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PROCLAMATIONS.

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

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir GRAEME THOMSON, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS the following by-laws made by the Municipal Council of Galle, under the provisions of sections 109 (1) and 110 (15) of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," have been confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council, as provided by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the said Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the said by-laws set forth in the schedule hereto.

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

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

By-laws referred to.

The following by-laws shall apply in the case of any public performance where there shall be an exhibition of pictures or optical effects by means of a cinematograph, magic lantern, or other similar apparatus, or where there shall be any public dramatic representation or exhibition of dancing, conjuring, juggling, acrobatic performance, boxing contest, circus, or other stage entertainment in which stage effects are used:—

DEFINITIONS.

The term "licensee" shall mean the person or persons who have signed the license as under by-law 4.

The term "Chairman" shall mean the Chairman of the Municipal Council, Galle.

BUILDINGS TO BE LICENSED.

1. No person shall use or permit to be used any building, enclosure, or place for the purposes of public performances unless he shall have obtained a license for the same, and no person having obtained a license for the same shall use the same or permit the same to be used in contravention of any of these by-laws.

2. Every person who shall be desirous of obtaining a license for any building, enclosure, or place for the purpose of a public performance shall apply to the Chairman, specifying in his application—

- (1) The situation of the building, enclosure, or place;
- (2) Its description, and the materials of which it is constructed;
- (3) The name and permanent address of the owner of the premises to be licensed;
- (4) The name and permanent address of the responsible manager of the premises to be licensed;
- (5) The name and permanent address of the applicant, and a statement as to the nature and extent of his interests in the building, enclosure, or place to be licensed;
- (6) The character of the entertainment for which such premises are proposed to be used;
- (7) The period for which the license is desired;
- (8) The number of persons to be accommodated in such premises, and any other information which the Chairman may call for.

The application shall have annexed thereto complete plans, elevations, and sections, in duplicate, of the building to be licensed; and a site plan showing the position of such building, enclosure, or place in relation to any adjacent premises and to the public street upon which it abuts.

The width of corridors, gangways, doorways, and exits shall be indicated on such drawings.

GRANTING OF LICENSES.

3. On receipt of an application for a license the Chairman may, after such inquiry as he considers necessary, and after the payment of the fees mentioned in rule 5, grant a license subject to such conditions as he thinks fit. Such conditions may amongst other things prescribe the number and width of the passages, entrances, and exits, the manner in which the doors shall open, the maximum number of persons to be accommodated, the method of lighting to be employed, the precautions to be taken with respect to inflammable and explosive substances, the provision of fire extinguishing appliances, the restriction to be put on smoking, the ventilation to be provided.

4. The license granted by the Chairman shall be substantially in the Form A annexed.

Any license granted under this rule may at any time be withdrawn, suspended, or modified by the Chairman at his discretion.

FEES.

5. Before a license may issue, the applicant shall pay a fee for the same in accordance with the following scale:—

	Rs.	c.
License for one year (terminating on December 31)	125	0
License for one month	25	0
License for one day	2	50

Annual licenses may be granted only in respect of buildings which, in the opinion of the Chairman, are not constructed of inflammable materials.

6. No subsequent alterations shall be made to a building, enclosure, or place licensed under rule 4 without the sanction of the Chairman having been first obtained.

7. The Chairman may, at his discretion and subject to such conditions as he may consider necessary, grant a license (anything in these by-laws to the contrary notwithstanding) for—

(a) The exhibition of a public performance in the case of a travelling circus.

(b) The exhibition of a public performance in the open air.

(c) The temporary use of any premises for the purpose of a public performance, without a formal application under section 2, free of charge or otherwise.

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FIRE.

8. The licensee shall provide sufficient appliances and supply of water for the prevention and extinguishing of fire. Hydrants, hose, buckets filled with water, blankets or rugs, and dry sand as may be required by the Chairman shall be provided, and shall be kept in such position and be indicated in such manner as the Chairman may direct. A responsible person approved by the Chairman and paid by the owner of such premises shall be deputed to keep all fire appliances ready for use. No inflammable or explosive substances as petroleum, petrol, kerosine oil, carbide, or gunpowder, &c., in excess of the quantity required for one day's use shall be stored in the licensed premises.

CINEMATOGRAPH FIRE PRECAUTIONS.

9. The cinematograph or apparatus shall not be placed inside the room or building occupied by the spectators, except with the written permission of the Chairman.

(a) The operating room shall be made as fireproof as possible, and only three openings allowed of not more than 12 inches in diameter, two for the projection of pictures and the other for the operator to look through.

(b) No smoking shall be permitted within the operating room or within 6 feet of any film.

(c) A bucket of dry sand and a blanket or rug must always be kept in the operating room.

(d) No more than three persons, inclusive of the operator, shall be allowed inside the operator's room at any time during the exhibition.

(e) No seats shall be placed within a radius of 6 feet of the operator's room where such room is allowed within the building.

(f) Only those films which are necessary for the performance actually being presented may be kept inside the operator's room; spare films shall be stored away from the main building.

(g) The films, when not actually passing through the lantern, shall be kept enclosed in metal cases. The film which is passing through the lantern shall be re-wound upon another bobbin as fast as it emerges from the lantern front, or shall be directed by one of the operators into a box lined with asbestos board. A trough of glass filled with alum water in front of the condenser, in order to intercept the heat from the illuminant, shall be provided if the Chairman so requires.

VENTILATION.

10. All parts of such premises shall be properly and sufficiently ventilated in a manner to be approved by the Chairman. All openings for ventilation shall be shown on the plans. All dressing rooms shall be provided with windows in the external wall.

ENTRANCES AND EXITS.

11. In all such premises not less than two separate exits shall be provided when accommodation is provided for not more than 300 persons. Two separate exits from the stage and one separate exit from the dressing rooms shall also be provided.

(a) Every exit must have a clear width of not less than 5 feet, and must open direct on to an open space or thoroughfare. All exits shall be indicated by notices clearly painted to the satisfaction of the Chairman in 7-inch letters over the exits.

(b) Each exit shall be provided with a lamp fitted over the doorway with the word "Exit" clearly painted on the glass. The lighting of each lamp shall be independent of the lighting of the main building.

(c) Where exits are closed by doors, the doors shall open outwards, and shall be so hung as not to obstruct the exit ways.

(d) All passages shall be kept absolutely free, and shall not be obstructed in any way.

LATRINE ACCOMMODATION.

12. All such premises shall be provided with sufficient and separate latrine accommodation for the use of males and females and urinal accommodation for the use of males.

CONTROL OF PERFORMANCES.

13. When the Chairman has reason to believe that any public performance is about to be presented, and deems it advisable that such public performance should not be presented without a permit, the Chairman may, by general or special notice, prohibit the presentation of such public performance until a permit has been obtained.

(a) In the case where a public performance has been prohibited under by-law 13 the person desirous of presenting the same may apply to the Chairman for a permit, and until a permit has been granted no person shall present or assist in presenting or permit such public performance to be presented. The person applying for the permit shall specify in his application the nature of the performance he desires to present, his name and address, and any other information which the Chairman may require.

14. On receipt of an application for the grant of a permit the Chairman may call on the applicant to exhibit or to submit to him or to any other person named by him the public performance or a description of the public performance which he desires to present.

15. The Chairman, after considering the application mentioned in by-law 13 (a) and the exhibition or description mentioned in by-law 14, may, at his discretion, grant a permit. Such permit shall ordinarily be in the Form B attached, and shall specify the nature and description of the performance which may be presented, the name of the person or persons responsible for the presentation, the place where such performance may be presented, and the hours between which, and any special conditions under which, it shall be presented. When a permit has been granted for the presentation of a public performance, no person shall present or permit or suffer to be presented or assist in presenting any such public performance in contravention of the conditions of such permit.

16. Any permit granted under by-law 15 may at any time be withdrawn, suspended, or modified by the Chairman at his discretion.

17. The Chairman may at any time require the person who is exhibiting a public performance, or who may be desirous of exhibiting a public performance, or the person who holds the license for the building or any one or more of them to exhibit to him or to any other person or persons named by him, the public performance presented or intended to be presented or any part or portion thereof or to submit to him or to any person or persons named by him, a description of such public performance or any part or portion thereof.

18. The Chairman may at any time, by a written order, prohibit the presentation by a licensee of any building, or by any other person of any public performance or of any part or portion thereof, or may direct that any public performance or any part or portion thereof be presented subject to such conditions and restrictions as he may deem it expedient to impose.

PREVENTION OF OVERCROWDING.

19. When the seating accommodation is fully occupied notice boards shall be exhibited outside the premises to that effect, and the licensee shall not permit any more persons within the building except those permitted to stand as provided in by-law 19 (a).

(a) Persons shall not be permitted to stand except in those places where special provision has been made for that purpose, and provided that they in no way obstruct any of the exits.

HOURS OF CLOSING.

20. No performance shall be continued later than 1 A.M., unless with the special permission of the Chairman on any particular occasion.

MAINTENANCE OF ORDER.

21. The manager shall not allow any person in a state of intoxication to enter or remain on such premises.

ACCESS FOR INSPECTION.

22. Free access to inspect the licensed premises and to see that these by-laws are being carried out shall at all times be given to all persons authorized in writing on this behalf by the Chairman or by the Superintendent of Police, Galle.

PENALTIES.

23. Every person guilty of a breach of any of these by-laws or of any order or prohibition of the Chairman under these by-laws shall be punishable (a) with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing breach, with a fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach; or (b) with a fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees for every day during which the breach continues after receipt of written notice from the Chairman to discontinue the breach.

24. The above by-laws shall not apply to any performances on private premises to which the public are not admitted.

Form A.—License under By-law 4.

1. Name and address of the licensee: —
2. Name and address of the manager of the licensed premises: —
3. Situation and description of licensed premises: —
4. Area of licensed premises: —
5. Number of persons to be admitted at one time: —
6. Total sitting accommodation: —
7. The hours between which the premises may be kept open: —
8. The purposes for which they may be used: —
9. Total number of exits to be provided: —
10. The amount of fee paid: —
11. The date of expiry of the license: —
12. Any special directions which the Chairman may give under by-law 3:—

This license is granted subject to the following conditions:—

- (1) It shall not be transferable except with the permission of the Chairman.
- (2) Not more persons than the number specified in item 5 shall be admitted at one time.
- (3) The number of exits specified in item 9 shall be maintained in accordance with the by-laws.
- (4) The premises shall not be kept open except between the hours specified in item 7.
- (5) The premises shall not be used for any purposes other than those specified in item 8.
- (6) The special directions specified in item 12 shall be followed.
- (7) No performances which are likely to be subversive of public morality shall be displayed.

Place: — Signature: —
Date: — Designation: —

Signature of Licensee.

Form B.—Permit under By-law 15.

1. Name of the person responsible for the public performance: —
2. The place where the performance may be presented: —
3. The hours between which it may be presented: —
4. The nature and description of the performance: —
5. Any special directions which the Chairman may give: —

This permit is granted subject to the following conditions:—

- (1) It shall not be transferable except with the permission of the Chairman.
- (2) The performance shall not be presented except at the place specified in item 2 and between the hours specified in item 3.
- (3) The performance shall not be different from that described in item 4.
- (4) The special directions in item 5 shall be followed.

Place: — Signature: —
Date: — Designation: —

Signature of Licensee.

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 GRAEME THOMSON, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

GRAEME THOMSON.

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

And whereas it is expedient to declare the road which the railway crosses at 53 miles 71 chains 80 links, in the Southern Province, and set out in the schedule hereto, to be a "minor crossing" for the purpose of the said Ordinance:

Now Know Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby declare the said road to be a "minor crossing" for the purpose of the said Ordinance, as from and after April 30, 1920, and that such "minor crossing" shall not be closed by gates.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Thirtieth day of April, 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.

SCHEDULE.

Chainage.	Description.	Class.
M. C. L.		
53 71 80	.. Cart road ..	.. 3

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 GRAEME THOMSON, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

GRAEME THOMSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government, in pursuance of the powers in Us vested by "The Necessaries of War Exportation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1914," and of all other powers Us enabling, do hereby revoke Our Proclamations published from time to time in the *Government Gazette* on the subject of exportation of articles from Ceylon, and in pursuance of the aforesaid Ordinance, do publish in the schedules hereto lists of articles the exportation of which from Ceylon is hereby prohibited to the extent therein specified.

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

Articles the exportation of which from Ceylon is prohibited to all destinations:—

Apparel, wearing, made up, cotton, linen, flannel, tweed, and woollen.

Chillies.

Cotton, manufactures of.

Flour, wheat.

Linen, manufactures of.

Oils, lubricating.

Rice.

Russian Rouble Notes.

Specie, British.

Sugar.

Thread, cotton and linen.

Tin receptacles, whether empty or full, made from tin plates, except receptacles made of tin, of a less capacity than one gallon.

Tweed, manufactures of.

Wool, manufactures of.

SCHEDULE B.

Articles the exportation of which from Ceylon is prohibited to destinations other than the United Kingdom, British Possessions, and Protectorates:—

Butter.

Cocaine.

Explosives, other than industrial explosives.

Opium.

Silver.

SCHEDULE C.

Articles the exportation of which from Ceylon is prohibited to Russia, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria, and Turkey:—

Aircraft.

SCHEDULE D.

Articles the exportation of which from Ceylon is prohibited to destinations other than the United Kingdom and British Possessions and Protectorates except British Possessions and Protectorates in the Continent of Africa, or situated within 100 nautical miles of its coast—prohibition not applying, however, to the Union of South Africa—and except British Possessions and Protectorates in the Continent of Asia as were comprised in the Turkish Empire on August 4, 1914, and except Aden:—

Ammunition.

Firearms.

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 GRAEME THOMSON, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS by section 1 of "The Midwives Ordinance, No. 2 of 1920," it is enacted that the said Ordinance shall come into operation on such date as the Governor shall by Proclamation appoint:

Know Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby appoint that the said Ordinance shall come into operation as from and after the date hereof.

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

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 130 of 1920

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointment on his Personal Staff:—

Captain C. OWEN, 3rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 131 of 1920.

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

Mr. A. E. CALDICOTT, Acting Deputy Director of Public Works, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Director of Public Works, with effect from April 22, 1920, during the absence from the Island of the Hon. Mr. T. H. CHAPMAN, O.B.E., or until further orders.

The notification of April 16, 1920, appearing in the *Gazette* of the same date is hereby cancelled in so far as it affects the appointment of Mr. CALDICOTT.

Mr. C. H. BRADLEY, District Engineer, to act as Second Assistant Director of Public Works, during the absence of the Hon. Mr. T. H. CHAPMAN on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. A. C. G. WIJEYEKOON to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kandy, *vice* Mr. P. E. PIERIS, from May 2 to 4, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. J. KADRAMATAMBY to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Batticaloa; and Visitor of the Prison at Batticaloa, *vice* Mr. E. RODRIGO, from May 4, 1920, until the resumption of duties by that officer, or until further orders.

Mr. T. A. HODSON to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge, Kalutara, on May 1, 1920.

Mr. A. W. SEYMOUR to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge, Chilaw, for April 28, 1920.

Mr. J. N. VETHAVANAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate and Municipal Magistrate Kandy, *vice* Mr. A. N. HUTT, from May 5 to 8, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. E. G. JONKLAAS to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Gampola, on April 30, 1920.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, *vice* Mr. V. COOMARASWAMY, on May 2 and 3, 1920, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. T. B. PANABOKKE to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Gampola, for April 26, 1920.

Mr. R. J. CONGREVE to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, *vice* Mr. W. A. GORDON, deceased.

Mr. H. TONKS to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton during the absence of Mr. E. V. LONG from the Island.

Mr. J. L. INNES LILLINGTON to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton during the absence of Mr. G. WINDUS from the Island.

Mr. D. J. WETTASINGHE to be an Additional Inquirer for the Sanitary Board areas of Avissawella and Puwakpitiya.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 30, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 132 of 1920.

MR. G. N. FARQUHAR having been appointed a Cadet on the Civil Establishment of the Colony, HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE

GOVERNMENT has been pleased to order that he be attached to the Secretariat, with effect from April 26, 1920, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 133 of 1920.

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

Lieut.-Colonel WILLIAM SINCLAIR, Commanding the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps, to act as Commandant, Ceylon Defence Force, during the absence on leave of Lieut.-Colonel T. H. CHAPMAN, O.B.E., V.D.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 29, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 134 of 1920.

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

To be Lieutenant.

Mr. CYRIL WACE NICHOLAS.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 24, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 135 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to recognize provisionally Mr. KAI NIELSEN as Consul for Denmark at Colombo until further notice.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 136 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentleman to be a Member of the Committee, known as the Labour Advisory Committee, to advise the Government on all questions affecting conditions of labour generally, exclusive of labour on estates:—

Mr. R. B. STEWART of the Eastern Produce and Estates Co., Ltd., *vice* Mr. C. H. JOLLIFFE.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 13, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 137 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 2 (1) of Ordinance No. 2 of 1920, to appoint Dr. H. M. PRIES to be a Member of the Ceylon Midwives Board for a period of three years from May 1, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 30, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 138 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to nominate the under-mentioned gentlemen to be members of the following District School Committees:—

Kurunegala.

Mr. T. B. MADAWELA;
Rev. Father P. MARQUE, O.M.I.
Rev. C. B. WEERASINGHA.

Chilaw.

Mr. A. K. H. RANASINGHE.
Rev. J. S. B. MENDIS.
Rev. S. PONNIAH.
Rev. Father J. M. MASSON.

Puttalam.

Mr. W. R. H. WIJESINGHA.
Rev. Father G. GUESNON.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 29, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 139 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. PATIRANNALAGE DON SAMUEL JAYASEKERA, of No. 33, Armour street, Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 22, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 140 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. DEHIWALALIYANAGE RICHARD DE SILVA ABHAYANAYAKE, of "Saila Giri," Pamankada, Wellawatta, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 22, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 141 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. UKWATTE ACHARIGE JAYASUNDERA, of "Jaya Niwasa," Kalutara South, to be a Notary Public at Kalutara and throughout the judicial division of Kalutara, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 22, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 142 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. MUTUKUDA ARACHCHIGE DON AGORIS SAMARA WIKRAMA GUNASEKARA, of Andiambalama, Negombo, at present practising as a Notary Public throughout Megoda palata and Yagam pattu of Chilaw District, with residence and office at Madampe, to be a Notary Public throughout Yagam and Yatakalan pattu of Chilaw District, with residence and office at Madampe, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 22, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 143 of 1920.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint **MR. LIYANAGE MARTHELIS FERNANDO WICKRAMASEKERA**, of Siduwa, Katunayaka, at present practising as a Notary Public throughout Kammal pattu of Chilaw District, with residence and office at Tambarawila, to be

a Notary Public throughout Megoda palata and Yagam pattu of Chilaw District, with residence and office at Madampe, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 22, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

ROBERT JAMES PEREIRA to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from May 1, 1920. His office will be at the Colombo Kachcheri.

KULAPPUWADUGE DON SIMON DE SILVA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dimbula division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale division, excluding the portion included in gravets division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, with effect from May 17, 1920, *vice* **MADUWAGE ABRAHAM SILVA JAYASURIYA**, resigned. His office will be at Talawakele.

HINGURALA MUDIYANSELAGE MOHOTTIAPPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ganegoda division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for three months, with effect from May 1, 1920, *vice* Registrar, **S. D. APPUHAMY**, on leave. His office will be at Meddegodawatta in Ganegoda.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, April 26, 1920. Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed **DON WILLIAM SENANAYAKE** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yatigaha north division, and of Marriages (General) of Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from April 28, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **SENANAYAKE APPUHAMILLAGE DON YAHAPONIS**, on leave. His office will be at Polhitawapuwatta in Kudagammana; and his station at Hinagahawatta in Wattermulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kelutara, has appointed **DON JOHN JAYAWARDANA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Magura division, and of Marriages (General) of Mahapattu south division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fourteen days from April 23, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **D. J. JAYAWARDANA**, on leave. His office will be at Arachchigewatta in Badursliya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed **DON HENRY RICHARD WIJESINHA KANNANGARA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bandaragama division, and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for two days from April 30, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **D. G. JAYASEKERA**, on leave. His office will be at Galpottewatta in Bolabotuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed **ANDARAVASPATABENDIGE ELIAS VAS GUNAWARDANA** to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from May 1, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **A. P. MANIMEL VAS GUNAWARDANA**. His office will be at Hunumullegedarawatta in Beruwala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed **HERAT WASALA MUDIYANSELAGE PALLE WALAWWE KUDA BANDA RANAWANA** to act as Registrar of Births and

Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Herispattu No. 2 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twenty-one days from April 19, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **A. DUNUWILLE**, on sick leave. His office will be at Ranawana Walawwa in Arambepola.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed **GANEKALA EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE WALAWWE UKKU BANDA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Uda Dumbura No. 6 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for thirty days from April 22, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **G. E. M. APPUHAMY**, on leave. His office will be at Talagune; and station at Mimure.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed **KULLAPPUWADUGE DON SIMON DE SILVA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dimbula division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for twenty-one days from April 26, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **M. A. SILVA JAYASOORIYA**, resigned. His office will be at Talawakele.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **WIRAKKODI BERNARD MEDONSA WIJIRAMA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kosgoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentara-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three days from April 19, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **ASANERIS DE ZOYSA JAYATILAKA**, on leave. His office will be at Bogahaliyaddewatta in Nape at Kosgoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **SIYADORIS DIAS ABAYAWICKREMA GUNASEKERA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Heenatigala division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for fifteen days from April 22, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **T. D. A. GOONESEKERA**, on leave. His office will be at Pillegewatta in Habaraduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **JOHANNES KUMARASINHA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bussa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from April 29, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **S. M. WIJESEKERA**, on leave. His office will be at Mulgedarawatta at Ratgama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed **Dr. CHELLAPPAN PANCHALINGAM** to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weligama town division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for three days from April 22, 1920, *vice* Registrar, **Dr. D. A. GOONATILLEKA**, transferred. His office will be at the Government Dispensary, Weligama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed **APPUWADU MESTRIGE HENDRICK DE SILVA** to act as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matara town division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from April 22, 1920, during the absence of the Deputy Medical Registrar, **B. G. C. KULASINGHE**, on leave. His office will be at the Government Hospital, Matara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed **KOKUHENNEDIGE DON CAROLIS** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from April 15, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, **K. A. P. DON EDORIS**, on leave. His office will be at Kohombagahawatta in Punchiakurugoda (Tihawa).

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed ARTHUR MAHAVIDANE KULATHILLEKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from April 21, 1920, *vice* Registrar, Dr. J. M. SOMASUNDRUM, transferred. His office will be at Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed NALLATAMPAPILLAI KANDIAHPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Punakari division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for two weeks from April 16, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, P. RAJAGOPAL, on leave. His office will be at Sopalapiddi in Madduvinadu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed ALLAPICHAH MOHAJYADIN ABDUL CADER of Erukkilampiddy to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar Island No. 1 division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from April 25, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, M. S. ABDULGANI, dismissed. His office will be at Registrarvalavu in Erukkilampiddy.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed SUPIRAMANIAM ARUNASALAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kaddukkulam north division, and of Marriages (General) of Kaddukkulam pattu west division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for three weeks from April 23, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, S. SATASIVAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Navaladivalavu in Tiriyai.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tiragandahe korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for four days from April 7, 1920, during the absence of the

Registrar, L. B. HUNUKUMBURA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence at Wanduragala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed JERONIMUS LEONARD LONGINUS DE ROSARIO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalpitiya division and town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from April 25, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, S. F. LAWRENCEPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at "Rose Bank," in Sinnakudiyiruppu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed SENANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE CHARLES HENRY SENANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kitulgala palata division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twenty-six days from April 20, 1920, during the absence of the Registrar, D. B. PERERA, on leave. His office will be at Ilagotuellerawatta in Urugala.

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

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that DON GUNERIS KARUNARATNA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Warakagoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, will, with effect from April 15, 1920, hold his office at Medawatta, in Warakagoda, instead of at Gallanakandewatta in Warakagoda, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,442 of May 19, 1911.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 21, 1920.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified to all Heads of Departments that it is the desire of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government that all members of the Ceylon Defence Force in the employment of Government should be granted leave of absence on full pay, which will be counted as absence on duty and not as absence on leave, from July 3 to 16, 1920, inclusive, to permit of their attendance at the Annual Camp of Instruction at Diyatalawa.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 30, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import explosives into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Mr. I. L. M. M. Suluman, of 42, Third Cross street, Pettah, Colombo.

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

By His Excellency's command,
B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to nominate Mr. M. C. F. Potger to be a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee for the Badulla Revenue District Area, *vice* Mr. A. C. W. Samarakoon, resigned.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE HOLIDAYS ORDINANCE, 1886."

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, under the provisions of section 9 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1886, to appoint Monday, May 3, 1920, to be a Bank Holiday on account of the Wesak Festival.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 30, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Insect Pest and Quarantine Ordinance, No. 5 of 1901, as amended by the Insect Pest and Quarantine (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 30 of 1919.

REGULATIONS made by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, under sections 3 and 4 of the Insect Pest and Quarantine Ordinance, as amended by the Insect Pest and Quarantine (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 30 of 1919.

Notifications dated July 1, 1906, August 11, 1909, August 8, 1912, and October 25, 1916, are hereby cancelled.

1. No tea seed from any place in India and no coconuts in husk shall be imported into Ceylon except at the Port of Colombo.
2. (i.) All tea seed from any place in India and all coconuts in husk imported into Ceylon shall, before passing out of the Customs, be subjected to such disinfection at the Customs Fumigatorium as may be required by the Director of Agriculture.
(ii.) Husked coconuts are exempt from these regulations.
(iii.) Tea seed from India, if accompanied by a certificate from a Scientific Officer, either of the Indian Tea Association or of the Imperial Department of Agriculture, to the effect that the leaf disease called Blister Blight (*Exeasidium vexans*) does not exist within a radius of 10 miles of the estate or garden on which the seed was grown, may also be exempted on application to the Principal Collector of Customs.
3. All imported living trees, plants, tubers, roots, bulbs, or portions thereof (with the exception of potatoes, onion, ginger, turmeric, and culinary vegetables imported for consumption), and the fruits and seeds specified in section 4, with the packages, cases, pots, or coverings in which they may be packed shall, before being handed over to the consignee, be subject to treatment with hydrocyanic acid gas, or to such other treatment as may be deemed necessary by the Director of Agriculture, at the Government Fumigatorium at Kochchikade.
4. The following fruits shall be subject to fumigation as directed, viz., oranges, lemons, citrons, limes, and all fruits of the citrus family, also the following seeds, viz., cotton (*gossypium*).
5. A certificate of fumigation by some properly constituted authority at the port of shipment will be accepted as exempting fruit or plants from further treatment; but a certificate of mere inspection will not be so accepted.
6. The said plants, fruits, seeds, &c., shall, after landing at the Customs premises, be conveyed to the Fumigatorium under Customs supervision by the consignee or his agent and delivered to the Fumigatorium Attendant, who shall certify receipt of the same. The consignee shall pay the usual fees of 75 cents a day or part thereof (up to 4 P.M.), and thereafter at the rate of 25 cents an hour for such supervision.
7. As soon as possible, after receipt of the articles, the Fumigatorium Attendant shall cause them to be fumigated according to the approved directions (to be framed and hung in the Fumigatorium).
8. After treatment the articles shall be delivered to the consignee, together with a certificate showing that they have been so treated.
9. Without such certificate it shall be illegal to convey the prescribed articles from the Fumigatorium.
10. A fee of 50 cents per package will be charged to cover the cost of fumigation, and no certificate shall be granted until the fee shall have been paid in such manner as the Principal Collector of Customs may direct.
11. The consignee or his agent shall be in attendance to unpack the articles for fumigation and to re-pack them afterwards, and shall provide the coolly labour necessary for handling the articles during the process of fumigation.
12. Wardian cases and other securely closed packages of plants, &c., addressed to the Director of Agriculture or to any subordinate officials shall be forwarded direct to Peradeniya, where they will be fumigated under the direction of the Government Entomologist.
13. All disinfection and fumigation shall be carried out at the risk of the consignee.

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

By His Excellency's command,
B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908."

RULE regarding the introduction of the Cash on Delivery Service for Parcels between the United Kingdom and Ceylon from April 1, 1920, made by the Postmaster-General, in exercise of the powers vested in him by Notification dated December 15, 1908, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,283 of December 18, 1908:—

The term "cash on delivery" shall have the same meaning as the term "value-payable," and be added throughout the rules regarding the transmission of value-payable postal articles dated December 4, 1912, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,535 of December 6, 1912.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 30, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,
B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

MONTHLY STATEMENT issued by the Commissioners of Currency, under section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884, for the month of March, 1920:—

	1.—Note Account.				
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Total Stock on February 29, 1920	120,488,472	0	In vault on March 31, 1920	71,963,220	0
Add Notes received in March, 1920	1,550,000	0	In circulation on March 31, 1920	49,776,264	0
	122,038,472	0			
Deduct Notes destroyed in March, 1920	Rs. 299,000	c. 0			
Less value of two presumed forged					
Re. 1 notes erroneously included in the above, and two					
Rs. 5 notes withdrawn from circulation in error	12	0			
	298,988	0			
	121,739,484	0		121,739,484	0

2.—Reserve Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Coin received for Notes in circulation ..	49,776,264	0	Securities at cost ..	32,179,693	75
Excess of Reserve over Notes in circulation	3,868,683	72	Coin in vault ..	13,614,917	30
			Cash at call in L. C. W. and Parr's Bank	7,850,336	67
	53,644,947	72		53,644,947	72
3.—Average amount of Notes in circulation during the month ..				49,713,553	0
Average amount of Coin in vault and in England during the month ..				21,402,542	0

4.—Details of Investments and Securities.

	Face Value.			Face Value.		Purchase Value.		Market Value.	
	£	s.	d.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Colonial Securities ..	636,073	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Local Loans ..	18,000	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—
War Loan, 5 per cent. ..	282,655	1	11	—	—	13,216,176	86	10,310,177	38
Exchequer Bonds, 5 per cent. ..	21,600	0	0	—	—	324,000	0	311,850	0
National War Bonds, 5 per cent. ..	159,289	8	8	—	—	2,383,908	31	2,247,226	37
Funding Loan, 4 per cent. ...	7,091	1	2	—	—	85,092	69	74,190	19
Indian 3½ per cent. Stock ..	96,000	14	7	—	—	1,290,186	0	831,606	31
Indian 5 per cent. War Loan ..	—	—	—	15,838,700	0	14,880,329	89	13,898,459	25
Total ..	1,220,709	7	11	15,838,700	0	32,179,693	75	27,673,509	50

Currency Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1920.

B. HORSBURGH, Acting Colonial Secretary,
E. B. ALEXANDER, Acting Controller of Revenue,
BERNARD SENIOR, Colonial Treasurer. } Commissioners
of Currency.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from October 1, 1920, and terminating on September 30, 1921.

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 May 11, 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 an year or any portion thereof.

12. Any 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, April 21, 1920.

Schedule referred to.

Services.	Tender	
	Deposit.	Security.
	Rs.	Rs.
Supply of cooked provisions, with milk to the following Institutions—		
Arapatana Hospital ..	200	400
Dambulla Hospital ..	200	400
Deltota Hospital ..	200	400
Ingiriya Hospital ..	100	200
Maskeliya Hospital ..	200	400
Moratuwa Hospital ..	100	200
Neboda Hospital ..	200	400
Negombo Hospital ..	200	400
Panadura Hospital ..	100	200
Pussellawa Hospital ..	100	200
Uda Pussellawa Hospital ..	100	200

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from October 1, 1920, 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 Milk, — 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 May 18, 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. 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.

8. 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.

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

10. 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.

11. Any 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
Colombo, April 27, 1920. Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Schedule referred to.

Services.	Tender	
	Deposit.	Security.
	Rs.	Rs.
Supply of milk to the Government Hospitals at—		
Anuradhapura ..	50	100
Balangoda ..	50	100
Galle ..	50	100
Kegalla ..	50	100
Leper Asylum, Hendala ..	50	100
Sanatorium for Consumptives at Kandana ..	50	100

TENDERS are hereby invited for extending and turfing the cricket play grounds at the Royal College, Colombo. Approximate area to be raised and turfed, 11,500 square yards.

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 Extending and Turfing the Cricket Grounds at the Royal College" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 11, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500 in cash. All other information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

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.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 27, 1920.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the conveyance of Mails for 4 years from October 1, 1920, between Talawakele Railway Station and the Post Offices at Talawakele, Lindula, and Agrapatana, twice daily each way.

2. Separate tenders are required for the above services as under—

(1) Both services by motor conveyance.

(2) One service (viz., the morning service from and the evening service to Talawakele) by motor conveyance and one by runners.

3. The nature of the motor conveyance should be distinctly stated, *i.e.*, (a) lorry, (b) coach, (c) car or van, or (d) cycle and side car (two of these would probably be required for the morning service as far as Lindula).

4. The hours of arrival and departure of the motors or runners to be fixed from time to time by the Postmaster-General.

5. The contractor will be required to provide such number of motors or runners as will, in the opinion of the Postmaster-General, be necessary for the services, and every such motor or runner before being employed in the service will be subject to the approval of the Postmaster-General.

6. The contractor will be required to provide extra motors or runners at all times when necessary to meet the exigencies of the mail service without any charge.

7. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

8. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails between Talawakele, Lindula, and Agrapatana" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 1, 1920.
9. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Postmaster-General, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.
10. Any alteration in a tender must bear the initials of the tenderer, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.
11. A deposit of Rs. 100 for each of the services (1) and (2) must be made at the General Treasury, and a receipt produced for the same before a tender form is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Postmaster-General, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposits will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract.
12. Security to the amount of one-tenth of the annual subsidy asked will be required in cash for each service.
13. Tenders for the above services must be accompanied by a scale of the rates which it is intended to charge the public during the period of the service for the conveyance of passengers and luggage (in the case of motor coaches) and parcels and the quantity of luggage per passenger allowed to be conveyed free. When such scale has been accepted by Government, the contractor shall not, without the express permission of Government, increase the rates charged for the conveyance of passengers, luggage, and parcels above the amount shown in the scale, or reduce the allowance of free luggage below the amount therein stated.
14. All other information can be obtained on application to the Postmaster-General.
15. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.
16. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all of the tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

General Post Office, JOHN FOX,
Colombo, April 23, 1920. Acting Postmaster-General.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of about 1,200 tons of smith shop coke for use on the Ceylon Government Railway from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.
3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.
4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Smith Shop Coke to the Ceylon Government Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday, on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.
5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.
6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.
7. A sample of coke must be submitted for testing purposes, irrespective of whether the coke has or has not been previously tested or used by the Ceylon Government Railway.

8. Each sample of coke for testing must be delivered to the railway workshops in a lot of 5 cwt. free of all cost, loaded in bags, and with the name of the coke labelled on each bag (linen labels should be used).

9. The samples should be delivered as early as possible, but in no case later than May 31, 1920, and must be from bulk and not hand picked.

10. The coke must be suitable for smith shop purposes. All inferior and unsuitable coke will be rejected.

11. The coke is to be delivered free of all charges in either railway wagons at Wharf or by carts to the railway premises within the gravets of Colombo as may be required. If the source of supplies is overseas the deliveries shall be made in monthly instalments of about 80 tons per month, as may be ordered from time to time by the General Manager and the rates tendered must be exclusive of import duty.

12. In addition to the definite supply of coke as specified above, the contractor shall, if required, supply a further quantity of coke up to, but not exceeding 200 tons, at the same rates and subject to the conditions laid down in the contract, and delivery of all or a part of this extra contract supply shall be given whenever required up to the end of September, 1921, on two months' notice in writing being given to the contractor by the General Manager of the Railway.

13. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the under-mentioned salvage materials from persons willing to buy same from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921:—

- (a) 40-gallon barrels with both heads intact.
- (b) 40-gallon barrels with one head only.

Approximate quantities expected to be available monthly are:—

- (a) Fifty.
- (b) Twenty.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the purchase of Empty Barrels" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

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

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

8. Tenderers are requested to inspect the barrels before tendering, which can be seen on application at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper.

9. Payment must be made within three days, and the barrels must be removed within one week from the date of notification that they are available.

10. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 50. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

13. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 200 tons of hard foundry coke for use on the Ceylon Government Railway from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Hard Foundry Coke to the Ceylon Government Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in

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

7. A sample of coke must be submitted for testing purposes, irrespective of whether the coke has or has not been previously tested or used by the Ceylon Government Railway.

8. Each sample of coke for testing must be delivered to the railway workshops in a lot of 1 ton free of all cost, loaded in bags, and with the name of the coke labelled on each bag (linen labels should be used).

9. The samples should be delivered as early as possible, but in no case later than May 31, 1920, and must be from bulk and not hand picked.

10. The coke must be hard and suitable for foundry purposes. All inferior and unsuitable coke will be rejected.

11. The coke is to be delivered free of all charges in either railway wagons at Wharf or cart to the Railway workshops, and delivery is to be made in six bi-monthly instalments of about 35 tons each, as may be ordered from time to time by the General Manager. The rates tendered must be exclusive of import duty.

12. In addition to the supply of coke as specified above, the contractor shall, if required, supply a further quantity of coke up to, but not exceeding, 50 tons, at the same rates and subject to the conditions laid down in the contract, and delivery of all or a part of this extra contract supply shall be given whenever required up to the end of September, 1921, on two months' notice in writing being given to the contractor by the General Manager of the Railway.

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

14. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

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

19. 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.

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of native half-round tiles and native ridge tiles delivered at Dematagoda Railway Store or elsewhere within the gravets of Colombo, as may be required for the use of the Railway Department, from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921.

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 Half-round Tiles to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner

of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Tenderers are not required to submit samples, but must inspect the standard samples at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tenders will be considered unless such standard samples have been inspected and an undertaking inserted on tender that tiles to the standard of samples inspected will be supplied.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the right to sell liquors and aerated waters to 1st and 2nd Class passengers, and also fruits, &c., to 3rd class passengers, on the platforms at Avissawella, Waga, Negombo, Opanake, and Kahawatta Railway Stations from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921, from persons willing to tender for the same.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Selling Liquors, &c., at Avissawella or Waga Railway Station" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail

to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250 for Avissawella, Rs. 100 each for Waga, Negombo, and Opanake, and Rs. 50 for Kahawatta in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for landing and delivering teak to the Railway Department from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921.

Each tenderer should specify the rate per ton at which he is prepared to undertake the following work:—

- (a) Landing and delivering to the Railway Workshops at Maradana, per ton.
- (b) Landing and delivering to Captain's Garden, per ton.
- (c) Landing and delivering within the Gravets of Colombo as may be directed, per ton per mile.
- (d) Landing and delivering into wagons at the root of the Breakwater, per ton.

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 landing and delivering Teak to the Railway Department" in the left

hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

9. The teak must be landed and delivered with the utmost despatch by carts at the Railway Yard at Maradana, Captain's Garden, or elsewhere as may be directed, and is to be deposited and properly stacked at a place or places pointed out by the Railway Officers concerned. The daily delivery shall not be less than 25 tons.

10. A travelling crane, which has been provided at the Locomotive Workshops, Maradana, will unload the teak logs from the contractor's carts, and therefore coolly labour need not be supplied.

11. No payment will be made until the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent, or Engineer of Way and Works, or the Chief Construction Engineer of the Railway Extensions has given a certificate that the teak has been stacked to his satisfaction.

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

13. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling refreshments inside Railway premises at the Colombo Goods Shed and at the Kelani Valley Goods Shed from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921, from persons willing to tender for same.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Controller of Revenue.

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Refreshments at Goods Sheds" in the left hand

corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

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

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

10. The successful tenderer shall agree to subject himself and his servants to all reasonable orders of the General Manager, Traffic Manager, or the Goods Agent, or the Chief Goods Clerk, Kelani Valley Goods Shed.

11. The number of salesmen or other servants admitted to the Railway premises will be limited to four.

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

13. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security for the good behaviour of himself and his servants and for ensuring compliance with all the conditions of the contract the sum of Rs. 150.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for making and supplying the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract for this service from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921:—

For Workmanship only.

To be made up from materials supplied by the Railway Storekeeper (needles and thread will not be supplied).

All garments to be machine-stitched.

For Inspectors.

Suits, fine serge, braided and lined with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement	About	10
Suits, drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement	"	60
Shoulder straps made out of cord	"	80 pairs

For Station Masters, Relief Clerks, &c.

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

For Guards, Gate Inspectors, and Car Attendants.

Coats, fine serge, lined, to measurement	About	150
Coats, coarse serge, plain, to measurement	"	100
Suits, fine serge, plain, to measurement	"	150
Suits, coarse serge, to measurement	"	150
Trousers, fine serge, to measurement	"	50
Trousers, coarse serge, to measurement	"	50
Trousers, white drill, to measurement	"	1,500
Cuffs and collars	"	10 pairs

For Checkers.

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

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

For Porters, Policemen, Gatemen, &c.

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

For Messenger Boys.

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

For Peons.

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

Miscellaneous.

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

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

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

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

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

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 Railway Clothing" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. The tenderers should specify the rate at which each different description of uniform or article would, as shown above, be made up of materials supplied (exclusive of needles and thread) by the Railway Stores Department, according to the specification which can be seen at the office of the Railway Storekeeper.

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921:—

Lime, slaked	Clay, white
Lime, boiled	Coral stones

to be delivered at any place within the gravets of Colombo as may be required.

2. Slaked lime must be well burnt, of good quality, and free from particles of stone. It must be delivered in a bushel or 8-bushel measure filled with a shovel, mamoty, or basket, the lime being dropped from a height of at least 12 in. above the measure, each bushel of lime must weigh 42 lb., exclusive of the tare of basket or other receptacle in which weighed.

Boiled lime must be of the best quality, each bushel to weigh 92 lb., exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

White clay must weigh 83 lb. to the bushel, exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

Coral stones must weigh 65 lb. to the bushel, exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

3. 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.

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Lime, Railway Department," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

7. The maximum quantity of lime, white clay, and coral stones that can be supplied weekly should be stated on the tenders.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 200. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6.

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

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

12. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of cadjans and bamboos to the Railway Department from persons willing to contract for supply of same for the use of the railway from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921, as may be required, viz.:—

Cadjans, best, each not less than 6 feet long.

Bamboos, large, straight, well seasoned, and free from defects, each 30 feet long, not less than 3½ in. diameter at the butt.

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. Tender should be marked "Tender for Cadjans and Bamboos to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of petrol to the Railway Department for the period of twelve months from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Petrol to the Railway Department" in the left hand

corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury of Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract. The successful tenderer must lodge a cash security of Rs. 1,000.

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

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

10. 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.

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

12. The quantity of petrol to be supplied during the above-mentioned year shall be in accordance with one of the following conditions, viz. :—

- (a) Not less than 40,000 gallons or more than 70,000 gallons, at the discretion of the General Manager of the Railway.
- (b) 40,000 gallons, 15 per cent. more or less, at the discretion of the General Manager. The contractor to undertake to increase this quantity on not less than four months' notice in writing from the General Manager of the Railway.

13. The petrol to be supplied must be in accordance with the following specifications :—

- (a) The spirit must be refined petroleum as nearly colourless as possible and free from water, acid, solid matter in suspension or solution, and free from any impurities whatsoever.
- (b) The specific gravity of the spirit at 15° C must lie between 0.715 and 0.730 on distillation (in accordance with (c) below). It must yield 63 volumes per cent. of constituents boiling at and below 100° C and 90 volumes per cent. at and below 120° C (i.e. from the boiling point of the first fraction up to 100° C 63 volumes per cent. and from the boiling point of the first fraction up to 120° C 90 volumes per cent.).
- (c) The distillation apparatus is to consist of an Engler globular flask 2½ in. in diameter, with a neck ¾ in. in diameter, the distance from the shoulder or top of the globular portion to the lateral exit tube for vapour being 2½ in. An accurate thermometer is to be inserted through a cork fitted into the mouth of the neck, its bulb being placed 1 in. below the exit tube (centre to centre) the lateral tubes for vapour is to be connected with a Leibig condenser, the tube of which is 24 in. in length, the distillate is to be collected in a 150 cubic centimetre glass measure. The rate of distillation is to be so regulated that the liquid falls from the condenser into the measure glass in drops as fast as possible short of a stream. No sign of carbonaceous residue is to be left on distillation to dryness.

14. Tenderers should state in the tender forms separate prices per gallon for delivery to the General Manager of the Railway under the following conditions, viz. :—

- (a) Delivery over ship's side in Colombo harbour.
- (b) Delivery at the contractor's store.
- (c) Delivery at the Railway Stores as defined in paragraph 15 below.

In the case of (a) a Customs Clearance Certificate will be passed by the General Manager of the Railway and consequently the rate tendered must be exclusive of import duty. Rates tendered for (b) and (c) must include import duty.

15. The successful tenderer (hereinafter called "the contractors") shall undertake to provide at least six shipments of petrol during the continuance of the contract, whereby sufficient petrol may be delivered to the General Manager of the Railway over ship's side in Colombo harbour to enable the Railway petrol store to be kept properly stocked; and should the contractors fail to carry out this undertaking, they shall supply sufficient petrol from their own store as will enable the Railway petrol store to be kept properly stocked.

16. The petrol shall be delivered either in substantially constructed steel drums, or in hermetically sealed tins securely packed in strongly constructed wooden cases. In either case the receptacles must be so constructed and secured as to prevent any possibility of leakage or damage during transport by train, and the contractors must satisfy the General Manager of the Railway that they are so constructed and secured. The tenderers shall specify on the tender form whether they require the empty receptacles to be returned.

17. The General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to issue petrol to other Government Departments from stocks supplied by the contractors under the conditions of the contract.

18. The contractor shall not assign or transfer the contract or any interest therein without the permission in writing of the General Manager of the Railway.

19. The price per gallon paid by the General Manager of the Railway shall include cost, insurance, and freight, and all other expenses up to delivery either over ship's side at contractor's store or at the Railway Stores, as the case may be, as defined in clause 15 above, and it shall also include the use of the receptacles in which the petrol is delivered. Should the contractors specify that the empty receptacles are to be returned to them, the General Manager of the Railway will undertake that they shall not be used for any other purpose, and that they will be returned as promptly as possible to the contractor.

20. Payments for the petrol will be made within 14 days of delivery.

21. If any of the petrol supplied is objected to by the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent or the Railway Storekeeper as not being of the quality contracted for, or as being inferior in quality to the standard specification of petrol afore-mentioned (see clause 13), and if such objection be confirmed by the Government Analyst at the expense of the contractors, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to deduct from the price of such petrol such sums as he may consider justifiable by reason of the inferior quality of the petrol, or he may reject such petrol. Whenever any petrol is so rejected, the contractors shall, at their own cost and expense, forthwith remove such rejected petrol, and pending such removal the petrol shall remain and be at the risk of the contractors, and the contractors shall, in addition to any other penalty, be liable to refund to the General Manager of the Railway the cost incurred in the handling of such rejected petrol, and the amount of the cost so incurred, when certified under the hand of the General Manager of the Railway, shall be deemed final and conclusive for the purpose of such refund.

22. Subject to the provisions of clause 25 below, if the contractors shall at any time fail to supply the petrol ordered or should any petrol supplied be rejected as provided for in clause 21 and be not promptly replaced by the contractors with petrol of an acceptable quality, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to purchase elsewhere, at whatever price he may deem fit, such quantity of petrol as the contractors may have failed to supply; and should the petrol so purchased by the General Manager of

the Railway cost more than the price agreed upon in the contract, the contractors shall be liable to pay the General Manager of the Railway the full amount of such excess cost, together with all expenses attending the purchase and procuring of the same.

23. Any payments for which the contractors may be liable under the conditions of clauses 21 and 22 shall be deducted by the General Manager of the Railway from any moneys which may be due to the contractors under the contract, provided that nothing in the contract shall effect the General Manager of the Railway's right to recover such payments by action at law.

24. Subject to the provisions of clause 25 below, if the contractors fail to supply petrol on the conditions laid down in this notice or in the contract, or shall supply petrol inferior in quality to the standard specification of petrol afore-mentioned (see clause 13), or shall commit a breach of any of the covenants on the contractors' part to be observed and performed, then and in any of the said cases the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty, by notice in writing, to forthwith determine the contract, and thereupon the contractors shall be liable to pay to the General Manager of the Railway all cost and expenses incurred by reason of such failure to supply petrol or by the supplying of petrol of inferior quality or by such breach of covenant, and shall in addition be liable to forfeit the sum of Rs. 1,000, which must be deposited by the contractors as security for the due performance of the terms of the contract.

25. Should tenderers desire to claim exemption from any penalties laid down in this notice on the grounds of exceptional and unforeseen difficulties, such as the act of God, &c., they must specify fully on the tender form the conditions under which they propose to claim exemption.

26. The decision of the General Manager of the Railway as to whether the contractors have been guilty of any breach of the covenants and conditions on the part of the contractors to be done, observed, and performed, and upon all questions arising out of or incidental to the contract, shall be deemed final and conclusive, and the contractors shall be bound thereby.

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned tiles for the use of the Railway Department from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921, viz. :—

South Indian, flat whole, flat half, ridge, single and double ventilator tiles of best quality.

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 South Indian Tiles to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Samples must be deposited with the General Manager of the Railway before the dates on which the tenders are due. No tenders will be considered if the samples are not so deposited.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber during 1919-20. Areas to be exploited and further details are given in the annexed schedule.

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 Timber Supply, 1919-20, Anuradhapura Division," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 18, 1920.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Anuradhapura. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

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

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5. A further security in cash of 5 per cent. of the value of contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond.

9. Separate rates per cubic foot of timber in the log and per ton ebony and per broad gauge sleeper must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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 of accepting any tender.

12. Contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board previously obtained.

13. The contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the work. Further, the contractor shall not employ any person whose name is on the list of defaulting contractors, nor any person whom the Assistant Conservator, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects to after giving due notice in writing.

14. For any further information, and for inspection of the draft contract, application should be made to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura Division, Anuradhapura.

SCHEDULE.

To fell, log, clean, and transport allebony, and to fell, log, bark, and transport all palu, satin, halmilla, and ranai 4 ft. and over in girth, to Talawa railway station from the irrigable areas below Kalawewa tank, bounded as follows:—

(a) North by Kahagan-oya and Kahagan-ela, south by Kala-oya and minor road from Galnewa to Karambewa, east by minor road from Galnewa to Karambewa, and west by Kahagan-oya and Kala-oya.

(b) North by Yoda-ela, Alutgantiriyagama, and Palugaswewa, south by Kala-oya, east by Kahagan-oya, and on the west by Mahalluppalama estate.

(c) North and west by Kattiyawa-ela, south by Kala-oya, and on the east by minor road from Amunugama to Siyambalawewa.

Distance of transport between 15 and 27 miles. The timber should in the first place be transported to suitable depôts conveniently situated on the main cart road to Talawa, for which a proportionate rate of 60 per cent. of the cost of the work will be paid, subsequent removal to Talawa taking place only after all the timber has been collected from the forest and paid for at intermediate depôts.

Work to be completed within six months from date of signing contract.

General Conditions.

(a) Trees should be felled within 6 inches from the ground by saw or axe and saw combined, and only such trees as are stamped and marked by a Forest Officer should be felled.

(b) All suitable branchwood of palu and ranai should be converted into broad gauge sleepers, and all suitable, sound, and straight branchwood of satin and halmilla 6 ft. and over in length and 3½ ft. and over in girth should also be transported and delivered stacked at the depôt.

(c) Rejected logs, branchwood, or sleepers will not be paid for, but will lapse to Government. The contractor will have no claim in respect of any material sold as rejections.

H. F. TOMALIN,
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, April 27, 1920.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the work of repairing the salt watcher's bungalow at Kala-oya.

2. The tender should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, on the left corner of which must be written the words "Tender for repairing the Salt Watcher's Bungalow at Kala-oya," and it should be sent to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, so that he may receive it before 1 P.M. on May 10, 1920.

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

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

a contract within a reasonable time after his tender was accepted.

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

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

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

Description of the Work to be done.

All the worthless cadjan and decayed materials that are on the house and outhouses should be removed and replaced by new and sound materials.

The roof of all the houses should be rethatched.

The walls of the house should be plastered and white-washed, and those of the outhouses should be whitewashed.

Painting, tarring, and repairing doors and windows.

S. M. P. VANDERKOEN,
Puttalam Kacheheri, for Assistant Government Agent.
April 22, 1920.

TENDERS for the work of excavating a channel with a view to diverting a stream at the southern side of the Government Saltern at Elephant Pass, will be received by the undersigned up to 12 noon on May 15, 1920.

The channel will run south-west of the Northern Railway Line for about ¾ mile, beginning at the first railway bridge south of the 212th railway milepost. The bottom width of the channel is 20 ft. and the level should be equal to the level of the sill of the railway bridge with side slopes of 2 ft. to 1 ft. All spoil will be thrown on the northern side of the channel only and 30 feet from its edge. The spoil consists of about 2 feet of silt at the top and about 2 feet of clay below.

Tenderers should quote rate per cube, date of commencement of work, and time required to finish the work.

Further particulars, if required, can be obtained from the Saltern Officer at Elephant Pass Saltern, who will show the survey plan and the ground if required.

F. W. GOOCH,
Colombo, April 29, 1920. Salt Adviser to Government.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Anuradhapura.

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Mihintale.

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Maradankadawala (cadjans excepted, which are to be delivered at any point on a Public Works Department cart road in Maradankadawala district).

List of Materials.

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

Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42 lb.

Lime, boiled, per bushel of 92 lb.

Tiles, half-round, 12 in., per 1,000.

Cadjans, double, 7 ft. long, per 100.

Straw, per 100 bundles.

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

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, North-Central Province, 1920-21," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 11, 1920.

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

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the

Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, not later than midday on May 11, 1920 :—

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.
Tiles, half round, 12 in.

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

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

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 50 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

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

Public Works Office, C. H. BRADLEY,
Colombo, April 21, 1920. for Director of Public Works

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921, to be delivered at the places named below in the Province of Sabaragamuwa :—

List of Materials.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Charcoal, per bag.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Lime, slaked, per bushel.
Tiles, 15 in., half-round, per 1,000.
Cadjans, not less than 6 ft. long, per 1,000.
Firewood, in lengths of 3 ft. and not less than 2 in. in diameter, per cubic yard.

Pelmadulla District.—Pelmadulla, Balangoda, Pinnawela, Kahawatta, Rakwana, and Timbulketiya.

Ratnapura District.—Ratnapura, Kurugammodera, Kuruwita, Dela, Malwela, Patacade, and Parakaduwa.

Avissawella District.—Avisawella, Kendangamuwa, Puwakpitiya, Karawanella, Kitulgala, and Yatiyantota.

Kegalla District.—Kegalla, Ambanpitiya, Mawanella, Undugoda, and Aranayake.

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

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Province of Sabaragamuwa, 1920-21," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 11, 1920.

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

5. Samples of the bricks and tiles tendered for are to be deposited at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, not later than midday on May 11, 1920.

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

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

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

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

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

12. This contract shall not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

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

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

Public Works Department, C. H. BRADLEY,
Colombo, April 21, 1920. for Director of Public Works.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Telegraph Stores, Central Telegraph Office, Fort, on Friday, May 7, 1920, at 2 P.M. :—

26 W. P. capes (unserviceable)	1 lot copper deposits	1 lot unserviceable bolts, &c.
3 W. P. coats (unserviceable)	1 lot scrap zinc (unserviceable circular zincs)	1 lot unserviceable G. I. tubes, &c.
1 lot old motor car tyres	1 lot unserviceable I. R. bands	1 lot scrap cast iron (broken sockets, &c.)
1 lot sulphuric acid jars	1 lot Manila rope (unserviceable)	1 lot scrap lead
1 lot empty paint drums	1 lot scrap iron	1 lot unserviceable battery boxes, lightning discharger covers, &c.
1 lot tin lining		
1 lot unserviceable cable drums		

Central Telegraph Office, Colombo, April 21, 1920. A. E. McCLOSKEY,
Chief Engineer.

THE following found and unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction at the Railway premises, Maradana, at 3 P.M., on Wednesday, May 12, 1920:—

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| 1a. .1 lot pair gilt bangles, 1 earring, 1 watch chain, and 1 pendant | 48 .1 lot 1 empty barrel and staves of a barrel |
| 1b. .1 ear drop and pair bangles | 49 .1 lot 5 camp beds |
| 2 .1 gun in case | 50 .1 lot 2 bags slaked lime |
| 3 .1 lot 2 children's hats and 1 silk frock (new) | 51 .13 ballots coir fibre |
| 4 .1 lot 2 tortoise shell bent combs | 52 .1 lot 3 bags cotton |
| 5 .1 lot smoking pipes and leather belt | 53 .1 lot 1 bundle hoop iron |
| 6 .1 lot spectacles and spectacle cases | 54 .1 lot foot bath, empty drum, and winnowing fans |
| 7 .1 lot cigarette case and tobacco pouch | 55 .1 lot 3 mortars, 2 pestles, and bundle sticks |
| 8 .1 bicycle lamp and 2 inflators | 56 .1 lot pillows and mattress |
| 9 .1 lot 2 bicycle inflators | 57 .1 lot mats |
| 10 .1 lot 4 bicycle inflators | 58 .1 lot empty gunny bags marked A |
| 11 .1 lot 2 hat racks | 59 .1 lot do. B |
| 12 .1 lot lamp chimneys and 1 thermos flask | 60 .1 lot 2 bags horse food |
| 13 .1 piece of a piston rod and handsaw | 61 .1 lot old cabin trunk and camp chair |
| 14 .2 earthenware vases | 62 .1 lot earth baskets |
| 15 .1 lot kettle and water bottle | 63 .1 lot 20 supply baskets |
| 16 .1 bundle linen marked A | 64 .1 lot 10 jakwood trays and lid of a box |
| 17 .1 do. B | 65 .1 black fur overcoat |
| 18 .1 lot couch, round table, and piece of a lounge | 66 .1 raincoat marked A |
| 19 .1 steel trunk with linen, &c. | 67 .1 do. B |
| 20 .1 suit case with linen, &c. | 68 .1 do. C |
| 21 .1 lot sweet mould and toddy drawer's gourd | 69 .1 do. D |
| 22 .1 lot katty, bicycle fork, iron frame, and 2 brass rods | 70 .1 do. E |
| 23 .1 lot open tin of paint and old motor tyre | 71 .1 black overcoat marked F |
| 24 .1 lot 2 leather belts and 1 water bottle | 72 .1 black cape marked G |
| 25 .1 lot 3 hair brushes | 73 .1 lady's silk umbrella |
| 26 .1 lot cricket bat and Japanese box | 74 .1 lot 3 ladies' umbrellas marked A |
| 27 .1 lot 2 handbags. | 75 .1 lot 3 do. B |
| 28 .1 small suit case | 76 .1 lot 4 do. C |
| 29 .1 lot 2 goblets, 2 kettles and 3 cans | 77 .1 lot 2 gentlemen's umbrellas |
| 30 .1 lot books | 78 .1 lot 3 do. |
| 31 .1 lot acetic acid jar in basket and 1 enamel spittoon | 79 .1 lot 5 umbrellas marked A |
| 32 .1 lot picture frames, &c. | 80 .1 lot 5 do. B |
| 33 .1 lot brass pans, &c. | 81 .1 lot 5 do. C |
| 34 .1 lot 2 old hurricane lanterns and 2 cart lanterns | 82 .1 lot 8 do. D |
| 35 .1 lot rat trap and galvanized bucket | 83 .1 lot 8 do. E |
| 36 .1 lot empty bottles | 84 .1 lot 8 do. F |
| 37 .1 lot 4 empty sweet tins | 85 .1 lot 11 do. G |
| 38 .1 lot old shoes and sandals | 86 .1 lot 3 walking sticks, marked A |
| 39 .1 lot old hats | 87 .1 lot 5 do. B |
| 40 .1 lot hand baskets | 88 .1 lot 5 do. C |
| 41 .1 empty steel trunk | 89 .1 lot 5 do. D |
| 42 .2 digging forks | 90 .1 lot 6 do. E |
| 43 .1 small bag kurakkan and 2 bottles coconut oil | 91 .1 lot 6 do. F |
| 44 .1 cane folding chair | 92 .1 lot 6 do. G |
| 45 .1 lot empty oil tins | 93 .1 lot 8 do. H |
| 46 .1 lot 10 bundles shooks | 94 .1 lot 10 milla sleepers |
| 47 .1 lot empty packing cases | 95 .1 lot old gas lamps and fittings |
| | 96 .1 lot condemned articles |

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 26, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unclaimed articles lying in the District Court, Nuwara Eliya, will be sold by public auction on the premises on May 12, 1920, at 10 A.M. :—

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| No. | 23. 4 bangles, 1 necklace, 7 rings, 1 nose ornament, 5 bangles |
| 2. 1 gold earring | 24. 2 bangles |
| 5. 1 handkerchief, 1 belt, 1 umbrella | 25. 4 rings, 1 string beads, 1 key, 2 rings, 1 black string, 1 amulet |
| 6. 1 cloth, 6 bangles, 2 strings beads, 2 cloths, 3 cloths | 26. Some beads |
| 7. 3 cloths, 1 banian | 27. 3 bangles, 2 rings, 1 knife, 1 match box, 2 nails |
| 8. 2 gold earrings | 28. 2 metal earrings |
| 10. 1 pair bangles | 29. 2 bangles, 1 string beads, 4 rings, 2 bangles, 1 string beads, 2 bangles, 2 metal earrings, 4 rings, 2 bangles, 6 rings, 2 bangles, 1 string beads, 1 ring, 2 bangles, 3 rings |
| 11. 1 pair gold earrings | 31. 5 bangles, 1 necklet beads, 1 metal earring. |
| 12. 4 bangles, 1 necklet beads | 32. 1 earring (pinchbeck) |
| 13. 4 bangles, 1 necklet beads, 4 rings | 33. metal earring |
| 14. 1 bangle, 4 earrings, 2 keys and ring | 34. 2 bangles, 4 rings, 2 bangles, 1 necklet, 1 metal earring, 2 rings, and 1 key |
| 15. 4 metal earrings, 4 metal rings | 35. 2 bangles, 1 necklet, 2 rings |
| 18. 1 string beads | |
| 20. 2 glass bangles, 3 bead necklets, 4 white metal bangles. | |
| 21. 6 bangles, 3 rings, some beads, 13 metal rings, 1 ear ornament | |

District Court,
Nuwara Eliya, April 21, 1920.

C. W. BICKMORE,
District Judge.

THE under-mentioned confiscated articles will be sold by public auction at this court, at 2 P.M., on Friday, May 7, 1920:—

Case No.	Description.	18,874.. 9 measures rice
18,699.. 3	measures rice	18,897.. 7½ do.
18,760.. 1	tarpauline	18,898.. 2½ do.
18,784.. 2½	measures rice	18,909.. 1 raincoat
18,789.. 3½	do.	18,916.. 1½ measures rice
18,790.. 3½	do.	18,917.. 1½ do.
18,791.. 2½	do.	18,925.. 3½ do.
18,795.. 1½	do.	18,927.. 1 do.
18,800.. ¾	do.	18,937.. 8½ do.
18,820.. 4½	lb. tea	18,947.. ½ do.
18,829.. 6	pairs ebony elephants, 1 bone elephant, 2 bone tusks	18,950.. 1½ do.
18,850.. 20	lb. cotton	18,951.. 3 do.
18,853.. 2	measures rice	18,953.. 3½ do.
18,860.. 61	pieces soldering lead	18,956.. 6½ do.
18,868.. 6	measures rice	18,968.. 2 do.
18,869.. 3½	do.	19,016.. 16½ do.
18,870.. 4½	do.	19,042.. 3 Manila rope slings
18,871.. 5	do.	19,049.. 1 measure rice
		19,050.. 2½ do.
		19,051.. 1½ do.
		19,058.. ½ do.
		19,059.. 5½ do.

G. F. HOLE,
Lieut.-Commander, R. N.,
Joint Police Magistrate.

Colombo, April 21, 1920.

LIST of unclaimed articles found in postal packets received at the Returned Letter Office up to the quarter ended December 31, 1919, to be sold by public

auction at the General Post Office on Wednesday, May 5, 1920, at 2.30 P.M.:—

1 sapphire	1 packet indigo blue
1 gold neck chain	1 packet knitting wool
1 metal ring	1 table centre, 9 picture post cards
1 lace table centre	1 glass bulb magnetic powder
1 string silver beads with brooch	3 picture post cards
5 school books, French	1 umbrella
1 piece soap	2 dresses of children
1 lot tea	1 umbrella
1 lot sample rubber	1 purse
2 tooth brushes	1 tin preserved pudding
5 tins boot polish	1 crochet hook and 1 piece lace
1 sash	2 tins boot polish
2 dresses of infants	2 pieces soap
1 tin ox tail soup	1 tie
1 string beads	1 lot sample lead
1 box eyelets	2 bottles hair dye
1 spectacle case	5 picture post cards and 2 pieces ribbon
1 bunch keys in chain	1 rosary and 1 scapular
3 tins sample paint	2 pencil erasers
1 lot silver offerings	4 books (magazines)
1 dissecting puzzle	1 box Jaffna cigars
1 packet picture post cards	1 lot Sinhalese books
1 piece cloth and 6 jackets	1 lot cut samples
3 tins preserved food	1 lot sundries
1 penknife	1 lot newspapers
1 machine part	
1 reel thread	
1 lot lead seals	
1 lot soap	

General Post Office, C. ABEYWARDENE,
Colombo, April 23, 1920. for Acting Postmaster-General.

VITAL STATISTICS.

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

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 137 (2 Europeans, 9 Burghers, 78 Sinhalese, 19 Tamils, 25 Moors, 2 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1920, viz., 290,480) was 24.6, as against 19.0 in the preceding week, 27.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 21.0 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 89, exclusive of 45 deaths at the Maradana Hospitals, which remained unregistered at the end of the week (1 European, 3 Burghers, 43 Sinhalese, 16 Tamils, 19 Moors, 5 Malays, and 2 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 16.0, as against 24.2 in the previous week, 26.3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 27.7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 89 total deaths, 32 were of infants under one year of age, as against 30 in the preceding week, 21 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 11.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Ten deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 3 each in Maradana and Slave Island, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena, New Bazaar, and Kollupitiya, as against 11 in the previous week, and 21 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Five deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 3 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in Slave Island and Kollupitiya, as against 6 in the previous week.

(c) Two deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 1 each in Kotahena and New Bazaar, as against 6 in the previous week, and 11 the weekly average for last year.

2. Six deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 3 in Kotahena, and 1 each in Maradana, Slave Island, and Wellawatta, as against 13 in the previous week, and 14 the weekly average for last year.

3. Two deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered in New Bazaar, as against 4 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered, 1 each in Pettah and St. Paul's, as against none in the previous week, and 2 the weekly average for last year.

5. Twenty-one deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 8 from *Debility*, 4 from *Dysentery*, 3 each from *Enteritis* and *Worms*, 1 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Tetanus*, and 21 from *Other Causes*.

6. Twenty-six cases of *Measles*, 8 of *Chickenpox*, and 2 of *Plague* were reported during the week as against 20, 22, and nil, respectively, during the preceding week, 3 cases of *Smallpox* were reported from the harbour.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 81.4°, against 81.8° in the preceding week and 82.5° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.914 in., against 29.937 in. in the preceding week and 29.925 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 1.42 in., against 2.73 in. in the preceding week and 1.04 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

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

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

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE NAMBENA ESTATES, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE NAMBENA ESTATES, 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 :—
 - (a) To acquire and take over as a going concern the Estates called and known as Nagalla, Nambena, and Kumbaloluwa, in the Matale District of Ceylon, as from first May, 1919.
 - (b) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, any other buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business), and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works, or methods of communication.
 - (c) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, 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.
 - (d) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said property or any portion thereof and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portion thereof, as a rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce rubber, coconuts, tea, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (e) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee curing mills and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
 - (f) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government, or any authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
 - (g) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise.
 - (h) To lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
 - (i) To enter into agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (g) or (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
 - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market rubber, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, tea, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such rubber, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, tea, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
 - (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in rubber, coconuts, tea, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice, and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
 - (l) To work mines or quarries, and find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits, and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of rubber, coconuts, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company, or as agents for others, and on commission or otherwise.
 - (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
 - (n) To establish and maintain in the United Kingdom, Ceylon, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of rubber, coconut, tea, coffee, cacao, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
 - (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon 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.
 - (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings or other property or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
 - (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purpose of the Company upon the security of cash, credit bonds, or of hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer, or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital) or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
 - (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
 - (s) 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.

- (i) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon, either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (ii) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (v) To acquire by purchase in money shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any part of business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (w) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (x) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (y) 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, and book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
- (z) 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.
- (z 1) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever, and to subscribe to, and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z 2) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise however, with power to issue any shares either fully or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (z 3) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real and personal, immovable and movable, estate property and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partly paid up) of any Company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly other.
- (z 4) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z 5) 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 "person" 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 Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Fifty thousand (50,000) 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 or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
W. A. S. DE VOS, Colombo	One
F. J. DE SARAM, Colombo	One
G. A. WILLE, Colombo	One
PERCY H. FRADD, Colombo, by his attorney T. F. WEBB	One
C. T. VAN GEYZEL, Colombo	One

Witness to above five signatures at Colombo, this 4th day of December, 1919

J. A. SCHOKMAN,
Clerk to Messrs. DE VOS & GRATIAEN.

C. GNANASEKARAM, Colombo	One
E. G. GRATIAEN, Colombo	One

Witness to the above two signatures at Colombo, this 5th day of December, 1919

E. C. DE KRETZER,
Clerk to Messrs. DE VOS & GRATIAEN.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE NAMBENA ESTATES, LIMITED.

THE regulations contained in the Table C in the schedule annexed to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," shall not apply to the Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.

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.

INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

The word "Company" means "The Nambena Estates, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

"Shareholder" means any person whose name is entered in the Register of Shareholders as owner or joint owner of any share in the company.

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

BUSINESS.

2. The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and if the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

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

CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into 50,000 shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

5. The Directors may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, increase the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares of such amounts per share and in the aggregate and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as such resolution shall direct, and they shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as may be considered expedient.

6. Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents, any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the same provisions in all respects with reference to the payments of allotment money, calls, and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise, as if it had formed part of the original capital.

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

SHARES.

8. The Company may call up the balance capital whenever the Directors shall think fit, and may make arrangements on the issue of shares for a difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid, and the time of payment of such calls.

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

10. The shares, except when 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 consider proper. Provided that such unissued shares shall first be offered by the Directors to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and 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 to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands or as remuneration for work done for or services rendered to the Company, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the general meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company, shall direct, and, if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

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, and 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 to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

12. Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company from time to time direct.

13. Shares may be registered in the name of a firm or partnership, 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 in respect of shares registered in the name of the firm.

14. Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons jointly.

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

16. In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

17. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 36 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

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

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

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

21. The certificate of shares registered in the name of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

CALLS.

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

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

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

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

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

30. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up to any person not approved by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred, and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of One Rupee and Fifty Cents, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder, and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

33. In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but only, if at all, upon the transferee.

34. The Register of Transfers may be closed at such times and for such periods as the Directors may from time to time determine, provided always that it shall not be closed for more than twenty-one days in any year.

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

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

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 36, 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, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

39. If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

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

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

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

41. Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise dispensed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

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

43. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture; and such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, and thereupon such purchaser shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

44. The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money, by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than nine per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted or otherwise disposed of under Article 41 hereof shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

45. The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders, or in respect of any other debt, liability, or engagement whatsoever, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls which the Directors shall have resolved to make, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one, the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. And the Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

46. 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.

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

48. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by clause 46 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

49. 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.

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

51. If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes, then the holders of any class of shares may, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders, consent on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or to the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares; and such resolution 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 in any case in which, but for this Article, the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

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

BORROWING POWERS.

53. 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, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not exceed Rupees Fifty thousand (Rs. 50,000), and the Directors shall have power to mortgage or hypothecate any of the property of the Company as security for the repayment of such sum or sums of money.

54. With the sanction of a General Meeting the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. For the purpose of securing the repayment of any such money so borrowed or raised, or for any other purposes, the Directors may, with the sanction of a General Meeting, grant, create, execute, and issue any mortgages, cash credits, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company, both present and future, including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or may make, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange.

55. A certificate under the hands of one Director and the Secretary, or of two Directors, to the effect that in taking any loan the Directors are not exceeding their borrowing powers, shall be sufficient and binding on the Company and all concerned, and shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors.

56. Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled, discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise.

57. 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.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

59. Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is so prescribed, then at such place and at such time as soon after the first day in each year as may be determined by the Directors.

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

61. The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-eighth of the number of Shareholders of the Company for the time being, or by any Shareholder or Shareholders holding in the aggregate one-eighth part of the shares of the Company for the time being subscribed for.

62. 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. Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting.

64. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

65. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting.

66. Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors in the place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors, and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever, of which special mention shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

67. 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.

68. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present or represented at the commencement of the business two or more Shareholders entitled to vote.

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

70. The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present at the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the Chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Director 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.

71. No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the Chair is vacant.

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

73. 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.

74. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some member present and entitled to vote, or in the case of a special resolution by three members present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

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

76. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

77. No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

78. On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote. Where a Shareholder is present by an attorney who is not a Shareholder such attorney shall be entitled to vote for such Shareholder on a show of hands. In case of a poll every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

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

80. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney.

81. No Shareholder shall be entitled to be present or to vote either personally or by proxy or attorney at any meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares have been paid, and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder shall be entitled to be present or to vote at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote at least three months previous to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

82. No person shall be entitled to hold a proxy who is not a Shareholder in the Company, but this rule shall not apply to a power of attorney.

83. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written and shall be signed by the appointor (whether a Shareholder or his attorney), or if such appointor be a company or corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such company or corporation.

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

The instrument appointing a proxy may be in following form:—

The Nambena Estates, Limited.

I, _____, of _____, appoint _____, of _____ 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. 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 shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

87. The number of Directors shall never be less than two nor more than five, but this clause shall be construed as being directory only, and the continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies.

The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right at least one hundred fully or partly paid up shares in the Company upon which all calls for the time being have been paid, and the qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors.

88. As a remuneration for their services, the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Three thousand Rupees (Rs. 3,000) 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 granted for special extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. The first Directors shall be Wm. Arnold Splendewinde de Vos, Fredrick John de Saram, and C. Gnanasekaram, J.P., 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. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director, and (or) Visiting Agent of the Company, or Superintendents of any of the estates, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may 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, and (or) Visiting Agent or Superintendents.

The Directors may confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be 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.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

91. At the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office and at the first Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 92.

92. The Director to retire from office at the second, third, fourth, and fifth Ordinary 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.

93. 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.

94. Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

95. The Ordinary General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof such successors may be appointed at a subsequent Ordinary General Meeting.

96. Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors or provisional Directors arising from death, resignation, or otherwise, may be filled up by the Directors, but any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

97. A General Meeting may from time to time increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

98. 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.

99. A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary, or by leaving the same at the registered office of the Company, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors, and on the acceptance of his resignation by the Directors, but not before, his office shall become vacant.

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

101. Every Director or officer of the Company and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him in or about the discharge of his duties, except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer shall, nor shall the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, be liable for the acts or defaults of any other Director or officer, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

102. No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

103. The office of a 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.

Provided 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 Solicitor, or by his being a member of a firm who are Agents, or Secretaries, or Solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

104. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the said lands and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any other lands, estates, or property they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

105. 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 shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

106. The Directors shall have power to make such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and, in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods, and with such remuneration, and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

107. The Directors shall exercise in the name and on behalf of the Company all such powers of the Company as are not expressly required to be exercised by the Company in General Meeting, and shall generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such Ordinances and of these presents and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting; but no regulations made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulations 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.

108. 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.

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

110. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof, such attestation on the part of Secretaries, in the event of a firm or registered company being the secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, secretary, attorney, or agent of the said firm or company signing for and on behalf of the said firm or company as such secretaries.

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

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration and observe and perform or enforce the award.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company, and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents, with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be 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.
- (f) To delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with, or to the exclusion of, and in the substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

113. The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings at such places and times and in such manner as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined two Directors shall be a quorum.

114. A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

115. The Board may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, and all meetings of the Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman, if one has been elected and if present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman, or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then, and in that case, the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

116. 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.

117. 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.

118. 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.

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

120. A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted.

121. The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in a book or books to be provided for the purpose :—

- (1) Of all appointments of (a) officers and (b) committees made by the Directors.
- (2) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors.
- (3) Of the names of the members of the committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the committee.
- (4) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (5) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings of the Company.
- (6) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors.
- (7) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of committees appointed by the Board.

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

ACCOUNTS.

123. 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 sums were received and expended and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company, and generally of all its commercial, financial, and other affairs, transactions, and engagements, and of all other matters necessary for showing the true financial state and condition of the Company. The accounts shall be kept in such books and in such a manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

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

125. At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the income and expenditure of the Company for the previous financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to the end of the same period.

126. The statement so made shall show, arranged under the most convenient heads, the amount of gross income, distinguishing the several sources from which it has been derived, and the amount of gross expenditure, distinguishing the expense of the establishment, salaries, and other heads of expenditure. Every item of expenditure fairly chargeable against the year's income shall be brought into account, so that a just balance of profit and loss may be laid before the meeting, and in case where any item of expenditure which may in fairness be distributed over several years has been incurred in any one year, the whole amount of such item shall be stated, with the addition of the reasons why only a portion of such expenditure is charged against the income of the year.

127. The balance sheet shall contain a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company, arranged under the heads appearing in the form annexed to the table referred to in Schedule C to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," or as near thereto as circumstances admit.

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

129. 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.

130. The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet ascertained, by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

AUDIT.

131. No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but it shall not be a necessary qualification 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.

132. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration. He or they shall hold office till the second General Meeting of the Company. All subsequent appointments shall, except

as is hereinafter mentioned, be made at the Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and the Auditor or Auditors appointed at such meeting shall hold office only until the first Ordinary General Meeting after his or their appointment, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

133. 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.

134. Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

135. If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor is not supplied at the Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur in the office of Auditor, the Directors shall fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person or persons who shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting after his or their appointment.

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

137. The Auditor or Auditors for the time being shall have a list delivered to him or them of all books kept by the Company, and he or they shall at all reasonable hours in the day time have access to all accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company for the purpose of audit.

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

139. The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, or pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

140. The Directors may, before recommending any dividend or bonus, set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund and may invest the same in such securities as they may select, or place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks, and may from time to time deal with and vary such investments, and apply such reserve fund or such portion thereof as they think fit, to meet contingencies, or for special dividends, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises of the Company, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purposes connected with the interest of the Company, that they may from time to time deem expedient without being bound to keep the same separate from the other assets.

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

142. No unpaid dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

143. 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.

144. The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all such sums of money as may be due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding the fact that such sums or any of them are not payable until after the date when such dividend or bonus is payable.

145. Notice of any dividend that has been declared, or of any bonus to be paid, shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto, and any dividend or bonus unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by the Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund.

146. 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.

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

NOTICES.

148. Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or persons appointed by the Board to authenticate the same.

149. Every Shareholder shall give 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.

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

151. All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons are jointly entitled other than a firm be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the Register of Shareholders, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

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

153. Any Shareholder who fails to give and register an address in Ceylon as provided in Article No. 149 shall not be entitled to be given any notices.

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

ARBITRATION.

154. 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.

155. 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 RELATING TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

156. Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, and 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.

157. If the Company shall be wound up, whether voluntarily or otherwise, the liquidator or liquidators may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator or liquidators with the like sanction shall think fit, and if thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the members of the Company, and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights, or may be excluded altogether or in part, and the liquidator or liquidators shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company in consideration of or in exchange for shares, ordinary, fully paid, part paid, or preference, in the purchasing company, but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on or any sale made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company, either ordinary, fully paid, or part paid, or preference, any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such determination were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908, in England, but for the purposes of an arbitration as in the sub-section (6) of the said section, provided the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Ceylon Ordinance, No. 2 of 1889, shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of section 192 of the aforewritten Companies (Consolidation) Act, and the said section 192, save as herein excepted, shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these present Articles.

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

W. A. S. DE VOS.

F. J. DE SARAM.

G. A. WILLE.

PERCY H. FRADD, by his attorney T. F. WEBB.

C. T. VAN GEYZEL.

Witness to above five signatures, at Colombo, this 4th day of December, 1919:

J. A. SCHOKMAN,
Clerk to Messrs. DE VOS & GRATIAEN.

C. GNANASEKARAM.

E. G. GRATIAEN.

Witness to the above two signatures, at Colombo, this 5th day of December, 1919:

E. C. DE KRETSEER,
Clerk to Messrs. DE VOS & GRATIAEN.

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MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GALLE CULTIVATORS COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE GALLE CULTIVATORS COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Galle.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (1) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon the business of cultivators, planters, growers, and producers of all kinds of foodstuffs and currystuffs, of commission agents, exporters, importers, traders, miners, manufacturers, engineers building contractors, and generally to carry on and undertake any business undertaking, transaction, or operation commonly carried on by capitalists, promoters, financiers, concessionaries, contractors for public and other works, merchants, and any other business 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 or render profitable any of the Company's property or rights.
 - (2) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any land or lands or any share or shares thereof and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining, and mineral properties, and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property real and personal, movable or immovable of any kind and any rights, easements, patents, licenses, privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret which may be thought necessary or convenient for the Company's business) and to erect, construct, maintain or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways or other works or methods of communication.
 - (3) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, cultivators, and other labourers and such servants in Ceylon or elsewhere 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.

- (4) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, reclaim and develop any land or lands that may be purchased, leased or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof, and cultivate, plant, grow, and produce paddy, kurakkan, Indian corn, manioc, sweet potatoes, hamanas, yams, maize, millets, beans, dhall, groundnuts, gram, green gram, cowpeas, gourds, bringals, bandakkas, tomatoes, spinach, cucumber, onions, mustard, chillies, coriander, ginger, and any other foodstuffs and currystuffs and coconuts, coffee, and tea.
- (5) To build, make, construct, acquire, equip, maintain, improve or alter water reservoirs, tanks, bunds, water-courses, irrigation systems, and roads, bridges, culverts, erections, tramways, water transport systems, and all other works conducive to any of the Company's objects or to contribute to or to subsidize such.
- (6) To lend money, manure, seed paddy, seeds or plants, and on any security, and in particular on the security of lands, plantations, buildings, factories, growing crops, produce, promissory notes, bills of lading, warrants, stocks and shares, debentures or without any security whatsoever.
- (7) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, ship, trade, export, import, and deal in paddy, kurakkan, maize, rice, gram, coconuts, coffee, tea, and all other kinds of imported and locally raised foodstuffs and currystuffs, and or other products, merchandise articles, and materials of any kind whatever for manufacture, manipulation and or sale.
- (8) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
- (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, and products, and generally to carry on the business of mining in all its branches.
- (10) To enter into any agreement or arrangement with government or any authorities and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
- (11) To lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
- (12) To hire, lease, or purchase land, either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other building thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise.
- (13) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as in sections 11 and 12 or for the manufacture and preparation for market paddy, kurakkan, Indian corn, coconuts, coffee and tea or any other produce in such or any factory.
- (14) To erect, construct, establish, maintain, and build mills, hullers, machinery, plant, factories, and or any necessary apparatus or buildings for the purposes of milling and preparation for market of paddy.
- (15) To erect, construct, establish and maintain houses, warehouses, granaries, offices, shops, stores for stocking and storing and warehousing, or as places for the sale of the different articles or produce of the Company, or any such produce, articles, or merchandise the Company deals in.
- (16) To cultivate, superintend and manage estates, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents and any other agency business of any kind.
- (17) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens or securities or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the term thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied as shall be thought fit; also to pay off and reborrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (18) To draw, make, endorse, accept bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (19) 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.
- (20) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
- (21) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purpose of the Company upon the security of cash, credit bonds, or hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property, or any part or parts thereof or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital) or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
- (22) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (23) 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, or 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 and 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.
- (24) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company or partly in one way and partly in another or otherwise howsoever, with power to issue any shares either fully or partially paid up for such purpose.
- (25) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real and personal, immovable and movable estate, property and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company or in the discharge of any consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or persons or partly one and partly other.
- (26) To distribute among 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.
- (27) 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 not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is One hundred Thousand Rupees (Rs. 100,000), divided into twenty thousand shares of Five Rupees (Rs. 5) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes, with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being or otherwise.

We, the several persons whose name 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.
S. MOHD. ISMAIL, Galle	One
EDWIN LUDOVICI Galle	One
THEODORE N. MENDIS, Galle	One
G. E. D. SENEVIRATNE, Galle	One
C. H. WIKRAMANAYAKE, Galle	One
R. S. P. ABEYWARDENA, Galle	One
C. W. W. KANNANGARA, Galle	One

Witness to the seven above signatures, at Galle, this 8th day of March, 1920:

C. L. WICKREMASINGHE.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GALLE CULTIVATORS COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows :—

1. 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. 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.

INTERPRETATION.

3. 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 :—

The word "Company" means "Galle Cultivators Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

"Shareholder" means a Shareholder of the Company.

"Presence or Present" at a meeting means presence or present personally, or by proxy, or by attorney duly authorized.

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

BUSINESS.

4. 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.

5. 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.

6. The nominal capital of the Company is One hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 100,000), divided into Twenty thousand (20,000) shares of Five Rupees (Rs. 5) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital.

7. 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. The Directors shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper.

8. 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 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 a 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 or as remuneration for work done for or services rendered to the Company without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

9. 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.

SHARES.

10. The shares, except where otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper; provided that such unissued shares shall be first offered by the Directors to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company as nearly as possible in proportion to the shares already held by them, and such shares as shall not be accepted by the 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, or as remuneration for work done for or for services rendered to the Company without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

11. 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.

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

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

14. 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.

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

16. Any one of the joint-holders of a share, other than a firm, may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable in respect of such share, but only one of such joint Shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving proxies and exercise 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.

17. 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.

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

19. 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 35 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

20. 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.

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

22. 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.

23. 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.

24. No person shall exercise any rights of a member 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.

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

26. No transfer of shares shall be made to a minor or person of unsound mind.

27. 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.

28. 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.

29. 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 of by them.

30. 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.

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of fifty (50) cents, 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 29, 30, and 32, shall register the transferee as Shareholder, and retain the instrument, of transfer.

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

33. In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, 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.

34. 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.

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

36. 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 fifty (50) cents or may subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 36 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 nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

(c) 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) 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.

40. 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.

41. 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.

42. A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Managing Director 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 could have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture, such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, such purchaser thereupon shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see 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.

43. 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 the 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 40 hereof shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

44. The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or for the shares held by such holder or joint-holders or otherwise, and whether due by 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.

45. Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or 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.

46. The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 40 and 45 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.

47. A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Managing Director that the power of sale given by clause 45 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

48. Upon any such sale 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.

49. Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right of preference, whether in respect of dividend, or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued, or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference) or

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.

CALLS.

50. (a) 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 place 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) 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 119.

(c) 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.

51. 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 cent. 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.

52. 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.

53. The Directors shall have power at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other person any sum or sums of money for purposes of the Company. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayments of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage 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. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from 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 Managing Director, 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.

MEETINGS.

54. 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.

55. 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.

56. 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.

57. 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-tenth of the number of Shareholders holding not less than one-tenth of the issued capital and entitled to vote.

58. 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.

59. 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.

60. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given 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.

61. Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purpose 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.

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

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

64. 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.

65. 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.

66. No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the chair is vacant.

67. 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 have been given.

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

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

69. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present. In 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 that Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

70. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by 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.

71. 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.

72. No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

73. On a show of hands every Shareholder shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or by attorney shall have one vote for every share held by him up to five, and an additional vote for the next ten shares held by him, and an additional vote for every further twenty-five shares held by him up to one hundred shares (exclusive of the first fifteen shares), and an additional vote for every hundred share held by him beyond the said first hundred.

74. 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.

75. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

76. No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company, but this rule does not apply to a power of attorney.

77. 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.

78. 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.

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

80. Any instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

Galle Cultivators 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 _____.

81. 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.

82. No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

83. 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 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. 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.

84. The qualification of a Director shall be his holding fully paid shares in the Company of the total nominal value of at least One hundred Rupees (Rs. 100), 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 Three hundred Rupees (Rs. 300) for the first year, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine. But the future remuneration of the Directors shall be determined by the Company in General Meeting.

85. The first Directors shall be Christopher William Wijekoon Kannangara, Esq., of Galle, Cyril Herbert Wickramanayake, Esq., of Galle, and Roland Stanley Perera Abeyawardena, Esq., of Galle, 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.

87. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, Manager or Managers of the Company, Visiting Agent or Visiting Agents, 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 Visiting Agents, Superintendent or Superintendents.

88. The Directors may confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be conferred on any Manager of the Company.

89. 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.

90. 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 registered office of the Company, a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the appointment or the intention of such Shareholder, to propose him.

91. 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.

92. Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of the Directors subsequent 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.

93. 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 94.

94. The Directors to retire from office at the Second and Third 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.

95. Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

96. 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.

97. 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 also may determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

98. 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.

99. A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Managing Director or Secretary or Secretaries or by leaving the same at the office, or by tendering his written resignation at a Meeting of the Directors.

100. The office of Director shall be vacated—

(a) If he accept or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Manager, 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.

(f) If he shall be absent from the Island for a period of more than six consecutive calendar months.

101. Provided 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.

102. The Company may, by 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.

103. Every Director or officer, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him respectively in or about the discharge of his respective duties, except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer, nor the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, shall be liable for any other Director or officer, or for joining in any receipt or other acts of conformity, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

104. 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.

105. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of a Manager or Managers 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, preliminary as well as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and registration of the Company, and in connection with the placing of the shares of the Company and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of any lands, estates, or property, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and in or about the working and business of the Company.

106. The Directors shall have power to purchase, lease, 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, cultivators, 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, cultivators, labourers, and other servants, for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable and without assigning any cause.

107. 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.

108. 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.

109. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by an extraordinary resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit; and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

110. 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 any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are, or shall be, by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such 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.

111. 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.

112. 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.

113. A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

114. The Board may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, and all meetings of the Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman, if one has been elected and is present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman, or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then and in that case the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

115. Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman thereof shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

116. 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.

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

118. 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.

119. 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.

120. The Directors shall cause Minutes to be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the following matters, *vide licet* :—

- (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.

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

COMPANY'S SEAL.

122. 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 Secretary of the Company, who shall attest the seal thereof; such attestation on the part of the Secretary or Secretaries in the event of a firm being the Secretary or 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 Secretaries.

ACCOUNTS.

123. 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.

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

125. At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the profit and loss account for the preceding financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up as at the end of the same period.

126. 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.

127. 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.

128. 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.

129. 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.

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

131. 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 extension 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.

132. No unpaid interest, dividend, or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

133. 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.

134. 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 sum shall not be payable until after the date when such dividend is payable.

135. 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.

136. 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 purpose 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.

137. Every dividend or bonus payable in respect to 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.

138. 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.

139. 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.

140. 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.

141. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration: all future Auditors, except as in hereafter 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.

142. Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

143. 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.

144. 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.

145. 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 thereto to the meeting, generally or specially, as he may think fit.

146. All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all times be open to the Auditors for the purpose of audit.

NOTICES.

147. Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Secretary, Secretaries, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

148. 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.

149. 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 of 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 Secretary or Secretaries of the Company, the name of some other address in Ceylon.

150. All notices required 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.

151. 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.

152. Every Shareholder residing out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notices.

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

ARBITRATION.

153. 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.

154. 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.

155. 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.

156. If the Company shall be wound up and there shall be any surplus assets after payment of all debts and satisfaction of all liabilities of the Company, such surplus assets shall be applied, first in repaying to the holders of the preference shares (if any) the amounts that may be due to them, whether by way of capital only or by way of capital and dividend or arrears of dividend or otherwise in accordance with the rights, privileges, and conditions attached thereto, and the balance in repaying to the holders of the ordinary shares the amounts paid up or reckoned as paid up on such ordinary shares. If after such payments there shall remain any surplus assets, such surplus assets shall be divided among

the ordinary Shareholders in proportion to the capital paid up, or reckoned as paid up, on the shares which are held by them respectively at the commencement of the winding up, unless the conditions attached to the preference shares expressly entitled such shares to participate in such surplus assets.

157. If the Company shall be wound up, the liquidator, whether voluntary or official, may, with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution, divide among the contributors 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 contributors 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 Galle, this 8th day of March, 1920.

S. MOHD. ISMAIL.
EDWIN LUDOVICI.
THEODORE N. MENDIS.
G. E. D. SENEVIRATNE.
C. H. WIKRAMANAYAKE.
R. S. P. ABEYAWARDENA.
C. W. W. KANNANGARA.

Witness to the above signatures:

C. L. WICKREMASINGHE,
Proctor and Notary, Galle.

The Nyanza Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's registered office, Prince building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, May 8, 1920, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1919.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for 1920.
5. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 24 to May 11, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, April 27, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Arcadia Coconut Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the company's registered office, Prince building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, May 8, 1920, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1919.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for 1920.
4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 24 to May 8, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, April 27, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Uva Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at its registered office, Prince building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, May 8, 1920, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1919.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for 1920.

5. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 24 to May 11, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, April 27, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Beverlac (Selangor) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, the National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, May 7, 1920, at 12 noon.

Business.

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

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from May 1 to 7, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

LEECHMAN & Co.,
Colombo, April 26, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Kelani Valley Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Gaffoor Building, Main street, Colombo, on Monday, May 10, 1920, at 12 noon.

Business.

To consider and, if approved, to pass the following resolution:—

"That the Articles of Association of the Company be amended by inserting after Article 24 the following Article:—

"24A. The Directors may also with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting reduce the capital of the Company or subdivide or consolidate its shares or any of them."

Should the above resolution be passed by the requisite majority, it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a subsequent General Meeting, which will be convened for the purpose.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, April 30, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

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The Monragalla Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered offices of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main Street, Colombo, on Tuesday, May 11, 1920, at 12 noon.

Business.

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

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,

Colombo, April 30, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

The Diwala (Kegalla) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the Company's registered office, Gaffoor building, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, May 14, 1920, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1919.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor for 1920.
4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from May 3 to 14, 1920, inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

E. W. CLIFTON,
Secretary.

Colombo, April 30, 1920.

Wellands Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 28, Chatham street, Colombo, on Friday, May 7, 1920, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit approving the issue of debentures to the extent of Rs. 200,000 as from July 1, 1920.

By order of the Board,

28, Chatham street, SHAW, WALLACE & Co.,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

UNDER decree entered against Samaraweera Arachige Nonis Perera of Kandana, and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 54,195, D. C., Colombo, I shall sell the following lands, specially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount therein stated, on Friday, May 21, 1920, at 4 P.M., at the spot:—

1. An allotment of land called Dambugahawatta marked lot A, situated at Kandana and containing in extent 7 75/100 perches.
2. An undivided 1/2 share of an allotment of land called Dambugahawatta marked lot B, situated at Kandana, and containing in extent 17 25/100 perches.

Further particulars from D. W. Walpola, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or—

C. P. AMERASINHE,
Auctioneer and Broker.

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Auction Sale.

Valu de Cocony Estate, &c., in Kirimetiya, Chilaw.

In the District Court of Colombo.

UNDER decree entered against Dorothy Julie Wijeysekera and Francis Alfred Wijeysekera, both of Waikol, and by virtue of a commission issued to me in case No. 54,155 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall

sell the following land, specially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount therein stated on Thursday, May 13, 1920, at 2 P.M., at my office, No. 3, Canal row, Fort, Colombo:—

1. All that land called Andiyagarawatta, situated in the village Kirimetiya, in Otara palata of Pitigalkorale, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; and bounded on the north by lands described in plans Nos. 128,619, 84,831, and 84,020, east by a road and land described in plan No. 79,866, south by lands described in plans Nos. 79,866, 79,868, and 79,842, and west by land described in plan No. 79,842; containing in extent 27 acres and 1 rood according to the survey bearing No. 128,620 authenticated by J. Stoddart, Acting Surveyor-General, bearing date October 19, 1883.

2. All that field called Paragahakumbura and its adjoining high land, situated in the village Kirimetiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land of Appusingho and others, east by field described in plan No. 84,020 belonging to Appusingho and others, south by land called Dankela belonging to W. M. P. Lowe Lama Etana; containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 8 perches according to the survey No. 84,022 dated December 9, 1891, authenticated by Captain A. B. Fyers, R.E., Surveyor-General.

3. All that allotment of land called Dankela, situated in the village Kirimetiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north by lands described in plans Nos. 84,023, 84,022, and 84,020, east by land described in plan No. 84,020, south by land belonging to W. M. P. Lowe Lama Etana, and west by land claimed by N. P. Appusunno; containing in extent 3 acres and 20 perches as per survey No. 84,851 dated February 24, 1872, and made by A. B. Fyers, Surveyor-General.

4. All that land called Dewatagaha-asredduma, situated at Kirimetiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land of A. B. Suriyan Jayamaha, east by land described in plan No. 84,022, south by land of Don Silvestri Annavi, and west by land claimed by N. R. Appusunno; containing in extent 3 roods and 18 perches as per survey No. 84,023 dated December 9, 1871, and authenticated by A. B. Fyers, Surveyor-General.

5. All that land bearing lots Nos. L 73 and M 73, situated in Kirimetiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north by lands of Nungomu Pattirenelage Appusunno and the heirs of Muttukutti Aratchige Appurala Appuhami, east by high road, and south and west by land of W. M. P. Lowe Lama Etana; containing in extent about 5 acres.

6. All that land called Kaludiyawela, situated in the village Kirimetiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north and west by land claimed by Muttukutti Aratchige Allis Appu, east by a road, south by land described in plan No. 79,869; containing in extent 3 acres and 11 perches.

Canal row, Fort,
Telephone No. 1,099.

H. M. GUNASEKERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Edwin Beven of Rose Cottage, Kandy Plaintiff.
Walter Beven, executor of the last will and testament
of Edwin Beven, deceased Substituted Plaintiff.

No. 27,050.

Vs.

Josephene Letitia Katherine Kotalawala (presently of
Holy Family Convent, Bambalapitiya).... Defendant.

UNDER instructions from the executor and by virtue of the decree and order in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, May 8, 1920, commencing at 3 P.M., at the spot, the following properties declared bound and executable for the recovery of the principal, interest, and costs, to wit:—

1. All that allotment of land called Molligodadepitawatta, the buildings and plantations thereon, and bearing assessment No. 4, situated at Martin street, now called Hill street, in Gampola, in the Gangapalata koral of Udapalata, in the Kandy District, Central Province; and bounded on

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the north and north-east by Packeer Bawa's land, on the south by the property of H. Mohandirama, on the west and north-west by the limit which separates this land; containing in extent 2 roods and 7 perches.

2. All that allotment of land, with buildings and plantations standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 4, situated at Martin street in Gampola aforesaid; and bounded on the east by Martin street, on the south-west by Martin Mohandirama's land, on the west and north-west by Charles Banda's land and formerly of Seyado Meera Amsa and Packeer Tuwan's land, and on the north by lands claimed by Seyado Meera Amsa and Packeer Tuwan; containing in extent 2 roods and 8 perches.

3. All that allotment of land called Linda-ampurey alias Lindakumburawatta, bearing assessment No. 4, situated at Martin street, now called Hill street, in Gampola aforesaid; and bounded on the east south-east by Martin street, south by land described in plan No. 87,145, on the south-west by land described in plans Nos. 87,145 and 48,118, and all other sides by land claimed by Punchirala; containing in extent (exclusive of the paths passing through the land) 2 roods 14 perches, and excluding, however, therefrom a portion towards the north-east, in extent 1 rood 4 perches, sold to D. D. Alwis Appuhamy; which said several premises adjoin each other and form one property, and as regards their situation can be included in one survey, together with all the buildings and plantations thereon.

Further particulars from Welter Beven, Esq., Proctor, Kandy, or—

7 & 8, Palace Square,
Kandy, April 20, 1920.

CHARLES D. JAYASINHA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

BY VIRTUE and by virtue of a commission issued to me in partition suit No. 16,455, D. C., Galle, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on June 19, 1920, at 2 P.M., viz:—

All that lot D depicted in plan No. 785 made by Mr. G. F. Hepponstall, Surveyor, filed of record of the land Mahagederawatta, situated at Patabendimulla in Ambalangoda, in extent 1 rood 18½ perches.

CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,
Auctioneer.

Galle, April 27, 1920.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Seena Sena Ana Peyna Adaikappa Chetty of Sea street, Colombo, by his attorney S. S. A. S. Palaniappa Chetty Plaintiff.

S. S. A. S. Arunselem Chetty, administrator of the estate of S. S. A. S. Adaikappa Chetty of Colombo Substituted Plaintiff.

No. 5,970. Vs.

(1) Peena Muna Cheena Sinne Tamby, (2) Rawenna Muna Mohidin Rauter, and (3) Seyadu Patummal by her attorney the 1st defendant Defendants.

BY virtue of the decree entered in the above case and the order issued therein, I shall put up for sale by public auction, at the premises, on Saturday, May 22, 1920, at 10 A.M., at Elalabadagama, in Katugampola korale, Kurunegala District, the following property specially bound and executable for recovery of the balance amount due under the said decree, viz:—

1. An undivided 6/32 shares of all that allotment of land called and known as Meeghamulawatta, situate at Elabadagama, in extent 1 acre.

2. An undivided 6/32 shares of all that allotment of land called and known as Gonaghamulawatta and of Millaghamulawatta, situate at the said village, in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 9 perches.

3. An undivided 6/32 shares of the old plantation standing on the aforesaid land called and known as Gonnaghamulawatta and Millaghamulawatta, situate at the said village, about 80 bearing coconut trees about 40 years old, and of the buildings thereon, which said portion has been freed from any taxation by the Crown, of about 2½ acres in extent.

4. Undivided 6/32 shares of all that allotment of land called and known as Udukayamullehena alias Uducomullewatta, situate at the said village, in extent 9 acres 3 roods and 23 perches.

5. An undivided 6/32 shares of all that allotment of land called Polgahamulahena, situate at the said village, in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 23 perches.

6. An undivided 6/32 shares of the land called and known as Yakdessapitiyalandahenyaya, situate at the said village.

On the same day at 1 P.M., at Kongoda, in the same Hatpattu and District.

7. An undivided 6/32 + 1/8 shares of all that land called Kongoda estate, situate at Kongoda, in Katugampola hatpattu, Kurunegala District.

On the same day at 3 P.M., at Dambegahagedera, in the said Hatpattu and District.

8. An undivided 6/32 shares of all that allotment of land called Dumaladeniyewatta, situate at Dambegahagedera, in extent 29 acres 3 roods and 24 perches.

9. An undivided 6/32 shares of the 6 acres towards the north of that undivided 1/2 share of all that allotment of land called Wekumburehenyaya, situate at the said village.

10. An undivided 6/32 shares of an undivided 1/2 share of all that allotment of land called Wekumburehenyaya, situate at the said village, of about 8 lahas kurakkan.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. C. P. & C. H. Markus, Proctors, Supreme Court, Kurunegala, or to—

D. M. PERERA,
Auctioneer.

April 23, 1920.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Anuradhapura.

Valliapper Ramalingham of Anuradhapura Plaintiff.
No. 811 Partition Suit. Vs.

Wannikuwatte Waduge Aelian George Kingsley Fernando and others of Kotahena, Colombo. Defendants.

BY virtue of a commission directed to me by the District Court of Anuradhapura in the above case, I will on Saturday, May 29, 1920, at 3 P.M., put up for sale by public auction at the spot the following property on conditions approved of by the District Judge, first among the co-owners at the price at which it has been valued, to wit, Rs. 2,500, and if none of the co-owners purchase the same and comply with the conditions, the same shall be put up and sold to the highest bidder, viz:—

An allotment of land bearing lot No. 12 described in title plan No. 89,442, containing in extent 1 rood and 16 perches, with the buildings thereon; and bounded on the north by reservation along the high road called Mihintale road, on the east by the land belonging to the late M. Chelliah, on the south by the land belonging to Don Hendrick de Silva Wijeyanayake, and on the west by the land belonging to Mr. L. B. Bulankulama, Ratemahatmaya; which allotment of land belongs to the plaintiff and the defendants.

Sittampalam road,
Anuradhapura, April 14, 1920.

S. N. SITTAMPALAM,
Commissioner.

SPECIFICATIONS UNDER "THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE."

SPECIFICATION.—Irrigation Works, Nuwara Eliya District, Central Province.

SUPPLEMENTARY specification showing lands found to be capable of irrigation by Ma-ela, in addition to the specification and supplementary specifications I. and II. which appeared in *Government Gazettes* Nos. 6,974 of November 1, 1918, 6,995 of February 14, 1919, and 7,031 of July 4, 1919, respectively, the names of proprietors and the contributions payable in respect of each land.

Lands which pay a Construction Rate of Re. 1.76 per acre per annum for Ten Years from 1920 to 1929, inclusive, and a Maintenance Rate of Re. 1.30 per acre per annum for Three Years from January 1, 1920, to 1922, inclusive.
(The Maintenance Rate must be re-assessed in 1923).

Diyatilleke Korale.

Name of Village: Kottala.

No.	Name of Allotment of Land or Field.	Name of Owner.	Extent.			Charge for Construction.		Charge for Maintenance.		Amount due.		Area exempted.			Amount exempted.		No. and Date of Colonial Secretary's Letter authorizing Exemption, and Period of Exemption granted.	Total Amount due.
			A.	R.	P.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	A.	R.	P.	Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.
1	Muttettuwewatta	Patiranage Angohamy	0	3	0	1	32	0	98	2	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	2 30
2	Paththirippuwehena	Attanayaka Mudiyansele Ran Menika	1	0	0	1	76	1	30	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 6
Gannewa Korale.																		
Name of Village: Wegama.																		
3	Pinpela	Wegama Vihare	0	2	0	0	88	0	65	1	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 53
										2	1	0	3	96	2	93	6	89

AMENDED SUMMARY.

Diyatilleke and Gannewa Korales.

A. R. P.			Rs.	c.
(a) Lands paying only a maintenance rate of Re. 1.30 per acre per annum	611	1 29	796	42
(b) Lands paying a construction rate of Re. 1.76 per acre per annum and a maintenance rate of Re. 1.30 per acre per annum	13	1 24	41	4
Lots Nos. 833 to 842 and No. 1 in supplementary specification II. pay construction rate for ten years from January 1, 1918, to 1927. Lots Nos. 1, 2, and 3 in supplementary specification III. pay construction rate for ten years from January 1, 1920, to 1929				
Total private lands	624	3 13	837	46
Exempted lands	2	2 0	3	25
Area paying rate	622	1 13	834	21
Kohoka Korale.				
(a) Lands paying only a maintenance rate of Re. 1.30 per acre per annum	656	3 24	855	7
(b) Lands paying a construction rate of Re. 1.76 per acre per annum and a maintenance rate of Re. 1.30 per acre per annum	0	2 0	1	53
Pays construction rate for three years				
Total private lands	657	1 24	856	60
Area paying rate	657	1 24	856	60
(1) Total private lands under Ma-ela	1,282	0 37	1,690	81
(2) Exempted lands	2	2 0		
(3) Total area paying rate	1,279	2 37	1,690	81
Total amount recoverable				

The Kachcheri,
Nuwara Eliya, February 26, 1920.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Assistant Government Agent.

SPECIFICATION.—Irrigation Works, North-Central Province.

REVISED specification showing lands found to be capable of irrigation by Topawewa in Tamankaduwa palata, the names of proprietors, and the contributions payable in respect of each land. All previous specifications, including the one published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,694 of January 15, 1915, are hereby cancelled. Construction rate Re. 1.25 per acre per annum for five years, from 1920 to 1924, both years inclusive.

Village—Topawewa.

No.	No. of Lot or Survey Reference.	Name of Allotment of Land or Field.	Name of Owner.	Extent.			Amount due.		Area exempted.			No. and Date of Colonial Secretary's Letter authorizing Exemption, and Period of Exemption granted.	Total Amount due.
				A.	R.	P.	Rs.	c.	A.	R.	P.			Rs.	c.
1	Not surveyed	Bogambarawela	P. B. Dodanwela	4	0	20	5	16	—	—	—	—	5 16
2	Do.	do.	Kandure Mudiyansele	3	0	0	3	75	—	—	—	—	3 75
3	Do.	do.	Dingiri Banda Kandure Mudiyansele	4	0	0	5	0	—	—	—	—	5 0
4	Do.	do.	Ran Menika E. M. Biso Menika and K. M. Walliamma	5	2	20	7	4	—	—	—	—	7 4
5	Do.	do.	Velan Valliamma	0	2	20	0	79	—	—	—	—	0 79
6	Do.	do.	M. A. Allis Appuhamy	0	2	20	0	79	—	—	—	—	0 79
7	Do.	do.	Kandure Mudiyansele Punchirala	0	2	20	0	79	—	—	—	—	0 79

No.	No. of Lot or Survey Reference.	Name of Allotment of Land or Field.	Name of Owner.	Extent.	Amount due.	Area ex-empted.		Amount exempted.	No. and Date of Colonial Secretary's Letter authorizing Exemption and Period of Exemption granted.	Total Amount due.
						A. R. P.	Rs. c.			
8	Not surveyed	Goluwawela	Herath Mudiyansele Menik-2 rala	1 30	3 5					3 5
9	Do.	do.	Agamadu Lebbe Noor Mohamadu	0 3 30	1 17					1 17
10	Do.	do.	Menikago Dingawa	8 0 0	10 0					10 0
11	Do.	do.	Punchiralage Jela Menika	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
12	Do.	do.	Appuhamige Punchi Banda	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
13	Do.	do.	Rev. Bamumpola Saranan-kara	11 2 20	14 54					14 54
14	Do.	do.	Kapurilage Appuhamy	3 0 0	3 75					3 75
15	Do.	do.	Kalu Banda Arachige Punchi-rala	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
16	Do.	do.	Kandure Mudiyansele Kalu Banda	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
17	Do.	do.	Mudalihamige Menikrala	2 2 20	3 29					3 29
18	Do.	do.	Kanavedy Murugan	1 3 20	2 35					2 35
19	Do.	do.	Appuhamige Kiri Banda	1 3 20	2 35					2 35
20	111, P.P. 3,721	do.	Punchiralage Ranhamy	1 3 18	2 34					2 34
21	Not surveyed	do.	H. S. Jayatilake	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
22	Do.	do.	Punchiralage Ranhamy	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
23	Do.	do.	Appuge Dingiri Menika	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
24	112, P.P. 3,721	do.	G. P. H. James de Silva	1 2 3	1 90					1 90
25	Not surveyed	Kanugassamulla	Isman Kengamudali	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
26	Do.	do.	Kengamudali Ahamadu	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
27	Do.	do.	Omerukandu Segutarby	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
28	Do.	do.	Usen Mondiram	2 2 20	3 29					3 29
29	Do.	do.	Kuna Muttu Udatchi	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
30	Do.	do.	Mohiadeen Aliyar	3 0 0	3 75					3 75
31	Do.	Kanduruwela	Appuhamige Menik Etani	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
32	Do.	do.	Kanavedy Elayatamby	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
33	Do.	do.	P. B. Dodanwela	12 0 0	15 0					15 0
34	Do.	do.	Kana Gnadiabee	3 2 0	4 38					4 38
35	Do.	do.	Rev. Bambumpola Saranan-kara	3 20	28 60					28 60
Village—Dowlana.										
36	Not surveyed	Kanduruwela	Soiyadu Lebbe Muthumma	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
37	Do.	do.	Una Vella Udatchi	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
38	Do.	do.	Kanavedy Elayatamby	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
39	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Kosmaham-madu	2 1 32	3 6					3 6
40	Do.	do.	Avanna Agamadu Lebbe	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
41	Do.	do.	Movanna Saval Hameedu	0 1 20	0 47					0 47
42	Do.	do.	Sena Aliyar	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
43	Do.	do.	Savanna Vella Udaiyar	1 0 0	1 25					1 25
44	Do.	do.	Savanna Agamadu Lebbe	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
45	Do.	do.	Selaima Lebbe Mammadu Lebbe	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
46	Do.	do.	Muna Aliyar	0 2 20	0 79					0 79
47	Do.	do.	Una Mudaliyar	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
48	Do.	do.	Agamadu Lebbe Saibo	0 2 12	0 72					0 72
49	Do.	do.	Ana Mammadu Lebbe	0 2 12	0 72					0 72
50	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Kurusoo	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
51	Do.	do.	Mana Meera Umma	0 1 20	0 47					0 47
52	Do.	do.	Mana Noor Mohamadu	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
53	Do.	do.	Usenkandu Maimu	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
54	Do.	do.	Ana Sara Umma	2 1 0	2 81					2 81
55	Do.	do.	Seyanna Manawala Udatchi	0 2 12	0 72					0 72
56	Do.	do.	Avanna Muthumma	0 2 12	0 72					0 72
57	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Pathumuthu	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
58	Do.	do.	Savanna Agamadu Lebbe	1 3 20	2 35					2 35
59	Do.	do.	Wavanna Elaya Udatchi	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
60	Do.	do.	Kuna Muthu Udatchi	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
61	Do.	do.	Ana Muthunatchy	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
62	Do.	do.	Ana Maimu Natchy	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
63	Do.	do.	Koona Mattiyar	1 0 20	1 41					1 41
64	Do.	do.	Savanna Vella Udaiyar	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
65	Do.	Kudawela	Kana Meena Asiyathu	0 3 0	0 94					0 94
66	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Jainambu	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
67	Do.	do.	Nena Muna Usengappu Udayar	3 0 0	3 75					3 75
68	Do.	do.	Mana Noormammadoo	1 0 0	1 25					1 25
69	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Kosmammadu	0 1 0	0 31					0 31
70	Not surveyed	Kudawela	Kana Meena Kurusoo	0 1 0	0 31					0 31
71	Do.	do.	Una Kassa Umma	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
72	Do.	do.	Mana Aliyar	2 1 0	2 81					2 81
73	6125 in T. P. 216,206	Navaladjumhari	Avanna Asarathu	5 1 5	6 60					6 60
74	Do.	do.	Peena Mohammadu Abdul Cader	5 1 5	6 60					6 60
75	6127 in T. P. 224,769	do.	Navanna Meena Soiyadu Ibrahim	2 3 22	3 60					3 60
76	2 in P. P. 4,786	do.	do.	1 1 29	1 79					1 79
77	Not surveyed	do.	Mohammadu Lebbe Adam Lebbe	1 2 0	1 88					1 88
78	Do.	Vettakadu	Mrs. G. Jayawardena	22 2 0	28 13					28 13

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						A. B. P.	Rs. c.			
79	Do.	Not surveyed Vidanaveli	Mavanna Savathumma	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
80	Do.	do.	Seyanna Manawala Udatchi	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
81	Do.	do.	do.	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
82	Do.	do.	Avanna Muthumma	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
83	Do.	do.	Koona Mattiyar	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
84	Do.	do.	Koona Abeebe Mammadu	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
85	Do.	do.	Kana Mammadu Umma	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
86	Do.	do.	Kana Mammadu	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
87	Do.	do.	Peeyanna Seeniwappu	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
88	Do.	do.	Veena Pitchekutty	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
89	Do.	do.	Una Vidane Kandu Vidane	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
90	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Kosmammadu	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
91	Do.	do.	Koona Mattiyar	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
92	Do.	do.	Ana Saibo	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
93	Do.	do.	Mahammadu Lebbe Vatta Vidane	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
94	Do.	do.	Kana Sanawaskhan	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
95	Do.	do.	Kavanna Mohiadeen Pitche	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
96	Do.	do.	Nawanna Savara	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
97	Do.	do.	Mana Neinamahammadu	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
98	Do.	do.	Sena Saibo	1 1 20	1 72	—	—	—	—	1 72
99	Do.	do.	Kawanna Maimu	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
100	Do.	do.	Nena Muna Usengappu Udayar	1 1 0	1 56	—	—	—	—	1 56
101	Do.	do.	Mana Elavanatchy	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
102	Do.	do.	Ana Sara Umma	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
103	Do.	do.	Ina Selema Lebbe	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
104	Do.	do.	Ana Kyran Beebee	0 1 20	0 47	—	—	—	—	0 47
105	Do.	do.	Muna Pathumuttu	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
106	Do.	do.	Ana Mammadu Pathu	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
107	Do.	do.	Mawanna Agamadu Lebbe	0 1 0	0 31	—	—	—	—	0 31
108	Do.	do.	Sawanna Agamadu Lebbe	0 1 20	0 47	—	—	—	—	0 47
109	Do.	do.	Awanna Agamadu Lebbe	0 2 20	0 79	—	—	—	—	0 79
110	Do.	do.	Seeyanna Isuppu	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
111	Do.	do.	Avanna Tangamarikkar	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
112	Do.	do.	Muna Seiyadu Lebbe	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
113	Do.	do.	Una Kassa Umma	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
114	Do.	do.	Muna Aliyar	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
115	Do.	do.	Kana Sinnasaibo	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
116	Do.	do.	Muna Tanga Udayar	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
117	Do.	do.	Ana Mariam	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
118	Do.	do.	Koona Adambawa	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
119	Do.	do.	Seeyanna Manawala Udatchy	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
120	Do.	do.	Avanna Muttumma	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
121	Do.	do.	Mammadu Lebbe Vatta Vidane	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
122	Do.	do.	Nena Muna Usengappu Udayar	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
123	Do.	do.	Kana Saibo	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
124	Do.	do.	Una Saibo	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
125	Do.	do.	Una Sleman	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41*
126	Do.	do.	Muna Hayathan	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41*
Village—Manikkampattiya.										
127	Do.	Not surveyed Kovilavial	Muna Seiyadu Lebbe	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
128	Do.	do.	Sawanna Vella Udayar	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
129	Do.	do.	Ina Pitchey	0 3 0	0 94	—	—	—	—	0 94
130	Do.	do.	Mana Segumma	0 3 32	1 19	—	—	—	—	1 19
131	Do.	do.	Mana Sawarumma	0 3 32	1 19	—	—	—	—	1 19
132	Do.	do.	Sawanna Vella Udayar	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
133	Do.	do.	Muna Tanga Udayar	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
134	Do.	do.	Una Mudaliyar	1 3 20	2 35	—	—	—	—	2 35
135	Do.	do.	Una Elaya Udatchy	1 3 20	2 35	—	—	—	—	2 35
136	Do.	Palakadurummari	Kana Sanawaskhan	2 1 0	2 81	—	—	—	—	2 81
137	Do.	do.	Muna Segu Umma	2 1 0	2 81	—	—	—	—	2 81
138	Do.	do.	Ina Kassa Umma	4 2 0	5 63	—	—	—	—	5 63
139	Do.	do.	Una Vidane Kandu Vidane	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
140	Do.	do.	Kana Mattiyar	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
141	Do.	do.	Veena Pitchekandu	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
142	Do.	do.	Ana Sinna Udatchy	1 0 20	1 41	—	—	—	—	1 41
143	Do.	do.	Muna Saiyu Umma	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
144	Do.	do.	Avanna Ahamadu Lebbe	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
145	Do.	do.	Sawanna Vella Udayar	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
146	Do.	do.	Mana Tanga Udayar	1 3 0	2 19	—	—	—	—	2 19
147	Do.	do.	Kana Mudaliyar	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
148	Do.	do.	Una Vidane Kandu Vidane	0 3 30	1 10	—	—	—	—	1 10
149	4 in P.P. 4,786	Samuladivetta	Avanna Una Kuppatamby Udayar	8 0 21	10 17	—	—	—	—	10 17
150	Do.	do.	Ana Saibo	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
151	Do.	do.	Ana Karuthameera	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
152	Do.	do.	Sawanna Vella Udayar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
153	Do.	do.	Ana Saibo	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
154	Do.	do.	Una Segutamby	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
155	Do.	do.	Reyanna Aliyar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
156	Do.	do.	Ana Aliyar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88

* Bought in for Crown for default of rates.

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157	4 in P.P. 4,786	Samuladivetta	Kawanna Meiyadeen Pitchey	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
158	Do.	do.	Kawanna Muna Aliyar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
159	Do.	do.	Kawanna Muna Hanifa	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
160	Do.	do.	Ana Pitche Marikaar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
161	Do.	do.	Awanna Una Kupatamby Udaiyar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
162	Do.	do.	Kana Meena Kosmamma	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
163	Do.	do.	Kavanna Aliyar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
164	Do.	do.	Ana Muthumma	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
165	Do.	do.	Rena Deen	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
166	Do.	do.	Rena Tassim	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
167	Do.	do.	Noovanna Mondiram	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
168	Do.	do.	Seeyanna Seiyado Meera	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
169	Do.	do.	Kovanna Sinna Udayar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
170	Do.	do.	Ana Ithurisi	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
171	Do.	do.	Mana Noormahammadu	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
172	Do.	do.	Muna Seiyadu Lebbe	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
173	Do.	do.	Seeyanna Karutha Mudaliyar	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
174	Do.	do.	Ana Mammadu Lebbe	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
175	Do.	do.	Seena Aliyar Vidane	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
176	Do.	do.	Avanna Una Kupatamby Udayar	0 1 22	0 49	—	—	—	—	0 49
177	Do.	do.	Kana Omeru Lebbe	0 2 33	0 88	—	—	—	—	0 88
178	5 in P.P. 4,786	Ottuvial	Muna Cader Meera Vidane	10 3 0	13 44	—	—	—	—	13 44
179	6 in P.P. 4,786	Palakadumunmarikodduwam	Avanna Una Kupatamby Udayar	2 0 0	2 50	—	—	—	—	2 50
180	Do.	do.	Mana Una Kulanda Udatchy	3 2 0	4 38	—	—	—	—	4 38
181	Do.	do.	Una Vella Udatchy	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
182	Do.	do.	Noovanna Savarawan	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
183	Do.	do.	Ana Vella Udatchy	1 2 0	1 88	—	—	—	—	1 88
184	Do.	do.	Sawanna Vella Udaiyar	3 1 10	4 14	—	—	—	—	4 14
185	Do.	do.	M. L. Poopala Udatchy	2 0 0	2 50	—	—	—	—	2 50
				Total	327 0 20	409 23				409 23

Crown Lands Leased on Permits.

Village—Topawewa.										
186	Not surveyed	Urunai	Seena Cadiravelan and K. Punchirala	6 0 0	7 50	—	—	—	—	7 50
187	Do.	Kanugassamulla	A. Segutambay	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
188	Do.	Lupeyadikotuwam	Isman Kengamudali	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
189	Do.	Kanduruwela	M. Seiyadu Lebbe	2 0 0	2 50	—	—	—	—	2 50
190	Do.	do.	K. A. Mammadu	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
Village—Dewlana.										
191	Not surveyed	Kudawela	Nena Muna Usengappu Udaiyar	4 0 0	5 0	—	—	—	—	5 0
192	Do.	Vilathiadivetta	Seena Aliyar	4 0 0	5 0	—	—	—	—	5 0
193	Do.	Iharakuli	S. Mammadu Lebbe	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
194	Do.	Meerapulliganvial	S. Aliyar	6 0 0	7 50	—	—	—	—	7 50
195	Do.	do.	Una Vidanekandu	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
196	Do.	Navaladikotuwam	Pena Muhammadu	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
197	Do.	Salambiadeikotuwam	N. Seiyadu Ibrahim	2 0 0	2 50	—	—	—	—	2 50
198	Do.	Kudavelivadichel	Noovanna Mondiram	4 0 0	5 0	—	—	—	—	5 0
199	Do.	Thuwareadikotuwam	Awanna Tangamarikaar	5 0 0	6 25	—	—	—	—	6 25
200	Do.	Surukuli	Sona Muna Pitchetamby	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
Village—Manikkampattiya.										
201	Not surveyed	Puppadiummari	K. Omaru	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
202	Do.	Wanniyadi	M. Uduma Lebbe	2 0 0	2 50	—	—	—	—	2 50
203	Do.	Palakadumumari	Una Vidane Kandu and M. Tanga Udaiyar	10 0 0	12 50	—	—	—	—	12 50
204	Do.	Potamulla	A. N. Kupatamby Udaiyar	4 0 0	5 0	—	—	—	—	5 0
205	Do.	Thandimarathadi	do.	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
206	Do.	Kovilavial	M. Abeebu	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
207	Do.	Pungankadu	M. Maiyadeen Bawa	4 0 0	5 0	—	—	—	—	5 0
208	Do.	Kotuwam	Seena Aliyar	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
209	Do.	do.	Kana Mudaliyar	1 0 0	1 25	—	—	—	—	1 25
210	Do.	Pasumaduodei	Kana Mudaliyar	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
211	Do.	Kattuwam	Avanna Tangamarikaar	3 0 0	3 75	—	—	—	—	3 75
				Total	81 0 0	101 25				101 25
				Grand Total	408 0 20	510 48				510 48

SUMMARY.

	A.	R.	P.	Rs.	c.
Total private lands	327	0	20	409	23
Total leased lands	81	0	0	101	25
Grand Total	408	0	20	510	48

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Notice of Sale.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left in Kochehikade Warehouse beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that, unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on May 18, 1920, at 1 P.M. Goods must be cleared on or before May 21, 1920 :—

Date, 1919.	Vessel.	From	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
June 11	.. ss. Santhia	.. Bombay	.. E. G. Grigg ..	.. 1 hat box
November 30	.. ss. C. Apcar	.. Tuticorin	.. M. P. upon G. C.	.. 2 bags G. N. cake
December 24	.. ss. Astronomer	.. Calcutta	.. S C N M outside, a diamond	.. 16 cases, tea seed
1920.				
January 13	.. ss. Lady McCallum	.. Coast	.. Nil	.. 1 bag fish manure
1919.				
September 1	.. Sch. M. S. Sadeeria	.. —	.. Nil	.. 4 bags bones

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, April 24, 1920.

W. E. HOBDAY,
for Principal Collector.

Importation of Rice into the several Ports of Ceylon for the Week ending April 24, 1920.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	.. Calcutta	.. 29
Do.	.. Rangoon	.. 91,677

Shipped during the Week.

To Maldives .. 2,000

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, April 27, 1920.

W. E. WAIT,
for Principal Collector.

Talapitiya Anglo-Vernacular Mixed Muhammadan School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from P. T. Marikar Hajjar Sheik Hallaj for a grant in aid of his Talapitiya Anglo-Vernacular Mixed Muhammadan School, which is situated in Talapitiya, Galle District, of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 28, 1920.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 22, 1920.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

Silverkandy Estate Vernacular School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Superintendent, Silverkandy estate, for a grant in aid of his Silverkandy Estate Vernacular School, which is situated in Uda Pussellawa district of the Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 23, 1920.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 26, 1920.

E. B. DENHAM,
Director of Education.

Sale of Lease.

NOTICE is hereby given that at 1 P.M. on Friday, May 21, 1920, the Government Agent of the Province of Sabaragamuwa will sell by public auction, at the Ratnapura Kachcheri, the lease of the right to take the produce for a period of three years of the rubber trees standing on the stream reservation, lots 817 and 832 in preliminary plans 2,257 and 2,261, situated at Kalatuwawa, in the Palle pattu of Kuruwiti korale, Ratnapura District, containing in extent 5 acres and 39 perches.

The highest bidder shall pay the full amount of his bid at once in cash, if accepted by the Government Agent, subject to the approval of Government, and shall enter into a lease bond when noticed to do so.

Ratnapura Kachcheri,
April 24, 1920.

M. K. T. SANDYS,
for Government Agent.

Notice under Ordinance No. 45 of 1917.

WHEREAS at a special meeting of the proprietors of the lands irrigated under Giant's tank summoned for the purpose and held at Murunkan on April 9, 1920, a resolution was passed unanimously by the proprietors present approving of a special irrigation rate of Re. 1 per acre cultivated for the cultivation known as Sirupokam in consideration of the special supply of the water available from Nachchaduwa tank to Giant's tank, a special irrigation rate of Re. 1 per acre upon all lands irrigable under Giant's tank under cultivation on June 30, 1920, is hereby imposed under the provisions of section 49 of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917.

Mannar Kachcheri,
April 12, 1920.

R. B. NAISH,
Assistant Government Agent.

Training Class for the Surveyor-General's License.

AN Examination for admission to the training class for the Surveyor-General's license in surveying and levelling will be held at the Colombo Observatory on Monday, May 17, 1920, and the following days, commencing at 10.30 A.M.

2. Application to enter for the examination must be made on the prescribed form, which can be obtained from the Surveyor-General.

3. The subjects of the examination shall be as follows :—

(a) English Composition, (b) Arithmetic, (c) Algebra (up to and including quadratic equations), (d) Geometry (theorems and problems on the following: angles at a point; parallel straight lines; side and angle properties of triangles and parallelograms; areas of triangles and quadrilaterals; the chord, angle, and tangent properties of the circle; the properties of the right-angled triangle), (e) Plane Trigonometry (up to and including the solution of triangles), (f) Mensuration (elementary, of areas and solids), (g) Plan Drawing.

In order to qualify for admission to the class candidates must obtain not less than 40 marks per cent. in each subject and 50 marks per cent. in aggregate.

Marks will be deducted for bad handwriting.

4. The number of students admitted to the class shall be limited to ten.

5. The fees for the course shall be Rs. 150, payable in advance; in addition, a deposit of Rs. 100 must be made on admission, to be returned to the student at the end of the course, less the estimated value of any damage he may have done to instruments or other property of Government.

6. No application will be received after May 10, 1920.

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, April 28, 1920.

A. J. WICKWAR,
Acting Surveyor-General.

Ceylon Government Railway.

BUILDING FOREMAN, WAY AND WORKS DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Building Foreman in the Way and Works Department.

The appointment will be on a salary of Rs. 1,260, rising to Rs. 2,220, by eight increments of Rs. 120, with a travelling allowance at the rate of Rs. 2.50 per night in accordance with Government regulations. In addition to the salary there is at present a War Allowance of 20 per cent. of the salary.

The person selected will be required to serve on probation for twelve months and must have had considerable experience in the construction of buildings and maintenance of same.

Applications stating age and qualifications should be addressed to the Engineer, Way and Works, Ceylon Government Railway, Colombo, from whom any further particulars can be obtained, and should reach him on or before May 15, 1920.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 27, 1920.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

Destruction of Rogue Elephants.

I AM prepared to issue licenses, free of stamp duty, under section 9, sub-section 1 (b), of the Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909, for the destruction or capture of herds of elephants with young ones, roaming about Alan-kulama in Anuradhapura town, destroying crops, coconut plantations, &c.

Anuradhapura, April 27, 1920. F. G. TYRRELL,
Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 26, 1920, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,095 of April 1, 1920, Denabure village in the Walapane division, Nuwara Eliya District, was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer in infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Nuwara Eliya, April 21, 1920. G. S. WODEMAN,

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 7, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,099 of April 16, 1920, Morawaka in Beligal korale, Kegalla District, was declared an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area: I do hereby declare it to be free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Kegalla, April 19, 1920. A. W. SEYMOUR,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the land known as Lansiyawatta bearing assessment No. 33, situated at Wattala, 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 the District Road Committee road to Mahara, east by the land belonging to Algamage Don Stephen Appu, south by the land belonging to Algamage Don Marku Appu and others, and west by the land owned by Halihinga Maria Justina.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Colombo, April 15, 1920. W. R. JANSZ,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Rawatawatta, within the Local Board limits of Moratuwa, in Salpiti 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 Charles place, east by Main street, west by Lunawa lake, and south by the Prince of Wales College garden.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Colombo, April 17, 1920. W. R. JANSZ,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 9, 1920, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,093 of March 19, 1920, the village known as Egoda Kolonnawa, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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, Assistant Government Agent.
Colombo, April 21, 1920. W. R. JANSZ,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Moratumulla, within the Local Board limits of Moratuwa, in Salpiti 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 Katubedda road, south by De Soysa road, west by the Wesleyan Mission Society cemetery, and east by Wesleyan Mission Society church premises.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Colombo, April 20, 1920. W. R. JANSZ,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 26, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,081 of the 30th idem, Mary Mount estate was declared an infected area, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby declared free from rinderpest and to be no longer an infected area.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
April 26, 1920. C. R. CUMBERLAND,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 7, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,099 of April 16, 1920, the high road at Talliyadda in Beligal korale, Kegalla District, was proclaimed an infected road in terms of section 7 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and whereas rinderpest no longer exists on the said road, it is now declared free from rinderpest and to be no longer an infected road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

Kegalla Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
April 19, 1920. A. W. SEYMOUR,

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 9, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,099 of April 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 331, situated at Ajutawata 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 April 20, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 9, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,099 of April 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 38, situated at Green 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 April 20, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 12, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,099 of April 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 54, situated at Mahawatta 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 April 20, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 9, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,099 of April 16, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 178, situated at Daniel's 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 April 20, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated June 4, 1919, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,019 of June 13, 1919, the premises bearing assessment No. 20,

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

This declaration shall take from April 16, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated June 4, 1919, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,019 of June 13, 1919, the premises bearing assessment No. 53, 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 June 30, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 53, situated at Mahawatta street, 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 April 19, 1920.

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

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises known as the Crown land adjoining Madampitiya Contact Camp, 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 April 12, 1920.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 24, 1920. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 26, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,095 of April 1, 1920, the premises bearing assessment No. 43, situated at Turret 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 April 26, 1920.

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

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.**SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1920.****WESTERN PROVINCE.****COLOMBO DISTRICT.**

Maha season is now over.

Yala season: the cultivation in all the korales is now in progress.

Dry grains: preparations are being made in Alutkuru korale north, Siyane korale east, and Siyane korale west for the cultivation of kurakkan and amu, &c., and in the other korales no work has yet begun in this connection.

Other products: prospects of coconuts are fairly good. The estimated crop for the month is 87,010,450 nuts. Fruits and vegetables are to be had in fair quantities.

Prices of staple products: (a) imported rice is sold according to controlled prices; (b) country rice and paddy is sold at Rs. 11 to Rs. 12.50 and Rs. 4 to Rs. 6 per bushel, respectively.

Rainfall: there was rain during the month.

Health of people: generally good, except for a few cases of chickenpox, dysentery, and enteric fever.

Health of cattle: fair. Rinderpest, which originated in Colombo and was highly prevalent in the Colombo District, is now abating.

KALUTARA DISTRICT.

Paddy: the fields are being cultivated for the yala harvest.

Dry grain: there is only a small extent under cultivation in Rayigam korale.

Other products: there is a fair supply of vegetables in the totamunes and Rayigam korale. Fruits are rather scarce. Jak is in season. The flowering of coconuts was good. The month's crop is estimated at 3,683,000 nuts.

Prices of staple products: imported rice was sold at control prices. Country rice is not available for sale. Price of 1,000 coconuts is Rs. 80 to Rs. 120.

Remarks on harvest prospects generally: a fairly good crop can be expected.

Rainfall: total, 9.54 in.; average, 30 in.

Health of people: good.

Health of cattle: good.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

KANDY DISTRICT.

[Report not received.]

NUWARA ELIYA DISTRICT.

Rainfall: Nuwara Eliya town, 4.67 in.

Paddy: maha cultivation fields in Uda Hewaheta and Walapane are flowering. Kotmale fields are being ploughed.

Dry grains: there is no work in the chenas.

Health of population: influenza, chickenpox, and measles are prevalent in some of the villages of Kotmale.

Health of cattle: good. There were a few cases of foot-and-mouth disease in Denabure village, Walapane.

Prices of foodstuffs: paddy, Rs. 3.50 to Rs. 4.50 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 per bushel; Indian corn, Rs. 2.50 to Rs. 3.50 per bushel; rice (imported), cents 38 to cents 41½ per cut measure; rice (country), cents 26 to cents 33 per cut measure; coconuts, Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 per 100 nuts.

MATALE DISTRICT.

Rainfall: 5.95 in.

Paddy: harvesting.

Dry grain: harvesting.

Coconuts: (a) flowering fair; (b) 135,000 approximate crop.

Tanks in Matalé north do not contain sufficient water.

Health of people: good.

Health of cattle: good, except for prevalence of foot-and-mouth disease at Imbulandanda wasama.

Prices: fair.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

GALLE DISTRICT.

Fields have been sown for the yala harvest.

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

Coconut, tea, rubber, cinnamon, citronella, arecanuts, and vegetables are the principal products. The estimated coconut crop for the month was 10,687,440 nuts.

Rice varied from Rs. 7.68 to Rs. 12.41 per bushel; paddy varied from Rs. 4 to Rs. 7.50 per bushel; dry grain varied from Rs. 3.25 to Rs. 5 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 50 to Rs. 100 per 1,000.

The weather was generally wet during the month.

The health of the people was on the whole satisfactory.

MATARA DISTRICT.

Weather: dry.

Agriculture: preparations for yala cultivation in progress.

Health of people: satisfactory.

Health of cattle: good.

Food supply: rice, Rs. 12 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 4 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 75 per 1,000.

HAMBANTOTA DISTRICT.

Paddy cultivation: maha crops being reaped. Owing to unusual rains crops under the Kirindi-oya Left Bank Scheme partially damaged.

Fine grains: chenas being cleared for yala.

Weather: maximum temperature, 89.5°; minimum temperature, 69.8°; rainfall, 5.36 in.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice, Rs. 8.16 to Rs. 9.52 per bushel; coast rice, not available; paddy, Rs. 20 per amunam; kurakkan, Rs. 18 to Rs. 20 per amunam; coconuts, Rs. 80 to Rs. 130 per 1,000; plaintain bunches, Rs. 50 to Rs. 85 per 100; Indian corn, Re. 1.50 per 100; pumpkins, Rs. 15 per 100; sweet potatoes, Re. 1.75 per cwt. About 179,925 coconuts were picked during the month.

Health of people: satisfactory.

Health of cattle: good.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

JAFFNA DISTRICT.

Weather: the days are hot and the nights are dewy.

Paddy: harvest over.

Dry grains: pairu and ellu are in blossoms; kurakkan is in plants.

Tobacco: transplanting over, condition good.

Coconuts: condition of flowers and nuts moderate, prices Rs. 12 per 100.

Prices of staple articles: paddy, Rs. 5.60 per bushel; rice, Rs. 10.25 per bushel; pairu, Rs. 12 per bushel; varaku, Rs. 4.50 per bushel; salt, cents 4 per lb.; salt, cents 9 per measure.

Health of people: malarial fever prevails in some parts of the district.

Health of cattle: good.

MANNAR DISTRICT.

Rainfall: 1.57 in.

Wind: unsettled.

Paddy: in most places reaping is over. The crop in the Wann and Musali pattus has been a satisfactory one. Reaping in the Giant's Tank area is not quite finished yet.

Tobacco: quite ripe, and in some places being reaped and cured.

Coconuts: condition normal.

Palmyras: in spathe.

Health of people: fever is prevalent. A kind of whooping cough is generally prevalent among children.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice, Rs. 8 to Rs. 11.52 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 3 to Rs. 4.50 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 12 to Rs. 18 per 100.

MULLAITTIVU DISTRICT.

Prospects of paddy harvests: Kalapokam crop has for the most part been reaped. Ploughing of idaipokam is going on.

Dry grains: kurakkan crop has been reaped.

Other products—coconuts: flowering and bearing satisfactory; tobacco: cutting and curing going on in some places; vegetables not much.

Prices of staple products: paddy, Rs. 2.75 to Rs. 3.50 per bushel; rice, Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.62 per bushel; uluntu, Rs. 12 to Rs. 14 per bushel; pairu, Rs. 10 to Rs. 14 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 10 to Rs. 14 per 100.

Rainfall: very little rain fell during the month.

Harvests prospects generally: satisfactory.

Health of inhabitants: good.

Health of cattle: good.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

BATTICALOA DISTRICT.

Paddy: reaping of munmari harvest is progressing; prospects on the whole satisfactory. Kalavellamai sowing is over. In some parts the seeds sown have been damaged by unusual rain and flood, and such lands had to be re-sown.

Dry grain and other chena products: already reaped; satisfactory.

Coconuts: prospects satisfactory, as the trees are gradually recovering from the effects of past drought.

Prices of staple products: paddy, from Re. 1.30 to Rs. 2 per bushel; Indian corn, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2 per bushel.

Rainfall: 1.64 in. in 1919; 1.92 in. in 1920.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Health of inhabitants: satisfactory. Fever is prevalent in some parts.

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT.

Rainfall: defective.

Paddy: reaping at Chempianar and Kaddukkulam East is over. Preparations for pinmari cultivation in Koddiyar and Tamblegam pattu are going on. Harvesting is going on in Kaddukkulam West.

Tobacco: being cut and prepared for curing. The condition of crop is unsatisfactory.

Coconuts: condition of crop is medium. Price per 1,000 nuts ranges from Rs. 110 to Rs. 120.

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

Health of people: satisfactory.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Prices of staple articles: paddy, Re. 1.75 to Rs. 2.25 per bushel; rice (country), Rs. 4.50 to Rs. 5.60 per bushel; rice (imported), nil.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

KURUNEGALA DISTRICT.

Paddy crops: maha crops have been gathered; ploughing is being carried on for the yala. Prospects good.

Dry grain: chenas are being cleared for the yala crop.

Flowering and prospects of coconut: good.

Rainfall: there have been a few showers during the month.

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

Health of cattle: good, except for a few cases of rinderpest and foot-and-mouth disease.

State of tanks: partly full.

Prices of foodstuffs: paddy, Rs. 2.75 per bushel (control price); country rice, Rs. 6.20 and Rs. 7 per bushel (control price); kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 per bushel; coconut, Rs. 55 to Rs. 65 per 1,000 nuts; salt, 13 to 16 cents a measure.

PUTTALAM AND CHILAW DISTRICTS.

Paddy: maha crop harvested.

Dry grain: some chenas are being prepared for cultivation.

Other products, including coconuts: coconut trees have blossomed well. Prospects are good. The crop for the month in the two districts is reported to be about 19,980,546 nuts. Fruit and vegetable supply is poor. Tobacco leaves are being cut and cured.

Prices of staple products: country rice, Rs. 10.75 to Rs. 12.50 per bushel; imported rice, control prices; paddy, Rs. 4.50 to Rs. 6 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 4 to Rs. 6 per bushel; green gram, Rs. 8 per bushel; cassava, Rs. 3 per cwt.; coconut, 6 to 9 cents per nut; salt, 4 to 6 cents per pound.

Rainfall: Puttalam, 7.12 in.; Chilaw, 7.39 in.

Harvest prospects generally: good on the whole.

Health of inhabitants: not satisfactory in Puttalam District. Good in Chilaw District.

Health of animals: hoof-and-mouth disease is prevailing.

NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.

ANURADHAPURA DISTRICT.

Rainfall: 3.28 in.

Weather: fine; occasional showers.

Agriculture—paddy: medakanna fields ripe, and yala cultivation in progress. Kurakkan: chenas of last kanna now sown with gingelly. Gingelly: being sown. Coconuts: good crops, and prospects fair.

Health of people: a few cases of measles and sore-eyes in some villages. Also influenza in one or two villages in the far interior.

Health of cattle: satisfactory. No cattle disease prevailing.

Tanks: some tanks spilled for the second time after the rains started, and others hold sufficient water.

PROVINCE OF UVA.

BADULLA DISTRICT.

Weather: dry, with occasional showers.

Paddy: paddy fields are being sown for maha cultivation. Chena: chena crops have been gathered.

Fruits 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.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Total rainfall: 6.64 in. as registered at the Badulla Observatory.

PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

RATNAPURA DISTRICT.

Paddy: maha fields have been harvested; yala fields are being prepared. Weather favourable.

Dry grain: maha crops have been reaped. In some parts of the district chena lands have been sown.

Other products—coconuts: prospects satisfactory, except in parts of Atakalan korale, where the tender nuts suffered from drought.

Health of people: satisfactory, except for some cases of measles and chickenpox.

Health of cattle: good.

Rainfall: scanty. Hardly any rain in Atakalan korale.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), very little available for sale, Rs. 10.75 to Rs. 14 per bushel; rice (imported), controlled rates; kurakkan, hardly any available for sale, Rs. 3.50 to Rs. 5 per bushel; salt, 6 to 12 cents per measure; chillies, 35 to 50 cents per pound; coconuts, Rs. 13 to Rs. 20 per 100.

KEGALLA DISTRICT.

Paddy: maha crops are being gathered, and in some places fields are being prepared for yala cultivation.

Dry grains: chenas are being cleared for cultivation of el paddy.

Vegetable and curry stuffs: no vegetable gardens were started owing to the severe drought in early part of the month.

Prices: paddy, Rs. 4 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 per bushel; country rice, Rs. 11.50 per bushel; imported rice, Rs. 11.84 per bushel.

Rainfall: 8.58 in.

Health of people: satisfactory.

Health of cattle: satisfactory. There was a slight outbreak of hoof-and-mouth disease at Galigomuwa.

Other products: flowering and prospects of coconut are good. Approximate crop for the month was about 1,898,500 nuts.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo on April 28, 1920.

	Per	Wholesale.		Retail.
		Rs. c.	Per Measure	
Paddy, Country ..	Bushel	..	..	..
Paddy, Imported ..	do.	..	..	..
Rice, Country ..	do.	..	..	..
Rice, Kara ..	do.	..	..	..
Rice, Kallunda ..	do.	..	..	..
Rice, Sulai ..	do.	..	..	..
Rice, Muttusamba ..	do.	..	..	..
Raw Rice (Rangoon) ..	do.	..	..	..
Raw Rice (Singapore) ..	do.	..	..	..
Raw Rice (Batavia) ..	do.	..	..	..
Dholl (Thovaram) ..	do.	..	Seer	0 44
Dholl (Mysore) ..	do.	..	..	0 22
Green Peas ..	do.	..	..	0 21
Ulundu ..	do.	..	..	0 32
Gram ..	do.	..	..	0 28
Wheat Flour ..	..	..	..lb.	0 17
American Flour ..	..	..	..do.	0 16
Ghee, Cow ..	..	..	..Seer	5 50
Ghee, Buffalo ..	..	..	..do.	4 40
Milk ..	..	..	..Bottle	0 30
Potatoes (Indian) ..	..	..	..lb.	0 18
Potatoes (Bangalore) ..	..	..	..do.	..
Onions (Bombay) ..	..	..	..do.	0 10
Onions, Red ..	..	..	..do.	0 8
Bread ..	..	..	..1-lb. loaf	0 18
Tea ..	..	..	..lb.	0 72
Coffee ..	..	..	..do.	0 78
Limes ..	..	..	..Dozen	0 12
Coconuts ..	..	..	..Each 10c. to	0 12
Sugar, Soft ..	..	..	..lb.	0 38
Sugar, Crepe ..	..	..	..do.	0 38
Sugar (Ceylon) ..	..	..	..do.	..
Sugar Candy ..	..	..	..do.	0 50
Sugar, Brown ..	..	..	..do.	..
Salt ..	..	..	..Measure	0 11
Salt ..	..	..	..lb.	0 5 1/2
Dried Chillies ..	..	..	..do. 32c. to	0 38
Coriander ..	..	..	..do.	0 18
Pepper ..	..	..	..Measure	0 56
Garlic ..	..	..	..lb.	0 50
Mustard ..	..	..	..Measure	0 38
Turmeric ..	..	..	..lb.	0 20
Fenugreek ..	..	..	..do.	0 18
Cummin ..	..	..	..do.	0 40
Aniseed ..	..	..	..do.	0 22
Tamarind ..	..	..	..do.	0 10
Jaggery ..	..	..	..Bundle 35c. to	0 38
Gingelly ..	..	..	..Seer	0 28
Gingelly Oil ..	..	..	..Bottle 80c. to	1 50
Coconut Oil ..	..	..	..Measure	0 88
Kerosine Oil, Day-light ..	..	..	..Bottle	0 19
Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand ..	..	..	..do.	0 18
Matches, Three Stars ..	..	..	..Packet of 12 boxes	0 20
Matches (Japanese) ..	..	..	..do.	0 19
Beef ..	..	..	..lb.	0 30
Mutton ..	..	..	..do.	0 80
Pork ..	..	..	..do.	0 50
Chickens ..	..	..	..Each 50c. to	0 75
Eggs ..	..	..	..do.	0 6
Dry Fish, Netti (Halmeesan) ..	..	..	..lb.	0 28
Dry Fish (Maldiva) ..	..	..	..do.	0 50

J. A. MAYBIN,

The Municipal Office, Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
Colombo, April 28, 1920. Municipal Council.

List of Brokers' Licenses issued during March, 1920.

No.	
78	P. M. Goonewardene of No. 3, Canal row, Fort, Colombo.
79	N. Nuthi Rajah of No. 16, Keyzer street, Colombo.
80	J. R. Wickramatilleka of No. 9 ^a , Dematagoda road, Colombo.

No.

81	S. M. Saheed of No. 19, Queen street, Fort, Colombo.
82	M. Ganapathi Appa Pillai of No. 38, Maliban street, Colombo.
83	C. L. Reimers of Messrs. R. Gordon & Co., Fort, Colombo.
84	J. Cooray of No. 20, Norris road, Colombo.
85	D. H. Marker of "Singhe Nivasa," Cotta road, Colombo.
86	S. H. G. Peiris of No. 85A, St. Joseph's street, Colombo.
87	Vernon Peries of "Virona," Pamankada road, Wellawatta.
88	Moona Kavenna Moona Hajie Mohideen of No. 64, Prince street, Colombo.
89	A. A. M. Faleel of No. 42, Keyzer street, Colombo.
90	D. Benjamin Muttucumarana of "Auburn," Wellawatta.
91	M. Vallinayagam Pillai of No. 42, Sea street, Colombo.
92	L. W. Perera of "Bertram Rhue," St. Lucia's street, Colombo.
93	M. B. Ahamat of No. 12 B, Keyzer street, Colombo.
94	Charles de Silva of "Caledon House," Barnes place, Colombo.
95	Louis A. Muller of No. 15, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo.
96	W. H. G. de Zoysa of No. 317, Alutmawata road, Colombo.
97	L. P. P. V. Senanayake of No. 75 B, 4th lane, Colpetty, Colombo.
98	S. A. Fernando of No. 23, Prince street, Colombo.
99	V. E. Gunasekera of No. 25, Maligakande road, Colombo.
100	H. R. Wijeyesinghe of "May Bank," Wellawatta, Colombo.
101	E. W. Jansz of No. 65, Maliban street, Colombo.
102	V. L. W. Abeyeratne of "Fair Holme," Wellawatta, Colombo.
103	Harry C. Fernando of "The Walauwa," Kotahena, Colombo.
104	Valentine de Mel of No. 49, Panchikawatta, Colombo.
105	J. Richard Fernando of Nos. 31 and 32, Chatham street, Colombo.
106	T. K. Hassim of No. 116, Bankshall street, Colombo.
107	N. K. Segu Davood of 42, Ferry street, Colombo.
108	Gray, L. Lewis, of "Beyanville," Kadawata.
109	J. A. de Fernandez of No. 119, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.
110	J. R. Niles of Messrs. Niles & Co., Fort, Colombo.
111	S. Subbiah Pulle of No. 37/38, 4th Cross street, Colombo
112	W. Don Williams of No. 113, Jail road, Colombo.
113	Tana Moona Mohammadu Davood of No. 55, Siripina lane, Colombo.
114	Shena Moona Mohammadu Sadakatu of No. 51, Bankshall street.
115	Shena Mcona Mahammadu Katty of No. 136, Bankshall street.
116	N. K. Alla Pitche Rawther of No. 28, Prince street, Colombo.
117	Rawanna Muna Chena Seyado Ahamado of No. 29, 5th Cross street.
118	S. M. K. Mohideen Pitche of No. 30, Bankshall street, Colombo.
119	P. M. Packer Mohammed of No. 37, Prince street, Colombo.
120	T. S. Kanapaddyappa Pillai of No. 27, Prince street, Colombo.
121	W. Stephen Perera of No. 17, Skinner's road south, Colombo.
122	K. A. P. M. Pichandy Pillai of No. 18A, 4th Cross street.
123	R. Hemapala of No. 72A, Dematagoda road, Colombo.

List of Auctioneers' Licenses issued during March, 1920

No.	
9	W. S. Flindall of Messrs. Bartleet & Co., Colombo.

List of Auctioneers' and Brokers' Licenses issued during March, 1920.

No.	No.
36 G. Emmanuel Dabera of No. 83, Dam street, Colombo.	45 A. V. Croning of No. 33, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo
37 D. T. Weerasuria of No. 31, Norris road, Colombo.	46 L. A. Wickremesinghe of No. 18, Union place, Slave Island, Colombo.
38 S. F. O. Lovell of Messrs. R. Gordon & Co., Fort, Colombo.	47 D. P. Tampoe of No. 20, Upper Chatham street, Fort, Colombo.
39 W. T. Bogle of Messrs. R. Gordon & Co., Fort, Colombo.	48 G. O. C. Coorey of Moratuwa.
40 G. Don Gregoris of "Vijayasri Mandira," Layard's Broadway, Colombo.	49 C. E. Karunaratne of No. 93, Dam street, Colombo.
41 Reginald V. Jansz of Messrs. R. V. Jansz & Co., "Avon," Bambalapitiya.	50 A. C. Koelmeyer of "The Nest," Borella, Colombo.
42 Wilton Bartleet of Messrs. Bartleet & Co., Colombo.	51 H. M. Peiris of No. 61, Belmont street, Colombo.
43 P. J. Parsons of Messrs. Bartleet & Co., Colombo.	
44 Arthur Boys of Messrs. Bartleet & Co., Colombo.	

R. N. WATKINS,
Municipal Office, Financial Assistant to the
Colombo, April 21, 1920. Chairman, Municipal Council.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned property seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Galle, in terms of the 140th section of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of assessment rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction at the place and time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the dues and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, April 26, 1920.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Time and Place of Sale : May 15, 1920, at 1 p.m., at the Municipal Office.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Property Seized.
<i>Kaluwella.</i>		
13	3rd and 4th quarters, 1919	2 couches, 1 chair, 2 beds, 1 brass pan, 1 brass tray
204A	2nd quarter, 1917	1 betel box
31	1st to 3rd quarter, 1918	1 almirah, 1 double bed, 5 doors
<i>Ossenagoda.</i>		
14	1st to 3rd quarter, 1918	1 table, 3 chairs, 1 bed
<i>Bope.</i>		
103	1st to 3rd quarter, 1918	3 chairs, 1 teapoy, and 1 brass lamp
<i>Galupiadda.</i>		
856	3rd quarter, 1917, to 3rd quarter, 1918	1 box, 1 bed, 1 teapoy
673C	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1918	1 bed
682A	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1918	1 bed

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 Galle, in terms of the 137th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of assessment rate due on the premises, and which particulars are given in the under-mentioned lists, will be sold by public auction, in terms of section 140 of the said Ordinance, on the spot, in the order and time stated, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

By order,

The Municipal Office, Galle, April 24, 1920. ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Time of Sale : To commence at the first-named premises at 7.30 A.M. each day.

Date of Sale : Friday, May 21, 1920.

KALUWELLA WARD.*Bazaars.*

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.
68	3rd and 4th quarters, 1919
176	Do.
195	Do.
296	Do.
299	Do.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.
301	2nd to 4th quarter, 1919
315	3rd and 4th quarters, 1919
321	Do.
332	Do.
338	Do.
345	Do.

Date of Sale : Saturday, May 22, 1920.

Kaluwella.

7A	3rd and 4th quarters, 1919
11	Do.
13	Do.
30	Do.
72	Do.
75A	Do.
80	Do.
80B	Do.
234	Do.

Date of Sale : Monday, May 24, 1920.

Kumbalwella.

122	3rd and 4th quarters, 1919
144A	Do.
146	Do.
158	Do.
187	Do.
189	Do.
191	Do.
193	Do.
226	Do.
262	Do.

Date of Sale : Tuesday, May 25, 1920.

Danged ra.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.
199A ..	3rd and 4th quarters, 1919
240A ..	Do.
270A ..	Do.
289A ..	Do.
330 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Wednesday, May 26, 1920.

GALUPIADDA WARD.

Dangedara.

112 ..	2nd to 4th quarter, 1919
123 ..	4th quarter, 1919
124 ..	Do.
125 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
153B ..	4th quarter, 1919
154B ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
169 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
178 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Thursday, May 27, 1920.

Galupiadda.

29 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
29A ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
34A ..	4th quarter, 1919
324A ..	Do.
343 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
350 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
396 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Friday, May 28, 1920.

Galupiadda.

277 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
294 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
419 ..	4th quarter, 1919
443 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
464 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
478 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
478A ..	4th quarter, 1919
512 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Saturday, May 29, 1920.

Galupiadda.

532 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
548 ..	4th quarter, 1919
555D ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
556 ..	4th quarter, 1919
567A ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
568A ..	4th quarter, 1919
580 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
581A ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Monday, May 31, 1920.

Galupiadda.

641B ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
644 ..	4th quarter, 1919
671A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
673A ..	4th quarter, 1919
673B ..	Do.
677 ..	Do.
673C ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
682A ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
692 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Tuesday, June 1, 1920.

Galupiadda.

700 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
707 ..	4th quarter, 1919
722 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
730 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
738 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
739 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Premises

No.	Quarter and Year.
747 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
748 ..	4th quarter, 1919
756 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
762 ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
768A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Wednesday, June 2, 1920.

Galupiadda.

773 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
779 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
783A ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
787 ..	4th quarter, 1919
794 ..	Do.
795 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
798 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
799 ..	4th quarter, 1919
799A ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Friday, June 4, 1920.

Galupiadda.

820 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
821A ..	4th quarter, 1919
831 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
837 ..	4th quarter, 1919
844A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
856 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
866 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
877A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
886 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Saturday, June 5, 1920.

Galupiadda.

903 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
942B ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
960A ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
961 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
964 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
964B ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
975 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
975A ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Monday, June 7, 1920.

Galupiadda.

983 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
985 ..	4th quarter, 1919
988A ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
989A ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
990 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
990A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
992 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Tuesday, June 8, 1920.

Galupiadda.

996 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
996A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
996C ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
1004 ..	4th quarter, 1919
1014 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
1015 ..	4th quarter, 1919
1025 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Wednesday, June 9, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

4 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
10 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
91 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
100A ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
114 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Makulawa.

16A ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
19 ..	4th quarter, 1919
30 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
35 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
36 ..	4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Thursday, June 10, 1920.

Circular road.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.
4 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
10 ..	4th quarter, 1919
25 ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
29 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
30 ..	4th quarter, 1919
31 ..	Do.
32 ..	Do.
33 ..	Do.

Millidduwa.

4 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
5 ..	4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Friday, June 11, 1920.

Dewature.

4 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
6 ..	4th quarter, 1919
34 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Dewatte.

3 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
16F ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
16r ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
16k ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
34 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Saturday, June 12, 1920.

Dewatte.

53 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
55 ..	4th quarter, 1919
56 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
66 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
69 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
76 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Monday, June 14, 1920.

Dewatte.

97 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
98 ..	4th quarter, 1919
110 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
112 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
124 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
125 ..	4th quarter, 1919
136 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
138 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Tuesday, June 15, 1920.

Dewatte.

146 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
147 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
149 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
158 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
164 ..	4th quarter, 1919
179 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
188 ..	4th quarter, 1919
195 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Wednesday, June 16, 1920.

Koswatte.

11 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
18 ..	4th quarter, 1919
28 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
29 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
36 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
47 ..	Do.
49 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
51 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
53 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Thursday, June 17, 1920.

Tangalumulla.

8 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
9 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
13 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Premises No.

Quarter and Year.

23 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
24 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
25A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
26 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
29 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Friday, June 18, 1920.

Tangalumulla.

36 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
41 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
49 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
57 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
61 ..	4th quarter, 1919
63 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
66 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
68 ..	4th quarter, 1919
71 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Saturday, June 19, 1920.

Katugoda.

19 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
38 ..	1st quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919
58 ..	4th quarter, 1919
84 ..	Do.
116 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
120 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
119 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
123 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
144 ..	4th quarter, 1919
166 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Monday, June 21, 1920.

Katugoda.

178 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
187 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
209 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
228 ..	4th quarter, 1919
238 ..	Do.
251 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Tuesday, June 22, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

121 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
139 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
152 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
152A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
159 ..	4th quarter, 1919
162 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
176 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
180 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
187 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Wednesday, June 23, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

194 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
196 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
201A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
202 ..	4th quarter, 1919
208 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
209 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
212 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
217 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
234 ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
238 ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Thursday, June 24, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

242 ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
244 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
246 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
249 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
262 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
270 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
276 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
279 ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Friday, June 25, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.
284 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
285 ..	Do.
292 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
304 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
311 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
312 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
314 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Saturday, June 26, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

316 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
350A ..	4th quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
357 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
363 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
366 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
378 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
388 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Monday, June 28, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

392A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
397 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
460 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
467 ..	1st quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
477 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
478 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Tuesday, June 29, 1920.

Ettiligoda.

523 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
525 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
531 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
542 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
552 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
561 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
564 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
569 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
579 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
586 ..	Do.
587 ..	Do.
590 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Wednesday, June 30, 1920.

Millidduwa.

19 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
20 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
34 ..	Do.
35 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
48 ..	Do.
54 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
56 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
57 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Thursday, July 1, 1920.

Millidduwa.

58 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
61 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
63 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
68 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
73 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
86 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
95A ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Friday, July 2, 1920.

Millidduwa.

100 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
101 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
106 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
107 ..	4th quarter, 1919
108 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Saturday, July 3, 1920.

Bewature.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.
126 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
150 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
160 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
172 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
184 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Monday, July 5, 1920.

HIRIMBURE WARD.

Danged ra.

3 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
11 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
13 ..	Do.
23 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
27 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
36 ..	3rd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
51 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
54B ..	1st quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919
109A ..	2nd quarter, 1917, to 4th quarter, 1919
109B ..	Do.
134 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
93 ..	1st quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Tuesday, July 6, 1920.

Danged ra.

311 ..	1st quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919
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Alapalawa.

15 ..	1st quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919
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Kumbalwella.

13c ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
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Date of Sale : Wednesday, July 7, 1920.

Madawalamulla.

51A ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
52 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Kalegana.

217 ..	1st quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919
227A ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Thursday, July 8, 1920.

Millidduwa.

1034 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
1038 ..	Do.
1122 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
1131A ..	Do.

Hirimbure.

319 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
330 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Friday, July 9, 1920.

Maitipe.

28A ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
29 ..	Do.
100 ..	Do.
414 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
560 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
831 ..	2nd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
874 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
947 ..	4th quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919

Date of Sale : Saturday, July 10, 1920.

Maitipe.

503 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
606 ..	3rd quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
731 ..	1st quarter, 1918, to 4th quarter, 1919
732 ..	Do.
733 ..	Do.

Date of Sale : Monday, July 12, 1920.

FORT WARD.

Church street.

46 ..	2nd quarter, 1919, to 4th quarter, 1919
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NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specifications have been accepted:—

No. 1,701 of March 20, 1920.

Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company, Limited.

"Improvements in transmitters for telephony."

Abstract:—This invention relates to improvements in telephone transmitters of the type employing thermionic generators, and its object is to provide an arrangement whereby the generation of the continuous waves upon which the sound vibrations are impressed is controlled by the voice.

It is well known that the necessity for starting these continuous waves when it is desired to speak and for stopping them when it is desired to listen is an impediment to free conversation, as some switching device is usually required.

According to this invention, means are provided whereby the voice itself causes both direct and alternating current to be fed to a thermionic generator, the direct current, starting with the voice and stopping with the voice, causes continuous waves to be generated while the alternating current causes the amplitude of these waves to be varied.

Preferably there is connected to the generator a large condenser connected through a rectifier to a transformer in the microphone circuit, so that any vibrations of the current in this circuit give the condenser a charge which leaks rapidly away when the vibrations cease. The microphone is also connected to the primary of another transformer, usually in series with the large condenser and with a smaller one which forms part of the oscillatory circuit.

This invention is illustrated by the accompanying drawing which shows it as applied to wireless telephony.

The claims are:—

1. In a telephone transmitter, the combination with a thermionic generator of means whereby the voice causes direct current to be supplied to the generator through the agency of a rectifier.
2. In a telephone transmitter, the combination with a thermionic generator of means whereby the voice causes direct current to be supplied to the generator through the agency of a rectifier and means for varying the generated high frequency current by the voice simultaneously.
3. In a telephone transmitter, having the features covered by claims 1 and 2, the employment of a limiting valve in order to reduce the duration of the time during which transient conditions obtain.
4. Telephone transmitters, substantially as described.

One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,704 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

"Improvements in tar-extractors and scrubbers for gas."

Abstract:—According to this invention the tar-extractor comprises one or preferably a plurality of superposed extraction-chambers, preferably having central inlets and outlets, through which the gas to be purified is passed, and in each of which there is a series of paddles or vanes adapted to be rotated at a high speed on a vertical driving shaft. The paddles or vanes are preferably mounted on discs which serve as baffles for controlling the course of the gas, and which, together with the top and bottom walls of the extraction-chambers, are inclined downwards from their centre, e.g., they are of conical or dished form, so that the gases to be purified, entering the bottom of the chambers at the central inlet, are driven outwards at a high velocity by the paddles at the lower sides of the disc, and then pass round the periphery of the paddle-disc and back to the central outlet, travelling against the centrifugal force, where they pass into the next extraction-chamber, and so on, the washing water falling on to the top of the rotary disc preferably near the centre therefrom, and together with the tar and other liquid removed from the gas, passing out through outlets in the peripheries of the chambers.

The claims are:—

1. A tar-extractor for gas comprising one or more superposed extraction-chambers through which the gas to be purified is passed, and in each of which there is a series of paddles or vanes adapted to be rotated at a high speed on a vertical driving shaft.
2. A constructional form of the tar-extractor claimed in claim 1, wherein the paddles or vanes are mounted on discs on the driving shaft.
3. A constructional form of the tar-extractor claimed in claim 1, wherein the paddle-discs and the upper and lower walls of the extraction-chambers containing the same are made of conical or dished form, the convex surfaces thereof being arranged uppermost.
4. A constructional form of the tar-extractor claimed in claim 3, wherein the extraction-chambers are provided with central gas-inlets and outlets and with peripheral outlets for tar and other liquids, substantially as described.
5. A constructional form of the extractor claimed in any of claims 1 to 4, wherein the superposed extraction-chambers are connected together by spigot and faucet joints, substantially as described.
6. A constructional form of the extractor claimed in any of claims 1 to 5, wherein a scrubber is arranged on the top of the extraction-chambers, substantially as described.
7. The improved apparatus for purifying gas constructed, substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to the accompanying drawings for the purposes specified.

One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,705 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

"Improvements in gas producers for mechanical traction."

Abstracts.—In the ordinary type of gas producer for use with coke, anthracite and charcoal, the shape of the producer is usually circular and the producer is provided with a grate, mechanical or fixed, with a water head or vapourizer for the provision of steam or water vapour mingled with the requisite quantity of air.

In order to provide a gas producer suitable for use on motor vehicles for the production of producer or water gas for use as fuel in lieu of petrol or kerosene I construct a rectangular form of producer, and in lieu of the usual grate I provide a water twyer either with or without a grate. In some cases, instead of employing a vapourizer head I depend for the necessary vapour for admixture with the necessary air, on the vapour arising from the heat extracted in the cooling of the water twyer.

By the adoption of my form of water twyer, together with a system of air induction by utilizing the exhaust pressure of the engine, I am able to operate my producer either as a suction producer or a pressure producer or a producer operating in equilibrium.

The claims are :—

1. In a gas producer the provision and arrangement in combination therewith, in or near the fuel space, of one or more water twyers wherein the water vapour is generated by the heating of the said twyers, and this vapour is passed into the fuel space in the producer.
 2. The combination with the gas producer claimed in claim 1, of a double air inlet to which the twyers are connected, and an injector.
 3. A constructional form of the arrangement claimed in claim 2, wherein air is drawn over the surface of water in a tank.
 4. A further constructional form of the arrangement claimed in claim 3, wherein heated air is supplied in the space above the water in the said tank, substantially as described.
 5. The combination with the gas producer claimed in claim 1, of a fuel hopper constructed with a fuel feeding door and a fuel delivery cone.
 6. The combination with the gas producer claimed in claim 1, of a sliding grate and an ash hopper with a discharge door.
 7. A gas producer constructed and operating substantially as described with reference to the accompanying drawing.
- Two sheets of drawings.

No. 1,706 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

"Improvements in gas cleaning apparatus."

Abstract :—This invention relates to improvements in gas cleaning apparatus and comprises one or more centrifugal tar-extractors constructed in such a manner that the number of tar-extractor units can be readily increased or reduced in combination with the tar-extractor units there may be provided a gas booster or delivery fan.

The claims are :—

1. A gas cleaning apparatus comprising one or more tar extractor units constructed of loose rings and division discs held together by bolts and enclosing rotary paddles.
 2. The combination with the apparatus claimed in claim 1, of means for supplying water to any or each of the extractor units as and for the purpose described.
 3. The combination with the apparatus claimed in claim 1, of a fan for raising the pressure of the gas after it has been treated in the said extractor units as and for the purpose described.
 4. Improved gas cleaning apparatus constructed and operating substantially as described and illustrated in the accompanying drawing.
- One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,707 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

"Improvements in gas producers."

Abstract :—One of the difficulties or troubles arising in the utilization of waste vegetable matter as fuel in gas producers is that of feeding material of such bulky nature to the producer at short intervals.

In the improved method hereinafter described, the labour attendant on the feeding of the producer is reduced by the filling of a special hopper at long intervals as compared with that necessary in feeding a producer for vegetable matter by means of the ordinary forms of hopper.

The claims are :—

1. A gas producer having its outer walls prolonged upwardly to form a fuel supply hopper, wherein the said hopper is provided with a fuel discharge cone or bell and a rod movable from outside the hopper extending through the said cone or bell.
 2. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 1, wherein the cone or bell is arranged to provide a gas chamber in the upper part of the combustion space.
 3. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 1, wherein the said movable rod which may be weighted and balanced and have teeth projecting therefrom passes out of the hopper through a packed hole in a ball mounted in a spherical socket so as to have a universal movement therein.
 4. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 1, wherein the said movable rod is provided with teeth helically arranged thereon and is provided with tiller rods whereby it can be rotated.
 5. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 1, wherein the said movable rod is operated by an engine shaft or the like through ratchet or like gear adjustable to impart any convenient number of movements to the rod in a given time.
 6. A gas producer provided with an inclined grate and having a poke hole formed in the wall of the producer so that access may be had to the inner surface of the grate to permit clinkers to be pushed off the grate into the ash pit, and a fire door to permit access to be had likewise to the outer surface of the said grate.
- One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,708 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

"Improvements in gas producers."

Abstract :—According to this invention the producer is made with an inner and an outer shell of iron plate or other suitable material, the space between these shells being adapted to receive water serving to cool the producer and also to cool the inlet-tubes or twyers whereby air is introduced into the body of the producer. These inlet-tubes or twyers are supplied with air through a manifold in any suitable manner, for example, the air may be delivered into the manifold by means of an injector actuated by a pressure-jet from the exhaust of the engine.

An auxiliary fan may also be connected to the manifolds to supply air thereto before the injector is in operation, *i.e.*, in order to start the plant in operation, means being also provided for closing off the fan passages when the injector is in operation, and for closing off the injector-passages when the fan is in operation.

The air drawn in by the injector may be advantageously caused to pass over the surface of the water in the space between the inner and outer shells, so as to carry with it the steam generated from such water by the heat of the producer. In this case the outer shell may be provided with air admission apertures at its upper part. Or the space between the inner and outer shells may be sealed so as to form a boiler, the steam from which forms the pressure fluid for an injector whereby air is introduced into the manifold.

The claims are :—

1. A gas producer made with an inner and an outer shell, the space between these shells being adapted to receive water, for the purposes specified.
 2. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 1, wherein air is admitted to the inner chamber through inlet-tubes or twyers extending through the water space.
 3. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 2, wherein the inlet-tubes or twyers are supplied with air through one or more common passages or manifolds.
 4. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 2 or in claim 3, wherein the inlet-tubes or twyers are supplied with air alternatively by means of a fan and an injector, substantially as described.
 5. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in any of claims 1 to 4, wherein the air supplied to the inlet-tubes or twyers is with steam (sic) from the water in the space between the inner and outer shells.
 6. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 5, wherein the air drawn in by the injector is caused to pass over the surface of the water in the space between the inner and outer shells, substantially as described.
 7. A constructional form of the gas producer claimed in claim 5, wherein the space between the inner and outer shells is closed and the steam generated in such space is used, e.g., as the pressure fluid for the injector supplying air to the inlet-tubes or twyers, substantially as described.
 8. The combination, with the gas producer claimed in any of the claims 1 to 7, of an ash pit which is arranged below the producer, and is provided with a helical screw discharge, for the ashes and with or without a water seal, substantially as described.
 9. The improved gas producer constructed substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to the accompanying drawing for the purposes specified.
- One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,709 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

“Improvements in grates for gas producers and carbonizing plants.”

Abstract :—According to this invention the grate-frame is pivoted to turn about a horizontal axis and is balanced so that it may be readily inclined as required, for example, in accordance with the nature of the material consumed or turned down into a position permitting the rapid removal of any clinker which may be formed thereon. Means are also provided for securing the grate in the position to which it has been adjusted. Provision is also made for adjusting the position of the grate as a whole by moving its axis of oscillation laterally, so as to increase or diminish the area of the space through which the ashes pass away to the ash pit.

The grate bars may be of the ordinary pattern or may be arranged in a similar manner, to those of a step grate, or they may be arranged in the pattern of a Venetian blind so as to permit variation in their inclination or in the size of the apertures between the bars.

The claims are :—

1. A grate for a gas producer, carbonizing plant boiler or the like, which is pivotly mounted so as to permit fire bars being varied in inclination from the horizontal to any desired angle.
 2. A grate for a gas producer, carbonizing plant boiler or the like, comprising a grate-frame which is pivoted about a horizontal axis and is balanced in combination with means for turning it about such axis and for retaining it in the position to which it is adjusted.
 3. A constructional form of the grate claimed in claim 2, wherein the pivoted axis thereof is adjustable laterally, substantially as described.
 4. The combination with a grate as claimed in claim 2 or in claim 3, of a rotary series of paddles arranged adjacent to said grate in the space through which the ashes are discharged, substantially as described.
 5. The improved grate constructed substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to the accompanying drawing for the purposes specified.
- One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,710 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

“Improvements in and relating to gas producers.”

Abstract :—This invention relates to gas producers, and particularly to gas producers adapted to operate with poor fuels, for instance, cotton sticks, leaves, chopped straw, and other vegetable material.

The invention is based upon the observation that each class of fuel may exist on the grate of the producer as a body of a certain thickness and give satisfactory results, but that when this thickness is exceeded the fuel tends to form a compact mass through which the gases will not pass satisfactorily.

The increased pressure necessary to force the requisite air through the fuel in such circumstances leads to the formation of arches, bridges, or passages in the fuel with the result that the quality of the gas becomes uncertain.

The present invention provides for maintaining an even thickness of fuel over the grate, and for the variation of the thickness of the layer according to its character.

The claims are :—

1. A gas producer having the producer chamber furnished with an inclined grate beneath a fuel hopper, and means provided on the side of the hopper for regulating the supply of the fuel from said hopper to the grate so as to maintain an even thickness over the latter, substantially as herein described.
 2. A gas producer having a producer chamber, the floor of which is constructed as an inclined grate terminating at its lower end in an ash-pit opening, a fuel hopper above said grate and to one side of said chamber and a vertically movable gate for controlling the supply of fuel from said hopper to said grate, substantially as herein described.
 3. A gas producer comprising a gas chamber rectangular in cross-section, a fuel hopper extending vertically up one side thereof, a grate inclined downwardly beneath said hopper, an air chamber beneath said grate, means provided in the last-named chamber for supplying air or a mixture of air and steam under pressure into said chamber, and a gate mounted to move vertically above said grate to control the supply of fuel discharged from said hopper, substantially as herein described.
 4. A gas producer constructed substantially as herein described with reference to the accompanying drawings.
- Two sheets of drawings.

No. 1,711 of April 1, 1920.

John Wells.

Improvements in connection with a process and apparatus for carbonizing wood and other carbonaceous material."

Abstract :—This invention relates to carbonizing wood, vegetable matter, peat, coal, lignite, or other carbonaceous material.

The object of the invention is to provide an improved carbonizing process which shall enable charcoal and gas to be produced from waste vegetable matter, such as scrub, bush, cotton sticks, straw, and the like, in which the heat, or a portion of the heat evolved by the combustion of the volatile matter is utilized for effecting carbonization.

According to this invention the material to be treated is passed through a chamber in which the carbonization of the material is effected by the heat evolved from the combustion of a portion of its volatile constituents, and then the carbonized material is withdrawn at the moment when the last portion of the volatile constituents is being consumed.

For the production of low temperature charcoal or coke, the charcoal or coke is removed from the chamber when the gases of distillation cease to be evolved, the final issue of gases being consumed by admixture of air admitted to the carbonizing chamber so that the whole of the charcoal obtainable from the wood may be secured.

Apparatus suitable for carrying out this invention is illustrated diagrammatically in the accompanying drawing.

The claims are :—

1. The herein described process of carbonizing wood, vegetable matter, peat, coal, lignite, and other carbonaceous material, same consisting in passing the material through a chamber in which the carbonization of the material is effected by the heat evolved from the combustion therein of a portion of its volatile constituents, and withdrawing the carbonized material substantially at the moment when the last portion of the volatile constituents is being consumed.

2. A process of carbonizing wood, vegetable matter, peat, coal, lignite, and other carbonaceous material as claimed in claim 1, in which the carbonized material is withdrawn during the combustion of the last portion of the volatile constituents.

3. In the process of carbonizing wood, vegetable matter, peat, coal, lignite, and other carbonaceous material as claimed in claim 1, delivering the carbonized material directly from the carbonizing chamber into water, substantially as herein described.

One sheet of drawings.

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.**ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.****Dotala Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Saturday, May 1, 1920, at Elkaduwa, at 8.30 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years. The Local Committee, immediately after the election, will hold a meeting for the following business, viz. :—

Business.

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

- The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road.
- The sections of the road used by these estates.
- The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.
- Any other business of which due notice is given.

The private contributions on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1920, amounts to Rs. 2,464.40.

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 19, 1920. Chairman.

Pupuressa Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Monday, May 3, 1920, at the Pooprasie Factory, at 10 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

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

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

- The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road.

(b) The sections of the road used by these estates.

(c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

Estimate for maintenance of road for 1919-20, Rs. 4,413.70.

4. Any other business of which due notice is given.

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 19, 1920. Chairman.

Kandnewera-Wariapola Estate Cart Road.
(Improvement.)

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 widening the first mile of the above road during the year ending September 30, 1920, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, May 8, 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 contribution	Rs.	520.52
Private contributions	Rs.	2,082.08

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (R. H. Coombs)	Wariapolla	960
Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	Kandnewera	1,003
E. O. Felsingar	Watagoda	346
Ceylon Land and Produce Co. Ltd. (A. Dyson Rooke)	Strathisla	438
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	Pitakanda	1,462
The Bandarapola Ceylon Com- pany, Ltd. (heirs of J. Ander- son)	Godapola	454
Do.	Karagahalanda	106

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 19, 1920. Chairman.

Kandenewera-Wariapola 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, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, May 8, 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 contribution	..	Rs. 1,635.99
Private contributions	..	Rs. 6,543.96

1st and 2nd sections, 1 mile 66 chains.

Government contribution, Rs. 351.99—Private contribution, Rs. 1,407.97—Total, Rs. 1,759.96.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (R. H. Coombs)	.. Wariapola	.. 960
Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	.. Kandenewera	.. 1,003
E. O. Felsing	.. Watagoda	.. 346
Ceylon Land and Produce Co., Ltd. (A. Dyson Rooke)	.. Strathisla	.. 438
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	.. Pitakanda	.. 1,462

3rd section, 46 chains.

Government contribution, Rs. 141.77—Private contribution, Rs. 567.9—Total, Rs. 708.86.

Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	.. Kandenewera	.. 1,003
E. O. Felsing	.. Watagoda	.. 346
Ceylon Land and Produce Co., Ltd. (A. Dyson Rooke)	.. Strathisla	.. 438
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	.. Pitakanda	.. 1,462

4th and 5th sections, 2 miles.

Government contribution, Rs. 498.88—Private contribution, Rs. 1,995.47—Total, Rs. 2,494.35

Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	.. Kandenewera	.. 1,003
E. O. Felsing	.. Watagoda	.. 346
Ceylon Land and Produce Co., Ltd. (A. Dyson Rooke)	.. Strathisla	.. 438
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	.. Pitakanda	.. 1,462
The Bandarapola Ceylon Com- pany, Ltd. (heirs of J. Ander- son)	.. Godapola	.. 454
Do.	.. Karagahalanda	.. 106

6th section, 28 chains.

Government contribution, Rs. 88.59—Private contribution, Rs. 354.39—Total, Rs. 442.98.

Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	.. Kandenewera	.. 1,003
E. O. Felsing	.. Watagoda	.. 346
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	.. Pitakanda	.. 1,462
The Bandarapola Ceylon Com- pany, Ltd. (heirs of J. Ander- son)	.. Karagahalanda	.. 106

7th section, 40 chains.

Government contribution, Rs. 123.28—Private contribution, Rs. 493.12—Total, Rs. 616.40.

Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	.. Kandenewera	.. 1,003
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	.. Pitakanda	.. 1,462
The Bandarapola Ceylon Com- pany, Ltd. (heirs of J. Ander- son)	.. Karagahalanda	.. 106

8th and 9th sections, 1 mile 60 chains.
Government contribution, Rs. 431.48—Private contribution, Rs. 1,725.92—Total, Rs. 2,157.40.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Wariapolla Estates Co., Ltd. (T. G. Harrison)	.. Kandenewera	.. 1,003
Pitakanda Tea Company of Ceylon (F. H. Fraser)	.. Pitakanda	.. 1,462

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 19, 1920. Chairman.

Kadugannawa-Paranapattiya Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1920, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the road to make up the private contribution, as follows:—

Government contribution	..	Rs. 1,000.00
Private contributions	..	Rs. 2,307.50

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 3,994—Moiety of cost, Rs. 439.52—Sectional rate, 1100c.—Total rate, 1100c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
J. S. de Silva	.. Bellongalla	.. 407	.. 44 78

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 3,587—Moiety of cost, Rs. 439.52—Sectional rate, 1235c.—Total rate, 2325c.

N. D. J. de Silva	.. St. Helens	.. 125	.. 29 7
Edwin C. de Silva	.. Nuga Ella	.. 81	.. 18 84

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 3,381—Moiety of cost, Rs. 439.52—Sectional rate, 1299c.—Total rate, 3624c.

Mrs. V. Venkataswami Mercantile	..	114	.. 41 33
D. C. de Silva	.. Sardikka	.. 84	.. 30 45
M. B. Panabokka	.. Medrup	.. 109	.. 39 52

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 3,074c.—Moiety of cost, Rs. 439.52—Sectional rate, 1429c.—Total rate, 5453c.

E. H. de Silva	.. Paranapattiya	.. 22	.. 11 12
Winby & Co., Ltd.	.. Winby	.. 1,003	.. 507 6

1st to 6th section, 5½ miles.

Total acreage, 2,049—Moiety of cost, Rs. 549.42—Sectional rate, 2681c.—Total rate, 7734c.

S. C. Trail	.. Alpitikanda	.. 480	.. 371 38
O. B. Wijesekera	.. Gadadessa	.. 510	.. 394 59
R. Foster	.. Gona Adika	.. 1,059	.. 819 36

Total .. 2,307 50

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to R. N. Lee, Esq., Chairman, Local Committee, Winby estate, Kadugannawa, on or before May 5, 1920.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 20, 1920. Chairman.

Duckwari-Ferndale Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Saturday, May 8, 1920, at the Ferndale Drill Shed, at 2 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

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

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

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

The private contribution on the maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1920, amounts to Rs. 1,393·80.

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 20, 1920. Chairman.

St. Margarets-Kirklees Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Saturday, May 15, 1920, at the Rappahannock bungalow, at 2.30 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

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

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

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

Estimate for maintenance of road for 1919-20, Rs. 3,838·4.

4. Any other business of which due notice is given.

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 20, 1920. Chairman.

Padiapelella-Ellamulla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Wednesday, May 12, 1920, at the Ellamulla bungalow, at 1 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by the said Ordinance for two years.

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

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

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

Estimate for maintenance of road for 1919-20, Rs. 1,974·55.

4. Any other business of which due notice is given.

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, April 27, 1920. Chairman.

Huluganga-Bambaraela Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of those interested in the above road will be held on Friday, May 14, 1920, at Tunisigalla bungalow, at 2 P.M.

Business.

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

- (a) The estimate for maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1920.
- (b) Any other business properly brought before the meeting.

Tunisigalla estate, ALBERT W. UPCHER,
Rangalla, April 16, 1920. Chairman, Local Road Committee.

Duckwari-Cottaganga Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held on Friday, May 14, 1920, at Tunisigalla estate bungalow.

Business.

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

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

The private contributions on the maintenance estimate or the year ending September 30, 1920, amounts to Rs. 2,121.

Girindiella estate, E. R. Cox,
Rangalla, April 18, 1920. Acting Chairman.

Huluganga-Bambraela Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Friday, May 14, 1920, at Tunisigalla bungalow, at 2 P.M.

Business.

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

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

for the assessment of the moiety of cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1920.

Estimate for maintenance of road	..	Rs. 3,004·95
Estimate for maintenance of Huluganga, Dalukoya, and Lebaronoya bridges	..	Rs. 703·50

Tunisigalla estate, A. W. UPCHER,
Rangalla, April 20, 1920. Chairman, Local Committee.

Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road.

A MEETING of the Local Committee of the Bevilla-Digowa estate cart road will be held at the Avissawella resthouse on Saturday, May 1, 1920, at 1 P.M.

Business.

To apportion the expenditure for the year 1919 to the different estates concerned.

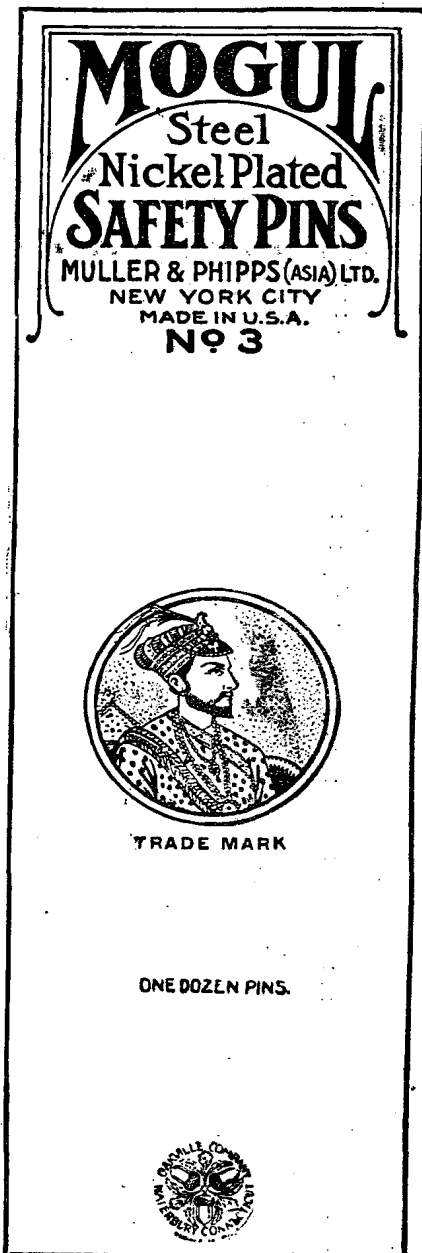
Provincial Road Committee's Office, M. K. T. SANDYS,
Ratnapura, April 14, 1920. for Chairman.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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Application No. 1,719.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. H. W. Cave & Co., of Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of Muller & Phipps (Asia), Limited (a Company organized under the laws of the State of New York), 25, West 44th street, New York City, United States of America, Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of steel nickel plated safety pins in Class 13 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



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

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

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Application No. 1,731.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," notice is hereby given that Messrs. H. V. Williams & Co., of 18, Chatham street, Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of A. J. Caley & Son, Limited (a Company incorporated under the laws of Great Britain), Norwich, England, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of cocoa and chocolate in Class 42 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



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

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,592.

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 Willard Storage Battery Company (a Corporation of the State of West Virginia), Cleveland, Ohio, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in respect of storage batteries and parts thereof not included in Class 11, in Class 8 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



No claim is made to the exclusive use of the letter "W."

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

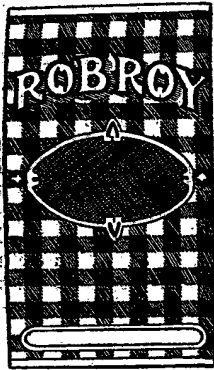
N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,677.

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 Tobacco Products Export Corporation (a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York), 1790, Broadway, City, County, and State of New York, United States of America, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, in

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respect of tobacco, whether manufactured or unmanufactured, and all other articles included in class 45, in Class 45 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



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

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,683.

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 Frederic Pesman Matthews, 9 to 29, Hearn street, London, England, Manufacturer, who claims to be the proprietor thereof, in respect of kitchen utensils of all kinds in Class 13 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Rules:—



PETERPAN

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

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
Acting Registrar-General.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Statements of Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Towns of Puttalam and Chilaw Districts for 1919.

MADAMPE.			
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	4,066 61	Administration ..	1,549 8
Licenses ..	5,407 51	Revenue services ..	388 49
Rents ..	120 0	Lighting ..	1,275 81
Fines ..	12 80	Sanitation ..	4,899 46
Miscellaneous ..	376 46	Miscellaneous ..	956 97
		Works ..	2,484 67
	9,983 38		11,054 48
Balance on January 1, 1919 ..	17,269 59	Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	16,198 49
Total ..	27,252 97	Total ..	27,252 97

MARAWILA.			
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	959 15	Administration ..	397 63
Licenses ..	125 50	Revenue services ..	44 6
Fines ..	6 65	Sanitation ..	565 77
Miscellaneous ..	542 15	Lighting ..	212 88
	1,633 45	Miscellaneous ..	273 61
		Works ..	471 20
Balance on January 1, 1919 ..	480 14	Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	148 44
Total ..	2,113 59	Total ..	2,113 59

NATTANDIYA.			
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	1,438 40	Administration ..	711 32
Licenses ..	372 0	Revenue services ..	117 90
Fines ..	21 20	Sanitation ..	1,086 42
Miscellaneous ..	547 97	Lighting ..	299 47
	2,379 57	Miscellaneous ..	332 67
		Works ..	399 88
Balance on January 1, 1919 ..	3,710 77	Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	3,142 68
Total ..	6,090 34	Total ..	6,090 34

UDAPPU.			
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	1,847 56	Administration ..	84 32
Licenses ..	22 50	Revenue services ..	99 80
Miscellaneous ..	80 90	Sanitation ..	1,200 0
	1,950 96	Lighting ..	128 23
		Miscellaneous ..	171 83
Balance on January 1, 1919 ..	179 67	Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	446 45
Total ..	2,130 63	Total ..	2,130 63

KALPITIYA.			
Revenue.	Rs. c.	Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	2,164 72	Administration ..	234 27
Licenses ..	722 0	Revenue services ..	151 92
Rents ..	414 40	Sanitation ..	2,401 10
Miscellaneous ..	107 30	Lighting ..	225 4
	3,408 42	Miscellaneous ..	85 24
		Works ..	383 17
Balance on January 1, 1919 ..	423 59	Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	351 27
Total ..	3,832 1	Total ..	3,832 1

Statements of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Towns of Puttalam and Chilaw Districts for 1920.

MADAMPE.			
Probable Revenue.	Rs. c.	Probable Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	3,950 46	Administration ..	1,565 4
Licenses ..	5,413 51	Revenue services ..	276 5
Rents ..	150 0	Sanitation ..	1,350 0
Miscellaneous ..	380 0	Miscellaneous ..	4,995 0
	9,893 97		177 50
Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	16,198 49	Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	8,363 59
Total ..	26,092 46	Total ..	17,728 87

MARAWILA.			
Probable Revenue.	Rs. c.	Probable Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	1,516 25	Administration ..	310 44
Licenses ..	165 50	Revenue services ..	39 37
Fines ..	7 50	Sanitation ..	1,174 50
Miscellaneous ..	105 0	Lighting ..	212 82
	1,794 25	Miscellaneous ..	10 20
Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	148 44	Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	1,747 39
Total ..	1,942 69	Total ..	195 30

NATTANDIYA.			
Probable Revenue.	Rs. c.	Probable Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	1,581 95	Administration ..	756 82
Licenses ..	372 0	Revenue services ..	105 99
Fines ..	21 0	Sanitation ..	300 0
Miscellaneous ..	564 50	Lighting ..	1,165 75
	2,539 45	Miscellaneous ..	71 25
Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	3,142 68	Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	2,399 71
Total ..	5,682 13	Total ..	3,282 42

UDAPPU.			
Probable Revenue.	Rs. c.	Probable Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	1,929 63	Administration ..	101 82
Licenses ..	22 50	Revenue services ..	101 85
Miscellaneous ..	100 0	Sanitation ..	1,260 0
	2,052 13	Lighting ..	130 0
		Miscellaneous ..	37 25
Balance on January 1, 1920 ..	446 45	Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	1,630 92
Total ..	2,498 58	Total ..	867 66

Sanitary Board,
Puttalam, April 23, 1920.

G. F. FORREST,
Chairman.

KALPITIYA.			
Probable Revenue.	Rs. c.	Probable Expenditure.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	4,664 28	Administration ..	234 23
Licenses ..	722 0	Revenue services ..	145 50
Rents ..	395 0	Sanitation ..	2,661 0
Miscellaneous ..	76 0	Lighting ..	225 50
	5,857 28	Miscellaneous ..	88 0
		Works ..	425 10
Balance on December 31, 1919 ..	351 27	Probable balance on December 31, 1920 ..	3,780 33
Total ..	6,208 55	Total ..	2,428 22