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### UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF CARSON AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "CARSON AND COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company will be situate in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
  - (a) To acquire and carry on as a going concern the business of merchants and commission agents now carried on by Messrs. Carson & Co. at Colombo, Ceylon, and all or any part of the assets and goodwill of that business, and with a view thereto to enter into and carry out, with such modifications as may be agreed upon either before or after execution, the agreement referred to in Article 4 of the Company's Articles of Association.
  - (b) To carry on the business of planters, cultivators, sellers, and dealers in tea, cacao, rubber, gutta percha, and other tropical crops, and to manufacture, dispose of, sell, and deal in products of tea, cacao, rubber, gutta percha, and other tropical crops.
  - (c) To act as directors, secretaries, consignees, and commercial agents of any company or companies carrying on business or owning property or estates of any kind in Ceylon or elsewhere in the East, or to undertake any or all of these duties concurrently.
  - (d) To act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, and improvement, development and management of property, including business concerns and undertakings, and generally to transact all kinds of agency business, whether in respect of agricultural, commercial, or financial matters.
  - (e) To seek for and secure openings for the employment of capital in Ceylon and elsewhere in the East, and with a view thereto to prospect, inquire, examine, explore, and test, and to despatch and employ expeditions, commissioners, experts, and other agents.
  - (f) To purchase, take on lease, or otherwise acquire and deal in immovable and movable property of all kinds, and any interests therein, including reversions, mortgages, charges, annuities, patents, licenses, policies, book debts, investments, and claims of every kind.
  - (g) To carry on business as financiers, and to act as financial adviser, and to facilitate and encourage the creation, issue, or conversion of debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations, shares, stocks, and securities, and to act as trustees in connection with any such securities, and to take part in the conversions of business concerns and undertakings.

- (h) To acquire the goodwill, property, and assets, and to assume the liabilities of any other company, partnership, or person carrying on business which this Company is authorized to carry on, and undertake the winding up of any such company or partnership.
- (j) To manufacture, buy, sell, repair, alter, improve, manipulate, treat, and deal in all kinds of goods, wares, and merchandise, plant, machinery, apparatus, appliances, tools, utensils, products, materials, substances, articles, and things necessary or useful in carrying on any of the above businesses or operations, or usually dealt in by persons or companies engaged therein.
- (k) To make, build, construct, provide, maintain, improve, carry on, use, and work in any parts of the world, roads, ways, railways, tramways, telegraphs, telephones, electric light, canals, reservoirs, waterworks, wells, aqueducts, water-courses, furnaces, gasworks, piers, wharves, docks, saw and other mills, hydraulic works, factories, warehouses, boats, and other works and buildings which may be deemed expedient for the purposes of the Company, and to contribute to the cost of making, building, constructing, providing, carrying on, using, and working the same.
- (l) To apply for or acquire by purchase or otherwise for the business of the Company in any parts of the world any factories, buildings, mills, plant, engines, machinery, patents, patent rights, secret processes, or other things, British, Colonial, or foreign, licenses, concessions, and the like conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Company, and to use, exercise, develop, or grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, or information so acquired, and to make, assist, or subsidize experiments, researches, investigations, expeditions, or voyages of discovery that may appear to be likely to benefit the Company.
- (m) To carry on any other business or businesses whatsoever and wheresoever which may in the opinion of the Board of the Company be conveniently carried on in connection with any business which the Company is authorized to carry on or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the Company's properties or rights, and to transact any or every description of agency, commission, commercial, manufacturing, mercantile, and financial business.
- (n) To promote any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring or undertaking all or any of the property, assets, and liabilities of this Company, or of advancing directly or indirectly the objects or interests thereof, and to take and otherwise acquire and hold shares in any such company or companies, and to guarantee the payment of any debentures or other securities issued by any such company or companies.
- (o) To purchase, subscribe for, underwrite, take, or otherwise acquire and hold, sell, mortgage, and deal in shares, stock, options, bonds, debentures, debenture stock, or obligations in any other company or corporation, or of any Government or State.
- (p) To amalgamate with, or enter into partnership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, joint adventure, reciprocal concession, or co-operation with any person or company carrying on or about to carry on any business, occupation, or enterprise which this Company is authorized to enter into, undertake, or carry on, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or securities in any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same.
- (q) To sell, let on lease, exchange, or dispose of all or any part of the undertaking, property, assets, and rights of the Company for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (r) To distribute any of the properties of the Company, whether upon a distribution of assets or a division of profits, among the members in specie or otherwise.
- (s) To draw, make, accept, endorse, execute, and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, charter parties, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (t) To lend, invest, and deal with moneys of the Company not immediately required in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (u) To receive money and securities on deposit at interest or otherwise.
- (v) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit, and in particular by mortgage or charge and (or) by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or other securities with or without a mortgage or charge upon all or any of the Company's property or assets (either present or future), including its uncalled capital, and to purchase, redeem, and pay off any such securities, and to issue any such securities for such consideration or purpose as may be thought fit.
- (w) To guarantee the payment or performance of any debts, contracts, or obligations, and to accept property on trust, and to act as trustee and executor, administrator, liquidator, receiver, attorney, or director either gratuitously or otherwise.
- (x) To pay all expenses incident to the formation or promotion of this or any other company, and to remunerate any person or company for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place or guaranteeing the placing of any of the shares in or debentures or other securities of the Company, or in or about the promotion, formation, or business of the Company, or of any other company promoted wholly or in part by this Company.
- (y) To establish and support or aid in the establishment and support of associations, institutions, funds, trusts, and conveniences calculated to benefit any of the employes or ex-employes of the Company, or its predecessors in business, or the dependants or connections of such persons, and to grant pensions and allowances, and to make payments towards insurance, and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public, general, or useful object.
- (z) To sell, exchange, improve, manage, develop, lease, mortgage, charge, dispose of, turn to account or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property, assets, and rights of the Company.
- (aa) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in the United Kingdom, any British Colony, Protectorate or Dependency, or in any Foreign State, and to enter into any arrangements with any governments or authorities, supreme, provincial, municipal, local, or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects, or any of them, and to obtain from any such government or authority any rights, privileges, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (bb) To do all or any of the above things in any parts of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees, or otherwise, and by trustees, sub-contractors, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others.

- (cc) To do all such other things as are incidental to, or connected with, any of the above objects, or conducive to the attainment thereof, or otherwise likely in any respect to be advantageous to the Company, and in case of doubt as to what shall be so incidental, connected, conducive, or advantageous as aforesaid, the decision of an Extraordinary General Meeting shall be conclusive.

And it is hereby declared that the word "Company" in this clause, except where used in reference to this Company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated and whether domiciled in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere; and, further, that the objects specified in each paragraph in this clause shall, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be in nowise limited or restricted by reference to, or inference from, any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The original capital of the Company is Rs. 1,000,000, divided into 19,970 cumulative preference shares of Rs. 50 each, entitled to the preferential payment of dividend and return of capital mentioned in the Articles of Association registered herewith, and 1,500 management shares of Re. 1 each, and each of such management shares is to confer on the holders thereof, rateably and in proportion to the number of said shares held by them respectively, the rights following, that is to say:—

- (1) The right to all the profits or other moneys of the Company available for dividend which it shall from time to time be determined to distribute, and which shall remain in each year after making such provision as the Directors shall think fit for reserve or depreciation and after paying or providing for the payment out of such profits or other moneys (a) of the remuneration payable to the Directors for that year under the Articles of Association of the Company for the time being, (b) of a cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the capital paid up on such of the said preference shares as shall have been issued, and (c) of a dividend for such year at such rate not exceeding 7 per cent. per annum as may be attached to any further shares whether in the original or any increased capital hereafter issued.
- (2) The right to the surplus assets which in a winding up of the Company shall remain after paying off the whole of the Company's paid up capital and any arrears of preference dividend.

The rights, privileges, and advantages attaching to the original capital shall only be varied, altered, or modified in the manner and subject to the conditions mentioned and contained in the Articles of Association registered herewith, and the rights conferred on Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby respectively by Articles 92 to 95 of the said Articles of Association shall not be varied, modified, or altered in any manner without the consent in writing of the said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby or such one of them as may be affected by such variation, modification, or alteration.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.	
	Preference.	Management.
W. SHAKSPEARE (by his attorney H. C. BIBBY), Colombo ..	One	—
H. C. BIBBY, Colombo .. .. .	One	—
G. LIONEL COX, Colombo .. .. .	One	—
A. WARDEN (by his attorney H. C. BIBBY), Colombo ..	One	—
JEAN SHAKSPEARE (by her attorney H. C. BIBBY), Colombo ..	One	—
K. M. F. BIBBY (by her attorney H. C. BIBBY), Colombo ..	One	—
A. PELLY FRY, Colombo .. .. .	One	—
L. DES CLAYES, Colombo .. .. .	One	—
W. S. THORNTON, Colombo .. .. .	One	—
I. ROBSON, Colombo .. .. .	One	—
Total number of Shares taken ..	Ten	—

Witness to the signatures of W. SHAKSPEARE, H. C. BIBBY, G. LIONEL COX, A. WARDEN, JEAN SHAKSPEARE, K. M. F. BIBBY, A. PELLY FRY, L. DES CLAYES, W. S. THORNTON, and I. ROBSON, at Colombo, this 29th day of November, 1913.

LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF CARSON AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows:—

1. The regulations contained in 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.

#### INTERPRETATION.

2. In these presents the words standing in the first column of the table next hereinafter contained shall bear the meanings set opposite to them respectively in the second column thereof, if not inconsistent with the subject or context:—

Words.	Meanings.
The Company	.. "Carson and Company, Limited," incorporated by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.
The Ordinance	.. "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861 to 1909," and every other Ordinance for the time being in force concerning joint stock companies and affecting the Company.

Words.	Meanings.
Special Resolution ..	The meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.
Extraordinary Resolution ..	A resolution passed at a separate General Meeting by three-fourths in value of such Shareholders of the Company or of such Shareholders of the class or group affected for the time being entitled to vote as may be present at any such meeting of which notice specifying an intention to propose such resolution has been duly given.
These presents ..	These Articles of Association and the regulations of the Company from time to time in force.
Office ..	The registered office for the time being of the Company.
Register ..	The Register of Members to be kept pursuant to section 19 of "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861."
Board ..	The Directors for the time being of the Company,
Seal ..	The common seal of the Company.
Original Capital ..	The capital specified in the Memorandum of Association of the Company.
Month ..	Calendar month.
Auditors ..	The Auditors for the time being of the Company.

"Present personally" or "Present in person" shall wherever used in these presents (except in Articles 67 and 73 hereof) be deemed to include the meaning "present by attorney under the provisions of Article 90 hereof."

"In writing" and "written" include printing, lithography, and other modes of representing or reproducing words in a visible form.

Dividend includes bonus.

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

Words importing the masculine gender only shall include the feminine gender, and

Words importing persons shall include corporations.

3. Subject to the preceding Article, any words defined in the Ordinance shall, if not inconsistent with the subject or context, bear the same meaning in these presents.

#### PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT.

4. The Company shall forthwith enter into and carry into effect, with or without modification, an agreement with Messrs. Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby and George Lionel Cox (so far as his estate or interest in the said business and the assets thereof extends) in terms of the draft, a copy whereof has for the purposes of identification been endorsed with the signature of Leslie William Frederick de Saram, a Proctor of the Supreme Court, and the Board shall forthwith carry the same into effect, with full power, nevertheless, from time to time, to agree to any modification of the terms thereof, either before or after the execution thereof. The basis on which the Company is established is that the Company shall carry the said agreement into effect, subject to such modifications, if any, as aforesaid, and accordingly no objection shall be made to the said agreement by the Company or by any member, creditor, or liquidator thereof, upon the ground that any vendors, agents, or other persons interested therein are to be first Directors of the Company, or as vendors, promoters agents, or otherwise stand in a fiduciary position towards the Company, or that there is in the circumstances no independent Board of the Company, and any Directors of the Company who are interested therein shall be respectively entitled to retain and dispose of for their own use all benefits (if any) accruing to them directly or indirectly under or by virtue of the said agreement or of any other agreements in connection therewith, and the said agreement when executed with or without modification shall not be liable to be set aside on any such grounds as aforesaid, or upon any ground in anywise connected therewith, and every member of the Company present and future shall be deemed to have full notice of the contents of the said agreement and to sanction the same and to agree to be bound thereby or by any such modification thereof as aforesaid, and to join the Company on the basis aforesaid.

#### BUSINESS.

5. The business of the Company may, subject to the provisions of the Ordinance, be commenced as soon as the Board thinks fit.

6. Subject as aforesaid, any branch or kind of business which by the Memorandum of Association of the Company, or by these presents, is either expressly or by implication authorized to be undertaken by the Company may be undertaken by the Board at such time or times as they shall think fit, and further suffered by them to be in abeyance, whether such branch or kind of business may have been actually commenced or not, so long as the Board may deem it expedient not to commence or proceed with such branch or kind of business.

7. The Board shall not employ the funds of the Company or any part thereof in the purchase of or in loans upon the security of the shares of the Company.

#### SHARES.

8. The original capital of the Company shall be divided into 19,970 preference shares of Rs. 50 each and 1,500 management shares of Re. 1 each, and the said preference shares shall confer the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up or credited as paid up thereon and the right in a winding up to payment off of capital and arrears of dividend whether declared or undeclared at the commencement of the winding up in priority to the management shares, but shall not confer any further right to participate in profits or assets.

9. The shares taken by the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association and those to be allotted pursuant to the agreement referred to in Article 4 hereof shall be duly issued by the Directors. No further shares shall be issued without the authority of the Company in General Meeting. Subject to any direction to the contrary which may be given by the meeting which authorizes the issue of further shares, the further shares to be issued shall be offered to the members in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered the Directors may allot or otherwise dispose of the same to such person and upon such terms as they think fit.

10. If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount or issue price 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 share.

11. If two or more persons are registered as joint holders of any share, any one of such persons may give effectual receipts for any dividends, bonuses, or other moneys payable in respect of such share.

12. The Company shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any share as the absolute owner thereof, and the Company shall not be bound to recognize any trust or any equitable, contingent, future or partial interest in any share, or any interest in any fractional part of a share or (except only as by these presents otherwise expressly provided or as ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction) any other right in respect of any share, except an absolute right to the entirety thereof in the registered holder.

#### CERTIFICATES.

13. Every member shall be entitled to one certificate under the seal of the Company specifying the number and denoting numbers of the shares held by him and the amount paid up thereon, provided that in the case of shares registered in the names of two or more persons the Company shall not be bound to issue more than one certificate to all the joint-holders, and delivery of such certificate to any one of them shall be sufficient delivery to all. A member requiring more than one certificate in respect of his shares shall pay one rupee or such smaller sum as the Board shall determine for each additional certificate beyond one, together with any stamp duty that may be payable; but this provision shall not apply in the case of the life Directors.

14. If any certificate shall be worn out, destroyed, or lost, it may be renewed on such evidence being produced as the Board shall require, and in case of wearing out on delivery up of the old certificate, and in case of destruction or loss on execution of such indemnity (if any), and in either case on payment of such sum not exceeding one rupee for each certificate, together with the amount of any costs and expenses which the Company have incurred in connection with the matter, and generally upon such terms as the Board may from time to time require.

#### ALTERATION OF RIGHTS.

15. All or any of the rights, privileges, or advantages of the members, or of any class or group of members, may be affected, altered, modified, commuted, abrogated, or dealt with by agreement between the Company and any person purporting to contract on behalf of the members or class or group affected, provided such agreement is ratified in writing by the holders of at least three-fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of the members, or of the class or group affected, or is confirmed by an extraordinary resolution, but not otherwise. To any General Meeting of the members or of a class or group thereof at which any such extraordinary resolution is submitted for confirmation, all the provisions of these presents shall *mutatis mutandis* apply, but so that the necessary quorum shall be members or members of the class or group affected, holding or representing by proxy or attorney one-half of the capital paid or credited as paid on the issued shares of the members or of the members of the class or group affected, but this Article is not to derogate from any power the Company would have had if this Article were omitted.

#### CALLS ON SHARES.

16. The Board may from time to time make such calls upon the members as the Board may think fit in respect of the amounts unpaid on the shares held by the members respectively, and not by the conditions of allotments made payable at fixed times. Provided that fourteen days' notice at least is given of each call, and that no call shall exceed one-fourth of the nominal amount of the share in respect of which it is made, or be payable within two months from the date of the previous call. Any call may be made payable either in one sum or by instalments, and each member upon whom a call is made shall be liable to pay the amount of the call to the person and at the time or times and place appointed by the Board.

17. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution of the Board authorizing such call was passed.

18. Joint-holders of a share shall be jointly and severally liable for the payment of all calls or other moneys in respect thereof.

19. Any sum or premium which by the terms of allotment of a share is made payable upon allotment or at any fixed date, and any instalment of a call or premium shall, for all purposes of these presents, be deemed to be a call duly made and payable on the date fixed for payment, and in case of non-payment the provisions of these presents as to payment of interest and expenses, forfeiture, and the like, and all other the relevant provisions of these presents shall apply as if such sum, premium, or instalment were a call duly made and notified as hereby provided.

20. If any member shall fail to pay on or before the day appointed for payment thereof any call to which he may have become liable, he shall pay interest on the amount in arrear from the day appointed for payment thereof to the time of actual payment, at such rate, not exceeding 10 per cent. per annum as the Board may from time to time fix, and in case no other rate be prescribed then at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum; provided, however, that the Board may remit the whole or any part of such interest.

21. No member shall be entitled to receive any dividend or to be present or vote at any meeting or upon a poll, or to exercise any privilege as a member, until all calls or other sums due by him to the Company, whether alone or jointly with any other person, together with interest and expenses (if any), shall have been paid.

22. The Board may, if they think fit, receive from any member willing to advance the same all or any part of the moneys due upon the shares held by him beyond the sums actually called up thereon, and upon the moneys so paid in advance, or so much thereof as from time to time exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon the shares in respect of which such advance has been made, the Company may pay interest at such rate not exceeding 10 per cent. as the member paying such sum in advance, and the Board shall agree upon, but any amount so for the time being paid in advance of calls shall not be included or taken into account in ascertaining the amount of the dividend payable upon the share in respect of which such advance has been made.

#### FORFEITURE AND LIEN.

23. If any member fail to pay the whole or any part of any call on or before the day appointed for the payment thereof, the Board may at any time thereafter during such time as the call or any part thereof, or any interest which shall have accrued thereon remains unpaid, serve a notice on him requiring him to pay such call or interest, as the case may be, or such part thereof respectively as remains unpaid, together with interest on the unpaid call at such rate not exceeding 10 per cent. per annum as they think fit, from the date when the call became payable, and any expenses that may have accrued by reason of such non-payment.

24. The notice shall name a day, not being less than fourteen days from the date of the notice, on or before which the call and interest, or such part as aforesaid, and all interest and expenses that have accrued by reason of such non-payment, are to be paid. It shall also name the place at which payment is to be made, and shall state that in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which such call was made will be liable to be forfeited.

25. If the requisitions if any such notice as aforesaid are not complied with any share in respect of which such notice has been given may at any time thereafter, before payment of all calls, interest, and expenses due in respect thereof has been made, be forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect. Such forfeiture shall include all unpaid dividends, interim dividends, and interest due and to become due thereon and any moneys paid up in advance of calls.

26. Where any person entitled to a share by transmission, and not having elected according to these presents either to be registered himself as the holder thereof, or to have his nominee (approved as provided in Article 54 hereof) registered, fails so to elect for twelve months after being thereunto required by notice from the Board, such share may, at any time after the expiration of that period, be forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect.

27. When any share has been forfeited in accordance with these presents, notice of the forfeiture shall forthwith be given to the holder of the share or the person entitled to the share by transmission, as the case may be, and an entry of such notice having been given and of the forfeiture, with the date thereof, shall forthwith be made in the register opposite the share; but the provisions of this Article are directory only, and no forfeiture shall be in any manner invalidated by any omission or neglect to give such notice or to make such entry as aforesaid.

28. Notwithstanding any such forfeiture as aforesaid, the Board may, at any time before the forfeited share has been otherwise disposed of, permit the share so forfeited to be redeemed upon the terms of payment of all calls and interest due upon and expenses incurred in respect of the share, and upon such further terms (if any) as they shall think fit.

29. Every share which shall be forfeited shall thereupon become the property of the Company, and may be either cancelled or sold, or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of by the Board, either to the person who was before forfeiture the holder thereof, or entitled thereto, or to any other person upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

30. A member or person entitled as aforesaid whose shares have been forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay to the Company all calls made or payable and not paid on such shares at the time of forfeiture, and interest thereon to the date of payment, and all expenses in the same manner in all respects as if the shares had not been forfeited, and to satisfy all (if any) the claims and demands which the Company, might have enforced in respect of the shares at the time of forfeiture, without any deduction or allowance for the value of the shares at the time of forfeiture.

31. The forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction at the time of forfeiture of all interest in and all claims and demands against the Company in respect of the share, and all other rights and liabilities incidental to the share as between the member or person entitled as aforesaid whose share is forfeited and the Company, except only such of those rights and liabilities as are by these presents expressly saved, or as are by the Ordinance given or imposed in the case of past members.

32. A statutory declaration in writing that the declarant is a Director of the Company, and that a share has been duly forfeited in pursuance of these presents, and stating the time when it was forfeited, shall, as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share adversely to the forfeiture thereof, be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated, and such declaration, together with a certificate of proprietorship of the share delivered to a purchaser or allottee thereof, shall constitute a good title to the share, and the new holder thereof shall be discharged from all calls made and other moneys payable prior to such purchase or allotment.

33. Upon any sale after forfeiture or for enforcing a lien in purported exercise of the powers herein given, the Board may cause the purchaser's name to be entered in the register in respect of the shares sold, and the purchaser shall not be bound to see to the regularity of the proceedings, or to the application of the purchase money, and after his name has been entered in the register in respect of such shares, the validity of the sale shall not be impeached by any person, and the remedy of any person aggrieved by the sale shall be in damages only and against the Company exclusively.

34. The Company shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares (other than fully paid up shares) registered in the name of each member (whether solely or jointly with others) and upon the proceeds of sale thereof, for his debts, liabilities, and engagements solely or jointly with any other person to or with the Company, whether the period for the payment, fulfilment, or discharge thereof shall have actually arrived or not, and no equitable interest in any share shall be created except upon the footing and condition that Article 12 hereof is to have full effect, and such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time declared in respect of such shares and to all moneys paid in advance of calls thereon. Unless otherwise agreed, the registration of a transfer of shares shall operate as a waiver of the Company's lien, if any, on such shares.

35. For the purpose of enforcing such lien the Board may sell the shares subject thereto in such manner as they think fit, but no sale shall be made until such time as the moneys are presently payable, and notice in writing stating the amount due and giving notice of intention to sell in default shall have been served on such member or the person (if any) entitled by transmission to the shares and default shall have been made for seven clear days after such notice. The net proceeds of any such sale shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of the debts, liabilities, and engagements aforesaid, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to the member or the person (if any) entitled by transmission to the shares.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

36. Shares in the Company may be transferred by transfer in the usual common form. The instrument of transfer shall be signed by both the transferor and transferee, and shall contain the name, address, and occupation of the transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of the shares until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof.

37. Every instrument of transfer shall be left at the office or such other place as the Board may prescribe, with the certificate of every share to be thereby transferred, and such other evidence as the Board may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor or his right to transfer the shares; and the instrument of transfer and certificate shall remain in the custody of the Board, but shall be at all reasonable times produced at the request and expense of the transferor or transferee, and their respective representatives or any of them. A new certificate shall be delivered to the transferee after the transfer is completed and registered on his application for the same, and when necessary a balance certificate shall be delivered to the transferor. A fee not exceeding one rupee may be charged for each transfer.

38. The person proposing to transfer any share (hereinafter called "the proposing transferor") shall give notice in writing (hereinafter called "the transfer notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer the same. Such notice shall specify the sum he fixes as the fair value and shall constitute the Company his agent for the sale of the share at the price so fixed, or, at the option of the purchaser, at the fair value to be fixed by the Auditors in accordance with these Articles. The transfer notice may include several shares, and in such case shall operate as if it were a separate notice in respect of each. The transfer notice shall not be revocable except with the sanction of the Directors.

39. The Company in General Meeting may make and from time to time vary rules as to the mode in which any share specified in any transfer notice given to the Company as aforesaid shall be offered to the members, and as to their rights in regard to the purchase thereof, and in particular may give any member or class of members a preferential right to purchase the same. Until otherwise determined by extraordinary resolution of the Company the shares specified in hereinafter named, and such offer shall be made to them collectively and individually, but so that in the case of competition cannot be so apportioned, such shares shall be offered to them in order determined by lot, and the life Directors shall cause lots to be drawn accordingly. Any shares not taken up by the life Directors within ninety days shall be offered by the Company to any person selected by the life Directors whom they may deem it desirable in the interests of the Company to admit to membership. Subject as aforesaid the shares shall be offered by the Company to the members other than the proposing transferor as nearly as may be in proportion to the existing shares held by them respectively. The offer whether to a person selected as aforesaid or to a member shall in each case limit the time (not exceeding ninety days) within which the same, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and may notify to the members that any member who desires an allotment

of shares in excess of his proportion should in his reply state how many excess shares he desires to have; and if all the members do not claim their proportions, the unclaimed shares shall be used for satisfying the claims in excess. If any shares shall not be capable, without fractions, of being offered to the members in proportion to their existing holdings, the same shall be offered to the members or some of them in such proportions or in such manner as may be determined by lots to be drawn under the direction of the Directors.

40. If the Company shall within the time limited as aforesaid or within 180 days after being served with the transfer notice find a member or person selected as aforesaid willing to purchase the share (hereinafter called "the purchasing member"), and shall give notice thereof to the proposing transferor, he shall be bound upon payment of the fair value to transfer the share to the purchasing member.

41. In case any difference arises between the proposing transferor and the purchasing member as to the fair value of a share, the Auditors shall, on the application of either party, certify in writing the sum which, in their opinion, is the fair value, and such sum shall be deemed to be the fair value, and in so certifying the Auditors shall be considered as acting as experts and not as arbitrators.

42. If in any case the proposing transferor, after having become bound as aforesaid, makes default in transferring the share, the Company may receive the purchase money, and shall thereupon cause the name of the purchasing member to be entered in the register as the holder of the share, and shall hold the purchase money in trust for the proposing transferor. The receipt of the Company for the purchase money shall be a good discharge to the purchasing member, and after his name has been entered in the register in purported exercise of the aforesaid power, the validity of the proceedings shall not be questioned by any person.

43. If the Company shall not, within the time limited as aforesaid, or within 180 days after being served with the transfer notice, find a member willing to purchase the shares, and give notice in manner aforesaid, the proposing transferor shall at any time within ninety days afterwards be at liberty, to sell and transfer the shares (or those not placed) to any person and at any price.

44. Any share may be transferred by a life Director to any child or other issue, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, or wife of the Director, and any share of a deceased life Director may be transferred by his executors or administrators to any child, or other issue, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, or widow of such deceased Director (to whom such deceased Director may have specifically bequeathed the same), and shares standing in the name of the trustees of the will of any deceased life Director may be transferred upon any change of trustees to the trustees for the time being of such will.

45. The Directors may refuse to register any transfer of shares (a) where the Company has a lien on the shares, or (b) where the Directors are not of an opinion that it is desirable to admit the proposed transferee to membership. But paragraph (b) of this Article shall not apply where the proposed transferee is already a member, nor to a transfer made pursuant to Article 44 hereof.

46. The holders for the time being of nine-tenths of the issued capital may at any time serve the Company with a requisition to enforce the transfer of any particular shares not held by the requisitionists. The Company shall forthwith give to the holder of such shares notice in writing of the requisition (with a copy of this Article subjoined), and unless within fourteen days afterwards the holder shall give to the Company a transfer notice in respect of his shares in accordance with Article 38 hereof he shall be deemed at the expiration of that period to have actually given such notice, and to have specified therein the amount of capital paid up on the shares as the sum he fixes as the fair value for the purposes of this Article, any person entitled under Article 53 or otherwise to transfer shall be deemed the holder of such share.

47. In the event of the death of a life Director or an ordinary Director, the surviving life Directors or life Director, and in the event of the death of both the life Directors, then the ordinary Directors for the time being may at any time within four years thereafter serve the Company with a requisition to enforce the transfer to them in proportion to the existing shares held by them respectively of any shares standing in the name of such deceased life Director or ordinary Director or transferred by a life Director under Article 44, and the provisions of Article 46 as to giving notice and other relevant provisions of that Article shall apply to every such requisition, save that ninety days shall be substituted for fourteen days, and that the purchasing member or members may at his or their option postpone completion of the purchase as to one-half of the shares for any period not exceeding two years from the date when the transfer notice shall be deemed to have been given as aforesaid, in which case all dividends payable in respect of that half of the shares down to the date of actual completion of the purchase shall belong to be retained by the vendor.

48. No member of the Company shall, without the consent in writing of all the members for the time being of the Company, be interested as a shareholder, director, partner, manager, or otherwise in any concern carrying on any business in competition with the Company or having interests opposed to those of the Company, and if it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Directors that any member has committed a breach of this Article, they may serve him with a notice in writing requiring him to retire from or otherwise determine his interest in such concern, and stating that in the event of non-compliance with such requisition within twenty-eight days his shares shall be liable to forfeiture, and unless within twenty-eight days after the service of such notice it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Directors that the requisition has not been complied with the whole or any of the shares of such member may be forfeited by resolution of the Directors to that effect.

49. A member of the Company shall not without the Company's consent, either solely or jointly with, or as director, manager, or agent of or for, any other company or person or persons, directly or indirectly, carry on or be engaged or concerned or interested as a shareholder or otherwise in any business which the Company is authorized to carry on, and the Directors may, by resolution, forfeit, without prejudice to the provisions of Article 30, the shares of any member who acts in contravention of this provision.

50. A person who ceases to be a member of the Company shall not at any time within five years, to be computed from the time when he so ceases to be a member, either solely or jointly with, or as director, manager, or agent of or for, any other company or person or persons, directly or indirectly, carry on or be engaged or concerned or interested in the business of a merchant, produce broker, or commission agent in the Island of Ceylon or permit or suffer his name to be used or employed in, carry on, or in connection with any such business.

51. The Company shall provide a register of transfers, which shall be kept by the Secretary under the control of the Board, and in which shall be entered the particulars of every transfer or transmission of every share.

52. The register may be closed during such time as the Board think fit, not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in any one year.

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

53. In the case of the death of a member, the survivors or survivor, where the deceased was a joint-holder, and the executors or administrators of the deceased, where he was a sole holder, shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to his shares; but nothing herein contained shall release the estate of a deceased joint-holder from any liability in respect of any share jointly held by him.

54. The Directors may call on the executors or administrators of a deceased member to transfer the shares of the deceased to some person to be selected by such executors or administrators and approved by the life Directors or Director or (if both the life Directors be dead) by the ordinary Directors, and if the executors or administrators do not comply forthwith with such call, they shall be deemed to have served the Company with a transfer notice under Article 38 and to

have specified therein a sum equal to the amount paid up on the shares as the fair value, and the provisions of that and the subsequent Articles shall take effect.

55. A person entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy of a member shall not be entitled to receive notice of, or to attend or vote at, meetings of the Company, or to receive payment of any dividends, or to exercise any of the rights and privileges of a member, unless and until he shall have been registered as the holder of the shares.

#### ALTERATION OF CAPITAL.

56. The Company, by resolution in General Meeting, may from time to time increase its capital by the creation of new shares to such an extent, and of such nominal amounts as may by such resolution be determined.

57. The new shares shall, subject to the provisions of Article 15 hereof and to the rights attached to any class of shares by the Memorandum of Association of the Company, be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the Company, or in default the Board, shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to dividends and in the distribution of the assets of the Company and with a special or without any right of voting.

58. The Company or the Board may, before the issue of any new shares, determine that the same or any of them shall be offered in the first instance, and either at par or at a premium, to all the then members or any class or group thereof in proportion to the amount of capital held by them, or make any other provisions as to the issue and allotment of the new shares, but in default of any such determination, or so far as the same shall not extend, the new shares may be dealt with as if they formed part of the original preference capital, and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payment of calls and instalments, transfer and transmission, forfeiture, lien, and otherwise.

59. The Company may from time to time by special resolution reduce its capital, by paying off capital or cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets, or reducing the liability on the shares, or otherwise, as may seem expedient, and capital may be paid off upon the footing that it may be called up again or otherwise, and paid-up capital may be paid off or cancelled as aforesaid without reducing the nominal amount of the shares by the like amount to the intent that the unpaid and callable capital shall be increased by the like amount, and the Company may also by special resolution subdivide, or by ordinary resolution consolidate, its shares or any of them.

60. Anything done in pursuance of the last preceding Article shall be done in manner provided by the Ordinances so far as they shall be applicable, and so far as they shall not be applicable in accordance with the terms of the resolution authorizing the same, and so far as such resolution shall not be applicable in such manner as the Board may deem most expedient.

61. The special resolution whereby any share is subdivided may determine that, as between the holders of the shares resulting from such subdivision, one or more of such shares shall have some preference or special advantage as regards dividend, capital, voting or otherwise over or as compared with the others or other.

#### GENERAL MEETINGS.

62. The first General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time (not being more than twelve months after the registration of the Company) and at such place as the Board may determine. Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as the Board may determine.

63. The above-mentioned General Meetings shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

64. All General Meetings subsequent to the first General Meetings shall be held at such time and place as may be fixed by General Meeting, or in default as the Board may determine. Any General Meeting convened by the Board, unless the time thereof shall have been fixed by General Meeting, or unless such General Meeting be convened in pursuance of such requisition as is hereinafter mentioned, may be postponed by the Board by notice in writing, and the meeting shall, subject to any further postponement or adjournment, be held at the postponed date for the purpose of transacting the business covered by the original notice.

65. The Board may, whenever they think fit, and shall, on the requisition of the holders of not less than one-tenth of the issued share capital of the Company upon which all calls or other sums then due have been paid, forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting.

66. The requisition shall state the objects of the meeting and shall be signed by the requisitionists and deposited at the office, and may consist of several documents in like form, each signed by one or more of the requisitionists.

67. If the Board do not proceed to cause a meeting to be held within twenty-one days from the date of the requisition being so deposited, the requisitionists, or a majority of them in value, may themselves convene the meeting, but any meeting so convened shall not be held after three months from the date of such deposit. Provided always that the quorum for passing a resolution at any meeting so convened shall not be or be deemed sufficient unless one at least of the life Directors shall be present in person at any such meeting or meetings. Nevertheless the life Directors or either of them shall be at liberty by notice in writing to the Company signed by them or either of them to declare that they or he waives the benefit of the above provision, and such notice shall be effectual accordingly.

68. If at any such meeting a resolution requiring confirmation at another meeting is passed, the Board 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 Board do not convene the 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 the meeting.

69. Any meeting convened by requisitionists as aforesaid shall be convened in the same manner, as nearly as possible, as that in which meetings are to be convened by the Board.

#### NOTICE OF MEETINGS.

70. Seven days' notice, specifying the time and place of a meeting, and specifying also in the case of any special business the general nature of the business to be transacted thereat, shall be given by the Secretary, or other officer of the Company, or any other person appointed by the Board to do so, to such members as are entitled to receive notices from the Company, provided that with the consent in writing of all the members a meeting may be convened by a shorter notice and in any manner they think fit. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently on the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

71. The accidental omission to give notice of any meeting to, or the non-receipt of such notice by any member, shall not invalidate any resolution passed or proceeding had at any such meeting.

#### PROCEEDINGS AT GENERAL MEETINGS.

72. The ordinary business of the Annual General Meeting shall be to receive and consider the profit and loss account (if any), the balance sheet of the Company, the reports of the Board and Auditors, to elect Directors, Auditors, and other officers in the place of those retiring, to fix the remuneration of the Directors and Auditors, to sanction or declare dividends, and to transact any business which under these presents ought to be transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting. All other business shall be deemed special, and shall be subject to notice as is hereinbefore provided.



73. Subject to the provisions of Article 67 so far as the same is applicable two members present in person, and entitled to vote thereat, shall be a quorum for a General Meeting; and no business shall be transacted at any General Meeting unless the requisite quorum be present at the commencement of the business.

74. If within one-half of an hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of members as hereinbefore provided, shall be dissolved. If otherwise convened, it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week, at same time and place, and no notice of such adjournment need be given.

75. The Chairman of the Board, if any, shall preside as Chairman at every meeting of the Company; but if there be no such Chairman, or if he be not present within ten minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, or shall decline to take, or shall retire from the chair, the members present in person and entitled to vote shall choose one of the Directors, and failing a Director one of their own number to be Chairman at such meeting.

76. The Chairman presiding at any meeting with the consent of the meeting may, and if directed by the meeting shall, adjourn such meeting from time to time and from place to place as the meeting shall determine. It shall not be necessary to give notice to the members of any adjourned meeting.

77. At any adjourned General Meeting the members present in person or by proxy shall have power to decide upon all matters that could lawfully have been disposed of at the meeting from which the adjournment took place; but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business not disposed of at the meeting from which the adjournment took place.

78. Every question submitted to a General Meeting shall be determined in the first instance by a show of hands of the members present in person, but a poll may be demanded in writing by the Chairman or any member present in person or by proxy and entitled to vote. Unless a poll is duly demanded in accordance with these presents a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried or lost or has or has not been carried by any particular majority, and an entry to that effect in the minutes of proceedings of the Company shall be conclusive evidence of the fact, without proof of the number, proportion, or validity of the votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

79. If a poll is demanded, it shall be taken either at once or after an adjournment, and generally in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman presiding at the meeting at which a poll shall have been demanded shall direct, and the result of such poll shall be deemed the resolution of the meeting. The demand for a poll may be withdrawn.

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

81. If a poll shall be duly demanded upon the election of a Chairman or on any question of adjournment, it shall be taken at once.

82. In case of an equality of votes, either on a show of hands or at a poll, the Chairman of the meeting at which the show of hands takes place, or at which the poll is demanded, as the case may be, shall have a second or casting vote.

#### VOTES OF MEMBERS.

83. On a show of hands every member present in person shall have one vote, and upon a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every preference share and one vote for every management share held by him. Where a corporation being a member is present by a duly authorized representative who is not a member, such representative shall be entitled to exercise the same powers on behalf of such corporation as if he were an individual member of the Company.

84. Where there are joint registered holders of any share, any one of such persons may vote at any meeting, either personally or by proxy in respect of such share as if he were solely entitled thereto; and if more than one of such joint holders be present at any meeting personally or by proxy that one of the said persons so present in person or by proxy whose name stands first on the register in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof.

85. Any member being lunatic, idiot, or of unsound mind, may vote by his judicial factor *curator bonis*, or other legal guardian. Any one of such persons may vote either personally or by proxy.

86. Upon a poll votes may be given either personally or by proxy, but no person shall be appointed a proxy except a member entitled to vote at the General Meeting for which the proxy is given, provided that a life Director may appoint a person who is not a member as proxy.

87. Every instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or his attorney duly authorized in writing under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney; or if such appointor is a corporation, under the common seal, or under the hand of some officer duly authorized in writing in that behalf.

88. The instrument appointing a proxy, with the letter or power of attorney (if any) under which it is signed, shall be deposited at the office at least forty-eight hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting as the case may be at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote, otherwise the person so named shall not be entitled to vote in respect thereof. No instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve months from the date of its execution.

89. Every instrument of proxy, whether for a Special Meeting or otherwise, shall, as nearly as circumstances will admit, be in the form or to the effect following:—

I \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, being a member of Carson and Company, Limited, hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, or failing him \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, or failing him \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ as my proxy to vote for me and on my behalf, and if necessary to demand a poll at the (Ordinary or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company, to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ and at any adjournment thereof. As witness my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

90. Any member whose address on the Register shall not be in the Island of Ceylon shall be entitled to appoint by power of attorney some person, whether a member or not, having an address within the said Island to act as his attorney for the purposes of receiving notices of General Meetings, and attending General Meetings, and voting thereat and upon such power of attorney being deposited with the Secretary of the Company, together with a notice from the attorney, giving his address in the said Island an entry thereof shall be made in the Register, and all notices of meetings held during the continuance of such power of attorney shall be served upon the attorney thereby appointed as if such attorney were a member of the Company and the registered owner of the shares, and all notices except where otherwise herein expressly provided, shall be deemed duly served if served upon such attorney in accordance with these presents, and the attorney shall be entitled to attend any General Meeting of the Company held during the continuance of his appointment, and to vote thereat in respect of the shares of the member appointing him, such vote to be exercised either personally or by proxy appointed by the attorney in accordance with these presents. Every such power shall remain in full force, notwithstanding the death of, or its revocation by other means by the grantor, unless and until express notice in writing of such death or revocation shall have been given to the Company.

#### DIRECTORS.

91. Until otherwise determined by a General Meeting, the number of Directors shall not be less than two nor more than seven.

92. The said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby (who are herein referred to as "the life-Directors") and George Lionel Cox, James Lochore, and Alfred Warden (who and any other Directors hereafter appointed are herein referred to as "the ordinary Directors") shall be the first Directors of the Company.

93. The said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby shall both be entitled to hold office so long as they respectively hold shares of the Company of any class of the nominal value of Rs. 75,000, and in the event of one of them vacating office by death, resignation, or otherwise, the other shall be the sole life Director.

94. The said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby, whilst holding office as life Directors and after one of them vacates the office of life Director the other whilst holding office as life Director shall have full control of the business of the Company, and they or the survivor of them shall have power to appoint and remove any other Director or Directors, and may appoint any person in addition to any existing Directors, and may from time to time appoint, define, limit, and restrict the powers and duties and fix the qualification and remuneration of any other Directors, and may remove any Director howsoever appointed; and may at any time convene a General Meeting of the Company.

95. So long as the said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby or one of them shall be life Directors or life Director of the Company, no other Director or Directors of the Company shall be appointed without the consent of such life Directors or Director.

96. In case either the said Walter Shakspeare or the said Herbert Carless Bibby shall cease to hold shares of the Company of any class of the nominal value of Rs. 75,000, respectively, he shall thereupon be deemed to be elected to office as an ordinary Director unless under Article 93 he becomes the sole life Director.

97. When both the said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby shall cease to be life Directors, then and from thenceforth the ordinary Directors shall have power from time to time to appoint any other persons to be Directors, but so that the total number of Directors shall not at any time exceed the maximum fixed as above.

98. The qualification of a Director (other than a life Director) shall be the holding in his own right alone of shares of the Company of any class to a nominal value of Rs. 25,000.

99. The remuneration of the life Directors shall be such sum as, subject to any agreement, the Company may determine. The remuneration of the other members of the Board may be fixed from time to time by the Company in General Meeting. The Directors shall be paid all travelling and hotel expenses to which they shall be put in connection with the Company's business.

100. Each of the ordinary Directors shall devote the whole of his time and attention to the business of the Company, but the said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby shall not be bound to devote more time and attention to the Company than they respectively may think fit.

101. Any casual vacancy occurring among the Directors may be filled up by the Company in General Meeting, but any person so chosen shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred. The continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any vacancy in their body, but so that if the number falls below the minimum above fixed the remaining Director (unless he be a life Director) shall not commit the Company to any new business, so long as the number is below the minimum.

102. The office of a Director shall be vacated:—

- (a) If he, without the sanction of a General Meeting, accept or hold any other office under the Company except that of Managing Director, Managing Secretary, manager, or trustee.
- (b) If he become bankrupt, or suspend payment, or compound with his creditors.
- (c) If he engage on his own account in speculative transactions in produce, stocks, or shares without the previous consent of all the other Directors.
- (d) If he absents himself from the meetings of the Company for a period exceeding three months at any one time without the consent of the life Directors or one of them.
- (e) If he be found lunatic or become of unsound mind.
- (f) If he be called upon by all the other Directors to resign his office.
- (g) If by notice in writing to the Company he resign his office.

Provided that sub-clauses (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of this Article shall not apply to a life Director, and sub-clause (e) shall apply only to a life Director so long as he shall be incapacitated by lunacy or unsoundness of mind, and on his ceasing to be so incapacitated he shall *ipso facto* be restored to his office of life Director. Until an entry of the vacating of office by a Director under one of the sections of this Article shall be entered in the Minutes of the Board of Directors his acts as a Director shall be effectual.

103. A Director or intending Director shall not be disqualified by his office from entering into a contract or arrangement with the Company, either as vendor, purchaser, manager, agent, broker, or otherwise, and no such contract or arrangement or any contract or arrangement entered into, by, or on behalf of, the Company with any person, firm, or company of or in which any Director shall be in any way interested, shall be avoided, nor shall any Director so contracting or being so interested be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding the office of Director, or of the fiduciary relation thereby established. Any Director so contracting or being so interested as aforesaid shall disclose at the Board Meeting at which the contract or arrangement is determined upon the nature of his interest, if his interest then exists, or in any other case at the first Board Meeting after the acquisition of his interest, and a Director shall not as a Director vote in respect of any contract or arrangement in which he is so interested as aforesaid, and if he do so vote his vote shall not be counted, but this prohibition shall not apply to the agreement referred to in Article 4 of these presents, or to any other agreements in connection therewith, or to any modification thereof, or to any matters arising thereout, or to any contract by or on behalf of the Company to give to the Directors or any of them security by way of indemnity or of security for advances or to a settlement or set-off of cross claims, and it may at any time or times be suspended or relaxed by a General Meeting. A general notice that a Director is a member of any specified firm or company, and is to be regarded as interested in any transaction with such firm or company, shall be sufficient disclosure under this Article, and after such general notice it shall not be necessary to give any special notice relating to any particular transaction with such firm or company as aforesaid.

#### POWERS OF THE BOARD.

104. Subject to the provisions hereinbefore contained as to life Directors, and subject to any agreement to the contrary, the business of the Company shall be managed by the Board, who may exercise all such powers of the Company, and do on behalf of the Company all such acts as are within the scope of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and as are not by the Ordinances or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject nevertheless to any regulations of these presents, to the provisions of the Ordinances and to such regulations, being not inconsistent with the said regulations as may 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.

#### LOCAL MANAGEMENT.

105. The Board may from time to time provide for the management of the affairs of the Company in Ceylon or abroad in such manner as they shall think fit, and the provisions contained in the six next following Articles shall be without prejudice to the general powers conferred by this Article.

106. The Board from time to time, and at any time, may establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company in Ceylon or abroad, and may appoint any persons to be members of such local boards or any managers or agents and may fix their remuneration.

107. The Board may appoint any one of their number, or any other person, to be Chairman of any local board, and may lay down such rules and regulations as they may think fit for the conduct of the business of any local board, and may revoke, annul, or vary any such appointment, rules, or regulations.

108. The Board, from time to time and at any time, may delegate to any Managing Director, local board manager or agent, any of the powers, authorities, and discretions for the time being vested in the Board with regard to the conduct of the business of the Company (other than the power to make call and to mortgage the Company's assets), with power to sub-delegate, and may authorize the members for the time being of any such local board, or any of them to fill up any vacancies therein and to act notwithstanding vacancies.

109. Any such appointment or delegation as aforesaid may be made on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Board may think fit, and the Board may at any time remove any person so appointed and may by letter, telegram, or cablegram annul or vary any such delegation, but no person dealing in good faith and without notice of such annulment or variation shall be affected thereby.

110. The Board may from time to time, and at any time, by power of attorney under the seal, appoint any person or persons to be the attorney or attorneys of the Company for such purposes and with such powers, authorities, and discretions and for such period and subject to such conditions as the Board may from time to time think fit, and any such appointment may (if the Board think fit) be made in favour of any of the Directors or of the members or any one or more of the members of any local board established as aforesaid, or in favour of any company or of the members, directors, nominees, or managers of any company or firm, or otherwise in favour of any fluctuating body of persons, whether nominated directly or indirectly by the Board, and any such powers of attorney may contain such provisions for the protection or convenience of persons dealing with such attorneys as the Board think fit. Any such attorneys as aforesaid may be authorized by the Board to sub-delegate all or any of the powers, authorities, and discretions for the time being vested in them.

#### BORROWING.

111. The Board may at any time borrow or raise for the purpose of the Company from the Directors, members, or other persons, or any bank, firm, or company, such sums of money, and at such rates of interest as the Board may think proper, and may secure the repayment of such moneys by mortgage or charge or by debentures, or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, forming a charge upon the whole or any part of the property, assets, and undertaking of the Company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital for the time being, in such manner, and upon terms and conditions and with such security as the Board shall determine, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so raised, borrowed, or secured, shall not, without the previous sanction in writing of a life Director, exceed the sum of Rs. 200,000, and shall not without the sanction of a General Meeting exceed the nominal amount of the capital. Nevertheless no lender or other person dealing with the Company shall be concerned to see or inquire whether this limit is observed.

#### ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

112. At the Ordinary General Meeting in the year 1917, and in each subsequent year, one Director, not being either of the life Directors, shall retire from office, but this provision shall be subject to any agreement to the contrary binding upon the Company. A retiring Director shall retain office until the dissolution or adjournment of the meeting at which his successor is elected.

113. Subject to the provisions herein contained with respect to the life Directors, the Director to retire in every year shall be the Director who has been longest in office since their last election. As between Directors of equal seniority, the Director to retire shall (unless such Directors of equal seniority shall agree amongst themselves) be selected from among them by lot.

114. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election.

115. The Company may at the meeting at which any Director retires in manner aforesaid fill up the vacated office of each Director by electing a person thereto. And if at any such meeting the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director shall be deemed to have been re-elected, unless a resolution reducing the number of Directors is passed at the same meeting.

116. No person not being a Director retiring at the meeting shall, unless recommended by the Board for election, be eligible for the office of a Director at any General Meeting, unless he shall have been approved by the life Directors.

117. With the consent of the life Directors, the Company may from time to time in General Meeting increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may alter their qualification and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number shall go out of office.

118. The Company by an extraordinary resolution may remove any Director, other than either of the life Directors, before the expiration of his period of office, and may by ordinary resolution appoint another person to be a Director in his stead. The person so appointed shall retain his office so long only as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

#### MANAGING DIRECTOR.

119. Subject to any agreement to the contrary and to the consent of the life Directors the Board may from time to time appoint one or more of their number to be a Managing Director or Managing Directors of the Company, either for a fixed term or without any limitation as to his or their period of office, and may, with the consent of the life Directors, from time to time remove any Managing Director and appoint another in his place.

120. A Managing Director, while he continues to hold that office, shall not be subject to the provisions of these presents as to retirement by rotation and shall not be taken into account in determining the rotation of retirement of Directors, but he shall (subject to the provisions of any contract between him and the Company) be subject to the same provisions as to resignation and removal as the other Directors of the Company, and if he cease to hold the office of Director from any cause he shall *ipso facto* and immediately cease to be a Managing Director.

121. Subject to any agreement, the remuneration of a Managing Director shall from time to time be fixed by the Board, and may be by way of salary or commission or participation in the profits, or by any or all of those modes, and shall, if so determined by the Board, be in addition to his share of any remuneration payable to the Board or to the Managing Director as one of the Board.

122. A Managing Director may perform such duties, and exercise all such powers, authorities, and discretions as are exercisable by the Board (other than the power to make calls and to mortgage the assets of the Company) on such terms and conditions and with such restrictions (if any) as the Board from time to time may direct.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD.

123. The Board may meet together for the despatch of business at such place, and adjourn and otherwise regulate their meetings as they think fit. Whenever one or both of the life Directors shall be in the Island of Ceylon, the presence of one of them shall be necessary to form a quorum and either of the life Directors shall himself form a quorum. Subject

as aforesaid two Directors shall form a quorum. A Director may at any time, and the Secretary upon request of a Director, shall convene a meeting of the Board. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes, and the life Directors shall be entitled to as many votes as there are Directors of the Company and one more. In case of an equality of votes, the Chairman shall have an additional or casting vote in addition to his vote or votes as a Director.

124. The said Walter Shakspeare shall be Chairman of the Board so long as he remains a Director and is willing to act, and the said Herbert Carless Bibby shall be Deputy Chairman. When the said Walter Shakspeare ceases to be Chairman the said Herbert Carless Bibby shall, if then a Director, become Chairman, and shall be entitled to retain office so long as he remains a Director and is willing to act. Subject as aforesaid the Board may appoint a Chairman and Deputy Chairman of their meetings and determine the periods for which they are respectively to retain office.

125. Any question which may arise at any meeting of the Board shall be decided by the votes of the Directors present, and each of them, the said Walter Shakspeare and Herbert Carless Bibby, shall be at liberty so long as he shall be a Director by writing under his hand to authorize any other member of the firm to vote for him at any meeting or meetings of the Board, and such authority may be general or may be limited to any one or more meetings or to any specific question or questions and must if required be produced at any meeting at which the holder of the authority proposes to vote.

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

127. The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as they think fit. Any committee so formed shall, in the exercise of the powers so delegated, conform to any regulations that may from time to time be imposed on it by the Board.

128. The meetings and proceedings of any such committee, consisting of two or more members, shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for the regulating of meetings and proceedings of the Board so far as the same are applicable thereto and not superseded by any regulations made by the Board under the last preceding clause.

129. All acts done at any meeting of the Board, or of a committee of the Board, or by any person acting as a Director, shall, notwithstanding that it shall afterwards be discovered that there was some defect in the appointment of such Directors or committee or persons acting as aforesaid, or that they, he, or any of them were or was disqualified, be as valid as if every such person had been duly appointed and was qualified to be a Director.

130. If any Director being willing shall be called upon to perform extra services, or to make any special exertions in going or residing abroad or otherwise, for any of the purposes of the Company, and shall do so, the Company may remunerate such Director, either by a fixed sum or by a percentage of profits, or otherwise, as may be determined by the Board, and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for his share in the remuneration above provided.

#### THE SEAL.

131. The Board shall provide for the safe custody of the seal, which shall only be used pursuant to a resolution passed at a meeting of the Board, or a committee of the Board authorized to use the seal, and in the presence of one of the life Directors, or in the presence of one at least of the ordinary Directors, who shall sign every instrument to which the seal is affixed, and every such instrument shall be countersigned by the Secretary or some other person appointed by the Board.

#### DIVIDENDS.

132. Subject as aforesaid, and to the rights of holders of shares issued upon special conditions, and to any arrangement that may be made by the Company to the contrary, and subject as to shares not fully paid up to any special arrangement made as regards money paid in advance of calls, the profits of the Company shall be divisible among the members in proportion to the capital paid up or credited as paid on the shares held by them respectively.

133. The Company in General Meeting may declare a dividend to be paid to the members according to their rights and interests in the profits, and may fix the time for payment. Provided always that if shares shall have been issued during the course of a financial year the holder thereof shall, subject to any arrangement made by the Board to the contrary, only be entitled to have paid to him in respect of dividends on such shares a proportionate part of the dividends for such financial year, calculated on the proportionate part of the year from the date on which such shares were allotted, treating such dividends as earned rateably over the whole year.

134. No dividend shall be payable out of the capital of the Company, and the declaration of the Board as to the amount available for dividend shall be conclusive. Provision for any loss realized or estimated or apprehended may, if and when thought fit, be spread over such period of time and by such instalments as the Board may think fit, but so that no such provision shall be necessary in the case of loss of fixed capital or save where the Board shall think necessary of circulating capital. No dividend shall exceed the amount recommended from time to time by the Board, but the Company in General Meeting may declare a smaller dividend.

135. Separate accounts may, if the Board shall think fit, be kept as to the capital and revenue of the Company as to the whole or any part of its business, and if any adjustment of items between capital and income is required the decision of the Board shall be absolute. In any such case the surplus shown by the revenue account may be distributed as dividend without regard to the position of the capital account.

136. The Board may from time to time, without calling any General Meeting, pay to the members on account of the next forthcoming dividend such interim dividend as in their judgment the position of the Company justifies.

137. 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 paid-up shares, debentures, or debenture stock of any other Company, or in any one or more of such ways, and the Board shall give effect to such resolution, and where 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 members 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 Board.

138. The receipt of the person appearing by the Register to be holder of any shares shall be sufficient discharge to the Company for any dividend or other money payable in respect of such shares; and where several persons are the joint holders of a share the receipt of any one of them shall be a good discharge to the Company for any dividend or other moneys payable thereon.

139. No dividend shall bear interest against the Company.

140. Notice of any dividend that may have been declared shall be given to the members, or sent by post or otherwise to their registered places of address.

141. A transfer of shares shall not pass the right to any dividend declared thereon before the registration of the transfer.

142. The Board may retain the dividends payable upon shares in respect of which any person is under the Articles relating to the transmission of shares entitled to become a member, or which any person under those Articles is entitled to transfer, until such person shall become a member in respect thereof or shall duly transfer the same.

143. Unless otherwise directed, any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the member entitled, or in the case of joint holders to that one whose name stands first on the Register in respect of the joint holding, and every cheque or warrant so sent shall be made payable to the order of the person to whom it is sent, and the payment of any such cheque or warrant shall operate as a good discharge to the Company in respect of the dividend represented thereby, notwithstanding that it may subsequently appear that the same has been stolen or that the indorsement thereon has been forged.

144. All dividends unclaimed for one year after having been declared may be invested or otherwise made use of by the Board for the benefit of the Company until claimed.

#### ACCOUNTS.

145. The Board shall cause true accounts to be kept of all the transactions, assets, and liabilities of the Company.

146. The books of account shall be kept at the office, or at such other place or places as the Board shall think fit, and no member, other than a Director or Auditor or any other officer, clerk, accountant, or other person whose duty requires and entitles him to do so, shall be entitled to inspect the books, accounts, documents, or writings of the Company, except as provided by the Ordinances or authorized by the Board, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

147. A balance sheet shall be made out and laid before the Company at its Annual General Meeting in each year, and such balance sheet shall contain a general summary of the assets and liabilities of the Company. The balance sheet shall be accompanied by a report of the Board as to the state and condition of the Company, as to the amount (if any) which they recommend to be paid by way of dividend or bonus to the members, and the amount (if any) which they propose to carry to reserve. The report and balance sheet shall be signed on behalf of the Board by at least two of the Directors of the Company, or, if there is only one Director for the time being, by that Director, and shall be countersigned by the Manager or Secretary.

148. A copy of the Directors' report and balance sheet shall, during at least seven days previous to the General Meeting, lie at the office for inspection by the members.

#### AUDIT.

149. The Company shall, at each Annual General Meeting, appoint an Auditor or Auditors to hold office until the next Annual General Meeting.

150. If an appointment of Auditors is not made at an Annual General Meeting the Board may appoint an Auditor of the Company for the current year, and fix the remuneration to be paid to him by the Company for his services.

151. A Director or officer of the Company shall not be capable of being appointed Auditor of the Company.

152. A person other than a retiring Auditor, or a person recommended by the Board, shall not be capable of being appointed Auditor at an Annual General Meeting unless notice of an intention to nominate that person to the office of Auditor has been given by a member to the Company not less than fourteen days before the Annual General Meeting, and the Board shall send a copy of any such notice to the retiring Auditor, and shall give notice thereof to the members not less than seven days before the Annual General Meeting. Provided that if after a notice of the intention to nominate an Auditor has been so given, an Annual General Meeting is called for a date fourteen days or less after that notice has been given, the notice, though not given within the time required by this Article, shall be deemed to have been properly given for the purposes thereof, and the notice to be sent or given by the Company may, instead of being sent or given within the time required by this Article, be sent or given at the same time as the notice of the Annual General Meeting.

153. Messrs. Ford, Rhodes, Church & Co., of Colombo, shall be the first Auditors of the Company, and they shall hold office until the first Annual General Meeting unless previously removed by a resolution of the members in General Meeting, in which case the members at such meeting may appoint Auditors.

154. The Board may fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor, but while any such vacancy continues the surviving or continuing Auditor or Auditors (if any) may act.

155. The remuneration of the Auditors shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, except that the remuneration of any Auditors appointed before the first Ordinary General Meeting or to fill up any casual vacancy may be fixed by the Board.

156. Every Auditor shall have a right of access at all times to the books and accounts and vouchers of the Company, and, as regards books, accounts, and vouchers ordinarily kept abroad, shall be entitled to rely upon copies thereof or extracts therefrom, certified by the Company's representatives abroad, and shall be entitled to require from the Board and the office of the Company such information and explanation as may be necessary for the performance of the duties of the Auditors, and the Auditors shall make a report to the members on the accounts examined by them, and on every balance sheet laid before the Company in General Meeting during their tenure of office.

157. Every account of the Board when audited and approved by a General Meeting shall be conclusive except as regards any error discovered therein within three months next after the approval thereof. Whenever any such error is discovered within that period the account shall forthwith be corrected, and thenceforth shall be conclusive.

158. Any Auditor shall, on quitting office, be eligible for re-election.

#### NOTICES.

159. A notice may be served by the Company upon any member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such member at his registered address, as appearing in the Register.

160. All notices directed to be given to the members shall, with respect to any share to which persons are jointly entitled, be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the Register, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such share.

161. Any member described in the register by an address not in Ceylon, who shall from time to time give the Company an address of himself or his attorney in Ceylon at which notices may be served upon him, shall be entitled to have notices served upon him at such address, but save as aforesaid, and save in the case of the Governing Director or his alternate, and save as provided by these presents, no member other than a member described in the Register by an address in Ceylon shall be entitled to receive any notice from the Company.

162. Any notice required to be given by the Company to the members or any of them, and not expressly provided for by these presents, shall be sufficiently given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

163. Any notice, if served by post, shall be deemed to have been served at the time when the letter containing the same is put into a post office situated in Colombo, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into such post office.

164. Where a given number of days' notice or notice extending over any other period is required to be given the day of service shall, unless it is otherwise provided, be counted in such number of days or other period.

165. Any notice or document delivered or sent by post to, or left at, the registered address of any member shall, notwithstanding such member be then deceased and whether or not the Company have notice of his decease, be deemed to have been duly served on his heirs, executors, and administrators.

166. Every person who, by operation of law, transfer, transmission, or other means whatsoever, shall become entitled to any share, shall be bound by every notice in respect of such share which previously to his name and address being entered in the Register as the registered holder of such share shall have been duly given to the person from whom he derives the title to such share.

## WINDING UP.

167. (1) If the Company shall be wound up, whether voluntarily or otherwise, the Liquidator may, with the sanction of an Extraordinary Resolution, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trust for the benefit of the contributories as the Liquidator with the like sanction shall think fit.

(2) If thought expedient, any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories (except where unalterably fixed by the Memorandum of Association), and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights, or may be excluded altogether or in part, but in default of any such provision the assets shall, subject to the rights of the holders of shares issued with special rights or privileges or on special conditions, be distributed rateably according to the amount paid or credited as paid up on the shares; but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on, any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby shall have a right to dissent and ancillary rights as if such determination were a Special Resolution.

(3) In case any of the shares to be divided as aforesaid involve a liability to calls or otherwise, any person entitled under such division to any of the said shares may within ten days after the passing of the Extraordinary Resolution, by notice in writing, direct the Liquidator to sell his proportion and pay him the net proceeds, and the Liquidator shall, if practicable, act accordingly.

## INDEMNITY.

168. The Directors, Managing Director, Managers, Agents, Auditors, Secretary, and other officers or servants for the time being of the Company, and the trustees (if any) for the time being acting in relation to any of the affairs of the Company, and every of them, and every of their heirs, executors, and administrators, shall be indemnified and secured harmless out of the assets and profits of the Company from and against all actions, costs, charges, losses, damages, and expenses which they or any of them, their or any of their heirs, executors, or administrators shall or may incur or sustain by or by reason of any contract entered into or any act done, concurred in, or omitted in or about the execution of their duty or supposed duty in their respective offices or trusts, except such (if any) as they shall incur or sustain by or through their own wilful act, neglect, or default respectively, and none of them shall be answerable for the acts, receipts, neglect, or defaults of the other or others of them, or for joining in any receipt for the sake of conformity, or for any bankers or other persons with whom any moneys or effects belonging to the Company shall or may be lodged or deposited for safe custody, or for any bankers, brokers, or other persons into whose hands any money of the Company may come, or for any defect of title of the Company to any property purchased, or for insufficiency or deficiency of or defect of title of the Company to any security upon which any moneys of or belonging to the Company shall be placed out of invested, or for any loss, misfortune, or damage resulting from any such cause as aforesaid, or which may happen in the execution of their respective offices or trusts, or in relation thereto, except the same shall happen by or through their own wilful neglect or default respectively.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names, at Colombo, this Twenty-ninth day of November, One thousand Nine hundred and Thirteen.

W. SHAKSPEARE (by his attorney H. C. BIBBY).

H. C. BIBBY.

G. LIONEL COX.

A. WARDEN (by his attorney H. C. BIBBY).

JEAN SHAKSPEARE (by her attorney H. C. BIBBY).

K. M. F. BIBBY (by her attorney H. C. BIBBY).

A. PELLY FRY.

L. DES CLAYES.

W. S. THORNTON.

J. ROBSON.

Witness to the signatures of W. SHAKSPEARE, H. C. BIBBY, G. LIONEL COX, A. WARDEN, JEAN SHAKSPEARE, K. M. F. BIBBY, A. PELLY FRY, L. DES CLAYES, W. S. THORNTON, and J. ROBSON :

LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

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The Pambagolla Planters, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Julius and Creasy, No. 9, Queen street, Colombo, at noon on Tuesday, January 6, 1914.

*Business.*

To consider, and, if approved, to pass the following special resolution.

That the Pambagolla Planters, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.

By order of the Board,

BOUSTEAD BROS.,

Colombo, December 9, 1913. Agents and Secretaries.

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Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in partition case No. 35,364C of the District Court of Colombo, I shall put up for sale by public auction on January 26, 1914, at 4 P.M. at the spot:—All that lot marked A in the plan dated February 17, 1913, of an allotment of land with the buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 28, situated at Mosque lane in St. Paul's Ward, Colombo.

The said premises will first be put up for sale amongst the co-owners at the price at which the same has been appraised, and if there be no bidders amongst them over the said price the same will be put up for sale to the highest bidder amongst the public.

Colombo, December 10, 1913.

M. PIERIS,  
Auctioneer.

Sale under Mortgage Decree *20.11.13*

In the District Court of Negombo *8367*  
Philippu Peris Suse Pulle of Etagala..... Plaintiff.  
No. 9,388. Vs.

(1) Valerian Fernando Suse Pulle and wife (2)  
Isabel Fernando Juwan Pulle, both of Welihena ..... Defendants.

UNDER instructions received from the District Court of Negombo in the above action, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, December 20, 1913, at 4 P.M., at the spot:—

The undivided  $\frac{2}{3}$  share of the land called Weerahena, in extent about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acre, situate at Welihena; the entire land being bounded on the north by the fence separating the land of Samel Fernando, east by the fences separating the gardens of Chakkrawarthige Anthony Fernando and others, south by the fence separating the garden of Christogu

Fernando and others, and west by the fence separating the garden of Anthony Fernando and by a road.

Further particulars may be ascertained from D. L. E. Amarasinghe, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Negombo, or from me.

S. R. PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Negombo.

Mary Ethel Spaar, assisted by her husband Morby Spaar of Katugastota in Kandy, and another....Plaintiffs.

No. 9,268. Vs.

- (1) Arthenayakemudalige Caronchi Appuhamy Vedarala and (2) ditto Davith Sinno Appuhamy, both of Etiyawala.....Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree in the above-named action and the order issued to me, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction at the respective spots:—

On Monday, January 5, 1914.

At 10 A.M.

(1) Fifty-eight undivided sixty-third parts of the portion of land called Madangahawatta and Rukkattanegahawatta, situated at Katukenda; entire land in extent 2 bushels and 1 peck of nachcheri sowing.

At 10.30 A.M.

(2) Ten undivided fourteenth parts of the land called Rukkattanegahawattakabella, situated at Katukenda; entire land in extent about 1 acre.

On Tuesday, January 6, 1914

At 10 A.M.

(3) One undivided eighth part of the land called Siyam-balagahawatta (excluding 9 coconut trees and the soil thereof), situated at Etiyawela; entire land in extent about 5 measures nachcheri sowing.

At 10.15 A.M.

(4) One undivided eighth part of the land called Rukkath-thanegahawatta, situated at Etiyawela; entire land in extent about 2 pecks nachcheri sowing.

At 10.30 A.M.

(5) One undivided sixteenth part of the field called Halgahakumbura, situated at Etiyawela; entire field in extent about 6 parras paddy sowing.

At 10.45 A.M.

(6) One undivided eighth part of the field called Midellagahakumbura and watta, situated at Etiyawela; entire premises in extent about 3 acres.

At 11 A.M.

(7) One undivided fourth part of the field called Madangahakumbura (excluding the road opened up through the same), situated at Etiyawela; entire field in extent about 8 parras paddy sowing.

At 11.15 A.M.

(8) One undivided fourteenth part of the field called Halkumbura and the pillawa appurtenant thereto, situated at Etiyawela; entire premises in extent about 6 parras paddy sowing.

At 11.30 A.M.

(9) The land called Kohombegahawatta, situated at Etiyawela, containing in extent about 6 acres 2 roods and 25 perches.

The above premises are declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,896.50, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from July 22, 1913, till payment in full, and costs of suit.

Further particulars may be ascertained from S. C. Sansoni, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Negombo, or from—

Negombo, December 1, 1913.

M. P. KURERA,  
Auctioneer.

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, UBERIS SAMARAWICKRAMA, of Godagama, within the Four Gravets of Matara, do hereby give notice, in terms of Rule 2 of Schedule 1B of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Matara.

Godagama, December 5, 1913. U. SAMARAWICKRAMA.

**Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.**

I, THOMAS MATTHEW FERNANDO, of Fairlight, Chilaw, and presently practising as a Proctor of the District Court of Chilaw, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Supreme Court.

Chilaw, December 11, 1913.

T. M. FERNANDO.

**All Saints' Church, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.**

A MEETING of the Seatholders of All Saints' Church, Hulftsdorp, Colombo, will be held at the vestry of the Church on Sunday, the 28th instant, at 5.15 P.M., in accordance with the provisions of section 10 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year 1914.

Hulftsdorp, December 10, 1913.

H. B. GOONATILAKA,  
Incumbent.

**St. John's Church, Kalutara.**

A MEETING of the Members of the Congregation of St. John's Church, Kalutara, will be held in the vestry of the said Church on Sunday, December 28, at 6.15 P.M., for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year 1914, in accordance with the requirements of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846.

St. John's,  
Kalutara, December 5, 1913.

J. S. H. EDIRISINGHE,  
Incumbent.

**Holy Trinity Church, Colombo.**

A MEETING of the Seatholders of Holy Trinity Church, Colombo, will be held in that Church on Sunday, December 28, immediately after the 9 A.M. Service, to elect Trustees and Auditor for the year 1914, and to discuss such other business as may arise.

M. J. BURROWS,  
Acting Vicar.

**Christ Church, Matale.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Congregation of Christ Church, Matale, will be held at the Vestry on Sunday, December 21, 1913, at 5.30 P.M. to elect three Trustees for the said Church for the year 1914.

Matale, December 1, 1913.

A. S. AMARASEKARA,  
Incumbent.

**St. Clement's Church, Puttalam.**

A MEETING of the Congregation of St. Clement's Church Puttalam, will be held in the Church on Sunday, December 28, at 5.30 P.M., for the purpose of electing Trustees for the ensuing year, under Ordinance No. 12 of 1846.

Puttalam, December 3, 1913.

D. M. R. JAYATUNGE,  
Acting Treasurer.

## St. James's Church, Chilaw.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the 10th clause of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, a Meeting of the Congregation of St. James's Church, Chilaw, will be held in the Vestry on Sunday, December 21, 1913, at 6.15 P.M., for the purpose of electing Trustees for the ensuing year.

St. James's Parsonage, Chilaw, December 1, 1913. ARUL. R. VIRASINGHE,  
Incumbent.

## St. John the Baptist Church, Kegalla.

A MEETING of the Seatholders of St. John the Baptist Church, Kegalla, will be held on Saturday, December 20, 1913, at 8.30 A.M., in the Vestry of the Church to elect three Trustees for the year 1914, as provided for in Ordinance No. 12 of 1846.

Kegalla, December 3, 1913. ELLIAN ONDAATHE,  
Hon. Secretary of Trustees.

## 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 October 25, 1913, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated October 21, 1913.

*Present* :—The Hon. Mr. G. S. Saxton, Chairman ; Mr. E. Beven ; Mr. L. H. S. Pieris ; Mr. E. L. Wijegoonewardene ; Mr. D. E. Weerasooria ; Mr. C. A. LaBrooy ; and Dr. Allan de Saram.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on September 20 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 1912 to September 30, 1913, 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 September.
- (d) Statement of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of Work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of September.
- (e) The Reservoir Readings for September.

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, Standpipes, and House Service Taps inspected during September.

4. Correspondence :—

(1) Letter No. 17 of October 8, 1913, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary intimating that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to sanction the expenditure of Rs. 300 towards the cost of presenting an address of welcome, encased in a silver casket, to Sir Robert Chalmers on the occasion of his visit to Kandy.—Read.

(2) Letter No. 18 of October 16, 1913, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary intimating that if the Kandy Municipal Council decide to build a bridge over the river at Lewella, Government will be prepared to sanction the levy of a toll under section 130 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.—Read.

(3) Letter of October 6, 1913, from the Director of Agriculture to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary *re* extension of Kandy water service to Peradeniya Gardens referred to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.

Resolved—That Government be informed that the extension of the water service to Peradeniya is under consideration.

(4) Letter No. 3,105 of October 20, 1913, from the Inspector-General of Police *re* rules regarding motor horns.—Read.

(5) Letter of September 24, 1913, from Mr. H. F. Tomalin, drawing attention to an inaccuracy in the list of members present at the July Meeting of Council. The error was rectified, and Mr. H. F. Tomalin's name inserted in place of that of Mr. W. C. Price.

(6) Letter No. 901 of October 10, 1913, from the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, *re* leak in the Kandy reservoir.

Mr. Beven moved—That the suggestion made by Mr. Tomalin in his report dated October 10, 1913, be adopted, that the works proposed by him be immediately carried out, and that a vote of Rs. 6,500 be taken on account. That the Council also thank Mr. Tomalin for his report and the plan prepared by him and for his promise to assist the Superintendent of Works in carrying out the work. Mr. LaBrooy seconded.—Carried.

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Beven asked—Why the contract for the construction of drains in Malabar street was given out without the consent of Council and without calling for tenders by advertisement, and moved for papers.

The Chairman replied that no such contract as contemplated had been entered into with any one, but that the work was done in sections on agreements sanctioned by him on a specification approved by the Provincial Engineer, Central Province. This was the system followed here previously, and one that obtained in other Municipalities as well as in the Public Works Department. He asked the Secretary to send all the connected papers to Mr. Beven for his information.

6. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Weerasooria asked—(1) (a) Whether pork of animals slaughtered outside the Kandy Municipal limits and brought from Ja-ela and elsewhere is being sold at Katukele pork stall in breach of by-law No. 70 ; (b) if so, what steps the Council intends taking to put a stop to such sales ; (c) whether the said pork stall is specially licensed in terms of by-law No. 61 ; (d) why the said pork stall should not be located in the public market.

(2) For a statement showing (a) the number of times the Halloluwa road (Lady Blake's Drive) has been metalled since January, 1906 ; (b) the distance of road metalled each time ; (c) the cost of each metalling.

(3) (a) Whether any application has been made to the Council from some of the residents of Katukele for a road from the Railway level crossing near the Young Women's Christian Association building to the small bridge below the Government outdoor dispensary ; (b) whether the Council has considered the said application ; (c) what reply, if any, has been sent by the Council in regard to it.



In regard to (1) the Chairman said that about ten years back the Council had agreed to allow the license on the special condition that no pigs were to be brought into the Municipality for slaughter, and he saw no reason to interfere with this decision of Council. The present pork stall is specially licensed in terms of by-law 61, and as regards locating the pork stall in the public market he did not think such a thing should be done as the majority of butchers in the market happened to be Muhammadans. Papers to be sent to Mr. Weerasooria.

The statement called for in (2) was to be prepared by the Superintendent of Works and furnished to Mr. Weerasooria at an early date.

As regards (3) the Chairman said that there had been one of two applications. He himself had gone round with Mr. Buultjens, but he failed to see what real benefit would be derived through the opening of the proposed road. If Mr. Weerasooria desired he could have the papers, and the Council would be glad to consider any suggestion he, as member for that Ward, wished to make.

7. With the leave of the Council, Mr. Wijegoonewardene asked—(1) Whether the land for the construction of the public latrine sanctioned by Council for Peradeniya road has been acquired, and when the work is likely to be put in hand.

(2) Whether any sum has been expended out of the vote this year for the extension of drains along Peradeniya road, and if so how much; if not, when the extension work will be commenced.

In regard to (1) the Chairman replied that the acquisition proceedings were still going on, and that the matter was now in the hands of the Surveyor-General, to whom authority had been issued for the survey of the land.

In regard to (2) he referred the Member to resolution 6 passed at the Meeting of the 17th May last, according to which 2,750 ft. of drain were to be first built along Malabar street, and the balance available from vote of Rs. 10,000 then expended on building drains along Peradeniya road. The former work being still in hand, the extension along Peradeniya road had not been commenced yet.

8. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Beven moved—That the services of an expert Engineer be engaged to report (a) on the water supply system of Kandy; (b) whether the supply can be increased at a moderate cost; (c) what steps have to be taken to secure the additional supply; (d) whether the present reservoir can be enlarged or, if not, whether a new one will have to be constructed. Mr. LaBrooy seconded.

On the Chairman's suggestion, Mr. Beven amended his motion as follows:—That Government be asked to request the Director of Public Works or some other expert Engineer to submit a report, for which this Council is prepared to pay (a) on the water supply system of Kandy; (b) whether the supply can be increased at a moderate cost; (c) what steps have to be taken to secure the additional supply; (d) whether the present reservoir can be enlarged or, if not, whether a new one will have to be constructed. Mr. LaBrooy seconded.

Mr. Weerasooria pointed out that they had already on record almost complete information on the points dealt with in Mr. Beven's motion, and he was of opinion that, with the assistance of Mr. Tomalin, some scheme might be formulated, and if the Council thought the scheme should be carried out, then they might consider the advisability of engaging the services of an expert Engineer.

Mr. Wijegoonewardene supported Mr. Weerasooria, and moved as an amendment—That all the papers in connection with the reservoir and an additional water supply be referred to Mr. Tomalin, for his report with reference to Mr. Beven's motion as to whether by the diversion of the Hal-oya stream it is possible to keep the present reservoir at continual spill level and whether at that level the present reservoir will be adequate to supply the demand.

The Chairman said that from what he could gather all the members seemed anxious to get Mr. Tomalin to report on the subject. According to the original motion as amended the question would be referred to the Director of Public Works, who would naturally refer it to Mr. Tomalin, the Provincial Engineer. He thought a rider might be added to the effect that the Council would be pleased to have the report from Mr. Tomalin.

Mr. Wijegoonewardene accordingly withdrew his amendment, and the original motion as amended was put to the Meeting and carried unanimously.

The Council also authorized the Chairman in forwarding the resolution to add that they would be pleased to have the matter referred to Mr. Tomalin.

9. Pursuant to notice Mr. LaBrooy moved—That a Special Committee be appointed to select and purchase ornamental and shade trees, and to choose the places where they should be planted. Mr. Beven seconded.—Carried.

Mr. Pieris and the mover were appointed to serve on the Committee.

10. Pursuant to notice Mr. LaBrooy moved—That a Special Committee be appointed to consider what improvements should be made to the public market, and whether any revision in the rates at present charged as rent for the stalls is necessary. Mr. Wijegoonewardene seconded.—Carried.

The following were appointed members of the Committee:—Messrs. Beven, Pieris, and the mover.

11. Pursuant to notice, Mr. LaBrooy moved—That a new latrine be built on a site further removed from the market than that in which the present one stands to take the place of the existing latrine, and that pending the erection of such new latrine, steps be taken to make the present one fly-proof. Mr. Weerasooria seconded.

After some discussion it was agreed to ask the Superintendent of Works to consult the Provincial Engineer and submit a report on the subject.

12. To sanction ten days' leave in excess of thirty days allowed to Mr. H. B. Senanayake, Recordkeeper, owing to illness. Resolved that the sanction be granted.

13. Recommendations of Standing Committees:—

#### *Finance and Assessment.*

(1) That the Assistant Superintendent of Municipal Works be given a commuted travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per mensem.

(2) That the following tenders for ferry tolls be accepted:—Lewella ferry, Rs. 3,012; Halloluwa ferry, Rs. 1,025; Gonawatte ferry, Rs. 135.

#### *Municipal Works.*

(3) That the market be lighted with 6 electric lamps from 10 P.M. till morning at Rs. 35 per mensem.

(4) That the following estimates be sanctioned:—(a) Cement concrete drain at the back of premises 61 to 75, Peradeniya road, Rs. 461; (b) cement concrete drain on the western side of the Convent, Rs. 441.79; (c) that waste land No. 1, Lady Gordon's road, be acquired at the expense of Mr. Lambert Pieris, and that the drain that forms one of the boundaries of the land be built by the Council at a cost of Rs. 70.

(5) That house-service pipes be allowed on usual terms to (i.) 759 and 760, Peradeniya road, F. W. P. Goonewardene; (ii.) 27, Peradeniya road, A. M. Meeya Lebbe; (iii.) 399, Trincomalee street, Kiri Veda Henaya; (iv.) St. Anthony's College, Rev. D. Caspersz; (v.) 266, Peradeniya road, N. Ibrahim.



## Progress Report of Works done.

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted for the Year.		Expenditure.		Total.	Unexpended Balance.	
		Rs.	c.	During Oct., 1913.	Up to Sept., 1913.		Rs.	c.
1	Upkeep of pavements ..	2,839	0	196 41a	2,428 81	2,614 22	224	78
2	Town streets ..	8,300	0	753 52b	4,980 48	5,734 0	2,566	0
3	Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's roads ..	1,000	0	72 56c	653 27	725 83	274	17
4	Udawattekole roads ..	2,200	0	324 31d	1,185 28	1,059 59	690	41
5	Halloluwa, Bahirawakanda, Hospital, and Haduhumpola roads ..	1,900	0	143 68e	1,542 74	1,686 42	213	58
6	Municipal buildings ..	2,160	0	384 51f	1,153 34	1,537 85	622	15
7	Watering streets ..	1,560	35	29 50g	789 76	819 26	741	9
8	Market buildings ..	2,110	0	315 70h	1,226 54	1,542 24	567	76
9	Ornamental trees ..	496	0	38 95i	334 23	373 18	122	82
10	Tools ..	600	0	29 85j	485 7	514 92	85	8
11	Bathing and dhobies' tanks ..	155	0	3 75k	80 27	84 2	70	98
12	Recreation ground and esplanade ..	1,000	0	69 99l	528 86	598 85	401	15
13	Sundry minor works ..	1,033	60	45 91m	294 57	340 48	693	12
14	Repairs to cemetery-keeper's house ..	20	0	4 0n	0 15	4 15	15	85
15	Wace park ..	435	0	37 83o	232 39	269 22	165	78
16	Cement concrete on pathway, Castle Hill street ..	766	0	—	689 25	689 25	76	75
17	Repairs to carriage and ricksha stands ..	100	0	45 67p	50 52	96 19	3	81
18	Town drainage ..	2,989	0	77 40q	930 90	2,008 30	980	70
19	Public seats, maintenance ..	220	0	55 12r	110 57	165 69	54	31
20	Lady Blake's drive ..	570	0	71 1s	166 68	237 69	332	31
A	Clearing vegetation ..	300	0	—	299 87	299 87	0	13
B	Clearing silt from side drains ..	495	0	—	288 71	288 71	206	29
C	Opening and covering in pits ..	2,880	0	366 98t	2,106 52	2,473 50	406	50
D, E, & F	Ferry boats ..	925	0	211 54u	434 87	646 41	278	59
G	House of shelter ..	435	0	40 17v	294 31	334 48	100	52
H	Waterworks maintenance ..	4,746	0	361 10w	2,160 74	3,521 84	1,224	16
I	Maintenance of two fountains ..	80	0	—	30 0	30 0	50	0
	Scavenging streets ..	18,000	0	1,478 10x	3,009 96	14,488 6	3,511	94
	Lake silt ..	3,000	0	175 75y	2,558 51	2,734 26	265	74
	House service ..	1,000	0	188 88z	1,147 86	1,336 74	—	—
21	Land above old Garrison cemetery ..	182	50	14 50aa	127 50	142 0	40	50
22	Constructing a drain and retaining wall ..	210	0	9 50bb	175 79	185 29	24	71
23	Building a masonry latrine at market ..	1,151	77	197 0cc	—	197 0	954	77
24	Building a Horbury latrine at Malabar street ..	770	0	2 96dd	936 33	739 29	30	71
25	Improvements to Mosque road ..	473	0	—	337 69	337 69	337	69
26	Improvements to Bahirawakanda road ..	468	3	101 22ee	1 46	102 68	365	35
27	Constructing a set of cooly lines ..	3,155	50	—	3,155 73	3,155 73	—	—
28	Laying cement concrete to floor around P. C. latrine ..	161	70	—	147 0	147 0	14	70
29	Building a masonry latrine at Peradeniya ..	1,151	77	—	979 95	979 95	171	82
30	Landslips ..	1,288	75	—	1,288 23	1,288 23	0	52
31	Building culverts on Halloluwa road ..	550	0	23 50ff	280 53	299 3	250	97
32	Forfit urinals for market latrine ..	475	0	—	483 55	483 55	—	—
33	Improvements to Municipal office ..	700	0	—	—	—	700	0
34	Drainage ..	5,250	0	87 48gg	1,320 55	1,408 3	3,841	97
31 of 11	Treating town streets with Gregsonite ..	5,899	28	28 75hh	2,101 13	2,129 88	3,769	40

(a) Repaired 10 manhole covers Rs. 28·05, cleared silt from barrel drains Rs. 77·69, repaired barrel drains Rs. 18·11, cost of cement, iron, &c., Rs. 35·44, 9 gratings fixed Rs. 8·48, cleared gratings Rs. 28·64 = Rs. 196·41.

(b) 40 cubes of metal broken and transported Rs. 337·72, 54 cubes metal spread and consolidated Rs. 188·75, 23 cubes gravel excavated and transported Rs. 68·75, 2½ miles side drains deepened Rs. 26, 2½ miles jungle cleared Rs. 8·04, cleared landslips Rs. 41·71, 2½ miles sides reduced Rs. 48·05, 2 miles sides reduced in footpath round Victoria bund Rs. 36·50 = Rs. 753·52.

(c) 7 cubes gravel excavated and transported Rs. 21, 23½ cubes gravel spread Rs. 12·04, cleared landslips Rs. 30·52, overseer's pay Rs. 9 = Rs. 72·56.

(d) 35 cubes gravel excavated and transported Rs. 83·50, 28 cubes gravel spread Rs. 14·05, 2½ miles side drains deepened Rs. 27·08, 2½ miles side drains deepened Rs. 27·08, 2½ miles jungle cleared Rs. 16·25, wages of store coolies and line watchers and sweepers Rs. 45·27, paid forest overseer's coolies Rs. 35, cleared landslips Rs. 60·78, 2½ miles sides reduced Rs. 23·72, wages of overseer Rs. 16·50, contingencies Rs. 2·16 = Rs. 324·31.

(e) 6·75 cubes metal transported Rs. 21·75, 2 miles gravel excavated and transported Rs. 6, deepened side drains Rs. 18·25, cleared jungle Rs. 10·32, cleared landslips Rs. 69·11, reduced sides Rs. 18·25 = Rs. 143·68.

(f) 28 sq. shifting tiles in Mahaiyawa lines and exposing shed, 33 sq. whitewashing exposing shed, rebuilding lines near market quarry, 57·37 sq. whitewashing ambalams, and 32·06 sq. shifting tiles in ambalams Rs. 313·36, 19 sq. shifting tiles in office and repaired store Rs. 25·47, repaired 4 latrines Rs. 45·68 = Rs. 384·51.

(g) Hire of bullocks for watering streets = Rs. 29·50.

(h) 8 cubes metal excavated and transported Rs. 60, 1 sq. walls lined with minton tiles Rs. 29·63, 4 butchers' blocks Rs. 32, renewed 140 lineal ft. valley gutters, cost of galvanized iron, &c., Rs. 125·62, repaired stalls Rs. 22·70, repaired electric cable Rs. 45·75 = Rs. 315·70.

- (i) Trimmed hedges and cut overhanging branches = Rs. 38·95.  
 (j) Cost of tools = Rs. 29·85.  
 (k) Cleared drain from bathing tank = Rs. 3·75.  
 (l) Mowed grass and removed Rs. 30, wages of watcher Rs. 12·40, weeded grounds Rs. 18·99, contingencies Rs. 8·60, = Rs. 69·99.  
 (m) Repaired fences = Rs. 45·91.  
 (n) Cost of half cart lime = Rs. 4.  
 (o) Weeded grounds and swept Rs. 24·36, wages of watcher Rs. 13·02, contingencies 45 cents = Rs. 37·83.  
 (p) Repaired carriage and ricksha stands = Rs. 45·67.  
 (q) Wages of night watcher Rs. 7·60, cleared metal quarry Rs. 37·46, made drain maulds Rs. 32·34 = Rs. 77·40.  
 (r) Repaired seats = Rs. 55·12.  
 (s) Cleared landslips Rs. 43·75, painted hand rails Rs. 27·26 = Rs. 71·01.  
 (t) Earthwork in opening and covering in pits Rs. 192·88, cleared jungle and drains Rs. 11·85, 15 cubes metal broken and transported Rs. 123·50, wages of overseer Rs. 38·75 = Rs. 366·98.  
 (u) Cost of two dug out canoes Rs. 200, repaired Halloluwa ferry boat Rs. 11·54 = Rs. 211·54.  
 (v) 75·50 sq. white and colour washed Rs. 24·67, wages of watcher Rs. 15·50 = Rs. 40·17.  
 (w) Repaired standposts, mains, &c., Rs. 141·26, weeded round reservoir and cleared out water weeds Rs. 51·97, supplied grass to exposing shed Rs. 45·25, wages of watchers Rs. 124·62 = Rs. 361·10.  
 (x) Swept streets and removed household rubbish Rs. 1,248·63, burnt rubbish Rs. 49·05, flushed drains Rs. 180·42 = Rs. 1,478·10.  
 (y) Removed silt from lake and silt traps Rs. 158·79, repaired dredger Rs. 16·96 = Rs. 175·75.  
 (z) Laid pipes to four private houses = Rs. 188·88.  
 (aa) Wages of watcher = Rs. 14·50.  
 (bb) Built retaining wall = Rs. 9·50.  
 (cc) Cost of 11,000 bricks and 4 carts lime = Rs. 197.  
 (dd) Cost of 8 pipes = Rs. 2·96.  
 (ee) 1½ cube metal transported Rs. 10·02, built drain Rs. 91·20 = Rs. 101·22.  
 (ff) Wedged stones = Rs. 23·50.  
 (gg) Wedged stones and built drain = Rs. 87·48.  
 (hh) Hire of tar boiler Rs. 10, laid Gregsonite Rs. 18·75 = Rs. 28·75.

November 21, 1913.

G. FRED. BUULTJENS,  
Superintendent of Works.**Health Officer's Report for October, 1913.***Scavenging.*—Satisfactory.*Water Supply.*—Good.*Drainage.*—The drains were flushed and kept clean.*Alleys.*—These were kept in as sanitary a state as possible.*Bakeries.*—Fairly well kept.*Eating-houses.*—Fairly well kept.*Public Market.*—Clean and well kept.*Slaughter-house.*—Clean and well kept.*Night Soil Depot.*—Well kept.*Public Latrines.*—Fairly well kept.

*Food Supply.*—Good. During the month 491 cattle, 153 buffaloes, 91 sheep, and 395 goats were passed. Nine head of cattle, 1 buffalo, 2 sheep, and 5 goats were rejected; 5 livers and 6 lungs of cattle, 8 livers and 1 lung of buffaloes, 3 livers of sheep, and 5 livers, 28 lungs, and 1 spleen of goats were condemned and destroyed.

*Public Health.*—The health of the town during the month was good. Forty-seven cases of chickenpox, 2 cases of measles, and 2 cases of enteric fever were reported.

Geo. P. HAY, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.), L.E.P. & S. (Glas.),  
Medical Officer of Health.**MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.****Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall on Friday, October 24, 1913.**

THE Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated October 17, 1913.

*Present.*—Mr. E. B. Alexander, Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; Mr. L. B. Fernando; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. H. L. de Mel; Mr. E. G. Jayewardene; Dr. David Rockwood; Mr. A. J. Martin; Dr. D. P. Banajee; Dr. E. V. Ratnam; Dr. W. P. Rodrigo; Mr. W. Sutherland Ross; the Hon. Dr. G. J. Rutherford; and Mr. G. Lionel Cox.

1. The minutes of the General Meeting of September 26, 1913, and of the Special Meeting of October 11, 1913, having been previously printed, and copies thereof having been circulated to each member of Council, were taken as read. Resolved that the minutes of the General Meeting of September 26, 1913, and of the Special Meeting of October 11, 1913, be confirmed.

3. The Chairman, with leave of Council, said that he would first take up item No. 3 on the agenda, and pursuant to notice moved that this Council do place on record their deep regret at the sad death of the late Mr. H. A. Jayewardene, Member for New Bazaar Ward, and their high appreciation of the valuable services rendered by him to the Council; also that he be commissioned, as their Chairman, to convey to the late Mr. Jayewardene's sorrowing relatives the condolences of this Council. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried unanimously.

2. Pursuant to notice, Dr. E. V. Ratnam asked the Chairman when Chekku street was last re-metalled, *i.e.*, previous to the Council Meeting of September 26, 1913.

The Chairman replied that the road in question was last fully repaired in 1910, and that minor repairs have been effected since then.

3. Pursuant to notice, Dr. E. V. Ratnam moved that the public drains of the city, particularly those in the congested areas, be regularly scrubbed and flushed twice a day. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo seconded.

Mr. W. Sutherland Ross moved as an amendment that the matter be referred to the Standing Committee on Works and Sanitation. Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded.

The Chairman undertook to forward to the Ward Members copies of the time tables for scavenging, to enable members to inform the Chairman if the time table is not strictly adhered to.

Dr. E. V. Ratnam withdrew his motion in favour of the amendment, which was carried.

The Chairman, with leave of Council, made a statement with regard to the recent floods and to the damage caused thereby to Municipal property, e.g., the Urugodawatta and Sedawatta bridges, several culverts, and the enteric hospital. He moved that this Council do provide a sum of Rs. 7,340 on account of repairs to damages of Municipal property by flood. Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman informed the Council that he had called upon the Assessor to prepare a return of the number of damaged properties belonging to private owners. The number reported damaged was 272, the number of houses altogether demolished was 331, making a total of 603. The amount of consolidated rates for the fourth quarter, which would have to be remitted in consequence of such damaged properties, had been ascertained so far to be Rs. 3,177. He explained that he had consulted the Government Agent, who did not consider a public meeting for relief funds necessary. The situation, however, called for immediate action, and he suggested that a small committee, consisting of the members of the wards which had suffered by the floods, be appointed to inquire into the damages in each case and report as to what relief should be given. In this the committee would be greatly assisted if each member would ask two leading residents of his ward to help him in his inspections and in estimating the damages.

Resolved that the following members do constitute the Special Committee appointed to inquire into and report on the flood damages:—Mr. L. B. Fernando, Mr. H. L. de Mel, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, Dr. David Rockwood, Mr. A. J. Martin, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo, Mr. W. Sutherland Ross.

The Chairman said that he had the papers in connection with the floods of 1904, and these were ready for circulation to the members whenever required.

5, 6, and 7. The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of October 15, 1913, on Municipal Works of October 17, 1913, and on Finance of October 17, 1913, having been previously printed and circulated, were laid before the Council:—

*Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of October 15, 1913.*

- (4) To sanction a supplementary vote of Rs. 500 to meet the cost of clearing the contents of the intercepting tank built for the discharge of liquid waste from the sheep slaughter shed, Vote H (a) 28, Sanitation.—Recommended. The Chairman is requested to ascertain what the cost of removal is likely to be annually, as the cost appears to be somewhat high.
- (5) To consider the question of the appointment of an Assistant Medical Officer of Health. Recommended that his salary should be from Rs. 5,000 to Rs. 10,500 by annual increments of Rs. 250, and that he should for the first three years be under an agreement, also that his allowance should be Rs. 720. Recommended that the post should be advertised in all the local papers.
- (6) The City Sanitation Engineer's report on the Madampitiya experimental works. The City Sanitation Engineer's suggestions are recommended.

*Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of October 17, 1913.*

- (2) Estimate for improvements to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Liveramentu cemetery, Rs. 2,400.—Recommended.
- (3) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 300 on account of improvements to Madampitiya cemetery.—Recommended.
- (4) To sanction an estimate for a roadside drain opposite Old Kolonnawa road, Rs. 500.—Recommended.

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- (2) Estimate for improvements to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Liveramentu cemetery, Rs. 2,400.—Recommended.
- (3) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 300 on account of improvements to Madampitiya cemetery.—Recommended.
- (4) To sanction an estimate for a roadside drain opposite No. 76, Old Kolonnawa road, Rs. 500.—Recommended.
- (5) To sanction a supplementary vote of Rs. 500 to meet the cost of clearing the contents of the intercepting tank built for the discharge of liquid waste from the sheep slaughter shed, Vote H (a) 28, Sanitation.—Recommended.
- (6) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 687.50 on account of payment of half salary due to Dr. Marshall Philip.—Recommended.
- (7) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 180 on account of salary of Martin Costa, messenger of the Kanatta cemetery.—Recommended.
- (8) To sanction a vote for Rs. 3,559 on account of compensation awarded for acquisition of lot L 39, Kotahena ward, Blomendahl road.—Recommended.
- (9) To sanction the payment of an allowance of Rs. 14 from the Budget Vote L 6 or L 11 to the following clerks of the Assessor's Department on account of overtime work:—(1) Mr. M. A. Mendis, (2) Mr. M. A. C. Benjamin, (3) Mr. Mohamed Sameen.—Recommended.
- (10) To sanction the payment of an advance of Rs. 300 for a second-hand motor bicycle for Overseer Thomasz of the Works Department.—Recommended.
- (11) To sanction the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 618.66 to Seyadoris, carpenter, Works Department.—Recommended.
- (12) Proposal to raise the dry goods stall rents at Dean's road market from Rs. 8.75 to Rs. 12 per mensem.—Recommended.
- (13) Selection of Fireman H. R. Pentin for the post of Assistant Superintendent, Fire Brigade.—Recommended.
- (14) Papers in connection with the proposed dispensaries at St. Paul's and New Bazaar Wards.—Recommended a vote of Rs. 8,500.
- (15) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 2,329.51 in payment of the lawyers' fees in connection with D. C. case No. 33,681 (Wijeyaratna vs. Municipal Council).—Recommended.
- (16) To sanction Messrs. Wijeyeratne, Chellappah, and Francis being placed upon the Fixed Establishment on salaries of Rs. 504.—Recommended.
- (17) Land acquisition case, D. C. 2,379, in regard to lot M 32, property No. 13, Kew road: To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 4,934 on account of the original award.—Recommended.
- (18) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 50 under D 1 to meet the extra payments to peons of the Finance Department.—Recommended.
- (19) To sanction the following transfers to the stationery vote of the Secretariat:—From Finance Department Rs. 1,000, D 8; from Works Department Rs. 1,000, I 7; from Health Department Rs. 1,000, H 11.—Sanctioned.
- (20) Payment of a gratuity of Rs. 1,925 to Mrs. Robinson.—Recommended.
- (22) To consider the question of the appointment of an Assistant Medical Officer of Health.—Recommended Rs. 5,000 to Rs. 10,500 by annual increments of Rs. 250 and an allowance of Rs. 720.
- (23) To sanction that the salary of the Chairman's chauffeur be raised from Rs. 55 to Rs. 80 per mensem.—Recommended.

- (24) Application from B. L. M. Haniffa for land at Jampettah street and Panchikawatta adjoining "Mill View."—Recommended that the question of the Panchikawatta site stand over and that the application for the Jampettah sites should be approved.
- (25) Question of an under-payment in respect of pension to Mr. E. Peries, late cemetery-keeper, Madampitiya.—Recommended that he should be given what he is legally entitled to, viz., a double tropical allowance, but that the pension minute should be amended to prevent the recurrence of a similar anomaly.
- (26) Continued employment of Mr. W. D. Ingram, Foreman, Pumping Station.—Recommended for another year.

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

(Council in Committee.)

5. With reference to item No. 5 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of October 15, 1913, Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the initial salary of the Assistant Medical Officer of Health be fixed at Rs. 4,000 rising by annual increments of Rs. 250 to Rs. 8,000.—Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.

On a show of hands being taken the motion was declared lost, 6 voting for it and 8 against.

Dr. David Rockwood moved as an amendment that the initial salary be fixed at Rs. 5,000, rising by annual increments of Rs. 250 to Rs. 10,500, and that no allowances be granted.—Mr. A. J. Martin seconded.

On a show of hands being taken the amendment was declared carried, 9 voting for it and 5 against.

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of October 15, 1913, be adopted.

6. Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of October 17, 1913, be adopted.

7. With reference to item No. 22 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 17, 1913, it was resolved that the initial salary of the Assistant Medical Officer of Health be fixed at Rs. 5,000, rising by annual increments of Rs. 250 to Rs. 10,500, and that no allowances be granted.

With reference to item No. 24 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 17, 1913, it was resolved, on the motion of Mr. H. L. de Mel, seconded by the Chairman, that the application for both the sites, viz., Panchikawatta and Jampettah sites, be accepted.

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 17, 1913, be adopted.

The Chairman moved that the Council do resume, and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted. Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

8. To consider an application from the Honorary Secretary, Victoria Home for Incurables, for an annual contribution by Council towards the maintenance and upkeep of the Home for Incurables.

Resolved that the matter be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance.

9. Recommendations of the Special Committee, consisting of the four Standing Committees, appointed on June 27, 1913, to inquire into:—(a) The organization and prospects of the various branches of the Municipal service to revise salaries and allowances and to submit a proper incremental scheme and rules and regulations relating to the appointments, salaries, and promotions of Municipal officers; (b) salaries of the higher grade officers.

The Chairman said that at the Special Committee Meeting which was held on the 23rd instant only Major de Wilton and Dr. Rockwood were present, and in the absence of the other members certain proposals had been made tentatively which might be reconsidered at the Meeting of the Special Committee which was fixed for Monday, the 27th instant at 3 P.M. He said that the whole question of these salaries was rather a difficult matter to deal with, and suggested that the Hon. the Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer, the Hon. the Surveyor-General, and the Acting Director of Public Works, who had all had experience in the revision of salaries and the organization of big Departments, be added to the Committee. Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

Mr. H. L. de Mel moved and E. G. Jayewardene seconded that the following items of the agenda, viz., 10 to 15 be adopted.—Carried.

10. Supplemental Budget, 1912-13.

11. The City Analyst's reports on town water for September, 1913, and the Municipal Bacteriologist's report on town water for the month of September, 1913, were laid on the table.

12. The Progress Report No. 31 of the City Sanitation Engineer for September, 1913, having been previously printed and circulated, was laid on the table.

13. The Report of the Chief Resident Engineer of the Colombo Drainage Works for the month of September, 1913, having been previously printed and circulated, was laid on the table.

14. The Statements of Receipts and Disbursements from July 1, 1913, to September 31, 1913, and Progress Reports of Work done for September, 1913, were laid on the table.

15. The reports of Inspectors on licensed carriages for September, 1913, were laid on the table.

The following documents were also laid on the table:—

Return of Committees of the Municipal Council of 1913.

Proceedings of Committees.

Volunteer Band Programme for November, 1913.

Return of Average Daily Supply and Consumption of Water for August, 1913.

The Works Engineer's Report for September, 1913, on the Condition of Tramway Routes.

Report of the Municipal Bacteriologist of Work done during September, 1913.

Diaries of the following Officers for the month of September, 1913:—

The Works Engineer and his Assistants, Waterworks Engineer and his Assistants; Medical Officer of Health and his Assistants, Inspector of Private Buildings, City Sanitation Engineer and his Assistant, the Financial Assistant to the Chairman and the Officers of his Department, the Veterinary Surgeon and his Officers, and the City Analyst.

Confirmed on November 28, 1913:

R. W. BYRDE,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, and  
Mayor of Colombo.

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, and  
Mayor of Colombo.

## Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from July 1 to September 30, 1913.

## REVENUE.

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Receipts to Sept. 30, 1913.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Receipts to Sept. 30, 1913.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>A.—TAXES.</b>									
1 Commutation under the Road Ordinance ..	170,000	0	1,980	0	36 Recoveries for limewashing ..	500	0	—	—
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals ..	85,000	0	10,794	99	37 Clearing cesspit privies ..	200	0	345	18
3 Costs on recovery of ditto ..	400	0	169	65	38 Miscellaneous ..	100	0	—	—
<b>B.—LICENSES.</b>									
4 Carriages and rickshas ..	21,000	0	—	—	<b>H.—CATTLE MART AND QUARANTINE STATION.</b>				
5 Passenger hackeries ..	600	0	—	—	39 Fees ..	48,000	0	13,176	95
6 Cart, coach, and tram cars ..	14,000	0	—	—	40 Lease of boutiques, &c. ..	1,500	0	441	0
7 Boat ..	7,000	0	—	—	41 Sale of manure ..	600	0	202	50
8 Gun ..	800	0	—	—	42 Grazing fees ..	1,600	0	494	0
9 Sale of intoxicating liquors ..	15,000	0	—	—	<b>I.—CONSOLIDATED RATE.</b>				
10 Slaughter of animals ..	100	0	44	0	<i>(Including Special Water-rate at 2 per cent.)</i>				
11 Sale of meat and fish ..	2,200	0	180	0	43 Arrears ..	200,000	0	76,795	73
12 Petroleum ..	6,000	0	1,194	0	44 Current ..	1,500,000	0	236,051	52
13 Guides' ..	50	0	25	0	45 Advance ..	50,000	0	—	—
14 Poison ..	300	0	—	—	46 Costs on recoveries ..	50,000	0	8,103	49
15 Trade licenses ..	10,000	0	1,715	50	<b>J.—WATER.</b>				
16 Auctioneers' and brokers' ..	12,000	0	1,490	0	47 Sale of water ..	350,000	0	79,362	94
17 Advocates', proctors', and notaries' certificates and articles of clerkship (stamp duty) ..	10,000	0	4,382	0	48 Costs on recoveries ..	1,000	0	220	29
18 Arrack taverns (stamp duty and licenses) ..	31,000	0	—	—	49 Contribution by Military ..	10,000	0	2,600	0
<b>C.—JUDICIAL FINES.</b>									
19 Municipal and Police Courts ..	60,000	0	13,011	39	50 Meter rents ..	20,000	0	4,307	94
<b>D.—TOLLS.</b>									
20 Tolls ..	150,000	0	143,955	1	<b>K.—RENTS.</b>				
<b>E.—MARKETS.</b>									
21 Edinburgh market ..	11,000	0	2,444	92	51 Racquet Court ..	5,000	0	1,270	0
22 Price park market ..	11,000	0	2,829	94	52 Cricket pitches, &c. ..	300	0	48	25
23 St. John's market ..	4,000	0	893	66	53 Grass lands, &c. ..	12,000	0	2,623	50
24 Dean's road market ..	26,000	0	7,204	46	54 Miscellaneous rents ..	5,000	0	84	0
25 Grandpass market ..	2,700	0	588	82	<b>L.—MISCELLANEOUS.</b>				
26 Kollupitiya market ..	1,500	0	925	50	55 Fees for registration of dogs ..	5,000	0	767	5
27 Gintupitiya street market ..	3,700	0	864	0	56 Opium, Government contribution in lieu of licenses ..	5,085	0	5,085	6
28 Bambalapitiya market ..	850	0	207	0	57 Trunk roads, Government contribution ..	32,570	0	40,714	0
29 Costs on recovery of arrears of market rents ..	300	0	185	54	58 Tramway mileage ..	4,830	0	—	—
<b>F.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.</b>									
30 Slaughtering fees ..	27,000	0	6,768	70	59 Interest ..	10,000	0	7	67
31 Feeding fees ..	30,000	0	7,550	50	60 Military contribution for lighting Fort ..	1,700	0	425	46
32 Miscellaneous receipts ..	1,200	0	148	85	61 Mulct ..	1,000	0	388	53
33 Fees for inspection of frozen meat ..	1,500	0	712	84	62 General cemeteries, fees, &c. ..	10,000	0	2,159	80
<b>G.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>									
34 Conserving private latrines (special coolies) ..	5,000	0	3,732	0	63 Fire Brigade fees ..	2,000	0	1,020	0
35 Sale of disinfectants and buckets (profit) ..	100	0	59	63	64 Sundries ..	50,000	0	4,966	25
					65 Estimated surplus at June 30, 1913 ..	400,000	0	—	—
					<b>Total ..</b>	<b>3,499,285</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>695,499</b>	<b>75</b>

## EXPENDITURE.

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disburse- ments to Sept. 30, 1913.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disburse- ments to Sept. 30, 1913.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>A.—NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.</b>									
1 Annuities, Waterworks, and Victoria bridge ..	108,000	0	—	—	3 Council's share of rent of Inspectors' houses ..	3,000	0	500	0
2 Interest and sinking fund on drainage loan ..	500,000	0	—	—	4 Prevention of diseases in animals ..	2,000	0	236	98
3 Pensions ..	24,252	88	9,246	11	5 Grazing tickets ..	200	0	25	2
4 Audit of accounts ..	7,000	0	—	—	6 Uniforms ..	500	0*	115	87
5 Maintenance of police ..	72,076	0	—	—	7 Train and tram fare allowances ..	350	0	51	71
6 Contribution to Volunteer Band ..	4,500	0	—	—	8 Postage ..	100	0	20	0
7 Contribution to Friend-in-Need Society ..	4,000	0	—	—	9 Furniture ..	300	0	154	19
8 Contribution to Law Library ..	500	0	500	0	10 Library ..	75	0	—	—
9 Contribution to Pasteur Institute ..	150	0	—	—	11 Stationery ..	500	0	104	9
10 House of Detention for Vagrants ..	10,000	0	—	—	12 Miscellaneous ..	450	0*	21	50
11 Interest and sinking fund on water loan not provided for, as the amount cannot be ascertained ..	—	—	—	—	4/12 Council's share of rent of Inspectors' houses ..	—	—	85	0
5/12 Maintenance of police ..	—	—	97,419	0	<i>(b) Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station.</i>				
<b>B.—CHAIRMAN.</b>									
1 Salary ..	18,000	0	4,500	0	13 Salaries and wages ..	7,098	0	1,752	0
<b>C.—SECRETARIAT.</b>									
1 Salaries ..	27,156	40	6,237	51	14 Allowances ..	924	0	231	0
2 Legal expenses ..	3,000	0	2,635	21	15 Contingencies ..	3,000	0	583	76
3 Advertisements ..	2,000	0	88	20	<i>(c) Conservancy Depot.</i>				
4 Furniture ..	500	0	149	16	16 Salaries and wages ..	41,148	0	8,583	38
5 Stationery ..	2,000	0	1,772	1	17 Allowances ..	24	0	6	0
6 Library ..	150	0	—	—	18 Purchase of bulls ..	15,000	0	—	—
7 Postage ..	500	0	9	28	19 Cattle food ..	40,000	0	4,739	97
8 Telephones ..	3,500	0	67	50	20 Inoculation of cattle ..	1,000	0	8	0
9 Train and tram fare allowances ..	1,250	0	203	33	21 Treatment of sick bulls ..	500	0	59	46
10 General upkeep, &c., Printing Department ..	1,000	0	65	6	22 Shoeing bulls ..	1,800	0	142	0
11 Extra clerks ..	500	0	96	0	23 Contingencies ..	5,000	0	828	12
12 Binding materials, &c. ..	500	0	128	50	24 Cleansing of septic tanks ..	600	0	171	50
13 Medical Boards ..	100	0	—	—	<i>(d) Dog Pound and Cattle Ambulance and Reception Carts.</i>				
14 New printing machine ..	1,350	0	—	—	25 Salaries and wages ..	1,163	0	226	40
15 Miscellaneous ..	1,500	0	367	18	26 Capture of dogs ..	4,000	0	333	66
<b>D.—FINANCE DEPARTMENT.</b>									
1 Salaries ..	67,434	25	16,050	4	27 Destruction of rats ..	5,000	0	to 44	0
2 Allowances ..	5,022	0	1,200	0	28 Upkeep of ambulance and reception carts ..	1,500	0	ant	3
3 Commission ..	60,000	0	7,916	67	<b>F.—MUNICIPAL COURT.</b>				
4 Refunds ..	1,000	0	429	58	1 Salaries ..	13,985	39	3,445	39
5 Uniforms ..	1,500	0	244	13	2 Train and tram fare allowances ..	750	9	137	17
6 Extra clerks ..	5,000	0	376	13	3 Uniforms ..	150	0	21	46
7 Library ..	100	0	—	—	4 Stationery ..	250	0	—	—
8 Stationery ..	2,000	0	319	96	5 Library ..	100	0	—	—
9 Postage and receipt stamps ..	2,000	0	309	66	6 Miscellaneous ..	500	0	167	61
10 Train and tram fare allowances ..	2,000	0	427	27	<b>G.—FIRE BRIGADE AND AMBULANCES.</b>				
11 Furniture ..	600	0	82	95	1 Salaries and wages ..	22,876	6	4,344	19
12 Advertisements ..	3,000	0	186	45	2 Allowances ..	660	0	125	83
13 Tin plates, badges, fare tables, painting, branding, and dog tickets ..	6,000	0	188	2	3 Uniforms, &c. ..	2,000	0	243	0
14 Council's share of rent of Revenue Inspectors' houses ..	6,000	0	680	0	4 Stores ..	3,000	0	457	10
15 Legal expenses ..	1,000	0	43	75	5 Horses ..	4,800	0	800	0
16 Half share of salaries, &c., of Rural Inspectors ..	2,000	0	443	50	6 Telephones ..	600	0	—	—
17 Seizure of cattle straying on public roads ..	1,400	0	222	98	7 Working expenses and lights ..	4,000	0	778	51
18 Rent of grass land, night-soil depot ..	7,526	0	—	—	8 Stationery ..	250	0	55	13
19 New typewriter ..	400	0	365	0	9 Passage money to Assistant Superintendent, Fire Brigade ..	—	—	445	50
20 Miscellaneous ..	3,500	0	331	56	<b>H.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>				
21 Difference in exchange on salaries of officers in England ..	765	60	135	40	<i>(a) Sanitary Branch.</i>				
22 Land acquisition ..	—	—	5,707	87	1 Salaries, wages, &c. ..	76,279	6	17,886	39
23 Conservancy contractor's claim ..	—	—	21,829	51	2 Allowances ..	9,732	0	2,143	0
<b>E.—VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>(a) Administrative.</i>									
1 Salaries and wages ..	7,908	0	1,954	98	3 Council's share of rent of Sanitary Inspectors' houses ..	9,000	0	1,450	0
2 Allowances ..	1,348	0	462	0	4 Prevention of infectious diseases ..	12,500	0	239	64
					5 Train and tram fare allowances ..	750	0	162	16
					6 Postage ..	500	0	80	0
					7 Uniforms ..	3,007	0	1,661	93
					8 Cost of disinfectants ..	2,000	0	201	0
					9 Library ..	425	0	—	—
					10 Furniture ..	300	0	9	97
					11 Stationery ..	2,000	0	206	89
					12 Miscellaneous ..	2,400	0	390	73
					13 Upkeep of motor car ..	2,728	75	376	4
					14 Rent of motor house ..	180	0	45	0
					38/12 Mosquito prevention ..	—	—	568	73
					1/12 Salaries ..	—	—	1,000	0
					38 Exchange compensation to Dr. Philip ..	—	—	366	93



	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Sept. 30, 1913.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Sept. 30, 1913.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>(b) Dispensaries.</i>									
15 Salaries ..	4,000	13	945	0	26 Conservancy of main drains ..	6,000	0	1,400	17
16 Allowances ..	900	0	225	0	27 Repairs to steam rollers and lorries ..	7,500	0	1,526	56
17 Rent of station ..	600	0	150	0	28 Repairs and purchase of tools ..	22,000	0	4,964	9
18 Equipment, &c. ..	3,500	0	168	75	29 Roads, night soil depôt ..	3,500	0	1,134	81
<i>(c) Municipal Enteric Hospital.</i>									
19 Salaries ..	6,599	75	1,185	66	30 Maintenance and repairs to plant ..	1,050	0	136	96
20 Allowances ..	960	0	180	0	31 Miscellaneous ..	1,800	0	143	45
21 Diet ..	4,500	0	657	84	81/11 Central fire station drainage ..	—	—	33	38
22 Extras and stimulants, contingencies, &c. ..	7,232	0	579	44	19/11 Upkeep of metal roads ..	—	—	252	0
<i>(d) Markets.</i>									
23 Salaries and wages ..	9,758	78	1,960	90	<i>(d) Scavenging.</i>				
24 Tools and equipment ..	1,300	0	498	48	32 Scavenging, dust sweeping, and removal of mud ..	258,812	0	54,788	21
<i>(e) Slaughter-houses.</i>									
25 Salaries ..	4,739	0	1,174	96	<i>(e) Lake and Canals.</i>				
26 Allowances ..	360	0	90	0	33 Upkeep and conservancy of lake ..	4,680	0	684	96
27 Feeding charges ..	4,500	0	915	52	34 Lake and canal dredging ..	5,800	0	543	78
28 Miscellaneous ..	2,000	0	241	4	<i>(f) Parks.</i>				
<i>(f) General Cemeteries.</i>									
29 Salaries and wages ..	6,374	0	1,711	51	35 Maintenance of parks, open spaces, &c. ..	26,758	0	5,736	2
30 Allowance ..	360	0	60	0	<i>(g) Lighting.</i>				
31 Upkeep of cemeteries ..	1,050	0	—	—	36 Lighting public streets with gas ..	140,000	0	21,189	43
32 Miscellaneous ..	600	0	868	67	37 Electric lighting of the Fort ..	19,800	0	4,685	35
<i>(g) Bacteriological Laboratory.</i>									
33 Salaries and wages ..	8,945	88	2,124	74	38 Alterations to gas lamps ..	1,500	0	1,721	38
34 Allowances ..	600	0	151	17	39 Lighting Municipal buildings ..	11,820	0	2,133	84
35 Equipment ..	1,750	0	0	65	40 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c. ..	500	0	11	38
36 Maintenance ..	5,000	0	286	56	<i>(h) Conservancy.</i>				
37 Store room and apparatus room ..	2,650	0	588	42	41 Salaries ..	18,782	0	3,065	98
30/12 Equipment ..	—	—	460	40	42 Allowances ..	2,352	0	373	0
<b>I.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.</b>									
<i>(a) Administrative.</i>									
1 Salaries and wages ..	134,277	13	30,554	66	43 Supply of coir dust ..	20,000	0	3,882	85
2 Allowances ..	16,260	0	3,630	23	44 Tools and materials ..	5,000	0	692	27
3 Survey, drawing, and photographic materials ..	3,250	0	135	56	45 Uniforms, &c. ..	700	0	9	90
4 Train and tram fare allowance ..	1,250	0	271	35	46 Disinfectants ..	500	0	66	89
5 Uniforms ..	550	0	130	38	47 Latrine and storage buckets ..	1,000	0	111	80
6 Library ..	200	0	—	—	48 Train and tram fare-allowances ..	150	0	15	6
7 Stationery ..	2,000	0	232	64	49 Wages of coolies ..	84,690	0	20,881	96
8 Miscellaneous ..	500	0	5	50	50 Miscellaneous ..	1,000	0	141	95
<i>(b) Buildings.</i>									
9 Town Hall—maintenance ..	3,000	0	222	6	<i>(i) Miscellaneous.</i>				
10 Cemeteries and hospitals—maintenance ..	3,239	0	1,027	55	51 Working and maintenance of destructor ..	33,000	0	6,832	21
11 Quarantine mart—maintenance ..	1,645	0	345	89	52 Repairs to ambulance carts ..	200	0	10	48
12 Markets—maintenance ..	10,450	0	2,347	93	53 Construction and repairs of night soil carts and conservancy buckets ..	6,666	0	1,906	72
13 Latrines—maintenance ..	1,950	0	419	23	54 Cart washing place and filter beds ..	225	0	25	20
14 Suduwella depôt—maintenance ..	1,091	0	611	91	55 Electric fans and lamps ..	10,000	0	2,158	98
15 Conservancy buildings—maintenance ..	2,510	0	846	87	56 Surveys, tracings, &c. ..	9,501	0	2,125	52
16 Fire Brigade buildings—maintenance ..	1,000	0	42	7	57 Watching Municipal lands ..	660	0	184	0
17 Maligakanda office—maintenance ..	2,000	0	423	88	58 Furniture ..	750	0	49	85
18 Working and maintenance of disinfectant ..	1,045	0	141	62	59 Upkeep of Chairman's motor car ..	2,400	0	886	41
19 Slaughter-house—maintenance ..	3,180	0	108	94	60 Sundries ..	500	0	53	79
20 Miscellaneous ..	2,450	0	449	2	61 Printing Department machinery—upkeep ..	400	0	544	68
95/12 Improvements to cattle quarantine station ..	—	—	19	96	62 Lighting of cattle mart ..	1,100	0	165	20
<i>(c) Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &amp;c.</i>									
21 General upkeep of roads ..	26,500	0	3,966	72	<i>(k) Public Works Extraordinary.</i>				
22 Upkeep of metal roads (including dust prevention) ..	255,900	0	49,249	52	63 Deviation of Serpentine and Thurston roads ..	7,500	0	—	—
23 Upkeep of gravel roads, &c. ..	50,347	0	6,897	9	64 San Sebastian and Parson's road bridges ..	—	—	14,500	0
24 Watering and oiling streets ..	46,120	0	12,945	60	65 Lighting of Nelson lane ..	650	0	—	—
25 Repairs to roads, bridges, culverts, drains, &c. ..	17,400	0	2,465	92	66 Improvement, Municipal Council land, Symond's road ..	1,200	0	—	—
					67 Conversion of Thurston road from gravel to metal ..	5,200	0	—	—
					68 Conversion of Cambridge place from gravel to metal ..	4,100	0	—	—
					69 Conversion of Edinburgh Crescent from gravel to metal ..	4,400	0	—	—

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Sept. 30, 1913.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Sept. 30, 1913.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
70 Conversion of Braybrooke street from gravel to metal ..	1,700	0	—	—	9 Store expenses ..	504	0	131	84
71 Conversion of Buller's road ..	7,200	0	—	—	10 Train and tram fare allowances ..	350	0	64	30
72 Rain water connections, Ferry street ..	440	0	—	—	11 Labugama reservoir reserve ..	1	0	—	—
73 Record shelves, Works Department ..	650	0	—	—	12 Library ..	200	0	—	—
74 Improvement to stalls, Gintunpitiya market ..	300	0	—	—	13 Postage ..	250	0	60	0
75 Machine tools, workshop ..	4,700	0	—	—	14 Stationery ..	1,000	0	240	53
76 Improvement to cart washing place, night soil depôt ..	400	0	—	—	15 Furniture ..	1,000	0	443	16
77 Kerb and channel, Kanatta road ..	880	0	—	—	16 Extension and improvements of water service ..	8,500	0	1,263	69
78 Granite sett cart track, Old Moor street extension ..	23,500	0	3,055	16	17 Surveying and drawing instruments ..	500	0	—	—
79 Improvement to Front street and Main street along Racquet Court and Lotus pond latrine ..	4,500	0	—	—	18 Uniforms ..	700	0	5	36
80 Granite sett tracks and kerb and channel, main street level crossing to Harbour Works gate ..	18,000	0	—	—	19 Miscellaneous ..	300	0	16	75
81 Fence and level up Municipal Council land, Glennie street ..	2,130	0	—	—	20 Purchase of typewriter ..	450	0	437	0
82 Improvement to Vauxhall street, Muster place ..	750	0	—	—	21 Purchase of fans for new office ..	1,100	0	790	45
83 Granite sett track, Main street ..	3,000	0	—	—	22 Scraping of distribution mains ..	13,342	80	—	—
84 Ceiling to Printing Office ..	150	0	24	8	23/12 Laying 3-in. water main in Buller's road ..	—	—	56	57
85 Flooring Finance and Sanitation Department Offices ..	1,500	0	—	—	12/11 Extension of water service, Eastern Extension ..	—	—	255	95
86 Fly-proofing cooly lines, night soil depôt ..	1,750	0	—	—	(b) <i>Extraordinary Expenditure.</i>				
87 One new range of cooly lines, night soil depôt ..	2,250	0	—	—	23 Water supply to Eastern and Southern Extension ..	142,000	0	14,569	48
88 Improvements to Dematagoda slaughter-house ..	1,450	0	—	—	L.—ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.				
89 Improvements to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Liveramentu ..	2,500	0	—	—	1 Salaries ..	16,998	0	4,229	18
90 Alterations to Assessor's Office ..	1,450	0	—	—	2 Allowances ..	2,700	0	675	0
91 Ferguson's road ..	12,500	0	—	—	3 Train and tram fare allowances ..	200	0	93	56
71/12 Union place widening ..	13,500	0	5,245	0	4 Street number plates ..	5,000	0	116	50
67/12 Urugodawatta bridge ..	30,000	0	11,304	36	5 Costs in legal proceedings ..	2,000	0	368	99
92/12 Gas extensions ..	34,000	0	11,691	70	6 Extra clerks ..	300	0	—	—
64/12 Scavenging carts, &c. ..	10,000	0	233	8	7 Furniture ..	800	0	—	—
90/11 Wellawatta road bridge ..	4,200	0	2,444	46	8 Library ..	100	0	24	30
61/12 Parson's road and granite paving, Railway road ..	14,100	0	2,547	92	9 Uniforms ..	450	0	100	73
97/12 Laying granite setts in Norris road, Gasworks street ..	—	—	14,394	67	10 Stationery ..	500	0	81	91
91/12 Regrading Kirillapone road ..	—	—	2,756	28	11 Miscellaneous ..	500	0	10	80
93/12 Improvements to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Kanatta ..	—	—	1,010	59	M.—SANITATION DEPARTMENT.				
102/12 Improvements to Assistant Superintendent's quarters, Cattle Quarantine Station ..	—	—	538	97	1 Salaries and wages ..	36,880	61	8,361	86
266/7 Construction of Skinner's road ..	—	—	16	14	2 Allowances ..	4,860	0	1,090	0
255/10 Mansergh avenue ..	—	—	11	53	3 Train and tram fare allowances ..	350	0	76	7
49/11 Refuse destructor ..	—	—	731	67	4 Serving notices ..	660	0	165	0
22/12 Repairs to road bridges ..	—	—	343	76	5 Drawing materials ..	1,000	0	25	0
54/11 Cooly lines, Kanatta ..	—	—	13	91	6 Library ..	200	0	—	—
101/12 Galle Face footpath ..	—	—	169	20	7 Stamps ..	300	0	—	—
321/09 Infectious diseases hospital ..	—	—	80	0*	8 Uniforms ..	150	0	—	—
85/12 Two steam rollers ..	—	—	16,556	97	9 Furniture ..	1,750	0	737	0
67/11 Conversion of Ellie house reservoir into a park ..	—	—	7	95	10 Testing house drains ..	6,670	0	1,010	62
K.—WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.					11 Pumping stations ..	43,982	0	6,478	81
(a) <i>Recurrent Expenditure.</i>					12 Treatment works ..	5,650	0	847	53
1 Salaries and wages ..	47,774	88	11,200	45	13 Sewers ..	11,140	0	2,167	6
2 Allowances ..	6,540	0	1,575	16	14 Upkeep of latrines and bathing places ..	20,706	25	3,930	93
3 Maintenance of Colombo Waterworks ..	29,120	0	6,134	35	15 Miscellaneous ..	1,000	0	4	0
4 Surveys and tracings, &c. ..	1,050	0	10	10	16 Stationery ..	500	0	157	28
5 Maintenance of Waterworks Office ..	1,200	0	78	98	17 Upkeep of distribution stores ..	482	0	28	50
6 Maintenance of motor car ..	3,000	0	993	29	18 Clearing gulleys and catchpits ..	22,076	50	1,116	92
7 Purchase of tools and meters ..	9,000	0	620	7	19/12 Sheep slaughter shed, Dematagoda ..	—	—	121	33
8 Repairs to tools and meters ..	5,100	0	682	1	<i>Extraordinary Expenditure.</i>				
					19 Improvements to rain water drains ..	2,500	0	424	94
					20 Temporary connections ..	2,000	0	7	50
					21 Tipping depôts ..	5,000	0	56	23
					22 Rain water drain, Fifth Cross street ..	—	—	3,945	64
					18/12 Night soil tipping depôt, Price park ..	—	—	120	9
					17/12 Madampitiya Laboratory ..	—	—	392	79
					N.—MUNICIPAL STORE.				
					1 Salaries, wages, and store expenses ..	9,500	0	1,893	94
								685,664	58
					Balance ..	—	—	9,835	17
					Total ..	3,370,372	10	695,499	75

## BALANCE SHEET, SEPTEMBER 30, 1913.

Sundry Liabilities.		Amount.	Total.	Sundry Assets.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>1. Deposits:—</b>							
(a)	General ..	10,671 85		1.	Advance Accounts:—		
(b)	Security ..	20,440 56		(a)	Purchase of Stores ..	61,141 94	
(c)	Waterworks ..	2,981 66		(b)	Do. Waterworks ..	229,672 72	
(d)	Miscellaneous ..	8,778 7		(c)	Waterworks extension ..	1,375,296 5	
(e)	Advance Account:				Less amount advanced by Government on account of loan ..	1,250,000 0	
	Latrines and house connection amount advanced by Government on account of loan ..	316,091 61				125,296 5	
	Less expenditure on latrines up to September 30, 1913 ..	276,431 96		(d)	Miscellaneous ..	181,936 20	
		39,659 65	82,531 79				590,046 91
<b>2. Excess of Assets over Liabilities:—</b>							
(a)	Balance at credit on June 30, 1913 ..	632,381 91					—
(b)	Excess of receipts over expenditure ..	9,835 17					—
		642,217 8					—
	<b>Total</b> ..	<b>724,748 87</b>					<b>724,748 87</b>

C. M. YOUNG,  
Financial Assistant to the Chairman,  
Municipal Council, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rates and costs be duly paid.

C. M. YOUNG,  
Financial Assistant to the Chairman,  
Municipal Council.

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, December 10, 1913.

## SCHEDULE.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Date of Sale : Wednesday, January 14, 1914.		
Old Moor street.		
731.86	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	7 A.M.
736.90	.. Do. ..	7.5 "
737.91	.. Do. ..	7.10 "
738.92	.. Do. ..	7.15 "
Peer Saibo's lane.		
631A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	7.20 A.M.
Old Moor street.		
739.93	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	7.25 A.M.
741.95	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	7.30 "
743.97	.. Do. ..	7.35 "
745.99	.. Do. ..	7.40 "
751.105	.. Do. ..	7.45 "
757.110	.. Do. ..	7.50 "
762.115	.. Do. ..	7.55 "
763.116	.. Do. ..	8 "
764.117	.. Do. ..	8.5 "
765.118	.. Do. ..	8.10 "
766.119	.. Do. ..	8.15 "
767.120	.. Do. ..	8.20 "
774.127	.. Do. ..	8.25 "
775.128	.. Do. ..	8.30 "
778.132	.. Do. ..	8.35 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
780.134	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	8.40 A.M.
781.135	.. Do. ..	8.45 "
782.135A	.. Do. ..	8.50 "
783.1	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	8.55 "
784.2	.. Do. ..	9 "
787.5	.. Do. ..	9.5 "
792.10	.. Do. ..	9.10 "
793.11	.. Do. ..	9.15 "
795.13	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	9.20 "
797.15	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	9.25 "
799.17	.. Do. ..	9.30 "
800.18	.. Do. ..	9.35 "
801.19	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	9.40 "
802.20/22	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	9.45 "
807.27	.. Do. ..	9.50 "
806.28	.. Do. ..	9.55 "
809.29	.. Do. ..	10 "

Date of Sale : Thursday, January 15, 1914.

Old Moor street.		
810.30	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	7 A.M.
813.33	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	7.5 "
814.34	.. Do. ..	7.10 "
815.35	.. Do. ..	7.15 "
816.37	.. Do. ..	7.20 "
822.42	.. Do. ..	7.25 "
828.49	.. Do. ..	7.30 "
830.51	.. Do. ..	7.35 "
831.52	.. Do. ..	7.40 "
832.53	.. Do. ..	7.45 "
838.62	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	7.50 "
839.63	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	7.55 "
840.64/65	.. 2nd quarter, 1913 ..	8 "
841.66	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	8.5 "
Hulftsdorp street.		
851.64	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	8.10 A.M.
New Moor street:		
859.76	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913 ..	8.15 A.M.
861.78	.. Do. ..	8.20 "
867.82	.. Do. ..	8.25 "
870.85	.. Do. ..	8.30 "
873.88	.. Do. ..	8.35 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
877.91	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.40 A.M.			
878.92	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "			
879.93	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "			
881.95	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "			
912.126	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9 "			
913.127	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "			
921.136	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "			
924.139A	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "			
925.140	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "			
926.141	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "			
927.142	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "			
	St. John's road.				
24.11	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.35 A.M.			
	Gabo's lane, 2nd.				
52.4	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.40 A.M.			
84.10	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "			
	St. John's road.				
100.30	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.50 A.M.			
101.31	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "			
	Fish Market square.				
124.17	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 10 A.M.			
	Date of Sale: Friday, January 16, 1914.				
	Fish Market square.				
125.16	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.			
126.15	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "			
127.14	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "			
128.13	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "			
129.12	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "			
130.11	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "			
	Sea street.				
199.108	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.30 A.M.			
200/202.105	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "			
280.8	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.40 "			
348.146	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "			
349.145	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "			
	Chekku street.				
423/886.109/111	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.55 A.M.			
428.106	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8 "			
443.91	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "			
	Brassfounder street.				
483.13	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.10 A.M.			
534.32	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "			
	Gintupitiya street.				
539.63	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.20 A.M.			
540.63	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "			
541.63	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "			
542.63	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "			
543.63	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "			
544.63	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "			
545.63	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "			
546.63	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "			
547.63	.. Do.	.. 9 "			
549.63	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "			
551.63	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "			
582.33c/33d	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.15 "			
631/632.626.1	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.20 "			
	Kochchikade street.				
642/644.85	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.25 A.M.			
	Wolfendahl street.				
859.28	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.30 A.M.			
860.28	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "			
861.28	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "			
898.97.98	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.45 "			
	Hill street.				
974.63	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.50 A.M.			
976.61	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.55 "			
1002.40	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 10 "			
	Date of Sale: Saturday, January 17, 1914.				
	New Chetty street.				
1032.32	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.			
1066.2	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.5 "			
1106.52	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "			
1107.51	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "			
1109.49	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "			
1113.45	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "			
1114.44	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "			
	Hulftsdorp street.				
45.132	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.35 A.M.			
47.130	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.40 "			
49.128	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.45 "			
	Belmont street.				
114.45	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.50 A.M.			
	Smith street.				
146.9	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.55 A.M.			
	Wilson street.				
177.32	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8 A.M.			
178.33	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "			
179.34	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "			
197.59	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "			
	Goat street.				
213.11	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.20 A.M.			
	Ferry street.				
244.15	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.25 A.M.			
	Skinner's Road South.				
313.34	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.30 A.M.			
314.35	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "			
315.34	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "			
	Prince's gate.				
324.1	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.45 A.M.			
	Ferry street.				
386.85/86	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.50 A.M.			
	Silversmith street.				
563/603.21	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.55 A.M.			
573.7B	.. Do.	.. 9 "			
575.7	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "			
579.3	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "			
580.3A	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "			
	Hulftsdorp street.				
598.84	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.20 A.M.			
599.83	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.25 "			
609.75	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "			
	Messenger street.				
642.95	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.35 A.M.			
693.49	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "			
694.49A	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "			
	Barber street.				
794/831.50/56	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.50 A.M.			
	Armour street.				
798.15/31	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.50 A.M.			
818/819.33/33A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.55 "			
	Grandpass road.				
918A/919.12	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 10 A.M.			
	Date of Sale: Monday, January 19, 1914.				
	Grandpass road.				
1018.96	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7 A.M.			
1030A.120/123	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "			
1054.76	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "			
	Messenger street.				
653.84	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.15 A.M.			
632.104	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "			
	Layard's Broadway.				
843.124	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.25 A.M.			
850.118	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.30 "			
854.114	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "			
855.114	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "			
856.113B	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "			
859.111A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.50 "			

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	Grandpass road.				
862.67	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	7.55 A.M.	1081.80	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	7.10 A.M.
863.66	Do.	8	1082.79	Do.	7.15
864.65	Do.	8.5	1085.77	Do.	7.20
865.64	Do.	8.10	1086.74/75	Do.	7.25
866.63	Do.	8.15	1088.73	Do.	7.30
869.58/59	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	8.20	1090.71	Do.	7.35
871.56	2nd quarter, 1913	8.25	1091.70	Do.	7.40
874.53	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	8.30	1092.69	Do.	7.45
875.53A	Do.	8.35	1093.67	Do.	7.50
876.52	Do.	8.40	1094.66	Do.	7.55
878.50A	Do.	8.45	1095.68	Do.	8
887.43	Do.	8.50	1096.65	Do.	8.5
890.40	Do.	8.55	1097.65	Do.	8.10
893.36/37	Do.	9	1099.66	Do.	8.15
900.28	Do.	9.5	1101.64	Do.	8.20
901.27	Do.	9.10	1103.60/62	Do.	8.25
912.18	Do.	9.15	1107.56	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	8.30
913.17	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	9.20	1106.57/58	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	8.35
915.15	2nd quarter, 1913	9.25	1108.55	Do.	8.40
923.8	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	9.30	1110.53	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	8.45
932/933/812.1/2	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	9.35		Date of Sale: Thursday, January 22, 1914.	
949.189	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	9.40	3.86	Glennie street.	
950.188A	Do.	9.45	2.87	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
951.188	Do.	9.50		Do.	
968.165	2nd quarter, 1913	9.55	30.491	Union place.	
982/980.155	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	10	41.494	4th quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
	Date of Sale: Tuesday, January 20, 1914.		39.496	Do.	
	Grandpass road.			3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
983.154	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	7 A.M.	13.66	Java lane.	
984.154	Do.	7.5	4/5.37/38	2nd quarter, 1913	
986.154A	Do.	7.10		4th quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
987.154c.154D	Do.	7.15	2/3.39	Do.	
992.139/141c	Do.	7.20	26.260	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
993.138	Do.	7.25	22.265	Do.	
995.134	2nd quarter, 1913	7.30	7.72	Do.	
1000.1001.1003.			6.36	Do.	
130	Do.	7.35		Malay street.	
1002.131	Do.	7.40	15.150	2nd quarter, 1913	
1004.129	Do.	7.45	16.151	Do.	
1007.124	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	7.50	19.154	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	
1017.96	Do.	7.55	21.169	Do.	
	Dewaas' lane.		39.194	4th quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
1020.15A	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	8 A.M.	40.195	Do.	
1022.10	Do.	8.5	48-50.107	2nd quarter, 1913	
1023.9	Do.	8.10	46/47.104	Do.	
1024.8	Do.	8.15		Leechman's lane.	
1025.7	Do.	8.20	4.44	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	
1026.6	Do.	8.25	8.54	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
1027.5	Do.	8.30	8.55	Do.	
1028.4	Do.	8.35	3.62/64	Do.	
1029.3	Do.	8.40		Malay street.	
1034.106	Do.	8.45	66.122	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	
1035.105	Do.	8.50	2.157	Ferry lane.	
1036.105A	Do.	8.55		2nd quarter, 1913	
1037.103/104	Do.	9		Kew road.	
1038.104A	2nd quarter, 1913	9.5	30/31.333	4th quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	
	Grandpass road.		275.5	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	
1041/1042.95	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	9.10 A.M.		Union place.	
1044/1045.93/94	Do.	9.15	540.75	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	
1055.75	Do.	9.20	541.75B	2nd quarter, 1913	
	Galkapanawatta.		546.73	Do.	
1056.100/101	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	9.25 A.M.	547.73	Do.	
1063.94	Do.	9.30	548.73	Do.	
1065.92	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	9.35	549.73	Do.	
1066.91A	1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	9.40		Hyde Park Corner.	
1069.90A	Do.	9.45	550.11	2nd quarter, 1913	
1071.89	Do.	9.50	551.10	Do.	
1073.87	Do.	9.55	552.9	Do.	
1074.86	Do.	10			
	Date of Sale: Wednesday, January 21, 1914.				
	Galkapanawatta.				
1078.82A	2nd quarter, 1913	7 A.M.			
1079.82	3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	7.5			

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Date of Sale : Friday, January 23, 1914.					
Hyde Park Corner.					
553.9/11	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.	806.3	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8 A.M.
554.9	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "	809.5	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "
555.9	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "	810.6	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.10 "
556.9	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "	811.7	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "
557.9	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "	818.12	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "
558.9	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "	820.13	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "
Hunupitiya.					
589.4	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.30 A.M.	821.14	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
590.5	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "	822.15	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
602A.16	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "	823.16	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.40 "
603.14	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.45 "	824.16A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.45 "
607.15/17	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "	825.17	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
Lake road.					
706.2	.. 3rd quarter, 1911, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.55 A.M.	829.20	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.55 "
707.2	.. Do.	.. 8 "	832.22	.. Do.	.. 9 "
709.2	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.5 "	841.25	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
Hyde Park Corner.					
635A	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.10 A.M.	842.2	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.10 "
Lillie street.					
676.1A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.15 A.M.	Steuart street.		
677.1	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "	782.12/15	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.15 A.M.
678.1	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "	784.12/15	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "
679.1	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "	786.12/15	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
Union place.					
682.60	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.35 A.M.	847/848.7	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
683.59	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "	852.5	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "
685.53	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "	Ahamat lane.		
686.53	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "	899.2A	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.40 A.M.
687.57	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "	902.4	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "
Church street.					
730.5	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9 A.M.	903.6	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.50 "
731.6	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.5 "	905	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.55 "
732.7	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "	909.10	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 10 "
733.8	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "	Date of Sale : Monday, January 26, 1914.		
735.10	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "	Church street.		
736/737.11	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "	772.26	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.
740.13	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "	775.54	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.5 "
742.15	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.35 "	776.55	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.10 "
748.15	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "	779.59	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
755.17	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 9.45 "	884.74	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.20 "
756.18	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 9.50 "	887.77	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "
757.18A	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "	891.80	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
760.21	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 10 "	892.81	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "
Date of Sale : Saturday, January 24, 1914.					
Church street.					
764.25	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.	893.27	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "
765.26A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.5 "	894.28	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
766.26B	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "	895.29	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "
767.26	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.15 "	896.29	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "
Mosque lane.					
744.1	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.20 A.M.	897.29	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8 "
745.1A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.25 "	910.30	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.5 "
746.1B	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.30 "	913.33	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.10 "
747.1C	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.35 "	915.35	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 8.15 "
752.4A	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "	929/930.39	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "
768.6	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "	931.37	.. 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 8.25 "
769.5	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1913	.. 7.50 "	931A.38	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
770.5	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1913	.. 7.55 "	Chapel lane.		
Station passage.					
Date of Sale : Monday, January 26, 1914.					
Church street.					
Date of Sale : Monday, January 26, 1914.					
Chapel lane.					
Date of Sale : Monday, January 26, 1914.					
Station passage.					

### LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

#### Commutation Tax, Local Board, Negombo.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Negombo, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 35 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, has resolved that, on account of the year 1914 a tax, payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all persons residing within the limits of the said Board, who, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed,

would have been liable, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour for the maintenance of the roads or other public means of communication by land or by water.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Rs. 2 on or before March 31, 1914.

Local Board Office, H. W. MILLIGAN,  
Negombo, November 25, 1913. Chairman.

**Assessment Tax, Local Board, Negombo.**

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Negombo has, in terms of section 30 of the Local Boards Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898, imposed and levied for the year 1914 a rate of 5 per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description, and all lands and tenements whatsoever, within the limits of the said Local Board of Negombo, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section.

Local Board Office, H. W. MILLIGAN,  
Negombo, November 25, 1913. Chairman.

**Vehicles and Animals Tax, Local Board, Negombo.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Negombo, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 36 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, and section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1901, has resolved that an annual tax be imposed for the year 1914 on all carriages, carts, hackeries, jinrickshas, horses, ponies, bullocks and asses, dogs and bitches, kept or used within the town for which such Board is constituted, and which are not (as respects carts, carriages, and coaches) the carts, carriages other than hackeries, and coaches referred to in section 29 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, at the rate specified in the schedule hereto annexed.

SCHEDULE.		Rs.	c.
1.	For every four-wheeled carriage	..	4 0
2.	For every two-wheeled carriage	..	3 0
3.	For every double bullock cart, including travelling cart	..	2 0
4.	For every half load cart	..	1 0
5.	For every buggy cart drawn either by single bull or pair of bulls	..	1 0
6.	For every hackery	..	1 0
7.	For every ricksha	..	1 0
8.	For every horse, pony, or mule	..	1 0
9.	For every bull or ass	..	0 50
10.	For every dog	..	1 0

Local Board Office, H. W. MILLIGAN,  
Negombo, November 25, 1913. Chairman.

**Motor Car Ordinance Taxes, Local Board, Negombo.**

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Negombo that the annual tax payable to and recoverable by the Chairman of the Board, under section 4 (3) of the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 25 of 1908, in respect of mechanically-propelled vehicles kept or used within the town of Negombo, shall be at the rates specified in the schedule hereto annexed.

SCHEDULE.		Rs.	c.
Scale on which Tax is payable.			
Mechanically-propelled Vehicles for the Conveyance of Passengers.			
Cars not exceeding 10 cwt., unloaded	..	20	0
Cars exceeding 10 cwt. and not exceeding 15 cwt., unloaded	..	25	0
Cars exceeding 15 cwt. and not exceeding 20 cwt., unloaded	..	30	0
Cars exceeding 20 cwt., unloaded	..	35	0
When let for hire, double the above rates.			
Motor bicycles	..	5	0
Motor tricycles, including tricars	..	10	0
Trailers	..	3	0
Mechanically-propelled Vehicles for the Conveyance of Goods.			
(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.	..	15	0
(2) Each trailer	..	15	0

Local Board Office, H. W. MILLIGAN,  
Negombo, November 25, 1913. Chairman.

**Commutation Tax, Sanitary Board, Kalutara District.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Small Towns of Panadure, Horana, Alutgama, Beruwala, Tebuwana, and Neboda, that the Sanitary Board of the Kalutara District, acting under the provisions of section 32 (1) of the Ordinance No. 30 of 1909, has resolved that on account of the year 1914 a tax, payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all persons residing within the limits of the aforesaid towns, who, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed, would have been liable, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour for the maintenance of the roads or other public means of communication by land or by water.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Rs. 2 on or before March 31, 1914.

The Kachcheri, G. F. PLANT,  
Kalutara, December 2, 1913. Chairman.

**Local Board, Matale.**

NOTICE is hereby given that until further notice the ordinary meetings of the Local Board of Matale will be held at the Borron Memorial Hall, Matale, on the first Friday of each month at 3 P.M., instead of on the first Wednesday of each month as hitherto.

Local Board Office, W. T. SOUTHORN,  
Matale, December 4, 1913. Chairman.

**Commutation Tax, Local Board, Jaffna.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Jaffna, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 35 of "The Local Boards Ordinances, 1898 and 1901," has resolved that on account of the year 1914, a tax, payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all persons residing within the limits of the said Board who, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed, would have been liable, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour for the maintenance of roads or other public means of communication by land or by water.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Re. 1.50 on or before March 31, 1914.

Local Board Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Jaffna, December 8, 1913. Chairman.

**Vehicles and Animals Tax, Local Board, Jaffna.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Jaffna, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 36 of "The Local Boards Ordinances, 1898 and 1901," has resolved that an annual tax be imposed for the year 1914 on all carriages, jinrickshas, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, bullocks, and asses kept or used within the town for which such Board is constituted, and which are not as respects carts, carriages, and coaches referred to in section 29 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, at the rates specified in the schedule hereto annexed.

SCHEDULE.		Rs.	c.
Carriage	..	2	50
Jinricksha	..	1	50
Cart or hackery	..	1	50
Horse, pony, or mule	..	1	25
Bullock or ass	..	0	50

Local Board Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Jaffna, December 8, 1913. Chairman.





## Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the Week ended December 6, 1913.

		Bags.			
TO COLOMBO	{	From Calcutta	.. 12,548	GALLE.—Nil.	
		Rangoon	.. 25,690		
		Singapore	.. 29,268		
		Tuticorin	.. 14,788		
	Total	.. 82,294			

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, December 9, 1913.

J. CONROY,  
for Principal Collector.

THE under-mentioned goods having been left in No. 14 Warehouse beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that unless the same be previously cleared they will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, January 6, 1914, at 1 P.M. :—

Date. 1913.	Nos.	Marks.	Vessels.	From	Quantity and Description of Goods.
May 30	.. 35	.. Nil	.. ss. Neuralia	.. Calcutta	.. 1 bundle, 2 pipes 1 barrel cement (damaged)
April 30	.. 34	.. Nil	.. ss. Gloucestershire	.. London	.. 2 empty jars (broken)
Sept. 11	.. 32	..	.. ss. Borneo	.. Calcutta	.. 3 packages Venestia fittings
Sept. 3	.. 26	.. H. Farquarson	.. ss. Bharata	.. Tuticorin	.. 1 package merchandise
Aug. 21	.. 8	.. C. E. T. or nil	.. ss. Poona	.. Calcutta	.. 1 bundle iron
Sept. 9	.. 5	.. J & Co.	.. ss. Frienfels	.. Middlesborough	1 barrel cement
		.. H & Co.			5 coils hoop iron
Aug. 29	.. 4	.. S. M. S. or nil	.. ss. Bangala	.. Tuticorin	.. 2 bags wheat
		.. D. J. or nil			1 bag poonac
		.. A. L. or nil			1 bag grain
		.. D. J. or nil			1 bag grain
		.. D. A upon L. or nil			1 bag bran
Aug. 29	.. 2	.. P in a diamond	.. ss. Solfels	.. Calcutta	.. 1 case
Aug. 22	.. 1	.. Jose Hennquess	.. ss. Simla	.. Japan	.. 1 trunk
Aug. 20	.. 37	.. A. S.	.. ss. Bharata	.. Tuticorin	.. 51 bags bran
Aug. 30	.. 36	.. K O in a diamond or nil	.. ss. E. F. Ferdinands	.. Calcutta	.. 11 bundles tea chests
Sept. 4	.. 35	.. Nil	.. ss. Jinsen Maru	..	.. 3 bundles tea shooks
Aug. 21	.. 34	.. V. R. M.	.. ss. Palitana	.. Tuticorin	.. 7 bags bran
Aug. 30	.. 31	.. A. B. in a triangle and S V outside ..	.. ss. Trieste	.. Bombay	.. 1 bag rice
Aug. 12	.. 29	.. 40 in a diamond and I L M M outside ..	.. ss. Argenfels	.. Hamburg	.. 3 packages S. machines
		.. G M Y 224			.. 2 packages S. machines
		.. G M Y 224			.. 5 packages S. machines
Aug. 14	.. 30	.. F. C. S.	.. ss. Shadwell	.. London	.. 1 package cake stand

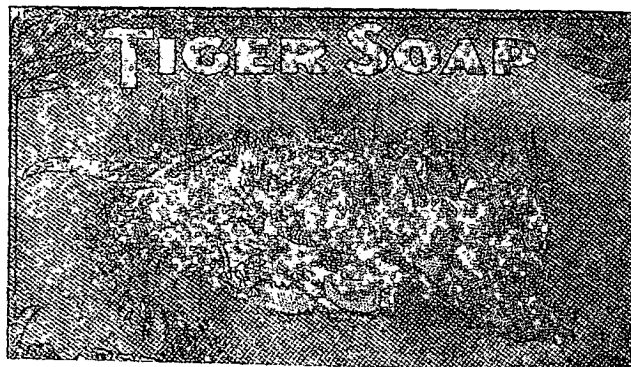
H. M. Customs,  
December 10, 1913.

J. CONROY,  
for Principal Collector.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

Application No. 860.

IN 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. S. Tampipillay & Brother, of 50, Keyzer street, Pettah, Colombo, Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of perfumed soap in class 48 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, December 10, 1913.

BERTRAM HILL,  
Registrar-General.

## RAILWAY TRAFFIC RETURNS.

## Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Traffic for the Month ended September 30, 1913.

Receipts from	Month ended September 30, 1912.		Month ended September 30, 1913.		Increase. 1913 over 1912.		Decrease. 1913 below 1912.	
	No.	Rs. c.	No.	Rs. c.	No.	Rs. c.	No.	Rs. c.
Passengers, Ordinary and Special ..	842,018	439,523 94	975,328	490,931 53	133,310	51,407 59	—	—
Coolies ..	19,408	19,113 8	18,828	18,739 38	—	—	580	373 70
Season Tickets ..	7,310	22,601 48	7,396	22,225 84	86	—	—	375 64
Parcels and Mails ..	80,201	39,303 74	86,501	43,712 83	6,300	4,409 9	—	—
Horses, Carriages, and other Coaching Traffic ..	3,520	5,038 56	4,090	6,454 96	570	1,416 40	—	—
Goods (tons) ..	83,146	736,748 44	91,653	750,183 3	8,507	13,434 59	—	—
Live Stock ..	2,921	2,912 70	4,087	4,527 50	1,166	1,614 80	—	—
Miscellaneous ..	—	13,284 36	—	20,016 28	—	6,731 92	—	—
Motor Service ..	—	1,142 70	—	2,429 69	—	1,286 99	—	—
Total for the Month ..	—	1,279,669 0	—	1,359,221 4	—	79,552 4	—	—
Brought forward from previous return ..	—	2,546,220 64	—	2,863,698 60	—	317,477 96	—	—
Total from July 1 to September 30 ..	—	3,825,889 64	—	4,222,919 64	—	397,030 0	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year ..	—	3,284,976 28	—	3,825,889 64	—	—	—	—
Increase ..	—	540,913 36	—	397,030 0	—	—	—	—
Decrease ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Traffic Train Mileage, July 1 to Sept. '30 ..	631,231	—	657,778	—	26,547	—	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year ..	587,076	—	631,231	—	—	—	—	—
Increase ..	44,155	—	26,547	—	—	—	—	—
Decrease ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended September 30, 1912.	Month ended September 30, 1913.	Increase in 1913.	Decrease in 1913.	Nett Increase or Decrease from July 1 to Sept. 30, 1913.	
					Increase.	Decrease.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
First Class Goods ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kerosine oil ..	259	352	93	—	386	—
Other, 6th class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rubber ..	710	1,095	385	—	988	—
Rice ..	17,194	14,853	—	2,341	284	—
Copra, 6th class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Arrack, 3rd class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Salt, 3rd class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other, 3rd class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tea ..	7,028	6,324	—	704	682	—
Cacao ..	50	28	—	24	—	82
Poonac, 4th class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coconut produce ..	5,396	8,582	3,186	—	9,105	—
Fruit and vegetables ..	1,527	1,649	122	—	—	242
Tea and rubber packing ..	1,744	1,611	—	133	425	—
Plumbago ..	1,062	1,523	461	—	1,279	—
Bulk petroleum ..	671	768	97	—	54	—
Liquid fuel ..	1,028	893	—	135	523	—
Coffee, 4th class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other, 2nd class ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manure ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other goods ..	9,605	11,746	2,141	—	3,909	—
Railway material (open line) ..	23,488	26,211	2,723	—	9,239	—
Railway material (extensions) ..	13,094	13,313	721	—	4,321	—
Breakwater material ..	186	992	806	—	1,906	—
Free goods ..	56	1,160	1,104	—	2,748	—
Timber, all classes ..	48	53	5	—	23	—
Cigars ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total ..	83,146	91,653	11,844	3,337	35,872	324

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

THE following Specification has been accepted :—

No. 1,379 of November 3, 1913.

*Francis Alban Byrne.*

"Improvements in or relating to the coagulating and curing of india rubber."

*Abstract.*—This invention relates to the process of coagulating rubber latex and curing coagulated rubber described and claimed in the specification filed with an application by the same inventor numbered 1312 and dated December 5, 1912, and consists of further improvements relating to the treatment of rubber latex and or coagulated rubber for the coagulating and or curing of rubber.

In the previous Specification the invention consisted of a process for coagulating and curing rubber latex by the vapours obtained from the products of the destructive distillation of wood, wood waste or the like. In this Specification the invention consists in a process for coagulating and or curing rubber latex by vapours or gases obtained from substances other than the products of the destructive distillation of wood, wood waste or the like. The substances described are any of the aldehydes or mixtures of them, namely, vapours or gases of formaldehyde, paraformaldehyde, acetaldehyde, acrolein or acrylic aldehyde. Or vapours or gases of a phenol or phenols either alone or mixed with pyroligneous or acetic acid such as phenol, cresol, thymol, creosol, naphthol. Or vapours or gases of coal tar creosote mixed with the vapours or gases of pyroligneous acid or other coagulant such as formic acid. Or vapours or gases of formic acid. Or vapours or gases of hydrocyanic acid, or of sulphurous acid gas. Or vapours and gases obtained from mixtures of any of the foregoing with the vapours or gases obtained from the destructive distillation of wood, wood waste or the like.

The claims are :—

- (1) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to coagulating and (or) curing vapours or gases produced by the volatilization of the substances or materials hereinbefore described.
- (2) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to the vapours or gases obtained by the application of heat to an aldehyde or aldehydes such as are hereinbefore referred to.
- (3) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to the vapours or gases obtained by the application of heat to phenols such as are hereinbefore referred to or to a mixture of the vapours or gases of such phenols with the vapour of pyroligneous acid or other coagulant.
- (4) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to the vapours or gases obtained by the application of heat to a mixture of coal tar creosote and a volatile coagulant or curer such as for example as pyroligneous acid, or to a mixture of the gases or vapours obtained from coal tar creosote and a volatile coagulant or curer separately heated.
- (5) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to the vapours or gases obtained by the application of heat to formic acid.
- (6) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to hydrocyanic acid vapour which may be obtained from the substances hereinbefore referred to.
- (7) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to sulphurous acid gas, which may be prepared by burning sulphur.
- (8) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to such coagulating and (or) curing vapours or gases as may be obtained by the mixture of any of the vapours or gases claimed in the foregoing claims.
- (9) Subjecting rubber latex or coagulated rubber to coagulating and (or) curing vapours or gases obtained by the mixture of any of the vapours or gases claimed in the prior claims with the vapours or gases obtained by the volatilization of any or all of the products of the destructive distillation of wood, wood waste or the like.

No drawings.

E. HUMAN,  
Registrar of Patents.

THE following Specifications have been accepted :—

No. 1,363 of August 29, 1913.

*John Paul Jacob.*

"A Rubber Tapping Tool."

*Abstract.*—The nature of the invention is described in the claim which is as follows :—

A rubber tapping tool consisting of a flat blade sharpened at the front and rear edges and flanged at the sides to form guards, and a shank, in combination, characterised by the mode of attachment of the blade to the shank, namely, by a hook and eye substantially as described and illustrated and for the purposes described.

One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,369 of September 20, 1913.

*Percival Victor James Weerappah.*

"Improvements in apparatus for clamping oil cans or similar vessels singly or in pairs to the footboard or other suitable parts of vehicles."

*Abstract.*—The invention is described in the claim which is as follows :—

In apparatus for clamping oil cans or similar vessels singly or in pairs to the footboard or other suitable parts of vehicles a vertical standard or pillar fixed to the footboard or other suitable part of a vehicle substantially as described and illustrated provided at its upper end with a spiral spring controlled as to its upward movement by a nut on the screwed end of that standard and controlled as to its downward movement by a collar fixed to the standard by a split peg or other suitable fixture such spiral spring being adjusted to operate a clamp sliding on that standard such clamp being formed with two clips (or one clip) adjusted to grip the upper edge of each of two oil cans or similar vessels placed one on each side of that standard (or one oil can or similar vessel) substantially as described and illustrated and for the purposes described, such clamp being provided with a handle for pulling the clamp upwards against the control of the spiral spring and for turning it through a quarter turn on the standard in order to release the oil cans or similar vessels when required and by reversing that action to clamp the oil cans (or can) or similar vessels when required substantially as described and illustrated.

One sheet of drawings.

Charles Reid.

No. 1,381 of November 5, 1913.

"Process and apparatus for coagulating and curing rubber latex by breaking up or atomizing it and spraying it by pressure evenly in thin layers on the surface of a drum revolving in smoke or other fumes."

*Abstract.*—The latex is atomized and sprayed by means of some form of injector driven by air or air charged with smoke or other fumes at a sufficient pressure for the purpose. The latex is led to the injector by a pipe from a vessel situated outside the rest of the apparatus and isolated from the smoke or other fumes. The sprayed latex is forced through an orifice in the side of a rectangular casing on to the periphery of a drum or series of drums mounted on the same axis revolving inside that casing. Inside that casing, smoke or other fumes suitable for coagulating and curing latex is forced under pressure by a fan or other suitable apparatus; with the object of subjecting the latex, deposited as a spray and in thin layers on the drum or drums, to the curing and coagulating action of those fumes.

The claims are:—

(1) The process of breaking up or atomizing rubber latex by means of a powerful jet of air and forcing it so broken up or atomized through smoke or other fumes used for the purpose of curing or coagulating latex and spraying it under pressure on to the surface of a drum revolving in an atmosphere of smoke or other fumes at a regulated speed substantially as described and illustrated in the above specification and drawings.

(2) An apparatus for so breaking up or atomizing rubber as in claim 1 above described and for spreading the atomized or broken up latex evenly and in thin layers on the surface of a drum revolving in smoke or other fumes used as curing or coagulating agents by means of the pressure operating on such smoke or other fumes substantially as described and illustrated in the specification and drawings annexed.

(3) A drum on which the latex is sprayed substantially as described and illustrated in the specification and drawings.

(4) An apparatus for spraying latex on to a drum so that it passes through smoke or other fumes used as a coagulating or curing agency in a vapourous or atomized condition before reaching the surface of such drum substantially as described and illustrated in the specification and drawings hereof.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,  
Registrar of Patents.

### ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

#### Wanarajah Branch Road.

(Improving Dangerous Corners.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for improving dangerous corners on above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the following estates interested in the said road at the rate of 1022c. per acre:—

(Estimate No. 627 of August 29, 1913.)

		Rs.	450	00
Government moiety		..	Rs.	450
Private contributions		..	Rs.	461
				25
				Amount.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	.. Wanarajah	.. 345	..	35 30
South Wanarajah Tea Estates Company	.. South Wanarajah	.. 250	..	25 57
Ceylon Proprietary Company	.. Summerville	.. 239	..	24 44
K. D. Kershaw	.. Blair Athol	.. 306	..	31 31
A. Anson	.. Carfax	.. 298	..	30 48
K. Rollo and Mrs. Mercer	.. Gorthie	.. 308	..	31 51
Whittall & Co.	.. Dunkeld	.. 237	..	24 24
Castlereagh Estate Company	.. Castlereagh	.. 511	..	52 28
Whittall & Co.	.. Banff	.. 211	..	21 58
Do.	.. Elstree	.. 167	..	17 8
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (H. G. Eccles)	.. Lethenty and Essex	.. 320	..	32 74
Do.	.. Marlborough	.. 258	..	26 39
Do.	.. Blairgowrie	.. 114	..	11 66
Do.	.. Claverton	.. 198	..	20 25
Uplands Tea Estates of Ceylon	.. Osborne	.. 441	..	45 11
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (H. G. Eccles)	.. Broad Oak	.. 306	..	31 31
				461 25

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before December 13, 1913.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, November 27, 1913.

G. S. SAXTON,  
Chairman.

#### Wanarajah Branch Road.

(Between Wanarajah Bridge and Claverton Estate.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for 15 months ending September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road as follows:—

(Estimate No. 314 of September 10, 1913.)

		Rs.	1,200
Government moiety		..	Rs. 1,200
Private contributions		..	Rs. 1,212
			1st section, 1 mile.
Total acreage, 4,509—Moiety of cost, Rs. 268.88—			Sectional rate, .0596c.—Total rate, .0596c.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	.. Wanarajah	.. 345	.. 20 57
1st and 2nd section, 2 miles.			
Total acreage, 4,164—Moiety of cost, Rs. 268.88—			
Sectional rate, .0645c.—Total rate, .1242c.			
South Wanarajah Tea Estates Company	.. South Wanarajah	.. 250	.. 31 5
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.			
Total acreage, 3,914—Moiety of cost, Rs. 537.76—			
Sectional rate, .1373c.—Total rate, .2615c.			
Ceylon Proprietary Company	.. Summerville	.. 239	.. 62 53
K. D. Kershaw	.. Blair Athol	.. 306	.. 80 5
A. Anson	.. Carfax	.. 298	.. 77 96
K. Rollo and Mrs. Mercer	.. Gorthie	.. 308	.. 80 57
Whittall & Co.	.. Dunkeld	.. 237	.. 61 99
Castlereagh Estate Company	.. Castlereagh	.. 511	.. 133 68
Whittall & Co.	.. Banff	.. 211	.. 55 19
Do.	.. Elstree	.. 167	.. 43 68
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (H. G. Eccles)	.. Lethenty and Essex	.. 320	.. 83 71
Do.	.. Marlborough	.. 258	.. 67 49
Do.	.. Blairgowrie	.. 114	.. 29 82

1st to 6th section, 4½ miles.

Total acreage, 945—Moiety of cost, Rs. 134·45—  
Sectional rate, 1422c.—Total rate, 4037c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Lethenty Tea Estates Com- pany (H. G. Eccles) ..	Claverton ..	198 ..	79 97
Uplands Tea Estates of Ceylon ..	Osborne ..	441 ..	178 12
Lethenty Tea Estates Com- pany (H. G. Eccles) ..	Broad Oak ..	306 ..	123 59
			1,209 97

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before December 13, 1913.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,212 0
Unexpended balance, 1912-13 ..	2 3
Amount to be recovered on account 1913-14 ..	1,209 97

Provincial Road Committee's Office, G. S. SAXTON,  
Kandy, November 27, 1913. Chairman.

**Kadugannawa-Paranapattiya Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance to the above road for the fifteen months ending September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the road, as follows:—

Government moiety ..	Rs. 1,250
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,358

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 2,868—Estate's share of cost, Rs. 311·78.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due. Rs. c.
C. Schofield ..	Bellongalla ..	270 ..	29 35

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 2,598—Estate's share of cost, Rs. 251·28.  
Percy D'Silva .. Silver Hill .. 125 .. 25 65

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 2,473—Estate's share of cost, Rs. 251·28.			
V. Venkataswami ..	Mercantile ..	114 ..	35 1
D. C. de Silva ..	Sardikki ..	84 ..	25 79
M. B. Panabokka ..	Medrup ..	79 ..	24 26
Melville Geddes ..	Nuga Ella ..	81 ..	24 87

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 2,195—Estate's share of cost, Rs. 251·28.  
E. H. de Silva .. Paranapittia .. 22 .. 9 28

1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 2,173—Estate's share of cost, Rs. 242·78.  
W. Hermon .. Mount Colville  
Group .. 1,003 .. 634 83

1st to 6th section, 5½ miles.

Total acreage, 1,170—Estate's share of cost, Rs. 49·60.  
R. B. Perring .. Alpitakanda .. 570 .. 328 11  
A. M. Vaithingampillai .. Franklands .. 120 .. 69 8  
O. B. Wijeyesekera .. Gadadessa .. 400 .. 230 25

4th, 5th, and 6th sections, 3rd to 5½ miles (2½ miles).

S. U. L. Odayar .. Leangaha .. 80 .. 21 49  
  
1,358 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to Mr. W. Hermon, Chairman, Local Committee, Mount Colville Group, Kadugannawa, on or before December 20, 1913.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, G. S. SAXTON,  
Kandy, December 5, 1913. Chairman.

**Vellaioya-Shannon Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the above road for the 15 months ending September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, December 13, 1913, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contribution:—

Government moiety ..	Rs. 523·00
Private contribution ..	Rs. 1,210·75

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

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Eastern Produce & Estate Co., Ltd. (C. G. Spiller) ..	Vellai Oya ..	965
Mrs. C. Shipton (W. J. Mason) ..	Agra Oya ..	438

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, G. S. SAXTON,  
Kandy, November 28, 1913. Chairman.

**Golohenwatta-Yattawatta Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at Laxahena on Monday, December 22, 1913, at 10 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee for two years.

N.B.—This meeting should be attended by estate representatives of not less than one-third of the acreage.

Immediately after, a meeting of the Local Committee will be held.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, G. S. SAXTON,  
Kandy, December 9, 1913. Chairman.

**Maintenance of Deniyaya-Hayes Road during 1913-1914.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road during 1913-1914, the Provincial Road Committee of the Southern Province, acting under the provisions of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 9 of 1907, will, on Saturday, January 3, 1914, at 3 P.M., at their office in Galle, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**MAINTENANCE OF DENIYAYA-HAYES ROAD.**  
(Estimate No. 99 of 1913-1914.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 4,500·00
Private contribution ..	Rs. 4,567·50

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
D. M. Rajapaksa (D. M. Rajapaksa) ..	Deniyaya ..	275

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

W. Silva and others .. Kekunahena .. 80

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

J. Anderson (Geo. Steuart &amp; Co.) Handford .. 754

1st to 6th section, 6 miles.

E. C. Anderson (E. C. Anderson) Anningkanda .. 775

1st to 8th section, 8 miles.

Lipton, Limited (Lipton, Limited) Panilkanda .. 852

1st to 10th section, 10½ miles.

Haydella Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd. (Whittall & Co.) ..	Hayes ..	1,638½
Do. ..	Gongalla ..	574
Haydella Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd. (lessees, Whittall & Co.) ..	Longford ..	257

5,205½

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, J. R. Walters,  
Galle, December 10, 1913. for Chairman.

**Election of Member, District Road Committee,  
Mullaittivu.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the 26th clause of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of the European Member of the District Committee of Mullaittivu for the remaining period of 1913 and for 1914 and 1915 are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Northern Province at least ten days before the day of election. The election will be held on December 20, 1913, at 11 A.M., at Vavuniya.

Provincial Road Committee, N. E. ERNST,  
Jaffna, December 3, 1913. Secretary.

**Election of Members, District Road Committee,  
Nuwarakalaviya.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the 26th clause of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of the members of the District Road Committee of Nuwarakalaviya district for the years 1914, 1915, and 1916 are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Central Province, at least ten days before the day of election.

2. Election of three members for the District Road Committee of Nuwarakalaviya will be held on January 5, 1914, at 1 P.M., at the Anuradhapura Kachcheri, in terms of the 27th clause of the Ordinance.

Provincial Road Committee, B. CONSTANTINE,  
Anuradhapura, December 6, 1913. Chairman.

**Election of Members, District Road Committee,  
Tamankaduwa.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the 26th clause of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of the members of the District Road Committee of Tamankaduwa district for the years 1914, 1915, and 1916 are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Central Province, at least ten days before the day of election.

2. Election of three members for the District Road Committee of Tamankaduwa will be held on January 8, 1914, at 1 P.M., at the Topawewa Resthouse, in terms of the 27th clause of the same Ordinance.

Provincial Road Committee, B. CONSTANTINE,  
Anuradhapura, December 6, 1913. Chairman.

**Dehiowita-Algoda Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road as follows:—

**DEHIOWITA-ALGODA BRANCH ROAD.**  
(Estimate No. 530 of September 9, 1913.)

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
Rajawela Produce Co., Limited (Gordon Frazer & Co., Agents)	Densworth	.. 547	.. 47 28
Government moiety			.. Rs. 600
Private contributions			.. Rs. 612

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
Sunnygama Ceylon Tea Estates Co., Ltd. (George Steuart & Co., Agents)	Tambegama	.. 1,444	.. 124 83
Panawala Tea Co., Limited (Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	Ernan and Glassel	1,111	.. 96 10
Nahalma Tea Estate Co. (Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	Nahalma	.. 692	.. 59 82
Woodend Tea and Rubber Co., Limited (Lewis Brown & Co., Agents)	Woodend	.. 992	.. 85 76
Sitawaka Tea and Rubber Co. (Carson & Co., Agents)	Maldeniya	.. 618	.. 53 42
Panawatta Tea and Rubber Co. (Whittall & Co., Agents)	Yogama	.. 1,426	.. 123 28
J. A. Symons, Colombo	Loolpola and Clearings	.. 51	.. 4 40
H. de Mel, Avisawella	Maliagoda	.. 98	.. 8 47
G. D. Salman Appuhami, Dehiowita	Ambagampola	.. 50	.. 4 32
A. A. Thabrew, Dehiowita	Puhuwalagama	.. 50	.. 4 32
Total			.. 612 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before January 5, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, A. H. PINDER,  
Ratnapura, November 29, 1913. for Chairman.

**Gevillipitiya-Hatgampola Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the District interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road as follows:—

**GEVILIPITIYA-HATGAMPOLA BRANCH ROAD.**

(Estimate No. 581 of September 9, 1913.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 600
Private contributions	.. Rs. 612

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
J. R. Collinson and H. Whitham (Eastern Produce Estates Company, Ltd., Agents)	Yellangowrie	440	.. 165 50
W. L. Strachan (Rubber Estates of Ceylon, Ltd., Agents)	Debatgama	.. 437	.. 164 40
E. G. Mainsty and W. C. Whitham (Rubber Estates of Ceylon, Limited, Agents)	Kalugalla	.. 103	.. 38 75
Rubber Estates of Ceylon (The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estate and Agency Co., Agents)	Urukanda	.. 647	.. 243 35
Total			.. 612 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before January 5, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, A. H. PINDER,  
Ratnapura, November 29, 1913. for Chairman.