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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir WILLIAM HENRY MANNING, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS by section 28 of “The Courts Ordinance, 1889,” it is amongst other things enacted that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden by one of the Judges thereof, or by a Commissioner of Assize duly appointed under the provisions of the said Ordinance, for each of the Circuits into which the Island is divided, for the hearing, trying, and determining all prosecutions which shall be commenced against any person for or in respect of any crime or offence or alleged crime or offence—

For the Northern Circuit, twice at least in each year at Jaffna, and such other places in such Circuit as the Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges shall appoint; such Sessions commencing at Jaffna in February and July in each year:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient to order that a Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden on the day hereinafter mentioned at Batticaloa, a place included within the Northern Circuit:

Now, therefore, know Ye that We, the Governor, for sufficient reasons to Us appearing, and after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do order and appoint that a Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden at Batticaloa, in the said Northern Circuit, on or about Thursday, February 26, 1920.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty.

By His Excellency’s command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
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.

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

And whereas it is expedient to declare the roads which the railway crosses between the stations of Padukka and Waga, in the Western Province, and set out in the schedule hereto, to be "minor crossings" for the purpose of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby declare the said roads to be "minor crossings" for the purpose of the said Ordinance, as from and after January 26, 1920, and that such "minor crossings" shall not be closed by gates.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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W. H. MANNING.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by sections 4 and 5 of "The Cattle Ordinance, 1898," do hereby make the following regulation regarding the sale or transfer of cattle:—

The following proviso shall be added in the appropriate place, immediately after the regulation made under sections 4 and 5 of "The Cattle Ordinance, 1898," and which is in force throughout the various Provinces of the Island, relating to the presence of the vendor and the vendee and donor and donee and their witnesses before the headman executing a cattle certificate:—

Provided that either generally or in special cases the Government Agent may, at the request of the vendor or vendee or donor or donee, as the case may be, authorize any other person to attend and sign the certificate on behalf of such vendor or vendee or donor or donee.

Given at Ratnapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-eighth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 38 of 1920.

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

Mr. N. IZAT to act, in addition to his own duties, as Government Agent, Fiscal, and Receiver of Wrecks for the Eastern Province; Master Attendant, Batticaloa; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Eastern Province; and Member of the Board of Health, Eastern Province, with effect from January 31, 1920, until the assumption of duties by Mr. C. V. BRAYNE.

Mr. R. H. WHITEHORN to be Extra Assistant Government Agent, Colombo, and Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Western Province, with effect from January 26, 1920, until further orders.

Mr. P. SARAVANAMUTTU to act in the office of Office Assistant to the Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, with effect from January 28, 1920, during the employment of Mr. B. BELLETH on other duty, or until further orders.

Mr. V. S. WIKRAMANAYAKA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, and Superintendent of the Tangalla Prison, vice Mr. C. HARRISON JONES, on February 3 and 4, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. J. E. DE ZOYSA to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Negombo, and Superintendent of the Prison at Negombo, vice Mr. W. S. DE SARAM, with effect from January 24, 1920, until the resumption of duties by that officer, or until further orders.

Mr. G. P. KEUNEMAN to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matara, *vice* Mr. F. D. PERLES, on January 25 and 26, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. D. NILES to act as Additional District Judge, Jaffna, on February 3 and 4, 1920.

Mr. F. N. DANIELS, Crown Proctor, to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala; Additional District Judge, Kegalla; and Visitor of the Prison at Kurunegala, with effect from February 2, 1920, until further orders.

Mr. S. D. KRISTNARATNE to act as Additional District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, *vice* Mr. F. C. GIMSON, on January 26 and 27, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

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, on January 30 and 31, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. ÆLIAN ONDAATJE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, *vice* Mr. V. P. REDLICH, for twelve days from February 7, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. A. C. G. WEJYEKOON to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Kandy, on January 31, 1920.

Mr. G. E. MADAWELA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, *vice* Mr. A. N. STRONG, from February 1, 2, and 3, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. F. NAGAPPER to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, on January 31, 1920.

Mr. B. BELLETH to be Office Assistant to Mr. R. R. P. GLOVER, during his investigation into the working and organization of the Ceylon Government Railway, or until further orders, with effect from January 28, 1920.

Mr. C. H. LINNELL, District Engineer, Matale, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Matale, *vice* Mr. D. K. McMINN, transferred.

Mr. A. DIAS ABEYESINGHE, Acting Assistant Superintendent to the Superintendent of Excise, Distillery Circle, to act as Additional Assistant Superintendent of Excise in the Southern division, and to be in charge of

the Kalutara District from February 1, 1920, until further orders.

Mr. F. W. MARALANDE to be an Inquirer for Weudawili hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala.

Mr. W. DORATIYAWE to be an Inquirer for Dewamedhi hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala.

Mr. P. B. HERAT to act as Inquirer for the Wannihattattu in the District of Kurunegala.

Mr. A. B. YATAWARA to act as Inquirer for Kurunegala Town and Gravets.

Mr. S. PUNCHIRALA to act as Inquirer for Kanadarakorale, in Nuwaragam palata of the District of Anuradhapura, while holding the office of Acting Korala of the Kanadarakorale.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, January 30, 1920. Colonial Secretary.

No. 39 of 1920.

IT is hereby notified that notice No. 104 of 1917, appearing in the *Gazette* of March 23, 1917, is cancelled in so far as it relates to the appointment of Lieutenant F. E. JOLLIFFE as Commanding the Signalling Section or acting as Signalling Officer.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, January 29, 1920. Colonial Secretary.

No. 40 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate the following to be Members of the District School Committee, Anuradhapura, for a period of three years from January 1, 1920:—

Mr. S. D. KRISTNARATNE.

Mr. D. N. IRA GOULD.

Mr. B. TENNAKOON.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

KARUNAJAYATILAKA RAJAGURU WASALA MUDIYANSE-
RALAHAMILLAYE ETIPOLAMEDAWALAWWE RATNAYAKA
LOKU BANDA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and
Deaths of Asgiriya Udasiya pattu division, and of Marriages
(Kandyan and General) of Matale South division, in the
Matale District of the Central Province, with effect from
February 1, 1920, *vice* Registrar, K. LOKU BANDA, resigned.
His office will be at Medawalawwa in Etipola.

EDWARD WILMOT KANNANGARA to be Additional Assis-
tant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of
Marriages (General) of the Batticaloa District of the Eastern
Province, with effect from January 19, 1920. His office will
be at the Provincial Registrar's Office, Batticaloa.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, January 24, 1920. 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 DON PODSINGHO EKANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mabodale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from January 17, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, DAMUNUPOLA APPUHAMILLE ARIYAPOLA JAYEWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at Kosgahawatta in Watinapaha.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed ABEYESINGHE KALUARATCHIGE DHARMA GUNewardene to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godakaha palata division, and of Marriages (General) of Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for eleven days

from January 20, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, DON THOMAS RANASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Kahatagahawatta in Welangana on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays; and his station at Kongahawatta *alias* Delgahawatta in Kelepitimulla on Tuesdays and Fridays.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. A. S. P. FERNANDO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 2A of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for three days from January 22, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. (Miss) W. NELL, on leave. His office will be at No. 3, Chandiram building, Union place, Slave Island.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed MURAGE DON DIYONIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kulupana division, and of Marriages (General) of Kumbuke pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from February 4, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, D. R. KOTALAWALA, on leave. His office will be at Karanda-mandyelanda in Kahatapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed JOHANIS KUMARASINGHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bussa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellahoda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for eleven days from January 20, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, S. M. WIJESSEKARA, on leave. His office will be at Mullagedarawatta in Ratgama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed NAGANATHER SENTHATHIRAJA NAGANATHAN to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Valigamam East division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for two weeks from January 16, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, RETNA MAILVAGANAM, on leave. His office will be at the residing garden of the Registrar at Kopay.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed SWAMPILLAI SIMONPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Elutumadduval division, and of Marriages (General) of Tenmaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for one week from January 17, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, N. S. SAMPUPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Chempadu in Mirusuvil.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed RICHARD KUNARATNAM ARULAMPALAM to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mannar Island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for six days from January 16, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, A. MANIKAVASAKAR, on sick leave. His office will be at Land Registry, Mannar.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed MARISAL SEPAMALAI of Palaikuly to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mantai North division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for eight

days from January 16, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, P. M. RASIAH, on sick leave. His office will be at Registrarvalavu in Palaikuly.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed DASANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI MUDIYANSE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udapola Otota korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from January 12, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, W. M. DINGIRI BANDA, deceased. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence at Haliyalle.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed RAJAKARUNA ABEYARATNA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE RAN BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Kirimetiapattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for ten days from January 19, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, R. A. H. M. HERAT BANDA, on other duty. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office at Nawagattegama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed JAMES HERAT RANDENI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from January 22, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, P. D. P. PERERA, on leave. His office will be at his residence at Ihalagama.

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed DINGIRI BANDA RAJAPAKSA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalagam korale north division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalagam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for fifteen days from February 1, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, S. B. RATWATTE, on leave. His office will be at Kalawewa Walawwa in Kalawewa.

The Provincial Registrar, Province of Uva, has appointed HEWAKALUGE DON TEGRIS BASNAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wellawaya division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellawaya division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from January 1, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, S. M. PERERA, resigned. His office will be at Dimbulamurewatta.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed HARANKAHAVIDANELAGE PUNCHIMAHATMAYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bulugahapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two weeks from January 22, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, H. V. PEIRIS APPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office in Kendangomuwa-Pahalagama.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAN,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. M. K. T. Sandys, Cadet in the Civil Service, has passed the examination in riding for which he presented himself on January 24, 1920.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 27, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

IN terms of section 24 of the Minute of December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of his temporary employment for pension purposes:—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. H. I. de Silva	Clerk, Grade II., of the Subordinate Clerical Service	Clerk in connection with Rice Distribution Work, Kalutara Kachcheri

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 23, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the regulations dated June 2, 1903, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to Captain G. L. H. DOUDNEY of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 24, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import a case of cartridges into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Messrs. The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Company, Limited, of Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 22, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import explosives into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Messrs. Brown & Co., of Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 24, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import 20 lb. amberite gunpowder and 100 12-bore safety cartridges into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Mr. J. W. Ohlmus, of High street, Wellawatta.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 28, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

“THE MUNICIPAL COUNCILS ORDINANCE, 1910.”

THE following amendments made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, under sub-section (1) of section 62 of “The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910,” to the rules for the grant of pensions and gratuities to officers and servants of the Kandy Municipality, published by Notification dated April 12, 1912, are published for information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 26, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

(a) At the end of rule 2 (iii.) the following new paragraph should be inserted:—

“These rates include in each case a climate bonus of 5/60ths, representing five years' service, granted for service in the tropics.”

(b) The following shall be inserted as sections 18A and 18B under the heading “Pension Rights of Officers transferred to or from the Service of the Municipality” :—

18A. An officer who has been transferred with the approval of the Council to employment under Government shall retain a claim to ultimate pension for his services under the Municipality, provided that he retires under circumstances which would entitle him to pension if he remained in the service of the Council; provided further that, if his appointment be abolished, or his employment terminated, before attaining the pensionable age of fifty-five years, for any other reason than ill-health or inability to discharge efficiently the duties of his office, he shall have no claim to pension until he attains that age, or is certified to be permanently incapacitated for further service.

In all such cases pension will only be based upon the salary drawn while in the service of the Municipality and upon the length of such service, and will be at the rate of 1/60th of each year of service, together with an addition to such service, which shall bear a like proportion to five years as his services under the Municipality bears to the whole period of his services under the Municipality and Government; provided that the addition shall in no case be greater than would make his total public employment forty years.

18B. An officer who has been transferred to the service of the Municipality from the service of Government may, if he shall retire from the services of the Municipality after having ten years' public service in all, but before completing ten years' service under the Municipality, be awarded, in lieu of the gratuity mentioned in section 2 (iv.), an annuity which shall bear such proportion to 15/60ths of his salary under the Municipality as his services under the Municipality bears to ten years.

“THE LOCAL BOARDS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, NO. 29 OF 1914.”

IT is hereby notified that, with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya, as empowered by section 29A of Ordinance No. 29 of 1914, has resolved to charge the following fees for licenses :—

	Annual Fee.		Annual Fee.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Eating-houses ..	6 0	Tannery ..	100 0
Tea and coffee boutiques ..	3 0	Fat melting or extracting ..	50 0
Each cattle gala accommodating 10 head or under	5 0	Soap making ..	50 0
For every additional 10 head of cattle or under		Fibre dyeing ..	2 50
Rs. 5 up to ..	100 0	Storing of Maldiv fish over 5 cwt.	5 0
Dairies up to 3 cows or under ..	3 0	Storing of hides, bones, artificial manures or materials for manufacture of artificial manure in quantity over one gunny bag	10 0
Dairies over 3 cows ..	6 0	Metal or cabook quarry ..	50 0
Laundries ..	3 0	Brick or tile manufactory ..	15 0
Common lodging houses ..	6 0	Lime kilns ..	12 0
Manure manufactory ..	100 0	Aerated water manufactory ..	100 0
Boiling or drying blood or offal ..	100 0		
Bakeries ..	12 0		
Fish stalls ..	10 0		

NOTE.—The fees in respect of eating-houses, tea and coffee boutiques, common lodging houses, and bakeries may be paid half yearly in advance.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 24, 1920.

His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

"THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

BY-LAWS made by the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya, under section 56 of Ordinance No 13 of 1898, and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 24, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

GENERAL.

(a) No person shall within the limits of the Local Board town of Hatton-Dikoya keep any eating-house, tea or coffee boutique, butcher's stall, fish stall, cattle gala, dairy, laundry, or common lodging house without an annual license from the Chairman of the Local Board, which license the Chairman is hereby empowered to refuse to any person failing to comply with any of the following rules or any existing Local Board rule providing for the regulation and control of the places aforesaid. Every such license shall remain in force until December 31 of the year in respect of which such license is issued or until such license is cancelled.

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

(b) If any person shall have been convicted twice or oftener by any court of the breach of any of the following rules or any existing Local Board rule providing for the control of the places aforesaid, 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.

Provided that these rules shall not apply to stalls in markets established by or vested in any public body.

EATING-HOUSES AND TEA AND COFFEE BOUTIQUES.

1. All eating-houses and tea and coffee boutiques shall be kept clean and sanitary to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

2. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall always be kept clean.

3. The walls of all eating-houses and tea or coffee boutiques shall be plastered and limewashed, and the rooms shall be well ventilated and lighted.

4. All refuse and dirt in or about the premises of any eating-house or tea or coffee boutiques shall be removed twice daily.

5. No person suffering, or who to the knowledge of any person in charge of an eating-house or tea or coffee boutique has recently suffered, from any contagious or infectious disease, or has been recently in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any such person in charge of the eating-house or tea or coffee boutique to be employed in or about any such eating-house or tea or coffee boutique.

6. The sugar used in such place shall be kept in glass-stoppered wide-mouthed bottles.

7. All cakes, sweetmeats, &c., exposed for sale shall be kept in properly constructed glass cases free from flies. No food-stuffs shall be exposed to the contamination of flies. The glass cases used shall be kept scrupulously clean.

8. No waste tea, coffee, or milk, or remnants of food or cooking waste, shall be thrown on the ground, but shall be collected in a proper receptacle and removed daily.

9. No adulterated milk shall be sold or offered or exposed for sale or kept on the premises of any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique.

For the purposes of this rule adulterated milk shall mean milk to which water or any other foreign liquid or substance has been added for the purpose of augmenting its quantity or enhancing its apparent quality and not for the purpose of preparing tea or coffee or any other beverage for the immediate consumption of customers.

10. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every such eating-house or tea or coffee boutique.

GALAS.

1. Every licensed gala shall be registered by the Chairman, and a notice board shall be hung up by the licensee at the entrance to every such gala with the words "Registered Gala No. ——" and the name of the owner painted thereon.

2. Every gala or halting place for carts or cattle shall be properly levelled and drained to the satisfaction of the Chairman, and the ground shall either be paved or properly consolidated with broken metal, so that it keeps a hard and level surface. All buildings in such gala or halting place used for keeping the bulls or other animals must be so constructed and kept as to comply with rule 3. Such gala or halting place shall be kept in a clean and sanitary state, being thoroughly cleansed daily, and all dung and refuse removed daily to such place at a distance from any dwelling houses as the Chairman shall approve. No goods,

materials or substance of any kind shall be deposited upon such gala or halting place in such a manner as to obstruct such daily cleansing.

3. The owner, tenant, or occupier of every building or shed used as a stable, cattle stall, or cattle halting place shall provide the same to the satisfaction of the Chairman with suitable cemented drains to carry off washings, urine, or rain water. Provided that the Chairman, if he considers it necessary, may require such drains to be so constructed as to convey the urine or washings into one or more covered receptacles constructed in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct, the contents of which shall be daily removed at the expense of such owner, tenant, or occupier and disposed of so that no nuisance is caused thereby. The floor of such building or shed shall be paved with brick rendered in cement, stone, cement concrete, asphalt, or other hard material which can readily be kept clean, and shall be kept even and in good repair. If such building or shed is so constructed that it can be whitewashed, this shall be done at least once in six months or oftener if the Chairman shall so direct. (Provided that the Chairman may relax any of the above regulations if, owing to the distance of the building or shed from human dwellings or for any other reason, he shall consider the same unnecessary.) Provided also that the Chairman may, if he considers it necessary, require any building to be used as a stable, cattle stall, or cattle halting place to be constructed of stone, brick, or other permanent materials, and to have a tiled or iron roof.

4. Every gala shall be open for inspection at any time by the officers of the Board or by any other person thereto authorized in writing by the Chairman. All orders which the Chairman is empowered to make under these by-laws shall be in writing.

DAIRIES.

1. For the purpose of these rules a dairy shall mean and include any farm, farmhouse, cow shed, milk store, milk shop, or other place from which milk is supplied or in which milk is stored or kept for the purposes of sale.

"Dairyman" shall include any cowkeeper, purveyor of milk, or occupier of a dairy, and in cases where a dairy is owned by more than one person, the manager or other person actually managing such dairy.

2. No dairy shall be located in any compound within 100 feet of an open cesspit or surface latrine or in a position where bad odours will reach it, and no open cesspit or surface latrine shall be erected within 100 feet of any dairy.

3. Every dairy compound shall be sufficiently provided with proper drainage to the satisfaction of the Chairman, and the drains shall be kept flushed. No foul water shall be allowed to stagnate in any dairy compound.

4. All refuse and dirt in and around the dairy premises shall be removed without delay. Cowdung shall be removed daily.

5. A pure and protected supply of water must be provided at convenient distance for the use of every dairy. No bathing or washing of clothes shall take place at or near this water supply.

6. The milch cows and buffaloes shall be free from disease, and no dairyman suffering from, or who to the knowledge of any person in charge of a dairy has recently suffered from, any contagious or infectious disease, or has been recently in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any such person in charge of the dairy to be employed in such dairy.

7. All dairymen shall see that their cattle are washed as to udders and teats before milking, and the milker is to wash his hands thoroughly with soap and water before milking. Every precaution shall be taken to prevent contamination of milk by dung or urine.

8. No dairyman or owner of a dairy shall adulterate milk by the addition of any water or any other foreign liquid or substance thereto, nor shall he sell or offer or expose for sale milk so adulterated.

9. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to a dairy shall be kept clean.

10. All vessels sent out containing milk shall be scrupulously clean, and shall be properly covered, stoppered, or corked, with clean materials, and shall not be carried under the armpit, nor shall the mouths of the bottles be fingered.

11. The sheds and yards where cattle are kept shall be subject to and satisfy the requirements of the rule 3 of the Local Board regulations regarding galas.

12. Every licensee of a dairy shall have a milk room, erected in such a position and at such a distance from the cow sheds as

the Chairman of the Local Board shall approve, for the storing and preparation of milk, and in which all vessels used in his trade are to be stored after cleansing. The floor shall be cemented with rounded corners at its junction with the walls, the walls shall be of plastered masonry, smooth boards, or ironwork, to be limewashed or painted periodically as directed by the Chairman or the Senior Sanitary Officer. At least two opposite walls of the milk room shall abut on the open air. The roofs shall be ceiled with grooved boards to prevent the ingress of dust. There shall be at least one window and one door. The window shall be 3 feet by 2 feet without glass or shutters and be fitted with fly-proof netting. The door shall be opposite the window, be close fitting and fitted with flyproof netting, and shall be kept closed. A table with a covering of marble, slate, or zinc or other approved impermeable substance shall be placed in the milk room. This room shall be used for no other purpose than that of storing and preparing milk.

13. Every licensee of a dairy shall keep a list of his customers which shall be open at all times for inspection by the Chairman of the Local Board, the Senior Sanitary Officer, or his assistants.

14. The number of cows for which each dairy is licensed shall be stated in such license.

15. No licensee of a dairy shall change the location of his dairy without having first obtained the permission of the Chairman, nor shall milking take place at any place other than at the licensed premises.

16. Every licensee of a dairy shall keep a report book in his milk room, in which Inspecting Officers may make their report each time they visit the dairy.

17. The Chairman of the Local Board, the Senior Sanitary Officer or his assistants, the Chief Headman of the district, or any Sanitary Inspector appointed by the Chairman of the Local Board, or the Senior Sanitary Officer to do sanitary inspection in the Local Board town, shall be at all times empowered to take a sample of milk for analysis from any licensed dairy or from any person selling milk or exposing milk for sale within Local Board limits.

18. A copy of these by-laws shall be hung in the milk room of every dairy.

LAUNDRIES.

1. For the purpose of these rules "laundry" means the premises occupied by any person carrying on the trade of washing other peoples' clothes for hire, and "laundryman" signifies any such person or an employé or assistant of such person in such work.

2. Every laundryman shall, when so required by the Chairman, provide a separate room for soiled linen, which must be well ventilated and clean at all times and whitewashed twice annually.

3. A laundryman shall not store soiled linen in any room used as a living apartment.

4. The Chairman shall when he considers it necessary in the interests and for the good of the public health allocate special sites for the washing of clothes; such sites will be indicated by a notice board.

5. When any laundryman or any member of his family or household shall contract any infectious or contagious disease, he shall within 24 hours report the same to the Chairman of the Local Board either through the Sanitary Inspector or the Police Headman.

6. When any laundryman or any member of his family or household shall contract any infectious or contagious disease, all work in the laundry shall immediately cease, nor shall any clothes be taken into the laundry or sent out of it after the outbreak and during the prevalence of such disease, save by special permission of the Chairman.

7. No laundryman shall, without the permission of the Chairman of the Local Board or the Senior Sanitary Officer, receive soiled linen from any house in which there is reason to believe that a member thereof is suffering from any infectious disease.

8. Every laundryman shall when called upon by the Chairman of the Local Board or the Senior Sanitary Officer or his assistant give a list of the persons for whom he washes.

COMMON LODGING HOUSES.

1. For the purpose of these rules common lodging houses shall mean any house or any part of a house in which four or more persons not being members of the same family are housed for hire.

2. A common lodging house shall be substantially built and kept in a good state of repair, and the sleeping rooms shall be well ventilated and lighted to the satisfaction of the Chairman, and the walls thereof whitewashed thrice annually.

3. The keeper of a common lodging house shall at all times keep the place clean and in a sanitary condition. He shall cause all filth and offensive matter to be removed from the premises.

4. When any person in a common lodging house becomes ill with any infectious or contagious disease, the keeper or such person shall immediately inform the proper authority either through the Sanitary Inspector or the Police Headman, and shall obey the directions of the proper authority with regard to the vacation of the lodging-house, disinfection or destruction of bedding, clothing, and other articles, and fumigation, disinfection, and limewashing of the house.

5. The keeper of a common lodging house shall be responsible for the provision of sufficient latrine accommodation for the inmates and for the keeping of the same in a sanitary condition.

6. The Chairman of the Local Board is hereby empowered to decide the maximum number of persons that may be accommodated in any common lodging house and such number shall be endorsed upon the license. Any common lodging house-keeper allowing the number to be exceeded shall be guilty of an offence. For the purposes of this rule two children under twelve years of age shall count as one person.

7. The premises of any common lodging house shall at all times be open to inspection by the Chairman of the Local Board, the Senior Sanitary Officer or his assistant, the Chief Headman of the district, and any Sanitary Inspector appointed by the Chairman of the Local Board or the Senior Sanitary Officer to do sanitary inspection in the Local Board town in which such common lodging house is situated.

WASHING PLACES.

1. It shall be lawful for the Board by resolution from time to time to set apart for washing of horses and cattle such places as it may deem proper, and the hours during which they may be used.

2. A list of the places so set apart shall be published in the *Government Gazette* in English, Sinhalese, and Tamil, and proclaimed within the limits of the Board by beat of tom-tom, and copies of the list in the said three languages shall be kept affixed at the office.

3. No person shall wash horses, cattle, clothes, or mats at any public place within the town, except at such places so set apart by the Board.

4. No person suffering, or who to the knowledge of any person in charge of a washing place set apart as hereinbefore provided has recently suffered, from any contagious or infectious disease, or has been recently in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any such person in charge of the washing place to wash clothes or any other article in such washing place.

PUBLIC BATHING PLACES.

1. For the purpose of these rules a public bathing place shall mean any place where the public or any particular class of persons bathe, whether on payment of money or not, or any place thereto specially set apart by order of the Local Board under rule 2.

2. The Local Board may by resolution set apart any public place over which it has control or any portion thereof for the purpose of being used as a public bathing place, and may define the meets and bounds of such public bathing place.

3. In every case in which a charge is made by the owner or occupier of any public bathing place for the use thereof, such owner or occupier shall not keep such bathing place without a license from the Chairman of the Local Board, which license the Chairman is hereby empowered to refuse to any persons failing to comply with any of these rules or any existing Local Board rule.

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

4. 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.

5. The owner or occupier of any public bathing place shall be bound to see that the requirements of these rules are carried out.

6. Wherever a public bathing place is served by a well, such well shall have a protecting wall at least 2 feet high all round; or if there is no wall, must be constructed on a plan approved by the Chairman of the Local Board, and in such a way that none of the water drawn for washing can find its way back into the well, and the ground immediately surrounding such well shall be sloped, paved, or concreted so as to allow the water to run into a leadaway drain of sufficient length to prevent, to the satisfaction of the Chairman, any percolation of dirty water into the well.

7. If tubs are used they shall be cleaned daily and painted twice annually. If a large tank or bath is used the water thereof shall be frequently changed, so that it does not become stagnant or offensive or unfit for use for human bathing.

8. No person suffering, or who to the knowledge of any person in charge of a public bathing place has recently suffered, from any contagious or infectious disease, or has been recently in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall bathe, wash in, or in any way use the water of any such public bathing place unless such water shall be drawn for such person by some healthy person and carried for use to a safe distance from such bathing place.

9. Whenever a public bathing place is served by a well, no person shall use such well for washing cattle or any other animals, or mats, or any other things, or any clothes except those he is

wearing, and if such clothes be slapped upon a stone or otherwise beaten this shall be done at such distance from the well that the splash therefrom cannot fall into the well.

The provision of rule 9 shall also *mutatis mutandis* apply to tanks or baths; the water of which is artificially changed at intervals, and to public bathing places specially set apart by order of the Local Board or the Chairman.

10. No person shall commit a nuisance by obeying a call of nature at or near any public bathing place.

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 Maldivian 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 Sanitary 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 cleaned 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 therein or suffering to flow therein any foul, ill smelling, or offensive water or other fluid, or by throwing therein or suffering to be washed therein 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.

MANUFACTURE OF AERATED WATERS.

1. No person shall commence the manufacture of aerated waters within the limits of the Local Board for the purposes of sale without giving one month's previous notice in writing to the Chairman of the Board.

2. No aerated water factory shall be situated within less than 150 feet from any gala, stable, or other building used for keeping animals by day and night, or of any latrine or cesspit. No part of the factory shall be used as a dwelling house.

3. All premises used for manufacture of aerated waters must be well lighted and ventilated, must have cemented floors, must be provided with suitably built drains to carry off waste material, and must be kept clean and free from dirt and dust. The preparation of the syrups must be carried out in a separate flyproof room. All chemicals and other materials used in the manufacture of the waters must be of good quality. All utensils and machinery employed in the manufacture must be kept scrupulously clean.

4. The water used in the manufacture shall be obtained from a source adequately protected from contamination and approved of by the Chairman of the Board. It shall be transported to the factory by means which shall ensure that no pollution occurs in transit. It shall be stored at the factory in properly constructed tanks or reservoirs connecting with the aerating apparatus.

5. All water used in the manufacture of aerated waters shall be passed through a Jewell or other filter approved by the Chairman and connected with the plant, provided that the Chairman shall have power to exempt from the operation of this rule water derived from an approved public supply.

6. All bottles used in the manufacture of aerated waters shall be washed with filtered water and shall be kept scrupulously clean.

7. Every bottle containing aerated water shall bear a label setting out the description of the water and the place of manufacture, the name of the person or firm owning the factory, and the number assigned to the factory by the Chairman of the Board.

8. No person under twelve years of age shall be employed in any aerated water factory, nor any person suffering from any cutaneous or contagious disease.

9. All employers engaged in the filling of bottles with gas shall wear fine-meshed wire face- and neck-shields and leather gloves.

10. It shall be lawful for the Chairman of the Local Board or any Inspector or Supervisor or any person thereto authorized by the Chairman in writing to enter any place used for the manufacture or sale of aerated waters at any time when such place is open, and to take a sample bottle of any kind of aerated water which is there manufactured or kept for sale, and any proprietor or person in charge of such place who shall refuse to permit such sample to be taken shall be guilty of an offence. Such sample shall be forthwith forwarded to a competent analyst, and the certificate of such analyst if it states that such sample is unfit for human consumption shall be evidence that it is so unfit until the contrary is proved, and the proprietor or manager of any place used for the manufacture or sale of aerated waters from which place any such sample was taken which proved to be unfit for human consumption shall be guilty of an offence.

11. Wells from which water for the manufacture of aerated waters is drawn shall be set apart solely for this purpose, and shall not be used for bathing.

"THE GAME PROTECTION ORDINANCE, 1909."

RULE made by the Ceylon Fishing Club, under the provisions of section 16 (2) of "The Game Protection Ordinance, 1909," and approved by the Governor in Executive Council:—

The open and close seasons for trout fishing in the waters leased to the Ceylon Fishing Club shall be as follows:—

(a) Lake Gregory, the Nanu-oya from Ritnageria waterfall to its junction with the Kotmale-ganga, and the Kotmale-ganga from Henfold bridge to Talawakele: the open season from January 1, 1920, to October 31, 1920, and the close season from November 1, 1920, to December 31, 1920.

(b) In all other waters the open season from May 1, 1920, to October 31, 1920; and the close season from November 1, 1920, to April 30, 1921.

By His Excellency's command,

GRAEME THOMSON,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo. January 26, 1920.

"THE GAME PROTECTION ORDINANCE, 1909."

RULES made by the Ceylon Fishing Club, under section 16 (2) of "The Game Protection Ordinance, 1909," and approved by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

Rule 4 (b) of the rules published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,636 of July 31, 1914, shall be cancelled, and the following rule substituted therefor:—

"Rule 4 (b).—Any lady relative of a resident member shall be entitled to a license corresponding in term to each and every license taken out by the resident member, during the year, on payment of a sum of Rs. 5 for the year. All fish killed on such lady relative's license to reckon against the corresponding member's license.

"Rule 4 (c).—Children under 12 years of age, of a resident member, shall on payment of a fee of Rs. 5 each be entitled to a license similar in all respects to any license then in force of such resident member. All fish killed on such children's license shall reckon against the corresponding member's license under rule 4, licenses issued to children being further conditional to such children fishing in the company of a resident member, and only in such waters as are open to them each year by the Managing Committee."

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 28, 1920.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

"THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908."

THE Notification of the Governor in Executive Council dated February 26, 1909, and made under the said Ordinance, and published in the Supplement to the *Government Gazette* of February 26, 1909, as amended by the Notification of the Governor in Executive Council dated November 11, 1918, is hereby amended in the following respect:—

Rule 41 thereof is amended by substituting the figure "3" for the figure "4" therein.

This Notification shall come into operation on February 2, 1920.

By order of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, this 22nd day of December, 1919.

JOHN SCOTT,
Clerk to the Executive Council.

Order No. 51 made by the Food Controller under Regulation 1 of "The Defence of the Colony Regulations, 1919."

1. From and after the date of commencement of this order, no person shall sell, deliver, or otherwise dispose of any paddy, country rice, or kurakkan grown in the Uda Dumbara division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, to any manager of an estate over ten acres in extent in the Uda Dumbara division, nor to any person resident and employed on such estate, nor to any person acting on behalf of such manager or person, nor assist in such sale, delivery, or disposal of the same, except on permits issued by the Government Agent of the Central Province.

2. From and after the date of commencement of this order, no manager of an estate in the Uda Dumbara division, in the Kandy District, which receives rice through the Controller of Estate Supplies, nor any person resident and employed on such estates, nor any person acting on behalf of such manager or person, shall purchase, or otherwise obtain or take delivery of, any paddy, country rice, or kurakkan grown in the Uda Dumbara division in the Kandy District of the Central Province, except on permits issued by the Government Agent of the Central Province.

3. This order shall commence and come into operation on January 31, 1920.

Colombo, January 29, 1920.

B. HORSBURGH,
Food Controller.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the service named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from the date of acceptance of the tender, and terminating on September 30, 1923.

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 Diets, — Hospital," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on February 10, 1920.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo, 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 cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing of the acceptance of the tender, 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 to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security according to the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract; also to furnish with each tender a letter

in duplicate signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become an additional security for the due performance of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

9. Contracts may not be assigned, sublet, or otherwise transferred without the previous written sanction of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals. Sanction will not be given for any transfers, including powers of attorney, in favour of persons in the defaulting contractors' list. No defaulting contractor should be employed on any service connected with the contracts or the tenders.

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

11. 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 or the whole of it, for one, two, or three years.

12. An further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo.

G. J. RUTHERFORD,
Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, January 27, 1920.

Schedule referred to.

Services.	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
Supply of cooked provisions, without milk, to the Kandy Hospital	500	1,000

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following private property of long-sentenced prisoners will be sold by public auction on Saturday, February 7, 1920, at 2 P.M., at the jail quarters:—

20 sarongs	8 banians	5 leather belts	1 pair of short trousers
8 white cloths	14 handkerchiefs	4 towels	6 pieces of rags
8 Cannanore cloths	7 cloth belts	4 vetty cloths	1 German silver waist chain

Kegalla Prison.
January 23, 1920.

G. F. R. BROWNING,
Superintendent.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended January 24, 1920.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 130 (1 European, 10 Burghers, 71 Sinhalese, 18 Tamils, 27 Moors, and 3 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1920, viz., 290,480) was 23·3, as against 21·9 in the preceding week, 23·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 21·0 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 187 (6 Burghers, 107 Sinhalese, 33 Tamils, 27 Moors, 7 Malays, and 2 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 33·6, as against 35·4 in the previous week, 26·9 in the corresponding week of last year, and 27·7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 187 total deaths, 25 were of infants under one year of age, as against 29 in the preceding week, 33 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 31 the average for last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 3.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Twenty-three deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 8 in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital), 5 in Kotahena, 2 each in Pettah, New Bazaar, and Kollupitiya, and 1 each in Fort, San Sebastian, Slave Island, and Wellawatta, as against 31 in the previous week and 21 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Eleven deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 4 in St. Paul's, 3 in Maradana, 2 in Kotahena, and 1 each in Kollupitiya and Wellawatta, as against 15 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Four deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, as against 3 in the previous week.

2. (a) Twenty deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 8 in Maradana (including 4 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 3 each in Kollupitiya and Wellawatta, 2 each in St. Paul's and Kotahena, and 1 each in New Bazaar and Slave Island, as against 21 in the previous week and 14 the weekly average for last year.

(b) One death of a resident of Colombo town occurred at the Ragama hospital from *Phthisis* during the week.

3. Seven deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 4 in Maradana of non-residents in hospitals, and 1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena, and Wellawatta, as against 6 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. Three deaths from *Plague* were registered, 2 in Maradana and 1 in New Bazaar, as against 8, 8, 6, and 9, respectively, for the four previous weeks. The weekly average for last year was 2.

5. Eleven deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 9 from *Debility*, 7 from *Worms*, 6 from *Enteritis*, 4 from *Dysentery*, 2 from *Diarrhoea*, 1 each from *Tetanus* and *Measles*, and 78 from *Other Causes*.

6. Forty-eight cases of *Measles*, 4 of *Chickenpox*, and 3 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 37, 15, and 6, respectively, during the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 78·7°, against 79·2° in the preceding week and 80·4° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·985 in., against 30·010 in. in the preceding week and 29·952 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was nil, against 0·35 in. in the preceding week and 0·16 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, January 27, 1920.

E. R. DE SILVA,
for Acting Registrar-General.

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The "Hewavitarana" Prize of Rs. 50 in cash awarded by Dr. C. A. Hewavitarana to the best candidate under 19 years of age, as well as the "Kadramer" Gold Medal awarded by Mr. D. W. Kadramer to the candidate from the Eastern Province who obtained the highest marks over 68 per cent. in English subjects has been won by Beatrice Thevamani Chelliah of St. Cecilia's Girls English School, Batticaloa.

Education Office, Colombo, January 24, 1920. C. H. KRIEKENBEEK, for Director of Education.

Destruction of a Rogue Elephant.

NOTICE is hereby given that I am prepared to issue a license, free of stamp duty, under section 9, sub-section (1) (b), of the Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909, for the destruction of the following rogue elephant frequenting the road to Weheragala near Bodagama in Wellawaya division.

Description of Elephant.

Colour, black; height, about 9 ft.; trunk, white; foot-prints, 1 foot and 3 inches.

Badulla Kachcheri, January 20, 1920. A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ, for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 12, 1919, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,073 of December 19, 1919, the village known as Mahawita, in Siyane korale west of the Western Province, was proclaimed as an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said area, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.
The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 19, 1920. W. R. JANSZ, for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Koratota, in Hewagam korale of the 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 fields known as Koratowila, east by dewata road, south by Wanapotamukalana estate, and west by Uruwalakumbura and Mahawela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.
The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 19, 1920. P. SABAVANAMUTTU, for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the land known as Diulgahawatta at Peliyagodawatta, in Alutkuru korale south of the 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 Pansalwatta, east by the Colombo-Negombo road, south by a portion of Diulgahawatta belonging to R. J. Fernando, and west by the Kelani river.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.
The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 21, 1920. W. R. JANSZ, for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 21, 1919, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,066 of November 28, 1919, the village known as Pahala Karagahamuna, in Siyane korale west of the Western Province, was proclaimed as an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said area, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.
The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 23, 1920. W. R. JANSZ, for Government Agent.

Cattle Disease.

WHEREAS by the under-mentioned proclamations the areas referred to therein were declared infected areas, and whereas cattle disease no longer exists in the said areas, they are hereby declared free from cattle disease, and to be no longer infected areas: —

Proclamations referred to.

- (1) Proclamation dated September 3, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,051 of September 12, 1919; relating to Kudamake in Uda palata.
- (2) Proclamation dated October 4, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,056 of October 10, 1919, relating to Delta estate in Uda palata.
- (3) Proclamation dated October 9, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,058 of October 17, 1919, relating to Rothchild estate in Uda palata.
- (4) Proclamation dated October 13, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,058 of October 17, 1919, relating to Melfort estate in Pussellawa.
- (5) Proclamation dated October 31, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,063 of November 7, 1919, relating to Kosgolla village in Uda palata.
- (6) Proclamation dated November 5, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,064 of November 14, 1919, relating to Panwilatenne bazaar in Uda palata.
- (7) Proclamation dated November 17, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,065 of November 21, 1919, relating to Paraikuduwa in Uda palata.
- (8) Proclamation dated November 19, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,066 of November 28, 1919, relating to Delpitiya in Uda palata.
- (9) Proclamation dated November 19, 1919, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,066 of November 28, 1919, relating to Poppitiya village in Uda Dumbara.

This declaration is to take effect from the date hereof.
Kandy Kachcheri, January 22, 1920. M. PHILLIPSON, for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 17, 1919, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,074 of December 23, 1919, Wedamulla and Wavendon estates, in the Kotmale division of the Nuwara Eliya District, were proclaimed as infected areas in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas

rinderpest no longer exists in the said areas, they are now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer infected areas.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

G. S. WODEMAN,
The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Nuwara Eliya, January 17, 1920.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Bandarapola wasama, in Udasiya pattu of Matale South, in the District of Matale, Central Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said area, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, E. T. MILLINGTON,
Matale, January 21, 1920. Assistant Government Agent.

Boundaries referred to.

East by the limit of Muwandeniya wasama.
South by Warapitiya wasama.
West by oya.
North by Weragama in Matale East.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Siyambalabokka, in Ambanganga korale of Matale East, in the District of Matale, Central Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, E. T. MILLINGTON,
Matale, January 21, 1920. Assistant Government Agent.

Boundaries referred to.

North by the boundary of Kumbaloluwa wasama.
South by the boundary of Rattota town.
East by the boundary of Puwakpitiya wasama and the boundary of Denkanda wasama.
West by the boundary of Raitalawa wasama and Gurbabila wasama.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Bandarapola estate in Matale, Pallesiya pattu of Matale East, in the District of Matale, Central Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, E. T. MILLINGTON,
Matale, January 21, 1920. Assistant Government Agent.

Boundaries referred to.

North by Ovala wasama.
South by Gowinna village and Sudu-ganga.
East by Koswana village and the boundary of Pallegama wasama.
West by Sudu-ganga river.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Raglan estate, in Weudawili hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said area, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area:—

Boundaries referred to.

North; village limit of Akaragane east; village limits of Kompola, Dembepola, and Bogomuwa; south: village limits of Nailiya, Maditiyawela, and Boyagane; west: Kandy road and Boyagane village.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, C. R. CUMBERLAND,
January 23, 1920. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Mary Mount estate at Liniyawatta, in Dambadeni hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area comprised within the boundaries specified below is an infected area.

Boundaries referred to.

North.—Meddeketiya korale.
East.—Viharegama, Halliyallegedera, and Ganegoda villages.
South.—Narammala and Dematagahawela villages.
West.—Medagoda, Digandeniya, Kowulwewa, and Horombawa villages.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, N. E. ERNST,
January 26, 1920. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Tissawa korale, in Dewameddi hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said korale, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area.

Boundaries referred to.

North.—Baladora korale.
East.—Dewamedde korale.
South.—Walgampattu and Angomu korale.
West.—Angomu and Giratalane korales.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, N. E. ERNST,
January 27, 1920. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the Waniya quarters in the town of Kurunegala: I do hereby, declare in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said area, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area.

Boundaries referred to.

North.—Tank Circular road.
East.—Puttalam road and the irrigation channel.
South.—Bailey road and Puttalam road.
West.—Wellgoda Circular.

Local Board Office, N. E. ERNST,
Kurunegala, January 26, 1920. for Chairman.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 3, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,076 of January 9, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 83/84, situated at Panchikawatta, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 13, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 21, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises known as Nondescript Cricket Club grounds, situate at Gregory's road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 10, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 21, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 15, situated at Narahenpita, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 18, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 21, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 7, situated at Green Lodge garden, Kotahena, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 20, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 21, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 23, situated at Dickman's road, Havelock town, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 14, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 22, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 25A, situated at Timbirigayaya road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 13, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 22, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 171, situated at Bambalapatiya, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 19, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 22, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 20, situated at Timbirigayaya road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 13, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 22, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 1, situated at Hunupitiya Lake road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 21, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 23, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 7, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,077 of January 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 27,

situated at Kew lane, Slave Island, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 22, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 23, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 17, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,079 of January 23, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 96, situated at Wolfendahl street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 21, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 13, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,079 of January 23, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 47, situated at Mahawatta road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 20, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 13, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,079, of January 23, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 28, situated at St. Joseph's street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 20, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 12, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,077, of January 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 51, situated at Silversmith street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 24, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 12, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,077 of January 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 253, situated at Vihare lane, Wellawatta, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 23, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 17, situated at Wall's lane, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 22, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as the S. P. C. A. Refuge for Animals, Baseline road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 20, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, January 26, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.**SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1919.****WESTERN PROVINCE.****COLOMBO DISTRICT.**

[Report not received.]

KALUTARA DISTRICT.

Paddy: the maha paddy plants are thriving. In the Pasdun korale west and Rayigam korale, the maha paddy plants in some parts were attacked by a caterpillar.

Dry grain: there is very little dry grain cultivation in Pasdun korale west and in Rayigam korale.

Other products: fruits and vegetables are very scarce, but there is a fair supply of sweet potatoes and cassava bulbs. The flowering of coconut trees is normal. The month's crop is estimated at 3,590,000 nuts.

Prices of staple products: imported rice was sold at controlled prices. Country rice was not available for sale in the market.

Coconuts were sold at Rs. 80 to Rs. 120 per thousand.

Remarks on harvest prospects generally: prospects of the ensuing harvest are satisfactory in Pasdun korale west, and it is too early to express an opinion on the prospects of the maha harvest in the other two korales and the totamunes.

Rainfall: heavy, total, 8.30 in.; average, .26 in.

Health of cattle: good, in two of the korales and the totamunes. In Pasdun korale west there were few cases of hoof-and-mouth disease at Uragoda and Dodanpitiya.

Health of people: good. There were a few cases of chickenpox in Owitigala and Badugama in Pasdun korale west and in Warakagoda division in Pasdun korale east. Influenza exists sporadically in the totamunes. Precautionary steps have been taken against its breaking out in an epidemic form. There have been few cases of dysentery in some villages in Rayigam korale.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.**KANDY DISTRICT.**

[Report not received.]

NUWARA ELIYA DISTRICT.

[Report not received.]

MATALE DISTRICT.

Rainfall: 9.84 in.

Paddy: in plants.

Dry grain: in plants.

Coconuts: (a) flowering, fair; (b) 175,500 approximate crop.

Tanks: in Matale North contain sufficient water.

Health of people: good.

Health of cattle: good.

Prices: fair.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.**GALLE DISTRICT.**

The maha crop promises to be satisfactory

Dry grain is cultivated in the district only on a small scale.

Coconut, tea, rubber, cinnamon, citronella, and vegetables are the principal products. The estimated coconut crop for the month was 8,750,000 nuts.

Coast rice per bushel varied from Rs. 8.96 to Rs. 11.20; paddy varied from Rs. 4 per bushel; dry grain varied from Rs. 2 to Rs. 7 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 80 to Rs. 100 per 1,000.

The weather was generally wet during the month.

The harvest prospects are good.

The health of the people was on the whole satisfactory.

MATARA DISTRICT.

Weather: wet.

Agriculture: maha crops earing. Prospects good.

Health of people: good.

Health of cattle: good.

Food supply: rice, Rs. 7 to Rs. 9 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 4.48 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 100 to Rs. 120 per 1,000.

HAMBANTOTA DISTRICT.

Paddy cultivation: maha crop one month old. Prospects good.

Fine grain: kurakkan crop in blossom.

Weather: maximum temperature, 87.8°; minimum temperature, 72.4°; rainfall, 6.44 in.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice, Rs. 8.96 to Rs. 9.52 per bushel; coast rice, not available; paddy, Rs. 3.60 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 3.60 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 60 to Rs. 110 per 1,000; plantain bunches, Rs. 80 per 100; Indian corn, Rs. 2.50 per 100; pumpkins, Rs. 30 per 100; sweet potatoes, Rs. 5.60 per cwt. About 186,855 coconuts were picked during the month.

Health of people: satisfactory, except for an outbreak of cholera in Tissa and Ranakeliya walakadas in Magam pattu.

Health of cattle: good.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.**JAFFNA DISTRICT.**

Weather: there was plenty of rain during the month. Wind: North-east.

Paddy: plants were damaged in some places, affected by an insect called "kavolaippulu," and in some places the plants are in ears; prospects good.

Dry grain: kurakkan and varaku are in ears, and their prospects good.

Tobacco cultivation: gardens are being manured for cultivation.

Coconuts: condition of flowers and nuts moderately good. Price, Rs. 12 per 100.

Prices of staple articles: paddy, Rs. 3.5 per bushel; rice, Rs. 8 per bushel; pairu, Rs. 12 per bushel; varaku, Rs. 4 per bushel; salt, 4 cents per lb. and 9 cents per measure.

Health of people: satisfactory.

Health of cattle: good.

MANNAR DISTRICT.

Rainfall: 19.43 in. Wind: North-east.

Paddy: sowing for kalapokam is finished. Late sowing has in some places been seriously interfered with or damaged by incessant rain, rendering re-sowing necessary. Some fields are flooded. All the tanks in the district are full, including tanks in Musali pattu where there is every prospect of another year's good harvest.

Tobacco: copious rain, unusual during this season of the year, has damaged the seedlings.

Coconuts: condition normal, but the pluckings have been much below the average.

Health of people: fever is prevailing throughout the district.

Health of cattle : pasture lands are mostly under water. Some cattle have died for want of pasture and owing to exposure.

Prices of foodstuffs : rice, Rs. 7 to Rs. 9 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2.50 to Rs. 3 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 per 100.

MULLAITTIVU DISTRICT.

Prospects of paddy harvests : paddy on manavari lands is coming up well. Sowing for kalapokam under tank lands is nearly over. Damages occurred in some places owing to heavy rain.

Dry grains : kurakkan sown in chenas is coming up well ; slightly damaged in some places owing to heavy rain.

Other products :—coconuts : flowering and bearing satisfactory ; tobacco : lands are being manured and nurseries planted ; vegetables : planted in many places. Recent heavy rain was not very favourable.

Prices of staple products : paddy, Rs. 2.75 to Rs. 3 per bushel ; rice, Rs. 7 to Rs. 8.50 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 10 to Rs. 12 per 100 nuts.

Rainfall : heavy ; causing heavy floods and some damages to crops in some places. A few tanks also breached.

Harvest prospects generally : very satisfactory and encouraging.

Health of inhabitants : owing to the heavy rainfall malarial fever is prevailing in many places. Quinine is being distributed free by Headmen in the villages. Cases of pneumonia and cold prevailed in some places.

Health of cattle : good ; pasture good ; no diseases.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

BATTICALOA DISTRICT.

Paddy : prospects of munmari cultivation fairly satisfactory, excepting in Akkarai and Panawa pattus where only reduced areas were taken up for cultivation owing to want of early rains. Preparations are being made for the commencement of kalavellamami cultivation.

Dry grain and other chena crops : prospects satisfactory, excepting in Akkarai and Panawa pattus where cultivation suffered owing to want of seasonable rains.

Coconuts : prospects not satisfactory as the trees have not yet fully recovered from the effects of the drought.

Prices of staple products : paddy, from Re. 1.80 to Rs. 2 per bushel ; kurakkan, from Re. 1.44 to Rs. 3 per bushel ; Indian corn, from Re. 1.44 to Rs. 5 per bushel.

Rainfall : 22.38 in. in 1918 ; 21.44 in. in 1919.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Health of inhabitants : satisfactory. Malarial fever is prevalent in some divisions, and free distribution of quinine is made to the people.

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT.

Rainfall : seasonable.

Paddy : Paddy plants in town gravets, at Kinniyai in Tamblegam pattu, and Kaddukkulam East are growing. Sowing of manavari cultivation in Koddigar pattu has been started. Crops in Kaddukkulam West are not satisfactory.

Tobacco : plants are being planted.

Coconuts : condition of crop is medium. Price per 1,000 nuts ranges from Rs. 90 to Rs. 100.

Fishery : medium. Dried and salted fish is transported by cart to inland stations.

Health of people : there are the usual cases of fever and cold.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Prices of staple articles : paddy, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2.25 per bushel ; rice (country), Rs. 4.50 to Rs. 5.88 per bushel ; rice (imported), nil.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

KURUNEGALA DISTRICT.

Paddy crops : maha crops, earing. Prospects : fair ; too much rain has interfered with a good crop.

Dry grain : maha crops about to ear.

Flowering and prospects of coconut : good.

Rainfall : there has been heavy rain all throughout.

Health of people : good, except for ordinary cases of fever and parangi.

Health of cattle : good, except for a few cases of rinderpest in Katugampola and Dambadeni hatpattus.

State of tanks : almost all are full.

Prices of foodstuffs : paddy, Rs. 2.75 per bushel (controlled price) ; country rice, Rs. 6.20 and Rs. 7 per bushel (controlled price) ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 per bushel ; coconut, Rs. 70 to Rs. 80 per 1,000 nuts ; salt, 14 cents to 16 cents a measure.

PUTTALAM AND CHILAW DISTRICTS.

Paddy : maha cultivation is in good condition in some places. In others, some fields have been damaged owing to excessive rain.

Dry grain : chena cultivation is thriving well in some villages and some chenas have been given up owing to heavy rain.

Other products including coconuts : flowering and prospects of coconut are good. The estimated crop for the month in the two districts is 13,388,970 nuts. Fruit and vegetable supply is very poor. Preparations are being made for tobacco cultivation in some places. Supply of fish is good.

Prices of staple products : country rice, Rs. 9.50 to Rs. 11.50 per bushel ; imported rice (control prices) ; paddy (control prices) ; kurakkan, Rs. 2.80 to Rs. 6.40 per bushel ; green gram, Rs. 8 to Rs. 8.50 per bushel ; cassava, 5 cents per pound ; coconut, Rs. 70 to Rs. 100 per 1,000 ; salt, 4 cents to 6 cents per pound.

Rainfall : Puttalam, 5.22 in. ; Chilaw, 9.64 in.

Harvest prospects generally : fair on the whole.

Health of inhabitants : not satisfactory. Fever is prevailing.

Health of animals : no disease.

NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.

ANURADHAPURA DISTRICT.

Weather : wet.

Rainfall : 12.66 in.

Cultivation—paddy : fields have been sown for maha. Kurakkan : crop earing. Gingelly : nil. Coconuts : satisfactory. Crops gathered.

Health of people : malarial fever prevails. A few cases of measles in Hurulu palata.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Village tanks : almost all tanks are full.

PROVINCE OF UVA.

BADULLA DISTRICT.

Weather : very wet.

Paddy : paddy fields sown for yala cultivation are being reaped.

Chenas : chenas are ripening.

Fruit and vegetables : fruit is scarce, a moderate supply of vegetables is available.

Other products : the flowering and prospects of the coconut are fair.

Health of people : satisfactory, except for a few cases of cholera in Wiyaluwa and Buttala divisions.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Total rainfall : 11.97 in. as registered at the Observatory.

PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

RATNAPURA DISTRICT.

Paddy : fields cultivated for maha are blossoming in some parts of the district, in others they are being harvested.

Dry grain : kurakkan and other chenas are in plants, in others they are being cleared.

Other products—coconuts, prospects good.

Health of people : satisfactory.

Health of cattle : good.

Rainfall : moderate.

Prices of foodstuffs : rice (imported) at controlled prices ; rice (country), Rs. 8 to Rs. 12·80 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 3 to Rs. 5 per bushel ; salt 12 cents to 16 cents per measure ; chillies, 30 cents to 50 cents per pound ; coconuts, Rs. 12 to Rs. 18 per 100 nuts.

KEGALLA DISTRICT.

Paddy : fields cultivated for maha are thriving, and prospects are good.

Dry grains : el chenas are being harvested.

Vegetable and curry stuffs : vegetable gardens are doing well.

Prices : paddy, Rs. 4 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 per bushel ; country rice, Rs. 8·50 per bushel ; imported rice, Rs. 8·64 per bushel.

Rainfall : 6·83 in.

Health of people : satisfactory.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Other products : flowering and prospects of coconuts are good. Approximate crop for the month was about 1,900,000 nuts.

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

Closing of Arrack and Toddy Taverns.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close the arrack and toddy taverns specified in the schedule below from October 1, 1920.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to March 15, 1920, on which date at Galle Kachcheri, at 2 P.M., I shall also be prepared to receive any

verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the closing of such taverns.

Galle Kachcheri,
January 27, 1920.

R. B. HELLINGS,
Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

1. Kandewatta toddy tavern, No. 4.
2. Habaraduwa toddy tavern, No. 14.
3. Aluttanayangoda toddy tavern, No. 22.
4. Bussa toddy tavern, No. 24.
5. Waturegama arrack tavern, No. 45.

Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Goods Traffic for the Month of October, 1919.

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended		Increase in 1919.	Decrease in 1919.
	October 31, 1918.	October 31, 1919.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Kerosine oil	339	437	98	—
Rubber	2,199	3,075	876	—
Rice	12,522	17,315	4,793	—
Tea	7,287	7,783	496	—
Cacao	262	124	—	138
Coconut produce	6,989	8,380	1,391	—
Fruit and vegetables	1,496	2,138	642	—
Tea and rubber packings	1,216	1,725	509	—
Plumbago	731	251	—	480
Bulk petroleum	566	667	101	—
Liquid fuel	1,046	1,322	276	—
Manure	10,383	10,625	242	—
Other goods	23,041	35,881	12,840	—
Railway material (open line)	4,317	8,380	4,063	—
Railway material (extensions)	632	30	—	602
Breakwater material	332	489	157	—
Foreign traffic	5,602	3,837	—	1,765
Total	78,960	102,459	26,484	2,985

Colombo, January 22, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specification has been accepted :—

No. 1,684 of January 15, 1920.

Arthur John Roach-Cuming.

"Improvements in slabs and hollow vessels for building construction and insulation purposes."

Abstract.—The inventor states :—

My invention relates to the manufacture of slabs and hollow vessels for building construction and insulation purposes and consists essentially in forming the slab or hollow vessel of two layers of sheet metal coated on both sides with vitreous or other suitable enamel and united at the edges. The space between the two sheets, may, if desired, be evacuated of air, in which case a lattice work of wood or other suitable reinforcement may be inserted between the two strips of metal to prevent them from collapsing together under external atmospheric pressure.

The claims are :—

1. Slabs for constructional purposes consisting of two walls of sheet metal separated save at their edges and coated with vitreous or other strong enamel on both surfaces.
2. Slabs consisting of two walls of sheet metal separated save at their edges and coated on both surfaces with vitreous or other strong enamel, the space between the two being evacuated and provided with reinforcing means for preventing collapse under atmospheric pressure.
3. A slab as claimed in claims 1 or 2, constructed substantially as described with reference to Figure 1 and 2 or 3 and 4 or 5 of the drawings.
4. A vessel having double walls constructed of sheet metal coated on both sides with vitreous or other like strong enamel, the space between the walls being evacuated.
5. A vessel as claimed in claim 4, constructed substantially as described with reference to Figure 7.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE THERESIA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE THERESIA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (1) To purchase the Theresia Estate, situated in the District of Balangoda of the Island of Ceylon, in extent 340 acres more or less and to acquire from Messrs. Alexander MacDonnell Maitland, Norman Palmer, and the heirs of the late Keith Andrew Ramsay Maitland all their leasehold interests in the property known as Keppoch Estate, situated in the Balangoda District of the said Island held under lease No. 2,531 dated December 21, 1911, from Mr. S. D. Mahawalatenne, deceased, for a period of 99 years, of which a period of 91 years has yet to run
 - (2) To purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any lands, concessions, estates, plantations, and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, and any right of way, water rights and other rights, privileges, easements and concessions, and any factories, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, immovable or movable of any kind.
 - (3) To hold, use, clear, open, plant, cultivate, work, manage, improve, carry on, and develop the undertaking lands and real and personal, immovable and movable, estate or property and assets of any kind of the Company, or any part thereof.
 - (4) To plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, rarrie, and other natural products or produce of any kind in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
 - (5) To treat, cure, prepare, manipulate, submit to any process of manufacture, and render marketable (whether on account of the Company or others) tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid, or any articles or things whatsoever; to buy, sell, export, import, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconut produce, coconuts, coffee, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles and things of any kind whatsoever, either in a prepared, manufactured or raw state, and either by wholesale or retail.
 - (6) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: planters of tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee or any other such products or produce as aforesaid in all its branches; carriers of passengers and goods by land or by water; forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, tug owners and wharfingers; proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; and any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with any of them.
 - (7) To acquire or establish and carry on any other business, manufacturing, shipping, or otherwise, which can be conveniently carried on in connection with any of the Company's general business; to apply for, purchase or otherwise acquire, any patents, *brevets d'invention*, concessions and the like conferring an exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Company; and to use, exercise, develop, grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, and information so acquired.
 - (8) To purchase, tea leaf, rubber, coconuts, coffee and (or) other raw products or produce for manufacture, manipulation and (or) sale.
 - (9) To work mines or quarries and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits or products, and generally to carry on the business of mining in all its branches.
 - (10) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold boats, barges, tugs, launches, and vessels of any description whatsoever; to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold vans, omnibuses, carriages, carts, and other vehicles of any description whatsoever; and to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold all live and dead stock, chattels, and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business of carriers by land or by water; of proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses and boats; of tug-owners and wharfingers or of any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
 - (11) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter and work tea and rubber factories coconut and coffee-curing mills, manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, water-courses, docks, wharves, jetties, and other works and conveniences which may be necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company, or may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the Company's interests; and to contribute to, subsidize, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out, or control thereof.
 - (12) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, and elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, and elsewhere; to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings; and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
 - (13) To engage, employ, maintain and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, coolies, and other servants and labourers; and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
 - (14) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities, Government, Municipal, local or otherwise that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, rebates, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
 - (15) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, reciprocal concession, amalgamation or co-operation with any person, corporation or company, carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company; to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such Company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with such shares or securities; and to form, constitute, or promote any other Company or Companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.
 - (16) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
 - (17) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures or book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.

- (18) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debentures, debenture stock, bonds or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable, irredeemable or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and property of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
- (19) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licenses, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.
- (20) To cause or permit any debentures, debenture stock, bonds, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred or satisfied, as shall be thought fit; also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (21) To sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other Company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (22) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (23) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- (24) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.
- (25) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, or alone or in conjunction with others, or by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees or otherwise, and generally to carry on any business or effectuate any object of the Company.
- (26) To sell, let, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, transfer, deliver, charge, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration.
- (27) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, property, or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company; and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) or in debentures, debenture stock or obligations of the Company, or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever, with power to issue any shares either as fully paid up or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (28) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, property, or assets of the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, money or shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) of any company, or debentures or debenture stock, or obligations of any company or person, or partly one and partly any other.
- (29) To distribute among the shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (30) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

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

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 of 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 shareholders is limited.

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

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
A. M. MAITLAND, by his attorney A. D. SKRINE, Theresia estate, Bogawantalawa	.. One
A. D. SKRINE, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
R. H. SKRINE by his attorney A. D. SKRINE, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
G. R. WHITEBY, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
EDMUND T. F. S. HARVEY, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
REPTON WEBER, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
W. A. MARTIN, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
L. S. SMITH, Colombo .. .. .	.. One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Eight

Witness to the signatures of the above-named A. M. MAITLAND, A. D. SKRINE, R. H. SKRINE, G. R. WHITEBY, EDMUND T. F. S. HARVEY, REPTON WEBER, W. A. MARTIN, and L. S. SMITH, at Colombo, this Thirty-first day of December, One thousand Nine hundred and Nineteen.

LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE THERESIA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows :—

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

INTERPRETATION.

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

Company.—The word “Company” means “The Theresia Estates Company, Limited,” incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

Special resolution.—“Special resolution” has the meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.

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

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

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

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

Shareholder.—“Shareholder” means a Shareholder of the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Month.—“Month” means a calendar month.

Writing.—“Writing” means printed matter or print as well as writing.

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

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

BUSINESS.

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

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

CAPITAL.

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

SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

14. *One of joint-holders other than a firm may give receipts; only one of joint-holders resident in Ceylon entitled to vote.*—Any one of the joint-holders of a share, other than a firm, may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable on such share; but only one of such joint Shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving

proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, and if the joint-holders cannot arrange amongst themselves as to who shall vote or give proxies and exercise such other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, the Shareholder whose name stands first on the register of shares shall vote or give proxies and exercise those rights and powers; provided, however, that in the event of such first registered Shareholder being absent from the Island, the first registered Shareholder then resident in Ceylon shall vote or give proxies and exercise all such rights and powers as aforesaid.

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

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

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

INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

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

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

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

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

REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

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

SHARE CERTIFICATES.

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

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

25. *Renewal of certificate.*—If any certificate be worn out or defaced, then, upon production thereof to the Directors, they may order the same to be cancelled and may issue a new certificate in lieu thereof; and if any certificate be lost or destroyed, then, upon proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Directors, and on such indemnity as the Directors 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.

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

29. *No transfer to minor or person of unsound mind or to a "prohibited person" or "foreigner" or "corporation under foreign control."*—No transfer of shares shall be made to a minor 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 and on behalf of or in trust for such "prohibited person" or "foreigner" or "corporation under foreign control."

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

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

40. *Failing such registration, shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 39 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such 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 same; the net proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

42. (a) *If call or instalment be not paid, notice to be given to Shareholder.*—If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the trustee or assignee in his bankruptcy, requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

(b) *Terms of notice.*—The notice shall name a day (not being less than one month from the date of the notice) on and a place or places at which such call or instalment and such interests and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid; the notice shall also state that, in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which the call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

(c) *In default of payment, shares to be forfeited.*—If the requisition of such notice as aforesaid be not complied with, every or any share or shares in respect of which such notice has been given may at any time thereafter, before payment of calls or instalments, with interest, and expenses due in respect thereof, be declared forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect.

(d) *Shareholder still liable to pay money owing at time of forfeiture.*—Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding be liable to pay and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls instalments, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at 9 per cent. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

43. *Surrendered or forfeited shares to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, &c.*—Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

44. *Effect of surrender or forfeiture.*—The surrender or forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all interest in, and also of all claims and demands against, the Company in respect of the share and the proceeds thereof, and all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly saved.

45. (a) *Certificates of surrender or forfeiture.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture; 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; such purchaser thereupon shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase, and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

(b) *Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 43 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

46. *Company's lien on shares.*—The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders.

and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls, resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. The Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

47. *Lien how made available.*—Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the assignee or trustee in his bankruptcy, requiring him or them to pay the amount for the time being due to the Company, and default shall have been made for twenty-eight days from such notice in paying the sum thereby required to be paid. Should the Shareholder over whose share the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

48. *Proceeds how applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 43 and 47 hereof shall be applied in or towards the satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

49. *Certificate of sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries that the power of sale given by clause 47 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

50. *Transfer on sale how executed.*—Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such shares.

PREFERENCE SHARES.

51. *Preference and deferred shares.*—Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right of preference, whether in respect of dividend or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued or then about to be issued, or subject to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may from time to time by special resolution determine.

52. *Modification of rights and consent thereto.*—If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes—

- (1) The holders of any class of shares by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders may consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares;
- (2) All or any of the rights, privileges, and conditions attached to each class may be commuted, abrogated, abandoned, added to, or otherwise modified by a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, provided the holders of any class of shares, affected by any such commutation, abrogation, abandonment, addition, or other modification of such rights, privileges, and conditions, consent thereto, on behalf of all the holders or shares of the class, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders.

Any extraordinary resolution passed under the provisions of this Article shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent as aforesaid in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolution could have been effected without it.

53. *Meeting affecting a particular class of shares.*—Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no Shareholder, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat, unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be affected by the resolution, and that no vote shall be given except in respect of a share of that class, and that at any such meeting a poll may be demanded in writing by any Shareholder personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

CALLS.

54. (a) *Directors may make calls.*—The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the registered holders of shares, in respect of moneys unpaid thereon, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors, provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call.

(b) *Calls, time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Article 121.

(c) *Extension of time for payment of call.*—The Directors shall have power in their absolute discretion to give time to any one or more Shareholder or Shareholders, exclusive of the others, for payment of any call or part thereof on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.

55. *Interest on unpaid call.*—If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment is not paid on or before the day appointed for the payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made, or the instalments shall have been due, shall pay interest for the same at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment, but the Directors may, when they think fit, remit altogether or in part any sum becoming payable for interest under this clause.

56. *Payments in anticipation of calls.*—The Directors may at their discretion receive from any Shareholder willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the amount of his shares beyond the sum actually called up.

BORROWING POWERS.

57. *Power to borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time, at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 50,000). With the sanction of a General Meeting the Directors shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future, including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided also that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures or create

any debenture stock they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intention to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall, as regards the creditor, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

METTINGS.

58. *First General Meeting.*—The First General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time, not being more than twelve months after the registration of the Company, and at such place as the Directors may determine.

59. *Subsequent General Meeting.*—Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is prescribed, at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

60. *Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The General Meetings mentioned in the two last preceding clauses shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

61. *Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-seventh of the number of Shareholders holding not less than one-seventh of the issued capital and entitled to vote.

62. *Requisition of Shareholders to state object of meeting; on receipt of requisition, Directors to call meeting, and in default Shareholders may do so.*—Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company. Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

63. *Notice of resolution.*—Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

64. *Seven days' notice of meeting to be given.*—Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given either by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or by notice sent by post, or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting.

65. *Business requiring and not requiring notification.*—Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors retiring in rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatever of which special mention shall have been made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

66. *Notice of other business to be given.*—With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to the business which may be transacted at Ordinary General Meetings without notice, no General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be competent to enter upon, discuss, or transact any business which has not been specially mentioned in the notice or notices upon which it was convened.

67. *Quorum to be present.*—No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or the election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present in person at the commencement of the business three or more persons being Shareholders entitled to vote or persons holding proxies or powers of attorney from Shareholders entitled to vote.

68. *If a quorum not present, meeting to be dissolved or adjourned; adjourned meeting to transact business.*—If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of persons shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

69. *Chairman of Directors or a Director to be Chairman of General Meeting; in case of their absence or refusal, a Shareholder may act.*—The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; but if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within 15 minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

70. *Business confined to election of Chairman while chair vacant.*—No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the chair is vacant.

71. *Chairman with consent may adjourn meeting.*—The Chairman, with the consent of the meeting, may adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice shall be given.

72. *Minutes of General Meetings.*—Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of the same meeting, or by the Chairman of the succeeding meeting, and the same when so entered and signed shall be evidence of all such proceedings and of the proper election of the Chairman.

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. *Votes.*—At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present. In case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney; and unless a poll be immediately demanded in writing by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the minute book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

74. *Poll.*—If a poll be duly demanded, the same shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman shall direct, and the result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

75. *Poll how taken.*—If at any meeting a poll be demanded by notice in writing signed by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, which notice shall be delivered during the meeting to the Chairman, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct; and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided, and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

76. *No poll in election of Chairman or on question of adjournment.*—No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

77. *Number of votes to which Shareholder entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall have one vote for every one share held by him up to ten shares; he shall have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first ten shares up to one hundred shares; an additional vote for every twenty-five shares beyond the first one hundred shares. When voting on a resolution involving the winding up of the Company, every shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

78. *Curator of minor, &c., when not entitled to vote.*—The parent or curator of a minor Shareholder, the committee or other legal guardian of any lunatic Shareholder, the husband of any female Shareholder not entitled to her shares as separate estate, and the executor or administrator of any deceased Shareholder, or any one of such persons as aforesaid, if more than one, shall not be entitled to vote in the place of such minor, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

79. *Voting in person or by proxy or attorney.*—Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

80. *Non-Shareholder not to be appointed proxy; but attorney though not Shareholder may vote.*—No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company, but the attorney of a Shareholder, even though not himself a Shareholder of the Company, may represent and vote for his principal at any meeting of the Company.

81. *Shareholder in arrear or not registered at least three months previous to the meeting not to vote.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote or speak at any General Meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares, or any of them, shall have been paid; and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote or speak at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of or as the holder of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or speak, duly registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote or speak.

82. *Proxy to be printed or in writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written and shall be signed by the appointor, or if such appointor be a corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such corporation.

83. *When proxy to be deposited.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

84. *Form of Proxy.*—Any instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

The Theresia Estates Company, Limited.

I, _____, of _____, appoint _____, of _____, (a Shareholder in the Company) as my proxy, to represent me and to vote for me and on my behalf at the Ordinary (or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the _____ day of _____, One thousand Nine hundred and _____, and at any adjournment thereof, and at every poll which may be taken in consequence thereof.

As witness my hand, this _____ day of _____, One thousand Nine hundred and _____.

85. *Objection to validity of vote to be made at the meeting or poll.*—No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such vote shall be tendered; and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objection shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.

86. *No Shareholder to be prevented from voting by being personally interested in result.*—No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

87. *Number of Directors.*—The number of Directors shall never be less than two nor more than five. In the event of the number of Directors in Ceylon ever being reduced to one, such remaining Director shall immediately cause to be convened an extraordinary general meeting of the Shareholders for the purpose of filling up one or more of the vacancies; but, in the event of a quorum of Shareholders not attending such meeting, the remaining Director shall himself appoint a Director to fill one of the vacancies. Any Director so appointed shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting of the Company. Until such appointment the remaining Director shall not act except for the purpose of appointing another and, if necessary, enabling him to be placed on the register of Shareholders.

88. *Their qualification and remuneration.*—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding shares in the Company, whether fully paid up or partly paid up, of the total nominal value of at least Five hundred Rupees (Rs. 500), and upon which, in the case of partly paid up shares, all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Two thousand Rupees (Rs. 2,000) annually, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration for special or extra services hereinafter referred to nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. *Appointment of first Directors and duration of their Office.*—The first Directors shall be John Rupert Neale, Esq., of Chapelton estate, Bogawantalawa, Alexander MacDonnel Maitland, Esq., of Theresia estate, Bogawantalawa, Alexander Duncan Skrine, Esq., and George Roland Whitby, Esq., both of Colombo, who shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

90. *Directors may appoint Managing Director or Directors; his or their remuneration.*—One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Visiting Agents of the Company, or Superintendent or Superintendents of any of the Company's estates, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office; and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents, Superintendent or Superintendents, and the Directors may impose

and confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be imposed or conferred on any Manager of the Company. If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

91. *Appointment of successors to Directors.*—The General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof such successors may be appointed at a subsequent General Meeting. No person, not being a retiring Director, shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he or some other Shareholder intending to propose him, has at least seven clear days before the meeting, left, at the office, a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the appointment or the intention of such Shareholder to propose him.

92. *Board may fill up vacancies.*—The Board shall have power at any time and from time to time before the First Ordinary General Meeting to supply any vacancies in their number arising from death, resignation, or otherwise.

93. *Duration of office of Director appointed to vacancy.*—Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of the Directors subsequently to the First Ordinary General Meeting may be filled up by the Directors, but any person so chosen, shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

94. *To retire annually.*—At the Second Ordinary General Meeting and at the Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 95.

95. *Retiring Directors how determined.*—The Directors to retire from office at the Second, Third, and Fourth General Meetings shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

96. *Retiring Directors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

97. *Decision of question as to retirement.*—In case any question shall arise as to which of the Directors who have been the same time in office shall retire, the same shall be decided by the Directors by ballot.

98. *Number of Directors how increased or reduced.*—The Directors, subject to the approval of a General Meeting, may from time to time at any time subsequent to the Second Ordinary General Meeting increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also, subject to the like approval, determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

99. *If election not made, retiring Directors to continue until next Meeting.*—If at any meeting at which an election of a Director ought to take place the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director may continue in office until the First Ordinary General Meeting in the next year, and so on from meeting to meeting until his place is filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting to reduce the number of Directors.

100. *Resignation of Directors.*—A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary, or by leaving the same at the office, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors.

101. No contract, arrangement, or transaction entered into by or on behalf of the Company with any Director, or with any company or co-partnership of which a Director is a partner, or of which he is a Director, Managing Director, or Manager, shall be void or voidable, nor shall such Director be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by such contract, arrangement or transaction, by reason only of such Director holding that office, or of the fiduciary relation thereby established provided that the fact of his interest or connection therewith be fully disclosed to the Company or its Directors.

102. *When Office of Directors to be vacated.*—The office of Director shall be vacated—

(a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary under the Company.

(b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.

(c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.

(d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.

(e) If he is concerned or participates in the profits of any contract with, or work done for, the Company.

Exceptions.—But the above rule shall be subject to the following exceptions:—That no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company, of which he is a Director, or by his being agent, or secretary, or proctor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or proctors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

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

104. *Indemnity to Directors and others for their own acts and for the acts of others.*—Every Director or officer, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him respectively in or about the discharge of his respective duties; except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no director or officer, nor the heirs, executors, or administrators of any director or officer, shall be liable for any other director or officer, or for joining in any receipt or other acts of conformity, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or 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.

105. *No contribution to be required from Directors beyond amount, if any, unpaid on their shares.*—No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

106. The Directors shall have power to purchase or otherwise acquire the said Theresia estate and to acquire the said leasehold interests in the said Keppoch estate.

107. *To manage business of Company and pay preliminary expenses, &c.*—The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director or with the assistance of an Agent or Agents and Secretary or Secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors may pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in connection with the placing of the shares of the Company and in and about the valuation, purchase, or acquisition of the said Theresia estate, and acquisition of the said leasehold interests in the said Keppoch estate, and the purchase, lease or acquisition of any other lands, estates, or property, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and in or about the working and business of the Company.

108. *To acquire property, to appoint officers and pay expenses.*—The Directors shall have power to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, or otherwise acquire for the Company any estate or estates, land or lands, property, rights, options or privileges which the Company is authorized to acquire at such price and for such consideration and upon such title and generally on such terms and conditions as they may think fit; and to make and they may make such regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and for that purpose may appoint such managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period, or periods and with such remuneration and at such salaries and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants, for such reason as they may think proper and advisable and without assigning any cause.

109. *To appoint proctors and attorneys.*—The Directors shall have power to appoint a proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys to assist in carrying on or protecting the business of the Company, on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

110. *To open banking accounts and operate thereon, &c.*—The Directors shall have power to open on behalf of the Company any account or accounts with such bank or banks as they may select or appoint, and also by such signatures as they may appoint to draw, accept, make, endorse, sign, and execute cheques, bills of exchange, and promissory notes, bills of lading, receipts, contracts, and agreements, bonds, mortgages, proxies to any proctor or proctors and other documents, on behalf of and to further the interests of the Company.

111. *To sell and dispose of Company's property, &c.*—It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, lands, and effects of the Company or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, or the assignment of the whole or any part or parts of its leasehold interests in any estate or estates, land or lands, or the sublease of the whole or any part or parts thereof to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit, and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, assignment, sublease or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

112. *General powers.*—The Directors shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and in addition to the powers and authorities by the Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by the Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by the Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of the Ordinance and of these presents and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting; but no regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made. The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

113. *Special powers.*—In furtherance and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in the last preceding clause, and of the other powers conferred by these presents, it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have the powers following (that is to say):—

- (1) To institute, conduct, defend, compound or abandon, any action, suit, prosecution, or legal proceedings by and against the Company, or its officers or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due and of any claims and demands by and against the Company.
- (2) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform the awards.
- (3) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands of the Company.
- (4) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, inspector, or any similar office.
- (5) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees, without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (6) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company abroad in such manner as they think fit, and to establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company abroad and to appoint any persons to be members of such local board or any managers or agents and to fix their remuneration.
- (7) From time to time and at any time to delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being or any other person or Company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers hereby made exercisable by the Directors, except those relating to shares and any others as to which special provisions inconsistent with such delegation are herein contained; and they shall have power to fix the remuneration of and at any time to remove such Director or other person or company and to annul or vary any such delegation. They shall not, however, be entitled to delegate any powers of borrowing or charging the property of the Company to any Agent of the Company or other person except by instrument in writing, which shall specifically state the extent to which such powers may be used by the person or persons to whom they are so delegated, and compliance therewith shall be a condition precedent to the exercise of these powers.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

114. *Meeting of Directors.*—The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business; until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

115. *A Director may summon meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

116. *Who is to preside at meetings of Board.*—The Board may select 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.

117. *Questions at meetings how decided.*—Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman thereat shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

118. *Board may appoint committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit, and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such committee, either wholly or in part, and either as to persons or purposes, but every committee so formed shall, in exercise of the powers delegated to it, conform to all such regulations as may be prescribed by the Board. All acts done by any such committee, in conformity with such regulations and in the fulfilment of the purposes of their appointment but not otherwise, shall have the like force and effect as if done by the Board.

119. *Acts of Board or committee valid notwithstanding informal appointment.*—The acts of the Board or of any committees appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or Committee, or defect in the appointment of any Director or of any member of the committee, be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if every person had been duly appointed provided the same be done before the discovery of the defect.

120. *Regulations of proceedings of committees.*—The meetings and proceedings of such committees shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of Directors, so far as the same are applicable thereto, and are not superseded by the express terms of the appointment of such committee respectively, or any regulation imposed by the Board.

121. *Resolution in writing by all the Directors as valid as if passed at a meeting of Directors.*—A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors for the time being resident in Ceylon shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted provided that not fewer than two Directors shall sign it.

122. *Minutes of Proceedings of the Company and the Directors to be recorded.*—The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the following matters, *videlicet* :—

- (a) Of all appointments of officers and committees made by the Directors.
- (b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors, and of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (c) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings.
- (d) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors and of the committees appointed by the Board.
- (e) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (f) Of the use of the Company's seal.

123. *Signature of minutes of proceedings and effect thereof.*—All such minutes shall be signed by the person or one of the persons who shall have presided as Chairman at the General Meeting, the Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting at which the business minuted shall have been transacted, or by the person on one of the persons who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively; and all minutes purporting to have been signed by any Chairman of any General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively, shall, for all purposes whatsoever, be *prima facie* evidence of the actual and regular passing of the resolutions, and the actual and regular transaction or occurrence of the proceedings and other matters purporting to be so recorded, and of the regularity of the meeting at which the same shall appear to have taken place, and of the Chairmanship and signature of the person appearing to have signed as Chairman, and of the date on which such meeting was held.

COMPANY'S SEAL.

124. *The use of the Seal.*—The seal of the Company shall not be used or affixed to any deed, certificate of shares, or other instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors or of one Director and the Agents and Secretaries of the Company, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Agents and Secretaries, in the event of a firm being the Agents and Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, attorney, or agent of the said firm signing for and on behalf of the said firm as such Agents and Secretaries, and in the event of a company registered under the Ordinance being the Agents and Secretaries, being signified by a Director or the Secretary or the duly authorized attorney of such company signing for and on behalf of such company as Agents and Secretaries. The sealing shall not be attested by one person in the dual capacity of Director and representative of the Agents and Secretaries.

ACCOUNTS.

125. *What accounts to be kept.*—The Agent or Secretary or the Agents or Secretaries for the time being, or, if there be no Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, the Directors shall cause true accounts to be kept of the paid-up capital for the time being of the Company, and of all sums of money received and expended by the Company, and of the matters in respect of which such receipts and expenditure take place, and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company, and generally of all its commercial, financial, and other affairs, transactions, and engagements, and of all other matters necessary for showing the true financial state and condition of the Company; and the accounts shall be kept in such books and in such a manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

126. *Accounts how and when open to inspection.*—The Directors shall from time to time determine whether, and to what extent, and at what times and places, and under what conditions or regulations, the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by the Ordinance or authorized by the Directors, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

127. *Statement of accounts and balance sheet to be furnished to General Meeting.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the profit and loss account for the preceding financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to the end of the same period.

128. *Report to accompany statement.*—Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which they recommend to be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

129. *Copy of balance sheet to be sent to the Shareholders.*—A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at, or posted to, the registered address of every Shareholder.

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

130. *Declaration of dividend.*—The Directors may, with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting, from time to time declare a dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders in proportion to the amounts paid on their shares, but no dividend or bonus shall be payable except out of nett profits.

(a) Any General Meeting may direct payment of any dividend declared at such meeting or of any interim dividends which may subsequently be declared by the Directors, wholly or in part in sterling by means of drafts or cheques on London, or by the distribution of specific assets, and in particular of paid up shares, debentures, or debenture stock of the Company or of any other company, or in any other form of specie, or in any one or more of such ways, and the Directors

shall give effect to such direction; and where any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution, they may settle the same as they think expedient, and in particular may issue fractional certificates, and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets or any part thereof, and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any Shareholder upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties.

131. *Interim dividend.*—The Directors may also, if they think fit, from time to time and at any time, without the sanction of a General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

132. *Reserve fund.*—Previously to the Directors paying or recommending any dividend on preference or ordinary shares, they may set aside out of the profits of the Company, such a sum as they think proper as reserve fund, and may invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

133. *Application thereof.*—The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for the payment of accumulated dividends due on preference shares or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises, or for the repair or renewal or extensions of the property or plant connected with the business of the Company, or any part thereof, or for any other purpose of the Company which they may from time to time deem expedient.

134. *Unpaid interest or dividend not to bear interest.*—No unpaid interest, or dividend, or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

135. *No Shareholder to receive dividend while debt due to Company.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend or bonus in respect of his share or shares whilst any moneys may be due or owing from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company in respect of such share or shares, or otherwise howsoever.

136. *Directors may deduct debt from the dividends.*—The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all sums of money due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding such sums shall not be payable until after the date when such dividend is payable.

137. *Dividends may be paid by cheque or warrant and sent through the post.*—Unless otherwise directed any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the Shareholder entitled, or, in the case of joint-holders, to the registered address of that one whose name stands first on the register in respect of the joint-holding; but the Company shall not be liable or responsible for the loss of any such cheque or dividend warrant sent through the post.

138. *Notice of dividend; forfeiture of unclaimed dividend.*—Notice of all dividends or bonuses to become payable shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto; and all dividends or bonuses unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by a resolution of the Board of Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund. For the purposes of this clause any cheques or warrants which may be issued for dividends or bonuses and may not be presented at the Company's bankers for payment within three years shall rank as unclaimed dividends.

139. *Shares held by a firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by a firm may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any partner of such firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm.

140. *Joint-holders other than a firm.*—Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by several persons jointly, other than a firm, may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any one of such persons.

AUDIT.

141. *Accounts to be audited.*—The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet and profit and loss account ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

142. *Qualification of Auditors.*—No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but an Auditor shall not be debarred from acting as a professional accountant in doing any special work for the Company which the Directors may deem necessary. It shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he be a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

143. *Appointment and retirement of Auditors.*—The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration; all future Auditors, except as is hereinafter mentioned, shall be appointed at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and shall hold their office only until the First Ordinary General Meeting after their respective appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

144. *Retiring Auditors eligible for re-election.*—Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

145. *Remuneration of Auditors.*—The remuneration of the Auditors other than the first shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, and this remuneration may from time to time be varied by a General Meeting.

146. *Casual vacancy in number of Auditors how filled up.*—If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor shall not be supplied at any Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur, the Directors shall (subject to the approval of the next Ordinary General Meeting) fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold the office until such meeting.

147. *Duty of Auditor.*—Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet and profit and loss account intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting, and it shall be his duty to examine the same with the accounts and vouchers relating thereto and to report thereon to the meeting generally or specially as he may think fit.

148. *Company's accounts to be open to Auditors for audit.*—All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all times be open to the Auditors for the purpose of audit.

NOTICES.

149. *Notice how authenticated.*—Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

150. *Shareholders to register address.*—Every Shareholder shall furnish the Company with an address in Ceylon which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

151. *Service of notices.*—A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode; and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served for all purposes, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address in Ceylon.

152. *Notice to joint-holders of shares other than a firm.*—All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons other than a firm are jointly entitled, be sufficient if given to any one of such persons, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

153. *Date and proof of service.*—Any notice if served by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the letter containing the same would in ordinary course of post have been delivered at its address, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into a post box or posted at a post office and the entry in the Company's books of the leaving or sending by post of any notice at or to such address shall be sufficient evidence thereof, and no further evidence shall be necessary.

154. *Non-resident Shareholders must register addresses in Ceylon.*—Every Shareholder resident out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notice.

All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

ARBITRATION.

155. *Directors may refer disputes to arbitration.*—Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

EVIDENCE.

156. *Evidence in action by Company against Shareholders.*—On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought or instituted by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover any debt or money claimed to be due to the Company in respect of his shares, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the defendant is or was when the claim arose on the Register of Shareholders of the Company as a holder of the number of shares in respect of which such claim is made, and that the amount claimed is not entered as paid in the books of the Company; and it shall not be necessary to prove the registration of the Company, nor the appointment of the Directors who made any call, nor that a quorum of Directors was present at the Board at which any call was made, nor that the meeting at which any call was made was duly convened or constituted, nor any other matter whatsoever, but the proof aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.

PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

157. *Purchase of Company's property by Shareholders.*—Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, or whether alone or jointly with any other Shareholder or Director, and any person not a Shareholder, may become the purchaser of the property of the Company or any part thereof, in the event of a winding up or a dissolution, or at any other time when a sale of the Company's property or effects or any part thereof shall be made by the Directors under the powers hereby or under the Ordinance conferred upon them.

158. *Distribution.*—If the Company shall be wound up and there shall be any surplus assets after payment of all debts and satisfaction of all liabilities of the Company, such surplus assets shall be applied, first, in repaying to the holders of the preference shares (if any) the amounts that may be due to them, whether by way of capital only or by way of capital and dividend or arrears of dividend or otherwise in accordance with the rights, privileges, and conditions attached thereto, and the balance in repaying to the holders of the ordinary shares the amounts paid up or reckoned as paid up on such ordinary shares. If after such payments there shall remain any surplus assets, such surplus assets shall be divided among ordinary Shareholders in proportion to the capital paid up, or reckoned as paid up, on the shares which are held by them respectively at the commencement of the winding up, unless the conditions attached to the preference shares expressly entitle such shares to participate in such surplus assets.

159. *Payment in specie, and vesting in trustees.*—If the Company shall be wound up, the liquidator, whether voluntary or official, may, with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may, with their sanction, vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator, with like sanction, shall think fit.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names, at Colombo, this Thirty-first day of December, One thousand Nine hundred and Nineteen.

A. M. MAITLAND, by his attorney A. D. SKRINE.

A. D. SKRINE.

R. H. SKRINE, by his attorney A. D. SKRINE.

G. R. WHITBY.

EDMUND T. F. S. HARVEY.

REPTON WEBER.

W. A. MARTIN.

L. S. SMITH.

Witness to the signatures of the above-named A. M. MAITLAND, A. D. SKRINE, R. H. SKRINE, G. R. WHITBY, EDMUND T. F. S. HARVEY, REPTON WEBER, W. A. MARTIN, and L. S. SMITH.

[Second Publication.]

LESLIE W. F. DE SARAM,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GRAND CENTRAL STORES, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company: "GRAND CENTRAL STORES, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established at No. 20, Norris road, Pettah, Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are:—
 - (a) To carry on and engage themselves in the business of merchants, exporters, and importers, wholesale and retail dealers in general provisions, produce commodities, necessaries of life, and articles of all kinds, whether of manufactured, sale production or otherwise which can be easily carried on by the Company in accordance with any of the Company's objects or for the profitable use of any of the Company's property for the time being.
 - (b) 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.
 - (c) To purchase the stock in trade and fittings of the business known as "The Grand Central Stores," No. 20, Norris road, on December 31, 1919, at cost price and book debts to be bought at $\frac{2}{3}$ of the actual amount due and the goodwill for Rs. 2,000 payment to be made partly in shares of the limited company and the balance in cash.
 - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, managers, clerks, coolies and others, labourers and servants, and to remunerate any such or the widow or child of any such.
 - (e) To establish in Ceylon branch establishments and (or) agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any part thereof.
 - (f) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purpose of the Company.

- (g) To 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 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.
- (h) 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 clauses (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 divided into Thousand shares of Rupees fifty each, with power to increase.
6. 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 respectfully agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite to our respective names:—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.		Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
1.	R. E. DE ZOYSA, Colombo	One
2.	S. P. D. S. GOONASEKERA, Seiduwa	One
3.	R. H. DE ZOYSA, Colombo	One
4.	SHERMAN DE ZYLVA, Colombo	One
5.	K. PAULIS PERERA, Nugegoda	One
6.	D. MIRANDO, Colombo	One
7.	J. COORAY, Cotta	One
Total Shares taken		Seven

Witness to the above signatures:

N. JNO. S. COORAY.

Signed at Hultsdorf on this 12th day of December, 1919.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GRAND CENTRAL STORES, LIMITED.

It is agreed that the regulations contained in the Table "C" in the schedule annexed to the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861, subject to the hereinafter mentioned modifications, shall be deemed to be the regulations of the Company.

The modifications are as follows:—

Issuing and transferring shares.—Every instrument of transfer shall be left at the office of the Company for approval by the Directors, accompanied by such evidence as may be required by the Directors to prove the title of the Transferor. If the transfer be approved, such approval shall be certified in writing under the hand of two of the Directors endorsed on such instrument of transfer, and the Company shall thereupon register the Transferee as a Shareholder. If the transfer be not approved of the proposed transfer shall be absolutely void, and notice of non-approval shall be sent to the Shareholder intending to transfer such shares. If no notice of non-approval shall be sent to the Shareholder within thirty days the transfer shall be deemed to have been approved. Shareholders who are employed in the Company cannot sell or transfer their shares as long as they are employed by the Company.

General Meetings.—No business shall be transacted at any meeting except the declaration of a dividend unless a quorum of Shareholders is present at the commencement of such business and seventeen Shareholders shall form a quorum.

One Share One Vote.—Each Shareholder shall be entitled to one vote for every share held by him.

Proxies and Agents.—Each Shareholder shall be entitled to have a representative or proxy (duly authorized and notified to the Company beforehand) at all meetings which he does not personally attend. Such representative or proxy must himself be a Shareholder. Any Shareholder resident out of the Island must authorize a representative, agent, or attorney with an address within the Island to receive on his behalf all such notices as the Company is bound to give to Shareholders, and must register such agent's address at the Company's office, and any such Shareholder failing to do so shall be regarded as having dispensed with notice. Every person who, by operation of law, by transfer, or other means, shall become entitled to any share shall be bound by any and every notice or other document which, previous to his name and address being entered on the Company's register of shares, shall already have been given to the person from whom he desires his title.

When any notice or document is delivered or sent, in accordance with these presents, to the registered address of a Shareholder or of a Shareholder's registered agent, then, notwithstanding his being then deceased, and whether or not the Company shall have had notice of his decease, such delivery or despatch of the notice or document shall for all purposes be deemed sufficient service thereof on his heirs, executors, and administrators.

Directors.—The number of Directors shall be five, three of whom shall form a quorum, and the Directors for the first year shall be those who have been appointed by the subscribers hereof. Every Director shall hold in his own name and not jointly with another not less than twenty shares in the Company.

Powers of Directors.—Directors shall have the power to do the following things in the name and on behalf of the Company.

From time to time to appoint or renew such officers of the Company as they may deem expedient, and to appoint an attorney or attorneys under the seal of the Company as they deem necessary, to act specially on behalf of the Company out of the Island, and to revoke such appointments and to appoint or remove one or more of their number as Managing Director, and to fix salaries of such persons. The Directors have the power to raise loans up to Rs. 10,000 for the benefit of the Company.

Management.—The Managing Director and the Secretary is to be in sole charge of the management of the business and to hold each not less than Rs. 2,000 worth of shares in the Company, their services cannot be discontinued by the Company unless the business shows a loss for two consecutive years.

To purchase or take on lease any land or other real or personal property that they may think requisite or desirable for the purpose of the Company.

To execute all deeds, receipts, and other documents that they may deem necessary and for that purpose to use the seal of the Company.

To refer disputes to arbitration, to compromise any debt or claim due to or by the Company, to give time to any debtor for the payment of his debt.

To bring or defend or abandon any action, suit, or prosecution or other legal proceedings and to accept responsibility for the acts of officers of the Company.

To carry into effect all or any of the objects of the Company as expressed in the Memorandum of Association, and to exercise all or any of the powers there by given to the Company, provided, however, that the seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of at least one Director and the Secretary, who shall attest to the seal thereof. And provided further that all moneys, except the moneys required for current expenses, shall from time to time be deposited by the Directors with Bankers of the Company to the account of the Grand Central Stores, Ltd., and cheques shall be signed and all bills drawn, accepted, and endorsed, by the Managing Director and the Secretary. And provided also that the Directors shall not have the power to purchase shares of the Company on behalf of themselves or others with the Company's funds.

Periods of Meeting.—The Directors shall meet at least once in every three months. Shareholders shall meet ordinarily as soon after the 31st December in each year as soon as the books of the Company shall have been closed.

An Extraordinary General Meeting shall be convened whenever eleven Shareholders sign a requisition thereof.

The Directors shall at least seven days prior to the Annual General Meeting give or send to the registered address of every Shareholder, or in the case of Shareholders out of the Island to their registered agents or attorneys as hereinbefore provided, a correct statement of the financial affairs of the Company covering the previous year's working and their assets, liabilities recokoned up to the said 31st December duly audited by a public accountant or accountants, and shall submit the same at the meeting, together with any further informations likely to forward the welfare and interest of the Company.

In witnesses whereof the subscribers of the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set their hands, subscribed their names, at Hulftsdorf on the 12th day of December, 1919.

R. E. DE ZOYSA.
S. P. D. S. GUNASEKERA.
R. H. DE ZOYSA.
SHERMAN DE ZYLVA.
K. PAULIS PERERA.
D. MIRANDO.
J. COORAY.

Witness to the above signatures :

N. JNO. S. COORAY,
Notary Public.

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The Vykumbra Rubber Company, Limited.

An Extraordinary General Meeting will be held at 3 P.M. on Tuesday, February 10, 1920, at Gonakelle, Passara.

Agenda.

To confirm the resolution.

To transfer the registered office of the Company from Passara to Colombo,

D. G. NORMAN,
Manager.

January 23, 1920.

The Tempestove Estate Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 9, 1920, at 12.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the season ending December 31, 1919.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
4. To transact such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,
Colombo, January 28, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Ceylon Sugar Refineries, Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Ceylon Sugar Refineries, Ltd., in liquidation, will be held at the registered office of the Company, York street, Colombo, on Wednesday, February 18, 1920, at noon, for the following purposes, viz. :—

To receive and consider the statement of accounts at September 18, 1918.

To receive the Liquidator's report and accounts from commencement of liquidation to December 31, 1919.

O. T. MACDERMOTT,
Colombo, January 30, 1920. Liquidator.

The British Aerated and Mineral Water Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the British Aerated and Mineral Water Company, Limited, will be held at the registered office of

the Company, No. 35A, Glennie street, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, February 14, 1920, at 9.30 A.M., when the following resolution, which was passed by the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on January 5, 1920, will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution :—

"That the Company be liquidated voluntarily, and that the liquidator be authorized to transfer the undertaking, property, and assets, except cash in hand and in the Bank of the Company, to the New Colombo Ice Company, Limited, in terms of the resolution passed by the Shareholders of the Company on December 15, 1919."

Should the said resolution be confirmed, a further resolution will be proposed at the same time for the appointment of a Liquidator, and for fixing his remuneration.

By order of the Board,

M. VON POSSNER,
Colombo, January 28, 1920. Secretary.

The Colombo Launch Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held on Wednesday, February 11, 1920, at 12 noon, at the registered office of the Company, Australia Buildings, York street, Colombo.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1919.
 2. To declare a dividend.
 3. To elect a Director.
 4. To appoint Auditors.
- To transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 9 to 11, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

CARSON & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, January 30, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Upper Maskeliya Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-eighth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, February 7, 1920, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1919.

2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 26 to February 7, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1920.

The Brayton (Ceylon) Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-seventh Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, February 7, 1920, at 11.15 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1919.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 27 to February 7, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1920.

The Dorset Rubber Estate Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, February 7, 1920, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the account for the twelve months ended December 31, 1919.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 31 to February 7, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1920.

The Lady Havelock Gardens Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-fourth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, February 7, 1920, at 11.45 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1919.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 31 to February 7, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1920.

Auction Sale of Four Pieces of Valuable Lands at Hakwadunna and Weragoda in the Udugaha Pattu of Siyane Korale and Yatigaha Pattu of Hapitigam Korale

Under Mortgage Decree

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 49,537 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, February 21, 1920, commencing at 2 P.M., at the respective spots.

(a) The land called Kahatagahawatta, situated at Hakwadunna, in the Udugaha pattu of Siyane korale, containing in extent about 1 acre.

(b) The land called Kahatagahawatta, situated at Hakwadunna aforesaid, containing in extent about 1 acre.

(c) A portion of land called Kongahawatta, situated at Weragoda, in Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, containing in extent about $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre.

(d) The land called Patakandehena, comprising 3 allotments, with the trees thereon, situated at Weragoda aforesaid, containing in extent 3 acres and 4 perches.

For further particulars apply to J. H. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, or—

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Auctioneer and Broker.

8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale of a Valuable Coconut Estate known as Cappitawattaa alias "De Wekkensterg," of the extent of 25 acres and 3 roods, and a Property of 2 acres, situated at Kandana

Under Mortgage Decree

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 52,556 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, February 28, 1920, commencing at 3 P.M., at the respective spots.

(1) All those the specific allotments of land marked 1, 2, 3, 4, and 12 in the plan thereof dated August 31, 1895, made by Mr. A. E. van Rooijen Surveyor, and known as Cappitawattaa alias "De Wekkensterg," together with the trees, plantations, and buildings thereon, situated at Kandana, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, Colombo District, containing in extent 41 acres and 3 roods, save and excluding therefrom a defined portion of land from the western side marked A in plan dated April 1 and 5, 1911, made by Mr. D. M. Wijeratne, Surveyor, in extent 16 acres.

(2) The southern half part or share from the garden called Gorakagahawatta and of plantations and everything thereon, situated at Batugama or Kandana aforesaid, containing in extent 2 acres more or less.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Rajanathan & Raju, Proctors and Notaries, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, or—

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Auctioneer and Broker.

8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale of Valuable Premises bearing Assesment No. 241, situated at Colombo Street in Kandy.

Under Partition Ordinance

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 35,439 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by auction on Tuesday, March 16, 1920, at 5 P.M., at my office, No. 8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

All that house and ground bearing assesment No. 241, situated at Colombo street in Kandy, containing in extent 6 $\frac{44}{100}$ perches.

The said premises will be first put up for sale among the co-owners thereof at the price at which the same has been valued, and if not purchased by any co-owner will immediately thereafter be put up for sale by public auction to the highest bidder.

For further particulars apply to S. M. Ismail, Esq., Proctor, Colombo, or—

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Commissioner and Auctioneer.

8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

**Auction Sale of a Valuable Property at Vincent Street,
New Bazaar, Colombo.**

Under Mortgage Decree.

M. T. T. K. L. Sevukam Chetty of Sea street in
Colombo Plaintiff.

D. C. No. 50, 1918. Vs.

M. Peer Mohamado of Maliban street, in Colombo, and
others Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case, we shall sell by public auction, on Wednesday, February 25, 1920, at 5 P.M., at the spot for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,667.17, and interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from June 28, 1918, till payment in full and cost of suit and subject to a primary mortgage on which decree has been entered in action No. 51,857 of the said District Court, and on which decree there is now due the sum of Rs. 10,575, and interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from November 29, 1918, and cost of suit:—All those two contiguous allotments of land, with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, forming one property bearing assessment Nos. 4A and 4B, situated at Vincent street, New Bazaar, containing in extent 1 acre and 31 perches.

For further particulars apply to W. Sathasivam, Esq.,
Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to the undersigned.

4, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo. A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
P'hone 289. Auctioneers and Brokers.

**Auction Sale of a Coconut Property called and known as
Manchadi Cholai Estate, situated at Manchadi, in
the District of Puttalam.**

In the District Court of Colombo.

Don Simon Wijeweera Samarakone of Borella, in
Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 50,378, Cl. VI. Vs.

Augustine Labre Emmanuel Joseph Brito of Retreat
road, Bambalapitiya Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case, I shall sell by public auction at my rooms, No. 4, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, February 28, 1920, at 12 noon:—

1. One undivided third part or share of and in an undivided 79 acres 2 roods and 5 perches more or less of and in all that and those the estate, plantation, and premises called and known as Manchadi Cholai estate, situated at Manchadi, in the village Tettapalai, in the District of Puttalam, in extent 358 acres and 36 perches.

2. One undivided third part or share of and in all that portion of land called Maligachena, situated at Manchadi, being a portion of the estate and premises called Manchadi Cholai, containing in extent 39 acres 3 roods and 20 perches.

3. One undivided eighteenth part or share of and in all those allotments of land and premises called and known as Udayakulam, Udachiyarkulam, and Melappenkulam, situated at Puttampattuwa, containing in extent 93 acres.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. Weerasooria & Somanathupillai, Proctors and Notaries, Colombo.

4, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo. A. Y. DANIEL,
P'hone 289. of A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
Auctioneers and Brokers.

Auction Sale of a Valuable Land at Layard's Broadway.

In the District Court of Colombo.

A. V. Sola of Batticaloa Plaintiff.

No. 53,737. Vs.

W. L. Isabella Perera of Jayawardene Gardens, Layard's
broadway Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of decree entered in this case, and commission issued to me, I shall put up for sale

by public auction on Saturday, February 21, 1920, at 3 P.M., at the spot:—

All that allotment of land, with the buildings thereon, bearing assessment No. 38, situated at Layard's Broadway; bounded on the north-east by the land of Meera Lebbe Marikar Wappu Lebbe Marikar, deceased, and his brother Meera Lebbe Marikar Ahamad Mohideen, now the property of N. Pitchy, on the south by Layard's Broadway, on the south-west by the property of E. Mohamad Mohideen and the grass field of E. Mohamad Mohideen, and on the north-west by the grass field of Mammoonena Pulle Marikar Uduma Lebbe Marikar, now to Etoris Baas; containing in extent 1 rood 2 23/100 perches.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. de Vos & Gratiaen, Proctors and Notaries, 135, Hulftsdorp street, or to me:

R. C. HEYZER,
41, Darley road. Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Properties at Horagolla
and Halpanwela in the District of Chilaw.**

UNDER decree in case No. 13,859, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Muna Runa Rawanna Mana Muna Runa Ramen Chetty of Negombo against the defendant Patiraja Ratnayaka Pitige Don Migel Perera Appuhamy of Horagolla, 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. 1,919 dated December 23, 1916, and attested by D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Notary, by public auction, at the respective spots, on Friday, February 20, 1920, to wit:—

At 3 P.M.

(1) All that divided north-western portion of the land called Kahatagahawatta, depicted as lot S 169, situated at Horagolla, in Yatakalan pattu of Pitigal korale, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province, in extent 3 acres more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 3.15 P.M.

(2) All that allotment of land called Indikanatta alias Polgahaowita, situate at Horagolla aforesaid, in extent 3 acres more or less, with the buildings standing thereon.

At 4 P.M.

(3) From and out of all that allotment of land called Horagahawatta (being a divided portion thereof), situate at Pussellakatua, appertaining to the village Halpanwela, in Yatakalan pattu aforesaid, containing in extent 3 acres more or less, the undivided extent of 1 acre towards the north, with the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from Messrs. Amerasinghe and Ranasinghe, Proctors and Notaries, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Negombo, January 27, 1920. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

UNDER decree in case No. 13,946, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Kawanna Suna Pana Suna Supperamaniam Chetty of Negombo, against the defendant Halpage Appusingho of 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 mortgaged by bonds Nos. 375 and 539, dated May 15, 1917, and February 25, 1919, respectively, and attested by G. de Zoysa, Notary, by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, February 21, 1920, commencing at 3 P.M., viz:—

(1) All that allotment of land called Kongahalanda, situate at Tammita, in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 7 perches.

(2) All that allotment of land called Tammittagodella, situate at Tammita aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 33 perches.

(3) All that undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of the land called Kongahawatta, situate at Tammita aforesaid, containing in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 37 perches, excluding therefrom an extent of 27 perches on the south and also 8 jak trees from the remaining portion.

(4) All that undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the lot bearing No. 9237 of the land called Horagahalanda, situate at Tammita aforesaid, containing in extent 2 acres and 14 perches more or less.

Further particulars from G. de Zoysa, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, January 27, 1920.

Auction Sale.

UNDER decree in case No. 13,410, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Mr. Sylvester Claude Samoni, Proctor, Negombo, against the defendants (1) Nettikumara Hathmallage Rosamaria Hamine and husband (2) Ganelachi Warnakulasuriya Loluagodage Don Velantine, both of Minuwangoda, 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. 30, dated December 5, 1917, and attested by J. D. Lorange, Notary, by public auction, at the respective spots, on Monday, February 23, 1920, viz. :—

At 4 P.M.

(1) An undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ of an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share from and out of the field called Halgahakumbura, situate at Petiagoda, in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, in extent 16 kurunies of paddy sowing ground.

At 4.30 P.M.

(2) The western undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share bordering the southern boundary out of the three undivided portions of an extent of half an acre bordering the eastern boundary of the land called Peellawatta, situate at Petiagoda aforesaid, the entire land is in extent 5 acres more or less.

Further particulars from L. C. E. Karunaratna, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, January 27, 1920.

Auction Sale of Properties at Kohombapola in the Kurunegala District.

BY virtue of the decree entered of record in case No. 26,822 of the Court of Requests of Negombo in favour of the plaintiff Mihidukulasuriya Manuel Kurera of Negombo against the defendants (1) Imiya Mudiyanse-lage Appuhamy and surety (2) Imiya Mudiyanse-lage Cornelis Appuhamy, both of Kohombapola, and the order to sell issued to me thereunder for the recovery of the claim, interest, and costs, appearing therein, I shall sell, at the respective spots, by public auction the following premises mortgaged by bond No. 6,077, dated November 8, 1912, attested by M. P. E. Fernando, Notary Public :—

On Wednesday, February 25, 1920, at 10.30 A.M.

(1) The land called Elowitzawelismaththehena, situated at Kohombapola, in Katugampola Meda pattu korale of the Katugampola hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, containing in extent about 1 acre.

At 11 A.M.

(2) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Deniyakumbura, situated at Kohombapola aforesaid, containing in extent 2 parras of paddy sowing ground.

Further particulars from S. K. Wijeratnam, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Negombo, or from—

M. P. KURERA,
Negombo, January 27, 1920. Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Properties at Pannala in the District of Kurunegala.

UNDER and by virtue of the decrees in case No. 12,901 of the District Court of Negombo in favour of the plaintiff Mihidukulasuriya Manuel Kurera of Negombo against the defendants (1) Adikari Mudiyanse-lage John Sinno Appuhamy, (2) Patirannehelage Ukku Menika, and (3) Patirannehelage Appuhamy, all of Pannala, and the order to sell issued to me thereunder, I shall sell by public auction, for the recovery of the claim and costs therein stated, the under-mentioned properties specially mortgaged by bond No. 7,438, dated July 17, 1914, attested by M. P. E. Fernando, Notary Public, at the respective respects :—

On Wednesday, February 25, 1920, commencing at 2.30 P.M.

1. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Talagahamulawatta, situated at Pannala, in Katugampola Meda pattu korale of the Katugampola hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, containing in extent 1 measure of kurakkan sowing ground more or less.

2. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Talagahamulawatta, situated at Pannala aforesaid, containing in extent 2 measures of kurakkan sowing ground.

3. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Lunawatta, situated at Pannala aforesaid, containing in extent about 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing ground.

4. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Mahakumbura, situated at Pannala aforesaid, containing in extent about 2 pelas of paddy sowing ground.

5. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Mahakumbura, situated at Pannala aforesaid, containing in extent about 6 pelas of paddy sowing ground.

6. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Pepolanpoththekumbura, situated at Pannala aforesaid, containing in extent 1 pela of paddy sowing ground.

7. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Pepolanpoththekumbura, situated at Pannala aforesaid, containing in extent about 1 pela of paddy sowing ground.

Further particulars from S. K. Wijeratnam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,
Negombo, January 27, 1920. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Madurachcharige Juana Fernando of Kurunegala, administratrix of the Intestate Estate of Kapurawarige Manuel Fernando Annavi of Battawa, deceased Plaintiff.

No. 13,663.

Vs.

Warnakulasuriya Waleriyano Augustino Fernando of Palagature Defendant.

UNDER mortgage decree in the above case, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, at 4 P.M., on Friday, February 20, 1920, the under-mentioned property mortgaged as primary mortgage by mortgage bond No. 8,077, dated July 18, 1913, attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary Public, to wit :—

From and out of the land called Kadurugahalanda, in extent of about 1 acre and 2 roods. (excluding the land including in the railway line), the remaining land and another portion of land called Kadurugahalanda, in extent

or about 1 rood (excluding the railway line), thus from the herein-mentioned two contiguous portions forming one land, situated at Palagatura, in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, excluding the portion towards the eastern side of the railway line sold by the debtor, the remaining land in extent about 3 roods.

For further particulars apply to L. C. E. Karunaratna, Esq., Proctor, and Notary, Negombo, or to me:

K. L. PEREIRA,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, January 26, 1920.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Kana Runa Muna Kithanna Thuna Alagappa Chetty of
Sea street, Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 53,385.

Vs.

(1) Mihindukulasuriya Liyanage Senu Peter Fernando,
Vidane Arachchi, and (2) Mihindukulasuriya
John Lucy Fernando, both of Chilaw Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree and order in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, February 23, 1920, commencing at 10 A.M., at their respective spots, all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendants in the following properties, viz. :—

1. All those two contiguous lots bearing 454 and 455 of the land called Iyannar Kovilkotuwa, situated at Timbilla, in Anaivilundan pattu of Pitigal korale north, in the Chilaw District; bounded on the north-east by the land called Mudaliawela belonging to the Crown, east by the land appearing in T. P. 134,930 and the footpath, south-east by the strip of land reserved along the Timbilla tank, south and south-west by a portion of this land bearing lot 456, now belonging to Palappen Murugappen, and on the north-west by the strip of land reserved along the road; containing in extent 9 acres and 22½ perches, and the plantations, productive trees, and buildings thereon.

At 1.30 P.M.

2. The garden situated at Pitipana street in Chilaw town aforesaid; bounded on the north by the land belonging to G. E. Fernando, east by the eaves of the houses belonging to the heirs of M. P. Perera and M. M. Fernando, south by lands belonging to the heirs of Joseph Fernando, Division Officer, and others, and on the west by the road; containing in extent 1 rood more or less, the undivided half share towards the southern boundary and all things thereon, such as plantations, productive trees, and buildings.

3. The gala land called Theliachchige gala, situated at Chilaw town aforesaid; bounded on the north by the gala land belonging to G. V. Perera, Proctor, east by the gala land of A. S. Fernando and others, south by the gala land belonging to the heirs of A. S. Pinto and the gala land belonging to Koththuwa Pallivasal, and on the west by the road leading to Puttalam; that of the gala which is of the extent of two thousand four hundred tobacco plants plantable soil at the distance of three and a half English feet apart from each other, the undivided one-sixth share towards the northern side, or the undivided allotment of the gala land of the extent of four hundred tobacco plants plantable soil; together with all the things.

C. RANARATNAM,
Auctioneer.

Negombo, January 26, 1920.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Velupillai Kandiah of Vannarponnai East, Jaffna. Plaintiff.

No. 13,615.

Vs.

Annapillai, wife of Sayampunathar of Vannarponnai
East, Jaffna Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case on January 5, 1920, from the

District Judge of Jaffna, I shall sell by public auction, at the spots, on Saturday, February 7, 1920, commencing at 2 P.M., the following property declared and specially bound and executable under decree in the said case :—

Lands referred to.

(a) All those parcels of land called "Kampanpulam," in extent 17 lachams varagu culture and "Kampanvayal," in extent 5 lachams paddy culture and 1 kuly both forming one block; containing a total extent of 22 lachams varagu culture and paddy culture, and 1 kuly, with stone built houses, portico, kitchen, wells, palmrahs, and other cultivated and spontaneous plants, situated at Vannarponnai East, in the parish of Vannarponnai, in the division and district of Jaffna, Northern Province; and bounded on the east and north by road, on the west by the property of the heirs of the late Ramanathar Vallipuram, and on the south by the property of Nagamuttu, widow of Vairavy.

(b) All that piece of land called "Kaladdy Mailan Valavoo" and "Odai Mailan Valavoo," in extent 5 lachams varagu culture, with godown, building, well, and cultivated and spontaneous plants, situated at Vannarponnai East as aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the property of the heirs of the late Kumaraswamy Modr. Kathiravelpillai, on the north by road, on the west and south by the property of Paramasamy Kurukkal Sellakurukkal.

Apply for further particulars to Mr. S. Cumarasurier, Proctor, Supreme Court, Front street, Jaffna, or to the undersigned:

Martyn's road, G. A. TISSEVERASINGHE,
Jaffna, January 6, 1920. Commissioner.

**Auction Sale of Lands at Tholpuram and Manippay,
in the District of Jaffna.**

UNDER decree in case No. 14,008, D. C., Jaffna, entered in favour of the plaintiff Kiruddinar Kadiresapillai of Vannarponnai West, against the defendants Vairavanadar Murugesu of Manippay and others, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned lands, by public auction, on Friday, February 20, 1920, commencing at 3.30 P.M. :—

1. Land situated at Tholpuram called Kanalavattai in extent 8½ lachams varagu culture, with its appurtenances; and bounded on the east by the property of Arumugam Chellappah, north by the property of Chellam, wife of Appapillai, west by the property of Arumugam Kiriddinapillai, and south by the property of Muttuppillai, widow of Ramalingam. The whole hereof.

2. Land situated at Manippay called Thoranaollai, in extent 8 lachams varagu culture, with well, cultivated and spontaneous plantations; and bounded on the east and west by the property of Chuppiramaniar Mathiaparanam, north by the property of Chinnathurai Mathar, and on the south by lane, out of this land an extent of 2½ lachams varagu culture, that is to say, 5/16 share, with ½ share of the well and its appurtenances.

C. RASANAYAGAM,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

UNDER decree entered against Ahamadolebbe Marakar Ahamado Meerasaiboelebbe of Kattankudy administrator of the estate of late A. M. Mohamado Ismaev and by virtue of an order issued to me in case No. 4,805 D. C., Batticaloa, I shall sell, at the spot, the following lands, specially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount mentioned in the said decree :—

On Friday, February 20, 1920, at 9 A.M.

1. The northern share called Vadapurathupangutot to 6 lots, forming into one coconut estate, known as Chinn

Etalai, situated at Puthukudy in Manmunai pattu, Batticaloa; and bounded on the north by the estate of M. K. P. H. Ahamadolebbe, south by the southern share of this estate belonging to A. M. Ahamado Meerasaiboelvai, east by land of A. Adamlevvai and U. Meerasaiboepodi Aadgear, and west by land belonging to P. H. Sembapody and others, in extent 16 acres and 30 perches, with coconut plantations.

On Saturday, February 21, 1920, at 10 A.M.

2. The land called Thoonpoddathottumunmari, situated at Mawadimunmari in Manmunai pattu, Batticaloa; bounded on the north by Manatputti-aar, south by the land of W. Meerasaibo, east by Crown land, and west by the land hereunder described, in extent 18 acres, with its inlets, outlets, and all rights.

3. A parcel of land called Thoonpoddathottumunmari, situated at Mawadimunmari, in Manmunai pattu, Batticaloa; bounded on the north by aar, south and east by the other share of land belonging to A. M. Ahamado Meerasaiboelvai, and west by the land of U. Meerasaibo and the share of the land belonging to A. M. Ahamado Meerasaibo, in extent 8 acres, with its inlets, outlets, and all rights.

Batticaloa, January 24, 1920. B. P. BARTHELOT.

Sale by Auction under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Sina Thana Vianna Rana Sidambaram Chetty, by his attorney Sina Thana Vianna Rana Ramasamy Pillai of Puttalam Plaintiff.

No. 3,300. Vs.

(1) Piche Tamby Mohamado Naina and wife (2) Panicker Pathumuttoo, both of Karativu, in Pomparippu pattu Defendants.

BY virtue of the order that has been directed to me by the District Court of Puttalam, in the above case, I hereby give notice that I will put up for sale by public auction the following property, on the date and at the hour mentioned below, at the spot, viz. :—

February 9, 1920, at 1 P.M.

1. The land bearing lot No. 337, mentioned in preliminary plan 3,911 called and known as Makilamvillokado, situate at Karativu, in Pomparippu pattu, in Kalpitiya division, in Puttalam District, North-Western Province, the extent of this is 4 acres 1 rood and 24 perches; boundaries are: on the north and west by Crown land called Makilamvillokado, on the east and south by land lot No. 338 mentioned in preliminary plan 3,911. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the contents within these boundaries.

February 11, 1920, at 1 P.M.

2. The coconut garden called Moondrumoolavun-kany, situated at Manjadychollai, in the village Pulithivial, in Akkarai pattu south, in Puttalam division, in Puttalam District, North-Western Province, containing in extent about $\frac{1}{2}$ acres; boundaries are: on the north by garden belonging to Meera Saibo Naina Mohamado Lebbe and others, east by reservation, south by garden belonging to Sego Mohamado Casim and others, and west by garden belonging to Piche Tamby Kuppe and others. The entire land within these boundaries.

February 11, 1920, at 1.30 P.M.

3. The coconut garden called Moondrumoolaitotem, situated at the aforesaid village Pulithivial, containing in extent about $\frac{1}{2}$ acre; boundaries: north by land belonging to Meerasaibo Naina Mohamado Lebbe and others, east and west by lands belonging to Piche Tamby Kuppe and others, and south by garden belonging to Cader Saibo Sego. An undivided $\frac{2}{5}$ th share.

February 9, 1920, at 1.30 P.M.

4. The land bearing lot No. 337, mentioned in preliminary plan 3,911, called and known as Makilamvillokado, situated at the village Karativu, in Pomparippu pattu,

in Kalpitiya division, in the aforesaid district, containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 24 perches; boundaries: north and west by Crown jungle called Maikulamvillokado, east and south by land lot No. 338, mentioned in preliminary plan 3,911. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the entirety within these boundaries, together with the singular and plantations therein, the crops and produce thereof, and all right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendants in, to, upon, or out of the said proceeds applied in and towards the payments of the said amount, interest, and costs.

Further particulars apply to W. S. Strong, Esq., Crown Proctor, Puttalam, or to the undersigned:

P. M. M. CADER SAIBO MARAKAR,
Puttalam, January 23, 1920. Auctioneer.

Sale by Auction under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Sena Muna Ana Lana Alagappa Chetty by his attorney Sina Muna Ana Lana Angamuttoo Pillai of Puttalam Plaintiff.

No. 3,208. Against

Ali Uduman Marikar Naina Lebbe Marakar of Thely Defendant.

BY virtue of the order that has been directed to me by the District Court of Puttalam, in the above case, I hereby give notice that I will put up for sale by public auction the following property, on the date and at the hour mentioned below, at the spot, viz. :—

February 13, 1920, at 2 P.M.

1. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the coconut garden called "Vendipiriviotem," situate at Karukkativu, in the village of Nachehikkali, in Akkarai pattu of Kalpitiya division, in Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, containing in extent about 7 acres; and bounded on the north and east by the land belonging to Mohamadali Mohamado Meera Lebbe and others, on the south by Yakkarai (marshy plain), and on the west by the land belonging to Ali Uduman Sego Ismail Marakar and others.

February 13, 1920, at 12 noon.

2. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the coconut garden called "Katkadatotem," situate at Kalkuda, in the pattu aforesaid, containing in extent about 500 acres; and bounded on the north by separate portions of land belonging to Muttoo Kandi Packir and others and by the lake, on the east by the lake, on the south by the garden belonging to Nalla Ossen Natchia and others, and on the west by sea, together with the young coconut plantation planted by Anthony Francis, the crops and produce thereof, and the building thereon and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendant in, to, upon, or out of the said proceeds applied in and towards the payment of the said amount, interest, and costs.

Further particulars apply to V. M. Anthonipillai, Esq., Proctor of the Supreme Court, Puttalam, or to the undersigned.

P. M. M. CADERSAIBO MARAKAR,
Puttalam, January 13, 1920. Auctioneer.

Cancellation of Power of Attorney.

THE public are hereby requested to take notice that the general power of attorney given by me, the undersigned, to Edward Peiris Ranasinghe of Karagampitiya, dated March 6, 1919, and attested by R. C. Perera, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, is hereby cancelled, and is of no avail.

RANASINGHE JAMES PEERIS APPUHAMY,
Karagampitiya, January 26, 1920.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

COLOMBO MUNICIPALITY.

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

R. N. WATKINS,
Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Council.
Colombo, January 22, 1920.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Saturday, February 21, 1920.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	<i>Wall street.</i>	A.M.
1932-1936/44	4th quarter, 1918	.. 7
1972/52A	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7. 5
1975/58B	.. Do. ..	.. 7.10
1974/58c	.. Do. ..	.. 7.15
	<i>Wasala road.</i>	
2011/67	..3rd quarter, 1916, to 4th quarter, 1918.	7.20
	<i>Pansala road.</i>	
2206/89	..4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1918.	7.25
	<i>Wasala road.</i>	
2232/16B	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 7.30
	<i>Wall street.</i>	
1977/61	..Riot damages, 1917	.. 7.35
1980/62c	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.40
1981/65	.. Do. ..	.. 7.45
1982/66	.. Do. ..	.. 7.50
1984/66A	.. Do. ..	.. 7.55
	<i>Wasala road.</i>	
2007/64A	..1st to 4th quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 8
2009/65A	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 8. 5
2009A/65	.. Do. ..	.. 8.10
2014/67c	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.15
	<i>Wall street.</i>	
2035/84	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.20
2036/85	.. Do. ..	.. 8.25
2037/86	.. Do. ..	.. 8.30
2038/87	.. Do. ..	.. 8.35
2039/88	.. Do. ..	.. 8.40
2040/80	.. Do. ..	.. 8.45
2041/90	.. Do. ..	.. 8.50
2042/91	.. Do. ..	.. 8.55
	<i>Kotahena street.</i>	
2104/31	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9
	<i>Mayfield road.</i>	
2142/42	..2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9. 5
2151/5	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.10
	<i>Wasala road.</i>	
2157/13-15	4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.15
2158/15A	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.20
2159/15B	.. Do. ..	.. 9.25
2163/46A	.. Do. ..	.. 9.30
2164/46B	.. Do. ..	.. 9.35
2165/46c	.. Do. ..	.. 9.40
2166/46D	.. Do. ..	.. 9.45
2167/46c	.. Do. ..	.. 9.50
	<i>Pansala road.</i>	
2177/80	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.55
2226/46	.. Do. ..	..10

Date of Sale : Monday, February 23, 1920.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	<i>Pickering's road.</i>	
2605/28	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	A. M. .. 7
2606/28	.. Do. ..	.. 7. 5
2617/28	.. Do. ..	.. 7.10
2618/28	.. Do. ..	.. 7.15
2621/28	.. Do. ..	.. 7.20
2622/28	.. Do. ..	.. 7.25
	<i>College street.</i>	
2515/20	..1st to 4th quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 7.30
	<i>Wasala road.</i>	
2121/27A	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.35
	<i>College street.</i>	
2502/10A	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.40
2506/7A	.. Do. ..	.. 7.45
	<i>Bonjean road.</i>	
2707/4	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.50
	<i>Mayfield road.</i>	
2266R/99	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.55
2267/98	.. Do. ..	.. 8
2267A/98	.. Do. ..	.. 8. 5
	<i>Kotahena street.</i>	
2322/52	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.10
2338/99B	.. Do. ..	.. 8.15
2340/99A	.. Do. ..	.. 8.20
2344/101	.. Do. ..	.. 8.25
2345/102	.. Do. ..	.. 8.30
2346/102	.. Do. ..	.. 8.35
2338A/107	.. Do. ..	.. 8.40
	<i>Santiago street.</i>	
2444/65A	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.45
2445/62	.. Do. ..	.. 8.50
2446/62A	.. Do. ..	.. 8.55
	<i>Mayfield road.</i>	
2261/103A	..Riot damages, 1916 and 1917	.. 9
	<i>St. Lucia's street.</i>	
1805/12	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9. 5
	<i>Wasala road.</i>	
2008/65	..1st to 4th quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 9.10
	<i>Kotahena street.</i>	
2322/52	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.15
2341/100	.. Do. ..	.. 9.20
2342/97	.. Do. ..	.. 9.25
2343/97A	.. Do. ..	.. 9.30
2389/106	.. Do. ..	.. 9.35
	<i>Pickering's road.</i>	
2394/6	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.40
	<i>College street.</i>	
2486/34	..4th quarter, 1916	.. 9.45
	<i>Santiago street.</i>	
2462/58	..2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.50
2471/56	..4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.55
	<i>College street.</i>	
2514/20	..4th quarter, 1918	..10

Date of Sale : Tuesday, February 24, 1920.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
	<i>College street.</i>	
2519/21	..1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7
	<i>Pickering's road.</i>	
2598-2599/28	3rd and 4th quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 7. 5
2604/28	.. Do. ..	.. 7.10
	<i>Ferguson's road.</i>	
952/16	..3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.15
953/16A	.. Do. ..	.. 7.20
964/13A	..1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.25
966/13c	..4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1918.	7.30
968/13D	..1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.35

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
1000/43	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.40	642J/18	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9
1001/43	.. Do.	.. 7.45	651/10	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.5
1002/43B	.. Do.	.. 7.50	665/24-24A	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.10
1015/62C	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.55	672/29A	.. Do.	.. 9.15
1016/60	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8	690/23A	.. Do.	.. 9.20
1017/60A	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.5	703/48B	.. Do.	.. 9.25
	<i>St. Mary's lane.</i>		703A/48A	.. Do.	.. 9.30
1024/49	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.10		<i>Nagalagam street.</i>	
1025/49B	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.15	713/17-17A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.35
1026/49F	.. Do.	.. 8.20	736/38	.. Do.	.. 9.40
1030/50	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.25	808-825/136-137	.. Do.	.. 9.45
1043/41C	.. Do.	.. 8.30	891/217	.. Do.	.. 9.50
1046/38B	.. Do.	.. 8.35	892/218	.. Do.	.. 9.55
1054/31	.. Do.	.. 8.40	895/221	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 10
	<i>Mattakkuliya.</i>		Date of Sale : Thursday, February 26, 1920.		
1057/51A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.45		<i>Nagalagam street.</i>	
	<i>St. Mary's lane.</i>		896/222	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1918	.. 7
1061/29	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.50	1364/208	.. 2nd to 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.5
1062/29G	.. Do.	.. 8.55	1369B/210	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.10
1067/25	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9		<i>Daniel's road.</i>	
1067A/25A	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.5	1390/173	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.15
	<i>Mattakkuliya.</i>		1398/169	.. 1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.20
1074/20A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.10	1399/168	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.25
	<i>Kelani-ganga Mill road.</i>		1400/167	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.30
1103/9-10	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 9.15	1403/164	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.35
1105/9	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.20	1406A/195	.. Do.	.. 7.40
1107/6	.. Do.	.. 9.25	1407/195A	.. Do.	.. 7.45
	<i>Fransawatta.</i>		1414/199A	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.50
1128/9	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.30	1419/93A	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.55
	<i>Tottewatta.</i>			<i>Madampitiya.</i>	
1145/35	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.35	1455/106A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8
1154/30	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.40		<i>Madampitiya Cemetery street</i>	
1170/11	.. Do.	.. 9.45	1529/73	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.5
1171/13	.. Do.	.. 9.50	1559/50	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.10
1175/10	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 9.55	1559A/50A	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.15
	<i>Vuistwyke.</i>		1598/14	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.20
1195/104	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 10		<i>Alutmawata.</i>	
	Date of Sale : Wednesday, February 25, 1920.		3056/120	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.25
	<i>Vuistwyke.</i>		3057/120A	.. Do.	.. 8.30
1197/106	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7	3049/118	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.35
	<i>Fransawatta.</i>		3055/235	.. Do.	.. 8.40
1128/9	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.5	3059/233	.. Do.	.. 8.45
	<i>Tottewatta.</i>		3059/131	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.50
1170/11	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.10	3085/137	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8.55
1171/13A	.. Do.	.. 7.15	3089/227	.. Do.	.. 9
	<i>Vuistwyke.</i>		3093/223	.. Do.	.. 9.5
1220/17	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.20		<i>Vine street.</i>	
1221/18	.. Do.	.. 7.25	3105/223	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.10
1222/19	.. Do.	.. 7.30		<i>Alutmawata.</i>	
	<i>Alutmawata.</i>		3120/210	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 9.15
1229/27	.. 1st to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.35	NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated rate due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rate and costs be duly paid.		
1229A/27A	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.40	R. N. WATKINS, Financial Assistant to the Chairman, The Municipal Office, Municipal Council. Colombo, January 23, 1920.		
1230/27B	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 7.45	SCHEDULE.		
	<i>Mattakkuliya.</i>		Date of Sale : Saturday, February 21, 1920.		
1239/36	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7.50		<i>Alston place.</i>	
1255/51	.. Do.	.. 7.55		Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
1257/47	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918	.. 8	579/5e	.. 4th quarter, 1918	.. 7
1263/54	.. Do.	.. 8.5	589/5D & 5E	.. 1st quarter, 1919	.. 7.5
1263A/54A	.. 2nd to 4th quarter, 1918	.. 8.10	581/5F	.. 1st quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919	.. 7.10
	<i>Alutmawata.</i>			<i>Hunupitiya.</i>	
1285/72	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 8.15	589/4	.. 2nd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919	.. 7.15
1291/79	.. Do.	.. 8.20	590/4	.. 1st quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919	.. 7.20
1299/76	.. Do.	.. 8.25			
1308/84	.. Do.	.. 8.30			
1309/85	.. Do.	.. 8.35			
1309A/85A	.. Do.	.. 8.40			
	<i>Ferguson's road.</i>				
1324A/52B	.. 3rd and 4th quarters, 1918, and riot damages, 1917	.. 8.45			
1325/52C	.. Do.	.. 8.50			
	<i>Layard's Broadway.</i>				
334/28-28A	.. 4th quarter, 1918, and riot damages, 1916 and 1917	.. 8.55			

<i>Hunupitiya.</i>			<i>Chapel lane.</i>		
Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
594/6	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.25	919/2	.. 3rd quarter, 1918; to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.45
595/6	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.30	921 to 924/4 & 5	.. 2nd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.50
<i>Lillie street.</i>			927/6B	.. Do.	9.55
674/1A	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.35	<i>Church street.</i>		
683/59	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.40	929 & 930	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	10
686/53A	.. 1st quarter, 1919	7.45	933/41	.. Do.	10.5
691/58	.. Do.	7.50	<i>Station passage.</i>		
<i>Church street.</i>			972/4	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	10.10
730/5	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.55	972A/4A	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	10.15
740/13	.. Do.	8	973/7	.. 1st quarter, 1919	10.20
741/14	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.5	<i>Chapel lane.</i>		
742/15	.. Do.	8.10	976 to 979/ 4/5	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	10.25
746/1B	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.15	<hr/>		
748/15	.. 1st quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.20	Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo on January 28, 1920.		
<i>Mosque lane.</i>			Wholesale. Retail.		
749 & 750/2 & 3	.. 2nd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.25	Rs. c. Per Measure Rs. c.		
752/4A	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919, and riot damages, 1917	8.35	Paddy, Country .. Bushel	..	..
754/4	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1919, and riot damages, 1917	8.45	Paddy, Imported .. do.	..	..
<i>Church street.</i>			Rice, Country .. do.	..	..
755/17	.. 3rd quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1919, and riot damages, 1917	8.55	Rice, Kara .. do.	..	..
762/23	.. 1st quarter, 1919	9	Rice, Kallunda .. do.	..	..
763/24	.. Do.	9.5	Rice, Sulai .. do.	..	..
765/26A	.. Do.	9.10	Rice, Muttusamba .. do.	..	..
766/26	.. Do.	9.15	Raw Rice (Rangoon) .. do.	..	..
767/26	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.20	Raw Rice (Singapore) .. do.	..	..
770A/5	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.25	Raw Rice (Batavia) .. do.	..	..
771/5A	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.30	Dholl (Thovaram) .. do.	..	0 34
<i>Stewart street.</i>			Dholl (Mysore) .. do.	..	0 25
782/15	.. 1st quarter, 1919	9.35	Green Peas .. do.	..	0 34
783/14	.. Do.	9.40	Ulundu .. do.	..	0 32
784/14	.. Do.	9.45	Gram .. do.	..	0 28
785/13	.. Do.	9.50	Wheat Flour ..	.. lb.	0 20
786/12	.. Do.	9.55	American Flour ..	.. do.	0 21
<i>Wekanda.</i>			Ghee, Cow ..	.. Seer	5 50
806/3	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	10	Ghee, Buffalo ..	.. do.	3 60
Date of Sale : Monday, February 23, 1920.			Milk ..	.. Bottle	0 30
<i>Wekanda.</i>			Potatoes (Indian) ..	.. lb.	0 17
808 & 809/5	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7	Potatoes (Bangalore) ..	.. do.	..
811/7	.. 1st quarter, 1919	7.5	Onions (Bombay) ..	.. do.	0 14
812A/8	.. Do.	7.10	Onions, Red ..	.. do.	0 10
812 to 814/8	.. Do.	7.15	Bread ..	.. 1-lb. loaf	0 18
223/16	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.20	Tea ..	.. lb.	0 72
824/16A	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.25	Coffee ..	.. do.	0 84
825/17	.. Do.	7.30	Limes ..	.. Dozen	0 8
829/20	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.35	Coconuts ..	.. Each	0 12
839/24A	.. 2nd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.40	Sugar, Soft ..	.. lb.	0 37
840/24	.. Do.	7.45	Sugar, Crepe ..	.. do.	0 37
841/25	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	7.50	Sugar (Ceylon) ..	.. do.	..
<i>Stewart place.</i>			Sugar Candy ..	.. do.	0 42
853 & 854/5	.. 1st quarter, 1919	7.55	Sugar, Brown ..	.. do.	..
<i>Church street.</i>			Salt ..	.. Measure	0 12
872 & 873/ 67	.. 2nd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8	Do. ..	.. lb.	0 6
874/68	.. Do.	8.5	Dried Chillies ..	.. do.	0 44
875/69	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.10	Coriander ..	.. do.	0 18
776/70	.. Do.	8.15	Pepper ..	.. Measure	0 56
777/70	.. Do.	8.20	Garlic ..	.. lb.	0 48
878/71	.. Do.	8.25	Mustard ..	.. Measure	0 44
879/71	.. Do.	8.30	Turmeric ..	.. lb.	0 22
880 to 882/72	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.35	Fenugreek ..	.. do.	0 18
885/75	.. Do.	8.40	Cummin ..	.. do.	0 44
887/77	.. 1st quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	8.45	Aniseed ..	.. do.	0 24
889/79A	.. Do.	8.50	Tamarind ..	.. do.	0 10
892/81	.. 1st quarter, 1919	8.55	Jaggery ..	.. Bundle	0 38
893/27	.. 3rd quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9	Gingelly ..	.. Seer	0 32
896/29	.. 1st quarter, 1919	9.5	Gingelly Oil ..	.. Bottle 88 to Re.	1-50
897/29	.. 1st quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.10	Coconut Oil ..	.. Measure	0 88
<i>Ahamat lane.</i>			Kerosine Oil, Day- light ..	.. Bottle	0 20
898/1	.. 1st quarter, 1919	9.15	Kerosine Oil, Mon- key Brand ..	.. do.	0 18
902/4	.. 1st quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.20	Matches, Three Stars ..	.. Packet of 12 boxes	0 20
905/7	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.25	Matches (Japanese) ..	.. do.	0 19
<i>Church street.</i>			Beef ..	.. lb.	0 30
910/30	.. 4th quarter, 1917, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.30	Mutton ..	.. do.	0 80
911/31	.. 4th quarter, 1918, to 1st quarter, 1919..	9.35	Pork ..	.. do.	0 50
916/36	.. 1st quarter, 1919	9.40	Chickens ..	.. Each	0 75
			Eggs ..	.. do.	0 8
			Dry Fish, Netti (Halmessan) ..	.. lb.	0 28
			Dry Fish (Maldive) ..	.. do.	0 65

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, January 28, 1920.R. N. WATKINS,
Financial Assistant to the
Chairman, Municipal Council.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

LOCAL BOARD OF KALUTARA.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1919.

Revenue.		Expenditure.			
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Balance on December 31, 1918 ..	13,158	0	Establishment ..	5,397	74
Taxes ..	22,182	35	Office contingencies ..	592	88
Licenses ..	9,030	25	Police charges ..	14	25
Rents ..	3,431	70	Revenue services ..	1,248	32
Fines ..	211	25	Sanitary charges ..	7,258	95
Sundries ..	2,644	63	Compannewela filling ..	235	19
Contributions towards Pension Fund ..	96	80	Infectious diseases ..	162	69
			Upkeep of roads ..	5,962	80
			Upkeep of public buildings and places ..	4,200	37
			Purchase of stores ..	420	48
			Lighting ..	3,277	55
			Cost of Audit ..	173	41
			Cemeteries ..	300	0
			Miscellaneous ..	1,316	93
			Vagrants ..	73	34
			Improvements to roads ..	311	12
Total revenue ..	50,755	19	Total expenditure ..	30,996	2
Deposits ..	140	0	Deposits withdrawn ..	135	0
Advances repaid ..	2,420	0	Advances ..	20	0
			Balance on December 31, 1919 ..	22,164	17
Total ..	53,315	19	Total ..	53,315	19

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1920.

Revenue.		Expenditure.			
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Balance on December 31, 1919 ..	22,164	17	Establishment ..	6,500	0
Taxes ..	21,850	0	Office contingencies ..	600	0
Licenses ..	9,058	50	Police charges ..	50	0
Rents ..	3,850	0	Revenue services ..	1,500	0
Sundries ..	2,150	0	Sanitary charges ..	3,000	0
Pension Fund ..	110	0	Compannewela filling ..	2,000	0
Fines ..	250	0	Infectious diseases ..	500	0
Invested in War Loan ..	2,850	0	Upkeep of roads ..	6,500	0
			Upkeep of public buildings and places ..	2,000	0
			Purchase of stores ..	600	0
			Lighting ..	4,000	0
			Cost of audit ..	200	0
			Cemeteries ..	300	0
			Miscellaneous ..	800	0
			Available for new works ..	22,882	0
			Invested in War Loan ..	2,350	0
			Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	3,000	67
Total ..	62,282	67	Total ..	62,282	67

January 19, 1920.

T. A. HODSON,
Chairman.

Election of Unofficial Member for the Western Ward, Local Board, Matara.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given of my intention, in accordance with section 13 of the Local Boards Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, as amended by section 9 of Ordinance No. 27 of 1916, to hold an election of Unofficial Member for the Western Ward of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Matara, for the remaining period of two years ending December 31, 1921, to fill the vacancy caused by the disqualification of Mr. Wilmot Balasuriya by reason of his interest in a contract with the Board, on Saturday March 13, 1920, at 9 A.M., at the Matara Kachcheri.

No person shall be entitled to be a candidate for the above election unless he shall have been nominated in writing, and unless his nomination shall have been subscribed by at least two persons whose names shall appear in the list of persons entitled to vote, and shall have been delivered at the Office of the Local Board not less than ten days before the said election, viz., before Wednesday, March 3, 1920.

Local Board Office,
Matara, January 21, 1920.J. D. BROWN,
Chairman.

Election of Unofficial Members, Local Board, Jaffna.

It is hereby notified that the following gentlemen have been elected Unofficial Members of the Local Board of Jaffna for the years 1920 and 1921:—

Central Ward .. Mr. R. R. Nalliah
Western Ward .. Mr. A. Muttiah
Eastern Ward .. Mr. C. Arulambalam

Local Board Office,
Jaffna, January 21, 1920.H. W. CODRINGTON,
Chairman.

Election of Unofficial Members, Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala.

PURSUANT to notice dated September 17, 1919, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,054 of September 26, 1919, it is hereby notified that the following gentlemen have been elected Unofficial Members of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala, for the years 1920 and 1921, at the election held at the Kachcheri on December 18, 1919:—

1. Mr. Fredrick Nell Daniels.
2. Mr. Walter Arthur Cyril de Silva.
3. Mr. Ponnusamy Tambiraja.

Office of the Local Board,
Kurunegala, January 20, 1920.C. R. CUMBERLAND,
Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD, PUTTALAM.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for 1919.

Receipts.		Payments.			
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Taxes ..	11,496	30	Loan account ..	1,485	0
Licenses ..	4,739	0	Establishment ..	3,549	0
Rents ..	5,002	5	Office contingencies ..	500	36
Fines ..	659	85	Cost of audit ..	113	85
Miscellaneous ..	437	58	Revenue services ..	1,036	63
Other receipts ..	870	25	Sanitation ..	6,540	88
			Lighting ..	1,878	64
			Public Works—		
			Maintenance ..	2,015	44
			New constructions ..	886	45
			Miscellaneous ..	472	25
			Other payments ..	842	10
Balance on December 31, 1919 ..	23,205	3	Balance on December 31, 1919 ..	19,320	60
Total ..	30,186	45	Total ..	30,186	45

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on December 31, 1919.

Liabilities.		Assets.			
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Deposits ..	25	0	Cash in Kachcheri ..	10,865	85
Balance surplus ..	10,840	85			
Total ..	10,865	85	Total ..	10,865	85

Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1920.

Revenue.		Expenditure.			
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Taxes ..	14,020	84	Loan account ..	1,485	0
Licenses ..	4,756	50	Establishment ..	4,309	76
Rents ..	5,725	0	Office contingencies ..	587	0
Fines ..	860	0	Education ..	150	0
Miscellaneous ..	355	0	Cost of audit ..	111	67
			Revenue service ..	1,116	0
			Sanitation ..	8,564	0
			Lighting ..	2,040	0
			Police ..	125	0
			Public Works—		
			Maintenance ..	3,213	0
			New constructions ..	7,258	0
			Miscellaneous ..	25	0
Balance on December 31, 1919 ..	25,718	34			
Total ..	36,584	19	Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	23,984	43
			Total ..	36,584	19

Local Board Office,
Puttalam, January 19, 1920.G. F. FORREST,
Chairman.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Barnagala-Pen-y-lan Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1920, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the

provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," will on Saturday, February 14, 1920, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

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

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

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
W. J. R. Hamilton	.. Pen-y-lan	.. 980
Capt. A. J. Rees	.. Kellie Group	.. 2,241
R. P. Walker	.. Tamaravelly	.. 1,350
C. A. Laing..	.. Malgolla	.. 481
Ed. Elphinstone	.. Cattarem	.. 578
J. R. Hamilton	.. Doteloya	.. 1,744

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, January 23, 1920. Chairman.

Galagedera-Heenabowa Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Local Committee having passed an estimate amounting to Rs. 7,000 for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1920, as stated below, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, February 14, 1920, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contribution of Rs. 4,420:—

Government contribution	.. Rs. 1,430
District Road Committee, Kandy, contribution	.. Rs. 1,150
Private contribution..	.. Rs. 4,420
	Rs. 7,000

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
1st mile	.. 969 25	7th mile	.. 295 0
2nd mile	.. 960 75	7th mile to 11½ miles	2,099 50
3rd mile	.. 538 25		
4th mile	.. 1,288 50	Total	.. 7,000 0
5th mile	.. 436 75		
6th mile	.. 406 0		

1st section, 0-1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Dr. Gray	.. Pamunuwe Group..	39
D. C. Weerasinhe	.. Tennewatta	.. 27

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles (0-2 miles).

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Estate of the late S. Paragama, Ratwatta Kumarihamy Meddagoda	.. Trafford Hill Group	.. 30
Francis J. Holloway	.. Trafford Hill Group	.. 700
E. Winter and M. S. Furlong	.. Majuba Hill	.. 58
A. Hamilton Harding	.. Betworth	.. 237
C. Paranagama	.. Allugolla	.. 60
L. A. Ewart (H. Gray, Superintendent)	.. Millagashena	.. 225

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles (0-3 miles).

E. Winter	.. St. George	.. 40
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1st to 4th section, 4 miles (0-4 miles.)

E. Winter and Dr. Gray	.. Uduwakanda	.. 98
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4th to 12th section, 7½ miles (4-11½ miles).

Gordon Frazer & Co. (J. C. Pike) Alluta 400
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6th to 12th section, 5½ miles (6-11½ miles).

H. I. Perera	.. Kudumeeriya	.. 38
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7th to 12th section, 4½ miles (7-11½ miles).

Heirs of Harold Stevenson and Stanley Hillman	.. Meegastenna	.. 420
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8th to 12th section, 3½ miles (8-11½ miles).

Gordon Frazer & Co.	.. Coodoogala	.. 329
L. R. Lawton	.. Letchime	.. 102
J. H. E. Amarasekera	.. Kandamee and Vanilla	.. 55

9th to 12th section, 2½ miles.

Sri Naravana Mudiassalagey Ukku Banda	.. Dedunupitiya	.. 21
Juwan Waduge Jamis Bass	.. Badatellwatta	.. 90

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, January 16, 1920. Chairman.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

Application No. 1,561.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Cadillac Motor Car Company (a Corporation of the State of Michigan), 1,343, Cass Avenue, Detroit, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of motor cars or automobiles, automobile trucks, motor lorries (camiones), and automotive accessories included in this class, in Class 22 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,564.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of

Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Oakland Motor Car Company (a Corporation of the State of Michigan), Hamilton Avenue, Flint, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of motor cars or automobiles, automobile trucks, motor lorries (camiones), and automotive accessories included in this class, in Class 22 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,595.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Vacuum Oil Company (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York), 61, Broadway, New York City, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of (a) mineral oils and waxes used in manufactures and not included in other classes. (b) oils, greases, and waxes of all kinds, and similar products for lubricating, heating, illuminating, and fuel purposes, and gasoline and petrol and other products for generating power, and (c) oils, greases, waxes, and similar products.

not included in other classes, in Classes 4, 47, and 50 (sub-section 10), respectively, in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—

ARCTIC

This Trade Mark was in use by the applicants since December, 1885.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,640.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Vacuum Oil Company (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York), 61, Broadway, New York City, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of (a) mineral oils and waxes used in manufactures and not included in other classes, (b) oils, greases, and waxes of all kinds, and similar products for lubricating, heating, illuminating, and fuel purposes, and gasoline and petrol and other products for generating power, and (c) oils, greases, waxes, and similar products not included in other classes, in Classes 4, 47, and 50 (sub-section 10), respectively, in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—

RARUS

This Trade Mark was in use by the applicants since January, 1887.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,643.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of

Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Vacuum Oil Company (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York), 61, Broadway, New York City, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of (a) mineral oils and waxes used in manufactures and not included in other classes, (b) oils, greases, and waxes of all kinds, and similar products for lubricating, heating, illuminating, and fuel purposes, and gasoline and petrol and other products for generating power, and (c) oils, greases, waxes, and similar products not included in other classes, in Classes 4, 47, and 50 (sub-section 10), respectively, in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—

VACUOLINE

This Trade Mark was in use by the applicants since September, 1886.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,651.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy, of Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Peek Bros. & Winch, Limited, 20, Eastcheap, London, E.C., England, Tea, Coffee, and Spice Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of tea, coffee, cocoa, spices, pepper, ginger, and nutmegs in Class 42 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the device and the word "Camels," and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter, except in so far as it consists of the applicants' name.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Colombo, January 27, 1920. Acting Registrar-General.

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR.

(Continued from page 128.)

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

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir WILLIAM HENRY MANNING, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

W. H. MANNING.

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

And whereas it is expedient to declare the roads set out in the schedule hereto, to be "minor crossings" for the purpose of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby declare the said roads to be "minor crossings" for the purpose of the said Ordinance, as from and after February 2, 1920, and that such "minor crossings" shall not be closed by gates.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

By His Excellency's command,
GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

From Urugodawatta Junction—

M. C.	Description.	Class.
0 36 ..	Road from Meetotamulla to Urugodawatta ..	Minor road .. 3
0 59 ..	Road from Meetotamulla to Kolonnawa ..	do. .. 3
0 66 }	Cart tracks to low-lying grass lands ..	do. .. 3
0 74 }		