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LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Withdrawal of Butchers License, Local Board, Kalutara.

I, R. A. G. Festing, Chairman, Local Board, Kalutara, do hereby give notice, in terms of section 7 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1893, that the license issued to A. A. Cassim to slaughter cattle at Kalutara town for the year 1914 is withdrawn and shall have no effect from the 3rd instant.

Local Board Office,
Kalutara, September 2, 1914.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Chairman.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specification has been accepted :—

No. 1,424 of July 16, 1914.

August Strauss.

"A knife for scraping and irritating the bark of rubber trees."

Abstract :—

A process for increasing the yield from rubber trees having been invented (and patented in Ceylon) by scraping away the outer dead bark of the tree up to the green cork cambium, this invention claims to provide an instrument whereby the process can be carried out. The knife is of the nature of a "draw knife," such as is used by shipwrights for working ship's spars to shape.

The claim is :—

A knife for scraping and irritating the bark of rubber trees characterized by the ends being turned down to form handles, the actual blade being slightly bow-shaped, having the inner edges sharpened and the outer edges splay or bevelled, all substantially as described and illustrated.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the Municipal Office on Saturday, July 11, 1914.

THE Council met this day at 2 P.M., pursuant to notice dated July 6, 1914.

Present :—The Hon. Mr. R. B. Hellings, Chairman; Mr. D. W. Subesingha; Dr. C. B. Lourensz; Mr. C. E. de Vos; Mr. G. E. Abeywardena; Mr. A. C. Hayley; Mr. P. M. Bingham; and Mr. J. E. Perera.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of Council held on June 13, 1914, a copy of which was sent to each Member, were taken as read.

Resolved—That the Minutes of the General Meeting of Council held on June 13, 1914, be approved.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. D. W. Subesingha moved for a return showing (a) the income received monthly by the Council by the sale of fish at the fish auction shed; (b) the expenses incurred monthly by the Council over the fish auction shed, and the collectors and watchers, &c., since the old practice of leasing the fish auction shed was discontinued. Mr. G. E. Abeywardena seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman laid the return on the table.

3. Mr. D. W. Subesingha, with the permission of Council, withdrew the second motion, of which he had given due notice.

4. With the permission of Council, Mr. D. W. Subesingha moved—That that street lamps be provided at the following places, viz., one on Steel road and two on Elliot road. Mr. C. E. de Vos seconded.

The motion on being put to the Council was declared lost.

5. Papers *re* revised by-laws.

Resolved—(1) That the printed copies of the by-laws with the Members be amended in accordance with the recommendations, and that a sum of Rs. 50 be voted for this purpose; (2) that section 25 of Chapter II. of the existing by-laws be inserted instead of section 38 of Chapter III. of the revised by-laws.

6, 7, and 8. Extracts from the Minutes of the Meetings of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works, Finance and Assessment, and Markets and Sanitation of July 11, 1914:—

6. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 11, 1914.*

6. Applications for private water service to No. 3, Small Modera Bay street; No. 92, Kaluwella; No. 7, Richmond Hill road; No. 678, Galupiadda; No. 98a, No. 88, and No. 81, Colombo-Galle road; No. 41, Pedlar street; No. 1, Small Cross street; No. 34, Church street; No. 5, Havelock place; No. 30, Wakwella road; and No. 294, Hume road.—Approved.

7. Application for private water service to No. 81/82, Main street.

Resolved—That in terms of rule 32 (5) of the waterworks regulations of January 22, 1912, a charge of Rs. 2 per quarter be levied and the service allowed.

8. Papers *re* water service to No. 160, Templer's road.

Resolved—That the Council be recommended to refuse reconsideration of the terms on which the service was allowed, *vide* resolution of Council of May 16, 1914.

7. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of July 11, 1914.*

4. Papers *re* assessment of all the premises in the town. Referred to Council.

5. Papers *re* Tennis Court in Victoria Park.

Resolved—(1) That the Santoi Tennis Club be allowed the lease of the Tennis Court for two years on the terms approved of by the Council on February 14, 1914; (2) that they be allowed to appropriate the fees paid for the use of the court by the public; (3) that permission be allowed for the court to be fenced in; and (4) that the lease referred to in (1) be entered into with two Members of the Club approved by the Chairman.

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

3. Papers *re* removal of latrine in the Fort market.

Resolved—That the latrine be removed and that the surroundings of the market be cleared of all plantain trees, &c.

6 and 8. Resolved—That the extracts from the Minutes of the Meetings of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Markets and Sanitation of July 11, 1914, be approved.

7. With reference to item 4 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of July 11, 1914, it was resolved that fresh applications be called for two candidates to assess all premises in the town or by Wards on an enhanced remuneration of 3 per cent. on the total rates received on the valuation. Item 5 of the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee was approved.

9. The following documents were laid on the table:—

(1) Statements of Receipts and Disbursements to end of June, 1914.

(2) Progress Report of Works done on estimates to end of June, 1914.

(3) Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the month of June, 1914.

(4) Report of the Inspector of Vehicles and Animals on carriages plying for hire during the month of June, 1914.

(5) Diaries of (a) Medical Officer of Health; (b) Superintendent of Works; and (c) Manager of the Health Department.

Confirmed:

The Municipal Office,
Galle, August 8, 1914.

R. B. HELLINGS,
Chairman.

A.—Statement showing the Total Receipts and Disbursements to end of July, 1914.

REVENUE.	Amount estimated.		Actual Receipts.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount estimated.		Actual Disbursements.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	27,510	0	27,676	50	Non-effective charges ..	33,925	99	17,290	32
Assessment ..	54,500	0	33,500	17	Chairman ..	500	0	291	70
Licenses ..	16,274	0	12,718	50	Secretariat ..	19,029	0	9,747	79
Judicial fines ..	2,000	0	1,260	41	Vehicle and Animal Department ..	2,048	0	948	21
Tolls ..	17,945	0	—	—	Judicial ..	610	0	307	0
Slaughter-houses ..	1,520	0	1,187	1	Markets ..	2,294	0	1,326	50
Health Department ..	8,050	0	5,426	33	Slaughter-houses ..	1,130	0	711	40
Markets ..	17,301	0	10,764	93	Fire Brigade ..	910	0	207	97
Rents ..	1,026	50	623	83	Time gun ..	410	0	160	46
Miscellaneous ..	1,989	0	2,057	83	Lighting ..	13,100	0	7,653	50
Cemeteries ..	300	0	228	0	Cemetery ..	770	0	474	76
Waterworks ..	2,600	0	1,833	58	Public Health Department:—				
Total Revenue ..	151,015	50	97,277	9	Sanitation Branch ..	8,262	0	7,206	63
Deposits ..	—	—	1,886	10	Scavenging Branch ..	12,972	0	7,492	98
Advance repaid ..	—	—	600	0	Conservancy ..	18,623	0	9,849	55
Total Receipts ..	—	—	99,763	19	Waterworks ..	7,661	0	8,717	85
Cash balance on January 1, 1914 ..	—	—	52,108	60	Public Works Department:—				
					Annually recurrent ..	28,772	0	16,266	53
					Extraordinary ..	6,800	0	5,261	51
					Total Expenditure ..	157,816	99	93,914	66
					Deposits repaid ..	—	—	1,523	41
					Advance ..	—	—	1,500	0
					Total Disbursements ..	—	—	96,938	7
					Cash balance on July 31, 1914 ..	—	—	54,933	72
Total ..	—	—	151,871	79	Total ..	—	—	151,871	79

B.—Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount.		Amount.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Expenditure from January 1 to July 31, 1914 ..	93,914 66	Surplus on January 1, 1914 ..	44,100 87
Surplus on July 31, 1914 ..	47,463 30	Revenue from January to July, 1914 ..	97,277 9
Total ..	141,377 96	Total ..	141,377 96

C.—Balance Sheet as at July 31, 1914.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.	ASSETS.	Amount.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Deposits ..	8,370 42	Cash in Bank:—	
Surplus ..	47,463 30	Fixed deposits ..	3,600 0
		Current account (Rs. 51,666-73—483-01) ..	51,183 72
		Cash in hand of Shroff ..	150 0
		Advance ..	900 0
Total ..	55,833 72	Total ..	55,833 72

The Municipal Office,
Galle, August 8, 1914.

D. M. MOREIRA,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Progress Report of Work done brought up to July, 1914.

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted.		Expendi- ture during July, 1914.		Expendi- ture up to June, 1914.		Total.	Unexpended Balance.
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
66 of 1913 ..	Improvements to Kandewatta road ..	2,038	50	—	—	1,820	0	1,820 0	218 50*†
126 of 1913 ..	Filling up the tank opposite Ice Com- pany premises ..	82	50	—	—	75	0	75 0	7 50*†
127 of 1913 ..	Filling up the well on Crown land at foot of Templar road ..	12	0	—	—	10	0	10 0	2 0*†
128 of 1913 ..	Removing the standpost from Devata junction and fixing opposite Devata market ..	20	0	—	—	20	0	20 0	—*†
1 ..	Repairs to five latrine carts ..	45	0	—	—	45	0	45 0	—*†
2 ..	Repairs to five scavenging carts ..	45	0	—	—	45	0	45 0	—*†
120 of 1913 ..	Repairs to roof of cart shed ..	1,000	0	—	—	900	0	900 0	100 0*†
48 of 1913 ..	Paving railway crossings over Muni- cipal roads with stone setts ..	362	1	—	—	253	0	253 0	109 1*†
3 ..	Laying 3-in. main along Middle street and connecting Middle street and Lighthouse street mains ..	200	0	—	—	197	8	197 8	2 92††

* Work done on agreement or contract.

† Work completed.

‡ Work done partly on agreement and partly departmentally.

Estimate No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted.		Expenditure during July, 1914.		Expenditure up to June, 1914.		Total.		Unexpended Balance.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
48	Laying water service to Fowl street ..	185	0	—	—	170	0	170	0	15	0*
130 of 1913	Widening Leyn Baan Cross street, Fort	1,700	0	481	52a	625	18	1,106	70	593	30†
7	Weeding Bikke reservoir	396	0	33	0b	192	25	225	25	170	75
	Maintenance of—										
8	Old Gate road ..	875	0	33	75c	700	25	734	0	141	0
10	Wakwella road ..	1,200	0	306	99d	558	6	865	5	334	95
15	Morris road ..	880	0	28	75e	492	57	521	32	358	68
26	Esplanade roads ..	410	0	—	—	134	44	134	44	275	56
27	Havelock road ..	165	0	28	75f	23	75	52	50	112	50
31	Kandewatta road ..	240	0	28	75g	136	77	165	52	74	48
41	Fort roads ..	1,270	0	25	0h	470	16	495	16	774	84
11	Hirimbura road..	1,650	0	133	0i	862	34	995	34	654	66
60	Certain repairs to the overseer's bungalow, Hiyare..	50	0	—	—	50	0	50	0	—	*†
4	Recadjaning wards and outhouses, Segregation Camp, Dadalla ..	150	0	—	—	150	0	150	0	—	*†
49	Converting a room in the fish auction shed into a room for Inspector No. 2 ..	30	0	—	—	30	0	30	0	—	*†
54	Repairs to side drain, Black Town roads	110	0	—	—	100	0	100	0	10	0*†
129 of 1913	Certain repairs to the cemetery-keeper's house, Dadalla ..	225	0	—	—	201	95	201	95	23	5*†
47	Repairs to lych gates, Dadalla cemetery	50	0	—	—	49	76	49	76	0	24†
46	Clearing the Keppu-ela ..	370	0	—	—	320	0	320	0	50	0*†
125 of 1913	Improving drain along carriage stand in front of the Railway Station ..	200	0	—	—	180	0	180	0	20	0*†
5	Making roof and walls of two iron-framed wards, &c., I. D. Hospital, Dadalla ..	300	0	—	—	270	52	270	52	29	48*†
42	Maintenance of service road to Hiyare reservoir ..	500	0	86	0j	110	0	196	0	304	0*
6	Weeding Hiyare reservoir ..	575	0	113	40k	188	60	302	0	273	0
118 of 1913	Removing mud, Hiyare reservoir ..	3,105	70	225	56l	2,630	72	2,856	28	249	42
51 of 1912	Building latrine, seabeach, Pettigalawatta ..	1,112	27	—	—	556	57	556	57	555	70*†
50	Clearing Fort sewers ..	150	0	—	—	149	69	149	69	0	31†
19	Maintenance of Bope road ..	1,033	0	114	71m	415	45	530	16	502	84
9	Do. Sea street ..	585	0	—	—	423	25	423	25	161	75
36	Do. Talapitiya road ..	530	0	—	—	212	34	212	34	317	66
32	Do. Kon Tree road ..	140	0	—	—	82	76	82	76	57	24
44	Certain repairs to the slaughter-house ..	340	0	—	—	297	36	297	36	42	64†
56	Upkeep of certain bridges ..	800	0	—	—	604	79	604	79	195	21
61	Repairs to Havelock place latrines ..	80	0	—	—	72	17	72	17	7	83†
62	Repairs to the tiled building in the Segregation Camp, Dadalla ..	50	0	—	—	45	0	45	0	5	0*†
52	Building a drain on side of Black Town road along N. D. Stores ..	85	0	—	—	75	0	75	0	10	0*†
51	Repairs to and for painting 15 notice boards ..	200	0	—	—	180	20	180	20	19	80*†
53	Repairs to side drain, Pettigalawatta road ..	110	0	—	—	100	0	100	0	10	0*†
64	Repairs to leak on 8-inch main at 20-foot bridge, Hiyare Service road ..	60	0	—	—	59	50	59	50	0	50†
65	Colourwashing the Pavilion and erecting a kadjan lean-to ..	150	0	—	—	149	98	149	98	0	2†
	Maintenance of—										
33	Pettigalawatta road ..	140	0	—	—	71	50	71	50	68	50
18	Kitulampitiya road ..	480	0	165	93n	65	0	230	93	249	7
13	Kumbalwella road ..	280	0	—	—	122	90	122	90	157	10
28	Hall road ..	140	0	—	—	63	60	63	60	76	40
23	Circular road ..	510	0	—	—	184	0	184	0	326	0
14	Richmond Hill road ..	420	0	—	—	103	20	103	20	316	80
59	Rebuilding side drain in Ward street ..	525	0	—	—	500	0	500	0	25	0*†
67	Repairs to six latrine carts ..	110	0	—	—	105	0	105	0	5	0*†
63	Repairs to drain through premises No. 21, Pettigalawatta ..	100	0	—	—	100	0	100	0	—	*†
43	Rebuilding drain on side of Fowl street	1,300	0	—	—	1,242	31	1,242	31	57	69†
45	Building 75 ft. of retaining wall along Keppu-ela ..	2,000	0	268	21o	731	93	1,000	14	999	86
12	Maintenance of Hirimbura Cross road ..	400	0	—	—	65	0	65	0	335	0
40	Do. Elliott road ..	430	0	176	75p	57	50	234	25	195	75
24	Do. Dickson road ..	160	0	—	—	95	46	95	46	64	54
22	Do. China Garden roads ..	200	0	84	80q	23	0	107	80	92	20
34	Do. Steele road ..	240	0	—	—	103	61	103	61	136	39
17	Do. Cripps road ..	240	0	—	—	105	13	105	13	134	87
92 of 1913	Erecting a barb wire fence round the Bikke reservoir ..	420	33	—	—	155	64	155	64	264	69

* Work done on agreement or contract.

† Work completed.

‡ Work done partly on agreement and partly departmentally.

Estimate No.	Head of Expenditure.	Amount voted.		Expenditure during July, 1914.		Total.	Unexpended Balance.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
57	Repairs to the windmill	85	0	—	—	85	0	—††
58	Repairs to drain on side of Middle street	170	0	—	—	157	50	12 50*†
114 of 1913	Removing weeds from the Hiyare reservoir	723	99	303	75r	216	26	520 1
38	Maintenance of Ward street	100	0	28	75s	43	50	72 25
16	Do. Bope Cross road	125	0	39	10t	42	0	81 10
39	Do. Market roads	200	0	—	—	118	50	81 50
66	Repairs to storeroom, I. D. Hospital, Dadalla	30	0	—	—	25	0	5 0*†
68	Improving Leyn Baan Cross street sewer	600	0	85	75u	—	—	85 75
69	Repairs to side drain, Small Modara Baay street	80	0	70	0v	—	—	72 0
70	Providing wooden screens to the sale room, fish auction shed	50	0	48	0w	—	—	48 0
21	Maintenance of Black Town roads	185	0	57	50x	—	—	57 50
Total ..		34,311	30	2,969	72	20,019	0	22,988 72
								11,322 58

* Work done on agreement or contract.

† Work completed.

‡ Work done partly on agreement and partly departmentally.

(a) Built side drains and cross gullies and cost of guttering.

(b) Weeded during July, 1914.

(c) Spread and rolled 7 cubes metal.

(d) Cost of 25 cubes metal, and spread and rolled 35 cubes metal, &c.

(e) Cost of 5 cubes metal.

(f) Cost of 5 cubes metal.

(g) Cost of 5 cubes metal.

(h) Spread 4 cubes metal and 2 cubes gravel, &c.

(i) Cost of 10 cubes metal, and spread and rolled 15 cubes metal, &c.

(j) Cost of 3 cubes metal and 20 cubes gravel.

(k) Weeded 13 acres second time.

(l) Removed 123 cubes mud and overseerage.

(m) Spread and rolled 21 cubes metal and 5 cubes gravel.

(n) Spread and rolled 10 cubes metal, 10 cubes gravel, and cleared drains, &c.

(o) Built cofferdam, excavated and laid concrete foundation, and built wall, &c.

(p) Cost of 10 cubes gravel, and spread and rolled 10 cubes metal and 10 cubes gravel, and cleared drains, jungle, &c.

(q) Cost of 25 cubes gravel, and spread and rolled 4 cubes metal, 5 cubes gravel, and cleared drains, &c

(r) Weeded 1 acre.

(s) Cost of 5 cubes metal.

(t) Spread and rolled 3 cubes metal, 5 cubes gravel, and cleared drains, &c.

(u) Cost of cement and metal and overseerage.

(v) Repaired drain.

(w) Provided wooden screens.

(x) Cost of 10 cubes metal.

Galle, August 7, 1914.

F. R. E. NICHOLAS,
Superintendent of Works.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for July, 1914.

I HAVE the honour to forward the statistics and records of work for the month of July, 1914.

Births.—The total births registered in the town of Galle in July, 1914, were 86 (66 Sinhalese, 3 Tamils, and 17 Moors). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population to the middle of 1914 by intercensal increase, viz., 40,916) was 27·32, as against 28·91 in the previous month.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 104 (3 Burghers, 66 Sinhalese, 10 Tamils, 24 Moors, and 1 Malay). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population to the middle of 1914 by intercensal increase, viz., 40,916) was 30·59, as against 24·7 in the previous month.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the total 104 deaths, 13 were of infants under one year of age, as against 20 in the previous month.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the month was 5.

Principal Causes of Death.—Four deaths were registered from Pneumonia. Of these, 3 was in Ward III. (Galupiadda), and 1 was in Ward IV. (Kumbalwella). One death was registered from Acute Bronchitis in Ward III. (Galupiadda).

2. Four deaths were registered from Phthisis. Of these, 3 were in Ward II. (Kaluwella) and 1 in the hospital.

3. Three deaths were registered from Malarial Fever (1 in Ward I.; 1 in Ward III.; and 1 in Ward IV.); and 2 from Puerperal Fever (1 in Ward II. and 1 in Ward III.); and 1 from Fever and Anæmia in Ward III. (Galupiadda).

4. Fifteen deaths were registered from Debility; 9 from Convulsions; 4 from Infantile Tetanus; 3 from Old Age; 1 from Heart Disease; 13 from Worms; 17 from Ankylostomiasis; 4 from Diarrhoea; 3 from Marasmus; 1 from Jaundice; 3 from Dysentery; 1 from Paralysis; 1 from Sarcoma; 1 from Septicæmia; 1 from Cirrhosis of the Liver; 1 from Congestion of the Kidneys; 1 from Puerperal Eclampsia; 1 from Chronic Bright's Disease; 1 from Scrofula; 2 from Accidents; 1 from Dilated Heart and Dropsy; 1 from Cancer in the Mouth; 1 from Exhaustion after Labour; 2 from Hemiplegia; 1 from Rupture of Aneurysm of the Renal Artery.

Infectious Diseases.—Nine cases of Phthisis were reported, as against 4 in the previous month, and 1 case of Continued Fever, as against a similar number last month. There were 4 cases of Enteric Fever, and 4 of Acute Diarrhoea, as against nil in June, 1914.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of the air was 80°·8F, as against 81·2 in the previous month.

The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·851, as against 29·858 last month.

The total rainfall in the month was 6·82 in., as against 11·63 in. during the previous month.

S. B. SURTI, F.R.C.S., D.P.H.,
Medical Officer of Health.

I.—Statements. —I am indebted to the Superintendent of Surveys for the following Meteorological Reports:—
Survey Office, Galle.

Abstract of Meteorological Observations from January, 1914, to July, 1914 (both inclusive).
Latitude: 16° North. Longitude: 80°14' East. Height above Mean Sea Level: 13·12 feet.

1914.	Barometer.							Temperature.						
	Corrected for Altitude and reduced to 32° F.							Self-registering Thermometers.						
	Mean.				Highest in Month.	Lowest in Month.	Range.	Highest in Month.	Lowest in Month.	Range.	Temperature of Air.	Temperature of Evaporation.	Difference of Air and Evaporation.	
	9.30 A.M.	3.30 P.M.	Mean.	Range.										
Jan.	30·017	29·919	29·968	0·098	30·096	29·834	0·262	86·6	71·2	15·4	79·3	74·9	4·4	
Feb.	30·007	29·902	29·955	0·105	30·043	29·852	0·191	90·1	70·2	19·9	80	74·4	5·6	
March	29·968	29·860	29·914	0·108	30·059	29·811	0·248	89·4	73·3	16·1	81·7	76·5	5·2	
April	29·952	29·847	29·900	0·105	30·022	29·772	0·250	91·3	74·9	16·4	82·6	77·5	5·1	
May	29·920	29·833	29·877	0·087	30·014	29·735	0·279	88·7	70·3	18·4	82·7	78·0	4·7	
June	29·896	29·820	29·858	0·076	29·948	29·789	0·159	86·8	73·6	13·2	81·2	77·4	3·8	
July	29·886	29·815	29·851	0·071	29·972	29·747	0·225	85·7	74·2	11·5	80·8	76·7	4·2	

1914.	Temperature.									Rain.			Cloud.	
	Self-registering Thermometer.				Hydrometers.					No. of Days Rain fell.	Total Amount for Month.	Greatest Amount that fell in 24 Hours.	Monthly Total.	Daily Mean.
	Highest in Sun's Rays.	Lowest in Sun's Rays.	Highest on Grass.	Lowest on Grass.	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Dew point.	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Degree of Humidity.					
Jan.	155·1	129·8	72·7	66·4	80·5	76·1	72·0	·785	79	10	1·17"	0·56"	165	5·3
Feb.	153·3	143·0	73·2	64·4	82·5	76·2	70·7	·752	74	5	0·51	0·26	108	3·9
March	163·0	144·0	76·3	70·7	83·7	77·7	73·1	·814	76	8	2·01	1·08	154·5	5·0
April	156·2	144·9	75·8	71·8	82·6	77·5	74·2	0·845	77	14	2·60	0·80	129	4·3
May	154·9	115·3	78·4	68·5	84·3	79·0	74·8	0·864	78	19	9·91	3·93	159	5·3
June	155·0	127·0	78·1	71·2	83·0	78·6	74·8	0·864	81	27	11·63	1·84	197·5	6·6
July	151·0	136·3	76·9	71·0	81·3	77·2	73·9	0·837	79	20	6·82	1·43	211	6·8

Wind.

Mean daily horizontal movement of air in July, 1914, was 321·11 Miles:—

Direction of Wind, July, 1914.	N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.	Vari-able.	N.	E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.
At 9.30 A.M.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
At 8.30 P.M.	2	3	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	20
Total	3	3	..	6	..	..	..	..	2	46

The highest barometer during the month of July, 1914, was 29·972 on the 16th.
The lowest barometer during the month of July, 1914, was 29·747 on the 27th.
The highest temperature during the month of July, 1914, was 85·7 on the 19th.
The lowest temperature during the month of July, 1914, was 74·2 on the 6th.
The rainfall for 20 days during July, 1914, was 6·82 in.
The greatest rainfall was 1·43 in. from July 21st to 22nd.

II.—Table showing Number of Deaths from various Diseases and the Ratio of the Deaths per 1,000 of the Population in the Town in July, 1914:—

Name of Disease.	No. of Deaths.	Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Persons living.*	Name of Disease.	No. of Deaths.	Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Persons living.*
I.—ZYMOTIC.			VII.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.		
1 Diarrhoea ..	4	1·27	17 Anchylostomiasis ..	17	5·40
2 Dysentery ..	3	0·95	18 Intestinal parasites ..	13	4·24
3 Marasmus ..	3	0·95	19 Jaundice ..	1	0·32
4 Malarial fever ..	3	0·95	20 Cirrhosis of the liver ..	1	0·32
5 Fever with anaemia ..	1	0·32	VIII.—DISEASE OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.		
II.—SEPTIC DISEASES.			21 Heart disease ..	2	0·64
6 Septicæmia ..	1	0·32	22 Rupture of the aneurysm of the renal artery ..	1	0·32
7 Infantile (tetanus) ..	4	1·27	IX.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM.		
III.—CANCER IN MALIGNANT DISEASES.			23 Congestion of the kidneys ..	1	0·32
8 Carcinoma of the mouth ..	1	0·32	24 Chronic Bright's disease ..	1	0·32
9 Sarcoma ..	1	0·32	X.—THE PUERPERAL STATE.		
IV.—TUBERCULOUS DISEASES.			25 Exhaustion after labour ..	1	0·32
10 Pulmonary tuberculosis ..	4	1·27	26 Puerperal eclampsia ..	1	0·32
11 Scrofula ..	1	0·32	27 Puerperal fever ..	2	0·64
V.—DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM.			XI.—OLD AGE.		
12 Hemiplegia ..	2	0·64	28 Senility ..	3	0·95
13 Convulsions ..	9	2·85	29 Debility ..	12	3·81
14 Paralysis ..	1	0·32	XII.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.		
VI.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.			30 Infantile debility ..	3	0·95
15 Pneumonia ..	4	1·27	XIII.—AFFECTIONS PRODUCED BY EXTERNAL CAUSES.		
16 Acute bronchitis ..	1	0·32	31 Accidental fall of a coconut tree ..	2	0·64

* Intercensal population, 40,916.

VIII.—*Infectious Diseases*.—Reported during July, 1914, and those reported during the previous months and the corresponding month of previous year, with the deaths from the same causes:—

Diseases.	Cases reported during January, 1914.	Cases reported during February, 1914.	Cases reported during March, 1914.	Cases reported during April, 1914.	Cases reported during May, 1914.	Cases reported during June, 1914.	Cases reported during July, 1914.	Cases reported during the	
								Month of the previous Year.	Deaths in July, 1914.
Mumps ..	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Smallpox ..	—	—	1*	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Enteric fever ..	7	4	1	—	2	—	4	5	—
Continued fever ..	—	5	—	—	2	1	1	4	1
Chickenpox ..	9	2	3	—	1	1	—	2	—
Measles ..	5	9	7	1	2	—	—	8	—
Acute diarrhoea ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	4
Cholera ..	13	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Phthisis ..	12	2	1	3	3	4	9	—	4
Scarlet fever ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beri-beri ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Imported

IX.—Births and Deaths of Infants.

Stillbirths and Deaths within 11 days.

Race.	Births.			Deaths.			Stillbirth.			Death-rate per cent., inclusive of Stillbirths.	Death-rate per cent., exclusive of Stillbirths.
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.		
All Races ..	86	48	38	3	3	—	5	3	2	9.30	3.48
Europeans ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burghers ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Singhalese ..	66	38	28	3	3	—	2	1	1	7.57	4.54
Tamils ..	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Moors ..	17	10	7	—	—	—	3	2	1	18.23	—
Malays ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Others ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

X.—Statement showing the Number of Persons vaccinated within the Galle Municipality for the Second Quarter ended June, 1914, kindly supplied by the Inspector of Vaccination.

Vaccinators.	Primary Vaccinations.				Re-vaccinations.				Total.
	Number Vaccinated.	Successful.	Failed.	Absent.	Number Vaccinated.	Successful.	Failed.	Absent.	
April, 1914: Mr. D. L. C. Andrayas..	43	43	—	—	—	—	—	—	43
„ Miss C. B. Perera ..	41	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	41
May, 1914: Mr. D. L. C. Andrayas..	92	92	—	—	—	—	—	—	92
„ Miss C. B. Perera ..	50	49	—	1	—	—	—	—	50
June, 1914: Mr. D. L. C. Andrayas..	61	58	—	3	—	—	—	—	61
„ Miss C. B. Perera ..	52	50	2	—	—	—	—	—	52
Total ..	339	333	2	4	—	—	—	—	339

XI.—Work done by Ward Inspectors during July, 1914.

Nature of Work.	Ward No. I.	Ward No. II.	Ward No. III.	Ward No. IV.	Ward No. V.	Total.
	Fort.	Kaluwella.	Galupiadda.	Hirimbure.	Kumbalwella.	
Number of Inspections ..	680	352	98	216	388	1,734
Number in which sanitary defects were found ..	11	12	78	166	18	—
Number of notices served ..	2	2	12	—	14	30
Number of notices voluntarily complied with ..	1	2	10	10	8	31
Number of premises where defects were rectified after warning ..	1	4	66	12	10	93
Number of wells closed ..	—	1	—	—	—	1
Number of cesspits closed ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of houses disinfected ..	1	4	1	1	4	11
Number of prosecutions ..	21	1	7	—	5	34
Number of convictions ..	11	1	7	—	5	24
Number discharged or otherwise dealt with ..	3	—	—	—	—	3
Number pending at the end of the month ..	7	—	—	—	—	7
Number of premises limewashed ..	—	5	4	—	4	13
Number of type plan latrines erected ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amount of fines ..	Rs. 33.50	Rs. 5	Rs. 32.50	—	Rs. 12.50	Rs. 83.50
Percentage of convictions ..	52.38 p.c.	100 p.c.	100 p.c.	—	100 p.c.	70.58 p.c.
Average amount of fines ..	Rs. 3.04	Rs. 5	Rs. 4.64	—	Rs. 2.50	Rs. 13.18
Number of gardens cleaned ..	—	5	10	27	12	54

XII.—Structural Improvements effected by the Ward Inspectors during July, 1914.

Nature of Improvement.	Ward No. I.	Ward No. II.	Ward No. III.	Ward No. IV.	Ward No. V.
	Fort.	Kaluwella.	Galupiadda.	Hirimbure.	Kumbalwella.
New doors, windows, and skylights ..	—	—	5	—	—
Enlarged doors, windows, and skylights ..	—	—	—	—	—
Obstructive buildings demolished ..	—	—	—	—	1
Obstructive eaves, roofs, partitions, &c., removed ..	1	—	—	—	—
New drains built ..	—	—	2	—	—
Drains repaired ..	—	—	—	4	—
Floors paved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Passages paved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Compounds paved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Latrine paved ..	—	—	1	—	—
Laundries improved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Bakeries improved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Dairies improved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Eating-houses improved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Opium divans improved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle sheds improved ..	—	—	—	—	—
Other premises improved ..	—	—	5	—	—
Ventilators (smoke vents and air vents) ..	—	—	—	—	—

Number of rats caught in July, 1914, in the Town of Galle amounted to 553.

XIII.—Details of Prosecutions by Ward Inspectors No. III. during the Month of July, 1914.

Nature of Offence.					
Filthy premises ..	..	..	..	..	4
Sale of unwholesome food ..	..	..	..	..	2
Sale of vegetables and fruits without license ..	..	..	..	..	1

XIV.—(i.) Slaughter-house returns during July, 1914 :—

(a) Returns of animals slaughtered (Beach slaughter-house) :—

Cattle.	Sheep and Goats.
312	252

(b) Returns of animals rejected (Beach slaughter-house) :—

Cattle.	Sheep and Goats.	Cause of Rejection.
21	3	All wasted and slim looking.

(ii.) Returns of sheep and goats slaughtered at the Kaluwella slaughter-house :—

Sheep and Goats.	Slaughtered.	Rejected.	Cause of Rejection.
..	88	3	1 found dead; the rest wasted and slim looking

General Health of the Town was by no means satisfactory, as will be seen from the number of deaths registered last month. 50 out of 104 deaths were attributed to Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Anchylostomiasis, Convulsions, Worms, and Phthisis.

Drainage.—The Public Health Department has recently been provided with 3 barrel carts of 70-gallon capacity each for flushing the drains. I have suggested that these carts should be provided with a hose, which would prevent wastage and bring about proper flushing of the drains. Drains round the Galle Bazaar markets and the Welliwatta drains require constant and regular flushing.

Scavenging and Sweeping.—Though satisfactory on Main roads, I find there has been a tendency on the part of the Inspectors to neglect some of the by-lanes in the Fort Ward and the other unfrequented roads in the town.

Water Supply.—Ample and wholesome. A Special Committee has been considering the question as to the best means of removing the colouration from the town water.

Alleys are kept in fairly satisfactory state.

Bakeries.—A license has been applied for to start a bakery in the Lighthouse street opposite the Albion Press. The applicant has been asked to carry out certain requirements before the license is granted; one of the principal requirements being to render flyproof the room in which the flour is kneaded.

Laundries.—Our laundries are in a most unsatisfactory state.

Dairies. are kept in a filthy state.

Markets.—The Superintendent of Works has been asked to submit an estimate for fly-proofing the Galle Bazaar and the Kaluwella meat and fish markets.

Latrines.—Within the last six months 3 public latrines have been discontinued, one near the Railway Station, one near the Mahamodera Hospital, and the third in the Fort market, as they were found to be one of the principal sources of nuisance to the public at large.

Gardens.—Gardens are being cleaned slowly though surely.

Cattle Disease.—There was an outbreak of hoof-and-mouth disease in July, 1914.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC RETURNS.

Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Traffic for the Month ended June 30, 1914.

Receipts from	Month ended June 30, 1913.			Month ended June 30, 1914.			Increase. 1914 over 1913.			Decrease. 1914 below 1913.		
	No.	Rs.	c.	No.	Rs.	c.	No.	Rs.	c.	No.	Rs.	c.
Passengers, Ordinary and Special	1,030,833	604,046	64	1,135,094	675,907	54	104,261	71,860	90	—	—	—
Coolies	25,214	25,831	88	14,873	28,394	24	—	2,562	36	10,341	—	—
Season Tickets	7,512	22,525	72	8,863	24,958	15	1,351	2,432	43	—	—	—
Parcels and Mails	76,785	38,374	4	84,142	55,118	83	7,357	16,744	79	—	—	—
Horses, Carriages, and other Coaching Traffic	3,867	6,009	31	4,795	5,951	31	928	—	—	—	—	58 0
Goods (tons)	83,398	770,399	97	89,357	780,430	88	5,959	10,030	91	—	—	—
Live Stock	3,708	4,801	75	3,884	3,869	18	176	—	—	—	—	932 57
Miscellaneous	—	57,459	8	—	15,146	49	—	—	—	—	—	42,312 59
Motor Service	—	1,250	25	—	2,699	87	—	1,449	62	—	—	—
Total for the Month	—	1,530,698	64	—	1,592,476	49	—	61,777	85	—	—	—
Brought forward from previous return	—	10,396,981	56	—	10,929,954	70	—	532,973	14	—	—	—
Total from October 1 to June 30	—	11,927,680	20	—	12,522,431	19	—	594,750	99	—	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year	—	10,828,900	23	—	11,927,680	20	—	—	—	—	—	—
Increase	—	1,098,779	97	—	594,750	99	—	—	—	—	—	—
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Traffic Train Mileage, Oct. 1 to June 30	1,898,539	—	—	1,945,138	—	—	46,599	—	—	—	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year	1,799,671	—	—	1,898,539	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Increase	98,868	—	—	46,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Decrease	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended June 30, 1913.	Month ended June 30, 1914.	Increase in 1914.	Decrease in 1914.	Nett Increase or Decrease from October 1, 1913, to June 30, 1914.	
					Increase, 1913-1914.	Decrease, 1913-1914.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
First Class Goods	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kerosine oil	447	430	—	17	380	—
Other, 6th class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rubber	840	1,196	356	—	3,491	—
Rice	14,725	13,853	—	872	4,159	—
Copra, 6th class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Arrack, 3rd class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Salt, 3rd class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other, 3rd class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tea	11,621	11,835	214	—	—	1,209
Cacao	126	229	103	—	—	1,210
Poonac, 4th class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coconut produce	6,235	5,406	—	829	5,239	—
Fruit and vegetables	1,009	1,278	269	—	594	—
Tea and rubber packing	1,915	1,835	—	80	1,994	—
Plumbago	1,451	769	—	682	—	3,266
Bulk petroleum	564	615	51	—	—	108
Liquid fuel	1,385	1,430	45	—	780	—
Coffee, 4th class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other, 2nd class	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manure	6,259	13,534	7,275	—	—	1,032
Other goods	21,564	23,061	1,497	—	10,148	—
Railway material (open line)	10,689	10,826	137	—	—	1,193
Railway material (extensions)	1,446	1,345	—	101	3,125	—
Breakwater material	3,088	1,694	—	1,394	—	537
Free goods	34	21	—	13	—	50
Timber, all classes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cigars	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	83,398	89,357	9,947	3,988	20,910	8,605

D. McMILLAN,
Acting General Manager.

Colombo, August 24, 1914.

Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the Week ended August 29, 1914.

		Bags.
TO COLOMBO	From Ammapatam ..	48
	Calcutta ..	4,286
	Coconada ..	3,848
	Kotapatam ..	80
	Karikal ..	1,049
	Negapatam ..	1,732
	Rangoon ..	22,126
	Singapore ..	7,680
	Tuticorin ..	1,840
	Total ..	42,695

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 1, 1914.

TO GALLE	From Calcutta ..	1,923
	Coconada ..	7,290
	Negapatam ..	670
	Total ..	9,883

A. H. PINDER,
for Principal Collector.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Rattota-Gammaduwa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, a Meeting of the Local Committee will be held on Tuesday, September 8, 1914, at 2 P.M. at Kensington store.

Business.

1. To read and confirm minutes of previous meeting.
2. To submit and pass accounts of 1913-14.
3. To draw up an estimate for the maintenance of the road for the year ending September 30, 1915.
4. To prepare a list of estates to be assessed for the private contribution on the above estimate.
5. Any other business of which due notice is given.

Opalgalla Estate, H. S. WILLS,
Matale, August 21, 1914. Chairman, Local Committee.

Branch Road from Tuntota to Mandakondana.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, that the Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province, intends to define the limits of the district, the estates in which will be assessed for the construction of the road from near the 33rd mile at Tuntota on the Madampe-Dummalasuriya road to Mandakondana, a distance of $4\frac{3}{4}$ miles more or less.

The meeting of the proprietors of estates interested will be held at the Kurunegala Kachcheri at 3 P.M. on Monday, September 21, 1914.

The Provincial Road Committee will at the above time and place take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman,
Kurunegala, August 27, 1914.

Dehiowita-Algoda Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 17 (1) of the Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, have nominated the under-mentioned gentlemen to be the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance in respect of the above road for the term of two years, namely, August 22, 1914, to August 22, 1916:—

Messrs. R. W. P. Bell (Chairman), L. H. Cantlay, and A. Reid.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, S. D. DHONDY,
Ratnapura, August 22, 1914. for Chairman.

Dotale Branch Road.

(Dangerous corner.)

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

(Estimate No. 317 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 275.00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 281.87

1st to 3rd section, 2.53 miles.

Total acreage, 5,335—Moiety of cost, Rs. 82.56—
Sectional rate, .0154c.—Total rate, .0154c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Mackwood & Co.	.. Inchestelly	.. 110	..	1 70

1st to 7th section, 6.53 miles.

Total acreage, 5,225—Moiety of cost, Rs. 137.80—
Sectional rate, .0263c.—Total rate, .0418c.

E. G. Simpson	.. Mandolgirikanda	220	..	9 20
Colombo Commercial Company, Limited				
(C. C. du Pré Moore)	.. Hunasgiriya	.. 1,426	..	59 67

1st to 8th section, 7.53 miles.

Total acreage, 3,579—Moiety of cost, Rs. 34.45—
Sectional rate, .0096c.—Total rate, .0514c.

S. Velepillai and Sons	.. Tanahena	.. 52	..	2 67
Ukuwela Estates Co.	.. Tallingamadde	.. 75	..	3 85

1st to 9th section, 8.18 miles.

Total acreage, 3,452—Moiety of cost, Rs. 27.06—
Sectional rate, .0078c.—Total rate, .0592c.

Bosanquet & Co. (A. M. Blair)	.. Elkaduwa Group	1,810	..	107 37
Skirne & Co. (M. E. Waddilove)	.. Hunugalla Group	686	..	40 70
E. G. Beiby (A. H. Kerr)	.. Weygalla	.. 357	..	21 18
H. L. Anley	.. Mahatenna	.. 384	..	22 78
Geo. Steuart & Co. (R. G. Schofield)	.. Galgawatta	.. 215	..	12 75
Total ..				281 87

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, August 25, 1914. Chairman.

Lindula-Agra Branch Road.
(Between Lindula and end of Agra road.)

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

(Estimate No. 294 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 12,500
Private contributions .. Rs. 12,625

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 23,084—Moiety of cost, Rs. 884·61—
Sectional rate, ·0383c.—Total rate, ·0383c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Dimbula Valley Co., Ltd.	Belgravia	305	11 77

1st to 3rd section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 22,779—Moiety of cost, Rs. 884·58—
Sectional rate, ·0388c.—Total rate ·0771c.

A. V. & J. H. Renton	Tallankanda	268	20 76
The Misses Temple (A. T. Sydney Smith)	Deyanillakele	267	20 68
A. H. Bell, Mrs. H. C. C. Bell, and Miss R. M. Bell (C. H. Wilkinson)	Fairfield	319	24 70
The Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Wallaha	290	22 46
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Ltd.	Mousaela	550	42 52
H. F. W. Farquharson & F. J. Farquharson	Eildon Hall	413	31 95
The Bambarakellie Estates Tea Co., Ltd.	Bambarakellie	456	37 58
Do.	Lot 110,386, Dell	100	7 80
T. Fairhurst & W. C. Oswald	Oddington	100	7 80
Mrs. Wiggan & Sons	Melton	207	16 6
T. Fairhurst (W. C. Oswald)	Ferham	273	21 15
Scottish Trust & Loan Co., Ltd.	Rahanwatta	308	23 85
H. R. Wiggan	Queenwood	239	18 52

1st to 4th section, 2½ miles.

Total acreage, 18,959—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0233c.—Total rate, ·1004c.

The Dimbula Valley Co., Ltd.	Tillicoultry	401	40 37
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1st to 6th section, 3½ miles.

Total acreage, 18,558—Moiety of cost, Rs. 884·58—
Sectional rate, ·0476c.—Total rate, ·1480c.

J. A. & N. G. Campbell	Waltrim	370	54 89
Lord Chelmsford (C. M. Buckworth, Agent)	Agarakanda	288	42 75

1st to 7th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 17,900—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0247c.—Total rate, ·1727c.

C. R. S. Carew (W. C. Oswald)	Fassifern West	138	23 94
W. H. Sealey (J. E. Baillie Hamilton)	Fassifern East	138	23 94

1st to 8th section, 4½ miles.

Total acreage, 17,624—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0250c.—Total rate, ·1977c.

F. A. & W. N. Fairlie	Khowlahena	366	72 52
Geo. Beck (J. E. Baillie Hamilton)	Henfold and St. Regulas	570	112 90
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Ltd.	Lippakelle	206	40 87

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
The Ceylon Estates Investment Association, Ltd.	Macduff	221	43 83
The Ceylon Tea Plantation Company, Ltd.	Begally, Cymru, and Tangakelle	910	180 19
Sumatravale Estates Co., Ltd.	Maria	297	58 88
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co. Ltd.	Elgin	291	57 68
Do.	Kellyhill	158	31 36
The Vellekellie Tea Co.,	Ouvahkellie	593	117 45

1st to 9th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 14,012—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0315c.—Total rate, ·2292c.

Heirs of John M. Smith	Caledonia	255	58 60
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1st to 10th section, 5½ miles.

Total acreage, 13,757—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0321c.—Total rate, ·2613c.

H. F. W. and F. J. Farquharson	Agra	276	72 19
Mooloya Estates Ltd.	Braemore	265	69 42

1st to 12 section, 6½ miles.

Total acreage, 13,216—Moiety of cost, Rs. 884·58—
Sectional rate, ·0669c.—Total rate, ·3282c.

Cranley Tea Estates Co.	Cranley	455	149 58
Do.	Cranley Upper	357	117 38
N. & L. Bonaparte Wyse	Holbrook	188	61 85

1st to 16th section, 8½ miles.

Total acreage, 12,216—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,769·16—
Sectional rate, ·1448c.—Total rate, ·4730c.

The Agra Tea Co. of Ceylon, Limited	Ardlaw	209	99 2
Heirs of J. M. Smith	Albion	275	130 26
A. G. Seton and C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding, Agent & Resident Manager)	St. Margaret's	197	93 34
Balmoral Ceylon Estates Co., Ltd.	Balmoral	199	94 29
Do.	Clydesdale	227	107 54
Do.	Galatea	189	89 55
Alliance Tea Co., Ltd.	Thornfield	290½	137 60
The Agra Tea Co. of Ceylon, Ltd.	Wishford	158	74 88
R. S. & G. J. Pieris	Agra Elbedde	276	130 74
A. R. Ashton (E. E. Megget)	Iona	112	53 10
G. L. Gwatkin (E. E. Megget)	Torrington	283	134 0
Do.	Helbeck	109	51 72
Alex. Stevenson	Lot 110,382, Mossend	125	59 25
P. B. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding, Agent and Resident Manager)	New Preston	167½	79 38
A. G. & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding, Agent and Resident Manager)	Lot 110,383, Preston No. 2	250	118 43

1st to 17th section, 9 miles.

Total acreage, 9,149—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0483c.—Total rate, ·5213c.

Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Glenlyon, Stair, & Polmont.	683	356 42
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1st to 19th section, 10½ miles.

Total acreage, 8,466—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,326·90—
Sectional rate, ·1567c.—Total rate, ·6780c.

The Alliance Tea Co. of Ceylon, Ltd.	Gleneagles	222	150 70
Agra Ouyah Estates Co. (W. Wilson Smith)	Agra Ouyah	331	224 65
Do.	Frankarton	193	131 3

1st to 21st section, 11½ miles.

Total acreage, 7,720—Moiety of cost, Rs. 884·58—
Sectional rate, ·1145c.—Total rate, ·7925c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount.
Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Coy.	Hauteville	320	253	85	
Do.	Woodlake	162	128	56	
Do.	Freshwater	251	199	14	
Do.	St. George	262	208	65	
John K. Gilliot & Co. (Cumberbatch & Co.)	Sultan	277	219	75	
Heirs of R. W. Wickham	Holmwood	391	310	18	

1st to 22nd section, 12 miles.

Total acreage, 6,056—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0730c.—Total rate, ·8655c.

Glasgow Estate Co., Ltd.	Glasgow	472	408	87	
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Waverly	157	136	7	

1st to 23rd section, 12½ miles.

Total acreage, 5,427—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0814c.—Total rate, ·9469c.

Glasgow Estate Co., Ltd.	Nithsdale	242	229	40	
Portmore Tea Estate Co., Ltd.	Portmore	306	289	5	
Do.	Aldourie	269	254	99	

1st to 24th section, 13 miles.

Total acreage, 4,610—Moiety of cost, Rs. 442·29—
Sectional rate, ·0959c.—Total rate, Re. 1·0428c.

C. B. Lutyens & G. H. D. Elphinstone (A. L. Scott)	Mornington	404	417	62	
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ardailie	209	218	18	
Heirs of T. Mackie and of P. Moir (W. B. Bartlet, Agent)	Lot No. 112,364 Powysland.	165	172	27	
Balmoral Ceylon Estates Co., Ltd.	Sandringham and Yaravale	542	565	67	

1st to 25th section, 14 miles.

Total acreage, 3,290—Moiety of cost, Rs. 884·56—
Sectional rate, ·2688c.—Total rate, Re. 1·3316c.

New Dimbula Co., Ltd.	Diyagama	3,125	4,101	19	
Heirs of J. M. Sayers	Nutbourne	165	216	63	

Total .. 12,384 16

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

N.B.—Private contributions	Rs.	c.
Unexpended balance, 1912-13	12,625	0
Amount to be recovered	240	84
	12,384	16

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, August 24, 1914. C. S. VAUGHAN, Chairman.

Dotale Branch Road.

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

(Estimate No. 84 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety	Rs.	1,900
Private contributions	Rs.	1,919

1st to 3rd section, 2·53 miles.

Total acreage, 5,335—Moiety of cost, Rs. 591·34—
Sectional rate, ·1108c.—Total rate, ·1108c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount.
Mackwood & Co.	Inchestelly	110	12	21	

1st to 7th section, 6·53 miles.

Total acreage, 5,225—Moiety of cost, Rs. 935·48—
Sectional rate, ·1790c.—Total rate, ·2898c.

E. G. Simpson	Mandolgirikanda	220	63	79	
Colombo Commercial Company, Limited (C. C. du Pré Moore)	Hunasgiriya	1,426	413	38	

1st to 8th section, 7·53 miles.

Total acreage, 3,579—Moiety of cost, Rs. 233·87—
Sectional rate, ·0653c.—Total rate ·3551c.

S. Velepillai and Sons	Tanahena	52	18	49	
Ukuwela Estates Co.	Tallingamadde	75	26	56	

1st to 9th section, 8·18 miles.

Total acreage, 3,452—Moiety of cost, Rs. 151·70—
Sectional rate, ·0439c.—Total rate, ·3990c.

Bosanquet & Co. (A. M. Blair)	Elkaduwa Group	1,810	722	49	
Skrine & Co. (M. E. Wad-dilove)	Hunugalla Group	686	273	84	
E. G. Beiby	Weygalla	357	142	51	
H. L. Anley	Mahatenna	384	153	29	
Geo. Steuart & Co. (R. J. Schofield)	Galgawatta	215	85	83	
	Total		1,912	39	

N.B.—Private contributions .. 1,919 0
Unexpended balance, 1912-13 .. 6 61

Amount to be recovered on account 1913-14 1,912 39

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, August 25, 1914. C. S. VAUGHAN, Chairman.

Huluganga-Bambraela Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the fifteen months ending September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, September 19, 1914, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	Rs.	1,200
Private contributions	Rs.	1,212

1st section, ½ mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
J. George	Hulugangawatta	60
Do.	Mahousa	614
J. Hemsted	Allacolla and Overdale	648
G. L. Doudney	Ratnatenna	456
Mr. Woods	Kandeketha	600

1st to 3rd section, 2½ miles.

J. C. de Silva	Galgodawatta	22
G. Punchihamine	Wawakanattawatta	22
Veerappan Kangany	Tallagoya	28
Marie Kangany	Marie's Land and Florence	486
A. Sinclair	Goomera Old and New	844
Pana Sidambran Kangany	Galboda	150
E. R. Cox	Baddegama	188
J. Hall Brown	Old Tunisgalla	376

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
P. J. M. Box	1st to 4th section, 3 miles. .. Halgalla and Madakelle	652
J. P. Hortin	1st to 5th section, 3½ miles. .. Lebanon Group	1,098
J. P. Hortin	1st to 6th section, 4½ miles. .. Knuckles Group	1,340
C. F. Dowker	.. Katoool-oya	584
Do.	.. Gangamulla	263

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, August 26, 1914. Chairman.

Norton-Carolina Branch Road.

(From Carolina Estate, 11th mile, Ambegamuwa to Norton bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the fifteen months ending September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Friday, September 25, 1914, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

Government moiety	Rs. 1,900
Private contributions	1,919

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
T. E. Earle (R. Bennett)	.. St. Aubins	336
Carolina Tea Company (S. P. Blackmore)	.. Dotiagalla	181
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited (R. Bennett)	.. Lonach and Benachie	759
A. H. and E. P. Harding (G. Gilliat)	.. Killin	307
A. H. and E. P. Harding	.. Comar	261
Alliance Tea Co. (C. M. Pickthall)	.. Aberdeen	480
Heirs of R. Aspland (E. Ware)	.. Norton	336
H. C. Bryett and A. P. Godfrey	.. Hardenhuish and Ellaoya	477
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg)	.. Lammermoor	187
H. A. Grigg and W. J. Hamilton (S. H. Grigg)	.. Laxapanagalla	344
Do.	.. Theberton	201
Fred. Clerk (C. B. Robson)	.. Elfindale	640
H. A. Grigg	.. Galawatta	176
Donnybrook Tea Co. (Carson & Co.) (E. Ware)	.. Donnybrook	375
R. Fenwick (E. Ware)	.. Glengariffe	338
Eastern Produce & Estates Company, Ltd. (C. G. Spiller)	.. Dandukelewa and Vellaioya	1,881

And at same 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, August 27, 1914. Chairman.

Glenlyon-Preston Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the fifteen months ending September 30,

1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, September 19, 1914, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

Government moiety	Rs. 750.00
Private contributions	Rs. 757.50

1st to 4th section, 88.70 lines.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd. (G. C. Bliss)	.. Glenlyon	636
G. T. and Mrs. R. S. Peries (E. E. Megget)	.. Agra Elbedda	276

1st to 5th section, 115.10 lines.

Colonel Gwatkin (E. E. Megget)	.. Helbeck	109
Heirs of Mrs. M. A. Stevenson (J. D. Stevenson)	.. Mossend	125
Colonel and Mrs. Gwatkin (E. E. Megget)	.. Torrington	283

1st to 6 section, 134.60 lines.

E. E. Megget	.. Iona	112
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd. (G. C. Bliss)	.. Polmont	48
P. B. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding)	.. New Preston	167
A. G. & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding)	.. Preston	250
Heirs of J. M. Smith (R. C. Fowler)	.. Albion	289
A. G. & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding)	.. St. Margaret's...	196

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, August 29, 1914. Chairman.

Galagedera-Heenabowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of section 5 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, intend to define the limits of the district, the estates in which will, if the proposal for the improvement and maintenance of the road from Galagedera to Heenabowa 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.

The Provincial Road Committee will, on Saturday, September 19, 1914, at 11.30 A.M. at their office in Kandy, hold a Meeting and will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections.

It is proposed to include the following among other estates in the district to be assessed :—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
G. Winter	.. St. George	35
A. Hamilton Harding	.. Betworth	237
G. Winter and Furlong	.. Majuba hill	58
H. Tikiri Appu	.. Gederawatta	30
R. E. Paranagama	.. Pawulpawa	40
E. Winter and Dr. Gray	.. Uduwakanda	80
Alutta Rubber & Produce Co., Limited	.. Alutta	400
H. Stevenson and Stanley Hillman	.. Meegastenna	378
P. N. Mandiram Panditar	.. Kotikanbewatta (Letchime estate)	113
George Bemmelmans	.. Kandamee & Vanilla	55
Alutta Rubber & Produce Co., Limited	.. Kudagalla	582
Pieris	.. Labragolla	30
Brampi Appu, Godatale	.. Karandehena	22
F. J. Holloway and George Bemmelmans	.. Trafford hill group	600

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, August 26, 1914. Chairman.

Branch Road from Norwood to Campion.

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

(Estimate No. 308 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 4,600
Private contributions .. Rs. 4,646

1st section, 52·80 lines.

Total acreage, 14,221—Moiety of cost, Rs. 462·15—
Sectional rate, ·0324c.—Total rate, ·0324c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
The Eastern Produce Co., Ltd.	Norwood	882	28	66
George Steuart & Co.	Portree	275	8	94

1st to 3rd section, 94·21 lines.

Total acreage, 13,064—Moiety of cost, Rs. 302·31—
Sectional rate, ·0277c.—Total rate, ·0501c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
Bogawantalawa Tea Co., Ltd. (G. H. Sparkes)	Elbedde	747	44	99
H. F. Laycock	Lawrence	565	34	4

1st to 4th section, 118·21 lines.

Total acreage, 11,752—Moiety of cost, Rs. 210·02—
Sectional rate, ·0178c.—Total rate, ·0679c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
H. F. Laycock	Venture	405	31	64
D. G. Brebner	Kew	526	41	9

1st to 6th section, 214·06 lines.

Total acreage, 10,821—Moiety of cost, Rs. 844·18—
Sectional rate, ·0780c.—Total rate, ·1459c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
J. M. Robertson & Co. (Capt. Guy Walker)	St. John Del Rey	725	113	19

1st to 7th section, 245·43 lines.

Total acreage, 10,096—Moiety of cost, Rs. 269·26—
Sectional rate, ·0266c.—Total rate, ·1725c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
Bogawantalawa Tea Co., Ltd. (G. H. Sparkes)	Kirkoswald	877	160	30
A. C. T. Meyes	Tientsin	385	70	38
G. Steuart & Co.	Morar	497	90	84
H. A. Oliverson (L. E. Thomas)	Singarawatta	143	26	15
A. C. Smail and T. Giddens (J. W. Baillie)	Robgill	433	79	15

1st to 10th section, 334·60 lines.

Total acreage, 7,761—Moiety of cost, Rs. 780·32—
Sectional rate, ·1005c.—Total rate, ·2730c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd.	Bogawantalawa	615	174	24

1st to 12th section, 387·40 lines.

Total acreage, 7,146—Moiety of cost, Rs. 462·02—
Sectional rate, ·0646c.—Total rate, ·3376c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
K. Rollo	Chapelton	684	283	36
Heirs of G. K. Maitland	Theresia	340	118	32

1st to 14th section, 435·58 lines.

Total acreage, 6,121—Moiety of cost, Rs. 421·56—
Sectional rate, ·0688c.—Total rate, ·4064c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
D. E. Kelly	Killarney	355	147	99
Bogawantalawa Tea Co. (G. H. Sparkes)	Bridwell	473	197	17
Do.	Bogawana	456	181	75
Finlay, Muir & Co.	Lynsted	405	168	83

1st to 15th section, 476·76 lines.

Total acreage, 4,452—Moiety of cost, Rs. 360·40—
Sectional rate, ·0809c.—Total rate, ·4973c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
Imperial Estates Co., Ltd.	Friedland	165	82	15
Major-General Sir C. F. Hadden, K.C.B., and Fred. Hadden	Kotiyagala	1,089	542	9

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
Kandapola Estates Co., Ltd. (T. Gidden)	Lot 6,280, T.P. 101,851, Devonford	287	142	87

1st to 16th section, 529·56 lines.

Total acreage, 2,911—Moiety of cost, Rs. 462·14—
Sectional rate, ·1587c.—Total rate, ·6460c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
Kintyre Estates Co. (Geo. Steuart & Co.)	Eltofts	290	190	41
Ceylon Land and Produce Co.	Fettaresso	438	287	57

1st to 17th section, 530·64 lines.

Total acreage, 2,183—Moiety of cost, Rs. 9·32—
Sectional rate, ·0042c.—Total rate, ·6502c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
R. H. Cooper	Lynford	293	193	62
Chas. Strachan & Co. (T. Gidden)	Campion and Kohinoor	724	478	41
Ceylon Provincial Estates Loinorn		239	157	94
Imperial Estates Co., Ltd.	Lot 6,279½, T.P. 141,850, St. Vigeans	185	122	26
T. Farr and A. van Citters	Lot 6,985, T.P. 110,064, North-cove	265	175	12
J. Sheriff	Dunlow and Aldie	477	315	21

4,643 68

N. B.—Private contributions .. 4,646 0
Unexpended balance, 1912-13 .. 2 32

Amount to be recovered on account of 1913-14 4,643 68

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before September 12, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, September 1, 1914. Chairman.

Norwood-Campion Branch Road.

(Storm damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the cost of repairing flood damages on the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the following estates at the rate of ·0097c. per acre to make up the private contributions:—

(Estimate No. 851 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 135·00
Private contributions .. Rs. 138·37

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	Amount.
The Eastern Produce Company, Limited	Norwood	882	8	57
Geo. Steuart & Co.	Portree	275	2	66
Bogawantalawa Tea Co., Ltd. (G. H. Sparkes)	Elbedde	747	7	25
H. F. Laycock	Lawrence	565	5	48
Do.	Venture	405	4	93
D. G. Brebner	Kew	526	5	10
J. M. Robertson & Co. (Capt. Guy Walker)	St. John Del Rey	725	7	4
Bogawantalawa Tea Co., Ltd. (G. H. Sparkes)	Kirkoswald	877	8	62
A. C. T. Meyes	Tientsin	385	3	73
George Steuart & Co.	Morar	497	4	82
H. A. Oliverson (L. E. Thomas)	Singarawatta	143	1	38
A. C. Smail and T. Giddens (J. W. Baillie)	Robgill	433	4	20

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Colombo Commercial Company, Limited	Bogawantalawa	615	5 97
K. Rollo	Chapelton	685	6 65
Heirs of G. K. Maitland	Theresia	340	3 28
D. E. Kelly	Killarney	355	3 44
Bogawantalawa Tea Co., Ltd.	Bridwell	473	4 59
Bogawantalawa Tea Co., Ltd. (G. H. Sparkes)	Bogawana	436	4 23
Finlay, Muir & Co.	Lynsted	405	3 93
Imperial Estates Co., Ltd.	Friedland	165	1 59
Major-General Sir C. F. Hadden, K.C.B., and Fred Hadden	Kotiyagala	1,089	10 57
Kandapola Estates Co., Ltd.	Devonford	287	2 78
Kintyre Estates Company (Geo. Steuart & Co.)	Eltofts	290	2 81
Ceylon Land and Produce Company	Fetteresso	438	4 25
R. H. Cooper	Lynford	293	2 84
Chas. Strachan & Co. (T. Gidden)	Campion and Kohinoor	724	7 3
Ceylon Provincial Estates	Loinorn	239	2 31
Imperial Estates Co., Ltd.	St. Vigeans	185	1 23
T. Farr & A. van Citters (D. E. Kelly)	Northcove	265	2 56
J. Sheriff	Dunlow & Aldie	477	4 63
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Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before September 12, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, September 1, 1914. Chairman.

Golahenwatta-Yatawatta Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above-mentioned road for the fifteen months ending September 30, 1914, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on Saturday, September 19, 1914, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	Rs. 1,600
Private contributions	Rs. 1,616

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
The Lanka Plantations Company, Limited (J. M. S. Barlow)	Yatawatta	1,251
Dangan Rubber Company, Limited (R. G. Thompson)	Dangan	596
Messrs. Skrine & Co. and Geo. A. Greig	Laxahena	359

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, August 26, 1914. Chairman.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Lassahena Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's registered office, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, September 15, 1914, at 11 A.M.

Business.

- To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to June 30, 1914.
- To elect Directors.
- To appoint Auditors for the current year.
- To transact such other business as may properly be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,
Colombo, August 25, 1914. Agents and Secretaries.

The Nilavale Coconut Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's registered office, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, at 12 noon, on Tuesday, September 15, 1914.

Business.

- To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ending June 30, 1914.
- To elect Directors.
- To appoint Auditors for the current year.
- To transact such other business as may properly be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,
Colombo, August 20, 1914. Agents and Secretaries.

The Goleonda Estate Rubber Company, Limited, (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at a General Meeting of the Company, held at Baker's Farm, Nuwara Eliya, the registered office of the Company, on April 25, 1910, the following resolution was passed:—

"That on consideration of the Liquidator's account of Receipts and Payments from the date of appointment to the

close of the liquidation, this meeting is of opinion that the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up and that the said account be received and adopted."

WILLIAM D. BOSANQUET,
Liquidator.

July 20, 1914.

The Mount Lavinia Hotel Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 21, Beilby Street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, September 12, 1914, at noon.

Business.

- To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the six months ending June 30, 1914.
- To declare a dividend.
- To elect two Directors.
- To transact such other business as may properly be brought before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed as from August 29 to September 15 next, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEWIS BROWN & Co.,
Colombo, August 29 1914. Agents and Secretaries.

The Colombo Hotels Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly Meeting of the Company will be held in the Grand Oriental Hotel, Colombo, on Monday, September 14, 1914, at 12 noon.

Business.

- To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the half-year ended June 30, 1914.
- To appoint Auditors.
- To consider the question of termination of the re-building contract.
- To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 7 to 14, 1914, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

A. DUNOUM,
Colombo, August 31, 1914. Secretary.