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LAND SALES IN THE WESTERN PROVINCE.

No. 3,254, W. P.—The Government Agent, Western Province, will on Friday, May 18, 1917, at 12 noon, at his office in Colombo, 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. Fourteen allotments of land situated in the Siyane west, Salpiti, and Hewagam korales of the Colombo District of the Western Province.

Preliminary plan 16,190. Village—Kandumulla, Meda pattu, Siyane korale west.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Defaulter.	Description.	Extent. A. R. P.
1	Imbulgahawatta	D. Davith Ranasinghe	Encroachment	0 0 24
2393	—	L. Elias Silva	Encroachment	0 0 4.5
5985	Egodawatta	A. H. L. Don Hendrick Appu	Encroachment	0 2 29
3963	Kahatagahalandawatta	R. Thepanis Naide and two others	Encroachment	1 1 37
2	Dikhena	K. Emis	Encroachment	1 0 0
5	Do.	M. Setan	do.	0 2 29
6	Do.	M. Podi Singho	do.	0 3 9
7	Do.	H. Helenis Appu	do.	0 1 16
8	Do.	G. Laisohamy	do.	0 0 29
9	Do.	M. Bempi Appu	do.	2 1 36
10	Do.	M. Santohamy and another	do.	0 2 24
11	Ambagahakumbura	M. Simon Perera	do.	0 0 34
12	Ahutewilakumbura	M. Johanis Appu and three others	do.	0 1 15

Preliminary plan 15,321. Village—Pinnawala, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Defaulter.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
4881	Rajapolalanda	K. P. Sedris	Encroachment	0	1 26

Further information regarding these lands may be obtained from the Government Agent, Western Province, and respecting their plans, &c., from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 14, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3,255, W. P.—The Government Agent, Western Province, will on Friday, May 25, 1917, at 12 noon, at his office in Colombo, 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. Thirteen allotments of land situated in the Hewagam, Siyane east, and Alutkuru north korales of the Colombo and Negombo Districts of the Western Province.

Preliminary plan 15,346. Village—Pinnawala, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Defaulter.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
4984	Iddakanda	B. A. Podi Appu	Encroachment	0	0 3
4983	Do.	do.	do.	0	3 23
Preliminary plan 15,394. Village—Pinnawala, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.					
5192	Ambagahawatta	P. P. Punchi Podisinno	Encroachment	0	0 12
Preliminary plan 15,783. Village—Uggala, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.					
6404	Wawulgalalanda	H. Siadoris and another	Encroachment	0	3 4
Preliminary plan 15,813. Village—Waga, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.					
6534	Horakandahena	K. Jeelisa	Encroachment	0	2 18
Preliminary plan 15,533. Village—Walpita, Dunagaha pattu, Alutkuru korale north.					
5646	Millagahawatta	W. S. A. Appusingho Appuhamy and three others	Encroachment	0	1 8
5647	Do.	do.	do.	0	1 32
5658	Do.	W. S. A. Appusingho Appuhamy and seven others	do.	0	1 7
Preliminary plan 16,192. Village—Weragala, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.					
2	Namanetikovilalanda	K. A. Don Jacolis	Encroachment	0	2 24
Preliminary plan 14,998. Village—Weralupitiya, Udugaha pattu, Hewagam korale.					
3709	Imbulgahawattekella	P. Punchisinno Appu	Encroachment	0	0 36
Block survey preliminary plan 42. Village—Werahera, Gangaboda pattu, Siyane korale east.					
28m	Polalhena <i>alias</i> gahahena	Kara- K. Adonisa	Encroachment	0	2 33
28l	Do.	do.	do.	0	1 27
Preliminary plan 15,578. Village—Wewelpanawa, Meda pattu, Hewagam korale.					
5789	Halgashena	Don Brampy Welikala and three others	Encroachment	0	3 6

Further information regarding these lands may be obtained from the Government Agent, Western Province, and respecting their plans, &c., from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 17, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3,256, W. P.—The Government Agent, Western Province, will on Friday, June 1, 1917, at 12 noon, at his office in Colombo, 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. Thirteen allotments of land situated in the Hewagam korale division of the Colombo District of the Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 63. Village—Elamalawala, Udugaha pattu, Hewagam korale.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
1	Alubogahalanda	Liyanage Tegis Appu	Reservation (not for sale)	2	2 30
2	Alubogahadeniya	—	Encroachment by G. Bempi Appu	0	0 15
3	Lawalugahawatta	Gamalajjagay Sinchi Nona	Encroachment by G. Sinchi Nona	0	2 26
4	Do.	—	Encroachment by B. Dionis Appu	0	0 32
5	Do.	—	Encroachment by G. Sarnelis	0	2 14
6	Alubogahalanda	—	Encroachment by Liyanage Welun Appu	1	0 34
Preliminary plan 16,076. Village—Welikanna, Udugaha pattu, Hewagam korale.					
1	Weliowitakanda	Rubesingha Achchige Don Carolis	Reservation (not for sale)	6	1 2
2	Millagahawatta	—	Encroachment by M. Ramsamy	0	0 30
Preliminary plan 16,077. Village—Welikanna, Udugaha pattu, Hewagam korale.					
1	Weliowitakanda	Raddelage Charles Appuhamy	Reservation (not for sale)	6	0 34
Preliminary plan 16,206. Village—Hingurala, Udugaha pattu.					
1	Dehigahalanda	Hinguralage Selohamy	Reservation (not for sale)	0	2 35
Preliminary plan 16,215. Village—Homagama, Palle pattu, Hewagam korale.					
1	Kahatagahalanda	Gamage Brumpi Appuhamy	Encroachment by Gamage Brumpy	0	0 16
2	Kahatagahalandewatta	do.	do.	0	1 38
3	Kahatagahalanda	—	Low jungle	0	1 18

Upset price per acre varying from Rs. 200 to Rs. 350. Further information regarding these lands may be obtained from the Government Agent, Western Province, and respecting their plans, &c., from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

No. 3,023, S. P.—The Government Agent, Southern Province, will on Tuesday, June 12, 1917, 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. Sixteen allotments of land situated in the Gangaboda pattu division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
4656	Uramalehenawatta	S. Erolis	Garden	0	0	23	100
1	Konegodawatta-addaradeniya	L. Sardiris	Low jungle	0	2	27	50
1	Pelagasketiyakanda	—	Jungle (not for sale)	0	1	1	—*
2	Do.	H. C. Wijesinha	Jungle	2	3	26	65
3	Do.	—	do.	0	3	25	65
4	Pelagasketiyakanda	—	Garden	0	3	23	60
1	Helambagahaowita	—	Open marshy land	0	0	8	45†
2	Pissigewilagodakanda	—	Tea	0	0	25	45†
3	Dolehena <i>alias</i> Pissigewilagodakanda	M. D. Siriwardena of the Castle Akmimana	Jungle	0	2	7	50
4	Do.	—	Jungle and foot-path (not for sale)	0	1	9	—*
5	Do.	M. D. Siriwardena	Jungle	1	1	5	50
1	Kandelladuwabedda	M. Daniel of Talgaswella, Elpitiya	Jungle	0	3	38	40
1	Ulgalahenedeniya	J. Abraham of Urala	Low jungle	0	3	2	45
1	Kajugaswatta	H. G. Deonis de Silva of Mabotuwana	Low jungle	1	0	14	40
1	Utagodakanda	A. D. A. Gunawardena	Jungle	1	1	27	45
1	Hindapotdeniyekanda	K. K. Erolis of Lelwala	High jungle	0	2	12	45
2	Do.	—	High jungle (not for sale)	0	0	12	—*
3	Do.	—	Jungle (not for sale)	0	0	16	—*
1	Adappagodakanda-addarakoratuwa	Bandarigodage Hinni Appu	Jungle	1	0	5	45
1	Karanwegodabedda	H. Nandoris of Keppitiyagoda	Jungle	1	0	15	50

* Reservation.

† With mining rights Rs. 150.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 11, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3,024, S. P.—The Government Agent, Southern Province, will on Tuesday, June 26, 1917, 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. Ten allotments of land situated in the Bentota-Walallawiti korale division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 9,544. Village—Polatupalata. Claimant—W. Podi Sinno.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.			Upset price per acre, Rs.
				A.	R.	P.	
2540	Polatukandemahawela	—	Paddy	0	0	8	150
3485	Mahahenekumbura <i>alias</i> Imbulpitiyekumbura	—	Paddy	0	0	29	100
4078	Kapuruwattepolleuwa	Andravas Patabendi Irinelis de Vas of Ambalangoda	Jungle	2	3	21	70
4764	Kajugahawatta	—	Garden	1	2	34	60
4764½	Do.	—	do.	0	1	21	60

Preliminary plan 10,538. Village—Talagaspe. Claimant—Crown.				Extent.	Upset price
Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	A. R. P.	per acre, Rs.
1	Galkadullehena	M. Seneris Silva of Balapitiya	Chena with a patch of deniya	1 2 21	75
2	Do.	—	Ditto (not for sale)	0 2 2	—*
3	Galkadullehena	Claimant—Nil.	Chena (not for sale)	—	—†
4	Galkadulledeniya	Claimant—Crown.	Deniya (not for sale)	0 0 10	—*
5	Galkadullehena	Claimant—Nil.	Rubber (not for sale)	—	—†
6	Galkadulledeniya	Claimant—Crown.	Deniya	1 1 25	75
7	Do.	—	Deniya (not for sale)	0 0 13	—*
8	Galkadulledeniya	Claimant—Nil.	Deniya, &c. (not for sale)	—	—†
9	Galkadulledeniya	Munasinha Seneris Silva of Balapitiya	Deniya	0 1 26	75
Preliminary plan 10,552. Village—Magala North. Claimant—Crown.					
1	Korakinakele	R. F. Dias Bandaranayaka of Bentota	Jungle	9 3 2	50
2	Do.	—	Jungle (not for sale)	0 0 17	—*
Preliminary plan 10,574. Village—Gonagala. Claimant—Crown.					
1	Badullagahakanda	P. D. Babasinno	Jungle	2 1 32	65
2	Badullagahakanda	Claimant—Nil.	Jungle, &c. (not for sale)	—	—†

* Reservation. † Land unclaimed by Crown.

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, April 11, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3,025, S. P.—The Government Agent, Southern Province, will on Tuesday, May 29, 1917, 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. Two allotments of land situated in the Talpe pattu division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,446. Village—Udubettawa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	Upset price
				A. R. P.	per acre, Rs.
1	Ginigalgodella	Mr. E. B. Wickremanayaka of Galle	Jungle	0 0 33	50
2	Do.	do.	do.	0 0 30	50

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3,026, S. P.—The Government Agent, Southern Province, will on Tuesday, July 17, 1917, 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 portion of Crown land, in accordance with the regulations of Government regarding land sales. An allotment of land situated in the Four Gravets division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,568. Village—Ihalagoda.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.	Upset price
				A. R. P.	per acre, Rs.
1	Galpotttekumbura	R. H. Sadrís of Dangedara	Paddy field	0 0 12	200

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 17, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 3,027, S. P.—The Government Agent, Southern Province, will on Tuesday, July 17, 1917, 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. Seven allotments of land situated in the Bentota-Walallawiti korale division of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Preliminary plan 10,235. Village—Paranapituwala. Claimant—Crown.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	Upset price
				A. R. P.	per acre, Rs.
1	Pelangahaduwa	G. Elias of Pituwala	Jungle	1 2 17	63
Preliminary plan 10,606. Village—Bambarawana. Claimant—Crown.					
1	Kapuruwattekele alias Korkatiyawaladolakanda	A. P. Irinelis de Vaas of Ambalangoda	Jungle	4 0 23	80
2	Do.	—	Jungle (not for sale)	0 3 39	—*

Preliminary plan 10,610. Village—Horangalla Claimant—Nil.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		Upsset price. per acre, Rs.
				A.	R. P.	
1	Ambagahawilapolleuwa ..	—	Cinnamon garden (not for sale)	—	—	—†
Claimant—K. W. Andris of Horangalla.						
2	Ambagahawilapolleuwa ..	—	Owita ..	0	1 0	55
Claimant—Crown.						
3	Ambagahawilapolleuwa ..	K. W. Endiris de Silva of Horangalla ..	Low jungle ..	0	3 10	55
4	Do. ..	—	Low jungle (not for sale)	0	1 11	—*
5	Gurugodella ..	—	do. ..	0	0 3	—*
6	Do. ..	M. G. Samuel de Silva of Niyagama ..	Jungle ..	2	0 31	55
7	Kandamalaindura <i>alias</i> Ambagahawilapolleuwa	A. N. G. Fredrick of Talgaswela ..	do. ..	1	0 0	55
8	Gurugodella ..	—	Scrub jungle (not for sale)	0	1 35	—*
9	Do ..	H. G. Udasi of Niyagama ..	Jungle ..	1	0 0	55
10	Do. ..	—	Jungle (not for sale)	0	1 10	—*

* Reservation.

† Land unclaimed by Crown.

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, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

No. 2,128, N.W. P.—The Government Agent, North-Western Province, will on Wednesday, May 30, 1917, at 1 P.M., at his office in Kurunegala, 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 Katugampola korale south of the Katugampola hatpattu of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Preliminary plan 4,341. Village—Bunuchapola.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
2086	Bunuchapolawatta ..	W. Simon Fernando of Marawila ..	Coconut garden ..	93	2 10
2087	Do. ..	Crown, not to be sold ..	Reservation for road..	0	1 14

Upsset price Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding this land can be obtained from the Government Agent, North-Western Province, and its plan from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE PROVINCE OF UVA.

No. 1,218, P. of U.—The Government Agent of the Province of Uva will on Monday, April 30, 1917, at 12 noon, at his office in Badulla Kacheheri, 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. Two allotments of land situated in the Yatikinda division of the Badulla District of the Province of Uva.

Preliminary plan 1,933. Village—Kanahela in Passara korale of Yatikinda division.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
4	Helagederatenna ..	Crown ..	Patana ..	4	0 7*
5	Do. ..	do. ..	Patana (reservation for estate road, not for sale)	0	0 37†

* This lot 4 is to be given in exchange for lots 1, 2, and 3 in preliminary plan 1,933. † Reserved.

Further information regarding the above lots can be obtained from the Government Agent, Province of Uva, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 16, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES IN THE PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

No. 963, P. of S.—The Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, will on Tuesday, May 22, 1917, at 1 P.M., at his office in Ratnapura, put up for settlement on the claimants the under-mentioned portions of Crown land, in accordance with special terms sanctioned by Government. Eighteen allotments of land situated in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Preliminary plan 2,429/195. Village—Akarella, Meda korale.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
W 32	Akarella estate ..	The Ekkeralle Tea and Rubber Company, Limited (Agents, Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co., Colombo)	Tea plantation ..	6	0 39

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
X 32	Akarella estate	The Ekkevalle Tea and Rubber Company, Limited (Agents, Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co., Colombo)	Tea plantation	81	2	2
Z 32	Do.	do.	do.	11	0	14
C 33	Dikarawegoda	do.	Chena	0	3	26
D 33	Do.	do.	do.	0	3	19
E 33	Akarella estate	do.	Tea plantation	2	2	11
F 33	Do.	do.	do.	30	3	8
I 33	Do.	do.	Rubber	50	3	26
J 33	Do.	do.	Tea plantation	63	2	5
L 33	Do.	do.	Rubber	11	1	2
M 33	Do.	do.	Chena	113	2	24
Q 34	Do.	do.	High jungle	1	1	34
R 34	Do.	do.	do.	7	1	29
S 34	Do.	do.	do.	1	1	5
T 34	Do.	do.	Chena	11	1	21
V 34	Egoda-arawegoda	do.	do.	0	3	34
X 34	Akarella estate	do.	Rubber	18	1	14
W 34	Do.	Crown	Mukalana	6	3	1*

* To be reserved.

Further information respecting these lands may be obtained from the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, and their plans from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 11, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES BY THE SETTLEMENT OFFICER.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

No. 4,162, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, May 24, 1917, at 12 noon, at Alawwa, 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. Four allotments of land situated in the Udukaha korale south of the Dambadeni hatpattu division of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 450. Village—Keppetiwala.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
5d	Damunugahamulawatta	Bopitiradage Gilanchiya	Garden	1	2	25
5e	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	14
34	Elhenkanattawatta	Wickrama Mudiyansele Menik Etana	do.	2	0	8
35	Elagawawatta	Ditto Dingiri Menika	do.	2	3	20

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 14, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,163, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, May 26, 1917, at 12 noon, at Amunagama, 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 Rekko pattu of the Dambadeni hatpattu division of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 1,496. Village—Mayilla.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
15	Ikkamullapillewa	Crown	Chena	0	2	0

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, April 14, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,164, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Tuesday, May 22, 1917, at 12 noon, at Sewandana, 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 Udukaha east korale of the Dambadeni hatpattu division of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 439. Village—Idangapola.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
25a	Weralagollawatta	(1) Mapa Mudiyansele Punchi Banda of Alawwa, (2) Brampy of Wilgomuwa	Garden	1	3	3

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, April 14, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,165, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, May 24, 1917, at 12 noon, at Alawwa, 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 Udukaha korale south of the Dambadeni hatpattu division of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 462. Village—Hapugahagedera.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
17	Puhulegalahena	Crown	Jungle	0	3	12

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, April 14, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,166, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Friday, May 18, 1917, at 11 A.M., at Kuliypitiya, 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. Fifteen allotments of land situated in the Yatikaha korale south of the Katugampola hatpattu division of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 969. Village—Yakarawatta.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
1d	Uyanawattagawahena	(1) Patiraja Mudiyansele Ranhamy, (2) ditto Punchi Appuhamy	Chena	5	2	7
6c	Ihalawattehena	(1) Ditto Kaluhamy, (2) ditto Ausadahamy	do.	4	1	5
1f	Wadakahagalehena	Ditto Ran Menika	do.	5	1	20
1g	Galkandehena	Ditto Kandappuhamy	do.	2	3	4
26	Bogahamulawatta	(1) Ditto, (2) Menikhamy	Garden	9	0	1
30	Karandagahamulapillewa	Ditto Ukku Banda	Chena	2	1	38
30c	Siyambalagahakumburepillewa	Ditto Mudalihamy	do.	1	3	5
9b	Ehetugahakumburepillewa	(1) Herat Mudiyansele Dingiri Menika, (2) Mapa Mudiyansele Dingiri Menika	do.	0	3	10
21d	Do.	(1) Patiraja Mudiyansele Ukku Banda, (2) ditto Dingiri Menika	do.	0	3	32
21f	Tawallepillewa	Ditto Mudalihamy	do.	0	3	30
20c	Keenagahakumburepillewa	Ditto Kandappuhamy	do.	1	2	14
24a	Galagawawatta	Ditto Ukku Banda	Garden	0	1	25
24b	Galagawahena	do.	Chena	1	0	19
29b	Ehetugahakumburepillewa	(1) Ditto Herathamy, (2) ditto Hetuhamy, (3) ditto Appuhamy, (4) ditto PUNCHIRALA	do.	1	0	34
16d	Galagawawatta <i>alias</i> Kahatagahamulawatta	Patiraja Mudiyansele Kandappuhamy	Garden	2	0	20

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary

NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.

No. 4,167, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, June 4, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Thirteen allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Topo preliminary plan 4. Village—Tammenewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
39	Millagalelanda	Crown, applied for by Appuhamy Vedaralage Kirihamy	Chena	3	0	26
40	Do.	Crown, applied for by Laparalage Vel-Vidane	do.	1	0	12
41	Godakirilagahalanda	Crown, applied for by PUNCHIRALA and others	do.	2	0	10
42	Do.	Crown, applied for by Sinnate Vidanege Banda and another	do.	2	0	12
44	Kongahalanda	do.	do.	0	3	15
45	Do.	do.	do.	0	2	31
46	Dangahalanda	Crown, applied for by Appuralage PUNCHIRALA	Jungle	0	0	27
47	Do.	do.	do.	2	0	37
51	Timbirigahamullelanda	Crown, applied for by Menikralage Kirihamy and others	Chena	1	2	11
52	Do.	do.	do.	2	2	25
53	Yodayalindelanda	Crown, applied for by Undiya Lekamage Laparala, Vel-Vidane	do.	3	3	33
54	Do.	Crown, applied for by Unguralage PUNCHIRALA	do.	1	0	11
56	Erunkuttukulamewelkatuwa	Crown, applied for by Dissanayaka Mudiyansele Sinnate Vel-Vidanege Wannihamy, Vel-Vidane	do.	5	0	2

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,168, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Five allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 702. Village—Hiriyalegama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
44	Acarawela	Crown, encroachment by Battiya, Vel-Pediya	Paddy	0	1	13
46	Accarawelawedibima	Battiya Vel-Pediya	Chena and paddy	0	0	15

Block survey preliminary plan 703. Village—Ihalawetiya.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
2	Quarry	Crown	Quarry	1	0	0
3	Rambewewaihalamukalana	do.	Forest	2	1	21
12a	Siyambalgahahena	Crown, applied for by Warnakulasuriya Juse-mohoppuge Marianu, ex-Arachchi of Nochchiyagama	Chena	1	0	7

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,169, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, June 7, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Madawachchiya Resthouse, 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. Four allotments of land situated in the Kende korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 590. Village—Tambalagolléwa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
10a	Wewhena	Crown, applied for by Punchirala Gamaralage Menikhamy	Chena	2	1	3
11	Palipatanawela	Tikiri Appu, Vel-Vidane, and others of Palipatana	Paddy	12	3	19
18a	Siyambalagahawewekele	Crown, applied for by Kadirate Punchirala	Chena	0	3	6

Block survey preliminary plan 596. Village—Konekumbukwewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
3c	Siyambalagaskada-accara	Crown, applied for by W. Ukkurala	Chena	0	1	33
21a	Landukele	Crown	do.	0	0	34

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,170, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, June 7, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Madawachchiya Resthouse, 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. Two allotments of land situated in the Kadawat korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 640. Village—Galenbindunuwewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
7a	Accaralanda	Crown, encroachment by Capua Nammarawa	Paddy	0	0	33
12a	Accarawela	Crown, encroachment by Capua Panikkiya and Ganita Panikkiya	do.	0	1	37

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,171, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, June 4, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Seven allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 667. Village—Dunupotagama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
12a	Tisbambe	Crown	Open land	0	0	9
12b	Do.	Crown, applied for by Kapuruhami Vedaralage Bairala	do.	0	2	27
Block survey preliminary plan 680. Village—Amunukole.						
18a	Ambagahawatta	Crown, encroachment by Badderalage Ranhamy	Garden	0	0	6
18b	Amunewatta	Crown, encroachment by Sinnatege Suddahamy and Sellatege Appurala	do.	0	0	6
18c	Ehalagahawatta	Crown, encroachment by Ranhamy, Vel-Vidane	do.	0	0	8
18d	Gansurdagahawatta	Crown, encroachment by Punchirala, Vel-Vidane	do.	0	0	10
18e	Ambagahawatta	Crown, encroachment by Welatage Hetuhamy	do.	0	0	7

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,172, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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 Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 712. Village—Ihalagama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
30a	Alutaccare	Crown, applied for by Neina Pitche of Ihalagama	New clearing	4	2	37
13a	Tisbamba	Block survey preliminary plan 694. Village—Karambewa. Crown, applied for by Tambiyahenayage Rankirahenaya of Karambewa	Waste land	0	0	8
14	Palugahahena	Crown, applied for by Tambiya Pediyage Kadirahenaya of ditto	Chena	1	3	37

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,173, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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 Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 709. Village—Katubulugama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
16	Palugahalanda	Crown	Chena	9	1	18
18	Do.	do.	do.	1	0	28
54a	Welkatuwa	Block survey preliminary plan 708. Village—Badahelagama. Crown, applied for by Kapuruwage Kankaniya	Chena	1	0	10

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,174, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, June 4, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Nine allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 686. Village—Metikewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
45	Reservation for stream	Crown	Paddy field	0	2	21
46	Accarawela	Crown, encroachment by Jayaturala	do.	0	0	20
53	Do.	Crown, encroachment by Appuhamy Mudiyanse and another	do.	0	0	39
67	Reservation for stream	Crown	do.	0	0	14
69	Accarawela	Crown, encroachment by M. Mudalihamy, Vel-Vidane, and others	do.	0	3	22
70	Do.	Crown, encroachment by M. Mudalihamy and others	do.	0	1	6
73	Liniwaleaccarelanda	Crown, applied for by M. Bairala	Chena	1	2	1
62	Rambawalayaya	Crown	do.	1	1	1
59a	Diwulgahawatta	Crown, encroachment by (1) Sinnatege Birala, (2) ditto Appurala, (3) ditto Menikrala, (4) ditto Mudalihamy	Garden	0	1	8

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,175, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, June 4, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Nine allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 669. Village—Galewewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
11	Kongahahena	Crown, applied for by Pinhamige Ukkurula	Chena	1	0	4
25	Akkarewedibima	Kapuruhamige Velate	do.	0	2	16
36	Palugahahena	Crown, applied for by Punchirala V. Vidanege Appuhamy	do.	0	2	31
38	Kumbukgahamukalana	Block survey preliminary plan 681. Village—Kongahagama. Crown, applied for by Upasakayage Horathala Vel-Duraya	Forest	2	2	15
39	Adipara	do.	Path	0	0	5
40	Kumbukgahamukalana	do.	Forest	0	2	33
43b	Do.	do.	do.	1	0	2
44a	Footpath	do.	Path	0	0	4
45a	Kumbukgahamukalana	do.	Forest	1	0	18

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,176, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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 Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 698. Village—Dunudambuwewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
14	Accaraidama	Crown, encroachment by Ranghamy Arachchi	Garden	0	0 26

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, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,177, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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 Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 701. Village—Palugahawewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
33a	Palugahawewahena	Crown, applied for by Menikralage Kiri Banda, Arachchi of Migahawewa	Chena	0	3 31

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, April 13, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,178, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Fourteen allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 690. Village—Hammillakulama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
42	Horawelaroda	Crown, applied for by Nambiralage Hethuhamy	Forest	0	3 25
46d	Minipitaniyelanda, Loluwalayaya, Horakkurawaleyaya	Crown, applied for by Pinhami Arachchilage Ranhami, Arachchi	Chena	2	1 16
46g	Do.	Crown, applied for by Punchiralage Mudiyanse	do.	2	3 3
46h	Do.	Crown, applied for by Nambiralage Hethuhamy	do.	0	2 4
46j	Do.	Crown, applied for by Nambiralage Herathamy	do.	2	0 24
47b	Ihaladaha-amunewetiya	do.	Forest	0	0 6
16	Palugahahena	Punchiralage Mudiyanse	Garden	1	1 27
20	Kotuwewaccara	Encroachment by Mudiyanse	Paddy	0	0 16
21	Do.	(1) Tikiralage Wannihami, (2) Ranhami Arachchi, (3) Ranhamige Kaluhami, (4) Udayarage Wanrihami, (5) Punchiralage Ranhami, (6) Wannihami Vidanege Menikhami	do.	0	0 32
22	Do.	do.	do.	0	0 36
23	Akkarewelepara	Crown	Path	0	0 8
35	Tisbambewatta	Crown, applied for by T. Wannihamy	Open land	0	0 4
51	Welhenewela-akkarewedibima	Ranhami Arachchi and others	Paddy	0	2 28
67	Wetiawalelanda	Punchiralage Mudiyanse	Chena	2	1 8

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,179, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, June 7, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Madawachchiya Resthouse, 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. Seventeen allotments of land situated in the Kadawat korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 642. Village—Hiralugama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.	
				A. R. P.	
15	Elapathagaweaccara	Crown, applied for by Kapurala, ex-Vel-Vidane	Chena	1	3 12
16	Elapathagawepahala-accara	Crown, applied for by Badderlage Gammanchirala	do.	1	3 34
17	Amunuwetiya-accara	Crown, applied for by Kadiratege Pulingurala	do.	2	0 23
22	Andaralandeaccara	Crown, applied for by Kadirawelatege Ukkurula	do.	1	0 21
23	Kadurugahawatta	Crown, applied for by Kappuruhamige Kadirate	Open land	0	2 35
24	Meegahawatta	Crown, applied for by Wannihamige Ukkurula and another	do.	0	3 19
1o	Hinnapitahena	Crown, applied for by Meddumaralage Ukkurula	Chena	3	1 6
1q	Do.	Crown, applied for by Velatage Punchirala	do.	3	1 20
1r	Do.	Crown, applied for by Meddumaralage Ukkurula	do.	5	2 0
1t	Do.	Crown, applied for by Sinnate Upasekerala	do.	2	3 22
1s	Do.	Crown, encroachment by Sinnate Upasakarala and Kuda Ratmalie	do.	0	0 22

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
6a	Katukeliyaweaccara	Crown, encroachment by Meddumaralage Ukkurala, Vel-Vidane	Paddy	0	0	27
6b	Do.	do.	do.	0	0	32
6c	Do.	Crown, encroachment by Kiri Naiduralage Kapurala and Punchiralege Appurala	do.	1	0	2
21b	Accarawela	Crown, encroachment by Welathege Punchirala and others	Chena	0	2	20
31a	Kudaratmalevelyaya	Crown, encroachment by Sinnate Upasakarala and Kudaratmale	Paddy	3	1	3
1h	Hinnapitahena	Crown, encroachment by Meddumaralage Ukkurala, Vel-Vidane	Chena	0	1	20

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,180, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, June 7, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Madawachchiya Rest-house, 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. Twenty-four allotments of land situated in the Kende korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 583. Village—Ambagahawewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
2h	—	Crown, applied for by Punchiralege Udayare	Chena	1	1	18
2i	—	Crown, applied for by Badderalage Velate	do.	2	2	23
2n	—	Crown, applied for by Kadiravelatage Vannyhamy	do.	5	1	34
2r	—	Crown, applied for by Pinhamige Menikrala	do.	7	0	14
2s	—	Crown, applied for by Punchiralege Ukkurala	do.	7	2	3
2u	—	Crown, applied for by Pinhamige Menikrala	do.	3	0	5
2x	—	Crown, applied for by Badderalage Velate	do.	1	1	35
2z	—	Crown, encroachment by Mohatalage Malhamy	Paddy	0	0	18
2aa	—	Crown, encroachment by Tikiralage Kandate	do.	0	0	37
2ah	—	Crown, encroachment by ditto	do.	0	1	3
2ak	—	Crown, encroachment by Sellatage Kashirathay	do.	0	0	6
4a	—	Crown, applied for by Pinhamige Menikrala	Chena	0	0	13
6b	—	Crown, applied for by Punchiralege Udayare	do.	0	0	8
7d	—	Crown, encroachment by Bayuralage Kirinaidurala	do.	0	1	24
7g	—	Crown, applied for by Kadiravelatage Vannyhamy	do.	0	0	14
9a	—	Crown, encroachment by Bathiralege Kandate	Paddy	0	1	3
9b	—	Crown, encroachment by Punchiralege Appurala	do.	0	0	27
13a	—	Crown, encroachment by Mohatalage Malhamy	do.	0	0	38
13c	—	Crown, encroachment by Sellatage Kathirathay	do.	0	0	10
13d	—	Crown, encroachment by Ticciralege Kandate	do.	0	0	36
13e	—	Crown, encroachment by Mohatalage Malhamy	do.	0	0	4
18a	—	Crown, encroachment by Punchiralege Appurala	do.	0	0	32
18b	—	Crown, encroachment by Ranhamige Kandate	do.	0	0	12
18c	—	Crown, encroachment by Punchiralege Udayare	do.	0	1	8

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,181, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, June 4, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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 Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 673. Village—Nawakkulama.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
27	Eahatugaha-acoara	Crown, applied for by Mudalihamige Herathamy, Vel-Vidane of Nawakkulama	Chena	2	3	5

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, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,182, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Thursday, June 7, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Madawachchiya Rest-house, 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 Kadawat korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 572. Village—Unagaswewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
1k	Mahalanduyaya	Crown	Garden	2	0	7

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, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,183, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Monday, June 4, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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 Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 670. Village—Diwulwewa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
24a	Diwulwewalanda	Crown, applied for by Ratnayake Menikrala Arachchige Appuhamy, Registrar of Diwulwewa	Chena	2	2	3
26	Meda-acrawelkotuwa	Crown, applied for by Mantrihamige Panchirala of Galewewa	do.	2	0	2
32	Pahalawela-accara	Crown, applied for by Kapuruhamige Velate of Galewewa	do.	3	0	19

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 4,184, S. O.—The Land Settlement Officer will on Saturday, June 2, 1917, at 9 A.M., at Sinharagama Camp, 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. Eleven allotments of land situated in the Wilachchiya korale division of the Nuwarakalawiya district of the North-Central Province.

Block survey preliminary plan 687. Village—Halmillawa.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Name of Claimant or Applicant.	Description.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
21a	Palugahakele	Crown, applied for by Menikralage Velate, Vel-Vidane of Amunukole	Forest	2	3	39
21b	Weeragahakele	Crown, applied for by Menikage Velate, Vel-Vidane of Amunukole	do.	1	0	3
21e	Kadurugahakele	Crown, applied for by Badderlage Panchirala of Amunukole	do.	1	3	34
21d	Dambagahakele	Crown, applied for by Velatage Banda of ditto	do.	2	0	5
21e	Maragahakele	Crown, applied for by Wannihamige Ranhamy of ditto	do.	3	0	9
27b	Kumbukgahakele	Crown, applied for by D. K. Appuhamy of ditto	do.	3	0	9
28a	Halmillewakele	Kiri Banda and others	Paddy	1	0	17
37a	Palukaluwa	Crown, applied for by Nambiralage Kapurala, Vel-Vidane of Metikewa	High jungle	0	2	11
47b	Kalupolayayehena	do.	Chena	0	1	12
47c	Palukaluwa	do.	do.	0	1	36
50a	Katuweeragolla	do.	Forest	1	3	1

Upset price at Rs. 15 to Rs. 50 per acre. Further information regarding these lands can be obtained from the Land Settlement Officer, and plans of them from the Surveyor-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1917.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

LAND ACQUISITION NOTICES.

HAVING been duly directed by the Governor, acting under the provisions of Ordinance No. 3 of 1876, section 6, as amended by section 3 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1911, to take order for the acquisition of the following lots of land, described in the preliminary plan 16,434 as lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, and situated in Kollupitiya, within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province, and required for a public purpose, viz., for rainwater drain in T District:—

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.		
				A.	R.	P.
1	Portion of land bearing assessment No. 1223/11	Garden contains 6 coconut trees 25 years and 22 1 to 10 years old and a tiled masonry building used as a residence and a tiled building used as a cattle shed	J. P. de S. Wickramaratna	0	1	12' 75
2	Do.	Part of a garden, bare land	do.	0	0	0' 67
3	Do.	Ditto and a masonry wall	do.	0	0	2' 40
4	Land bearing assessment No. 1124/11B	Part of a garden, bare land	E. I. Perera	0	0	0' 35
5	Portion of land bearing assessment No. 19	Part of a garden contains a coconut tree 20 years old	Mrs. T. Salgado	0	0	10' 57
6	Land bearing assessment Nos. 1195/20A and 20	Contains 2 masonry buildings and a masonry building used as a latrine	do.	0	0	23' 43
7	Portion of land bearing assessment No. 21	Bare land	Trustees of St. Michael's Church, Polwatta	0	0	12' 84
8	Portion of land bearing assessment No. 70	Part of a garden contains a coconut tree 3 years old	Mrs. Susan Perera	0	0	3' 40
				0	2	26' 41

I hereby give public notice, as required by section 7, that the Government proposes to take possession of the above lands. All persons interested in the aforesaid lands are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before me at the Municipal Office, Colombo, on Wednesday, May 30, 1917, at 1.30 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.

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

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 land, required for a public purpose, namely, for a public market at Welikada, to wit:—

Preliminary plan 16,456. Village—Welikada.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
1	Pelengahawatta	Garden contains 53 coconut trees, 13 coconut plants, 7 jak, 1 arecanut, and few other ordinary trees, 3 cadjan huts, and 3 cadjan sheds	Mr. Charles Batuwantudawa, Advocate	0	3 12 40

I hereby give public notice, as required by section 7, that the Government proposes to take possession of the land. All persons interested in the aforesaid land are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before me at this office on May 14, 1917, at 10 A.M., and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, April 17, 1917.

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 improvements to Avissawella town, to wit:—

Preliminary plan 16,454. Village—Avissawella.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Description.	Name of Claimant.	Extent.	
				A.	R. P.
1	Kottabodawatta	Garden contains 16 coconut plants, 1 arecanut tree, and 4 blocks of thatched roofed markets	D. P. Wijesinghe	0	1 25 23
2	Delungahawatta	Garden contains 30 coconut plants, 47 coconut trees, 3 breadfruit, 5 jak, 13 rubber, 8 lemon, 240 arecanut, 3 mango trees, and 1 jambu tree, 4 plantain bushes, 1 well, 5 cadjan sheds, 1 cadjan hut, 1 block of cadjan roofed caddies, 1 old building in ruins, and also a private footpath	W. Anthony Perera and others	1	0 0 84
3	Kelagahawatta	Garden contains 3 coconut plants, 1 pumbelo, and 3 arecanut trees, and 2 plantain bushes	W. K. Romanis Perera and others	0	0 5 25
4	Do.	Garden contains 1 arecanut tree	W. K. Geregoris Perera and others	0	0 2 89
5	Godellawatta	Garden contains 2 arecanut trees	K. G. Maria Perera	0	0 0 45
6	Do.	Water-course	Crown	0	0 2 50
7	Lindamullakumburewatta	Garden contains 1 coconut tree	W. Anthony Perera	0	0 1 84
8	Do.	Water-course	Crown	0	0 2 23
9	Do.	Garden contains 1 coconut tree, 1 orange tree, and 2 old buildings in ruins, also a private footpath	Martelis Silva	0	0 8 66
10	Do.	Garden contains 1 coconut tree	do.	0	0 0 76
11	Do.	Garden contains part of a tiled house	Mr. C. J. A. Marshall	0	0 0 08
12	Kottaboda estate	Owita contains 11 arecanut trees	Ibrahim Bin Ahamath	0	1 6 10
13	Do.	Garden contains a cadjan roofed hut	do.	0	0 9 76
14	Do.	Garden contains 4 old coconut trees, 8 coconut plants, 1 arecanut, 2 mango, and 2 jak trees, also parts of tiled and cadjan houses and shed	do.	0	1 5 34

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 May 14, 1917, at 2 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.

The Kacheheri,
Colombo, April 17, 1917.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the following areas situated in Dambadeni hatpattu and Katugampola hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, under subsections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said areas, the limits of which are specified below, are infected areas.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, — BERTRAM HILL,
April 16, 1917. Government Agent.

1. Parabewila village in Kolambalamulla palata:—

Boundaries.

East by village of Koradoluwa.
South by limit of Kalawana.
West by Kolambalamulla.
North by villages of Bewilgamuwa and Galatambuwa.

2. Kaluhendiwala village in Kaluhendiwala palata:—

Boundaries.

East by the village limit of Talwattegedera.
South by the village of Kuruppuwatta.
West by the village limit of Koholanegedera.
North by village limit of Kumrapediya.

3. Villages of Potuhera, Kuripotta, and Gammana in Potuhera palata:—

Boundaries.

East by Maguru-oya.
South by village limit of Arambepola.
West by village limit of Bewilgamuwa.
North by village limit of Ahugoda.

4. The villages of *Arambepola* and *Handugala* in Potuhera :—

Boundaries.

East by Kurenepola.
South by village limit of Dombemada.
West by village limit of Bewilgamuwa.
North by village limit of Kuripotta.

5. The villages of *Mandawela* and *Wedapola* in Mawata-gama palata :—

Boundaries.

East by Potuhera and Kuripotta.
South by Bewilgamuwa and Mawatagama.
West by Mawatagama and Hatagama.
North by limit of Rekopattu korale.

6. *Aminugama* village in Ahugoda palata :—

Boundaries.

North by village limit of Bambaragahapelessa.
East by village limits of Kadurukumbura and Torawatura.
South by village limits of Potuhera and Gammana.
West by the limit of Ahugoda.

7. *Pattiyagama* village in Tammita palata :—

Boundaries.

North by village limit of Tammita.
East by village limits of Parakumbura and Medagama-gedera.
South by village limit of Nillakgama.
West by village limit of Algama.

Situated in Katugampola hatpattu.

8. The villages of *Potuweewa*, *Godawela*, *Polpitiya*, and *Netunpattala* :—

Boundaries.

North by Walgampattu korale, village boundary, and Karangama palata.
East by Walgampattu korale, village boundary, and Ihalapotuwewa palata.
South by Ihalapotuwewa palata, Nettipolagedera, and Arakyaya palata.
West by Karangamu palata.

NOTICE is hereby given that I am prepared to issue licenses, free of stamp duty, under section 9, subsection 1 (b) of the Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909, for the destruction of the rogue elephant frequenting Mekichchewa, Kudapattiya, Kalpe, Timbiriwewa (villages round about 75th milepost, Puttalam-Trincomalee road). A large beast, molests people, and damages cultivation.

Anuradhapura, Kachcheri,
April 11, 1917.

H. R. FREEMAN,
Government Agent.