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### DRAFT ORDINANCES.

#### MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:—

**An Ordinance to amend "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912."**

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Excise Ordinance No. 8 of 1912": Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as "The Excise (Amendment) Ordinance, No. of 1914."

Amendment of schedule.

2 The 7th and 8th paragraphs of the schedule referred to in section 2 of the principal Ordinance, viz.:

No. 5 of 1899 .. An Ordinance to consolidate .. Section 17, and amend the Law relating so far as it to the Possession and Sale of relates to Opium bhang or ganja

No. 9 of 1905 .. An Ordinance to amend "The .. Section 3, Opium Ordinance, 1899 " so far as it relates to bhang or ganja

are hereby repealed.

Amendment of paragraph (b) of sub-section 11 of section 3 of the principal Ordinance.

3 In line 5 of paragraph (b) of sub-section 11 of section 3 of the principal Ordinance the word "cocaine" shall be inserted immediately before the word "ganja."

By His Excellency's command,  
 Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Colombo, May 22, 1914.

R. E. STUBBS,  
 Colonial Secretary.

*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

THIS Draft Bill is in substitution for the Draft Bill already published in the *Gazette* (see *Government Gazette* No. 6,604 of January 30, 1914).

2. The object of the Draft Bill is—

- (a) To correct an error in the Schedule to the Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912. Sections 17 of Ordinance No. 5 of 1899 and 3 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1905 having already been repealed should not have appeared in the schedule.
- (b) To add the word "cocaine" immediately after the word "ganja" in line 5 of paragraph (b) of subsection (11) of section 3 of the Excise Ordinance, to enable the Governor to declare what shall be deemed to be cocaine. This amendment is inserted with a view to the stricter control it is intended to exercise over the supply of cocaine.

Attorney-General's Chambers,  
Colombo, April 25, 1914.

ANTON BERTRAM,  
Attorney-General.

## MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:—

**An Ordinance to amend "The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, 1908."**

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend "The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, 1908": Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as "The Ceylon Post Office (Amendment) Ordinance, No. of 1914."

Substitution of new section 22 for section 22 of the principal Ordinance.

2 For section 22 of the principal Ordinance, as amended by Ordinance No. 23 of 1909, the following section shall be substituted:

Transmission by post of anything indecent, &c., prohibited.

22 No person shall send by post—

- (a) Any indecent or obscene printing, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, book, or card, or any other indecent or obscene article; or
- (b) Any circular or advertisement representing or suggesting that any publication or article therein advertised is of an indecent or obscene nature; or
- (c) Any postal article having thereon or on the cover thereof any words, marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene, seditious, scurrilous, threatening, or grossly offensive character; or
- (d) Any proposal, circular, or ticket relating to lotteries, whether promoted in Ceylon or elsewhere; or
- (e) Any circular or advertisement regarding drugs or medicines purporting to be remedies for diseases of the sexual organs or sexual stimulants; or
- (f) Any substance which the Governor may by notification issued under Ordinance No. 8 of 1912, as amended by Ordinance No. of 1914, declare to be cocaine.

Provided that the Governor in Council may, by notification in the "Government Gazette," exempt any medicinal preparation containing cocaine from all or any of the provisions of this Ordinance.

Substitution of new sub-sections (4) and (5) for sub-sections (4) and (5) of section 26 of the principal Ordinance.

3 For sub-sections (4) and (5) of section 26 of the principal Ordinance the following sub-sections shall be substituted:

- (4) If the value of the contents is, in the opinion of the officer of the Customs, under-valued, or the description of contents incorrect, or if the contents or articles are totally or conditionally prohibited from being imported under the Customs Ordinance, or any Ordinance amending the same, or under any other Ordinance, the postal article with its contents shall be delivered to the Principal Collector of Customs to be dealt with as provided by the Customs Ordinance.

- (5) If any letter received from beyond seas is suspected to contain dutiable articles, or articles totally or conditionally prohibited from being imported as mentioned in the preceding sub-section, it shall be delivered to the Principal Collector of Customs to be dealt with under the Customs Ordinance, and the Postmaster-General shall cause notice in writing to be forthwith sent to the addressee advising him of the arrival of the letter and of its transmission to the Principal Collector of Customs, and requesting him to clear it personally or by agent, or to authorize the Principal Collector of Customs in writing to open the letter and assess the contents for duty.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, May 22, 1914. R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

This Bill is in substitution for the Bill already published in the Gazette (see Government Gazette No. 6,604 of January 30, 1914).

2. The object of the Draft Bill is to amend the Post Office Ordinance, No. 11 of 1908, in the following respects:—

- (a) By the insertion of a sub-section in section 22 prohibiting the sending by post of any circular or advertisement representing or suggesting that any publication or article therein advertised is of an indecent or obscene nature.
- (b) By the insertion of another sub-section in section 22 whereby the sending by post of cocaine (as defined by notification issued under the Draft Ordinance amending the Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912) is prohibited. Power is given to the Governor in Council to exempt any medicinal preparation containing cocaine from any of the provisions of the Ordinance.
- (c) Sub-sections (4) and (5) of section 26 have also been amended to enforce this prohibition.

Attorney-General's Chambers,  
Colombo, April 25, 1914.

ANTON BERTRAM,  
Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:—

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 1 of 1871, intituled "An Ordinance to amend the Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1869, and to provide for the issue of Warehouse Warrants."

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend Ordinance No. 1 of 1871, intituled "An Ordinance to amend the Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1869, and to provide for the issue of Warehouse Warrants": Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Amended Warehouse Warrants Ordinance, No. of 1914."

Addition of new section.

2 The following section shall be added to the principal Ordinance, and shall be numbered 4:

Stamp duty on warehouse warrants fixed at fifty cents.

4 Every warrant, whether issued by a Collector of Customs or by the keeper of a bonded warehouse, shall bear a stamp duty of fifty cents, and such duty shall be denoted by adhesive stamps. Such warrants shall be liable, in all matters relating to stamp duty, to the provisions of the Ordinances relating to stamp duties, so far as the same shall be applicable thereto.

Repeal.

3 Section 3 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1875 is hereby repealed.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, May 22, 1914. R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

THE object of the Draft Bill is to correct an error in the Stamp Ordinance, No. 22 of 1909, which repealed Ordinance No. 3 of 1890. In the 1890 Ordinance warehouse warrants were subject to a special stamp duty of fifty cents. In the new Ordinance of 1909 this item was inadvertently omitted.

2. The result of this omission was that section 4 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1871 (under which the stamp duty payable was only five cents) was revived.

3. The Draft Bill amends this by raising the stamp duty from five cents to fifty cents, so as to make the stamp duty the same as the duty which was levied prior to the passing of Ordinance No. 22 of 1909.

4. A corresponding amendment will be made when the Stamp Ordinance is amended.

Attorney-General's Chambers,  
Colombo, May 20, 1914.

ANTON BERTRAM,  
Attorney-General.

**NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.**

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. late Coilpillai Barnabas of Tiruvaikulam,  
No. 4,887. in Tinnevely District, in South India,  
deceased.

The Rev. Amirthanayagam Coilpillai Barnabas of  
Kandy ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Pakiam Barnabas, presently of Nazareth, in  
South India, and (2) Arumanayagam Jesuthasan  
Coilpillai Barnabas of Palankulam, in Tinnevely  
District aforesaid ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before K. Balasingham, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on May 20, 1914, in the presence of Mr. Ratnaswamy, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 19, 1914, and the order of the Supreme Court dated May 8, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 18, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

K. BALASINGHAM,  
May 20, 1914. Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. late Mahamarakkalage Joseph Charles  
No. 4,895. Perera of Idama, in Moratuwa, deceased.

Yanthrawaduge Nancy Bastiana Fernando of  
Idama, in Moratuwa ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Mahamarakkalage Joseph Bernard Edmund  
Perera of Idama, in Moratuwa, a minor, (2)  
Edmund Abraham Benjamin Fernando of  
Idama, in Moratuwa ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before K. Balasingham, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on May 28, 1914, in the presence of Messrs. Silva and Perera, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 22, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 25, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

K. BALASINGHAM,  
May 28, 1914. Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. the late Wannekuwattewaduge Elaria  
No. 4,896. Fernando of Korawalawella, in Moratuwa,  
deceased.

Wannekuwattewaduge Francis Fernando of Korala-  
wella ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Wannekuwattewaduge Fellicida Fernando, and  
her husband (2) Tantulage Lawrence William  
Fernando, both of Moratuwella, in Moratuwa,  
(3) Wannekuwattewaduge Vincent Paul Fer-  
nando, (4) Wannekuwattewaduge Agnes Lucia  
Fernando, (5) Wannekuwattewaduge Mary Bar-  
bara Fernando, (6) Wannekuwattewaduge  
Joseph Andrew Fernando, all of Korawalawella, in  
in Moratuwa ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before K. Balasingham, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on May 28, 1914, in the presence of Messrs. Silva and Perera, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 22, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the husband of the said deceased, to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 25, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

K. BALASINGHAM,  
May 28, 1914. Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testa-  
Jurisdiction. ment of the late Slema Lebbe Neina  
No. 4,900. Marikar, formerly of No. 42, Demata-  
goda road, Colombo, and late of No. 42,  
New Moor street, Colombo, deceased.

Slema Lebbe Saphia Umma of No. 42, New Moor  
street, Colombo ..... Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before K. Balasingham, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on May 28, 1914, in the presence of Messrs. de Vos and Gratiaen, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of (1) the said petitioner, dated May 26, 1914, and (2) of the attesting Notary, dated May 25, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will of Slema Lebbe Neina Marikar, deceased, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the petitioner is the executrix named in the said will, and that she is entitled to have probate thereof issued to her

accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before June 18, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 30, 1914. K. BALASINGHAM,  
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Joint Last Will and  
Jurisdiction. Testament of Mary Louisa de Silva, *nee*  
No. 4,904. Pinto, deceased, and Lindamullage Paul  
de Silva of Moratuwa.

Lindamullage Paul de Silva of Moratuwa . . . . . Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Thomas Forrest Garvin, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on June 4, 1914, in the presence of Mr. Danton P. Ratnaik, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit (1) of the said petitioner dated May 22, 1914, and (2) of the Notary and attesting witnesses dated June 1, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will of Mary Louisa de Silva, *nee* Pinto, deceased, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the petitioner is the executor named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have probate thereof issued to him accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before June 18, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 4, 1914. THOMAS F. GARVIN,  
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. the late Eleanor Praeminie Gunasekera of  
No. 4,909. 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo.

Sarnelis de Silva Gunasekera of 3rd Division,  
Maradana, Colombo . . . . . Petitioner.

And

(1) Evadnie Luxminie Eugenie Gunasekera, *nee* Silva, and her husband (2) A. E. de Silva, (3) Herod Saranadasa Gunasekera, (4) Florence Sundarie Gunasekera, (5) Percival Reginald Buddhadasa Gunasekera, (6) Llewellyn Chandradasa Gunasekera, (7) Letitia Carminie Gunasekera, (8) Samson Kingsley Sri Darmen Gunasekera, (9) Lavinia Swarnapalie Gunasekera, (10) Leslie Jinendradas Gunasekera, (11) George Henrius Karunaratne, all of 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo . . . . . Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Thomas Forrest Garvin, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on June 8, 1914, in the presence of Mr. O. A. Jayasekera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated January 28, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the father of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 18, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 8, 1914. THOMAS F. GARVIN, (JR.)  
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Pitcha Bawa Lebbe Maimon Nachia of  
No. 892. of Wattalpola, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before C. A. L. Orr, Esq., Acting District Judge of Kalutara, on May 28, 1914, in the presence of Mr. J. A. Fernando, Proctor, on the part

of the petitioner Madar Lebbe Peer Mohamadu Lebbe of Wattalpola in Panadure; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 12, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner Madar Lebbe Peer Mohamadu Lebbe be and he is hereby declared entitled to administer the estate of the said deceased, as husband of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Peer Mohamadu Lebbe Ajer Umma, (2) Peer Mohamadu Lebbe Masiduth Umma, (3) Peer Mohamadu Lebbe Mohamado Hanifa, (4) Peer Mohamadu Lebbe Mohamado Ismail, (5) Peer Mohamadu Lebbe Asia Umma, (6) Peer Mohamadu Lebbe Ratomuttu Natcha, (7) Madar Lebbe Noona Lebbe, all of Wattalpola—shall, on or before July 14, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 28, 1914. CYRIL A. L. ORR,  
Acting District Judge.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Jayanettikorallage Dona Sophia Jayanetti  
No. 893. of Kitulgoda, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before C. A. L. Orr, Esq., Acting District Judge of Kalutara, on May 28, 1914, in the presence of Mr. J. A. Fernando, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Davith Perera Siriwardana of Kitulgoda; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 22, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner Davith Perera Siriwardana of Kitulgoda be and is hereby declared entitled to administer the estate of the said deceased, as husband of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly unless the respondents (1) Premawathi Perera Siriwardana, (2) Harmanis Perera Siriwardana, both of Kitulgoda—shall, on or before July 14, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 28, 1914. CYRIL A. L. ORR,  
Acting District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Kanther Raguppillai of Kandy, deceased  
No. 3,037.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Paul E. Pieris, Esq., Acting District Judge of Kandy, on May 12, 1914, in the presence of Mr. V. M. Saravanamuttu, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Theivanaipillai, widow of Raguppillai, of Mallagam, in Jaffna; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated January 7, 1914, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Theivanaipillai, widow of Raguppillai of Mallagam, in Jaffna, be and she is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased, as his widow, unless—(1) Raguppillai Sanmugam, (2) Sivagampillai, daughter of Raguppillai, (3) Viyalachy, daughter of Raguppillai, (4) Raguppillai Ponnambalam, (5) Pooranam, daughter of Raguppillai, (6) Kanmany, daughter of Raguppillai, (7) Makesupary, daughter of Raguppillai, by their guardian *ad litem* Annashalam Kartigase, all of Mallagam, in Jaffna—shall, on or before June 15, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 12, 1914. P. E. PIERIS,  
Acting District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Alahakoon Mudiyansegedara Kirihamy,  
No. 3,075. deceased, of Minigomuwa, in Udapalaya  
of Tumpane.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Abraham Charles Gerard Wijeyekoon, Esq., Additional District Judge, Kandy, on May 13, 1914, in the presence of Mr. C. Vanderwall, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Alahakoon Mudiyansegedara Ranhamy of Minigomuwa; and

the affidavit of Alahakoon Mudiyanselegedera Ranhamy of Minigomuwa, the petitioner above named, dated April 28, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner Alahakoon Mudiyanselegedera Ranhamy of Minigomuwa be and he is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Alahakoon Mudiyanselegedera Kirihamy of Minigomuwa, deceased, as the son of the said deceased, unless—(1) Kumburegedara Punchi Menika, (2) Alahakoon Mudiyanselegedera Ukku Banda, (3) ditto Ukku Menika, (4) ditto Kiri Menika, (5) ditto Ram Menika—shall, on or before June 18, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 13, 1914.

A. C. G. WIJEYKOON,  
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Veloo's daughter Muniamma, deceased,  
No. 3,079. of Kandy.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Paulus Edward Pieris, Esq., Acting District Judge of Kandy, on May 26, 1914, in the presence of Mr. E. C. L. Sproule, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Veloo's son Iyan Perumal of Kandy, and the affidavit of Veloo's son Iyan Perumal, the petitioner above named, dated May 22, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner Veloo's son Iyan Perumal of Kandy be and he is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Veloo's daughter Muniamma of Kandy, deceased, as the only heir and brother of the said deceased, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before June 18, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 25, 1914.

P. E. PIERIS,  
Acting District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of proving the Last Will and  
No. 4,414. Testament of Kariyawassan Bowitan-  
tirige Jusey de Silva, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before L. W. C. Schrader, Esq., District Judge, Galle, on May 30, 1914, in the presence of Mr. Abeyewardene, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Marthenis Titus Wickramanayaka; and the affidavits of the petitioner and E. A. Gurusinha, Notary, and J. A. Goonasekera, dated May 29, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of Kariyawassan Bowitantrige Jusey de Silva, deceased, dated January 22, 1914, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondents shall, on or before June 19, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said Marthenis Titus Wickramanayaka is the executor named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless (1) Dematadeniyepathiranage Robertina Goonaratna Haminey, (2) Kariyawassan Bowitantrige Mary Josephine Franciska de Silva, (3) K. B. Joseph Valentine de Silva, (4) Kariyawassan Bowitantrige Mary Agnes de Silva, all of Hirimbura, shall, on or before June 19, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 30, 1914.

L. W. C. SCHRADER,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Maddumamanage alias Kasthuriarach-  
No. 2,101. chige Don Andris, deceased, of Babarenda.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. C. W. Rock, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on May 19, 1914, in the presence of Proctor, Mr. E. P. Wijetunge, on the part of the

petitioner Bentota Kumarnayakage Hinnihami of Babarenda; and the affidavit of the above-named petitioner, dated May 15, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner, as widow of the above-named deceased, and that she is, as such entitled to have letters of administration issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Wanniatchchikankanage Deonis Appu alias Balappuhami of Bathema, (2) Maddumamanage alias Kasturiarachchige Babyanaji, (3) ditto Nancy, both of Babarenda—shall, on or before July 2, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the above-named 1st respondent may be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors 2nd and 3rd respondents, unless cause be shown to the contrary, on or before July 2, 1914.

May 19, 1914.

J. C. W. ROCK,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Samuel Wyman Nathaniel of Uduvil,  
No. 2,838. deceased.

Annamma Nathaniel of Uduvil.....Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Sanorasekaram Nathaniel of Elavalai, (2) Sathasivam Nathaniel of H. M. Customs, in Colombo, (3) Ramasunoram Nathaniel of No. 84, Dam street, in Colombo, (4) Rasamma Nathaniel of Uduvil, (5) Chinnamma Nathaniel of ditto, (6) Navarathnam Nathaniel of ditto, the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd respondents are minors, by their guardian *ad litem* the 7th respondent, (7) Thyagarajapillai Appadurai of Uduvil, and presently of No. 84, Dam street, in Colombo..... Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of Annamma Nathaniel of Uduvil, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Samuel Wyman Nathaniel of Uduvil, coming on for disposal before W. F. Duraisamey, Esq., Acting District Judge, on May 16, 1914, in the presence of Mr. C. R. Tambiah, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated April 1, 1914, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the said deceased, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to her accordingly, unless the respondent above named or any other person shall, on or before June 25, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 23, 1914.

W. F. DURAISAMEY,  
Acting District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Peter  
Jurisdiction. Gabriel of Karaiyoor, Jaffna, deceased.  
No. 2,841.

Harriet Suntharam, widow of Peter Gabriel of  
Karaiyoor, Jaffna.....Petitioner.

Vs.

Mary Thankamma Gabriel of Karaiyoor, minor,  
appearing by her guardian *ad litem* Elizabeth,  
widow of Gabriel Peter of Karaiyoor..... Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before C. V. Brayne, Esq., District Judge of Jaffna, on June 4, 1914, in the presence of Mr. J. A. J. Tisseverasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated April 6, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration issued to her, unless the respondent above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 30, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 4, 1914.

C. V. BRAYNE,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. Vellayamma, wife of Ramasamy Chetty  
No. 2,863. Arunachalam Chetty of Kodigamam,  
deceased.

Ramasamy Chetty Arunachalam Chetty of Kodi-  
gamam.....Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Arunachalam Chetty Sapapathay Chetty of  
Kodigamam, (2) Amirthammal, daughter of  
Arunachalam Chetty of ditto..... Respondents.

THIS matter of the petitioner of Ramasamy Chetty Arunachalam Chetty of Kodigamam, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Vellayamma, wife of Ramasamey Chetty Arunachalam Chetty, coming on for disposal before W. F. Duraisamey, Esq., Acting District Judge, on May 15, 1914, in the presence of Mr. C. R. Tambiah, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated May 15, 1914, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as widower of the said deceased, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any other person shall, on or before June 25, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

W. F. DURAISAMEY,  
Acting District Judge.

May 22, 1914.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. Dembatapitiyerallege Punchirala. of  
No. 434. Dembatapitiya, deceased.

Dembatapitiyerallege Dingiri Banda of Dem-  
batapitiya.....Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. G. Willett, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on March 18, 1914, in the presence of Mr. A. G. Wickramasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and his affidavit dated March 18, 1914, having been read:

It is ordered and declared that the petitioner, as the son of the said deceased, is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate estate, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before June 29, 1914, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

A. P. BOONE,  
District Judge.

March 18, 1914.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. Warusakoon Mudianselage Appuhamy of  
No. 428. Udamakadawara, deceased.

Warusakoon Mudianselage Ukku Banda of Uda-  
makadawara.....Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Weerakoon Mudianselage Kiri Menika, (2)  
ditto Dingiri Amma, (3) ditto Mudiense, (4)  
ditto Punchimahatmaya, (5) ditto Kiri Banda,  
(6) ditto Punchi Banda, (7) ditto Bandara  
Menika, (8) ditto Heen Menika, all of Uda-  
makadawara..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. G. Willett, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on December 9, 1913, in the presence of Mr W. O. Herat, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the petitioner's affidavit dated October 2, 1913, having been duly read:

It is ordered and declared that the petitioner, as son of the deceased, is entitled to letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, and that letters of administration be issued to him accordingly, unless the above-named respondents or any person or persons interested shall, on or before January 27, 1914, show sufficient cause to the contrary to the satisfaction of this court.

T. G. WILLETT,  
District Judge.

Kegalla, December 9, 1914.

Extended and re-issued for June 17, 1914.

C. P. W. GUNASEKERA,  
Secretary.

June 1, 1914.

In the District Court of Badulla.

*Order Absolute in the First instance declaring  
Will Proved, &c.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. Adeline Frances Emily Allen, deceased, of  
No. B 457. Ampitiyakande estate, Bandarawela.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. Reid, Esq., District Judge of Badulla, on June 4, 1914, in the presence of Mr. Robert E. Blazé, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, and the affidavit of the petitioner having been read: It is ordered that the last will of Adeline Frances Emily Allen, deceased, of which a copy has been produced and is now in deposit in this court be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the petitioner, Arthur Allen, of Ampitiyakande estate, is one of the executors named in the said will, and that probate thereof do issue to him accordingly.

T. REID,  
District Judge.

## NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,576. In the matter of the insolvency of Gregory  
Herman Philipsey of Mutwal, in Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on July 2, 1914, for approval of conditions of sale.

By order of court,

D. M. JANSZ,  
Secretary.

Colombo, June 5, 1914.

In the District Court of Negombo.

No. 101. In the matter of the insolvency of Mihidukule-  
suriya Stephen Fernando and Mihidukule-  
suriya Manuel Fernando, both of Negombo,  
who were carrying on business in partnership  
as hirers of motor cars.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sitting of this court in the above matter is adjourned to June 24, 1914, for the examination of the insolvent.

By order of court,

T. B. CLAASZ,  
Secretary.

Negombo, June 10, 1914.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 407. In the matter of the insolvency of Peter Francis Mendis Abeysekera of Galle.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on June 29, 1914.

By order of court,

V. R. MOLDRICH,  
Secretary.

June 8, 1914.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

No. 64. In the matter of the insolvency of Kanapathipillai Kunamalai of Vannarponna West, Jaffna, insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at a sitting of this court on July 6, 1914, for the grant of a certificate of conformity to the insolvent.

By order of court,

C. RASANAYAGAM,  
Secretary.

June 8, 1914.

## NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

### Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Joseph Maria Dassanayake of Bambalapitiya . . . Plaintiff.  
No. 36,987. Vs.

Mahawattage Harmanis Mendis of Korawalawella in Moratuwa . . . Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, July 10, 1914, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 415 with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from August 20, 1913, till payment in full and Rs. 151.50 as costs of suit, viz. :—

An allotment of land called Payurugahawatta, situated at Korawalawella in Moratuwa, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Francis J. J. Jettige Juse Silva *alias* Jusey Pala, on the east by the land belonging to Vidhanelage Pedro de Mel, on the south by the land belonging to Sillapperumage Daniel Fernando, and on the west by the land belonging to Rev. Cornelis de Mel; containing in extent 35 42/100 square perches.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, June 9, 1914.

W. DE LIVERA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Ellen Hulme Horten (spinster) of Lyndhurst in Galle . . . Plaintiff.  
No. C 37,361. Vs.

(1) Maria Marshall, (2) Henry William Marshall, wife and husband, both of Cotta road, in Colombo . . . Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, July 8, 1914, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, declared bound and executable under the decree entered in the above action for the recovery of Rs. 1,500 with interest thereon at 12 per cent. per annum from February 1, 1913, to January 9, 1914, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree till payment in full and costs of suit, viz. :—

All that portion of the land called Kongahawatta, with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, situated in the village Nugegoda, in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the part of this land belonging to Nawalage Don Simon, on the east by Malwattageowita, on the south by Madangahawatta, and on the west by the high road; containing in extent ground sufficient to plant 50 coconut plants or thereabout, which said premises are otherwise described as follows, to wit :—

All that part of the garden shaded lake in the plan called and known as Kongahawatta, with the buildings, plantations, and trees standing thereon, situated in the village Nugegoda *alias* Pagoda in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the garden of Nawalage Don Simon, on the east by Malwattageowita, on the south by Madangahawatta

of Baronchi Perera, and on the west by the high road, 45 links wide; containing in extent 2 roods and 6 9/100 perches according to the figure of survey dated August 9, 1873, made by Charles Schwallie, land surveyor, together with all rights, privileges, easements, servitudes, and appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises belonging or usually held, occupied, used, or enjoyed therewith, and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim, and demand whatsoever of the defendants in, to, out of, or upon the same.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, June 9, 1914.

W. DE LIVERA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

R. M. M. R. Murugappa Chetty of Sea street, Colombo, now in India . . . Plaintiff.  
No. 35,748. Vs.

(1) Don Prolis of Paiyagala and two others . . . Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, July 8, 1914, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said 1st defendant in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 742.90, with interest on Rs. 500 at 9 per cent. per annum from February 1, 1913, till payment in full and costs, viz. :—

1. The soil and all the trees and plantations, together with the tiled house standing thereon, of the land called Ukwattegawatta, situate at Welapura Kalutara (near about the old road) in Kalutara totamune; and bounded on the north by Jabaragodawatta and Mahabadalgawatta, east by a portion of Ukwattegawatta, south by Gallagewatta *alias* Loosalagawatta, and on the west by Dombagahawatta and Nambiwatta; containing in extent about  $\frac{1}{4}$  of an acre or more.

2. An undivided 1/14 share of the soil and of all the trees of the land called Gallagewatta *alias* Loosalagawatta, situate at ditto; and bounded on the north by Ukwattegawatta, east by Antonangewatta, south by Gallagewatta, and on the west by Nambiwatta; containing in extent about 1 rood.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Kalutara, June 9, 1914.

H. SAMERESINGHA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

In the matter of the estate of Sella Umma, late of Kandy, deceased.

Sullaiha Umma, purchaser at auction . . . Appellant.  
Administration  
Suit No. 2,903. Vs.

(1) Seena Yoonoos Lebbe, administrator of the estate of the above-named deceased, (2) Charles Saul, auctioneer, (3) Zeenath Umma, all of Kandy . . . Respondents.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, July 13, 1914, at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises



the right, title, and interest of the said Sella Umma in the following property :—

The house and premises bearing assessment No. 62, situate at Brownrigg street in Kandy, together with the four rooms at the back thereof; the whole property being bounded on the east by Brownrigg street, on the south by house of Sinno Appu and the wall of the house No. 158 in Colombo street, on the west by the wall of the Military grounds, and on the north by the wall of the Cooly Mission school.

Amount of the writ, Rs. 241.25.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, June 9, 1914.

C. H. COLLINS,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Eastern Province.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Kanthaperumal Kadramatamby of Kallady  
Uppodai ..... Plaintiff.

No. 3,720. Vs.

Satturukapody Vanniah Sinnetampy Vanniah of  
Naypaddimunai ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, July 11, 1914, commencing at 9 o'clock in the morning will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant (at the risk of the original purchasers) in the following properties, viz. :—

At about 9 A.M.

(1) The land lot No. 75959 called Vavalodaicadoo, appearing in plan No. 188,769, situated at Nindoor in Nindoor pattu, in the District of Batticaloa, Eastern Province; and bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 173,137, and Seashore road, east by the Seashore road, south by land described in plan No. 162,248, and west by land described in plan No. 179,405, in extent 8 acres 3 roods and 19 perches, with coconut trees and all other plantations and produce.

At about 11 A.M.

(2) The land lot No. 6976, described in survey plan No. 173,137, situated at Nindoor in Nindoor pattu; and bounded on the north by Vavalodai, east by Vavalodai and Crown land, south by Crown land called Vavalodaicadoo, and west by lands described in plans Nos. 118,251 and 173,138, in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 38 perches.

Amount to be levied Rs. 906.07, minus Rs. 119.60 recovered.

Fiscal's Office,  
Batticaloa, June 2, 1914.

T. SINNETAMPY,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Muttu Kuna Pana Meiyappa Chetty of Madampe..Plaintiff.

No. 4,898. Vs.

Sego Lawadeen Marikkar of Pulichakulama  
Administrator of the estate of the late Sena  
Lena Lebbe Tamby Marikkar ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, July 9, 1914, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz. :—

(1) One-fifth share of the garden called Gamaralattottam, and the plantations standing thereon situate at Battuluoya

in Anaivulandam pattu of Pitigal Korale North, in the District of Chilaw; containing in extent 5 acres.

(2) 3 acres, 2 roods and 16 perches in extent from the garden called Kinaththadittottam with the plantations standing thereon, situate at Battuluoya as aforesaid; containing in extent 18 acres.

(3) The garden called Wavuntottam in which Sego Tamby Mohideen Ravuther resides with the plantations standing thereon, situate at Pudukudirippu, in Anaivulundam pattu as aforesaid; containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 36 perches.

(4) Four-fifth shares of the portion of land with the plantations standing thereon situate at Pulichchakulam, in Anaivulundam pattu as aforesaid; containing in extent 7 acres 1 rood and 12 perches.

(5) Portion of land called Mahadeniya *alias* Periya Umari with the plantations standing thereon, situate at Pulichchakulam as aforesaid; containing in extent 12 acres 1 rood and 20 perches.

Amount to be levied, Rs. 1,243.59, with interest on Rs. 877.25 at the rate of 2 per cent. per mensem from August 7, 1913, up to September 18, 1913, and further interest on the aggregate sum at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from September 18, 1913, till payment in full and poundage.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Chilaw, June 9, 1914.

A. V. HERAT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Province of Sabaragamuwa.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Maha Arambagey Dionysius Bernard Gunasekara  
of Kittyakara, Jail road, Colombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 36,225. Vs.

Attanayaka Arachchillage Appuhamy of Manianga  
gama ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, July 4, 1914, beginning at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property mortgaged with the plaintiff and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,076.87, with interest on Rs. 1,000 at 16 per cent. per annum from April 25, 1913, to August 8, 1913, and thereafter with further interest on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

1. All that allotment of land called Gallenewatta, situate at Welangalla in Panawal korale of Three Korales; bounded on the north by the ditch, east by ditch, south by Acharigehena, and west by field; containing in extent about 15 seers of kurakkan sowing.

2. All that allotment of land called Kiripalugahaowita, situate at Maniangama, in Panawal korale aforesaid; bounded on the east by agala (ditch), south by the dam of Imbulgahaowita, west by the river, and on the north by liminary dam of Madawalaowita; containing in extent 3 bushels of paddy sowing.

3. All that allotment of land called Madawalaowita, situate at Maniangama aforesaid; bounded on the east by ditch, south by the liminary dam of Kiripalugahaowita, west by river, and on the north by Attikkagahawatta; containing in extent 3 bushels and 3 pecks of paddy sowing.

4. All that allotment of land called Galkatuwewatta, situate at Maniangama aforesaid; bounded on the east by the ditch of Welamadagahaowita, south by the ditch of the land called Kobiyalanda, west by the ditch of Kiripalugahaowita, and on the north by the live fence of the garden of Digalagalladalage Hetuhamy; containing in extent about 3 bushels of paddy sowing.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Avissawella, June 4, 1914.

A. RANASINGHE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

BY virtue of a Mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said Court for the Western Circuit will be holden at the Court-house at Hulftsdorp, on Friday, July 10, 1914, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above-mentioned, and not to depart without leave asked and granted.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, June 9, 1914.

W. DE LIVERA,  
for Fiscal.