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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Minutes and Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall on Friday, June 15, 1917.

THE Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated June 8, 1917.

Present :—Mr. R. W. Byrde, Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias; Mr. L. B. Fernando; the Hon. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. Arthur Alvis; Mr. H. L. de Mel; Mr. E. G. Jayewardene; Dr. E. V. Ratnam; Dr. W. P. Rodrigo; Mr. J. A. Perera; Mr. F. R. Senanayake; Capt. P. W. Mathew, R.A.M.C.; Mr. C. H. Wellard; the Hon. Dr. G. J. Rutherford; Mr. W. A. Cave; Mr. Harold Creasy; and Mr. J. K. Hormusjee.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of May 25, 1917, having been previously printed and a copy thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of the General Meeting of May 25, 1917, be confirmed.

2. The Chairman read the following :—

There have been only 4 further cases of human plague and 1 case of rat plague reported since the last Meeting, making a total for the year up to the 14th instant of 173 human and 48 rat cases. The totals for the corresponding period of last year were 86 human and 17 rat cases, while in the preceding year there were 35 cases of human plague. Of the 4 human cases, 2 occurred in the Sea street and 2 in Nagalagam street areas. The infected rat was caught alive in the "Mews," Slave Island.

3. Pursuant to notice, Dr. E. V. Ratnam asked the Chairman—

(a) When the filtration works in connection with the duplication of the water mains were completed?

(b) Whether Mr. W. M. Thyne continues to draw the special allowance of Rs. 1,000 granted to him on this account?

The Chairman replied as follows :—

(a) The filtration plant was actually installed and ready for opening on March 16, 1917.

(b) There were, however, several incidental details of work which required Mr. W. M. Thyne's attention after that date, and he drew the special allowance up to May 31, from which date it ceased.

4. Dr. E. V. Ratnam, with the permission of the Council, asked the Chairman :—

Whether he has applied to the Government for amendment of section 45 of the Municipal Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, so as to empower the Governor in Executive Council to sanction expenditure incurred by this Council contrary to the section, and, if so, whether the Chairman will be good enough to table the correspondence on the subject.

The Chairman replied as follows :—

I did not apply to Government for the amendment of section 45 of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.

In 1904 the contribution to the Volunteer Band was increased by resolution of the Council from Rs. 3,500 to Rs. 4,500 but the sanction of His Excellency the Governor to the increase was not sought.

In 1909 the Council voted a contribution of Rs. 150 per annum to the Pasteur Institute, but there was an omission to obtain the sanction of His Excellency the Governor.

In 1916 the Colonial Auditor brought to my attention that these contributions, which had been continued annually, had apparently not received the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

I represented matters to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, and he by letter No. 36 of March 9, 1916, intimated that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council had been pleased to sanction the payments in future, but that he had been advised that the past payments cannot be legalized by a present sanction, but should be covered by an indemnifying Ordinance.

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that the question of the sale of No. 17, Brassfounder street, and the claims of D. E. Abraham, Don John Appuhamy, and others to the said premises be referred for consideration and report by a joint committee consisting of the Law and Finance Committees, and that the sale of the said premises be not proceeded with till the said report is received and the Council decides upon the same. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

The Chairman was of opinion that the matter may be referred to the Committees named for re-consideration. The motion was put to the Meeting and declared carried.

6. Pursuant to notice, Mr. E. G. Jayawardene moved that:—

(a) In view of the fact that the Crown is not bound by any Ordinance which does not particularly and expressly mention it, it is desirable that when the Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915, is amended that provision should be made to bring the Crown within the operation of the said Ordinance.

(b) The above resolution be transmitted to Government for attention.

Before introducing the motion the mover, with the leave of the Council, altered the word "attention" at the end of (b) to "consideration;" (b) reading:—"The above resolution be transmitted to Government for consideration." Mr. J. A. Perera seconded. Dr. W. P. Rodrigo opposed the motion.

The Chairman detailed the facts with regard to the burning of huts at Captain's Gardens and also with regard to the erection by a Government Department of huts in contravention of the by-laws at Jawatta, and suggested the addition to part (a) of the motion of the words "or that orders be given to the Heads of the Departments to adhere to the standards laid down by the Ordinance."

The amendment was accepted by the mover with the consent of the seconder.

The motion as amended—namely, "In view of the fact that the Crown is not bound by any Ordinance which does not particularly and expressly mention it, it is desirable that when the Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915, is amended, that provision should be made to bring the Crown within the operation of the said Ordinance, or in the alternative that orders be given to the Heads of Departments to adhere to the standards laid down by the Ordinance—" was put to the Meeting and declared carried.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the Council do go into Committee to consider items Nos. 7 to 11 (inclusive) on the agenda. Mr. L. B. Fernando seconded.—Carried.

7—11. The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing and the Special Committees, named, were then laid before the Council in Committee:—

Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of May 14, 1917.

- (5) To consider a letter, dated March 15, 1917, from Messrs. Julius & Creasy with regard to the lease of the Pavilion Theatre site.—Recommended that the suggestion made by Messrs. Julius & Creasy be adopted and that the Council grant a lease of an additional two years to Messrs. T. A. J. Noorbhai & Co. on their paying up all the arrears due by Mr. Cadman and all costs incurred by the Council, provided that Mr. Cadman executes a Deed of Surrender of the lease in favour of Messrs. T. A. J. Noorbhai & Co., and Messrs. Noorbhai & Co. deposit a year's rent in advance.

Resolution of Council of May 25, 1917.

With regard to item No. 5, the Chairman moved that the consideration of the matter be deferred, as the Finance Committee had not made its recommendation. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

With regard to the above item (corresponding to item No. 3 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of June 8, 1917), the Chairman suggested the adoption of the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the site be put up for auction and the highest bid, if considered satisfactory, be accepted. Mr. F. R. Senanayake seconded.

A discussion followed in which Dr. W. P. Rodrigo and Mr. J. A. Perera took part. The motion was put to the Meeting and declared lost.

Mr. L. B. Fernando moved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee be adopted. Mr. E. G. Jayawardene seconded.—Carried.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of June 6, 1917.

- (2) To consider the draft additions to the Municipal Ordinance with regard to drainage.—Recommended that the Council do approve of the proposed draft Ordinance.

With regard to the above item (corresponding to item No. 6 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of June 8, 1917), it was resolved that the consideration of the matter be postponed till the Special Committee on Drainage Works has made its recommendation.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of June 7, 1917.

- (3) To consider the following suggestion by the Medical Officer of Health:—That the Public Health Department car should be sold and that in lieu of the expenses for its maintenance, &c., the following increased travelling allowances should be made to the Medical Officer of Health and his two assistants, on their undertaking to provide their own cars.

	Present Allowance.	Proposed Allowance.
	Rs.	Rs.
Medical Officer of Health	1,200	1,800
1st Assistant	720	1,800
2nd Assistant	960	1,800

Recommended that the suggestion of the Medical Officer of Health be adopted.

With regard to the above item (corresponding to items Nos. 12 and 4 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of May 16, and the Special Committee re Establishment of April 25, 1917, respectively), Mr. E. G. Jayawardene inquired whether the Council would be prepared to allow similar concessions to other Officers of the Council, such as Engineers who have as much travelling to do as the Officers of the Public Health Department.

The Chairman replied that he did not think the Council would be prepared to give such an undertaking.

Mr. E. G. Jayewardene moved that the consideration of the matter be postponed till the allowances of the Officers of other Departments are considered. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.

Mr. F. R. Senanayake and Dr. E. V. Ratnam spoke in favour of the recommendation. The motion was put to the Meeting and declared lost.

Mr. H. L. de Mel moved that the recommendation of the Committees be adopted. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.
—Carried.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of June 8, 1917.

- (3) To recommend the sanction of Council for the purchase of 10,000 gallons of tarco at 88 cents per gallon from the sole agents, Messrs. Walker, Sons & Co., Ltd., Colombo.—Recommended.
- (6) To consider the draft additions to the Municipal Ordinance with regard to the drainage.—Recommended.
- (7) To recommend a supplementary vote of Rs. 7,459·38, being the moiety due by the Council for the actual expenditure on the construction of Duke street, Fort, as per letter No. 30 of March 6, 1911, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, and memorandum No. R. 89 of March 5, 1917, from the Director of Public Works to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary.—Recommended.
- (10) To recommend the appropriation of the sum of Rs. 75,000 under Vote I. (K) 72 (Works Department), Public Works Extraordinary, sanctioned by Council on December 8, 1916, for the widening of Norris road, instead of merely for laying granite setts in Norris road.—Recommended.
- (11) To recommend an estimate of Rs. 1,800 from the Acting City Sanitation Engineer for the upkeep and maintenance of the Jawatta Pumping Station from April 1 to December 31, 1917.—Recommended.
- (13) To recommend the sale by public auction of about 5 tons of wrought iron scrap lying at Suduwella stores.—Recommended that it should be sold by public auction after due advertisement.
- (14) To recommend the addition of a supplementary sum of Rs. 175 under Vote I. (F) 41 (Works Department), Maintenance of parks, open spaces, &c., to meet the cost of clearing of rank vegetation of the Municipal Council land behind the Bacteriological Institute.—Recommended.
- (15) To recommend the addition of a supplementary sum of Rs. 400 under Vote K. 9 (Waterworks Department), Store expenses, to meet the cost of maintaining in order the materials in the waterworks store during the year 1917.—Recommended.
- (16) To consider a memorandum, dated May 24, 1917, from the Waterworks Engineer with regard to the supply of petrol for the Waterworks Department car.—Recommended that the Waterworks Department car be supplied with petrol from the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ltd., Agents: Messrs. Delmege Forsyth & Co., and the present expenditure of Rs. 93·60 be sanctioned.

Resolved that item No. 6 be postponed till the Special Committee on Drainage Works has made its recommendation.

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committees, with the exception of item No. 6, be adopted.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of May 16, 1917.

- (12) To consider the following suggestion by the Medical Officer of Health:—That the Public Health Department car should be sold and that in lieu of the expenses for its maintenance, &c., the following increased travelling allowances should be made to the Medical Officer of Health and his two assistants on their undertaking to provide their own cars.

	Present Allowance.	Proposed Allowance.
	Rs.	Rs.
Medical Officer of Health	1,200 ..	1,800
1st Assistant	720 ..	1,800
2nd Assistant	960 ..	1,800

Recommended.

Resolved that the above recommendation be adopted.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of June 8, 1917.

- (2) To consider the arrangements to be made in the Finance Department consequent on the return of Mr. C. M. Young, the Financial Assistant, from leave.—Recommended that Mr. H. P. Beling revert to his substantive appointment as Head Clerk, and that this arrangement be considered as retrospective as from the date of Mr. C. M. Young's return from leave.
- (3) To consider a letter, dated March 15, 1917, from Messrs. Julius & Creasy with regard to the lease of the Pavilion Theatre site.—Recommended that the suggestion made by Messrs. Julius & Creasy be adopted and the Council grant a lease for the term of two years to Messrs. T. A. J. Noorbhai & Co., on their paying for and on behalf of the present lessee, Mr. Cadman, all arrears due by him and all costs incurred by the Council, provided that Mr. Cadman executes a Deed of Surrender of the existing lease to the Council and Messrs. Noorbhai & Co. deposit a year's rent in advance. (The terms of the new lease to be similar to those in the lease granted to Mr. Cadman.)
- (5) To consider the question of granting extra remuneration to the licensing clerks and others affected thereby for the extra work in connection with licensing of 1917, as follows:—(1) Mr. T. Chellappah, Rs. 100; (2) Mr. J. A. Noordeen, Rs. 100; (3) Mr. D. J. Ratnaike, Rs. 75; (4) Mr. D. H. Alvitigala, Rs. 50; (5) Mr. P. P. Samaranyaka, Rs. 50; (6) Peon N. H. D. Costa, Rs. 10; (7) Peon T. N. H. Jumadin, Rs. 10; (8) Mr. L. A. Fernando, Rs. 50; (9) Mr. J. S. Perera, Rs. 50; and (10) Mr. G. P. Jayasinghe, Rs. 50; total Rs. 545.—Recommended that half the sums mentioned be paid as extra remuneration and that the clerks be informed that they should regard such work as part of their duties in future.
- (7) To recommend the addition of a supplementary sum of Rs. 2,000 under Vote C. 2. (Secretariat), Legal expenses, as the vote is insufficient to meet the probable demands for the year.—Recommended.
- (12) To make a supplementary provision of Rs. 86·08 under Vote L. 1 (Assessing Department), Salaries, for the payment of the arrears of salary due to Mr. W. P. de Silva, Registration Clerk, Assessing Department, while on military duty.—Recommended.
- (13) To recommend the purchase from Messrs. E. B. Creasy & Co., Colombo, of 1,000 barrels of White Bros. cement at Rs. 14 per barrel, C.I.F. Colombo, ex s.s. "Poona."—Recommended.
- (15) To recommend that Marthelis Perera, turncock of the Waterworks Department, be retired from the Council's service in terms of section 13 of the pension minute. (The full pension to which he is entitled is Rs. 145 per annum).—Recommended that he be retired for inefficiency on a pension of Rs. 140 per annum.

- (16) To recommend the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 105 to the widow and 4 minor children of the late Sangalingam, cooly of the Edinburgh Market, as follows:—Madathie, widow, 3 months' pay, Rs. 45; Periasamy, son aged 12 years, 1 month's pay, Rs. 15; Patchie, aged 10 years, 1 month's pay, Rs. 15; Manden aged 8 years, 1 month's pay, Rs. 15; Sangalingam, aged 5 years, 1 month's pay, Rs. 15; total Rs. 105. (The above to be substituted for the recommendation of item No. 38 of the Finance Committee of February 26, 1917, sanctioned by Council on March 2, 1917).—Recommended.

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Special Committee re Establishment of April 25, 1917.

- (4) To consider the following suggestion by the Medical Officer of Health:—That the Public Health Department car should be sold and that in lieu of the expense for its maintenance, &c., the following increased travelling allowances should be made to the Medical Officer of Health and his two assistants on their undertaking to provide their own cars:—

	Present Allowance.	Proposed Allowance.
	Ks	Rs.
Medical Officer of Health	1,200	1,800
1st Assistant	720	1,800
2nd Assistant	960	1,800

Recommended that the Public Health Department car be sold and that the Medical Officer of Health and his two assistants each be granted an allowance of Rs. 1,800.

Resolved that the above recommendation of the Special Committee be adopted.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the Council do resume and that the resolutions of Council in Committee, as amended, be adopted. Mr. L. B. Fernando seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman formally moved in Council that the resolutions of Council in Committee, as amended, be adopted. Mr. Arthur Alvis seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman, with the leave of Council, moved that under the provisions of section 29 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, the Council do decide that Mr. T. L. Villiers shall continue to be a Councillor of the Council, although he has failed to attend three consecutive General Meetings. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

The following documents were laid on the table:—

14. The City Analyst's reports on town water for May, 1917, and the Municipal Bacteriologist's report on town water for May, 1917.
15. The Progress Report No. 75 of the Acting City Sanitation Engineer for May, 1917.
16. The report of the Resident Engineer, Colombo Drainage Works, for April, 1917.
17. Statements of receipts and disbursements from January 1 to May 31, 1917, together with a statement of No. 2 account (riot) up to May 31, 1917, respectively, and progress reports showing expenditure up to April 30, 1917.

Return of Committees of the Municipal Council for 1917.

Proceedings of Committees.

C. L. I. Band Programme for July, 1917.

Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for May, 1917.

The Works Engineer's report for April, 1917, on the condition of tramway routes.

Report of the Acting Municipal Bacteriologist of work done during April, 1917.

Diaries of the following officers for the month of May, 1917:—

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

Confirmed on July 13, 1917:

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

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Summary of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to June 30, 1917.

Head of Revenue.	Amount.	Head of Expenditure.	Amount.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
A.—Taxes ..	249,574 30	A.—Non-effective charges ..	109,035 25
B.—Licenses ..	99,662 81	B.—Chairman ..	9,000 0
C.—Judicial fines ..	22,773 55	C.—Secretariat ..	26,293 22
D.—Tolls ..	3,816 54	D.—Finance Department ..	83,421 30
E.—Markets ..	39,707 7	E.—Veterinary Department ..	62,385 50
F.—Slaughter-house ..	26,242 35	F.—Municipal Court ..	7,463 9
G.—Public Health Department ..	4,488 94	G.—Fire Brigade and Ambulances ..	38,881 89
H.—Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station ..	15,286 76	H.—Public Health Department ..	93,200 60
I.—Consolidated rate ..	818,803 52	I.—Works Department ..	686,014 24
J.—Water ..	230,272 6	K.—Waterworks Department ..	120,927 49
K.—Rents ..	17,766 62	L.—Assessing Department ..	14,137 2
L.—Miscellaneous ..	49,294 49	M.—Sanitation Department ..	76,500 33
			1,327,259 93
		Excess of receipts over expenditure ..	250,429 8
Total ..	1,577,689 1	Total ..	1,577,689 1

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

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Kandy will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the under-mentioned Ferry Toll Rents of the Kandy Municipality from January 1, 1918, to December 31, 1918. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for Toll Rents," will be received at the Municipal Office until 8 A.M. on Saturday, September 15, 1917, when they will be opened, and all persons making tenders will be required to be present, and tender must be delivered in person.

2. The person whose tender is selected by the Chairman for submission to the Municipal Council will be required to deposit at once one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash; and should the tender be accepted by the Council, to furnish approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount, or in cash for one-third of the whole purchase amount, within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Council's acceptance of his offer. If deeds are tendered as security, the one-tenth cash deposit will be retained till the rent is closed.

3. He will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of Counsel for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of properties tendered by him as security, and for examining and settling the security bond, and the fees charged by the Council's proctor for examining documents and drawing the security bond, and also the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond.

4. All title deeds tendered as security should be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they relate are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party offering the security.

5. The renter shall be bound to provide and maintain, at his own expense, sufficient boats and boats' crew at the said ferry, the seaworthiness of the boats, and the number of the crew being subject to the approval of the Chairman, Municipal Council.

6. Further information regarding conditions of sale can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Municipal Council.

MUNICIPAL TOLLS.

1. Gonawatta ferry

2. Lewella ferry

3. Halloluwa ferry

Municipal Office,
Kandy, July 19, 1917.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Kandy, in terms of the 137th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of police and lighting rate, water-rate, and riot damages rate due on account 1st quarter, 1917, on the premises, and of which particulars are given in the under-mentioned lists, will be sold by public auction on the spot in the order and time stated, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and taxes and costs be duly paid.

List J.—On Monday, August 27, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 o'clock A.M.

List K.—On Tuesday, August 28, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 o'clock A.M.

List L.—On Wednesday, August 29, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 o'clock A.M.

List M.—On Thursday, August 30, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 o'clock A.M.

List N.—On Friday, August 31, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 o'clock A.M.

By order,
JAS. JAYATILEKE,
Secretary.

The Municipal Office,
Kandy, July 23, 1917.

LIST J.

Trincomalee street.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
A	House and land	Uduma Lebbe Marikar's estate
34	Do.	K. Batcha
58a	Do.	E. K. Girihagama
59 to 61	Houses and lands	R. Nugawela
62	House and land	T. B. Aluwihare
75	Do.	D. S. Senanayeka
110	Do.	Ahamado Meera Saibo
118	Do.	T. R. Assanar Marikar
134	Do.	A. S. Abdul Rahiman
143	Do.	A. L. M. Haniffa
151	Do.	R. S. Deldeniya
158	Do.	D. M. Abeyagunasekera
173	Do.	Abdul Razeed
183 & 183a	Do.	M. Idroos
191	Do.	Cassim

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
208	House and land	Samuel
225	Do.	A. R. M. Marikar
232	Do.	S. T. Abdul Rahiman
238	Do.	Peer Cader Mohideen and others
265a & 265b	Do.	S. Colande
295	Do.	A. S. Abdul Rahiman
310	Do.	M. Ahamado Lebbe
311 & 312	Do.	T. B. Ratwatte
328	Do.	D. M. Abeyagunasekera
329	Do.	E. K. Girihagama

Katugastota road.

6	House and land	S. A. Hannan
27 & 28	Do.	I. L. S. Abdeen
31a, b	Do.	N. L. Abdul Carim
45 & 46	Do.	The female children of F. W. de Silva
13 to 15	Houses and lands	A. R. M. Marikar
57a, 58 & 61	Do.	do.
161 to 163a	Do.	M. L. S. Hameedu Lebbe
231 to 234b	Do.	Katheebu
269 to 274	Do.	Sapha Umma
	Do.	L. M. Rapiatu Natchi

LIST K.

Brownrigg street.

62	House and land	Samsadeen
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Castle Hill street.

118a-e	Houses and lands	Biso Menika
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Cemetery road.

31 to 34	Houses and lands	Packeer Mohideen and others
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Colombo street.

158a-e & 158j to m	Houses and lands	Sinna Tamby Cader Umma
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Cross street.

8	House and land	Mrs. Ratnayake and others
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Hill street.

5	House and land	Keppatipola mahatmaya
23	Do.	Sélema Lebbe

King street.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
16	House and land	Maradana mosque
35	Do.	Ibrahim Lebbe Abdul Gaffoor
23	Do.	M. Noordeen
55a-p & 56a	Houses and lands	R. Devitotawela

Pavilion street.

12	House and land	L. B. Halangoda
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Temple street.

a & b	House and land	Tamby Rasa Uduma Lebbe
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Old Matale road.

1 & 2 to 3	Houses and lands	The female children of F. W. de Silva
4 & 9	Do.	do.
8	House and land	M. H. M. Sulaiman

Lady Torrington road.

6 to 8a	Houses and lands	W. E. Weerasinghe
16 & 17	Do.	C. L. Pereira

Udamadapota.

8a	House and land	Rapiatu Umma
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LIST L.

Peradeniya road.

10, 12, 25a-h	Houses and lands	M. A. Fernando
79-87a to l	Do.	N. M. A. Carim
95	House and land	A. Ranis
133a	Do.	G. V. M. Jamis Singho
133b	Do.	D. A. Jayawardene
139	Do.	Rev. C. T. Williams
140	Do.	S. W. Weerasingham
155	Do.	G. Margaret Perera Gunawardene
156	Do.	T. R. Pullenayagam
159a-k-166a	Houses and lands	H. Hamidon
185, 186, & 187	Do.	P. M. Fernando
190	House and land	M. A. Ajiem's wife, Cader Bee
192	Do.	B. R. P. Wijesinghe
216	Do.	S. K. Cader Bee and others
252	Do.	Estate of late Subedar Assen
290	Do.	Habeebu Natchia
294 & 294a	Do.	B. A. H. Salim
300, 304a-i & 305	Houses and lands	A. M. Saibo Tamby
310a & 311	Do.	Ahamado Lebbe Noor Umma
311a	House and land	J. Linden
558c	Land	Heirs of George Alwis Senaviratne
634a & 635	Houses and lands	K. Awu Lebbe Marikar
678a & 679	Do.	H. N. Punchirala
680 & 681	Do.	do.
730	Land	Ahamado Lebbe
734	House and land	D. M. Nonno Hamy
738a	Land	do.
739, 740, & 741	Houses and lands	Heirs of Sitti Sappen and others
755, 756, & 757	Do.	P. B. Wadugodapitiya and others
758	House and land	A. Jamis Singho
816	Do.	Sergeant Ahamath Pakir Allie
872 & 873	Houses and lands	Heirs of Subedar Assen
876 to 882	Do.	do.
991a-o-993a	Do.	N. P. Kuppe
997 & 997a	Do.	R. C. de Silva
1016	House and land	R. W. Fernando

Bahirawakanda road.

12	Land	P. V. Palawandaram
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LIST M.

Deyannewela road.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
15, 15a-f	Houses and lands	Assena Pulle Alliar
16, 16a-g	Do.	R. Letchimi Amma
17b & 18	Do.	P. H. Philip
19b	House and land	Assen Pulle Alliar
32a	Do.	Annie Samararatne
37a-e	Houses and lands	Assena Pulle Alliar
49a, b, & c	Do.	Ana Kandasamy
53, 53a-d	Do.	Muna Ana Madar Saibo
55	House and land	Raṇa
62, 62a, h	Houses and lands	Mango Amma
92	House and land	G. P. Jayasooria

Hospital road.

7	Land	Matho
7a, 8, & 8a	Houses and lands	H. Appuwa
14a	House and land	B. Kiri Baiyah

Hantana road.

1½	House and land	G. Barnet
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Hallohwa road.

10	Land	T. L. Caroline Peiris
39, 40, & 41	Houses and lands	Zain H. Samahen
46	House and land	D. J. F. Capper

Railway Approach road.

1	House and land	Cader Bee, wife of M. Ajiem
19 & 19a	Do.	D. F. Weerappuli

Slaughter-house road.

8	House and land	Huduhumpola pansala
13a-g	Do.	D. Allie

LIST N.

Lady MacCarthy's road.

19	House and land	J. T. Trowell
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Lewella road.

16, 16a, c	Houses and lands	Ranghamy Karia Korala
23-27	Do.	D. S. Dias's estate
41, 41a, b	Do.	Pinghamy Karia Korala
42a-i	Do.	Dingiri Amma Wadugodapitiya
50a & 53	Do.	A. S. Pinghamy

Lady Anderson's road.

9, 10, 21, & 22	Houses and lands	T. S. M. Pinghamy, Arachchi
28	House and land	J. V. Ebert
30a	Do.	Dingiri Hamy

Malabar street.

13a	House and land	D. S. Abeyagunasekera
19a	Land	Mudali Hamy
26	House and land	Ranghamy Karia Korala
54	Land	Mrs. Allahakoon
72	House and land	Conthenis Hamy

NOTICE is hereby given that, in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Kandy, in terms of the 137th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of Police and lighting rate, 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages rate, 1st quarter, 1917, due on the premises, and of which particulars are given in the under-mentioned lists, will be sold by public auction on the spot in the order and time stated, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and taxes and costs be duly paid:—

List F/2.—Properties in Aruppola, Watapuluwa, and Yatinuwara Talwatta, on Thursday, August 23, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

List G/2.—Properties in Huduhumpola road between Peradeniya road and Primrose hill, Leyula, Wattarantenna, Bahirawakanda, Dodanwala, on Friday, August 24, 1917, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

The Municipal Office,
Kandy, July 24, 1917.

By order,

JAS. JAYATILLEKE,
Secretary.

LIST F/2.

Aruppola.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
1	Field	W. Tikiri Menika
5	Do.	Ranghamy Karia Korala
22	Do.	Pulingu Gammahe
58	Garden	Ukku Banda
60	Do.	U. Banda
61	Do.	Kiri Menika
<i>Watapuluwa.</i>		
5	Garden	Appuhamy
39	Do.	G. Ukku Menika
50	Field	U. Mahammadu Lebbe
60	Do.	Punchi Kira
69	Garden	D. A. Perera
85	House and land	G. Unnanse
92	Do.	William Appuhamy
115	Field	A. G. Ranghamy
117	Do.	Dalada Maligawa
167	Do.	Kiri Banda
170	House and garden	A. G. Kalu Menika
174	Garden	A. G. Tikiri Menika
177	Do.	B. Kiri Banda
183, 186, & 189	Gardens	Segu Mahammadu
<i>Yatinuwara Talwatta.</i>		
9 & 10	Field and land	P. Wijesinghe
12	Field	Natadewale
14 & 15 & 18A	Fields	P. Wijesinghe
15a	Field	P. M. Wijesinghe

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
17, 18a	House and gardens	P. Wijesinghe
37	Garden	P. M. Wiesinghe
45	Field	Ukku Menika
52, 53, 54, & 55	Fields	K. B. Wijesinghe
61	Do.	Ukku Menika
72	Do.	K. B. Wijesinghe

LIST G/2.

Huduhumpola.

8, 12, & 24a	Fields and garden	Poola
<i>Road between Peradeniya road and Primrose hill.</i>		
7	Garden	O. D. Perera
<i>Leyula.</i>		
15	Field	P. Ukkuwa
20	Garden	Hawadia Mahaduraya
21	Do.	H. Hawwa
27	Do.	M. Setuwa
45, 47, & 48	Houses and gardens	H. Hawwa
<i>Wattarantenna.</i>		
1	Garden	Gangawata Korala
<i>Bahirawakanda.</i>		
13	House and garden	Haniffa Bee and brothers
16, 16a	Houses and gardens	Haniffa Bee
19	House and garden	Haniffa Bee and brothers
<i>Dodanwala.</i>		
20	Field	E. M. Herat
26	Do.	J. M. Punchi Banda
46	House and garden	L. M. Herat
54	Do.	H. M. Punchirala
60a	Field	T. Punchi Banda
65	House and garden	Dona Elizabeth Perera
69	Garden	L. M. Herat
72	Field	E. M. Dingiry Banda
75	Garden	U. Banda

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on June 16, 1917, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated June 12, 1917.

Present :—Mr. W. L. Kindersley, Chairman ; Mr. E. Beven ; Mr. C. A. LaBrooy ; Dr. Allan de Saram ; Mr. H. F. Tomalin ; Mr. V. M. Saravanamuttu ; Mr. J. C. Ratwatte ; and Mr. L. H. S. Pieris.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on May 19, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted :—

- Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1916 to May 31, 1917, on account of the Municipal Fund.
- Progress report of works brought up to the same date.
- Health Officer's report for May.
- Statement of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of May.
- The reservoir readings for May.

Resolved—That the statement (a), together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, as required by section 83 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, standpipes, and house service taps inspected during May.

4. Correspondence :—

(1) Letter No. 11 of June 6, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, intimating that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in preliminary plan No. 6,751 being vested in the Municipal Council, Kandy.—Read.

(2) Letter of May 24, from Mr. D. W. Dullewe, applying for permission to erect a dwelling-house on premises No. 11, Mulgampola.—Resolved that he be informed that, pending an amendment of "The Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915," his application cannot be allowed.

5. The following motion which stood in Mr. LaBrooy's name was withdrawn, pending receipt of Mr. Tomalin's report on the question of a water supply to Peradeniya and Katugasteta :—

"That a Special Committee be appointed to consider the feasibility of erecting another reservoir to supply water to the rate-payers at Peradeniya."

6. Estimate of Rs. 485 for taking up, cleaning, and re-laying pipes in Peradeniya road.—Resolved that the estimate be confirmed.

7. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

Markets and Sanitation.

(1) That the fee for a special license to slaughter cattle be fixed at Rs. 2.

Finance and Assessment.

(2) That the salary of the record room binder be increased by Rs. 5 a month, with effect from June 1, 1917.—

Resolved that the recommendations (1) and (2) be adopted.

(3) That the rent paid to St. Paul's Church for lease of land at Mahaiyawa be increased from Rs. 25 to Rs. 100 per annum, with effect from January 1, 1918.

Mr. Tomalin proposed that before this recommendation is adopted the Church be asked to give up their land by the Garrison Cemetery to the Council.—Mr. Saravanamuttu seconded.

The amendment was put to the Meeting and lost by 6 to 2 :—Ayes : Mr. Tomalin ; Mr. Saravanamuttu. Noes : the Chairman ; Mr. Beven ; Mr. LaBrooy ; Dr. de Saram ; Mr. J. C. Ratwatte ; and Mr. L. H. S. Pieris.

The original proposal was then put to the Meeting and carried by 6 to 2.

(4) That the Medical Officer of Health be allowed to employ a temporary clerk on Rs. 30 a month, during the absence of his clerk on military duty.

Municipal Works.

(5) That house service pipes be allowed on usual terms to No. 319, Peradeniya road.—Resolved that recommendations (4) and (5) be adopted.

Confirmed this 21st day of July, 1917 :

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Chairman.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements, January 1 to June 30, 1917.

No. 1.—GENERAL REVENUE AND ASSESSMENT RATE ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.	Estimated Revenue for 1917.		Actual Receipts to June 30, 1917.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
REVENUE.				
Assessment rate	70,350	0	34,928	70
Taxes	18,810	0	19,790	85
Tolls	26,773	0	1,847	86
Licenses and stamp duties—				
(a) Licenses	2,900	0	1,659	50
(b) Stamp duties	13,463	0	725	0
Public market	25,800	0	12,627	90
Slaughter-house	7,525	0	4,056	63
Conservancy	19,075	0	10,864	44
Judicial fines	3,300	0	2,134	19
Miscellaneous receipts	12,225	0	5,290	22
Revenue No. 1 Account	200,221	0	93,925	29

DISBURSEMENTS.	Estimated Expenditure for 1917.		Actual Disbursements to June, 1917.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
EXPENDITURE.				
Secretariat	18,644	69	10,594	22
Health Department	72,566	35	28,338	73
Works Department	37,090	50	17,576	93
Public market	4,664	0	2,235	53
Slaughter-house	2,584	0	1,122	87
Cemetery	1,360	0	646	45
Municipal Court	1,058	0	333	60
Municipal school	1,470	0	799	65
Government loans	907	7	453	54
Pensions	1,226	50	550	73
Miscellaneous services—				
(a) Police	30,000	0	15,000	0
(b) Street lighting	28,400	0	13,808	82
(c) Miscellaneous	7,770	0	2,507	53
Expenditure No. 1 Account	207,741	11	93,968	63

No. 2.—WATER-RATE ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.			
	Rs.	c.	
Water-rate	34,900	0	17,479 6
Water service	10,350	0	4,547 76
Miscellaneous receipts	5,600	0	3,324 91
Revenue No. 2 Account	50,850	0	25,351 73

No. 2.—WATER-RATE ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURE.			
	Rs.	c.	
Establishment	23,988	68	12,071 0
Waterworks maintenance	4,826	0	1,686 65
Water service	4,700	0	1,285 55
Government loans	18,154	43	9,077 21

Expenditure No. 2 Account .. 51,669 11 24,120 41

Total Expenditure .. 259,410 22 118,089 4

Deposits	—	1,132 40
Advances	—	216 1
Municipal stores account	—	4,429 45
Riot fund—		
Commutation rate	197 50	
Assessment rate	3,182 31	
		3,379 81

Deposits	—	1,066 18
Advances	—	516 1
Municipal stores account	—	3,820 72
Riot fund account—		
Compensation for losses by riot	1 50	
Interest on riot damages loan	1,044 63	
Cost of collection of riot damages	729 10	
Commutation rate refunds	7 50	
Assessment rate refund	0 40	

		1,783 13
Riot damages loan account	—	13,000 0
Total Disbursements	—	138,275 8

Cash balance on June 30, 1917—		
No. 1 Account	74,190 89	
No. 2 Account	119,166 78	
		193,357 67

Grand Total .. 331,632 75

Grand Total .. 331,632 75

Kandy, July 10, 1917.

E. B. PEIRIS,
Accountant.

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The claims are :—

1. In a device of the class described, the combination of parallel frames internally and externally toothed hubless gears arranged between said frames transmission gears meshing with the external teeth of the said hubless gears and supporting them in a suspended position. Power generating units which include pinions co-operating with said hubless gears and hubless generator gears which co-operate with the said pinions, and means for exerting a pressure between the generator unit pinions and the hubless gears and the generator gears.

2. In a device of the class described, the combination of parallel frames internally and externally toothed hubless gears arranged in a common plane intermediate the said frames, a common pinion intermeshing with each of said hubless gears, externally and internally toothed hubless generator gears arranged concentric with the said common pinion, units of generator pinions which mesh with the internal teeth of the first-mentioned hubless gears and the generator gears, and means for simultaneously drawing the independent units of the generator pinions in a common direction whereby an unbalanced pressure is exerted against the first-mentioned hubless gears.

3. In a device of the class described, the combination of parallel frames internally and externally toothed hubless gears arranged in a common plane intermediate the said frames, a common pinion intermeshing with each of said hubless gears, generator gears arranged concentric with the said common pinion and positioned one on either side of the first-mentioned hubless gears, units of generator pinions arranged with the pinions meshing with the internal teeth of the first-mentioned hubless gears and the hubless generator gears, links, links connecting the generator pinion units to the shift rings, and link and lever means for rotating the said shift rings, whereby the said generator pinions set up a powerful pressure between the generator gears and the first-mentioned hubless gears.

One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,540 of July 11, 1917.

Jules Bösch.

"Improvements in or relating to instruments for tapping india-rubber producing and like latex-yielding plants."

Abstract :—This invention purports to be an improvement to the tapping knife described in the Specification numbered 1,419 of June 11, 1914, by the same inventor.

The shank is not now made S-shaped, but is bent over at the end and further bent to a rounded nose or leaf as before; and instead of a triangular slot being made in the end of the nose or leaf, a slot with parallel sides is formed from the end of the nose, and extends along the bent side, one edge of the slot being a cutting edge and the other serving as a guard.

The claims are :—

1. An instrument for tapping india-rubber and like latex-yielding plants according to the Patent No. 1,419 of June 11, 1914, characterized by the fact that the slit (5) in the curved back of the U-shaped leaf extends nearly up to that edge of the shank from which the leaf begins and the distance between the edge (9) of the knife and the upper portion (7) of the leaf increases in the direction from the back (4) to the inner edge (6) of the leaf.

2. An instrument for tapping india-rubber and like latex-yielding plants, substantially as described with reference to the accompanying drawing.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

THE following Specification has been accepted :—

No. 1,519 of November 24, 1916.

Charles Reid.

"Improvements in smoke and heat-producing compounds for coagulating rubber latex and curing rubber."

Abstract :—This invention relates to pressed blocks compounded of ingredients specified as follows :—

Type I.—A compound of coir dust, coir fibre, coconut husk, sawdust, or wood refuse used separately or a combination of either or all of them in dry form, 100 parts by weight; liquor from distillation of wood or coconut husk, 80 to 90 parts by weight; tar, 5 parts by weight.

Type II.—A compound of coir dust, coir fibre, coconut husk, sawdust, or wood refuse used separately or a combination of either or all of them together in dry form, 100 parts by weight; tar, 20 parts by weight.

Type III.—A compound of coir dust, coir fibre, coconut husk, sawdust, or wood refuse used separately or a combination of either or all of them together in dry form, 100 parts by weight; liquor from wood distillation or coconut husk, 80 to 90 parts by weight; tar, 20 parts by weight.

Type IV.—A compound of wood or cork or coconut husk soaked in and saturated with liquor from wood distillation or coconut husk.

In the first three types it is specified that instead of tar any other oil or material may be substituted in proportion to the other ingredients according to the value of the burning properties of that substitute compared with tar.

The claims are :—

1. In coagulating rubber latex and curing rubber, a compound pressed into blocks of convenient size consisting of coir dust, coir fibre, coconut husk, sawdust, or wood refuse combined separately or together with liquor from wood distillation and tar in proportions, substantially as described for the purpose of producing smoke for coagulating rubber latex and for curing rubber.

2. In coagulating rubber latex and curing rubber, a compound pressed into blocks of convenient size consisting of coir dust, coir fibre, coconut husk, sawdust, or wood refuse combined separately or together with tar in proportions, substantially as described for the purposes of adding heat for burning and distilling the smoke-producing blocks claimed in claim 1.

3. In coagulating rubber latex and curing rubber, a compound pressed into blocks of convenient size composed of coir dust, coir fibre, coconut husk, sawdust, or wood refuse combined separately or together with liquor from wood distillation and tar for the purpose of producing smoke and heat so as to combine the properties of claims numbers 1 and 2.

4. In coagulating rubber latex and curing rubber, a compound formed of wood or coconut husk saturated in liquor from distillation of wood for the purpose of producing smoke and heat for coagulating rubber latex and curing rubber.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

SANITARY BOARDS, MATALE DISTRICT.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Town of Palapatwela for the Year 1916.

REVENUE.	Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Total. Rs. c.
Sanitary rates..	200 78	Salaries ..	204 0
Refund of stamp duty ..	43 0	Commission and remuneration to collectors and assessors ..	19 92
Commutation tax ..	66 0	Petty expenses ..	7 52
Dog tax ..	3 50		
	313 28		231 44
Balance on December 31, 1915 ..	1,011 6	Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	1,032 90
Total ..	1,324 34	Total ..	1,324 34

The Kachcheri,
Matale, January 22, 1917.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Chairman.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct, and that the revenue due has been duly collected and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

F. G. MORLEY,
Acting Colonial Auditor.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Town of Kawdupelella for the Year 1916.

REVENUE.	Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Total. Rs. c.
Sanitary rates..	261 2	Salaries ..	151 50
Refund of stamp duty ..	31 0	Commission and remuneration to collectors and assessors ..	24 36
Commutation tax ..	39 0		
Dog tax ..	1 0		
Miscellaneous receipts ..	11 0		
	343 2		175 86
Balance on December 31, 1915 ..	528 67	Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	695 83
Total ..	871 69	Total ..	871 69

The Kachcheri,
Matale, January 22, 1917.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Chairman.

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F. G. MORLEY,
Acting Colonial Auditor.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Town of Rattota for the Year 1916.

REVENUE.	Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Total. Rs. c.
Sanitary rates..	362 25	General works ..	384 3
Refund of stamp duty ..	53 0	Salaries ..	269 0
Commutation tax ..	75 0	Commission and remuneration to collectors and assessors ..	26 85
Dog tax ..	2 25	Petty expenses ..	2 40
Miscellaneous receipts ..	277 50		
	770 0		682 28
Balance on December 31, 1915 ..	732 98	Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	820 70
Total ..	1,502 98	Total ..	1,502 98

The Kachcheri,
Matale, January 22, 1917.

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Chairman.

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F. G. MORLEY,
Acting Colonial Auditor.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Town of Dambulla for the Year 1916.

REVENUE.	Total.		EXPENDITURE.	Total.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Sanitary rates ..	182	78	General works ..	23	0
Refund of stamp duty ..	24	0	Salaries ..	192	0
Commutation tax ..	85	50	Commission and remuneration to collectors and assessors ..	14	21
Dog tax ..	0	75	Petty expenses ..	15	75
Miscellaneous receipts ..	1	0			
	294	3		244	96
Balance on December 31, 1915 ..	1,035	65	Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	1,084	72
Total ..	1,329	68	Total ..	1,329	68

The Kachcheri,
Matale, January 22, 1917.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Chairman.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct, and that the revenue has been duly collected and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

F. G. MORLEY,
Acting Colonial Auditor.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Town of Madawela for the Year 1916.

REVENUE.	Total.		EXPENDITURE.	Total.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Sanitary rates ..	220	60	Salaries ..	216	50
Refund of stamp duty ..	15	0	Commission and remuneration to collectors and assessors ..	15	18
Commutation tax ..	33	0	Petty expenses ..	11	3
Dog tax ..	6	50			
	275	10		242	71
Balance on December 31, 1915 ..	199	28	Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	231	67
Total ..	474	38	Total ..	474	38

The Kachcheri,
Matale, January 22, 1917.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Chairman.

I certify that I have examined the above statement and compared it with the books and supporting vouchers and that it is correct, and that the revenue has been duly collected and the expenditure is in conformity with law and authority.

F. G. MORLEY,
Acting Colonial Auditor.

Notice of Sale, Local Board, Batticaloa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lands mentioned in the annexed schedule, having been seized for default of payment of Local Board and Water-rates for the periods therein mentioned, will be sold by public auction on August 10, 1917, at the Batticaloa Kachcheri, at 2 P.M., in conformity with the Local Board Ordinance, No. 19 of 1905, unless in the meantime the amount owing in respect of the rates together with the lawful costs of seizure and sale, is duly paid.

Batticaloa Kachcheri,
July 17, 1917.

N. M. BHARUCHA,
for Government Agent.

Assessment No.	Name of Owner.	SCHEDULE. For what period.	Local Board Water-rate. Costs.			Total
			Rate.			
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
44	K. Kandaiah	Situation : New Road, Koddaimunai. .. 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	0 90	1 35	0 24	2 49
54	V. Manikkan	Situation : Bailey road, Koddaimunai. .. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 20	1 80	0 82	3 82
60	Arulampalam	.. 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	0 90	1 35	0 74	2 99
114	S. Joseph	.. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 20	1 80	0 82	3 82
63	V. Vayiramuttu	Situation : Uppodai road, Koddaimunai. .. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 44	2 16	0 32	3 92
78	Nellinatapillai's heirs	.. 4th quarter	0 36	0 54	0 58	1 48
84	V. Rasakariyar's heirs	.. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 60	2 40	0 82	4 82
85	S. Subramaniam's heirs	.. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters	0 90	1 35	0 24	2 49
3	M. Mariampilla's heirs	Situation : Uppodaimunai, Koddaimunai. ..	0 90	1 35	0 74	2 99
6	S. Anthoney	.. 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	0 90	1 35	0 24	2 49
15	A. Anney's heirs	Situation : Cheelamunai. .. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 20	1 80	0 32	3 32
45	K. Karuval	.. 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	0 90	1 35	0 24	2 49
47	Do.	.. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 20	1 80	0 32	3 32
81	S. Anthoney's heirs	.. 4th quarter	0 30	0 45	0 8	0 83
103	S. Yusaimuttu	.. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters	1 20	1 80	0 32	3 32
7	C. H. Casinader's heirs and others	Situation : Urani. 1st and 2nd halves	0 50	—	0 8	0 58
22	S. Tambapillai	.. do.	0 50	—	0 8	0 58
26	S. Adaikalam's heirs	.. do.	0 50	—	0 8	0 58
40	T. Amarasingam	.. do.	0 50	—	0 8	0 58
123	E. Kanapatipillai	.. 2nd half	0 25	—	0 54	0 79

Assessment No.	Name of Owner.	For what period.	Local Board Water-rate.		Costs.		Total
			Rate. Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
1	W. Jansz's heirs	Situation : Kulavadi. 1st and 2nd halves	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
75	K. Nakamani	Situation : Amirtakali. 1st and 2nd halves	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
233	V. Rasaiya	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
221	U. Elaiathai	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
262	P. Thankamuttu	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
277	K. Arumugam	2nd half	0 25	—	0 54	0 79	
287	V. Rasaiya	1st and 2nd halves	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
289	K. Kanni's heirs	2nd half	0 25	—	0 54	0 79	
291	Do.	1st and 2nd halves	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
292	K. Katan's heirs	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
294	K. Veerakutti	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
296	V. Rasaiya	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
297	E. Sinnipillai	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
299	V. Rasaiya	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
301	V. Chellappa's heirs	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
303	V. Kattamuttu	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
328	K. Veerakutti	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
332	S. Subramaniam's heirs	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
336	Do.	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
355	V. Rasaiya	do. ...	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	
76	V. Chellaiya	Situation : Maddikkali. 1st and 2nd halves	0 50	—	0 8	0 58	

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

Application No. 1,208.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Brown & Company, Limited, of Colombo, Engineers and General Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of fluid disinfectant in Class 2 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive device and the word "Chatham," and the applicants disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, July 24, 1917.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,213.

26.27.
 IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. The Bacchus Marsh Concentrated Milk Company, Limited, of 591-5, Little Collins street, Melbourne, State of Victoria, Australia, Dairy Produce Merchants and Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of condensed, concentrated, evaporated, sterilized, pasteurized, dried, and preserved milks, cream, cheese, eggs, butter, margarine, bacon, hams, infants' and invalids' foods, and all other dairy produce in Class 42 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



Registrar-General's Office,
 Colombo, July 24, 1917.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
 Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,209.

26.57.
 IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Brown & Company, Limited, of Colombo, Engineers and General Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of oil for lubricating machinery in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive device and the word "Chatham," and the applicants disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office,
 Colombo, July 24, 1917.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
 Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,210.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Brown & Company, Limited, of Colombo, Engineers and General Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of bicycles in Class 22 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive device and the word "Chatham," and the applicants disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, July 24, 1917.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Traffic for the Month ended May 31, 1917.

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended	Month ended	Increase in	Decrease in	Nett Increase or Decrease from October 1, 1916, to May 31, 1917.	
	May 31, 1916.	May 31, 1917.	1917.	1917.	Increase in 1916-1917.	Decrease in 1916-1917.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Kerosine oil ..	263	311	48	—	1,009	—
Rubber ..	1,690	2,517	827	—	3,553	—
Rice ..	16,776	15,426	—	1,350	14,395	—
Tea ..	14,013	13,138	—	875	1,171	—
Cacao ..	109	128	19	—	646	—
Coconut produce ..	4,439	4,244	—	195	4,711	—
Fruit and vegetable ..	1,336	1,724	388	—	2,139	—
Tea and rubber packing ..	3,011	2,164	—	847	—	1,157
Plumbago ..	1,728	2,004	276	—	2,183	—
Bulk petroleum ..	487	485	—	2	—	755
Liquid fuel ..	1,512	1,578	66	—	836	—
Manure ..	10,603	4,411	—	6,192	—	36,294
Other goods ..	20,460	28,757	8,297	—	33,288	—
Railway material (open line)	8,114	10,746	2,632	—	25,878	—
Railway material (extensions)	744	1,055	311	—	1,533	—
Breakwater material ..	886	823	—	63	—	2,225
Foreign traffic ..	10,373	10,033	—	340	18,256	—
Total ..	96,544	99,544	12,864	9,864	109,598	40,431

Colombo, July 16, 1917.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Nugafenna-Deanstone Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Saturday, August 4, 1917, at Nawaganala Bungalow, at 10 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

The Local Committee, immediately after the election, will hold a meeting for the following business, viz. :—

To consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road ;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates ;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1918, amounts to Rs. 1,212.

N.B.—The General Meeting for the election of the Local Committee should consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, July 23, 1917. Chairman.

Wanarajah Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 1917, at Lethenty, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

The Local Committee, immediately after the election, will hold a meeting for the following business, viz. :—

To consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road ;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates ;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1918, amounts to Rs. 1,010.

N.B.—The General Meeting for the election of the Local Committee should consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, July 23, 1917. Chairman.

Norwood-Campion Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 1917, at Bogawantalawa Club, at 3.30 P.M.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road ;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates ;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1918, amounts to Rs. 3,737.

St. John del Rey Estate, GUY WALKER,
Norwood, July 20, 1917. Chairman, Local Committee.

Norton-Carolina Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 1917, at Norton Factory, at 4.15 P.M.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road ;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates ;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The estates are to be assessed for the private contribution of Rs. 1,515, on the maintenance estimate, for the year ending September 30, 1918.

Theberton Estate, S. H. GRIGG,
Watawala, July 20, 1917. Chairman, Local Committee.

High Forest-Bramley Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Saturday, August 11, 1917, at Gonakelle Club, at 10 A.M.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road ;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates ;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1918, amounts to Rs. 1,248.36.

High Forest Estate, W. POYNTZ SPURWAY,
Kandapola, July 22, 1917. Chairman, Local Committee.

Ulapane-Riverside Branch Road, Ulapane Bridge.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Ulapane Bridge for the year ending September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the bridge to make up the private contribution, as follows :—

(Estimate No. D 570 of 1916-17.)

Government moiety	..	Rs. 200
Private contributions	..	Rs. 202

Total acreage, 1,816—Rate per acre, 1112c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due.
			Rs. c.
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Mahavilla	.. 321	.. 35 71
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies (Geo. Benzie)	Weliganga and Halgolla	.. 204	.. 22 70
Do.	Denmark	.. 150	.. 16 68
Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co. and S. O. Hanbury	Kanapediwatta	393	.. 43 72
Sirimala Duraya	Mahugahena	.. 65	.. 7 22
Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland)	Riverside	.. 390	.. 43 38

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due.
			Rs. c.
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies and Geo. Benzie	Dambagalla	98	10 90
Do.	Nugawella	195	21 69
	Total		202 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before August 6, 1917.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, July 24, 1917. Chairman.

Ulapane-Riverside Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sums for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 209 of 1916-17.)

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

1st to 2nd section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 1,751—Moiety of cost, Rs. 280—
Sectional rate, 1599c.—Total rate, 1599c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Mahavilla	321	51 33
Do. (Geo. Benzie)	Weliganga and Halgolla	204	32 61
Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co., and Selby Hanbury	Kanapediwatta	393	62 85
The Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland)	Riverside	390	62 37
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies and Geo. Benzie	Dambagalla	98	15 67
Do.	Nugawella	195	31 19
Do.	Denmark	150	23 98
	Total		280 0

3rd section, ½ mile.

Total acreage, 1,816—Moiety of cost, Rs. 140—
Sectional rate, 0770c.—Total rate, 0770c.

The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies	Mahavilla	321	24 75
Do. (Geo. Benzie)	Weliganga and Halgolla	204	15 73
Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co., and Selby Hanbury	Kanapediwatta	393	30 30
Sirimala Duraya	Mahugahena	65	5 1
The Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland)	Riverside	390	30 7
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies and Geo. Benzie	Dambagalla	98	7 55
Do.	Nugawella	195	15 3
Do.	Denmark	150	11 56
	Total		140 0

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount
			Rs. c.
4th, 5th, and 6th sections, 1½ mile.			
Total acreage, 1,141—Moiety of cost, Rs. 420— Sectional rate, 3680c.—Total rate, 3680c.			

Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co. and Selby Hanbury	Kanapediwatta	393	144 66
Sirimala Duraya	Mahugahena	65	23 92
The Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland)	Riverside	390	143 56
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies and Geo. Benzie	Dambagalla	98	36 8
Do.	Nugawella	195	71 78
	Total		420 0

7th, 8th, and 9th sections, 1·32 mile.

Total acreage, 683—Moiety of cost, Rs. 369·64—
Sectional rate, 5412c.—Total rate, 5412c.

The Korale Estates Co. (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents; G. G. Westland)	Riverside	390	211 7
The English and Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Societies and Geo. Benzie	Dambagalla	98	53 3
Do.	Nugawella	195	105 54
	Total		369 64

Abstract.

	Rs.	c.
Mahavilla estate	76	8
Weliganga and Halgolla	48	34
Kanapediwatta	237	81
Riverside	447	7
Dambagalla	112	33
Nugawella	223	54
Mahugahena	28	93
Denmark	35	54
	1,209	64

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before August 6, 1917.

Private contribution	Rs. 1,212·00
Unexpended balance, 1915-16	" 2·36

Amount to be recovered on account
1916-17 .. Rs. 1,209·64

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, July 24, 1917. Chairman.

Pupuressa Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held on Wednesday, August 29, 1917, at Pooprassi Factory, at 9 A.M.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- The sections of the road used by these estates;
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers, superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

The estates are to be assessed for the private contribution of Rs. 3,838 on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1918.

Castlemilk estate, H. J. G. MARLEY,
Gampola, July 20, 1917. Chairman, Local Committee.

Duckwari-Cottaganga Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Tuesday, August 7, 1917, at Cottaganga, at noon.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road ;
 - The sections of the road used by these estates ;
 - The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.
- The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1917, amounts to Rs. 404.

Girindiela estate, C. J. PATTERSON,
Rangala, July 20, 1917. Chairman, Local Committee.

Poonagala-Liyangahawela Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Local Committee, Poonagala-Liyangahawela Branch road, have determined that the under-mentioned estates should be assessed for the recovery of the contributions due to Government, in respect of repairs to flood damages on the 9th mile, Poonagala-Liyangahawela road, during 1916-17.

2. The Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, will be prepared to hear any objections at 2 P.M., on Monday, August 6, 1917, at his office at the Badulla Kachcheri.

Name of Estate.	Acreage.
Liyangahawela ..	462
Broughton ..	375
Ampitikanda and Arnhall ..	521
Mahakanda and Malvern ..	438½
Poonagala Group ..	1,138½

F. BARTLETT,
Chairman.

Election of Members, Local Committee.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected, under the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, to act as members of the Local Committee for the Haputale-Dambatenna road from July 29, 1917, to July 29, 1919:—

Messrs. A. Allen (Chairman), W. A. Wilson, G. Thain Davidson, J. W. Hyde.

Provincial Road Committee,
Badulla, July 21, 1917.

F. BARTLETT,
Chairman.

Election of Members, Local Committee.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected under the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, to act as members of the Local Committee for the Liyangahawela-Poonagala road from July 17, 1917, to July 17, 1919:—

Messrs. R. G. Coombe (Chairman), Wm. Allan, P. de P. Carey.

Provincial Road Committee,
Badulla, July 21, 1917.

F. BARTLETT,
Chairman.

Election of Members, Local Committee.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected, under the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, to act as members of the Local Committee for the Koslanda-Poonagala road from July 17, 1917, to July 17, 1919:—

Messrs. R. G. Coombe (Chairman), D. Lyall, A. B. Knowlton.

Provincial Road Committee,
Badulla, July 21, 1917.

F. BARTLETT,
Chairman.

Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Local Committee for the above road having reported to the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa that the estates interested in the said road have been assessed for the expenditure incurred from January 1 to December 31, 1916, in the maintenance of the said road, namely, Rs. 6,495·85, on the acreages and for the sections set forth in the subjoined schedule, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 24 of the Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, on July 7, 1917, confirmed the assessment made by the Local Committee.

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman of the Local Committee, Mr. Frank Murray, of Digowa estate, Parakaduwa, if the same have not been already paid.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.*Section A from Digowa to Tatuwalakande boundary, a distance of ¾ mile.*

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.	Contributions.		Total.
			Rs.	c.	
Messrs. L. Bayly and G. A. Talbot ..	Digowa ..	544 ..	1,378	96	
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantation, Ltd., Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents ..	Manikande ..	437 ..	1,107	88	2,486 84

*Section B from Tatuwalakande boundary to Ambalampitiya at the Sitawaka-ganga, a distance of 1½ mile.***1st section, 1 mile.**

Messrs. L. Bayly and G. A. Talbot ..	Digowa ..	544 ..	554	48	
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantation, Ltd., Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents ..	Manikande ..	437 ..	445	41	
Mr. A. J. R. de Soysa ..	Tatuwalakande ..	340 ..	346	54	

2nd section, ½ mile.

Messrs. L. Bayly and G. A. Talbot ..	Digowa ..	544 ..	427	53	
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantation, Ltd., Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents ..	Manikande ..	437 ..	343	44	
Mr. A. J. R. de Soysa ..	Tatuwalakande ..	340 ..	267	22	2,384 62

*Proportionate Cost of Section C from Ambalampitiya at the Sitawaka-ganga to Bevilla cart road, a distance of 2¼ miles.***1st section, 1 mile.**

Messrs. L. Bayly and G. A. Talbot ..	Digowa ..	544 ..	224	78	
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantation, Ltd., Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents ..	Manikande ..	437 ..	180	57	

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.	Contributions.		Total. Rs. c.
			Rs.	c.	
Mr. A. J. R. de Soysa	Tatuwalakande	340	140	48	
Mr. J. B. M. Perera up to September, 1916, and thereafter Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeyeratne	Panilla	180	74	37	
2nd section, 1 mile.					
Messrs. L. Bayly and G. A. Talbot	Digowa	544	313	37	
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantation, Ltd., Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents	Manikande	437	251	73	
Mr. A. J. R. de Soysa	Tatuwalakande	340	195	86	
Mr. J. B. M. Perera up to September, 1916, and thereafter Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeyeratne	Panilla	180	103	69	
3rd section, ¼ mile near Bevilla.					
Messrs. L. Bayly and G. A. Talbot	Digowa	544	50	57	
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantation, Ltd., Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents	Manikande	437	40	63	
Mr. A. J. R. de Soysa	Tatuwalakande	340	31	61	
Mr. J. B. M. Perera up to September, 1916, and thereafter Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeyeratne	Panilla	180	16	73	
					1,624 39
					6,495 85

SUMMARY.

Estate.	Acreage.	A Section.		B Section.		C Section.		Total. Rs. c.
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Digowa	544	1,378	96	982	1	588	72	2,949 69
Manikande	437	1,107	88	788	85	472	93	2,369 66
Tatuwalakande	340	—	—	613	76	367	95	981 71
Panilla	180	—	—	—	—	129	81	129 81
Do. (Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeyeratne)	180	—	—	—	—	64	98	64 98
		2,486	84	2,384	62	1,624	39	6,495 85

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, July 20, 1917.

W. A. WEERAKOON,
for Chairman.

Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the sum of Rs. 51,400 50, for effecting improvements to the Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road, and the said Governor having ordered that the amount of private contributions due by the proprietors of the estates interested in the road, namely, Rs. 53,199 50, may be paid in instalments, i.e., Rs. 25,000 at once, and the balance Rs. 28,199 50 by two instalments of Rs. 14,100, payable on October 1, 1917, and on October 1, 1918, respectively, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, have assessed the proportion due by each estate as shown in the subjoined schedule.

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on the dates appearing in the said schedule.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Proportion of Rs. 25,000 payable at once.		Proportion of Rs. 14,100 payable on Oct. 1, 1917.		Proportion of Rs. 14,099 50 payable on Oct. 1, 1918.		Total private Contributions Payable.
			Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
S. P. Hayley and W. E. Sparling (Hayley & Kenny, Agents)	Rye Rubber Division	122	204	56	115	38	115	38	435 32
P. L. Palawasan Pillai	Udapolwatta	52	87	3	49	9	49	9	185 21
The Uplands Tea Co., Ltd. (Whittall & Co., Agents)	Maratenna (Balangoda Group)	538	4,249	75	2,396	82	2,396	83	9,043 40
Do.	Detanagala (do.)	498	3,933	49	2,218	45	2,218	46	8,370 40
Do.	Cecilton (do.)	474	3,744	2	2,111	59	2,111	59	7,967 20
Do.	Pambagolla (do.)	577	4,558	12	2,570	74	2,570	74	9,699 60
Do.	Pinnawala (do.)	397	3,135	88	1,768	61	1,768	61	6,673 10
The Waleboda Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd. (The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates Co., Ltd., Agents)	Waleboda	245	1,935	51	1,091	62	1,091	62	4,118 75
S. T. de Silva, Pine Hill estate, Pelpola, Kalutara	Ferndale and Sherwood	399	3,151	64	1,777	70	1,777	18	6,706 52
Total		3,302	25,000	0	14,100	0	14,099	50	53,199 50

Provincial Road Committee,
Ratnapura, July 20, 1917.

B. CONSTANTINE,
Chairman.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left at B 1 Warehouse beyond the time prescribed by law, notice is hereby given that unless the same be previously cleared they will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, August 28, 1917, at 1 P.M. Goods should be paid for and removed on or before Friday, August 31, 1917:—

No. and Date of Entry.	Vessel.	Port.	Marks.	Quantity and Description of Goods.
378 of Oct. 5	ss. City of Karachi	Calcutta	N C H in a diamond, 2093 outside	1 case musical instruments
28 of Nov. 1	ss. Mongara	London	109 in a diamond, C M A H and 507/9 outside	3 cases haberdashery
397 of Nov. 3	ss. Worcestershire	Liverpool	109 in a diamond, C M A A and 16/17 outside	2 cases cotton goods
1,105 of Nov. 10	ss. Marwarri	London	109 in a diamond, C M A H and 510/11 outside	2 cases haberdashery
2,328 of Nov. 20	ss. Mandala	do.	3171 in a diamond, L B and 292/93 outside	2 cases cotton, &c.
883 of Dec. 9	ss. Merkara	do.	207 in a square, 1931, 1933/35, 1937, 1939/40 outside	7 cases soap
1,933 of Dec. 22	ss. Chinkoa	do.	152 in a star, A B & Co. and 309/11 outside	3 cases piece goods and drapery
1917.				
313 of Jan. 5	ss. Clan Colquham	Glasgow	209 in a square, 1553 outside	1 case umbrellas
314 of Jan. 5	ss. Camberwell	London	207 in a square, 2078/79 outside	2 cases collars
731 of Jan. 10	ss. Chinkoa	do.	8116 in a diamond, Duff and 400/3 outside	4 packages stationery
1,410 of Jan. 16	ss. Camberwell	do.	277 in a triangle, J F, 40, and 490/91 outside	3 cases millinery goods and haberdashery
1,469 of Jan. 16	Do.	do.	C C A/99 in a diamond, S Co., and 191/92 outside	2 cases cotton apparel
970 of Feb. 15	ss. Malda	do.	1479 in a square, K S S M F outside	1 case haberdashery
971 of Feb. 15	Do.	do.	1439 in a diamond, K S H A H M, 1/5, 1436, and 6/7 outside	7 packages wrapping paper and shoes
38 of Mar. 1	ss. Anchoria	do.	BB, 21/496, 277	1 case perfumery
96 of Mar. 1	Do.	do.	B B, 21/496, 276	do.
503 of Mar. 9	Do.	do.	1403 in a diamond K S A T R outside or 1403 in a diamond, K S S F A, and 1/5 outside	5 cases wreaths
650 of Mar. 13	ss. Colaba	do.	A A Co. in a diamond, 22 outside	1 case cotton goods
1,426 of Mar. 21	ss. Beanyei Maru	Kobe	M A C	1 case glassware

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, July 23, 1917.

W. T. SOUTHORN,
for Principal Collector.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Meall Mor (Ceylon) Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, at 11 A.M., on August 10, 1917, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution, viz. :—

“That the Articles of Association of the Company be amended by the substitution in lieu of the present Article 143 of the following Article, namely :—

“143. Any General Meeting may direct payment of any dividend declared at such Meeting, or of any interim dividends which may subsequently be declared by the Directors, wholly or in part in sterling by means of drafts or cheques on London, or by the distribution of specific assets, and in particulars of paid up shares, debentures, or debenture stock of the Company or of any other company, or in any other form of specie, or in any one or more of such ways, and the Directors shall give effect to such direction; and where any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution, they may settle the same as they think expedient, and in particular may issue fractional certificates, and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets or any part thereof, and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any Shareholder upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties.”

Should the above resolution be passed by the requisite majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a second Extraordinary Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

By order of the Directors,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.
Colombo, July 25, 1917.

The Attampettia Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at Attampettia Bungalow, Bandarawela, on Saturday, August 11, 1917, at 11 A.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive and consider the half-yearly statement of accounts and balance sheet and the report of the Directors for the past half year.
- (2) To elect a Director in the place of the one retiring, who offers himself for re-election.
- (3) To elect Auditors for the year 1917.
- (4) To transact any other ordinary business that may arise.

By order of the Directors,

HARRISON'S & CROSFIELD, LTD.,
Colombo, July 27, 1917. Agents and Secretaries.

The Nilavale Coconut Company, Limited, in Liquidation.

AT the Final General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company held at No. 2, Prince street, Colombo, on Monday, July 23, 1917, it was resolved as follows :—

- (1) That the final accounts of the Liquidator be adopted.
- (2) That, in the opinion of the Meeting, the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.

E. F. BURGESS, A.C.A.,
Liquidator.
Colombo, July 24, 1917.

Delmege, Forsyth & Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. Edgar Rogers Waldoek is authorized to sign for this Firm as from this date.

Colombo, July 20, 1917. DELMEGE, FORSYTH & Co.

The Enemy Firms Liquidation Ordinance, No. 20 of 1916.

In the matter of Minna Luise Hagenbeck.
Fitzroy Estate.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the above estate, particulars of which have been advertised recently.

Tenders must be made on the prescribed form, copies of which can be had on application to the undersigned.

Tenders must be sealed and addressed on the cover to the Liquidator of the estate of Mrs. M. L. Hagenbeck, No. 7B, Prince Street, Fort, Colombo.

Tenders must be marked "Tender for Fitzroy Estate," and must reach the Office of the Liquidator not later than midday on August 7.

Any alterations in the tender must be initialled, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and may be rejected.

A deposit, payable in rupee currency, of 10 per cent. of the total amount of the tender must accompany each tender.

The successful tenderer must pay Rs. 40,000 of the purchase price in Ceylon currency, the balance to be paid either in rupee currency in Ceylon or India or by demand draft on London at the option of the purchaser. He must also pay the Notary's fee for attesting the conditions and the stamps for the conditions.

Copies of the form of tender and of a report on the estate made recently by Mr. A. S. Long Price can be had on application to the undersigned, as well as permits to inspect the estate.

There are no coast advances outstanding.

7B, Prince street, PERCY G. D. BELL,
Colombo, July 23, 1917. Liquidator.

Auction Sale of a very Valuable Country Residence called Brookside and Rose Bank.

(Under Mortgage Decree.)

In the District Court of Kandy.

The Attorney-General for the Island of Ceylon... Plaintiff.
S. R. M. M. A. Ramen Chetty of Sea street,
Colombo..... Substituted plaintiff.

No. 24,875. Vs.

Jacob Francis Silva of Moratuwa Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above-styled action in the District Court of Kandy and on order issued to us by the said court, we shall put up for sale by public auction, on Wednesday, August 22, 1917, at 2.30 P.M., at the spot—

All that and those the estate plantations and premises called Gangulakelle, with the buildings standing thereon, some time called and known as "Mount Pleasant" and now known as "Brookside," situated in Wewella, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, containing in extent 17 acres and 2 perches.

On the same day, at 4.30 P.M., at the spot—

All those 2 contiguous allotments of land called Payurugahawatta *alias* Wetakeiyagahawatta and Payurugahawatta, which adjoin each other and form one property now called and known as "Rose Bank," together with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Uyana in Moratuwa, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, containing in extent 3 roods and 28.64/100 square perches.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. T. D. & E. L. Mack, Proctors and Notaries, or the undersigned—

4, Baillie street, Fort, A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
Colombo, July 25, 1917. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale of Valuable Property at Wolfendhal, Colombo.
(Under Mortgage Decree.)

In the District Court of Kandy.

The Attorney-General for the Island of Ceylon... Plaintiff.
S. R. M. M. A. Ramen Chetty of Sea street,
Colombo..... Substituted plaintiff.

No. 24,875. Vs.

Jacob Francis Silva of Moratuwa Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above styled action in the District Court of Kandy and on order issued to us by the said court, we shall put up for sale by public auction, on Monday, August 20, 1917, at 4.30 P.M., at the spot—

All that land with the buildings standing thereon used at one time and known as the Colombo Arrack Godown, situated and lying between the Wolfendhal and Chekku streets of Chettys' quarters, and bearing assessment No. 12, Wolfendhal street, Colombo, containing in extent 13.31/100 square perches.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. T. D. & E. L. Mack, Proctors and Notaries, or the undersigned—

4, Baillie street, Fort, A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
Colombo, July 25, 1917. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale of a Valuable Rubber Estate in Kalutara District.

(Under Mortgage Decree.)

In the District Court of Kandy.

The Attorney-General for the Island of Ceylon... Plaintiff.
Sawanna Ruwanna Mana Moona Ana Ramen Chetty of
Sea street, Colombo..... Substituted plaintiff.

No. 24,875. Vs.

Jacob Francis Silva of Moratuwa Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above styled action in the District Court of Kandy and on order issued to us by the said court, we shall put up for sale by public auction, on Tuesday, August 21, 1917, at 3.30 P.M., at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

All that allotment of land called Pelangahalanda, together with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Arakawila, in Udugaha pattu of Rayigama korale, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province, containing in extent 14 acres 1 rood and 16 perches.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. T. D. & E. L. Mack, Proctors and Notaries, or the undersigned—

4, Baillie street, Fort, A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
Colombo, July 25, 1917. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of a Grass Field in Kotahena.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Christie Lionel Pullenayagam, of Kotahena, in
Colombo..... Plaintiff.

No. 46,932. Vs.

George Joseph Perera of Kotahena, in Colombo..... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered of record in the above case, and the order to sell issued to me therein, I am authorized to sell by public auction on Saturday, August 18, 1917, at 5 P.M., on the spot, the following premises, primarily mortgaged with the plaintiff and declared bound and executable under the said decree, for the payment of the sum of Rs. 330.87½, interest and costs, to wit:—All that allotment of land marked A in the plan, being a portion of Madangahakumbura, situated at Cemetery street, in Kotahena, in extent 26 perches.

Further particulars from B. O. Pullenayagam, Esq., the plaintiff's proctor, or from—

No. 118, Hulftsdorp, G. EMANUEL DABERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale of Valuable Precious Stones and a Brilliant Necklace, under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 48,053, D.C. Colombo, in favour of T. Romanis Fernando, against D. F. de Silva & Co., I am directed by the District Court of Colombo to sell by public auction on Friday, August 17, 1917, at 4 P.M., at the office of John Leopold Perera, Esq., Proctor, No. 115, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, the following precious stones and jewellery, to wit:—

- (a) One parcel blue sapphire, 125 stones, 200 carats.
- (b) One parcel rubics, 145 stones, 160 carats.
- (c) One brilliant necklace.

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
No. 8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker

Sale by Auction, under Mortgage Decree, of Properties at Kollupitiya and Kalubowila.

UNDER decree D. C. Colombo, case No. 45,636, entered in favour of K. Don Thomas Weerasuriya of Dematagoda, against T. Leka Fernando *alias* Eliza Fernando and others, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, August 25, 1917, at 4 p.m.:—(1) All that part of a garden called Ambagahawatta *alias* Madangahawatta, with the plantations and buildings thereon bearing assessment No. 75 D, situated at Fourth lane, Colpetty, in extent 1 rood and 3½ perches. At 5.30 p.m.—(2) All that divided ¾ portion of the land called Madangahawatta, situated in the village Kalubowila, in Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in extent 3 roods and 8 38/100 square perches.

Further particulars from W. J. C. Fernando, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or—

6, Hulftsdorp, C. E. KARUNARATNA,
July 24, 1917. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of a Valuable Property at 3rd Division, Bolawalana, Negombo.

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 11,976 of the District Court of Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Warnakulasuriya Benjamin de Waas of 4th Division, Bolawalana, against the defendant Mihindu Kulasuriya Gonnage Jusey Fernando of 3rd Division, Bolawalana, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in the above case, for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the spot, at 4 P.M., on Friday, August 17, 1917, the under-mentioned property, to wit:—

The western ¾ share, in extent about 1 rood and 14 perches, of the land called Kosgahawattakebella, situate at 3rd Division, Bolawalana, in the District of Negombo, with the buildings standing thereon.

For further particulars apply to Victor E. Fernando, Esquire, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or to me—

Negombo, July 23, 1917. K. L. PEREIRA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER the decree entered in case No. 24,819 of the District Court of Kandy and by virtue of the order issued to me, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, August 25, 1917, at 2.30 P.M., at the spot, all that land called Vitaranagedera Atugodellawatta of about 3 pelas paddy sowing extent together with plantations and everything thereon, situate at Nataranpota, in Udagampaha of Pata Dumbara. For further particulars apply to A. Godamune, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Kandy, or to me—

No. 20, Malabar street, A. R. WICKREMESAKERE,
Kandy. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER the decree entered in case No. 25,509 of the District Court of Kandy and by virtue of the order issued to me, I shall sell by public auction, at 2 P.M., on Saturday, August 18, 1917, at No. 6, Pavilion street, Kandy, the office of F. L. Goonewardene, Esq., Proctor and Notary, the following lands, to wit:—

- 1. Heralugewatta of 3 pelas paddy sowing in extent, situate at Galagedera.
- 2. Tibbotuwewatta of 12 lahas paddy sowing in extent, situate at Galagedera.

For further particulars apply to F. L. Goonewardene, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Kandy, or to me—

No. 20, Malabar street, A. R. WICKREMESAKERE,
Kandy. Auctioneer.

Sale by Public Auction, under authority of Court in Mortgage Action No. 25,402, D. C., Kandy, of valuable Tea Property opposite Ulapane Station.

(Splendid opportunity for small Capitalists.)

George Bemelmans Vs. K. Bandara Beddewela.

I SHALL sell by public auction at 1 P.M. on Saturday, August 11, 1917, at No. 6, Pavilion street, Kandy, the office of Mr. F. L. Goonewardana, Proctor and Notary—

(1) All that tea plantation called and known as Monaragala estate, situated at Ulapane, in the Ganga Ihala korale of Uda Palata, in the District of Kandy, Central Province, and containing in extent 25 acres 2 roods and 36 perches.

(2) All that land called Magalapitiyehena, situated at Ulapane aforesaid, and containing in extent 3 amunams or 11 acres 3 roods and 11 perches, both adjoining and forming one property, planted with tea. This is a fine property beautifully situated opposite the Ulapane Railway station.

For further particulars apply to Mr. F. L. Goonewardana, Proctor and Notary, or to the undersigned—

M. AHAMADU LEBBE,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

Mrs. Kalahe Patiranage Mengaltina Alahakkoon of Kumbalwella Plaintiff

No. 14,069.

Vs.

Cassim Lebbe Markar Sulta Markar of Gintota. . . Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above action and the order issued to me therein, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, August 18, 1917, at the spot, commencing at 1.30 P.M., the following property declared specially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount due on the said decree, viz.:—

1. An undivided ½ of ¼ part of the second plantation, and ½ of (1/16 + 1/20) part of all the remaining trees and soil of the land Padiligewatta *alias* Padilitottam, situate at Gintota, Welipitimodera, within the Four Gravets of Galle; bounded on the north by Galendewatta, east by Kajjugahawatta, south by Gallindawatta, and west by land belonging to Mr. Ranasinghe or the last portion of Kanattewatta; containing in extent about 8½ acres.

2. An undivided 4/70 part, exclusive of the planter's share of all the remaining trees and soil of the land Padilige-watta *alias* Palliyewatta, situate at Gintota, Welipitimodera aforesaid; bounded on the north by Wedagewatta *alias* Katukurundugahawatta, east by the high road to Colombo, south by Pinwatta and owita, and west by the Gin-ganga; containing in extent about 6 acres.

3. All the trees and soil of Rukmalgahapittaniyewatta *alias* Jaunnewatta, together with all the buildings, cattle sheds, and the chekkus standing thereon, situate at Gintota, within the Four Gravets of Galle; bounded on the north

and north-west by Keppu-ela, south-east by Rukmalgahapittaniyewatta and Tembiligahawatta, south-west by the high road to Colombo; containing in extent 3 roods and 16·71 perches.

4. The planter's share of the second plantation and $1/7 + 1/4$ of $29/56$ of $3/7$ parts of the remaining trees and soil of Totewatta-addaraowita, now planted with coconuts, which is a low land, situate at Gintota, Welipitimodera aforesaid; bounded on the north by the road to Ukwatta, east by a portion of the same land belonging to Ahamadu Bawada Markar and live fence, south by Ambagahaliyaddewatta, and west by Waturabasna-ela and Totewatta; containing in extent 2 acres and 20 perches.

5. An undivided $3/4$ part of lot No. 12 of Ratmeherabakmeegahawatta, situate at Gintota, Welipitimodera aforesaid; bounded on the north by Sinna Wappu Lebbege-watta, east by Tambi-ela, south by Bakinigahawatta, and west by Kajjugahapittaniyewatta; containing in extent about $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

6. An undivided $4/10$ part, exclusive of the planter's share of the second and third plantations of the remaining trees and soil of the defined portion of Sembirigewatta, situate at Mahahapugala, within the Four Gravets of Galle; which portion is bounded on the north by Galindewatta, east by Pokunegewatta, south and west by portions of the same Sembirigewatta; containing in extent about $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle

R. H. Tiselhamy of Ahangama, administrator of the estate of R. W. Weerasekere, deceased, late of Ahangama Plaintiff.

No. 14,922.

Vs.

(1) Hemawathi Weerasekere, wife of (2) Neligamage o Nolis de Silva, both of Weligama Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree and order in the above case, I shall sell by public auction the following property, declared bound and executable, for the recovery of the principal, interest, and costs of suit, on Saturday, August 11, 1917, at 2 P.M., at the spot:—

An undivided $1/10$ part of the soil and trees and of the buildings standing on the land called Mudiyansegewatta (*alias*) Mudillagahawatta, situate at Ahangama, containing in extent about 4 acres, and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the defendants above named in, to, upon, or out of the said premises mortgaged by them.

For further particulars please apply to G. E. Abeysekere, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Galle, or to me—

Arya Sinhala Wansaya
Office, Galle.

D. G. RATNAPALA,
Auctioneer and Broker.