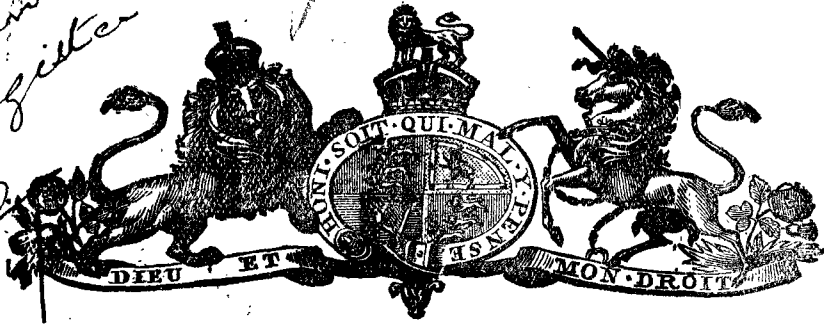


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PROCLAMATIONS.

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 REGINALD EDWARD STUBBS, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

R. E. STUBBS.

WHEREAS certain by-laws were made by the District School Committee of Ratnapura, in pursuance of section 19 of "The Rural Schools Ordinance, 1907," and having been duly confirmed under section 20 (2) of the said Ordinance, were published in the *Government Gazette* dated August 21, 1914, by Proclamation dated August 14, 1914 :

And whereas the said District School Committee has amended Schedule B to the said by-laws by adding Rakwana Boys' Vernacular School in Atakalan korale and Balangoda Boys' Vernacular School and Balangoda Girls' Vernacular School in Meda korale to the list of schools in the said schedule :

Now know Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 20 (2) of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby confirm the amendment as above indicated of the said Schedule B to the said by-laws.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting 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 REGINALD EDWARD STUBBS, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

R. E. STUBBS.

KNOW Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 4 of "The Cattle Ordinance, 1898," and with the advice of the Executive Council, have made the following regulations set forth in the schedule hereto for the Trincomalee District.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eleventh day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Regulations framed under Sections 4 and 5 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1898 regarding Registration of Cattle.

1. On or before January 15 of each year every owner of cattle shall give in triplicate in the Form G.A.—K 4 a list of all cattle in his possession to the Registrar of the division in which such cattle are kept. In cases where such cattle are kept partly in the division in which such owner resides and partly in another division, the list shall be given to the Registrar of the division in which he resides.

to the President of Village Tribunals having jurisdiction over his division.

10. The Registrar shall be entitled to the following fees:—

(a) For registration—

	Rs.	c.
From 1 to 10 animals	0	25
From 10 to 25 animals	0	37
From 25 to 50 animals	0	50
Above 50 animals	1	0

(b) For issuing certificates of registration (referred to in rule 5), each 0 25

2. The Udaiyars and Korals shall be *ex officio* Registrars of cattle within their respective divisions, provided that the Government Agent may remove them from office, or may limit their jurisdiction and appoint special Registrars for the whole or any part of such divisions.

3. The Registrar shall register the lists in the order in which they are received by him, entering the particulars in a register as near as is material in the Form A in the schedule hereto. One copy of the list shall be filed of record by the Registrar in his office, the second copy shall be delivered to the owner of cattle, and the third copy shall be forwarded by the Registrar, within a week of its registration, to the President of the Village Tribunals having jurisdiction over his division.

4. It shall be the duty of the Registrar to compare the list tendered for registration with the corresponding list of the previous year, and otherwise satisfy himself that the number and description of the animals given therein are correct.

5. The Registrar shall, on the application of the owner of cattle, and on payment of the fee prescribed in rule 10, issue in all cases of transfer a certificate of the registration of such cattle as near as is material in the Form B in the schedule hereto.

6. No voucher for the transfer of cattle shall be executed by any headman or other officer, except on production of the said certificate of registration from the Registrar, or of the voucher on which such cattle were transferred.

7. The headman or other officer who executes the transfer voucher shall annex the certificate of registration to the counterfoil of the voucher, which is returned to the Kachcheri, and insert the number and date of the certificate and the name of the Registrar issuing the same against item 5 of the transfer voucher Form G.A.—K 1.

8. Vouchers for the transfer of cattle belonging to temples, mosques, and pansalas, or to recently deceased persons, or to minors, or to persons of unsound mind, shall be attested by the President, by the Chairman of the Village Committees, or the Chief Headman of the division. In case of a lunatic or minor, it shall be the duty of the officer executing such vouchers to satisfy himself that the grantor is the legal or natural guardian of the lunatic or minor, and that the transaction is in the interest of such lunatic or minor, and in no such case shall cattle of the value of Rs. 50 and upwards be transferred, except by a curator duly appointed by the District Court.

9. The Registrar shall keep a register of certificates of registration issued by him as near as is material in the Form C in the schedule hereto and send a copy of it quarterly

Schedule.

Form A (referred to in Rule 3).

Register of Cattle Lists registered by the Cattle Registrar of —, in — Pattu.

Serial No. of registration :—
Date of registration :—
Name of cattle owner :—
Village :—
Total No. of cattle : Black buffaloes :—
Remarks :—

Form B (referred to in Rule 5).

Certificate of Registration of Cattle issued by the Cattle Registrar of —, in — Pattu.

I, —, Registrar of Cattle of —, in — Pattu, hereby certify that the head of cattle of the under-mentioned description appears entered against No. — on cattle list bearing registration No. — and date — furnished by — :—

Description of animal :—
Colour :—
Age :—
Kind :—
Sex :—
Brandmarks :—
Other peculiarities :—

—
Cattle Registrar.

Form C (referred to in Rule 9).

Register of Certificates of Registration issued by the Cattle Registrar of —, in — Pattu.

Serial No. :—
Date :—
Name of cattle owner :—
Village :—
No. of cattle list :—
Animal bearing what number in cattle list —
Remarks :—

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 REGINALD EDWARD STUBBS, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

R. E. STUBBS.

WHEREAS in pursuance of "The Necessaries of War Exportation Ordinance, 1914," We did by Our Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette* of August 3, 1917, prohibit the exportation from Ceylon of the articles to the extent therein specified:

And whereas by Our Proclamations from time to time published in the said *Government Gazette*, We did amend the schedule to the aforesaid Proclamation:

Now know Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, in pursuance of the aforesaid Ordinance, do hereby further amend the aforesaid schedule in the manner set forth in the schedules to this Proclamation.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eighteen.

By His Excellency's command,

A. S. PAGDEN,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

(1) The following headings should be deleted:—

- (c) Algin and its compounds.
- (c) Baskets and basketware.
- (c) Celluloid, articles wholly or partly manufactured of.

Chemicals, &c., the following:—

- (A) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound (except ammonium nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide).
- (A) Ammonium alum.
- (A) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts.
- (c) Hydrastis canadensis.
- (A) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel.
- (A) Sodium carbonate.
- (c) Sodium sesquicarbonate.

(c) Cork and cork dust, and articles manufactured from cork or cork dust.

(A) Glue, osseine and concentrated size, fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine.

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(c) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited.

(c) Linoleum.

(c) Spirits, potable, of a strength of less than 43 degrees above proof.

(c) Wine.

(2) The following headings should be added:—

(A) Algin and its compounds.

(A) Baskets and basketware.

(A) Celluloid, articles wholly or partly manufactured of.

Chemicals, &c., the following:—

(A) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts (except ammonia liquor, liquefied ammonia, ammonium alum, ammonium carbonate, chloride, nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide, and nickel ammonium sulphate, and mixtures containing such ammonium salts).

(A) Ammonium alum and mixtures containing ammonium alum.

(A) Ammonium carbonate and mixtures containing ammonium carbonate.

(A) Ammonium chloride, including muriate of ammonia and salammoniac, and mixtures containing these substances.

(A) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts, and preparations of any of these substances.

(c) Hydrastis canadensis and hydrastine.

(A) Nickel ammonium sulphate and mixtures containing nickel ammonium sulphate.

(B) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel ammonium sulphate and nickel nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel.

(A) Sodium carbonate in all forms, including sodium sesquicarbonate and mixtures containing any of these substances.

(A) Cork and cork dust.

(c) Cork or cork dust, articles manufactured therefrom, not otherwise prohibited.

(A) Glue, osseine and concentrated size and other sizes and sizings made from glue), fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine.

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(A) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited.

(A) Linoleum.

(A) Motor cars of thirty horse-power and over.

(A) Respirators and self-contained breathing sets intended to afford protection to the wearer against toxic atmospheres.

(A) Size and sizings of all kinds (whether nitrogenous or not), not including articles the exportation of which is prohibited to all destinations under the prohibitions attaching to farinaceous substances, dextrine, concentrated size and other size and sizings made from glue.

(A) Spirits, potable, of a strength of less than 43 degrees above proof.

Tools, small, the following:—

(A) Saws, cross cut, frame and pit.

(A) Willows and osiers.

(A) Wine.

SCHEDULE B.

(1) The following headings should be deleted:—

(A) Candles manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow.

(c) Candles (except candles manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow).

(A) Cartridges, charges of all kinds, and their component parts.

Chemicals, &c., the following :—

- (A) Soda, caustic.
 - (C) Tin, compounds of (except chlorides and oxide of tin).
 - (A) Fibre, coir.
 - (A) Fibre, New Zealand flax.
 - (C) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, and tissues and manufactures of such fibres, not otherwise prohibited.
 - (A) Firearms, rifled, and their component parts.
 - (A) Firearms, unrifled, and their component parts.
- Linen manufactures, the following :—
- (A) Canvas hose.
 - (A) Cloth, unbleached, woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns, whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material :—
 - (i.) Being of a weight per square yard exceeding 8 ounces ; or
 - (ii.) If of a weight per square yard of 8 ounces or less, aggregating 96 threads or more per inch warp and weft combined.
 - (C) Cloth woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns not otherwise specifically prohibited, whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material.
 - (C) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of flax, not otherwise prohibited.
 - (A) Linen thread.
 - (A) Linen yarn.
 - (A) Nightlights manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow.
 - (C) Nightlights (except nightlights manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow).
 - (A) Sealskins, unfanned hair.
- Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—
- (A) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or material, in the gray, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted ; with the exception of velvets, plushes, hair nets in the piece, laces, mourning crêpe, trimmings, braids, ribbons not exceeding six inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles, not otherwise prohibited.
 - (C) Tin, manufactures of (except hollowware, tin plates, and receptacles made from tin plates).

- (A) Wire, iron, and articles wholly manufactured thereof.
 - (A) Wire rods, iron.
 - (A) Wire, steel, and articles wholly manufactured thereof.
 - (A) Wire rods, steel.
- (2) The following headings should be added :—
- (A) Ambergris.
 - (A) Candles.
 - (A) Cartridges, charges of all kinds and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances and accessories for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges.
- Chemicals, &c., the following :—
- (A) Soda, caustic and mixtures containing caustic soda.
 - (A) Tin, compounds of (except chlorides and oxide of tin).
 - (A) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited.
 - (C) Fibres, vegetable :—Tissues and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited.
 - (A) Firearms and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances and accessories for use in connection therewith.
 - (A) Flax and linen, all goods wholly or partly manufactured of, except made-up articles of wearing apparel.
 - (C) Flax and linen, made-up articles of wearing apparel wholly or partly manufactured of.
 - (A) Nightlights.
 - (A) Pencils, copying ink.
 - (A) Sealskins, fur and hair.
- Silk and silk manufactures of, the following :—
- (A) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or material, in the gray, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted ; with the exception of velvets, plushes, laces, mourning crêpe, trimmings, braids, ribbons not exceeding six inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles, not otherwise prohibited.
 - (A) Tapers.
 - (A) Tin, manufacturers of (except hollowware, tin plates and receptacles made from tin plates).
 - (A) Wire rods and wire of iron or steel and articles manufactured wholly of such wire rods or wire.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 129 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointment on his Personal Staff, with effect from April 16, 1918 :—

To be Private Secretary.

Captain L. F. L. DAY, Supply and Transport Corps.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 15, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 130 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments :—

Mr. L. W. C. SCHRADER to be, in addition to his own duties, Fiscal, Southern Province, for April 24 and 25, 1918.

Mr. E. F. MARSHALL to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Assistant Government Agent, Matale, and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Matale from April 21 to 28, 1918.

Mr. F. LEWIS to be an Additional Assistant Settlement Officer and a Special Officer under the Waste Lands Ordinances, with effect from April 15, 1918.

Mr. M. POTGER to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Badulla-Haldummulla, *vice* Mr. J. R. WALTERS, from April 26 to 30, 1918, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. D. NILES to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, Kayts, and Mallakam, *vice* Mr. A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ, on April 18, 1918.

Mr. J. KADRAMATAMBY to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, from April 15 to 19, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 18, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 131 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps :—

To be Temporary Major.

Captain FRANCIS JAMES TOTHILL.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 15, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 132 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Ceylon Light Infantry :—

To be Second Lieutenant.

Mr. WILLIAM NORMAN RAE.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 18, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 133 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to recognize Mr. L. E. O. PIERIS provisionally as Acting Consul for

Chile at Colombo during the absence of Mr. T. H. A. DE SOYSA on leave.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 17, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 134 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. V. M. PONNUSAMY to be an Inquirer for Koralepattu, with effect from April 10, 1918, *vice* Mr. A. K. KARIAPPER.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 16, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 135 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. ALOYSIUS LEO JERONIMUS EDIRISINGHE, at present practising as a Notary Public at Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Negombo and throughout the judicial division of Negombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 15, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 136 of 1918.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. GALLATRALLAGE KIRIBANDA KARUNARATNE, of Kegalla, to be a Notary Public throughout Dasiya pattu of Negombo District, with residence and office at Andiambalama, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 15, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments :—

SAMUEL MUTTIAH MOSES to be Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panadure town division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from May 8, 1918, *vice* Mr. B. W. R. FERNANDO, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Panadure.

JOSEPH ADRIAN DE ALWIS SENEWIRATNE provisionally to be Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from April 15, 1918, *vice* K. DON ISAN SIRIWARDENA, retired. His office will be at Elaowita at Alutkade Tummanhandiya.

IHALAGEDERA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE WILLIAM HERAT MUDIYANSE to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan) of Matale North division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for seven weeks and three days, with effect from April 10, 1918, *vice* the Registrar, J. E. HERAT, on sick leave. His office will be at Danselekumburepillewa in Akuramboda.

ABRAHAM HENDRICK DIAS WICKRAMANAYAKA KARUNARATNE to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Yakawala and Hinidum pattu divisions respectively, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days, with effect from April 12, 1918, *vice* A. D. S. W. KARUNARATNE, on leave. His office will be at Hunumullegedaramedawatta at Tawalama.

TAMPOE RICHARD MUTTAMBY to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern

Province, with effect from April 22, 1918, *vice* W. A. GUNATILAKE, transferred. His office will be at Government Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

KALANTER UDAIYAR UMARULEBBE provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akkarai pattu east No. 1 division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from May 2, 1918, *vice* Registrar, U. CHILAIMALEVVAIPODI, retired. His office will be at Addalaichenai.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 16, 1918. Acting Colonial Secretary.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to confirm the following appointments :—

DON HENRY DE ALWIS SAMARANAYAKA WIJEKON as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalutara South division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province.

ROBERT PETER KARUNARATNA as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hiniduma division, and of Marriages (General) of Hinidum pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province. His office will be at Ussagodawatta in Hiniduma.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. S. PAGDEN,
Colombo, April 18, 1918. Acting 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 Dr. K. DON PETER to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 5 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on April 9, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. J. L. FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at No. 20, Mayfield road, Kotahena.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. WILFRED M. MÜLLER to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 5 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from April 10, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. J. L. FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at No. 20, Mayfield road, Kotahena.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed RICHARD EDWARD DE SARAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Galahitiyawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale south division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for nine days from April 15, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, SIMON ROBERT DE SARAM, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Batuwatta.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON CAROLIS SAMARASINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Migahatenna division, and of Marriages (General) of Maha pattu south division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for ten days from April 9, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, BOGODA ARACHCHIGE DON DIAS JAYAWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Migahatenna.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON CHARLES KULASEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Magura division, and of Marriages (General) of Maha pattu south division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for seven days from April 22, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, DON JOHANIS JAYAWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at Arachchigewatta in Baduraliya.

The Provincial Registrar, Central Province, 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 thirty days from March 31, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. G. KRELTZHEIM, on sick leave. His office will be at No. 53, Castle Hill street, Kandy.

The Provincial Registrar, Central Province, has appointed HIMHAMIMUDIANSSELEGEDARA KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Uda Hewaheta No. 3 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for ten days from April 20, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, J. M. DINGIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Galgodakelepatana in Daraoya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed KARANDAGOLLE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Oyalapata division, and of Marriages (General) of Walapone division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for thirty days from April 15, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, L. B. ANDARAWEWA, on leave. His office will be at Ketakandura.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed IHALAGEDERA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE WILLIAM HERAT MUDIYANSE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udugoda Udasiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale North division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for thirty days from April 14, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, J. E. HERAT, on sick leave. His office will be at Danslekumburepillewa in Akuramboda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle District, has appointed KARIYAWASAN MAJUWANEGAMAGE CHARLES DIAS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Telikada division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for seven days from April 16, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, F. D. J. GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His offices will be at Ambogahawatta in Keradewala and Ambagahaowita-totupalewatta in Majuwana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle District, has appointed CORNELIS MENDIS WIHASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bussa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three weeks from April 18, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, S. M. WIJAYASEKARA, on leave. His office will be at Mulgedarawatta in Ratgama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed JOHN FRANCIS PERERA WIMALAGUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Thihagoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for twenty-seven days from April 4, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. S. WIMALAGUNASEKERA, on sick leave. His office will be at Rasappawalawwewatta in Naimbala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON ANDREAS SIRIWARDENA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from April 5, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. H. DE S. SIRIWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Liyanagegedarawatta in Bengamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed MAPPANA MODIR. KANAPATIPPILLAI SITAMPARAPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Tenmaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from April 1, 1918, *vice* the Registrar, N. VARITTAMPI, retired. His office will be at Kaddaiparittan in Chandanpokkaddi.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed MUTTUCUMARU SETUKAVALAR, Police Vidhan, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Iluppaikadavai division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from April 9, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, V. MURUGAR, on leave. His office will be at Udaiyarvalavu in Vellankulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed VISUVASAM JACOB DIAS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar island, Division No. 1, and of Marriages (General) of Mannar island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from April 12, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, K. K. TALIMA, on remand being charged in a case of murder. His office will be at Jacob Dias Valavu in Pesalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed KANDAPPEN SANGARAPILLAI to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Batticaloa town division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for nineteen days from April 12, 1918, during the absence of the Deputy Registrar, C. VISUVALINGAM, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Batticaloa.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed CASINATHER MURUKAPPAN to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mamunai pattu south division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for fifteen days from April 16, 1918, *vice* Registrar, K. VELUPPILLAI, discontinued. His office will be at Kurukkalmadam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed KATIRKAMAR VYRAMUTTU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Koddiiyar pattu division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from April 9, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, T. DURAIAPPAN, Mudaliyar, on leave. His office will be at Mutur and Mallikaitivu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tiragandahe korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for three days from April 10, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, L. B. HUNUKUMBURE, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence at Wanduragala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed RANGEBANDARALAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Rajawanni pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from April 3, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, RANGEBANDARALAGE

PUNCHIRALA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence in Murukwatawana.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed **BASNAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE KIETHINAYAKA BANDARA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maddegama division, and of Marriages (General) of Kadawatu korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for fifteen days from April 16, 1918, *vice* Registrar, B. M. PUNCHI MUDIYANSE, resigned. His office will be at Udagama.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed **PATRAGE PUNCHI APPUHAMI** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Madampo division, and of Marriages (General) of Atakalan korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for seven days from April 17, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, W. M. JAYASUNDERA, on leave. His office will be at Meddegoda Walauwa, Madampe.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed **DON DAVID SENANAYAKE** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirteen days from April 22, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, D. L. DHARMAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Ratnapura.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed **HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE PODIMAHATMEYA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehigampal korale Egodapota pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla

District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for April 8, 1918, during the absence of the Registrar, K. APPUSINGHO, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Imbulana.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that **NALAWATTAGE MANUEL PINTO SENANAYAKA**, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambatalenpahala West division, and of Marriages (General) of Ambatalenpahala, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, will, with effect from April 18, 1918, hold his office at the land called Wellampitiyawatta *alias* Tappewatta in Wellampitiya, instead of at the land called Welangahawatta, as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 6,821 of September 1, 1916.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 18, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that **J. SANTAKAHAMY**, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panawa pattu west division, and of Marriages (Kandyian and General) of Panawa pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, will, with effect from May 1, 1918, hold his office at Parewatta in Lahugala, instead of at Parawatta in Lahugala, as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 6,900 of September 28, 1917.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 10, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

“THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ORDINANCE, No. 13 of 1910.”

IT is hereby notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by sections 17 and 19 of the above-named Ordinance, has been pleased to appoint Monday, May 6, 1918, as a convenient day, and the Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, as a convenient place, for the election of a member for the European Electorate (Urban) specified in section 3 of the said Ordinance.

It is further notified that the Returning Officer will be in attendance on the day and at the place aforesaid for the reception of nomination papers, as provided by Rule 6 of Schedule II. of the Ordinance, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 P.M.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 23, 1918.

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

WITH reference to the Notification dated April 11, 1918, published in the *Government Gazette* of the 12th idem it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to approve the grant of the honorary rank of Major to Captain W. E. HORN on his transfer to the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 19, 1918

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

“THE VOLUNTEER ORDINANCE, 1910.”

IT is hereby notified for public information that the General Officer Commanding the Troops, in pursuance of the powers vested in him by section 12 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1910, has made the following regulation, which has been approved by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, after consultation with the Commandant.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 16, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

REGULATION REFERRED TO.

In all places where the expressions “Ceylon Artillery Volunteers,” “Ceylon Engineer Volunteers,” and “Ceylon Volunteer Medical Corps” occur in existing regulations, the expressions “Ceylon Garrison Artillery,” “Ceylon Engineers,” and “Ceylon Medical Corps” shall be respectively substituted therefor.

“THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908.”

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon in Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 18 of “The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, 1908,” has been pleased to amend the Notification dated May 24, 1916, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,795 of May 26, 1916, by altering the price prescribed for the sale of commercial envelopes (6 in. by 3½ in.) stamped with 5 cents stamps from 5½ to 6 cents each from April 15, 1918.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 17, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,
A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

IT is hereby notified that the following by-laws framed by the Local Board of Moratuwa, under section 56 (7) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898 and confirmed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

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

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Dangerous and Offensive Trades.

1. Dangerous and offensive trades shall for the purpose of these rules mean and include any of the following :—

Storage or manufacture of artificial manure, boiling of blood or offal, drying blood or offal, tanning, fat melting, fat extracting, soap making, soaking of coconut husks, fibre dyeing, coconut oil manufacture (where machinery is employed), manufacture or storing of fibre, storing of hides, bones, artificial manures, or any materials for the manufacture of artificial manure, storing of Maldive fish in quantity over 5 cwt. in weight, quarrying for metal cabook, or gravel, the manufacture of bricks and tiles, the burning of lime, the manufacture of aerated waters, storing or curing of plumbago.

2. No owner or occupier of any land or premises within the limits of the Local Board or other person shall carry on or suffer to be carried on upon such land or premises any offensive or dangerous trade or manufacture without a license from the Chairman of the Local Board, who is further empowered to refuse such license to any person failing to comply with any of these or other already existing Local Board rules.

Such license shall be subject to such fees as the Local Board from time to time may determine with the sanction of the Governor in Council.

3. If any person shall have been convicted twice or oftener by any court of the breach of any of these rules, it shall be lawful for the court recording such second or subsequent conviction to cancel the license issued to such person under this chapter by the Chairman of the Local Board. Upon such cancellation of a license by a court, the Chairman of the Local Board is empowered in his discretion to refuse to issue any fresh license to such person.

4. All materials required for the purpose of carrying on any of the aforesaid trades, businesses, or manufactures shall be stored so as to prevent effluvia or nuisance, and all such materials which have to be brought along any public thoroughfare, and which are likely to be offensive and give off effluvia shall be transported in non-absorbent covered receptacles or in such other manner as the Chairman shall direct, so as to obviate the creation of any nuisance.

5. Effective means shall be adopted for rendering innocuous any offensive vapours or gases emitted during any process or manufacture. Such vapours and gases shall either be discharged into the external air in such manner and at such a height as to admit of their diffusion without injurious or offensive effects or they shall be passed directly through a fire or into a condensing apparatus. All premises shall be adequately drained, and the drains kept in efficient order and washed daily.

6. Floors shall be maintained in a proper state of repair and cleansed daily, and when so ordered by the Chairman shall be constructed of such impermeable material as he may direct.

7. Walls shall be kept in good order so as to prevent the absorption of filth, and whitewashed twice annually or oftener if so ordered by the Chairman of the Local Board or the Senior Sanitary Officer.

8. All apparatus, including implements and vessels, shall be kept clean and where possible they shall be cleaned daily. All refuse, sweepings, scrapings, together with waste and dye products shall be removed daily from the premises in covered receptacles, unless intended to be forthwith subjected to further trade purposes on the premises.

9. Tanks used for washing or soaking skins or any other materials must be emptied and cleansed as often as may be necessary to prevent effluvia.

10. No person carrying on any offensive trade or manufacture, nor any owner or occupier of any land or premises upon which such offensive trade or manufacture is carried on shall pollute any river, stream, canal, channel, well, tank, or open piece of water by discharging thereinto or suffering to flow thereinto any foul, ill smelling, or offensive water or other fluid, or by throwing thereinto or suffering to be washed thereinto any offensive substance, nor shall he in any other way pollute or contaminate such river, stream, canal, channel, well, tank, or open piece of water.

11. The premises of all the afore-mentioned trades shall be open for inspection at all reasonable hours by the Chairman of the Local Board or by any person duly authorized by the Chairman.

12. The owner or occupier of any land from which clay, earth, stone, gravel, cabook, or other material is cut for the manufacture of bricks or tiles, or for building, or for any other purpose shall be responsible for seeing that proper drainage is provided, and that the pits or trenches cut are afterwards filled, so that water cannot stagnate therein.

Subject to the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the Local Board of Moratuwa, as empowered by section 56 (7) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, hereby resolves to charge the following fees for licenses :—

	Annual Fee.
	Rs. c.
Manure manufactory ..	100 0
Boiling or drying blood or offal ..	100 0
Tannery ..	100 0
Fat melting or extracting ..	50 0
Soap making ..	50 0
Kraals for soaking coconut husks ..	3 0
Fibre dyeing ..	2 50
Coconut oil manufactory where machinery is employed ..	100 0
Manufacture and storing of fibre ..	25 0
Storing of Maldive fish over 5 cwt. ..	5 0
Storing of hides, bones, artificial manures or materials for manufacture of artificial manure in quantity over one gunny bag ..	10 0
Metal or cabook quarry ..	50 0
Gravel quarry ..	25 0
Brick or tile manufactory ..	15 0
Lime kilns ..	12 0
Aerated water manufactory ..	100 0
Plumbago store or curing yard ..	50 0

"THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCE, 1892."

THE following resolution passed by the Legislative Council at the meeting held on April 10, 1918, is published for general information :—

That from and after this date the village of Opanake, in the Meda korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa, be brought under the operation of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," and that the limits of the said village shall, for the purposes of the said Ordinance, be as follows :—

North : Berupitimukalana, claimed by the Crown.
East : Heen-ela.

South : We-ganga.
West : Hunuwala village boundary and Midella-ela.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1918.

By His Excellency's command,

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCE, 1892."

THE following resolution passed by the Legislative Council at the meeting held on April 10, 1918, is published for general information:—

That from and after July 1, 1918, the town of Agalawatta, in the Pasdun korale east, Kalutara District, be brought under the operation of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892." The limits of Agalawatta are:—

North, East, and West: The paddy fields.

South: A straight line drawn due east from the junction of the Matugama-Kalawellawa road and the approach road to Pimbura estate to the paddy fields lying to the east of the Agalawatta-Badureliya road.

In addition to the area above described, all land not otherwise included coming within five chains of the centre of the following roads:—The Matugama-Agalawatta road, from the 13½ milepost to the 14½ milepost, and the Agalawatta-Badureliya road as far southeastwards as the bridge over the Delahitiyawa-ela. From these latter-described lands all paddy fields are excluded.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1918.

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, NO. 24 OF 1889."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following rule set forth in Schedule A, which has been made, under the provisions of section 16 of the said Ordinance, by the Village Committees elected by the inhabitants of the subdivisions set forth in the Schedule B below, in the Chief Headmen's divisions of Uduuwara, Yatinuwara, Tumpane, Harispattu, Pata Dumbara, Uda Dumbara, Pata Hewaheta, Uda Bulatgama, in the District of Kandy; Matale North, Matale South, and Matale East, in the District of Matale; and Uda Hewaheta, Walapane, and Lotmale, in the District of Nuwara Eliya, Central Province; in addition to the rules made by the said Committees, and published by Notification dated April 7, 1915, in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,713 of May 14, 1915, and the same is published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 16, 1918.

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE A.

1 (a) The inhabitants of all villages within the sub-division are liable to perform communal labour on any of the above-mentioned works within such subdivision, whether within their own village or not, when the work is of a special nature, and shall be decided by the Village Committee to be for the benefit of the subdivision generally.

SCHEDULE B.

Kandy District.

Name of Chief Headmen's Division.	Name of Subdivision.	Name of Chief Headmen's Division.	Name of Subdivision.	Name of Chief Headmen's Division.	Name of Subdivision.
Uduuwara	..Gangapalata Medapalata Kandupalata	Harispattu	..Galasiya pattu Pallegampaha Udagampaha	Uda Dumbara	..Gampaha West Gandekke Kandapahala
Yatinuwara	..Gangapalata Medapalata Kandupalata	Pata Dumbara	..Udagampaha Pallegampaha Palispattu East Palispattu West	Pata Hewaheta	..Gandahaye Hewawissa
Tumpane	..Udapalata Pallepalata Ganatapalata	Uda Dumbara	..Udasiya pattu north Udasiya pattu south Medasiya pattu Gampaha East	Udapalata	..Ganga Ihala Ganga Pahala Kandukara Ihala Kandukara Pahala
Harispattu	..Kulugammanasiya pattu Medasiyapattu			Uda Bulatgama	..Pasbage Ambagamuwa

Matale District.

Matale South	..Gampahasiya pattu Asgiri Pallesiya pattu A-giri Udasiya pattu Kohonsiya pattu Matale Medasiya pattu Matale Udasiya pattu	Matale East	..Laggala pattu Laggala pattu Gangala pattu Gangala pattu	Udasiya Pallesiya Udasiya Pallesiya	Matale North	..Wagapanaha Palle- siya pattu Udugoda Udasiya pattu Udugoda Pallesiya pattu Kandapalla korale Inamalawa korale
Matale East	..Matale Pallesiya pattu Ambanganga korale	Matale North	..Wagapanaha pattu	Udasiya		

Nuwara Eliya District.

Lotmale	..Pallepane Udapane	Uda Hewaheta	..Gannewa Pallegampaha Udagampaha	Walapane	..Oyapalata Medapalata Yatipalata Udapalata
Uda Hewaheta	..Kohoka Gangapalata Diyatilaka				

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to all Government Departments in Colombo which require it, Mahara Jail, and Mahara Quarry from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919.

2. 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, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Firewood" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 7, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

8. The security required will be Rs. 400 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

10. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

11. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

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.

April 12, 1918.

J. GIBB,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the right to sell liquors and aerated waters to 1st and 2nd class passengers, and also fruits, &c., to 3rd class passengers, on the platform at (a) Vavuniya and (b) Negombo Railway Stations from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, from persons willing to tender for the same.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for selling Liquors, &c., at Railway Stations" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the General Manager of the Railway not later than midday on Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, 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 or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be Rs. 50 for Vavuniya and Rs. 100 for Negombo contracts in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

8. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of each tender being notified.

9. The sale of liquor to take place only at train time, and then only to *bona fide* 1st and 2nd class passengers travelling by train, in a manner satisfactory to the General Manager or Officers of the Railway.

10. The prices charged for liquors and waters are to be moderate and to the satisfaction of the General Manager.

11. Each successful tenderer will be called upon to take out a liquor license, in respect of which a small fee will be charged. The number of salesmen or other servants admitted to the Railway premises will be limited to six.

12. Each successful tenderer should provide at his own expense a neat wooden shelter for the sale of refreshments to 1st and 2nd class passengers, the design of which must be approved by the General Manager. At Vavuniya a refreshment room is provided by the Department.

13. The Government reserves to itself the right to cancel the contract on one month's notice, if same is not conducted in accordance with the conditions and to complete satisfaction of the General Manager.

14. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

15. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

16. 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.

17. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

18. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the General Manager.

19. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 10, 1918.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling refreshments inside Railway premises at (a) the Colombo Goods Shed and (b) at the Maradana Kelani Valley Goods Shed from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, from persons willing to tender for same.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Refreshments at Goods Sheds" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the General Manager of the Railway not later than midday on Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The successful tenderers will be allowed the sole and exclusive right to sell fruits, bread, cakes, and other refreshments, exclusive of intoxicating liquors, within the Railway premises at (a) the Colombo Goods Shed and (b) at Maradana Kelani Valley Goods Shed during such hours as the said premises are opened to traffic work.

8. The successful tenderers should provide at their own expense portable huts of design approved by the General Manager, not exceeding 14 ft. by 7 ft., which will be permitted to be placed at spots to be pointed out by the Goods Agent, Colombo, and the Chief Goods Clerk, Maradana, Kelani Valley Goods Shed, on the understanding that they may at any time be called upon to remove the same should the sites on which they are placed be required for other purposes.

9. The Government will accept no responsibility for the safe custody of the contents of the huts.

10. The successful tenderers shall agree to subject themselves and their servants to all reasonable orders of the General Manager, Traffic Manager, or the Goods Agent, or the Chief Goods Clerk, Maradana Kelani Valley Goods Shed.

11. The number of salesmen or other servants admitted to the Railway premises will be limited to two in respect of each service.

12. The successful tenderers will be required to keep their huts and surroundings in a clean and tidy condition, and remove all the refuse matter from the Railway premises each day.

13. The successful tenderers will be required to deposit as security for the good behaviour of themselves and their servants and for ensuring compliance with all the conditions of the contract the sum of Rs. 150 and Rs. 50 respectively.

14. The tenderers should state the amounts they are prepared to pay in advance on the first day of each calendar month for the privilege. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

15. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tenders being notified.

16. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

17. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

18. 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.

19. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

20. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the General Manager.

21. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1918.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Fruits, &c., in the Platform to Third Class Passengers" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the General Manager of the Railway not later than midday on Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 10 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be a month's rent in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

8. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of each tender being notified.

9. Sales will not be allowed for the Night Mail trains.

10. Only four salesmen will be allowed on the platform in attendance on any one train.

11. The contract is on no account to be assigned or sublet without the authority of the General Manager.

12. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders will be treated as informal and rejected.

13. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

14. 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.

15. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

16. No structure of any kind will be allowed to be erected on the platform.

17. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

18. No passes on Railway will be issued in connection with this service.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1918.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the right to sell liquors and aerated waters to 1st and 2nd class passengers, and also fruits, &c., to 3rd class passengers, on the platforms at Avissawella and Waga Railway Stations from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, from persons willing to tender for the same.

2. 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, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Selling Liquors, &c., at Avissawella or Waga Railway Station" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling fruits, &c., on the platforms to third class passengers at Ragama, Veyangoda, Rambukkana, Gampola, Nawalapitiya, Talawakele, Ohiya, Moratuwa, Galle, Galgamuwa, Kurunegala, and Madawachchi from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, from persons willing to tender for the same.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250 for Avissawella and Rs. 100 for Waga in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

8. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of each tender being notified.

9. The sale of liquor to take place only at train time, and then only to *bona fide* 1st and 2nd class passengers travelling by train, in a manner satisfactory to the General Manager or Officers of the Railway.

10. The prices charged for liquors and waters are to be moderate and to the satisfaction of the General Manager.

11. The successful tenderer will be called upon to take out a liquor license, in respect of which a small fee will be charged. The number of salesmen or other servants admitted to the Railway premises will be limited to four.

12. The successful tenderer should provide at his own expense a neat wooden shelter for the sale of refreshments to 1st and 2nd class passengers, the design of which must be approved by the General Manager.

13. The Government reserves to itself the right to cancel the contract on one month's notice, if same is not conducted in accordance with the conditions and to complete satisfaction of the General Manager.

14. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

15. No passes on Railway will be issued in connection with this service.

16. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

17. 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.

18. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

19. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

20. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1918.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling fruits, &c., on the platforms to third class passengers at Polgahawela from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, from persons willing to tender for same.

2. 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, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Fruits, &c., at Polgahawela Railway Station" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, 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 or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be a month's rent in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

8. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

9. Sales will not be allowed for the Night Mail trains.

10. Only four salesmen will be allowed on the platform in attendance on any one train. Total number of men on any platform not to exceed eight.

11. The contract is on no account to be assigned or sublet.

12. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

13. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

14. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

15. 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.

16. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

17. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

18. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1918.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for making and supplying the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract for this service from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919:—

For Workmanship only.

To be made up from materials supplied by the Railway Storekeeper (needles and thread will not be supplied).
All garments to be machine-stitched.

For Inspectors.

Suits, fine serge, braided and lined with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement	About	10
Suits, drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement .. ..	..	60

For Station Masters, Relief Clerks, &c.

Coats, fine serge, braided and lined with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement	About	200
Coats, white drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement .. ..	..	480
Trousers, white drill, to measurement .. ..	..	1,000

For Guards, Gate Inspectors, and Car Attendants.

Coats, fine serge, lined, to measurement	About	150
Coats, coarse serge, plain, to measurement .. ..	..	100
Suits, fine serge, plain, to measurement .. ..	..	150
Suits, coarse serge, to measurement .. ..	..	150
Trousers, fine serge, to measurement .. ..	..	50

Trousers, coarse serge, to measurement	About	50
Trousers, white drill, to measurement	..	1,500
Cuffs and collars	..	10 pairs

For Checkers.

Coats, khaki drill, to measurement, with red epaulettes with the letters C. G. R. worked with black thread.	About	400
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For Sergeants, Ticket Collectors, Ticket Examiners, &c.

Suits, coarse serge, plain, to measurement	..	About	300
Suits, fine serge, plain, to measurement	..	..	20
Gold stripes	..	..	15

For Porters, Policemen, Gatemen, &c.

Suits, coarse serge, 4 standard sizes	..	About	2,000
Coats, coarse serge, 4 standard sizes	..	..	50
Shoulder straps, red	..	..	600 pairs
Shoulder straps, green	..	..	600 "
Motor Chauffeurs' khaki uniforms, complete, to measurement, buttons not required	..	..	60
Motor Mail Service Conductors' khaki uniforms, with round khaki caps, buttons not required	..	..	20
Motor Chauffeurs' peaked caps, with spare covers, all materials to be supplied by the contractor	..	..	10
Blue drill suits for carriage cleaners, &c.	..	..	50
Khaki pigstickers, to sizes	..	..	50
Khaki helmets, Wolseley pattern	..	..	10
Peaked caps, Infantry pattern	..	..	10

For Messenger Boys.

Drill slops.	..	..	..
Suits, coarse serge, ornamental, complete, including caps, to measurement, buttons not required	..	About	10

For Peons.

Coats, coarse serge, to measurement	..	About	10
Coats, khaki drill, to measurement	..	..	10

Miscellaneous.

For stitching in red thread the words "Extra Porter No.," "Outside Porter No.," or "Goods Porter No.," &c., on coarse serge or drill coat. Tender to be per letter or figure.

For stitching in red thread the words "Ticket Examiner," "Ticket Collector," &c., on cap. Tender to be per letter or figure.

* Serial numbers from 1 onwards to appear here as may be ordered.

Note.—(1) The above figures show approximate requirements for the period.

(2) All men to be measured at their respective stations, free passes for the purpose being provided by the Department.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Railway Clothing" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. The tenders should specify the rate at which each different description of uniform or article would, as shown above, be made up of materials supplied from the Railway Store, exclusive of needles and thread, and the number of yards of cloth, &c., that will be required for each garment or article.

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 750. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

9. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

10. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

13. 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.

14. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

15. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

16. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1918.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yards, Batticaloa, Kalmunai, and Trincomalee, from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919:—

- (1) Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12. by 8 in., each.
- (2) Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, each.
- (3) Bricks, kiln, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
- (4) Lime, boiled, per bushel.
- (5) Lime, slaked and screened, per bushel.
- (6) Tiles, half-round, 10 in., 12 in., and 15 in., per 1,000.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Eastern Province, 1918-19," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 14, 1918.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, not later than midday on May 14, 1918:—

- Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep.
Bricks, kiln, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.
Tiles, half-round, 10 in., 12 in., and 15 in. long.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any

alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

11. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

12. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

13. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, G. N. LOGGIN,
Colombo, April 17, 1918. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supply and delivery of road metal (broken stone to pass every way through a 2-inch ring) from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, for the use of the Public Works Department at the following places in the Northern Province:—

(a) At Mannar beach, near the Customs, at Rs. ———, per cube.

(b) At Pesalai beach, near the Customs, at Rs. ———, per cube.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Road Metal in the Northern Province, 1918-19," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 14, 1918.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the metal tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, not later than midday on May 14, 1918.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a

Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 350 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

11. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

12. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

13. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, G. N. LOGGIN,
Colombo, April 17, 1918. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Galle District.

Delivered within the Municipality of Galle.

Matara District.

Delivered within the Local Board limits of Matara.

Hambantota District.

Delivered in the town of Hambantota.

List of Materials.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.

Bricks, paving, 12 in. by 12 in. by 1½ in., per 1,000.

Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42 lb.

Lime, boiled, per bushel of 92 lb.

Tiles, half-round, 14 in., for roof slopes, per 1,000.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Southern Province, 1918-19," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 14, 1918.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, not later than midday on May 14, 1918:—

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.

Bricks, paving, 12 in. by 12 in. by 1½ in.

Tiles, half-round, 14 in., for roof slopes.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will

render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

11. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

12. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

13. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, G. N. LOGGIN,
Colombo, April 17, 1918. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the following service in the Galle District for a period of one, two, or three years from October 1, 1918 :—

(a) To deliver rubble of approved quality at the Galle Jail premises at Rs. ——— per cube.

(b) To transport metal from the Galle Jail premises and pile such metal at Rs. ——— per cube as follows :—

I.—On the Galle-Colombo road on the following miles :—

68-69 miles, including piling, at Rs. ——— per cube.	
69-70 do.	
70-71 do.	
71-72 do.	
72-73 do.	
73-74 do.	
74-75 do.	

II.—On the road from Galle to Akuressa :—

2-3 miles, including piling, at Rs. ——— per cube.	
3-4 do.	

III.—On the road from Galle to Udugama :—

2-3 mile, including piling, at Rs. ——— per cube.	
3-4 do.	

2. The rubble must be delivered in such quantities as required by the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, and shall in no case be less than 4 cubes a day. The rubble is for the purpose of being broken by the prisoners in the Galle Jail into metal.

3. The metal so broken will be issued to the contractor by the Jailer, Galle, through the shoot in the western wall of the Jail, and the contractor shall remove the metal so issued and pile the same on the road or roads as ordered by the Provincial Engineer according to requirements.

4. The quantity of metal so transported and piled shall not be less than 50 cubes per month, and will be measured monthly, and payments made at the rates to be agreed upon for each cube piled, including transport.

5. The contractor shall furnish all tools, powder, fuse, baskets, and transport as shall be necessary for the due and proper performance of the contract, and shall be at liberty to work in the Talbot town quarry.

6. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

7. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Metal in the Galle District, 1918-21," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 14, 1918.

8. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

9. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations

made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

10. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

11. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle.

12. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 200 for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

13. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

14. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

15. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, G. N. LOGGIN,
Colombo, April 17, 1918. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919, to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yards at Jaffna, Pallai, Vavuniya, and Mannar :—

List of Materials.

Coir, string, per cwt.
Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., per 100.
Lime made from coral chips, per bushel.
Lime, shell, per bushel of 92 lb.
Charcoal, per bushel.
Cadjans, not less than 8 ft. by 18 in., per 100.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Northern Province, 1918-19," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 14, 1918.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, not later than midday on May 14, 1918 :—

Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Lime made from coral chips.
Lime, shell.
Coir string.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the

works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

11. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

12. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

13. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, April 17, 1918.

G. N. LOGGIN,
for Director of Public Works.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

THE following confiscated and unclaimed articles lying in the Police Court of Negombo will be sold by public auction on Monday, April 22, 1918, at 12.30 P.M. at the Court-house:—

1 pillow
1 towel
1 broken comb
1 padlock
1 button
1 shirt
1 pair sandals
2 banians
1 sarong
1 Cannanore cloth
1 towel
2 coats
1 cloth
1 belt
1 shawl
1 shawl
1 tin box
1 pair trousers

4 coconuts
1 wooden box
2 gunny bags
1 lantern
1 umbrella
1 pot
2 big tins
1 big jakwood almirah
1 new jakwood sideboard
24 half bottles of port wine
2½ bottles of brandy
9 full bottles of port wine
2 bottles of arrack
1 teakwood sideboard
2 wooden boxes
6 plates
1 cup
4 coconuts

Police Court,
Negombo, April 15, 1918.

V. COOMARASWAMY,
Police Magistrate.

by public auction at Welikada Jail premises, at 11 A.M., on Tuesday, April 30, 1918:—

56 coloured sarongs
2 silk sarongs
64 cloths
59 banians
18 coats
5 towels
6 leather belts
25 cloth belts
9 handkerchiefs
4 pocket handkerchiefs

6 shirts
2 pairs trousers
2 pairs socks
2 pairs shoes
1 suspender
1 Turkey cap
1 small comb
4 small silver amulets
1 German silver cigarette case
1 wooden pipe

The above articles will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

Welikada Jail, A. DE WILTON, Major,
April 9, 1918. Superintendent, Convict Establishment

NOTICE is hereby given that the following private properties of long-sentenced and deceased prisoners of Jaffna Jail will be sold by public auction at Jaffna Jail premises, on Saturday, May 4, 1918, at 4.15 P.M.:—

18 cloths
9 shawls
4 banians
3 shirts
1 sarong
7 studs

1 small tin box
5 strings uthirachamkai with
32 silver rings and 2 silver covers
1 pair yellow metal ear kadukkan set with stones

Jaffna Jail, April 1, 1918.

J. ELSTONE,
Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the private property of long-sentenced prisoners of Welikada Jail will be sold

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended April 13, 1918.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 120 (1 European, 4 Burghers, 81 Sinhalese, 11 Tamils, 16 Moors, and 7 Malays). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1918, viz., 272,234) was 23.0, as against 19.2 in the preceding week, 22.2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 22.1 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 89 (1 European, 4 Burghers, 42 Sinhalese, 21 Tamils, 15 Moors, 3 Malays, and 3 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 17.0, as against 21.3 in the previous week, 28.3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 23.7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 89 total deaths, 17 were of infants under one year of age, as against 21 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 5.

Principal Causes of Death.—Eight deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 4 in Maradana (including 3 deaths of non-residents in hospitals) and 1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena, New Bazaar, and Kollupitiya, as against 10 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year.

2. Seven deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 2 in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital) and 1 each in Pettah, St. Paul's, Kotahena, New Bazaar, and Wellawatta, as against 14 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year. One death from *Bronchitis* was registered.

3. Four deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 3 in Maradana (including 2 deaths of non-residents in hospitals) and 1 in Wellawatta as against 3 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year.

4. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered, 1 in San Sebastian and 1 in St. Paul's, as against 3 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year. One case was reported, as against 4 in the previous week.

5. Seven deaths from *Infantile Convulsions* were registered, 6 from *Debility*, 5 from *Enteritis*, 4 each from *Dysentery* and *Worms*, 1 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Tetanus*, and 39 from *Other Causes*.

6. Forty-seven cases of *Chickenpox* and 7 of *Measles* were reported during the week, as against 36 and 5 respectively in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82.1°, against 81.1° in the preceding week and 81.8° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.883 in., against 29.871 in. in the preceding week and 29.854 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0.61 in., against nil, in the preceding week and 0.15 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 16, 1918.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

THE under-mentioned packages having been kept in No. 14 Warehouse beyond the time prescribed by law, notice is hereby given that, unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on May 14, 1918, at 1 P.M. Goods to be cleared on or before May 17, 1918.

No.	Date of Landing.	Vessel.	From	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
392	Jan. 29, 1918	ss. Java Maru	Unknown	Nil or 2	1 barrel cement
405	Jan. 29, 1918	ss. Totomi Maru	do.	Nil	1 bundle rattan
406	Jan. 17, 1918	ss. Yetofu Maru	do.	K B in a triangle B C outside	1 case calendars
422	Nov. 30, 1917	ss. Dumra	Tuticorin	K R	9 bags fish manure
422	Nov. 30, 1917	do.	do.	P S M	2 bags fish manure
423	Dec. 16, 1917	do.	do.	Nil	1 bag fish manure

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, April 12, 1918.

W. T. SOUTHORN,
for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importations of Rice into the Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended April 13, 1918.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Adrampatam	640
Do.	Akyab	1,845
Do.	Bassein	1,770
Do.	Calcutta	4,263
Do.	Kobe	10
Do.	Rangoon	8,286
Do.	Singapore	100
Do.	Tuticorin	16,297
Do.	Dhanushkodi	24,687
Batticaloa	Coconada	665
Jaffna	Topputhurai	1,611
Valvettiturai	Akyab	142
Kankesanturai	do.	11
Kayts	do.	119
Do.	Negapatam	650
Do.	Porto Novo	721
Point Pedro	Akyab	12

3,778 bags rice have been shipped from the Port of Colombo during the week ended April 13, 1918.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, April 17, 1918.

R. O. DE SARAM,
for Principal Collector.

Abstract of Cooly Labourers in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended December 31, 1917.

District.	Number of Estates.	Number of Males.	Number of Females.	Immigrants.	Total.	Births.	Deaths.
<i>Western Province.</i>							
Colombo	113	13,777	10,338	24,115	400	172	
Kalutara	117	18,957	15,746	34,703	519	211	
<i>Central Province.</i>							
Kandy	665	78,103	75,857	153,960	2,339	1,233	
Nuwara Eliya	139	25,333	24,979	50,362	835	381	
Matale	210	26,361	24,487	50,848	833	455	
<i>Southern Province.</i>							
Matara	30	3,184	2,930	6,114	73	46	
Galle	47	4,255	3,224	7,479	87	71	
<i>North-Western Province.</i>							
Chilaw	37	426	207	633	9	6	
Puttalam	10	92	46	138	2	—	
Kurunegala	110	4,312	2,861	7,173	127	66	
<i>Eastern Province.</i>							
Trincmalee	1	73	53	126	—	—	
<i>Province of Uva.</i>							
Badulla	187	34,574	33,215	67,789	951	557	
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>							
Ratnapura	126	20,658	18,596	39,254	572	359	
Kegalla	154	25,181	24,486	49,667	752	327	

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo April 12, 1918.

A. S. PAGDEN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Closing of Kandy-Kurunegala Road.

In order to admit of the reconstruction of the Kospotu-oya bridge, situated $9\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Kurunegala, the above road will be closed to all traffic at this point from May 6 to May 9, 1918, both days inclusive.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, April 17, 1918.

G. N. LOGGIN,
for Director of Public Works.

Karandupone-Rambukkana Road, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

OWING to reconstruction work in progress, the above road will be unsuitable for motor traffic for a period of two months from this date.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1918.

G. N. LOGGIN,
for Director of Public Works.

London B.A. and B.Sc. Examinations, 1917.

THE following have passed the London B.A. and B.Sc. Examinations of 1917:—

B.A. EXAMINATION.—Second Division.

2006 ..	Ginige, Abhayaseela	..	Private Study
2009 ..	Poulier, Reginald Sydney	do.	Vernon
2010 ..	Ratnam, Arumukha Ramalingam S.	do.	

B.Sc. EXAMINATION.—Second Division.

2051 ..	Chandrasena, Juan Pedige Charles	Private Study
2053 ..	Edward, Simithra-arachige Don Charles	Trinity College and Technical Schools
2054 ..	Nava Ratnam, Saravamu	Technical Schools and Private Study
2055 ..	Subrahmanyam, S.	do.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

April 12, 1918.

Examination of Pupil Teachers in Aided Sinhalese Schools, January, 1918.

THE following candidates have passed the above examination held on January 7, 1918, and following days. Those whose names do not appear on the list have failed to pass. No communication on the subject of the examination will be attended to.

Education Office, Colombo, April 15, 1918. E. EVANS,
for Director of Education.

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FIRST YEAR.—Males.			
No.	Name of Candidate.	School.	Manager.
1	Gunatunga, N. G. D.	Dikwella, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
3	Ramanayaka, D. S.	Radampola	Rev. B. S. Ratana-joti
4	Silva, R. D.	Dikwella, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
5	Siyadoris, M. H.	Tangalla	Rev. J. Eagle
6	Weerasinghe, H. P. E.	Radampola	Rev. B. S. Ratana-joti
8	Andrew Appu, Don	Wennappuwa, R. C.	Fr. J. Brault
12	Dingiri Banda, A. M.	Bibiladeniya	Rev. D. Medhan-kara
14	Fernando, Elaris	Nalawalana	Fr. J. Brault
15	Fernando, Ernalianu	Nainamadama	do.
16	Fernando, G.	Bandarawatta	do.
17	Fernando, M.	Kattimahana	do.
18	Fernando, M.	Dummelladeniya	do.
19	Fernando, P. R.	Katuneriya	do.
20	Fernando, W. E.	Tambarawila	do.
21	Fernando, W. S.	Mahawewa, Bud.	Rev. R. Wajira-gnana
23	Fidelis Appu	Bandiruppuwa	Fr. J. Brault
25	Jayatilaka, D. P. P.	Murutana	do.
26	Jayatunga, D. N.	Katuneriya	do.
27	Kurera, J.	Godella	do.
30	Pedrick Appu	Nalawalana	do.
31	Peiris, M. P.	Wennappuwa, b.	do.
34	Perera, J.	Uthitiyawa	do.
35	Perera, L.	Boralesa, b	do.
36	Perera, W.	Kattimahana	do.
37	Ratnayaka D. A. P.	Bibiladeniya	Rev. D. Medhan-kara
39	Ratnayaka, M. A.	do.	do.
42	Peiris, D. G.	Unawatuna, Bud.	T. Amarasuriya, Esq.
43	Abraham Singho	Lunugama, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
44	Allis Singho, T. G.	Weediyawatta, Bud.	do.
45	Cornelis	Delwala, Bud.	do.
46	Dharmadasa, A. P.	Ganegoda, Bud.	do.
48	Dionis, M. A.	Amunukumbura, Bud.	K. H. Allis, Esq.
49	Emis, W. K.	Ambanwita, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
50	Fernando, P. B.	Petiya-goda, Bud.	do.
51	Gunadasa, M. P.	Ganegoda, Bud.	do.
53	Hendrick, N. D.	Niwandama, Bud.	do.
55	Johnsingho, W. A.	Ambanwita, Bud.	do.
56	Jothiwardana	Nittambuwa, a. v.	do.
58	Karunaratna, D. A. H.	Henaratgoda, b. v. s.	do.
59	Perera, B. B.	Lunugama, Bud.	do.
64	Ranasingha, D. A.	Godagedara, Bud.	Rev. S. Pannasara

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No.	Name of Candidate.	School.	Manager.
66	Rupasingha, H. P.	Mandawala, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
67	Samarakoon, R. P.	Weboda Vidya-kara	Rev. K. Medhan-kara
69	Samaratunga, D. H.	Henaratgoda, b. v. s.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
70	Saranelis Appu	Lunugama, Bud.	do.
73	Weerakkody, D. C.	do.	do.
75	Yohanis Singho, Don	Kossetadeniya	do.
77	De Silva, D. L.	Balapitiya	G. R. de Zoysa, Esq.
80	Kirthirathna, M. A.	Batapola de S.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
82	Manawaduge, E.	Hennatota	T. Amarasuriya, Esq.
85	Pasquahandi, K.	Totagamuwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
88	Wijetunga, M. W. H.	Batapola, Bud. de S.	do.
92	De Alvis, V.	Nayakakanda	Fr. J. Brault
97	Manuel, Don	Pamunungama	do.
98	Nicholas, Don	do.	do.
104	Peramunugame, D. Y.	Kudabutgamuwa	Rev. J. W. Perera
105	Perera, A.	Kirimeti-yagara	Fr. J. Brault
106	Perera, G. J.	Bopitiya	do.
107	Perera, G.	Dehiagata	do.
111	Perera, W. P. S.	Makewita	do.
116	Dingiri Banda, M.	Kegalla, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
119	Punchi Banda, R. M.	Panaliya, Bud.	do.
122	Ukkurala, T. M.	Ratmalegoda	C. B. Weerasinghe, Esq.
125	Pabilis, H. Don	Madapata, Bud.	D. P. Attygala, Esq.
126	Peiris, J.	Mattegoda	W. A. P. Dassanayaka, Esq.
127	Perera, P. D. A.	Katukurunda	Fr. J. Brault
138	Fernando, M. M.	Katuwapitiya	do.
139	Fernando, P.	Raddoluwa, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
141	Istegu Appu, G. D.	Thimbirigaskotuwa	T. H. de Silva, Esq.
148	Perera, K. L. M.	Yatiyana	Fr. J. Brault
149	Perera, L.	Batepola	do.
154	Arnolis, G.	Hokandara	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
156	Caldera, H. C.	Kalapaluwawa	C. R. Gunawardana, Esq.
157	Domingo, A. D.	Niripola	Fr. J. Brault
159	Hilaris, R. D.	Mawalagama	do.
161	Kartelis, K. D.	Kotalawala	K. H. Allis, Esq.
162	Marcel, D. D.	Welikanna	Fr. J. Brault
163	Millianu, W. D.	Mawalagama	do.
165	Perera, B. D.	Hokandara	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
167	Perera, W. A.	do.	do.
169	Sediris, K. D.	Kotalawala	K. H. Allis, Esq.
170	Singho, A. P.	Maduluwawa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
171	William Singho, R. D.	Dehiowita	do.
172	Coorey, L.	Paiyagala, b.	Fr. J. Brault
173	Fernando, C.	Maggona	do.
180	Allis, R.	Potupitiya	M. J. de Sirisena, Esq.
182	De Silva, A. S.	Waskaduwa	J. K. de Silva, Esq.
183	De Silva, W. S.	do.	do.
187	Manuel, Don	Patahawatta	Sangananda Terunnanse
188	Pabilis, H. A.	Olaboduwa	Rev. P. Dhammaratana
189	Peiris, T.	Molligoda	L. J. Perera, Esq.
190	Perera, L.	Patahawatta	Sangananda Terunnanse
191	Perera, W. D. J.	Molligoda	L. J. Perera, Esq.
192	Rodrigo, S. P.	Wekada	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
193	Simon, Don	Wanduramulla	Rev. J. E. Silva
194	Appuhamy, A. P.	Gampola, Bud., v.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
200	Bando, H. P. L.	Katugastota, Bap.	Rev. J. A. Markus
203	Punchiappuhamy, G.	Pilmatalawa, C. M. S.	Rev. W. G. Shorten
204	Ranawana, T. B.	Katugastota, Bap.	Rev. J. A. Markus
207	Arlis, K. L.	Katukurunda, a. v.	Rev. F. S. Strother
208	Aryasena, B. Y.	Kananke	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
209	Carolus, H. D.	Denapitiya	E. W. Goonatillaka, Esq.
210	Darliss, P. H. K.	Dondra, Bud.	J. Goonawardana, Esq.
211	David Sinno, P. M.	do.	do.
212	Davith Hamy, H.	Pallimulla	Rev. W. J. Wijesinghe

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213	De Silva, K. W. C.	Kamburugamuwa, a.v.	Rev. J. Eagle
214	Dissanayaka, N. D. W.	Denapitiya	E. W. Goonatilleke, Esq.
215	Ediriweera, P.	Naimana	Rev. H. Sumanattissa
216	Francis Sinno, L. H.	Pallimulla	Rev. W. J. Wijesinghe
217	Jayasena, W. M. P.	Mihiripenna	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
219	Manamperi, C.	Nupe, <i>prac.</i>	Rev. W. J. Wijesinghe
220	Nanayakkaradolage, Weligama S.		D. M. Samaraweera, Esq.
222	Palliyeguruge, D.	do.	do.
224	Sarnis, M. L.	Nupe, <i>prac.</i>	Rev. W. J. Wijesinghe
227	Wagiradasa, P. B.	Kankanke	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
229	Wickramatunga, G. A. P.	Dondra, Wes.	Rev. J. Eagle
238	Perera, M.	Bandarawatta	Fr. J. Brault
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114	Silva, K. M.	Tibbotugoda	Fr. J. Brault
234	Fernando, M. A. A.	Katuneriya	do.
237	Mariahamy, D. R.	Dummellakotuwa	do.
239	Perera, C. S. G.	Wemappuwa	do.
243	Agostinahamy	Madelgomuwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
245	Angonona, K. D.	Balabowe	do.
247	Carlinahamy	Mandawala	do.
249	Dissanayaka, K.	Pasyala	do.
250	Elbinona	Orutota	Rev. J. A. Ewing
252	Janenona	Madabawita	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
255	Jayasinghe, D. J.	Wigoda	do.
256	Jayawardana, D. A.	Henaratgoda	do.
257	Jompinona	Kanduboda	D. A. P. Aboyssekara, Esq.
258	Karunawati	Mandawala	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
259	Karunawati, D. S.	Kaleliya	do.
262	Maggienona	Henaratgoda	do.
265	Perera, A.	Welweriya, R. C.	Fr. J. Brault
270	Roslin, D. D.	Welweriya, Pri.	L. Perera, Esq.
275	Somawatec, K. S.	Kaleliya	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
276	Sudusingha, E.	Borugomuwa	Thos. Perera, Esq.
277	Telis, F.	Miriswatta	Fr. J. Brault
278	Wijeyatunga, D. A.	Hapugahakanda	D. A. P. Abayasekara, Esq.
280	Emmienona, S. K.	Gonapinuwala	T. Amarasuriya, Esq.
281	Gunasekara, D. R. A.	Habaraduwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
288	Perera, I.	Batagama	Fr. J. Brault
289	Perera, J.	Wewala	do.
291	Perera, Margaret, M.	Tudella	do.
299	Isabellahamy, M.	Kurunegala	do.
300	Aloie, M. D. S.	Katubedda	Ratanajoti Unnanse
305	Dias, M.	Boralessgomuwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
307	Fernando, A. J.	Katukurunda	Fr. J. Brault
308	Fernando, D.	Boralessgomuwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
310	Fonseka, C.	Mampe	do.
314	Perera, N.	Galkissa, R. C.	Fr. J. Brault
317	Fernando, J.	Pallansena	do.
318	Fonseka, C. C.	do.	do.
320	Karunanayaka, D. E.	Nayakakande	do.
321	Peiris, M. C.	Katuwapitiya	do.
322	Perera, M.	Negombo Indust.	do.
323	Porlentina, R. D.	Palliyapitiya	Rev. N. Saddattissa
324	Rowel, W. E.	Burullapitiya	Fr. J. Brault
326	Soysa, A.	Wellapaliya	do.
327	Tissera, R.	Negombo Indust.	do.
332	Maraya, Dona	Meegoda	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
336	Perera, K. D. E.	Telangama	do.
338	Perera, P. A.	Rukmale	do.
342	Seelawatec, K. A.	do.	do.
344	Andradi, R.	Diyalagoda	Fr. J. Brault
345	Angelina, Dona	Paiyagala	do.
346	Asilinnona	Moragalla	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
347	Coorey, D.	Kalamulla	Fr. J. Brault
349	Isabella, Dona	Maggona	do.
352	Ranasingha, R.	Malagoda	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
353	Sempinona, W.	Walagedara	do.
355	Wimalawatec, K. A.	Tebuwana	do.

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356	Amalee, Dona	Ratuwatta Diamond Jubilee	B. A. Peiris, Esq.
357	De Silva, J.	Aruggoda	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
359	Elisahamy, M. D.	Walana Mahanama	do.
362	Fernando, M.	Aruggoda	do.
364	Guneratne, L. A. A.	Rayigama	Sangananda Terunanse
366	Joslinnoma, D.	Ratuwatta Diamond Jubilee	B. A. Peiris, Esq.
368	Peiris, J.	Walana Mahanama	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
371	Pralentine, D.	Aruggoda	do.
372	Ranasinha, L.	do.	do.
373	Walaratna, M. K. J.	Maradana Buddhist Girls	do.
375	Fernando, M.	Gampola, C. M. S.	Rev. M. Johnson
376	Podinona, J. W.	Kadugannawa Anulawatee	J. W. B. de Silva, Esq.
381	De Silva, D. S.	Mihiripenna	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
382	Missie, A. K.	Pamburana	Rev. J. Eagle
384	Leelawathie, A. K.	Weragampitiya	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
385	Seelawathie, D. V.	Denapitiya	E. W. Goonatilleke, Esq.
386A	Selone, M.	Kegalla Convent	Rev. J. Cooreman
SECOND YEAR.—Males.			
388	Bastiyana, P. D.	Dikwella, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
389	Deonis, T.	Dikwella, Wes.	Rev. J. Eagle
390	Jayawardana, G. U.	Tangalla	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
393	Dhanapala, L.	Koswatta	Rev. D. Medhanakara
394	Fernando, I.	Boralessa	Fr. J. Brault
396	Lown, A.	Tambarawila	do.
400	Patirana, C. H.	Koswatta	Rev. D. Medhanakara
401	Perera, C.	Nainamadama	Fr. J. Brault
403	Ranasinha, K.	Karukkuwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
404	Silva, W.	Haldanduwana	Fr. J. Brault
406	Suwa, H.	Hattiniya	H. Clayden, Esq.
408	Halloluwege, J. S.	Hapugala	A. G. Jayasundara, Esq.
409	Ponnamperuma, N.	do.	do.
416	Jayawardana, D. A.	Welweriya	L. Perera, Esq.
417	Kulatunga, H. D.	Ullalapola	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
418	Lewisappu	Niwandama	do.
419	Perera, A.	Welweriya, R. C.	Fr. J. Brault
422	Peter, J. D.	Ambanwita	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
423	Semachandra, R. A.	Halugama	do.
424	Sirisena, H. D. P.	Mahara Nugegoda	H. D. Paulus, Esq.
426	Gunawardana, P. P.	Hennatota	T. Amarasuriya, Esq.
428	Peter, G. H. K.	Gonapinuwala	do.
430	Seyanaris, M.	Imbulgoda	M. Sarnelis, Esq.
431	Silva, R. P. D.	Balapitiya	G. R. de Soysa, Esq.
433	Bastian, P. Don	Hapugoda	Fr. J. Brault
434	Fernando, K. S.	Dandugama St. Mark's	Rev. W. P. Fernando
435	Fernando, M. E.	do.	do.
440	Perera, D.	Kudabutgomuwa	Rev. J. W. Perera
443	Perera, S.	Wawala	Fr. J. Brault
450	Punchirala, S. P.	Kegalla, Bud.	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
451	Jayasinghe, R. M.	Ratmalegoda	Rev. A. H. Wainmley
452	Francis, S.	Wahacotte Anthony's	St. Rev. P. Fernando
454	Fernando, F. A.	Indibedda	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
455	Hendrick, P. D.	Mampe	do.
456	Mendis, P.	Rawatawatta	Fr. J. Brault
457	Mendis, W. W.	Koralawella	do.
458	Perera, K. S.	Attidiya	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
461	David Appu	Palagaturai	Fr. J. Brault
467	Perera, L.	Burullapitiya	do.
468	Perera, M. R.	Palliyapitiya	Rev. N. Saddhattissa
469	Rodrigo, A.	Bambukuliya	Fr. J. Brault
473	Tamel, W. S. P.	Katuwapitiya	do.
474	Theodoris, M. D.	Kochchikade	do.
477	Jan Singho, M.	Hokandara	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
478	Perera, C.	Kalalgoda	Sarnelis Perera, Esq.

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481	Fernando, M. A.	Maggona	Fr. J. Brault
484	Seneviratna, H.	Walagedara	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
487	Bastian Singho	Millaniya	Rev. E. Sankichcha
488	De Fonseka, A.	Empire Day, Kalutara	Cornis Fernando, Esq.
494	Juwanis, Don	Wanduramulla	Rev. J. E. Silva
496	Salgado, S.	Nalluruwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
497	Silva, A. L.	Waskaduwa	J. K. de Silva, Esq.
500	Soysa, A. P.	Wekada	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
508	Amarasinghe, J. de S.	Denapitiya	E. W. Goonatilaka, Esq.
509	Aryadasa, N. T. M.	Nupe, <i>prac.</i>	Rev. W. J. Wijesinghe
510	Bastian, W. W. D.	Naimana	Rev. H. Sumanattissa
512	Charlis Appu, G.	Dondra, Bud.	J. Gunawardana, Esq.
515	Gardias, J. G. K.	Kadeweediya	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
516	Kaluaratchy, A.	Katukurunda, <i>a.v.</i>	Rev. F. S. Strother
519	Tillekewardana, P. G. A. A.	Pamburana	Rev. J. Eagle
519A	De Silva, A. M. W.	Yatiyana, Bud.	Don Kottan, Esq.
SECOND YEAR.— <i>Females.</i>			
522	Jenny, A. P. G.	Unawatuna	T. Amarasuriya, Esq.
523	Leenage, A. H.	Hapugala	A. G. Jayasundara, Esq.
528	Perera, M.	Weliweriya	Fr. J. Brault
530	Podinona, M. W. D.	Orutota	Rev. J. A. Ewing
531	Sumanahamy	Hunumulla	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
538	Pesonona, A. B.	Tiranagama, <i>a.v.</i>	do.
550	Perera, T.	Pamunugama	Fr. J. Brault
551	Abeykoon, M.	Kurunegala	do.
552	Fonseka, W. L.	Kalubotwila	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
553	Perera, M. E.	Attidiya	D. S. Seneviratna, Esq.
554	Perera, T. S.	Talangama	Rev. T. C. G. Peiris
555	Wijayatunga, D. E.	Katubedda	Ratana-joti Unnanse
557	Fernando, L. J.	Pallansena	Fr. J. Brault
561	Babunnona, K. D.	Olaboduwa	Rev. D. Dhammaratana
563	Dassanayaka, D. D.	do.	do.
568	Pesonahamy	Meegoda	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
572	Perera, M.	Kalamulla	Fr. J. Brault
574	Silva, C.	Paiyagala	do.
579	Duliyesnona	Millaniya	Rev. E. Sankichcha
581	Janenona, Dona	Nalluruwa	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
582	Marynona, J.	Rayigama	Sangananda Terunanse
585	Samaranayaka, J.	Kandy, <i>a.v.</i>	Rev. A. S. Beaty
586	Josephine, K. D.	Maradana, B.M.S.	Miss E. W. Evans
587	Disilinnona, T. H.	Mirissa	D. M. Samaraweera, Esq.
589	Nonnohamy, H.M.A.	Pamburana	Rev. J. Eagle
591	Sarajeewa, B.	Meddawatta, <i>a.v.</i>	do.
592	Siriwardana, E. W.	Weligama Sid-dharta	D. M. Samaraweera, Esq.
593	Wijetunga, S. H. S.	do.	do.
THIRD CLASS.— <i>Males.</i>			
597	Fernando, S.	Nalawalana	Fr. J. Brault
598	Fernando, W. M.	Doraluwa	do.
599	Fernando, W. M. S. W.	Nainamadama	do.
600	Fonseka, A.	Murutana	do.
610	Aron Appu	Delwala	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
612	Bastian Singho	Watinapaha	do.
613	Gunasekera, A.	Henaratgoda	do.
614	Hemachandra	Watinapaha	do.
617	Karunaratna, K. D.	Delwala	do.
618	Manis Appuhamy, D. P.	Nawana	do.
622	Perera, D. P.	Mandawala	do.
623	Perera, J.	Weliweriya	Fr. J. Brault
628	Ukku Banda	Delwala	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
633	De Silva, R. D.	Kandegoda	R. S. Silva, Esq.
634	Guttillasena, T. B.	Tiranagama	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
637	Samarajeewa, A.	Mihiripenna	do.
641	Girigoris Appu, M. D.	Wattala	Fr. J. Brault
643	Perera, K. J.	Dandugama Mark's	St. Rev. W. P. Fernando

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647	Salwis, K. D. F.	Karagahamuna	Rev. J. A. Ewing
655	Haramanis, M. D.	Mattegoda	W. A. P. Dassanayaka, Esq.
658	Fernando, Pedro	Katuwapitiya	Fr. J. Brault
669	Charlis, H. D.	Niyandagala	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
681	Mathias Singho, J.	Patahawatta	Sangananda Terunanse
691	Davithsinno, S. H.	Dondra, Bud.	J. Gunawardana, Esq.
696	Sabiyelappu, B. K.	do.	do.
697	Siyadoris, V.	Weligama Sid-dharta	D. M. Samaraweera, Esq.
THIRD YEAR.— <i>Females.</i>			
702	Margaret, G. H.	Tangalla	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
706	Weerasekara, L.	Hapugala	A. G. Jayasundara, Esq.
716	Ramanayaka, D. B.	Udupila	Rev. K. Dharmasanda
719	Charlotte, L. B.	Tiranagama	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
722	Marthina, A. D.	Maradana, B.M.S.	Miss E. W. Evans
734	Fernando, M. M. A.	Princess of Wales' College	J. W. C. de Soysa, Esq.
735	Meraya, D. A.	Mampe	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
738	Perera, J.	Boralesgomuwa	do.
746	Soysa, M.	Katuwapitiya	Fr. J. Brault
761	Fernando, M.	Kalamulla	do.
763	Jayasekara, J. R.	Dewagoda	General Manager, Buddhist Schools
764	Madalena, S. D. M.	Maggona	Fr. J. Brault
766	Chalonona, G.	Rayigama	Sangananda Terunanse
771	Janenona	Wekede	General Manager, Buddhist School

School of Tropical Agriculture, Peradeniya.

RESULTS of Final Examination held in March, 1918.

Class I.—Naganather Senathi Raja.

Class II.—Marcellus S. Goonetilleke and Edwin Arnold Peiris.

Names in alphabetical order.

F. A. STOCKDALE,
Director of Agriculture, Principal, School of Peradeniya, April 12, 1918. Tropical Agriculture.

"The Insect Pest and Quarantine Ordinance, No. 5 of 1901."

WHEREAS the insect pest named Fluted Scale (*Icerya purchasi*) is present on the following estate:—

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Maskeliya District.—St. Andrews.

Under regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,888 of July 20, 1917, the said estate is hereby declared to be an infested area.

And whereas the pest above mentioned is now no longer present on the following estates:—

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Agrapatna District.—Clydesdale, Elgin.

Uda Pussellawa District.—Waldemar.

Under regulation 4, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,888 of July 20, 1917, these said estates are hereby declared to be no longer infested areas.

Department of Agriculture, F. A. STOCKDALE,
Peradeniya, April 16, 1918. Director of Agriculture.

Destruction of Rogue Elephant.

NOTICE is hereby given that I am prepared to issue license, free of stamp duty, in terms of section 9, subsection (1) (b), of the Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909, for the destruction of the leader of a herd of elephants destroying chenams and paddy crops in the village Migaswawa and other neighbouring villages in Matombuwa koralo of Hurulu palata, in the North-Central Province.

The villagers will point out the elephant referred to.

Anuradhapura Kachcheri, H. R. FREEMAN,
April 11, 1918. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Pita Kotte, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division, Salpiti korale, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—The area bounded on the north by the boundary of the village Etul Kotte, east by the high road to Kotte, south by dewata road, and west by premises Nos. 9 and 31. This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, April 10, 1918.

W. R. JANSZ,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at the Conservancy Depot, Narahenpitiya, 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 March 28, 1918.

A. N. FERNANDO,
Acting Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 11, 1918.

Licensed Surveyor and Leveller.

IT is hereby notified under Ordinance No. 26 of 1909 that the under-mentioned has been registered and licensed to practise as Surveyor and Leveller for the current year:—

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
April 9, 1918	361	A 402	Lucas, W. E.	No. 16, Wekanda, Slave Island

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, April 11, 1918.

A. H. G. DAWSON,
for Surveyor-General.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Privilege of Selling Fermented Toddy.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assistant Government Agent of the Puttalam and Chilaw Districts will, at 10 A.M., on Monday, the 29th instant, at his office in Chilaw, put up for sale by public auction the privilege of selling fermented toddy in retail at the following toddy taverns during the period commencing on October 1, 1918, and ending on September 30, 1919:—

Tavern No. 5, Mukkuwatoduwa, Puttalam pattu.

Tavern No. 6, Mundel, Puttalam pattu.

Tavern No. 7, Etalai, Kalpitiya division.

Puttalam Kachcheri,
April 15, 1918.

W. E. WAIT,
Assistant Government Agent.

SALES OF ARRACK, TOLL, AND OTHER RENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, April 25, 1918, at 12 noon, will be put up for re-sale at the Colombo Kachcheri, at the risk of the original purchaser, for the period mentioned below, any of the under-mentioned Toll Rents of the Western Province, the original purchaser of which may have failed to pay on or before that date the instalments for the months of January, February, and March, 1918, or any part thereof, that may be due and owing on that date.

The purchaser or purchasers at the re-sale should deposit one-tenth of the purchase amount on the day of sale.

If any rents are not disposed of at the re-sale, action will be taken against defaulters in terms of the provisions of the Ordinance No. 21 of 1905.

From May 1, 1918, to September 30, 1918.

Canals.—Grandpass, Hendala, Kittampahuwa, and Negombo. | Ferry.—Mutwal.

Colombo Kachcheri,
April 10, 1918.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.**Ceylon—West Coast.**

WITH reference to notice to mariners dated March 12, 1914, notice is hereby given that from and after May 15, 1918, the time ball on the Master Attendant's Office, immediately behind the signal Flagstaff, will be dropped once a day only, at 1 P.M. every day, including Sundays and holidays.

All other information given in the notice to mariners of March 12, 1914, remains unaltered.

Master Attendant's Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1918.

G. F. HOLE, Lt.-Commander, R.N.,
Acting Master Attendant.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

Application No. 1,269.

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. Western Clock Company, a United States corporation organized under the laws of Illinois, of Illinois and Buffalo streets, Peru, County of La Salle, State of Illinois, United States of America, 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 clocks, timepieces, watches, and timekeeping devices, and parts and components thereof in Class 10 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—

WESTCLOX

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 17, 1918.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Registrar-General.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Huluganga-Bambraela Branch Road.

(Cooly Latrines.)

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 between 20 $\frac{1}{4}$ and 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Total acreage, 8,667—Rate per acre, .0059c.
(Estimate No. D 668 of 1917-18.)

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Nina Mahamado Can-gany	.. Tharnagala Group	28 ..	0 16
J. C. de Silva	.. Hulugangawatta	60 ..	0 35
C. B. Clay	.. Mahousa	614 ..	3 63
C. Woods	.. Allacolla and Overdale	648 ..	3 83
R. J. Layard	.. Ratnatenna	456 ..	2 70
Mrs. Woods	.. Kandekattia	600 ..	3 55
J. C. de Silva	.. Galgodawatta	22 ..	0 13
G. PUNCHIHAMINE	.. Wawakanattawatta	22 ..	0 13
Veerappen Kangany	.. Tallagoya	28 ..	0 16
Marie Kangany	.. Marie's Land and Florence	570 ..	3 37
T. C. Colthurst	.. Goomera Old and New	844 ..	4 99
Pana Sidambaram Kan-gany	.. Galboda	210 ..	1 24
E. R. Cox	.. Baddegama	184 ..	1 8
E. G. Graddock	.. Old Tunisigalla	435 ..	2 58
Mackwood & Co.	.. Halgalla and Madakelle	652 ..	3 86
J. P. Hortin	.. Lebanon Group	1,098 ..	6 49
Do.	.. Knuckles Group	1,349 ..	7 98
G. G. Ross Clarke	.. Katooloya	584 ..	3 46
Do.	.. Gangamulla	263 ..	1 56
			51 25

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before April 22, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 8, 1918. Chairman.

Padiapellella-Ellamulla Branch Road.

(Cooly Latrines.)

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 (2 seats) on the above road at 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ milepost, 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:—

Total acreage, 1,805—Rate per acre, .0283c.
(Estimate No. D 668 of 1917-18.)

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Central Tea Co. of Ceylon, Ltd. (H. G. Lyell)	.. Kabaragala	635 ..	18 3
George Steuart & Co. (R. K. Symonds)	.. Galella	273 ..	7 75
The Anglo-American Danish Tea Trading Co., Ltd. (G. Baird)	.. Mandaranewera	466 ..	13 23
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. (R. K. Symonds)	.. Ellamulla	431 ..	12 24
			51 25

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 22, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 8, 1918. Chairman.

Kadugannawa-Paranapattiya 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, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the road to make up the private contribution, as follows:—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Government contribution			Rs. 1,000
Private contributions			Rs. 2,888
1st section, 1 mile.			
Total acreage, 3,306—Moiety of cost, Rs. 465·16— Sectional rate, .1407c.—Total rate, .1407c.			
J. S. de Silva	.. Bellongalla	407 ..	57 26
1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.			
Total acreage, 2,899—Moiety of cost, Rs. 465·16— Sectional rate, .1604c.—Total rate, .3011c.			
N. D. J. de Silva	.. St. Helens	125 ..	37 64
Edwin C. de Silva	.. Nuga Ella	81 ..	24 39
1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.			
Total acreage, 2,693—Moiety of cost, Rs. 465·16— Sectional rate, .1727c.—Total rate, .4738c.			
V. Venkataswami	.. Mercantile	114 ..	54 2
D. C. de Silva	.. Sardikka	84 ..	39 90
M. B. Panabokka	.. Medrup	109 ..	51 65
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.			
Total acreage, 2,336—Moiety of cost, Rs. 465·16— Sectional rate, .1949c.—Total rate, .6687c.			
E. H. de Silva	.. Paranapattiya	22 ..	14 71
Winby & Co., Ltd.	.. Winby	1,003 ..	670 82
1st to 6th section, 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles.			
Total acreage, 1,361—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,027·36— Sectional rate, .7548c.—Total rate, Re. 1·4235c.			
H. S. Stevens	.. Alpitikanda	570 ..	811 49
J. P. Fernando	.. Franklands	281 ..	400 5
O. B. Wijesekera	.. Gadadessa	510 ..	726 7
			Total .. 2,888 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to H. S. Stevens, Esq., Chairman, Local Committee, Alpitikanda estate, Gampola, on or before April 15, 1918.

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

Kadugannawa-Alagalla 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 two cooly latrines between $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ mile and 3 and 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ mile of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 668 of 1917-18.)

Government moiety	..	Rs. 50·00
Private contributions	..	Rs. 51·25
Total acreage, 3,117—Rate per acre, .0164c.		

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount	
			due.	Rs. c.
T. H. A. de Soysa ..	Mount Colville ..	21½ ..	0	35
W. C. Dias ..	Maligatenna ..	51½ ..	0	84
Felix Dias ..	Kumaragala ..	102 ..	1	67
H. P. & L. P. Rudd (S. R. Hamer) ..	Beltoff ..	152 ..	2	49
P. J. Benwell ..	Andiatenna ..	170 ..	2	80
Colombo Commercial Co. (C. S. M. Bain) ..	Oolanakanda ..	365 ..	6	1
Tismode Estates Co. (W. R. Hancock) ..	Tismode & Seafield ..	440 ..	7	24
Cumberbatch & Co. (C. S. M. Bain) ..	Alagalla ..	900 ..	14	80
Eastern Produce & Estates Co., Ltd. (Gordon Skene) ..	Kirimittia & Peak ..	915 ..	15	5
			51	25

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 22, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 8, 1918. Chairman.

Talatuoya-Kirimettiya Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, April 20, 1918, at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the contribution of Rs. 1,400 on the estimate amounting to Rs. 1,600 for the upkeep of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1918:—

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estate.	Acreage.	Amount due.
A. Govindasampillai ..	Narankaduwa ..	50	50
Ramalingampillai ..	do. ..	44	44
A. P. S. T. Sellambranpillai ..	do. ..	43	43

1st to 4th section, 3½ miles.

G. K. Deaker ..	Kirimettiya ..	693	693
L. A. Ewart ..	Old Maddegama ..	248	248
H. Tonks ..	Bellwood and Moragalla ..	751	751
Andeappen ..	Agallawatta ..	93	93

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, April 4, 1918. Chairman.

Dotale Branch Road.

(Between Wattegama near Railway Bridge and Elkaduwa.)
(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 two cooly latrines between 9½ and 10th mile and 14½ and 14¾ mile of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Total acreage, 5,383—Rate per acre, '0095c.
(Estimate No. D 668 of 1917-18.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 50·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 51·25

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.	
			Rs.	c.
Mackwood & Co. ..	Inchstelly ..	110 ..	1	4
E. G. Simpson ..	Mandolgirikanda ..	220 ..	2	9
Colombo Commercial Company, Limited (C. C. du Pre Moore) ..	Hunasgiriya ..	1,426 ..	13	58
C. Ross Wright ..	Merrig ..	100 ..	0	95
Ukuwela Estates Company (H. L. Anley) ..	Talingamadde ..	75 ..	0	71
Bosanquet & Co. (D. A. Miles) ..	Elkaduwa Group ..	1,810 ..	17	24

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.	
			Rs.	c.
Skeen & Co. (F. J. Reiss) ..	Hunugalla Group ..	686 ..	6	54
E. G. Bilby ..	Weygalla ..	357 ..	3	40
H. L. Anley ..	Mahatenna ..	384 ..	3	66
Geo. Steuart & Co. (H. D. Graham) ..	Galgawatta ..	215 ..	2	4
			51	25

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 4, 1918. Chairman.

Duckwari-Ferndale Branch Road.

(Cooly Latrines.)

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 at first half mile and between 26½ and 26¾ miles of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 668 of 1917-18.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 50·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 51·26

Total acreage, 3,515—Rate per acre, '0145c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount	
			due.	Rs. c.
The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (Wm. Sinclair); Agents, Whittall & Co. ..	Rangalla ..	130 ..	1	89
Do. ..	Poodelgodde ..	331 ..	4	83
Do. ..	Madultenne ..	202 ..	2	94
Do. ..	Kaladuriya ..	216 ..	3	14
A. H. Kerr & Beilby ..	Ferndale ..	310 ..	4	51
R. Ellis, Lessee ..	Leangapella ..	321 ..	4	69
C. J. Pattenson ..	Peru ..	138 ..	2	1
W. Sinclair ..	Esperanza ..	523 ..	7	63
Do. ..	Mount Mar and Winchfield Park ..	500 ..	7	30
R. H. Ellis ..	St. Martins ..	594 ..	8	68
W. L. Symons ..	Wattagalla ..	250 ..	3	64
			51	26

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury on or before April 22, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 8, 1918. Chairman.

Madulkele-Kabaragalla Branch Road.

(Cooly Latrines.)

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 between 23½ and 23¾ miles of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions, as follows, at the rate of '0040c. per acre:—

Total acreage, 6,394.

(Estimate No. D 668 of 1917-18.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 25·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 25·62

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.	
			Rs.	c.
H. F. Dalton ..	Ellerton ..	72 ..	0	28
Do. ..	Nillomally ..	1,005 ..	4	3
C. W. Wood ..	Kelebokka ..	690 ..	2	77
R. W. Nott ..	Galheria ..	600 ..	2	41

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount Rs. c.
Carson & Co.	Brae and Dell, Hatanwalla, Marnagalla	1,694	6 78
H. W. Kennedy	Deyanella	460	1 85
Gordon Frazer & Co.	Relugas	378	1 51
H. W. Kennedy	Kabaragalla	386	1 55
G. W. Hunter Blair	Poengalla, Hoo- lankanda, and Kirigalpotta	1,109	4 44
			25 62

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 22, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 8, 1918. Chairman.

Pupuressa Branch Road.
(Between Delpitiya and Pupuressa.)
(Improving Culverts.)

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 culvert No. 100 and extending culvert No. 169 between 22½ and 22½ mile and 25½ and 25½ mile respectively on the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Total acreage 10,728½—Rate per acre .0795c.

(Estimate No. 85 of 1917-18.)

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Government moiety			Rs. 832.96
Private contributions			Rs. 853.79
S. R. M. P. L. P. Palani- appa Chetty (K. R. A.) R. Arunasalem Chetty)	Godamadittiya- watta	50	3 97
T. P. L. P. R. Somasun- daram	Angamone	150	11 93
A. A. J. G. Yapamudiyan- selagey Punchi Bando	Melbourne	80	6 36
A. L. French	Ascot	150	11 93
S. R. M. P. L. P. Palani- appa Chetty (K. R. A.) R. Arunasalem Chetty)	Mount Havana	190	15 12

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
D. S. D. de Simon	Zion Hill	59	4 69
A. R. L. S. V. N. Supra- manian Chetty and A. R. L. S. V. N. Sevugan Chettiar	Grovehill	77	6 12
Central Province Tea Estates Co. (H. J. G. Marley)	Castlemilk	437	34 87
S. R. M. P. L. P. Palani- appa Chetty (K. R. A.) R. Arunasalem Chetty)	Wariyagoda	70	5 57
H. J. G. Marley	Pussatenna	429	34 13
W. D. Ranasingha	Antanidena	75	5 98
T. N. Christi (A. Stott)	Moolgama	382½	30 43
Kaluhamy Aracci	Pannanwalaya- watta	40	3 18
W. William Soysa	Kalawelgolla	24	1 90
Do.	Berakarayadeniya	24	1 90
W. J. Soysa	Kalugamuwa	24	1 90
Do.	Sammimalley	44	3 50
Do.	Maligamalle	64	5 9
Geo. de Silva	Sydney Hill	150	11 93
Ceylon Proprietary Estates Co. (H. M. Picken)	Beaumont Group	1,216	96 76
Anglo-Ceylon and General Estates Co., Limited (J. G. Forsyth)	Stellenberg	589	46 87
J. Northmore (J. G. Forsyth)	Whyddon	314	25 8
H. Rogers, Sons & Co. (W. Evelyn Crick)	Delta	1,782	141 80
Rajawella Produce Com- pany (A. P. Sandbach)	Le Vallon Group	2,067	164 48
Mrs. David Smith (H. Wilkinson Kay)	New Forest	429	34 13
E. D. Padwick (E. A. Clive)	Yarrow Group	447	35 57
Lipton, Limited (G. L. H. Doudney)	Pooprassie Group	1,365	108 62
			853 79

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 27, 1918.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 15, 1918. Chairman.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

* Prices of Food Stuffs, &c., in Colombo
on April 17, 1918.

	Rs. c.
Muttusamba, No. 1 quality.. Per bushel	6 12
Rice, Kara	—
Kallunda, No. 1 quality.. Per bag (2½ bushels)	13 12
Salai, No. 1 do. .. do.	13 37
Kora (Mill) No. 1 do. .. do.	13 50
Raw Rice, Rangoon .. Per bushel	5 37
Do. Singapore .. do.	—
Mysore Dhol .. do.	5 50
Green Peas (Gram) .. do.	5 50
Thovarem Dhol .. do.	5 50
Chillies, No. 1 quality .. Per thulan (26½ lb.)	7 50
Do. Rangoon do. .. do.	—
Red Onions .. do.	1 75
Bombay Onions .. Per cwt.	9 50
Potatoes, Indian .. do.	9 0
Do. Bangalore .. do.	—
Maldivo Fish, No. 1 quality.. do.	48 0
Sugar, Crystal .. Per bag (2 cwt.)	40 0
Soft Sugar .. Per cwt.	23 0
Matches, "Three Stars" .. Per case of 50 gross boxes	145 0
Kerosine Oil "Monkey Brand" Per tin	4 65

	Rs. c.
Kerosine Oil "Daylight" .. Per tin	4 85
Coriander .. Per lb.	0 15
Beef .. do.	0 30*
Mutton .. do.	0 70*
Chicken .. Each	0 62*
Fish, Fresh .. Per lb.	45 to 80 cents*
Dry Fish (Kumbalawas) No. 1 quality .. Per 1,000	7 50
Dry Fish (Halmessan), No. 1 quality .. Per cwt.	30 0
Eggs .. Each	0 4½*
Milk, Fresh, Cow .. Per pint	0 24*
Bread .. Per lb.	0 16*
Plantains .. Each	0 1*
Limes .. Per 100	62 to 75 cents
Salt .. Per bushel	2 65
Coconuts .. Per 100	Rs. 4 to 5 0
Firewood .. Per cwt.	0 90

* Retail prices.

S. H. WADIA,

April 17, 1918.

Financial Assistant to the
Chairman, Municipal Council

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE BRITISH CEYLON CORPORATION, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "BRITISH CEYLON CORPORATION, LIMITED."
- The registered office will be situate in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
- (1) To purchase and acquire all that property known as the Hultsdorp Mills, formerly the property of the firm of Messrs. Freudenberg & Co., together with the machinery and appurtenances thereof, and certain other appurtenant properties situated in the neighbourhood and the good will of the business of the said firm, so far as it relates to the said mills.
 - (2) To carry on the business of oil, soap, margerine, and manure manufacturers, and to prepare, refine, buy, sell, and deal in oil, both vegetable and mineral manures and chemical substances of every description, and the products obtained in the manufacture of oil, and to buy, sell, cultivate, and deal in oleaginous seeds and plants of every description.
 - (3) To carry on the trade or business of miners, refiners, smelters, and manufacturers of petroleum and coconut oil and of all liquid and solid hydro-carbons and of all products thereof respectively, and also the trade or business of coal miners in all their respective branches.
 - (4) To search for, get, work, raise, make merchantable, sell, and deal in petroleum and coconut oil and all liquid and solid hydro-carbons, coal, and other produce of any lands for the time being belonging to or in occupation by the Company, and also to utilize for manufacturing, refining, or other purposes, or to sell or deal in all products of the said oils and other hydro-carbons and coal.
 - (5) To carry on the business of general merchants and dealers of and in foreign and colonial produce and of commission and general agents and brokers.
 - (6) To carry on all or any of the business of importers, exporters, refrigerators, shipowners, shipbuilders, charterers of ships and other vessels, warehousemen, ship and insurance brokers, carriers, forwarding agents, wharfingers, dockowners, manufacturers of extract of meat, and preservers and packers of provisions of all kinds.
 - (7) To carry on business as farmers, graziers, cultivators, storekeepers, cattle breeders, stockmen, dealers in hides, skins, fats, and other animal products, mechanical engineers, builders and contractors, timber growers, timber merchants, lumbermen, and saw mill proprietors.
 - (8) To make, build, construct, provide, maintain, improve, carry on, use, and work in any parts of the world, roads, ways, railways, tramways, electric light, canals, reservoirs, waterworks, wells, aqueducts, water-courses, furnaces, gasworks, piers, wharves, docks, saw and other mills, hydraulic works, factories, warehouses and other works and buildings which may be deemed expedient for the purposes of the Company, and to contribute to the cost of making, building, constructing, providing, carrying on, using, and working the same.
 - (9) To purchase, charter, hire, build, or otherwise acquire steam or other ship, ships or vessels, steam launches, flats, barges, cargo boats, with all equipments and furniture, and to employ the same in the conveyance of passengers, mails, live stock, grain, and other produce and treasure, and also of goods and merchandise of every description and species, on the rivers or canals of the Island of Ceylon, and also to run vessels to sea to any port or ports whatsoever, whether inland, seaboard, or foreign, and to take vessels, flats, barges, and other craft in tow of its vessels as the Company may from time to time determine, and to acquire postal subsidies, and enter into mail or other contracts.
 - (10) To manufacture, import, export, buy, sell, exchange, alter, improve, manipulate, prepare for market, and otherwise deal in all kinds of plant, machinery, apparatus, tools, utensils, substances, materials, and things necessary or convenient for carrying on any of the above-mentioned businesses or proceedings, or usually dealt in by persons engaged in the like business.
 - (11) To carry on the business of underwriters or insurers of ships, goods, merchandise or other property.
 - (12) To apply for or acquire by purchase or lease or otherwise for the business of the Company in any parts of the world, sell, work, develop, and deal in any lands, estates, plantations, or any rights or interests therein, factories, buildings, mills, plant, engines, machinery, patents, patent rights, secret processes, or other things, British Indian, Colonial, or foreign licenses, concessions, and the like, conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or united right to use any secret or other 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, or grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, or information so acquired, and to make, assist, or subsidize experiments, researches, investigations, expeditions or voyages of discovery that may appear to be likely to benefit the Company.
 - (13) To sell, improve, manage, develop, exchange, lease, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company.
 - (14) To acquire and hold shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, obligations, and securities issued or guaranteed by any company constituted or carrying on business in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere, and debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations and securities issued or guaranteed by any Government, public body, or authority supreme, municipal, local or otherwise and whether in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (15) To acquire any such shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations or securities by original subscription, tender, purchase, exchange or otherwise and to subscribe for the same either conditionally or otherwise and to guarantee the subscription thereof, and to exercise and enforce all rights and powers conferred by or incident to the ownership thereof.
 - (16) To issue debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations and securities of all kinds and to frame, constitute, and secure the same as may seem expedient, with full power to make the same transferable by delivery or by instrument of transfer or otherwise and either perpetual or terminable and either redeemable or otherwise, and to charge and secure the same by trust deed or otherwise on the undertaking of the Company or on any specific property or rights, present or future, of the Company (including, if thought fit, uncalled capital) or otherwise howsoever.
 - (17) To facilitate and encourage the creation, issue, or conversion of shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations and securities and to act as trustees in connection therewith and to take part in the conversion of business concerns and undertakings into companies, and the amalgamation, reconstruction, and promotion of companies.
 - (18) To take part in the management, supervision, or control of the business or operations of any company or undertaking, and for that purpose to appoint and remunerate any directors, accountants, or other experts, or agents, and to act as the managing agents or managers of any company or undertaking.

- (19) To carry on the business of borrowing, raising or taking up money, the lending or advancing money on securities and property, the discounting, buying, selling, and dealing in bills of exchange, promissory notes, coupons, drafts, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, certificates, scrip, and other instruments and securities, whether transferable or negotiable or not, the granting and issuing of letters of credit and circular notes, the buying, selling, and dealing in bullion and specie, the acquiring, holding, issuing on commission, underwriting, and dealing with stocks, funds, shares, debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, obligations, and other securities.
- (20) To carry on any other business, which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with any of the above or calculated, directly or indirectly to enhance the value of, or render profitable, and of the Company's property or rights.
- (21) To lend money either with or without security, and generally to such persons and upon such terms and conditions as the Company may think fit.
- (22) To employ experts to investigate and examine into the condition, prospects, value, character, and circumstances of any business concerns and undertakings, and generally of any assets property or rights.
- (23) To constitute any trusts with a view to the issue of preferred, deferred, or other stocks and securities based on or representing any shares, stocks, or other assets specifically appropriated for the purposes of any such trust, and to settle and regulate and, if thought fit, to undertake and execute any such trusts, and to issue, dispose of, or hold any such preferred, deferred, or other stocks or securities.
- (24) To act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, and improvement, development and management of property, including business concerns and undertakings, and generally to transact all kinds of agency business whether in respect of agricultural, commercial, or financial matters.
- (25) To give any guarantee in relation to the payment of any debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations, or securities.
- (26) Generally to carry on business as financiers, and to undertake and carry out all such operations and transactions (except the issuing of policies of assurance on human life) as an individual capitalist may lawfully undertake and carry out.
- (27) To adopt such means of making known the products of the Company as may seem expedient, and in particular by advertising in the press by circulars, by purchase and exhibition of works of art or interest, by publication of books and periodicals, and by granting prizes, rewards, and donations.
- (28) To establish and support, or aid in the establishment and support, of associations, institutions, funds, trusts, and conveniences calculated to benefit employes or ex-employes of the Company or its predecessors in business or the dependents or connections of such persons, and to grant pensions and allowances, and to make payments towards insurance, and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public, general, or useful object.
- (29) To acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business, which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of the Company.
- (30) To enter into any arrangement with any Government, or authority, supreme, municipal, local, or otherwise that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such Government or authority all rights, concessions, and privileges which the Company may think it desirable to obtain and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (31) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits or losses, or into any union of interests, joint adventure, reciprocal concession, or corporation with any person or persons or company or companies carrying on or engaged in or about to carry on or engage in, or being authorized to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engaged in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company.
- (32) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any immovable or movable property, and any rights or privileges 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.
- (33) To sell or dispose of 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.
- (34) To promote any 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.
- (35) 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.
- (36) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, charged upon all or any of the Company's property (both present and future), including its uncalled capital, and to purchase, redeem, and pay off any such securities.
- (37) To take or otherwise acquire and hold shares in any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company.
- (38) To undertake and execute any trusts the undertaking of which may seem to the Company desirable and either gratuitously or otherwise.
- (39) To draw, make, accept, discount, execute, and issue bills of exchange, promissory notes, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments or securities.
- (40) To remunerate any persons or company for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place or guaranteeing the placing of any shares in the Company's capital, or any debenture, debenture stocks, or other securities of the Company or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the acquisition of property by the Company or the conduct of its business.
- (41) To do all or any of the above things either as principals, agents, trustees, contractors, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and either by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise.

And it is hereby declared that the word "Company" save when used in reference to this Company, in this clause shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and the intention is that the objects specified in any paragraph of this clause shall, except when otherwise expressed in such paragraph, and except as provided in the next succeeding declaration, be in nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph.

And it is also declared that no transfer of shares in the Company shall be made to a "prohibited person" or "foreigner" or "corporation under foreign control" within the meaning of Chapter VI. of the Enemy Firms Liquidation (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 4 of 1917, or to any person acting for or on behalf—or in trust for such "prohibited person" or "foreigner" or "corporation under foreign control," and it is further declared that the carrying on of the business of the Company subject to the said restriction as to transfers is one of the objects of the Company.

4. The liability of the members is limited.

5. The capital of the Company is Rs. 3,000,000, divided into 15,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 100 each and 15,000 preference shares of Rs. 100 each, and subject as hereinafter provided the rights following shall be attached to the preference shares aforesaid.

- (1) The holders of the said preference shares shall be entitled to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up on the said preference shares respectively, and to one-fifth of the surplus profits, which in respect of each year it shall from time to time be determined to distribute, remaining after paying or providing for the payment of a dividend for such year at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up on the ordinary shares.
- (2) The holders of the said preference shares shall in a winding up have priority as to return of capital and payment off of arrears of the said preferential dividend whether declared or not up to the commencement of the winding up over all other shares in the capital for the time being of the Company, but shall not have any further right to participate in profits or assets.

Upon any increase of capital new shares may be issued with any preferential, deferred, qualified, or special rights, privileges, or conditions. Provided always that the rights attached to any share having preferential, deferred, qualified, or special rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto may be altered or dealt with in accordance with Clause 57 of the Articles of Association of the Company, but not 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 respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names.

Name and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
M. J. HARDING, Colombo	One
V. A. JULIUS, Colombo	One
H. CREASY, Colombo	One
G. R. WHITBY, Colombo	One
R. S. WRIGHT, Colombo	One
E. D. THORNTON, Colombo	One
G. M. SCOTT, Colombo	One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to above signatures, at Colombo, this 15th day of March, 1918:

A. R. NELSON,
Clerk to Messrs. Julius & Creasy, Fort, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE BRITISH CEYLON CORPORATION, LIMITED.

1. The marginal notes hereto shall not affect the construction hereof and in these presents, unless there be something in the subject or context inconsistent therewith— Interpretation
 - "The Ordinance" means "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861 to 1909," and every other Ordinance for the time being in force concerning Joint Stock Companies and affecting the Company.
 - "Special resolution" and "extraordinary resolution" have the meanings assigned thereto respectively by the Ordinance.
 - "The Directors" means the Directors for the time being.
 - "The Office" means the registered office for the time being of the Company.
 - "The Register" means the register of members to be kept pursuant to section 19 of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861."
 - "Dividend" includes bonus.
 - "Month" means calendar month.
 - "Proxy" includes attorney duly constituted under a power of attorney.
 - "In writing" and "written" include printing, lithography, and other modes of representing or reproducing words in a visible form.

Words importing the singular number only include the plural number, and *vice versa*.
Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine gender.
Words importing persons include corporations.
2. The regulations contained in Table C in the schedule annexed to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861" shall not apply to the Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution. Table C not to apply.
3. None of the funds of the Company shall be employed in the purchase of, or lent on the security of, shares of the Company. Company's shares not to be purchased, &c.
4. Subject to the provisions of clauses 5, 49, and 50 of these Articles the shares shall be under the control of the Directors, who may allot or otherwise dispose of the same to such persons on such terms and conditions and at such times, as the Directors think fit (subject, nevertheless, to the stipulations contained in the said agreement with reference to the shares to be allotted in pursuance thereof), and with full power to give to any person the call of any shares either at par or at a premium, and for such time, and for such consideration as the Directors think fit. Allotment of shares.
5. If the Company shall offer any of its shares to the public for subscription— Restriction on allotments.
 - (a) The Directors shall not make any allotment thereof unless and until at least 10 per cent. of the shares so offered shall have been subscribed and the sums payable on application shall have been paid to and received by the Company; but this provision shall no longer apply after the first allotment of shares offered to the public for subscription;
 - (b) The amount payable on application on each share shall not be less than 5 per cent. of the nominal amount of the share.

And if the Company shall propose to commence business the Directors shall not make any allotment of shares payable in cash unless one hundred at least shall have been subscribed for on a cash footing.

Commissions for placing shares.

6. The Company may at any time pay a commission to any person for subscribing or agreeing to subscribe (whether absolutely or conditionally) for any shares in the Company or procuring or agreeing to procure subscriptions (whether absolute or conditional) for any shares in the Company, and the commission shall not exceed 10 per cent. on the shares in each case subscribed or to be subscribed.

Brokerage.

7. The Company may pay a reasonable sum for brokerage and may make any allotment on the terms that the person to whom such allotment is made shall have the right to call for further shares at such time or times and at such price or prices (not being less than par) as may be thought fit.

Shares may be issued subject to different conditions as to calls, &c.

Instalments on shares to be duly paid.

Liability of joint-holders of shares.

8. The Company may make arrangements on the issue of shares for the difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid and the time of payment of such calls.

9. If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount or issue price thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the person who for the time being shall be the registered holder of the share.

10. 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.

Trusts not recognized.

11. Save as herein otherwise provided, the Company shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any share as the absolute owner thereof and accordingly shall not, except as ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction, or as by statute required be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to or interest in such share on the part of any other person.

CERTIFICATES.

Certificates.

12. The certificates of title to shares and duplicates thereof when necessary shall be issued under the seal of the Company, and signed by two Directors.

Members' right to certificates.

13. Every member 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 of shares shall specify the number and denoting numbers of the shares in respect of which it is issued, and the amount paid up thereon.

As to issue of new certificate in place of one defaced, lost, or destroyed.

14. 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 party entitled to such lost or destroyed certificate.

Fee.

15. For every certificate issued under the last preceding clause there shall be paid to the Company the sum of Rs. 2, or such smaller sum as the Directors may determine.

Directors may issue new certificates.

16. Where any shares, under the powers in that behalf herein contained, are sold by the Directors and the certificate thereof has not been delivered up to the Company by the former holder of the said shares, the Directors may issue a new certificate for such shares distinguishing it in such manner as they may think fit from the certificate not so delivered up.

To which of joint-holders certificate to be issued.

17. The certificates of shares registered in the names of two or more persons shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

CALLS.

Calls.

18. The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the members, in respect of all moneys unpaid on the shares held by them respectively, and not by the conditions of allotment thereof made payable at fixed times; and each member shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors. A call may be made payable by instalments.

When call deemed to have been made.

19. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution of the Directors authorizing such call was passed.

Restriction on power to make calls.

20. No call shall exceed one-fourth of the nominal amount of a share, or be made payable within two months after the last preceding call was payable.

Notice of call.

21. Fourteen days' notice of any call shall be given, specifying the time and place of payment and to whom such call shall be paid.

When interest on call or instalment payable.

22. If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment be not paid on or before the day appointed for payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made, or the instalment shall be due, shall pay interest for the same at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment, or at such other rate as the Directors may determine.

Evidence in action for call.

23. On the trial or hearing of any action for the recovery of any money due for any call, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the member sued is entered in the register as the holder or one of the holders of the shares in respect of which such debt accrued, that the resolution making the call is duly recorded in the minute book and that notice of such call was duly given to the member sued in pursuance of these presents, and it shall not be necessary to prove the appointment of the Directors who made such call, nor any other matters whatsoever, but the proof of the matters aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.

Payment of calls in advance.

24. The Directors may, if they think fit, receive from any member willing to advance the same, all or any part of the money due upon the shares held by him beyond the sums actually called for, and upon the money so paid in advance, or so much thereof, as from time to time exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon the shares in respect of which such advance has been made, the Company may pay interest at such rate not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum as the member paying such sum in advance and the Directors agree upon. Money so paid in excess of the amount of calls shall not rank for dividends.

FORFEITURE AND LIEN.

25. If any member fail 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 member requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

If call or instalment not paid notice may be given.

26. The notice shall name a day (not being less than fourteen days from the date of the notice) and a place or places on, and 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 call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

Form of notice.

27. If the requisitions of any such notice as aforesaid are not complied with, any shares, in respect of which such notice has been given, may, at any time thereafter before payment of all calls or instalments, interest, and expenses due in respect thereof, be forfeited by a resolution of the Directors to that effect. Such forfeiture shall include all dividends declared in respect of the forfeited shares and not actually paid before the forfeiture.

If notice not complied with shares may be forfeited.

28. When any share shall have been so forfeited, notice of the resolution shall be given to the member in whose name it stood immediately prior to the forfeiture, and an entry of the forfeiture, with the date thereof, shall forthwith be made in the register.

Notice after forfeiture.

29. Any share so forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and the Directors may sell, re-allot, and otherwise dispose of the same in such manner as they think fit.

Forfeited share to become property of Company.

30. The Directors may at any time before any share so forfeited shall have been sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of, annul the forfeiture thereof upon such conditions as they think fit.

Power to annul forfeiture.

31. Any member whose shares have been 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.

Arrears to be paid notwithstanding forfeiture.

32. The 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 all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights as by these Articles are expressly saved.

Effect of forfeiture.

33. A duly verified declaration in writing that the declarant is a Director of the Company, and that certain shares in the Company have been duly forfeited on a date stated in the declaration shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the shares and such declaration, and the receipt of the Company for the consideration, if any, given for the shares on the sale or disposition thereof shall constitute a good title to such shares, and the person to whom the shares are sold shall be registered as the holder of such shares and shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such shares be affected by any irregularity or invalidity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture, sale, or disposition.

Evidence of forfeiture.

34. The Company shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares registered in the name of each member (whether solely or jointly with others), and upon the proceeds of sale thereof for his debts, liabilities, and engagements, solely or jointly with any other person to, or with the Company whether the period for the payment, fulfilment, or discharge thereof shall have actually arrived or not and no equitable interest in any share shall be created, except upon the footing and condition that clause 11 hereof is to have full effect. And such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time declared in respect of such shares. Unless otherwise agreed the registration of a transfer of shares shall operate as a waiver of the Company's lien, if any, on such shares.

Company's lien on shares.

35. For the purpose of enforcing such lien, the Directors may sell the share subject thereto in such manner as they think fit, but no sale shall be made until such period as aforesaid shall have arrived and until notice in writing of the intention to sell shall have been served on such member, his executors or administrators, and default shall have been made by him or them in the payment, fulfilment, or discharge of such debts, liabilities, or engagements for seven days after such notice.

As to enforcing lien by sale.

36. The nett proceeds of any such sale shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of the debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) paid to such member, his executors, administrators, or representatives.

Application of proceeds of sale.

37. Upon any sale after forfeiture or for enforcing a lien in purported exercise of the powers hereinbefore given, the Directors may cause the purchaser's name to be entered in the register in respect of the shares sold, and the purchaser shall not be bound to see to the regularity of the proceedings, or to the application of the purchase money, and after his name has been entered in the register in respect of such shares the validity of the sale shall not be impeached by any person, and the remedy of any person aggrieved by the sale shall be in damages only and against the Company exclusively.

Validity of sales under clauses 30 and 36.

TRANSFER AND TRANSMISSION.

38. The instrument of transfer of any share shall be signed both by the transferor and transferee and shall contain the name and address, both of 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. Each signature to such transfer shall be duly attested by the signature of one credible witness who shall add his address and occupation.

Execution of transfer, &c.

39. The instrument of transfer of any share shall be in writing in the usual common form, or in the following form, or as near thereto as circumstances will admit:—

Form of transfer.

I, *A.B.*, of ———, in consideration of the sum of Rs. ——— paid to me by *C.D.*, of ———, hereinafter called the said transferee, do hereby transfer to the said transferee share (or shares) numbered ——— in the undertaking called, "BRITISH CEYLON CORPORATION, LIMITED" to hold unto the said transferee, his executors, administrators, and assigns, subject to the several conditions on which I held the same immediately before the execution hereof and I, the said transferee, do hereby agree to take the said share (or shares) subject to the conditions aforesaid. As witness our hands the ——— day of ———.

Witness to the signature of, &c. ———.

- Directors may decline to register transfer. No transfer to infant, &c.
40. The Directors, without assigning any reason for such refusal, may decline to register any transfer of shares.
- Transfer to be left at office and evidence of title given.
41. No transfer shall be made to an infant or person of unsound mind, or to a "prohibited person" or "foreigner" or "corporation under foreign control" within the meaning of Chapter VI of the Enemy Firms Liquidation (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 4 of 1917, or to any person acting for or on behalf of or in trust for such "prohibited person" or "foreigner" or "corporation under foreign control."
- When transfers to be retained.
42. Every instrument of transfer shall be left at the office for registration accompanied by the certificate of the shares to be transferred, and such other evidence as the Company may require to prove the title of the transferor or his right to transfer the shares and upon payment of the proper fee the transferee shall (subject to the Directors' right to decline to register hereinbefore mentioned) be registered as a member in respect of such shares. The Directors may waive the production of any certificate upon evidence satisfactory to them of its loss or destruction.
- Fee on transfer.
43. All instruments of transfer which shall be registered shall be retained by the Company, but any instrument of transfer which the Directors may decline to register shall be returned to the person depositing the same.
- When transfer books and register may be closed.
44. A fee not exceeding Two Rupees and Fifty Cents may be charged for each transfer, and shall, if required by the Directors, be paid before the registration thereof.
- Transmission of registered shares. As to survivorship.
45. The Transfer Books and Register of Members may be closed during such time as the Directors think fit, not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in each year.
- As to transfer of shares of deceased or bankrupt members. (Transmission clause.)
46. The executors or administrators of a deceased member (not being one of several joint holders) shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares registered in the name of such member, and in case of the death of any one or more of the joint holders of any registered shares, the survivors shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to or interest in such shares, but nothing herein contained shall be taken to release the estate of a deceased joint holder from any liability on shares held by him jointly with any other person. Before recognizing any executor or administrator the Directors may require him to obtain a grant of probate or letters of administration, as the case may be, from some competent court in the Island of Ceylon, having effect in Colombo.
- Power to increase capital.
47. Any person becoming entitled to or to transfer shares in consequence of the death or bankruptcy or insolvency of any member 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 Directors think sufficient, may, with the consent of the Directors (which they shall not be under any obligation to give), be registered as a member in respect of such shares, or may, subject to the regulations as to transfer hereinbefore contained, transfer such shares. This clause is hereinafter referred to as "the transmission clause."
- On what conditions new shares may be issued. As to preferences, &c.
48. The Company in General Meeting may from time to time increase the capital by the creation of new shares of such amount as may be deemed expedient.
- When to be offered to existing members.
49. The new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such rights and privileges annexed thereto as the resolution creating the same shall direct, and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company and with a special or without any right of voting.
- How far new shares to rank with shares in original capital.
50. The Company in General Meeting may, before the issue of any new shares, determine that the same, or any of them, shall be offered in the first instance and either at par or at a premium to all the then members or any class thereof in proportion to the amount of the capital held by them, or make any other provisions as to the issue and allotment of the new shares, but in default of any such determination or so far as the same shall not extend, the new shares may be dealt with as if they formed part of the shares in the original ordinary capital.
- Inequality in number of new shares.
51. 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 ordinary capital, and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payment of calls and instalments, transfer and transmission, forfeiture, lien, and otherwise.
- Reduction of capital, &c.
52. If owing to any inequality in the number of new shares to be issued, and the number of shares held by members entitled to have the offer of such new shares, any difficulty shall arise in the apportionment of such new shares or any of them amongst the members, such difficulty shall, in the absence of any direction in the resolution creating the shares or by the Company in General Meeting, be determined by the Directors.
- Subdivision into preferred and ordinary.
53. The Company may (subject to the provisions of the Ordinance) from time to time by special resolution reduce its capital by paying off capital or cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets or reducing the liability on the shares or otherwise as may seem expedient, and capital may be paid off upon the footing that it may be called up again or otherwise; and paid-up capital may be cancelled as aforesaid without reducing the nominal amount of the shares by the like amount to the intent that the unpaid and callable capital shall be increased by the like amount.
- SURRENDER OF SHARES.
54. The Company may, by special resolution, subdivide or consolidate its shares or any of them.
55. The special resolution whereby any share is subdivided may determine that, as between the holders of the shares resulting from such subdivision, one or more of such shares shall have some preference or special advantage as regards dividend, capital, voting, or otherwise over or as compared with the others or other (subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of the Ordinance).
- Surrender of shares.
56. The Directors may accept the surrender of any shares by way of compromise of any question as to the holder being properly registered in respect thereof.

MODIFICATION OF RIGHTS.

57. Whenever the capital by reason of the issue of preference shares or otherwise is divided into different classes of shares, all or any of the rights and privileges attached to each class may be modified, commuted, affected, abrogated, or dealt with by agreement between the Company and any person purporting to contract on behalf of that class, provided such agreement is ratified in writing by the holders of at least three-fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of the class, or is confirmed by an extraordinary resolution passed at a separate General Meeting of the holders of shares of that class, and all the provisions hereinafter contained as to General Meetings shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to every such meeting, but so that the quorum thereof shall be members holding or representing by proxy one-fifth of the nominal amount of the issued shares of the class. This clause is not to derogate from any power the Company would have had if this clause were omitted.

Power to modify rights.

BORROWING POWERS.

58. The Directors may from time to time at their discretion raise or borrow or secure the payment of 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 raised, borrowed, or secured shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the paid-up share capital of the Company, in addition to the ordinary current obligations of the Company. Nevertheless, no lender or other person dealing with the Company shall be concerned to see or inquire whether this limit is observed.

Power to borrow.

59. The Directors may raise or secure the payment or repayment of such sum or sums in such manner and upon such terms and conditions in all respects as they think fit, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock of the Company charged upon all or any part of the property of the Company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital for the time being.

Conditions on which money may be borrowed.

60. Debentures, debenture stock, and other securities may be made assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued.

Securities may be assignable free from equities.

61. Any debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, or other securities may be issued at a discount, premium, or otherwise, and with any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, attending and voting at General Meetings of the Company, appointment of Directors, and otherwise.

Issue at discount, &c., or with special privileges.

62. Every register of holders of debentures of the Company may be closed for any periods not exceeding in the whole thirty days in any year. Subject as aforesaid every such register shall be open to the inspection of the registered holder of any such debentures and of any member; but the Company may in General Meeting impose any reasonable restrictions so that at least two hours in each day, when such register is open, are appointed for inspection.

Register of holders of debentures.

63. If any uncalled capital of the Company is included in or charged by any mortgage or other security, the Directors may, by instrument under the Company's seal, authorize the person in whose favour such mortgage or security is executed, or any other person in trust for him, to make calls on the members in respect of such uncalled capital, and the provisions hereinbefore contained in regard to calls shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to calls made under such authority, and such authority may be made exercisable either conditionally or unconditionally, and either presently or contingently, and either to the exclusion of the Directors power or otherwise and shall be assignable if expressed so to be.

Mortgage of uncalled capital.

GENERAL MEETING.

64. The First General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time (subject to the provisions of the Ordinance) and at such place as the Directors may determine. Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as the Directors may determine.

When General Meetings to be held.

65. The General Meetings referred to in the last preceding clause shall be called Ordinary Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary Meetings.

Distinction between ordinary and extraordinary meetings.

66. Any General Meeting may be held elsewhere than in Ceylon.

General Meetings may be held outside Ceylon.

67. The Directors may, whenever they think fit, and they shall, on the requisition of the holders of not less than one-tenth of the issued capital of the Company upon which all calls or other sums then due have been paid, forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and in the case of such requisition the following provisions shall have effect:—

When Extraordinary Meeting to be called. Requisition.

- (1) The requisition must state the objects of the meeting, and must be signed by the requisitionists and deposited at the office, and may consist of several documents in like form, each signed by one or more requisitionists.
- (2) If the Directors of the Company do not proceed to convene a meeting within twenty-one days from the date of the requisition being so deposited, the requisitionists or a majority of them in value may themselves convene the meeting, but any meeting so convened shall not be held after three months from the date of the deposit.
- (3) If at any such meeting a resolution requiring confirmation at another meeting is passed, the Directors shall forthwith convene a further Extraordinary General Meeting for the purpose of considering the resolution, and, if thought fit, of confirming it as a special resolution, and if the Directors do not convene the meeting within seven days from the date of the passing of the first resolution, the requisitionists or a majority of them in value may themselves convene the meeting.
- (4) Any meeting convened under this clause by the requisitionists shall be convened in the same manner as nearly as possible as that in which meetings are to be convened by Directors.

68. Seven clear days' notice to the members specifying the place, day, and hour of meeting, and in case of special business the general nature of such business, shall be given either by advertisement or by notice sent by post or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, and with the consent in writing of all the members a meeting may be convened by a shorter notice and in any manner they think fit.

Notice of meeting.

69. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution, the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently on the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

Two meetings convened by one notice.

70. The accidental omission to give any such notice to any of the members shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.

As to omission to give notice.

PROCEEDINGS AT GENERAL MEETINGS.

Business of
Ordinary Meeting.

71. The business of an Ordinary Meeting other than the first meeting shall be to receive and consider the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, and the reports of the Directors and of the Auditors, to elect Directors, Auditors, and other officers in the place of those retiring by rotation or otherwise, to declare dividends, and to transact any other business which under these presents ought to be transacted at an Ordinary Meeting. All other business transacted at an Ordinary Meeting and all business transacted at an Extraordinary Meeting shall be deemed special.

Quorum.

72. Two members holding ordinary shares present in person or by proxy shall be a quorum for a General Meeting for the choice of a Chairman, the declaration of a dividend, and the adjournment of the meeting. For all other purposes the quorum for a General Meeting shall be members holding ordinary shares present in person or by proxy not being less than three in number.

Quorum to be
present when
business
commenced.
Chairman of
General Meeting.

73. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting unless the quorum requisite shall be present at the commencement of the business.

74. The Chairman of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, or if there be no such Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within fifteen minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, the members present shall choose another Director as Chairman, and if no Director be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the Chair, then the members present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

When if quorum
not present meeting
to be dissolved
and when to be
adjourned.

75. If within half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened upon such requisition as aforesaid, 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 members who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

How questions to
be decided at
meetings.
Casting vote.
What is to be
evidence of the
passing of a
resolution where
poll not demanded.

76. Every question submitted to a meeting shall be decided in the first instance by a show of hands, and in the case of an equality of votes the Chairman shall, both on a show of hands and at the poll, have a casting vote in addition to the vote or votes to which he may be entitled as a member.

77. At any General Meeting, unless a poll is demanded by the Chairman or by at least five members or by a member or members holding or representing by proxy or entitled to vote in respect of at least one-tenth part of the capital represented at the meeting, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried or carried by a particular majority or lost or not carried by a particular majority, and an entry to that effect in the book of proceedings of the Company shall be conclusive evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

Poll.

78. If a poll is demanded as aforesaid it shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman of the meeting directs and either at once or after an interval or adjournment or otherwise, 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 may be withdrawn.

Power to adjourn
General Meeting.

79. The Chairman of a General Meeting may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn the same 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.

In what cases poll
taken without
adjournment.
Business may
proceed notwith-
standing demand
of poll.

80. Any poll duly demanded on the election of a Chairman of a meeting or on any question of adjournment shall be taken at the meeting and without adjournment.

81. 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.

VOTES OF MEMBERS.

Votes of members.

82. On a show of hands every member holding ordinary shares present in person or by proxy shall have one vote, and upon a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every ordinary share held by him. The preference shares shall not confer on the holder thereof the right to vote at any General Meeting.

Votes in respect of
shares of deceased
and insolvent
members.

83. Any person entitled under the transmission clause to transfer any shares may vote at any General Meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty-eight hours at least before the time of holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote he shall satisfy the Directors of his right to transfer such shares, or the Directors shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof.

Joint holders.

84. Where there are joint registered holders of any share, any one of such persons may vote at any meeting either personally or by proxy in respect of such share as if he were solely entitled thereto, and if more than one of such joint holders be present at any meeting, personally or by proxy, that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof. Several executors or administrators of a deceased member in whose name any share stands shall for the purposes of this clause be deemed joint holders thereof.

Proxies permitted.

Instrument
appointing proxy
to be in writing.
Proxies may be
general or special.

85. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy.

86. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney, or if such appointor is a corporation under its common seal or the hand of its attorney. A proxy who is appointed for a specified meeting only shall be called a special proxy. Any other proxy shall be called a general proxy. No person shall be appointed a special proxy who is not a member of the Company and qualified to vote.

Instrument
appointing a
proxy to be
deposited at the
office.

87. The instrument appointing a proxy and the power of attorney (if any) under which it is signed shall be deposited at the office not less than forty-eight hours before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote, but no instrument appointing a special proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve months from the date of its execution, should the power of attorney above referred to have been registered in the Company's book it need not be again deposited.

88. A vote given in accordance with the terms of an instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid notwithstanding the previous death of the principal, or revocation of the instrument or transfer of the share in respect of which the vote is given, provided no intimation in writing of the death, revocation, or transfer shall have been received at the office before the meeting. Provided nevertheless, that the Chairman of any meeting shall be entitled to require such evidence as he may in his discretion think fit of the due execution of an instrument of proxy and that the same has not been revoked.

When vote by proxy valid though authority revoked.

89. Every instrument appointing a special proxy shall, as nearly as circumstances will admit, be in the form or to the effect following, and shall be retained by the Company :—

Form of instrument appointing a special proxy.

British Ceylon Corporation, Limited.

I, _____, of _____, being a member of British Ceylon Corporation, Limited, hereby appoint _____, of _____ (or failing him, _____ of _____, or failing him _____, of _____), as my proxy 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 _____ and at any adjournment thereof.

As witness my hand this _____ day of _____.

Signed by the said _____ in the presence of _____.

90. No member shall be entitled to be present or to vote on any question either personally or by proxy or as proxy for another member at any General Meeting or upon a poll or be reckoned in a quorum whilst any call or other sum shall be due and payable to the Company in respect of any of the shares of such member; and no member shall be entitled to be present or to vote in respect of any share that he has acquired by transfer at any meeting unless he has been the registered holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote for at least three months previously to the time fixed for holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or if such meeting be an adjourned meeting to the time originally fixed for holding the same, but this regulation shall not affect shares acquired under a testamentary disposition or by succession to an intestate estate or under a bankruptcy or insolvency or liquidation.

Restrictions on voting.

91. Any resolution passed by the Directors notice whereof shall be given to the members in the manner in which notices are hereinafter directed to be given and which shall within one month after it shall have been so passed be ratified and confirmed in writing by members entitled at a poll to three-fifths of the votes, shall be as valid and effectual as a resolution of a General Meeting, but this clause shall not apply to a resolution for winding up the Company or to a resolution passed in respect of any matter which by the statutes or these presents ought to be dealt with by special or extraordinary resolution.

Resolution in writing of Directors in certain cases to be equivalent to resolution of General Meeting.

DIRECTORS.

92. Until otherwise determined by a General Meeting the number of the Directors shall not be less than two or more than nine.

Number of Directors.

93. The persons hereinafter named shall be first Directors, that is to say, E. R. Williams, G. R. Whitby, and M. J. Harding.

First Directors.

94. The Directors shall have power at any time and from time to time to appoint any qualified person as a Director as an addition to the Board, but so that the total number of Directors shall not at any time exceed the maximum number fixed as above. But any Directors so appointed shall hold office only until the next following Ordinary General Meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election.

Power of Directors to add to their number.

95. The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of shares in the Company of the nominal value of Rupees Five hundred.

Qualification of Directors.

96. A first Director may act before acquiring his qualification, but shall in any case acquire the same within two months from his appointment and unless he shall do so he shall be deemed to have agreed to take the said shares from the Company and the same shall be forthwith allotted to him accordingly.

First Directors' qualification.

97. As a remuneration for their services the Directors resident in Ceylon shall be paid a sum of Rupees One hundred (Rs. 100) per mensem each and the Directors not resident in Ceylon a sum of Rupees Fifty (Rs. 50) each, 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 granted for special extra services hereinafter referred to nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

98. The continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any vacancy in their body; but so that if the number falls below the minimum above fixed the Directors shall not, except for the purpose of filling vacancies, act so long as the number is below the minimum.

Directors may act notwithstanding vacancy.

99. The office of a Director shall *ipso facto* be vacated :—

When office of Director is vacated.

(a) If he accepts or holds any other office or place of profit under the Company (except that of Manager), but the position of trustee of a deed for securing debentures or debenture stock of the Company or of solicitor or banker for the Company is not to be considered an office or place of profit.

(b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or compounds with his creditors.

(c) If he is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind.

(d) If he ceases to hold the required amount of shares to qualify him for office, but this proviso shall not be deemed to affect the provisions of clause 95 of these Articles.

(e) If he is absent from the meetings of the Directors during a period of three calendar months without special leave of absence from the Directors and he is removed from office by a resolution of the Board.

- (f) If he commit any offence punishable under the Ceylon or Indian Penal Code and being under the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code non-bailable.
- (g) If by notice in writing to the Company he resigns his office.
- (h) If he is requested in writing by all his co-Directors to resign or is removed from office by an extraordinary resolution of the Company.

Directors may contract with Company.

100. No Director shall be disqualified by his office from contracting with the Company either as vendor, purchaser, or otherwise, nor shall any such contract or any contract or agreement entered into by or on behalf of the Company in which any Director shall be concerned or interested be avoided, nor shall any Director so contracting or being so concerned or interested be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding that office or of the fiduciary relation thereby established, but it is declared that the nature of his interest must be disclosed by him at the meeting of the Directors at which the contract or arrangement is determined on if his interest then exists or in any other case at the first meeting of the Directors after the acquisition of his interest, and that no Director shall as a Director vote in respect of any contract or arrangement in which he is so interested as aforesaid, and if he do so vote his vote shall not be counted; but this provision shall not apply to any contract by or on behalf of the Company to give to the Directors or any of them any security by way of indemnity against any loss which they or any of them may suffer by reason of becoming or being sureties for the Company. A general notice that a Director is a member of any specified firm or Company and is to be regarded as interested in any subsequent transaction with such firm or Company shall as regards any such transaction be sufficient disclosure under this clause, and after such general notice it shall not be necessary to give any special notice relating to any particular transaction with such firm or Company.

When Director of this Company appointed Director of a subsidiary company.

101. A Director of this Company may be or become a Director of any Company promoted by this Company or in which it may be interested as a vendor, Shareholder, or otherwise, and no such Director shall be accountable for any benefits received as Director or member of such Company.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

Rotation and retirement of Directors.

102. At the First Ordinary Meeting to be held in each year one of the Directors shall retire from office.

Which Directors to retire.

103. At every Ordinary Meeting at which a Director retires by rotation the Director who has been longest in office shall retire. As between two or more who have been in office an equal length of time the Director to retire shall in default of agreement between them be determined by lot. The length of time a Director has been in office shall be computed from his last election or appointment when he has previously vacated office. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election.

Meeting to fill up vacancies.

104. The Company at any Ordinary Meeting at which any Director retires in manner aforesaid shall fill up the vacated office by electing the retiring Director or any other person to be a Director and without notice in that behalf may fill up any other vacancies.

Retiring Directors to remain in office till successors appointed.

105. If at any Ordinary Meeting at which an election of Directors ought to take place the places of the retiring Directors are not filled up, the retiring Directors, or such of them as have not had their places filled up, shall if willing continue in office until the First Ordinary Meeting in the next year and so on from year to year until their places are filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting on due notice to reduce the number of Directors.

Power for General Meeting to increase or reduce number of Directors.

106. The Company in General Meeting may, from time to time, increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may alter their qualification and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

Power to remove Director by extraordinary resolution.

107. The Company may by extraordinary resolution remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and appoint another qualified person in his stead, but the person so appointed shall hold office during such time only as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

Directors may fill up casual vacancies.

108. Any casual vacancy occurring among the Directors 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.

When candidate for office of Director must give notice.

109. 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 member intending to propose him has not less than fourteen days or more than two months before the meeting left at the office a notice in writing duly signed signifying his candidature for the office or the intention of such member to propose him.

MANAGING DIRECTORS.

Power to appoint Managing Director.

110. The Directors may, from time to time, appoint one or more of their body to be Managing Director or Managing Directors of the Company either for a fixed term or without any limitation as to the period for which he or they is or are to hold such office, and may, from time to time, remove or dismiss him or them from office and appoint another or others in his or their place or places.

What provisions he will be subject to.

111. A Managing Director shall not while he continues to hold that office be subject to retirement by rotation, and he shall not be taken into account in determining the rotation of retirement of Directors, but he shall, subject to the provisions of any contract between him and the Company, be subject to the same provisions as to resignation and removal as the other Directors of the Company, and if he cease to hold the office of Director from any cause he shall *ipso facto* and immediately cease to be a Managing Director.

Remuneration of Managing Director.

112. The remuneration of a Managing Director shall, from time to time, be fixed by the Directors and may be by way of salary or commission or participation in profits or by any or all of those modes.

Powers and duties of Managing Director.

113. The Directors may, from time to time, entrust to and confer upon a Managing Director for the time being such of the powers exercisable under these presents by the Directors as they may think fit and may confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as they think expedient, and they may confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of and in substitution for all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and may, from time to time, revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

114. The Directors may meet together for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings and proceedings as they think fit and may determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined two Directors shall be a quorum.

Meetings of Directors and quorum.

115. A Director may at any time convene a meeting of the Directors. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

Directors may summon meeting. How questions to be decided. Chairman.

116. The Directors may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, but if no such Chairman is elected, or if at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the Directors present shall choose some one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

117. A meeting of the Directors for the time being at which a quorum is present shall be competent to exercise all or any of the authorities, powers, and discretions by or under the Articles of the Company for the time being vested in or exercisable by the Directors generally.

Powers of quorum.

118. The Directors may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as they think fit. Any Committee so formed shall in the exercise of the powers so delegated, conform to any regulations that may from time to time be imposed upon it by the Directors.

Power to appoint Committees and to delegate.

119. The meetings and proceedings of any such Committee consisting of two or more members shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of the Directors, so far as the same are applicable thereto, and are not superseded by any regulations made by the Directors under the last preceding clause.

Proceedings of Committee.

120. The Directors or any Committee may meet at such place as they may determine, whether within or without the Island of Ceylon.

121. All acts done by any meeting of the Directors or by a Committee of Directors or by any person acting as a Director shall, notwithstanding that it shall afterwards be discovered that there was some defect in the appointment of such Directors or persons acting as aforesaid, or that they or any of them were disqualified, be as valid as if every such person had been duly appointed and was qualified to be a Director.

When acts of Directors or Committee valid notwithstanding defective appointment, &c.

MINUTES.

122. The Directors shall cause minutes to be duly entered in books provided for the purpose—

Minutes to be made.

(a) Of all appointments of officers.

(b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors and of any Committee of Directors.

(c) Of all orders made by the Directors and Committees of Directors.

(d) Of all resolutions and proceedings of General Meetings and of meetings of the Directors and Committees.

And any such minutes of any meeting of the Directors or of any Committee or of the Company if purporting to be signed by the Chairman of such meeting or by the Chairman of the next succeeding meeting, shall be receivable as *prima facie* evidence of the matters stated in such minutes.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

123. The control of the Company and of the business of the Company shall be vested in the Directors who, in addition to the powers and authorities by these presents or otherwise expressly conferred upon them, may exercise all such powers and do all such acts and things as may be exercised or done by the Company and are not hereby or by statute law expressly directed or required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, but subject nevertheless to the provisions of any statute law and of these presents and to any regulations from time to time made by the Company in General Meeting, provided that no regulation so made shall invalidate any prior act of the Directors which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made.

General power of Company vested in Directors.

124. Without prejudice to the general powers conferred by the last preceding clause, and the other powers conferred by these presents, it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have the following powers, that is to say :—

Specific powers given to Directors.

(1) To pay the costs, charges, and expenses, preliminary and incidental to the promotion, formation, establishment, and registration of the Company.

(2) To purchase or otherwise acquire for the Company any property, rights, or privileges, which the Company is authorized to acquire at such price and generally on such terms and conditions as they think fit.

(3) At their discretion to pay for any property, rights, privileges, acquired by or services rendered to the Company either wholly or partially in cash or in shares, bonds, debentures, or other securities of the Company, and any such shares may be issued either as fully paid up or with such amount credited as paid up thereon as may be agreed upon; and any such bonds, debentures, or other securities may be either specifically charged upon all or any part of the property of the Company and its uncalled capital or not so charged.

To pay for property in debentures, &c.

(4) To secure the fulfilment of any contracts or engagements entered into by the Company by mortgage or charge of all or any of the property of the Company and its unpaid capital for the time being or in such other manner as they may think fit.

To secure contracts by mortgage.

(5) To appoint and at their discretion remove or suspend such agents, managers, secretaries, officers, clerks, and servants for permanent, temporary, or special services, as they may from time to time think fit, and to determine their powers and duties and fix their salaries or emoluments and to require security in such instances and to such amount as they think fit.

To appoint officers, &c.

- To appoint trustees.
- To bring and defend actions, &c.
- To refer to arbitration.
- To give receipts.
- To appoint Attorneys.
- To invest moneys.
- To give security by way of indemnity.
- To give percentages.
- To establish reserve fund.
- To make by-laws.
- To make contracts, &c.
- (6) To appoint any person or persons (whether incorporated or not) to accept and hold in trust for the Company any property belonging to the Company or in which it is interested or for any other purposes, and to execute and do all such deeds, documents, and things as may be requisite in relation to any such trust, and to provide for the remuneration of such trustee or trustees.
- (7) To institute, conduct, defend, compound, or abandon any legal proceedings by or against the Company or its officers or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company, and also to compound, allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due and of any claims or demands by or against the Company.
- (8) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform the awards.
- (9) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company, and for the claims and demands of the Company.
- (10) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents.
- (11) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company either in different parts of Ceylon or elsewhere in such manner as they think fit, and in particular to establish branch offices and to appoint any persons to be the Attorneys or Agents of the Company with such powers (including power to sub-delegate) and upon such terms as may be thought fit.
- (12) To invest and deal with any of the moneys of the Company not immediately required for the purposes thereof upon such securities (not being shares in this Company) and in such manner as they may think fit, and from time to time to vary or realize such investments.
- (13) To execute in the name and on behalf of the Company in favour of any Director or other person who may incur or be about to incur any personal liability for the benefit of the Company such mortgages of the Company's property (present and future) as they think fit, and any such mortgage may contain a power of sale and such other powers, covenants, and provisions as shall be agreed on.
- (14) To give to any person employed by the Company a commission on the profits of any particular business or transaction or a share in the general profits of the Company.
- (15) Before recommending any dividend to set aside out of the profits of the Company such sums as they think proper as a reserve fund to meet contingencies or for equalizing dividends or for special dividends or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company and for such other purposes as the Directors shall in their absolute discretion think conducive to the interests of the Company and to invest the several sums so set aside upon such investments (other than shares of the Company) as they may think fit, and from time to time to deal with and vary such investments and dispose of all or any part thereof for the benefit of the Company and to divide the reserve fund into such special funds as they think fit, with full power to employ the assets constituting the reserve fund in the business of the Company and that without being bound to keep the same separate from the other assets.
- (16) From time to time to make, vary, and repeal by-laws for the regulation of the business of the Company, its officers, and servants.
- (17) To enter into all such negotiations and contracts and rescind and vary all such contracts and execute and do all such acts, deeds, and things in the name and on behalf of the Company, as they may consider expedient for or in relation to any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise for the purposes of the Company.
- (18) A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted.

LOCAL MANAGEMENT.

125. The following provisions shall have effect:—
- Local management.
- Local board.
- Delegations.
- Powers of attorney.
- (1) The Directors may from time to time provide for the management of the affairs of the Company outside the Island of Ceylon (or any special locality in Ceylon) in such manner as they shall think fit, and the provisions contained in the next following sub-clause shall be without prejudice to the general powers conferred by this sub-clause.
- (2) The Directors from time to time and at any time may establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company outside the Island of Ceylon or in any specified locality in Ceylon and may appoint any person to be members of such local board or any managers or agents and may fix their remuneration.
- (3) The Directors from time to time and at any time may delegate to any person so appointed any of the powers, authorities, and discretions for the time being vested in the Directors, and may authorize the members for the time being of any such local board or any of them to fill up any vacancies therein and to act notwithstanding vacancies, and any such appointment or delegation may be made on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Directors may think fit; and the Directors may at any time remove any person so appointed and may annul or vary any such delegation.
- (4) The Directors may, at any time and from time to time by power of attorney under the seal, appoint any persons to be the attorneys of the Company for such purposes and with such powers, authorities, and discretions not exceeding those vested in or exercisable by the Directors under these presents and for such period and subject to such conditions as the Directors may from time to time think fit; and any such appointment may, if the Directors think fit, be made in favour of the members or any of the members of any local board established as aforesaid or in favour of any Company or of the members, Directors, nominees, or managers of any Company or firm or otherwise in favour of any fluctuating body of persons whether nominated directly or indirectly by the Directors, and any such power of attorney may contain such provisions for the protection or convenience of persons dealing with such attorneys as the Directors think fit.

- (5) Any such delegates or attorneys as aforesaid may be authorized by the Directors to sub-delegate all or any of the powers, authorities, and discretions for the time being vested in them. Sub-delegation.
- (6) The Directors may comply with the requirements of any local law which, in their opinion it shall, in the interests of the Company, be necessary or expedient to comply with. Local laws.

MANAGERS.

126. The business of the Company shall be carried on by a Manager or Managers as the Directors may from time to time determine. Such Manager or Managers shall be subject to the direction and control of the Directors and his or their remuneration, powers, and duties shall be such as the Directors may from time to time determine.

127. Unless and until otherwise determined by the Directors the Manager or Managers shall have power to make, draw, endorse, sign, accept, negotiate, and give all cheques, bills of lading, drafts, orders, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other negotiable instruments required in the business of the Company, and may also sign and give all receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for the claims and demands of the Company.

THE SEAL.

128. The Directors shall provide for the safe custody of the seal, and the seal shall never be used except by the authority of the Directors or a Committee of the Directors previously given, and two Directors at the least shall sign every instrument to which the seal is affixed. Provided, nevertheless, that any instrument bearing the seal of the Company and issued for valuable consideration shall be binding on the Company notwithstanding any irregularity touching the authority of the Directors to issue the same. Custody of seal.

DIVIDENDS.

129. Subject as aforesaid and to the rights of the holders of shares issued upon special conditions the profits of the Company shall be divisible among the members in proportion to the capital paid up on the shares held by them respectively. How profits shall be divisible.

130. The Company in General Meeting may declare a dividend to be paid to the members according to their rights and interest in the profits and may fix the time for payment. Declaration of dividends.

131. No larger dividend shall be declared than is recommended by the Directors, but the Company in General Meeting may declare a smaller dividend. Restriction on amount of dividend.

132. No dividend shall be payable except out of the profits of the Company, and no dividend shall carry interest as against the Company. Dividend out of profits only and not to carry interest.

133. The declaration of the Directors as to the amount of the nett profits of the Company shall be conclusive. What to be deemed nett profits.

134. The Directors may from time to time pay to the members such interim dividends as in their judgment the position of the Company justifies. Interim dividends.

135. The Directors may retain any dividends on which the Company has a lien and may apply the same in or towards satisfaction of the debts, liabilities, or engagements in respect of which the lien exists. Debts may be deducted.

136. Any General Meeting declaring a dividend may make a call on the members of such amount as the meeting fixes, but so that the call on each member shall not exceed the dividend payable to him and so that the call be made payable at the same time as the dividend, and the dividend may, if so arranged between the Company and the member, be set off against the call. The making of a call under this clause shall be deemed ordinary business of an Ordinary Meeting which declares a dividend. Dividend and call together.

137. 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 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 one or more of such ways, and the Directors shall give effect to such direction; and when 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 Shareholders upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties, and may vest any such specific assets in trustees upon such trusts for the persons entitled to the dividend as may seem expedient to the Directors. Dividend in specie.

138. A transfer of shares shall not pass the right to any dividend declared thereon before the registration of the transfer. Effect of transfer.

139. The Directors may retain the dividends payable upon shares in respect of which any person is under the transmission clause entitled to become a member or which any person under that clause is entitled to transfer until such person shall become a member in respect thereof or shall duly transfer the same. Retention in certain cases.

140. Any one of several persons who are registered as the joint holders of any share may give effectual receipts for all dividends and payments on account of dividends in respect of such share. Dividend to joint holders.

141. Unless otherwise directed any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the member 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, and every cheque or warrant so sent shall be made payable to the order of the person to whom it is sent. Payment by post.

142. All dividends unclaimed for one year after having been declared may be invested or otherwise made use of by the Directors for the benefit of the Company until claimed, and all dividends unclaimed for three years after having been declared may be forfeited by the Directors for the benefit of the Company. Unclaimed dividends.

BOOKS AND DOCUMENTS.

Books of accounts to be kept.

143. The Directors shall cause true accounts to be kept of the sums of money received and expended by the Company and the matters in respect of which such receipt and expenditure takes place, and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company.

Where to be kept.

144. The books of account shall be kept at the office or at such other place or places as the Directors think fit.

Inspection by members.

145. 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 account books and documents of the Company or any of them shall be open to the inspection of the members, and no member shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by statute or authorized by the Directors or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

ACCOUNTS AND BALANCE SHEETS.

Annual account and balance sheet.

146. (1) At each Ordinary Meeting the Directors shall lay before the Company a profit and loss account and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to a date not more than six months before the meeting from the time when the last preceding account and balance sheet were made up, or in the case of the first account and balance sheet from the incorporation of the Company.

(2) The Auditor's report (to be prepared in accordance with the provisions of clause 152 of the Articles) shall be attached to the balance sheet or there shall be inserted at the foot thereof a reference to the report, and the report shall be read before the Company in General Meeting and shall be open to inspection by any Shareholder.

Annual report of Directors.

147. Every such balance sheet shall be accompanied by a report of the Directors 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 members, and the amount (if any) which they propose to carry to the reserve fund according to the provisions in that behalf hereinbefore contained, and the account, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by at least three Directors.

Copies to be sent to members and deposited at the registered office.

148. A printed copy of such account and balance sheet, together with the reports of the Auditors and Directors, shall, at least seven days previously to the meeting, be sent to the registered address of every member of the Company, and a copy shall also be deposited at the registered office of the Company for the inspection of members of the Company during a period of at least seven days before the meeting.

AUDIT.

Accounts to be audited annually.

149. Once in every year the accounts of the Company shall be examined and the correctness of the balance sheet ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

Audit provisions.

150. The Company at the first Ordinary Meeting in each year shall appoint an Auditor or Auditors to hold office until the first Ordinary Meeting in the following year, and the following provisions shall have effect, that is to say:—

(1) A Director or officer of the Company shall not be capable of being appointed Auditor of the Company.

(2) A person other than a retiring Auditor shall not be capable of being appointed Auditor at an Ordinary Meeting, unless notice of an intention to nominate that person to the office of Auditor has been given by a Shareholder to the Company not less than fourteen days before the meeting, and the Company shall send a copy of any such notice to the retiring Auditor, and shall give notice thereof to the Shareholders either by advertisement or in any other mode allowed by the Articles not less than seven days before the meeting.

Provided that if after notice of the intention to nominate an Auditor has been so given, an Ordinary Meeting is called for a date fourteen days or less after the notice has been given, the notice, though not given within the time required by this provision shall be deemed to have been properly given for the purposes thereof, and the notice to be sent or given by the Company may instead of being sent or given within the time required by this provision, be sent or given at the same time as the notice of the Ordinary Meeting.

(3) The first Auditors of the Company may be appointed by the Directors before the first Ordinary Meeting, and, if so appointed, shall hold office until such meeting, unless previously removed by a resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting, in which case the Shareholders at that meeting may appoint Auditors.

(4) The Directors may fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor, but while any such vacancy continues the surviving or continuing Auditor or Auditors (if any) may act.

Remuneration of Auditors.

151. The remuneration of the Auditors shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, except that the remuneration of any Auditors appointed before the first Ordinary Meeting or to fill any casual vacancy may be fixed by the Directors.

Rights and duties of Auditors.

152. (1) Every Auditor of the Company shall have a right of access at all times to the books and accounts and vouchers of the Company, and shall be entitled to require from the Directors and officers of the Company such information and explanations as may be necessary for the performance of the duties of the Auditors.

(2) The Auditors shall make a report to the Shareholders on every balance sheet laid before the Company in General Meeting during their tenure of office, and the report shall state:—

(a) Whether or not they have obtained all the information and explanations they have required; and

(b) Whether in their opinion the balance sheet referred to in the report is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of their information and the explanations given to them and as shown by the books of the Company.

When accounts to be deemed finally settled.

153. Every account of the Directors when audited and approved by a General Meeting shall be conclusive, except as regards any error discovered therein within three months next after the approval thereof. Whenever any such error is discovered within that period the account shall forthwith be corrected and thenceforth shall be conclusive.

NOTICES.

154. A notice may be served by the Company upon any member, either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope or wrapper addressed to such member, at his registered place of address.

How notice to be served on members.

155. Each holder of registered shares shall from time to time notify in writing to the Company some place in the Island of Ceylon to be registered as his address, and such registered place of address shall for all purposes be deemed his place of residence.

Members resident abroad.

156. As regards any member who has not notified in writing to the Company some place in the Island of Ceylon to be registered as his address, a notice posted up in the registered office shall be deemed to be well served on him at the expiration of twenty-four hours from the time when it is so posted up.

Notice where no address.

157. Any notice required to be given by the Company to the members or any of them and not expressly provided for by these presents shall be sufficiently given, if given by advertisement.

When notice may be given by advertisement. How to be advertised.

158. Any notice required to be or which may be given by advertisement shall be advertised once in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

Notice to joint holders.

159. All notices shall with respect to any registered shares to which persons are jointly entitled be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the register, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

160. Any notice sent by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day following that on which the envelope or wrapper containing the same is posted, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice was properly addressed and put into the post office and a certificate in writing signed by any Director or other officer of the Company that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice was so addressed and posted shall be conclusive evidence thereof. Any notice given by advertisement shall be deemed to have been given on the day on which the advertisement shall first appear.

When notice by post deemed to be served.

161. Every person who by operation of law, transfer, or other means whatsoever shall become entitled to any share shall be bound by every notice in respect of such share which previously to his name and address being entered on the register shall be duly given to the person from whom he derives his title to such share.

Transferees, &c., bound by prior notices.

162. Any notice or document delivered or sent by post to or left at the registered address of any member in pursuance of these presents shall notwithstanding such member be then deceased and whether or not the Company have notice of his decease be deemed to have been duly served in respect of any registered shares whether held solely or jointly with other persons by such member until some other person be registered in his stead as the holder or joint holder thereof, and such service shall for all purposes of these presents be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or document on his or her heirs, executors, or administrators and all persons, if any, jointly interested with him or her in any such share.

Notice valid though member deceased.

163. The signature to any notice to be given by the Company may be written or printed.

How notice to be signed. Service of process in winding up.

164. In the event of a winding up of the Company every member of the Company who is not for the time being in the Island of Ceylon shall be bound within eight weeks after the passing of an effective resolution to wind up the Company voluntarily or the making of an order for the winding up of the Company to serve notice in writing on the Company appointing some householder residing in Colombo upon whom all summonses, notices, process, orders, and judgments in relation to or under the winding up of the Company may be served, and in default of such nomination the liquidator of the Company shall be at liberty on behalf of such member to appoint some such person, and service upon any such appointee whether appointed by the member or the liquidator shall be deemed to be good personal service on such member for all purposes, and where the liquidator makes any such appointment he shall with all convenient speed give notice thereof to such member by advertisement in some daily newspaper published in Colombo, or by a registered letter sent through the post and addressed to such member at his address as mentioned in the Register of Members of the Company, and such notice shall be deemed to be served on the day following that on which the advertisement appears or the letter is posted. The provisions of this clause shall not prejudice the right of the liquidator of the Company to serve any notice or other document in any other manner prescribed by the regulations of the Company.

SECRECY CLAUSES.

Secrecy clause.

165. Every Director, manager, auditor, trustee, member of a committee, officer, servant, agent, accountant, or other person employed in the business of the Company shall, if so required by the Directors or managing agents, before entering upon his duties, sign a declaration pledging himself to observe a strict secrecy respecting all transactions of the Company with the customers, and the state of accounts with individuals and in matters relating thereto, and shall by such declaration pledge himself not to reveal any of the matters which may come to his knowledge in the discharge of his duties, except when required so to do by the Directors, or by any meeting, or by a court of law, or by the person to whom such matters relate, and except so far as may be necessary in order to comply with any of the provisions in these presents contained.

166. No member shall be entitled to enter upon the property of the Company, or to require, discovery of, or any information respecting any detail of the Company's trading, or any matter which is or may be in the nature of a trade secret, mystery of trade, or secret process which may relate to the conduct of the business of the Company, and which in the opinion of the Directors, it will be inexpedient in the interest of the members of the Company to communicate to the public.

Member not entitled to information.

WINDING UP.

167. If the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution among the members as such shall be insufficient to repay the whole of the paid up capital, such assets shall be distributed so that as nearly as may be the losses shall be borne by the members in proportion to the capital paid up or which ought to have been paid up at the commencement of the winding up on the shares held by them respectively. And, if in a winding up, the assets available for distribution among the members shall be more than sufficient to repay the whole of the capital paid up at the commencement of the winding up, the excess shall be distributed amongst the members in proportion to the capital at

Distribution of assets.

the commencement of the winding up paid up or which ought to have been paid up on the shares held by them respectively. But this clause is to be without prejudice to the rights of the holders of shares issued upon special terms and conditions.

Distribution of
assets in specie.

168. (1) If the Company shall be wound up, whether voluntarily or otherwise, the liquidators may, with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution, divide among the contributories in specie or kind any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories or any of them as the liquidators, with the like sanction, shall think fit.

(2) If thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories (except where unalterably fixed by the Memorandum of Association), and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights or may be excluded altogether or in part, but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby shall have a right to dissent and ancillary rights as if such determination were a special resolution.

(3) In case any of the shares to be divided as aforesaid involve a liability to calls or otherwise, any person entitled under such division to any of the said shares may within ten days after the passing of the extraordinary resolution by notice in writing direct the liquidator to sell his proportion and pay him the nett proceeds, and the liquidator shall, if practicable, act accordingly.

INDEMNITY.

Indemnity.

169. Every Director, managing agent, and other officer or servant of the Company shall be indemnified by the Company against, and it shall be the duty of the Directors out of the funds of the Company to pay all costs, losses, and expenses which any such officer or servant may incur or become liable to by reason of any contract entered into, or act or thing done by him as such officer or servant, or in any way in the discharge of his duties, including travelling expenses and the amount for which such indemnity is provided, shall immediately attach as a lien on the property of the Company, and have priority as between the members over all other claims.

Individual
responsibility of
Directors.

170. No Director, manager, or other officer of the Company shall be liable for the acts, receipts, neglects, or defaults of any other Director or officer, or for joining in any receipt or other act for conformity, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company through the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired by order of the Directors 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 loss occasioned by any error of judgment or oversight on his part, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own dishonesty.

In witness whereof, the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereto set and subscribed their names at the places and on the dates hereafter written.

M. J. HARDING.
V. A. JULIUS.
H. CREASY.
G. R. WHITBY.
R. S. WRIGHT.
H. D. THORNTON.
G. M. SCOTT.

Witness to above signatures, at Colombo, this 15th day of March, 1918:

A. R. NELSON,
Clerk to Messrs. Julius & Creasy, Fort, Colombo.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON SAFETY MATCHES MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE CEYLON SAFETY MATCHES MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED."
The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.

3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—

- (a) To carry on the business of manufacturers of safety matches, and to buy, sell, and deal in safety matches of all kinds.
- (b) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon and elsewhere all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: manufacturers and importers and wholesale and retail dealers of and in soap, candles, paints, inks, glass, paper, leather, combs and brushes, hardware, plated goods, jewellery, household furnishers, ironmongery, turnery, and other household fittings or utensils, ornaments, fancy goods, cloth, linen, silk goods, millinery, hosiery, and haberdashery; dealers in oilman stores, provisions, drugs, chemicals, and other articles and commodities of personal and household use and consumption and generally of and in all manufactured goods, materials, provisions, and produce; stationers, printers, lithographers, stereotypers, photographic printers, electrotypers, engravers, die sinkers, advertising agents, designers, house decorators, upholsterers, draughtsmen, booksellers, publishers, cabinet makers, furniture removers, contractors, warehousemen, carriers, store and warehouse keepers, picture frame makers; land, estate, and house agents; dealers in or manufacturers of any other articles or things of a character similar or analogous to the foregoing or any of them.
- (c) To purchase or by other means acquire and protect, prolong, and renew, whether in Ceylon or elsewhere, any trade marks, patent right, licenses, protections, and concessions which may appear likely to be advantageous to the Company.
- (d) To carry on the business of agents for steamship companies, insurance companies, and for such other companies or concerns as the Directors may consider desirable.

- (e) To purchase, acquire, engage, extend, and carry on any other business or concern which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the property or rights of the Company.
- (f) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants, 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.
- (g) To establish in Ceylon or elsewhere branch establishment and (or) agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any part thereof.
- (h) To alter, adapt, and improve as their business may seem to the Company to require any buildings leased, rented, or acquired by them.
- (i) To acquire, purchase, or take on lease any lands or buildings or both in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere, and to erect and construct on such lands such buildings as the Company may think fit.
- (j) To sell or lease any lands, buildings, hereditaments property, or rights belonging to the Company, or to mortgage the same, and to sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit.
- (k) To borrow or raise money for all or any of the purposes of the Company in such manner as the Company may think fit, and in particular upon mortgage of any property of the Company, or by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, charging all or any of the Company's property, both present and future, including uncalled capital, or upon the bonds, bills, notes, or other security of the Company.
- l) To sell, exchange, improve, manage, develop, lease, underlease, mortgage, dispose of, otherwise deal with all or any part of the property 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.
- (m) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, 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.
- (n) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (o) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company, or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon, either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (p) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (q) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any part of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (r) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit.
- (s) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (t) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
- (u) 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.
- (v) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever, and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (w) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or 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 debentures or 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 fully or partially paid for such purpose.
- (x) To accept consideration for any lands and real and personal, immovable and movable property, and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company, and generally to accept any consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or in the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person, or partly in one of these modes and partly in another or in any other kind or mode whatsoever.
- (y) 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.
- (z) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clause (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "persons" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any 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 Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 50,000), divided into One hundred (100) shares of Five hundred Rupees (Rs. 500) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or 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 Shareholder.
N. D. S. SILVA, Colombo	One
JAS. P. FERNANDO, Colombo	One
HENRY L. DE MEL, Colombo	One
D. S. SENANAYEKE, Colombo	One
F. R. SENANAYEKE, Colombo	One
C. A. HEWAVITARNE, Colombo	One
JOHN COORAY, Colombo	One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Seven

Dated at Colombo, this 18th day of March, 1918.

Witness to the above signatures :

FRED. DE SARAJ,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE CEYLON SAFETY MATCHES MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

The regulations contained in the 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.

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 or comprised in these Articles or not.

INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

1. 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, viz:—

The word "Company" means "The Ceylon Safety Matches Manufacturing Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

"Shareholder" means every person who has accepted any share or who has accepted part of a share jointly with another or others whose names is entered on the Register of Shareholders as owner or joint owner of such share.

"Presence or present" at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney.

"Directors" means the Directors for the time being of the Company or (as the case may be) the Directors assembled at a 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" means partnerships, associations, corporations, companies, unincorporated or incorporated by Ordinance and registration, as well as individuals.

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

BUSINESS.

2. 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 if the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

3. 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.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 50,000) divided into One hundred shares (100) of Five hundred Rupees (Rs. 500) each.

5. The Directors may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, increase the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares of such amounts 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, and they shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as may be considered expedient.

6. 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 same provisions in all respects with reference to the payments of allotment money, calls, and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise, as if it had formed part of the original capital.

7. The Directors may in like manner, and with like sanction, reduce the capital or subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company.

SHARES.

8. The Company may call up the balance capital whenever the Directors shall think fit and may make arrangements on the 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. 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 shares.

10. 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 share 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 shares in payment for any 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.

11. 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 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.

12. Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company may from time to time direct. Payment for shares shall be made in such manner as the Directors shall from time to time determine and direct.

13. 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.

14. Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons not in partnership.

15. 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 then 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.

16. In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders 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.

17. 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 clauses 35 and 36 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

18. 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.

19. Every Shareholder shall be entitled to a certificate or certificates under the common seal of the Company, specifying the share or shares held by him and the amount paid thereon.

20. 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 may 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.

21. 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.

CALLS.

22. The Directors may, from time to time, make such calls as they think fit upon the Shareholders in respect of all moneys unpaid on their shares, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times, provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made to the person, and at the time and place appointed by the Directors.

23. If any Shareholder fail to pay the amount of any call due by him on or before the day appointed for payment thereof, he shall be liable to pay interest for the same at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of actual payment.

24. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution of the Directors authorizing the call was passed.

25. 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.

26. The Directors may at their discretion receive from any of the Shareholders willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the moneys due upon their respective shares beyond the sums actually called for; and upon the moneys so paid in advance, or upon so much thereof and from time to time and at any time thereafter exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon, and due in respect of the shares in respect of which some advances have been made, the Board may pay or allow interest at such rate as the Shareholders paying such sums in advance, and the Directors may agree upon not exceeding, however, six per centum per annum.

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

27. Subject to the restriction of these Articles, and to the provisos next hereinafter following, any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instrument in writing, provided that any Shareholder desiring to transfer all or any of his shares shall first offer such share or shares to the Directors. Such offer shall be made by notice in writing to the Directors specifying the number of shares which such Shareholder is desirous of transferring, the price at which he is willing to transfer the same, and limiting a time (not less in any case than six weeks) within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined; and after the expiration of such time, or on receipt of an intimation from the Directors that the offer has not been accepted, such Shareholder may then transfer such shares to any person. Provided, further, that in the event of the Directors declining to purchase any shares offered to them under the preceding proviso, such Shareholder shall not be entitled to sell them to any person as provided in the preceding proviso for a price less than that at which he offered such shares to the Directors.

28. No transfer of shares shall be made to an infant or person of unsound mind.

29. 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.

30. 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; and 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 declination shall be absolute.

31. 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 One Rupee, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer, upon payment whereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder, and retain the instrument of transfer.

32. 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.

33. 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 only, if at all, upon the transferee.

34. The Register of Transfers may be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting, and when a dividend is declared for the three days next ensuing after the meeting, also at such other times (if any) and for such periods as the Directors from time to time determine, provided always that it shall not be closed for more than twenty-one days in any year.

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

35. 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 the shares of such Shareholder.

36. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or 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 securing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Directors think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 35 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 shares, 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 share, and 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.

38. 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.

39. 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 requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

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.

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.

40. 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 nine per centum per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

41. 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.

42. 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.

43. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors 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, and 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, and thereupon such purchaser 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.

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 nine per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted or otherwise disposed of under Article 41 hereof shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

44. 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 which the Directors shall have resolved to make, 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. And the Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

45. 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.

46. The nett proceeds of any such sale shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

47. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors that the power of sale given by clause 45 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

48. Upon any such sale one 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.

49. 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 at such a premium, 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.

50. 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 to 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 the 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.

51. 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 member, 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 members present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

BORROWING POWERS.

52. With the sanction of a General Meeting the Board shall be entitled to borrow such sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. A certificate under the hands of one Director and the Secretary, or of two Directors, to the effect that in taking any loan the Directors are not exceeding their borrowing powers, shall be sufficient and shall be binding on the Company and all concerned, and shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors.

For the purpose of securing the repayment of any such moneys so borrowed or raised, or for any other purposes, the Directors may grant, create, execute, and issue any mortgages, cash credits, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company, both present and future, including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or may make, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange.

Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled, discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain 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 deemed.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

53. The first General Meeting shall be held at such time, not being more than twelve months after the incorporation of the Company, and at such place as the Directors may determine.

54. 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 so prescribed, then at such place and at such time as may be determined by the Directors.

55. 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.

56. The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by any three Shareholders.

57. 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.

58. Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting.

59. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

60. 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 by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or by notice sent by post, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting.

61. 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 in the place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors, and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever of which special notice shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

62. 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.

63. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present or represented at the commencement of the business three or more Shareholders entitled to vote or persons holding proxies or powers of attorney from Shareholders.

64. If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of Shareholders 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, it shall be adjourned *sine die*.

65. The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present at 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.

66. No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the Chair is vacant.

67. The Chairman may, with the consent of the meeting, 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 thereof shall be given.

68. 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.

69. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present in person or proxy or by attorney, and 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 vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some member present 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 or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

70. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present at the meeting in person or by proxy and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such 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 the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

71. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

72. No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

73. On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney 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 share held by him, but no resolution involving the sale of the Company's property whether immovable or otherwise or the winding up of the Company or the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies shall be deemed to be carried unless 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 in person or by proxy or by attorney at any meeting of which notice specifying the intention to propose such resolution has been duly given.

74. The parent or guardian of an infant 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 infant, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

75. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

76. No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote at any meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares 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 at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been possessed of the share in respect of which he claims to vote at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

77. No Shareholder who has not been duly registered as such for three months previous to the General Meeting shall be entitled to be present and to speak and vote at any meeting held after the expiry of three months from the incorporation of the Company.

78. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney duly authorized in writing, or if the appointor is a corporation either under the common seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney so authorized and any person not being a Shareholder in the Company may be appointed a proxy.

79. 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.

The instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

The Ceylon Safety Matches Manufacturing 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 _____.

80. 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 votes 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.

81. No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

82. The number of Directors shall never be less than three or more than five, but this clause shall be construed as being directory only, and the continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies.

The qualification of a Director shall be his holding shares in the Company of the total nominal value of at least Five hundred Rupees (Rs. 500) upon which all calls for the time being have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. The Directors remuneration is not fixed, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time fix the amount of such remuneration for the future.

83. The first Directors shall be Dr. Charles Alvis Hewavitarne of Colombo, Frederick Richard Senanayake, Esq., of Colombo, and Henry Lawson de Mel, 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.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

84. At the second Ordinary General Meeting of the Company and at the Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors shall retire from office as provided in clause 88.

85. The Directors to retire from office at the second 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.

86. 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.

87. Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

88. The Ordinary 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 Ordinary General Meeting.

89. Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors or provisional Directors arising from death, resignation, or otherwise, may be filled up by the Directors, but any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall retain his office so long as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

90. A General Meeting may from time to time at any time increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

91. 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.

92. 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 registered office of the Company, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors, and on the acceptance of his resignation by the Directors, but not before, his office shall become vacant.

93. The Company may by a special 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.

94. Every Director or officer of the Company, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him in or about the discharge of his duties, except such as happen from his wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer shall, nor shall the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, be liable for the acts or defaults of any other Director or officer, 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 tortuous 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.

95. 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.

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

96. The office of the Directors shall be vacated—

- (a) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (b) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (c) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.

But 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 Solicitor, or by his being a member of a firm who are Agents, or Secretaries, or Solicitors, of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

97. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, 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 shall 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 referred to in clause 3 of the Memorandum of Association, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said business and any other business or property, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

98. The Directors shall have the power to make, and may make, such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and 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 any 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, superintendents, assistants, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other such 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, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

99. The Directors shall exercise, in the name and on behalf of the Company, all such powers of the Company as are not expressly required to be exercised by the Company in General Meeting, and shall generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such Ordinances 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 regulations 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.

100. The Directors shall have power to appoint proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys to assist in carrying on or practising the business of the Company on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

101. The Directors shall have power to open from time to time 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.

102. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument (save as hereinafter provided) except in the presence of one or more Directors, who shall attest the sealing thereof.

103. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by 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 amalgamations, 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.

104. 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) :—

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the award.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company, and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) 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, or inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) 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 or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of, and in the substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.
- (f) Before recommending any dividend to set aside out of the profits of the Company such sums as they think proper as a reserve fund to meet contingencies or for special dividends or for equalizing dividends or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company and for other purposes as the Directors shall in their absolute discretion think conducive to the interests of the Company, and to invest the several sums so set aside upon such investments as they may think fit, and from time to time deal with and vary such investments and dispose of all or any part thereof for the benefit of the Company, and to divide the reserve fund into such special funds as they think fit, and to employ the reserve fund or any part thereof in the business of the Company and that without being bound to keep the same separate from their other assets.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

105. The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings at such places and times and in such manner as they think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

106. A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

107. 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 if 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.

108. 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.

109. 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.

110. 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.

111. The acts of the Board and of any committees appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or defect in the appointment or qualification 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 such person had been duly appointed or qualified, provided the same be done before the discovery of the vacancy or defect.

112. A resolution in writing signed by a majority of the Directors shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted.

113. The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in a book or books to be provided for the purpose—

- (1) Of all appointments of (a) officers and (b) committees made by the Directors.
- (2) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors.
- (3) Of the names of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (4) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (5) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings of the Company.
- (6) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors.
- (7) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of committees appointed by the Board.
- (8) Of the use of the seal of the Company.

114. All such minutes shall be signed by the person 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 who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, or Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, as the case may be; 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.

ACCOUNTS.

115. 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, of the matters in respect of which such sums were received and expended, 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. 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.

116. 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 statute or authorized by the Directors, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

117. At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the income and expenditure of the Company for the previous financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to the end of the same period.

118. The statement so made shall show, arranged under the most convenient heads, the amount of gross income, distinguishing the several sources from which it has been derived, and the amount of gross expenditure, distinguishing the expense of the establishment, salaries, and other heads of expenditure. Every item of expenditure fairly chargeable against the year's income shall be brought into account, so that a just balance of profit and loss may be laid before the meeting, and in case where any item of expenditure which may in fairness be distributed over several years has been incurred in any one year, the whole amount of such item shall be stated, with the addition of the reasons why only a portion of such expenditure is charged against the income of the year.

119. The balance sheet shall contain a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company arranged under the heads appearing in form annexed to the table referred to in Schedule C to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," or as near thereto as circumstances admit.

120. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which the Directors recommend should 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.

121. 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.

122. The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet ascertained, by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

AUDIT.

123. No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but it shall not be a necessary qualification of 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.

124. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor of the Company and fix his remuneration. He shall hold office till the second General Meeting of the Company. All subsequent appointments shall, except as is hereinafter mentioned, be made at the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and the Auditor or Auditors appointed at such meeting shall hold office only until the first Ordinary General Meeting after his or their appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

125. 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.

126. Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

127. If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor is not supplied at the next Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur in the office of Auditor, the Directors shall fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting after his appointment.

128. Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting after his appointment, 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.

129. The Auditor or Auditors for the time being shall have a list delivered to him or them of all books kept by the Company, and he or they shall at all reasonable hours in the daytime have access to all accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company, for the purpose of audit.

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

130. 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 amount paid on their shares, but no dividend shall be payable except out of nett profits.

131. 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, or pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

132. The Directors may, before recommending any dividend or bonus, 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 may select, or shall place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

133. The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises of the Company, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purpose connected with the interest of the Company that they may from time to time deem expedient.

134. No unpaid dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

135. 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. The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all such sums of money as may be due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding the fact that such sums or any of them are not payable until after the date when such dividend or bonus is payable.

137. Notice of any dividend that has been declared or of any bonus to be paid shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto, and any dividend or bonus unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by the Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund.

138. 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.

139. 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.

NOTICES.

140. Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of one of the Directors, the Agent, or Secretary, Agents, Secretaries, or persons appointed by the Board to authenticate the same.

141. Every Shareholder shall give an address, which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

142. A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by being sent 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, 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 to which notices may be sent.

143. All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons are jointly entitled other than a firm, be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the Register of Shareholders, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

144. 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 office or post box, 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.

All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*

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; and if he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notice.

ARBITRATION.

145. 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.

146. 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.

PROVISION RELATING TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

147. 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 upon such ordinary shares. If there shall remain any surplus assets after repayment of the whole of the paid up capital, such surplus assets shall be subject to the conditions attached to preference shares (if any), be divided among the 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.

148. 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 trust 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 hereto set and subscribed their names, at Colombo, this Eighteenth day of March, 1918.

N. D. S. SILVA.
JAS. P. FERNANDO.
HENRY L. DE MEL.
D. S. SENANAYEKE.
FRED. R. SENANAYEKE.
C. A. HEWAVITARNE.
JOHN COORAY.

Witness to the above signatures :

FRED. DE SARAM,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

The Indo-Malay Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at Ambewatte House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, April 27, 1918, at 12 noon.

Business.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 20 to 27, 1918, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 17, 1918. **CUMBERBATCH & Co.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

The Good Hope (Selangor) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at Ambewatte House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, April 27, 1918, at 12.15 P.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 Auditors for the current year.
- (4) To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 20 to April 27, 1918, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 17, 1918. **CUMBERBATCH & Co.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

The Prince Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the Company's registered office, Prince Building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, April 30, 1918, at noon.

Business.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
- (2) To declare a final dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To elect Auditors for 1918.
- (5) To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 16 to May 3, 1918, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 17, 1918. **LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

The Uva Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at its registered office, Prince Building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, April 30, 1918, at 12.15 P.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
- (2) To declare a final dividend
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint Auditors for 1918.
- (5) To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 16 to May 3, 1918, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 17, 1918. **LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

The Langat River (Selangor) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at its registered office, Prince Building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, April 30, 1918, at 3.15 P.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
- (2) To declare a final dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint Auditors for 1918.
- (5) To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 16 to May 3, 1918, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 17, 1918. **LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

The Holbrook Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 1, Queen street, Colombo, on Saturday, April 27, 1918, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1917.
2. To declare a dividend in sterling.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 13, 1918. **GEORGE STEUART & Co.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

Webster Automatic Packaging Factory, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the office of the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd., No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, April 29, at 3 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the balance sheet and accounts to December 31, 1917.
2. To appoint an Auditor.
3. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 16, 1918. **WEBSTER AUTOMATIC PACKAGING FACTORY, LTD.,**
W. H. ATKINSON,
Secretary.

The Kirivaula Coconut Plantation Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office, No. 1, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, April 30, 1918, at 3 P.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 Auditors for the current year.
4. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 22 to April 30, 1918, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, April 17, 1918. **HENDERSON & Co.,**
Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 43,327, D. C., Colombo, I am directed by the said court to put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, May 18, 1918, commencing at 1 P.M., at the respective spots, the following properties, to wit:—An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Millagahakumbura, situated at Nikawala, in the Ganga-boda pattu of Siyana korale, in extent about 2 bushels of paddy sowing; (2) An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Wanatawatta, situated at Galpotugoda, in the Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale, in extent about 6 bushels of paddy sowing; (3) an undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Laulugahawatta, situated at Giridara, in the Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale, in extent about 8 bushels of paddy sowing.

61, Belmont street,
Colombo, April 17, 1918.

M. PEIRIS,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Valuable Household Furniture.

UNDER instructions from the assignee of the insolvent estate of O. J. S. Peiris of Moratuwa in insolvency case No. 2,869, D. C., Colombo, I shall put up for sale by public auction, commencing at 2 P.M., on Tuesday, April 30, 1918, all the household furniture now lying at Ernest Villa, Lunawa, Moratuwa, the residence of the above-named insolvent.

M. PEIRIS,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Valuable Properties at 3rd Division, Maradana, and Temple Road, Colombo, and a few Pieces of Furniture.

UNDER instructions from the administrator of the estate of the late T. C. Stephen de Silva of Maradana and the leave of court granted in testamentary proceedings No. 6,013, D. C., Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, May 14, 1918, commencing at 4 P.M., at house No. 69A and B, 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo, the following properties, to wit:—

- (1) An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ part of the land called Etambagahawatta and an undivided $\frac{8}{27}$ parts of the house standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 69A and B, situated at 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo, extent 19 $\frac{91}{100}$ square perches.
- (2) An undivided $\frac{1}{144}$ parts of the land called Anjeli-kandewatta bearing assessment No. 69, situated at Temple road, Colombo, extent about 2 roods.
- (3) A few pieces of furniture.

For further particulars apply to E. F. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, Colombo, or to me:

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

Auction Sale.

Under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Colombo, No. 48,511.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in favour of V. C. Perera of Dematagoda against S. Albert Perera of Welikada, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, May 13, 1918, at the spot, at 5 P.M., the following property specially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount due on the said decree:—All that field called Thuduwekumbura, situated at Welikada in Colombo, containing in extent 5 acres and 8 perches.

Further particulars from—

AYRES KARUNARATNA
No. 6, Hulftsdorp, of KARUNARATNA & DE MEL,
Colombo, April 19, 1918. Auctioneers and Brokers.

Auction Sale.

Under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Colombo, No. 48,179.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in favour of V. C. Perera of Dematagoda against I. Aratchige Don Manuel of Pamankada road, Wellawatta, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, May 14, 1918, the following property specially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount due on the said decree:—

- (1) At 3 P.M., at the spot, all that allotment of land marked letter C in the plan thereof, being a divided portion of the land called Ambagahawatta bearing lot No. 75, with the

buildings thereon, presently bearing assessment No. 738/28 and 740/30, situated at Pamankada-Bambalapitiya road, within the Municipality of Colombo, containing in extent 2 roods and 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches.

(2) At 4 P.M., at the spot, all that allotment of land marked A in the plan thereof, being a divided portion of the land called Ambagahawatta bearing lot 138, with the buildings standing thereon, presently bearing assessment No. 668/771, situated at Pamankada-Bambalapitiya road in Wellawatta, within the Municipality of Colombo, containing in extent 1 rood and 21 $\frac{30}{100}$ perches.

(3) At 5 P.M., at the spot, all that allotment of land marked letter B in the plan thereof, being a divided portion of the land called Ambagahawatta bearing lot No. 138, with the buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 667/772, situated at Pamankada-Bambalapitiya road, within the Municipality of Colombo, containing in extent 20 $\frac{50}{100}$ perches.

Further particulars from—

AYRES KARUNARATNA
No. 6, Hulftsdorp, of KARUNARATNA & DE MEL,
Colombo, April 19, 1918. Auctioneers and Brokers.

Sale by Auction under Mortgage Decree Property at Wolfendahl street.

UNDER decree, D. C., Colombo, 46,391, entered in favour of C. Martin Silva of Colombo against W. Watimuni James Fonseka and others, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the spot, at 5 P.M., on Friday, May 10, 1918:—All that part of a garden with the buildings constructed thereon, bearing Municipal assessment No. 65, situated at Wolfendahl street, containing in extent 27 $\frac{35}{100}$ square perches.

Further particulars from C. M. Brito, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or—

93, Dam street,
April 17, 1918.

C. E. KARUNARATNA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

of a substantially built tiled house with well arranged accommodation, standing on a fully planted coconut land of 1 acre 1 rood and 35 perches in extent, situated in the best residential portion of the Negombo town, within 3 minutes' walk from the railway station, and two other well-situated blocks of land in close proximity to the same.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,090, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the Plaintiff Muna Runa Rawana Mana Muna Runa Raman Chetty of Negombo against the defendants (1) Warnakulasuriya Juan Fernando, (2) Warnakulasuriya Marsalin Fernando, both of 2nd division, Udayartoppu, (3) M. R. R. M. S. P. Ramanadan Chetty, and (4) K. N. R. M. K. N. Muttaiyah Chetty, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 8,846-66 due in respect of bonds Nos. 19,689 and 19,730, dated January 15 and February 10, 1912, respectively, and attested by H. M. de Silva, Notary Public, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from July 12, 1917, till payment in full and costs of suit, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction at the respective spots, on Monday, May 13, 1918, viz.:—

At 10 A.M.

(1) Excluding the strip of land sufficient for the breadth of a road for the passing and repassing of carts from the high road on the eastern side of the land comprised of the contiguous lots, viz., $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Ambagahawatta, $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Thalagahawatta, and the $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Thalagahawatta, situated at 2nd division, Udayartoppu, within the gravets and in the District of Negombo, Western Province, the remaining portion belonging to the 1st defendant, in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 35 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 10.30 A.M.

(2) The portion of Thalagahawatta, situated at 2nd division, Thammitta, within the said gravets, in extent about 4 perches.

At 11 A.M.

(3) The land formed of 2 contiguous lots called Kohombagahawatta and Bandiyaowita *alias* Dodangahawatta, situated at 3rd division, Thammitta, within the said gravets,

in extent 135 yards in length from north to south, and 6½ yards in breadth (on the northern side) from east to west, and 11½ cubits on the southern side.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, April 16, 1918.

Sale by Public Auction of Valuable Coconut Properties in the Districts of Chilaw, Kurunegala, and Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,383, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiffs (1) Awanna Weena Kana Pana Ramasamy Pulle of Negombo, (2) Una Lana Wana Wana Waliappa Chetty by his attorney Una Lana Wana Wana Ramanaden Chetty, of Negombo, (3) Muna Runa Rawanna Mana Sana Pana Ramanaden Chetty of Negombo, and (4) Ana Runa Rawanna Mana Ana Runa Kannappa Chetty of Colombo against the defendants (1) Porutotage Isabel Fernando of Boralessa, widow of the late Kurunage Deago Perera Mudalali, deceased, and (2) Kurunage Lawrence Perera, also of Boralessa, presently of Wenappua, by their attorney L. C. E. Karunaratne, Proctor, Negombo, (3) K. K. K. N. Suppramaniam Chetty of Negombo, (4) T. K. Sökalingam Chetty of Negombo, (5) P. R. S. P. K. N. Narayanan Chetty of Kallal in India, (6) S. P. L. Rajan Chetty of Kochchikade, (7) S. P. L. W. R. Wellaya Pulle of Alagachhipuram in India, (8) K. R. V. I. P. L. Vayravan Chetty of Negombo, (9) S. T. K. N. S. R. M. Vellasamy Pulle of Negombo, and (10) M. V. N. Saravania Pulle of Negombo, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, viz., the sum of Rs. 124,575, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from November 26, 1917, till payment in full and costs of suit, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction, in manner herein-after mentioned, viz. :—

At the respective Spots on Thursday, May 9, 1918, commencing at 10 A.M.

1. The undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Kobbimbahawatta depicted as lot F 357, situated at Boralessa in Kammal pattu of Pitigal korale, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province, which said entire land is in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 37 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.
2. The undivided $\frac{13}{18}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Mellagahawatta depicted as lot Q 363, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 3 roods and 3 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.
3. The undivided $\frac{11}{18}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Meellagahawatta, depicted as lot R 363, and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 2 acres and 10 perches.
4. The undivided $\frac{5}{96}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Kahatagahawatta and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 3 acres more or less.
5. All that allotment of land called Kahatagahawatta, with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, in extent 1 rood and $1\frac{89}{100}$ perches more or less.
6. The undivided $\frac{11}{16}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Kongahawatta, with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 2 acres more or less.
7. All that allotment of land comprised of the three contiguous portions called Kahatagahaheina, Ambagahawatta, and Kahatagahawatta, with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, in extent 1 acre and 1 rood more or less.
8. The undivided $\frac{5}{24}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Palugahawatta depicted as lot H 359, and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 20 perches.
9. All that divided portion of the allotment of land called Madangahawatta, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, which said divided portion is in extent 1 rood and 10 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon, held and possessed by the 1st defendant for and in lieu of the undivided $\frac{5}{24}$ shares of the said land Madangahawatta, in extent $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres more or less, after an amicable partition and division thereof along with the other co-owners.

10. All that allotment depicted as lot "C" in plan No. 1,558, dated August 24, 1912, of the land called Paragahawatta depicted as lot M 357, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, the said allotment depicted as lot "C" according to the said plan No. 1,558 is in extent 3 roods and $3\frac{1}{2}$ perches, with the building standing thereon, held and possessed by the 1st defendant for and in lieu of the undivided $\frac{10}{28}$ shares of the said land Paragahawatta depicted as lot M 357, in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 16 perches more or less, after an amicable partition and division thereof along with the other co-owners.

11. All that allotment of land called and known as Ambagahawatta alias Kongahawatta comprised of two contiguous portions, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, in extent 4 acres more or less, with the tiled house and the other buildings standing thereon.

12. Out of all that allotment of land called Nugagahawatta and the divided $\frac{7}{10}$ shares of the land called Kuda-Ahasdiyawala, which adjoins each other and now form one land, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, in extent 12 measures of kurakkan sowing ground more or less, the undivided extent of 52 coconut trees plantable ground, with the buildings standing thereon.

13. From and out of the undivided $\frac{7}{20}$ shares of the land comprised of the two contiguous portions called Nugagahawatta and Kuda-Ahasdiyawala, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, in extent 9 acres 1 rood and 27 perches, the undivided half share of the undivided extent of 40 coconut trees plantable ground more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

At the respective Spots on Friday, May 10, 1918, commencing at 10 A.M.

14. All that divided portion in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 34 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon, of the land called Kahatagahalanda, situated at Bandirippuwa, in Kammal pattu aforesaid, held and possessed by the 1st defendant for and in lieu of the undivided shares purchased on deed No. 18,360, dated June 23, 1916, attested by P. M. A. Fernando, Notary, after an amicable partition and division with the other co-owners.

15. The undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of all that land now called and known as Nelligahawatta comprised of the contiguous allotments marked Nos. 79,884, 79,883, and 79,882, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 31 perches.

16. The undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of all that land depicted in plan No. 79,827, and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 5 acres and 2 roods more or less, or the land in which 300 coconut trees are planted.

17. The undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of all that allotment of land called Kahatagahawatta, and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 32 perches.

18. All that divided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 27 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon, of the land called Mellagahawatta, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, held and possessed by the 1st defendant for and in lieu of the undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of the said land Mellagahawatta, in extent 2 acres and 2 roods more or less, after an amicable partition and division with the other co-owners.

19. All that allotment of land called Mellagahawatu-panguwa, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, in extent 1 acre more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

20. All that allotment of land called Madangahawatta (excluding therefrom 18 coconut trees from three rows of coconut trees at six trees per row, adjoining the road from north to south), situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre and 19·5 perches or 1 acre and 2 roods more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

21. All those undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of the land depicted as lot G 49 in title plan No. 29,512, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, the entire land in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 28 perches more or less.

22. The undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of all that field called Ambagahakumbura, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, the entire field in extent 6 parras of paddy sowing ground more or less.

At the respective Spots on the Same Day at 3 P.M.

23. All that eastern half share depicted as lot "A" in plan No. 1364a, dated September 26, 1892, made by G. J

Fernando, Surveyor, of the land comprised of the two contiguous allotments called Mulankadukele and Medamukalana, situated at Kirimetiya, in Otara palata of Pitigal korale aforesaid, which said $\frac{1}{2}$ share is in extent 20 acres and 20 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 3.30 P.M.

24. All that land now called and known as Danwela comprised of the two contiguous allotments depicted as lots B 60 and 2126, situated at Haldanduwana, in Otara palata aforesaid, and Kirimetiya aforesaid, in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 18 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 4 P.M.

25. All that allotment of land called Urukanukele, situated at Haldanduwana aforesaid, in extent 27 acres 3 roods and 6 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 4.30 P.M.:

26. All that allotment of land called Kohilagodella depicted as lot 2998/13316 in title plan No. 230,026, situated at Tulawela, in Meda palata of Pitigal korale aforesaid, containing in extent 13 acres and 26 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

At the respective Spots on Saturday, May 11, 1918, commencing at 2 P.M.

27. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all that field called Mella-gahakumbura, situated at Katukenda, in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 32 perches, or 11 parrahs of paddy sowing ground more or less.

28. All that allotment of land called Kongahawatta, situated at Katukenda aforesaid, containing in extent $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

29. All that divided portion depicted as lot 639 in plan No. 1,360, dated February 22, 1911, made by J. A. C. Corea, Licensed Surveyor, of all that allotment of land comprised of the two contiguous portions called Kitulgahakumbura and Keenagahakumbura, situated at Katukenda aforesaid, the said portion depicted as lot 639 is in extent 4 acres 3 roods 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, with the buildings standing thereon, held and possessed by the 1st defendant for and in lieu of the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ shares of the said land comprised of the two contiguous portions called Kitulgahakumbura and Keenagahakumbura, containing in extent 6 acres 3 roods and 10 perches, after an amicable partition and division thereof along with the other co-owners.

30. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all that allotment of land called Dombagahawatta, and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Katukenda aforesaid, containing in extent $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres more or less.

31. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all that allotment of field called Mudukadurugahakumbura, situated at Katukenda aforesaid, containing in extent 5 parrahs of paddy sowing ground more or less.

At the respective Spots on Wednesday, May 15, 1918, at 9 A.M.

32. From and out of all that allotment of land comprised of the two portions called Kahatagahawatta and the owita land adjoining it, situated at Dummaladeniya, in Kammal pattu aforesaid, containing in extent 250 coconut trees plantable ground more or less, the undivided extent of 30 coconut trees plantable ground, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 3 P.M.

33. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ shares of all that allotment of land called Kahatagahamulahena, and of the buildings standing thereon, situated at Epaladeniya, in Yatigaha korale of the Katugampola hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, containing in extent 18 kurunies of kurakkan sowing ground more or less.

At my Office at Main street, Negombo, on Saturday, May 18, 1918, commencing at 11 A.M.

34. All that allotment of land called Madangahawatta, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, containing in extent 2 acres and 2 roods more or less, with the residential tiled house and other buildings standing thereon.

35. All that land called and known as Kongahawatta depicted in plan No. 1,533, dated October 2, 1915, made by Graham Panditasekera, Licensed Surveyor, comprised of several contiguous portions, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, containing in extent 35 acres 2 roods and 13 perches, and the buildings standing thereon.

36. All that allotment of land now called and known as Ga-alewatta depicted in plan No. 1,332, dated March 9, 1916, made by A. S. Kirthisinghe, Licensed Surveyor, comprised of several contiguous allotments of land, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 23 acres 1 rood and 16 perches (exclusive of the rail road running through the land), with the buildings standing thereon.

37. All that land comprised of the five contiguous allotments called Madangahawatta, Kalahugahawatta, Kajugahawatta, Delgahawatta, and Paragahaowita alias Peragahaowita, situated at Katukenda aforesaid, containing in extent 3 acres more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

38. All that allotment of land called Bandirippuwidama now known as Gangebodawatta, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 5 acres and 12 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

39. All that allotment (being the divided western $\frac{1}{2}$ share) of the land called Kajugahawatta, situated at Bandirippuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 33 perches more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

40. All that allotment of land now called and known as Kambiawatta depicted in plan No. 1,233, dated March 9, 1916, made by A. S. Kirthisinghe, Licensed Surveyor, comprised of contiguous allotments of land, situated at Boralessa aforesaid, containing in extent 5 acres and 3 roods, with the building standing thereon.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

Negombo, April 16, 1918.

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of a Newly-built Dwelling House on the Colombo Road, in close proximity to the Government Hospital, at 3rd Division, Tammita, in Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,533 of C.C. Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Muna Runa Una Pana Lana Muna Runa Arumugam Palle, by his attorney Muna Runa Una Pana Lana Muna Runa Sarathana Palle of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Mananudalige Dona Madalena Hamy and husband (2) Hettige Juan Silva, both of 3rd Division, Tammita, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction at the respective spots on Thursday, May 16, 1918, viz. :—

At 4 P.M.

(1) The portion A of the two contiguous lands called Ambagahawatupangua and Jambugahawatta, situate at 3rd Division, Tammita, within the gravets and in the District of Negombo, in extent 12 perches, and the buildings standing thereon.

At 4.30 P.M.

(2) A portion of the land called Ambagahawatta, situate at 3rd Division, Tammita aforesaid, which said portion is in extent about 22 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasingha, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

Negombo, April 17, 1918.

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Properties at Kandana in the District of Colombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,252, D.C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Rawanna Mana Una Lana Muttaiyah Chetty of Negombo against the defendants (1) Kanugalawattage Pelia Perera Appuhamy of Kandana in Ragam pattu and surety (2) Arthur Philip Suse Palle of Morukkuliya in Otara palata 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. 434 dated September 18, 1911,

and attested by S. G. de Zoysa, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Friday, May 17, 1918, commencing at 4.30 p.m., to wit:—

1. The half share of Gorokagahawatta, situated at Kandana in Ragan pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, which said half share is in extent about 1 acre and 2 roods; of the soil and plantations of this land, an undivided half share and an undivided half share of the tiled house and other buildings thereon.

2. The portion of Makullagahawatta, situate at Kandana aforesaid, which said portion is in extent about 1 acre; of this land and plantations and of the cadjan thatched house thereon, an undivided half share, subject to the life interest of Hettige Dona Enseniya Hamy.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, April 17, 1918.

Auction Sale of a Newly-built Dwelling House on the Colombo Road in close proximity to the Government Hospital and another Block of Land at 4th Division, Tammita, in Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 12,537, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Muna Runa Una Pana Lana Muna Runa Arumugam Pulle, by his attorney Muna Runa Una Pana Lana Muna Runa Saminaden Pulle of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Manamudalige Dona Madelena Hamy and husband (2) Hettige Juwan Silva, both of 3rd Division, Tammita, and (3) Manamudalige Dona Agidahamy of 4th Division, Tammita, in 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. 9,379, dated April 24, 1914, attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary, by public auction, at the respective spots, on Thursday, May 16, 1918, to wit:—

At 4.15 P.M.

1. The portion of land called Ambagahawatta, situated at 3rd Division, Tammita, within the gravets, and in the District of Negombo, Western Province, which said portion is in extent about 22 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 5 P.M.

2. The south-western portion of Kosgahawatta, situated at 4th Division, Tammita, within the gravets aforesaid, which said south-western portion is in extent about 1 rood, of this land the undivided 6/9th shares, with the buildings thereon.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, April 17, 1918.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 25,781 of the District Court of Kandy entered in favour of the plaintiff S. J. D. Mendis of Lantern Hill, Gampola, against the defendant T. Palis de Silva of Paiyagala, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots, at 10 A.M., on Saturday, May 11, 1918, an undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the following lands, situate at Kitulpe in Gannawa korale of Uda Hewahetta:—

1. Kolongastennekumbura of about 1 amunam paddy sowing in extent.

2. Kolongastennekumbura of about 2 amunams and 2 pelas paddy sowing extent.

3. Kolongastenna of 1 yalamunam paddy sowing extent.

On Wednesday, May 15, 1918.

4. All that field called Odeniyakumbura and the adjoining hens of about 1 amunam paddy sowing extent, situate at Alapalawa in Medapalata of Uduuwara.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Wijegoonewardena & Wijetileke, Proctors and Notaries, Kandy, or to me:

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

Auction Sale of Property at Ambale.

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 24,495, District Court, Kandy, entered in favour of the plaintiff Mohamedo Hawwa Umma Natchia of Moragahamulla against the defendant P. Kalu Menika, and by virtue of the commission issued to me, I shall sell the under-mentioned property by public auction at the spot on Saturday, April 27, 1918, at 1 o'clock:—

1. Pinwattedederawatta of about 2 nellies in kurakkan sowing extent, situated at Ambale, in Medasiya pattu of Uda Dumbura, in the District of Kandy, Central Province.

2. Mapawegederawatta of about 4 nellies in kurakkan sowing in extent, situate at Ambale, in Medasiya pattu of Uda Dumbura.

3. The field called Puwakkotuwa of 1 pela paddy sowing extent, situated at Ambale aforesaid.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Beven & Beven, Proctors and Notaries, Kandy, or to the undersigned.

M. அகமது லெவ் கை.
M. AHAMEDO LEBBE,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

Puwakdandawe Lokuacharige Carlinahamy, widow of late Fredrick Weerasiri of Elliot road, Galle... Plaintiff.
No. 14,707. Vs.

(1) Ahamadu Lebbe Mohammadu Sali and wife (2) Amina Umma Juwariattu Umma, (3) Seiyadu Meera Lebbe Mustapa Kungee, all of Gintota-Welipiti-modera Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above-named action and in terms of a commission issued to me, I shall put up for public auction, at the spot, on April 26, 1918, at 2 P.M., the following property specially bound and executable for the recovery of the sums stated in the said decree, to wit:—All the soil and trees of the defined allotment of land called Hamadeduwewatta, together with 11 cubits masonry built tiled house standing thereon, situate at Gintota-Welipitimodera, within the Gravets of Galle; and bounded on the north by road to Hamadewatta, east by Hamadewatta and the ditch of Hamadewatta, south by Potukumbura and ditch of same land, and west by Danogekumbura and by the ditch of same land; containing in extent about 2 acres.

For further particulars, please apply to Wm. de Silva, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Galle, or to me:

W. E. A. SAMARAWEERA,
Galle, March 13, 1918. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of Valuable Coconut Properties in Kurunegala District.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Kuna Mana Muttu Ramen Chetty by his attorney Kuna Mana Muna Arunasalem Chetty, of Kurunegala (dead) Plaintiff.

S. K. R. Palaniappa Chetty, administrator of the intestate estate of K. M. Muttu Ramen Chetty Substituted Plaintiff.

No. 5,749. Vs.

Thana Nana Kadiru Saibo, Police Officer of Potuhera in Udupola Medalasse korale Defendant.

UNDER the decree entered in the above case, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction

at the respective spots on Saturday, May 18, 1918, commencing at 1 P.M., the following lands declared specially bound and executable under the said decree, viz. :—

1. Andiyawatta of 5 acres 1 rood and 38 perches in extent.
2. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Wiwapuranapitiya of 4 acres and 11 perches in extent.
3. Bilinchagahumulawatta of 2 acres and $\frac{1}{250}$ perches in extent, with the tiled buildings and plantations thereon.
4. Andakumbura of 1 acre 1 rood and 5 perches in extent.
5. Mabowellekumbura of 1 acre 1 rood and 8 perches in extent, with the buildings and plantations thereon, all situate at Gammana, in Udupola Medalasse korale.
6. All that allotment of land called Bangalawatta, comprised of several allotments of land, with the tiled and other buildings and plantations thereon, of 5 acres 1 rood and 31 perches, situate at Potuhera, in Udupola Medalasse korale.
7. All that allotment of land called Malwatta, comprised of several allotments of land, with the buildings and plantations thereon, of 2 acres 3 roods and 13 perches in extent, situate at Potuhera aforesaid.
8. All that allotment of land called Menikgalwatta, comprised of several allotments of land, with the buildings and plantations thereon, of 22 acres 1 rood and 12 perches in extent, situate at Amunugama, in Rekopattu korale.
9. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Galkadullahena of about 2 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Amunugama aforesaid.
10. All that allotment of land called Imbulehena, comprised of two allotments of land, of 2 acres and 1 perch in extent, with the plantations thereon, situate at Gammana aforesaid.
11. An undivided exact $\frac{1}{2}$ share of all those contiguous allotments of land namely, half share of Pahaladiggalahena of 2 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Pahaladiggalemudunapitiyahena of 2 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, Galbokkahena of 1 laha kurakkan sowing extent, Diggalahena of about 4 seers kurakkan sowing extent, Diggalahena of about 3 seers kurakkan sowing extent, and Millagahamulahena *alias* Migahamulahena of 4 kurunies kurakkan sowing extent, now forming one property, containing in extent about 20 acres more or less, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situate at Potuhera aforesaid, all in Dambadeni hatpattu of Kurunegala District.

Further particulars from Messrs. F. N. & E. Daniels, Proctors and Notaries, Kurunegala, or—

S. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,
Kurunegala, April 8, 1918. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Valuable Properties in the District of Kurunegala, under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Kurunegala

Kuna Mana Muttu Ramen Chetty, by his attorney Kuna Mana Muna Arunasalem Chetty of Kurunegala (dead)..... Plaintiff,
S. K. R. Palaniappa Chetty, administrator of the intestate estate of the late K. M. Muttu Ramen Chetty Substituted Plaintiff
No. 5,993. Vs.

Rajapaksa Mudianselage Mohottayhamy *alias* Mohotti Appuhamy, *ex-Arachchi* of Halpandeniya in Dambadeni Udukaha korale east Defendant.

UNDER the decree entered in the above case, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, May 11, 1918, commencing at 1 P.M., the following lands declared specially bound and executable under the said decree, viz. :—

1. Borellehena of about 8 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situate at Morugama, in Udupola Otota korale.
2. Borellehena, now garden, of about 1 thimba kurakkan sowing extent, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situate at Morugama aforesaid.
3. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Meegalamulahenekumbura and Mala-ela Asseddumekumbura, both of 5 pela paddy sowing extent, and Malaelawatta and Bogahamulahenahitinawatta, both of 12 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situate at Halpandeniya, in Dambadeni Udukaha korale east.
4. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Berawakotuwakumbura and Welikumbura, both of 3 pelas paddy sowing extent, and thereto adjoining Debarahena, now garden of 1 pela kurakkan sowing extent, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situate at Morugama aforesaid.
5. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Bogahakumbura of 2 pelas and 1 thimba paddy sowing extent, situate at Morugama aforesaid.
6. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Thuttiriyakotuwekumbura of 8 lahas paddy sowing extent, situate at Morugama aforesaid.
7. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Makuluwekumbura of 2 pelas and 5 lahas paddy sowing extent, situate at Morugama aforesaid.
8. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Warakapolawatta of 1 thimba kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Morugama aforesaid, all in Dambadeni hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala.

Further particulars from Messrs. F. N. & E. Daniels, Proctors and Notaries, Kurunegala, or—

S. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,
Kurunegala, April 8, 1918. Auctioneer.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure and Liabilities and Assets of the Small Towns in the Kurunegala District for the Year 1917.

LINDULA.		AGRAPATNA.	
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Revenue.	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	597 51	Balance on December 31, 1916 ..	225 14
Sanitary rate tax ..	269 20	Sanitary rate tax ..	309 14
Compensation for local rates on Government buildings ..	24 0	Slaughter-house fees ..	34 55
Refund of stamp duty on licenses ..	189 50	Refund of stamp duty on licenses ..	115 0
Refund of unexpended balances ..	15 94	Dog tax ..	1 25
Interest on balances ..	7 26	Interest on balances ..	3 5
Total ..	1,108 41	Total ..	688 13
Liabilities.		Liabilities.	
Rs. c.	Assets.	Rs. c.	Assets.
Loan from Government on account drains (balance) ..	385 20	Loan from Government on account water supply and drains (balance) ..	1,062 0
Excess of assets over liabilities ..	194 20		
Total ..	579 40	Total ..	1,062 0

LINDULA.		AGRAPATNA.	
Expenditure.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Scavenging charges ..	800 0	Scavenging charges ..	324 0
Remuneration to assessors ..	30 0	Remuneration to assessors ..	30 0
Commission to collectors ..	18 49	Commission to collectors ..	14 95
Pay of clerks, auditor, &c. ..	31 32	Pay of clerks, auditor, &c. ..	29 58
Stationery, stores, &c. ..	5 0	Rent of slaughter-house sites, &c. ..	13 0
Destroying stray dogs ..	2 62	Stationery, stores, &c. ..	10 0
Repairs to waterworks ..	21 72	Interest on loans ..	103 26
Interest on loans ..	37 46	Sinking fund on loans ..	59 0
Sinking fund on loans ..	21 40	Allowance for sanitary inspection of towns ..	60 0
Allowance for sanitary inspection of towns ..	60 0	Disinfectants, scavenging materials, &c. ..	19 16
Miscellaneous ..	1 0	Miscellaneous ..	14 88
Total Expenditure ..	524 1	Total Expenditure ..	678 13
Balance ..	579 40	Balance ..	10 0
Total ..	1,108 41	Total ..	688 13

<i>Liabilities.</i>	Rs. c.	<i>Assets.</i>	Rs. c.
Excess of assets over liabilities	4,006 28	Invested in Ceylon War Loan Bonds	1,500 0
		In fixed deposit	2,000 0
		In Bank	506 28
Total	4,006 28	Total	4,006 28

<i>Liabilities.</i>	Rs. c.	<i>Assets.</i>	Rs. c.
Excess of assets over liabilities	1,748 42	Advance account, Public Works	135 32
		Invested in Ceylon War Loan Bonds	700 0
		In Bank	908 10
Total	1,748 42	Total	1,748 42

HANGURANKETE.

<i>Revenue.</i>	Rs. c.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1916	6 31	Scavenging charges	252 0
Sanitary rate tax	432 54	Remuneration to assessors	30 0
Refund of stamp duty on licenses	16 50	Pay of clerks, auditor, &c.	2 82
Refund of unexpended balances	5 13	Rent of slaughter-house sites, &c.	2 0
Interest on balances	4 33	Repayment account, loans	100 0
		Disinfectants, scavenging materials, &c.	28 60
		Total expenditure	414 92
Total	464 81	Balance	49 89
		Total	464 81

The Kachcheri,
Nuwara Eliya, March 20, 1918.

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given that the rents and profits, timber and produce, the materials of houses, and the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized for arrears of the Local Board and water-rate, Bandarawela, for 3rd quarter, 1917, will be sold by public auction on the spot on May 16, 1918, at 10 a.m., unless in the meantime the taxes and the costs are paid.

<i>Revenue.</i>	Rs. c.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1916	1,811 14	Scavenging charges	454 80
Sanitary rate tax	237 74	Remuneration to assessors	30 0
Refund of stamp duty on licenses	351 0	Commission to collectors	13 55
Dog tax	4 0	Pay of clerks, auditor, &c.	33 78
Refund of unexpended balances	2 51	Stationery, stores, &c.	15 0
Interest on balances	21 87	Clearing earth slip round latrine	14 70
Miscellaneous	4 50	Disinfectants, scavenging materials, &c.	115 28
		War Loan Bonds	700 0
		Miscellaneous	12 25
	2,432 76		1,389 34
<i>Other Receipts.</i>		<i>Other Payments.</i>	
Advances' settlement of..	—	Advance account, Public Works	135 32
		Balance	908 10
Total	2,432 76	Total	2,432 76

No. of Property.	Name of Owner.	Local Board Rate.	Water rate.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
261	G. K. Podisingho Appuhamy	0 96	1 44
329	Kiri Banda Gamarala	2 0	3 0
351	Agatha-arawa Kiriwanthe	0 20	0 30
362	K. B. Kadurugamuwa, Rate-mahatmaya	0 20	0 30
363	Do.	0 20	0 30
364	Do.	5 30	7 95
365	Do.	0 20	0 30

Local Board Office,
Badulla, April 10, 1918.

F. MARSHALL,
for Chairman.