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NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specifications have been accepted:—

No. 1,407 of March 30, 1914.

Lewis Cæsar Van Riper.

"Cinematographic apparatus."

Abstract.—The inventor states:—

My invention relates to a projecting machine for motion pictures of the type in which the film is given a continuous travel, instead of the usual intermittent travel, and a plurality of mirrors are provided which reflect the images from successive pictures and tilt as they pass through the rays of light from the film to compensate for the movement of the film so that the projections on the screen remain stationary and each successive image is dissolved into the preceding one.

One of the principal objects of the invention is to provide a simple, accurately operating mechanism for accomplishing the necessary movements of the mirrors.

Another object of my invention is to prevent vibration and dark intervals between successive pictures by keeping the volume of light constant and thus overcoming flicker.

Another object is to provide a mechanism in which the film travels over an arcuate path, the centre of curvature of which lies in the axis on which the mirrors tilt, so that as the distance of any given point on the film while passing through the beam of light to the rocking axis of the mirrors always remains the same, the image is not distorted and a constant focus is maintained with respect to the lens and screen.

Another object of the invention is to provide a machine of this type which will be very simple in its construction and economical to manufacture; the invention having in view particularly a projecting machine that can be produced at such a low cost as to make it suitable for use in private houses, schools, and the like.

A further object of the invention is to provide in connection with certain novel constructions and arrangements in the projecting machine, a novel arrangement of the picture records on the film, whereby the number of picture records for a given length of film may be increased and the film run through the machine back and forth from one reel to the other so as to obviate the necessity of rewinding, without reversing the film driving mechanism of the machine.

The invention has for further objects to provide such other new and improved constructions, devices, and arrangements in projecting apparatus for moving pictures as will be hereinafter described and claimed.

The claims are:—

1. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to be interchangeably positioned to move in one direction through said light beam, to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for moving said reflectors and means for rocking each reflector to continuously change its angular position with respect to an adjacent reflector and with respect to the film while entering and passing through the beam of light from said film, to cause the image of one picture to fade into the next.

2. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to be interchangeably positioned to move in one direction through said light beam, to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for moving said reflectors and means for rocking each reflector to cause it to enter said beam of light at an angle and continue to change its angular position with respect to an adjacent reflector and with respect to the film while travelling through said beam of light, to compensate for the movement of said film.
3. In a projecting apparatus having means for moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to interchangeably move through said light beam, to receive and reflect the light rays, means for moving said reflectors and means for rocking each reflector to continuously change its angular position with respect to the film while moving through said beam of light.
4. In a projecting apparatus having means for moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to interchangeably move through said light beam, to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for moving said reflectors and means for rocking each reflector to continuously change its angular position with respect to an adjacent reflector and with respect to the film while both of said reflectors are passing through the beam of light from said film.
5. In a projecting apparatus having means for moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to interchangeably move through said light beam, to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for moving said reflectors and means for rocking each reflector to cause it to enter said beam of light at an angle and continue to change its angular position with respect to an adjacent reflector and with respect to the film while travelling through said beam of light.
6. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to interchangeably move through said light beam, to receive and reflect the light rays, means for moving said reflectors and means for rocking each reflector upon a common fixed axis while moving through the beam of light to continuously change its angular position with respect to the film during the reflecting period.
7. An apparatus of the character described having means for continuously moving a picture film, a plurality of rotatory reflecting devices adapted to be interchangeably positioned in the path of a beam of light from said film, and each adapted for rocking movement when so positioned, to compensate for the movement of said film, means for simultaneously rotating such reflecting devices, and means for imparting rocking movement to each of said reflecting devices.
8. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film, means for guiding said film along an arcuate path through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for rotating said reflectors and means for rocking said reflectors upon a common fixed axis at right angles to and intersecting the axis of rotation, to cause the image of one picture to dissolve into the next.
9. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film, means for guiding said film along an arcuate path through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors rotating, and means for rocking said reflectors upon an axis which passes through the centre of curvature of the path of said film.
10. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film, means for guiding said film over an arched opening and through a beam of light, a plurality of reflectors to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for rotating said reflectors and means for rocking said reflectors upon a common axis concentric with the radius of the curvature of said arched opening to keep the distance between the rocking axis of said reflectors and all portions of said film while passing through the beam of light constant to cause the image of one picture to fade into the next.
11. In a projecting apparatus, the combination of means for continuously moving a picture film, a plurality of reflecting devices mounted on rotatable shafts, said shafts connected together by a universal joint, means for rotating said shafts and means for shifting the axial relation of said shafts to each other.
12. In a projecting apparatus having means for continuously moving a picture film through a beam of light, a plurality of rotatable reflectors to receive and reflect the picture rays, means for rotating said reflectors and means for rocking said reflectors upon a common fixed axis at right angles to and intersecting the axis of rotation.
13. In a projecting apparatus the combination of a lens, means for moving a picture film through a beam of light, means for guiding said film over an arcuate path through said beam of light, a plurality of reflectors adapted to interchangeably move through said light beam between said film and lens, to receive and reflect the light rays, means for moving said reflectors, and means for rocking each reflector to continuously change its angular position with respect to the film while moving through said beam of light.
14. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of four tilting mirrors arranged to rotate around an axis, the pairs of mirrors disposed to opposite sides of said axis of rotation being in rigid relation with each other, so as to tilt together, means for rotating said mirrors around said axis, and means for tilting the same.
15. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors and mechanism for rotating and tilting the same, comprising a pair of rocking members, shafts carried by said members to which said mirrors are secured, a universal joint connecting said shafts, a driving connection to one of said shafts which permits the angular movement of said shaft, and means for oscillating said rocking members.
16. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors and mechanism for rotating said mirrors and tilting the same, comprising a pair of rocking members, shafts carried by said members to which said mirrors are secured, a universal joint connecting said shafts, a gear wheel on one of said shafts, a counter-shaft on the corresponding one of said rocking members having a gear meshing with said first-mentioned gear, means for driving said last-mentioned shaft, and means for oscillating said rocking members.
17. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors and mechanism for rotating said mirrors and tilting the same, comprising a pair of rocking members, a shaft on which said rocking members are mounted, a counter-shaft carried by one of said rocking members, a pair of shafts revolubly supported by said rocking members to which said mirrors are secured, a universal joint connecting said pair of shafts, gears by means of which one of said last-mentioned pair of shafts is driven from the first-mentioned shaft through said counter-shaft, and means for oscillating said rocking members.
18. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of four compensating mirrors and mechanism for rotating said mirrors and tilting the same, comprising a pair of rocking members, a shaft on which said rocking members are mounted, a counter-shaft carried by one of said rocking members, a pair of shafts revolubly supported by said rocking members to each of which two of said mirrors are secured, a universal joint connecting said pair of shafts, gears by means of which one of said last-mentioned pair of shafts is driven from the first-mentioned shaft through said counter-shaft, and means for oscillating said rocking members.
19. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors, rocking members, shafts carried by said rocking members to which said mirrors are secured, means for oscillating said rocking members, and means for rotating said shafts, comprising a driving train which is engaged with one of said shafts so as to allow the same to shift its angular position.
20. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors and mechanism for rotating and tilting the same, comprising a pair of rocking members, shafts carried by said means to which said mirrors are secured, a universal joint connecting said

shafts, a driving connection to one of said shafts which permits the angular movement of said shaft, and eccentrics which operate to oscillate said rocking members.

21. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with means for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors and mechanism for rotating said mirrors and tilting the same, comprising a pair of rocking members, a shaft on which said rocking members are mounted, a counter-shaft carried by one of said rocking members, a pair of shafts revolubly supported by said rocking members to which said mirrors are secured, a universal joint connecting said pair of shafts, gears by means of which one of said last-mentioned pair of shafts is driven from the first-mentioned shaft through said counter-shaft and eccentrics which operate to oscillate said rocking members.

22. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with mechanisms for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors, mechanism for rotating and tilting said mirrors, and a driving connection between the aforesaid two mechanisms which can be made ineffective so as to allow the movement of the film independently of the mirrors for the purpose of adjusting the former.

23. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with mechanism for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensation mirrors, mechanism for rotating and tilting said mirrors, and a driving connection between the aforesaid two mechanisms which is effective when said first-mentioned mechanism is driven forward and is defective when said mechanism is reversed.

24. In a moving picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with mechanism for giving continuous travel to a motion picture film, of compensating mirrors, mechanism for rotating and tilting said mirrors, and a ratchet and dog mechanism coupling said last-mentioned mechanism to the first-mentioned mechanism.

25. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with a driving shaft, of a sprocket rotated thereby adapted to engage with a motion picture film, a gear wheel loose on said shaft, a ratchet fixed to the shaft, a spring-pressed dog on the gear wheel adapted to engage said ratchet to couple said shaft to said gear when the shaft is driven in one direction, while allowing the shaft to run free from the gear when revolving in the opposite direction, compensating mirrors, and mechanism for rotating and tilting the same, which is driven from said gear wheel.

26. In a motion picture projecting machine of the type described, the combination with a driving shaft, of a sprocket rotated thereby adapted to engage with the motion picture film, a gear wheel loose on said shaft, a ratchet fixed to the shaft, a spring-pressed dog on the gear wheel adapted to engage said ratchet to couple said shaft to said gear when the shaft is driven in one direction, while allowing the shaft to run free from the gear when revolving in the opposite direction, compensating mirrors, rocking members, a shaft on which said members are mounted, a pair of shafts revolubly mounted in said rocking members, a universal joint connecting said pair of shafts, compensating mirrors secured to said pair of shafts, a counter-shaft in one of said rocking members, and gearing arranged so that said pair of shafts is driven from the shaft on which the rocking members are mounted through said counter-shaft.

27. The combination with a motion picture projecting machine comprising means for supporting and guiding a motion picture film which provides an aperture that exposes a part only of the width of said film, of a motion picture film provided with two series of picture records, which series are arranged side by side on the film and run lengthwise of the same, the picture records of one series being arranged in inverse order to those of the other and inverted with respect to those of the other reels for said film, means for driving the film in one direction through the machine, and means for interchangeably supporting the reels on the machine so that the two series of picture records may be successively exposed through said aperture in proper position and in the proper order for projecting the same, the other series being covered in each case.

28. In a motion picture projecting machine, the combination with an apertured casing, of means for moving a motion picture film across the aperture in said casing, and means for guiding said film, comprising a frame pivoted to said casing at one end, a frame loosely mounted in said first-mentioned frame and having an aperture corresponding with the aperture in said casing, and elastic devices which press said last-mentioned frame against the edges of said film.

Four sheets of drawings.

No. 1,418 of June 1, 1914. (Date applied for under section 50 of the Ordinance, June 10, 1913.)

Samuel Cleland Davidson.

"Improvements relating to the treatment of latex."

Abstract.—The inventor states:—

This invention relates to the treatment of latex and more particularly latex of the kind known as Para and Hevea Brasiliensis, and is applicable to the fluid latex whether or not the latex has been subjected to previous treatment, such for example as when ammonia or other alkaline substance or formaldehyde has been added to prevent a tendency which sometimes exists for the latex to coagulate spontaneously before it can be brought into the factory.

The object of the present invention is to cause the caoutchouc in the course of its coagulation from the latex to become homogeneously and intimately impregnated or incorporated with a preservative substance or substances.

In my previous specifications numbers 1,305 and 1,346 I proposed to incorporate with the latex a preservative substance (and in some cases a small amount of a soluble salt of sulphur which deposits sulphur on addition of an acid) in an alkalisied or alkaline solution such that it is freely soluble in water and will mix uniformly through the latex without causing coagulation of the caoutchouc, but which on the subsequent addition to the latex of any suitable acid or acid substance for coagulation of the caoutchouc will be decomposed, whereby the preservative substance will be liberated from the alkalisied solution and whereby also sulphur will be liberated from the soluble salt of sulphur if same has been employed, so that these substances will be deposited and retained in the coagulating caoutchouc and thus be homogeneously distributed throughout the mass thereof as described in my prior specifications numbers 1,305 and 1,346.

In my said prior specifications numbers 1,305 and 1,346 I proposed for this purpose to employ an aqueous alkaline solution of creosote or carbolic acid or mixtures thereof.

According to the present invention I employ an alkaline mixture of certain constituents of creosote, namely, the isomeric cresols, either individually or in the commercial mixture known as cresylic acid, or their higher homologues known commercially as "higher tar acids," and which prepared mixture for brevity of description is hereinafter referred to as "alkalisied cresol," which I have found to give more satisfactory results than creosote and to be more easily and uniformly deposited in the coagulated caoutchouc.

I may add such alkalisied cresol to the latex at any time prior to the coagulation of the caoutchouc therefrom, or I may add it simultaneously with the acid or acid substance used for effecting the coagulation.

The claims are:—

1. In the extraction or coagulation of india rubber from latex, adding to the latex as a preliminary treatment thereof prior to the coagulation of the rubber therefrom, an aqueous alkaline solution of a cresol, or cresols, cresylic acid, or higher tar acids, and hereinbefore referred to as "alkalisied cresol," substantially as described.

2. In a process for the extraction or coagulation of india rubber from latex according to claim 1, adding to the latex said "alkalisied cresol" in combination with a solution of sulphides or polysulphides, such as those of soda or potash, substantially as described.

3. In a process for the extraction or coagulation of india rubber from latex adding to the latex said "alkalised cresol," as referred to in claims 1 or 2, in combination with a solution of formaldehyde, substantially as described.

4. A process for the extraction or coagulation of india rubber from latex, comprising a preliminary treatment of the latex with a solution of alkalised cresol, as referred to in claims 1, 2, and 3, and subsequently coagulating the rubber by addition of a hot or cold dilute solution of an acid, or acid substance, capable of liberating the preservative substance or substances in the coagulating caoutchouc, substantially as and for the purpose described.

5. In the extraction or coagulation of india rubber from the latex, adding to the latex an aqueous alkaline solution of alkalised cresol, or cresols, cresylic acid, or higher tar acids (with or without sulphides or polysulphides and with or without formaldehyde) as hereinbefore referred to in claims 1, 2, and 3, simultaneously, or substantially simultaneously with a solution of an acid or acid substance or substances, substantially as and for the purpose hereinbefore described.

No drawings.

No. 1,420 of June 11, 1914.

Thomas Gibbons Marlow and the Pulsometer Engineering Co., Ltd.

"Improvements in or relating to apparatus suitable for drying, heating, cooling, or ventilating purposes and for treating various materials."

Abstract.—The inventors state:—

This invention has reference to improvements in apparatus suitable for drying, heating, cooling, or otherwise treating materials of various kinds and for ventilating purposes by alternately supplying air or other gaseous fluid (hereinafter more particularly referred to as air) to one or more chambers, receptacles, or conduits (hereinafter referred to as the operating chamber) containing the material to be treated or constituting the place to be ventilated, so as to produce a plenum or pressure in such chamber and afterwards withdrawing air therefrom so as to produce a rarefaction therein, these operations being repeated as often as may be necessary to attain the desired result.

The present invention has for its object to simplify and cheapen the construction of apparatus of the kind referred to, and also to enable the working thereof to be modified, when necessary, by causing the air within the chamber to move along or circulate in the operating chamber in a closed cycle whilst the plenum is produced therein, or whilst the rarefaction is produced therein, or both when the plenum and when the rarefaction have been produced therein, and likewise to enable the direction of the air currents to be reversed, if necessary, for the purpose of enabling the conditioned air the better to come into intimate and effective contact with the material under treatment, or to produce effective ventilation of the chamber.

For this purpose according to the invention, there are employed in conjunction with the operating chamber, a fan, blower, or equivalent fluid exhausting and blowing device (hereinafter included in the term fan), and an air controlling arrangement arranged to form an air circuit, the air controlling arrangement being so constructed that air can be delivered from the fan into the operating chamber whilst the outlet of the circuit is closed, so as to produce a plenum in the chamber, and so that air can afterwards be withdrawn from the chamber whilst the inlet to the circuit is closed so as to produce a rarefaction in the chamber. To enable circulation or movement of air to take place in the chamber and amongst the material therein, in a closed cycle, when the plenum has been produced therein, or when the rarefaction has been produced therein, the air controlling arrangement is so constructed that the inlet and outlet of the operating chamber are, at the required times, placed simultaneously in connection respectively with the delivery and suction ducts of the fan. To enable the direction of the air currents to be reversed, the air controller may be so constructed as to allow of the simultaneous connection of the inlet of the operating chamber to the suction of the fan and the outlet of the operating chamber to the delivery of the fan.

The claims are:—

1. In the working of apparatus whereby a plenum and a rarefaction are alternately produced in a chamber or other confined space for drying, heating, cooling, ventilating, or other purpose, causing the fluid whilst in the state of plenum, or whilst in the state of rarefaction, or both whilst in the state of plenum and also whilst in the state of rarefaction to move or circulate in or through the chamber or other space in a closed cycle, the movement or circulation of the fluid being effected in one direction or alternately in reverse directions.

2. Apparatus suitable for carrying out the functions according to the preceding claim, in which there are employed in conjunction with the chamber or other confined space, wherein variation of fluid conditions are to be produced, a single fan, blower, or equivalent fluid exhausting and delivering device and an air controlling arrangement adapted to effect alteration in the connection between the inlet and outlet of the chamber or space with the suction and delivery of the fan during some predetermined period of each cycle of movement of the controller.

3. Apparatus suitable for the purposes herein specified, in which a rotary air controller is employed to alternately close the outlet from the chamber or other confined space to enable the fan to produce a plenum therein, and close the inlet to the chamber to enable air to be afterwards withdrawn from the chamber or space and produce a rarefaction therein.

4. Apparatus according to the preceding claims in which the controller is adapted to produce a circulation of the air in the chamber or other confined space whilst a plenum exists therein, substantially as described.

5. Apparatus according to claim 3 in which the controller is adapted to produce a circulation of the air in the chamber or other confined space, whilst a rarefaction exists therein, substantially as described.

6. Apparatus according to claim 2, in which the controller is adapted to produce a circulation of the air in the chamber or other confined space both when a plenum and when a rarefaction exists therein, substantially as described.

7. Apparatus of the kind herein referred to wherein the controller is adapted to reverse the direction of circulation of air in the chamber or other confined space, substantially as described.

8. Apparatus suitable for the treatment of materials of various kinds with smoke, vapour, or gases for sterilizing or otherwise treating the material as herein set forth, in which the heated body and chamber for decomposing the sterilizing or other agent used is separated from the material treatment chamber by a movable screen arrangement whereby the sterilizing medium will be cleaned and whereby passage of flame from the decomposing chamber to the outlet of the apparatus will be prevented, substantially as described.

9. Apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the means used for decomposing by heat the sterilizing or other agent employed comprises one or more upwardly extending metal bodies of conical, pyramidal, or equivalent shape adapted to afford a large heating surface for a comparatively small base area and on to which the sterilizing or other agent used is sprayed or allowed to fall, the said body or bodies being adapted to be heated internally or from below, substantially as described.

10. Apparatus of the kind set forth in claims 8 and 9 inclusive combined with apparatus of the kind set forth in claims 1 to 7 inclusive whereby sterilizing medium produced in the first-mentioned apparatus will be drawn through such apparatus and carried into the treatment chamber by the air current set up in the secondly-mentioned apparatus and caused to circulate such chamber in any of the ways set forth.

11. An air controller constructed substantially as hereinbefore described with reference respectively to and shown in figures 1 to 4 inclusive and in figures 5, 6, and 7 of the accompanying drawings.

12. Apparatus of the kind herein referred to, constructed and arranged to operate substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to the examples diagrammatically illustrated in figures 1 to 4 inclusive and in figures 5, 6, and 7 of the accompanying drawings.

13. Apparatus of the kind herein referred to, constructed and arranged to operate substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to figures 8 to 11 inclusive, or modified according to figure 12, or according to figure 13 of the accompanying drawings.

Three sheets of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

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 lighting 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 L.—On Wednesday, October 21, 1914, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

List M.—On Thursday, October 22, 1914, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

List N.—On Friday, October 23, 1914, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

The Municipal Office,
Kandy, September 14, 1914.

By order,
JAS. JAYETILEKE,
Secretary.

LIST L.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
<i>Asgiriya road.</i>		
4b and 4c ..	Houses and land ..	H. V. Banda
<i>Udamadapota.</i>		
2 ..	House and land ..	Don Elias
2a ..	Do. ..	Ukkuwella Unnanse
3a-c ..	Houses and land ..	Ran Hamy
11c and 11d ..	Fields ..	Mahanayaka Unnanse
14-16 ..	House and lands ..	A. C. D. Abeysekera
20, 20a, and 20b ..	Houses and land ..	Girigoris de Silva
23 ..	House and land ..	E. V. Jayasingha
<i>Cemetery road.</i>		
4 ..	Waste land ..	Keppitipola, R. M.
11, 11a, 12, and 13 ..	Houses and land ..	O. S. Mahamood's estate
25 ..	House and land ..	Charles Perera
<i>Lady Torrington road.</i>		
6, 8, 8a, and 8b ..	Houses and land ..	W. E. Weerasinghe
19, 19a, and 19b ..	Do. ..	Nonchina Perera Hamine
22a and 22b ..	Do. ..	Mahana Unnanse
31 ..	Land ..	S. P. Ramen Chetty
32a-e ..	Houses and land ..	Roman Catholic Mission
<i>Wewelpitiya.</i>		
6 ..	House and land ..	Church Missionary Society
<i>Cross street.</i>		
B ..	House and land ..	Mana Idroos
2 ..	Do. ..	Bastian Perera
3 ..	Do. ..	Mrs. Buckman
6 ..	Do. ..	D. F. Silva
7a, 7aa, 7b, and 7g ..	Houses and land ..	D. P. A. Dias
11 ..	House and land ..	Mrs. Gunasekera
<i>Castle Hill street.</i>		
C ..	House and land ..	Cornalis de Silva
22 ..	Do. ..	Meera Meedin
119a-c ..	Houses and land ..	U. U. Ariadasa
120 ..	House and land ..	Kataragama Dewale
<i>Brownrigg street.</i>		
27 to 32a ..	Houses and land ..	A. Ratwatte
<i>King street.</i>		
35 ..	House and land ..	A. L. M. Cassim's estate
<i>Colombo street.</i>		
7 ..	House and land ..	K. S. B. Fernando, lessee
127 ..	Do. ..	D. C. P. Samerasinghe
134 and 136 ..	Houses and land ..	Heirs of A. D. F. Wijegoonewardena

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
<i>Temple street.</i>		
A and B	Houses and land	Tamby Rasa Uduma Lebbe's estate
5	House and land	G. M. Morais
11	Do.	J. C. Fernando
<i>Pavilion street.</i>		
8 and A	House and land	Warakaulla Banda
12	Do.	L. B. Hallangoda
<i>Ward street.</i>		
26a, 26b, and 27c	Houses and land	D. F. de Silva
LIST M.		
<i>Trincomalee street.</i>		
A	House and land	A. Uduma Lebbe Marikar's estate
38 and 39	Houses and land	T. S. K. L. Marikar
47 and 310	Do.	Ahamado Lebbe, lessee
56d-f and 57	Do.	Punchi Rala Korala
59, 60, and 61	Do.	Wattegama Kumarihamy
62	House and land	T. B. Aluwihare
75 and 257	Houses and land	D. S. Senanayake
96	Do.	A. B. Cassee Lebbe
134 and 295	Do.	A. Rahim
143	House and land	Yoosoof
151	Do.	Casse Lebbe
152 to 154, 156 and 158	Houses and land	D. B. Abeyagoonasekara
162	House and land	S. L. M. Ibrahim
173	Do.	M. Abdul Rasheed
183 and 183a	Houses and land	Abdul Majeed
184	House and land	Idroos, Ahamadu Lebbe, and Saboor Umma.
190	Do.	Sulima Lebbe
191	Do.	Casim Bass
203	Do.	L. M. Wijesinghe
204 and 205	Houses and land	Loku Menika
211	House and land	Assana Marikar
216	Do.	M. B. Ratwatte
232	Do.	S. T. Abdul Rahiman
234	Do.	L. B. Aluwihare
278 and 281	Houses and land	I. L. Omar
283	House and land	Sina Lebbe Marikar
284 and 285	Do.	Ahamadu Meera Natchia
317	Do.	A. Ratwatte
325	Do.	Hendrick Silva, lessee
346	Do.	K. Muniarum
347 and 347a	Houses and land	T. B. Perera
361, 362, and 363	Do.	D. B. Abeyagoonasakera
384 and 385	Do.	Samsy Lebbe
<i>Old Matale road.</i>		
6 and 7	House and land	Cader Saibo
8	Do.	W. S. Fernando
LIST N.		
<i>Katugastota road.</i>		
4 and 5	Houses and land	A. R. Cassee Lebbe
6	House and land	Savana Meedin Natchia
16	Do.	Mohamado Tamby Lebbe
10 to 12	Houses and land	H. M. Haniffa
18 and 19	Do.	Sagu Meedin
20	House and land	Sitti Rubis
24	Do.	E. G. de Silva
26a	Do.	Abdul Rahiman
27 and 28	Houses and land	S. M. Zainudeen
30	House and land	S. L. Zainudeen
31a & b	Do.	Abdul Carim
38	Do.	Nagoor Meera
39	Do.	Pakir Mohamado Tamby Lebbo
44	Do.	Sena Pichey
84, 84½, 84a, and 84b	Houses and land	Don Simon Appuhamy
85-88	House and land	Aliar Marikar's estate
102a-c	Houses and land	P. K. Migal Appu
103a	House and land	M. L. Daniel Siriwardana, Arachchi
104	Land	D. S. Senanayaka, Arachchi
105, 114 to 119b	Houses and land	Martin A. Wijesooria
109-112	Do.	M. Andris Silva
118 and 119	Do.	D. K. Gunasekera
120 to 123	Do.	W. Dona Punchi Nona
126	House and land	D. M. A. Wijesooria
127 to 131a	Houses and land	Heirs of Wadugodapitiya

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
132	House and land	W. A. Francis Perera
133, 134, and 136	Houses and land	W. Dona Catherina Hamy
135	House and land	O. D. Philip Perera
137	Land	Miskin Mason
140, 182b, and 179	Houses and land	William Dunuwilla
143	House and land	D. C. Gunasakera
150	Do.	Packeer Umma
151	Do.	Alic D. Alwis
160a	Land	W. E. Weerasinghe
161 to 163a	Houses and land	M. L. Sagu Hamidu Lebbe Kathibu
166, 168 to 172	Do.	Alic P. Weerasinghe
194c and d, 208 and 209	Do.	J. S. Fernando
197	House and land	D. S. Senanayaka, Arachchi
201a, b, 202, 205 to 207	Houses and land	D. M. A. Wijesooria
204	House and land	W. Dona Punchi Nona
221	Land	Heirs of Jayawardena
236 and 238	House and land	S. Casse Lebbe Marikar
242	Do.	S. Marikar
247 and 248	Houses and land	Abdul Rahiman
252	House and land	Idroos
253	Do.	S. Hamid
253a	Land	Mahamado Ismail
256	House and land	Carim
258	Do.	Mohamado Lebbe Marikar
259	Land	Sinna Tamby Mohandiram's estate
260	House and land	Habibu Lebbe Ayusha Umma
261 and 262	Houses and land	W. L. Sulima Lebbe
269 to 274	Do.	Sinna Tamby Mohandiram's estate
278	Land	Abdul Aziz
279	Do.	Cassee Lebbe

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall on Friday, July 31, 1914.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated July 24, 1914.

Present :—Mr. R. W. Byrde, Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; Mr. L. B. Fernando; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. H. L. de Mel; Mr. E. G. Jayewardene; Dr. David Rockwood; Dr. D. P. Banajee; Dr. W. P. Rodrigo; Mr. W. Sutherland Ross; Mr. G. Lionel Cox; Mr. J. A. Perera; Major W. H. Robinson; Mr. W. C. S. Ingles; and Mr. C. S. Burns.

1. The Minutes of the Special Meeting of June 26, 1914, and of the General Meeting of June 26, 1914, having been printed, and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of the Special Meeting of June 26, 1914, and of the General Meeting of June 26, 1914, be confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice, the Chairman read the following :—

Statement re Plague.

Since our last meeting 67 further cases of plague have occurred, making in all, with a correction in regard to 2 former cases, a total of 279 cases. Of these 67 cases, 34 were septicæmic and 33 were bubonic in character. In 9 cases the patients have recovered or are on the road to recovery. In 27 cases the persons were dead when found. No new area has been infected with human plague since our last meeting, except that the Symond's road area has extended its limits further up the Dematagoda road to the junction of Reservoir road. From information which was supplied by the Ward Member, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, the Medical Officer of Health discovered 4 cases which had occurred in one room. On search for rats and the breaking down of a portion of the wall a mummified rat was found in a portion of the wall 2½ feet deep. There were 29 tenements in all. The Medical Officer of Health found 182 rat holes, and 35 in one tenement. Measures were adopted for the destruction of rats in the locality, including fumigation with the Clayton machine of rat runs which were afterwards filled up with cement mortar. I am pleased to say that the measures proved efficacious and that no further case has occurred in that locality. The majority of cases have occurred in the Sea street area (31) and in the Symond's road area (27). There were 3 cases in Martie's lane. The remainder were isolated cases. I regret to say that the diseases is gradually spreading among the rats. Infected rats have been found as far south as the Wellawatta and Pamankada roads. On the east at Cotta road, Base Line road, and Urugodawatta road, and on the north at Mutwal and Grandpass.

Rat Destruction.

The present staff employed is 7 trapping overseers, 42 trapping coolies, 6 poisoning overseers, and 6 coolies. I consider it necessary, in view of the widely extended area, to increase the staff by—1 sub-inspector, 3 trapping overseers, 18 coolies, and that four more Clayton manuals be ordered. The ones in use have proved very useful. They are small and portable, and have been found to be very efficacious in killing rats in their runs.

The Chairman, thereupon, with the permission of Council, moved that he be authorized to increase the rat destruction staff by 1 sub-inspector, 3 trapping overseers, 18 coolies at a cost of Rs. 625 per mensem, and to order for four more Clayton manuals at a cost of £90 each, plus freight and landing charges. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried unanimously.

Questions.

3. Pursuant to notice, Mr. J. A. Perera asked the Chairman whether it was with his sanction or knowledge, or with the sanction or knowledge of the Waterworks Engineer, that the contract between Clifford Lake and Douglas C. Watson, Assistant Engineer, Waterworks Department, was entered into.

The Chairman replied as follows :—

It was not with my knowledge or sanction. The Waterworks Engineer informs me that the work was given on agreement to Messrs. Clifford Lake and Company on his suggestion. Messrs. Clifford Lake and Company were in possession

of a mechanical concrete mixer and had had practical experience in that class of work. It was agreed that Messrs. Clifford Lake and Company should supply the labour and plant, but not the materials. The work was let out on piecework agreement, which the Waterworks Engineer was satisfied was in the interests of the Council.

4 to 14. Pursuant to notice Dr. W. P. Rodrigo asked the Chairman the following questions, to which the latter replied *seriatim* as follows :—

Q 4.—Whether he has any information to place before this Council with regard to the proposal by Government to build grain sheds in the Pettah, and if so, whether he will be good enough to do so now ?

A.—I have no information to place before the Council.

Q 5.—Whether the Government has consulted him with regard to this scheme, and if so, what advice or opinion he has given them ?

A.—I had the pleasure of meeting the Hon. the Principal Collector of Customs and the Hon. the Director of Public Works, and also of being present on two occasions when deputations waited on His Excellency the Governor. I intimated that I approved of the scheme.

Q 6.—Whether he has been informed by Government, or is otherwise aware, that the Government intends to confine the storage of dry grain in the city to their proposed stores alone by a new Ordinance, and if so, whether he does not consider this step of the Government a violation of the constitutional rights of the rate-payers of this city, and if so, what steps he is going to take in the matter ?

A.—I am not aware of the framing of a new Ordinance. If a new Ordinance were passed, I would not consider it a violation of the constitutional rights of the rate-payers. The steps I would take in the matter would be to obey the new law.

Q 7.—Whether it is true that the object of Government is solely confined to the protection of the planting districts from the introduction of plague ?

A.—It does not appear to me that the object of Government is solely confined to the protection of the planting districts. The Government appears to me to be solicitous for the protection of the health and the welfare of the whole Island.

Q 8.—Whether, in his opinion, this proposal of Government, if carried out, will not result in a serious loss to this Council in respect of rates, and if so, what steps Government is going to take to make good such loss, and moved for papers ?

A.—I do not suppose for a moment that the proposal of Government, if carried out, will result in the ultimate issue in a serious loss to this Council. It will no doubt lead to a temporary loss, but things will soon adjust themselves and the scheme will result in an expansion of trade in the Pettah and a general enhancement of rents and consequently of rates. I am not aware that Government is going to take any steps to make good any loss of rates.

Q 9.—Have preventive and suppressive measures in regard to plague been relaxed in any way, and if so, why ?

A.—Preventive and suppressive measures have not been relaxed.

Q 10.—Who is the officer in actual charge of plague work at present ? How many Inspectors were employed in this work at the beginning, *i.e.*, in January, February, and March ? How many are employed now ? If there is a reduction is such reduction justifiable ?

A.—The Medical Officer of Health is the officer in charge of plague work. There were 16 Inspectors and 5 Sub-Inspectors employed on plague work at the beginning. There are 16 Inspectors and 5 Sub-Inspectors employed at present on plague work. For a short period Government gave us the services of 12 probationary students, who attended to sanitary duties in the morning and attended lectures in the afternoon. Government required their services at the end of April, and they returned to join the Government Sanitation Department. Further, I may mention that we have a considerable force employed searching for rat nests, filling up rat holes, shifting tiles, cleansing and disinfecting, including some 43 men.

Q 11.—Does the Public Health Department take sufficient care to ascertain when "contacts" of plague patients have left the infected premises before the officers of the Department come on the scene, and if so, do they try to trace these out, and with what success ?

A.—The Public Health Department takes sufficient care. Inquiries are instituted and endeavours made to trace the missing contacts. The Department has been generally successful, and has in some flagrant instances instituted prosecutions and secured convictions. The Inspectors make a house to house visitation in the infected areas and are very fairly cognizant of the inmates dwelling in the different houses, so that there is very little chance of contacts managing to get away, and entirely escaping observation. As a matter of fact, very few contacts have succeeded in escaping detection. In the history of the 277 plague cases, there are very few instances in which the patient was a refugee contact from a known infected house. The history of each patient is traced. To exemplify what I have said I may mention one or two cases which are of interest. In plague case 212 at Symond's road, Inspector Horan found the patient with one contact. He remembered that on a previous visit of his he had seen a woman and a little boy there. He made inquiries. The existence of the woman and boy was denied. He continued his inquiries. He obtained information which led to a telegram being sent to Alutgama. The woman and child were brought back. The woman developed bubonic plague. By this smart piece of work of Inspector Horan, Alutgama was saved from a case of plague. In case No. 259, two contacts who had escaped to Peliyagoda were traced and brought into Camp. Again in case No. 195, Maligawatta, on June 12, the staff were at first informed that the patient had lived there continuously from June 1 and that prior to that he had lived in Grandpass. Two members of the staff, however, recognized the bed in the room as one which had been seen by them at Symond's road two days before, and they also recognized the two contacts as residents of Symond's road. It was found that the man had been removed from 17, Symond's road, where he had been taken ill. Three contacts from No. 17 were removed to the Segregation Camp, and the two men who had removed the man were prosecuted and sentenced on conviction to one month's rigorous imprisonment each. Many other instances could be quoted, but time does not suffice. The Council can rest assured that the Public Health Department is putting in very good work.

Q 12.—Whether he will consider the desirability of attaching a number of detectives to the staff of the Medical Officer of Health for the purpose of tracing these contacts out ?

A.—I consider the attaching of a number of detectives to the staff of the Medical Officer of Health most undesirable.

Q 13.—In reference to the very serious state of affairs disclosed in paragraphs 5, 6, and 7 of the Veterinary Surgeon's report dated the 18th instant, whether he intends to increase the staff of the Veterinary Surgeon and consider the desirability of appointing a detective staff to help the Veterinary Surgeon, and moved for papers ?

A.—I consider that the staff should be increased and intend placing the matter before the respective Committees. I consider that the appointment of detectives is most undesirable in this as in the other case.

Q 14.—Whether he is aware that contracts are given out by Heads of Departments of this Council, in several instances, in breach of sections 64 and 66 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, and moved for papers ?

A.—I am not aware that contracts are given out by Heads of Departments in several instances in breach of sections 64, 66, of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910. There is the case of Messrs. Clifford Lake & Co. It, however, appears to be a moot point as to whether there has been any breach of the Ordinance in that case. The work was let out on piecework agreement. The excavation work at Labugama and on the pipe line is being done on similar piecework agreement.

In questions 8 and 13, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo, with leave of the Council, withdrew his motions for papers.

Motions.

15. Pursuant to notice Mr. H. L. de Mel moved that the City Improvement Schemes foreshadowed in the minutes of this Council of February 17, 1911, and the Town Planning Scheme called for by resolution of Council dated October 27, 1911, be furnished forthwith to Members of Council together with plans, estimates, recommendations, and other details. Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried unanimously.

Mr. H. L. de Mel, with the permission of the Council, deleted the word "forthwith" from the wording of the motion.

18. Mr. C. P. Dias next, with the permission of Council, moved the following motion standing in his name under item 18 of the agenda, as it was regarding a subject cognate to that dealt with in Mr. de Mel's motion :—

That Government be respectfully requested to allow this Council an opportunity of placing before Government its views on the housing bill now under consideration, and that a Special Committee of the Council be appointed to consider the bill and report thereon to the Council. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo seconded.—Carried unanimously.

It was resolved that the Special Committee should consist of the Standing Committees on Law, Municipal Works, and Finance.

17. Pursuant to notice and, with the permission of Council, Mr. C. P. Dias next moved the following motion standing in his name under item 17 of the agenda :—

That this Council view with the gravest concern and apprehension the proposal of Government to build grain stores on the Racquet Court. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.

Mr. Arthur Alvis suggested the amendment of the motion as follows :—

That this Council view with the gravest concern and apprehension any proposal to erect permanent buildings on the Racquet Court. Mr. C. P. Dias accepted the amendment.

At this stage Major W. H. Robinson left the Meeting.

Dr. W. P. Rodrigo, Mr. J. A. Perera, and Mr. H. L. de Mel spoke in favour of the motion.

On a show of hands being taken the motion was declared carried, 12 voting for it and 3 against.

16. Pursuant to notice, Mr. J. A. Perera moved that a Special Committee be appointed to inquire into the circumstances in which the contract between Clifford Lake and Douglas C. Watson, Assistant Engineer, Waterworks Department, came to be entered into. He suggested that the Committee consist of the Hon. Mr. T. H. Chapman, Mr. C. P. Dias, Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo, and the mover. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo seconded.

The Chairman stated that personally he was of opinion that the giving out of the works on piecework agreement was not quite in accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance which he considered should be followed. The motion was carried unanimously.

At this stage Mr. L. B. Fernando left the Meeting.

19. Pursuant to notice Mr. E. G. Jayewardene moved that the Chairman do call upon the Waterworks Engineer :—

- (a) To satisfy this Council by detailed calculations submitted that the reduction in discharge, consequent on the use of 20-inch instead of 30-inch valves in the new 30-inch main that is now being laid, is small enough to be negligible.
 - (b) To state what saving this sacrifice of discharge will effect.
 - (c) To produce authorities to convince the Council that a steel main has been, in practice, found so little liable to rust as not to require cleaning at all.
 - (d) To give reasons to show that abutments at both ends of bridges are unnecessary, and that their absence will not result in the earthen banks being washed away in flood time, leaving long unsupported lengths of pipe, and whether under existing arrangements there is no risk of the pipes floating in flood time if empty, or sinking if full, and thereby cracking, and what provision there is to prevent this.
- Mr. J. A. Perera seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman read out the following statement made by the Waterworks Engineer :—

(a) and (b) That owing to the presence of the existing duplicate main, and the narrowness of the roadway, 30-inch valves, if adopted, would necessitate a diversion of the pipe line where valves were required, as owing to the large size of the valve considerable space is required. This deviation would necessitate the use of bends in each instance, which would cause considerable loss of head due to obstruction of flow at the bends. By using 20-inch valves and special taper pipes no diversion of the main is necessary, and thereby the loss referred to is avoided, and a saving in cost of 50 per cent. is effected and also in the time taken to work the valves which is of the greatest importance in times of emergency, such as accidents. The question received considerable consideration at the time the works were designed, and was approved of by the Committee and Council. There is no necessity for theoretical calculations at this stage.

(c) The steel pipes are provided with a rust proof coating. The deposit in the interior of the existing mains is not due to rust, but consists of a vegetable matter, due to want of filtration. Filtration would prevent the formation of such a deposit. I would invite your notice to the following extract from my letter No. 194 of March 29, 1912, forwarding alternative schemes for the laying of the 30-inch main with cast iron and steel pipes.

"30-inch Main.—I have carefully considered the comparative costs and relative advantages of cast iron pipes, and steel pipes. The estimated costs are as follows :—cast iron main, Rs. 3,610,000; steel main, Rs. 2,375,000; Difference of cost, Rs. 1,235,000.

Taking into consideration that it is proposed to filter the water prior to entering the main pipe line works, I recommend the adoption of steel pipes. I only do so on the understanding that the filtration scheme is included as part of the main pipe line works. The incrustation that has occurred in the present mains clearly illustrates what danger would result from unfiltered water in the steel main."

Scraping of the steel main would cause damage to the protective coating and internal corrosion would set in. Careful attention is being exercised in the laying of these mains to prevent both external and internal corrosion, and steps will be taken in the maintenance of the pipe line to prevent corrosion.

(d) Reinforced concrete trestles have been adopted in place of masonry abutments. Masonry abutments have proved a failure, as they are constantly subsiding and as the 20-inch main is built into the masonry, the subsidence causes a complete fracture of the water main, resulting in great inconvenience to the city water supply and costly repairs. Accidents have occurred at almost every stream crossing where masonry abutments have been adopted, and I have been compelled, at Dematagoda and Wellampitiya stream crossing, to remove the masonry from the top of the pipes, as the abutments are subsiding and taking the pipes with it. I would cite an instance in support of the adoption of reinforced concrete trestles for abutments and piers by the behaviour of the stream crossings at Wennawatta during the flood of October, 1913, when the road bridge and the two piers supporting the two 20-inch mains were swept away, and the abutments undermined, causing great damage and rendering the main unserviceable, while the 30-inch main stood the strain although empty at the time, and which had to be charged in order to supply the city. For your information I forward a photograph taken at the time when the flood was rising, showing the steel main intact after the bridge and piers supporting the 20-inch mains had been washed away. [The photograph was handed round the Council table for inspection by Members.]

20. Pursuant to notice Mr. E. G. Jayewardene invited the Chairman's attention to the information regarding the leakage at the Elie House Reservoir given to "The Ceylonese" newspaper by the Waterworks Engineer and published

in the issue of "The Ceylonese" of July 24, 1914, and moved that the Chairman do call upon the Waterworks Engineer to furnish a detailed report to the Council on the said leakage. Mr. J. A. Perera seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman read the following report from the Waterworks Engineer :—

The waste of water is due to seepage through the concrete walls of the reservoir. There is no crack in the walls. The reservoir is in two divisions, and in order to find out the total amount of leakage a drain was laid down the reservoir, this drain discharges into a gauging chamber. The leakage has been measured daily since the waterworks was transferred to the Council. In the east half of the reservoir there is a leakage which does not begin till there is 14 feet of water in the reservoir and 120 gallons per hour is the maximum quantity recorded, and that was when the reservoir was near overflow level. In the west half there was a leakage of 540 gallons per hour which only began to show itself when there was 9 feet of water in the reservoir. Last year experiments were made on three of the walls of the west half of the reservoir with the view of reducing the waste of water. These operations, which cost Rs. 900, resulted in the reduction of the leakage from 540 to 300 gallons per hour. When funds are available I intend dealing with all the walls of the reservoir. I estimate the cost of making the walls waterproof at Rs. 3,000.

21. Mr. E. G. Jayewardene, with the leave of Council, deferred the motion standing in his name under item 21 of the agenda.

22 and 23. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo, with the leave of the Council, withdrew the motions standing in his name under items 22 and 23 of the agenda.

24–28. The following extracts from the Minutes of the Special Committee on Drainage Works of July 20, 1914, and the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 17, 1914, on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, and on Finance of July 20, 1914, having been previously printed and circulated, were laid before the Council :—

Extracts from the Minutes of the Special Committee on Drainage Works of July 20, 1914.

(2) To consider the Municipal Engineer's report on the recommendations of the City Sanitation Engineer in regard to the drainage of G. and F. areas.

Recommended that the City Sanitation Engineer's report only be forwarded to the Consulting Engineers for an expression of their opinion upon it, and that the previous resolution be rescinded.

(3) Papers in connection with compensation for manhole in private property at No. 20, Jampettah street. Recommended that no further compensation be paid.

(4) To consider the question of providing for the reconstruction, &c., of St. John's road sewer. Recommended that the attention of Government be invited to the state of the old rain water drains in the Pettah, and that Government be requested to direct the Drainage Department to take the matter in hand, as the drains form part of the harbour scheme, which should have been handed over complete and in a satisfactory state by the Drainage Department.

(7) To consider a letter from the Resident Engineer, Drainage Works, regarding the acquisition of land along the line of the proposed Kollupitiya duplication.

Recommended that the land be acquired.

(8) To consider a letter from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary forwarding the recommendations of the Resident Engineer regarding travelling allowances to Foremen of the Drainage Works.

Recommended that the Hon. the Colonial Secretary be referred to the former letter to the effect that, as the Council have no control over the drainage staff, the matter cannot be decided by the Council.

(9) To consider the recommendation of the City Sanitation Engineer with regard to a Tipping Depôt at Symond's road.

Recommended that the Tipping Depôt be established.

Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 17, 1914.

(2) To consider the draft by-laws framed under sections 96, 97, and 98 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.

Recommended. Also recommended that the publication of the Chairman's Administration Report be postponed till the end of the year, so as to comprise the whole of 1914, counting the period of eighteen months from July 1, 1913, to December 31, 1914.

(6) To frame rules for the regulation of the motor taxi-cab service.

Recommended that the draft rules be circulated and submitted to Council.

Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914.

(2) To consider the arrangement proposed by Government in regard to the admission of vagrants from out-stations to the Colombo House of Detention and Home for Vagrants.

Recommended that the Municipality concur in the steps proposed to be taken.

(6) To consider the papers relating to an inquiry held by the Medical Officer of Health in connection with the administration of the general cemetery.

Recommended that Mr. Raffel be warned that all connection between him and the monumental business must cease, and that if his son is in any way connected with it he must not live in the Municipal quarters. He is further to be informed that any infringement of this rule will lead to dismissal.

(7) To consider the question of issuing a license to K. N. M. Mastan for the sale of mutton.

Recommended that the license be granted.

(9) To consider a further letter from Government regarding the transfer of the three rural inspectors to the Sanitary Branch of the Medical Department.

Recommended that the Colonial Secretary be informed that the Council is prepared to pay its share of the additional cost in the case of these individual inspectors.

Extracts from Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914.

(2) To sanction :—

(1) The acceptance of Messrs. Walker, Sons, & Company's tender for two plate girders for Wellawatta bridge at a cost of Rs. 3,900.

(2) The work being done without a tender being called for.

Recommended that the acceptance of the tender be approved.

(3) To sanction the acceptance of the tender of the Colombo Commercial Company for cement at Rs. 8.50 per barrel.—Recommended.

(4) To consider the proposed conditions for selling the building sites at :—

(1) Maradanā-Panchikawatta junction, and (2) Barber street-Skinner's road junction.

Recommended that plan C be adopted.

- (5) To consider the complaint against head overseer Kitchellan.
Recommended that the overseer be dismissed.
- (6) To consider the papers relating to an inquiry held by the Medical Officer of Health in connection with the administration of the general cemetery.
Recommended that the recommendation of the Sanitation Committee be adopted, but that the latter sentence be deleted, and that it read, that he be informed that any infringement of the rule will be dealt with by the Chairman.
Recommended that no cattle or horses should be allowed to graze in the cemetery, and that no grass should be disposed of to other persons without the Chairman's permission.
- (7) To consider the Financial Assistant's report and detailed statement in connection with flood relief.
Recommended that the application be refused.
- (8) To consider a letter from the Resident Engineer, Drainage Works, regarding the acquisition of land along the line of the proposed Kollupitiya duplication.—Recommended.
- (9) To sanction the purchase of metal from Mr. H. E. de Silva from July 1, 1914, for road repairs to New Bazaar Ward.—Recommended.
- (10) To consider the question of increasing the gratuity of Rs. 176·80 already paid to the widow and child of the late Allis Singho, Carpenter, Works Department.
Recommended that the widow and child be paid a further amount of Rs. 100 as a gratuity.
- (12) To consider the question of making provision for road repairs to St. John's road.
Recommended that a transfer of Rs. 11,500 be made from Vote No. 122, as recommended by the Works Engineer, for putting down granite setts in St. John's road.
- (13) To sanction the transfer (in the Budget for 1913-14) of Rs. 2,500 from estimate K 3/5—Maintenance of Colombo Waterworks—to estimate K 17—Purchase of Tools and Meters.—Recommended.
- (14) To consider the draft by-laws framed under sections 96, 97, and 98 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910.
Recommended. Also recommended that the publication of the Chairman's report be postponed till the end of 1914, so as to include the eighteen months from July, 1913, to December, 1914.
- (15) To sanction a supplementary provision of Rs. 200 to Vote H. (f) 32—General Cemeteries, in the supplementary budget for 1913-14.—Recommended.
- (17) To sanction an estimate of Rs. 750 for the improvement of the dangerous corner at "Broomhill," Flower road.—Recommended.
- (18) To consider the question of the amount due by the Municipality for the widening of the bridge over the San Sebastian canal.
Recommended that Government be informed that the Council has no funds to pay for this work, and that the work appears to have exceeded what was anticipated.
- (19) Papers *re* raincoat for use of watchers at the workshop.
Recommended that a sum of Rs. 36·50 be re-voted for the payment of the raincoat.
- (20) To sanction the transfer of a sum of Rs. 1,000 from Vote M. 19 to Vote No. 1, K. 68—to be provided in the new supplemental budget, on account of gullies, catchpits, and connections to rain water sewers.—Recommended.
- (21) Proposed gasholder at Havelock Town.—Recommended that the site be approved.

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- (12) To consider the question of making provision for road repairs to St. John's road.
Recommended that a transfer of Rs. 11,500 be made from Vote No. I. 22, as recommended by the Works Engineer, for putting down granite setts in St. John's road.
- (13) To sanction the transfer (in the Budget for 1913-14) of Rs. 2,500 from estimate K. 3/5—Maintenance of Colombo Waterworks—to Estimate K. 7—Purchase of Tools and Meters.—Recommended.
- (14) To consider the draft by-laws framed under sections 96, 97, and 98 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance.
Recommended. Also recommended that the publication of the Chairman's report be postponed till the end of 1914, so as to include the eighteen months from July, 1913, to December, 1914.
- (15) To sanction supplementary provision of Rs. 200 to Vote H. (f) 32—General Cemeteries, in the supplementary budget for 1913-14.—Recommended.

(17) To sanction an estimate of Rs. 750 for the improvement of the dangerous corner at "Broomhill," Flower road.—Recommended.

(18) To consider the question of the amount due by the Municipality for the widening of the bridge over the San Sebastian canal.

Recommended that the Government be informed that the Council has no funds to pay for this work, and that the work appears to have exceeded what was anticipated.

(19) Papers *re* raincoat for use of watchers at the workshop.

Recommended that a sum of Rs. 36·50 be re-voted for the payment of the raincoat.

(20) To sanction the transfer of a sum of Rs. 1,000 from Vote M. 19 to Vote No. 1, K. 68, to be provided in the new supplemental budget on account of gullies, catchpits, and connections to rain water sewers.—Recommended.

(21) Proposed gas holder at Havelock Town.—Recommended that the site be approved.

(23) To sanction the sale by public auction of premises Nos. 350/185 and 351/178, Alutmawatta, under section 147 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, for valuable consideration.—Recommended.

(24) To sanction the tenders for rodine, butter, bread, &c., for rat destruction.—Recommended.

(25) To sanction the purchase of a Remington typewriter for the Public Health Department at a cost of Rs. 415, to be met from Vote No. H. (a) 12—Miscellaneous.—Recommended.

(26) To re-vote the unexpended sum of Rs. 874, which was specially voted for the repair and painting of the Public Health Department car.—Recommended.

(27) To consider the arrangement proposed by Government in regard to the admission of vagrants from outstations to the Colombo House of Detention and Home for Vagrants.

Recommended that Government be informed that the Council concur.

(28) To consider the question of issuing a license to K. N. M. Mastan for the sale of mutton.—Recommended.

(29) To consider the rules framed for the regulation of the motor taxi-cab service.

Recommended that the suggested rules be circulated and submitted to the Council.

(30) To sanction the payment of a pension of Rs. 186 per annum to Arachchi R. G. Junkeer, retired.—Recommended.

(31) To re-vote a sum of Rs. 499·80 (paid from advance account on May 31, 1912) from the vote, which lapsed, for land acquisition for the Infectious Diseases Hospital.—Recommended.

(32) To consider a further letter from Government regarding the transfer of the three rural inspectors to the Sanitary Branch of the Medical Department.

Recommended that the recommendation of the Sanitation Committee be adopted.

(34) To consider a letter from Mr. R. N. Watkins, Assistant Accountant, regarding his continuance in the Council's service, after the expiry of his present agreement

Recommended that Mr. Watkins be granted an extra increment of Rs. 500 per annum, and that his case be considered by the Salaries' Committee.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the Council do go into Committee to consider items 24 to 28 on the agenda. Mr. Arthur Alvis seconded.—Carried.

(Council in Committee.)

Special Committee on Drainage Works.

24. Resolved that the recommendations of the Special Committee on Drainage Works of July 20, 1914, be adopted. [At this stage Messrs. W. Sutherland Ross and G. Lionel Cox left the Meeting.]

Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects.

25. Mr. Arthur Alvis moved that item No. 2 be adopted, and the draft rules referred to under item No. 6 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 17, 1914, be approved. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets.

26. With reference to item No. 6 of recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, Mr. J. A. Perera moved that no order be made by this Council in the matter of the charges against Mr. Raffel. Mr. E. G. Jayewardene seconded.

On a show of hands being taken the motion was declared carried, 10 voting for it and 1 against.

[Mr. C. P. Dias left the Meeting at this stage.]

With reference to item No. 9 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, Dr. W. P. Rodrigo moved that Government be informed that this Council objects to the principle involved in this matter and Government be requested to relieve them of this burden. Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.

Mr. J. A. Perera moved as an amendment that the matter be deferred and referred to the Law Committee. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo thereupon withdrew his motion. Mr. J. A. Perera's amendment thus became the substantive motion, was seconded by Mr. C. S. Burns, and was declared carried.

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, be adopted.

Standing Committee on Municipal Works.

27. With reference to item No. 5 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the papers be circulated and the matter be considered further.

With reference to item No. 6 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the resolution of Council in regard to item No. 6 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, be adopted.

With reference to item No. 20 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that "No. 1, K. 68" be deleted and "M. 22" be inserted instead.

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, be adopted.

Standing Committee on Finance.

28. With reference to item No. 5 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the resolution of Council in regard to item No. 5 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, be adopted.

With reference to item No. 6 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the resolution of Council in regard to item No. 6 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, be adopted.

With reference to item No. 20 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the resolution of Council in regard to item No. 20 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 20, 1914, be adopted.

With reference to item No. 29 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the resolution of Council in regard to item No. 6 of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 17, 1914, be approved.

With reference to item No. 32 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, it was resolved that the resolution of Council in regard to item No. 9 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 17, 1914, be adopted.

With reference to item No. 34 of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, Mr. J. A. Perera moved that Mr. Watkins remain on the same salary until the question of his permanent employment by the Council is decided by the Salaries' Committee. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo seconded.—On a show of hands being taken the motion was declared carried, 7 voting for it and 3 against.

[At this stage Mr. C. S. Burns left the Meeting.]

Resolved that the remaining items of the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 20, 1914, be adopted.

Mr. Arthur Alvis moved that the Council do resume, and that the recommendations of Council in Committee be adopted as amended. Mr. E. G. Jayawardene seconded.—Carried.

Council Agenda (continued).

29. To consider the question of the suitability of the site for a beef, mutton, and pork stall at the Junction of Maradana and Regent street.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the application be granted. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo seconded.

On a show of hands being taken the motion was declared carried, 6 voting for it and 3 against.

30. To consider a letter from Messrs. Boustead Brothers re Tramway extension.

Mr. Arthur Alvis moved that at the present moment the Council do not consider any extension necessary. Mr. E. G. Jayawardene seconded.—Carried.

31. To adopt the proposed draft regulations of the Leave Minute for officers in the Municipal service.

Mr. Arthur Alvis moved that the draft regulations be adopted. Mr. E. G. Jayawardene seconded.—Carried.

32-36. Mr. Arthur Alvis moved that the following items on the agenda, namely, 32 to 35, be adopted. Mr. H. L. de Mel seconded.—Carried.

32. To sanction excess leave of 13 days over 30 days granted to Mr. R. Skelton, Municipal Engineer, owing to ill-health.

33. To sanction further excess leave of 31 days over 30 days granted to Mr. D. J. G. Caldera, Head Clerk, Works Department, owing to ill-health.

34. To sanction excess leave of 13 days over 30 days granted to Mr. H. P. Beling, Head Clerk, Finance Department.

35. To sanction further excess leave of 1 day over 30 days granted to Mr. O. F. A. Sepion, Clerk, Works Department owing to ill-health.

36. The report of the Medical Officer of Health for the first quarter of 1914 was laid on the table.

37. The City Analyst's report on town water for June, 1914, and the Municipal Bacteriologist's report on town water for May, 1914, having been previously printed and circulated, were laid on the table.

38. The Progress Report No. 40 of the City Sanitation Engineer for June, 1914, having been previously printed and circulated, was laid on the table.

39. The report of the Resident Engineer, Colombo Drainage Works, for May, 1914, having been previously printed and circulated, was laid on the table.

40. Progress Reports of work done for June, 1914, were laid on the table.

41. The reports of Inspectors on Licensed Carriages for June, 1914 were laid on the table.

The following documents were also laid on the table :—

Return of Committees of the Municipal Council for 1914.

Proceedings of Committees.

Volunteer Band Programme for August, 1914.

Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for May, 1914.

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

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

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

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

R. W. BYRDE,

Chairman, Municipal Council, and
Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on August 28, 1914 :

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

Minutes of Proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall on Friday, August 14, 1914.

THE Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice, dated August 8, 1914, under section 84 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, to give expression to the loyalty of the citizens of Colombo to the British Throne, and their readiness to co-operate with the authorities in any measure they may think it expedient to adopt in the present crisis of the European War.

Present :—Mr. R. W. Byrde, Chairman ; Mr. C. P. Dias ; Mr. L. B. Fernando ; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader ; Mr. Arthur Alvis ; Mr. H. L. de Mel ; Mr. E. G. Jayawardene ; Dr. D. P. Banajee ; Dr. E. V. Ratnam ; Dr. W. P. Rodrigo ; Mr. G. Lionel Cox ; Mr. J. A. Perera ; Major W. H. Robinson ; Major E. P. Sewell ; and Mr. C. S. Burns.

The Chairman said that he called this Special Meeting of the Council under section 84 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, on a requisition signed by more than three Members of the Council.

Mr. C. P. Dias rose and, in addressing the Meeting, said :—

This Meeting has been convened to enable the Council in its corporate capacity to voice the feelings which are now uppermost in the minds of the rate-payers of Colombo, and, I doubt not, of all the inhabitants of our country. We desire, on behalf of our constituents and ourselves, to give expression to our veneration for loyalty and attachment to our Gracious King, under whom we are godly and quietly governed to our sincere appreciation of the manifold blessings and privileges we enjoy under the benign, liberal, and just rule of England, and also to show our oneness with the great and mighty Empire. Great Britain has now entered on a titanic struggle, which has hardly any parallel in history, not from choice but prompted by the noblest feelings of sympathy for her weaker sisters, who have been unjustly assailed, and it is our bounden duty, as sons of the Empire, to sympathize and co-operate with those in authority over us in any measures they may deem it expedient to take at this crisis, and to pray "that Providence would direct and prosper all the consultations of His Majesty's advisers to the safety, honour, and welfare of our Sovereign and his dominions, and that all things may be so ordered and settled by their endeavours that peace and happiness and equity may be established among his subjects for all generations." In the midst of all her trials and anxieties it must be some consolation to England to feel how her subjects in the mother country and in all her dominions and in distant Ceylon rally round her to show to the world at large that they are loyal to the core and prepared with all their might and main to resist any attempt on the part of any nation or combination of races to weaken British prestige and power. We are convinced that this dreadful war is none of England's seeking, that the King and the Ministers of State have done their best to avert a war, and that she has joined the belligerents in the cause of righteousness and humanity. We feel sure that no inhabitant of the first city, as in the remotest village in our Island, will prefer any earthly power to England, and that no nation on earth can ever shake our loyalty and devotion to the British Empire and her Sovereign, under whose sway we enjoy such happiness and prosperity. In conclusion Mr. Dias said that he had much pleasure in moving the following resolution :—

On behalf of the citizens of Colombo this Council begs to assure His Excellency the Governor of their abiding loyalty to His Majesty the King-Emperor and of their readiness to co-operate with and render whatever help they can to the authorities in this land in any measures they may deem it expedient to adopt in the interests of the Empire, the City of Colombo, and its inhabitants.

Mr. J. A. Perera seconded.

Mr. E. G. Jayawardene, Dr. D. P. Banajee, Mr. L. B. Fernando, Mr. H. L. de Mel, and Dr. E. V. Ratnam also spoke in favour of the resolution, each in turn giving expression to the sense of loyalty and devotedness of his constituents to the British Throne, and their willingness to co-operate with the authorities at the present juncture.

The Chairman said that it was a special pleasure to him to listen to the expressions of loyalty which had fallen from the lips of the Members while he was occupying the chair on this occasion, which he considered to be a unique one, as it had never fallen to the lot of any Chairman before to be present on an occasion such as this and listen to such out-spoken expressions of heartfelt loyalty. He had great pleasure in putting the motion to the Meeting.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Confirmed on August 28, 1914:

R. W. BYRDE,
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Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Municipal Fund from
July 1, 1913, to June 30, 1914.

REVENUE.

	Estimated for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Receipts to June 30, 1914.		Estimated for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Receipts to June 30, 1914.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—TAXES.								
1 Commutation under the Road Ordinance ..	170,000	0	161,032	90	36 Recoveries for limewashing ..	500	0	—
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals ..	85,000	0	98,688	76	37 Clearing cesspit privies ..	200	0	1,557 82
3 Costs on recovery of ditto ..	400	0	421	55	38 Miscellaneous ..	100	0	8 20
B.—LICENSES.								
4 Carriages and rickshas ..	21,000	0	21,356	0	H.—CATTLE MART AND QUARANTINE STATION.			
5 Passenger hackeries ..	600	0	567	0	39 Fees ..	48,000	0	49,808 15
6 Cart, coach, and tram cars ..	14,000	0	16,418	0	40 Lease of boutiques, &c. ..	1,500	0	1,627 0
7 Boat ..	7,000	0	13,474	0	41 Sale of manure ..	600	0	810 0
8 Gun ..	800	0	1,127	0	42 Grazing fees ..	1,600	0	1,986 37
9 Sale of intoxicating liquors ..	15,000	0	41,453	0	I.—CONSOLIDATED RATE.			
10 Slaughter of animals ..	100	0	144	0	<i>(Including Special Water-rate at 2 per cent.)</i>			
11 Sale of meat and fish ..	2,200	0	2,304	0	43 Arrears ..	200,000	0	199,744 45
12 Petroleum ..	6,000	0	6,249	0	44 Current ..	1,500,000	0	1,314,524 8
13 Guides ..	50	0	30	0	45 Advance ..	50,000	0	126,290 50
14 Poison ..	300	0	225	0	46 Costs on recoveries ..	50,000	0	41,749 98
15 Trade licenses ..	10,000	0	10,778	0	J.—WATER.			
16 Auctioneers and brokers ..	12,000	0	16,240	0	47 Sale of water ..	350,000	0	305,933 92
17 Advocates, proctors, and notaries certificates and articles of clerkship (stamp duty) ..	10,000	0	8,781	0	48 Costs on recoveries ..	1,000	0	1,666 15
18 Arrack taverns (stamp duty and licenses) ..	31,000	0	11,000	0	49 Contribution by Military ..	10,000	0	10,625 0
U.—JUDICIAL FINES.								
19 Municipal and Police Courts ..	60,000	0	44,227	14	50 Meter rents ..	20,000	0	16,497 4
D.—TOLLS.								
20 Tolls ..	150,000	0	151,332	20	K.—RENTS.			
E.—MARKETS.								
21 Edinburgh market ..	11,000	0	10,953	74	51 Racquet Court ..	5,000	0	4,740 0
22 Price park market ..	11,000	0	11,275	34	52 Cricket pitches, &c. ..	300	0	542 0
23 St. John's market ..	4,000	0	3,711	46	53 Grass lands, &c. ..	12,000	0	13,867 99
24 Dean's road market ..	26,000	0	23,948	9	54 Miscellaneous rents ..	5,000	0	231 50
25 Grandpass market ..	2,700	0	2,374	99	L.—MISCELLANEOUS.			
26 Kollupitiya market ..	1,500	0	4,251	0	55 Fees for registration of dogs ..	5,000	0	4,719 15
27 Gintupitiya street market ..	3,700	0	3,492	0	56 Opium, Government contribution in lieu of licenses ..	5,085	0	5,085 6
28 Bambalapitiya market ..	850	0	954	0	57 Trunk roads, Government contribution ..	32,570	0	44,224 0
29 Costs on recovery of arrears of market rents ..	300	0	1,217	23	58 Tramway mileage ..	4,830	0	6,113 32
F.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.								
30 Slaughtering fees ..	27,000	0	25,687	70	59 Interest ..	10,000	0	3,601 78
31 Feeding fees ..	30,000	0	27,504	85	60 Military contribution for lighting Fort ..	1,700	0	1,701 84
32 Miscellaneous receipts ..	1,200	0	786	70	61 Mulct ..	1,000	0	1,187 80
33 Fees for inspection of frozen meat ..	1,500	0	2,988	95	62 General cemeteries, fees, &c. ..	10,000	0	8,660 48
G.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.								
34 Conserving private latrines (special coolies) ..	5,000	0	15,214	23	63 Fire Brigade fees ..	2,000	0	3,893 0
35 Sale of disinfectants and buckets (profit) ..	100	0	32	37	64 Sundries ..	50,000	0	49,768 65
					65 Estimated surplus at June 30, 1913 ..	400,000	0	—
					Total ..	3,499,285	0	2,966,396 43

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.									
1 Annuities, waterworks, and Victoria bridge	108,000	0	108,000	0	26 Plague prevention	—	—	36,593	24
2 Interest and sinking fund on drainage loan	500,000	0	422,493	70	27 All-India Sanitary Conference	—	—	2,047	70
3 Pensions	24,252	88	31,473	93	28 Three zinc carts for removing dead bodies	—	—	285	0
4 Audit of accounts	7,000	—	7,000	0	E.—VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.				
5 Maintenance of police	72,076	0	81,971	0	<i>(a) Administrative.</i>				
6 Contribution to Volunteer Band	4,500	0	2,250	0	1 Salaries and wages	7,908	0	7,852	35
7 Contribution to Friend-in-Need Society	4,000	0	4,000	0	2 Allowances	1,848	0	1,848	0
8 Contribution to Law Library	500	0	500	0	3 Council's share of rent of Inspectors' houses	3,000	0	2,930	0
9 Contribution to Pasteur Institute	150	0	150	0	4 Prevention of diseases in animals	2,000	0	2,022	4
10 House of Detention for Vagrants	10,000	0	985	16	5 Grazing tickets	200	0	149	82
11 Interest and sinking fund on water loan not provided for, as the amount cannot be ascertained..	—	—	50,020	83	6 Uniforms	500	0	466	37
5/12 Maintenance of police	—	—	97,419	0	7 Train and tram fare allowances	350	0	241	27
8/12 Contribution to Law Library	—	—	250	0	8 Postage	100	0	60	50
12 Drainage and latrine accommodation for the Home for the Aged	—	—	3,000	0	9 Furniture	300	0	229	37
					10 Library	75	0	54	20
					11 Stationery	500	0	416	96
					12 Miscellaneous	450	0	61	20
					4/12 Council's share of rent of Inspectors' houses	—	—	85	0
B.—CHAIRMAN.									
1 Salary	18,000	0	18,000	0	<i>(b) Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station.</i>				
					13 Salaries and wages	7,098	0	7,078	54
					14 Allowances	924	0	924	0
					15 Contingencies	3,000	0	3,308	63
C.—SECRETARIAT.									
1 Salaries	27,156	40	24,579	75	<i>(c) Conservancy Depot.</i>				
2 Legal expenses	3,000	0	4,628	61	16 Salaries and wages	41,148	0	34,614	75
3 Advertisements	2,000	0	885	65	17 Allowances	24	0	24	0
4 Furniture	500	0	495	38	18 Purchase of bulls	15,000	0	3,630	0
5 Stationery	5,000	0*	6,503	37	19 Cattle food	40,000	0	21,181	13
6 Library	150	0	42	42	20 Inoculation of cattle	1,000	0	226	78
7 Postage	500	0	42	69	21 Treatment of sick bulls	500	0	337	16
8 Telephones	3,500	0	4,384	42	22 Shoeing bulls	1,800	0	772	0
9 Train and tram fare allowances	1,250	0	1,243	66	23 Contingencies	5,000	0	5,834	70
10 General upkeep, &c., Printing Department	322	0†	964	92	24 Cleansing of septic tanks	600	0	281	0
11 Extra clerks	500	0	169	50	<i>(d) Dog Pound and Cattle Ambulance and Reception Carts.</i>				
12 Binding materials, &c.	500	0	367	35	25 Salaries and wages	1,163	0	1,211	60
13 Medical Boards...	100	0	126	0	26 Capture of dogs	4,000	0	1,621	95
14 New printing machine	1,350	0	1,592	51	27 Destruction of rats	5,000	0	3,833	75
15 Miscellaneous	1,500	0	1,520	17	28 Upkeep of ambulance and reception carts	1,500	0	1,191	61
16 Address of welcome to His Excellency the Governor	—	—	375	0	F.—MUNICIPAL COURT.				
21/11 Drafting Municipal Council by-laws	—	—	500	0	1 Salaries	13,985	39	13,979	53
					2 Train and tram fare allowances	750	0	555	87
					3 Uniforms	150	0	171	46
					4 Stationery	250	0	85	58
					5 Library	100	0	23	30
					6 Miscellaneous	500	0	358	34
D.—FINANCE DEPARTMENT.									
1 Salaries	67,928	25†	66,006	49	G.—FIRE BRIGADE AND AMBULANCES.				
2 Allowances	5,022	0	4,964	69	1 Salaries and wages	22,876	6	19,070	97
3 Commission	60,000	0	41,183	89	2 Allowances	660	0	931	63
4 Refunds	1,000	0	1,230	21	3 Uniforms, &c.	2,000	0	1,989	95
5 Uniforms	1,500	0	1,295	63	4 Stores	3,000	0	2,119	50
6 Extra clerks	5,000	0	1,618	56	5 Horses	4,800	0	4,800	0
7 Library	100	0	62	15	6 Telephones	600	0	—	—
8 Stationery	1,000	0*	1,181	76	7 Working expenses and lights	4,000	0	2,842	99
9 Postage and receipt stamps	2,000	0	1,437	57	8 Stationery	250	0	71	9
10 Train and tram fare allowances	2,000	0	2,057	67	9 Passage money to Assistant Superintendent, Fire Brigade	—	—	445	50
11 Furniture	600	0	294	30	H.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.				
12 Advertisements	3,000	0	1,883	42	<i>(a) Sanitary Branch.</i>				
13 Tin plates, badges, fare tables, painting, branding, and dog tickets	6,000	0	4,143	82	1 Salaries, wages, &c.	76,279	6	72,946	47
14 Council's share of rent of Revenue Inspectors' houses	6,000	0	5,100	0	2 Allowances	9,732	0	9,082	49
15 Legal expenses	1,000	0	98	50	3 Council's share of rent of Sanitary Inspectors' houses	9,000	0	9,230	0
16 Half share of salaries, &c., of Rural Inspectors	2,000	0	1,826	82	4 Prevention of infectious diseases	12,500	0	9,069	36
17 Seizure of cattle straying on public roads	1,400	0	1,319	3	5 Train and tram fare allowances	750	0	818	83
18 Rent of grass land, night soil depot	7,526	0	7,525	31	6 Postage	500	0	220	0
19 New typewriter	400	0	365	0	7 Uniforms	3,007	0	2,963	34
20 Miscellaneous	3,500	0	2,529	24					
21 Difference in exchange on salaries of officers in England	765	60	329	47					
22 Land acquisition	—	—	45,616	18					
23 Conservancy contractor's claim	—	—	19,500	0					
24 Flood relief	—	—	4,205	13					

* M. C., October 24, 1913.

† M. C., March 27, 1914.

‡ M. C., February 20, 1914.

§ M. C., September 26, 1913

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.	
	Ra.	c.	Ra.	c.		Ra.	c.	Ra.	c.
8 Cost of disinfectants	2,000	0	1,438	50	17 Maligakanda office—maintenance	2,000	0	1,107	40
9 Library	425	0	297	74	18 Working and maintenance of disinfectant	1,045	0	468	3
10 Furniture	300	0	65	95	19 Slaughter-house—maintenance	2,930	0**	1,220	96
11 Stationery	1,000	0*	921	10	20 Miscellaneous	2,450	0	1,928	57
12 Miscellaneous	2,400	0	2,193	85	95/12 Improvements to cattle quarantine station	—	—	19	96
13 Upkeep of motor car	2,728	75	2,961	96	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	—	—	321	38
1/12 Salaries	—	—	1,000	0					
38 Exchange compensation to Dr. Philip	—	—	493	95					
40 Anti-mosquito staff	—	—	1,673	85					
<i>(b) Dispensaries.</i>					<i>(c) Roads, Bridges, Culverts, Drains, &c.</i>				
15 Salaries	4,045	13†	4,045	19	21 General upkeep of roads	23,500	0††	19,202	29
16 Allowances	1,260	0†	900	0	22 Upkeep of metal roads (including dust prevention)	246,900	0†	224,879	69
17 Rent of station	600	0	600	0	23 Upkeep of gravel roads, &c.	42,347	0††	34,697	78
18 Equipment, &c.	3,095	0†	1,076	71	24 Watering and oiling streets	61,120	0††	57,340	80
39 Municipal Council Dispensaries, St. Paul's and New Bazaar	—	—	2,919	89	25 Repairs to roads, bridges, culverts, drains, &c.	17,400	0	15,688	82
<i>(c) Municipal Enteric Hospital.</i>					26 Conservancy of main drains	6,000	0	4,592	35
19 Salaries	6,599	75	4,649	47	27 Repairs to steam rollers and lorries	7,500	0	5,463	71
20 Allowances	960	0	798	12	28 Repairs and purchase of tools	22,000	0	17,211	11
21 Diet	4,500	0	2,127	89	29 Roads, night soil depôt	3,500	0	3,476	7
22 Extras and stimulants, contingencies, &c.	7,232	0	2,820	80	30 Maintenance and repairs to plant	1,050	0	423	49
<i>(d) Markets.</i>					31 Miscellaneous	1,800	0	914	87
23 Salaries and wages	9,758	78	9,075	94	81/11 Central fire station drainage	—	—	33	38
24 Tools and equipment	1,300	0	1,030	21	19/11 Upkeep of roads	—	—	818	13
<i>(e) Slaughter-houses.</i>					22/12 Improvements to Ingham street	—	—	1,023	73
25 Salaries	4,739	0	4,737	0	19/12 Upkeep of metal roads	—	—	73	50
26 Allowances	360	0	360	0	<i>(d) Scavenging.</i>				
27 Feeding charges	4,500	0	2,749	5	32 Scavenging, dust sweeping, and removal of mud	254,812	0††	231,659	6
28 Miscellaneous	2,000	0	1,056	57	<i>(e) Lake and Canals.</i>				
<i>(f) General Cemeteries.</i>					33 Upkeep and conservancy of lake	4,680	0	2,612	23
29 Salaries and wages	6,374	0	7,052	50	34 Lake and canal dredging	5,800	0	3,148	38
30 Allowances	360	0	60	0	<i>(f) Parks.</i>				
31 Upkeep of cemeteries	1,050	0	568	58	35 Maintenance of parks, open spaces, &c.	26,758	0	22,933	48
32 Miscellaneous	600	0	827	97	<i>(g) Lighting.</i>				
<i>(g) Bacteriological Laboratory.</i>					36 Lighting public streets with gas	140,000	0	119,894	53
33 Salaries and wages	8,945	88	9,001	18	37 Electric lighting of the Fort	19,800	0	16,674	5
34 Allowances	600	0	601	17	38 Alterations to gas lamps	1,500	0	1,373	53
35 Equipment	1,750	0	1,519	76	39 Lighting Municipal buildings	11,820	0	8,163	6
36 Maintenance	5,000	0	3,307	32	40 Gas apparatus, chemicals, fittings, &c.	500	0	16	63
30/12 Equipment	—	—	460	40	<i>(h) Conservancy.</i>				
I.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.					41 Salaries	18,782	0	18,696	81
<i>(a) Administrative.</i>					42 Allowances	2,352	0	2,327	0
1 Salaries and wages	133,977	13§	124,788	17	43 Supply of coir dust	19,000	0††	17,046	65
2 Allowances	16,260	0	15,458	43	44 Tools and materials	3,950	0††	3,191	78
3 Survey, drawing, and photographic materials	3,250	0	1,641	22	45 Uniforms, &c.	780	0††	772	90
4 Train and tram fare allowances	1,250	0	1,236	8	46 Disinfectants	1,350	0††	1,126	71
5 Uniforms	550	0	482	91	47 Latrine and storage buckets	1,000	0	—	—
6 Library	275	0||	242	91	48 Train and tram fare allowances	150	0	113	8
7 Stationery	1,000	0*	975	16	49 Wages of coolies	85,810	0††	85,199	20
8 Miscellaneous	725	0¶	411	89	50 Miscellaneous	1,000	0	575	56
<i>(b) Buildings.</i>					<i>(i) Miscellaneous.</i>				
9 Town Hall—maintenance	3,000	0	2,866	40	51 Working and maintenance of destructor	33,000	0	32,092	37
10 Cemeteries and hospitals—maintenance	3,239	0	2,706	99	52 Repairs to ambulance carts	200	0	—	—
11 Quarantine mart—maintenance	1,645	0	1,336	21	53 Construction and repairs of night soil carts and conservancy buckets	6,666	0	5,629	78
12 Markets—maintenance	10,450	0	6,608	3	54 Cart washing place and filter beds	225	0	33	70
13 Latrines—maintenance	1,950	0	1,392	20	55 Electric fans and lamps	10,000	0	7,256	89
14 Suduwella depôt—maintenance	1,091	0	1,112	69					
15 Conservancy buildings—maintenance	2,510	0	2,476	13					
16 Fire Brigade buildings—maintenance	1,000	0	751	37					

* M. C., October 24, 1913.

† M. C., June 26, 1914.

‡ M. C., February 20, 1914.

§ M. C., November 28, 1913.

|| M. C., February 24, 1914.

¶ M. C., November 28, 1913, and February 24, 1914.

** M. C., April 24, 1914.

†† M. C., March 27, 1914.

‡‡ M. C., May 29, 1914.

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
56 Surveys, tracings, &c. ...	9,501	0	8,435	47	49/11 Refuse destructor ..	—	—	731	67
57 Watching Municipal lands ...	660	0	553	0	54/11 Cooly lines, Kanatta ..	—	—	13	91
58 Furniture ...	750	0	233	51	101/12 Galle Face footpath ..	—	—	169	20
59 Upkeep of Chairman's motor car	2,400	0	3,428	3	85/12 Two steam rollers ..	—	—	16,556	97
60 Sundries ..	500	0	316	30	67/11 Conversion of Elie House reservoir into a park ..	—	—	714	46
61 Printing Department machinery—upkeep ..	400	0	409	5	90/12 Paving of Queen street level crossing ..	—	—	950	64
62 Lighting of cattle mart ...	1,100	0	730	40	100 Building a protecting wall on the site leased at Panchikawatta ..	—	—	224	35
(k) <i>Public Works Extraordinary.</i>					98 Gullies and catchpits for rain water drainage ..	—	—	3,346	48
63 Deviation of Serpentine and Thurston roads ..	7,500	0	—	—	99 Erection of gas lamps in Hudson's road, Polwatta ..	—	—	258	0
64 San Sebastian and Parson's road bridges ..	—	—	14,500	0	95 Construction of a side drain in Dickman's road ..	—	—	577	73
65 Lighting of Nelson lane ..	650	0	628	24	102 Improvements to Madampitiya cemetery ..	—	—	287	9
66 Improvement, Municipal Council land, Symond's road ..	1,200	0	851	8	106 Waiting room for Members of Colombo Municipal Council ..	—	—	602	26
67 Conversion of Thurston road from gravel to metal ..	5,200	0	—	—	104 Sewer in Duke street ..	—	—	2,773	31
68 Conversion of Cambridge place from gravel to metal ..	4,100	0	1,601	1	112 Store apparatus room, Bacteriological Laboratory ..	2,650	0	2,273	72
69 Conversion of Edinburgh crescent from gravel to metal ..	4,400	0	811	31	96 Erection of a latrine at cemetery-keeper's quarters, Madampitiya ..	—	—	73	86
70 Conversion of Braybrooke street from gravel to metal ..	1,700	0	—	—	122 Alteration to tanks at cart washing place, Narahenpitiya ..	—	—	96	15
71 Conversion of Buller's road from gravel to metal ..	7,200	0	4,844	21	105 Under ground drain, Campbell park ..	—	—	421	46
72 Rain water connections, Ferry street ..	440	0	—	—	107 Repairs to outhouses at 7, Hulftsdorp ..	—	—	1,540	41
73 Record shelves, Works Department	650	0	648	8	110 Extension of Printing Office ..	—	—	3,822	2
74 Improvement to stalls, Gintunpitiya market ..	300	0	—	—	120 Cart track, Railway road ..	9,000	0†	8,239	95
75 Machine tools, workshop ..	4,700	0	4,197	95	121 Cadjan buildings, at Dispenser's quarters, Enteric Hospital ..	—	—	163	15
76 Improvement to cart washing place, night soil depôt ..	400	0	387	22	97 Clearing jungle in Liveramentu cemetery ..	—	—	125	0
77 Kerb and channel, Kanatta road	880	0	823	53	101 Roadside drain, Kolonnawa ..	—	—	499	17
78 Granite sett cart tracks, Old Moor street extension ..	19,500	0*	19,419	25	103 Main drain from Wall street to Blomendahl road ..	—	—	293	7
79 Improvement to Front street and Main street along Racquet Court and Lotus pond latrine	4,500	0	—	—	113 Rebuilding cattle shed at Kachcheri road ..	—	—	663	12
80 Granite sett tracks and kerb and channel, Main street level crossing to Harbour Works gate	18,000	0	10,400	46	115 Repairs to bungalow of Superintendent of Fire Brigade ..	—	—	892	71
81 Fence and level up Municipal Council land, Glennie street ..	2,130	0	229	51	116 Repairs to house at 18, Nagalagam street ..	—	—	287	72
82 Improvement to Vauxhall street, Muster place ..	750	0	—	—	78/11 Motor lorries ..	—	—	10,520	25
83 Granite sett track, Main street	3,000	0	2,418	22	114 Purchase of a motor lorry ..	—	—	12	0
84 Ceiling to Printing Office ..	150	0	143	62	119 Barbed wire fence, quarantine station ..	—	—	221	73
85 Flooring Finance and Sanitation Department Offices ..	1,500	0	1,119	36	124 Ceiling verandah of cemetery-keeper's quarters, Kanatta ..	—	—	0	57
86 Fly-proofing cooly lines, night soil depôt ..	1,750	0	—	—	123 Granite setting at junction of York street, Norris road ..	4,000	0*	891	14
87 One new range of cooly lines, night soil depôt ..	2,250	0	—	—					
88 Improvements to Dematagoda slaughter-house ..	1,450	0	68	90	K.—WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.				
89 Improvements to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Liveramentu	2,500	0	1,506	7	(a) <i>Recurrent Expenditure.</i>				
90 Alterations to Assessor's Office	1,450	0	1,444	14	1 Salaries and wages ..	47,774	88	44,841	55
91 Ferguson's road ..	12,500	0	1,620	0	2 Allowances ..	6,540	0	6,425	32
71/12 Union place widening ..	13,500	0	5,925	13	3 Maintenance of Colombo Waterworks ..	26,620	0‡	23,309	86
67/12 Urugodawatta bridge ..	30,000	0	35,608	67	4 Surveys and tracings, &c. ..	1,050	0	95	3
92/12 Gas extensions ..	34,000	0	29,788	20	5 Maintenance of Waterworks Office ..	1,200	0	363	64
64/12 Scavenging carts, &c. ...	10,000	0	2,250	24	6 Maintenance of motor car ..	3,000	0	3,042	13
90/11 Wellawatta road bridge ..	4,200	0	6,529	85	7 Purchase of tools and meters ..	11,500	0‡	10,923	26
61/12 Parson's road and granite paving Railway road ..	14,100	0	16,774	59	8 Repairs to tools and meters ..	5,100	0	3,152	49
97/12 Laying granite setts in Norris road, Gasworks street, &c. ...	—	—	14,123	97	9 Store expenses ..	504	0	585	8
91/12 Regrading Kirillapone road	—	—	7,590	51	10 Train and tram fare allowances	350	0	327	87
93/12 Improvements to cemetery-keeper's quarters, Liveramentu	—	—	1,113	64	11 Labugama reservoir reserve ..	1	0	1	0
102/12 Improvements to Assistant Superintendent's quarters, Cattle Quarantine Station ..	—	—	764	65	12 Library ..	200	0	86	72
266/07 Construction of Skinner's road	—	—	16	14	13 Postage ..	250	0	200	0
255/10 Mansorgh avenue ..	—	—	11	53	14 Stationery ..	1,000	0	714	42
					15 Furniture ..	1,000	0	610	5
					16 Extension and improvement of water service ..	8,500	0	6,636	82
					17 Surveying and drawing instruments ..	500	0	342	77
					18 Uniforms ..	700	0	664	29

* M. C., April 24, 1914.

† M. C., February 20, 1914.

‡ M. C., July 31, 1914.

	Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.			Estimate for 12 months ending June 30, 1914.		Disbursements to June 30, 1914.	
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.			Rs. c.		Rs. c.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
19 Miscellaneous ..	300	0	127	61	7 Stamps ..	300	0	10	0
20 Purchase of typewriter ..	450	0	437	0	8 Uniforms ..	150	0	50	37
21 Purchase of fans for new office ..	1,100	0	814	45	9 Furniture ..	1,750	0	476	22
22 Scraping of distribution mains ..	13,342	80	5,248	95	10 Testing house drains ..	6,670	0	4,427	36
23/12 Laying 3-in. water main in Buller's road ..	—	—	56	57	11 Pumping stations ..	43,982	0	35,373	5
12/11 Extension of water service, eastern extension ..	—	—	255	95	12 Treatment works ..	5,650	0	5,850	99
18/12 Provision of quarters for caretakers of Elie House reservoir ..	—	—	537	0	13 Sewers ..	11,140	0	8,598	64
<i>(b) Extraordinary Expenditure.</i>					14 Upkeep of latrines and bathing places ..	20,706	25	16,712	49
23 Water supply to eastern and southern extensions ..	142,000	0	115,539	9	15 Miscellaneous ..	1,000	0	406	59
22/11 Waterworks Office accommodation ..	—	—	592	65	16 Stationery ..	500	0	530	3
24 Relaying water main in Bridge street, &c. ..	—	—	6,068	66	17 Upkeep of distribution stores ..	482	0	251	80
L.—ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.					18 Clearing gullies and catchpits ..	22,076	50	16,276	85
1 Salaries ..	16,998	0	17,253	13	19/12 Sheep slaughter shed, Dematagoda ..	—	—	323	97
2 Allowances ..	2,700	0	2,546	77	<i>Extraordinary Expenditure.</i>				
3 Train and tram fare allowances ..	200	0	509	0	19 Improvements to rain water drains ..	2,500	0	1,495	18
4 Street number plates ..	5,000	0	4,800	14	20 Temporary connections ..	2,000	0	612	93
5 Costs in legal proceedings ..	2,000	0	455	99	21 Tipping depôts ..	5,000	0	51	83
6 Extra clerks ..	300	0	72	0	22 Rain water drain, Fifth Cross street ..	—	—	8,474	47
7 Furniture ..	800	0	215	17	18/12 Night soil tipping depôt, Price park ..	—	—	399	40
8 Library ..	100	0	26	30	17/12 Madampitiya laboratory ..	—	—	392	79
9 Uniforms ..	450	0	375	73	21/12 Rain water drain, Duke street, Fort ..	—	—	2,500	0
10 Stationery ..	500	0	240	98	23 St. John's road, rain water sewer ..	—	—	3,897	1
11 Miscellaneous ..	500	0	260	86	N.—MUNICIPAL STORE.				
12 Typewriter ..	—	—	320	0	1 Salaries, wages, and store expenses ..	9,500	0	6,239	64
M.—SANITATION DEPARTMENT.									
1 Salaries and wages ..	36,386	61	34,964	84					
2 Allowances ..	4,860	0	4,535	0		3,370,372	10	3,269,220	87
3 Train and tram fare allowances ..	350	0	434	35	Less Debit Balance ..	—	—	302,824	44
4 Serving notices ..	660	0	605	0					
5 Drawing materials ..	1,000	0	290	51					
6 Library ..	200	0	120	37					
					Total ..	3,370,372	10	2,966,396	43

BALANCE SHEET, JUNE 30, 1914.

Sundry Liabilities.		Amount.	Total.	Sundry Assets.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1. Deposits:—				1. Advance Accounts:—			
(a) General ..	28,339	62	211,329 53	(a) Purchase of Stores ..	56,525	9	484,260 32
(b) Security ..	24,093	56		(b) Do. Waterworks ..	245,903	57	
(c) Waterworks ..	4,762	29		(c) Miscellaneous ..	181,831	66	
(d) Miscellaneous ..	9,303	78					
(e) Waterworks Loan : Amount paid by Government on account of loan .. Rs. 2,500,000.00							
Expenditure	2,373,607	86					
		126,392 14					
(f) Advance Account, Latrines and house connections: Amount paid by Government on account of loan Rs. 330,841.61							
Expenditure	312,403	47					
		18,438 14					
			211,329 53				
2. Excess of Assets over Liabilities:—				2. Suspense Account ..	—	—	1,322 37
(a) Balance at credit on June 30, 1913 ..	632,381	91		3. Cash:—			
(b) Less Excess of Expenditure over Receipts up to June 30, 1914 ..	302,824	44		(a) At Bank on current account ..	55,304	31	
				(b) On Fixed Deposit account ..	—	—	
				(c) In hand ..	—	—	
			329,557 47				55,304 31
Total ..		540,887 0		Total ..			540,887 0

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

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

C. M. YOUNG,

Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
Municipal Council.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, September 23, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

Premises No. Quarter and Year. Time of Sale.

Date of Sale: Friday, October 16, 1914.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Dias place.		
71.34A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.
72.31A	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "
73.27A	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "
82.27B	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
83.27C	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "
87.30	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "
88.31	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
89.31	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "
89A.31	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "
90.31	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
91.31	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "
92.32	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "
94.34	.. Do.	.. 8 "
117.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "
118.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
119.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "
120.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "
121.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "
122.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
123.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
124.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "
125.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
126.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
127.5A	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
128.6	.. Do.	.. 9 "
129.7	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
135.12	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
136.12.13	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "
157.17	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 9.20 "
158.17	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
159.17	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
160.17	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "
161.17	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "
162.18	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.45 "
163.18	.. Do.	.. 9.50 "
164.18	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "
165.18	.. Do.	.. 10 "

Date of Sale: Saturday, October 17, 1914.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Dias place.		
166.18	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.
166.18	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "
177.21	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 7.10 "
178.22	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.15 "
179.22A	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 7.20 "
182.24	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.25 "
183.24	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
184.24	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "
185.24	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "
186.24	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
187.24	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "
188.24	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "
189.24	.. Do.	.. 8 "
190.24	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "
Dhobie's lane.		
194.5	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.10 A.M.
195.6	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
195A.7A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.20 A.M.
196.7	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "
197.7	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
210.13	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
211.14	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "

Muhandiram's lane.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
219.3	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.45 A.M.
220.3(2)	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
221.4	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
224.5E	.. Do.	.. 9 "
225.5D	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
227A.5A & B	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
232.8	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "
233.9	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "
234.9	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
235.9	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
236.9	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "
237.10	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "
242.15/16	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "
243.16	.. Do.	.. 9.50 "
244.17	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "
244A.18	.. Do.	.. 10 "

Date of Sale: Monday, October 19, 1914.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Muhandiram's lane.		
247.21	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.
Gomes' lane.		
267.15	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.5 A.M.
268.16	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "
269.18A	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
St. Sebastian Hill.		
279.4/5	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.20 A.M.
Gomes' lane.		
266.14	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.25 A.M.
St. Sebastian Hill.		
282.8A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.30 A.M.
283.9	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "
Marties' lane.		
287.1/4	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.40 A.M.
288.5/6	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
290.13.14	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "
291.15	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "
292.16	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 8 "
296.20	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.5 "
297.21	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
St. Sebastian Hill.		
312.20	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 8.15 A.M.
314.22/22A	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "
315.23	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.25 "
318.27	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 8.30 "
321.31	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.40 "
322.32/33	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
323.34	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
324.35	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
327.37	.. Do.	.. 9 "
328.37	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
329.37A	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
St. Sebastian street.		
357.1	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.15 A.M.
358.2	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 9.20 "
377.9	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
378.10	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
Akbar's lane.		
379.1	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 9.35 A.M.
388.5	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "
389.5	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "
390.391.6	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.50 "
395.7	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 9.55 "
396.8	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 10 "
Date of Sale: Tuesday, October 20, 1914.		
Akbar's lane.		
397.9	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.
410.411.15	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "
413.16	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "
414.17	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
San Sebastian street.		
420.13	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 7.20 A.M.
422.15	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
425.18	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.30 A.M.	219.19	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.35 A.M.
430.22	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "	220.20	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "
432.24	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "	221.21	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
434.26	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "	241.1	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "
442.31A	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "	247.27.28	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 7.55 "
443.31A	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "	248.29	.. Do.	.. 8 "
445.33	.. Do.	.. 8 "	283.1A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.5 "
449.37	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 8.5 "	284.1A	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
450.36	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "		Kew road.	
466.49	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "	274.4	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.15 A.M.
470.53	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "	275.5	.. Do.	.. 8.20 "
471.54	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "	276.6A	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "
472.473.55	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.30 "	278.6	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
474.55A	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 8.35 "	279.6	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
475.55A	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "	280.7	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "
476.55A	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "	292.15	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
477.55A	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "	302.19	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
	Dam street.		310.22	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
493.96	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.55 A.M.	316.25A	.. Do.	.. 9 "
509.105	.. Do.	.. 9 "		Vauxhall street.	
510.106	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "	355.45	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.5 A.M.
	Date of Sale: Wednesday, October 21, 1914.		369.11A	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
	Malay street.		386.11	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "
104.46	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.	387.11B	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "
106.46A	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "	388.11A	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
107.48	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "	393.14B	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
111.55	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "	398.17	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "
113.57	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "	425.29	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "
114.58	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "	434.25	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "
115.59	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "	435.35	.. Do.	.. 9.50 "
116.60	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "	436.35	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "
142.7	.. Do.	.. 7.40 "	437.35	.. Do.	.. 10 "
147.12	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "		Date of Sale: Friday, October 23, 1914.	
154.19	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "		Vauxhall street.	
166.20	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 7.55 "	438.35	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.
169.21	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8 "	453.43	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "
178.26	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "		Union place.	
	Glenie street.		477A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.10 A.M.
75.15	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 8.10 A.M.	477.29	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
76.14	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "	484	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "
85.4	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.20 "	487.21	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "
14.27	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "	488.21	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
	Java lane.		500.28	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "
48/41.2/3	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 8.30 A.M.	502.22	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 7.40 "
42.1	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "	507.25	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
69.10	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "	512.515.16	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.50 "
68.11	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "		Darley road.	
70.9	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "	2517-2520.43.43A	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.55 A.M.
71.8	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "	2522.44	.. Do.	.. 8 "
77.13	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 9 "	2540.50	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.5 "
261.25A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.5 "		Regent street.	
265.22	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "	2627-2628	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.10 A.M.
266.21	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "		2nd Division, Maradana.	
268.28	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "	2648.97	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.15 A.M.
	Leechman's lane.			Forbes road.	
44.4	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.25 A.M.	2245.24	.. 3rd quarter, 1911, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.20 A.M.
45.5	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "		Arab place.	
62.64.3	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "	2456.7	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 8.25 A.M.
	Ferry lane.		2457A	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
163.9	.. 2nd quarter, 1914	.. 9.40 A.M.	2459.16	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
164.9	.. Do.	.. 9.45 "	2460.15	.. 3rd quarter, 1911, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.40 "
165.9	.. Do.	.. 9.50 "	2461A.14	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.45 "
175.12	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 9.55 "		2nd Division, Maradana.	
254.6	.. Do.	.. 10 "	2468B.105	.. 4th quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.50 A.M.
	Date of Sale: Thursday, October 22, 1914.		2471.105	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8.55 "
	Ferry lane.		2471A	.. 3rd quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9 "
255.258.7	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7 A.M.		Dean's road.	
	Ditch lane.		2421.37	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.5 A.M.
236.8A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.5 A.M.	2421A	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.10 "
	Goulding lane.		2422.37	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.15 "
190.1	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.10 A.M.	2424.38A	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.20 "
	Churchyard lane.		2425.38	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
207.13	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1914	.. 7.15 A.M.	2429.2430.41	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.35 "
210.15	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "			
211.15	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "			
218.18	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "			

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	Arab place.				
2440.20	.. 3rd quarter, 1911, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.40 A.M.	2378.9	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.15 A.M.
2441.20	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 9.45 ..	2388.15c	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.20 ..
2444A.5	.. Do.	.. 9.50 ..	2389A.12	.. Do.	.. 7.25 ..
2446.20A	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 9.55 ..	2390.12A	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7.30 ..
2449.6	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 10 ..	2391.16A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.35 ..
	Date of Sale : Saturday, October 24, 1914.		2393.21	.. Do.	.. 7.40 ..
	Arab place.		2394.21	.. Do.	.. 7.45 ..
2450.17	.. 4th quarter, 1913	.. 7 A.M.	2395.21	.. Do.	.. 7.50 ..
	Avondale road.			Dean's road.	
2370.5A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.5 A.M.	2411.35F	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1913	.. 7.55 A.M.
2371.5	.. Do.	.. 7.10 ..	2415.34	.. 3rd quarter, 1911, to 4th quarter, 1913	.. 8 A.M.
			2416.34	.. Do.	.. 8.5 ..

THE postponed sales of the following properties seized for non-payment of consolidated rate and previously advertised for sale will take place as shown below, sales commencing at 7 A.M. each day :—

No.	Premises.	Original Date fixed for Sale.	Date now fixed.
1853A.100A	.. Second Division, Maradana	.. June 25, 1914	.. Friday, October 23, 1914
538.76	.. Union place	.. August 14, 1914	.. do.
539.75A	.. Do.	.. do.	.. do.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, September 23, 1914.

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

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

Application No. 933.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Lewis Brown and Company, of Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of The East India Distilleries and Sugar Factories, Limited, of 70, Gracechurch street, London, E.C., Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof in respect of sulphuric acid specially manufactured for electrical purposes, in Class 1 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

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Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 23, 1914.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 935.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. L. E. Waterman Company, Manufacturers, of No. 173, Broadway, City of New York, State of New York, United States, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of fountain pens and parts thereof (made of precious metal), in Class 14 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

Waterman's Fountain Pen, N.Y.

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the device of a globe with the word "Ideal" in the centre in distinctive characters to be included in and form part of the device, and the words "Waterman's Fountain Pen, N.Y." on either side of the globe and forming part of the device.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 23, 1914.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

Total Quantities of the Principal Products of the Island exported in Vessels, whose completed Manifests have been checked, during the period from August 27 to September 1, 1914.

Steamship.	Date of Clearing.	For what Port.	Black Tea.	Green Tea.	Rubber.	Cacao.	Cardamoms.	Coffee.			Cinnamon Quills.	Cinnamon Chips.	Products of Coconut Palm.				Plumbago.	Coir.		Citronella Oil.	Cinnamon Oil.	Cinchona.	Gingelly Peons.	Ebony.	Orchilla.	Kivul Fibre.	Deer Horns.		
								Plantation.	Native.	Total.			Coconut Oil.	Copra.	Desiccated Coconuts.	Poonsa.		No.	Yarn.									Fibre.	lb.
COLOMBO.	1914.																												
Alicante	21-8	Barcelona	1300								294																		
Atlantic	19-8	Marseilles	10000							9800																			
Aradia	16-8	China	219421																										
Bharata	10-7	Tuticorin	1310																										
Castella Plesh	27-7	Penang	11340																										
City of York	18-8	London	255938																										
Glan Menzis	10-8	London	86955																										
Devanaha	14-8	Bombay	28847																										
Derbyshire	17-8	London	1422283							1002																			
Explorer	9-8	London	576271																										
Himalaya	16-7	Bombay	33729																										
Iyo Maru	14-8	London	177102																										
Janus	11-8	Australia	278207																										
Java Maru	7-8	Bombay	44303																										
Kitano Maru	31-7	London	146278																										
Kirini Maru	19-8	Japan	54474																										
Leicestershire	19-8	Rangoon	1369																										
Longsor	20-8	Marseilles	4051																										
Mongolia	14-8	London																											
Maloja	16-8	Australia	571070																										
Namur	19-8	Japan	21320																										
Omrah	9-8	Australia	113094																										
Orvieto	25-7	Australia	254465																										
Otranto	10-7	London	907225																										
Osterley	24-7	London	842047																										
Palitana	19-7	Bombay and Coast																											
Perm	7-8	Vladivostok	36540																										
Rangoon Maru	14-7	Bombay	41733																										
Sturmfels	27-7	New York	6580																										
Ville de La Ciotat	12-7	Marseilles	48931																										
Virava	26-7	Bombay	4091																										
York	11-7	Yokohama	76749																										
Worcestershire	15-7	London	1044749																										
GALLE.																													
Subabar	8-9	Bombay																											

Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the Week ended September 12, 1914.

	From	Bag ^s .
TO COLOMBO	Armapataam	473
	Bombay	369
	Calcutta	2,501
	Tuticorin	2,069
Total	5,412	

TO COLOMBO

TO GALLE—Nil.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 15, 1914.

A. H. PINDER,
for Principal Collector.

Total Quantities of the Principal Products of the Island exported in Vessels, whose completed Manifests have been checked, during the period from September 2 to 7, 1914.

Steamship.	Date of Clearing.	For what Port.	Black Tea.	Green Tea.	Rubber.	Cacao.	Cardamoms.	Coffee.			Cinnamon Quills.	Cinnamon Chips.	Products of Coconut Palm.						Plumbago.	Coir.		Citronella Oil.	Cinnamon Oil.	Gingelly Poonac.	Ebony.	Orchilla.	Kitul Fibre.	Deer Horns.									
								Plantation.	Native.	Total.			Coconut Oil.	Copra.	Desiccated Coconuts.	Poonac.	No.	Coconuts.		Yarn.	Fibre.																
COLOMBO.	1914.																																				
Arena	6-8	London	404022		19742	199																															
Austrian	1-9	Bombay	1300																																		
Amiral Ponty	29-8	Havre			8960																																
Clan Graham	27-8	London	174701		31741																																
Clan MacIntyre	23-8	London	284380	20370	122500		492																														
City of Winchester	30-7	London	423406		39470	367																															
Den of Ruthoun	27-8	London	310451		382874	55																															
Discoverer	28-8	London	499295	5720																																	
Emnaeus	28-8	London	212670		33499	323																															
Egypt	27-8	London																																			
Himalaya		Bombay	43598		6457																																
Hirano Maru	28-8	China	230512																																		
Jensen Maru	28-8	London	23597			384																															
Karmala	29-8	Bombay	15280																																		
Lady Blake	30-8	Calcutta	80																																		
Malaja	21-7	Pamban																																			
Malya Maru	28-6	London	58548		45602	122																															
Mooltan	21-8	Bombay	14799																																		
Mooltan	30-8	Australia	490737			68																															
Mangara	24-7	Madras and Calcutta																																			
Nubia	6-8	China	6000																																		
Oriental	30-8	Bombay	5366																																		
Orava	21-8	London	732238		98702	22	1704																														
Otway	26-8	Australia	312403																																		
Rosstock	16-7	Hamburg	11465		20174																																
Stenkor	28-8	Liverpool																																			
Sudmark	28-7	Hamburg	2089																																		
Saisette	31-8	Japan	130364	1404																																	
GALLE.																																					
Bahadur	19-9	Calcutta																																			

* Reported sunk by King's enemy.

Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the Week ended September 19, 1914.

		Bags.				Bags.	
TO COLOMBO	From Ammapatam	..	108	TO GALLE.—	From Calcutta	8,388	
	Calcutta	..	25,618				
	China	..	3,653				
	Cochin	..	1,243				
	Cocnada	..	1				
	Kotapatam	..	127				
	Negapatam	..	3,912				
	Singapore	..	15,965				
	Tondi	..	227				
	Tuticorin	..	3,041				
	Total	..	53,895				

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 23, 1914.

R. O. DE SARAM,
for Principal Collector.

LIST of balance cargo lying at Kochchikade Warehouse over three months to be sold by public auction on Friday, October 2, 1914, at 1 P.M. :—

Date. 1914.	Vessel.	From	Marks.	Quantity and Description of Goods.
Feb. 18 ..	ss. Bharata ..	.. Tuticorin ..	.. Nil ..	.. 1 bag tamarind
May 14 ..	ss. Itaura ..	.. Calcutta ..	.. C H O C ..	.. 1 case
June 2 ..	ss. Bharata ..	.. Tuticorin ..	.. Nil ..	.. 1 bag grain
June 16 ..	ss. Begum ..	.. Bombay ..	.. Nil ..	.. 2 bags p. manure
			.. A M M ..	.. 27 bags manure
June 16 ..	ss. Ugina ..	.. do. ..	.. Various ..	.. 5 bags sugar
June 17 ..	ss. Ozarda ..	.. do. ..	.. H K D ..	.. 1 bag rice
June 22 ..	ss. Uganda ..	.. Calcutta ..	.. Nil ..	.. 11 bags rice
			.. Nil ..	.. 8 bags bones
June 23 ..	ss. Palitana ..	.. Tuticorin ..	.. S S V ..	.. 13 bags g. n. manure
June 25 ..	ss. Lady McCallum ..	.. Coast ..	.. S R M S ..	.. 1 bag rice
June 25-27	ss. Palitana ..	.. Tuticorin ..	.. Nil ..	.. 4 bundles c. fish
June 26 & 28	ss. Bharata ..	.. do. ..	.. B L ..	.. 1 bag grain
			.. L S ..	.. 1 bag barley
			.. Nil ..	.. 1 bag rice
			.. Nil ..	.. 1 bag g. n. manure
July 4 ..	ss. Subadar ..	.. Bombay ..	.. Various ..	.. 7 bundles dates
July 10 ..	ss. Bharata ..	.. Tuticorin ..	.. S M ..	.. 1 bundle c. fish

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 18, 1914.

J. CONROY,
for Principal Collector.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Notice of Sale, Local Board, Moratuwa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the properties mentioned in the annexed schedule having been seized for default of assessment tax by the owners for the 1st quarter, 1914, will be sold on the spot on the dates and time therein mentioned by public auction in conformity with the Ordinance No. 19 of 1905 and Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, unless in the meantime the amount in respect of the rates, together with the lawful costs of seizure and sale, is duly paid.

Further particulars can be had at the Local Board Office, Moratuwa.

Colombo Kachcheri,
September 21, 1914.

H. W. MILLIGAN,
Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

Village—Uyana.

Date of Sale : October 14, 1914.

Lot.	Description.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
104 ..	House and garden	.. 1st quarter, 1914	.. 9 A.M.
256 ..	Garden	.. do. ..	.. 9.15 "
266 ..	Do. ..	.. do. ..	.. 9.30 "
395 ..	House and garden	.. do. ..	.. 9.45 "

Village—Katubedda.

Date of Sale : October 15, 1914.

Lot.	Description.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
18 ..	House and garden	.. 1st quarter, 1914	.. 9 A.M.
19 ..	Do. ..	.. do. ..	.. 9.15 "
23 ..	Do. ..	.. do. ..	.. 9.30 "
46 ..	Do. ..	.. do. ..	.. 9.45 "
57 ..	Do. ..	.. do. ..	.. 10 "
58 ..	Garden	.. do. ..	.. 10.15 "
59 ..	House and garden	.. do. ..	.. 10.30 "
60 ..	Garden	.. do. ..	.. 10.45 "

Village—Kaduwanulla.

Date of Sale: October 16, 1914.

Lot.	Description.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
10	Garden	1st quarter, 1914	2 P.M.
11	Do.	do.	2.15 "
78	House and garden	do.	2.30 "
20	Garden	do.	2.45 "

Village—Willorawatta.

Date of Sale: October 15, 1914.

Lot.	Description.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
74	House and garden	1st quarter, 1914	9 A.M.
93	Do.	do.	9.15 "
119	Garden	do.	9.30 "
214	do.	do.	9.45 "
220	Do.	do.	10 "

Village—Molpe.

Date of Sale: October 16, 1914.

Lot.	Description.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
9	House and garden	1st quarter, 1914	1 P.M.
19	Do.	do.	1.15 "
33	Garden	do.	1.30 "
43	House and garden	do.	1.45 "
47	Garden	do.	2 "
83	House and garden	do.	2.15 "
161	Garden	do.	2.30 "

"The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899."

THE following regulations made by the Sanitary Board of the Kalutara District, in pursuance of the powers vested in it by sections 18 and 23 of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899," and by section 34 (2) of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," in respect of the general cemetery known as the Horana General Cemetery, situated in the village Wewala, in Horana, Rayigam korale, Kalutara District, Western Province, are published for general information.

The Kachcheri,
Kalutara, July 29, 1914.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Chairman.

Regulations referred to.

- All applications for graves shall be made to the keeper of the cemetery at least six hours before the time fixed for the burial of the body for which the grave is required.
- The keeper shall intimate the line to be followed by a funeral party on arrival at the cemetery, and if more than one funeral party arrive at the same time, the order in which they are respectively to move to the graves; and funeral parties shall obey the directions of the keeper.
- Should it be necessary for the purpose of preventing the disturbance of one funeral party by another, and not otherwise, the keeper of the cemetery may require that one burial service should be concluded before the other commences.
- The keeper of the cemetery shall be entitled to keep order within the cemetery, and his orders shall be obeyed.
- No grave shall be less than four feet in depth, or at a distance of less than four feet from any other.
- No grave shall be reopened within a year, or vault within eighteen months, from the date of the last interment therein, except upon orders made by a competent court or other legally competent authority.
- No dead body shall be buried without the permission of the cemetery-keeper; such permission shall not be granted till all fees due have been paid.
- The following fees shall be paid in advance:—

	Rs.	c.
For digging a grave for an adult	2	0
For digging a grave for a child under ten years old	1	50
For a cremation	1	0
For a tomb, 8 ft. by 8 ft.	40	0
For a tomb, 8 ft. by 4 ft.	30	0
For a tomb, 4 ft. by 4 ft.	20	0
For each subsequent burial in such tomb	5	0
For a space for a vault, 8 ft. by 8 ft.	100	0
For each subsequent burial in such vault	5	0
For the use of a hearse	1	50
For the use of hearse with pall and tassel	2	75
For inspection of the plan and book of reference	0	50
For every entry or memorial of grant	1	0
For every assignment of grant	1	0

9. Provided (a) that paupers and coolies dying on estates shall be buried free of charge under the directions of the cemetery-keeper.

(b) And that on the production of a certificate signed by a Minister of any Christian denomination, or by a Mudaliyar or Muhandiran of the district, or by a Justice of the Peace, or by an Inquirer under the Criminal Procedure Code, that the relatives and friends of any deceased person are not able to pay the fees herein prescribed for the digging of a grave, the keeper of the cemetery shall cause a grave to be dug and the corpse to be buried therein free of charge.

Parties may choose the person to perform the burial service, and the fee agreed upon shall be paid to him by the parties concerned.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Bathford Valley 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 sums for repairing flood damages and constructing drains to cooly lines on the above road, the Provincial Road Committee acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the following estates at the rate of 5113c. per acre.

Storm damages.

	Government Moiety. Rs. c.	Private contri- bution. Rs. c.
Estimate No. 851 of 1913-14 ..	265 0	271 62
Estimate No. 1,061 of 1913-14 ..	40 69	41 40

Drains to cooly lines.

Estimate No. 806 of 1913-14 ..	Estates.	Acreeage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Proprietors or Agents.			
O. Estates Company, Limited	Darawella	675	34 58
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	Menikwatta	478	24 51
Battalgalla Tea Estates Company	Hadley	228	11 72
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited	Invery	306	15 71
Vogan Tea Company	Stamford Hill	138	7 12
Do.	No. 1 Stamford Hill		
	No. 2	138	7 12
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited	Waterloo	207	10 65
Cumberbatch & Co.	Annfield	289	14 84
Sir C. Hartley (A. Craib)	Kinloch	122	6 31
R. H. S. Scott	Ottery	381	19 56
Trustees of G. Steuart & Co.	Erlsmere	173	8 92
Trustees of the late W. H. Walker	Roscrea and Dorothea	205	10 56
J. W. Holt (A. Craib)	St. Ley's	130	6 72
Battalgalla Estates Co.	Battalgalla	444	20 78
Lanka Tea Estates Co. (T. W. MacLoughlin)	Gonagalla	189	9 74
Do.	Paramatta	136	7 3
Do.	Fordyce	448	22 98
Do.	Garbawn	147	7 57
Vogan Tea Estates Company	Barkindale	81	4 22
Chas. Mackwood & Co.	Bathford	219	11 27
Hornsey Tea Estates Company, Limited	Hornsey	251	12 91
Whitall & Co.	Ingestre	737	37 76
Hornsey Tea Estates Company, Limited	Abercairney	222	11 43
C. Mackwood & Co.	Berat	226	11 63
C. L. Davis	Blinkbonnie	223	11 48
The Ceylon Tea Plantation Company, Limited	Tillyrie	754	38 63
South Wanarajah Co.	Poyston	316	16 23
J. M. Power and C. Johnson	Bon Accord	163	8 41
	Total		410 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 October 3, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, September 22, 1914. Chairman.

Bathford Valley 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, No. 14 of 1896, have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. 307 of 1913-14.)

Government contribution ..	Rs. 1,750.00
Private contribution ..	Rs. 1,767.50

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 8,026—Moiety of cost, Rs. 267.45—
Sectional rate, 0333c.—Total rate, 0333c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage	Amount Rs. c.
O. Estates Company, Limited	Darawella	675	22 50
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	Menikwatta	478	15 93
Battalgalla Tea Estates Company	Hadley	228	7 60
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited	Invery	306	10 20
Vogan Tea Company	Stamford Hill		
Do.	No. 1	138	4 60
	Stamford Hill		
	No. 2	138	4 60
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited	Waterloo	207	6 90
Cumberbatch & Co.	Annfield	289	9 63
Sir C. Hartley (A. Craib)	Kinloch	122	4 7
R. H. S. Scott	Ottery	381	12 70
Trustees of G. Steuart & Co.	Erlsmere	173	5 77
Trustees of the late W. H. Walker	Roscrea and Dorothea	205	6 84
J. W. Holt (A. Craib)	St. Ley's	130	4 34

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 4,556—Moiety of cost, Rs. 534.90—
Sectional rate, 1174c.—Total rate, 1507c.

Battalgalla Tea Estates Co.	Battalgalla	444	66 92
Lanka Tea Estates Co. (J. W. MacLoughlin)	Gonagalla	189	28 49
Do.	Paramatta	136	20 50
Do.	Fordyce	448	67 53
Do.	Garbawn	147	22 16
Vogan Tea Estates Company	Barkindale	81	12 21

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 3,111—Moiety of cost, Rs. 267.45—
Sectional rate, 0859c.—Total rate, 2366c.

Chas. Mackwood & Co.	Bathford	219	51 84
Hornsey Tea Estates Company, Limited	Hornsey	251	59 41

1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 2,641—Moiety of cost, Rs. 267.45—
Sectional rate, 1012c.—Total rate, 3378c.

Whitall & Co.	Ingestre	737	249 7
Hornsey Tea Estates Company, Limited	Abercairney	222	75 3
C. Mackwood & Co.	Berat	226	76 38
C. L. Davis	Blinkbonnie	223	75 37

1st to 7th section, 6.60 miles.

Total acreage, 1,233—Moiety of cost, Rs. 428—
Sectional rate, 3471c.—Total rate, 6849c.

The Ceylon Tea Plantation Company, Limited	Tillyrie	754	516 53
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Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
South Wanarajah Co. ..	Poyston ..	316 ..	216 47
J. M. Power and C. Johnson	Bon Accord ..	163 ..	111 66
Total ..			1,765 25
Private contributions ..			1,767 50
Unexpended balance, 1913-14 ..			2 25
Total ..			1,765 25

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before October 3, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, September 22, 1914. Chairman.

Ulapane-Riverside 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 sums 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. 264 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety ..	Rs 1,500
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,515

1st to 3rd section, 1½ mile.

Total acreage, 1,601—Moiety of cost, Rs. 426·78—
Sectional rate, ·2665c.—Total rate, ·2665c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
The English and Scotch Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Mahavilla ..	321 ..	85 56
Do. (Geo. Benzie)	Weli-ganga and Halgolla ..	204 ..	54 38

1st to 6th section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 1,076—Moiety of cost, Rs. 426·78—
Sectional rate, ·3966c.—Total rate, ·6631c.

Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co. (Philip Hanbury)	Kanapediwatta ..	393 ..	260 63
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1st to 9th section, 4 miles 32 chains.

Total acreage, 683—Moiety of cost, Rs. 376·24—
Sectional rate, ·5508c.—Total rate, Re. 1·2139c.

The Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland, Superintendent)	Riverside	..	390 ..	473 50
The English and Scotch Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Dambagalla ..	98 ..	118 98	
Do.	Nugawella ..	195 ..	236 75	
Total ..			1,229 80	

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before October 3, 1914.

Private contribution ..	Rs. 1,515·00
Unexpended balance, 1912-13 ..	285·20

Amount to be recovered on account 1913-14 .. Rs. 1,229·80

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, September 22, 1914. Chairman.

Ulapane-Riverside Branch Road.

(Flood 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 repairing the flood damages on the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions at the rate of ·1024c. per acre:—

(Estimate No. 742 of 1913-14.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 160
Private contributions ..	Rs. 164

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
The English and Scotch Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Mahavilla ..	321 ..	32 89
Do. (Geo. Benzie)	Weli-ganga and Halgolla ..	204 ..	20 90
Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co. (Philip Hanbury)	Kanapediwatta ..	393 ..	40 26
The Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland, Superintendent)	Riverside ..	390 ..	39 95
The English and Scotch Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Dambagalla ..	98 ..	10 3
Do.	Nugawella ..	195 ..	19 97
Total ..			164 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before October 3, 1914.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, September 22, 1914. Chairman.

Bevilla-Digowa Estate Road.

IN terms of section 11 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, I hereby give notice of my intention to hold a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the construction of the Bevilla-Digowa Estate road, for the purpose of electing a Local Committee, which shall consist of not less than two nor more than five members, to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance, for the term of two years.

The General Meeting shall consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district, as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

The meeting will be held at the Ratnapura Kacheheri, on Saturday, October 10, 1914, at 1 P.M.

Provincial Road Committee, R. N. THAINE,
Ratnapura, September 14, 1914. Chairman.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Sungei Dulang Coconut Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Sungei Dulang Coconut Company, Limited, will be held at Ambewatte House, Slave Island, Colombo, the registered office of the Company, on Monday, October 5, 1914, at 12.45 P.M., for the purpose of confirming as a special resolution the subjoined resolution, which was duly passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on September 19, 1914, viz. :—

“That the Sungei Dulang Coconut Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.”

In the event of the above resolution being duly confirmed, it will be necessary for the meeting to appoint a liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and disposing of the Company's property, and to fix such liquidator's remuneration.

It will, in the same event, be also necessary for the meeting to appoint some person or persons to inspect in due course the liquidator's account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of.

By order of the Board,

CUMBERBATCH & Co.,

Colombo, September 22, 1914. Agents and Secretaries.

The International Stores, Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company duly convened and held on Monday, July 27, 1914, the following resolution was duly passed, viz. :—

“That the International Stores, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.”

And that this resolution was duly confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held this date.

Notice is also given that Mr. Harold Douglas Thornton, of No. 3, Queen street, Colombo, has been appointed Liquidator of the Company.

P. N. MCLATTER,

Colombo, September 21, 1914. Secretary.

The International Stores, Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before Saturday, October 31, 1914, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Harold Douglas Thornton, of No. 3, Queen street, Colombo, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or, in default thereof, they will be liable to be excluded from the benefit of any distribution of the assets of the said Company.

H. D. THORNTON,

September 21, 1914. Liquidator.

Nuwara Eliya Hotels Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the Grand Hotel, Nuwara Eliya, at 2.30 P.M., on Saturday, October 3, 1914, for the following purposes, viz. :—

(a) To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for the year ending June 30, 1914.

- (b) To declare a dividend on preference shares.
 (c) To elect two Directors.
 (d) To appoint an Auditor.
 (e) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

Proxies duly signed and stamped should reach this office not later than twenty-four hours before the time of the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 21 to October 6, 1914, inclusive.

By order of the Director,

C. M. C. DE SILVA,

Nuwara Eliya, September 21, 1914. Secretary.

Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.

I, JOHN EDMUND DE SARAM, of Pannipitiya, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, do hereby give notice, in terms of schedule 1B of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Colombo.

Pannipitiya, September 13, 1914. J. E. DE SARAM.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 36,975C of the District Court of Colombo, I am directed by the said court to sell by public auction on Saturday, October 3, 1914, at 3 P.M., at the spot, all that defined 13/21 parts of Gorakagahawatta, situated at Wanawahala, in Adikari pattu, Siyane korale, declared bound and executable under the said decree for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,400·17½, further interest, and costs of suit.

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D. B. GUNARATNA,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.
 Manualpeeriswaduge Juan Peeris of Tudella, executor under the Last Will and Testament of Manualpeeriswaduge Mariyanu Peeris Plaintiff.
 No. 9,081. Vs.
 (1) Delat Guneris Silva and wife, (2) Dunuhinge Sarnel Hamy, (3) Dunuhinge Jandiris Silva, all of Udammitta Defendants.

BY virtue of the decree in the above case and the order issued to me, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, at 10 A.M., on Friday, October 16, 1914, the under-mentioned property declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 355, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from January 27, 1912, till payment in full, and costs of action Rs. 139·75, viz. :—The garden called Kadurugahawatta, situated at Udammitta, in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, in extent 1 rood and 30 perches, exclusive of one bearing jak tree and three coconut trees from the plantations on the said land.

Negombo, September 21, 1914,

M. P. KURERA,

Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Sawanna Thana Muttaiya Chetty of Negombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 9,581.

Vs.

Welisarege Thimoti Silva of Maduwa in Dasiya
pattu Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above action and the order issued to me, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, at 10 A.M., on Saturday, October 17, 1914, the under-mentioned property declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 500, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from September 25, 1913, till payment in full and costs of suit, viz. :—An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share from and out of the land called Kahategahawatta, situated at Heenetiya, in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, in extent about 10 acres.

M. P. KURERA,

Negombo, September 21, 1914.

Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Sina Thana Kana Nana Sana Ramanadan Chetty
of Negombo Plaintiff.

No. 9,856.

Vs.

Kiritipige Aponsu Fernando of Dandugama.....Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above action and the order issued to me, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, at 10 A.M., on Monday, October 19, 1914, the under-mentioned property declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 910, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from June 8, 1914, till payment in full, and costs of action Rs. 137.12 $\frac{1}{2}$, viz. :—

The land called Anakawalewatta and the building standing thereon, situated at Dandugama, in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, in extent about 3 acres.

M. P. KURERA,

Negombo, September 21, 1914.

Auctioneer.