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### UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON LAND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE CEYLON LAND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are:—
  - (1) To purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any lands, concessions, estates, plantations, and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, and any right of way, water rights, and other rights, privileges, easements, and concessions, and any factories, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, immovable or movable, of any kind.
  - (2) To hold, use, clear, open, plant, cultivate, work, manage, improve, carry on, and develop the undertaking lands, and real and personal, immovable and movable estate or property and assets of any kind of the Company, or any part thereof.
  - (3) To plant, grow, and produce rubber, tea, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie, and other natural products or produce of any kind in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
  - (4) To treat, cure, prepare, manipulate, submit to any process of manufacture, and render marketable (whether on account of the Company or others) rubber, tea, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid, or any articles or things whatsoever; to buy, sell, export, import, trade, and deal in rubber, tea, coconut produce, coconuts, coffee, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatsoever, either in a prepared, manufactured, or raw state, and either by wholesale or retail.
  - (5) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: planters of rubber, tea, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid in all its branches; carriers of passengers and goods by land or by water; forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, tug owners, and wharfingers; proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; and any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with any of them.

- (6) To acquire or establish and carry on any other business, manufacturing, shipping, or otherwise, which can be conveniently carried on in connection with any of the Company's general business, to apply for, purchase, or otherwise acquire, any patents, *brevets d'invention*, concessions, and the like conferring an exclusive, or non-exclusive, or limited right to use, or any 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, grant licenses in respect of, or otherwise turn to account, the property, rights, and information so acquired.
- (7) To purchase rubber, tea leaf, coconuts, coffee, and (or) other raw products, or produce, for manufacture, manipulation, and (or) sale.
- (8) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits or products, and generally to carry on the business of mining in all its branches.
- (9) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold boats, barges, tugs, launches, and vessels of any description whatsoever; to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold vans, omnibuses, carriages, carts, and other vehicles of any description whatsoever; and to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold all live and dead stock, chattels, and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business of carriers by land or by water; of proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; of tug owners and wharfingers; or of any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
- (10) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee-curing mills, manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, water-courses, docks, wharves, jetties, and other works, and conveniences which may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company, or may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the Company's interests; and to contribute to, subsidize, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out, or control thereof.
- (11) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, and elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, and elsewhere; to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings; and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
- (12) To engage, employ, maintain, and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, coolies, and other servants and labourers; and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
- (13) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities, Government, municipal, local, or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, rebates, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (14) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, reciprocal concession, amalgamation, or co-operation with any person, corporation, or company carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company; to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of, and to subsidize, or otherwise assist any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with such shares or securities; and to form, constitute, or promote any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.
- (15) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
- (16) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, or book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
- (17) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company, or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company, or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable, irredeemable, or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and property of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
- (18) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licenses, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects, and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.
- (19) To cause or permit any debentures, debenture stock, bonds, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit; also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby, or any part or parts thereof.
- (20) To sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (21) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (22) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- (23) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.

- (24) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, or alone, or in conjunction with others, or by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and generally to carry on any business or effectuate any object of the Company.
- (25) To sell, let, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, transfer, deliver, charge, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other Company, or for any other consideration.
- (26) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate, property, or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) or in debentures, debenture stock, or obligations of the Company, or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever, with power to issue any shares either as fully paid up or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (27) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate, property, or assets of the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, money or shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) of any company, or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of any company or person, or partly one and partly any other.
- (28) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (29) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

It being hereby declared that in the foregoing clause (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "person" includes any number of persons and a corporation, and that the "other objects" specified in any one paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Six hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 600,000), divided into Forty thousand (40,000) shares of Fifteen Rupees (Rs. 15) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided, consolidated, or divided into such classes, with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms, as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being of otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
JOSEPH FRASER, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. THOMSON BROOM, Colombo .. .. .	One
V. A. JULIUS, Colombo .. .. .	One
F. J. DE SARAM, Colombo .. .. .	One
LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. J. DICKSON, Colombo .. .. .	One
C. H. COLLINGWOOD, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the signature of the above-named J. THOMSON BROOM, at Colombo, this 26th day of March, 1914:

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

Witness to the signature of the above-named JOSEPH FRASER, at Colombo, this 26th day of March, 1914:

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

Witness to the signature of the above-named V. A. JULIUS, at Colombo, this 27th day of March, 1914:

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

Witness to the signatures of the above-named F. J. DE SARAM, LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM, J. J. DICKSON, and C. H. COLLINGWOOD, at Colombo, this 31st day of March, 1914:

EUSTACE F. DE SARAM,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON LAND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows:—

1. *Table C not to apply; Company to be governed by these Articles.*—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.
2. *Power to alter the regulations.*—The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained and comprised in these Articles or not.
3. None of the funds of the Company shall be employed in the purchase of or be lent on shares of the Company.

## INTERPRETATION.

4. *Interpretation clause.*—In the interpretation of these presents the following words and expressions shall have the following meanings, unless such meanings be inconsistent with, or repugnant to, the subject or context :—

*Company.*—The word “ Company ” means “ The Ceylon Land Development Company, Limited, ” incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

*The Ordinance.*—The “ Ordinance ” means and includes “ The Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861 to 1909, ” and every other Ordinance from time to time in force concerning Joint Stock Companies which may apply to the Company.

*Special resolution.*—“ Special resolution ” has the meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.

*Extraordinary resolution.*—“ Extraordinary resolution ” means a resolution passed by three-fourths in number and value of such Shareholders of the Company for the time being entitled to vote as may be present at any meeting of the Company, of which notice specifying an intention to propose such resolution as an extraordinary resolution has been duly given.

*These presents.*—“ These presents ” means and includes the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time in force.

*Capital.*—“ Capital ” means the capital for the time being raised or authorized to be raised for the purposes of the Company.

*Shares.*—“ Shares ” means the shares from time to time into which the capital of the Company may be divided.

*Shareholder.*—“ Shareholder ” means a Shareholder of the Company.

*Presence or present.*—With regard to a Shareholder “ presence or present ” at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

*Directors.*—“ Directors ” means the Directors for the time being of the Company or (as the case may be) the Directors assembled at a Board.

*Board.*—“ Board ” means a meeting of the Directors or (as the context may require) the Directors assembled at a Board Meeting, acting through at least a quorum of their body in the exercise of authority duly given to them.

*Persons.*—“ Persons ” means partnerships, associations, corporations, companies, unincorporated or incorporated by Ordinance and registration, as well as individuals.

*Office.*—“ Office ” means the registered office for the time being of the Company.

*Seal.*—“ Seal ” means the common seal for the time being of the Company.

*Month.*—“ Month ” means a calendar month.

*Writing.*—“ Writing ” means printed matter or print as well as writing.

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

*Masculine and feminine gender.*—Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine, and *vice versa*.

## BUSINESS.

5. *Commencement of business.*—The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and notwithstanding that the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted, they shall do so as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

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

## CAPITAL.

7. *Nominal capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is Six hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 600,000), divided into Forty thousand (40,000) shares of Fifteen Rupees (Rs. 15) each.

## SHARES.

8. *Allotment and issue.*—The shares, except where otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper; provided that such unissued shares shall be first offered by the Directors to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company as nearly as possible in proportion to the shares already held by them, and such shares as shall not be accepted by the Shareholder or Shareholders to whom the shares shall have been offered within the time specified in that behalf by the Directors, may be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as they think most beneficial to the Company; provided also that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot any unissued shares in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company, and may make arrangements on an issue of shares for a difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid and the time of payment of such calls.

9. *Payment of amount of shares by instalments.*—If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the holder of the share.

10. *Acceptance.*—Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company from time to time directs.

11. *Payment.*—Payment for shares shall be made in such manner as the Directors shall from time to time determine and direct.

12. *Shares held by a firm.*—Shares may be registered in the name of a firm, and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies, but not more than one partner may vote at a time.

13. *Shares held by two or more persons not in partnership.*—Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons not in partnership.

14. *One of joint-holders other than a firm may give receipts; only one of joint-holders resident in Ceylon entitled to vote.*—Any one of the joint-holders of a share, other than a firm, may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable in respect of such share, but only one of such joint Shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, and if the joint-holders cannot arrange amongst themselves as to who shall vote or give proxies and exercise such other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, the Shareholder whose name stands first on the register of shares shall vote or give proxies and exercise those rights and powers; provided, however, that in the event of such first registered Shareholder being absent from the Island, the first registered Shareholder then resident in Ceylon shall vote or give proxies and exercise all such rights and powers as aforesaid.

15. *Survivor of joint-holders, other than a firm, only recognized.*—In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders, other than a firm, of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

16. *Liability of joint-holders.*—The joint-holders of a share shall be severally as well as jointly liable for the payment of all instalments and calls due in respect of such share.

17. *Trusts or any interest in share other than that of registered holder or of any person under clause 38 not recognized.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 38 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

#### INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

18. *Increase of capital by creation of new shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may by special resolution from time to time increase the capital by creation of new shares of such amount per share and in the aggregate, and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as such resolution shall direct.

19. *Issue of new shares.*—The new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof or any other General Meeting of the Company shall direct; and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine; and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting. The Directors shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper.

20. *How carried into effect.*—Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them. Such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company, without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

21. *Same as original capital.*—Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents, any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payments of calls and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise.

#### REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

22. *Reduction of capital and subdivision or consolidation of shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may by special resolution reduce the capital in such manner as such special resolution shall direct, and may by special resolution subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company or any of them.

#### SHARE CERTIFICATES.

23. *Certificates how issued.*—Every Shareholder shall be entitled to one certificate for all the shares registered in his name, or to several certificates, each for one or more of such shares. Every certificate shall specify the number of the share in respect of which it is issued.

24. *Certificates to be under seal of Company.*—The certificates of shares shall be issued under the seal of the Company.

25. *Renewal of certificate.*—If any certificate be worn out or defaced, then, upon production thereof to the Directors, they may order the same to be cancelled and may issue a new certificate in lieu thereof; and if any certificate be lost or destroyed, then, upon proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Directors, and on such indemnity as the Directors may deem adequate being given, a new certificate in lieu thereof shall be given to the person entitled to such lost or destroyed certificate. A sum of fifty cents shall be payable for such new certificate.

26. *Certificate to be delivered to the first named of joint-holders not a firm.*—The certificate of shares registered in the names of two or more persons, not a firm, shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

27. *Exercise of rights.*—No person shall exercise any rights of a member until his name shall have been entered in the Register of Shareholders and he shall have paid all calls and other moneys for the time being payable on every share in the Company held by him.

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

29. *No transfer to minor or person of unsound mind.*—No transfer of shares shall be made to a minor or person of unsound mind.

30. *Register of transfers.*—The Company shall keep a book or books, to be called "The Register of Transfers," in which shall be entered the particulars of every transfer or transmission of any share.

31. *Instrument of transfer.*—The instrument of transfer of any share shall be signed both by the transferor and transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of such share until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof.

32. *Board may decline to register transfers.*—The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise, or in the case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved of by them.

33. *Not bound to state reason.*—In no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

34. *Registration of transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Rs. 2.50, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 32, 33, and 35, shall register the transferee as Shareholder, and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

36. *Directors not bound to inquire as to validity of transfer.*—In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but, if at all, upon the transferee only.

37. *Transfer Books when to be closed.*—The Transfer Books may be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting, including the First General Meeting; also when a dividend is declared for the three days next ensuing the meeting; also at such other times as the Directors may decide, not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in any one year.

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

38. *Title to shares of deceased holder.*—The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to shares of such Shareholder.

39. *Registration of persons entitled to shares otherwise than by transfer.*—Any curator of any minor Shareholder, any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Rs. 2-50; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

40. *Failing such registration, shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 39 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money, and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

41. *The Directors may accept surrender of shares.*—The Directors may accept, in the name and for the benefit of the Company, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon, a surrender of the shares of Shareholders who may be desirous of retiring from the Company.

42. (a) *If call or instalment be not paid, notice to be given to Shareholder.*—If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the trustee or assignee in his bankruptcy, requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

(b) *Terms of notice.*—The notice shall name a day (not being less than one month from the date of the notice) on, and a place or places at which such call or instalment and such interest and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid. The notice shall also state that, in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which the call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

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

(d) *Shareholder still liable to pay money owing at time of forfeiture.*—Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay, and shall forthwith pay, to the Company all calls, instalments, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at 9 per cent. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

43. *Surrendered or forfeited shares to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, &c.*—Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

44. *Effect of surrender or forfeiture.*—The surrender or forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all interest in, and also of all claims and demands against, the Company in respect of the share and the proceeds thereof, and all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly saved.

45. (a) *Certificate of surrender or forfeiture.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent and Secretary or Agents and Secretaries that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture, such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, such purchaser thereupon shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

(b) *Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may, in their discretion, remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 43 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

46. *Company's lien on shares.*—The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders or otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls, resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one, the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. The Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

47. *Lien how made available.*—Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have

been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the assignee or trustee in his bankruptcy, requiring him or them to pay the amount for the time being due to the Company, and default shall have been made for twenty-eight days from such notice in paying the sum thereby required to be paid. Should the Shareholder over whose share the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

48. *Proceeds how applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 43 and 47 hereof shall be applied in or towards the satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

49. *Certificate of sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent and Secretary or Agents and Secretaries that the power of sale given by clause 47 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

50. *Transfer on sale how executed.*—Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such shares.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

51. *Preference and deferred shares.*—Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right of preference, whether in respect of dividend, or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued, or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued or then about to be issued, or subject to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may from time to time by special resolution determine.

52. *Modification of rights and consent thereto.*—If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes—

- (1) The holders of any class of shares by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders may consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or to the abandonment of any preference or priority or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares;
- (2) All or any of the rights, privileges, and conditions attached to each class may be commuted, abrogated, abandoned, added to or otherwise modified by a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, provided the holders of any class of shares, affected by any such commutation, abrogation, abandonment, addition or other modification of such rights, privileges, and conditions, consent thereto, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders.

Any extraordinary resolution passed under the provisions of this Article shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent as aforesaid in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

53. *Meeting affecting a particular class of shares.*—Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no Shareholder, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat, unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be affected by the resolution, and that no vote shall be given except in respect of a share of that class, and that at any such meeting a poll may be demanded in writing by any Shareholder personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

#### CALLS.

54. (a) *Directors may make calls.*—The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the registered holders of shares, in respect of moneys unpaid thereon, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors, provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call.

(b) *Calls, time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Article 120.

(c) *Extension of time for payment of call.*—The Directors shall have power in their absolute discretion to give time to any one or more Shareholder or Shareholders, exclusive of the others, for payment of any call or part thereof on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension, except as a matter of grace or favour.

55. *Interest on unpaid call.*—If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment is not paid on or before the day appointed for the payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made, or the instalments shall have been due, shall pay interest for the same at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment, but the Directors may, when they think fit, remit altogether or in part any sum becoming payable for interest under this clause.

56. *Payments in anticipation of calls.*—The Directors may, at their discretion, receive from any Shareholder willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the amount of his shares beyond the sum actually called up.

#### BORROWING POWERS.

57. *Power to borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand or in the future to be obtained, from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors, or other persons, any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of One hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 100,000). With the sanction of a General Meeting the Directors shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest, as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided also that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures, or create any debenture stock they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be

cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged, as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in, or endorsed upon, any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Agent and Secretary or Agents and Secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall, as regards the creditor, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

#### MEETINGS.

58. *First General Meeting.*—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 Directors may determine.

59. *Subsequent General Meetings.*—Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is prescribed, at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

60. *Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The General Meetings mentioned in the two last preceding clauses shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

61. *Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-seventh of the number of Shareholders holding not less than one-seventh of the issued capital and entitled to vote.

62. *Requisition of Shareholders to state object of meeting; on receipt of requisition Directors to call meeting, and in default Shareholders may do so.*—Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company. Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

63. *Notice of resolution.*—Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

64. *Seven days' notice of meeting to be given.*—Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whosoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given either by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or by notice sent by post, or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting.

65. *Business requiring and not requiring notification.*—Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors retiring in rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors, and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatever, of which special mention shall have been made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

66. *Notice of other business to be given.*—With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to the business which may be transacted at Ordinary General Meetings without notice, no General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be competent to enter upon, discuss, or transact any business which has not been specially mentioned in the notice or notices upon which it was convened.

67. *Quorum to be present.*—No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or the election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present in person at the commencement of the business three or more persons being Shareholders entitled to vote or persons holding proxies or powers of attorney from Shareholders.

68. *If a quorum not present, meeting to be dissolved or adjourned; adjourned meeting to transact business.*—If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of persons shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

69. *Chairman of Directors or a Director to be Chairman of General Meeting; in case of their absence or refusal a Shareholder may act.*—The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; but if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within 15 minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

70. *Business confined to election of Chairman while chair vacant.*—No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the chair is vacant.

71. *Chairman with consent may adjourn meeting.*—The Chairman, with the consent of the meeting, may adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice shall be given.

72. *Minutes of General Meetings.*—Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of the same meeting, or by the Chairman of the succeeding meeting, and the same when so entered and signed shall be evidence of all such proceedings and of the proper election of the Chairman.

#### VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. *Votes.*—At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present. In case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney; and unless a poll be immediately demanded in writing by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.



74. *Poll.*—If a poll be duly demanded, the same shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman shall direct, and the result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of 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.

75. *Poll how taken.*—If at any meeting a poll be demanded, by notice in writing signed by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, which notice shall be delivered during the meeting to the Chairman, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided, and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

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

77. *Number of votes to which Shareholder entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall have one vote for every one share held by him up to ten shares; he shall have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first ten shares up to one hundred shares; an additional vote for every twenty-five shares beyond the first one hundred shares. When voting on a resolution involving the winding up of the Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him; but no such resolution shall be deemed to be carried unless passed by three-fourths in number and value of such Shareholders of the Company for the time being entitled to vote as may be present in person or by proxy or by attorney at any meeting, of which notice specifying the intention to propose such resolution has been duly given.

78. *Curator of minor, &c., when not entitled to vote.*—The parent or curator of a minor Shareholder, the Committee or other legal guardian of any lunatic Shareholder, the husband of any female Shareholder not entitled to her shares as separate estate, and the executor or administrator of any deceased Shareholder, or any one of such persons as aforesaid, if more than one, shall not be entitled to vote in the place of such minor, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

79. *Voting in person or by proxy or attorney.*—Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

80. *Non-Shareholder not to be appointed proxy; but attorney though not Shareholder may vote.*—No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company; but the attorney of a Shareholder, even though not himself a Shareholder of the Company, may represent and vote for his principal at any meeting of the Company.

81. *Shareholder in arrear or not registered at least three months previous to the meeting not to vote.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote or speak at any General Meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares, or any of them, shall have been paid; and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote or speak at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of or as the holder of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or speak duly registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote or speak.

82. *Proxy to be printed or in writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written, and shall be signed by the appointor, or if such appointor be a corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such corporation.

83. *When proxy to be deposited.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

84. *Form of proxy.*—Any instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

*The Ceylon Land Development Company, Limited.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, appoint \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ (a Shareholder in the Company), as my proxy, to represent me and to vote for me and on my behalf at the Ordinary (or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_, and at any adjournment thereof, and at every poll which may be taken in consequence thereof.

As witness my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_.

85. *Objection to validity of vote to be made at the meeting or poll.*—No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such vote shall be tendered, and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objection shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.

86. *No Shareholder to be prevented from voting by being personally interested in result.*—No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

87. *Number of Directors.*—The number of Directors shall never be less than three nor more than five; but this clause shall be construed as being directory only, and the continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies.

88. *Their qualification and remuneration.*—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding shares in the Company, whether fully paid up or partly paid up, of the total nominal value of at least One thousand Five hundred Rupees (Rs. 1,500), and upon which, in the case of partly paid up shares, all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. As a remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and Fifty Rupees (Rs. 750) annually, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. *Appointment of first Directors and duration of their office.*—The first Directors shall be V. A. Julius, Esq., of Colombo, Joseph Fraser, Esq., late of Pitakande, Matale, and J. Thomson Broom, Esq., of Colombo, who shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

90. *Directors may appoint Managing Director or Directors; his or their remuneration.*—One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Visiting Agents of the Company, or Superintendent or Superintendents of any of the Company's estates for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or

Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents, Superintendent or Superintendents, and the Directors may impose and confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be imposed or conferred on any Manager of the Company. If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

91. *Appointment of successors to Directors.*—The General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof such successors may be appointed at a subsequent General Meeting.

92. *Board may fill up vacancies.*—The Board shall have power at any time and from time to time before the First Ordinary General Meeting to supply any vacancies in their number arising from death, resignation, or otherwise.

93. *Duration of office of Director appointed to vacancy.*—Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors subsequent to the First Ordinary General Meeting may be filled up by the Directors, 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.

94. *To retire annually.*—At the Second Ordinary General Meeting and at the Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 95.

95. *Retiring Directors how determined.*—The Directors to retire from office at the Second and Third General Meetings shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

96. *Retiring Directors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

97. *Decision of question as to retirement.*—In case any question shall arise as to which of the Directors who have been the same time in office shall retire, the same shall be decided by the Directors by ballot.

98. *Number of Directors how increased or reduced.*—The Directors, subject to the approval of a General Meeting, may from time to time, at any time subsequent to the Second Ordinary General Meeting, increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also, subject to the like approval, determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

99. *If election not made, retiring Directors to continue until next meeting.*—If at any meeting at which an election of a Director ought to take place the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director may continue in office until the First Ordinary General Meeting in the next year, and so on from meeting to meeting until his place is filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting to reduce the number of Directors.

100. *Resignation of Directors.*—A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary, or by leaving the same at the office, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors, and on the acceptance of his resignation by the Directors, but not before, his office shall become vacant.

101. *When office of Director to be vacated.*—The office of the Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary under the Company.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he is concerned or participates in the profits of any contract with, or work done for, the Company.

*Exceptions.*—But the above rule shall be subject to the following exceptions:—That no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company of which he is a Director, or by his being agent, or secretary, or proctor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or proctors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

102. *How Directors removed and successors appointed.*—The Company may, by a special resolution, remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and may, by an ordinary resolution, appoint another person in his stead. The Director so appointed shall hold office only during such time as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

103. *Indemnity to Directors and others for their own acts and for the acts of others.*—Every Director or officer, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him respectively in or about the discharge of his respective duties, except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer, nor the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, shall be liable for any other Director or officer, or for joining in any receipt or other acts of conformity, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

104. *No contribution to be required from Directors beyond amount, if any, unpaid on their shares.*—No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

105. The Directors shall have power to purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, or otherwise acquire for the Company any estate or estates, land or lands, property, rights, options, or privileges which the Company is authorized to acquire at such price and for such consideration and upon such title and generally on such terms and conditions as they may think fit.

106. *To manage business of Company and pay preliminary expenses, &c.*—The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company, to be appointed by the Directors for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors may pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and registration of the Company, and in connection with the placing of the shares of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of lands, estates, or property, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and in or about the working and business of the Company.

107. *To appoint officers and pay expenses, &c.*—The Directors shall have power to make and they may make such regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and for that purpose may appoint such managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting

agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods, and with such remuneration, and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions, as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants, for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause.

108. *To appoint proctors and attorneys.*—The Directors shall have power to appoint a proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys, to assist in carrying on or protecting the business of the Company, on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

109. *To open banking accounts and operate thereon, &c.*—The Directors shall have power to open on behalf of the Company any account or accounts with such bank or banks as they may select or appoint, and also by such signatures as they may appoint to draw, accept, make, endorse, sign, and execute cheques, bills of exchange and promissory notes, bills of lading, receipts, contracts and agreements, bonds, mortgages, proxies to any proctor or proctors, and other documents on behalf of and to further the interests of the Company.

110. *To sell and dispose of Company's property, &c.*—It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by the Shareholders in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit; and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

111. *General powers.*—The Directors shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are, or shall be, by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made or done by the Company, and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such Ordinance and of these presents and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, but no regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board, which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made. The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

112. *Special powers.*—In furtherance, and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in the last preceding clause, and of the other powers conferred by these presents, it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have the powers following, that is to say:—

- (1) To institute, conduct, defend, compound, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or legal proceedings by and against the Company, or its officers, or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due, and of any claims and demands by and against the Company.
- (2) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform the awards.
- (3) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands of the Company.
- (4) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, inspector, or any similar office.
- (5) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (6) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company abroad in such manner as they think fit, and to establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company abroad, and to appoint any persons to be members of such local board, or any managers or agents, and to fix their remuneration.
- (7) From time to time and at any time to delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers hereby made exercisable by the Directors, except those relating to shares and any others as to which special provisions inconsistent with such delegation are herein contained; and they shall have power to fix the remuneration of and at any time to remove such Director or other person or company, and to annul or vary any such delegation. They shall not, however, be entitled to delegate any powers of borrowing or charging the property of the Company to any agent of the Company or other person, except by instrument in writing, which shall specifically state the extent to which such powers may be used by the person or persons to whom they are so delegated, and compliance therewith shall be a condition precedent to the exercise of these powers.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

113. *Meeting of Directors.*—The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

114. *A Director may summon meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

115. *Who is to preside at meetings of Board.*—The Board may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, and all meetings of the Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman, if one has been elected and is present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman, or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then and in that case the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

116. *Questions at meetings how decided.*—Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman thereat shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

117. *Board may appoint committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit, and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such committee, either wholly or in part, and either as to persons or purposes, but every committee so formed shall, in

exercise of the powers delegated to it, conform to all such regulations as may be prescribed by the Board. All acts done by any such committee, in conformity with such regulations and in the fulfilment of the purposes of their appointment, but not otherwise, shall have the like force and effect as if done by the Board.

118. *Acts of Board or committee valid notwithstanding informal appointment.*—The acts of the Board or of any committee appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or defect in the appointment of any Director or of any member of the committee, be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if every person had been duly appointed, provided the same be done before the discovery of the defect.

119. *Regulation of proceedings of committees.*—The meetings and proceedings of such committees shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of Directors, so far as the same are applicable thereto, and are not superseded by the express terms of the appointment of such committees respectively, or any regulation imposed by the Board.

120. *Resolution in writing by all the Directors as valid as if passed at a meeting of Directors.*—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.

121. *Minutes of proceedings of the Company and the Directors to be recorded.*—The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the following matters, *videlicet* :—

- (a) Of all appointments of officers and committees made by the Directors.
- (b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors and of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (c) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings.
- (d) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors and of the committees appointed by the Board.
- (e) Of all orders made by the Directors.

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

#### COMPANY'S SEAL.

123. *The use of the seal.*—The seal of the Company shall not be used or affixed to any deed, certificate of shares, or other instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Agents and Secretaries of the Company, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Agents and Secretaries, in the event of a firm being the Agents and Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, attorney, or agent, of the said firm signing for and on behalf of the said firm as such Agents and Secretaries, and in the event of a company registered in England under the English Joint Stock Companies' Acts being the Agents and Secretaries, being signified by the duly authorized manager, sub-manager, attorney, or agent in Ceylon of the said company signing for and on behalf of the said company as such Agents and Secretaries.

#### ACCOUNTS.

124. *What accounts to be kept.*—The Agent or Secretary or the Agents or Secretaries for the time being, or, if there be no Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, the Directors shall cause true accounts to be kept of the paid-up capital for the time being of the Company, and of all sums of money received and expended by the Company, and of the matters in respect of which such receipts and expenditure take place, and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company, and generally of all its commercial, financial, and other affairs, transactions, and engagements, and of all other matters necessary for showing the true financial state and condition of the Company; and the accounts shall be kept in such books and in such a manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

125. *Accounts how and when open to inspection.*—The Directors shall from time to time determine whether, and to what extent, and at what times and places, and under what conditions or regulations, the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by statute or authorized by the Directors, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

126. *Statement of accounts and balance sheet to be furnished to General Meeting.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the profit and loss account for the preceding financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up as at the end of the same period.

127. *Report to accompany statement.*—Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company and as to the amount, which they recommend to be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

128. *Copy of balance sheet to be sent to the Shareholders.*—A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at, or posted to, the registered address of every Shareholder.

#### DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

129. *Declaration of dividend.*—The Directors may, with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting, from time to time declare a dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders in proportion to the amounts paid on their shares, but no dividend or bonus shall be payable except out of nett profits.

130. *Interim dividend.*—The Directors may also, if they think fit, from time to time and at any time, without the sanction of a General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

131. *Reserve fund.*—Previously to the Directors paying or recommending any dividend on preference or ordinary shares, they may set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and shall invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

132. *Application thereof.*—The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for the payment of accumulated dividends due on preference shares or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant connected with the business of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purpose of the Company which they may from time to time deem expedient.

133. *Unpaid interest or dividend not to bear interest.*—No unpaid interest or dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

134. *No Shareholder to receive dividend while debt due to Company.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend or bonus in respect of his share or shares whilst any moneys may be due or owing from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company in respect of such share or shares, or otherwise howsoever.

135. *Directors may deduct debt from the dividends.*—The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all sums of money due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding such sums shall not be payable until after the date when such dividend is payable.

136. *Dividends may be paid by cheque or warrant and sent through the post.*—Unless otherwise directed any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the Shareholder entitled, or, in the case of joint-holders, to the registered address of that one whose name stands first on the register in respect of the joint-holding; but the Company shall not be liable or responsible for the loss of any such cheque or dividend warrant sent through the post.

137. *Notice of dividend; forfeiture of unclaimed dividend.*—Notice of all interest or dividends or bonuses to become payable shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto; and all interest or dividends or bonuses unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by a resolution of the Board of Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund. For the purposes of this clause any cheques or warrants which may be issued for interest, dividends, or bonuses, and may not be presented at the Company's bankers for payment within three years, shall rank as unclaimed dividends.

138. *Shares held by a firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by a firm may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any partner of such firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm.

139. *Joint-holders other than a firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by several persons jointly, other than a firm, may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any one of such persons.

#### AUDIT.

140. *Accounts to be audited.*—The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet and profit and loss account ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

141. *Qualification of Auditors.*—No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but an Auditor shall not be debarred from acting as a professional accountant in doing any special work for the Company which the Directors may deem necessary. It shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he be a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

142. *Appointment and retirement of Auditors.*—The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration; all future Auditors, except as is hereinafter mentioned, shall be appointed at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and shall hold their office only until the First Ordinary General Meeting after their respective appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

143. *Retiring Auditors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

144. *Remuneration of Auditors.*—The remuneration of the Auditors other than the first shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, and this remuneration may from time to time be varied by a General Meeting.

145. *Casual vacancy in number of Auditors how filled up.*—If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor shall not be supplied at any Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur, the Directors shall (subject to the approval of the next Ordinary General Meeting) fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold the office until such meeting.

146. *Duty of Auditor.*—Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet and profit and loss account intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting, and it shall be his duty to examine the same with the accounts and vouchers relating thereto, and to report thereon to the meeting, generally or specially, as he may think fit.

147. *Company's accounts to be opened to Auditors for audit.*—All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all times be open to the Auditors for the purpose of audit.

#### NOTICES.

148. *Notices how authenticated.*—Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

149. *Shareholders to register address.*—Every Shareholder shall furnish the Company with an address in Ceylon, which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

150. *Service of notices.*—A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by sending through the post in a prepaid letter, addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode; and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served for all purposes, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address in Ceylon.

151. *Notice to joint-holders of shares other than a firm.*—All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons other than a firm are jointly entitled, be sufficient if given to any one of such persons, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

152. *Date and proof of service.*—Any notice if served by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the letter containing the same would in ordinary course of post have been delivered at its address, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into a post box or posted at a post office and the entry in the Company's books of the leaving or sending by post of any notice at or to such address shall be sufficient evidence thereof, and no further evidence shall be necessary.

153. *Non-resident Shareholders must register addresses in Ceylon.*—Every Shareholder residing out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notices.

All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

#### ARBITRATION.

154. *Directors may refer disputes to arbitration.*—Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

#### EVIDENCE.

155. *Evidence in action by Company against Shareholders.*—On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought or instituted by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover any debt or money claimed to be due to the Company in respect of his shares, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the defendant is or was when the claim

arose on the Register of Shareholders of the Company as a holder of the number of shares in respect of which such claim is made, and that the amount claimed is not entered as paid in the books of the Company; and it shall not be necessary to prove the registration of the Company, nor the appointment of the Directors who made any call, nor that a quorum of Directors was present at the Board at which any call was made, nor that the meeting at which any call was made was duly convened or constituted, nor any other matter whatsoever, but the proof aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.

PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

156. *Purchase of Company's property by Shareholders.*—Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, or whether alone or jointly with any other Shareholder or Director, and any person not a Shareholder, may become the purchaser of the property of the Company or any part thereof, in the event of a winding up or a dissolution, or at any other time when a sale of the Company's property or effects or any part thereof shall be made by the Directors under the powers hereby or under the Ordinance conferred upon them.

157. *Distribution.*—If the Company shall be wound up, and there shall be any surplus assets after payment of all debts and satisfaction of all liabilities of the Company, such surplus assets shall be applied, first, in repaying to the holders of the preference shares (if any) the amounts that may be due to them, whether by way of capital only or by way of capital and dividend or arrears of dividend or otherwise in accordance with the rights, privileges, and conditions attached thereto, and the balance in repaying to the holders of the ordinary shares the amounts paid up or reckoned as paid up on such ordinary shares. If there shall remain any surplus assets after repayment of the whole of the paid up capital, such surplus assets shall, subject to the conditions attached to preference shares (if any), be divided among the Shareholders in proportion at the capital paid up, or reckoned as paid up, on the shares which are held by them respectively at the commencement of the winding up.

158. *Payment in specie, and vesting in trustees.*—If the Company shall be wound up, the liquidator, whether voluntary or official, 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 their sanction, vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator, with like sanction, shall think fit.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names, at Colombo, on the days and dates hereinafter mentioned:

JOSEPH FRASER.

J. THOMSON BROOM.

V. A. JULIUS.

F. J. DE SARAM.

LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM.

J. J. DICKSON.

C. H. COLLINGWOOD.

Witness to the signature of the above-named J. THOMSON BROOM, this 26th day of March, 1914:

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

Witness to the signature of the above-named JOSEPH FRASER, this 26th day of March, 1914:

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

Witness to the signature of the above-named V. A. JULIUS, this 27th day of March, 1914:

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

Witness to the signatures of the above-named F. J. DE SARAM, LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM, J. J. DICKSON, and C. H. COLLINGWOOD, this 31st day of March, 1914:

EUSTACE F. DE SARAM,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

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**The Mentenne Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 18, Upper Chatham street, Colombo, on Monday, May 4, 1914, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1913.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor and to transact any other competent business.

By order of the Directors,  
GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.  
Agents and Secretaries.  
April 25, 1914.

**The Ullswater Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the registered

office of the Company on Monday, May 4, 1914, at 12 noon, to rescind the resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting on October 13, 1913, viz. :—

“That the Directors be authorized to borrow, on behalf of the Company, a sum not exceeding Rs. 50,000 on such terms and at such rate of interest as the Directors may determine;”

and to consider, and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution:—

“That the Directors be authorized to borrow, on behalf of the Company, a sum of £3,000 on such terms and at such rate of interest as the Directors may determine.”

By order of the Board,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,  
Colombo, April 21, 1914. Agents and Secretaries.

## The Hakgalla Tea Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Annual General Meeting of the Hakgalla Tea Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited, will be held at the Hill Club, Nuwara Eliya, at 2 P.M. on Saturday, May 9, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Directors of the Hakgalla Tea Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited, held on Saturday, April 4, 1914, it was resolved that a call of Rs. 1 per share be made payable on or before Saturday, June 20, 1914.

Pedro estate, Nuwara Eliya, April 20, 1914. E. C. ELIOTT, Agent and Secretary.

## In the Matter of the Stanmore Anamallay Estates Co., Ltd. (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Bosanquet & Co., No. 17, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on May 25, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purposes of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator shall be disposed of.

Colombo, April 21, 1914. G. A. ATKINSON, Liquidator.

## Cessation of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the interest of Mr. Robert Wallace Forbes as a partner in our firm of Forbes & Walker ceased on and from March 31, 1914.

FORBES & WALKER, Brokers. Colombo, April 20, 1914.

## Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.

I, DON BARNES FRANCIS KARUNARATNA of Walana, in Panadurabadda, in Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara, do hereby give notice that, three months hence, I shall apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary Public, to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Kalutara.

Walana, March 2, 1914. D. B. F. KARUNARATNA.

## Auction Sale of a Valuable House Property at Panchikawatta Road, Colombo.

BY virtue of the order of the District Court of Colombo in insolvency case No. 2,537 of the said court, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Saturday, May 16, 1914, at 3 P.M., at the spot:—All that portion of an allotment of land, with the buildings standing thereon bearing assessment No. 77r, situated at Panchikawatta road, Maradana, Colombo, containing in extent 8 20/100 square perches.

H. D. JOHN PIERIS, Auctioneer and Broker. 109, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

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 Kandy, in terms of the 137th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of police and light rate and water rate due on the premises, and of which particulars are given in the under-mentioned lists, will be sold by public auction on the spot in the order and time stated, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and taxes and costs be duly paid:—

List F.—On Wednesday, May 20, 1914, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

The Municipal Office,  
Kandy, April 15, 1914.

By order,  
JAS. JAYETILEKE,  
Secretary.

## LIST F.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
<i>Cross street.</i>		
3	House and land	Mrs. Buckman
<i>Katugastota road.</i>		
25	House and land	Una Sellaman
118, 119, 127 to 131A	Houses and land	D. K. Gunasakera
197A	Brikkiln	Hendrick Weerasingha
<i>Trincomalee street.</i>		
152, 153, and 154 and 156	Houses and land	D. B. Abeyagoonasakera

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on February 21, 1914, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated February 17, 1914.

Present: The Hon. Mr. G. S. Saxton, Chairman; Mr. E. Beven; Mr. E. L. Wijegoonewardene; Mr. R. W. Jonklaas; Mr. D. E. Weerasooria; Mr. C. A. LaBrooy; Dr. Allan de Saram; and Mr. H. F. Tomalin.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on January 17, 1914, 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 1913 to January 31, 1914, 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 January.
- (d) Statement of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors, and of Work done by the Municipal Magistrate, during the month of January.
- (e) The Reservoir Readings for January.

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 January.

In tabling the usual monthly statements the Chairman, alluding to the report of the Medical Officer of Health, referred to the very modest way in which Dr. Hay made mention of the steps taken with regard to the case of plague that had occurred. Drs. Hay and de Sáram, he knew, worked very hard.

All concerned, especially Dr. Hay, deserved their congratulations and thanks for having succeeded in keeping a ring fence round the first case of plague, and having done their very best to prevent infection spreading.

Mr. Beven said he quite agreed with what the Chairman had said, and appreciated the services of Dr. Hay as well as of the Inspectors who had taken part in preventing any infection.

Mr. LaBrooy proposed that a vote of thanks be passed to Dr. Hay. Mr. Jonklaas seconded.—Carried.

4. Correspondence :—

(1) Letter of December 30 from Dr. McGahey *re* proposed new site for the Market latrine.—This was taken up later and considered with the report of the Special Committee on the Health Department. The majority of the Council being in favor of the new site on the Police grounds, it was agreed to erect the latrine there if the objection of the police could be overcome.

(2) Letter of January 16 from the Superintendent of Works inquiring whether any of the works sanctioned for the year are to be given out on contract.—It was agreed that the works be carried on as before, there being none, in the opinion of the Council, for which tenders need be called for.

(3) Letter of January 15 from the Superintendent of Works applying for the following re-votes :—

No.	Estimate No.	Description of Work.	Balance. Rs. c.
1	18	Town drainage	230 58
2	26	Improvements to Bahirawakanda road	130 89
3	31	Building culverts on Halloluwa road.	182 87
4	34	Drainage	7,287 66
5	31 of 1913	Treating town streets with Gregsonite	1,386 65
6	36	Cement concrete drain at the back of premises 61 to 73, Peradeniya road	454 15

Mr. Wijegoonewardene moved—That the re-votes asked for be allowed with the item of re-vote on 31 of 1911 on Gregsonizing town streets amended from 1356/65 to 3394/11, with a record of the Council's strong disapproval of Mr. Bultjen's reducing the amount of his application on this head as tending to make the Council suspect that he was attempting to mislead the Council as to the amount actually spent on the estimate. Mr. Jonklaas seconded.—Carried.

5. Pursuant to notice Mr. LaBrooy moved—That the Council do take steps for the erection of silt traps at "those parts of the lake through which the silt finds its way into the lake."

The Chairman mentioned that the matter is already receiving the attention of the Works Committee.

Mr. LaBrooy accordingly withdrew his motion with the leave of the Council.

6. Report of the Special Committee on the reorganization of the Health Department.

On Mr. LaBrooy's motion the Council went into Committee.

The Report was considered *seriatim* and adopted in Committee.

The Council resumed, and Mr. Beven moved—That the Report of the Special Committee be adopted and that Dr. McGahey be thanked for his valuable report on the Sanitation of Kandy. Mr. Jonklaas seconded.—Carried.

Mr. Beven also moved—That a Special Committee consisting of the Chairman, Provincial Surgeon, and Mr. LaBrooy be appointed to consider what steps should be taken to give effect to the suggestions in paragraphs 4 and 5 of the Report of the Special Committee with respect to the Sanitary and Works Departments. Mr. Wijegoonewardene seconded.—Carried.

7. Supplemental Budget No. 3 of 1913.

Resolved—That the Budget be adopted.

8. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

#### Finance.

That the following licenses be charged from 1915 :—

Briekkilns, Rs. 50 ; limekilns, Rs. 40 ; timber depôts, Rs. 15 ; salt and dry fish marts (wholesale), Rs. 10 ; salt and dry fish marts (retail), Rs. 2.50.

Resolved—That the recommendations be adopted.

The business for the day being over, Mr. Beven said he would like to wish the Chairman, who was presiding that day for the last time prior to his departure on leave, a pleasant holiday at home, and hoped he and the family would return to Ceylon benefited by the change. The Council, he added, would miss him very much at their deliberations.

Mr. Wijegoonewardene said he had much pleasure in supporting what fell from Mr. Beven. Owing to the Chairman's great courtesy and genial *bonhomie* it had been a great pleasure for the Members to work with him.

The Chairman said he was very much obliged to Messrs Beven and Wijegoonewardene for the kind words they had spoken. It had been a great pleasure for him to work with them all, and he looked forward to being able to come back to Kandy next Christmas and continue to work amongst them. He thanked them all very much for their kind wishes.

Confirmed this 21st day of March, 1914 :

C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Chairman.



## Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to February 28, 1914.

## No. 1.—GENERAL REVENUE AND ASSESSMENT TAX ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue.		Receipts.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Cemetery account—fees and graves ..	1,350	0	182	50
Commutation rate ..	13,500	0	410	0
Interest ..	2,200	0	1,000	0
Judicial account—fines ..	2,400	0	584	95
Lake silt—Government contribution ..	3,000	0	—	—
Licenses ..	2,550	0	473	25
Miscellaneous receipts ..	1,000	0	473	75
Public market—rents ..	25,700	0	3,374	50
Rents ..	3,120	0	628	70
Registration of dogs ..	550	0	193	58
Stamp duties ..	12,845	0	—	—
Scavenging—bucket fees ..	16,710	0	2,324	86
Slaughter-houses—fees ..	7,500	0	1,299	37
Taxes on vehicles and animals ..	5,610	0	2,655	0
Tolls ..	26,257	0	336	49
Public works—Government contribution, &c. ..	1,850	0	210	50

14,147 45

## Assessment Tax Account.

Arrears ..	14,700	0	6,157	24
Assessment tax, 1914 ..	36,000	0	529	89
Sundry receipts ..	—	—	71	19
			6,758	32

## No. 2.—WATER-RATE ACCOUNT.

Arrears ..	8,900	0	4,672	92
Water-rate, 1914 ..	34,000	0	345	6
Fairieland and Rosenoath ..	1,000	0	312	50
Water service account ..	7,250	0	2,586	19
Miscellaneous receipts ..	4,800	0	1,890	50
			9,807	17

Total Revenue ... 232,792 0 30,712 94

## Advance Account.

Petty cash ..	Rs. 911.25			
Stores ..	27.10			
Sundry debtors and advances ..	90.00			
			1,028	35

## Deposit Account.

Securities ..	Rs. 341.81			
Miscellaneous ..	278.16			
			619	97

Total Receipts .. 32,361 26  
Cash Balance on Jan. 1, 1914... 177,358 85

Grand Total ... 209,720 11

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure.		Disbursements.
	Rs.	c.	
Cemetery account—wages, &c. ...	1,340	0	215 75
Commutation rate—establishment and sundries ..	1,570	0	189.5
Government loans—repayment ...	1,962	45	—
House of shelter—wages, &c. ...	280	0	15 50
Interest to Government ..	1,144	62	—
Judicial account—establishment, printing, &c. ...	758	0	135 62
Lake silt—clearing of ..	3,000	0	215 56
Legal expenses ..	300	0	209 60
Licenses—printing and advertising ..	200	0	14 50
Miscellaneous charges ..	4,660	0	925 49
Office charges—establishment and sundries ..	9,025	79	1,701 10
Pensions ..	1,409	41	234 90
Public market—establishment, lighting, &c. ...	5,386	0	563 11
Rents—expenses on account cattle shed and Town Hall ..	1,075	0	184 82
Registration of dogs—seizing and feeding ..	1,200	0	153.7
Sanitation—establishment and sundries ..	7,385	0	1,467 82
Scavenging ..	45,625	80	4,629 63
Slaughter-houses—establishment, grass, &c. ...	2,664	0	555 96
Taxes—expenses on account vehicles and animals ..	350	0	47 50
Time charges—wages, &c. ...	240	0	30 0
Tolls charges—repairs of boats and approaches ..	595	0	5 47
Public works ..	34,700	29	3,405 0

14,899 45

## Assessment Tax Account.

Assessment tax charges ..	2,240	0	347 45
Maintenance of police ..	17,500	0	—
Street lighting ..	25,500	0	2,209 75
Street names and house numbers ..	200	0	0 75
			2,557.95

## No. 2.—WATER-RATE ACCOUNT.

Water-rate charges ..	19,533	95	3,415 34
Interest and sinking funds ..	18,154	43	—
Waterworks maintenance ..	4,826	0	246 53
Water service account ..	2,650	0	306 65
			3,968 52

Total Expenditure .. 215,475 74 21,425 92

## Advance Account.

Petty cash ..	Rs. 1,053.82		
Stores ..	491.28		
			1,545 10

## Deposit Account.

Securities ..	Rs. 230.00		
Miscellaneous ..	20.00		
			250 0

Total Disbursements .. 23,221 2  
Cash Balance on Feb. 28, 1914 .. 186,499 9

Grand Total ... 209,720 11

## Progress Report of Works done brought up to February 28, 1914.

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted for the Year.		Expenditure.		Total.	Unexpended Balance.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
1	Upkeep of pavements	2,911	0	213 70a	220 12	433 82	2,477	18
2	Town streets	8,300	0	677 2b	642 54	1,319 56	6,980	44
3	Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's roads	1,330	0	114 74c	34 6	148 80	1,181	20
4	Udawattekele roads	2,200	0	68 48d	199 58	268 6	1,931	94
5	Halloluwa, Bahirawakanda, Hospital, and Huduhumpola roads	1,900	0	103 77e	219 47	323 24	1,576	76
6	Municipal buildings	2,160	0	210 83f	144 37	355 20	1,804	80
7	Watering streets	1,560	35	223 3g	227 43	450 46	1,109	89
8	Market buildings	1,432	0	106 50h	21 36	127 86	1,304	14
9	Ornamental trees	546	0	59 85i	46 0	105 85	440	15
10	Tools	600	0	59 3j	41 67	100 70	499	30
11	Bathing and dhobies' tanks	155	0	8 87k	—	8 87	146	13
12	Recreation ground and esplanade	1,000	0	51 68l	76 35	128 3	871	97
13	Sundry minor works	1,000	0	45 81z	111 14	156 95	843	5
14	Repairs to cemetery-keeper's house	60	75	—	—	—	60	75
15	Wace park	435	0	45 58m	39 18	84 76	350	24
16	Repairs to carriage and ricksha stands	100	0	9 72n	2 0	11 72	88	28
20	Public seats, maintenance	220	0	—	—	—	220	0
21	Lady Blake's drive	570	0	86 75o	141 16	227 91	332	9
22	Land above old Garrison cemetery	207	0	14 0p	14 50	28 58	179	0
A	Clearing vegetation	300	0	35 90q	—	35 90	264	10
B	Clearing silt from side drains	495	0	58 46r	—	58 46	436	54
C	Opening and covering in pits	2,880	0	222 86s	328 54	551 40	2,328	60
D, E, & F	Ferry-boats	595	0	160 51t	5 47	165 98	429	2
G	House of shelter	280	0	14 0u	15 50	29 50	250	50
H	Waterworks maintenance	4,746	0	441 33v	247 73	689 6	4,056	94
I	Maintenance of two fountains	80	0	—	—	—	80	0
	Scavenging streets	18,000	0	1,379 88w	1,656 61	3,036 49	14,963	51
	Lake silt	3,000	0	273 33x	232 16	505 49	2,494	51
	House service	1,000	0	122 61y	186 63	309 24	690	76
	Town drainage	3,786	94	222 67al	6 0	228 67	3,558	27
	Opening a path along Railway land	242	77	—	—	—	242	77
	Drainage of premises, 1-6, Railway approach road	260	0	—	—	—	260	0
18 of 13	Town drainage	230	8	46 99b1	47 7	94 6	186	2
26 of 13	Improvements to Bahirawakanda road	280	89	35 0c1	179 2	214 2	66	87
31 of 13	Building culverts on Halloluwa road	182	67	—	39 35	39 35	143	32
34 of 13	Drainage	7,287	66	—	2 55	2 55	7,285	11
31 of 11	Treating town streets with Gregsonite	1,356	65	62 39d1	—	62 39	1,294	26
36 of 13	Constructing a cement concrete drain	454	15	393 61e1	5 8	398 69	55	46
	Extension of water mains	1,596	58	—	—	—	1,596	58

(a) Cleared silt from barrel drains Rs. 79·81, 25 cement concrete manhole covers made Rs. 90·30, 11 wooden manhole covers repaired Rs. 8·70, cleared gratings Rs. 27·39, 3 cubes gravel transported to Ward street pavement Rs. 7·50 = Rs. 213·70.

(b) 40 cubes metal broken and transported Rs. 326·54, 5 cubes gravel transported to Gregory road Rs. 15, deepened side drains Rs. 56·90, cleared jungle Rs. 19, wages of store coolies and line watchers Rs. 41·16, reduced sides Rs. 94·0, repaired tools Rs. 13·80, wages of cooly, weeding bund Rs. 5·75, 8 cubes gravel transported to bund Rs. 20, Gregsonite Victoria drive Rs. 49·91, cleared metal quarry Rs. 34·95 = Rs. 677·02.

(c) Built retaining wall at Alutgantota road = Rs. 114·74.

(d) 11 cubes of gravel transported to Lady Gordon's road Rs. 27, paid Forest Overseer's coolies Rs. 35, cost of 12 baskets and 12 ekel brooms Rs. 6·48 = Rs. 68·48.

(e) Deepened side drains Rs. 38·40, cleared jungle Rs. 10·98, re-rolled Halloluwa road Rs. 16, reduced sides Rs. 38·39 = Rs. 103·77.

(f) White and colour washed toll house, Katugastota, painted doors and windows and whitewashed slaughter house Rs. 145·16, repaired latrines Rs. 65·67 = Rs. 210·83.

(g) Watered streets Rs. 178·75, repaired carts Rs. 44·28 = Rs. 223·3.

(h) 29 squares whitewashed market Rs. 8·80, cost of 10 butchers' blocks Rs. 80, repaired stalls Rs. 17·70 = Rs. 106·50.

(i) Pruned hedges and cut overhanging branches = Rs. 59·85.

(j) Cost of tools = Rs. 59·03.

(k) Cleared silt from bathing tank = Rs. 8·87.

(l) Mowed grass and removed Rs. 25, wages of watcher Rs. 11·20, weeded ground Rs. 15·48 = Rs. 51·68.

(m) Weeded grounds, cleared drains and paths = Rs. 45·58.

(n) 4 notice boards made and fixed = Rs. 9·72.

(o) Repaired culvert Rs. 50·15, repaired retaining wall and railings Rs. 36·60 = Rs. 86·75.

(p) Wages of watcher = Rs. 14.

(q) Cleared silt from Meda-ela = Rs. 35·90.

(r) Cleared silt from side drains = Rs. 58·46.

(s) Earthwork in opening and covering in pits Rs. 178·91, weeded grounds and cleared jungle Rs. 8·95, wages of overseer Rs. 35 = Rs. 222·86.

(t) Repaired Lewelle Ferry boat = Rs. 160·51.

(u) Wages of watcher = Rs. 14.

(v) Repaired standposts and mains Rs. 122·79, cleared jungle and reduced sides in approach road to reservoir Rs. 29·37, weeded round reservoir and cleared water weeds Rs. 133·82, supplied grass to exposing shed Rs. 36·50, wages of watchers Rs. 113·12, contingencies Rs. 5·73 = Rs. 441·33.

(w) Swept streets and removed household rubbish Rs. 1,138·31, burnt rubbish Rs. 61·35, flushed drains Rs. 180·22 = Rs. 1,379·88.

(x) Removed silt from lake and silt traps Rs. 260·57, repaired dredger Rs. 12·76 = Rs. 273·33.

(y) Laid water services to five private houses = Rs. 122·61.

(z) Painted six notice boards Rs. 40, repaired fences Rs. 5·81 = Rs. 45·81.

(a1) 15·39 square cement plastered in drain; Castle Hill street, Rs. 143·67, cost of 7 cubes metal Rs. 79 = Rs. 222·67.

(b1) Made 11 kerbs and fixed = Rs. 46·99.

(c1) Cost of 1 cart lime and 1,500 bricks = Rs. 35.

(d1) Gregsonited, Ward street = Rs. 62·39.

(e1) 260 lineal feet of drain built = Rs. 393·61.

March 25, 1914.

G. FRED. BUULTJENS,  
Superintendent of Works.

#### Health Officer's Report for the Month of February, 1914.

*Scavenging.*—Satisfactory.

*Water Supply.*—Good.

*Drainage.*—The drains were flushed and kept clean.

*Alleys.*—Those 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 519 cattle, 100 buffaloes, 73 sheep, and 413 goats were passed. Five head of cattle, 2 buffaloes, 3 sheep, and 6 goats were rejected; 2 livers and 2 lungs of sheep and 5 livers and 20 lungs of goats were condemned and destroyed.

*Public Health.*—The health of the town during the month was good. Eleven cases of chickenpox, 2 cases of enteric fever, 1 case of continued fever, and 4 cases of mumps were reported.

With regard to plague a campaign against rats is being carried out; rats are continually examined, but so far no case of plague amongst them has been detected. A man still placed at the Kandy Railway Station to report any suspicious case.

GEO. P. HAY, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.), L.F.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, February 20, 1914.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated February 13, 1914.

*Present:* Mr. R. W. Byrde, Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; the Hon. Sir Allan Perry, Kt.; Mr. L. B. Fernando; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. H. L. de Mel; Mr. E. G. Jayewardene; Dr. David Rockwood; Dr. D. P. Banajee; Dr. W. P. Rodrigo; Mr. J. A. Perera; and Major W. N. Robinson.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of January 16, 1914, and the Special Meeting of February 6, 1914, having been previously printed, and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of the General Meeting of January 16, 1914, and the Special Meeting of February 6, 1914, be confirmed.

Mr. C. P. Dias, with the leave of Council, moved—That this Council do place on record their deep regret at the death of Lady de Soysa, their high appreciation of the services rendered by her family to the city of Colombo, and that the Chairman do convey to Mr. J. W. C. de Soysa and other members of the family the sympathy of the Council in their sad bereavement. The Chairman seconded.—Carried unanimously.

2. The Chairman made the following statement in connection with the outbreak of plague:—

Gentlemen,—Since our last meeting plague has broken out in Colombo. This is the first instance it has made its appearance in this city, and the hope that Colombo was immune from plague has been rudely dispelled. One point about it is that at present it is sporadic and not epidemic. With regard to its origin we have yet not been able to discover how exactly it was introduced. The probability is that it came in through some infected person. Of this we are sure that the disease commenced among human beings before it appeared among rats. About 150 rats were examined before an infected one was found. There has been no epizootic among rats, no great mortality, only a few having been found which have died of plague. The history of the discovery of the existence of plague here is as follows: A letter reached me on January 24 stating that a strange disease had appeared in Sea street. I sent it to Dr. Marshall Philip who immediately took instant action, and started house to house visitation. The Registrar of Births and Deaths was also interviewed, and the register inspected. It was found there had been several cases put down as deaths by meningitis, pneumonia, and lymphangitis. The probability is that those were actually cases of plague, and that plague had first started in Colombo about January 12. On January 25 the Registrar reported a case of suspicious death about 5 P.M. Dr. Marshall Philip, as soon as he heard of it, took action that night itself, and took the necessary steps; subsequent events showed how wise he was. He called in Dr. Castellani, and they both went down to Sea street and held a *post mortem* examination upon the body. They were at work on Sunday night till 2 A.M. I should like later to recognize the invaluable assistance that has been rendered to this Council by Dr. Castellani, the Government Bacteriologist. Steps were then taken by Dr. Marshall Philip to deal with the case as if it were one of plague. The wisdom of this action was fully justified by subsequent events. Our Medical Officer, Dr. Marshall Philip, always having the welfare of this city at heart, and foreseeing that if plague ever came to Ceylon the place in which it would first appear would be Sea street, considered in his own mind that there was sufficient justification for his at once treating this case as one of plague. Every step possible was taken, including the isolation of the sick, the segregation of contacts, the destruction of rats by poison and by traps, disinfection, and unroofing all infected houses.

The measures carried out were as laid under the rules and regulations framed under the Ordinance; no extreme measures were adopted. There was no paralysing of the trade of this Colony. We have not dealt with our citizens as the Russians did at Moscow when plague appeared there three centuries ago, when every man who left the town was promptly executed. We have dealt with the people here in a reasonable manner in the light of experience gained in other countries, and the light of the results obtained by scientific research.

The house in which it was first discovered was No. 64. There was also another case in No. 81, an insanitary dwelling, an ill-lighted building, unventilated, which was occupied by a low class of Tamils. It is probable that the first case appeared there. The type of plague that we have is septicæmic. We have only one case believed to be of the bubonic type. The type here is particularly virulent, the recoveries being very rare. In the first instance death is very rapid, but as time goes on the poison, so to say, becomes weaker and more attenuated, and death is not so rapid. In the first cases, when the bodies were examined, they disclosed no symptoms of plague whatsoever, no buboes; the organs were perfectly normal, and the discovery of the disease was only possible by bacteriological means. The number of cases up to the 20th, that is to-day, is 30, which have chiefly occurred among young male adults under the age of 25. The number segregated amounts to 700; the premises infected are 63. Sea street and Bankshall street are the infected areas. Isolated cases have occurred in Slave Island, no doubt attributable to Sea street. We notice that rat infection has been spreading along the line of the old drains, and that the large proportion of infected rats are sewer rats, and this no doubt is due to the fact that persons in Sea street have made unauthorized connections in their houses into the old rain water sewer. The Police have been taking all steps to remove vagrants. Here I may tell you how fully the establishment of our Vagrant Home is justified. There the vagrant is perfectly secure. Then comes the question "How is plague disseminated?" To put it in a nutshell, Gentlemen, it is by the flea. Here I may remark, as an eminent judge did with regard to the rule in Shelley's case, "It is easy enough to put it in a nutshell, the difficulty is to keep it there." How are we to secure prevention? It is an absolute necessity to preserve cleanliness, to expose all bags, sacks, clothing, and other things to the sun for about two hours daily. Rice, grain, and food stuffs should be put under the direct rays of the sun and turned over from time to time. It is to be noted that fleas die under the rays of the sun. Our one hope for the future is the hot weather. It has always been found in India that the plague dies down in the hot weather. Dr. Hirst has found that the rat flea cannot live in a temperature of 80° Fahrenheit for more than 24 hours. So with the hot weather coming in we hope the fleas may die, or at least become so languid as not to be able to bite the human being. Gentlemen, you are lucky in having as your Bacteriologist so skilful and enthusiastic a man as Dr. Hirst. He came to see me the other day after 5 p.m. in my office, when the rest of the world was seeking recreation and rest. He confided to me that he was in quest of a device to make a flea-proof rat trap, disclosing a true sporting instinct. He was as enthusiastic on the subject as a big game hunter with the prospect before him of slaying his first lion.

Rat destruction has been carried on from the outset by means of poison and traps. I have read criticisms to the effect, "Why don't they do as they do in Bombay? Pay five cents for each rat." Gentlemen, that criticism did not come from the professional rat catcher. It is the very thing that we have been doing and you have been doing for years. This Council allows a vote of Rs. 5,000 for the destruction of rats. Government has placed at our disposal the services of Dr. Milne, who has been given a free hand, and has been organizing a special scientific rat brigade. In accordance with the resolution at our informal meeting I have made a request to Government for the services of another Medical Officer, if possible, and also stated that we needed fourteen additional inspectors for carrying out the sanitary work; at the same time I have had advertisements put in the papers asking for applicants. Regarding Dr. Milne and the destruction of rats, we have now in constant use the Clayton disinfectant. This was lent to us from the Harbour. It was placed in a trolley by the Works Engineer, and by means of a steam roller was taken up to Sea Beach road and Sea street where it can be seen doing its work, and doing that work very effectively. By means of it rice can be fumigated. Sir Allan Perry informs me that they found from results in Java that no harm whatsoever is done to the grain by the fumes of sulphur dioxide. The fumes are also pumped into all the rat holes and into the rain water drains. Sea street, as perhaps you know, has running under it several rain water drains, and some of the dwellers there have most ingeniously made a number of connections to the main drain. The buildings there are riddled with rat holes. The duty of house owners and residents is to stop them. So far they have shown very little inclination to do so. With regards to rats, we have impressed upon members of the community the necessity for them to adopt the principle of self-help, and assist us by becoming amateur rat catchers and rat destroyers. With regard to rice I met the elected Members of this Council on the 17th and certain Chetties and Borah merchants who put their wishes before us. I communicated with the Colonial Secretary and also with the Principal Collector of Customs, and Government have made provision for two warehouses for the importation of rice. One of them will be used for rice despatched by railway; the other one for rice for local use. One point about it, which will be received with undoubted pleasure by the Chetties, is that these warehouses will be allowed free of charge. I also brought another point to the notice of Government, that certain rice importing merchants have despatched telegrams to stop further importations of rice. I take it, Government is quite prepared to meet any emergency if it arises. With regard to the transport of rice on the railway, special arrangements have been made, and a special station has been opened for rice from the infected area. This station is in close proximity to the Office of the Harbour Engineer. Rice from infected areas, which is taken there, will be exposed to the direct rays of the sun for a period of two hours, in order that any fleas on sacks may be killed. The rice from the non-infected areas will continue to go to the good shed, as at present, and all such will have passes to show that the rice comes from non-infected areas. In the event of the consigners not obtaining passes, the rice will be treated as coming from infected areas, and will be sent down to the new station. With regard to vaccination we have opened at the present moment two depôts, one in Slave Island, and the other at the Kachcheri. Mr. J. A. Perera very kindly offered to give us two rooms, free of charge, but as I had already made arrangements with the Government Agent, who has placed a room at the Kachcheri, at our disposal, it will not be necessary to accept this kind offer. Dr. Hirst has obtained new serum two or three days ago.

With regard to the Chetties and Borah merchants, every endeavour has been made to prevent any dislocation in their trade or business. I have had interviews with a number of them, and endeavoured to meet them as far as possible. My first interview was on Thursday, January 29, when Mr. J. A. Perera brought some of their representatives to see me. The alarm among them was that inspectors were likely to squeeze money from them. I gave them an assurance that no removal should be made except on the orders of the Medical Officer or his Assistants, and they were perfectly satisfied with the assurance, which has been fully carried out. In cases where plague occurs, a police guard is placed at once, both in front and at the back of the house. There has been, I am sorry to say, a certain amount of obstruction from the residents in Sea street, but with the assistance of Mr. J. A. Perera and Dr. E. V. Ratnam, the Ward Member, it was overcome. I made arrangements that a special building should be put up to provide for Chetties in the Segregation Camp. With regard to hospital accommodation I saw Sir Allan Perry, the Principal Civil Medical Officer, who has arranged special wards to be set aside for Chetties, as also a special ward for Muhammadans. They could have their own doctors to attend in consultation, and they could have their own attendants. A special separate hospital is entirely out of the question. With regard to the interview with the Chetties on the 18th, two days ago, I had rather a long interview with them, in the course of which I suggested if they had any points to put before me they should bring their own Medical Officer to see me, and fixed the time for 11 o'clock on the 19th at my office. Needless to say the Medical Officer never came to see me. Now the Chetties and Borah merchants and those concerned no doubt made every effort they thought fit to evade the rule, namely that all contacts must go to the Segregation Camp. Their proposition as put to me was this: Suppose that there were nine persons in the house. If one of them was taken sick of the plague, they suggested, that he alone should be taken and the

others left in the infected house. Why? So that they may carry on their business. Gentlemen, this is the crux of the whole position. Is the rule to be enforced, or is the safety of the whole community to be endangered that the Chetty and Borah merchant may make money? Here we have the rule, which must be obeyed, and on this point I have been and still am adamant, and the rule is being enforced. For example, one of the Natucotta Chetties was on the 18th suffering with fever. He was under observation, and during the night he was removed from the house where he was, in Sea street, and carried to Fifth Cross street, owing to the obstruction of the residents, and the next morning that boy died of plague. Members of this community have resorted to every device imaginable to get the support of some body or person so as to obtain a recession of that rule. They have visited the bankers; they spent days in the Fort visiting merchants, going from office to office; they have been to their lawyers, to the Chairman of the Plague Committee; they have been to the Press reporters. The representatives of these different bodies have had communication with me, and one gentleman, a merchant, visited me, and we had a conference with some of the Chetties in Sea street. I explained the whole situation to him. Members of the different professions I have mentioned have seen me from time to time. The Chetties have so far not been able to bring to me any doctor on their behalf. Why? Because every medical man knows the absolute necessity for enforcing the rule. The last phase of Chetties and Borah merchants was to start rumours that coolies are leaving because they are being persecuted for money by the Sanitary Inspectors. The cooly, they say, object to be taken to the Segregation Camp. This rumour, I am quite convinced, was started by the employer, and not by the cooly. The reason is that the cooly is not a fool. He gets very low wages; he lives in filthy surroundings. He knows, as well as you or I, that he is exposed to the deadly danger in working in Sea street. His feet, as he expresses it, are bare, and he realizes that he is exposed to infection. He has no money to pay inspectors. Coolies have no fear of the Segregation Camp. There they go to clean surroundings. They draw fifty cents a day for doing nothing. The money is being paid into their own hands by our own shroff. Contrast this with his condition in Sea street, carrying bags into possibly infected houses. The Segregation Camp is a Paradise to the cooly, as compared with the environments of Sea street. On my visit to the Camp, I found all the persons there perfectly happy and contented. Even the Chetties met me with smiles, and they uttered compliments which would make me blush to repeat. Seven hundred persons have been segregated there. In the Segregation Camp at Kanatta, we have at the present moment 130 contacts. We have further accommodation for evicted persons at Kolonnawa, where we have room for 300. When it is found that the houses are insanitary, and not fit and safe for persons to remain there, we supply them free accommodation at Kolonnawa. It is perfectly optional whether they go or not. With regard to this I may mention an incident: I was called on the telephone by a well known proctor, who told me that his client had come to him from a house—an insanitary house, a rat infected house. I found that there was no case of plague, and that they had been told that they were free to go away. They were quite upset about not going to the Segregation Camp. I told him there was no reason why they should not go there if they wished, but that we were not going to compel them.

With regard to the Mansergh Drainage Scheme, there is no connection whatsoever between it and plague. It is an absurd thing to think for a moment that it is our drainage system that is responsible. I may mention that there is no system of drainage in many cities in India where plague has been rampant, nor is there a system in China or Manchuria. But with regard to Sea street there is the danger from the old rain water sewer. That danger has not arisen from any connection with our Drainage Works. It has arisen from the action of the occupiers themselves. In Sea street we have discovered that some ingenious persons have forestalled the Mansergh system, and there are I believe 68 untrapped connections from the houses into the rain water sewers.

In conclusion I wish to make some remarks with regard first to the staff. Dr. Marshall Philip, the Medical Officer of Health, has been at work hard, and is still doing his utmost to stop the spread of the plague; Dr. Aserappa, his First Assistant, assumed duties before his time in order to help us; Dr. Loos, the Second Assistant, a man well known to you, modest and retiring. I cannot speak too highly of the quiet and unostentatious way in which he handled the situation and performed his arduous duties, always exercising tact and gentle firmness. Our inspectors are entitled to fair play, and above all fair criticism. They have been doing splendid work under most trying circumstances, fearlessly and tactfully, working long hours, overcoming opposition from residents. Many of them have at times worked from 12 to 16 hours a day. Further, we have received every assistance from the Inspector-General of Police, Mr. Dowbiggin, from Mr. Godfrey, the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, and the loyal co-operation of the Police. They have at present 75 men employed on plague duty.

I will now propose that we move a vote of thanks first to Dr. Castellani, the Government Bacteriologist, for the valuable assistance given to the Council during the present outbreak of plague, and for his diagnosis which led to the discovery of the plague bacilli; next a vote of thanks to Dr. Marshall Philip, the Medical Officer of Health, his assistants, Dr. Aserappa and Dr. Loos, for the devoted manner in which they have performed their duties during the present outbreak of plague; thirdly, to the Inspector-General of Police, Mr. Dowbiggin, the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, Mr. Godfrey, and the Police Force, for their assistance and co-operation.

Mr. C. P. Dias seconded the resolution, and referred to the rare tact, courage, and zeal shown by the Chairman in dealing with the present epidemic.

Mr. Arthur Alvis thanked the Chairman for the lucid statement made by him, which had not been made a day too soon to allay the public mind.

Mr. J. A. Perera, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, and Mr. C. E. Dias testified to the fact that inquiries from the Chetties and others had proved that the allegations of bribery made against the Inspectors of the Sanitary Department were unfounded.

The motion was then put to the meeting and carried.

3. Pursuant to notice, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo asked the Chairman why the Officers of the Council do not give the public full information, or any information at all, with regard to the occurrence of plague in the city, and to move for papers.

The Chairman replied as follows:—

I know that you will all agree with me that during an emergency, like the present outbreak of plague, it is most desirable that the public should be supplied with only the actual solid facts. These facts bear all the greater weight when communicated through one authoritative source. The person best suited to be that source is the Chairman of the Plague Committee, as he is the recipient of the information from the many different Officers and Departments concerned. He is, so to say, the fountain head, to which the public can come and draw their information. All the facts relating to the plague, after having been duly authenticated by the different officers, are communicated to him, and given by him to the Press—which body presents them to the public. This system is the one best calculated to prevent any scare, as the public can accept the facts as authentic and as coming from the central authority. If this course were not adopted, the public would become the prey of needless alarms arising from groundless and unfounded rumours and immature opinions. I read in one paper an account which attracted my attention that a Police Officer—needless to say it was not the Inspector-General of Police, nor was it the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, nor any other Superintendent, nor an Assistant Superintendent, nor an inspector, it was not even a sergeant, but a police constable—who found a dead body and after a brief autopsy of the corpse, announced to the wondering crowd that it was a case of plague, which he was able to diagnose from his experience of plague in India. As a matter of fact the person died, not of plague, but of some thing else. Further—and this point is as important as the other mentioned by me—some regard must be shown for the overworked officers. The system conduces towards his protection—a Medical Officer, who has been for the greater part of the 24 hours on a perpetual strain in circumstances occasioning grave anxiety, cannot be expected to give to the many reporters, who may ask for it, a report of his

views and opinions on the situation. There are five newspapers in Colombo, and, allowing 10 minutes for each, if he were to attempt to give information to the reporters, it would mean the waste of nearly an hour of precious time during the day. Medical Officers are but human flesh and blood, and they cannot be expected to never cease from work. With regard to the question, I here assert that the public has been supplied with full and accurate information through me and the Chairman of the Plague Committee. I have, whenever requested to do so, seen the representative of the Press, and have given them any information which it may have been within my power to give them. Copies of the daily statements by the Medical Officer of Health have always been placed on the Press table, where they can be seen by the Press representatives.

4. Pursuant to notice, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo asked the Chairman why application dated June 29, 1913, from N. S. Mohammadu Sultan for a license to sell mutton at 620, Galle road, was refused.

The Chairman replied as follows :—

In June, 1913, the application was refused by my predecessor, Mr. Alexander, the Chairman, owing to the insanitary condition of the surroundings. The place was full of flies—there are no proper drains, and the meat must become covered with dust from the road.

5. Pursuant to notice, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo asked the Chairman under what circumstances was K. N. Meydeen Mastan given a license to sell mutton at 623, Wellawatta road, in the face of the refusal in the above case.

(a) Why 623, Wellawatta road, was wrongly described as a beef stall in the list of meat stalls supplied to me on my application dated the 7th instant.

(b) Was the application for 620 and the report on it by the Acting Medical Officer of Health before the Medical Officer of Health when he recommended 623 and, if not, who is responsible for it, and to move that the matter be referred to the Sanitation Committee for inquiry and report.

The Chairman replied as follows :—

Meydeen Mastan was given a license to sell mutton at 623, Wellawatta, under entirely different conditions. He held a license from the Government Agent for both beef and mutton in 1910, but in 1912, when Wellawatta was brought within Municipal limits, he was granted a license for beef only, the license for mutton being refused. The same happened in 1912 and 1913. In December, 1913, he made an application to sell mutton as well. It was approved of by the Medical Officer of Health after the applicant had had the walls and floors of his house cemented and a water supply laid on. The license was given to him on February 14, 1914.

(a) At the time the list was sent to Dr. W. P. Rodrigo the man had a license to sell beef only. The license for sale of mutton was subsequently issued; it was not issued till the 14th.

(b) The application for 620 was not before the Medical Officer of Health when he recommended 623. I see no reason why it should have been, as each case is treated on its merits. 620 was dealt with by Dr. Robinson, and 623 by Dr. Marshall Philip. The matter has been fully dealt with, and I see no reason for its going before the Sanitation Committee.

Dr. W. P. Rodrigo then moved that the matter be referred to the Sanitation Committee. Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded *pro forma*.—Carried.

6. Pursuant to notice, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo moved—That His Excellency the Governor be respectfully asked to re-consider his decision with regard to the resolutions of this Council in regard to the Chairman's last annual report. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

Mr. J. A. Perera moved as an amendment—That the Council do, in reply to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary's letter No. 16 of January 21, 1914, respectfully invite the attention of His Excellency the Governor to section 75 (c) of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, which expressly empowers the Council to append such observations to the annual Administration Report as they think fit. Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded.

Dr. W. P. Rodrigo withdrew his motion in favour of the amendment, which was carried.

7. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo, with the leave of Council, withdrew the motion standing in his name under item No. 7 of the Agenda.

8. Pursuant to notice, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo moved—That permission be given to the Waterworks Engineer to allow the installation of water service to No. 47, Ridgeway place, Wellawatta, without laying a 3-inch main in the lane at the expense of the owner of the houses. Mr. J. A. Perera seconded.

After some discussion, and with the consent of his seconder and of the Meeting, Dr. Rodrigo moved in place of his original motion that this matter be referred to the Works Committee. Dr. David Rockwood seconded.—Carried.

9. Pursuant to notice, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo moved—That the responsible officer be required to close the tipping dépôt at Price park and otherwise prevent the entrance of coir dust into the sewers for a month.

The motion was not put to the Meeting for the want of a seconder.

10. Pursuant to notice, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene asked for the permission of Council to move—That the name of Mr. J. A. Perera, Member for New Bazaar Ward, be added to the Special Committee on Drainage.

The leave was granted and the motion put. Dr. David Rockwood seconded.—Carried.

11, 12, and 13. The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of February 11, 1914, and on Municipal Works of February 12, 1914, and on Finance of February 12 and 18, having been previously printed and circulated, were laid before Council :—

*Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of February 11, 1914.*

(2) To sanction the transfer of Rs. 360 from vote 18 (under the Slave Island dispensary votes) on account of house rent, at the rate of Rs. 30 per mensem, for each of the two Health Visitors of the Slave Island dispensary, for six months, and to sanction the payment of same permanently.

Recommended that the transfer be made, and that the allowance be made permanent.

(6) To consider the Government's proposal to appoint the Chief Sanitary Officer of the Medical Department as an *ex-officio* Member of this Municipality.

Recommended that Government be informed in terms of the Chairman's Memorandum attached.

(7) To consider a petition from P. Don Mark Appuhamy regarding stalls at No. 60, Pickering's road, and 125, Kotahena street.

Recommended (1) that the license to Mark Appuhamy for No. 125, Kotahena street, should not be extended beyond March 31, and (2) that Jeremias should be informed that his license for No. 36, Kotahena street, will expire at the end of this year and will not be renewed for the same premises, and that if he wishes to carry on his trade after the expiration of this year, he must find other suitable premises at a greater distance from the Hindu temple.

(*Vide Item No. 6 of the Extracts from the Minutes of the Sanitation Committee Meeting of February 11, 1914.*)

## SANITARY BRANCH, MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

## CHAIRMAN'S MEMORANDUM.

15 (1) The proposal is not applicable to the Municipal Council, Colombo.

This Council already has a Department which comprises officers skilled in sanitation.

The Principal Civil Medical Officer is a Member of the Council, and, consequently, an ex-officio member from his Department is not required.

The addition of two more nominated members to the Municipal Council, Colombo, would upset the proportions required under section 9 of the Ordinance, unless they were to take the place of some of the existing nominated members.

(2) The words mentioned in paragraph 3 might well be omitted.

*Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of February 12, 1914.*

- (2) To sanction an estimate on account of drains between Hill street and Jampettah street, Rs. 1,300.—Recommended.
- (3) To sanction an estimate on account of granite sett paving for Railway road, to be met by transfer of Rs. 9,000 from I. 22 (Upkeep of Metalled Roads), Rs. 9,000.—Recommended.
- (4) To sanction an estimate for barbed wire fence on top of boundary wall, Cattle Quarantine Station, Rs. 250.—Recommended.
- (5) To sanction an estimate for enclosing the Medical Officer of Health's motor car shed with corrugated sheets and providing two doors, Rs. 200.—Recommended.
- (6) To sanction an estimate for repairs and re-construction of rain water sewer in St. John's road from Main street to Reclamation road, Rs. 18,893·60 (Rs. 5,000 to be provided if the whole amount is not available).—Recommended that Rs. 5,000 be sanctioned, and that Mr. Cox be directed to commence the work at once and report progress.
- (8) To sanction an estimate for repairing house No. 18, Nagalagam street, belonging to the Council, Rs. 300.—Recommended.
- (9) To sanction an estimate for putting the bungalow in Turret road in thorough repair for the occupation by the Superintendent, Fire Brigade, Rs. 900.—Recommended.
- (10) To sanction the payment of Rs. 200 as compensation to Hadji Ibrahim Bin Ahamed on account of removing building encroachments on premises No. 72, Hulftsdorp street.—Recommended.
- (11) To sanction the transfer of Rs. 75 from Works Engineer's I. 8, Miscellaneous, to I. 6, Library.—Recommended.
- (12) To consider the proposed scheme for running motor busses in Colombo.—Recommended that the Chairman's suggestion be adopted.
- (13) To sanction the proposed building lines for Darley road and Rudd's lane.—Recommended.
- (15) To sanction the proposed street building lines for Macarthy road.—Recommended.
- (16) Papers in connection with the proposed diversion of San Sebastian canal.—The discontinuing, stopping up, and diverting of the portion of the old canal, as shown in the plan, recommended.
- (18) To build temporary cadjan sheds at the Segregation Camp for contacts from plague.—Recommended that Rs. 3,000 be voted, and that the work be put in hand at once, by contract if necessary, in anticipation of the Council's consent.

*Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of February 12, 1914.*

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- (13) To sanction the extra payment of Rs. 2·50 per annum on account of pension to J. A. Appusingho, Turncock.—Recommended.
- (14) To sanction a supplementary vote of Rs. 127·20 to vote E 25, —Salaries and Wages, to meet the wages of the extra driver of the new reception cart from December, 1913, to June, 1914.—Recommended.
- (15) To sanction the payment of the following gratuity to the widow and child of the late Allis Singho, Carpenter, Works Department: Widow, three months' pay, Rs. 132·60; child, one month's pay, Rs. 44·20; total Rs. 176·80.—Recommended.
- (16) To sanction a supplemental vote for Rs. 4,467 under D 22 on account of acquisition of land No. 67c, Blomendahl street (lot No. K 39), for tipping of ash, &c., from the Refuse Destructor.—Recommended.
- (17) To sanction the following approximate expenditure out of Drainage Loan funds on account of a latrine at Dematagoda: Cost of site acquisition, about Rs. 4,100; estimate for latrine, Rs. 6,000; total Rs. 10,100.—Recommended. The question of site to be settled by the Chairman.
- (18) To sanction the payment of Rs. 45 for the substitute employed for Mr. J. P. J. Mendis, Apothecary, Slave Island Dispensary, while on leave.—Recommended.
- (20) To sanction the provision of Rs. 1,917·06 on the 1913-14 Estimates for the payment of the Anti-Mosquito Staff for 5 months and 11 days.—Recommended.

- (21) To sanction (1) 3 months' leave to Mr. W. B. de Saram, Revenue Officer, and (2) a supplemental vote of Rs. 100 under Vote 13 (Medical Boards). (1) Leave recommended, but without pay; (2) recommended.
- (24) To sanction the following additional staff temporarily for the Printing Department: One binder at Re. 1 per day, one binder at Re. 1.50 per day, one machine man at Rs. 20 per mensem.—Recommended.
- (25) To build temporary cadjan sheds at the Segregation Camp for contacts from plague.—Recommended that Rs. 3,000 be voted, and that the work be put in hand at once, by contract if necessary, in anticipation of the Council's consent.
- (26) Tenders for horsing the Fire Brigade and for uniforms, boots, shoes, &c., for firemen.—Resolved that the tenders of last year's contractors be accepted.
- (28) To sanction (1) the insertion of additional clauses to the agreement of the Assistant Superintendent, Fire Brigade, and (2) the payment of half salary to Mr. H. R. Pentin.—Sanctioned.
- (29) To sanction the payment of Rs. 670.41, which was made to Mr. W. M. Thyne for expenses incurred in receiving tenders for 30-inch steel pipes.—Recommended.
- (30) Proposed employment of a clerk at Rs. 504 per annum to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Mr. J. H. Nelson, Assistant Recordkeeper, Secretariat.—Recommended that the initial salary of the post be Rs. 504.
- (31) To sanction the temporary employment of additional surveyors to expedite the collection of assessment taxes.—Recommended that the Works Engineer engage the services of a licensed surveyor on probation for six months on the initial salary of a licensed surveyor of his Department to assist the Assessment Surveyor—progress to be reported at the end of four months.
- (32) To consider Mr. F. M. de Saram's claim on account of drafting by-laws.—Recommended that Mr. de Saram be paid Rs. 500 on account.
- (33) To sanction a re-vote of Rs. 2,500 under M 21 in 1912-13 Budget on account of the rain-water sewer in Duke street, Fort.—Recommended.
- (34) To sanction the transfer of Rs. 360 from Vote 18 (under Slave Island Dispensary votes) on account of house rent, at the rate of Rs. 30 per mensem, for each of the two Health Visitors of the Slave Island Dispensary, for six months, and to sanction the payment of same permanently.—Recommended.
- (35) To sanction the transfer of Rs. 494 from Vote M I., Salaries, to D I., Salaries, to meet the payment of salary to Mr. F. Ginger, Clerk, Finance Department, from November 1, 1913, to June 30, 1914.—Recommended.
- (36) To sanction the lease of building site at the junction of Barber street and Skinner's Road North. Recommended that the land be let on the terms indicated by the Financial Assistant.
- (37) To consider the offers made for leasing the building site at the junction of Maradana and Panchikawatta. Recommended that the lease should be put up to sale by auction—upset price Rs. 2,000 a year, on the conditions which have been approved.
- (38) Question of gratuity to Mrs. Steyn, widow of the late Mr. H. B. Steyn, Foreman, Drainage Works.—Recommended that the application be refused.
- (39) To consider the question of the acceptance of consultation fees by the Medical Officers of Health.—Resolved that the Medical Officers of Health should not accept consultation fees.
- (41) To consider an application from the clerks of the Assessor's Department to be granted the privilege of annual increments.—Recommended that increments be granted to the competent clerks in accordance with the present rules.
- (43) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 260 on account of train and tram fare allowance to the Assessor's staff, under Vote L 3 in the next Supplemental Budget.—Recommended.
- (45) Application for 70 days leave from Mr. N. G. Powar, Municipal Assessor.—Recommended. Also that Mr. Young, Financial Assistant, exercise a general supervision over the department during the absence of Mr. Powar.
- (46) Application for six weeks leave from Mr. D. M. Don Stephen, Clerk, Works Department, owing to ill-health.—Recommended.
- (47) To sanction the proposed arrangement with regard to the practice of paying substitutes for absent peons.—Sanctioned.
- (48) Papers in connection with Tramway route rent.—Resolved that Gasworks street be excluded.
- (49) To consider the question of the over-payment of Rs. 54.56 to the late Revenue Inspector, A. W. Anderson.—Resolved that the over-payment be sanctioned.
- (50) Question of fees to the Municipal Assessor in connection with D. C. case No. 2,337.—Recommended that Mr. Powar may be permitted to draw the fee.
- (51) To consider the question of establishing three depôts in the town for plague inoculation.—Recommended that Rs. 100 a month be sanctioned as rent.
- (52) To sanction the purchase of two hand-worked disinfectors at about £90 each.—Recommended. Recommended that one be ordered at once in anticipation of sanction by the Council.
- (53) To sanction a supplementary vote for Rs. 3,500 on account of stationery, Secretariat.—Recommended.

*Extract from the Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance held at the Town Hall, at 4 p.m., on Wednesday, February 18, 1914, in order to pass a Special Vote for Expenditure to fight the Plague.*

Resolved that a special vote of Rs. 15,000 be recommended, and that the Chairman be authorized to spend any portion of it pending authorization by Council.

(Council in Committee.)

11. Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of February 11, 1914, be adopted.

12. With reference to item No. 12 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works, Mr. J. A. Perera moved that the matter be deferred pending its consideration by the Law Committee.—Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works be adopted.

13. With reference to item No. 36 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of February 12, 1914, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene moved that the matter be referred back to the Finance Committee. Mr. J. A. Perera seconded.—Carried.

With reference to item No. 37 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of February 12, 1914, Mr. J. A. Perera moved that the matter be referred back to the Finance Committee to consider the question of selling the site. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo seconded.—Carried.

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of February 12 and February 18, 1914, be adopted.



14. To adopt the report of the Flood Relief Special Committee appointed on October 24, 1913. Dr. David Rockwood moved that the report be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

15. The following extract from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Special Committee on Drainage Works of February 18, 1914, was brought before Council:—

Resolved that the petitioners be informed by the Chairman to the effect—

- (1) That their complaint that the Kelani has been fouled is exaggerated.
- (2) That steps will be taken to preserve it as pure as possible.
- (3) That no solid sewage matter has been found floating on the surface.
- (4) That it is proposed to plant a row of trees along the edge of the road which will intercept any odours coming from the works.

With regard to (4) it was resolved that the words from "plant" to "will" be deleted, and the words "take steps to" be substituted instead.

Dr. David Rockwood moved that the Council do resume, and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

16 and 17. Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the following items on the agenda, viz., 16 and 17 be adopted. Dr. David Rockwood seconded.—Carried.

16. To sanction the following excess leave over 30 days granted to the under-mentioned officers of the Assessor's Department:—Mr. A. C. Solomonsz 10 days, Mr. V. L. Soyza, 13 days, and Mr. A. B. Brohier 9 days.

17. To sanction excess leave of 1 day over 30 days granted to Mr. W. B. A. Fernando, Clerk, Works Department.

18. The City Analyst's reports on town water for January, 1914, having been previously printed and circulated, was laid on the table.

19. The Progress Report No. 35 of the City Sanitation Engineer for January, 1914, was laid on the table.

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

21. The Statement of Receipts and Disbursements from July 1, 1913, to January 31, 1914, and Progress Reports for December, 1913, and January, 1914, were laid on the table.

22. The reports of Inspectors on licensed carriages for January, 1914, were laid on the table.

The following documents were also laid on the table:—

Return of Committees of the Municipal Council of 1914.

Proceedings of Committees.

Volunteer Band Programme for March, 1914.

Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for December, 1913.

The Works Engineer's report for January, 1914, on the condition of Tramway routes.

Report of the Municipal Bacteriologist of work done during January, 1914.

Diaries of the following officers for the month of January, 1914:—

The Works Engineer and his Assistant, Waterworks Engineer and his Assistants, Medical Officer of Health and his Assistant, 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.

R. W. BYRDE,

Chairman, Municipal Council, and  
Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on March 27, 1914:

R. W. BYRDE,

Chairman, Municipal Council, and  
Mayor of Colombo.

**Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from  
July 1, 1913, to February 28, 1914.**

**REVENUE.**

	Estimated Receipts to for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Estimated Receipts to for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>A.—TAXES.</b>				
1 Commutation under the Road Ordinance ..	170,000	0	15,583	80
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals ..	85,000	0	46,332	69
3 Costs on recovery of ditto ..	400	0	258	50
<b>B.—LICENSES.</b>				
4 Carriages and rickshas ..	21,000	0	2,302	0
5 Passenger hackeries ..	600	0	75	0
6 Cart, coach, and tram cars ..	14,000	0	999	0
7 Boat ..	7,000	0	12	0
8 Gun ..	800	0	349	0
9 Sale of intoxicating liquors ..	15,000	0	39,060	0
10 Slaughter of animals ..	100	0	86	0
11 Sale of meat and fish ..	2,200	0	1,225	0
12 Petroleum ..	6,000	0	2,903	50
13 Guides ..	50	0	30	0
14 Poison ..	300	0	—	—
15 Trade licenses ..	10,000	0	5,617	0
16 Auctioneers and brokers ..	12,000	0	9,890	0
17 Advocates, proctors, and notaries certificates and articles of clerkship (stamp duty) ..	10,000	0	6,669	0
18 Arrack taverns (stamp duty and licenses) ..	31,000	0	—	—
<b>C.—JUDICIAL FINES.</b>				
19 Municipal and Police Courts ..	60,000	0	31,653	55
<b>D.—TOLLS.</b>				
20 Tolls ..	150,000	0	147,229	61
<b>E.—MARKETS.</b>				
21 Edinburgh market ..	11,000	0	6,377	2
22 Price park market ..	11,000	0	7,466	54
23 St. John's market ..	4,000	0	2,675	72
24 Dean's road market ..	26,000	0	19,084	58
25 Grandpass market ..	2,700	0	1,536	22
26 Kollupitiya market ..	1,500	0	2,607	0
27 Gintupitiya street market ..	3,700	0	2,112	0
28 Bambalapitiya market ..	850	0	561	0
29 Costs on recovery of arrears of market rents ..	300	0	567	34
<b>F.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.</b>				
30 Slaughtering fees ..	27,000	0	17,337	40
31 Feeding fees ..	30,000	0	18,661	35
32 Miscellaneous receipts ..	1,200	0	511	0
33 Fees for inspection of frozen meat ..	1,500	0	1,873	24
<b>G.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>				
34 Conserving private latrines (special coolies) ..	5,000	0	9,441	0
35 Sale of disinfectants and buckets (profit) ..	100	0	45	32
<b>H.—CATTLE MART AND QUARANTINE STATION.</b>				
36 Recoveries for timewashing ..	500	0	—	—
37 Clearing cesspit privies ..	200	0	112	84
38 Miscellaneous ..	100	0	—	—
<b>I.—CONSOLIDATED RATE. (Including Special Water-rate at 2 per cent.)</b>				
43 Arrears ..	200,000	0	166,700	52
44 Current ..	1,500,000	0	808,703	17
45 Advance ..	50,000	0	961	57
46 Costs on recoveries ..	50,000	0	26,583	29
<b>J.—WATER.</b>				
47 Sale of water ..	350,000	0	187,083	20
48 Costs on recoveries ..	1,000	0	1,124	3
49 Contribution by Military ..	10,000	0	7,500	0
50 Meter rents ..	20,000	0	11,346	60
<b>K.—RENTS.</b>				
51 Racquet Court ..	5,000	0	3,210	0
52 Cricket pitches, &c. ..	300	0	379	25
53 Grass lands, &c. ..	12,000	0	7,645	9
54 Miscellaneous rents ..	5,000	0	152	50
<b>L.—MISCELLANEOUS.</b>				
55 Fees for registration of dogs ..	5,000	0	2,245	20
56 Opium, Government contribution in lieu of licenses ..	5,085	0	5,085	6
57 Trunk roads, Government contribution ..	32,570	0	44,224	0
58 Tramway mileage ..	4,830	0	—	—
59 Interest ..	10,000	0	2,455	55
60 Military contribution for lighting Fort ..	1,700	0	1,276	38
61 Mulet ..	1,000	0	776	30
62 General cemeteries, fees, &c. ..	10,000	0	6,056	80
63 Fire Brigade fees ..	2,000	0	2,752	50
64 Sundries ..	50,000	0	20,886	10
65 Estimated surplus at June 30, 1913 ..	400,000	0	—	—
<b>Total</b> ..	<b>3,499,285</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,745,049</b>	<b>29</b>



	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Feb. 28, 1914.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Feb. 28, 1914.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
8 Cost of disinfectants ..	2,000	0	1,618	40	17 Maligakanda office—maintenance	2,000	0	896	14
9 Library ..	425	0	191	97	18 Working and maintenance of disinfectors ..	1,045	0	344	14
10 Furniture ..	300	0	57	6	19 Slaughter-house—maintenance	3,180	0	565	5
11 Stationery ..	1,000	0*	640	34	20 Miscellaneous ..	2,450	0	1,142	82
12 Miscellaneous ..	2,400	0	1,102	62	95/12 Improvements to cattle quarantine station ..	—	—	19	96
13 Upkeep of motor car ..	2,728	75	1,593	61	92 Dog pound—maintenance ..	—	—	143	33
14 Rent of motor house ..	180	0	100	53	93 Ambulance shed ..	—	—	17	26
38/12 Mosquito prevention ..	—	—	850	67	94 Municipal Council Court-house—maintenance ..	—	—	311	62
1/12 Salaries ..	—	—	1,000	0	(c) Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &c.				
38 Exchange compensation to Dr. Philip ..	—	—	493	95	21 General upkeep of roads ..	26,500	0	11,598	55
40 All-India Sanitary Conference ..	—	—	400	0	22 Upkeep of metal roads (including dust prevention) ..	246,900	0	148,713	40
(b) Dispensaries.					23 Upkeep of gravel roads, &c. ..	50,347	0	22,237	16
15 Salaries ..	4,000	13	2,649	19	24 Watering and oiling streets ..	46,120	0	40,180	85
16 Allowances ..	900	0	600	0	25 Repairs to roads, bridges, culverts, drains, &c. ..	17,400	0	7,731	62
17 Rent of station ..	600	0	350	0	26 Conservancy of main drains ..	6,000	0	3,834	78
18 Equipment, &c. ..	3,500	0	764	91	27 Repairs to steam rollers and lorries ..	7,500	0	3,776	29
(c) Municipal Enteric Hospital.					28 Repairs and purchase of tools ..	22,000	0	11,945	90
19 Salaries ..	6,599	75	3,124	14	29 Roads, night soil depôt ..	3,500	0	3,172	27
20 Allowances ..	960	0	538	12	30 Maintenance and repairs to plant ..	1,050	0	364	99
21 Diet ..	4,500	0	1,471	57	31 Miscellaneous ..	1,800	0	355	9
22 Extras and stimulants, contingencies, &c. ..	7,232	0	1,715	88	81/11 Central fire station drainage ..	—	—	33	38
(d) Markets.					19/11 Upkeep of roads, &c. ..	—	—	714	28
23 Salaries and wages ..	9,758	78	5,993	63	22/12 Improvements to Ingham street ..	—	—	971	21
24 Tools and equipment ..	1,300	0	911	83	19/12 Upkeep of metal roads ..	—	—	73	50
(e) Slaughter-houses.					(d) Scavenging.				
25 Salaries ..	4,739	0	3,145	42	32 Scavenging, dust sweeping, and removal of mud ..	258,812	0	153,193	89
26 Allowances ..	360	0	240	0	(e) Lake and Canals.				
27 Feeding charges ..	4,500	0	1,949	72	33 Upkeep and conservancy of lake	4,680	0	1,940	58
28 Miscellaneous ..	2,000	0	644	72	34 Lake and canal dredging ..	5,800	0	2,156	40
(f) General Cemeteries.					(f) Parks.				
29 Salaries and wages ..	6,374	0	4,715	86	35 Maintenance of parks, open spaces, &c. ..	26,758	0	15,374	97
30 Allowance ..	360	0	60	0	(g) Lighting.				
31 Upkeep of cemeteries ..	1,050	0	113	98	36 Lighting public streets with gas	140,000	0	76,060	21
32 Miscellaneous ..	600	0	934	8	37 Electric lighting of the Fort ..	19,800	0	10,698	5
(g) Bacteriological Laboratory.					38 Alterations to gas lamps ..	1,500	0	631	45
33 Salaries and wages ..	8,945	88	5,829	39	39 Lighting Municipal buildings ..	11,820	0	4,600	25
34 Allowances ..	600	0	401	17	40 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c. ..	500	0	11	38
35 Equipment ..	1,750	0	0	65	(h) Conservancy.				
36 Maintenance ..	5,000	0	790	69	41 Salaries ..	18,782	0	12,394	87
37 Store room and apparatus room ..	2,650	0	255	19	42 Allowances ..	2,352	0	1,549	0
30/12 Equipment ..	—	—	460	40	43 Supply of coir dust ..	20,000	0	11,370	85
I.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.					44 Tools and materials ..	5,000	0	2,001	4
(a) Administrative.					45 Uniforms, &c. ..	700	0	9	90
1 Salaries and wages ..	134,277	13	83,307	18	46 Disinfectants ..	500	0	502	12
2 Allowances ..	16,260	0	10,179	44	47 Latrine and storage buckets ..	1,000	0	—	—
3 Survey, drawing, and photographic materials ..	3,250	0	632	99	48 Train and tram fare allowances	150	0	63	53
4 Train and tram fare allowance ..	1,250	0	793	90	49 Wages of coolies ..	84,690	0	56,248	63
5 Uniforms ..	550	0	156	22	50 Miscellaneous ..	1,000	0	501	55
6 Library ..	200	0	230	4	(i) Miscellaneous.				
7 Stationery ..	1,000	0*	617	74	51 Working and maintenance of destructor ..	33,000	0	21,292	98
8 Miscellaneous ..	800	0†	355	30	52 Repairs to ambulance carts ..	200	0	—	—
111 Expenses re All-India Sanitary Conference ..	—	—	400	0	53 Construction and repairs of night soil carts and conservancy buckets ..	6,666	0	3,456	43
(b) Buildings.					54 Cart washing place and filter beds	225	0	33	70
9 Town Hall—maintenance ..	3,000	0	1,923	67	55 Electric fans and lamps ..	10,000	0	4,242	24
10 Cemeteries and hospitals—maintenance ..	3,239	0	2,068	52	56 Surveys, tracings, &c. ..	9,501	0	5,958	79
11 Quarantine mart—maintenance ..	1,645	0	549	61	57 Watching Municipal lands ..	660	0	464	0
12 Markets—maintenance ..	10,450	0	4,181	25					
13 Latrines—maintenance ..	1,950	0	966	19					
14 Suduwella depôt—maintenance ..	1,091	0	948	63					
15 Conservancy buildings—maintenance ..	2,510	0	1,691	33					
16 Fire Brigade buildings—maintenance ..	1,000	0	263	22					

\* M. C., October 24, 1913.

† M. C., November 28, 1913.

‡ M. C., February 20, 1914.

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Feb. 28, 1914.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to Feb. 28, 1914.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
58 Furniture ..	750	0	140	95	67/11 Conversion of Elie House reservoir into a park ..	—	—	559	31
59 Upkeep of Chairman's motor car ..	2,400	0	2,331	28	90/12 Paving of Queen street level crossing ..	—	—	950	64
60 Sundries ..	500	0	162	15	100 Building a wall on the site leased out at Panchikawatta ..	—	—	224	35
61 Printing Department machinery—upkeep ..	400	0	278	87	98 Gullies and catchpits for rain water drainage ..	—	—	1,749	68
62 Lighting of cattle mart ..	1,100	0	380	80	99 Erection of gas lamps in Hudson's road, Polwatta ..	—	—	258	0
(k) <i>Public Works Extraordinary.</i>					95 Construction of a side drain in Dickman's road ..	—	—	659	53
63 Deviation of Serpentine and Thurston roads ..	7,500	0	—	—	102 Improvements to Madampitiya cemetery ..	—	—	287	9
64 San Sebastian and Parson's road bridges ..	—	—	14,500	0	106 Waiting room for Members of Municipal Council ..	—	—	377	26
65 Lighting of Nelson lane ..	650	0	628	24	104 Sewer in Duke street ..	—	—	2,773	31
66 Improvement, Municipal Council land, Symond's road ..	1,200	0	649	46	112 Store and apparatus room, Bacteriological Laboratory ..	—	—	1,812	98
67 Conversion of Thurston road from gravel to metal ..	5,200	0	—	—	96 Erection of latrine at cemetery keeper's quarters, Madampitiya ..	—	—	45	82
68 Conversion of Cambridge place from gravel to metal ..	4,100	0	—	—	105 Under ground drain, Campbell park ..	—	—	394	26
69 Conversion of Edinburgh crescent from gravel to metal ..	4,400	0	679	85	107 Repairs to outhouses at 7, Hulftsdorp ..	—	—	12	5
70 Conversion of Braybrooke street from gravel to metal ..	1,700	0	—	—	110 Extension of Printing Office ..	—	—	198	0
71 Conversion of Buller's road ..	7,200	0	1,630	20	120 Cart track, Railway road ..	9,000	0*	3,942	4
72 Rain water connections, Ferry street ..	440	0	—	—	97 Clearing jungle in Liveramentu cemetery ..	—	—	125	0
73 Record shelves, Works Department ..	650	0	614	31	101 Road side drain, Kolonnawa ..	—	—	48	97
74 Improvement to stalls, Gintunpitiya market ..	300	0	—	—	103 Main drain from Wall street to Blomendhal ..	—	—	91	31
75 Machine tools, workshop ..	4,700	0	1,641	86	113 Rebuilding cattle shed at Kacheri road ..	—	—	16	61
76 Improvement to cart washing place, night soil depôt ..	400	0	209	59					
77 Kerb and channel, Kanatta road ..	880	0	612	53					
78 Granite sett cart tracks, Old Moor street extension ..	23,500	0	19,388	6					
79 Improvement to Front street and Main street along Racquet Court and Lotus pond latrine ..	4,500	0	—	—					
80 Granite sett tracks and kerb and channel, Main street level crossing to Harbour Works gate ..	18,000	0	4,789	96					
81 Fence and level up Municipal Council land, Glennie street ..	2,130	0	—	—					
82 Improvement to Vauxhall street, Muster place ..	750	0	—	—					
83 Granite sett track, Main street ..	3,000	0	1,524	25					
84 Ceiling to Printing Office ..	150	0	125	80					
85 Flooring Finance and Sanitation Department Offices ..	1,500	0	1,102	83					
86 Fly-proofing cooly lines, night soil depôt ..	1,750	0	—	—					
87 One new range of cooly lines, night soil depôt ..	2,250	0	—	—					
88 Improvements to Dematagoda slaughter-house ..	1,450	0	68	90					
89 Improvements to cemetery keeper's quarters, Liveramentu ..	2,500	0	133	9					
90 Alterations to Assessor's Office ..	1,450	0	1,068	85					
91 Ferguson's road ..	12,500	0	—	—					
71/12 Union place widening ..	13,500	0	5,583	92					
67/12 Urugodawatta bridge ..	30,000	0	26,632	76					
92/12 Gas extensions ..	34,000	0	29,780	70					
64/12 Scavenging carts, &c. ..	10,000	0	434	87					
90/11 Wellawatta road bridge ..	4,200	0	2,444	46					
61/12 Parson's road and granite paving, Railway road ..	14,100	0	14,460	28					
97/12 Laying granite setts in Norris road, Gasworks street, &c. ..	—	—	13,397	75					
91/12 Regrading Kirillapone road ..	—	—	5,810	81					
93/12 Improvements to cemetery keeper's quarters, Kanatta ..	—	—	1,122	50					
102/12 Improvements to Assistant Superintendent's quarters, Cattle Quarantine Station ..	—	—	720	85					
266/7 Construction of Skinner's road ..	—	—	16	14					
255/10 Mansergh avenue ..	—	—	11	53					
49/11 Refuse destructor ..	—	—	731	67					
54/11 Cooly lines, Kanatta ..	—	—	13	91					
101/12 Galle Face footpath ..	—	—	169	20					
95/12 Two steam rollers ..	—	—	16,556	97					

## K.—WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(a) *Recurrent Expenditure.*

1 Salaries and wages ..	47,774	88	30,018	24
2 Allowances ..	6,540	0	4,300	16
3 Maintenance of Colombo Waterworks ..	29,120	0	15,617	50
4 Surveys and tracings, &c. ..	1,050	0	73	14
5 Maintenance of Waterworks office ..	1,200	0	172	22
6 Maintenance of motor car ..	3,000	0	2,745	61
7 Purchase of tools and meters ..	9,000	0	6,507	59
8 Repairs to tools and meters ..	5,100	0	2,057	86
9 Store expenses ..	504	0	298	79
10 Train and tram fare allowances ..	350	0	204	47
11 Labugama reservoir reserve ..	1	0	—	—
12 Library ..	200	0	47	0
13 Postage ..	250	0	140	0
14 Stationery ..	1,000	0	534	96
15 Furniture ..	1,000	0	562	43
16 Extension and improvement of water service ..	8,500	0	5,624	78
17 Surveying and drawing instruments ..	500	0	324	69
18 Uniforms ..	700	0	431	57
19 Miscellaneous ..	300	0	69	71
20 Purchase of typewriter ..	450	0	437	0
21 Purchase of fans for new office ..	1,100	0	814	45
22 Scraping of distribution mains ..	13,342	80	7,754	98
23/12 Laying 3-in. water main in Buller's road ..	—	—	56	57
12/11 Extension of water service, Eastern Extension ..	—	—	255	95
18/12 Provision of quarters for caretakers of Elie House reservoir ..	—	—	537	0

(b) *Extraordinary Expenditure.*

23 Water supply to eastern and southern extensions ..	142,000	0	77,451	85
22/11 Waterworks Office accommodation ..	—	—	592	65
24 Relaying water main, Bridge street ..	—	—	51	0

\* M. C., February 20, 1914.

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	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>L.—ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.</b>									
1 Salaries .. .. .	16,998	0	11,276	55	15 Miscellaneous .. .. .	1,000	0	174	65
2 Allowances .. .. .	2,700	0	1,750	0	16 Stationery .. .. .	500	0	486	11
3 Train and tram fare allowances	200	0	318	86	17 Upkeep of distribution stores ..	482	0	143	18
4 Street number plates .. .. .	5,000	0	2,906	23	18 Clearing gullies and catchpits	22,076	50	9,728	35
5 Costs in legal proceedings .. .. .	2,000	0	410	99	19/12 Sheep slaughter shed, Demata-goda .. .. .	—	—	258	61
6 Extra clerks .. .. .	300	0	72	0	<i>Extraordinary Expenditure.</i>				
7 Furniture .. .. .	800	0	48	50	19 Improvements to rain water drains .. .. .	2,500	0	1,082	52
8 Library .. .. .	100	0	26	30	20 Temporary connections .. .. .	2,000	0	366	89
9 Uniforms .. .. .	450	0	100	73	21 Tipping depôts .. .. .	5,000	0	51	83
10 Stationery .. .. .	500	0	160	28	22 Rain water drain, Fifth Cross street .. .. .	—	—	8,521	61
11 Miscellaneous .. .. .	500	0	214	94	18/12 Night soil tipping depôt, Price park .. .. .	—	—	387	8
<b>M.—SANITATION DEPARTMENT.</b>									
1 Salaries and wages .. .. .	36,386	61*	22,896	31	17/12 Madampitiya laboratory .. .. .	—	—	392	79
2 Allowances .. .. .	4,860	0	2,990	0	21/12 Rain water drain, Duke street, Fort .. .. .	—	—	2,500	0
3 Train and tram fare allowances	350	0	252	55	<b>N.—MUNICIPAL STORE.</b>				
4 Serving notices .. .. .	660	0	440	0	1 Salaries, wages, and store expenses .. .. .	9,500	0	4,119	72
5 Drawing materials .. .. .	1,000	0	132	22	<b>Total</b> .. .. .				
6 Library .. .. .	200	0	78	6	<b>Less Debit Balance</b> .. .. .				
7 Stamps .. .. .	300	0	5	0	<b>3,370,372 10 2,015,165 17</b>				
8 Uniforms .. .. .	150	0	5	37	<b>270,115 86</b>				
9 Furniture .. .. .	1,750	0	378	27	<b>3,370,372 10 1,745,049 29</b>				
10 Testing house drains .. .. .	6,670	0	2,792	8					
11 Pumping stations .. .. .	43,982	0	22,416	26					
12 Treatment works .. .. .	5,650	0	3,378	64					
13 Sewers .. .. .	11,140	0	5,736	96					
14 Upkeep of latrines and bathing places .. .. .	20,706	25	11,176	38					

## BALANCE SHEET, FEBRUARY 28, 1914.

Sundry Liabilities.		Amount.	Total.	Sundry Assets.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>1. Deposits:—</b>							
(a) General .. .. .	..	31,780	24	<b>1. Advance Accounts:—</b>			
(b) Security .. .. .	..	20,240	66	(a) Purchase of Stores .. .. .	..	42,456	28
(c) Waterworks .. .. .	..	5,471	34	(b) Do. Waterworks .. .. .	..	220,163	88
(d) Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	5,169	15	(c) Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	183,034	33
(e) Waterworks Loan:				<b>2. Suspense Account .. .. .</b>			
Amount paid by Government on account of loan .. Rs.	2,250,000·00			..	—		80 0
Expenditure .. .. .	2,094,934·06			<b>3. Cash:—</b>			
		155,065	94	(a) At Bank on current account ..	160,523	87	
(f) Advance Account, Latrines:				(b) On Fixed Deposit account .. ..	—		
Amount paid by Government on account of loan .. Rs.	330,841·61			(c) In hand .. .. .	700	0	
Expenditure .. .. .	303,876·61			<b>161,223 87</b>			
		26,965	0				
			244,692 33				
<b>2. Excess of Assets over Liabilities:—</b>							
(a) Balance at credit on June 30, 1913 .. .. .	.. Rs.	632,381	91				
(b) Less Excess of Expenditure over Receipts up to February 28, 1914 .. .. .	.. ..	270,115	88				
			362,266 3				
<b>Total .. .. .</b>		<b>606,958</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>Total .. .. .</b>		<b>606,958</b>	<b>36</b>

A. N. WATKINS,  
for 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, April 21, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Friday, May 15, 1914.

Arab place.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
1884.1	.. 3rd quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 7 A.M.
1911.19	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 7.5 A.M.
1942A.54	.. 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 7.10 A.M.
2045.13	.. 1st quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 7.15 A.M.
2047.13	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "
2103.1	.. 3rd quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 7.25 A.M.
2106.1	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
2009A.80	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 7.35 A.M.
2245.24	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 7.40 A.M.
2166.25	.. 4th quarter, 1910	.. 7.45 A.M.
2175.33	.. 1st quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 7.50 "
2323.6	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 7.55 A.M.
2324.6	.. Do.	.. 8 "
2351.34	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 8.5 A.M.
2352.34	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
2382A.11	.. 1st quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 8.15 A.M.
2387.12B	.. 4th quarter, 1910 to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 8.20 "
2389.12	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1910	.. 8.25 "
2389A.12	.. 1st quarter, 1911	.. 8.30 "
2434.43	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 8.35 A.M.
2438.20	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 8.40 A.M.
2440.20	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
2448.10	.. 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 8.50 "
2460.15	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 8.55 "
2463.11A	.. 1st quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 9 "
2463A.11A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 9.5 "
2471A.105	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1911	.. 9.10 A.M.
2550.3B	.. 3rd quarter, 1910, to 2nd quarter, 1911	.. 9.15 A.M.
390.45	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.30 P.M.
417.5	.. Do.	.. 3.35 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
430.103	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.40 P.M.
436.98	.. Do.	.. 3.45 "
443.91	.. Do.	.. 3.50 "
478.18	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.55 P.M.
507.3	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4 P.M.
799.56.57	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.5 P.M.
800.55	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.10 "
821.46	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.15 "
822.45	.. Do.	.. 4.20 "
832.38	.. Do.	.. 4.25 "
1201.50	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.30 P.M.
1262.10	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.35 P.M.
1274.62/63	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.40 P.M.
1275.61A	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.45 "
1276.61	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.50 "
1278.59	.. Do.	.. 4.55 "
1280.57	.. Do.	.. 5 "
1281.56	.. Do.	.. 5.5 "
1282.55	.. 4th quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.10 "
1283.54	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.15 "
1291.30	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.20 P.M.
1316.47	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.25 P.M.
1318.45	.. 3rd and 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.30 "
1325.38	.. Do.	.. 5.35 "
1326.37	.. Do.	.. 5.40 "
1328.35	.. Do.	.. 5.45 "
1329.34	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 2.30 P.M.
1330.33	.. Do.	.. 2.35 "
1333.32	.. Do.	.. 2.40 "
1335.29/30	.. Do.	.. 2.45 "
1339.25	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 2.50 "
1341.23	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 2.55 "
1342.22	.. Do.	.. 3 "
1343.21	.. Do.	.. 3.5 "
1345.19	.. Do.	.. 3.10 "
1346.18	.. Do.	.. 3.15 "
1363A.8/7	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.20 "
1372.24	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.25 P.M.
1379.15/16	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.30 "
1385/1386.6/8	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.35 "
1387.4/5	.. Do.	.. 3.40 "
1388.3	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.45 "
568.45/46	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.50 P.M.
572.43/44	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.55 "
573.42	.. Do.	.. 4 "
574.41	.. 3rd quarter, 1911, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.5 "
575.40	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.10 "
583.33B	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.15 "
584.33A	.. 1st quarter, 1911, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.20 "
585.33	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.25 "
602.25	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.30 "
606/610.21	.. Do.	.. 4.35 "
622.5	.. Do.	.. 4.40 "
623.4	.. Do.	.. 4.45 "
627/630.1	.. Do.	.. 4.50 "
639.87	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.55 P.M.
685.68	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5 "
691.55/63	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.5 "

Date of Sale : Saturday, May 16, 1914.

New Moor street.

Dam street.

Gintupitiya street.

Kochchikadde street.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Jampettah street.			Hulftsdorp street.		
733.115	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	5.10 P.M.	49.128	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7.35 A.M.
737.738.110/111.	4th quarter, 1913	5.15 "	59.120	Do.	7.40 "
739.110/111	Do.	5.20 "	61.117	Do.	7.45 "
740.109	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	5.25 "	62.117	Do.	7.50 "
Hill street.			Belmont street.		
753.36	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	5.30 P.M.	86/87.21A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7.55 A.M.
768/775.13/23	Do.	5.35 "	91.27	4th quarter, 1913	8 "
778.13/23	Do.	5.40 "	103.34	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	8.5 "
785.8	Do.	5.45 "	108.37	Do.	8.10 "
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Hill street.			Do.		
786.7	2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	3.30 P.M.	109.37A	Do.	8.15 "
787.6	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	3.35 "	116.47	Do.	8.20 "
788/789.5	1st to 4th quarter, 1903	3.40 "	123.56	Do.	8.25 "
790.4	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	3.45 P.M.	126.60	Do.	8.30 "
791/793.3	Do.	3.50 "	134.60	Do.	8.35 "
794/795.2	1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	3.55 "	Wilson's street.		
Green street.			3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
1146.17	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	4 P.M.	137.5	Do.	8.40 A.M.
1161.8/12	4th quarter, 1913	4.5 "	142.10	Do.	8.45 "
1162.8/12	Do.	4.10 "	Smith street.		
1163.8/12	Do.	4.15 "	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
1164.8/12	Do.	4.20 "	143.13/14	Do.	5.50 A.M.
New Chetty street.			Wilson's street.		
1043	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	4.25 P.M.	152.16	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	8.55 A.M.
1056.11	Do.	4.30 "	153.17	Do.	9 "
1064.4	Do.	4.35 "	154.18	Do.	9.5 "
1069.85	4th quarter, 1913	4.40 "	155.19	Do.	9.10 "
1074.80	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	4.45 "	156.20/21	Do.	9.15 "
1079.75	Do.	4.50 "	Goat street.		
1084.74	Do.	4.55 "	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
1081.73	Do.	5 "	157.5/6	Do.	9.20 A.M.
1083.71	4th quarters, 1913	5.5 "	158.4	4th quarter, 1913	9.25 "
1092.66	Do.	5.10 "	159.3	Do.	9.30 "
1103.55	Do.	5.15 "	160.2	Do.	9.35 "
Van Rooyen street.			Wilson's street.		
1147.9/9A	3rd and 4th quarter, 1913	5.20 P.M.	164.24	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	9.40 A.M.
1148.8	Do.	5.25 "	166.27	Do.	9.45 "
1152.5	Do.	5.30 "	167.28	Do.	9.50 "
Kochchikadde street.			Do.		
642.85	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	5.35 P.M.	168.29	Do.	9.55 "
Green street.			Do.		
1165.8/12	4th quarter, 1913	5.40 P.M.	169.30	Do.	10 "
1169.4	Do.	5.45 "	Date of Sale: Monday, May 18, 1914.		
Date of Sale: Tuesday, May 19, 1914.			Wilson's street.		
Green street.			3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
1170.3	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	3.30 P.M.	170.31	Do.	7 A.M.
1171.2	Do.	3.35 "	180.35	Do.	7.5 "
Barber street.			Do.		
1175.25	3rd and 4th quarters 1913	3.40 P.M.	181.36	Do.	7.10 "
1176.24	Do.	3.45 "	182.37	Do.	7.15 "
1179.21	Do.	3.50 "	184.40	Do.	7.20 "
1181.19	Do.	3.55 "	185.41	Do.	7.25 "
1182.18	Do.	4 "	186.42	Do.	7.30 "
1188.12	3rd quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	4.5 "	187.43	Do.	7.35 "
1191.9	1st to 4th quarter, 1913	4.10 "	188.44/46	Do.	7.40 "
New Chetty street.			Do.		
1030.33A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	4.15 P.M.	190.50	Do.	7.45 "
1031.33	Do.	4.20 "	191.51	Do.	7.50 "
1035.29	Do.	4.25 "	195.55	Do.	7.55 "
1036.28	Do.	4.30 "	196.56/58	Do.	8 "
1040.24	Do.	4.35 "	197.59	Do.	8.5 "
1042.22	Do.	4.40 "	198.59A	Do.	8.10 "
Date of Sale: Saturday, May 16, 1914.			Oilman street.		
San Sebastian Hill.			3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
28.46	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7 A.M.	199	Do.	8.15 A.M.
29.46	Do.	7.5 "	200.8	4th quarter, 1913	8.20 "
30.46	Do.	7.10 "	Wilson's street.		
31.46	Do.	7.15 "	4th quarter, 1913		
32.46	Do.	7.20 "	201.61	Do.	8.25 A.M.
33.46	Do.	7.25 "	202.62	Do.	8.30 "
39.40	Do.	7.30 "	203.63	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	8.35 "
Date of Sale: Saturday, May 16, 1914.			Do.		
San Sebastian Hill.			Do.		
28.46	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7 A.M.	204.64	Do.	8.40 "
29.46	Do.	7.5 "	205.65	4th quarter, 1913	8.45 "
30.46	Do.	7.10 "	208.70/71	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	8.50 "
31.46	Do.	7.15 "	210.74/75	Do.	8.55 "
32.46	Do.	7.20 "	220.85	Do.	9 "
33.46	Do.	7.25 "	Smith street.		
39.40	Do.	7.30 "	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
Date of Sale: Saturday, May 16, 1914.			Wilson's street.		
San Sebastian Hill.			3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
28.46	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7 A.M.	224.15	Do.	9.5 A.M.
29.46	Do.	7.5 "	Wilson's street.		
30.46	Do.	7.10 "	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
31.46	Do.	7.15 "	225.88/89	Do.	9.10 A.M.
32.46	Do.	7.20 "	226.90	Do.	9.15 "
33.46	Do.	7.25 "	227.91	Do.	9.20 "
39.40	Do.	7.30 "	228.92	Do.	9.25 "
Date of Sale: Saturday, May 16, 1914.			Do.		
San Sebastian Hill.			Do.		
28.46	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7 A.M.	229.93	Do.	9.30 "
29.46	Do.	7.5 "	230.94	Do.	9.35 "
30.46	Do.	7.10 "	231.95	Do.	9.40 "
31.46	Do.	7.15 "	Date of Sale: Saturday, May 16, 1914.		
32.46	Do.	7.20 "	San Sebastian Hill.		
33.46	Do.	7.25 "	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913		
39.40	Do.	7.30 "	Do.		



Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	Ferry street.			Hulftsdorp street.	
238.5	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.45 A.M.	607.77	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.25 A.M.
247.19	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.50 "	608.76	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
252.24A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.55 "	610.74A	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
253.24B	.. Do.	.. 10 "	610A.74	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "
			611.73	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.45 "
	Date of Sale : Tuesday, May 19, 1914.			Messenger street.	
	Ferry street.		614.120A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.50 A.M.
254.25	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7 A.M.	616.120	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
255.26	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.5 "	618.118	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9 "
257.28	.. 4th quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.10 "		Keyzer street.	
280/282.42/42A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.15 "	231.5	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.30 P.M.
289.44A	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "	237.11	.. Do.	.. 3.35 "
290.44	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "	245A.18	.. Do.	.. 3.40 "
292.45	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.30 "	246.18.19	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.45 "
	Prince's gate.		247.19.20	.. 2nd to 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.50 "
310	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.35 A.M.	257.29	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.55 "
	Skinner's road south.		258.30	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4 "
312	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.40 A.M.	274.45	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.5 "
	Ferry street.		277.48	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.10 "
337.56/58	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.45 A.M.	295.64	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.15 "
337A	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "		First Fisher's lane.	
340/343.59A/66	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "	300.11	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.20 P.M.
344/345.70/71	.. Do.	.. 8 "	305.3	.. Do.	.. 4.25 "
386.85/86	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.5 "	306	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.30 "
396.105	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.10 "	307	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.35 "
397.106	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "		Second Fisher's lane.	
401.112	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "	309.14	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.40 P.M.
	Hulftsdorp street.		311.2	.. Do.	.. 4.25 "
406.109	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.25 A.M.	313.4	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.50 "
407.108	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "	314.5/6	.. Do.	.. 4.55 "
	Silversmith lane.		318.10	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5 "
412.40	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.35 A.M.	329.21	.. Do.	.. 5.5 "
415.37	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "	329A.22	.. Do.	.. 5.10 "
416.36	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.45 "	330.23	.. Do.	.. 5.15 "
423/424.29/30	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.50 "	333.15	.. Do.	.. 5.20 "
440.16	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.55 "		Prince street.	
454/455.4	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9 "	336.2	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.25 P.M.
	Hulftsdorp street.		344.10	.. Do.	.. 4.30 "
461.104	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.5 A.M.	345.11	.. Do.	.. 5.35 "
463.100/102	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "	346.12	.. Do.	.. 5.40 "
	Silversmith street.		351A.17	.. Do.	.. 5.45 "
464.97	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.15 A.M.		Date of Sale : Friday, May 22, 1914.	
468.93	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "		Prince street.	
469.92	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "	352.18	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.30 P.M.
470.91	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "	362.29	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.35 "
474/475.87	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.35 "	365.32.38.39	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.40 "
480.82	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.40 "	368.90	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.45 "
483/484.79A/80	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.45 "	369.33	.. Do.	.. 3.50 "
485.78.79	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.50 "	372.36	.. Do.	.. 3.55 "
539.39	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "	373.37	.. Do.	.. 4 "
540.39	.. Do.	.. 10 "	376.39A	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.5 "
	Date of Sale : Wednesday, May 20, 1914.		379.67	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.10 "
	Silversmith street.		380.41	.. Do.	.. 4.15 "
550/552.29	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.	382.43	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.20 "
558/559.24/25	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "	385.46	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.25 "
560/561.23	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.10 "	400.62	.. Do.	.. 4.30 "
563/603.21	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "		Mitcho's lane.	
569.11	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "	406.1/17	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.35 P.M.
573.7B	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.25 "	409.4	.. Do.	.. 4.40 "
574.7A	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "	412.7	.. Do.	.. 4.45 "
	Hulftsdorp street.		414.9	.. Do.	.. 4.50 "
586.96	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.35 A.M.	415.9A	.. Do.	.. 4.55 "
589.93	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.40 "	416.10	.. Do.	.. 5 "
590.92	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.45 "	417.11	.. Do.	.. 5.5 "
591.91	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "	418.12	.. Do.	.. 5.10 "
592.90	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "	420.14	.. Do.	.. 5.15 "
593.89	.. Do.	.. 8 "	422.16	.. Do.	.. 5.20 "
594.88	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "	425.19	.. Do.	.. 5.25 "
597.85	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "	424.18	.. Do.	.. 5.30 "
	Silversmith street.		427.21	.. Do.	.. 5.35 "
600.7B	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.15 A.M.	428.22/23	.. Do.	.. 5.40 "
	Quarry road.			Maliban street.	
604.1	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.20 A.M.	432.3	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.45 P.M.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Date of Sale : Saturday, May 23, 1914.			Date of Sale : Wednesday, May 27, 1914.		
Maliban street.			Kayman's Gate.		
437.9	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 2.30 P.M.	142.30	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.10 P.M.
446.18	.. Do.	.. 2.35 "	148.37	.. Do.	.. 5.15 "
450.24	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 2.40 "	149.38	.. Do.	.. 5.20 "
453.24	.. Do.	.. 2.45 "	157.46	.. Do.	.. 5.25 "
454.26	.. Do.	.. 2.50 "	China street.		
468.39	.. Do.	.. 2.55 "	162A.1	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.30 P.M.
478.79	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3 "	Main street.		
484.56	.. Do.	.. 3.5 "	163.55	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.35 P.M.
491.64	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.10 "	Kayman's Gate.		
493.66	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.15 "	173A.4	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.40 P.M.
502.75	.. Do.	.. 3.20 "	173B.5	.. Do.	.. 5.45 "
503.76	.. Do.	.. 3.25 "	Date of Sale : Wednesday, May 27, 1914.		
504.77	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.30 "	Kayman's Gate.		
511.84	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.35 "	179.29	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.30 P.M.
Norris road.			180.30	.. Do.	.. 3.35 "
545.12	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.40 P.M.	Main street.		
546.13	.. Do.	.. 3.45 "	190.72A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.40 P.M.
552.18	.. Do.	.. 3.50 "	210.95/95A	.. Do.	.. 3.45 "
560.494	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.55 "	212A.96	.. Do.	.. 3.50 "
572.34	.. Do.	.. 4 "	215.99A	.. Do.	.. 3.55 "
587.12	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.5 "	Second Cross street.		
589.2.2A	.. Do.	.. 4.10 "	633.91	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4 P.M.
First Cross street.			690.14	.. Do.	.. 4.5 "
604.45	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.15 P.M.	Samara's lane.		
609.40	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.20 "	698.10	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.10 P.M.
615.29	.. Do.	.. 4.25 "	China street.		
622.20	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.30 "	754.29	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.15 P.M.
Second Cross street.			756.31	.. Do.	.. 4.20 "
652.63	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.35 P.M.	771.8 and 4	.. Do.	.. 4.25 "
666.43	.. Do.	.. 4.40 "	777.10	.. Do.	.. 4.30 "
668.41	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.45 "	778.11	.. Do.	.. 4.35 "
670.39	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.50 "	781.14	.. Do.	.. 4.40 "
673.34	.. Do.	.. 4.55 "	784.17	.. Do.	.. 4.45 "
678.29	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5 "	Market street.		
Third Cross street.			894.39	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.50 P.M.
710.65	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.5 P.M.	916.17/18	.. Do.	.. 4.55 "
711.62/64	.. Do.	.. 5.10 "	927.2	.. Do.	.. 5 "
712.61/61A	.. Do.	.. 5.15 "	St. John's road.		
712.60A	.. Do.	.. 5.20 "	931.63	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.5 P.M.
722.42	.. Do.	.. 5.25 "	932.64	.. Do.	.. 5.10 "
723.42A	.. Do.	.. 5.30 "	Fifth Cross street.		
726.36	.. Do.	.. 5.35 "	964.61	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.15 P.M.
Fourth Cross street.			970.57G	.. Do.	.. 5.20 "
809.110	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.40 P.M.	985.15/20	.. Do.	.. 5.25 "
810.110A	.. Do.	.. 5.45 "	Reclamation road.		
Date of Sale : Tuesday, May 26, 1914.			20.1	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.30 P.M.
Fourth Cross street.			21.2	.. Do.	.. 5.35 "
827.92	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.30 P.M.	25.3.93.94.95	.. Do.	.. 5.40 "
828.89	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.35 "	33.12.34.13/14	.. Do.	.. 5.45 "
831.86	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.40 "	Date of Sale : Thursday, May 28, 1914.		
834.83	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 3.45 "	Reclamation road.		
836.81	.. Do.	.. 3.50 "	43.125/126	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3 P.M.
851.63	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.55 "	Bankshall street.		
861.53	.. Do.	.. 4 "	53 and 45.130	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.5 P.M.
865.49	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.5 "	55.128	.. Do.	.. 3.10 "
884.14	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.10 "	61.117	.. Do.	.. 3.15 "
China street.			74.80	.. Do.	.. 3.20 "
751.26	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.15 P.M.	75.78	.. Do.	.. 3.25 "
Fifth Cross street.			75A.79	.. Do.	.. 3.30 "
993	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.20 P.M.	Main street.		
Main street.			128.9	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 3.35 P.M.
2B/2B	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.25 P.M.	138A.88	.. Do.	.. 3.40 "
Bankshall street.			138B.23/24	.. Do.	.. 3.45 "
67.111	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.30 P.M.	162.54	.. Do.	.. 3.50 "
72B.24	.. Do.	.. 4.35 "	163A.56	.. Do.	.. 3.55 "
78.73/73A	.. Do.	.. 4.40 "	165(1).59	.. Do.	.. 4 "
93.45	.. Do.	.. 4.45 "	168.64	.. Do.	.. 4.5 "
101.30	.. Do.	.. 4.50 "	185.67	.. Do.	.. 4.10 "
Main street.			194.75A	.. Do.	.. 4.10 "
139A.10A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.55 P.M.	Front street.		
140.28	.. Do.	.. 5 "	584/585.2/3	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.15 P.M.
141.29	.. Do.	.. 5.5 "			

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	China street.				
746.21	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 4.20 P.M.	287.14D	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.50 A.M.
755.30	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.25 "	289/290.14/14E	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.55 "
774.7	.. Do.	.. 4.30 "	299.17B	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8 "
775.8	.. Do.	.. 4.35 "	322.22	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "
776.9	.. Do.	.. 4.40 "	322A.22	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
	Market street.		335.26A	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "
910.25	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 4.45 P.M.	338.29	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "
918.14	.. Do.	.. 4.50 "	340.31	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "
922.8	.. Do.	.. 4.55 "	348.32	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
926.3	.. Do.	.. 5 "	351.34	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
	Fifth Cross street.		352.33A	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "
955.75	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.5 P.M.	364.36	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
962.63	.. Do.	.. 5.10 "	366.38A and B to		
963.62	.. Do.	.. 5.15 "	39A/3	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
994.9	.. Do.	.. 5.20 "	367.38A and B to		
1000.4	.. Do.	.. 5.25 "	39A/3	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
	Main street.		368.38A and B to		
220.106/107	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.30 P.M.	39A/3	.. Do.	.. 9 "
136.18-	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 5.35 "	369.38A and B to		
225A.115	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 5.40 "	39A/3	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
	Date of Sale : Friday, May 22, 1914.		370.38A and B to		
	Muhandiram's road.		39A/3	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
1534.49	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.	371.38A and B to		
	Wellawatta road.		39A/3	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "
889.136	.. 1st quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.10 P.M.	372.38A and B to		
	Guilford crescent.		39A/3	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "
1721.1A	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.15 A.M.	373.38A and B to		
	Carmel road.		39A/3	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
1548.9	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.20 A.M.	374.37	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
	Colpetty road.		375.39	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "
35.237	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.25 A.M.	382.40	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "
42.231c	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "	383.40 (2)	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "
44.231g	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "	384.40 (2)	.. Do.	.. 9.50 "
45.231c	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "	400A.41I	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "
46.231f	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "			
58.226	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.50 "			
59.225H	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.55 "			
61.225F	.. Do.	.. 8 "			
65.225B	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "			
66.225A	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "			
68.224	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "			
83.215	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "			
117.197B	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "			
121.197	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "			
122.197	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "			
123.197E	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.40 "			
140.187	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "			
141.186	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "			
149.184B	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.55 "			
154.182	.. Do.	.. 9 "			
155.181	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "			
156.181	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "			
165.174	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "			
166.173	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "			
167.173	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "			
168.173	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "			
182.164	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "			
185.162	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.40 "			
185A.162	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.40 "			
186.161	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.45 "			
188.159	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.50 "			
189.159A	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "			
235.132	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 10 "			
	Date of Sale : Saturday, May 23, 1914.				
	Colpetty road.				
236.132A	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.			
237.132A	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "			
240.130B	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.10 "			
241.130	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "			
242.130A	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "			
242B.130A	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "			
250.129c	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "			
	Wellawatta road.				
270.6	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.35 A.M.			
278/281.6A & 7	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "			
286.11/14c	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "			
	Colpetty road.				
152.183	.. 1st to 3rd quarter, 1913	.. 10 A.M.			
	Date of Sale : Tuesday, May 26, 1914.				
	Wellawatta.				
848.140A	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.			
406.43	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.5 "			
407.43c	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "			
408.43c/1	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "			
409.43c/2	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.20 "			
411.43F	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.25 "			
420.43D	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "			
423.43U	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "			
442.45A/45B	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "			
449.45	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "			
467.48F	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "			
468.48G	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "			
469.48c	.. Do.	.. 8 "			
487.56C	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "			
488.56D	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "			
489.56E	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "			
490.56B	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "			
491.56A	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "			
492.56	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "			
496.57A	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "			
505.59C	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "			
513.59B	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.45 "			
514.59B	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "			
515.59	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "			
516.60	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9 "			
534.69/70	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "			
	Dickman's road.				
564.4	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.10 A.M.			
	Elibank road.				
565.23	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.15 A.M.			
585.4	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "			
586.3	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "			
587.2	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "			
	Dawson's road.				
602.3	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.35 A.M.			
	Havelock road.				
603.6	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.40 A.M.			
606.3	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.45 "			
	Dickman's road.				
640.12A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.50 A.M.			
643.12	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "			
648.10	.. Do.	.. 10 "			

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Date of Sale: Wednesday, May 27, 1914.					
Dickman's road.					
657.9M	4th quarter, 1913	7 A.M.	755.92/92A.96.98	3rd to 4th quarter, 1913.	8.10 A.M.
660.13	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7.5	756.93.94.97	Do.	8.15
680.71D	Do.	7.10	757.93/94	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	8.20
682.71D	Do.	7.15	760.95B	Do.	8.25
683.71D	Do.	7.20	762.95A	Do.	8.30
684.71E	Do.	7.25	763.95A	Do.	8.35
685.71H	Do.	7.30	764.95	Do.	8.40
687.9G	Do.	7.35	781.115B	Do.	8.45
687A	Do.	7.40	786/787.116	Do.	8.50
Wellawatta.					
690.77 (1)	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7.45 A.M.	789.117C	Do.	8.55
691.77	Do.	7.50	791A.117F	1st to 4th quarter, 1913	9
692.77	Do.	7.55	793.117A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	9.5
700.74	Do.	8	818.126	Do.	9.10
701.75A	Do.	8.5	820.127	Do.	9.15
702.75	Do.	8.10	824.130	Do.	9.20
703.75	Do.	8.15	831.131B	Do.	9.25
705.73	Do.	8.20	834.132	Do.	9.30
706	Do.	8.25	843.138A	Do.	9.35
712	Do.	8.30	844.138A	Do.	9.40
713.82	Do.	8.35	846.140A/1	Do.	9.45
715.81A	Do.	8.40	849	Do.	9.50
716.81A	Do.	8.45	850	Do.	9.55
720.112B	Do.	8.50	851	Do.	10
721.112B	Do.	8.55	Date of Sale: Friday, May 29, 1914.		
722.112B	Do.	9	Wellawatta.		
723.113	Do.	9.5	851A.141A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7 A.M.
724.113	Do.	9.10	852.141C	Do.	7.5
725.113	Do.	9.15	853.141B	Do.	7.10
726.113	Do.	9.20	854.141	1st to 4th quarter, 1913	7.15
727.113	Do.	9.25	861.144A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7.20
730.85	Do.	9.30	Bambalapitiya.		
731.86	Do.	9.35	874.4	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	7.25 A.M.
732.86	Do.	9.40	884.7C	Do.	7.30
733.86A	Do.	9.45	888A.136 (2)	Do.	7.35
734.111	Do.	9.50	891.135A	Do.	7.40
735.107A/108	Do.	9.55	896.10	Do.	7.45
736.87	3rd to 4th quarter, 1913	10	897.10A	Do.	7.50
Date of Sale: Thursday, May 28, 1914.					
Wellawatta.					
737.88	3rd to 4th quarter, 1913	7 A.M.	898.10B	Do.	7.55
739.109	Do.	7.5	899.11/11A	4th quarter, 1913	8
741.105	Do.	7.10	915.19/19A	Do.	8.5
742.105A	Do.	7.15	916.19/19A	Do.	8.10
744.110	Do.	7.20	920.20A/1	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	8.15
745.110	Do.	7.25	921.20A/1	Do.	8.20
746.103/104	Do.	7.30	922.20A/1	Do.	8.25
747.102	Do.	7.35	927.21A	Do.	8.30
748.749.101B	Do.	7.40	928.21	Do.	8.35
750.89	Do.	7.45	929.21	Do.	8.40
750A.89A	Do.	7.50	930.21	Do.	8.45
751.90	Do.	7.55	943.26	Do.	8.50
752.101	Do.	8	944.26	Do.	8.55
753.101	Do.	8.5	946.27C	Do.	9
			947.27A	Do.	9.5
			948.27D	Do.	9.10
			950.27	4th quarter, 1913	9.15
			951.27	Do.	9.20
			952.27A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	9.25

**ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.**

**Aluwihare-Dullewe Gap Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an application having been made to His Excellency the Governor, under section 38 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, and the proclamation having been published in the *Government Gazette* of March 27, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee will on Saturday, May 16, 1914, at 11.30 A.M. at their office in Kandy, proceed to define the limits of the district the estates in which will, if the proposal for the improvement and maintenance of the road from Aluwihare to Dullewe Gap be assented to by the proprietors of two-thirds of the acreage in the said district, be assessed for the improvement and maintenance of the said road. And it is further notified that it is proposed to include the following among other estates in the district to be assessed:—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.	Total.	Culti- vated.
Eastern Produce & Estates Co., Ltd. (W. H. Fitzpatrick, Supdt.)	Matale West..	1,220	..	701

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.	Total.	Culti- vated.
Rosehaugh Tea & Rubber Co., Ltd., Geo. Steuart & Co., Agents (Gerald Abbot, Supdt.)	Beredewella ..	344	..	212
J. B. Tenant	Polwatta ..	213	..	183
Hodgson Bell	Dullawe ..	422	..	296
Mafalda Rubber Syndicate, L. Cross Buchanan, Agent (D. A. Steele, Supdt.)	High Walton ..	225	..	216
C. Ariyanayagam	Ratninde ..	100	..	35

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Kandy, April 20, 1914. Chairman.



**Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the Week ended April 18, 1914.**

TO COLOMBO	}	From Ammapatam ..	266	}	}	From Calcutta ..	1,066
		Bombay ..	63			Coconada ..	8,494
		Calcutta ..	47,083			Negapatam ..	400
		Coconada ..	14,783			Total ..	<u>9,960</u>
		Karachi ..	1,860				
		Karikal ..	1,845				
		Kottapatam ..	440				
		Negapatam ..	4,295				
		Singapore ..	7,806				
		Tuticorin ..	9,272				
		Total ..	<u>87,883</u>				

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, April 20, 1914.

A. H. PINDER,  
for Principal Collector.

THE under-mentioned goods having been left in No. 14 Warehouse beyond the time allowed by law will be sold by public auction, unless previously cleared, on Wednesday, May 13, 1914, at 1 P.M. :—

Date.	No.	Marks.	Vessel.	Whence.	Description.
<b>1913.</b>					
Dec. 27	12	Darley Butler & Co., Volkart Bros.	ss. Obra	Java	3 parcels sugar
Dec. 29	13	337 in a diamond and F. 2485 S. outside	ss. Uhenfels	Hamburg	5 cases sardine oil
Dec. 29	19	Nil	ss. Luzon Maru	China	25 bundles tea shooks
<b>1914.</b>					
Jan. 13	27	Viktor Krobath Ingeneur	ss. Vorwarts	Bombay	1 package merchandise
Jan. 20	30	A. S. E.	ss. City of Norwich	Calcutta	1 bag dhall
Jan. 23	34	M B M Y M round a quadrangle or M S M round a quadrangle	ss. Clan Macfarlane	do.	1 barrel resin
Jan. 16	36	B. L. Co.	ss. Manora	do.	1 package, iron
Jan. 12	37	26/98 in a diamond and D B & Co. around	ss. Warwickshire	Rangoon	1 empty case 1 bale merchandise
<b>1913.</b>					
Dec. 31	38	Muller Ludwick & Co. M. A. E.	ss. Kamakaura Maru	Japan	2 packages tea chest 1 bag rice
Nov. 3	40	037 in a diamond	ss. Drachenfels	Hamburg	20 cases vermouth 10 bags cowries
		S. M. & B. Colombo	—	—	1 case starch 1 drum, soda 1 case slate pencils 1 empty case

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, April 17, 1914.

H. E. NEWNHAM,  
for Principal Collector.

LIST of balance cargo lying at Kochchikade Warehouse over three months to be sold by public auction on Tuesday, May 12, 1914, at 1 P.M.

Date.	Vessel.	From.	Marks.	Quantity and Description of Goods.
<b>1913.</b>				
Dec. 23	ss. Umta	Calcutta	G M in a square	1 bag rice
Dec. 24	ss. Bharata	Tuticorin	M M	2 bags lime
Dec. 26	ss. Nairung	Bombay	Nil	4 bags manure
<b>1914.</b>				
Jan. 3	ss. Lightning	Calcutta	H P	1 bundle c. fish
Jan. 8	ss. Palitana	do.	Nil	1 bundle c. fish
			T A J N	34 bags rice
			A S O	1 bag rice
			T A J	1 bag rice
Jan. 8	ss. Bangala	Tuticorin	S S V	3 bags rice
			F & Co. in a square and K L outside	15 bags g. n. manure
			Nil	4 bags bones
			Nil	1 bundle c. fish
Jan. 14	ss. Begum	Calcutta	P A A	1 bundle c. fish
			Engineer, P. W. D.	2 rolls, wire
			Nil	2 bags f. manure
Jan. 16	ss. Ozarda	Bombay	S M T	1 bag poonac manure
			A K in a square	1 bag rice
Jan. 26	ss. Derbyshire	Rangoon	K P L S	1 bag rice
			Nil	1 bag—

Date.	Vessel.	From.	Marks.	Quantity and Description of Goods.
1914.				
Jan. 26	.. ss. Itaura	.. Bombay	.. J H V	.. 1 bundle coir
Jan. 29	.. ss. Bharata	.. Tuticorin	.. S S V	.. 7 bags p. manure
			.. M V	.. 6 bags p. manure
			.. A	.. 1 bag p. manure
			.. Nil	.. 8 bags p. manure
			.. Nil	.. 1 bag, bran
1913.				
Nov. 11	.. ss. Schonfells	.. New York	.. V O C O in a square	.. 3 empty barrels
H. M. Customs, Colombo, April 17, 1914.				H. E. NEWNHAM, for Principal Collector.

**LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.**

**LOCAL BOARD OF GAMPOLA.**

**Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Gampola for the Year 1913.**

**REVENUE.**

Heads of Receipts.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	Heads of Receipts.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>					
Property rates ..	2,595 43		Cattle pound and slaughter-house fees ..	1,185 75	
Property rates (arrears) ..	987 95		Cemetery fees ..	109 0	
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections	3,025 90		Rent of road reservation ..	33 0	
Water-rate ..	1,603 23		Private water service ..	60 0	
Water-rate (arrears) ..	581 20		Dry-earth closet charges ..	271 25	3,561 96
Animals and vehicles ..	297 0		<i>Fines.</i>		
Dogs ..	45 75		Police Magistrate ..	—	296 75
Government contribution in lieu of local rates ..	303 40	9,439 86	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
<i>Licenses.</i>					
Refund of stamp duty ..	3,843 0		Sale of dog collars ..	6 65	
Opium ..	5,006 50		Hire of hearse ..	2 50	
Other ..	292 50		Sundries ..	503 84	512 99
<i>Rents.</i>					
Meat market rent ..	1,220 8	9,142 0	Balance of 1912 ..		
Mutton market rent ..	665 28			—	7,783 84
Fish market rent ..	15 10		Total ..		
Pasture rent ..	2 50				30,737 40

**EXPENDITURE.**

Heads of Disbursements.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	Heads of Disbursements.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Interest and sinking fund on loans ..	—	1,716 0	<i>Lighting.</i>		
<i>Cost of Administration.</i>					
Salaries of staff ..	2,866 69		Pay of lamp lighters, value of oil, and new lamps ..	—	1,816 47
Stationery and printed forms ..	103 89		<i>Police.</i>		
Cost of audit ..	173 40		Seizing and destroying stray dogs ..	—	61 92
Remuneration to assessors ..	30 0		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Commission to collectors ..	617 96		Tools and stores ..	111 19	
Tom-tom beater ..	13 0		Water supply ..	1,104 0	
Value of cart plates ..	92 12		Upkeep of buildings ..	107 78	
Office contingencies ..	15 73		Upkeep of roads ..	1,280 34	
Printed forms (Town Schools Ordinance) ..	58 75	4,006 54	Drains and culverts ..	711 89	
Repairs to typewriter at Kandy Kachcheri ..	35 0		Upkeep of cemetery ..	386 40	
<i>Sanitation.</i>					
Scavenging ..	3,218 0		Sewage farm ..	163 50	
Latrine conservancy ..	583 50		Recreation ground ..	380 0	
Disinfectants ..	45 74		Upkeep of public latrines ..	89 85	4,334 95
Flushing drains ..	480 90		Miscellaneous ..		
Watering streets ..	125 0			—	159 54
Infectious diseases ..	58 62		Balance on December 31, 1913 ..		
Cattle disease ..	0 90				16,813 58
Incidental ..	46 50		Total ..		
Water cart ..	150 0				3 737 40
Night-soil cart repairs ..	9 0	4,718 16			

I, Charles Stewart Vaughan, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid on account of the Local Board of Gampola, in the year 1913, and that the balance is in the hands of the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province.

C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Chairman.  
ERNEST G. JONKLAAS,  
Member.

Sworn to before me this 15th day of April 1914, at Kandy:  
T. A. CAREY, Justice of the Peace.

## Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Gampola for the Year 1914.

REVENUE.		REVENUE.	
Heads of Receipts.	Amount. Rs. c.	Heads of Receipts.	Amount. Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>		Cattle pound and slaughter-house fees	1,200 0
Property rates	3,600 0	Cemetery fees	100 0
Property rates (arrears)	850 0	Rent of road reservation	29 0
Thoroughfares Ordinance collections	3,000 0	Private water service	80 0
Water-rate	2,240 0	Dry-earth closet charges	650 0
Water-rate (arrears)	450 0	Royalty on sand	50 0
Animals and vehicles	300 0	<i>Fines.</i>	
Dogs	40 0	Police Magistrate	200 0
Government contribution in lieu of rates	303 40	Cattle trespass	5 0
<i>Licenses.</i>		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
Refund of stamp duty and liquor licenses	3,100 0	Sale of cart plates	30 0
Opium	1,756 0	Sale of dog collars	10 0
Other	300 0	Hire of hearse	10 0
Motor cars and bicycles	80 0	Sundries	100 0
<i>Rents.</i>			20,393 90
Meat market rent	1,008 0	Balance on December 31, 1913	13,923 82
Mutton market rent	720 0		
Fish market rent	180 0	Total	34,317 72
Pasture rent	2 50		

## EXPENDITURE.

Heads of Disbursements.	Amount. Rs. c.	Heads of Disbursements.	Amount, Rs. c.
Interest and sinking fund on loans	1,716 0	Nuisance wathcher	60 0
<i>Cost of Administration.</i>		<i>Lighting.</i>	
Secretary and Inspector	1,200 0	Lamp lighters	540 0
Peon	210 0	Value of oil, &c.	1,900 0
Watcher	240 0	Fixing new street lamps	160 0
Cemetery keeper	420 0	New street lamps	700 0
Contribution towards salary of clerk at Kachcheri	144 0	<i>Police.</i>	
Contribution towards salary of assessment clerk	60 0	seizing and destroying stray dogs	50 0
Stationery and printed forms	150 0	<i>Public Works.</i>	
Cost of audit	103 58	Tools and stores	100 0
Remuneration to assessors	30 0	Water supply	1,500 0
Commission to collectors	609 0	Upkeep of buildings	150 0
Tom-tom beater	15 0	Upkeep of roads	1,482 0
Fees for seizing stray cattle	10 0	Drains and culverts	500 0
Value of cart plates	93 0	Upkeep of cemetery	324 0
Allowance for clerical assistance	60 0	Upkeep of markets	50 0
House numbers	300 0	Sewage farm	200 0
Office contingencies	25 0	Recreation ground	25 0
Attendance officer	180 0	Repairs to suspension bridge wire protection	25 0
Bookbinder, Kachcheri	24 0	Incidental	10 0
Plumber cooly	180 0	Upkeep of public latrines	100 0
Slaughter-house cooly	180 0	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
Printed forms (Town Schools Ordinance)	25 0	Law expenses	25 0
Contribution towards salary of peon, Kachcheri	16 0	Postage	50 0
<i>Sanitation.</i>		Advertisements	25 0
Scavenging	3,221 0	Ordinances and plans	25 0
Latrine conservancy	1,640 0	Incidental	25 0
Disinfectants	75 0	Police tax on Local Board properties	49 3
Flushing drains	486 0		
Watering streets	300 0	Total	19,937 61
Infectious diseases	100 0	Probable Balance on December 31, 1914	14,380 11
Cattle diseases	25 0		
Incidental	25 0	Total	34,317 72

D. S. D. SIMON,  
Member.C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Chairman.



## LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND IMPROVEMENT, PUTTALAM.

## Statement showing the Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Puttalam, for the Year 1913.

REVENUE.					
Head of Service.	Amount.	Total.	Head of Service.	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>					
Assessment tax ..	6,285 16		Fish market ..	1,628 23	
Commutation tax ..	2,554 50		Vegetable market ..	1,205 0	
Dog tax ..	114 0		Meat market ..	86 61	
Animals, vehicles not plying for hire	219 0		Gala ..	733 10	
		9,172 66			3,652 94
<i>Licenses.</i>					
Liquor ...	1,027 50		<i>Fines.</i>		
Opium ..	3,000 0		Police Magistrate ..	—	282 50
Carts and boats ..	889 0		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Firearms ..	109 0		Petty incidental collections ..	—	1,112 50
Proctors and notaries ..	285 0		<i>Advance Repaid.</i>		
Butchers ..	15 0		Amounts advanced, gravel contractors and others ..	—	1,028 0
Storage of petroleum ..	30 0	5,355 50			
					20,604 10
			Balance on January 1, 1913 ..		13,884 82
			Total ..		34,488 92

EXPENDITURE.					
Head of Service.	Amount.	Total.	Head of Service.	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Interest and Sinking Fund on Loan.</i>					
Part payment of principal and interest ..	—	1,485 0	<i>Police.</i>		
			Seizing and killing stray dogs ..	—	8 79
<i>Cost of Administration.</i>					
Establishment ..	2,871 92		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Office contingencies ..	607 38		Maintenance of roads, bridges, &c. ..	3,383 45	
Cost of audit of accounts ..	75 63		Cost of weeding public grounds ..	153 9	
Commission for collection of assessment tax ..	438 22		Cost of watering shade plants ..	94 8	
Commission for collection of poll tax ..	241 95		Value of tools, &c. ..	88 36	
Remuneration to assessors ..	120 0	4,355 10	Upkeep of the waterworks ..	95 84	
			Improvements to Third Cross street ..	142 69	
<i>Sanitation.</i>					
Hire of carts and bulls for street scavenging ..	2,117 50		Cost of town drainage ..	4,650 13	
Pay of scavenging coolies ..	1,086 45		Cost of repairing retaining wall ..	229 39	
Pay of latrine coolies ..	781 2				8,837 3
Hire of bull to draw the night soil cart ..	182 50		<i>Advance Account.</i>		
Cost of collecting sea weed ..	225 70		Advanced gravel contractors and others ..	—	953 0
Cost of Anti-malarial campaign ..	662 30		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Petty expences ..	471 68	5,527 15	Refunds of fines ..	—	4 0
					24,183 92
<i>Lighting.</i>					
Cost of lighting street lamps ..	—	3,013 85	Balance on December 31, 1913 ..		10,305 0
			Total ..		34,488 92

I, John Scott, hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of all moneys recovered and paid by me during the year 1913 on account of the Local Board of Puttalam, and that the balance was in the hands of the Assistant Government Agent on December 31, 1913.

Sworn before me this 9th day of April, 1914:  
V. COOMARASWAMY, Justice of the Peace.

Certified:  
R. E. STRONG, Member.

JOHN SCOTT,  
Chairman.