : (i.) condition of crop, good ; (ii.) actual crop, 8,000.

Health of people : fever prevails owing to wet weather. Few cases of chickenpox in town.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Prices of staple articles : paddy, Rs. 2·10 per bushel ; imported rice, Rs. 5·04 per bushel ; local rice, Rs. 4 to Rs. 4·75 per bushel. In Kaddukkulam West—paddy, Re. 1·25 per bushel ; rice, Rs. 3·75 per bushel.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

KURUNEGALA DISTRICT.

Paddy : crops are partly earing and partly young ; prospects are good generally.

Fine grain : earing and maturing ; prospects fair.

Flowering and prospects of coconuts : fair.

Rainfall : heavy rain.

Health of people : fever is prevailing in Wannai, Dewamedi, and Katugampola hatpattus. Fair in other hatpattus.

Health of cattle : fair. Rinderpest is prevailing in Wannai, Dewamedi, and Katugampola hatpattus.

Tanks : full.

PUTTALAM AND CHILAW DISTRICTS.

Paddy : maha cultivation is growing well.
 Dry grain : dry grain sown for maha is in good condition.
 Other products, including coconuts : flowering and prospects of coconuts are not satisfactory. The crop in the two districts is estimated at 14,793,280 nuts. Galas are being prepared for tobacco cultivation.
 Prices of staple products : rice, Rs. 4 to Rs. 6.25 per bushel ; paddy, Re. 1.75 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel ; dry grain, Re. 1 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel ; cassava, Re. 1 per cwt. ; coconuts, 5 to 10 cents per nut ; salt, 4 to 10 cents per lb.
 Rainfall of the month : Puttalam, 17.15 in. ; Chilaw, 8.05 in.
 Harvest prospects generally : fair in both the districts.
 Health of inhabitants : malarial fever is prevailing in both districts. Usual parangi in Demala hatpattu.
 Health of cattle : there is hoof-and-mouth disease in Pitigal Korale North.

NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.

ANURADHAPURA DISTRICT.

Weather : wet. The rainfall during the month registered at Anuradhapura was 21.21 in.
 Cultivation : paddy fields are being ploughed and sown. Kurakkan cultivations are earing. There has been no gingelly cultivation. The estimated crop of coconuts during the month is 19,800.
 Health of people was satisfactory, except on Tamankaduwa, where fever was prevailing.
 Health of cattle : rinderpest was prevailing in some villages.
 Village tanks : all the tanks were full.

PROVINCE OF UVA.

BADULLA DISTRICT.

Weather : generally wet.
 Paddy : fields have been sown for yala.
 Chenas : chenas have been sown.
 Fruits and vegetables : scarce and dear.
 Other products : the flowering and prospects of the coconut are fair.
 Health of the people : satisfactory, except for a few cases of fever, mumps, and sore-eyes.
 Health of cattle : rinderpest exists in Kandukara korale in Buttala division and Dambegalla korale in Wellassa division.
 Prices of staple products : rice, varies from Rs. 6.50 to Rs. 7 per bushel ; kurakkan, from Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel ; coconuts, from Rs. 8 to Rs. 10 per 100 nuts.
 Rainfall : 25.29 in. as registered at the observatory.

PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

RATNAPURA DISTRICT.

Paddy : yala crop has been gathered in, and the fields cultivated for the maha are blossoming in most parts of the district.
 Dry grain : the el-chenas are ready for harvesting. The kurakkan crop has been reaped in some parts of the district. In others they are in young plants.
 Other products : coconut crop is poor.
 Health of people : satisfactory, except in certain parts of Kadawata, Meda, and Kolonna korales, where fever and dysentery were prevalent to some extent.
 Health of cattle : rinderpest is prevailing at Kuruwita, Kendangomuwa, and Hidellana in Kuruwiti korale, and Ketetenna in Nawadun korale.
 Rainfall : the rainfall was plentiful, and more than usual for December in previous years.
 Prices of food stuffs : rice (imported), Rs. 5 to Rs. 7.50 per bushel ; rice (country), Rs. 4 to Rs. 5.50 per bushel ; el-wi, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 per bushel ; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2 per bushel ; amu, 75 cents to Re. 1.50 per bushel ; meneri, Re. 1.50 to Re. 1.75 per bushel ; salt, 10 to 14 cents per lb. ; salt fish, 30 to 80 cents per lb. ; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 per 100.

KEGALLA DISTRICT.

[Report not received.]

SALES OF ARRACK, TOLL, AND OTHER RENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent for the Southern Province will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the under-mentioned Toll Rents of the Southern Province from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes superscribed "Tender for Toll Rents," will be received at the Galle Kachcheri until 1 P.M. on Tuesday, February 20, 1912, when they will be opened, and all persons making tender will be required to be present, or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is *bona fide*. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to the Governor will be required to deposit at once one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash ; and should the tender be accepted by His Excellency the Governor for furnished approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount, or in cash for one-third of the whole purchase amount, within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer.

4. If security be given in cash, the amount deposited on the day of sale shall be allowed to count as part of the four months' rent which the purchaser has to deposit as security. If, however, security be given in land, the cash deposit

shall be retained as security additional to the landed property mortgaged with the Government Agent, and shall be hypothecated with it.

5. He will further be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Counsel for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of the properties tendered by him as security, and for examining and settling the security bond, and the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond.

6. He will be further required to exhibit a red light on both sides of the toll bar visible at a distance of 100 yards.

7. All title deeds tendered as security should be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they relate are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party offering the security. Further information can be obtained on application to the Government Agent.

GOVERNMENT TOLL.

Galle District.

The ferry toll at Halpatota.
 The ferry toll at Dodangoda.

Galle Kachcheri,
 January 10, 1912.

F. MARSHALL,
 for Government Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, January 29, 1912, at 2 P.M., the Government Agent of the Southern Province will put up for re-sale by public auction, at the risk of the original purchaser, the under-mentioned Toll Rent of the Southern Province, from February 1, 1912, to June 30, 1912, the original purchaser of which may have failed on or before that date to pay the instalment for November, 1911:—

Halpatota Ferry.

The purchaser must deposit one-tenth of the purchase amount on the day of sale in cash, and deposit one month's rent in advance until the completion of the security bond.

Galle Kachcheri,
January 10, 1912.

W. T. STACE,
for Government Agent.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Talawatuhenpita South, in Siyane Korale West, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area—bounded on the north by Galedanda, east by Talawatuhenpita North and Gonawala, west by Kelaniya, south by Kelani-ganga—is infected in terms of section 5, sub-section (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from January 8, 1912.

The Kachcheri, R. G. SAUNDERS,
Colombo, January 10, 1912. for Government Agent.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Talahena, in Hewagama korale, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area—bounded on the north and east by Milleriyawa tank, south by Talangama, north-west by Himbutana—is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from January 6, 1912.

The Kachcheri, C. W. BICKMORE,
Colombo, January 9, 1912. for Government Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned areas declared infected under section 5 of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909 and proclaimed in *Government Gazette* are now free from cattle disease.

The Kachcheri, C. W. BICKMORE,
Colombo, January 9, 1912. for Government Agent.

Village.	Date of Proclamation.
Hokandara South	December 8, 1911.
Kosgama Ihala	December 8, 1911
Bomeriya Ihala	December 15, 1911

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Ragama under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and proclaimed in *Gazette* dated November 24, 1911, is now free from cattle disease.

The Kachcheri, C. W. BICKMORE,
Colombo, January 16, 1912. for Government Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Maha Aruggoda under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and proclaimed in *Gazette* dated December 22, 1911, is now free from cattle disease.

The Kachcheri, G. F. PLANT,
Kalutara, January 9, 1912. Assistant Government Agent.

IT is hereby notified that the proclamation under section 7 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, dated January 9, 1912, declaring certain portions of roads in the Central Province as closed owing to an outbreak of surra disease, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 12th instant, is extended with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor for a further period of fifteen days from January 19, 1912.

G. S. SAXTON,
Kandy, January 12, 1912. Government Agent.

WHEREAS by a notice dated December 29, 1911, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,482 of January 5, 1912, under section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, the village of Baberenda North, in Wellaboda pattu, was declared to be an infected area: It is hereby declared under section 7 (1) of the said Ordinance that that portion of the Ratmale-Dikwella Village Committee road between Ratmale junction with the minor road and the village boundary of Wehella within the said infected area is closed to all cattle traffic for ten days from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, A. C. ALLNUTT,
Matara, January 12, 1912. Assistant Government Agent.

WHEREAS by a proclamation dated March 29, 1911, a portion of Magul Otota korale in Wannihattapattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, was declared to be an infected area: It is hereby declared under section 5 (5) of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909 that the said portion specified in the said proclamation is free from disease, and is no longer an infected area.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, ARTHUR LEGGE,
January 9, 1912. for Government Agent.

FRANK BARTLETT, Government Agent, North-Central Province, do hereby declare, under section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that rinderpest exists in the Kandu tulana of Kanadara korale, and proclaim that the said Kandu tulana is an infected area.

Boundaries.—The boundaries of the revenue division of Kandu tulana in Kanadara korale.

Anuradhapura Kachcheri, F. BARTLETT,
January 9, 1912. Government Agent.

BY virtue of powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Ordinance, No. 25 of 1909, it is hereby proclaimed that the minor roads from Tanamalwila to Hambegamuwa and Tanamalwila to Sittarama and Kataragama are closed for cart and animal traffic for a period of ten days.

The notice to take effect from January 10, 1912.

The Kachcheri, H. E. NEWNHAM,
Badulla, January 10, 1912. for Government Agent.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Kendangonuwa Ihalagama, in the Palle pattu of Kuruwiti korale of the Ratnapura District, Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area within the boundaries hereafter described is an infected area in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

Boundaries.

North by Dorakumburuwelyaya.
East by road to Ambanoluwa pansala.
South by Wekedakele and Ambanoluwakanda.
West by footpath to Moragala Kammalgoda and boundary of Bulugahapitiya.

This declaration shall take effect from January 16, 1912.

Ratnapura Kachcheri, G. S. WOODMAN,
January 16, 1912. for Government Agent.

Sale of Ebony and Palai.

A UCTION sale of the under-mentioned Ebony and Palai logs will be held at the Central Timber Depôt, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Monday, February 26, 1912, at 7.30 A.M. :—

Quantity offered for Sale.

Ebony.		Tons cwt. qr. lb.	
Kurunegala	.. 84 logs containing	23	14 2 17
Matale	.. 4 "	2	11 3 11
Total	.. 88	Tons	.. 26 6 2 0
Palai.			
Trincomalee	.. 2 logs containing	55.70 cubic feet.	

No. of Log.	Length.	Girth.	Weight.	Total.	Soundness of Log.	Blackness of Wood.	Lot No.
	Ft. in.	Ft. in.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.			
Ebony. <i>Kurunegala.</i>							
52	13 8	7 4	1 11 3 24	1 11 3 24	Sound	Black	2
165	15 5	2 3	0 3 2 22				
194	19 3	1 10	0 3 3 10				
191	23 0	2 0	0 5 1 17	0 12 3 21	do.	do.	3
180	15 9	2 0	0 3 0 16				
115	14 3	2 7	0 4 2 18				
171	17 0	1 11	0 2 1 24				
179	14 6	2 5	0 3 3 20				
182	12 9	1 9	0 1 2 16				
184	13 10	2 2	0 3 0 0	0 18 3 10	Unsound	do.	4
138	14 2	1 10	0 2 3 0				
196	13 9	2 1	0 2 3 12				
157	13 9	2 1	0 2 2 16				
137	13 2	2 10	0 4 2 0				
118	14 3	2 0	0 2 2 16				
163	14 3	2 8	0 4 1 4	0 19 2 20	Partly unsound	do.	5
123	12 3	3 0	0 5 1 4				
148	12 9	2 8	0 4 1 16	0 9 2 20	Sound	do.	6
132	12 9	3 4	0 6 2 3				
70	13 9	3 10	0 8 3 14				
153	14 0	3 7	0 8 2 14				
61	15 3	3 9	0 7 3 4	1 11 3 7	do.	do.	7
113	14 3	3 2	0 6 1 0	0 6 1 0	Unsound	do.	8
152	12 6	4 4	0 9 0 20	0 9 0 20	Sound	do.	9
<i>Matale.</i>							
10	15 0	3 2	0 8 3 0	0 8 3 0	Sound	Slightly figured	190
4	21 4	4 4	1 0 0 7	1 0 0 7	do.	Figured	196
9	21 3	2 10	0 7 1 4	0 7 1 4	do.	Black	198
2	17 3	4 4	0 15 3 0	0 15 3 0	Slightly unsound	Slightly figured	199
<i>Kurunegala.</i>							
271	12 0	1 9	0 1 2 7				
1418	14 8	1 9	0 2 1 0				
1402	13 0	1 8	0 1 3 21				
1552	14 2	2 2	0 3 0 14				
1584	15 0	1 10	0 2 2 0				
X 12	13 8	2 1	0 3 1 0	0 14 2 14	Sound	Black	162

No. of Log.	Length.	Girth.	Weight.	Total.	Soundness of Log.	Blackness of Wood.	Lot No.
	Ft. in.	Ft. in.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.			
<i>Kurunegala.</i>							
1053	15 6	2 0	0 3 0 7				
1553	11 8	2 6	0 2 3 14				
1692	15 3	1 9	0 2 0 2				
1818	12 4	2 4	0 3 1 7				
1884	15 0	2 3	0 2 3 21				
X 5	14 1	2 7	0 4 0 7				
X 13	12 7	2 5	0 4 2 0				
X 17	16 4	1 10	0 2 2 12	1 5 1 14	Sound	Black	165.
817	13 2	2 10	0 5 0 14				
933	13 5	3 0	0 4 2 14				
1425	14 6	3 1	0 6 2 7				
1561	15 9	3 2	0 7 1 14				
X 4	17 10	2 10	0 6 2 0	1 10 0 21	do.	do.	167.
1352	13 10	4 2	0 9 0 7	0 9 0 7	Slightly unsound	do.	169.
1207	13 3	3 3	0 7 0 4				
1326	14 9	2 10	0 6 3 10				
1852	9 10	3 2	0 4 0 14	0 18 0 0	do.	do.	203.
1201	15 7	3 9	0 6 3 0				
1388	17 6	2 11	0 9 0 21				
1547	18 9	3 4	0 10 3 14				
2009	14 10	3 5	0 4 1 12				
2045	13 10	3 2	0 5 3 20				
2152	11 2	3 5	0 4 0 24	2 1 1 7	do.	do.	204.
X 45	16 10	2 4	0 4 2 18				
1143	13 10	2 6	0 3 2 24				
1331	15 3	2 9	0 5 2 10				
1381	14 6	2 0	0 2 3 8				
1480	15 9	2 3	0 4 1 0				
1716	15 6	1 10	0 2 2 10				
1773	14 3	2 2	0 3 2 21	1 7 1 7	Sound	do.	205.
X 29	22 3	2 4	0 3 3 16				
X 34	16 0	2 3	0 3 2 14				
X 43	8 3	2 5	0 2 2 7				
1775	19 4	1 11	0 2 3 0				
1866	16 0	3 5	0 6 3 14				
2096	14 6	2 6	0 4 2 0				
2113	17 7	2 6	0 3 3 3				
2143	16 3	2 4	0 4 3 2	1 12 3 0	do.	do.	206
1548	14 3	3 9	0 11 2 7	0 11 2 7	do.	do.	214
1209	13 5	5 9	0 16 3 14	0 16 3 14	Slightly unsound	do.	216
X 67	15 3	3 10	0 9 1 0				
1333	12 6	4 0	0 8 1 0				
1423	14 0	3 5	0 9 0 7				
1624	13 3	3 9	0 6 2 0				
1673	11 0	3 9	0 6 2 0	1 19 2 7	Unsound	do.	1A
X 61	13 3	4 3	0 10 1 14				
X 64	12 6	3 10	0 8 0 20				
1441	13 6	4 4	0 10 2 8	1 9 0 14	do.	do.	10A
1560	9 8	6 1	0 12 3 0	0 12 3 0	do.	do.	12A

No. of Log.	Length.	Girth.	Weight.	Total.	Soundness of Log.	Blackness of Wood.	Lot No.
<i>Kurunegala.</i>	Ft. in.	Ft. in.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.			
X 63	13 9	2 3	0 3 0 9				
1592	12 9	3 0	0 4 0 7				
1745	16 9	2 9	0 6 1 20				
1760	14 3	3 6	0 6 2 7				
1808	14 6	2 9	0 5 2 20	1 5 3 7	Slightly unsound	Black	17A
<i>Pala</i>			Cubic Feet.	Cubic Feet.			
Trincomalee	15 0	5 2	25.02		—	—	34
	15 9	5 7	30.68	55.70	—	—	35

Conditions of the Sale of Ebony.

1. Ebony will be put up for sale at a rate per ton, and bids not less than Rs. 5 at a time will be accepted.
2. Any person to whom a lot is knocked down must pay at once 25 per cent. of the value of the timber if required, and the balance within twenty days from date of sale. On failure of payment within the time prescribed, the timber will be re-sold at the risk of the original purchasers, and if the price realized at the second sale is less than what was originally offered, the purchaser will be liable for the difference.
3. All lots to be paid for on scale weights, but buyers can have the right of giving notice, before the expiration of the date of payment, of having the actual weight ascertained. Should the difference between the scale weight and the weight ascertained, after re-weighing, be more than 1½ per cent., the cost of re-weighing to be borne by the Forest Department, if within 1½ per cent. by the purchaser; any difference between the scale weight and weight ascertained, after re-weighing, to be paid or allowed for, as the case may be.
4. Should two or more purchasers desire to re-weigh their timber on the same day, precedence will be given to the buyer whose notification of intention to re-weigh reaches the Assistant Conservator of Forests first.
5. All timber should be removed from the depôt within twenty days from date of sale.
6. Purchasers if called upon shall sign the sale book kept for that purpose.
7. All lots will be at the risk of the purchasers from the time of sale.

Central Timber Depôt,
Colombo, January 11, 1912.

G. D. TEMPLER,
Assistant Conservator of Forests.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received for the purchase of the following Arrack Rent from February 10 to June 30, 1912:—

Kalutara.

The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes super-scribed "Tender for Arrack Rent," will be received at the Council Chamber until 12.30 P.M. on Thursday, January 25, 1912, when the tenders will be opened by the Board. All persons making tenders will be required to be present either in person or by some duly accredited agents. The rent will be re-sold on the date fixed, if the original purchasers thereof do not in the meantime pay the arrears of instalments.

The person whose tender is selected will be required to deposit at once one month's rent as tendered by him in cash; and should the tender be accepted by His Excellency the Governor to furnish approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount, or one-third of the whole purchase amount in cash, within fifteen days of the date of receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer.

If deeds are tendered as security, the one-twelfth cash security will be retained till the rents are closed.

The person whose tender is selected will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Counsel for examining and giving his opinion on title deeds of properties tendered by him as security, and for examining documents and drawing the security bond, and also the expenses of appraising the properties, together with the necessary stamp duty.

All title deeds tendered as security should be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they relate are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party offering the security.

Further particulars as to the conditions can be obtained on application to the Colombo Kachcheri.

Colombo Kachcheri,
January 4, 1912.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent,

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received for the purchase of the following Arrack Rent from February 1 to June 30, 1912:—

Four Korales, Kegalla District, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes super-scribed "Tender for Arrack Rent," will be received at the Council Chamber until 12.30 P.M. on Thursday, January 25, 1912, when the tenders will be opened by the Board. All persons making tenders will be required to be present either in person or by some duly accredited agents. The rent will be re-sold on the date fixed, if the renter does not in the meantime pay up the arrears of rent due by him.

The person whose tender is selected will be required to deposit at once a month's rent as tendered by him in cash; and should the tender be accepted by His Excellency the Governor to furnish approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount in title deeds of property, or one-third of the whole purchase amount in cash, within fifteen days of the date of receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer.

If deeds are tendered as security, the one-twelfth cash security will be retained till the rent is closed.

The person whose tender is selected will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Counsel for examining and giving his opinion on title deeds of properties tendered by him as security, and for examining documents and drawing the security bond, and also the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond.

All title deeds tendered as security should be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they relate are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party offering security.

Further particulars as to the conditions can be obtained on application to the Ratnapura Kachcheri.

Ratnapura Kachcheri,
January 8, 1912.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Government Agent.

WHEREAS rinderpest has appeared in the town of Talawakele, I, Richard Arthur Grindal Festing, Assistant Government Agent for the Nuwara Eliya District, declare Talawakele an infected area, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, with effect from January 16, 1912; and the road leading from the Lindula-Dimbula main road towards the bridge over the river is closed for cattle traffic as far as the turn to the goods sheds.

Limits of the Town of Talawakele.

In length along the road from Kotagala to Lindula between the 23rd and 24th mileposts, and in breadth 100 yards on each side of the side road within the said limits; and along the road from Watagoda to Talawakele from the Holyrood bridge over the Agra-oya to the junction with the Kotagala-Lindula road, and in breadth 100 yards on each side between the said limits.

R. A. G. FESTING,
The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Nuwara Eliya, January 16, 1912.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Ketetenna, in the Uda pattu of Nawadun korale of the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area within the boundaries hereafter described is an infected area in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

Boundaries.

North by Karandaketiya rubber estate, east by Lelwala bridge, south by Kapuhentota rubber estate, west by Galuluwassahena and culvert.

This declaration shall take effect from January 12, 1912.

Ratnapura Kachcheri, G. S. WOODMAN,
January 12, 1912. for Government Agent.

I HEREBY give notice that cattle disease (rinderpest) exists in Kandapelelle of Gampahasiya pattu in Matale South, and declare the said place within the limits specified below to be an infected area under the provisions of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, section 5 (1), from this date.

Limits of Kandapelelle.

North : Baluanduwa-ela.
East : Waradamun wasama.
South : Walliwela-ela.
West : Lewakanda in Matale North estate.

The Kachcheri, W. T. SOUTHERN,
Matale, January 16, 1912. Assistant Government Agent