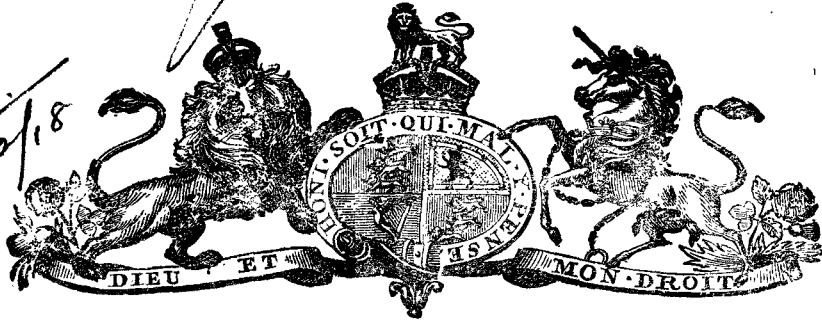


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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

JOHN ANDERSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 25 of "The Co-operative Credit Societies Ordinance, 1911," do hereby remit—

- (a) The stamp duty with which, under any law for the time being in force, instruments executed by or on behalf of "The Trincomalee District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Udabulatgama District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Pungudutivu District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Pulmoddai District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Kuchcheveli District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Tiriya District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Ratnapura District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Kanduahapattu District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Mawatta Pattu District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Tholpuram-Moolai District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Bintenne North District Co-operative Credit Society," "The Kendangamuwa District Co-operative Society," and "The Ganegama-Sreyassriwardhana District Co-operative Credit Society," or by an officer or member, and relating to the business of such Societies or any class of such instruments, are respectively chargeable.
- (b) Any fee payable by such Societies under the law of registration for the time being in force.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Second day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary

GOD SAVE THE KING

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

JOHN ANDERSON.

WHEREAS under the provisions of section 55 of "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," the Police Courts established in the several divisions of the Island shall be holden at such convenient place or places within such divisions as the Governor shall from time to time appoint:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by the said section of the said Ordinance, do hereby appoint that the Police Court for the division of Kalutara shall, as from and after March 1, 1918, be holden at Kalutara and Matugama.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

JOHN ANDERSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, by virtue of the powers in Us vested by section 55 of the Courts Ordinance, No. 1 of 1889, have been pleased to appoint that the District Court, Kalutara, shall be holden at the Town Hall, Kalutara, from Monday, February 11, 1918, until such time as the ordinary court-house ceases to be used for the trial of cases by the Supreme Court.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir JOHN ANDERSON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

JOHN ANDERSON.

WHEREAS by section 34 (1) of "The Ceylon Railways Ordinance, 1902," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to declare by Proclamation any road or path which the railway may cross to be a "minor crossing," and whether such "minor crossing" shall be closed by gates or not:

And whereas it is expedient to declare the road which the railway crosses between the stations of Peradeniya Junction and Gampola, in the Central Province, and set out in the schedule hereto, to be a "minor crossing" for the purpose of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the power in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby declare the said road to be a "minor crossing" for the purpose of the said Ordinance, as from and after February 15, 1918, and that such "minor crossing" shall not be closed by gates.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 50 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. A. DE ABREW to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, *vice* Mr. A. BEVEN, from February 13 to 20, 1918, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, and Visitor of the Prison at Kegalla, *vice* Mr. H. E. BEVEN, from February 10 to 17, 1918, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. E. G. AUWARDT to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, and Superintendent of the Tangalla Prison, *vice* Mr. H. J. V. EKANAYAKE, from February 9 to 16, 1918, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. J. L. ROGERSON to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kandy, and Additional Municipal Magistrate, Kandy.

Mr. J. E. DE SILVA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, *vice* Mr. C. L. WICKREMASINGHE, on February 6, 1918.

Mr. B. AMERASEKERA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, *vice* Mr. V. P. REDLICH, on February 9 and 10, 1918.

Mr. B. L. DRIEBERG to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Avissawella, for February 5, 1918.

Mr. B. L. DRIEBERG to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Avissawella, for February 11, 1918.

Mr. A. P. VAN REYK to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Matale, for February 9, 1918.

Mr. F. L. WOODWARD to be a Member of the Board of Education during the absence of Rev. A. G. FRASER, from the Island.

Dr. H. I. FERNANDO to be a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee for the Moratuwa Local Board Area for the period ending September 30, 1918, *vice* Mr. C. P. DE SILVA.

Mr. C. ARULAMPALAM to be a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee for the Jaffna Local Board Area for the year ending September 30, 1918, *vice* Mr. A. CATHIRAVELU, resigned.

Mr. D. J. JAYAWARDENA to be an Additional Inquirer for Dandagam peruwa of Ragam pattu.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 7, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 51 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Supply and Transport Corps:—

To be Second Lieutenant.

Corporal ERNEST GEORGE BEILBY.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 2, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 52 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Supply and Transport Corps:—

To be Second Lieutenant.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 53 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Supply and Transport Corps:—

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 54 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 4 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1907, to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Members of the Plant Pests Boards, for the following revenue districts for three years from November 10, 1917:—

Galle District.

Mr. J. R. BLACK.	Mr. W. Y. MACKINTOSH.
Mr. EDWIN LUDOVICI.	Mr. B. ABEYASUNDERA.
Mr. J. P. GOONETILLAKA.	

Matara District.

Mr. D. M. RAJAPAKSA.	Mr. S. J. SANTIAGOPILLAY.
Mr. E. C. ANDERSON.	Mr. G. H. ALTENDORFF.
Mr. M. JOONOS MARIKKAR.	Mr. C. A. GUNARATNA.

Hambantota District.

Mr. EUGENE G. AUWARDT.	Mr. B. T. A. CASSIM.
Mr. VINCENT STUART DE SILVA WICKRAMANAYAKA.	Mr. S. WALLIPURAM.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 1, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 55 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 8 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate Rev. E. T. SELBY to be a Member of the District School Committee, Trincomalee, *vice* Rev. W. T. GARRETT, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 2, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 56 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. A. H. SAMARASUNDERA as Inquirer for Kandukara Ihala korale in Udapalata division, with effect from January 25, 1918, *vice* Mr. H. J. P. SAMARASEKERA, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 6, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 57 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to make the following appointments:—

Mr. M. SOMASUNDARAM to be an Inquirer for The Islands Division of Jaffna.
Mr. P. J. RAJAH to be Inquirer for the island of Delft.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 58 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. W. T. M. HEEN NILAME to be an Inquirer for the Uda and Meda pattus of Kukul korale, in Ratnapura District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 6, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 59 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. WICKREMA-ARACHIE WJEWARDENA SENEWIRATNA DON HENDRICK WICKREMASINGHE, at present practising as a Notary Public at Nainamadama, in Chilaw District, to be a Notary Public throughout the Salpiti korale of Colombo District, with residence and

office at Moratuwa, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

No. 60 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. BASTIAN KORALLAGE MARSHALL RODRIGO WEERASINGHE GUNAWARDENA, at present practising as a Notary Public at Moratuwa, in Colombo District, to be a Notary Public throughout Talpe pattu of Galle District, with residence and office at Habaraduwa and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. S. BASTIAMPILLAI, Secretary, District Court, Trincomalee, to act as Registrar of Lands, Trincomalee, for ten days from January 30, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. V. R. ARULAMPALAM, on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. ERNEST MERVYN CORBET JOSEPH as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from January 29, 1918, *vice* Mr. H. E. JANSZ, transferred. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Kegalla.

Dr. GEORGE WILLIAM VAN TWEST as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matara town division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, with effect from February 15, 1918, *vice* Dr. HARRY LUDOVICI, transferred. His office will be at the Government Civil Hospital, Matara.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, February 1, 1918. Colonial Secretary.

THE following appointments under section 3 of Ordinance No. 23 of 1900 and section 7 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907 are hereby notified:—

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Mr. B. S. COORAY to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Colombo town division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for three days from January 24, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. D. PLERIS, on leave. His office will be at the Colombo Kachcheri.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. K. DON PETER to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 3 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on January 31, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. A. C. FERNANDO, on other duty. His office will be at No. 229, Dematagoda road, Maradana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed NAHALLAGE WISENA GUNERATNE ABEWARDENE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kesbawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from February 4, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, DON JOHN ISSAC GUNERATNE ABEWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Kondurawa, and his station at Delgahawatta in Wawela.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed HENRY RICHARD DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Otara West division, and of Marriages (General) of Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale north

division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for nine days from February 4, 1918, *vice* SEMBUKUTI-ARATHORIOE MANUEL SILVA, resigned. His office will be at Kurunduwatta in Daluwakotuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON HENDRICK DE COSTA DASSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ittapana division, and of Marriages (General) of Walallawiti pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for eight days from February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. W. DE C. DASSANAYAKA, on sick leave. His office will be at Tikiriwatta *alias* Walawwewatta in Ittapana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON SIMON JAYAWARDENE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Raigama division, and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, K. D. P. GUNATILAKA, on leave. His office will be at Sittigewatta in Gelanigama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON SUBANERIS WEERAKOON to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalupahana division, and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for twenty-two days from February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, DON PROLIS WEERAKOON, on sick leave. His office will be at Eduragalawatta in Maputugala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed SRIWICKRAMA BODHIPUTRA SANNASKUMARA SANNAS WALAWWE LOKU BANDARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Haris-pattu No. 5 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for four days from January 23, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, S. S. S. TIKIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Medagodawalawwa in Medagoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed GANGODA YAPA MUDIYANSELE WALAWWE ABERATNA BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Uda Dumbara No. 1 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twenty-one days from January 25, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, H. M. U. DINGIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Udagedarawatta in Kalalgomuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed Dr. KOBBEKADUWE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for eleven days from February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. G. KREITZSHEIM, on leave. His office will be at No. 53, Castle Hill street, Kandy.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed EKENAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE MEDDUMA BANDA to act as Registrar Births, Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Pata Dumbara No. 6, division, in the Kandy District of the

Central Province for twenty-eight days from February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, R. B. EKANAYAKA, on sick leave. His office will be at Meegastenne-watta in Arattana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed Dr. KOBBEKADUWE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for seventeen days from February 12, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. G. KRELTZHEIM, on leave. His office will be at No. 53, Castle Hill street, Kandy.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed PITADUWA DON LEWIS GUNASEKARA, Vidane Arachchi of Deniyaya, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduwaka division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from February 5, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. J. J. RUPASINGHE, on sick leave. His office will be at Miriswatta in Uduwaka.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed KOKUHENNEIDGE DON CAROLIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for seven days from January 29, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, K. A. DON EDORIS, on sick leave. His office will be at Ranakeliya in Tihawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed VITARANAGAMAGE DON ANDRIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Northern Walakada division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for three days from January 30, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. N. SENERAT, on leave. His office will be at Helambagahawatta *alias* Palugahawatta in Migahajandura.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed ANDRAYAS UBEWARNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ranna division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for three days from February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. T. UBEWARNA, on leave. His office will be at Siyambalahawatta at Ranna.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed SANMUGAM KATRIGAMAR to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Tenmaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from January 31, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, N. VARITTAMPI, on leave. His office will be at Suraimullitoddam in Palavay.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed KANAGARAYAR NAGANATAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Point Pedro division, and of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from January 31, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, S. KANAGARAYAR, on leave. His office will be at Tevaran in Puloli South; station: Pillaiyantoddam in Puloli East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed ALIYAR K. LENTAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karawaku North No. 3 division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from January 30, 1918, *vice* Registrar, I. UTUMALEVVAI absent without leave. His office will be at his residing garden at Maruthamunai Division No. 1.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed MYLIPODY KUNCHILAYAP DY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Eravu pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Eravur pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from January 31, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, K. VELUPPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Eravur; stations: Tannamunai and Pankudaveli.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed CHILAIMALEVVAIPODY AKAMATULEVVAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akkarai pattu east No. 1 division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from February 1, 1918, *vice* Registrar, U. CHILAIMALEVVAIPODY, retired. His office will be at Addalaichenai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed EDMUND WALTER DAVID SOMANADER to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Trincomalee

town division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for ten days from January 30, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, V. R. ARULAMPALAM, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Trincomalee, and Vannianarvalavu, Division No. 1, Trincomalee.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE MEDDUMA BANDA BOYAGODA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weuda and Gannawe korales division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for fourteen days from January 23, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, P. B. BOYAGODA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office at Pallegama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed JAYASUNDERA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wellawaya division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellawaya division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from January 31, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, S. M. PERERA, on leave. His office will be at Dimbulamure.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed HABAKKALA KANKANAMALAGE DHARMADASA PREMARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Rakwana division, and of Marriages (General) of Atakalan korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for seven days from January 29, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, W. T. G. BUDDADASA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office, Rakwana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed EDIRISOORI MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY, of Handagama, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meddemediliya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Galboda and Kinigoda korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for nine days from January 28, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, E. M. KIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Handagamawatta in Handagama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed SENEVIRATNA WASALA TENNAKOON MUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walgam pattu, and of Marriages (General) of Galboda and Kinigoda korales, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two days from January 28, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, MEDDUMA BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Nagahagodawatta in Miduma.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed DASANAYEKE MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA, of Daswatta, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Egodapota Tanipperu pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Galboda and Kinigoda korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for fifteen days from February 1, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. U. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Daswatta.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that MAWANANEHEWA JOHN DE SILVA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Batapola division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, will, with effect from February 15, 1918, hold his office at Maralagodawatta in Batapola, instead of at Godegewatta in Batapola, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,307 of April 30, 1918.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, January 30, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that the appointment of L. M. DINGIRI BANDA as Acting Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tissawa and Angomu korales, and of Marriages (General) of Dewameddi hatpattu division in the Kurunegala District, for thirty days from January 15, 1918, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,921 of January 25, 1918, is cancelled.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 4, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

EXAMINATION FOR THE LOCAL DIVISION OF THE CIVIL SERVICE OF CEYLON.

WITH reference to paragraph 5 (b) of the Notification dated December 10, 1917, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,915 of December 14, 1917, it is hereby notified that the age limit for candidates has been extended to 24 years on January 1, 1918.

The proof required under the section referred to will, therefore, be that at least 19 years and not more than 24 years have elapsed since the date of the candidate's birth on January 1, 1918; provided that in the case of an applicant already in Government service the proof required will be that at least 19 years and not more than 31 years have elapsed since the date of his birth on January 1, 1918, and that his service under Government is not less than the period by which his age on that date exceeds 24 years.

Applications for nominations under the present Notification will be received up to February 28, 1918.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 4, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

"THE CEYLON RAILWAYS ORDINANCE, 1902."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 5 of "The Ceylon Railways Ordinance, No. 9 of 1902," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make and substitute for rules 21 and 22 of the rules and rates for the conveyance of goods traffic dated October 11, 1907, the rules set forth in the schedule hereto, with effect from March 1, 1918.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Amendment of Rules 21 and 22 of the Goods Regulations referred to.

21. *Undelivered Goods.*—The responsibility of Government for goods terminates when 24 hours have expired after the arrival of the goods at the station to which they are consigned. If the goods arrive at the station of delivery between 5 P.M. and 7 A.M., the latter hour will, for the calculation of the 24 hours, be considered the hour of arrival.

Goods other than perishables not taken away within one month after their arrival will be sold by public auction to defray charges. For the disposal of undelivered perishable goods see clause 25.

22. *Warehouse Rent.*—All goods left in the Railway premises for a longer period than 24 hours after their arrival will be at the owner's risk and will be subject to a rent charge of 4 cents per cwt. per day, exclusive of Sundays, with a minimum charge as for 1 cwt. and as for one day. If the goods arrive at the station of delivery between 5 P.M. and 7 A.M., the latter hour will, for the purpose of warehouse rent, be considered the hour of arrival.

Provided, however, (1) that Government will not be responsible for loss of the whole or any part of any consignment of goods by virtue of the fact that the rent charge has been levied in respect of such consignment.

(2) In the following cases consignees will be allowed free storage for a longer period than 24 hours:—

(a) Consignees residing more than two miles and not exceeding ten miles from the railway station (outside the Municipal limits of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle) will be allowed free storage up to and including the second day after arrival.

Consignees distant more than ten and not exceeding fifteen miles from the railway station (outside the Municipal limits of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle) will be allowed free storage up to and including the third day after arrival.

Consignees distant more than fifteen miles and not exceeding twenty miles from the railway station (outside

the Municipal limits of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle) will be allowed free storage up to and including the fourth day after arrival.

Consignees distant more than twenty miles from the railway station (outside the Municipal limits of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle) will be allowed free storage up to and including the fifth day after arrival.

(b) In the case of estate traffic intended to be cleared and dealt with by forwarding agents, the goods should be consigned thus:—

To — (name of agents), —, for — estate, — station. Or to — (name of superintendent), — estate, care of — (name of agents), — station.

Advice of the arrival of such goods at destination station will be sent to the forwarding agents only, who must remove them within the time laid down in first paragraph above of clause 22, except in cases where the General Manager has sanctioned the application of the concessions shown in (a) above.

(c) Manure, which is stored in special manure sheds provided by the Railway, will be subject to a rent charge of 40 cents per ton or portion of a ton per day or portion of a day (exclusive of Sundays, Christmas Day, and Good Friday) on and from the third day of arrival, except in the cases where consignees are distant more than ten miles from the railway station (outside the Municipal limits of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle), when the additional free storage laid down in (a) above will be allowed according to distance. This latter concession will not apply in cases where manure is consigned to forwarding agents, except by sanction of the General Manager.

If manure arrives at the station of delivery between 5 P.M. and 7 A.M., the latter hour will, for the purpose of warehouse rent, be considered the hour of arrival.

"THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, 1899."

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date August 17, 1916, issued under the provisions of section 6 (1) of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899," a general cemetery was established for the burial or cremation of the dead within the limits of the Sanitary Board town of Rambukkana, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa:

It is hereby ordered by His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the power vested in him by sub-section 2) of section 6 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, that from and after April 1, 1918, all burials and cremations in every or any other cemetery or burial ground within the limits of the said town of Rambukkana shall be wholly discontinued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

IMPORTATION OF WHEAT FLOUR FROM INDIA.

IN order to conserve supplies for the United Kingdom and the Allies, the Indian Government will only allow shipment of moderate quantities of wheat flour on the certificate of the Ceylon Authorities.

Certificates will be issued on behalf of the Government of Ceylon to regular importers by the Principal Collector of Customs, to whom application should be made. Applicants should state the quantity of wheat imported in 1916 and 1917, the nature of their outstanding contracts or other liabilities, the quantity now applied for, and the port of shipment.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 8, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

THE following circular despatch received by His Excellency the Governor from the Secretary of State for the Colonies is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 7, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

The Right Hon. WALTER H. LONG, M.P., to Governor Sir JOHN ANDERSON, G.C.M.G., K.C.B.

Circular.

Downing street, December 4, 1917.

SIR,—I HAVE the honour to transmit to you the accompanying copies of resolutions passed by both Houses of Parliament according to the thanks of Parliament to the Navy and Army for their services during the present war.

2. By a special Army Order dated November 2, 1917, the Army Council has directed that the resolutions be communicated to officers, warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the British Armies in the field, and to the women in the medical and other services auxiliary thereto.

I have, &c.,
WALTER H. LONG.

Die Lunae, 29° Octobris, 1917.

Resolved, *Nine Dissentiente*, by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, that the thanks of this House be given to the officers, petty officers, and men of the Navy for their faithful watch upon the seas during more than three years of ceaseless danger and stress, while guarding our shores and protecting from the attacks of a barbarous foe the commerce upon which the victory of the Allied Cause depends.

Resolved, *Nine Dissentiente*, that the thanks of this House be given to the officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the British Armies in the field, and also to the women in the medical and other services auxiliary thereto, for their unflinching courage and endurance in defending the right, amid sufferings and hardships unparalleled in the history of war and for their loyal readiness to continue the work to which they have set their hands until the liberty of the world is secure.

Resolved, *Nine Dissentiente*, that the thanks of this House be accorded to the gallant troops from the Dominions Overseas, from India, and from the Crown Colonies, who have travelled many thousands of miles to share with their comrades from the British Isles in the sacrifices and triumphs of the battlefield, and to take their full part in the struggle for human freedom.

Resolved, *Nine Dissentiente*, that the thanks of this House be accorded to the officers and men of the Mercantile Marine for the devotion to duty with which they have continued to carry the vital supplies to the Allies through seas infested with deadly peril.

Resolved, *Nine Dissentiente*, that this House doth acknowledge with grateful admiration the valour and devotion of those who have offered their lives in the service of their country, and tenders its sympathy to their relatives and friends in the sorrows they have sustained.

Ordered, by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, that the Lord Chancellor do communicate the said resolutions to the Admiralty, the Army Council, the Secretary of State for India, the Secretary of State for the Colonies and the Board of Trade, with a request that they will communicate the same to the officers and others referred to therein.

ARTHUR T. THRING,
Cler. Parliamentor.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Monday, October 29, 1917.

Resolved, *nemine contradicente*.—That the thanks of this House be given to the officers, petty officers, and men of the Navy for their faithful watch upon the seas during more than three years of ceaseless danger and stress, while guarding our shores and protecting from the attacks of a barbarous foe the commerce upon which the victory of the Allied Cause depends.

That the thanks of this House be given to the officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of the British Armies in the field, and also to the women in the medical and other services auxiliary thereto, for their unflinching courage and endurance in defending the right, amid sufferings and hardships unparalleled in the history of war, and for their loyal readiness to continue the work to which they have set their hands until the liberty of the world is secure.

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That this House doth acknowledge with grateful admiration the valour and devotion of those who have offered their lives in the service of their country, and tenders its sympathy to their relatives and friends in the sorrows they have sustained.

Ordered.—That Mr. Speaker do signify the said resolution to the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral and the Majesty's Secretaries of State for War, for the Colonies, and for India, and to the Shipping Controller, and request them to communicate the same to the officers, men, and women referred to therein.

NOTICE TO IMPORTERS.

Certificates of Interest and Origin.

WITH reference to the *Gazette* notices of September 30, 1916, appearing in the *Government Gazette* of October 6, 1916, and to the subsequent notices dated December 15, 1916, January 3, 1917, March 14, 1917, April 30, 1917, May 3, 1917, and July 7, 1917, appearing in the *Government Gazettes* of December 22, 1916, January 5, 1917, March 16, 1917, May 4, 1917, and July 13, 1917, respectively, on the above subject, it is hereby notified that paragraph 2 in the Notification of September 30, 1916, is hereby cancelled and the following paragraph substituted therefor:—

2. Certificates of Interest are required for all goods, with the exceptions hereinafter specified, imported into Ceylon from Abyssinia, Argentina, Azores, Bolivia, Brazil, Canary Islands, Cape Verde Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Danish West Indies, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Faroe Islands, Greece, Guatemala, Hayti, Honduras, Liberia, Madeira, Mexico, Muscat, Netherland East and West Indies, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Persia, Peru, Portuguese East and West Africa, San Salvador, Spain, Spanish West Africa, Tangier and the Spanish Zone of Morocco, *i.e.* Larache, Tetuan, Alcazar, and Arzila, Uruguay, and Venezuela.

Exceptions:—

Articles addressed to Government Departments.
Bona fide personal and household effects of persons entering the British Empire.
 Consignments for Red Cross Societies.

Samples of no commercial value.
 Petroleum (all products of).
 Postal parcels originating in the Canal Zone, Panama.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, February 1, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
 R. E. STUBBS,
 Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import explosives into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Messrs. Clark, Young and Company, of Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, February 7, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
 R. E. STUBBS,
 Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import Chinese fire crackers into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Mr. J. Rustomjee, of 113, Bankshall street, Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, February 2, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
 R. E. STUBBS,
 Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import explosives, *viz.*, gunpowder, blasting powder, percussion caps, lead shot, fuse, crackers, Bengal and Brilliant matches, and fireworks, into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Mr. Abdulhussan Davoodbhoy, of 130, Dam street, Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, February 2, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
 R. E. STUBBS,
 Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the Notification dated January 25, 1918, published in the *Government Gazette* of the same date, the following additions to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned are hereby notified for general information:—

Castilho, C. M., & Co., Shanghai.
 Cuthbert, R. R., Kiungchow.
 Dell'Oro & Co., Shanghai.

Leung Pin Kee, Dr., Canton.
 Rosenfeld, A. B., Shanghai.

Rosenfeld, Julius, Shanghai.
 Thomas, W. A. H., Peking.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, February 6, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
 R. E. STUBBS,
 Colonial Secretary.

"THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, NO. 8 OF 1912."

Excise Notification No. 66.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 31 of "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912," has been pleased to make the following addition to the rule headed "Toddy Taverns" appearing in the schedule annexed to Excise Notification No. 61 published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* dated September 14, 1917, and to declare that the same shall be in force as from the date hereof.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, February 6, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
 R. E. STUBBS,
 Colonial Secretary.

ADDITION REFERRED TO.

Toddy Taverns.—For the 1918-19 rent periods, that is, for the period ending in the Northern and Eastern Provinces on June 30, 1919, and the rest of Ceylon on September 30, 1919, toddy taverns shall remain open between the hours of 8 A.M. and 6.30 P.M., and shall be kept closed at all other hours. The Government Agent may, after consulting the Advisory Committee, fix the opening hour of toddy taverns as early as 7 A.M. where local circumstances are found to require it, and may extend the hour of closing any taverns in towns, and for special reasons outside towns, to such hour as he may fix not being later than the closing hour of arrack taverns in the same area, and shall enter such hours of opening and closing in the license. No sale shall take place between the time at which the tavern is required to be closed at night and opened next morning.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."

Opening and Closing Hours of Toddy Taverns, 1918-19.

THE following is the list of opening and closing hours of toddy taverns during the rent period, July 1, 1918, to June 30, 1919, in case of the Northern and Eastern Provinces, and from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, in the case of all other Provinces, in terms of Toddy Rent Sale Condition No. 15 and Excise Notification No. 66.

Colombo, January 31, 1918.

E. C. WARD,
Acting Excise Commissioner.

District.	Toddy Taverns.	Hour of Opening. A.M.	Hour of Closing. P.M.	District.	Toddy Taverns.	Hour of Opening. A.M.	Hour of Closing. P.M.
Colombo	Taverns within Municipal area	7. 0	7. 30	Jaffna	Taverns Nos. 1, 27, 29, 30, 32, 34, 38, 39, 44, 45, 50, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 69, 71, 79, 80, 81, 88, 89, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, and 111 outside Local Board area	7. 0	8. 0
Do.	Taverns within revenue district area	7. 0	7. 0	Do.	All other taverns	7. 0	6. 30
Negombo	Taverns within the Local Board area	7. 0	7. 30	Mannar	All taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Do.	Taverns within revenue district area	7. 0	7. 0	Mullaittivu	All taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Moratuwa	Taverns within the Local Board area	7. 0	7. 0	Batticaloa	Taverns Nos. 10, 12, 13, 16, 19, 20, 21, and 22 within the Local Board area	8. 0	6. 30
Minuwangoda	Taverns within the Local Board area	7. 0	7. 0	Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	8. 0
Kalutara	Taverns within the Kalutara and Panadure Districts	8. 0	6. 30	Trincomalee	Taverns Nos. 1 and 2 within the Local Board area	8. 0	6. 30
Kandy	Taverns Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 within Municipal area	7. 0	8. 0	Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Do.	Taverns Nos. 62 and 78 within Gampola Local Board area	7. 0	8. 0	Kurunegala	All taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Do.	All other taverns	7. 0	6. 30	Puttalam	Taverns Nos. 1 and 2 within the Local Board area	8. 0	7. 0
Matale	Town toddy tavern within Local Board area	7. 0	8. 0	Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Do.	All other taverns	7. 0	6. 30	Chilaw	Taverns Nos. 1 and 2 within the Local Board area	8. 0	7. 0
Nuwara Eliya.	All taverns	8. 0	6. 30	Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Galle	Taverns Nos. 1-8 within Municipal area	8. 0	8. 0	Badulla	Tavern No. 1 within the Local Board area	8. 0	8. 0
Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30	Do.	Tavern No. 28 within Haputale Sanitary Board area	8. 0	8. 0
Matara	Taverns Nos. 1 and 2 within the Local Board area	8. 0	7. 30	Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30	Ratnapura	Tavern No. 13 within the Local Board area	7. 0	7. 0
Hambantota	All taverns	8. 0	6. 30	Do.	All other taverns	8. 0	6. 30
Jaffna	Taverns Nos. 5, 6, 8, and 13 within the Local Board area	7. 0	8. 0	Kegalla	All taverns	7. 0	6. 30

Toddy Rent Sale Conditions.

THE following conditions on which the toddy rents for the period from July 1, 1918, to June 30, 1919, in the case of the Northern and Eastern Provinces, and from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, in the case of all other Provinces, will be sold have been approved by His Excellency the Governor under section 18 of "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912," and are hereby published for general information:—

Toddy Rent Sale Conditions applicable to Toddy Taverns in respect of which "off" sales are not prohibited.

Stamp of 50 cents.

The conditions on which the exclusive privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail within the ———, from ———, 191—, to ———, 191—, is sold are, in addition to the general conditions applicable to all excise licenses published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,615 of March 13, 1914, as follows:—

1. The Government Agent shall have power, in his discretion, to refuse to accept any bid or tender, subject to which power the highest bidder or tenderer shall be the grantee of the privilege, and shall conform to and perform all the conditions under which the privilege is sold.

2. (a) The grantee shall, immediately on being declared the grantee, pay to the Government Agent a sum equivalent to two months' rent of the privilege as a security deposit, which amount shall be liable to forfeiture in whole or in part, at the discretion of the Government Agent, for breach of any of the conditions; and such forfeiture shall be in addition to any other penalty prescribed by the conditions for such breach. The grantee shall hypothecate the said security deposit by a bond in form Excise T 23 within fourteen days of sale of the privilege above prescribed.

(b) If the highest bid or tender under condition 1 exceeds the sum of Rs. 2,000, the grantee shall at the same time execute, if so required by the Government Agent, in the form sanctioned by law, a power of attorney to confess judgment in any action which may be instituted against him for the recovery of any moneys due in respect of this privilege.

(c) The grantee shall, on signing the conditions of sale, elect, and under his hand signify, a post office to which all notices and processes whatever in connection with the above said privilege shall be addressed under registered post; and all such notices or processes as aforesaid so addressed to the post office so elected and posted in due course shall be considered as good and effectual to all intents and purposes as if the same were served personally.

3. The grantee shall pay the purchase money to the Government Agent in ——— equal monthly instalments. The first instalment shall be considered due and payable on ———, 191—, and the remainder on the last day of each succeeding month. Interest at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum shall be payable on all arrears.

4. If any instalment of the purchase money or any part of an instalment remains unpaid after the same shall have become due and payable, the Government Agent shall have power, after fifteen days' notice to the grantee of his intention to do so, without further process of law, to cancel the license or licenses issued to the grantee, and to re-sell the privilege at the risk and loss of the grantee. The notice referred to may be given in such manner as the Government Agent may direct.

5. The grantee shall, on receipt of the license to sell, furnish to the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent of Excise an application on the prescribed form showing the numbers and situations of the trees which he proposes to tap for the supply of fermented toddy for sale at each tavern, and no tree shall be tapped or toddy drawn for this purpose except under cover of a license setting forth the numbers and situations of the trees, the name of the drawer, and the tavern for which the fermented toddy is intended. The Superintendent of Excise or Assistant Superintendent of Excise, shall have power subject to appeal to the Excise Commissioner to refuse any application to tap trees for any tavern if such application is, in his opinion, open to serious objection.

6. No tree shall be tapped or toddy drawn therefrom for the supply of fermented toddy for sale at a tavern unless such tree shall first have been marked for this purpose in a manner prescribed by the Excise Commissioner: nor shall toddy be transported to the tavern except under cover of a pass granted by the Superintendent of Excise or the Assistant Superintendent of Excise. Such pass shall set forth the name of the person who transports the toddy and shall be issued to the grantee who shall hand it to the person who transports the toddy.

7. The grantee, if he taps the trees and draws the toddy himself, or, if he delegates the work to another person, such person shall, at the time of tapping the trees or drawing the toddy, invariably carry the license on his person, and shall produce it forthwith on the demand of any Excise Officer or village headman.

8. The grantee shall have no concern or interest, direct or indirect, in the sale of arrack, or in the purchase of any privilege for the sale of arrack, within the Revenue District in which he possesses the privilege of selling toddy.

9. Except under the written authority of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, no toddy, except toddy drawn from trees licensed and marked for a particular tavern, shall be kept, offered for sale, or sold in that tavern.

10. No fermented toddy shall be sold at a lower price than 40 cents per gallon, and in proportion for any smaller quantity.

11. The Government Agent shall not be bound to find a site for any tavern in the event of the grantee not being able to procure a site. No tavern shall be opened at any place except with the approval of the Government Agent.

12. The purchaser shall, within ten days from the date on which the privilege commences to run, or within such extended time as the Government Agent may grant, apply to the Government Agent and obtain a license or licenses for the sale by retail of fermented toddy at the taverns within the area covered by the privilege.

13. The grantee shall have no claim to a remission if the Government Agent or his Assistant shall find it necessary to order the taverns upon any road to be closed for a limited period during the march of troops, or upon the plea of losses arising from any cause whatever.

14. (a) No bids will be accepted from any person who is a habitual criminal as defined by Ordinance No. 32 of 1914.

(b) The purchaser shall whenever called upon to do so by the Government Agent satisfy him that he is not a habitual criminal within the meaning of the said Ordinance.

15. The tavern within the area of the exclusive privilege granted under the foregoing conditions shall open at — A.M. and close at — P.M., and no toddy shall be sold at such tavern between the hour of closing and that of opening.

At the sale held this day of the privilege above described, — became the grantee of the said privilege in consideration of the payment of Rupees — as a fee therefor, and the said grantee, having paid to the Government Agent the sum of Rupees — by way of security deposit under clause 2 of these conditions, hereby agrees to complete the purchase according to the above conditions, and the Government Agent hereby acknowledges the receipt of the said deposit.

Place : —

Date : —

Witnesses : —

— Grantee.

— Government Agent.

I, (We), —, the undersigned, do hereby signify that for the purposes specified in condition 2, I (we) have elected the under-mentioned post office for the service of all legal processes and notices which may be found necessary to be issued against me (us), viz., —.

Witnesses : —

— Grantee.

Office of the Excise Commissioner,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

E. C. WARD,
Acting Excise Commissioner.

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1. The Government Agent shall have power, in his discretion, to refuse to accept any bid or tender, subject to which power the highest bidder or tenderer shall be the grantee of the privilege, and shall conform to and perform all the conditions under which the privilege is sold.

2. (a) The grantee shall, immediately on being declared the grantee, pay to the Government Agent a sum equivalent to two months' rent of the privilege as a security deposit, which amount shall be liable to forfeiture in whole or in part, at the discretion of the Government Agent, for breach of any of the conditions; and such forfeiture shall be in addition to any other penalty prescribed by the conditions for such breach. The grantee shall hypothecate the said security deposit by a bond in form Excise T 23 within fourteen days of sale of the privilege above prescribed.

(b) If the highest bid or tender under condition 1 exceeds the sum of Rs. 2,000, the grantee shall at the same time execute, if so required by the Government Agent, in the form sanctioned by law, a power of attorney to confess judgment in any action which may be instituted against him for the recovery of any moneys due in respect of this privilege.

(c) The grantee shall, on signing the conditions of sale, elect, and under his hand signify, a post office to which all notices and processes whatever in connection with the above said privilege shall be addressed under registered post; and all such notices or processes as aforesaid so addressed to the post office so elected and posted in due course shall be considered as good and effectual to all intents and purposes as if the same were served personally.

3. The grantee shall pay the purchase money to the Government Agent in — equal monthly instalments. The first instalment shall be considered due and payable on —, 191—, and the remainder on the last day of each succeeding month. Interest at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum shall be payable on all arrears.

4. If any instalment of the purchase money or any part of an instalment remains unpaid after the same shall have become due and payable, the Government Agent shall have power, after fifteen days' notice to the grantee of his intention to do so, without further process of law, to cancel the license or licenses issued to the grantee, and to re-sell the privilege at the risk and loss of the grantee. The notice referred to may be given in such manner as the Government Agent may direct.

5. The grantee shall, on receipt of the license to sell, furnish to the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent of Excise an application on the prescribed form showing the numbers and situations of the trees which he proposes to tap for the supply of fermented toddy for sale at each tavern, and no tree shall be tapped or toddy drawn for this purpose except under cover of a license setting forth the numbers and situations of the trees, the name of the drawer, and the tavern for which the fermented toddy is intended. The Superintendent of Excise or Assistant Superintendent of Excise, shall have power subject to appeal to the Excise Commissioner to refuse any application to tap trees for any tavern if such application is, in his opinion, open to serious objection.

6. No tree shall be tapped or toddy drawn therefrom for the supply of fermented toddy for sale at a tavern unless such tree shall first have been marked for this purpose in a manner prescribed by the Excise Commissioner: nor shall toddy be transported to the tavern except under cover of a pass granted by the Superintendent of Excise or the Assistant Superintendent of Excise. Such pass shall set forth the name of the person who transports the toddy and shall be issued to the grantee who shall hand it to the person who transports the toddy.

7. The grantee, if he taps the trees and draws the toddy himself, or, if he delegates the work to another person, such person shall, at the time of tapping the trees or drawing the toddy, invariably carry the license on his person, and shall produce it forthwith on the demand of any Excise Officer or village headman.

8. The grantee shall have no concern or interest, direct or indirect, in the sale of arrack, or in the purchase of any privilege for the sale of arrack, within the Revenue District in which he possesses the privilege of selling toddy.

9. Except under the written authority of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, no toddy, except toddy drawn from trees licensed and marked for a particular tavern, shall be kept, offered for sale, or sold in that tavern.

10. No fermented toddy shall be sold at a lower price than 40 cents per gallon, and in proportion for any smaller quantity.

11. The Government Agent shall not be bound to find a site for any tavern in the event of the grantee not being able to procure a site. No tavern shall be opened at any place except with the approval of the Government Agent.

12. The purchaser shall, within ten days from the date on which the privilege commences to run, or within such extended time as the Government Agent may grant, apply to the Government Agent and obtain a license or licenses for the sale by retail of fermented toddy at the taverns within the area covered by the privilege.

13. The grantee shall have no claim to a remission if the Government Agent or his Assistant shall find it necessary to order the taverns upon any road to be closed for a limited period during the march of troops, or upon the plea of losses arising from any cause whatever.

14. (a) No bids will be accepted from any person who is a habitual criminal as defined by Ordinance No. 32 of 1914.

(b) The purchaser shall whenever called upon to do so by the Government Agent satisfy him that he is not a habitual criminal within the meaning of the said Ordinance.

15. The tavern within the area of the exclusive privilege granted under the foregoing conditions shall open at ——— A.M. and close at ——— P.M., and no toddy shall be sold at such tavern between the hour of closing and that of opening.

16. No toddy shall be sold under this exclusive privilege for the purpose of removal from the tavern, and no toddy sold in the tavern shall be removed from it.

At the sale held this day of the privilege above described, ——— became the grantee of the said privilege in consideration of the payment of Rupees ——— as a fee therefor, and the said grantee, having paid to the Government Agent the sum of Rupees ——— by way of security deposit under clause 2 of these conditions, hereby agrees to complete the purchase according to the above conditions, and the Government Agent hereby acknowledges the receipt of the said deposit.

Place : ———

Date : ———

Witnesses : ———

————— Grantee.

————— Government Agent.

I, (We), ———, the undersigned, do hereby signify that for the purposes specified in condition 2, I (we) have elected the under-mentioned post office for the service of all legal processes and notices which may be found necessary to be issued against me (us), viz., ———.

Witnesses : ———

————— Grantee.

Office of the Excise Commissioner,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

E. C. WARD,
Acting Excise Commissioner.

TODDY TAVERNS, 1918-19.

" Off " Sales : Jaffna and Chilaw Districts.

THE following are the lists of sanctioned toddy taverns in respect of which (1) " Off " sales are not prohibited, (2) " Off " sales are prohibited in the Jaffna and Chilaw Districts for the period from July 1, 1918, to June 30, 1919, in the case of Jaffna District, and from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, in the case of Chilaw District, in terms of the Revised Toddy Rent Sale Conditions for 1918-19.

Office of the Excise Commissioner,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

E. C. WARD,
Acting Excise Commissioner.

List of Toddy Taverns in respect of which " Off " Sales are not prohibited in the Jaffna District.

Within the Local Board Limits.

No.	Name.	No.	Name.	No.	Name.
2 ..	Chiviyateru East	7 ..	Chundikuly (Tallalai)	10 ..	Vannarponnai South-east (Ariyakulam)
3 ..	Chiviyateru West	8 ..	Karaiyoor	11 ..	Vannarponnai North-east
4 ..	Columbuturai East	9 ..	Vannarponnai South-east (Tarakulam)*	13 ..	Vannarponnai South-west
5 ..	Passaiyoor				
6 ..	Chundikuly (Koyattodam)				

Within the Sanitary Board Limits of Valvettiturai, Point Pedro, and Kayts.

No.	Name.	No.	Name.
44 ..	Valluvedditurai	101 ..	Karampan East
53 ..	Puloly West	102 ..	Karampan West
55 ..	Point Pedro		

* The existing site will not be approved for the 1918-19 rent period.

List of Toddy Taverns in respect of which "Off" Sales are prohibited in the Jaffna District.

No.	Name.	No.	Name.	No.	Name.
1	Ariyalai*	45	Tondaimannar	79	Palavi
12	Vannarponnai North-west	46	Tunalai South	80	Allarai
14	Tirunelvely East	47	Karaveddy West	81	Ketpali
15	Kondavil	48	Karaveddy North	82	Eluthumadduval South
16	Kokkuvil East	49	Alvai West	83	Eluthumadduval North
17	Kokkuvil West	50	Alvai North	84	Mirusuvil
18	Kathirippai	51	Puloly South	85	Idaikurichehi
19	Aochchuvely	52	Puloly East	86	Navatkadu
20	Puttur West	54	Varathupalai	87	Manthuvil
21	Urumpirai	56	Uduthurai	88	Kurinchativu*
22	Neerveli	57	Sempianpattu	89	Kandavalai*
23	Copay South	58	Nakarkovil	90	Veravil*
24	Chunagam	59	Kudatanai	91	Tampirai*
25	Alaveddy	60	Mullian*	92	Madduvilnadu
26	Mallagam	61	Sankatharvayal*	93	Vinasiodai
27	Tellipalai East	62	Pokkaruppu	94	Nainativu
28	Tellipalai West	63	Puloppalai	95	Punkudutivu West
29	Kankesanturai	64	Periapalai	96	Punkudutivu East
30	Myliddy North	65	Tanmakeni*	97	Analaativu
31	Myliddy South	66	Urvanikanpattu	98	Eluvaitivu
32	Navaly	67	Vannankem	99	Karaitivu West
33	Manipay	68	Masar	100	Karaitivu East
34	Araly	69	Kilaly	103	Narantanai
35	Vaddukoddai East	70	Muhamalai	104	Suruvil.
36	Chulipuram	71	Maravanpulo	105	Velanai West
37	Chankanai	72	Kaithady-Nunavil	106	Velanai East
38	Siruvilan†	73	Navatkuli†	107	Allaipiddi
39	Mathagal	74	Chavakacheheri South	108	Mandaativu
40	Karanavai South	75	Meesalai South	109	Delft West*
41	Inaiyanan	76	Meesalai North	110	Delft Centre*
42	Karanavai North	77	Madduvil North	111	Delft East*
43	Thanakarakurichehi (Kampamoc-lai)	78	Sarasalai		

List of Toddy Taverns in respect of which "Off" Sales are not prohibited in the Chilaw District.

No.	Name.	No.	Name.
1	Southern Ward	9	Madampe
2	Northern Ward	16	Nattandiya

List of Toddy Taverns in respect of which "Off" Sales are prohibited in the Chilaw District.

No.	Name.	No.	Name.	No.	Name.
3	Karukkapanā	15	Tabbowa	27	Metikotuwa
4	Arachchikatūwa	17	Mudukatuwa	28	Dankotuwa
5	Battulu-oya	18	Marawila	29	Tambarawila
6	Pambala	19	Adapparagama	30	Nanjundakara
7	Olidaluwa	20	Mattakotuwa	31	Waykkal
8	Munnessaram	21	Toduwawa	32	Nayinamadama
10	Irattakulama	22	Lihiriyagama	33	Mirissankotuwa
11	Galmuruwa	23	Kirimetiya	34	Dummaladeniya
12	Narawila	24	Lunuwila	35	Wennappuwa
13	Kottaramulla Ihala	25	Haldanduwana	36	Ulhitiyawa
14	Dunkannawa	26	Mohittimulla	37	Katuneriya

* For palmyra season only, viz., from July 1 to August 31, 1918, and January 1 to June 30, 1919.

† The existing site will not be approved for the 1918-19 rent period.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close toddy tavern specified in the schedule below from October 1, 1918.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to March 25, 1918, on which date, at this Kachcheri, between the hours of 2 P.M. and 4 P.M., I shall also be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the closing of such tavern.

Kalutara Kachcheri, C. V. BRAYNE,
February 4, 1918. Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Division.	Locality or Range.
9	Rayigam korale	Within the village of Anguruwatota

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close the arrack taverns specified in the schedule below from October 1, 1918.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to March 25, 1918, on which date, at the Kalutara Kachcheri, between the hours of 2 P.M. and 4 P.M., I shall

also be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the closing of such taverns.

Kalutara Kachcheri, C. V. BRAYNE,
February 4, 1918. Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Division.	Tavern.
22	Rayigam korale	Millewa
26	Do.	Galpata

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close the arrack tavern specified in the schedule below from October 1, 1918.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to March 22, 1918, on which date, at the Nuwara Eliya Kachcheri, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., I shall also be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the closing of such tavern.

Nuwara Eliya Kachcheri, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
February 1, 1918. Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

Rent area: Nuwara Eliya District—No. 57, Karagas-talawa.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close the toddy tavern specified in the schedule below from October 1, 1918.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to March 25, 1918, on which date, at Matale Kachcheri, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 2 P.M., I shall also be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the closing of such tavern.

Matale Kachcheri, E. T. MILLINGTON,
February 2, 1918. Assistant Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

Matale South.

1. Toddy tavern No. 18 within the limits of Galwadu-kumbura wasama.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close the existing toddy taverns and to open an additional toddy tavern at the localities described in the annexed schedule for 1918-19. The Government Agent of the Province of Uva will up to March 25, 1918, be prepared to receive any written representations, and on that date, between 12 noon and 2 P.M., at the Badulla Kachcheri, to hear any verbal representations regarding the proposals.

Badulla Kachcheri, F. BARTLETT,
January 31, 1918. Government Agent.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Existing Toddy Taverns proposed to be closed.

No.	Division.	Village.
3	Yatikinda	Hinnarangolla
4	Do.	Welikemulla
6	Do.	Vedigune
7	Do.	Dikwella
19	Do.	Pitakolagama

Additional Toddy Tavern proposed to be opened.

1	Yatikinda	Hindagoda
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NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to remove the existing toddy tavern at Nugatalawa to the locality described in the annexed schedule for 1918-19. The Government Agent of the Province of Uva will up to

March 25, 1918, be prepared to receive any written representations, and on that date, between 12 noon and 2 P.M., at the Badulla Kachcheri, to hear any verbal representations regarding the proposals.

Badulla Kachcheri, F. BARTLETT,
January 31, 1918. Government Agent.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Toddy Tavern proposed to be removed.

No.	Division.	Village.
36	Udukinda	From Nugatalawa to Palugama

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to open/close the foreign liquor/arrack/toddy taverns specified in the schedule below from October 1, 1918.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to March 16, 1918, on which date, at the Ratnapura Kachcheri, between the hours of 1 P.M. and 2 P.M., I shall also be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the opening/closing of such taverns.

Ratnapura Kachcheri, B. CONSTANTINE,
January 29, 1918. Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

To be opened.

A beer and porter shop in the Main street, Ratnapura.

To be closed.

- Foreign liquor retail shop of T. I. Silva & Co., Balangoda.
- Refreshment room owned by P. W. Dias & Co., Ratnapura.
- Refreshment room owned by C. Silva Gomez & Co., Ratnapura.
- Richmond Hotel owned by G. A. Silva, Ratnapura.
- Arrack tavern situated at Kandewatta.
- Toddy tavern situated at Boltumbe.
- Toddy tavern situated at Etawakwela.
- Toddy tavern situated at Hunuwala.
- Toddy tavern situated at Madola.
- Toddy tavern situated at Massenna.
- Toddy tavern situated at Gawaragiriya.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the contract for the conveyance of mails for a period of three years from the date of the opening of the Ratnapura Railway Extension to Opanake, which is expected to be about October 1, 1918, between (a) Kahawatta and Rakwana and (b) Opanake and Balangoda—

- By motor coach.
- By motor van or lorry.
- By motor cycle and side car.
- By coach drawn by two horses.
- By coach drawn by two bulls.

2. Separate tenders are required for each of the above services.

3. The hours of arrival and departure to be fixed from time to time by the Postmaster-General.

4. The contractor will be required to provide such number of motor conveyances, coaches, horses, and bulls as will, in the opinion of the Postmaster-General, be necessary for the services, and every such motor, coach, horse, or bull before being employed in the service will be subject to the approval of the Postmaster-General.

5. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the

Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

6. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails between Kahawatta and Rakwana or Opanake, and Balangoda" as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 30, 1918.

7. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Postmaster-General, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

8. Any alteration in a tender must bear the initials of the tenderer, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. A deposit of Rs. 50 for each of the services tendered for must be made at the General Treasury, and a receipt produced for the same before a tender form is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Postmaster-General, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposits will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract.

10. Security to the amount of one-tenth of the annual subsidy asked will be required in cash for each service.

11. Tenders for above services must be accompanied in the case of coaches by a scale of the rates which it is intended to charge the public during the period of the service for the conveyance of passengers, luggage, and parcels, and the quantity of luggage per passenger allowed to be conveyed free. When such scale has been accepted by Government, the contractor shall not, without the express permission of Government, increase the rates charged for the conveyance of passengers, luggage, and parcels above the amount shown in the scale, or reduce the allowance of free luggage below the amount therein stated.

12. All other information can be obtained on application to the Postmaster-General.

13. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

14. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all of the tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

General Post Office,
Colombo, January 30, 1918.

F. J. SMITH,
Postmaster-General.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the removal within three weeks of 6,000 cwt., more or less, of salt lying at the Maha Lewaya into Hambantota Stores.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under separate covers. The original should be addressed to the Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota.

3. The duplicate of tender should be posted by tenderer to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue at the same time as he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the removal of Salt" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Assistant Government Agent not later than midday on February 20, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Hambantota Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury Office, Tangalla, or any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient securities will be required to join in a bond, for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500. All other information can be ascertained upon application to the office referred to in section 5.

9. Each tenderer should state—

(1) Rate per ton, including order carts.

(2) The quantity he undertakes to transport on his own account.

(3) Rate per ton, exclusive of order carts.

10. The weighing of salt bags, loading and unloading will be done at Government expense.

11. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

12. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Hambantota Kachcheri, W. L. MURPHY,
February 2, 1918. Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the work of repairing the quarters occupied by the officers of the Salt Department at the Northern Depot, Puttalam.

2. The tender should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, on the left corner of which must be written the words "Tender for repairing the Quarters occupied by the Officers of the Salt Department at the Northern Depot, Puttalam," and it should be sent to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, so that he may receive it before 1 P.M. on February 18, 1918.

3. The intending tenderer should, before sending his tender to the Assistant Government Agent, deposit a sum of Rs. 10 at any Kachcheri under the head of "Tender Forms," and should annex to his tender the receipt obtained for the deposit of the sum.

4. This sum of Rs. 10 will be held by the Assistant Government Agent as a security for the tenderer's entering into the contract with him—in the event of his tender being accepted—for carrying out the work in a satisfactory manner, and will be confiscated if he fail to enter into such a contract within a reasonable time after his tender was accepted.

5. The tenderer should name an address at Puttalam, where letters for him may be left or delivered.

6. The work should be completed within four weeks after the contract was entered into.

7. Further particulars may be obtained from the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK TO BE DONE.

General Repairs, &c.

All the decayed or otherwise worthless cadjan, timber, and other materials that are on the buildings now, should be removed and replaced by new and sound materials.

The roof of all the cadjan thatched houses and outhouses should be re-thatched with new cadjan, and pootus should be placed thereon to serve as weights.

The earth-floor of the different houses and outhouses should be raised with clay, levelled, stamped, and cow-dunged.

The walls, whether of mud or cadjan, should be repaired wherever necessary.

The wall fences and all the fences enclosing the various premises should be rebuilt or repaired, new sticks being planted wherever necessary.

Particular Repairs, &c.

In the Storekeeper's bungalow the front walls of the kitchen should be plastered with clay. The water-closet should be repaired. A covered way, 17 ft. long and 7 ft. broad, should be built between the main building and the kitchen and thatched with canjan. Three sides of the main building should be whitewashed, the broken and defaced parts of the walls being plastered.

In the 1st Class Constable's house, wherever necessary, the floor of the main building should be repaired with brick and mortar. The front walls of the kitchen should be plastered with clay, and the exterior thereof should be lined with cadjan. In the verandah a side post and a side beam should be replaced.

In the 2nd Class Constable's house, two side beams in the verandah should be replaced with new ones.

In Patrol Raffadeen's house, the frames and shutters of the door and the window should be painted in red, and a hook should be fixed to the window. The old side beam in this house should be replaced with a new one.

In Patrol Dane's house, one ridge post, one cross beam, one side post, and one side beam should be replaced with new ones.

In Patrol Kitchell's house, a side post should be replaced with a new one.

In Patrol Thajoor's hut, a side beam in the verandah should be replaced with a new one, and the frames and shutters of the door and the window should be painted in ink.

In Patrol Meegale's house, a ridge post, two side posts, and two side beams should be replaced. The door and window shutters and frames should be painted in red, the window shutters being repaired.

Puttalam Kachcheri,
January 31, 1918.

S. M. P. VANDERKOEN,
for Assistant Government Agent.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Fort Police Station at 2 P.M. on Friday, February 15, 1918, viz. :—

1 basin, small, enamelled	1 lamp, reading, small
2 pieces cloths, oil	2 mattresses, coir
11 curtains, mosquito	10 pieces matting, woven
1 dust bin	10 pillows, bed
1 lamp, hanging	38 sheets, bed

B. LANGRAN,
for Inspector-General of Police.

THE following found and unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction at the Railway premises, Maradana, at 2.30 P.M., on Wednesday, February 20, 1918 :—

1. 1 silver watch chain with 3 pendants	17. 1 lot mats and pillows
2. 1 brooch	18. 1 lot hair brushes and canvas bag
3. 1 pair spectacles	19. 2 wooden boxes
4. 1 hairpin	20. 1 lot priests' robes, alms bowl, &c.
5. 1 watch (out of order)	21. 1 table and chair
6. 1 pair sun glasses	22. 1 case bottles
7. 1 Mariner's compass	23. 1 zinc tub
8. 1 package of shaving implements	24. 1 earthenware goblet
9. 2 leather hand bags	25. 1 motor car tyre and 1 hearth
10. 1 fishing rod in canvas case	26. 2 bundles dirty linen
11. 2 breakfast baskets	27. 1 Hurricane lantern
12. 1 bucket and 2 kettles	28. 1 enamel bowl and pair of scales
13. 1 lot bottles, chinaware, enamel ware, brassware, earthenware, &c.	29. 1 bundle bamboos
14. 1 lot carpenter's tools	30. 1 lot Tamil books
15. 1 lot boots, shoes, and sandals	31. 3 water bottles
16. 1 lot hats	32. 2 hat racks
	33. 1 book press
	34. 1 forge

35. 3 Moor caps	59. 1 race hackery
36. 4 inflators	60. 1 tennis racquet
37. 1 electric torch	61. 1 porcupine quill box
38. 1 lot pipes	62. 1 suit case marked A
39. 1 cigarette case	63. do. B
40. 1 bicycle lamp	64. 1 lady's silk coat
41. 1 lot keys	65. 1 empty drum
42. 1 pair spectacles, 2 spectacle cases, 1 betal pounder	66. 1 door lock and key
43. 1 leather belt, razor strop, and tin boot polish	67. 1 lot gunny bags
44. 1 fountain pen	68. 1 cane chair
45. 1 phial Coxpyrin tablets and 1 phial Cascara tabloids	69. 1 rain coat marked A
46. 2 bent combs	70. 1 do. B
47. 3 ladies' hair combs and 1 hat pin	71. 1 do. C
48. 1 lot penknives and 1 shoe horn	72. 1 do. D
49. 1 lot tin tooth powder, soap box, and 1 tin powder	73. 1 silk umbrella
50. 1 lot empty purses and 1 cigar pouch	74. 1 lot 5 umbrellas marked A
51. 1 lot rosaries	75. 1 do. B
52. 1 tin mathematical instruments and 1 brush	76. 1 do. C
53. 1 fountain pen ink filler	77. 1 do. D
54. 28 packages furniture (old and damaged)	78. 1 do. E
55. 1 lot tea shooks	79. 1 lot 8 umbrellas marked A
56. 1 lot rice pounder and 2 bags straw	80. 1 do. B
57. 2 wooden tubs	81. 1 lot 13 umbrellas marked A
58. 2 zinc sheets	82. 1 do. B
	83. 1 do. C
	84. 1 lady's silk umbrella
	85. 1 lot 4 ladies' umbrellas
	86. 1 lot 5 ladies' umbrellas
	87. 1 lot 5 walking sticks marked A
	88. do. B
	89. do. C
	90. do. D
	91. do. E
	92. 1 lot 10 walking sticks marked A
	93. do. B

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

G. F. GREENE,
General Manager.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended February 2, 1918.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 155 (18 Burghers, 91 Sinhalese, 17 Tamils, 18 Moors, 7 Malays, and 4 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1918, viz., 272,234) was 29.7, as against 24.1 in the preceding week, 23.3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 22.1 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 130 (1 European, 8 Burghers, 62 Sinhalese, 18 Tamils, 32 Moors, 5 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 24.9, as against 25.3 in the previous week, 24.1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 23.7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 130 total deaths, 32 were of infants under one year of age, as against 29 in the preceding week, 30 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 28 the average for last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 9.

Principal Causes of Death.—Eleven deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 5 in Maradana (including 2 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 3 in Slave Island, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 in Kollupitiya, as against 13 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year.

2. Ten deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 4 in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital), 2 in San Sebastian, 1 in St. Paul's, 1 in Kotahena, 1 in New Bazaar, and 1 in Wellawatta, as against 7 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year. Two deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered.

3. Four deaths from *Plague* were registered, 2 in Pettah, 1 in Fort, and 1 in Maradana, as against 1 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year. Four cases were reported, same as in the previous week.

4. One death from *Enteric Fever* was registered in San Sebastian, as against 4 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year.

5. Fifteen deaths from *Debility* were registered, 12 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 8 from *Enteritis*, 4 from *Diarrhoea*, 3 from *Tetanus*, 2 from *Dysentery*, 2 from *Worms*, and 56 from *Other Causes*.

6. Twenty-four cases of *Chickenpox* were reported during the week, as against 15 in the previous week. No cases of *Measles* were reported either this week or the previous one.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 77.9°, against 77.5° in the preceding week and in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.934 in., against 29.890 in. in the preceding week and 29.899 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0.32 in., against 0.86 in. in the preceding week and 0.45 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Elementary School-leaving Certificate Examination, October, 1917.

Supplementary List of Passes.

THE following candidate has passed the above examination in the four compulsory subjects—Reading, Writing, English Composition, and Arithmetic—and in those additional subjects under which “p” is placed. Horizontal line “—” denotes failure in the subject:—

Index No.	Name of Candidate.	School.	English Language.	Geography.	English Literature.	Mathematics.	Drawing.
58	Abeyratne, H.	St. Benedicts' Institute	—	p	p	—	—

Education Office,
Colombo, February 2, 1918.

E. EVANS,
for Director of Education.

Sale of Ebony.

AN auction sale of the under-mentioned ebony will be held at the Central Timber Depot, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, February 23, 1918, at 9 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

- The timber will be put up in lots to suit buyers at a rate per lot, and no advance of less than Re. 1 per lot will be accepted.
- The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.
- Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at time of sale if so required.
- Depot weights must be accepted, but buyers can have the right of giving notice, before the expiration of the date of payment, of having the actual weight ascertained. Should the difference between the depot weight and the weight ascertained after re-weighing be more than 1½ per cent., the cost of re-weighing is to be borne by the Forest Department, and if within 1½ per cent. by the purchaser; any difference between the depot weight and the weight ascertained after re-weighing is to be paid or allowed for, as the case may be. Should two or more purchasers desire to re-weigh their timber on the same day, precedence will be given to the buyer whose notification of intention to re-weigh reaches the Assistant Conservator of Forests first.
- No timber shall be removed before payment of the full price bid, and all timber sold must be removed from the depot within ten days of date of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid, and will be at the risk of the purchasers until removed.
- Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof, as the case may be, and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the re-sale, while if an enhanced price is realized at such re-sale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.
- Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or persons for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.

List of Ebony Logs referred to.

Divisional No.	C.T.D. No.	Length. Ft., in.	Girth. Ft. in.	Weight. Tons cwt. qr. lb.	Blackness of Wood.
<i>Anuradhapura I.</i>					
A 26	287	25 0	2 4	0 6 1 21	Slightly marked*
<i>Anuradhapura II.</i>					
A 64	366	16 9	2 6	0 5 1 7	Black†
<i>Anuradhapura III.</i>					
A 11	399	12 6	4 0	0 10 0 0	Marked†
<i>Jaffna.</i>					
J 15	604	5 3	3 5	0 2 0 0	Black†
J 14	605	11 0	4 4	0 7 1 14	Well marked†
J 12	608	6 9	3 3	0 1 2 0	Black†
J 99	612	8 9	2 0	0 1 0 14	Slightly marked†
J 10	613	11 3	4 3	0 9 2 0	do.†
J 23	615	10 6	1 10	0 2 0 0	Black†
J 18	618	8 0	3 0	0 3 2 7	do.†
J 7	629	8 3	4 0	0 7 0 0	do.†
J 2	632	9 6	3 3	0 3 2 0	do.†
J 63	643	3 6	2 3	0 0 3 0	do.†
J 3	650	7 9	1 9	0 1 0 14	do.†
J 19	652	7 9	1 8	0 0 3 7	do.†
J 20	654	5 6	1 9	0 0 3 7	do.†
J 37	655	7 0	1 4	0 0 2 21	do.†
J 32	657	6 0	1 8	0 0 2 0	do.*
J 36	660	7 6	1 7	0 0 2 21	do.†
J 41	663	12 0	1 2	0 0 3 0	do.†
<i>Anuradhapura.</i>					
A 96	684	15 0	2 7	0 4 3 14	Black†
A 9	693	15 0	2 0	0 3 0 7	Well marked†
<i>Nuwara Eliya.</i>					
N 8	770	8 9	1 7	0 1 0 21	Slightly marked†
N 5	771	9 3	2 3	0 2 3 7	Black†
N 13	772	6 3	1 7	0 1 0 14	do.†
N 6	773	18 6	2 3	0 5 1 21	Well marked†
N 3	774	16 0	3 2	0 9 0 21	Slightly marked†
N 4	775	18 3	2 10	0 8 0 7	do.†
N 11	776	15 6	3 4	0 7 1 21	do.†
N 2	777	14 0	2 9	0 4 0 7	Black†
N 10	778	14 0	3 4	0 8 2 7	Marked†
N 9	779	11 9	3 10	0 6 2 0	do.†
N 7	780	12 6	2 3	0 3 0 7	Well marked†
N 12	781	15 9	2 6	0 5 3 21	Slightly marked†
N 1	782	20 3	3 7	0 13 2 14	Well marked†
<i>Anuradhapura.</i>					
A 2	783	15 0	2 8	0 5 1 0	Black†
A 1	784	12 9	3 0	0 5 2 21	Slightly marked†
A 3	785	12 6	1 6	0 1 3 0	Black†
				8 3 0 7	

Forest Division.	Quantity offered for Sale.	
	No. of Log or Lot.	Tons cwt. qr. lb.
Anuradhapura I.	1	0 6 1 21
Do. II.	1	0 5 1 7
Do. III.	1	0 10 0 0
Jaffna	17	2 3 2 21
Anuradhapura	2	0 7 3 21
Nuwara Eliya	13	3 17 0 0
Anuradhapura	3	0 12 2 21
Total	38	8 3 0 7

* Partly sound. † Sound. ‡ Unsound.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, February 5, 1918.

H. F. TOMALIN,
Conservator of Forests.

Sale of Lease of Grass and Cinnamon on Crown Lands situated at Dematagoda, Timbirigasyaya, Narahenpita, Welikada, and Cinnamon Gardens, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Western Province, will sell by public auction at his office in Colombo, at 12 noon, on Friday, February 22, 1918, the right to cut and remove grass and cinnamon for one year from March 1, 1918, on the under-mentioned portions of Crown land appearing in the lease plan of the Colombo Cinnamon Gardens, subject to the following conditions:—

1. The highest bidder shall be declared the purchaser in each case.
2. The purchase amounts of all lots shall be paid in full on the day of the sale.
3. The purchaser or his workmen shall not cut any tree or interfere with any existing fence or boundary.
4. The purchaser shall be bound to fence the land leased to him if called on by the Government Agent to do so.
5. The purchaser shall not assign or sublet the right to cut grass and cinnamon on any portion of the land to any other person without the permission previously obtained in writing from the Government Agent.
6. All cattle kept on the land to graze should be tethered, and should not be allowed to trespass on the public road.
7. The purchaser shall keep the premises clean and in good order, and also comply with the Municipal regulations.
8. The purchaser shall not sell or remove gravel, sand, &c., from the demised premises, and he is further warned not to spoil or damage any portion of the said premises.
9. If any portion of the land is required by Government, such portion shall be surrendered on a week's notice being given. A *pro rata* refund of the purchase amount will be paid to the purchaser for the unexpired period of the lease respecting the land or portion thereof resumed by the Crown.
10. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions, the Government Agent shall have the power to resume possession of the land and eject the purchaser and his workmen from the land without compensation.
11. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any bid or all bids.

Government Agent's Office,
Colombo, February 4, 1918.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

LIST OF LANDS REFERRED TO.

Colombo Cinnamon Gardens Lease Plan.

Lot.	Situation.	Description.	Extent, A. R. P.
33	Timbirigasyaya	.. Grass and cinnamon ..	4 1 38
34	Do.	.. do. ..	7 3 29
20a	Dematagoda	.. do. ..	2 0 17
20b	Do.	.. do. ..	1 1 9
15	Gregory's road	.. do. ..	20 1 31

Closure of Area for Application Surveys in Northern Province.

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

2. The Province is divided into three areas—
Area No. 1, which includes Jaffna District.
Area No. 2, which includes Mannar District.
Area No. 3, which includes Mullaittivu District.
3. Area No. 2 will be closed on April 1, 1918, and no applications within this area will be forwarded to the Surveyor-General for survey after that date. This, however, will not preclude applicants from submitting to me for registration applications for land within this area with a view of ascertaining whether there are any objections to the sale or lease.

4. The next area to be closed for survey will be area No. 3, followed in due course by area No. 1. Applications for the purchase or lease of Crown land in these two areas should be forwarded to me as early as possible.

5. The date of closure of No. 3 area will be shortly published and will represent the date of completion of all work in area No. 2.

January 30, 1918.

H. E. JANSZ,
for Government Agent.

Studentships at the Government Training College.

THE following have been granted scholarships as student-teachers at the Government Training College, with effect from January 1, 1918:—

FOUR SCHOLARSHIPS AT RS. 480 PER ANNUM FOR GRADUATES.—Men.

T. Saravanamuttu	R. C. Edwards
W. Perera	O. A. Wright

FOURTEEN SCHOLARSHIPS AT RS. 300 PER ANNUM.—Men.

A. Jayasundera	I. L. Perera
C. V. Kanagasabapathy	S. P. Rajaratnam
W. T. B. Karahaðde	A. J. Selvadurai
L. D. L. Perera	D. G. S. Wanigaratne
D. Saverimuttu	S. Vyramuttu
F. Kulatunga	J. Coopman
T. E. Perera	

Woman.—L. E. de Silva.

TWENTY-THREE SCHOLARSHIPS AT RS. 180 PER ANNUM.—Men.

M. S. Weerasinghe	V. Kadiratamby
C. W. D. Alwines	E. V. Rasiah
T. V. Chellappah	M. Wijayaratham

Women.

M. R. Breckenridge	De la Motte
E. M. Nonis	F. B. de Alwis
S. P. Rodrigo	M. C. Perera
Sister Mary of St. G. O'Donnel	L. Pettiyagoda
Sister Mary of St. P. C. Shankley	M. G. Simithraratchy
D. Van Reyk	E. E. Vanderstraaten
O. H. Perera	C. D. Weerasinghe
L. A. Asirwatham	E. M. Wille
	A. E. Bay

ELEVEN ANGLO-VERNACULAR SCHOLARSHIPS AT RS. 200 PER ANNUM.—Men.

G. D. de Silva	S. W. Sahabandu
K. G. D. N. Silva	A. E. Wijesuriya
R. F. S. Karunachandra	W. D. Wijesinghe
V. D. de Lanerolle	O. J. P. Wijewardana
G. D. P. Liveris	B. D. Fernando
K. M. J. Perera	

Education Office,
Colombo, February 2, 1918.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. A. P. Karunaratna for registration for examination without grant of his Tittagala Mixed Vernacular School, which is situated in the Talpe pattu, Galle District, of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than March 9, 1918.

Education Office,
Colombo, February 1, 1918.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from K. Dhammananda Unnanse for registration for examination without grant of his Dada-gomuwa Girls' Vernacular School, which is situated in Meda pattu of Siyane korale west, Colombo District, of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than March 9, 1918.

Education Office, E. B. DENHAM,
Colombo, February 1, 1918. Director of Education.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. G. J. Trimmer for the conversion of his Kalatty Girls' School, which is situated in Jaffna District of the Northern Province, into a mixed school.

Observations will be received not later than March 9, 1918.

Education Office, E. B. DENHAM,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Director of Education.

"THE QUARANTINE AND PREVENTION OF DISEASES
ORDINANCE, 1897."

WITH reference to the Notification on page 132 of Part I. of the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,922 of February 1, 1918, the following estate in the Poonagalla

district is declared to be an area infected with anchylostomiasis, under rule No. 102 in the Government Notification dated September 6, 1917:—

Miriswatte estate.

G. J. RUTHERFORD,
Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Inspector-General of Hospitals.

"THE QUARANTINE AND PREVENTION OF DISEASES
ORDINANCE, 1897."

WITH reference to the Notification on page 132 of Part I. of the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,922 of February 1, 1918, the following area in the Poonagoda district is declared to be an area infected with anchylostomiasis, under rule No. 104 in the Government Notification dated September 6, 1917:—

Koslanda bazaar.

G. J. RUTHERFORD,
Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that applications have been received for registration of the following schools:—

- Rev. A. E. Restarick .. Harvard Girls' Vernacular School, which is situated in Pettah, Colombo District. of the Western Province.
- Hon. Mr. A. Sapapathy .. Urumpiray Mixed Vernacular School, which is situated in the village of Urumpiray, Jaffna District, of the Northern Province.
- Mr. A. B. Yatawara .. Kurunegala Mixed Vernacular School, which is situated in the Weudawili hatpattu Kurunegala District, of the North-Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than March 9, 1918.

Education Office,
Colombo, February 1, 1918.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

Statement of the Revenue and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Uva, for the Year 1917.

REVENUE.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	EXPENDITURE.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1917	..	—		5,609	63	Salaries	..	180	0		
Government contribution	..	4,248	70			Repairs to buildings	..	2,894	65		
Government special contribution	..	1,000	0			Fences, school gardens, &c.	..	142	11		
School fines	..	1,646	0			Furniture	..	24	0		
Miscellaneous	..	197	50			Garden implements	..	—			
				7,092	20	New buildings	..	3,869	15		
						Miscellaneous	..	1,011	60		
										8,121	51
						Balance on December 31, 1917	..	—		4,580	32
										12,701	83

Badulla Kachcheri,
February 1, 1918.

F. MARSHALL,
for Chairman.

Statement of the Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Uva, for the Year 1918.

REVENUE.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	EXPENDITURE.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1918	..	—		4,580	32	Salaries	..	180	0		
Government contribution	..	3,000	0			Repairs to buildings	..	3,000	0		
School fines	..	1,000	0			Fences, &c.	..	250	0		
Miscellaneous	..	100	0			Furniture	..	150	0		
				4,100	0	Garden implements	..	100	0		
						New buildings	..	4,000	0		
						Miscellaneous	..	800	0		
										8,480	0
						Balance on December 31, 1918	..	—		200	32
										8,680	32

Badulla Kachcheri,
February 1, 1918.

F. MARSHALL,
for Chairman.

List of License Holders.

A.—Surveyors certified under Ordinance No. 15 of 1889.—Nil.

B.—Persons holding Permanent Licenses in Surveying.

Date of License.	License No.	Name.	Address.
Oct. 3, 1894	110	Allegacoon, T.	"Rajakariar Walauwa," Trincomalee
May 1, 1896	139	Byrde, A. A. E.	Seenigoda estate, Ambalangoda
April 22, 1890	19	Byrde, E. W. McAlpin	Care of P. Byrde, Avissawella estate, Puwakpitiya
Oct. 12, 1894	113	Caldera, M. B. F.	Panadure
Sept. 3, 1896	144	Collette, G. W.	Negombo
May 21, 1890	25	Daniels, E. B.	Kurunegala
Oct. 4, 1897	166	Daniels, E. C.	Kurunegala
Sept. 14, 1894	108	Fernando, K. W. M.	"Lily Bank," Chilaw road, Negombo
April 14, 1897	150	Frida, C. H.	Borella, Maradana
April 14, 1897	152	Gunasekera, A. P. F.	"Towerside Villa," Mutwal, Colombo
Oct. 6, 1897	169	Goonesekera, J. A.	Puttalam road, Kurunegala
Oct. 19, 1897	171	Greve, W. C. R.	Way and Works Department, Ceylon Government Railway
July 3, 1890	34	Gunasekera, F. de S. A.	"Airy Cottage," Kalegama, Galle
Nov. 3, 1890	49	Holloway, F. J.	Wattegama
April 3, 1890	8	Holloway, J. R.	Matale
Oct. 4, 1897	167	Jayatilleke, D. E. N.	"Irene Villa," Ratnapura
May 14, 1895	123	Keyt, H.	Kandy
Aug. 13, 1892	84	Kirthisinghe, A. S.	Negombo
April 9, 1891	64	McShane, A. P.	"Castlebar Hill," Peradeniya
Jan. 30, 1894	103	Northway, L. G.	"Bush," Bandarawela
Oct. 22, 1894	116	Pandittesekera, C. E. G.	Marawila
April 14, 1897	154	Pereira, Alfred	Matale
May 22, 1890	31	Ramanaden, J.	"Villa Fortuna," Batticaloa
April 30, 1890	20	Roosmaleecocq, H. S.	Matara
April 6, 1892	78	Scott, G. A.	"Redlands," Peradeniya road, Kandy
July 14, 1909	272	Souzar, L. L. de	Old road, Kalutara
Nov. 25, 1890	57	Soysa, S. A.	156, Peradeniya road, Kandy
April 10, 1890	11	Soysa, W. H.	Ratnapura
May 14, 1891	67	Vanderpoorten, A.	Greenwood estate, Galagedera
May 14, 1909	270	Vanderstraaten, C. M.	The Sanatorium, Nugegoda
Sept. 1, 1891	70	Vos, J. E. de	Ambalangoda
Aug. 14, 1890	45	Wijayagunawardena, J. J. P.	Kegalla
Oct. 9, 1897	170	Zilva, C. C. de	Way and Works Department, Ceylon Government Railway
Dec. 9, 1892	86	Zilva, G. B. D.	Hakmana, Matara
June 10, 1895	128	Zilva, J. A. de	5, Chando street, Fort, Galle

C.—Persons holding Permanent Licenses in Levelling.—Nil.

D.—Persons holding Permanent Licenses in Surveying and Levelling.

Jan. 28, 1895	121	Almeida, P. D. P. de	Negombo
Nov. 23, 1898	203		
May 21, 1890	28	Amarasekera, J. W.	No. 49, Silversmith street, Colombo
April 18, 1890	14	Anthonsiz, A. W.	"Prospect Lodge," Tangalla
July 26, 1904	245	Anthonsiz, C. A.	"Belles Rhue," Pamankada road, Wellawatta
Mar. 30, 1896	130	Armstrong, W. S.	Matara
May 22, 1897	158		
April 16, 1896	137	Arulavasagam, M.	2nd Cross street, Jaffna
July 9, 1898	193	Auwardt, A. H. (2)	Mitford street, Kurunegala
Mar. 9, 1904	244		
May 27, 1902	229	Auwardt, A. H.	Hirambure junction, Galle
Oct. 9, 1902	237	Balasoorya, D. E. A.	Peimadulla
Mar. 20, 1903	240	Bandaranayake, R. E. D.	Kongoda estate, Pannala
June 28, 1909	271	Bartholomeusz, J. S.	142, Kollupitiya
July 28, 1900	213	Bartholomeusz, O.	No. 311, Trincomalee street, Kandy
Oct. 1, 1907	260	Beling, C. D.	Wolfendahl, Colombo
April 3, 1890	7	Benzie, G.	Denmark, Ulapane
Mar. 31, 1898	181	Berwick, H. C.	Wellington, Hatton
Aug. 28, 1909	274	Caldera, C. N.	The Government Factory, Colombo
Jan. 24, 1894	101	Canagasaby, R. H.	"Rockland," Kurunegala
Oct. 2, 1897	163	Corea, J. A. C.	Chilaw
July 10, 1901	221		
July 27, 1904	247	Dahanayake, S. H.	Fort, Galle
Mar. 10, 1890	2	Daniels, P. A.	Kurunegala
April 16, 1896	134	David, C. A.	123, Hulftsdorp, Colombo
July 2, 1908	266	Davis, E. T.	"Shadden Hill," Nuwara Eliya
July 2, 1908	267	Delay, W.	Greenwood estate, Galagedera
June 24, 1902	231	Dias, H. G.	York Cottage, Bambalapitiya
July 11, 1902	232	Dias, V. S. A.	The Ceylon Survey Agency, Moratuwa
April 14, 1891	66	Ebert, E. F.	Badulla
Mar. 3, 1899	207		
Dec. 18, 1890	59	Edirisinghe, H. (D. J. W.)	Pannipitiya, Kelani Valley Railway
Mar. 31, 1898	179	Emerson, L. P.	Care of Irrigation Department, Ceylon
May 8, 1897	155		
April 14, 1897	151	Ernst, H. V.	Fort, Matara
July 22, 1902	235		
Nov. 1, 1906	256	Ferdinando, D. J. B.	Moratuwa
Oct. 9, 1902	236	Fernando, J. C.	Negombo
Oct. 15, 1906	254	Fernando, P. P.	Katana, via Negombo
Dec. 13, 1900	216	Fernando, R. F.	"Canal View," Negombo
Dec. 9, 1892	87	Fowke, P. F.	"Clifton," Nuwara Eliya
Aug. 18, 1898	200		

Date of License.	License No.	Name.	Address.
Oct. 24, 1895	129	Freud, A. W. J.	Care of Messrs. Liesching & Lee, Kandy
April 14, 1897	153	Goonewardene, A. P. S.	Kalutara
July 12, 1898	194		
July 10, 1901	222	Gordon, C. F.	Care of Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions, Colombo
Aug. 13, 1901	225	Gunasakera, J. D. S.	Minuwangoda
Dec. 15, 1894	120	Hickoy, H. G.	Irsby Bungalow, Norwood
July 26, 1890	39	Hunt, E. B.	Chavakachcheri
April 24, 1896	138		
Sept. 15, 1903	243	Jayawickrama, E. A.	"Holmadale," Rosmead place, Colombo
Dec. 12, 1898	204	Kandasamy, S. S.	Matale
April 9, 1891	63	Kasinatha, K.	Tellippalai West, Jaffna
Mar. 23, 1898	180		
May 22, 1890	29	Leembruggen, C. H. J.	No. 122, Layard's Broadway, Colombo
Jan. 31, 1907	258	Leembruggen, G. E.	"The Octagon," Jaffna
Jan. 17, 1901	217	Misso, A. J. B.	"Mount Cliff," Hirimbura, Galle
May 8, 1908	204	Morgan, R. H.	"Wackwilla," Galle
July 25, 1901	223	Motte, G. E. de	60, Trincomalee street, Kandy
Sept. 24, 1896	145	Murray, F. J. N.	"Athol estate," Madampe
July 26, 1901	224	Murugasoo, P.	Irrigation Sub-Inspector, Kalmunai
April 16, 1896	132	Nico, J. de	No. 196, "The Nest," Jaffna
Sept. 6, 1904	249	Nugapitiya, K. B.	Kegalla
June 15, 1898	188	Nugawela, T.	"Nagolla Walawwa," Matale
Sept. 7, 1904	250	Pandittasakere, H. A.	"Madampe Walawwa," Madampe
Sept. 2, 1909	278	Peiris, T. R.	Moratuwa
Oct. 14, 1907	262	Pereira, L. G.	Matara
Nov. 17, 1898	202	Perera, H. G. E.	Ettiriagala estate, Kadawatta
Sept. 8, 1891	71	Fillai, G. C. G.	Puloly West, Point Pedro
Aug. 15, 1898	199		
May 26, 1893	92	Pole, R. C. S. de La	Gampola
April 25, 1892	79	P. Asaipillai	Jaffna
July 26, 1905	251	Potger, V. G.	"Pimlico," Badulla
May 21, 1890	24	Presudi, A.	Manipay, Jaffna
April 11, 1899	209	Rajakariar, A.	Irrigation Sub-Inspector, Chilaw
June 4, 1898	187	Rajakakse, W. de Z. G.	"Costa Rica," Kanatta road, Borella
Jan. 25, 1898	176	Rajaratnam, C.	Chilaw
Nov. 29, 1897	174	Ramanadea, J. H.	Batticaloa
April 3, 1897	149	Rodrigo, J. M.	Cotta
Feb. 4, 1898	177		
April 16, 1896	133	Sandrasagra, J. N.	Valikamam West, Panditarippu R. O.
Aug. 15, 1898	196		
Aug. 8, 1904	248	Sannugalingam, V.	Jaffna
May 25, 1893	91	Saran, G. C. F. de	Ward place, Cinnamon Gardens
Oct. 5, 1891	73	Saran, W. B. de	"The Castle," No. 44, Bambalapitiya
May 5, 1892	75		
May 22, 1906	253	Savundaranayagam, A. R.	"Barandeniya Cottage," Steuart place, Colpetty
July 11, 1902	233	Shahrengivel, H. O.	Kalutara
Aug. 20, 1901	227	Selvadiurai, M.	Vannarponnai East, Jaffna
July 21, 1892	83	Silva, C. P. de	The Ceylon Survey Agency, Moratuwa
Sept. 7, 1909	276	Silva, M. G. de	"Jayawardanapura," Etul Kotte
Mar. 9, 1894	106	Sourjah, A. A.	No. 7, Vauxhall street, Slave Island, Colombo
Mar. 20, 1890	6	Spencer, S. W.	Malabar street, Kandy
July 25, 1898	105	Stewart, J. C.	Matale
July 9, 1908	208	Subasinghe, C. D.	Weralupe Walawwa, Ratnapura
Nov. 5, 1894	118	Sundrum, A. M.	Puttalam
July 25, 1898	196		
April 15, 1898	183	Tambiah, D. A.	Jaffna
April 14, 1890	13	Trowell, J. T.	No. 8, Palace Square, Kandy
Jan. 29, 1901	219		
Oct. 10, 1894	112	Vallipuram, S. J.	Pundaluoya
Mar. 13, 1899	218		
April 14, 1890	12	Van Buren, H.	Windermere, Karlsruhe, Colombo
Aug. 6, 1909	273		
Jan. 17, 1901	218	Van Cuylenberg, V. A.	Kosgama, Kelani Valley Line
Oct. 25, 1900	214	Vandermaet, J. G.	"Carlisle," No. 7, Horton place, Colombo
Dec. 4, 1906	257	Vanderwall, E. J.	The Municipality, Colombo
Feb. 18, 1909	269	Vandort, C. O.	"Muresk," Clifford place, Bambalapitiya
Aug. 15, 1906	255	Wass, M. M.	Nainamadama, Wennappuwa
Sept. 3, 1890	46	Weeraratne, G. P.	"Louisville," Borella, Colombo
May 21, 1898	185		
May 30, 1908	265	Wiraratne, C. L.	"The Castle," Tangalla
June 24, 1902	230	Wright, E. J. de La Harpe	Lighthouse street, Galle

E.—Persons holding Annual Licenses in Surveying.

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
Feb. 4, 1918	358	A 387	Alwis, J. W.	Public Works Department, Matara
Jan. 5, 1918	325	A 343	Collette, T. F.	Kalutara
Jan. 15, 1918	353	A 301	Dewasurendra, H. P.	"Villa de Luxe," Matara
Jan. 5, 1918	305	A 344	Dias, J. F.	Kalutara
Jan. 17, 1918	317	A 374	Enright, J.	Sunny Bank, Matara
Jan. 28, 1918	350	A 384	Ferdinand, S. E.	Matara
Jan. 10, 1918	354	A 351	Gnanaprasadam, C.	Manipay
Jan. 3, 1918	352	A 340	Jayasinghe, C. D.	Trincomalee street, Kandy
Jan. 16, 1918	312	A 308	Kalenberg, F. N.	Gampola
Jan. 10, 1918	327	A 368	Marcus, J. L. E.	Kogalla
Jan. 8, 1918	313	A 346	Mourling, R. O.	The Fort, Matara
Jan. 26, 1918	335	A 382	Muthuswamy, N. K.	Anuradhapura
Jan. 3, 1918	286	A 338	Nagamuttoo, R.	Kottai, Kallar, via Batticaloa
Jan. 10, 1918	355	A 371	Phillips, C. E.	Main street, Jaffna

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	280 ..	A 369 ..	Ponniah, P.	.. Chavakachcheri
Jan. 17, 1918 ..	357 ..	A 373 ..	Thambiah, J. S.	.. Ratnapura
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	336 ..	A 347 ..	Vanderput, S. J. L.	.. Negombo
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	351 ..	A 341 ..	Warusavitane, S.	.. Hikkaduwa
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	283 ..	A 350 ..	Wijetunge, C. de C.	.. Union House, Bambalapitiya
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	289 ..	A 342 ..	Wiraratne, D.	.. Tangalla
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	347 ..	A 339 ..	Wright, J. B. M.	.. Halloluwa road, Kandy

F.—Persons holding Annual Licenses in Levelling.—Nil.

G.—Persons holding Annual Licenses in Surveying and Levelling.

Jan. 30, 1918 ..	292 ..	A 386 ..	Abeygunawardena, V. L. D.	Fort, Galle
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	324 ..	A 337 ..	Anthonisz, E. M.	.. Y. M. C. A., Galle
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	329 ..	A 388 ..	Caldera, T. N.	.. Panadure
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	273 ..	A 334 ..	Ehamparam, S.	.. Jaffna
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	297 ..	A 389 ..	Emmanuel, D. G.	.. Thaladuwa, Negombo
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	300 ..	A 377 ..	Erskine, H.	.. Kurunegala
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	323 ..	A 352 ..	Fernando, W. R. S.	.. "Henriette House," 2nd Division, Hunupitiya, Negombo
Jan. 30, 1918 ..	328 ..	A 385 ..	Gunasekera, D. D.	.. Negombo road, Kurunegala
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	290 ..	A 345 ..	Hepponstall, G. F.	.. Ambalangoda
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	322 ..	A 332 ..	Jayemanne, L. R.	.. St. Sebastian's View, Madampe
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	298 ..	A 356 ..	Jayasundera, E. D.	.. Galle
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	320 ..	A 335 ..	Jonklaas, V. J. C.	.. Green Wood, Lady Hortons, Kandy
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	344 ..	A 381 ..	Koch, E. R. F.	.. Tangalla
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	349 ..	A 383 ..	Ohlmus, C. A.	.. Bambalapitiya
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	342 ..	A 357 ..	Perera, J. G.	.. Charles place, Moratuwa
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	293 ..	A 365 ..	Perera, A. A.	.. "Louis Villa," Panadure
Jan. 17, 1918 ..	348 ..	A 372 ..	Perera, A. M.	.. Chilaw
Jan. 19, 1918 ..	334 ..	A 375 ..	Pieris, T. M.	.. Railway Extension Office, Tiriwanaketiya, Ratnapura
Jan. 11, 1918 ..	275 ..	A 359 ..	Pillai, E. Chinniah	.. "Lakshmi Villa," Kurunegala
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	346 ..	A 370 ..	Prins, Karl	.. Mount Lavinia
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	284 ..	A 366 ..	Ratnam, S. S.	.. Hulftsdorp
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	338 ..	A 362 ..	Rodrigo, J. R. A.	.. "Kirkby," Panadure
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	315 ..	A 363 ..	Rodrigo, J. A. V.	.. "Kirkby," Panadure
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	303 ..	A 336 ..	Schokman, O. P. N.	.. Kurunegala
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	339 ..	A 380 ..	Senaratne, H. F. F.	.. Moratuwa
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	332 ..	A 333 ..	Silva, M. B. de	.. Kotte
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	279 ..	A 353 ..	Silva, M. D. M.	.. Veyangoda
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	276 ..	A 379 ..	Sivaprakasam, A.	.. Kesbewa
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	269 ..	A 349 ..	Smith, J. H. W.	.. Soma Nivasa, Modera street
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	270 ..	A 367 ..	Spencer, C. D. P.	.. Kandy
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	306 ..	A 354 ..	Thambidurai, M.	.. Puttalam
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	364 ..	A 364 ..	Valayutham, K.	.. Puloly West, Point Pedro
Jan. 10, 1918 ..	281 ..	A 355 ..	Valenuruku, K.	.. Puloly West, Point Pedro
Jan. 11, 1918 ..	333 ..	A 360 ..	Weeraratne, J.	.. Kalutara
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	307 ..	A 376 ..	Wijeyesekera, E.	.. Bridgvin, Mutwal
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	288 ..	A 378 ..	Wirasinghe, L. R.	.. Calmar House, Havelock Park
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	321 ..	A 348 ..	Zoysa, R. B. de	.. Madampe, Ambalangoda

H (i.).—Surveyors and Levellers holding Surveyor-General's Special License to be renewed every year.

Date of License.	License No.	Name.	Address.
Jan. 30, 1918 ..	73 ..	Abeygunewardena, V. L. D.	.. Fort, Galle
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	50 ..	Almeida, P. D. Peter de	.. Saltair, Negombo
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	8 ..	Anthonisz, E. M.	.. Y. M. C. A., Galle
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	70 ..	Anthonisz, C. A.	.. Mount Lavinia
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	23 ..	Arulvasagam, M.	.. Main street, Jaffna
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	24 ..	Bandaranayake, R. E. Dias	.. Dambaliyadde, Wariyapola
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	35 ..	Balasooriya, D. E. A.	.. Pelmadulla
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	74 ..	Caldera, T. N.	.. Panadure
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	25 ..	Corea, J. A. C.	.. Chilaw
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	26 ..	Dahanayake, S. H.	.. Fort, Galle
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	36 ..	David, C. A.	.. Manipay, Jaffna
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	62 ..	Dias, H. G.	.. York Cottage, Bambalapitiya
Jan. 17, 1918 ..	39 ..	Ebert, E. F.	.. Kegalla
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	5 ..	Ehamparam, S.	.. Jaffna
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	75 ..	Emmanuel, D. G.	.. Thaladuwa, Negombo
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	17 ..	Ernst, H. V.	.. Matara
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	64 ..	Erskine, H.	.. Kurunegala
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	43 ..	Fernando, W. R. S.	.. "Henrietta House," 2nd Division, Hunupitiya, Negombo
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	76 ..	Gunasekera, J. D. S.	.. Minuwangoda
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	30 ..	Hepponstall, G. F.	.. Ambalangoda
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	73 ..	Hickey, H. G.	.. "Ireby," Norwood
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	51 ..	Hun, E. B.	.. Chavakachcheri
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	47 ..	Jayasundera, E. D.	.. Galle
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	1 ..	Jayemanne, L. R.	.. St. Sebastian's View, Madampe
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	6 ..	Jonklass, V. J. C.	.. Green Wood, Lady Horton's, Kandy
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	10 ..	Kandasamy, S. S.	.. Matale
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	68 ..	Koch, E. R. F.	.. Tangalla
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	27 ..	Misso, A. J. B.	.. Mount Cliff, Galle
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	12 ..	Motte, G. E. de La	.. No. 60, Trincomalee street, Kandy
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	11 ..	Murray, F. J. N.	.. "Athol," Madampe, North-Western Province
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	72 ..	Ohlmus, C. A.	.. Bambalapitiya
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	52 ..	Pandithasekera, H. A.	.. Madampe
Jan. 11, 1918 ..	49 ..	Paramanthaan, S.	.. Usan, Kodikamam

Date of License.	License No.	Name.	Address.
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	77 ..	Peiris, T. R.	.. Moratuwa
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	56 ..	Perera, A. A.	.. "Louis Villa," Panadure
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	71 ..	Perera, L. G.	.. Matara
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	38 ..	Pillai, G. C. Ganapathy	.. Point Pedro
Jan. 11, 1918 ..	48 ..	Pillai, E. Chinnaiah	.. Lashumi Villa, Kurunegala
Feb. 4, 1918 ..	79 ..	Presudi, A.	.. Jaffna
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	57 ..	Ratnam, S. S.	.. Hulftedorp
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	53 ..	Rodrigo, J.	.. Kotte
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	55 ..	Rodrigo, J. A. W.	.. Kirkby, Panadure
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	28 ..	Sanmugalingam, V.	.. Jaffna
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	14 ..	Savundaranayagam, A. R.	.. Kollupitiya Cottage, No. 35, Colpetty
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	7 ..	Schokman, O. P. N.	.. Kurunegala
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	29 ..	Selvadurai, M.	.. Vannarponnai
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	3 ..	Silva, M. B. de	.. Kotte
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	44 ..	Silva, M. D. M.	.. Veyangoda
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	66 ..	Sivaprakasam, A.	.. Kesbewa
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	34 ..	Smith, J. H. W.	.. Soma Nivasa, Modera street
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	59 ..	Spencer, C. D. P.	.. Kandy
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	37 ..	Sundram, A. M.	.. Puttalam
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	18 ..	Thambiah, D. A.	.. Kachchai, Kodikamam
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	45 ..	Thambidurai, M.	.. Puttalam
Jan. 15, 1918 ..	54 ..	Valayutham, K.	.. Puloly West, Point Pedro
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	46 ..	Valemuruku, K.	.. Puloly West, Point Pedro
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	13 ..	Vancuylenberg, V. A.	.. Viesberg, Kosgama
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	40 ..	Waas, M. Moses	.. Nainamaduwa
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	21 ..	Wiraratne, D.	.. Tangalla
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	65 ..	Wirasinghe, L. R.	.. Calmar House, Havelock Park
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	16 ..	Wright, E. J.	.. Galle
Jan. 21, 1918 ..	63 ..	Wijesekera, E.	.. Bridgvin, Mutwal
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	33 ..	Zoysa, R. B. de	.. Madampe, Ambalangoda

H (ii).—Surveyors holding Surveyor-General's Special License to be renewed every year.

Jan. 5, 1918 ..	20 ..	Collette, T. F.	.. Kalutara
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	19 ..	Dias, J. F.	.. Kalutara
Jan. 17, 1918 ..	60 ..	Enright, J.	.. "Sunny Bank," Matara
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	42 ..	Gnanapragasam, C. A.	.. Manipay, Jaffna
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	4 ..	Jayasinha, C. D.	.. Trincomalee street, Kandy
Jan. 16, 1918 ..	58 ..	Kalenberg, F. N.	.. Gampola
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	31 ..	Meurling, R. O.	.. Fort, Matara
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	69 ..	Muthuswamy, N. K.	.. Anuradhapura
Jan. 5, 1918 ..	15 ..	Souzar, L. L. de	.. Kalutara
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	22 ..	Soysa, S. A.*.	.. Peradeniya road, Kandy
Jan. 17, 1918 ..	61 ..	Thambiah, J. S.	.. Hospital road, Ratnapura
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	32 ..	Vanderput, S. J. L.	.. Negombo
Jan. 26, 1918 ..	67 ..	Vanderstraaten, C. M.	.. The Sanitorium, Nugegoda
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	9 ..	Warusevitane, S.	.. Hikkaduwa
Jan. 8, 1918 ..	41 ..	Wijetunge, C. de C.	.. Union House, Bambalapitiya
Jan. 3, 1918 ..	2 ..	Wright, J. B. M.	.. Halloluwa road, Kandy

I.—List of Suspended and Cancelled Licenses.—Nil.

* For Fiscal surveys in Central Province only.

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

W. C. S. INGLES,
Surveyor-General.

Notice to Shippers and Importers.

Transshipment Facilities in United Kingdom.

IN continuation of the notice dated January 29, 1918, and published in *Gazette of February 1, 1918*, notice is hereby given that transshipment facilities in the United Kingdom cannot be guaranteed for the following shipments to British territories:—

(a) Goods from Neutral countries in respect of which His Majesty's Government have obtained control over portions of output by agreements and which are required immediately in the United Kingdom, e.g., Dutch exports of condensed milk, butter, and eggs.

(b) Goods from European Allies which are heavy or bulky, but of comparatively small value.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

F. BOWES,
Principal Collector.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 22, 1917, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,917 of December 28, 1917, the premises bearing assessment No. 158.

situated at Grandpass road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exist in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 31, 1918.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. CHAS. W. PATE,
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 4, 1918, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,919 of January 11, 1918, the premises bearing assessment No. 35, situated at Timbirigasyaya, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 10, 1918.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, January 31, 1918. CHAS. W. PATE,
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 11, 1918, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,920 of January 18, 1918, the premises bearing assessment No. 102, situated at Timbirigasyaya, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exist in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 19, 1918.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, February 4, 1918.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as "St. Bernards," situated at Pamankada road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 31, 1918.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, January 31, 1918.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 716, situated at Pamankade road, Colombo: It is hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said premises is an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from February 4, 1918.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, February 4, 1918.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 11, 1918, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,920 of January 18, 1918, the premises bearing assessment No. 1, situated at Kirillapone lane, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exist in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 25, 1918

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, February 2, 1918.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 34, situated at Kirillapone road, Colombo: It is hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said premises is an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 25, 1918

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon
Colombo, February 1, 1918.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in Kaddaiparichchan, Sampur, Kunitivu, Ilakantai, Toppur, Ichchilampattain and Malligaitivu of Koddiyar pattu, in the District of Trincomalee, Eastern Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the villages, the boundaries of which are specified below, are infected areas.

W. G. VALLIPURAM,
Trincomalee Kachcheri, for Assistant Government Agent.
January 19, 1918.

BOUNDARIES REFERRED TO.

Kaddaiparichchan and Maruthadicheuai.

North by back water called "Kali."

East by ditto.

South by Kaddaiparichchan-aar.

West by District Road Committee road to Sampur.

Sampur and Kunitivu.

North by Shell Bay.

East by old road from Kunitivu to Samponkali and a line from Kunitivu to sea.

South by Sampukali.

West by a line from Sampukali to sea.

Ilakantai.

North by Maruthavedduvan-aar.

East by sea.

South by Maddapukali.

West by Ilakantai tank bund.

Toppur.

North by old coast road.

East by a line across Allai tank from 59 to 57th milepost, Coast road.

South by Trincomalee-Batticaloa road, 61 to 59th milepost.

West by Eriativuveli and Pirampuvveli.

Ichchilampattai.

North by Parapirakkam-aar.

East by sea.

South by Palath-aar.

West by Trincomalee-Batticaloa road, 51 to 49th milepost.

Malligaitivu.

North by Periyaveli, old Pachchanoor, and Paddithidal village boundaries.

East by Peruvveli tank bund.

South by village path from Menkamam to Malligaitivu.

West by village path from Nilapalai to Pachchanoor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned areas declared infected, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance, No. 25 of 1909, and published in *Government Gazette*, are now free from cattle disease:—

Village.	Number of Gazette.	Page in Gazette.
Ambanpitiya	.. 6,897	.. 21 (Part I.)
Paragammana, Waldeniya, Beragala, and Dikella estate	.. 6,903	.. 250 (Part I.)

Kegalla Kachcheri,
January 26, 1918.

MERVYN JOSEPH,
for Assistant Government Agent.

Senior and Junior Examinations, Survey Department.

IT is hereby notified that the above examinations fixed for April 15, 1918, and the following days, will be held at the Survey Department Training School, Buller's road, Colombo, and at the Offices of the Superintendent of Surveys, Galle, Kurunegala, Kandy, Badulla, Ratnapura, Batticaloa, Anuradhapura, Jaffna, and Diyatalawa, commencing at 10 A.M.

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

W. C. S. INGLES,
Surveyor-General.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

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

C. M. YOUNG,
Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Council.
Colombo, January 29, 1918.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Monday, February 25, 1918.

Moderu street.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
3897.147	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 7
3913.132	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7. 5
3917A.127A	..3rd quarter, 1914, to 4th quarter, 1916	7.10
3918.126	..1st quarter, 1914, to 4th quarter, 1916	7.15
3919.126	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.20
3920.126	.. Do.	.. 7.25
3927-3930.76	4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 7.30
3934.105	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.35
3935.104	.. Do.	.. 7.40
3937.102	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.45
3938.101	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.50
3940.100	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7.55
3941.99	.. Do.	.. 8
3942.98	..3rd quarter, 1913, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8. 5
3947.91	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 8.10
3949.89	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 8.15
3950.89	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.20
3952.92	.. Do.	.. 8.25
3954.88A	..1st quarter, 1913, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8.30
3955.86	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 8.35
3956.86B	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8.40
3957.88c	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 8.45
3958.85	..1st quarter, 1914, to 4th quarter, 1916	8.50
3965.79	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8.55
3966.79	..1st quarter, 1913, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 9
3968.77	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 9. 5
3969.77 (1)	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 9.10
3974.74	.. Do.	.. 9.15
3980.69	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 9.20
3981.68	.. Do.	.. 9.25
3983.66	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 9.30
3990.61	..1st quarter, 1914, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 9.35
3994.59 (1-6)	4th quarter, 1916	.. 9.40
3995A.58	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.45
3999A.56A	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 9.50
3999B.56B	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.55
3999C.56C	.. Do.	..10

Date of Sale : Tuesday, February 26, 1918.

Moderu street.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
3999D.56D	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7
4004.51	.. Do.	.. 7. 5
4006.49	..4th quarter, 1915, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 7.10
4007.49	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 7.15
4008A.37	.. Do.	.. 7.20
4009.35	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7.25
4010.35	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 7.30
4011.35	.. Do.	.. 7.35
4012.27	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7.40
4012A.27A	.. Do.	.. 7.45
4013.28	.. Do.	.. 7.50
4016.35	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 7.55
4019.45	..Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd quarter, 1915, to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 8
4022.42	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8. 5
4025.39	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.10
4034.14	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 8.15
4035.22	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 8.20
4038.10	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.25
4045.3	.. Do.	.. 8.30
4046.2	..Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd quarter, 1913, to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 8.35
4046A	..Balance, 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.40

Temple road.

4049.1	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 8.45
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Mutwal street.

4057.129	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.50
4058.128	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8.55
4060.126	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9
4061.126	.. Do.	.. 9. 5
4063.125	.. Do.	.. 9.10
4067.122	..Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.15
4069.129	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.20
4070.118	.. Do.	.. 9.25
4071.117	.. Do.	.. 9.30
4072.101	..Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.35
4073.101	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.40
4075.101	..Riot damages, 1916	.. 9.45
4076.98	..Riot damages, 1916, and 1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 9.50
4077.98	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.55
4077A.98	.. Do.	..10

Date of Sale : Wednesday, February 27, 1918.

Mutwal street.

4078.103	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7
4079.106	.. Do.	.. 7. 5
4081.104	.. Do.	.. 7.10
4082.97	.. Do.	.. 7.15
4084.95	.. Do.	.. 7.20
4086.94	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.25
4088.89	..1st quarter, 1913, to 4th quarter, 1916	7.30
4093.69	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.35
4094.68	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 7.40
4095.67	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 7.45
4097.65	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 7.50
4098.65	..3rd quarter, 1913, to 4th quarter, 1916	7.55
4099.63	..1st to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 8
4103.71	..3rd quarter, 1914, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8. 5

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.	Date of Sale : Friday, March 1, 1918.
4108.92	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.10	<i>Layard's Broadway.</i>
4109.107	.. 4th quarter, 1916	.. 8.15	Premises No. Quarter and Year. Time of Sale. A.M.
4114.114A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.20	359.42 .. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7
4114A.114B	.. 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	8.25	369A.50D .. 2nd quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7. 5
4119.110	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8.30	369B.50E .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 7.10
4120.109	.. 1st quarter, 1915, to 4th quarter, 1916, and riot damages, 1916	.. 8.35	<i>Nagalagam street.</i>
4121.108	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.40	715.20 .. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.15
4122.111	.. Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 8.45	863.185 .. 1st to 4th quarter, 1916 .. 7.20
4123.86	.. Do.	.. 8.50	892.218 .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.25
4124.84/85	.. Do.	.. 8.55	901.227 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 7.30
4126.82	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9	873.197 .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.35
4131.77	.. Do.	.. 9. 5	875.199/200 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 7.40
4133.78	.. Do.	.. 9.10	886.213 .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.45
4134.74	.. Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd quarter, 1912, to 4th quarter, 1916	.. 9.15	<i>Daniel's road.</i>
4135.73	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.20	1393.171A .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 7.50
4136.75	.. Riot damages, 1916, and 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.25	1394.171 .. Do. .. 7.55
4142.58	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1916	.. 9.30	1398.168 .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 8
4143/4144.58	.. Do.	.. 9.35	1400.167 .. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 8. 5
4146.60	.. Do.	.. 9.40	1399.169 .. Do. .. 8.10
4147.59	.. Do.	.. 9.45	1418.93 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 8.15
4148.59	.. Do.	.. 9.50	1419.93A .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 8.20
4149.59	.. Do.	.. 9.55	1420.93B .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 8.25
4150.59	.. Do.	.. 10	1421.93C .. Do. .. 8.30
			1421A.93D .. Do. .. 8.35
			1422.93E .. Do. .. 8.40
			1423.93F .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 8.45
			1424.93G .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 8.50
			<i>Madampitiya.</i>
			1494.1 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 8.55
			1495.2 .. Do. .. 9
			1496.3 .. Do. .. 9. 5
			<i>Daniel's road.</i>
			1407.195A .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 9.10
			1416.200 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 9.15
			1417.201 .. Do. .. 9.20
			<i>Madampitiya Cemetery road.</i>
			1526.71 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 9.25
			1527.72 .. Do. .. 9.30
			1528.73 .. Do. .. 9.35
			1559.50 .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 9.40
			1559A.50A .. 2nd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 9.45
			<i>Alutmawata.</i>
			3085.137 .. 1st quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1917 9.50
			3092.146 .. 2nd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 9.55
			3093.223 .. 4th quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 10
			Date of Sale : Saturday, March 2, 1918.
			<i>Vine street.</i>
			3095.146 .. 2nd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7
			<i>Alutmawata.</i>
			3112.215 .. 4th quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7. 5
			3116.111 .. 1st quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.10
			3120.210 .. 3rd quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.15
			<i>Madampitiya.</i>
			1443.91 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 7.20
			1444.92 .. Do. .. 7.25
			1445.91A .. Do. .. 7.30
			1446.91B .. Do. .. 7.35
			1448.95/96 .. Do. .. 7.40
			<i>Urugodawatta.</i>
			658.17 .. 3rd quarter, 1916, to 2nd quarter, 1917 7.45
			<i>Alutmawata.</i>
			3046.240 .. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1917 .. 7.50

**Prices of Food Stuffs, &c., in Colombo
on February 6, 1918.**

	Rs.	c.
Muttusamba, No. 1 quality .. Per bushel	6	12
Kara Rice .. do.	—	—
Kallunda, No. 1 quality .. Per bag (2½ bushels)	12	88
Sulai, No. 1 do. .. do.	13	25
Kora (Mill) No. 1 do. .. do.	—	—
Raw Rice, Rangoon .. Per bushel	5	25
Do. Singapore .. do.	—	—
Mysore Dhoil .. do.	5	50
Green Peas (Gram) .. do.	5	50
Thovarem Dhoil .. do.	4	75
Chillies, No. 1 quality .. Per thulan (26½ lb.)	8	50
Do. Rangoon do. .. do.	—	—
Red Onions .. do.	1	50
Bombay Onions .. Per cwt.	9	0
Potatoes, Indian .. do.	10	0
Do. Bangalore .. do.	—	—
Maldive Fish, No. 1 quality .. do.	54	0
Sugar, Crystal .. Per bag (2 cwt.)	36	0
Soft Sugar .. Per cwt.	22	0
Matches, "Three Stars" .. Per case of 50 gross boxes	169	0
Kerosine Oil "Monkey Brand" Per tin	4	70
Do. "Daylight" .. do.	4	85

	Rs.	c.
Kerosine Oil "Rising Sun" .. Per tin	—	—
Coriander .. Per lb.	0	16
Beef .. do.	0	30
Mutton .. do.	0	55
Chicken .. Each	0	80
Fish, Fresh (Seer) .. Per lb.	40 to 75	cents
Do. (Common) .. do.	—	—
Dry Fish (Kumbalawas) No. 1 quality .. Per 1,000	8	35
Do. (Halmessan), No. 1 quality .. Per cwt.	20	0
Eggs .. Each	0	4
Milk, Fresh, Cow .. Per pint	0	24
Bread .. Per lb.	0	16
Plantains .. Each	0	1
Limes .. Per 100	0	60
Salt .. Per bushel	2	68
Coconuts .. Per 1,000	Rs. 35 to 40	
Firewood .. Per cwt.	0	90

* Retail prices.

S. H. WADIA,
Financial Assistant to the
Chairman, Municipal Council.

February 6, 1918.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

**Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the
Municipal Office on Saturday, December 8, 1917.**

The Council met this day at 2 P.M., pursuant to notice dated December 3, 1917.

Present :—The Hon. Mr. R. B. Hellings, Chairman; Mr. D. G. Goonewardena; Mr. H. M. Mankan Markar; Mr. D. W. Subesinghe; Dr. C. B. Louranz; Mr. C. E. de Vos; Mr. G. E. Abeywardena; Mr. A. C. Hayley; Mr. E. H. Vanderstraeten; and Mr. J. E. Perera.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of Council held on November 17, 1917, a copy thereof having been previously sent to each Councillor, were taken as read and confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. G. E. Abeywardena asked—

(1) How was the leak in the Hiyare reservoir caused? The Chairman replied that he is unable at present to give this information.

(2) What is the daily wastage of water through this leak? The Chairman replied that, according to the records, the average daily leakage is: maximum 9,288, minimum 2,894 gallons, per 24 hours.

(3) What steps have been taken to put the leak to right? The Chairman replied that the leak was first noticed in October, 1916, and borings were taken to locate it, as decided by the Director of Public Works and the Provincial Engineer, Galle. The leak has been trapped into a pond and gauged daily by means of a triangular notch, and from the observations statements have been made for each month since April last, showing the volume of water issuing from the leak, from which curves have been plotted. The Provincial Engineer stated on November 20 that sufficient data had been obtained, and the figures sent to the Director of Public Works, whose further advice has been solicited.

(4) With reference to the answer given by the Chairman at a previous meeting, have any steps been taken to construct the Bope bridge? The Chairman said the reply is in the negative.

(Mr. D. W. Subesinghe and Mr. J. E. Perera came in at this stage.)

2. The Chairman read a letter dated December 6, 1917, from Mr. F. R. E. Nicholas.

Papers re Mr. F. R. E. Nicholas's pension. The Chairman stated that the pension papers had been returned by the Colonial Secretary for this Council's decision as to whether the allowance of Rs. 500 drawn by Mr. Nicholas (subsequently increased to Rs. 1,000) was voted as salary to be included as pensionable emoluments.

Mr. D. G. Goonewardena moved—That this Council is of opinion that the allowance of Rs. 1,000 drawn by the late Superintendent of Works was voted to him personally as an equivalent to salary, and is therefore to be regarded as part of his salary for the purpose of calculating pension. Mr. G. E. Abeywardena seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman, with the leave of Council, brought up another question in this connection. Mr. Nicholas had requested that the sum of Rs. 389, which he had been called upon to pay, in connection with the work on the hatchbox chambers, may be deducted by instalments of Rs. 20 per mensem from his pension.

The Chairman moved—That the request be allowed, on Mr. Nicholas furnishing security to the satisfaction of Council for the payment of Rs. 389 and interest at 9 per cent. per annum. Mr. J. E. Perera seconded.—Carried.

3 and 4. Papers re protest from the present renter of the fish auction shed re sale of 4 per cent. commission for 1918, and sale of fish stalls No. 60, 61, and 62 in the fish market for 1918.

The Council went into Committee. On Council resuming, the Chairman moved—That the Council do stand by the decision arrived at, at the last meeting. Mr. D. G. Goonewardena seconded.—Carried.

5. Letter dated November 29, 1917, from the Secretary, Galle Gymkhana Club, re painting railings round pavilion. The Chairman moved—That the Galle Gymkhana Club be allowed to repair the fence, and that the cost of same be paid by Council. Mr. D. G. Goonewardena seconded.—Carried.

6. Papers re excess of 8 days' leave granted to Cemetery-keeper, Mr. T. A. Koch. The Chairman moved—That the Cemetery-keeper be granted one month's leave on half pay from December 1, 1917. Mr. D. G. Goonewardena seconded.—Carried.

7. Confirmation of the appointment of Dr. Meri Perera as Medical Officer of Health. The appointment was confirmed.

8. Papers re rickshaw stand opposite the Fort market. The Chairman stated that the Superintendent of Police and the Acting Superintendent of Works had reported on the unsuitability of the site selected. Resolved—That the previous resolution of Council of November 17, 1917, be cancelled with regard to this rickshaw stand. It was agreed to use some of the railings provided for the rickshaw stand at High street, for the rickshaw stand at the railway station.

9. To submit applications for the post of Superintendent of Works. Council went into Committee. On Council resuming, it was agreed to postpone consideration of the applications to the next meeting.

10, 11, and 12. Extracts from the Minutes of Meeting of Standing Committees on Municipal Works, Finance and Assessment, and Law and General subjects.

10.—*Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance and Assessment (meeting together) of December 8, 1917.*

(1) Estimate for filling up the hollow, reconstructing portion of carriage road, and repairs to culvert in Victoria Park, Rs. 340.—Recommended.

(2) Revised estimate for building side drain along the main road and Cross road in China Garden, Rs. 632.75.—Recommended.

(3) Revised estimate for thatching roof and tarring iron work of sheds in Segregation Camp, Dadalla, Rs. 225.—Recommended.

(4) Estimate for weeding Bikke and Hiyare reservoirs and road estimates for 1918.—Recommended.

(5) Application for water service to premises No. 37 and 38, Kaluwella, Ward Nos. 5; No. 932, Galupiadda, and 41, Makuluwa, in Ward No. 3; Nos. 27 and 147, Kaluwella, in Ward No. 2.—Recommended.

(6) Tenders for supply of rubble and transport of metal during 1918. (a) Supply of rubble.—Recommended that M. Junaid's tender of Rs. 5.45 per cube be accepted for a period of six months. (b) Transport of metal.—Recommended that M. Junaid's tender of Re. 1.75 per cube for the 1st and 2nd mile, and Rs. 2.50 per cube for the 3rd and 4th mile be accepted for a period of six months.

(7) Sale and removal of old windmill on the ramparts.—Recommended.

11.—*Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of December 8, 1917.*

(8) Employment of a typist.—Recommended that the consideration be deferred for one year.

Resolved—That the recommendations of the Standing Committees be adopted.

12.—*Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General subjects of December 8, 1917.*

(1) To consider draft of a by-law against unauthorized re-thatching of buildings. The Standing Committee is in favour of the by-law by 2 to 1.

Mr. G. E. Abeywardena moved—That the by-law be not passed. Mr. D. W. Subesinghe seconded.—Carried.

13. The following documents were tabled:—

(1) Statement of receipts and disbursements to end of November, 1917.

(2) Progress report of works done on estimates to end of November, 1917.

(3) Report of Acting Inspector of Vehicles and Animals on carriages plying for hire during the month of November, 1917.

(4) Diaries of Medical Officer of Health and Manager, Health Department.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, January 12, 1918.

Confirmed:
R. B. HELINGS, Chairman.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Special General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the Municipal Office on December 8, 1917.

THE Council met this day immediately after the General Meeting, pursuant to notice dated December 3, 1917, in terms of section 98 of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," to finally consider the Budget for 1917, as prepared by the several Standing Committees.

Present :—The Hon. Mr. R. B. Hellings, Chairman; Mr. D. G. Goonewardena; Mr. H. M. Makan Markar; Mr. D. W. Subesinghe; Dr. C. B. Lourensz; Mr. C. E. de Vos; Mr. G. E. Abeywardena; Mr. A. C. Hayley; and Mr. J. E. Perera.

Resolved—That the estimates of probable receipts and proposed expenditure for 1918, as prepared by the several Standing Committees on November 17, 1917, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,912 of November 23, 1917, be approved, and that the taxes mentioned in page 539 of the said *Gazette* be levied, including a tax payable under section 129 of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," in six days' labour, or a sum of Rs. 2 in commutation of such labour, and such further labour, and money commutation as is provided for under the provisions of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," and of the amending Ordinance No. 31 of 1884.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, January 12, 1918.

Confirmed:
R. B. HELINGS, Chairman.

A.—Detailed Statement of Receipts from January 1 to December 31, 1917.

REVENUE.

	Estimated Revenue for 1917.		Receipts to December 31, 1917.			Estimated Revenue for 1917.		Receipts to December 31, 1917.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
I.—TAXES.									
1 Commutation under Road Ordinance	16,000	0	15,370	0	14 Stamp duty on boats for hire	450	0	252	0
2 Taxes on vehicles and animals	11,000	0	10,791	5	15 Stamp duty on firearms	80	0	167	50
3 Taxes on vehicles and animals, costs	20	0	—	—	16 Stamp duty on intoxicating liquors	4,000	0	4,487	0
4 Taxes on motor vehicles	1,500	0	2,644	0	17 Stamp duty on butchers' licenses	50	0	70	0
	28,520	0	28,805	5	18 Stamp duty on Supreme Court proctors	750	0	763	0
II.—ASSESSMENT ACCOUNT.									
5 Lighting rate	9,900	0	8,414	59	19 Stamp duty on District Court proctors	270	0	279	0
6 Assessment rate	33,000	0	28,849	15	20 Stamp duty on notaries' certificates	320	0	308	0
7 Water rate	23,700	0	22,172	92	21 Licenses for sale of poisons	5	0	10	0
8 Consolidated rate	6,800	0	8,857	26	22 Licenses to auctioneers and brokers	500	0	660	0
9 Lighting, assessment, water, and consolidated rate, costs	2,000	0	1,841	21	23 Licenses for removal and storage of petroleum	200	0	225	0
	75,400	0	70,135	13	24 Licenses for offensive and dangerous trades	125	0	126	50
III.—LICENSES.									
10 Stamp duty on carriages for hire	200	0	663	0	25 Licenses for motor vehicles and hiring and drivers' licenses	600	0	1,010	0
11 Stamp duty on hackeries for hire	1,200	0	984	0					
12 Stamp duty on jinrickshaws for hire	250	0	313	0					
13 Stamp duty on carts for hire	1,700	0	1,556	0					
						10,700	0	11,874	0

	Estimated Revenue for 1917.		Receipts to December 31, 1917.			Estimated Revenue for 1917.		Receipts to December 31, 1917.						
	Ra.	c.	Ra.	c.		Ra.	c.	Ra.	c.					
IV.—FINES.														
26 Judicial fines ..	3,000	0	2,441	77	48 Boutiques and verandah of boutiques in meat market bazaars ..	560	0	560	0					
V.—TOLLS.														
27 Compensation by Government for tolls ..	17,945	0	17,945	0	49 Fruit trees ..	620	0	281	0					
VI.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.														
28 Slaughter-house fees ..	500	0	625	0		1,370	50	1,008	50					
29 Pounding and feeding cattle and goats ..	1,000	0	1,480	13	X.—MISCELLANEOUS.									
30 Special licenses to slaughter cattle, goats, and pigs ..	30	0	56	0	50 Sale of fare tables ..	60	0	64	0					
	1,530	0	2,171	13	51 Sale of metal tickets for dogs ..	20	0	33	74					
VII.—HEALTH DEPARTMENT.														
31 Sale of disinfectants ..	25	0	22	4	52 Sale of building applications ..	15	0	30	93					
32 Conservancy of dry earth closets ..	9,000	0	9,962	50	53 Sale of unserviceable articles ..	25	0	1,489	04					
	0,025	0	9,984	54	54 Interest ..	750	0	20	00					
VIII.—MARKETS.														
33 Fish stalls in markets ..	1,233	0	1,304	54	55 Fees for testing weights and measures ..	15	0	105	25					
34 Fish auction shed ..	9,000	0	18,279	40	56 Fees for notice boards ..	60	0	190	32					
35 Meat market bazaars ..	500	0	662	50	57 Sundry receipts ..	250	0	25	0					
36 Green market bazaar ..	3,090	0	3,252	5	58 Surplus account from sale of unclaimed stray cattle ..	25	0	50	0					
37 Fruit market bazaar ..	2,483	0	2,676	25	59 Sale of scavenging rubbish ..	50	0	53	00					
38 Refuse meat market bazaars ..	120	0	208	50	60 Licenses to graze cattle ..	400	0	497	1					
39 Fort market ..	350	0	442	0	61 Fees for decorations, pandals, &c. ..	200	0	635	30					
40 Dewata market ..	120	0	231	57	62 Registration of dogs ..	550	0	100	0					
41 Kaluwella market ..	75	0	54	50	63 Motor vehicles, registration, and transfer fees ..	100	0	240	0					
42 Betel sheds ..	510	0	502	50	64 Sale of empty kerosine oil tins and cases ..	240	0	2,760	0					
43 Private markets ..	400	0	415	0		2,760	0	4,040	1					
	17,971	0	25,118	81	XI.—CEMETERY.									
IX.—RENTS.														
44 Bathing and drinking wells, Talbot town ..	76	0	76	0	65 Burial fees, &c. ..	300	0	275	50					
45 Room in pavilion ..	24	0	12	0	XII.—WATERWORKS.									
46 Pavilion ..	60	0	60	0	66 House service connections ..	700	0	850	4					
47 Encroachment—ticket of occupancy ..	40	60	30	50	67 Sale of water ..	1,600	0	1,575	36					
					68 Rent of motors ..	140	0	131	0					
					69 Fixing meters ..	30	0	25	0					
					70 Sundry receipts ..	30	0	4	21					
						2,500	0	2,536	17					
					Total Revenue ..	171,011	50	176,396	01					

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated Expenditure for 1917.		Disbursements to December 31, 1917.			Estimated Expenditure for 1917.		Disbursements to December 31, 1917.						
	Ra.	c.	Ra.	c.		Ra.	c.	Ra.	c.					
NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.														
1 Pensions ..	3,696	31	5,859	62	Other Charges.									
2 Fee for audit of accounts ..	1,000	0	1,000	0	17 Refunds ..	200	0	433	72					
3 Maintenance of Police ..	33,452	0	33,452	0	18 Advertisements ..	350	0	174	53					
4 Interest and sinking fund on loan for waterworks ..	3,500	0	3,500	0	19 Printing ..	2,000	0	1,818	70					
5 Interest and sinking fund on loan for sanitary improvement ..	2,255	0	2,255	0	20 Stationery ..	400	0	517	20					
6 Interest and sinking fund on loan for new water supply schemes ..	9,000	0	9,000	0	21 Furniture ..	50	0	91	0					
7 Contribution to Friend-in-Need Society ..	250	0	250	0	22 Uniform coats for peons ..	18	0	16	0					
	53,153	31	55,316	62	23 Petty expenses ..	160	0	189	10					
I.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF DEPARTMENTS.														
8 Chairman ..	500	0	500	0	24 Miscellaneous ..	500	0	388	91					
II.—SECRETARIAT.														
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>														
9 Salaries ..	9,356	90	8,675	21	25 Rents ..	650	50	650	50					
10 Allowances ..	1,200	0	1,143	86	26 Government Gazettes and other books of reference ..	20	0	16	0					
11 Commission to road tax collectors ..	1,350	0	863	7	27 Telephone ..	125	0	125	0					
12 Assessing and selling properties, &c. ..	400	0	180	41	28 Commission for revising assessment ..	2,000	0	—	—					
13 Commission to lighting rate collectors ..	600	0	345	73	28a Translating, typing, and printing revised by-laws ..	—	—	—	—					
14 Commission to assessment rate collectors ..	2,000	0	887	5		33,970	40	17,732	47					
15 Commission to water rate collectors ..	1,600	0	814	8	III.—VEHICLES AND ANIMALS DEPARTMENT.									
16 Commission for collection of consolidated rate ..	1,000	0	403	86	<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
					29 Salaries ..	180	0	172	50					
					30 Allowances ..	8	0	8	0					
					31 Commission to vehicle and animal tax collectors ..	50	0	3	74					
					32 Inspectors' uniforms, &c. ..	35	0	35	0					
					33 Commission on fines to Inspectors ..	75	0	28	10					

	Estimated Expenditure for 1917.		Disbursements to December 31, 1917.			Estimated Expenditure for 1917.		Disbursements to December 31, 1917.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
34 Badges, tin and enamelled plates, fare tables, tickets for dogs, tickets for grazing cattle, painting and numbering of carriages ..	500	0	471	2					
35 Seizure and destruction of dogs ..	250	0	1,466	32					
36 Refunds ..	10	0	2	50					
	1,108	0	2,182	18					
IV.—JUDICIAL.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
37 Salaries ..	500	0	500	0					
38 Allowances ..	560	0	560	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
39 Costs in legal proceedings ..	50	0	41	0					
	1,110	0	1,101	0					
V.—MARKETS.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
40 Salaries ..	744	0	635	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
41 Uniform coat for market master ..	20	0	16	0					
	764	0	651	0					
VI.—FISH AUCTION SHED.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
42 Salaries ..	2,094	0	2,076	50					
VII.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
43 Salaries ..	420	0	420	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
44 Grass for cattle and goats ..	650	0	850	35					
	1,070	0	1,270	35					
VIII.—FIRE BRIGADE.									
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
45 Maintenance, improvements, &c. ..	750	0	20	2					
IX.—TOWN CLOCK.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
46 Salaries ..	120	0	120	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
47 Repairs, &c. ..	100	0	10	25					
	220	0	130	25					
X.—LIGHTING.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
48 Salaries ..	540	0	511	50					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
49 Lighting, coolies ..	1,800	0	1,389	50					
50 Lighting, cost of lamps, &c. ..	7,980	0	5,643	11					
	10,320	0	7,544	11					
XI.—CEMETERY.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
51 Salaries ..	420	0	371	16					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
52 Coolies ..	270	0	268	70					
53 Upkeep of cemetery, &c. ..	50	0	90	0					
	740	0	729	86					
XII.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.									
<i>Sanitation Branch.</i>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
54 Salaries ..	7,007	60	6,779	63					
55 Allowances ..	1,330	0	1,186	70					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
56 Prevention of infectious diseases ..	2,000	0	70	22					
57 Uniform for inspectors ..	100	0	100	0					
58 Contingencies ..	150	0	32	1					
59 Analysis of water and stuffs ..	100	0	2	0					
60 Rat destruction ..	500	0	794	79					
	11,137	60	8,965	35					
<i>Scavenging Branch.</i>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
61 Salaries ..	870	0	870	0					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
62 Coolies and conservancy, Victoria Park ..	6,594	0	6,489	92					
63 Contingencies ..	200	0	183	75					
64 Scavenging (draught cattle and drivers) ..	6,240	0	6,235	0					
	13,904	0	13,778	67					
<i>Conservancy Branch.</i>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
65 Salaries ..	1,608	0	16	20					
66 Allowances ..	210	0	210	0					
67 Commission to latrine fees collector ..	550	0	528	48					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
68 Coolies, conserving latrines ..	5,670	0	5,612	30					
69 Buckets and lids ..	1,500	0	1,936	14					
70 Disinfectants ..	1,000	0	672	76					
71 Coir dust and transport ..	780	0	773	90					
72 Digging trenches and construction of roads at night soil depôt ..	30	0	358	50					
73 Contingencies ..	200	0	236	5					
74 Draught cattle and drivers ..	3,744	0	3,734	0					
	15,562	0	15,682	13					
XIII.—WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
75 Salaries ..	2,275	0	2,281	83					
76 Allowance ..	1,120	0	909	62					
<i>Other Charges.</i>									
77 Turncocks, &c. ..	1,080	0	900	0					
78 Weeding Bikke and Hiyare grounds ..	950	0	795	36					
79 Maintenance and repairs of approach roads, Hiyare and Bikke ..	450	0	743	90					
80 Maintenance of buildings, Hiyare and Bikke ..	50	0	—	—					
81 Repairs, &c., to mains, including materials and tools ..	250	0	456	25					
82 Upkeep of reservoir embankment, dam, tower, &c. ..	100	0	541	71					
83 Labour, materials, &c., for house service connections ..	600	0	879	43					
84 Fixing and upkeep of meters ..	100	0	40	25					
85 Improvement to existing service, scraping mains, &c. ..	1,000	0	3,492	7					
	7,975	0	11,040	42					
XIV.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.									
<i>Annually Recurrent.</i>									
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>									
86 Salaries ..	4,500	88	4,689	44					
87 Allowances ..	660	0	588	33					
<i>Public Works Annually Recurrent.</i>									
88 Watering streets ..	400	0	402	89					
89 Whitewashing Municipal buildings ..	400	0	400	0					
90 Repairs to carts ..	500	0	1,005	0					
91 Tools ..	100	0	213	51					
92 Upkeep of roads ..	12,000	0	12,979	92					
93 Upkeep of Municipal buildings ..	500	0	827	87					
94 Upkeep of bridges ..	900	0	287	88					
95 Clearing canals ..	750	0	722	50					
96 Upkeep or drainage, Fort ..	200	0	244	69					
97 Upkeep of drainage, suburbs ..	400	0	1,053	25					
98 Repairs to buildings, &c., in the Segregation Camp and Infectious Diseases Hospital, Dadalla ..	500	0	387	50					
99 Planting shade trees ..	300	0	26	22					
	22,110	0	23,829	0					
<i>Public Works Extraordinary.</i>									
100 Minor works ..	250	0	956	32					
101 Keppu-ela retaining wall ..	2,000	0	2,038	21					
102 New carts (scavenging night soil, hand, and water) ..	2,220	0	377	19					
102a Rebuilding Bope bridge ..	—	0	845	70					
102b Improvements to roads ..	—	0	340	19					
	4,470	0	5,157	61					
102c Taking levels, &c., for new drainage scheme ..	—	0	1,198	37					
	170,958	31	168,905	86					
Total Expenditure ..									

A.—Statement showing the Total Receipts and Disbursements to end of December, 1917.

REVENUE.	Amount		Actual		EXPENDITURE.	Amount		Actual Dis-	
	Estimated.	Rs. c.	Receipts.	Rs. c.		Estimated.	Rs. c.	bursements.	Rs. c.
Taxes	28,520 0	28,805 5	Non-effective charges ..	..	53,153 31	55,316 62		
Assessment	75,400 0	70,135 13	Chairman ..	..	500 0	500 0		
Licenses	10,700 0	11,874 0	Secretariat ..	..	23,970 40	17,732 42		
Judicial fines	3,000 0	2,441 77	Vehicle and Animal Department..	..	1,108 0	2,182 18		
Tolls	17,945 0	17,945 0	Judicial ..	..	1,110 0	1,101 0		
Slaughter-houses	1,530 0	2,171 13	Markets ..	..	764 0	651 0		
Health Department	9,025 0	9,984 54	Fish auction shed ..	..	2,094 0	2,076 50		
Markets	17,971 0	25,118 81	Slaughter-house..	..	1,070 0	1,270 35		
Rents	1,370 50	1,009 50	Fire Brigade ..	..	750 0	20 2		
Miscellaneous	2,750 0	4,040 1	Town clock ..	..	220 0	130 25		
Cemeteries	300 0	275 50	Lighting ..	..	10,320 0	7,544 11		
Waterworks	2,500 0	2,596 17	Cemetery ..	..	740 0	729 86		
				Public Health Department :—					
				Sanitation Branch ..	..	11,137 60	8,965 35		
				Scavenging Branch ..	..	13,904 0	13,778 67		
				Conservancy ..	..	15,562 0	15,682 13		
				Waterworks ..	..	7,975 0	11,040 42		
				Public Works Department :—					
				Annually recurrent ..	..	22,110 0	23,829 0		
				Extraordinary ..	..	4,470 0	5,157 61		
				Taking levels, &c., for new drainage scheme ..	..	—	1,198 37		
Total Revenue	171,011 50	176,396 61	Total Expenditure ..	..	170,958 31	168,905 86		
Deposits	—	62,911 73	Deposits repaid ..	..	—	61,520 9		
Advances repaid	—	49 25	Advances ..	..	—	16 (
Total Receipts	—	239,357 59	Total Disbursements ..	..	—	230,441 95		
Cash balance on January 1, 1916..	..	—	65,904 2	Cash balance on Dec. 31, 1917 ..	..	—	74,819 66		
Total	—	305,261 61	Total ..	..	—	305,261 61		

B.—Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount.	Amount.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
Expenditure from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1917 ..	168,905 86	Surplus on January 1, 1917 ..	43,326 21
Surplus on December 31, 1917 ..	50,816 96	Revenue from January to December, 1917 ..	176,396 61
Total ..	219,722 82	Total ..	219,722 82

C.—Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.	ASSETS.	Amount.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Deposits ..	24,002 70	Cash in Bank :—	
Surplus ..	50,816 96	Fixed deposits ..	3,085 0
		Current account in Bank Rs. 69,701 66	
		Uncashed cheques ..	1,905 31
			67,796 35
		Cash in hand of Shroff ..	3,938 31
Total ..	74,819 66	Total ..	74,819 66

D.—Riot Account to December 31, 1917.

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Amount.	HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Amount.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Advance by Government ..	70,000 0	Compensation for losses ..	69,996 0
Voluntary contribution ..	12,710 35	Refund of voluntary contribution ..	10,420 41
Riot tax ..	85,429 78	Repaid to Government with interest ..	72,789 91
		Printing, stationery, &c. ..	830 65
		Commission for collection, &c. ..	1,923 18
		Refunds ..	53 0
			166,013 15
		In Bank ..	12,126 98
Total ..	168,140 13	Total ..	168,140 13

The Municipal Office.
Galle, January 12, 1918.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

E.—Deposit Account to end of 1917.

	Remaining on December 31, 1916.		Received during 1917.		Total.		Disbursement during 1917.		Remaining on December 31, 1917.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Security ..	4,588	25	682	50	5,270	75	1,205	0	4,065	75
Police Court fines ..	41	0	288	50	329	50	326	50	3	0
Miscellaneous ..	7,138	8	16,384	21	23,522	29	15,715	32	7,806	97
Riot compensation ..	10,843	73	45,556	52	56,400	25	44,273	27	12,126	98
Total ..	22,611	6	62,911	73	85,522	79	61,520	9	24,002	70

F.—Loan Statement to end of 1917.

Authority ..	Waterworks Loan.		Sanitary Improvement Loan.		New Waterworks Loan.	
	Ordinance No. 2 of 1890 .. and No. 10 of 1891		Ordinance No. 7 of 1887 ..		Hon. the Colonial Secretary's letter to the Hon. the Treasurer, No. 31 of October 20, 1908, and No. 773 of November 13, 1911.	
Date raised ..	September 12, 1890, and .. March 31, 1892		January 31, 1899; August .. 23, 1900; March 11, 1901; and November 5, 1901		—	
Original amount ..	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Amount repaid ..	70,000	0	41,000	0	200,000	0
Balance outstanding ..	33,545	66	—	—	—	—
Sinking fund ..	36,454	34	37,840	82	200,000	0
Remarks ..	—*	—	12,499	75†	12,357	29
Rate of interest and sinking ..	Due, 1932	—	Due, 1930	—	Due, 1955	—
fund ..	5 per cent.	—	6 per cent.	—	4½ per cent.	—

* There is no sinking fund in this case. Prior to December 31, 1905, Rs. 13,613·81 was paid off. Since that date the payment has been by means of an annuity.

† This debt was fixed in 1905 at Rs. 37,840·82; the interest and sinking fund will be calculated on this sum until the loan is liquidated.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, January 20, 1918.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specification has been accepted :—

No. 1,572 of February 1, 1918.

John Peterson.

"Power Generating and Power Transmitting Mechanism."

Abstract.—The inventor states :—

This invention relates to improvements in a power generating and power transmitting mechanism.

The primary object of the invention is to provide means for applying initial power to a prime motor, and by a system of levers and gears multiply this initial power, and the motion transmitted thereby to a secondary motor, from which power is generated and transmitted for application to operate other mechanical appliances.

A further object of this invention is to provide specially constructed mechanism for transmitting the power from the prime motor to the secondary motor.

A still further object of the invention is to provide mechanism of the character described, whereby through the instrumentality of rotary prime moving means, reciprocatory motion is transmitted through rotary elements to the secondary motor.

The claims are :—

1. A power generator comprising a primary motor, and a secondary motor consisting of a central gear wheel, a plurality of floating gear rings meshing therewith, a floating gear ring encircling the gear wheel, and the first mentioned floating gear rings having teeth which mesh with the latter, and connections between the primary motor and the first mentioned floating gear rings to simultaneously rotate the central gear wheel and the outer floating gear ring.

2. In power generators, the combination of a centrally disposed gear wheel, floating gear rings meshing with the central gear wheel, an outer floating gear ring meshing with the first mentioned floating gear rings, gears interposed between the central gear wheel, and the outer floating gear ring, and means for moving the first mentioned floating gear rings bodily in opposite directions to cause rotation of the central gear wheel and the outer floating gear ring.

3. In power generators, the combination of a centrally disposed gear wheel, floating gear rings meshing with the central gear wheel, an outer floating gear ring meshing with the first mentioned floating gear rings, gears interposed between the central gear wheel and the outer floating gear ring, a pair of levers engaging the opposite sides of each of the first mentioned floating gear rings, a roller interposed between each pair of arms to engage the floating gear ring at points adjacent the central gear wheel, and means for simultaneously moving the two rollers and the first mentioned floating gear rings to rotate the central gear wheel and the outer floating gear ring.

4. In power generating means, the combination of a centrally disposed gear wheel, two diametrically disposed floating gear rings meshing with the central gear wheel, two gear wheels meshing with the central gear wheel at about forty-five degrees from the floating gear rings, an outer floating gear ring meshing with the first mentioned gear rings and the interposed gear wheels, arms having rollers engaging the first mentioned gear rings, pivoted levers to which the arms are pivotally connected, rack bars pivoted to the pivoted levers, and a pinion with which the rack bars mesh to cause reciprocation of the rack bars to compel the first mentioned gear rings to propel the central pinion and the outer gear ring.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Election of Burgher Member, District Road Committee, Kandy.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the 26th clause of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of Burgher Member of the District Committee of Kandy for the remainder of the triennial period ending December 31, 1918, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Central Province at least ten days before the day of election. The election will be held on February 9, 1918, at 2 P.M., at the Kandy Kacheheri.

Provincial Road Committee, Kandy, January 22, 1918. W. J. L. ROGERSON, Secretary.

Galagedera-Heenabowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for improving the above road during the year ending September 30, 1918, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety .. Rs. 2,500
Private contribution .. Rs. 2,500

7th and 8th sections from 7th half mile to 8th half mile or 3rd to 4th mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
E. Winter and Dr. Gray (E. Winter)	Uduwakanda	98
Gordon Frazer & Co. (J. C. Pike)	Alutta	400

21st, 22nd, and 23rd sections from 21st half mile to 23rd half mile or 10 to 11½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Heirs of Harold Stevenson and Stanley Hillman	Meegastenna	400
Gordon Frazer & Co. (Stanley Hillman)	Coodoogala	582
L. R. Lawton	Letchime	115
H. J. Perera	Kudumeeriya	30
J. H. E. Amarasekera	Kandamee and Vanilla	55
A. Santhanam	Rangamuwa	36

Sections 22 and 23.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Siri Narayana Mudiyansele Ukku Banda	Dedunupitiya	21
Juwan Waduge Jarnis Baas	Badatellwatta	125
D. A. Wickremasinghe	Bandarawatta	29

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, February 1, 1918. C. S. VAUGHAN, Chairman.

Galagedera-Heenabowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of proviso of section 5 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, a proposal having been made to include the following estates among the estates liable for assessment for the above road, the Provincial Road Committee will on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to re-define the limits of the district to include the under-mentioned estates, and at the same time and place

the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Sections of the road for which assessment is to be made for 1917-18—22nd and 23rd sections (10½ to 11th mile) for improvements and 10th to 11th sections (1½ mile) for maintenance.

Proprietors.	Estates.	Acreage cultivated.	Total Acreage.
Juwan Waduge Jarnis Baas	Badatellwatta	115	121
D. A. Wickremasinghe	Bandarawatta	24	30

Sections of the road for which assessment is to be made for 1917-18—1st section (1 mile) for maintenance.

D. C. Weerasinghe	Walpolatenna	27	27
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Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, February 1, 1918. C. S. VAUGHAN, Chairman.

Galagedera-Heenabowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Local Committee having passed an estimate amounting to Rs. 4,300 for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1918, as stated below the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the contribution:—

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
1st mile	375 50	9th mile	333 00
2nd mile	371 75	10th mile	323 00
3rd mile	525 50	11th mile	408 50
4th mile	483 00	12th mile	384 00
5th mile	263 25		
6th mile	171 75		4,300 00
7th mile	175 50		
8th mile	476 75		

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Pamunuwe Tikiri Duraya	Pamunuwe Group	98
D. C. Weerasinghe	Walpolatenna	27

1st to 3rd section, 2 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Estate of the late S. Parangama, Ratwatta Kumari-hamy	Medagoda	36
Trafford Hill Estates Co. (F. J. Holloway, Superintendent)	Trafford Hill Group	700
E. Winter and M. S. Furlong	Majuba Hill	68
A. Hamilton Harding	Betworth	227
E. Winter	St. George	40
C. Parangama	Allugolla	60
Gordon Frazer & Co. (J. C. Pike, Superintendent)	Alluta	400

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

E. Winter and Dr. Gray	Uduwakanda	98
Gordon Frazer & Co. (J. C. Pike, Superintendent)	Alluta	400
H. I. Perera	Kudumeeriya	30

7th to 11th section, 4½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Heirs of Harold Stevenson and Stanley Hillman	Meegastenna	400
Gordon Frazer & Co.	Coodoogala	582
L. R. Lawton	Letchime	115
J. H. E. Amarasekera	Kandamee and Vanilla	55

9th to 11th section, 2½ miles.

A. Santhanam	Rangamuwa	36
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10th to 11th section, 1½ mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.
Sri Narayana Mudiansalagey
Ukku Banda	.. Dedunupitiya	.. 21
Juwan Waduge Jamis Baas	.. Badatellwatta	.. 125
D. A. Wickremasinghe	.. Bandarawatta	.. 29

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 1, 1918. Chairman.

Galagadera-Heenabowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of section 5 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, application having been made to exclude Gederawatta estate of 30 acres belonging to H. Tikiri Appu from the district in which the above road is situated, the Provincial Road Committee will on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 11.30 at A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to hear objections and to re-define the limits of the district to exclude the said estate.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 2, 1918. Chairman.

Barnagala-Pen-y-lan Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1918, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," will on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	.. Rs. 600
Private contributions	.. Rs. 900

1st to 3rd section, 2 miles 12 chains.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.
W. J. R. Hamilton	.. Pen-y-lan	.. 980
Do.	.. Kellie Group	.. 2,241
F. R. Bisset	.. Tamaravelly	.. 1,350
C. A. Laing	.. Malgolla	.. 481
M. B. Blount	.. Cattarem	.. 578
W. J. R. Hamilton	.. Doteloya	.. 1,744

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 2, 1918. Chairman.

Kadugannawa-Alagalla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1918, 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 road to make up the private contribution:—

(Estimate No. D 163 of 1917-18.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 1,400
Private contributions	.. Rs. 1,414

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 3,117—Moiety of cost, Rs. 282·78—
Sectional rate, ·0907c.—Total rate, ·0907c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
T. H. A. de Soysa	.. Mount Colville	21½	.. 1 97
W. C. Dias	.. Maligatenna	51½	.. 4 70

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 3,044—Moiety of cost, Rs. 565·60—
Sectional rate, ·1858c.—Total rate, ·2764c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Felix Dias	.. Kumaragala	102	.. 28 23

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 2,942—Moiety of cost, Rs. 282·80—
Sectional rate, ·0961c.—Total rate, ·3725c.

H. P. & L. P. Rudd (S. R. Hamer)	.. Beltoff	.. 152	.. 56 67
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1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 2,790—Moiety of cost, Rs. 282·80—
Sectional rate, ·1013c.—Total rate, ·4738c.

P. J. Benwell	.. Andiatenna	.. 170	.. 80 59
Colombo Commercial Co. (C. S. M. Bain)	.. Oolanakanda	.. 365	.. 173 1
Tismode Estates Co. (W. R. Hancock)	.. Tismode & Sea-field	.. 440	.. 208 56
Cumberbatch & Co. (C. S. M. Bain)	.. Alagalla	.. 900	.. 426 57
Eastern Produce & Estates Co., Ltd. (Gordon Skene)	.. Kirimittia and Peak	.. 915	.. 433 68
	Total	.. 1,413	98

N.B.—Private contributions	.. 1,414	0
Deduct unexpended balance, 1916-17	.. 0	2

Amount to be recovered on account 1917-18 1,413 98

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before February 17, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 5, 1918. Chairman.

**Nugatenna-Deanstone Branch Road.
(Flood Damages.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for rebuilding a culvert on the 2nd quarter of 26th mile of the above road, damaged by flood, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions at the rate of ·0397c. per acre. Total acreage, 3997½:—

Government moiety	.. Rs. 155·00
Private contributions	.. Rs. 158·87

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Amount due
			Rs. c.
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (R. Burke)	.. Nugagalla	.. 222	.. 8 82
M. E. Waddilove (R. Burke)	.. Navanagalla	.. 295	.. 11 72
Whittall & Co. (E. M. Wright)	.. Meemunagalla	535	.. 21 27
Do.	.. Deanstone	.. 576	.. 22 90
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnstone)	.. Hare Park	.. 454	.. 18 5
Whittall & Co. (W. Sinclair)	.. Kobonella	.. 718	.. 28 54
Kana Luna Meeya Pulle	.. Fincham's Land No. 1	.. 96	.. 3 81
Puncha Vidane Duraya	.. Fincham's Land No. 2	.. 31½	.. 1 25
Whittall & Co. (W. Sinclair)	.. Ensalwatta	.. 264	.. 10 49
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnstone)	.. Dehigolla	.. 475	.. 18 88
Do.	.. Loolooowatta	.. 309	.. 12 27
S. P. Santhiveeran and M. Aiyasamy	.. Seeacumbura	.. 22	.. 0 87
	Total	.. 1,413	98

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before February 17, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 5, 1918. Chairman.

Padiyapelella-Ellamulla Branch Road.
(Latrines for Cooly Lines.)

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 building cooly latrines on the 26½ mile of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, February 16, 1918, 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 50.00		
Private contributions	..	Rs. 51.25		
Proprietors or Agents.		Estates.	Acreage.	
Central Tea Co. of Ceylon, Ltd. (H. G. Lyell) ..		Kabaragala ..	635	
George Steuart & Co. (R. K. Symonds) ..		Galella ..	273	
The Anglo-American Danish Tea Trading Co., Ltd. (G. Baird) ..		Mandaranewera	466	
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. (R. K. Symonds) ..		Ellamulla ..	431	

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 5, 1918. Chairman.

Branch Road from Kegalla-Polgahawela Road to Lowlands Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having granted the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the road from Kegalla-Polgahawela road to Lowlands estate, during 1917-18, the Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested, as follows:—

BRANCH ROAD FROM KEGALLA-POLGAHAWELA ROAD TO LOWLANDS ESTATE.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 400		
Private contributions	..	Rs. 404		
1st to 2nd section, 1 mile.				
Total acreage, 829—Moiety of cost, Rs. 345.30—				
Sectional rate, .41652—Total rate, .41652.				
			Amount.	
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Charles Peries	.. Serapis	.. 60	.. 24	99

1st to 3rd section, 1 mile 17 chains.

Total acreage, 769—Moiety of cost, Rs. 58.70—				
Sectional rate, .07633—Total rate, .49285.				
Lipton, Limited	.. Cairnhill	.. 132	.. 65	6
Do.	.. Lower Eadella	.. 20	.. 9	86
Do.	.. Lowlands	.. 65	.. 32	4
Do.	.. Upper Eadella	.. 438	.. 215	87
Do.	.. Lesmoir	.. 114	.. 56	18

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before February 20, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. B. NAISH,
Kurunegala, February 1, 1918. Secretary.

Mallawapitiya-Rambodagalla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road and the bridge over the Kospotu-oya during 1917-1918, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said road, as follows:—

(Estimates Nos. D 524 and D 641.)

Government moiety for the maintenance of the road	..	Rs. 6,200	c. 0
Government moiety for the bridge over the Kospotu-oya	..	124	38
Private contributions for the maintenance of the road	..	6,262	0
Private contributions for the bridge over the Kospotu-oya	..	125	62

1st to 2nd section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 11,306—Moiety of cost, Rs. 455.44—
Sectional rate, .040283c.—Total rate, .040283c.

			Amount.	
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Mrs. J. A. Dona Thekala Hamine	.. Mallawapitiya	.. 100	.. 4	3
Mr. Simon Fernando	.. Uyandanawatta	.. 100	.. 4	3

1st to 3rd section, 1½ miles.

Total acreage, 11,106—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227.72—
Sectional rate, .020504c.—Total rate, .060787c.

G. D. John Fernando	Eyandanawatta	60	..	3	65
M. M. Kana Meera Saibo	Dangahamulawatta	23	..	1	40
Mr. J. D. Nicholas	.. (Estate sold by Mr. Modder)	.. 70	..	4	26
Mr. C. P. Markus	.. Rhenil	.. 165	..	10	3

1st to 4th section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 10,788—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227.72—
Sectional rate, .021108c.—Total rate, .081895c.

Dikirikewage Dona					
Balbina Hamine	.. Galpottewatta	.. 120	..	9	83
Mr. P. Gooneratne	.. Lizzidale alias Tarapotuwatta	.. 250	..	20	48

1st to 5th section, 2½ miles.

Total acreage, 10,418—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227.72—
Sectional rate, .021857c.—Total rate, .103752c.

Heirs of P. B. Migolle	Paragahamulawatta	.. 40	..	4	16
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1st to 6th section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 10,378—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227.72—
Sectional rate, .021942c.—Total rate, .125694c.

Mrs. W. G. Rockwood	Galgodewatta	.. 100	..	12	57
Dr. David Rockwood	Kotakande	.. 30	..	3	79

1st to 7th section, 3½ miles.

Total acreage, 10,248—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227.72—
Sectional rate, .022220c.—Total rate, .147914c.

Mr. Mohamed Ali	.. Kotakande	.. 100	..	14	80
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1st to 8th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 10,148—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227.72—
Sectional rate, .022439c.—Total rate, .170353c.

Dr. H. M. Fernando	Aspokunawatta	.. 321	..	54	69
Mrs. A. M. Abeysekera	Lindapitiyewatta	.. 56	..	9	54
Tingole Suppiah	.. Tingolewatta	.. 48	..	8	18
Meegolle Arachchi	.. Leeniyagolla	.. 30	..	5	12
H. D. Sasira	.. Attikkagahamulawatta	.. 30	..	5	12

1st to 9th section, 4½ miles.

Total acreage, 9,663—Moiety of cost, Rs. 353.34—
Sectional rate, .036566c.—Total rate, .206919c.

Mr. F. N. Daniels	.. Kospotuoyewatta	135	..	27	95
Mr. T. B. Delwita	.. Pitawelawatta	.. 64	..	13	26
Mr. T. Y. Wright	.. Shakerley	.. 1,303	..	269	63

1st to 11th section, 5½ miles.

Total acreage, 8,161—Moiety of cost, Rs. 455·44—
Sectional rate, ·05586c.—Total rate, ·262725c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Dr. H. M. Fernando	Meegastenna	.. 164	.. 43 9

1st to 14th section, 7 miles.

Total acreage, 7,997—Moiety of cost, Rs. 683·16—
Sectional rate, ·085427c.—Total rate, ·348152c.

Mr. L. St. G. Carey	.. Normandy	.. 350	.. 121 87
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1st to 16th section, 8 miles.

Total acreage, 7,647—Moiety of cost, Rs. 455·44—
Sectional rate, ·059558c.—Total rate, ·407710c.

Mr. A. A. Barnes	.. Pangalla	.. 520	.. 212 1
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1st to 18th section, 9 miles.

Total acreage, 7,127—Moiety of cost, Rs. 455·44—
Sectional rate, ·063903c.—Total rate, ·471613c.

Messrs. H. Don Carolis & Sons	Ridi Uyanwatta	.. 233	.. 109 89
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1st to 23rd section, 11½ miles.

Total acreage, 6,894—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,138·60—
Sectional rate, ·165158c.—Total rate, ·636771c.

Mr. A. A. Barnes	.. Ridigama Group	1,352	.. 860 93
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1st to 24th section, 12 miles.

Total acreage, 5,542—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227·72—
Sectional rate, ·041089c.—Total rate, ·677860c.

Arunachalam Chetty	Maryland or Kaliswara	.. 140	.. 94 91
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1st to 25th section, 12½ miles.

Total acreage, 5,402—Moiety of cost, Rs. 227·72—
Sectional rate, ·042154c.—Total rate, ·720014c.

Egoris Appuhamy	.. Veyangoda	.. 36	.. 25 93
Sadiris Appuhamy	.. do.	.. 38	.. 27 38
Central Tea Co. of Ceylon, Ltd.	.. Delhena	.. 504	.. 362 89
Mr. T. B. Delwita	.. Delwita Walawwa	24	.. 17 29

1st to 28th section, 14 miles.

Total acreage, 4,800—Moiety of cost, Rs. 569—
Sectional rate, ·118504c.—Total rate, ·838518c.

Messrs. James Finlay & Co.	.. Delwita Group	.. 2,749	.. 2,305 9
Messrs. Harrisons & Crosfield	.. Keppitigala	.. 1,751	.. 1,488 26
Mr. R. E. S. de Soysa	.. Nella Oola	.. 300	.. 251 56

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the
several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial
Treasury on or before February 20, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. B. NAISH,
Kurunegala, February 1, 1918. Secretary.

Gevillipitiya-Hatgampola Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the
advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having
agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the main-
tenance of the under-mentioned road for 12 months from
October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1918, 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 in the district interested in the main-
tenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

GEVILLIPITIYA-HATGAMPOLA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate D 367 of November 1, 1917.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 600
Private contributions	.. Rs. 612

Total acreage, 1,627—Moiety of cost, Rs. 612—Rate
per acre, 37·6152c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
L. W. A. de Soysa	.. Yellangowrie	440	.. 165 52
W. L. Strachan (Rubber Estates of Ceylon, Ltd., Agents)	.. Debatgama	.. 540	.. 203 14
Rubber Estates of Ceylon (the Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Co., Agents)	.. Urakanda	.. 647	.. 243 34
			Total .. 612 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the
several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial
Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

Balangoda-Chetnole Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the
advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having
agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the main-
tenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1917,
to September 30, 1918, the Provincial Road Committee
of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the pro-
visions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14
of 1896, have assessed the proportion due by each estate
in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-
mentioned road, as follows:—

BALANGODA-CHETNOLE BRANCH ROAD.
(Estimate No. D 286 of October 29, 1917.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 1,100
Private contributions	.. Rs. 1,122

1st to 4th section:

Total acreage, 3,266½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 661—
Sectional rate, 20·2388c.—Total rate, 20·2388c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
S. Welapillai and W. Sup- pramanium	.. Lady Smith and Alpha	80	.. 16 19
M. Sinnatamby	.. Wewawatta	81	.. 16 39
H. & N. Worship	.. Morabela	.. 353	.. 71 44
F. S. Hill and heirs of the late Mr. H. M. Seel	.. Walawe	.. 362	.. 73 26

1st to 7th section.

Total acreage, 2,390—Moiety of cost, Rs. 461—
Sectional rate, 19·2887c.—Total rate, 39·5275c.

The Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Co., Ltd.	.. Meddekanda	803	.. 317 40
Do.	.. Rassagala	.. 1,505½	.. 594 91
P. L. Palawasan Pillai	.. Selvawatta	82	.. 32 41
			Total .. 1,122 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the
several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial
Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

Road from Parakaduwa Station to Hemmingford Estate.

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 main-
tenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1917,
to September 30, 1918, 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 in the

district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows :—

ROAD FROM PARAKADUWA STATION TO
HEMMONGFORD ESTATE.

(Estimate No. 232 of October 25, 1917.)

Government moiety	..	Rs. 600
Private contributions	..	Rs. 612

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 2,944—Moiety of cost, Rs. 413·51—
Rate per acre, 14·0458c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
The Grand Central Rubber Co.	.. Meegastenna	.. 132	..	18	54

1st to 2nd section, 1·48 mile.

Total acreage, 2,812—Moiety of cost, Rs. 198·49—
Rate per acre, 7·0586c.—Total acreage, 21·1044c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
The General Tea Estates, Hemmingford Ltd.	.. Group	.. 1,297	..	273	76
G. A. Talbot	.. Digowa	.. 541	..	114	17
Manikanda Rubber Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Agents)	.. Manikanda	.. 400	..	84	41
A. J. R. de Soysa	.. Tatuwalakanda	335	..	70	69
A. H. T. de Soysa	.. Hillington	.. 59	..	12	45
T. A. de S. Wijeratna, Gaffoor Buildings, Fort, Colombo	.. Pannila	.. 180	..	37	98
			Total	..	612 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

Dehiowita-Algoda Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1918, 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 in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows :—

DEHIOWITA-ALGODA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. 242 of October 25, 1917.)

Government moiety	..	Rs. 500
Private contributions	..	Rs. 510

Total acreage, 6,060—Moiety of cost, Rs. 510—
Rate per acre, 8·4141c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
Rajawela Produce Co., Ltd. (Gordon Frazer & Co., Agents)	.. Densworth	.. 552	..	46	44
Panawala Tea Co., Ltd. (Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	.. Ernán and Glassel	.. 1,344	..	113	21
Nahalma Tea Estates Co. (Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	.. Nahalma	.. 681	..	57	30
Woodend Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd. (Lewis Brown & Co., Agents)	.. Woodend	.. 992	..	83	46
Woodend Rubber & Co.	.. Maldeniya	.. 618	..	51	91

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.	
Panawatta Tea and Rubber Co. (Whittall & Co., Agents)	.. Yogama	.. 1,621	..	136	50	
J. A. Symons, Colombo	.. Loolpola and clearings	.. 52	..	4	37	
Nallo Kankany of Degalassa	.. Maliyagoda	.. 100	..	8	41	
G. D. Salman Appuhamy, Dehiowita	.. Ambagampola	50	..	4	20	
A. A. Thabrew, Dehiowita	.. Puhuwalagama	50	..	4	20	
					Total	.. 510 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1918, 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 in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows :—

RATNAPURA-MALWALA FERRY BRANCH ROAD.
(Estimate No. 231 of October 25, 1917.)

Government moiety	..	Rs. 3,500
Private contributions	..	Rs. 3,570

1st section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 10,608—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,428—
Sectional rate, 13·4615c.—Total rate, 13·4615c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
The Mahawala Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	.. Mahawala	.. 1,551	..	208	78

2nd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 9,057—Moiety of cost, Rs. 2,142—
Sectional rate, 23·6502c.—Total rate, 37·1117c.

Saffragam Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd.	.. Carney	.. 530	..	196	69	
Lansdowne Rubber Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Agents)	.. Lansdowne	.. 721	..	267	57	
N. D. S. Silva, Winyatts, Gregory's road, Colombo	.. Silvaland	.. 506	..	187	78	
Mrs. N. D. B. Silva, Guildford House, Cinnamon Gardens, Colombo	.. Agarland	.. 469	..	174	5	
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Co., Ltd.	.. Galboda	.. 742	..	275	36	
Do.	.. Hapugastenna Group	.. 3,393	..	1,259	25	
Do.	.. Alupolla	.. 2,496	..	926	30	
M. G. Gornesz	.. Dikmukalana	200	..	74	22	
					Total	.. 3,570 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Malwala ferry bridge on the Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch Road, 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 in the district interested, as follows:—

BRIDGE ACROSS MALWALA FERRY.

(Estimate D 493 of November 20, 1917.)

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
Government moiety			Rs. 112	50	
Private contributions			Rs. 114	75	
					Assessment.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	
Lansdowne Rubber Co., Ltd (Carson & Co., Agents) ..	Lansdowne ..	721 ..	9	70	
N. D. S. Silva, Winyatts', Gregory's road, Colombo	Silvaland	506 ..	6	80	
Mrs. N. D. B. Silva, Guild- ford House, Cinnamon Gardens, Colombo ..	Agarsland ..	469 ..	6	31	
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Co., Ltd ..	Galboda ..	742 ..	9	98	
Do. ..	Hapugastenna Group ..	3,393 ..	45	69	
Do. ..	Alupolla ..	2,496 ..	33	58	
M. G. Gomesz ..	Dikmukalana	200 ..	2	69	
					Total .. 114 75

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

Glenalla-Havilland Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1918, 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 in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

GLENALLA-HAVILLAND BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. 243 of October 25, 1917.)

Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
Government moiety			Rs. 1,750		
Private contributions			Rs. 1,785		
					Assessment.
Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	
Darley, Butler & Co. ..	Glenalla ..	246 ..	34	19	
					1st section.
					Total acreage, 3,489—Moiety of cost, Rs. 485— Sectional rate, 13·9008c.—Total rate, 13·9008c.
					Assessment.
Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	
George Steuart & Co. ..	Waharaka ..	565 ..	257	98	
					1st to 3rd section.
					Total acreage, 3,243—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,030— Sectional rate, 31·7607c.—Total rate, 45·6615c.
					Assessment.
Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	
Darley, Butler & Co. ..	Havilland ..	525 ..	292	65	
					1st to 4th section.
					Total acreage, 2,678—Moiety of cost, Rs. 270— Sectional rate, 10·0821c.—Total rate, 55·7436c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
Punchirala Arachchi, heir of Adikarirallaye Appu- hamy ..	Pitakele ..	44 ..	24	52	
E. B. Creasy & Co. ..	Dedugalla ..	382 ..	212	94	
Charles Laing ..	Maskaloya ..	155 ..	86	40	
Darley, Butler & Co. ..	Gangwarily ..	425 ..	236	91	
T. A. Periasami Pillai ..	Kelvin ..	944 ..	526	26	
George Hunter ..	Oonankanda ..	153 ..	85	28	
Do. ..	Uduwa ..	50 ..	27	87	
					Total .. 1,785 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. 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 under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1918, 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 in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

ELLEERAWA-PINNAWALA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 285 of October 29, 1917.)

Government moiety	Rs. 2,250
Private contributions	Rs. 2,295

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 3,302—Moiety of cost, Rs. 706—
Sectional rate, 21·3809c.—Total rate, 21·3809c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
S. P. Hayley and W. E. Sparling (Hayley & Ken- ney, Agents) ..	Rye Rubber Division ..	122 ..	26	8	
P. L. Palawasan Pillai ..	Udapolwatta	52 ..	11	11	

1st to 7th section, 6½ miles.

Total acreage, 3,128—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,589—
Sectional rate, 50·7992c.—Total rate, 72·1801c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
The Uplands Tea Co., Ltd. (Whittall & Co., Agents) ..	Maratenna ..	538 ..	388	35	
Do. ..	Detanagala ..	498 ..	359	45	
Do. ..	Cecilton ..	474 ..	342	13	
Do. ..	Pambagolla ..	577 ..	416	50	
Do. ..	Pinnawala ..	397 ..	286	55	

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Assessment.
The Waleboda Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd. (the Galaha Ceylon Tea Es- tates Co., Ltd., Agents) ..	Waleboda ..	245 ..	176	84	
S. T. de Silva, Pine Hill estate, Pelpola, Kalutara	Sherwood ..	399 ..	287	99	

Total .. 2,295 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before March 12, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Ratnapura, January 30, 1918. for Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Notice of Sale, Local Board, Hatton.

NOTICE is hereby given that the houses, &c., at Hatton mentioned in the annexed schedule, having been seized for default in payment of Police and Local Board rates, Hatton, for the 3rd quarter, 1917, will be sold by public auction on February 16, 1918, on the spot at Hatton, at 8 A.M., in conformity with the Local Board Ordinance, No. 19 of 1905, unless in the meantime the amounts showing in respect of rates, together with lawful costs of seizure and sale, are duly paid.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Local Board Office, Hatton.

Kandy Kachcheri,
January 29, 1918.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

Hatton road: Nos. 2, 46, 57, 58, 59, 61, 64, 73, 173, 176, 177, 183, 184, 188, 197, 198, 201, 203, 204, 205, 207, 215, 216, 217, 287, 289, 300, 337, 339, 340, 344, 345, 346, 348, 349, 350, 351, 354, 362, 363, 368, 389, 390, 442, 444, 445, 446, 454, 457, 476, 477, 479, and 481.

LOCAL BOARD OF HATTON-DIKOYA.

Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure for 1918.

Receipts.		Rs.	c.	Expenditure.		Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	8,275	0	Interest and sinking fund	1,600	0		
Licenses ..	5,368	46	on loans ..	4,836	0		
Rents ..	3,617	0	Cost of administration ..	60	0		
Fines ..	125	0	Education (Town School	8,442	0		
Miscellaneous ..	180	0	Ordinance) ..	820	0		
			Sanitation ..	75	0		
			Lighting ..	875	0		
			Police ..	337	0		
			Public works ..				
			Miscellaneous ..				
Balance on December 31, 1917 ..	17,565	46	Balance ..	17,045	0		
	10,269	51		10,789	97		
Total ..	27,834	97	Total ..	27,834	97		

Kandy Kachcheri,
January 31, 1918.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD OF MATALE.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1917.

Revenue.		Rs.	c.	Expenditure.		Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	13,593	12	Interest and sinking fund	717	76		
Licenses ..	4,262	0	on loan ..	3,029	5		
Rents ..	8,440	65	Establishment charges ..	329	39		
Fines ..	627	25	Office contingencies ..	135	42		
Miscellaneous ..	3,358	83	Cost of audit ..	982	52		
Other receipts ..	193	50	Revenue services ..	110	0		
			Education ..	715	99		
			Sanitation ..	2,060	47		
			Miscellaneous ..	88	50		
			Lighting ..	12,778	22		
			Police charges ..	3,692	50		
			Public works ..				
			Other payments ..				
Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	30,475	35	Balance on December 31, 1917 ..	29,590	95		
	12,325	16		13,209	56		
Total ..	42,800	51	Total ..	42,800	51		

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Matale, on December 31, 1917.

Liabilities.	Rs.	c.	Assets.	Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1917 ..	13,209	56	Cash in Kachcheri ..	13,209	56

Statement of Debt of the Local Board of Matale.

Year in which loan was raised ..	Oct. 28, 1907
Original amount of loan ..	Rs. 13,050
Present amount of loan ..	Rs. 13,050
Rate for sinking fund ..	2 per cent.
Rate for interest ..	3½ per cent.
Annual amount payable for sinking fund ..	Rs. 261
Annual amount payable for interest ..	Rs. 456.76
Date when loan will be extinguished ..	May 31, 1937

The whole amount payable as interest and sinking fund as shown above for the year 1917 has been duly paid to the Colonial Treasurer.

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure for 1918.

Revenue.		Rs.	c.	Expenditure.		Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	15,158	95	Interest and sinking fund	717	76		
Licenses ..	4,450	0	on loan ..	3,215	0		
Rents ..	8,590	0	Establishment charges ..	400	0		
Fines ..	600	0	Office contingencies ..	151	42		
Miscellaneous ..	3,364	0	Cost of audit ..	1,011	0		
			Revenue services ..	110	0		
			Education ..	5,602	0		
			Sanitation ..	800	0		
			Miscellaneous ..	2,485	0		
			Lighting ..	150	0		
			Police charges ..	16,662	50		
			Public works ..				
Balance on December 31, 1917 ..	32,162	95	Probable balance on	31,304	68		
	13,209	56	December 31, 1918 ..	14,067	83		
Total ..	45,372	51	Total ..	45,372	51		

Local Board Office,
Matale, January 31, 1918.

E. T. MILLINGTON,
Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD OF ANURADHAPURA.

Statement of Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Anuradhapura for the Year 1917.

Heads of Receipts.		Rs.	c.	Heads of Payments.		Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	8,417	35	Cost of administration ..	4,163	12		
Licenses ..	3,233	50	Sanitation ..	11,014	64		
Rents ..	7,726	49	Lighting ..	2,070	86		
Fines ..	607	90	Police charges ..	98	77		
Miscellaneous ..	3,223	60	Public works ..	12,770	97		
			Miscellaneous ..	408	87		
Total revenue ..	23,208	84	Total expenditure ..	30,526	73		
Other receipts ..	460	76	Other payments ..	454	91		
			Investment ..	8,000	0		
Balance on January 1, 1917 ..	23,669	60	Balances ..	38,981	64		
	22,568	8		7,256	4		
Total ..	46,237	68	Total ..	46,237	68		

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Anuradhapura, on December 31, 1917.

Liabilities.	Rs.	c.	Assets.	Rs.	c.
Advance on account of war loan ..	8,000	0	Investment on account of war loan ..	8,000	0

Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Anuradhapura for the Year 1918.

Heads of Receipts.		Rs.	c.	Heads of Payments.		Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	8,655	43	Cost of administration ..	4,670	39		
Licenses ..	5,000	0	Sanitation ..	11,925	0		
Rents ..	6,950	0	Lighting ..	2,570	0		
Fines ..	520	0	Police charges ..	300	0		
Miscellaneous ..	2,486	50	Public works (recurrent) ..	8,953	87		
			Miscellaneous ..	170	0		
Total probable revenue ..	23,611	93	Total probable expenditure ..	28,239	26		
Other receipts ..	400	0	Other payments ..	400	0		
			Balance on December 31, 1918 ..	28,639	26		
Balance on January 1, 1918 ..	24,011	93		2,578	71		
	7,256	4	Total ..	31,267	97		
Total ..	31,267	97	Total ..	31,267	97		

Local Board Office,
Anuradhapura, February 2, 1918.

H. R. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

**Statement showing the Importations of Rice into the Ports of Ceylon during the
Week ended February 2, 1918.**

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo ..	Bombay ..	63
Do. ..	Calcutta ..	38,282
Do. ..	Singapore ..	1,171
Do. ..	Rangoon ..	10,038
Do. ..	Tuticorin ..	682
Do. ..	Dhanushkodi..	21,649
Jaffna ..	Ammapatam ..	145
Do. ..	Adrampatam ..	174
Do. ..	Point Calmer ..	200
Kayts ..	Musulipatam ..	200
Do. ..	Adrampatam ..	40

555 bags have been shipped from the Port of Colombo during the week ended February 2, 1918.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

R. O. DE SABAM,
for Principal Collector.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left at the Baggage Office 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 March 5, 1918. Goods must be cleared on or before March 9, 1918 :—

Date. 1917.	S. R. No.	Names.	Vessel.	No. and Description of Packages.
May 25 ..	6,052 ..	Mr. Woodrow ..	ss. Kaiser-I-Hind ..	1 revolver ..
Oct. 27 ..	1,849/1,850 ..	C. Fancon, care of M. M. Co. ..	ss. Atlantique ..	2 packages ..
Oct. 30 ..	1,858 ..	C. H. Haslewood ..	ss. Dilwara ..	1 sample case ..
Oct. 31 ..	1,874 ..	Mr. Bian, G. O. H. ..	ss. Kitano Maru ..	1 revolver ..
Nov. 13 ..	2,086/2,087 ..	Topandas ..	Talaimannar train ..	2 parcels Hooka tobacco ..
Dec. 17 ..	2,670 ..	W. Bill 20 of August 7, 1917, Madras Egmores to Nuwara Eliya ..	— ..	1 parcel ..
Dec. 28 ..	2,759 ..	E. L. Pavoo & Bros, W. Bill 12 of July 26, 1917, Trichi to Slave Island ..	— ..	1 package ..

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 1, 1918.

W. T. SOUTHRN,
for Principal Collector.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

NOTE.—In the following lists the numbers in the second column show the number of the "Ceylon Government Gazette" in which the mark was advertised :—

Trade Marks registered during the Month of January, 1918.

Application No.	Gazette No.	Name of Registered Proprietor.	Class.	Certificate No.
1,228 ..	6,905 ..	Mr. C. A. Hughes ..	42 ..	1,812 ..
1,229 ..	6,905 ..	Do. ..	42 ..	1,813 ..
1,247 ..	6,905 ..	Mr. F. R. Senanayake ..	47 ..	1,814 ..
1,254 to 1,268 ..	6,906 ..	Messrs. Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. ..	42 ..	1,815 to 1,829 ..
1,077 ..	6,802 ..	Mr. C. M. Mohamed Hassen ..	48 ..	1,830 ..
1,236 ..	6,898 ..	Mr. V. P. Kunhikuttiali ..	45 ..	1,831 ..
1,253 ..	6,912 ..	Mr. A. Mohamed Cassim ..	17 ..	1,832 ..
1,279 ..	6,909 ..	Messrs. Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. ..	42 ..	1,833 ..

Trade Marks renewed during the Month of January, 1918.

— ..	5,964 ..	Messrs. The Ceylon Brewery ..	43 & 44 ..	416 ..
— ..	5,967 ..	Messrs. Lipton, Ltd. ..	42 ..	568 ..
— ..	5,961 ..	Messrs. Joseph Heap & Sons, Ltd. ..	42 ..	488 ..

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,136.

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. Charles Bowman, Limited, of 6, King street, Tower Hill, London, England, 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 ink in Class 39 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

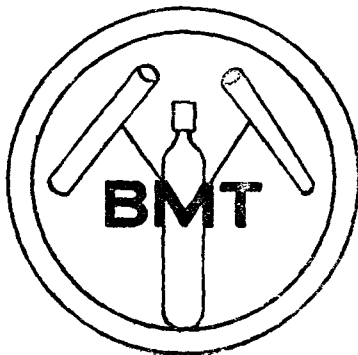
**BOWMAN**

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,297.

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 British Mannesmann Tube Company, Limited, of Salisbury House, London Wall, in the City of London, England, 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 unwrought and partly wrought metals used in manufactures in Class 5; machinery of all kinds and parts of machinery in Class 6; tubes, gas cylinders, poles, and axles in Class 13; and arms, ammunitions, and stores in Class 19 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, January 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,303.

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. Joseph Crosfield & Sons, Limited, of Bank Quay, Warrington, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,304.

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. Joseph Crosfield & Sons, Limited, of Bank Quay, Warrington, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles,

common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47, and perfumery (including toilet articles, preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap) in Class 48 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



BUTTERFLY

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,305.

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. Joseph Crosfield & Sons, Limited, of Bank Quay, Warrington, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



CAMEL

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,308.

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. William Gossage & Sons, Limited, of Widnes, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



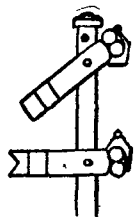
MAGICAL

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,311.

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. Joseph Crosfield & Sons, Limited, of Bank Quay, Warrington, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



SIGNAL

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,312.

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. William Gossage & Sons, Limited, of Widnes, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,313.

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. William Gossage & Sons, Limited, of Widnes, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47, and perfumery (including toilet articles, preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap) in Class 48 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,316.

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. Joseph Crosfield & Sons, Limited, of Bank Quay, Warrington, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47; and perfumery (including toilet articles, preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap) in Class 48 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,317.

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. William Gossage & Sons, Limited, of Widnes, Lancashire, England, Soap 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 candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils, matches, and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes in Class 47 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 6, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE KUTTAPITIYA TEA AND RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE KUTTAPITIYA TEA AND RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (1) To purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire a block of about 2,000 acres of land in the Kuttapitiya village, Pelmadulla district, Province of Sabaragamuwa, of the Island of Ceylon.
 - (2) To purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any lands, concessions, estates, plantations, and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, and any right of way, water rights, and other rights, privileges, easements, and concessions, and any factories, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, immovable or movable, of any kind.
 - (3) To hold, use, clear, open, plant, cultivate, work, manage, improve, carry on, and develop the undertaking lands and real and personal, immovable and movable estate or property and assets of any kind of the Company, or any part thereof.
 - (4) To plant, grow, and produce rubber, tea, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie, and other natural products or produce of any kind in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
 - (5) To treat, cure, prepare, manipulate, submit to any process of manufacture, and render marketable (whether on account of the Company or others) rubber, tea, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid, or any articles or things whatsoever; to buy, sell, export, import, trade, and deal in rubber, tea, coconut produce, coconuts, coffee, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles and things of any kind whatsoever, either in a prepared, manufactured, or raw state, and either by wholesale or retail.
 - (6) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: planters of rubber, tea, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid in all its branches; carriers of passengers and goods by land or by water; forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, tug owners, and wharfingers; proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; and any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with any of them.
 - (7) To acquire or establish and carry on any other business, manufacturing, shipping, or otherwise, which can be conveniently carried on in connection with any of the Company's general business; to apply for, purchase or otherwise acquire, any patents, *brevets d'invention*, concessions, and the like, conferring an exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to benefit the Company; and to use, exercise, develop, grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, and information so acquired.
 - (8) To purchase, rubber, tea leaf, coconuts, coffee, and (or) other raw products or produce for manufacture, manipulation, and (or) sale.
 - (9) To work mines or quarries and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits or products, and generally to carry on the business of mining in all its branches.
 - (10) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold boats, barges, tugs, launches, and vessels of any description whatsoever; to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold vans, omnibuses, carriages, carts, and other vehicles of any description whatsoever; and to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold all live and dead stock, chattels, and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business of carriers by land or by water; of proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; of tugowners and wharfingers or of any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
 - (11) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee curing mills, manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, water-courses, docks, wharves, jetties, and other works, and conveniences which may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company, or may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the Company's interests; and to contribute to, subsidize, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out, or control thereof.
 - (12) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, and elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, and elsewhere; to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings; and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
 - (13) To engage, employ, maintain, and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, coolies, and other servants, and labourers; and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
 - (14) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities, Government, Municipal, local, or otherwise that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, rebates, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
 - (15) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, reciprocal concession, amalgamation, or co-operation with any person, corporation, or company carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company; to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with such shares or securities; and to form, constitute, or promote any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.

- (16) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
- (17) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures or book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
- (18) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable, irredeemable, or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and property of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
- (19) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licenses, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.
- (20) To cause or permit any debentures, debenture stock, bonds, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit; also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (21) To sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (22) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities, and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (23) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- (24) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.
- (25) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, or alone or in conjunction with others, or by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and generally to carry on any business or effectuate any object of the Company.
- (26) To sell, let, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, transfer, deliver, charge, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration.
- (27) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company; and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares (whether fully paid up, or partly paid up) or in debentures, debenture stock or obligations of the Company, or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever, with power to issue any shares either as fully paid up or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (28) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable and movable estate, property, or assets of the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, money or shares (whether fully paid up, or partly paid up) of any company, or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of any company or person, or partly one and partly any other.
- (29) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (30) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

It being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "person" includes any number of persons and a corporation, and that the "other objects" specified in any one paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is One million five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 1,500,000), divided into One hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided, consolidated, or divided into such classes, with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

We, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a Company in pursuance of this Memorandum of Association, and we respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names:—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
A. CRAIB, Invery, Dikoya	One
P. G. WOOD, Pussela, Parakaduwa	One
A. D. CALLANDER, Narthupana, Neboda	One
J. LOCHORE, Colombo	One
G. O. LE MOTTÉE, Battalgalla, Dikoya	One
LIONEL COX, Colombo	One
A. WARDEN, Colombo	One
Total number of Shares taken	Seven

Dated at Colombo. this 10th day of December, 1917.

Witness to the above signatures :

EUSTACE F. DE SARAJ,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE KUTTAPITIYA TEA AND RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows :—

1. *Table C not to apply; Company to be governed by these Articles.*—The regulations contained in Table C in the schedule annexed to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," shall not apply to this Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.
2. *Power to alter the regulations.*—The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained and comprised in these Articles or not.
3. *None of the funds of the Company shall be employed in the purchase of or be lent on shares of the Company.*

INTERPRETATION.

4. *Interpretation clause.*—In the interpretation of these presents the following words and expressions shall have the following meanings, unless such meanings be inconsistent with, or repugnant to, the subject or context :—

Company.—The word "Company" means "The Kuttapitiya Tea and Rubber Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

The Ordinance.—The "Ordinance" means and includes "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861 to 1909," and every other Ordinance from time to time in force concerning Joint Stock Companies which may apply to the Company.

Special resolution.—"Special resolution" has the meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.

Extraordinary resolution.—"Extraordinary resolution" means a resolution passed by three-fourths in number and value of such Shareholders of the Company for the time being entitled to vote as may be present at any meeting of the Company of which notice specifying an intention to propose such resolution as an extraordinary resolution has been duly given.

These presents.—"These presents" means and includes the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time in force.

Capital.—"Capital" means the capital for the time being raised or authorized to be raised for the purposes of the Company.

Shares.—"Shares" means the shares from time to time into which the capital of the Company may be divided.

Shareholder.—"Shareholder" means a Shareholder of the Company.

Presence or present.—With regard to a Shareholder "presence or present" at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

Directors.—"Directors" means the Directors for the time being of the Company or (as the case may be) the Directors assembled at a Board.

Board.—"Board" means a meeting of the Directors or (as the context may require) the Directors assembled at a Board meeting, acting through at least a quorum of their body in the exercise of authority duly given to them.

Persons.—"Persons" means partnerships, associations, corporations, companies, unincorporated or incorporated by Ordinance and registration, as well as individuals.

Office.—"Office" means the registered office for the time being of the Company.

Seal.—"Seal" means the common seal for the time being of the Company.

Month.—"Month" means a calendar month.

Writing.—"Writing" means printed matter or print as well as writing.

Singular and plural number.—Words importing the singular number only include the plural, and *vice versa*.

Masculine and feminine gender.—Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine, and *vice versa*.

BUSINESS.

5. *Commencement of business.*—The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and notwithstanding that the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted, they shall do so as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

6. *Business to be carried on by Directors.*—The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents.

CAPITAL.

7. *Nominal capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is One million five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 1,500,000), divided into One hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

SHARES.

8. *Allotment and issue.*—The shares, except where otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper; provided that such unissued shares shall be first offered by the Directors to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company as nearly as possible in proportion to the shares already held by them, and such shares as shall not be accepted by the Shareholder or Shareholders to whom the shares shall have been offered within the time specified in that behalf by the Directors, may be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as they think most beneficial to the Company; provided also that the Directors may at their discretion allot any unissued shares in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company, and may make arrangements on an issue of shares for a difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid, and the time of payment of such calls.

9. *Payment of amount of shares by instalments.*—If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the holder of the share.

10. *Acceptance.*—Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company from time to time directs.

11. *Payment.*—Payment for shares shall be made in such manner as the Directors shall from time to time determine and direct.

12. *Shares held by a firm.*—Shares may be registered in the name of a firm, and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies, but not more than one partner may vote at a time.

13. *Shares held by two or more persons not in partnership.*—Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons not in partnership.

14. *One of joint-holders other than a firm may give receipts; only one of joint-holders resident in Ceylon entitled to vote.*—Any one of the joint-holders of a share, other than a firm, may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable in respect of such share; but only one of such joint Shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, and if the joint-holders cannot arrange amongst themselves as to who shall vote or give proxies and exercise such other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, the Shareholder whose name stands first on the register of shares shall vote or give proxies and exercise those rights and powers; provided, however, that in the event of such first registered Shareholder being absent from the Island, the first registered Shareholder then resident in Ceylon shall vote or give proxies and exercise all such rights and powers as aforesaid.

15. *Survivor of joint-holders, other than a firm, only recognized.*—In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders, other than a firm, of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

16. *Liability of joint-holders.*—The joint-holders of a share shall be severally as well as jointly liable for the payment of all instalments and calls due in respect of such share.

17. *Trusts or any interest in share other than that of registered holder or of any person under clause 38 not recognized.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 38 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

18. *Increase of capital by a creation of new shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may, by special resolution from time to time, increase the capital by creation of new-shares of such amount per share and in the aggregate, and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as such resolution shall direct.

19. *Issue of new shares.*—The new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof or any other General Meeting of the Company shall direct; and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting. The Directors shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper.

20. *How carried into effect.*—Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them. Such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company, without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

21. *Same as original capital.*—Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents, any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payments of calls and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise.

REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

22. *Reduction of capital and subdivision or consolidation of shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may by special resolution reduce the capital in such manner as such special resolution shall direct, and may by special resolution subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company or any of them.

SHARE CERTIFICATES.

23. *Certificates how issued.*—Every Shareholder shall be entitled to one certificate for all the shares registered in his name, or to several certificates, each for one or more of such shares. Every certificate shall specify the number of the share in respect of which it is issued.

24. *Certificates to be under Seal of Company.*—The certificates of shares shall be issued under the Seal of the Company.

25. *Renewal of Certificate.*—If any certificate be worn out or defaced, then, upon production thereof to the Directors, they may order the same to be cancelled and may issue a new certificate in lieu thereof; and if any certificate be lost or destroyed, then, upon proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Directors, and on such indemnity as the Directors deem adequate being given, a new certificate in lieu thereof shall be given to the person entitled to such lost or destroyed certificate. A sum of fifty cents shall be payable for such new certificate.

26. *Certificate to be delivered to the first-named of joint-holders not a firm.*—The certificate of shares registered in the names of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first-named on the register.

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

27. *Exercise of rights.*—No person shall exercise any right of a Shareholder until his name shall have been entered in the Register of Shareholders, and he shall have paid all calls and other moneys for the time being payable on every share in the Company held by him.

28. *Transfer of shares.*—Subject to the restriction of these articles, any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instrument in writing.

29. *No transfer to minor or person of unsound mind.*—No transfer of shares shall be made to a minor or person of unsound mind.

30. *Register of transfers.*—The Company shall keep a book or books, to be called "The Register of Transfers," in which shall be entered the particulars of every transfer or transmission of any share.

31. *Instrument of transfer.*—The instrument of transfer of any share shall be signed both by the transferor and transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of such share until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof.

32. *Board may decline to register transfers.*—The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise; or to any person not approved by them.

33. *Not bound to state reason.*—In no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

34. *Registration of transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Rs. 2·50, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 32, 33, and 35, shall register the transferee as Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

35. *Directors may authorize registration of transferees.*—The Directors may, by such means as they shall deem expedient, authorize the registration of transferees as Shareholders without the necessity of any meeting of the Directors for that purpose.

36. *Directors not bound to inquire as to validity of transfer.*—In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but, if at all, upon the transferee only.

37. *Transfer Books when to be closed.*—The Transfer Books may be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting, including the First General Meeting; also, when a dividend is declared, for the three days next ensuing the meeting; also at such other times as the Directors may decide, not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in any one year.

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

38. *Title to shares of deceased holder.*—The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to shares of such Shareholder.

39. *Registration of persons entitled to shares otherwise than by transfer.*—Any curator of any minor Shareholder, any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Rs. 2·50; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

40. *Failing such registration, shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 39 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such share either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

41. *The Directors may accept surrender of shares.*—The Directors may accept, in the name and for the benefit of the Company, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon, a surrender of the shares of Shareholders who may be desirous of retiring from the Company.

42. (a) *If call or instalment be not paid, notice to be given to Shareholder.*—If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the trustee or assignee in his bankruptcy, requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

(b) *Terms of notice.*—The notice shall name a day (not being less than one month from the date of the notice) on and a place or places at which such call or instalment and such interest and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid; the notice shall also state that, in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which the call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

(c) *In default of payment, shares to be forfeited.*—If the requisition of such notice as aforesaid be not complied with, every or any share or shares in respect of which such notice has been given may at any time thereafter, before payment of calls or instalments, with interest, and expenses due in respect thereof, be declared forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect.

(d) *Shareholder still liable to pay money owing at time of forfeiture.*—Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall notwithstanding be liable to pay and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at 9 per cent. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

43. *Surrendered or forfeited shares to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, &c.*—Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

44. *Effect of surrender or forfeiture.*—The surrender or forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all interest in, and also of all claims and demands against, the Company in respect of the share and the proceeds thereof, and all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly saved.

45. (a) *Certificates of surrender or forfeiture.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture; such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company; such purchaser thereupon shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase, and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

(b) *Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made; but no share *bona fide* sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 43 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

46. *Company's lien on shares.*—The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders or otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls, resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. The Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

47. *Lien how made available.*—Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the assignee or trustee in his bankruptcy, requiring him or them to pay the amount for the time being due to the Company, and default shall have been made for twenty-eight days from such notice in paying the sum thereby required to be paid. Should the Shareholder over whose share the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

48. *Proceeds how applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 43 and 47 hereof shall be applied in or towards the satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

49. *Certificate of sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries that the power of sale given by clause 47 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

50. *Transfer on sale how executed.*—Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such shares.

PREFERENCE SHARES.

51. *Preference and deferred shares.*—Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right of preference, whether in respect of dividend or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued or then about to be issued, or subject to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may, from time to time, by special resolution, determine.

52. *Modification of rights and consent thereto.*—If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes—

- (1) The holders of any class of shares by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders may consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares;
- (2) All or any of the rights, privileges, and conditions attached to each class may be commuted, abrogated, abandoned, added to or otherwise modified by a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, provided the holders of any class of shares, affected by any such commutation, abrogation, abandonment, addition or other modification of such rights, privileges, and conditions, consent thereto, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders.

Any extraordinary resolution passed under the provisions of this Article shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent as aforesaid in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

53. *Meeting affecting a particular class of shares.*—Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no Shareholder, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat, unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be affected by the resolution, and that no vote shall be given except in respect of a share of that class, and that at any such meeting a poll may be demanded in writing by any Shareholder personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

CALLS.

54. (a) *Directors may make calls.*—The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the registered holders of shares, in respect of moneys unpaid thereon, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors, provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call.

(b) *Calls, time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Article 121.

(c) *Extension of time for payment of call.*—The Directors shall have power in their absolute discretion to give time to any one or more Shareholder or Shareholders, exclusive of the others, for payment of any call or part thereof on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.

55. *Interest on unpaid call.*—If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment is not paid on or before the day appointed for the payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made, or the instalments shall have been due, shall pay interest for the same at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment, but the Directors may, when they think fit, remit altogether or in part any sum becoming payable for interest under this clause.

56. *Payments in anticipation of calls.*—The Directors may at their discretion receive from any Shareholder willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the amount of his shares beyond the sum actually called up.

BORROWING POWERS.

57. *Power to borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time, at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the

sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000). With the sanction of a General Meeting, the Directors shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided also that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures, or create any debenture stock, they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intention to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall, as regards the creditor, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

MEETINGS.

58. *First General Meeting.*—The First General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time, not being more than twelve months after the registration of the Company, and at such place as the Directors may determine.

59. *Subsequent General Meetings.*—Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is prescribed, at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

60. *Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The General Meetings mentioned in the two last preceding clauses shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

61. *Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-seventh of the number of Shareholders holding not less than one-seventh of the issued capital and entitled to vote.

62. *Requisition of Shareholders to state object of meeting; on receipt of requisition Directors to call meeting, and in default Shareholders may do so.*—Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company. Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

63. *Notice of resolution.*—Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

64. *Seven days' notice of meeting to be given.*—Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given either by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or by notice sent by post, or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting.

65. *Business requiring and not requiring notification.*—Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors retiring in rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatever of which special mention shall have been made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

66. *Notice of other business to be given.*—With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to the business which may be transacted at Ordinary General Meetings without notice, no General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be competent to enter upon, discuss, or transact any business which has not been specially mentioned in the notice or notices upon which it was convened.

67. *Quorum to be present.*—No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or the election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present in person at the commencement of the business three or more persons being Shareholders entitled to vote or persons holding proxies or powers of attorney from Shareholders entitled to vote.

68. *If a quorum not present, meeting to be dissolved or adjourned; adjourned meeting to transact business.*—If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of persons shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

69. *Chairman of Directors or a Director to be Chairman of General Meeting; in case of their absence or refusal, a Shareholder may act.*—The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; but if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within 15 minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

70. *Business confined to election of Chairman while chair vacant.*—No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the chair is vacant.

71. *Chairman with consent may adjourn meeting.*—The Chairman, with the consent of the meeting, may adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice shall be given.

72. *Minutes of General Meetings.*—Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of the same meeting, or by the Chairman of the succeeding meeting, and the same when so entered and signed shall be evidence of all such proceedings and of the proper election of the Chairman.

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. *Votes.*—At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present. In case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney; and unless a poll be immediately demanded in writing by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the minute book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

74. *Poll.*—If a poll be duly demanded, the same shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman shall direct, and the result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

75. *Poll how taken.*—If at any meeting a poll be demanded by notice in writing signed by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, which notice shall be delivered during the meeting to the Chairman, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned and the poll shall be taken at such time and in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct; and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided, and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

76. *No poll in election of Chairman or on question of adjournment.*—No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

77. *Number of votes to which Shareholder entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall have one vote for every one share held by him up to ten shares, he shall have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first ten shares up to one hundred shares, an additional vote for every twenty-five shares beyond the first one hundred shares. When voting on a resolution involving the winding up of the Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

78. *Curator of minor, &c., when not entitled to vote.*—The parent or curator of a minor Shareholder, the committee or other legal guardian of any lunatic Shareholder, the husband of any female Shareholder not entitled to her shares as separate estate, and the executor or administrator of any deceased Shareholder, or any one of such persons as aforesaid, if more than one, shall not be entitled to vote in the place of such minor, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

79. *Voting in person or by proxy or attorney.*—Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

80. *Non-Shareholder not to be appointed proxy; but attorney though not Shareholder may vote.*—No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company, but the attorney of a Shareholder, even though not himself a Shareholder of the Company, may represent and vote for his principal at any meeting of the Company.

81. *Shareholder in arrear or not registered at least three months previous to the meeting not to vote.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote or speak at any General Meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares, or any of them, shall have been paid; and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote or speak at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of or as the holder of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or speak, duly registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote or speak.

82. *Proxy to be printed or in writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written and shall be signed by the appointor, or if such appointor be a corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such corporation.

83. *When proxy to be deposited.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

84. *Form of Proxy.*—Any instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

The Kuttapitiya Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

I, _____, of _____, appoint _____, of _____, (a Shareholder in the Company) as my proxy, to represent me and to vote for me and on my behalf at the Ordinary (or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the _____ day of _____, One thousand Nine hundred and _____, and at any adjournment thereof, and at every poll which may be taken in consequence thereof.

As witness my hand, this _____ day of _____, One thousand Nine hundred and _____.

85. *Objection to validity of vote to be made at the meeting or poll.*—No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such vote shall be tendered; and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objection shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.

86. *No Shareholder to be prevented from voting by being personally interested in result.*—No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

87. *Number of Directors.*—The number of Directors shall never be less than two nor more than five. In the event of the number of Directors in Ceylon ever being reduced to one, such remaining Director shall immediately cause to be convened an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders for the purpose of filling up one or more of the vacancies; but, in the event of a quorum of Shareholders not attending such meeting, the remaining Director shall himself appoint a Director to fill one of the vacancies. Any Director so appointed shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting of the Company. Until such appointment the remaining Director shall not act except for the purpose of appointing another and if necessary enabling him to be placed on the Register of Shareholders.

88. *Their qualification and remuneration.*—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding shares in the Company, whether fully paid up or partly paid up, of the total nominal value of at least Five thousand Rupees (Rs. 5,000), and upon which, in the case of partly paid up shares, all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Five thousand Rupees (Rs. 5,000) annually, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration for special or extra services hereinafter referred to nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. *Appointment of first Directors and duration of their office.*—The first Directors shall be Alexander Craib, Esq., of every estate, Dikoya; Percival Gathorne Wood, Esq., of Parakaduwa estate, Pussela; Alexander David Callander, Esq., of Arthupana estate, Nuboda; and James Lochore, Esq., of Colombo, who shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

90. *Directors may appoint Managing Director or Directors; his or their remuneration.*—One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Visiting Agents of the Company, or Superintendent or Superintendents of any of the Company's estates, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office; and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents, Superintendent or Superintendents, and the Directors may impose and confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be imposed or conferred on any Manager of the Company. If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

91. *Appointment of successors to Directors.*—The General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof such successors may be appointed at a subsequent General Meeting. No person, not being a retiring Director, shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he or some other Shareholder intending to propose him has, at least seven clear days before the meeting, left, at the office, a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the appointment or the intention of such Shareholder to propose him.

92. *Board may fill up vacancies.*—The Board shall have power at any time and from time to time before the First Ordinary General Meeting to supply any vacancies in their number arising from death, resignation, or otherwise.

93. *Duration of office of Director appointed to vacancy.*—Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of the Directors subsequently to the First Ordinary General Meeting may be filled up by the Directors, but any person so chosen shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

94. *To retire annually.*—At the Second Ordinary General Meeting and at the Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 95.

95. *Retiring Directors how determined.*—The Directors to retire from office at the Second, Third, and Fourth General Meetings shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

96. *Retiring Directors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

97. *Decision of question as to retirement.*—In case any question shall arise as to which of the Directors who have been the same time in office shall retire, the same shall be decided by the Directors by ballot.

98. *Number of Directors how increased or reduced.*—The Directors, subject to the approval of a General Meeting, may from time to time at any time subsequent to the Second Ordinary General Meeting increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also, subject to the like approval, determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

99. *If election not made, retiring Directors to continue until next meeting.*—If at any meeting at which an election of a Director ought to take place the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director may continue in office until the First Ordinary General Meeting in the next year, and so on from meeting to meeting until his place is filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting to reduce the number of Directors.

100. *Resignation of Directors.*—A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary, or by leaving the same at the office or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors.

101. No contract, arrangement, or transaction entered into by or on behalf of the Company with any Director, or with any company or co-partnership of which a Director is a partner, or of which he is a Director, Managing Director, or Manager, shall be void or voidable, nor shall such Director be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by such contract, arrangement, or transaction, by reason only of such Director holding that office, or of the fiduciary relation thereby established, provided that the fact of his interest or connection therewith be fully disclosed to the Company or its Directors.

102. *When office of Directors to be vacated.*—The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary under the Company.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he is concerned or participates in the profits of any contract with, or work done for, the Company.

Exceptions.—But the above rule shall be subject to the following exception s:—That no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company of which he is a Director, or by his being agent, or secretary, or proctor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or proctors, of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

103. *How Directors removed and successors appointed.*—The Company may by an extraordinary resolution remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and may, by an ordinary resolution, appoint another person in his stead. The Director so appointed shall hold office only during such time as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

104. *Indemnity to Directors and others for their own acts and for the acts of others.*—Every Director or officer and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him respectively in or about the discharge of his respective duties, except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer, nor the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, shall be liable for any other Director or officer, or for joining in any receipt or other acts of conformity, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

105. *No contribution to be required from Directors beyond amount, if any, unpaid on their shares.*—No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS

106. The Directors shall have power to purchase or otherwise acquire the said block of land in Kuttapitiya village aforesaid.

107. *To manage business of Company and pay preliminary expenses. &c.*—The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director or with the assistance of an agent or agents

and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such a period, and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors may pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation, and the registration of the Company, and in connection with the placing of the shares of the Company and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said block of land and of any other lands, estates, or property, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and in or about the working and business of the Company.

108. *To acquire property, to appoint officers, and pay expenses.*—The Directors shall have power to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, or otherwise acquire for the Company any estate or estates, land or lands, property, rights, options or privileges which the Company is authorized to acquire at such price and for such consideration and upon such title and generally on such terms and conditions as they may think fit; and to make and they may make such regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and for that purpose may appoint such managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods, and with such remuneration, and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants, for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause.

109. *To appoint proctors and attorneys.*—The Directors shall have power to appoint a proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys, to assist in carrying on or protecting the business of the Company, on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

110. *To open banking accounts and operate thereon, &c.*—The Directors shall have power to open on behalf of the Company any account or accounts with such bank or banks as they may select or appoint, and also by such signatures as they may appoint to draw, accept, make, endorse, sign, and execute cheques, bills of exchange and promissory notes, bills of lading, receipts, contracts and agreements, bonds, mortgages, proxies to any proctor or proctors, and other documents on behalf of and to further the interests of the Company.

111. *To sell and dispose of Company's property, &c.*—It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, share or shares thereof respectively, to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit; and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

112. *General powers.*—The Directors shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and in addition to the powers and authorities by the Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are, or shall be, by the Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by the Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of the Ordinance and of these presents and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, but no regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board, which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made. The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

113. *Special powers.*—In furtherance, and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in the last preceding clause, and of the other powers conferred by these presents, it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have the powers following (that is to say):—

- (1) To institute, conduct, defend, compound, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or legal proceedings by and against the Company, or its officers, or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due, and of any claims and demands by and against the Company.
- (2) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform the awards.
- (3) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands of the Company.
- (4) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, inspector, or any similar office.
- (5) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (6) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company abroad in such manner as they think fit, and to establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company abroad, and to appoint any persons to be members of such local board, or any managers or agents, and to fix their remuneration.
- (7) From time to time and at any time to delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers hereby made exercisable by the Directors, except those relating to shares and any others as to which special provisions inconsistent with such delegation are herein contained; and they shall have power to fix the remuneration of and at any time to remove such Director or other person or company, and to annul or vary any such delegation. They shall not, however, be entitled to delegate any powers of borrowing or charging the property of the Company to any agent of the Company or other person, except by instrument in writing, which shall specifically state the extent to which such powers may be used by the person or persons to whom they are so delegated, and compliance therewith shall be a condition precedent to the exercise of these powers.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

114. *Meeting of Directors.*—The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business; until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

115. *A Director may summon meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

116. *Who is to preside at meetings of Board.*—The Board may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, and all meetings of the Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman, if one has been elected and is present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman, or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then and in that case the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

117. *Questions at meetings how decided.*—Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman thereof shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

118. *Board may appoint committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit, and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such committee, either wholly or in part, and either as to persons or purposes, but every committee so formed shall, in exercise of the powers delegated to it, conform to all such regulations as may be prescribed by the Board. All acts done by any such committee, in conformity with such regulations and in the fulfilment of the purposes of their appointment but not otherwise, shall have the like force and effect as if done by the Board.

119. *Acts of Board or committee valid notwithstanding informal appointment.*—The acts of the Board or of any committee appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or defect in the appointment of any Director or of any member of the committee, be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if every person had been duly appointed, provided the same be done before the discovery of the defect.

120. *Regulation of proceedings of committees.*—The meetings and proceedings of such committees shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of Directors, so far as the same are applicable thereto, and are not superseded by the express terms of the appointment of such committee respectively, or any regulation imposed by the Board.

121. *Resolution in writing by all the Directors as valid as if passed at a meeting of Directors.*—A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors for the time being resident in Ceylon shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted, provided that not fewer than two Directors shall sign it.

122. *Minutes of proceedings of the Company and the Directors to be recorded.*—The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the following matters, *videlicet* :—

- (a) Of all appointments of officers and committees made by the Directors.
- (b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors and of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (c) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings.
- (d) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors and of the committees appointed by the Board.
- (e) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (f) Of the use of the Company's seal.

123. *Signature of minutes of proceedings and effect thereof.*—All such minutes shall be signed by the person or one of the persons who shall have presided as Chairman at the General Meeting, the Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting at which the business minuted shall have been transacted, or by the person or one of the persons who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively; and all minutes purporting to have been signed by any Chairman of any General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively, shall, for all purposes whatsoever, be *prima facie* evidence of the actual and regular passing of the resolutions, and the actual and regular transaction or occurrence of the proceedings and other matters purporting to be so recorded, and of the regularity of the meeting at which the same shall appear to have taken place, and of the Chairmanship and signature of the person appearing to have signed as Chairman, and of the date on which such meeting was held.

COMPANY'S SEAL.

124. *The use of the seal.*—The seal of the Company shall not be used or affixed to any deed, certificate of shares or other instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Agents and Secretaries of the Company, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Agents and Secretaries, in the event of a firm being the Agents and Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, attorney, or agent of the said firm signing for and on behalf of the said firm as such Agents and Secretaries, and in the event of a Company registered under the Ordinance being the Agents and Secretaries, being signified by a Director or the Secretary or the duly authorized Attorney of such Company signing for and on behalf of such Company as Agents and Secretaries. The sealing shall not be attested by one person in the dual capacity of Director and representative of the Agents and Secretaries.

ACCOUNTS.

125. *What accounts to be kept.*—The Agent or Secretary or the Agents or Secretaries for the time being, or, if there be no Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, the Directors shall cause true accounts to be kept of the paid-up capital for the time being of the Company, and of all sums of money received and expended by the Company, and of the matters in respect of which such receipts and expenditure take place, and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company, and generally of all its commercial, financial, and other affairs, transactions, and engagements, and of all other matters necessary for showing the true financial state and condition of the Company; and the accounts shall be kept in such books and in such a manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

126. *Accounts how and when open to inspection.*—The Directors shall from time to time determine whether, and to what extent, and at what times and places, and under what conditions or regulations, the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by the Ordinance or authorized by the Directors, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

127. *Statement of accounts and balance sheet to be furnished to General Meeting.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the profit and loss account for the preceding financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up as at the end of the same period.

128. *Report to accompany statement.*—Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company and as to the amount which they recommend to be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

129. *Copy of balance sheet to be sent to the Shareholders.*—A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at, or posted to, the registered address of every Shareholder.

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

130. *Declaration of dividend.*—The Directors may, with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting, from time to time declare a dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders in proportion to the amounts paid on their shares, but no dividend or bonus shall be payable except out of nett profits.

(a) 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 particular 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.

131. *Interim dividend.*—The Directors may also, if they think fit, from time to time and at any time, without the sanction of a General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

132. *Reserve fund.*—Previously to the Directors paying or recommending any dividend on preference or ordinary shares, they may set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and may invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

133. *Application thereof.*—The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for the payment of accumulated dividends due on preference shares or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises, or for the repair or renewal or extensions of the property or plant connected with the business of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purpose of the Company which they may from time to time deem expedient.

134. *Unpaid interest or dividend not to bear interest.*—No unpaid interest, or dividend, or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

135. *No Shareholder to receive dividend while debt due to Company.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend or bonus in respect of his share or shares whilst any moneys may be due or owing from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company in respect of such share or shares, or otherwise howsoever.

136. *Directors may deduct debt from the dividends.*—The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all sums of money due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding such sums shall not be payable until after the date when such dividend is payable.

137. *Dividends may be paid by cheque or warrant and sent through the post.*—Unless otherwise directed any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the Shareholder entitled, or, in the case of joint-holders, to the registered address of that one whose name stands first on the register in respect of the joint-holding; but the Company shall not be liable or responsible for the loss of any such cheque or dividend warrant sent through the post.

138. *Notice of dividend; forfeiture of unclaimed dividend.*—Notice of all dividends or bonuses to become payable shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto; and all dividends or bonuses unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by a resolution of the Board of Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund. For the purposes of this clause any cheques or warrants which may be issued for dividends or bonuses and may not be presented at the Company's bankers for payment within three years shall rank as unclaimed dividends.

139. *Shares held by a firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by a firm may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any partner of such firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm.

140. *Joint-holders other than a firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by several persons jointly, other than a firm, may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any one of such persons.

AUDIT.

141. *Accounts to be audited.*—The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet and profit and loss account ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

142. *Qualification of Auditors.*—No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but an Auditor shall not be debarred from acting as a professional accountant in doing any special work for the Company which the Directors may deem necessary. It shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he be a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

143. *Appointment and retirement of Auditors.*—The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration; all future Auditors, except as is hereinafter mentioned, shall be appointed at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and shall hold their office only until the First Ordinary General Meeting after their respective appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

144. *Retiring Auditors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

145. *Remuneration of Auditors.*—The remuneration of the Auditors other than the first shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, and this remuneration may from time to time be varied by a General Meeting.

146. *Casual vacancy in number of Auditors how filled up.*—If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor shall not be supplied at any Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur, the Directors shall (subject to the approval of the next Ordinary General Meeting) fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold the office until such meeting.

147. *Duty to Auditor.*—Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet and profit and loss account intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting, and it shall be his duty to examine the same with the accounts and vouchers relating thereto, and to report thereon to the meeting, generally or specially, as he may think fit.

148. *Company's accounts to be opened to Auditors for audit.*—All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all times be open to the Auditors for the purpose of audit.

NOTICES.

149. *Notices how authenticated.*—Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

150. *Shareholders to register address.*—Every Shareholder shall furnish the Company with an address in Ceylon, which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

151. *Service of notices.*—A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter, addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode;

and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served for all purposes, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address in Ceylon.

152. *Notice to joint-holders of shares other than a firm.*—All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons other than a firm are jointly entitled, be sufficient if given to any one of such persons, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

153. *Date and proof of service.*—Any notice if served by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the letter containing the same would in ordinary course of post have been delivered at its address, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into a post box or posted at a post office, and the entry in the Company's books of the leaving or sending by post of any notice at or to such address shall be sufficient evidence thereof, and no further evidence shall be necessary.

154. *Non-resident Shareholders must register addresses in Ceylon.*—Every Shareholder residing out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notice.

All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

ARBITRATION.

155. *Directors may refer disputes to arbitration.*—Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

EVIDENCE.

156. *Evidence in action by Company against Shareholders.*—On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought or instituted by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover any debt or money claimed to be due to the Company in respect of his shares, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the defendant is or was when the claim arose on the Register of Shareholders of the Company as a holder of the number of shares in respect of which such claim is made, and that the amount claimed is not entered as paid in the books of the Company; and it shall not be necessary to prove the registration of the Company, nor the appointment of the Directors who made any call, nor that a quorum of Directors was present at the Board at which any call was made, nor that the meeting at which any call was made was duly convened or constituted, nor any other matter whatsoever, but the proof aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.

PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

157. *Purchase of Company's property by Shareholders.*—Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, or whether alone or jointly with any other Shareholder or Director, and any person not a Shareholder, may become the purchaser of the property of the Company or any part thereof, in the event of a winding up or a dissolution, or at any other time when a sale of the Company's property or effects or any part thereof shall be made by the Directors under the powers hereby or under the Ordinance conferred upon them.

158. *Distribution.*—If the Company shall be wound up, and there shall be any surplus assets after payment of all debts and satisfaction of all liabilities of the Company, such surplus assets shall be applied, first, in repaying to the holders of the preference shares (if any) the amounts that may be due to them, whether by way of capital only or by way of capital and dividend or arrears of dividend or otherwise in accordance with the rights, privileges, and conditions attached thereto, and the balance in repaying to the holders of the ordinary shares the amounts paid up or reckoned as paid up on such ordinary shares. If after such payments there shall remain any surplus assets, such surplus assets shall be divided among the ordinary Shareholders in proportion to the capital paid up, or reckoned as paid up, on the shares which are held by them respectively at the commencement of the winding up, unless the conditions attached to the preference shares expressly entitle such shares to participate in such surplus assets.

159. *Payment in specie, and vesting in trustees.*—If the Company shall be wound up, the liquidator, whether voluntary or official, may, with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may, with their sanction, vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator, with like sanction, shall think fit.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names, at Colombo, this 10th day of December, 1917.

A. CRAIG.
P. G. WOOD.
A. D. CALLANDER.
J. LOCHORE.
G. O. LE MOTTÉE.
LIONEL COX.
A. WARDEN.

Witness to the above signatures:

EUSTACE F. DE SARAM,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

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The Kelani Valley Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the offices of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Monday, February 18, 1918, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

Doone Vale (Ceylon) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Monday, February 18, 1918, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other competent business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Kalutara Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 19, 1918, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ending December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Udapolla Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the office of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 19, 1918, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Galawatta (Ceylon) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the office of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Wednesday, February 20, 1918, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, February 8, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Rahatungoda Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Queen street, Colombo, on Friday, February 15, 1918, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To declare a dividend in sterling.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Colombo, February 4, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Udagoda Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Queen street, Colombo, on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Lucky Land Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Queen street, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 19, 1918, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To declare a dividend in sterling.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Colombo, February 4, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Lady Havelock Gardens Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-second Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 18, 1918, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 11 to 18, 1918, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, February 6, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

The Ruanwella Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 18, 1918, at 12.15 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 4 to 18, 1918, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, February 5, 1918. Agents and Secretaries.

Kulla Kamby (Nilgiris) Tea Estates, Limited.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Ordinary General Meeting of the Kulla Kamby (Nilgiris) Tea Estates, Limited, will be held at the Bristol Hotel, Colombo, on Thursday, February 28, 1918, at 10 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,
 O. T. MACDERMOTT,
 Secretary.

The Ceylon Narangada Coconut Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at No. 115, Hulstedorp, Colombo, on Friday, March 1, 1918, at 1 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1917.
2. To empower the Directors to borrow Rs. 2,500 at 8 per cent. per annum to be convertible at lender's option at any time within 3 years from date of resolution into ordinary shares.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 22 to 28, 1918, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
 A. DE ZYLVA,
 Secretary.
 Negombo, February 4, 1918.

Lee, Hedges and Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 12, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 25, 1918, at 3 P.M.

Business.

- (a) To elect Directors.
- (b) To receive Chairman's report.
- (c) To confirm the appointment of Auditors, Solicitors, and Bankers to the Company.

By order of the Board,
 A. S. MAIN,
 Secretary.
 Colombo, February, 4, 1918.

The Colombo Assembly Rooms Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 10, 1918, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 11 to 18, 1918, inclusive.)

By order,
 G. C. SLATER,
 Secretary.
 Colombo, January 31, 1918.

Bank of Colombo, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office, No. 41, Chatham street, Colombo, on Thursday, February 28, 1918, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To approve the following resolution passed unanimously by the Board, under section 89 of the Articles of Association:—"That the Board in future do consist of three Directors, and that so long as the Board is so composed, in every year one Director who has been the longest time in office shall retire."
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors.
5. To transact any other competent business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

According to the Articles of Association, the Transfer Books will be closed from the 14th to the 28th instant, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
 WIJAYESEKERA & Co.,
 Secretaries.
 Colombo, February 8, 1918.

Liquidation of Enemy Firms.

In the Matter of P. C. Schmidt, in Liquidation.

TENDERS are hereby invited for a collection of gems belonging to the above, consisting of:—

Aquamarines	Peridots	Sapphires
Amethysts	Pink tourmalines	Topaz
Cats-eyes	Rubies	Tourmalines
Cabochoons	Star stones	

Tenders must be made on the prescribed form, and must be received at the office of the Liquidator, as below, not later than 5 P.M. on Friday, February 15, 1918.

The gems will be on view on the 1st floor of Freudenberg's Building each day, excluding Sundays, from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. and from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. (Saturdays from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.) from Friday, February 1, to Thursday, February 14, both days inclusive.

Forms of tender, conditions relating thereto, and catalogues can be obtained from—

PERCY G. D. BELL,
 Liquidator.
 7B, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.

Auction Sale of Valuable Property in Maradana, under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Colombo.

T. Walker of Colombo Plaintiff
 No. 48,464 C. Vs.

(1) Emily Wirasekera and her husband (2) D. T. Wirasekera, both of Pretoria Villa, Colombo Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case, I shall sell by public auction at the spot, on Monday, March 4, 1918, the following property declared bound and executable for the payment of Rs. 30,000, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. from February 1, 1918, to wit:—

At 4 P.M.

(a) All that house and ground called and known as "Pretoria Villa," situated at Stafford place, Maradana.

At 4.30 P.M.

(b) All that house and ground called and known as "Ryleden," situated at Norris Canal road, Maradana.

For further particulars, please apply to Messrs. Vanderstraaten & Vanderstraaten, Proctors and Notaries, or to the undersigned.

H. O. BEVEN,
 Auctioneer.
 35, Chatham street, Fort.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 45,259, D. C., Colombo, I am directed by the said court to put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, March 2, 1918, at the respective spots, commencing at 2 P.M., the following properties, which are all situated at Nadimale, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, to wit: (1) all that northern $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the plot of land marked "A" of the shares now called Ambagahaowita, Matotayaowita, Puwakgahaowita, and Paradehigahaowita, adjoining each other, in extent 1 acre and 25 perches together with the plantations thereon; (2) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of an undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the portion of Ambagahawatta, with the plantations thereon, in extent about $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre; (3) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of $\frac{1}{4}$ share of an undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of another portion of Ambagahawatta, with the plantations thereon, in extent about 3 acre; (4) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of $\frac{1}{4}$ share of an undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of a portion of Maragahawatta *alias* Kahatagahawatta, with the plantations thereon, in extent about 1 acre; (5) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of $\frac{1}{4}$ share of an undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Ambagahawatta *alias* Handapankotuwa, with the plantations thereon, in extent about $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre.

M. PEIRIS,
Auctioneer.

February 8, 1918.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of Valuable House Property in Slave Island.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Neima Basiah of No. 26, Java lane, in Slave Island, Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 48,638. Vs.

Noor Isey of Lily street in Slave Island, Colombo.. Defendant.

I AM authorized by the District Court of Colombo, under and by virtue of the decree entered of record in the above action and the order to sell issued to me therein, to sell by public auction on Friday, March 1, 1918, at 4.30 P.M., on the spot, the following property primarily mortgaged with the plaintiff and declared bound and executable under the said decree for the payment of the sum of Rs. 2,875 interest, and costs, to wit:—

All that allotment of land with the buildings standing thereon formerly bearing assessment Nos. 30 and 31, now bearing assessment No. 27/179 (1 & 2), situated at Malay street in Slave Island, Colombo, in extent $7\frac{1}{4}$ perches.

Further particulars can be had from Charles de Livera, Esq., the plaintiff's Proctor, or from—

G. EMANUEL DABERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

No. 18, Hulftsdorp.

Sale by Auction under Mortgage Decree of Property at Welikada, Borella.

UNDER decree D. C., Colombo, 45,730, entered in favour of G. C. Welsh of Colombo against (1) K. Elizabeth Perera and (2) D. C. Abeyaratne, both of Kesbewa, 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 spot, at 5 P.M., on Tuesday, March 5, 1918, all that allotment of land with the buildings standing thereon, being a portion of the premises bearing assessment No. 18, Cotta road, situated at Welikada, containing in extent 1 rood and 33 68/100 perches.

Further particulars from Messrs. de Vos & Gratiaen, Proctors and Notaries, Colombo, or—

93, Dam street, C. E. KARUNARATNA,
February 5, 1918. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Property at Ihala Madampella.

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 12,374 of the District Court of Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Theodore Koertz Carron of Negombo against the defendants (1) Hewapedige Siriya of Ihala Madampella, (2) Horatalpedige Soma, and (3) Neligamayalage Puncha,

both of Korasa, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, March 2, 1918, the under-mentioned properties, to wit:—

At 4 P.M.

(1) An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share with all the buildings thereon, of all that allotment of land called Meellagahawatta, situate at Ihala Madampella, in Dunagaha pattuwa of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, in extent 5 acres 1 rood and 10 perches.

At 4.15 P.M.

(2) An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all that land called Meellagahawatta, situate at Ihala Madampella aforesaid, in extent 5 acres and 1 rood.

At 4.30 P.M.

(3) All that divided northern portion of all the land called Meellagahawatta, situate at Ihala Madampella aforesaid, which said portion is in extent 2 acres.

For further particulars apply to Tudor Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or to me.

K. L. PERERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Auction Sale of Properties at Madabavita in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 24,724, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Seena Nana Kuna Pana Arumugam Chetty of Negombo against the defendants (1) Vincent Henry Herat of Talangama, now of Medical College, Colombo, and Weerasekara Rajnaya Appuhamy of Madabavita, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged by bond No. 24,724 dated February 23, 1917, and attested by N. J. C. Wijesekera, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Friday, March 1, 1918, commencing at 10 A.M., viz:—

(1) The field called Dambemuththettuwekumbura, situate at Madabavita, in Udugaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, in extent 4 bushels of paddy sowing ground, as primary mortgage.

(2) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Eththawale, situate at Madabavita aforesaid, in extent about 3 bushels of paddy sowing ground, as a primary mortgage.

(3) The northern undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Pillewatta, situate at Madabavita aforesaid, in extent about 8 acres, and an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all the buildings standing thereon, as a primary mortgage.

(4) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Meegahawatta, situate at Madabavita aforesaid, in extent about 4 acres, and all the buildings standing thereon, as a secondary mortgage.

(5) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Nagahamulawatta, situate at Madabavita aforesaid, in extent about 3 acres, and all the buildings standing thereon, as a secondary mortgage.

Further particulars from Tudor Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Auction Sale of Properties at Bolana, Bataleeya and Muruthawala, in the District of Negombo.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Muna Kawanna Mohammadu Abdul Hassan Marikkaray, by his attorney Muna Kawanna Muna Mohammadu Rauther Neina Marikkar of Erabera Plaintiff.

Kana Nana Kana Rawanna Mana Narayana Pulle of Negombo Substituted plaintiff.

No. 10,104. Vs.

Athapathuwe Liyanaralalage Peduru Perera Appuhamy of Radawadunna Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above styled action, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned

properties mortgaged by bond No. 4,159, dated May 22, 1907, and attested by D. C. Wijesinghe, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Friday, March, 1, 1918, to wit:—

At 3 P.M.

1. The land called Delgahakumbura, situate at Bolane, in Yatigaha pattuwa of the Hapitigam korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent about 4 parras of paddy sowing ground.

At 3.30 P.M.

2. The land called Rathpohupelakumbura, situate at Bataliya, in Yatigaha pattuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 3 roods and 3 perches.

At 4 P.M.

3. The land called Dorakadapurakumbura, situate at Muruthewala, in Udugaha pattuwa of the Hapitigam korale aforesaid, containing in extent 28 62/100 perches.

Further particulars from Messrs. de Zoysa & Perera, Proctors, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Sale by Public Auction of Valuable Properties in the Business Centre of the Negombo Town and at Nawana in Yatigaha Pattu of Hapitigam Korale.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,245, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Suna Pana Lena Ramen Chetty of Kochchikade against the defendants (1) Don David Perera Ranasinghe of 2nd Division, Hunupitiya, (2) Arnakulasuriya Loduvick Manuel Fernando of 3rd Division, Hunupitiya, and (3) S. T. M. Ramanaden Chetty of Negombo, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged by bond No. 10,276, dated December 23, 1914, and attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Tuesday, March 5, 1918, viz:—

At 2 P.M.

1. The portion marked letter A of the contiguous land called Kolainkumbura, Lindamulawatta, and Kampuwewatta, situate at Kampuwe, within the gravets and in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 1 rood and 34 perches, together with five boutiques and other tiled and cadjan thatched buildings standing thereon.

On Saturday, March 9, at 9 A.M.

2. The undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of an undivided portion of 1 acre of the eastern side of the land called Kadurugahagodella, situate at Nawana, in Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 12 acres 1 rood and 35 perches.

Further particulars from L. C. E. Karunaratne, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Auction Sale of Properties at 3rd Division, Hunupitiya, in Negombo.

in the District Court of Negombo.

Thuppahige Paulu Costa of 3rd Division, Hunupitiya, in Negombo..... Plaintiff.

Awanna Vena Kana Nana Sammugam Pulle of Negombo..... Substituted plaintiff.

No. 11,978. Vs.

(1) Weerapurage Theresia Fernando of 3rd Division, Hunupitiya, (2) Siyagoonakosgodage Gregoris Fernando of 3rd Division, Hunupitiya, (3) Weerapurage Maria Fernando of Dalupotha, widow of the late Munnipurage Davith Fernando, deceased, (4) Weerapurage Ana Fernando of Kattua, widow of the late Ukwattage Mariyanu Fernando, deceased, (5) Weerapurage Veronica Fernando assisted by her husband (6) Weerapurage Juan Fernando, both of Kandawala, legal representative of the estate of Weerapurage Victoria Fernando, deceased. Defendants.

UNDER decree in the above-styled action and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned

properties, mortgaged by bond No. 4,869 dated September 4, 1911, and attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Wednesday, March 6, 1918, commencing at 3 P.M., viz:—

1. The portion of land called Kottangahawatta, situate at 3rd Division, Hunupitiya, within the gravets and in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent about 1 rood and 20 perches.

2. The $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land called Ambagahawatta, situate at 3rd Division, Hunupitiya aforesaid, the said $\frac{1}{4}$ share is in extent about 34 perches.

3. The $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land called Kottangahawatta, situate at 3rd Division, Hunupitiya aforesaid, the said $\frac{1}{4}$ share is in extent about 25 perches.

4. The portion of the land called Ambagahawatta, situate at 3rd Division, Hunupitiya aforesaid, the said portion is in extent 2 roods and 20 perches.

Further particulars from Victor E. Fernando, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Auction Sale of Properties at Nawana in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,315, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Sina Nana Kuna Pana Arumugam Chetty of Negombo against the defendant Janiatchi Pathirannehelage Allis Appu of Nawana, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged by bond No. 18,738, dated August 19, 1909, and attested by H. M. de Silva, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, March 9, 1918, commencing at 10.30 A.M., to wit:—

1. The two lots of land called Bulugahalanda, situate at Nawana, in Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 3 acres 1 rood and 3 perches.

2. The portion of the land called Bulugahalanda, situate at Nawana aforesaid, containing in extent (excluding the road in the middle) 1 acre 2 roods and 2 perches.

3. The portion of land called Bulugahalanda, situate at Nawana aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre.

Further particulars from Tudor Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Auction Sale of Properties at Nawana in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 11,935, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Ana Runa Awanna Arumugam Chetty of Negombo against the defendant Mutukuttiaratchige Haramanis Appu of Nawana, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged by bond No. 5,398, dated February 3, 1913, and attested by M. D. C. S. Gunsekera, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, March 9, 1918, commencing at 1 P.M., viz:—

1. The land called Galabodawatta, situate at Nawana in Yatigaha pattu of the Hapitigam korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent about 2 acres.

2. The land of three contiguous portions called Palabodawatta, Urugodaya Kandewatta, and Urugodaya Kandewatta, situate at Nawana aforesaid, containing in extent about 1 acre and 32 perches.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, February 5, 1918.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

A. D. Jayasundera of Unawatuna Plaintiff.
No. 15,321. Vs.

(1) Prolis de Silva Wijesurendra Abeynarayana of Kumbalwella, (2) H. D. John Peiris of 119, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, assignee of the insolvent estate of the 1st defendant 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 Thursday, February 14, 1918, at 4.30 P.M., at the spot:—

All that divided portion of the land called Gashetewatta with all the buildings thereon, marked Municipal No. 190, situate at Kumbalwella.

For further particulars, please apply to G. D. Jayasundera, Esq., Proctor, Galle, or to—

D. G. RATNAPALA, Auctioneer.
Arya Sinhala Wansaya Office, Galle.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I KANAPATHIPILLAI THAMBLIAH, of Alway South, Point Pedro, presently of 11A, Forbesroad, Maradana, do hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and other Justices of the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

11A, Forbes road,
February 6, 1918.

K. THAMBLIAH.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I PETER FELIX MENDIS, of Forbes Lodge, Colombo, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

February 4, 1918.

PETER F. MENDIS.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I ROBERT ABRAHAM DISSANAYAKE, of Akuratiya, Baddegama, and presently of "Floriston," Matagoda, Colombo, do hereby give notice that six weeks

hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

Colombo, February 5, 1918.

R. A. DISSANAYAKE.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I STANLEY FREDERICK PEREIRA, of the Fort, Matara, and presently of Karlsruhe, Colombo, do hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

Karlsruhe,
Colombo, February 5, 1918.

STANLEY F. PEREIRA.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I STANLEY FREDERICK DE SARAJI, of The Hermitage, age, Colombo, do hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

Colombo, February 4, 1918.

STANLEY F. DE SARAJI.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I JAMES ALEXANDER WIJEKUN KANNAN-GARA, of 3rd Division, Maradana, do hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

February 5, 1918

J. A. W. KANNANGARA.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I ALEXANDER REGINALD SENEVIRATNE, presently of Marsook Lodge, Bambalapitiya, do hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Supreme Court to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Hon. Court.

Marsook Lodge, February 1, 1918.

A. R. SENEVIRATNE.