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LAND SALES IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

No. 2,952, S. P.—The Government Agent, Southern Province, will on Tuesday, October 31, 1916, at 1 P.M., at his office in Galle Kachcheri, put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Three allotments of land situated in the Wellaboda pattu division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,437. Village—Batapola. Claimant—Crown.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	Upset price
				A. R. P.	per acre, Rs.
1	Hividiattemanana ..	P. H. Arnolis de Silva ..	Patana ..	0 2 23	50*
2	Do. ..	— ..	do. ..	0 0 10	—†
		Claimant—P. H. Arnolis de Silva.			
3	Hividiattemanana ..	— ..	Coconut garden ..	0 0 5	50*
		Claimant—Crown.			
4	Hividiattemanana ..	P. H. Arnolis de Silva ..	Patana ..	0 2 1	50*
5	Do. ..	— ..	do. ..	0 0 12	—†

* With mining rights Rs. 200.

† Reservation.

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Southern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 21, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,953, S. P.— On Tuesday, October 31, 1916, at 2 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in Dikwella Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Four allotments of land situated in the Wellaboda pattu division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,307. Village—Kapugama West.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	Upset price
				A. R. P.	per acre, Rs.
1	Totupalawatta ..	W. M. Don Juwanis ..	Garden ..	0 1 14	75

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Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
2	Dangahliyadda	W. M. Don Juwanis	Garden	0	2 0	50
3	Do.	do.	Swamp	0	3 9	25
Preliminary plan 10,322. Village—Parawahera.						
1	Muttetuhenarekebella	A. W. Don Bastian	Garden	0	2 26	100

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and particulars regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,954, S. P.—On Thursday, November 2, 1916, at 2 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in Hakmana Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Forty-four allotments of land situated in the Kandaboda pattu division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Final village plan 90. Village—Parapamulla.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
4u3	Kadjumandiya	Crown	Garden	1	0 14	40*
4u4	Kudagalketiymagedarawatta	do.	do.	0	0 20	40*
4u5	Kudagalketiyeawatta	do.	do.	2	1 4	40*
4u6	Kudagodawatta	do.	Jungle	1	0 0	40
4u7	Do.	do.	do.	1	1 6	40
4g1	Gallendahena	do.	do.	3	1 24	50
4g2	Do.	do.	do.	0	3 17	50
4g4	Do.	do.	do.	2	2 14	50
4g5	Do.	do.	do.	3	1 16	40
38e	Dikhena	do.	do.	3	2 33	45
38h	Madinawatta	do.	Garden	0	0 38	30*
38i	Gastunewatta	do.	Citronella	0	1 3	30*
38j	Polgahahena	do.	Jungle	6	1 0	40
38k	Wannigewatta	do.	Citronella	0	0 17	30*
38l	Iriyagahahena	do.	Jungle	0	1 3	30
38m	Polgahahena	do.	do.	1	1 12	30
17i	Wannigedoledeeniya-atmaga	do.	Chena	0	1 3	30
38n	Polgahahena	do.	Jungle	4	1 25	40
38o	Wannigewatta	do.	Citronella	1	0 1	30*
38p	Boralugewatta	do.	Chena	0	1 19	30
38q	Polgahahena	do.	Citronella	0	2 19	30*
38r	Rathnayakawattedeniya	do.	Field	0	2 8	80
38s	Rathnayakawatta	do.	Garden	0	1 25	35*
38t	Dikhenebedda	do.	Jungle	8	1 10	45
99h	Boraluketiyehena	do.	do.	2	1 22	35
99i	Do.	do.	do.	0	3 27	30
99j	Yahalehena	do.	Citronella	0	2 28	30*
99k	Do.	do.	Jungle	3	2 35	35
99l	Do.	do.	do.	1	3 13	35
179b	Do.	do.	do.	2	0 27	35

Final village plan 501. Village—Naradda.

27a	Pinwatta	Crown	Jungle	0	2 31	50
27a1	Medakoratuwa	do.	Garden	0	0 16	50*
27b	Ambagahahena	do.	Jungle	1	2 9	50
27b1	Mahawattehena	do.	Chena	0	0 10	50
27c	Kapuhena	do.	Jungle	0	3 22	50
27d	Arachchigewatta	do.	do.	1	0 15	50

Final village plan 91. Village—Beragama.

5h8	Kirimetiwalalanshena	Crown	Jungle	2	1 8	50
5h9	Do.	do.	do.	0	0 28	50
36k1a	Udahagederawatta	do.	Jungle	0	0 14	50
36k2a	Do.	do.	Garden	0	0 31	50*
36k3	Udahagederawatta	do.	Jungle	0	0 20	50
36k3a	Udahagederawatta	do.	do.	0	0 4	50
36k13a	Halwattewawatta	do.	Garden	0	1 3	50*
36k15	Godelleudawatta	do.	do.	1	3 39	40*

* Value of plantation on these lots will be included at the sale. Value of timber will also be included at the sale.

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and particulars regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,955, S. P.—On Tuesday, November 7, 1916, at 2 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in Kamburupitiya Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Thirty-three allotments of land situated in the Gangaboda pattu division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,285. Village—Karagoda Uyangoda.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
1	Wellalawelkoratuwa	Crown	Garden	0	1 12	50
2	Kadankoratuwa	do.	do.	0	1 36	50

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
3	Nelliyadeniya-atmaga	Crown	Garden	2	2	22	50
4	Nedungahawatta	do.	do.	0	2	20	50
5	Do.	do.	Reservation for the road	0	0	2	—
6	Kendagahakoratuwa	do.	do.	0	0	4	—
7	Do.	do.	Garden	0	1	29	50
8	Kanainwalekuttiya	do.	Reservation for the road	0	1	24	—
9	Do.	J. V. Don-Carolis	Jungle	4	2	8	50
10	Kadanketiyeatmaga	do.	Garden	0	1	9	50
Preliminary plan 10,288. Village—Kirinda.							
1	Galendehena	S. Don Janis	Jungle	1	1	12	40
Preliminary plan 10,289. Village—Kirinda.							
1	Mahahena	T. Don Carolis, Vel-Vidane	Jungle	2	2	22	40
Preliminary plan 10,306. Village—Kirinda.							
1	Waduwannewatta <i>alias</i> Padagala Sumangala	do.	Garden	0	2	32	50
Lawallagahawatta							
2	Batadolehena	do.	do.	2	0	14	50
3	Do.	Crown	Reservation for Gansabhawa road	0	0	30	—
4	Do.	do.	Garden	3	0	0	50
5	Do.	do.	Reservation for dola	0	1	0	—
6	Lawallagahawatta <i>alias</i> Waduwannewatta	do.	Reservation for Gansabhawa road	0	0	7	—
7	Aludeniya	do.	Paddy field	0	0	34	100
Final village plan 68. Village—Urumutta.							
82c	Gangodakandehena	Crown	Jungle	1	3	0	100
82e	Katuimbulehena	do.	do.	0	3	23	100
82f	Do.	do.	Stream reservation	0	0	19	—
82g	Kandawalahena	do.	Jungle	1	0	10	100
82h	Do.	do.	do.	1	1	12	100
82ae	Etambagahahenyaya	do.	Stream reservation	0	1	19	—
82af	Kirinatihewatta	do.	Garden	0	1	9	90
82ag	Alawatugodawatta	do.	do.	0	0	27	90
82ah	Ambagahahenyaya	do.	Reservation for field	0	2	4	—
82am	Etambagahahenyaya	do.	do.	0	2	18	—
82an	Rukattanagahawatta	do.	Garden	0	0	14	90
82ao	Maragahawatta	do.	do.	0	1	2	90
82ar	Pelapolkoratuwawatta	do.	do.	0	1	22	90
82bh	Galabodawilagoda	do.	Chena	7	0	35	100

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,956, S. P.—On Thursday, November 9, 1916, at 2 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in the Akuressa Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Six allotments of land situated in the Weligam korale division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Final village plan 544. Village—Minipagoda.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
28o	Amuhena	Crown	Reservation for stream	1	2	39	—
28p	Do.	do.	Reservation for footpath	0	1	31	—
28q	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	12	—
28r	Ehalawattekoraatuwa	do.	Garden	0	0	36	60
28j1	Urullemullehena	do.	Stream reservation	0	3	10	—
Final village plan 553. Village—Neraluwa.							
2e	Galgodahena	Crown	Jungle	0	3	37	65

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and particulars regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,957, S. P.—On Saturday, November 11, 1916, at 10 A.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in Weligama Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Seventeen allotments of land situated in the Weligam korale division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,317. Village—Denepitiya.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
1	Bandarawatteowillana or kanda	T. A. D. S. Kurukulasekera	Swamp	6	1	24	75
2	Do.	do.	Planted land	0	1	6	100
3	Do.	do.	Deniya	0	0	28	100
4	Do.	do.	Garden	0	0	24	100
5	Do.	do.	Owita	0	1	22	100
6	Do.	do.	Deniya	0	0	11	100
7	Do.	do.	Garden	0	0	13	100
8	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	2	100

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
Preliminary plan 10,311. Village—Beraleliya.						
1	Wewehena	L. Juwanis Appu	Jungle	7	2 5	75
Preliminary plan 10,312. Village—Beraleliya.						
1	Tennapitahena	L. Don Carolis Appu	Jungle	0	3 30	75
Preliminary plan 10,313. Village—Beraleliya.						
1	Alikedeniyaudumullehena	U. V. Don Elias	Jungle	2	1 21	75
2	Do.	do.	do.	1	3 11	75
Preliminary plan 10,329. Village—Beraleliya.						
1	Madawalahena	L. Juwanis Appu	Jungle	2	0 22	75
2	Do.	do.	Citronella	0	0 8	75
Final village plan 535. Village—Lenama.						
202f	Hindakaralshena	Crown	Low jungle	3	3 32	60
202g	Do.	do.	Reservation for the footpath	0	0 22	—
256b5	Kanattededarahena	do.	Low jungle	3	0 33	60

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,958, S. P.—On Saturday, November 18, 1916, at 2 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District, Southern Province, will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in Morawaka Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Thirty-six allotments of land situated in the Morawak korale division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A. R. P.		
Final village plan 26. Village—Banagala.						
1e	Obadahena	J. Heen Appu	Chena	1	0 0	20
1f	Do.	Crown	Road and stream reservation	0	1 30	—
1g	Do.	do.	do.	0	0 15	—
138d	Hikgahahena	S. D. Don Agoris	Chena	1	0 33	20
138e	Do.	do.	Garden	0	1 19	20
138f	Do.	do.	Chena	0	0 36	20
138g	Do.	Crown	Path reservation	0	0 8	—
Final village plan 31. Village—Lewpotdeniya.						
1o1	Bokkehena	Crown	Chena	5	3 34	20
1o2	Do.	do.	Stream reservation	0	2 12	—
Final village plan 9. Village—Alapaladeniya.						
14e	Velehena	D. C. Rupesinghe	Chena	1	0 17	20
14f	Do.	Crown	Road reservation	0	0 30	—
14g	Do.	D. C. Rupesinghe	Garden	0	1 0	50
14h	Do.	do.	do.	0	0 10	50
Final village plan 41. Village—Waralla.						
42a	Ulundupitayahena	Mrs. H. J. Jayasekera	Garden	1	1 8	20*
42e	Kudaludeniyehena	do.	do.	2	2 18	20*
42g	Do.	Crown	Road reservation	0	0 34	—
14a	Hediwatta	G. Don Bastian	Garden	0	3 8	15*
Final village plans 4 and 40. Village—Morawaka.						
49	Pallewattahena	M. Ampalavaner	Chena	9	1 15	15*
50	Do.	do.	do.	1	2 28	15*
50b	Do.	do.	do.	0	0 28	15*
64a	Okandehena	do.	do.	3	2 4	15*
Final village plan 170. Village—Pallegama.						
169r	Halielagodahena, deniyehena	Gal- A. A. W. Ratnaike	Jungle	1	3 13	30
Final village plan 117. Village—Pathawala.						
18f	Dalukgahahena	R. L. Balahami	Low jungle	1	1 11	20
18f1	Do.	do.	Garden	0	2 7	20
18f2	Do.	Crown	Path reservation	0	0 1	—
Final village plan 23. Village—Urubokka.						
45b	Niyangamalahena alias Puwakwattahena	Mr. Abeywardena	Chena	3	0 4	15*
70a	Puwakwattahena	do.	do.	2	3 19	15*
45a	Niyangamalahena alias Puwakwattahena	do.	do.	1	1 2	15*
70	Puwakwattahena	do.	do.	0	2 11	15*
48½	Kankanigehena	Crown	Reservation for cooly lines and gravel pits	1	2 5	—
48½a	Do.	do.	Chena	0	3 4	15
48½b	Kankanigehena alias Kalungallawatta	do.	Garden	0	0 17	15*
48½c	Kankanigehena alias Tittalehena	do.	Chena	0	3 13	15
84½d	Do.	do.	Garden	0	0 14	15*

* Value of timber will be included at the sale.

Block survey preliminary plan 22. Village—Ginneliya.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
214f	Paluwattekebella	T. Davith	Garden	1	2 20	15*
214g	Do.	Crown	Stream reservation	0	0 25	—

* Value of timber will be included at the sale.

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and particulars regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 2,959, S. P.—On Wednesday, November 15, 1916, at 2 P.M., the Assistant Government Agent for the Matara District will put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, at his office in the Matara Kachcheri, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. Four allotments of land situated in the Four Gravets, division of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,328. Village—Naimana.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
1	Galpottehenetenna	Mr. R. A. Gunaratna	Jungle	0	3 16	35

Preliminary plan 10,327. Village—Naimana.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
1	Miriswatta	Mr. R. A. Gunaratna	Bare land	0	0 6	40
2	Do.	Crown	Reservation for the Gansabhawa road	0	0 2	—
5	Do.	do.	Reservation for the ambalama	0	0 2	—

Further particulars regarding these lands can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, and particulars regarding plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, October 17, 1916, at 1 P.M., the Government Agent, Southern Province, will put up to auction, at his office at the Galle Kachcheri, the right to dig for plumbago in the under-mentioned Crown land in the Galle District, and supposed to contain plumbago, for a period of five years on the following conditions:—

(a) The lease will include the right of mining for plumbago only, and will be for a period of five years only at the yearly ground rent of Rs. 10 per acre per annum, and subject to the covenants and conditions as sanctioned by Government, copy of which can be obtained at the Kachcheri. The highest bidder for the lease of the above-mentioned allotment shall be the purchaser, provided that the price offered by him amounts at least to the upset price as stated against the lot in column 4.

(b) No bidding shall be finally accepted unless the person making the same shall, on being declared the highest bidder, immediately pay to the Government Agent a deposit of 10 per cent. on the amount of bidding, whether he has made a previous deposit or not, and also unless the said person shall, on being declared the highest bidder as aforesaid, sign the above-mentioned conditions of sale.

(c) The purchaser shall pay to the Government Agent within one month of the date of sale the balance of the purchase money, and in failure thereof the purchase shall

be considered void, and deposit of 10 per cent., together with any other sum paid on account of the land, shall be forfeited.

(d) On payment to the Government Agent within the time specified of the whole of the purchase money, the Government Agent will grant to the purchaser a lease in the approved form, and the purchaser shall at the same time execute and deliver to the Government Agent a duplicate of such lease.

(e) Should any error or mistake hereafter appear in the description and admeasurement of the said land, the purchaser will not be entitled to claim any compensation or abatement of the price in respect thereof.

(f) The fee for the preparation of the lease is 4 per cent. of purchase money, not exceeding Rs. 20, and must be paid on day of sale.

Preliminary plan 5,462. Village—Hattaka.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.		Upset price per acre, Rs.
		A.	R. P.	
12561	Puswelgodadeniya Managewattadeniya	2	2 20	4,000

The Kachcheri,
Galle, September 22, 1916. A. H. EGAN,
for Government Agent.

LAND SALES IN THE EASTERN PROVINCE.

No. 1,457, E. P.—On Tuesday, November 28, 1916, at 1.30 P.M., the Government Agent for the Eastern Province will put up for sale or settlement or other disposal, at Pottuvil Resthouse, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, on the terms authorized by Government. Eighteen allotments of land situated in Panawa pattu of the Batticaloa District, Eastern Province.

Preliminary plan 4,667. Village—Pottuvil.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price for the lot, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
2673	Illukuchenakadu	Isubulevvai Mohamadu Cassim	Jungle fit for paddy	2	3 35	54
2674	Do.	do.	do.	0	3 33	16
2675	Do.	—	Open land (reservation for cart track)	0	1 6	—
2676	Do.	Isubulebbe Adambawa	Jungle fit for paddy	9	3 4	—*
2677	Do.	General sale	do.	2	3 37	57

* For lease.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price for the lot, Rs.	
				A. R. P.			
Preliminary plan 4,982. Village—Pottuvil.							
1	Pittaulundavelikadu ..	Murugesu Suppiah ..	Jungle fit for coconuts ..	4	2	34	95
2	Do. ..	— ..	Jungle (reservation for road)	0	2	9	—
Preliminary plan 4,998. Village—Pottuvil.							
1	Palayavalavu ..	Tombutor Santahamy Rankatana ..	Open land (encroachment by applicant)	0	1	35	10
2	Do. ..	do. ..	Jungle ..	0	1	21	8
3	Do. ..	— ..	Jungle (reservation for path)	0	0	20	—
4	Do. ..	Tombutor Santahamy Rankatana ..	Coconut garden (encroachment by applicant)	0	0	36	5
5	Veddivelivalavu ..	Encroachment by Vannakappu Karupata ..	Coconut garden ..	0	0	13	2
Preliminary plan 4,981. Village—Lahugala.							
1	Belakadaelawatta ..	G. H. Canagasabai, Mudaliyar ..	Jungle fit for plantation ..	2	0	2	41
2	Do. ..	— ..	Jungle (reservation for path)	0	0	10	—
3	Do. ..	— ..	Jungle (reservation for ela)	0	1	3	—
Preliminary plan 4,991. Village—Panawa.							
1	Panagalaveddai ..	P. H. Sinnatampi Kanakamullai ..	Paddy field ..	5	0	20	86
2	Do. ..	— ..	Open land (reservation for road)	1	0	5	—
3	Do. ..	P. H. Sinnatampi Kanakamullai ..	Paddy field ..	3	0	12	52

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 4, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1,458, E. P.—On Friday, November 24, 1916, at 1.30 P.M., the Government Agent for the Eastern Province will put up for sale or settlement or other disposal, at Batticaloa Kachcheri, the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, re-advertised for non-payment of instalments due thereon, on the terms authorized by Government.

Koralai Pattu.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Defaulter.	Description.	Extent.		Upset price for the lot, Rs.	
				A. R. P.			
Preliminary plan 4,727. Village—Nachuvantivu.							
2979	Nachuvantivupumi ..	Nakapper Kanavathipillai of Valaich-chenai ..	Jungle fit for coconuts ..	2	2	10	70
Preliminary plan 4,803. Village—Kinnaiyadi.							
3240	Kinnaiyadi ..	Kannapper Kuppaiyapodi of Kinnaiyadi ..	Jungle fit for coconuts ..	2	3	11	60
Preliminary plan 4,826. Village—Miravodai.							
3429	Marungayadipumi ..	Arunasalam Kandasamy of Eravur, division No. 4 ..	Scrub jungle fit for coconuts	4	3	16	102
Preliminary plan 4,605. Village—Oddaimavadi.							
2100	Vembupumi ..	Aliar Akamatulevvai of Oddaimavadi ..	Jungle with coconut plants (now abandoned)	1	1	0	25
Preliminary plan 4,606. Village—Oddaimavadi.							
2111	Vembuvalavu ..	Atambawa Ibralevvai of Valaich-chenai ..	Coconut garden ..	0	3	21	26
2128	Do. ..	Umarukatta Akamatulevvai, Irrigation Udayar of Vakaneri ..	do. ..	5	1	24	353
Preliminary plan 4,778. Village—Miravodai.							
3137	Kailadikaduvalavu ..	Pichchipillai Kasimbawa and Sekulevvai Pakir Mohaideen of Miravodai ..	Coconut garden ..	1	0	11	22
Preliminary plan 4,823. Village—Miravodai.							
3377	Vempupumi ..	Aliar Iamalevvai of Miravodai ..	Coconut garden ..	0	0	30	6
Preliminary plan 4,825. Village—Miravodai.							
3417	Palayamiravodaivempupumi ..	Ariyapodi Saravanai of Miravodai ..	Coconut garden ..	0	3	16	27
Preliminary plan 4,826. Village—Miravodai.							
3428	Marungayadipumi ..	Kandasami Katiramamatambi of Miravodai ..	Coconut garden ..	0	1	4	7
3430	Do. ..	Kanavatiar Sinnavan of Miravodai ..	do. ..	0	3	11	19

Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 4, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE PROVINCE OF UVA.

No. 1,205, P. of U.—The Government Agent, Province of Uva, will on Monday, October 30, 1916, at 12 noon, at his office in Badulla Kachcheri, put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, the under-mentioned portion of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. An allotment of land situated in the Yatikinda division of the Badulla District of the Province of Uva.

Final village plan 7 and 7a. Village—Pattiyakumbura.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
17d	Ambalamakepella	A. L. Elias of Demodera	Patana	8	2 24·75*

* This lot is to be given in exchange for lots 21b3, 21c1, 21c2 in supplementary to final village plan 7 and 7a, lots 39a 39b in supplementary to final village plan 24, and lots 39c, 39d, and 39d1 in supplementary to final village plan 24 sections 1 and 2, belonging to Mr. A. L. Elias of Demodera, and which were acquired for the construction of the Badulla Railway.

Further information regarding this land can be obtained from the Government Agent, Province of Uva, and plan of it from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 21, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES BY THE SETTLEMENT OFFICER.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

No. 3,883, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, November 20, 1916, at 12 noon, at Gokarella, put up to auction, for sale or settlement, or will otherwise dispose of, the under-mentioned portion of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. An allotment of land situated in the Thalawasideke korale of the Hiriyala hatpattu division of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Preliminary plan 1,795. Village—Wadupola.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
U 758 1/13a	—	Herat Mudiyansele Kowrala	Chena	1	1 2

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding this land can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plan of it from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 22, 1916.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND ACQUISITION NOTICES.

HAVING been duly directed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, acting under the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Ordinance of 1876," section 6, to take order for the acquisition of the following lands, required for a public purpose, namely, for a gala and Local Board Inspector's quarters, to wit:—

Preliminary plan 16,339. Village—Minuwangoda.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
1	Kahatagahawatta	Garden contains about 7 coconut plants, 4 coconut trees (old), 10 plantain bushes, 1 cadjan shed, and part of a cadjan shed	O. Ugu Fonseka	0	0 13·37
2	Do.	Garden contains no cultivation	O. Geregoris Fonseka	0	0 1·09
3	Do.	Garden contains about 27 coconut trees, 4 arecanut trees, 13 coconut plants, and part of a water-closet	O. Don Chas. Fonseka	0	1 25·56
4	Do.	Garden contains 6 old coconut trees	B. Don Yohanis	0	0 16·37
5	Ambagahawatta	Garden contains 14 coconut trees (old), 16 coconut plants, 1 mango tree, 1 slime apple tree, and 33 plantain bushes	C. I. D. Abeygunawar-dana, Wesley College, Colombo	0	1 1·78
6	Kalagahawatta	Garden contains 1 house under construction (cadjan roofed), 4 old coconut trees, 17 coconut plants, and 2 slime apple trees	J. Don Simon Appu-hami	0	0 30·68

I hereby give public notice, as required by section 7, that the Government proposes to take possession of the lands. All persons interested in the aforesaid lands are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before me at this office on October 30, 1916, at 12 noon, and to state the nature of their respective interests in the lands, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

Colombo Kachcheri,
September 29, 1916.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

HAVING been duly directed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, acting under the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Ordinance of 1876," section 6, to take order for the acquisition of the following lands, required for a public purpose, namely, for widening the Katukurunda-Neboda road, to wit:—

Preliminary plan 16,327. Village—Katukurunda.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
1	Kapugewatta	Garden	Jeremias Fernando Seneviratne	0	1	1.16
2	Kade	Masonry building	Simon Soyza Rajapakse	0	0	1.22

I hereby give public notice, as required by section 7, that the Government proposes to take possession of the lands. All persons interested in the aforesaid lands are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before me at this office on October 30, 1916, at 1 p.m., and to state the nature of their respective interests in the lands, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

Kalutara Kachcheri,
September 23, 1916.

C. V. BRAYNE,
Assistant Government Agent.

HAVING been duly directed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, acting under the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Ordinance of 1876," section 6, to take order for the acquisition of the following lands, required for a public purpose, namely, for forming a recreation ground for Nawalapitiya, to wit:—

Preliminary plan 6,728. Town—Within the Local Board limits of Nawalapitiya.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
6	House	Permanent building	Deen Musafar	0	0	8.87
7	Do.	Temporary building	do.	0	0	0.42
8	—	Coconut, &c.	do.	0	1	1.86
9	House	Permanent building	do.	0	0	0.12
10	Do.	Portion of permanent building	do.	0	0	1.15
11	Bridgend estate	Native garden	Owners, Bridgend estate	0	2	25.78
12	House	Temporary building	do.	0	0	1.69
13	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	6.65
14	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	2.62
15	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	9.12
16	Do.	Portion of permanent building	A. D. Saval Hamid	0	0	0.87
17	—	Native garden	do.	0	0	2.51
18	House	Permanent building	do.	0	0	0.33
19	—	Swamp	do.	0	0	2.90
20	—	do.	Cader Saibo	0	0	1.84
21	House	Permanent building	do.	0	0	0.28
22	—	Native garden	do.	0	0	8.84
23	House	Temporary building	Owners, Bridgend estate	0	0	0.04
24	Bridgend estate	Native garden	do.	0	0	16.62
25	Hut	Portion of temporary building	do.	0	0	0.04
26	Do.	do.	Cader Saibo	0	0	0.05
27	Do.	Temporary building	do.	0	0	0.04
28	Do.	Portion of temporary building	do.	0	0	0.06
29	Bridgend estate	Swamp	Owners, Bridgend estate	0	2	4.74
30	House	Temporary building	do.	0	0	0.15
31	Do.	Permanent building	do.	0	0	0.38
32	Do.	Portions of buildings	do.	0	0	0.31
33	—	Native garden	Sangai Chetty	0	0	2.46
34	—	Do.	Ahamadu Lebbe	0	0	0.75

I hereby give public notice, as required by section 7, that the Government proposes to take possession of the lands. All persons interested in the aforesaid lands are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before me at the Local Board Office, Nawalapitiya, on November 14, 1916, at 12 noon, and to state the nature of their respective interests in the lands, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

Kandy Kachcheri,
October 6, 1916.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Government Agent.

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 1916.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

NUWARA ELIYA DISTRICT.

Rainfall: Nuwara Eliya town, 7.78 in.

Paddy: yala cultivation fields in the district have young plants.

Dry grains: chenas are being cleared.

Health of population: good.

Health of cattle: good.

There were a few cases of foot-and-mouth disease in Kohoka korale of Uda Hewaheta.

Prices of staple articles: paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2.50 per bushel; Indian corn, Rs. 2.50 per bushel; rice (Coast), Rs. 5.75 to Rs. 7.50 per bushel; rice (country), Rs. 6 to Rs. 6.25 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 8 to Rs. 9 per 100 nuts.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

Sale of Satinwood.

An auction sale of the under-mentioned timber will be held at the Central Timber Depot, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, October 28, 1916, at 9 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

1. The timber will be put up in lots to suit buyers, at a rate per cubic foot, and no advance of less than 10 cents per cubic foot will be accepted.

2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.

3. Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at time of sale if so required.

4. Depot measurements must be accepted, but previous to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements recorded in the notice and to represent any differences promptly.

5. No timber shall be removed before payment of the full price bid, and all timber sold must be removed from the depot within ten days of date of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid, and will be at the risk of the purchasers until removed.

6. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof, as the case may be, and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the re-sale, while if an enhanced price is realized at such re-sale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.

7. Flowered logs, if not so advertised, shall be excluded from the lots advertised in the list, and shall be put up separately, at the discretion of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, after consulting the wishes of prospective purchasers.

8. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid; such authority will be retained by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.

Division.	Species.	Quantity offered for Sale.	
		No. of Logs.	Cubic Feet.
Jaffna	Satinwood	5	129.60
Batticaloa (Trincomalee)	do.	3	113.39
Batticaloa	do.	13	356.70
	Total	21	599.69

List of Satinwood Logs referred to.

No. of Log.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth. Ft. in.	Cubic Feet.	Total Feet.
484	16 0	5 11	35.00	35.00
488	12 6	5 3	21.53	
490	19 0	4 7	24.94	21.53
491	18 0	4 10	26.28	
634*	15 6	4 9	21.85	21.85
	Trincomalee.			
446	17 9	5 7	34.58	34.58
450*	20 6	5 8	41.13	
452	16 9	6 0	37.68	37.68
	Batticaloa.			
246	10 6	5 2	17.51	67.43
248	17 9	5 2	29.61	
251	13 0	5 0	20.31	

* Slightly flowered.

No. of Log.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth. Ft. in.	Cubic Feet.	Total Feet.
252*	12 3	5 0	19.14	56.25
269*	22 3	5 2	37.11	
277	17 3	5 4	30.66	30.66
445	23 9	4 4	27.87	
446	17 9	4 7	23.29	51.16
447	20 0	4 10	29.20	
448	14 0	5 2	23.35	52.55
452	15 9	5 2	26.27	
457	21 3	4 7	27.89	54.16
456	17 9	6 4	44.49	
				44.49

* Slightly flowered.

H. F. TOMALIN,
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, October 2, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that rabies exists in the Western Province, within the limits set out in the annexed schedule, exclusive of the areas comprised within the Municipal limits of Colombo, and the Local Board limits of Negombo, Minuwangoda, Moratuwa, and Kalutara. Any dog which is not controlled by a muzzle or led by a competent person on a chain in any public road or place will be seized and dealt with under the rules passed under the Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893.

This notice shall take effect from December 2, 1915, and be in force for one year.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, December 1, 1915. J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

Schedule.

North by the Maha-oya.
South by the Bentota river.
East by the Province of Sabaragamuwa.
West by the sea.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village of Hewagama, in Hewagam korale, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The area bounded on the north by Kelani-ganga, on the east by village boundary of Hewagama, on the south by a straight line drawn from 12th milepost touching the village boundaries of Kotalawala and Weliwita, and on the west by village boundary of Weliwita.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, September 28, 1916. A. P. BOONE,
for Government Agent.

Sale of Minor Forest Produce.

THE right to collect the forest produce specified in the appended schedule during the period commencing on November 15, 1916, and ending on September 30, 1917, from the Crown lands situated in the Province specified will be sold by public auction by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Uva Division, on the date and at the place mentioned in the said schedule. The right in respect of the several products may be sold separately or collectively at the discretion of the Assistant Conservator of Forests.

2. The right to collect the produce hereby offered for competition shall be exclusive of such privileges as villagers have acquired under the provisions of the Forest Ordinance or by usage for their domestic or village requirements.

3. The highest bidder will be declared the purchaser, subject to the approval of the Conservator of Forests, and shall immediately on his being so declared deposit the necessary amounts as hereunder and sign his name in the register of sale in admission of such purchase:—

Bids up to Rs. 100.

The amount of the bid in full and security Rs. 20 to be deposited immediately on conclusion of the sale pending the approval of the Conservator of Forests.

Bids over Rs. 100 and up to Rs. 500.

50 per cent. of the bid and security Rs. 50 to be deposited immediately on conclusion of the sale pending the approval of the Conservator of Forests. Balance to be paid within fourteen days of the approval of sale by the Conservator of Forests.

Bids over Rs. 500 and up to Rs. 1,000.

50 per cent. of the bid and security of Rs. 75 to be deposited immediately on conclusion of the sale pending the approval of the Conservator of Forests. Balance to be paid regularly in two monthly instalments within two months of the date of approval of the sale by the Conservator of Forests.

Bids over Rs. 1,000.

50 per cent. of the bid and security Rs. 150 to be deposited immediately on conclusion of the sale pending the approval of the Conservator of Forests. Balance to be paid regularly in three monthly instalments within three months of the date of approval of the sale by the Conservator of Forests.

4. Should the required deposit not be made immediately on conclusion of the sale, the right to collect the produce will be at once offered again to public competition, and the person who failed in the first instance to make the required deposit will not be allowed to bid unless he deposits in advance a sum of Rs. 50, which will be forfeited if he again refuses to make the required deposit on acceptance of his bid.

5. The balance of the purchase amount, if any, shall be paid as specified in condition 3.

6. Should the person decline or fail to enter into an agreement within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Uva Division, to the effect that his bid has been accepted by the Conservator of Forests or to pay the balance of the purchase amount when due, the deposits already made on account of the purchase and the security shall be forfeited, and the right to collect the produce in question re-sold at the risk of the original purchaser, who shall be held liable to make good any deficiency in the price realized at such re-sale, but on the other hand he shall not be entitled to participate in any profit which may accrue to the Government by any re-sale.

7. The right to collect the produce in question shall not be assigned, re-sold, or sublet by the purchaser without the consent of the Conservator of Forests first obtained in writing.

8. Should the purchaser or his employes cause any damage to trees in the forests or commit any forest offence, the purchaser shall be held liable to pay compensation for all such damage or loss, and on failure to pay he shall be liable to prosecution.

9. The purchaser must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the work under this agreement.

10. The Government reserves so itself the right, without question, of rejecting the purchaser's employes, and of rescinding the agreement if the above conditions are not adhered to.

11. Any further information can be obtained on application at the Forest Office, Haputale.

SCHEDULE.

Uva Division.

Area of exploitation: The Province of Uva.

Produce:

- (a) Avarai or ponnvaram bark (rauawara).
- (b) Kanchurankottaj or godakaduru seeds (strychnos nux vomica).
- (c) Binkohomba.
- (d) Mi seeds.
- (d) Divul fruits (woodapple).

Sale: At the Forest Office, Haputale, at 2 P.M., on Saturday, October 28, 1916.

H. F. TOMALIN,
Kandy, September 27, 1916. Conservator of Forests.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Yayemulla, in Bowatta palata of Medapattu korale west, in Katugampola hatpattu of Kurunegala District, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, under sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said village, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area:—

Limits referred to.

North by Nedalagamuwa.
East by Nedalagamuwa and Kongoda.
South by Kongoda.
West by Pitigal korale.
Kurunegala Kachcheri, C. R. CUMBERLAND,
September 29, 1916. Government Agent.

Closure of Area for Application Surveys in North-Western Province.

NOTICE is hereby given that surveys in connection with applications for the purchase of Crown land will in future be undertaken in the North-Western Province in rotation according to areas.

2. The Province is divided into—

Area No. 1, which includes Kurunegala District.

Area No. 2, which includes Chilaw District.

Area No. 3, which includes Puttalam District.

3. Area No. 1 will be closed on November 1, and no applications within this area will be forwarded to the Surveyor-General for survey after that date. This, however, will not preclude applicants from submitting to me for registration applications for land within this area with a view of ascertaining whether there are any objections to the sale.

4. The next area to be closed for survey will be area No. 2, followed in due course by area No. 3. Applications for the purchase of Crown land in these two areas should be forwarded to me as early as possible.

5. The date of closure of No. 2 area will be shortly published, and will represent the date of completion of all work in area No. 1.

September 30, 1916. C. R. CUMBERLAND,
Government Agent.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Batugedera, in the Meda pattu of Nawadun korale, Ratnapura District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by Rattalagawatta and Galpottehena, south by cart road, east by Halgahawela, Polwatta, and fields, west by Kaluganga is infected in terms of section 5 (1) (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from October 3, 1916.

Ratnapura Kachcheri, A. N. STRONG,
October 3, 1916. for Government Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that I am prepared to issue licenses, free of stamp duty, under sub-section (1) (b) of section 9 of the Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909, for the destruction of a dangerous wild elephant of the following description:—

Male; height about 7 feet; frequents the roads from Karadikkulama to Nochchikulama, Karadikkulama to Mihintale, Maradankadawala to Kahapatwila, in Elimedu and Kandu tulanis in Kanadara korale of the North-Central Province.

Appuhamy, Vel-Vidane of Pudukkulama, in Kanadara korale, will be able to point out the elephant.

Persons desirous of shooting it are cautioned against firing at any other elephant.

Anuradhapura Kachcheri, M. PRASAD,
September 27, 1916. for Government Agent.

Notice under "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912."

NOTICE is hereby given that a proposal to transfer the tavern for the sale of Beer and Porter, as specified in the schedule below, from December 1, 1916, has been received by me.

I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to 2 P.M. of November 20, 1916, on which date, between the hours of 2 P.M. and 3 P.M., I shall also be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the transfer of such tavern.

Kandy Kachcheri,
October 2, 1916.

SCHEDULE.

From Trincomalee street to Temple street, in Kandy town.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Government Agent.