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### PROCLAMATION

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

CECIL CLEMENTI.

WHEREAS by section 12 of “ The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, No. 15 of 1921,” as inserted by “ The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 11 of 1922,” it is enacted that where the Governor is satisfied that reciprocal provisions have been made by the Legislature of any British Possession or any territory under His Majesty’s protection, for the enforcement within such possession or territory, of maintenance orders made by courts in Ceylon, the Governor may by Proclamation published in the Government Gazette extend that Ordinance to maintenance orders made by courts within such possession or territory, and that thereupon the Ordinance shall apply to such maintenance orders as if they had been made in England or Ireland :

And whereas we are satisfied that reciprocal provisions as aforesaid have been made by the Legislature of the British Possession appearing in the schedule hereto, for the enforcement within the said possession of maintenance orders made by courts in Ceylon :

Now know Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, in exercise of the power in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby extend “ The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, No. 15 of 1921,” to maintenance orders made by courts within the said possession.

Given under our hand, at Nuwara Eliya, this Tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-three.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

The Straits Settlements.

## APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has received a telegram from the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES intimating that HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Order of Knighthood upon the Hon. Dr. H. M. FERNANDO.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 2, 1923.

No. 4 of 1923.

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

Mr. T. G. WILLETT to be Assistant Government Agent, Kegalla, with effect from January 10, 1923, until further orders.

Mr. T. D. PERERA to be Additional Assistant Commissioner of Stamps, with effect from January 4, 1923, until further orders.

Mr. A. DE ABREW to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, during the absence of Mr. W. H. B. CARBERY, from December 23 to 27, 1922, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. A. LA BROOY to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kandy, during the absence of Mr. P. E. PIERIS, from December 24, 1922, to January 6, 1923, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. T. C. VAN ROOYEN to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya, during the absence of Mr. N. IZAT, from January 8 to 13, 1923, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. NAVARETNARAJAH to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, during the absence of Mr. C. J. S. PRITCHETT, on January 11, 1923, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Puttalam, during the absence of Mr. G. C. MILES, from December 29, 1922, to January 3, 1923, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. ELIAN ONDAATJE to act as Additional District Judge, Kegalla, on January 17, 1923.

Mr. A. P. BOONE to be Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, with effect from January 8, 1923, until further orders.

Mr. N. DE ALWIS to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, during the absence of Mr. H. P. KAUFMANN, on January 8 and 9, 1923, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. MARKUS to act at Dandagamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kurunegala, during the absence of Mr. D. B. SENEVIRATNE, from January 12 to 14, 1923, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. L. W. DE SARAM to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, Negombo, and Avissawella, and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avissawella,

during the absence of Mr. E. W. KANNANGARA, on January 12, 1923, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. Mc L. MILLER to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Dumbara.

Mr. E. W. KEITH to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Dumbara.

Mr. A. DE C. CARSON to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 11, 1923.

No. 5 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that the Hon. Sir H. C. GOLLAN, K.C., C.B.E., having returned from leave, has resumed duties as Attorney-General, with effect from January 3, 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

No. 6 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that the Hon. Mr. T. F. GARVIN, K.C., has resumed duties as Solicitor-General, with effect from January 3, 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

No. 7 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that the Hon. Mr. T. F. GARVIN, K.C., has resumed his seat as a Nominated Official Member of the Legislative Council.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

No. 8 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. M. T. AKBAR has resumed duties as Crown Counsel for the Island, with effect from January 3, 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

No. 9 of 1923.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under the provisions of section 103 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, to nominate Mr. F. G. MORLEY to be Auditor of the accounts of the Municipalities of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle for the year 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

No. 10 of 1923.

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

To be *Honorary Lieutenant*.

Mr. THYAGARAJAH ARUNACHALAM.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 7, 1923.

No. 11 of 1923.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 6 (d) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate the following to be Members of the District School Committee, Colombo, for a period of three years from January 1, 1923:—

Sir S. D. BANDARANAYAKE.  
Mr. C. BATUWANTUDAWA.  
Dr. W. A. DE SILVA.  
Rev. A. S. BEATY.  
Rev. A. E. DIBBEN.  
Rev. Father J. JAMOAYS.  
Mr. F. W. M. KARUNARATNE.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 4, 1923.

No. 12 of 1923.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to nominate the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Members of the District School Committee, Matara, for a period of three years from January 1, 1923:—

Rev. H. BINKS.  
Rev. S. K. PONNIAH.  
Mr. A. C. GUNATILLEKE.  
Mr. W. A. AMARASEKERA.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 10, 1923.

No. 13 of 1923.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under the provisions of section 13 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen as Unofficial Members of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Central Province, for the year 1923:—

Mr. B. G. MEADEN.

Mr. D. S. ARUMUKKAM.

Mr. S. D. KRISNARATNA.

Mr. B. TENNAKON.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 6, 1923.

No. 14 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. STEUART P. HAYLEY, having returned to the Island, has resumed duties as Consul for Sweden at Colombo as from January 1, 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

No. 15 of 1923.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. A. P. DE S. WICKRAMA-SURIYA has been dismissed from the office of Inquirer into Sudden Deaths, Salpiti korale.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

No. 16 of 1923.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. SITHAMPARAPPILLAI ARUMUGAM, who was appointed by warrant dated November 28, 1922, to practise as a Notary Public at Urumpiray, to be a Notary Public throughout Islands division of Jaffna District, with residence and office at Kayts, and an additional office at Karaitivu East, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed MUNISINHA SIRINERIS DE SILVA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waskadubadda division, and of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from January 11, 1923, *vice* SARNORIS SILVA AMARASEKERA, deceased. His office will be at Lindamulawatta in Pohaddaramulla.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, January 6, 1923. Acting Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have confirmed the appointment of KUMARASAMY ARULAMBALAM as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pallavarayakaddu division, and of Marriages

(General) of Punakari division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. Acting Registrar-General.

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, Kalutara, has appointed PETIKIRI ARACHCHIGE DON SIMON AMARASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Millewa division, and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western

Province, for seventeen days from January 5, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, D. P. GUNATILLEKA GAMALAT, on sick leave. His office will be at Puswelahenewatta in Kindelpitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed ABRAHAM DE ALWIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapone division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion included in gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for fifteen days from January 15, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, S. DE ALWIS GUNETILLEKE, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed IHALAWALAWWE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gangala Pallesiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale East division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for fifteen days from January 8, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, L. B. SENEVIRATNA, on leave. His office will be at Ihala-walawwewatta in Galboda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed HETTIARATCHI BAPTIST WICKRAMARATNA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for January 5, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. S. AMARASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Wella-addaramahawatta in Hikkaduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed TIKIRITANTIRI MAHASAMILLAGE DON JOHANIS DE ALWIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pahalagamhaya division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for January 6, 8, and 10, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, H. V. D. C. GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Vitanegeewatta in Horawala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ELGIN WEERASURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kataluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three days from January 9, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, W. WARNASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Nalaorambewatta in Kataluwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed DHARMACHANDRA WICKRAMASINGHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Katukurunda division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for January 10, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, J. WICKRAMASINGHA, on leave. His office will be at Mudillagahawatta in Malalagama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed AGAMPUDI PIYASON DE ZOYSA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kosgoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from January 16, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, D. A. D. Z. JAYATILLAKA, on leave. His office will be at Galeliyadda in Nape.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed KARTIKESU APPUTTURAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Valikamam East division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from January 4, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, V. KANTAIYA, on leave. His office will be at Pippilakkaladdy in Koppay South.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw Districts, has appointed WALIMUNI INDRIEL MENDIS ABEYSEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yagam pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, on January 4, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, W. D. M. W. SENANAYAKE, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence at Madampe.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam and Chilaw Districts, has appointed WALIMUNI INDRIEL MENDIS ABEYSEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yagam pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for two days from January 8, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, W. D. M. W. SENANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence.

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed PUNCHIRALAGE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Sinhala pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Tamankaduwa division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for thirty days from January 1, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, L. B. KIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office at Minneriya.

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed SUPPAR MURUGAPPAR PASUPATHY to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Nuwaragampalata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for fourteen days from January 3, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, S. N. SITTAMPALAM, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office at Sittampalam road, Anuradhapura.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed MARASINHA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHIRALA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehiwinipalata division, and of Marriages (General) of Udukinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for ten days from January 5, 1923, during the absence of the Registrar, M. M. APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Kotawera.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed JAYASINHA MUDIYANSELAGE CHARLES APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehigampal korale Megodapota pattuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twenty-two days from December 25, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, V. C. APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Welikada Hitinawatta in Yatanwala.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAN,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Acting Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

**H**IS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, in terms of the regulations dated June 2, 1903, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medals to the following officers:—

- (1) Major Archibald James Verini, late of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.
- (2) Captain Richard Francis Morris, of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve.
- (3) Company Quartermaster Sergeant Louis Perrottet Emerson, of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSEBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923.

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

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
E. J. Rajaratnam	Clerk in Class II., Grade II., of the Clerical Service	Work connected with immigrant labour questions

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 5, 1923.

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

“ THE BUTCHERS' ORDINANCE, 1893.”

THE following rules and regulations made by the Assistant Government Agent of the District of Kegalla, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, under section 23 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1893, in respect of public slaughter-house at Yatiyantota, which has been proclaimed as a public slaughter-house in *Government Gazette* No. 6,403 of September 23, 1910, have been confirmed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council, and are published for general information.

The by-laws dated May 8, 1911, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,440 of May 11, 1911, are hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

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

RULES AND REGULATIONS REFERRED TO.

1. No animal shall be slaughtered at the slaughter-house, except between the hours of 6 and 7 A.M.
2. The place appointed for the exposure of cattle for 24 hours before the slaughter shall be the premises known as the “cattle pound,” and situated in the town of Yatiyantota.
3. Every licensed butcher shall produce for inspection before the District Medical Officer at 8 A.M. any head of cattle, sheep, or goats he desires to slaughter. The District Medical Officer shall in the case of cattle note on the voucher produced his opinion as to whether the said head of cattle is healthy and fit for human consumption, or unfit for slaughter for human consumption, and in the case of sheep or goats, shall issue a written permit to slaughter.
4. If on any animal being slaughtered the carcass shall appear diseased or unfit for human food, the Sanitary Inspector shall bring the same to the notice of District Medical Officer, and if the District Medical Officer shall be of opinion that the meat is unfit for human food he shall cause same to be forthwith buried and report the matter to the Assistant Government Agent of the District of Kegalla.
5. The carcasses of animals slaughtered shall be hung up after being flayed and cleaned the same day in the room provided for the purpose, and no meat shall be removed for sale except on permission until 8 A.M.
6. Every butcher or person using the slaughter-house shall pay the following fees :—

*Slaughter-house Fees.*

	Cents.
1. For each head of cattle .. .. .	50
2. For each sheep or goat .. .. .	25

7. All fees shall be paid in advance to the Sanitary Inspector.
8. It shall be the duty of each butcher to cause the slaughter-house and premises to be thoroughly cleaned immediately after use, and to bury or cause to be buried all blood refuse and offal. These duties shall be performed according to the directions of the Sanitary Inspector.
9. It shall not be lawful for any person to slaughter any animal in the public slaughter-house in the presence of other animals or until the carcass of any animal previously slaughtered shall have been removed or screened off and the premises cleaned.

“ THE BUTCHERS' ORDINANCE, 1893.”

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The by-laws dated April 17, 1913, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,559 of April 25, 1913, are hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

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

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1. No animal shall be slaughtered at the slaughter-house, except between the hours of 6 and 7 A.M.
2. The place appointed for the exposure of cattle for 24 hours before the slaughter shall be the building known as the "cattle pound," and situated in the land called Gallelipitiyahena.
3. Every licensed butcher shall produce for inspection before the District Medical Officer at 8 A.M. any head of cattle, sheep, or goats he desires to slaughter. The District Medical Officer shall in the case of cattle note on the voucher produced his opinion as to whether the said head of cattle is healthy and fit for human consumption, or unfit for slaughter for human consumption, and in the case of sheep or goats, shall issue a written permit to slaughter.
4. If on any animal being slaughtered the carcase shall appear diseased or unfit for human food, the Sanitary Inspector shall bring the same to the notice of District Medical Officer, and if the District Medical Officer shall be of opinion that the meat is unfit for human food he shall cause same to be forthwith buried and report the matter to the Assistant Government Agent of the District of Kegalla.
5. The carcases of animals slaughtered shall be hung up after being flayed and cleaned the same day in the room provided for the purpose, and no meat shall be removed for sale except on permission until 8 A.M.
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## " THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified for general information that (a) His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to set apart the lots of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which are the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the villagers of the village of Radawagama, in the Diwigandahaye korale of the Hiriyala hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lots on free permits issued by the Government Agent, Kurunegala, in accordance with the rules made by the Village Committee, under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lots or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923.B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lots situated in the village of Radawagama, in the Diwigandahaye korale of the Hiriyala hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province :—

Block survey preliminary plan 1,862.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.	
		A.	R. P.
1 ..	Danghamulahenyaya and Lolugamulahenyaya	10	0 35
19 ..	Katuhena	20	1 7
33 ..	Alutwewaihalahena, Galagawahena, Galhena	14	0 9
36 ..	Galagawahena	3	0 28
43 ..	Keppitiyaya <i>alias</i> Mulketayaya	21	0 37
	(Exclusive of the roads and reservations passing through the land.)		
		68	3 36

## " THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCE, 1892."

THE following by-laws made by the Sanitary Board, Kegalla District, under the provisions of section 9 E (2) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, as amended by Ordinance No. 20 of 1921, and approved by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council, are published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## CHAPTER X.

*By-law re Cesspits.*

1. No occupier or owner shall build or cause to be built on his land or premises any privy, cesspit, or latrine without having first obtained the permission of the Chairman in writing.

2. (a) Upon any application for such permission under by-law 1 it shall be competent to the Chairman or the Board to require that any particular type of privy, cesspit, or latrine approved by the Board and no other shall be constructed.

(b) The Chairman or the Board may further describe the position in which such privy, cesspit, or latrine shall be constructed, and refuse permission to construct any privy, cesspit, or latrine in any other position.

(c) It shall further be competent to the Chairman or the Board to refuse permission to construct any privy, cesspit, or latrine at all upon any premises should the Chairman or the Board be of opinion that such construction should not be permitted on sanitary grounds.

3. (a) It shall be competent to the Board to order in writing the owner or occupier of any premises in which a privy, cesspit, or latrine has been constructed without permission or in any way contrary to the terms of any permission issued by the Chairman or the Board to demolish and fill up the said privy, cesspit, or latrine within such reasonable time as may be prescribed by the Chairman or the Board.

(b) Any person failing to comply with an order made under sub-section (a) shall be guilty of an offence.

4. (a) The Board may order in writing the owner or occupier of any premises to construct within the time prescribed by such order a privy or latrine of such a type and size and in such a position and with such connecting drains as the Board may prescribe.

(b) Any person failing to comply with an order made under sub-section (a) shall be guilty of an offence.

5. (a) The Board may order in writing the owner or occupier of the premises upon which any privy, cesspit, or latrine exists either to repair, alter, or reconstruct the same in such manner and within such time as the Board may prescribe, or to demolish and fill up the same within such prescribed time, if in the opinion of the Board such privy, cesspit, or latrine is structurally defective or is unsuitable for the purpose to which it is put, or is liable to give rise to a nuisance, or if it does not abut upon and cannot be conveniently conserved from a sanitary lane established by the Board under by-law 8, or otherwise the Board may require the owner or occupier of the premises upon which the privy, cesspit, or latrine exists either to repair, alter, or reconstruct the same in such manner and within such reasonable time as the Board may prescribe or within such prescribed time to demolish and fill up the same.

(b) Any person failing to comply with an order made under sub-section (a) shall be guilty of an offence.

6. *Definition.*—For the purposes of the following by-laws—

“Cesspit” shall mean and include all forms of closets or latrines other than those on the dry-earth system.

“Specified area” shall mean and include such area or areas within the limits of the Board as the Board may from time to time specify; such area may comprise the whole of such limits or a portion or portions thereof.

7. The Board may by resolution prohibit within any specified area or portion of a specified area the use of any particular kind of cesspit of whatever kind, and direct that all latrines and closets be conducted on the dry-earth system.

8. Whenever such a resolution shall have been passed, and notice in writing shall have been given to the owner or occupier of any house or building or land in or on which such cesspit or cesspits are situated to close such cesspit or cesspits and substitute a dry-earth closet or closets therefor, it shall be incumbent on such person or persons to comply with such notice within such time as the Board may determine from the service of such notice. Any owner or occupier failing within a reasonable time to comply with such notice shall be guilty of an offence. Provided that for the erection of any closet or latrine under this by-law the permission of the Chairman under by-law 1 shall be necessary, so that the Chairman may give necessary instructions as to type, situation, &c.

9. It shall be the duty of the owner or occupier of any premises upon which any privy or latrine stands to keep the said privy or latrine in good repair and in a clean and sanitary state and to see that no nuisance is caused thereby. Any owner or occupier failing so to do shall be guilty of an offence.

10. In order to secure the efficient removal of night soil it shall be lawful for the Board by resolution to require the owner or occupier of any houses, buildings, or lands in any specified area to provide and maintain at their own expenses a conservancy lane not exceeding 8 feet wide at the back of or running through their premises in such position as may be determined by the Chairman.

11. Within any specified area all conservancy shall be carried out by the Board, and it shall not be lawful for any person either to carry out such work himself or by means of an agent or servant or to employ any person to do such work for him without the written permission of the Chairman, which permission the Chairman is empowered at his discretion to refuse, if he is of opinion that all such services within the area can be adequately carried out by the Board.

12. All owners or occupiers of premises furnished with closets or latrines within any specified area shall pay monthly to the Board such conservancy fees as shall be fixed by the Board for the removal of their night soil. All such fees shall be paid

before the 10th day of the month following that during which the service was rendered. Any person neglecting to pay such fees within the time prescribed shall be guilty of an offence.

13. Any persons requiring the services of day coolies may apply to the Board therefor in writing, and such coolies will be supplied upon such terms as the Board shall decide.

14. Any person outside a specified area who desires that the conservancy of his closet or latrine be undertaken by the Board or that he be given the services of a day cooly shall notify the Chairman in writing to that effect, and the Board may thereupon undertake such conservancy upon such terms as the Board may decide.

15. Whenever the Board shall consider the construction of a new catchpit or the alteration, repair, or reconstruction or filling up of an existing catchpit to be necessary, it may require any owner or occupier of any land or premises by notice in writing signed by the Chairman either to construct a new catchpit or to alter, repair, or reconstruct or fill up any existing catchpit, and may further give directions as to the position, level, and size of such catchpit, the materials to be used, the manner in which the work is to be carried out, and any other details in connection with such works. Any such owner or occupier who shall after receipt of such notice fail within such time as the Board shall determine to carry out such requirements of the Board shall be guilty of an offence.

16. It shall be lawful for the Chairman to notify the owner or occupier of any land or premises upon which there is any catchpit into which filthy water flows and collects that the Board will henceforth undertake the daily removal of such water, and thereafter such owner or occupier shall be bound to pay such reasonable fees for the removal of such dirty water as the Board shall determine.

17. The owner or occupier of any land or premises upon which there is any catchpit into which dirty water flows and collects and who shall not have been notified by the Chairman under by-law 16 shall be responsible for the daily removal of such water to such place as the Chairman shall approve so that no nuisance is caused thereby. Any such owner or occupier failing to carry out such removal as above required shall be guilty of an offence.

“THE FIREARMS ORDINANCE, No. 33 of 1916.”

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the proviso to section 24 of “The Firearms Ordinance, No. 33 of 1916,” has been pleased to authorize the issue, within the under-mentioned areas, of licenses for single-barrelled muzzle-loading guns at a reduced duty of 50 cents for the year ending December 31, 1923:—

*Province of Uva.*

The divisions of Bintenna, Wiyaluwa, Wellassa, and Buttala and the korales of Sitteremapalata, Kongolla, Bintenna, and Wellawaya.

*Eastern Province.*

1. Bintenna pattu : The whole pattu.
2. Eravur and Koralai pattu : Katchilaveli, Kanathanai, Perilaveli, Vettilaiyoddaimadu, Lavanai, Avaddiaveli, Meyangola, and Vaddipoddaimadu.
3. Manmunai North pattu : Ichantivu, Navetkadu, Mangikaddu, Chalambakerni, Karaiveddi, Vilavaddavan, Magilavaddavan, Naripultotam, Sinnatotam, Kalkudah, Illupadichenai, Kottiapulai, Kandian-arū, Thalankudah, Puthukudyiruppu, Kirankulam, and Unichehai.
4. Karavaku pattu : The whole pattu.
5. Sammanturai pattu : The whole pattu.
6. Akkarai pattu : Villages of Akkarai pattu Vanam.
7. Panawa pattu : The whole pattu.
8. Wewgam pattu : The whole pattu.
9. Koddia pattu : Illakandai, Madapukalai, Malaimuntal, Ilantaiturai, Upporal, and Valaitotam.
10. Kaddukulam West : Adampane, Bakkinakadawa, Panguragaswewa, Kimpulpityawe, and Haragawe.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

“THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 of 1912.”

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, under section 7 (c) of “The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912,” to appoint Messrs. C. P. Anderson, J.P., U.P.M., E. G. Beilby, J.P., U.P.M., H. D. Garrick, J. F. W. Brockman, J.P., U.P.M., J. M. S. Barlow, C. J. Hutchinson, J.P., U.P.M., A. Thorp, J.P., U.P.M., and J. Taylor to perform throughout the Island the acts and duties mentioned in sections 32, 34, and 45 (a) of the said Ordinance.

2. The appointments of Messrs. H. Storey, Bruce Westland, R. de V. Godfray, and R. E. H. Dickinson are hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 6, 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.



## " THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified for general information (a) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to set apart the lot of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which is the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the inhabitants of the village of Bulankulama, in the Pahala Kalagam tulana of the Kalagam korale north of the Kalagam palata of the Anuradhapura District, in the North-Central Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lot on free permits issued by the Government Agent of the North-Central Province, in accordance with the rules made under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lot or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 22, 1922.B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lot situated in the village of Mawatawewa, in the Pahala Kalagam tulana of the Kalagam korale north of the Kalagam palata of the Anuradhapura District, in the North-Central Province:—

Block survey preliminary plan 811.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.		
		A.	R.	P.
7A	Weeragahayaya	113	1	38

## " THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified for general information (a) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to set apart the lots of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which are the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that all the present inhabitants of Rambewa (including those who have come from Ihalagama), in the Kumarawanni pattu korale of the Demala hatpattu of the Puttalam District, in the North-Western Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lots on free permits issued by the Assistant Government Agent at Puttalam, in accordance with the rules made under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lots or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 23, 1922.B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lots situated in the village of Rambewa, in the Kumarawanni pattu korale of the Demala hatpattu of the Puttalam District, in the North-Western Province:—

Block survey preliminary plan 1,842.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.		
		A.	R.	P.
6	Santhanapokuna (water-hole)	0	1	24
7	Kohombagahalanda, Kongahalandeyaya, Dangahahenyaya	75	2	37
26	Kankabiliwewelanda, Dangahahenyaya	51	2	38
28	Kongahalanda, Dangahalanda, Meegahahenyaya	25	0	6
35	Helambagahahena, Munamalgaswewelanda, Dangahalanda	52	2	37
Total		205	2	22

*Excluded Lots.*

27	Kangkabiliwewa-ela	0	1	10
29	Wewapahalalanda (reservation for tank and bund)	0	2	37
30	Kangkabiliwewa (abandoned tank)	7	2	15
31	Footpath	0	0	2
32	Kangkabiliwewelanda	0	1	38
33	Pita-ela	0	0	5
36	Munamalgaswewe-ela	0	0	13
37	Footpath	0	0	9
Total		9	1	9

## "THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified for general information (a) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to set apart the lot of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which is the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the inhabitants of the village of Mawatawewa, in the Pahala Kalagam tulana of the Kalagam korale north of the Kalagam palata of the Anuradhapura District, in the North-Central Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lot on free permits issued by the Government Agent of the North-Central Province, in accordance with the rules made under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lot or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 22, 1922.

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

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lot situated in the village of Mawatawewa, in the Pahala Kalagam tulana of the Kalagam korale north of the Kalagam palata of the Anuradhapura District, in the North-Central Province:—

Block survey preliminary plan 811.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.		
		A.	R.	P.
7B	Weeragahayaya	50	2	34

**Order of the Custodian of Enemy Property under "The Enemy Firms Liquidation Ordinance, No. 20 of 1916," as amended by "The Enemy Firms Liquidation (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 4 of 1917."**

WHEREAS the assets of Adolph Wilhelm Karl Cuntze, Albert Cuntze, and the representatives of the late Eduard Cuntze, an enemy firm, are not sufficient to discharge the liabilities for which provision is made under Ordinance No. 20 of 1916, I, Francis Marshall, do, by virtue of the power in that behalf vested in me by section 20 (2) of the said Ordinance, by this order vest in Maurice John Harding of the firm of Messrs. Ford, Rhodes, Thornton & Co., Liquidator of the said enemy firm for the purpose of the liquidation, subject to the rights of any secured creditor, the property in the schedule hereto attached, belonging to Albert Cuntze, partner of the said enemy firm, which is not the property of the firm within the meaning of the Ordinance.

Office of the Controller of Revenue,  
Colombo, January 5, 1923.

F. MARSHALL,  
Custodian of Enemy Property, Ceylon.

## SCHEDULE.

Balance in the hands of the Custodian of Enemy Property, being the proceeds sale of his shares and dividends thereon, amounting to Rs. 361.96.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for loading and unloading of goods which includes transferring from one wagon to another when necessary, and hand-shunting of wagons for the purpose of loading, unloading, transferring, weighing, and storing of goods for which no shunting allowance is allowed, from persons willing to contract for the service from June 1, 1923, to September 30, 1925, at the Kalutara South Goods Station.

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 Loading and Unloading of Goods at Kalutara South Goods Shed" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 13, 1923.

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 in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri, or Colombo Bank, 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 or 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.

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

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

10. 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.

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

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

13. 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.

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

15. 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, January 8, 1923.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the purchase of the following from persons willing to buy the same, viz. :—

Three sheds " *in situ* " at the Baghdad area.

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 Comptroller of Revenue, Colombo.

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the purchase of three Sheds " *in situ* " at the Baghdad Area " in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Comptroller of Revenue not later than midday on January 30, 1923.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 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 the person whose tender has been accepted decline to make payment and dismantle the sheds in question, or fail to remove them and clear the site within the time specified by the Harbour Engineer, such deposit shall 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. Should, however, he pay the charges due and dismantle the sheds and clear the site in the specified time, the deposit of Rs. 100 will be refunded. The deposits of all other tenderers whose tenders have not been accepted will be refunded to them.

7. Tenderers are requested to inspect the sheds before tendering, which can be seen on application to the Harbour Engineer at his office; and once a tender has been accepted, no excuse whatever as regards the quality, &c., of the material will be accepted.

8. Payment must be made within three days after notification of acceptance of tender, and the sheds must be dismantled and site cleared within three weeks from date of payment.

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

10. 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.

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.

F. BOWES,

Chairman, Colombo Port Commission.

Office of the Colombo Port Commission,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of sleepers, to be completed as specified in the schedule annexed below. The area to be exploited for the supply and further details are given in the 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 Comptroller of Revenue, Colombo.

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sleepers, Uva Division," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Comptroller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, January 30, 1923.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 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 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 the contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond.

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.

11. The contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board previously obtained, nor shall the contractor issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is in the list of defaulting contractors authorizing him to carry on the contract. Further the contractor shall not employ any person whose name is in the list of defaulting contractors, nor any person whom the Assistant Conservator of Forests, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects to after giving due notice in writing.

12. A rate per broad gauge sleeper delivered transported at the Haputale Railway Station premises, must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

13. Persons desirous of tendering are advised to acquaint themselves carefully of the nature of the work and of the contract they will be required to sign.

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

#### GENERAL CONDITIONS.

Trees are to be felled within 6 inches of the ground by saw or axe and saw combined, and where there is any avoidable waste in conversion of the trees double royalty will be charged for wasted material.

2. All suitable dead and hollow trees and branchwood within the forest, in addition to all matured sound trees, be utilized for conversion into broad gauge sleepers. Part of logs attacked by fungus or defective parts of logs are not to be sawn into sleepers. The sleepers should be sawn from sound matured wood, free from shakes, cracks, sapwood, and large or loose knots.

3. Broad gauge sleepers are to be of the following dimensions:—9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in.

Sleepers should be rectangular in form, and sawn perfectly parallel on all sides. On no account will squaring of logs or sleepers with an adze or axe be allowed.

4. Sleepers should be covered with saw dust or immersed in water and be invariably placed under shade immediately they are sawn until they can be transported to delivery depot, where they should be stacked and kept under shade. Sufficient space is to be left between each stack for the checking officers to inspect every side of each stack.

5. Rejected sleepers will not be paid for, and they will lapse to Government as well as all refuse wood in the sleeper operations. The contractor shall have no claim in respect of any material sold as rejections.

6. Payment may be made for sleepers accepted by the Assistant Conservator of Forests at delivery depot.

#### Schedule.

1. To fell and convert into approximately 1,000 broad gauge sleepers from the available rana and milla trees standing in the 300-acre block near Muppane in Koslanda Range of the Uva Division, and to deliver them stacked in the Haputale Railway Station premises. The distance of transport to Haputale is about 50 miles. Work to

commence a week after signing the contract and to be completed by June 30, 1923.

2. The intending tenderers are advised to inspect the forest with the Forest Ranger, Koslanda.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, January 9, 1923.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for services described in the schedule annexed. The area to be exploited for the purpose and further details are given in the schedule hereto.

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 Timber to Government Departments, 1922-23," 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, January 30, 1923.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Batticaloa, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tender 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, 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 the contract will be required of the contractor when entering into a bond.

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 of accepting any portion of a tender.

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

12. 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 contract.

13. Further, the contractor shall not employ any person whose name is on the list of defaulting contractors, nor any person whom the Divisional Forest Officer, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects to after giving due notice in writing.

14. Sleepers and scantlings should be rectangular in form and sawn perfectly parallel on all sides. On no account will squaring of logs, sleepers, or scantlings with an adze or axe be allowed.

15. Sleepers and scantlings should be covered with sawdust or immersed in water, and be invariably placed under shade immediately they are sawn until they can be transferred to delivery depôts, where they should be stacked, and kept under shade in the manner to be pointed out by the Forest Ranger. The logs should also be similarly stacked and covered until they are shipped.

(16) For any further information and for inspection of the draft contract, application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Eastern Division South, Batticaloa.

#### SCHEDULE.

To fell, log, bark, trim, transport, and deliver at Batticaloa Bar a sufficient number of satin trees to yield 3,000 cubic feet and ranai trees to yield 1,000 cubic feet of not less than 4 feet in girth and 15 feet in length, standing in Maha-oya forest in the Maha-oya Range, bounded on the north by Kallodai and Maha-oya-aar, on the east by footpath from 75th milepost to Maha-oya, on the south by footpath from Lahugala to Hingurana-ela, and thence along the ela to Maha-oya, and thence along the cart road from 68th milepost to 75th milepost, and on the west by Kallodai-aar. Distance of transport 40 to 50 miles.

2. All suitable branchwood, top and end pieces are to be utilized for sawing into broad gauge sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., narrow gauge sleepers of 5 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. or 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in., and scantlings of the following dimensions:—8 ft. by 6 in. by 4 in., 12 ft. by 4 in. by 2 in., 12 ft. by 6 in. by 3 in., 14 ft. by 6 in. by 4 in., 15 ft. by 6 in. by 4 in., 18 ft. by 6 in. by 4 in., and 20 ft. by 9 in. by 3 in. Also suitable outside slabs required by the Department are to be transported and delivered at the Batticaloa Bar.

3. Only such trees as are stamped and marked by a Forest Officer are to be felled.

4. Work is to commence as soon as the contract is entered into, and the delivery at the shipping depôt should be completed before June 30, 1923.

5. Separate rates per cubic foot of timber in the log, per cubic foot of scantlings, per broad and narrow gauge sleeper and per outside slab, should be quoted, written both in words and figures.

*N.B.*—The attention of the contractors is drawn to by-law No. 9 (a), under section 18 of the Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916, which runs as follows:—

"It shall not be lawful for any person to do any of the following acts:—(a) To load a cart with timber or other substance of more than 20 feet in length without having one end thereof secured to another or sling cart."

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, January 9, 1923.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the work of repairing the salt store and the storekeeper's bungalow, and of building two patrols' huts at Udappu.

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 Store and the Storekeeper's Bungalow, and of building two Patrols' Huts at Udappu," and it should be sent to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, so that he may receive it before 1 P.M. on January 22, 1923.

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

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

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

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

7. Further particulars may be obtained from the Office Assistant (Salt), Puttalam.

#### *Description of the Work to be done.*

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

The roof of the store, the storekeeper's bungalow, and the kitchen should be re-thatched with new cadjan, and pootus should be placed thereon to serve as weights.

Separate building with two rooms 10 ft. by 12 ft. should be erected for patrols.

Puttalam Kachcheri, S. M. P. VANDERKOEEN,  
January 8, 1923\* for Assistant Government Agent.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for all works in connection with the execution of (a) Special repairs to Salt Stores, Mullaittivu, and (b) Special repairs to Chief Irrigation Inspector's Quarters, Vavuniya.

The whole of the works to be undertaken, on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Vavuniya, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province.

The drawings, specification, bills of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the District Engineer's Office, Public Works Department, Vavuniya, any week day between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturday, 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.)

Two schedules of rates must be submitted (separate schedules for each building) one including value of imported articles necessary in the work and the other omitting value of such imported articles, in duplicate, duly signed and dated and forwarded in a securely sealed envelope addressed to the District Engineer, Vavuniya, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Salt Store, Mullaittivu or" "Inspector's Quarters, Vavuniya," as the case may be, so as to reach his office on or before 12 noon on January 31, 1923.

Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted.

Public Works Office, A. H. F. CLARKE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Director of Public Works.

### SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

**T**HE following unserviceable articles will be sold by auction at the Bloemendhal Mills, Mutwal, on Wednesday, January 24, 1923, at 2 P.M. :—

1 office clock	6 latrine buckets (used)
3 chairs, plain (broken)	4 urinal buckets
1 rubber stamp	1 lot packing cases
1 bathing tub	

January 5, 1923.

L. J. B. TURNER,  
Director of Statistics.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, the 13th instant, at 12 noon, at this office :—

1 revolving chair	1 dipping refractometer
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Office of the Government Analyst,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923.

C. T. SYMONS,  
Government Analyst.

### VITAL STATISTICS.

#### Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended December 23, 1922.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 148 (2 Europeans, 10 Burghers, 83 Sinhalese, 22 Tamils, 21 Moors, 8 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1922, viz., 247,668) was 31·2, as against 30·3 in the preceding week, 34·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32·8 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 181 (7 Burghers, 111 Sinhalese, 29 Tamils, 23 Moors, 6 Malays, and 5 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 38·1, as against 36·6 in the previous week, 29·5 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30·5 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 181 total deaths, 36 were of infants under one year of age, as against 37 in the preceding week, 40 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 40 the average for last year.

**Stillbirths.**—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 19.

**Principal Causes of Deaths.**—1. (a) Twenty-three deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 3 each in St. Paul's and Maradana North, 2 each in Kotahena North, Kotahena South, and Wellawatta North, and 1 each in San Sebastian, New Bazaar, Maradana East, Slave Island, and Kollupitiya, as against 20 in the previous week, and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Two deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 1 each in New Bazaar and Wellawatta North, as against 4 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) One death from *Bronchitis* was registered in St. Paul's, as against 4 in the previous week.

2. Seventeen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 9 in Maradana hospitals (including 4 deaths of non-residents), 4 in Kollupitiya, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in St. Paul's and Slave Island, as against 10 in the previous week, and 14 the weekly average for last year.

3. Six deaths from *Plague* were registered, 2 in Slave Island, and 1 each in St. Paul's, San Sebastian, Maradana hospital, and Maradana East, as against 10 in the previous week, and 3 the weekly average for last year.

4. Three deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 2 in Slave Island and 1 in Kotahena North, as against 4 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

5. One death from *Smallpox* of a resident of Dawson street was registered in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellawatta North.

6. Thirteen deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 12 from *Debility*, 11 from *Enteritis*, 10 from *Worms*, 5 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Dysentery*, 3 from *Tetanus*, 1 from *Puerperal Septicæmia*, and 68 from *Other Causes*.

7. Sixteen cases of *Measles*, 12 of *Plague*, 9 of *Enteric Fever*, and 8 of *Chickenpox* were reported during the week, as against 17, 7, 17, and 23 respectively of the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 79·0°, against 75·6° in the preceding week, and 79·5° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·959," against 29·931" in the preceding week and 29·958" in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was nil, against nil in the preceding week, and 0·22" in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 5, 1923.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,  
for Registrar-General.

## Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended December 30, 1922.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 140 (1 European, 13 Burghers, 89 Sinhalese, 16 Tamils, 15 Moors, and 6 Malays). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1922, viz., 247,668) was 29·5, as against 31·2 in the preceding week, 24·1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32·8 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 175 (2 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 84 Sinhalese, 39 Tamils, 28 Moors, 7 Malays, and 9 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 36·8, as against 38·1 in the previous week, 25·8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30·5 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 175 total deaths, 32 were of infants under one year of age, as against 36 in the preceding week, 38 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 40 the average for last year.

**Stillbirths.**—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 12.

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Twenty-one deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 4 in Slave Island, 3 in Kollupitiya, 2 in Maradana North, and 1 each in Pettah, Kotahena South, New Bazaar, Maradana East, Maradana South, and Wellawatta South, as against 23 in the previous week, and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Six deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 4 in St. Paul's and 1 each in New Bazaar and Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), as against 1 in the previous week.

(c) One death from *Influenza* was registered in Maradana South, as against 2 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

2. Fourteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 4 in Maradana hospital (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 2 each in Kotahena North, New Bazaar, and Maradana North, and 1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena South, Maradana South, and Slave Island, as against 17 in the previous week, and 14 the weekly average for last year.

3. Fourteen deaths from *Plague* were registered, 9 at the Infectious Diseases hospital, Wellawatta North, 3 in Pettah, and 1 each in St. Paul's and New Bazaar, as against 6 in the previous week, and 3 the weekly average for last year.

4. Six deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 2 each in Kotahena North, Kotahena South, and Maradana hospital (including 1 death of a non-resident), as against 3 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

5. Seventeen deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 11 from *Debility*, 4 each from *Diarrhœa* and *Puerperal Septicæmia*, 3 each from *Dysentery*, *Enteritis*, *Worms*, and *Tetanus*, and 65 from *Other Causes*.

6. Six cases of *Plague* were reported during the week as against 12 in the preceding week. There were 16 cases of *Measles*, 9 of *Enteric Fever*, and 8 of *Chickenpox* reported during the previous week. None were reported during the week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 78·8°, against 79·0° in the preceding week, and 79·9° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·973", against 29·959" in the preceding week, and 29·934" in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·19", against nil in the preceding week, and 1·44" in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 6, 1923.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,  
for Registrar-General.

## Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended January 6, 1923.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 155 (2 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 89 Sinhalese, 25 Tamils, 21 Moors, 10 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1923, viz., 249,046) was 32·5, as against 29·5 in the preceding week, 27·9 in the corresponding week of last year, and 27·9 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 222 (3 Europeans, 8 Burghers, 124 Sinhalese, 35 Tamils, 35 Moors, 11 Malays, and 6 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 46·5, as against 36·8 in the previous week, 49·1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31·2 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 222 total deaths, 50 were of infants under one year of age, as against 32 in the preceding week, 49 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 33 the average for last year.

**Stillbirths.**—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 7.

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Thirty-one deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 17 in Maradana hospitals (including 10 deaths of non-residents), 3 each in Maradana North and Maradana South, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, New Bazaar, Maradana East, Slave Island, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta South, as against 21 in the previous week, and 22 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Seven deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 2 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena North, and New Bazaar, and 1 in Wellawatta South, as against 6 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

(c) One death from *Influenza* was registered in Slave Island same as in the previous week. The weekly average for last year was 6.

2. Sixteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 8 in Maradana hospitals (including 7 deaths of non-residents), 4 in Kotahena South, and 1 each in New Bazaar, Slave Island, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta South, as against 14 in the previous week, and 12 the weekly average for last year.

3. Seven deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 4 in Maradana hospitals, 2 in Wellawatta North, and 1 in Maradana South, as against 6 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

4. Six deaths from *Plague* were registered, 3 in Pettah, 2 in St. Paul's, and 1 in Wellawatta North, as against 14 in the previous week, and 2 the weekly average for last year.

5. Twenty-two deaths were registered from *Debility*, 12 from *Dysentery*, 11 from *Enteritis*, 10 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 7 each from *Diarrhœa* and *Worms*, 3 from *Puerperal Septicæmia*, 2 from *Tetanus*, 1 from *Measles*, and 79 from *Other Causes*.

6. Forty-one cases of *Chickenpox*, 27 of *Measles*, 25 of *Enteric Fever*, and 12 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 6 cases of *Plague* only in the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 79·0°, against 78·8° in the preceding week, and 79·9° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·906", against 29·973", in the preceding week, and 29·942" in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·54", against 0·19" in the preceding week, and 1·19" in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,  
for Registrar-General.



## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF AVISAWELLA TEA AND RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "AVISAWELLA TEA AND RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are :—
  - (a) To purchase from the proprietors thereof the Avisawella estate, situate in the Kelani Valley District of Ceylon.
  - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in tea, rubber, and other Ceylon produce, estate land, and house owners, builders, and dealers in lands, houses, and buildings of every description.
  - (c) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other 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 or personal, movable, or immovable, of any kind, and any contracts, 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.
  - (d) 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, children, or dependents of any such.
  - (e) 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 portions thereof, as a tea and 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 tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
  - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work tea and rubber factories, cacao, coconut, and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, houses, shops, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
  - (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
  - (h) 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, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
  - (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
  - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, 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 tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, 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 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 miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cacao, chocolate, 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 Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, and any other goods, wares, and merchandise, 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, houses, 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 purposes of the Company.
  - (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits or 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.

- (u) 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 of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (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.
- (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 howsoever 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 or 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 partially 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 Two hundred and Fifty thousand rupees (Rs. 250,000), divided into Twenty-five thousand (25,000) 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.
H. M. WALDOCK, Colombo	One
W. R. MAGUIRE, Colombo	One
W. T. GRESWELL, Colombo	One
TERRITT H. TATHAM, Colombo	One
F. H. LAYARD, Colombo	One
F. F. ROE, Colombo	One
J. G. MOORE, Colombo	One
Total Shares taken	Seven

Dated the 14th day of December, 1922.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo the 14th day of December, 1922:

E. R. WILLIAMS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF AVISAWELLA TEA AND RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained 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 "Avisawella Tea and Rubber Company, Limited;" incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

The "Ordinance" means and includes "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" or "Member" 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 only the masculine gender include the feminine, and *vice versa*.

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

"Extraordinary resolution" means a resolution passed by three-fourths in number and value of such Shareholders of the Company for the time being entitled to vote as may be present in person or by proxy (in case where by these Articles proxies are allowed) or by attorney at any meeting of which notice specifying the intention to propose such resolution has been duly given.

#### 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. The Company being established on the basis that it shall acquire the Avisawella Estate, it shall be no objection that the vendors are in a fiduciary position to the Company or that there is no independent Board of Directors, nor shall any claim be made on any of the vendors on any such ground. Every member of the Company present or future shall be deemed to have joined the Company on this basis.

#### CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Two hundred and Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 250,000), divided into 25,000 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.

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 also with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company reduce the capital or subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company.

#### SHARES.

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

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

10. The shares, except 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, except when otherwise provided, 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 (subject to the provisions of Article 5) 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 the 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. The Company may pay to any person a commission at a rate not exceeding ten per cent., or of an amount not exceeding such rate in consideration of his subscribing or agreeing to subscribe, whether absolutely or conditionally, for any shares in the Company or procuring or agreeing to procure subscriptions, whether absolute or conditional, for any shares in the Company.

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

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

15. Shares may be registered in the name of a firm or partnership, and any one 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.

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

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

18. 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.

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 38 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

20. 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.

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 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.

23. The certificates of shares registered in the names of two or more persons not a firm be delivered to the person first named on the register.

#### CALLS.

24. 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 three 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.

25. 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 on 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.

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

27. 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 the 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.

28. 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 uncalled upon their respective shares beyond the sums actually called up; 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, eight per centum per annum.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

29. Subject to the restrictions in these articles any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by an instrument in writing.

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

31. 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.

32. 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 any transfer to any person not approved of 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 refusal shall be absolute, and shall not be liable to be questioned.

33. Every instrument of transfer shall be in writing and signed by the transferor and transferee and 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 transfer, and a fee of Two Rupees 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 32, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

34. 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.

35. 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.

36. 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.

37. 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.

38. 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 producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Directors think sufficient, 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.

39. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 38 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue claim in writing to 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, claim in writing to 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 shares, 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.

40. 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.

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

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

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

42. 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, premia, 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.

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

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

45. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and the Secretary or Secretaries that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture, and such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, 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.

46. 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 43 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

47. 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.

48. 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.

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

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

51. Upon any such sale two of the Directors or one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries 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 share.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

52. 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 repayment 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.

53. 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.

54. 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 by any member present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

## BORROWING POWERS.

55. 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, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Rupees One hundred thousand (Rs. 100,000).

56. 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. 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.

57. For the purpose of securing the repayment of any such money so borrowed or raised, or for any other purposes, the Directors may grant, create, execute, and issue any mortgages, cash credits, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company both present and future, including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or may make, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange.

58. 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.

59. 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.

60. 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.

61. 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.

62. 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.

63. 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, holding not less in the aggregate than one-eighth part of the shares of the Company for the time being subscribed for, and entitled to vote.

64. 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 ten days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and such time as the Shareholders convening the Meeting may themselves fix.

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

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

67. 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 a notice sent by post or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting. The accidental omission to give any such notice shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.

68. 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 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 made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

69. 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.

70. 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 by proxy or attorney at the commencement of the business three or more Shareholders entitled to vote.

71. 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.

72. 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 Shareholder 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.

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

74. 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.

75. 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 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.

76. 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 in writing by some Shareholder 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. The power of demanding a poll conferred by this clause may be exercised by the proxy or attorney of any Shareholder.

77. 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 or proxy or attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

78. 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.

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

80. 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 one share held by him up to ten, an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first ten up to one hundred, and an additional vote for every twenty-fiveshares held by him beyond the first hundred.

81. 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 an infant, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

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

83. 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 one month 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 one month previous to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

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

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

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

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

*Avisawella Tea and Rubber Company, 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 \_\_\_\_\_.

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

88. No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

## DIRECTORS.

89. The number of Directors shall never be less than two or more than five, but this clause shall be construed as being directory only, and the continuing Directors or Director may act notwithstanding any numbers of vacancies.

90. The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right at least one hundred shares in the Company upon which all calls for the time being have been paid.

91. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding three thousand rupees 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 or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

92. The first Directors shall be William Territt Greswell, Frank Henry Layard, and Territt Hugh Tatham. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

93. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents 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 or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents, or Superintendents.

The Directors may impose or 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.

94. 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 95.

95. The Director to retire from office at the Second Ordinary General Meeting 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.

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.

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

97. 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 General Meeting.

98. 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 member intending to propose him, has at least seven clear days before the meeting, left at the office of the Company a notice in writing, duly signed, signifying his candidature for office or the intention of such member to propose him.

99. 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 retain the same if no vacancy had occurred.

100. The Company may from time to time by resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting, 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.

101. 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.

102. 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.

103. 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.

104. 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 expenses happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

105. No contribution 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.

106. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit under the Company other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, Secretary, Agent, or Trustee for Debenture Holders.
- (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 resigns his office under the provisions of clause 102.
- (e) If he cease to ordinarily reside in Ceylon, or is absent from Ceylon for a period of twelve consecutive months.

107. No Director shall be disqualified from holding office by reason of entering into any contract with, or doing any work for, the Company, or 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 or by reason of his being Agent, or Secretary, or Solicitor, or being a member of a firm who are Agents, or Secretaries, or Solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall disclose to the Directors his interest in any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested, and shall not vote in respect of any matters connected with any such contract, work, or business.

## POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

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

109. 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.

110. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make, such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they 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.

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

The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

112. The Director 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.

113. 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.

114. 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 any one Director and Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Secretaries, in the event of a firm or registered company being the Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, director, secretary, attorney, or agent of the said firm or company signing for and on behalf of the said firm or company as such Secretaries. The sealing shall not be attested by one person in the dual capacity of Director and Secretary or representative of the Secretaries.

115. 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.

116. In furtherance and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in any of the preceding clauses 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 awards.
- (c) To make and give receipts, release, and other discharges for money payable to the Company, and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents, with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or inspector or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company, which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purpose 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 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.

117. 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, but in the event of there being at any time only one Director present in Ceylon, such Director may act alone.

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

119. 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.

120. Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of equality of votes the Chairman thereof shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

121. 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.

122. 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.

123. The acts of the Board or of any committees appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or defect in the appointment 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.

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

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

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

126. All such minutes shall be signed by the person who shall have presided as a 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.

127. 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.

128. 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 Ordinance or authorized by the Directors or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

129. 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.

130. 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 recommended should be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statements, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

131. 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.

132. 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.

133. 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.

134. 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 first 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.

135. 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.

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

137. 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.

138. 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.

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

#### DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

140. 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 or bonus shall be payable except out of nett profits.

141. 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.

142. 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 investment 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.



143. Any General Meeting may direct payment of any dividend or bonus declared at such meeting or of any interim dividends or bonuses 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 Shareholder 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 or bonus as may seem expedient to the Directors.

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

145. 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.

146. 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.

147. 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.

148. 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.

149. 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.

150. 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.

151. 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.

152. 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 notice may be sent.

153. 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.

154. 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.

155. Any Shareholder who fails to give and register an address in Ceylon as provided in Article No. 151 shall not be entitled to be given any notices.

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

#### ARBITRATION.

157. 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.

158. 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.

159. 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.

160. 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 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 sale shall be 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 affected thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such resolution were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of 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 hereafter written.

H. M. WALDOCK.  
W. R. MAGUIRE.  
W. T. GRESWELL.  
TERRITT H. TATHAM.  
F. H. LAYARD.  
F. F. ROE.  
J. G. MOORE.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, the 14th day of December, 1922 :

E. R. WILLIAMS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

[Second Publication.]

**The Neuchatel Estates, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Lloyd's buildings, No. 7A, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, April 13, 1923, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the year ended December 31, 1922.
2. To declare a final dividend for season 1922.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To consider subscription to charities.
6. To transact such other business as may properly be brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 30 to April 16, 1923, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,  
ATTKEN, SPENCE & Co.,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Syston Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at No. 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, the registered office of the Company, on Saturday, January 20, 1923, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution:—

210 "That the Directors be and they are hereby authorized to exchange with Asweddumekade Arnolis of Alawatugoda the following two allotments of land: (1) Higgollewatta, in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 6' 4 perches, marked A 1 in Plan No. 405, dated April 6, 1917, made by S. Kandesamy, Licensed Surveyor, and filed in partition action No. 24,611 in the District Court of Kandy, and (2) Kadewattehena alias Kadewattegahapitiyahena, in extent 1 acre and 3' 6 perches, marked B1 and B2 in the said plan (the property of the Company) for an allotment of land called Elakapudeniawatta alias Hompolatennewatta, in extent 2 roods and 16 perches more or less, depicted in plan dated November 8, 1881, made by S. W. Spencer (the property of the said Asweddumekade Arnolis) upon such terms and conditions as the Directors shall think fit, and to enter into and execute all such transfers, conveyances, deeds of exchange, and other writings as may be necessary, usual, or incidental to the carrying out of the powers and authorities hereby granted."

By order of the Directors,  
GEORGE STEUART & Co.,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Agents and Secretaries.

*Amended Notice.*

**The Nuwara Eliya Hotels Company, Limited,  
Nuwara Eliya.**

230 NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Nuwara-Eliya Hotel Co., Ltd., will be held at the registered office of the Company, the Grand Hotel, Nuwara Eliya, on January 20, 1923, at noon.

*Business.*

To approve of the sale of the New Keena Hotel to Mr. Rijnhoomal for the sum of Rs. 90,000.  
Proxies duly stamped and signed should reach the office twenty-four hours before the time of the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
C. M. C. DE SILVA,  
January 8, 1923. Secretary.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Property in Mattacooly.**

In the District Court of Colombo,  
No. 2,365 of 1921.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me and the decree entered in the above styled action, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Wednesday, February 14, 1923, at 4 p.m., at the spot:—

All that divided portion of land, with buildings and erections thereon bearing No. 1487 1/2/103, situated at Vuystwyk road, Mattacooly, Colombo, containing in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 39 16/100 perches.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. P. D. A. Mack & Sons.

A. Y. DANIEL,  
of A. Y. DANIEL & SON,  
4, Ballie street, Fort. Auctioneers and Brokers.  
Phone 289.  
Telegrams: "Lions," Colombo.

**Auction Sale.**

Valuable House Property at Dehiwala near by the Railway Station facing Galle Road.

UNDER instructions received and with the authority of the District Court of Colombo in curatorship case No. 1,558, we shall sell by public auction all that house and land called and known as Baga-kawatta, marked A and B, now forming one property, bearing assessment No. 28, situated at Galkissa, Dehiwala, facing the Galle road, in extent 2 roods and 22 62/100 perches, on Wednesday, January 24, 1923, at 4 p.m., at the spot.

Title perfect, transfer will be granted free of all incumbrances.

For deeds apply to A. C. Abeywardena, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo Courts.

JENSEN & Co.,  
Auctioneers and Brokers.  
Phone No. 733.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of House Property in Wellawatta.**

BY virtue of the commission issued to me, No. 4,693 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, February 3, 1923, at 4.30 p.m., at the spot—All that allotment of land called Kelankaduwwatta, bearing lot No. 62 in registration plan No. 2, with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, presently bearing assessment Nos. 930/676 and 731/675, situated at Wellawatta (now Peterson lane, High street,

Wellawatta), Colombo, primarily mortgaged and declared bound and executable under the decree in the said case for the realization of the sum of Rs. 6,000, with interest and costs of suit; in extent 1 acre 2 rood and 38 perches.

Further particulars from Messrs. de Vos & Gratiaen, Proctors for the substituted plaintiff, or from—

No. 83, Dam street.

G. EMANUEL DABERA,  
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Poolookuttige Don Johannis of Werahera.....Plaintiff.

No. 4,378. Vs.

Don Manuelge Alwis Appuhamy of Boralessgomuwa.....Defendant.

UNDER decree entered and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on February 3, 1923, at 4.30 P.M., at the spot, undivided 7/12 shares of all that defined 1/2 part of Etambagahawatta and the owita land, undivided 7/12 parts of the old tiled house thereon with the entirety of the newly built tiled house, situated at Boralessgomuwa, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 2 perches.

54, Belmont street,  
Colombo, January 7, 1923.

H. M. PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Properties, inclusive of a Fibre Mill, at Kimbulapitiya and Walpola in Negombo District, and Kudahakapola in Ragam Pattu of Colombo District.

C. Negombo, Case No. 15,437.

Seena Ana Roona Sidambaram Chetty by his attorney Vena Suppiah Palle of Negombo.....Plaintiff.

Vs.

Pattage Harmanis Fernando of Kimbulapitiya...Defendant.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 11,458.12½, with interest on Rs. 9,450 at 15 per centum per annum from June 23, 1922, up to date of decree and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full and costs of suit, less a sum of Rs. 3,000 paid by defendant, due in respect of bond No. 36,089 dated July 23, 1920, attested by N. J. C. Wijeyasekara, Notary Public, I shall sell the under-mentioned property, mortgaged by the said bond as a primary mortgage, by public auction, at the respective spots, on the dates and the time hereinafter mentioned, viz. :—

On Saturday, February 3, 1923, commencing at 3 P.M.

1. The land called Nugagahawatta or Mendoragahawatta, situated at Kimbulapitiya in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale in Negombo District, Western Province; is bounded on the north by field of Pattage Marthelis Fernando Jayawardena and high lands of others, east by land of Kehelbaddarage Carolis Fernando, and south and west by water-course; in extent 3 acres, or 3 acres 1 rood and 36 perches; of the soil and all the plantations of this land, an undivided 1/2 share, and the entirety of the tiled house on the said land.

2. The land of two contiguous lots, to wit : Siyambalagahakumbura or Siyambalagahawatta and Kosgahawatta, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; is bounded on the north by oya, east by water-course and limit dam of field of Kehelbaddarage Sebastian Fernando, south by field of Pattage Manuel Fernando, and west by field of Geekianage Gabriel Fernando and high land of others; in extent about 7 acres, or 4 acres 1 rood and 9 perches; from this land, excluding only the tiled house, the undivided 1/2 share of the soil and all the plantations thereof, and of all other buildings thereon, and of the coir mill thereon, and of machines and other instruments thereon, and of working tools thereon, and of things connected therewith in every way, of all accessories thereof.

3. The Siyambalagahakumbura, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; is bounded on the north by water-course,

east by limit dam of field of Pattage Siman Fernando Jayawardena, south by ela, and west by limit dam of field of Haramanis Appu and others; in extent about 7 parrans of paddy sowing ground; of this field and of all appurtenances thereof, the undivided 1/2 share.

4. The land called Dambugahawatta, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; is bounded on the north by lands of heirs of late Thomis Fernando and others, east by lands of Kurugamage Ponnatchi Fernando and others, south by lands of Pattage Abraham Fernando, and west by land of Geekianage Martinu Fernando; in extent about 6 acres; of all the plantations and of the buildings of this high and low land, the undivided 1/2 share of the undivided 1/2 share.

5. The Bakmigahakumburagodella, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; is bounded on the north by the high road, east, south, and west by Bakmigahakumbura; in extent about 1 rood; of the soil and all the plantations of this land and of the buildings thereon, the undivided 1/2 share.

6. The land called Paragahawatta, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; is bounded on the north by land of Barony Fernando, east by land of Geekianage Barony, south by land of Ratnasaratissa Terunnanse, and west by land of Daniel Appu and others; in extent 8 acres and 5 7/8 perches; the soil and all the plantations and buildings of this land.

On Monday, February 5, 1923, at 10.30 A.M.

7. The Mahayawatta, situated at Walpola in Dasiya pattu of the Alutkuru korale in Negombo District aforesaid; is bounded on the north and east by the Mahayawatta in the name of Hendrick Arachchirala, south by the land of Leihamy and others, and west by land of Pattage Manuel Fernando and others; in extent about 11 acres; of the soil and all the plantations and buildings of this land, the undivided 1/2 share of the undivided 1/2 share.

At 11 A.M.

8. The Dambugahawatta, situated at Walpola aforesaid; is bounded on the north by lands of Geekianage Martinu Fernando and others, east by land of Pattage Abraham Fernando and others, south by land of Abraham Fernando and others, and west by land of Geekianage Martinu Fernando; in extent about 5 acres; of the soil and all the plantations and all the buildings of this land, the undivided 1/2 share of the undivided 1/2 share.

On the same day at 3 P.M.

9. The land of three contiguous lots called Kumbukgahaowita and Kumbukgahakumbura at Kudahakapola in Ragam pattu of the Alutkuru korale in Colombo District; bounded on the north by lands in plans Nos: 142,752 and 142,754, a road, and Kongahawatta claimed by T. S. Silva, east by land in plan No. 142,754 and the Ekelekurunduwatta claimed by J. de Mel, south-east by Ekelekurunduwatta claimed by J. de Mel and the Gorakgahawatta claimed by P. J. Perera and P. M. Perera, south by Dawatagahawatta claimed by J. A. Perera and J. M. Perera and a road, and west by ela; in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 11 perches.

At 3.30 P.M.

10. The land called Kahagahawatta at Kudahakapola aforesaid; bounded on the north and north-east by land of Kutandige Siman Fernando and others, east by dewata road, south by land of Vellage Jusey Silva and others, and west by field of Hattimuni Davith Silva and others; in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 30 perches, excluding the rail road thereon.

At 4 P.M.

11. All that land formed of several contiguous lots, to wit : Dawatagahawatta, Ambagahawatta, the portion of Telembugahawatta, a portion of Ambagahakumbura at Kudahakapola aforesaid; the entire land is bounded on the north by field of John Silva and others and the lands claimed by Estakki Silva, Francisco Fernando and others, east by ditch of Ekelekurunduwatta, south by lands claimed by Kadupiti Raphiel Silva and Mr. de Mel, but now claimed by Marthelis Silva and others, and west by water-course of Pothuwilakumbura; in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 30 perches; of this land, an undivided 1/2 share.

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

Negombo, January 3, 1923.

S. R. PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

*173/185*  
 UNDER commission issued to me in case No. 5,537, Testamentary, of the D. C. of Galle, I shall sell by public auction at the office of C. L. Wickremasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, of Leyan Baan street, Fort, Galle, on Wednesday, January 17, 1923, at 3.30 P.M., the following jewellery:—1 brilliant marques ring, 1 brilliant hair pin, 1 brilliant ear-ring (pair), 1 pearl necklace, 1 pearl bangles (pair), 1 gold hair pin, 1 gold brooch, 5 buttons, gold.

H. G. POBOLIS DE SILVA,  
 Galle, December 23, 1922. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

*24/185*  
 UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 14,918 of the District Court of Galle, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, February 10, 1923, at 2 P.M., at the spot, two divided portions A and D of the land called Talgahawatta *alias* Petangahawatta, with houses and plantations standing thereon, situated at Patabandimulla, Ambalangoda, in Wellaboda pattu in the District of Galle, Southern Province; lot A of Talgahawatta *alias* Petangahawatta bounded on the north by Dodangahawatta, east by Wellabodawatta, south by lot B of the same land, west by high road; containing in extent 1 rood and 38/87 perches, as shown in plan No. 476 filed in record, Lot D of Talgahawatta *alias* Petangahawatta, bounded on the north by lot C of the same land, east by Wellabodawatta and Dunwatta, south by lot E of the same land, west by high road; containing in extent 1 rood and 16 perches, as shown in plan No. 476 filed in record. Above two allotments of land will be put up for sale first among the co-owners thereof, commencing from the appraised value, and if the co-owners fail to purchase it in advance, I shall immediately put up for sale among the public.

For further particulars please apply to me, or Geo. Ranasuriya, Esq., Proctor, Galle.

S. WARUSEVITANE,  
 Hikkaduwa, December 29, 1922. Commissioner.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Matara.

Arnold's Peeris Samarasinha Wickremaratne of Nupe ..... Plaintiff.

No. 99. Vs.

Don Andreas Abegoonewardena Rajapaksa of Pitadeniya ..... Defendant.

*1320/185*  
 BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case to recover the amount due under the decree in this case, I will sell by public auction on January 20, 1923, at 3 P.M., at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

1. The soil and all the trees of the land called Gederawatta *alias* Bogahawatta, in extent about 6 acres, situate at Pitadeniya in Wellaboda pattu, Matara District; and bounded on the north by Panukosgahawatta, east by Walapaladeniya, south by Kongahawatta, and west by Dehigahahena.

2. The undivided 1/2 part of all the trees and of soil of Siyambalagahadeniya, in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 29 perches, situate at ditto; and bounded on the north by Siyambalagahadenia, east by Kongahawatta, south by Horalugekumbura, and west by Bogahawatta.

D. T. WEERESINGHE,  
 Matara, December 18, 1922. Commissioner.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

*230/4*  
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 UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 9,062, D. C., Kurunegala, against Rajapaksa Mudiyanse Jayasena of Halpandeniya and another, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, February 3, 1923, commencing at 1 P.M., the following property declared bound and executable under the said decree:—

1. Madawalakumbura of 5 kurunies paddy sowing extent and Diulgahamulahena appertaining thereto of 3 kurunies kurakkan sowing extent, save and except, however, the said Diulgahamulahena.

2. Wadurawayagewattehena of about 10 nellies kurakkan sowing extent, both situate at Morugama in Udupola Otota korale.

3. An undivided 1/4 share of the land called Galabodagamawatta comprising of all those contiguous lands called Puhuriyagodahena, Puhuriyagodahena, Kanaturuwelehena, Alugollehena, Ritigahamulawatta, Kanaturuwelewatta, and Kanaturuwelewatta, now forming one property, in extent 9 acres and 35 perches, situate at Galbodagama in Udupola Otota korale.

4. Diyaballanwele-assedduma of 12 lahas paddy sowing extent, and its adjoining Kamarangahamulahena of 6 seers kurakkan sowing extent, containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods 21 perches, situate at Midelladeniya in Dambadeni Udukaha korale east.

5. Diyaballanwelakumbura of 5 lahas paddy sowing extent, situate at Morugama aforesaid, all in Dambadeni hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala.

Further particulars from Messrs. F. N. & E. Daniels, Proctors and Notaries, Kurunegala, or—

S. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,  
 Kurunegala, January 5, 1923. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

*25*  
 UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 9,010, D. C., Kurunegala, against Rajapaksa Mudiyanse Jayasena of Halpandeniya, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, February 3, 1923, commencing at 1 P.M., the following property declared bound and executable under the said decree:—

1. Madawalakumbura of 5 kurunies paddy sowing extent and Diulgahamulahena appertaining thereto of 3 kurunies kurakkan sowing extent, save and except, however, the said Diulgahamulahena.

2. Wadurawayagewattehena of about 10 nellies kurakkan sowing extent, both situate at Morugama, in Udupola Otota korale.

3. An undivided 1/4 share of the land called Galabodagamawatta comprising of all those contiguous lands called Puhuriyagodahena, Puhuriyagodahena, Kanaturuwelehena, Alugollahena, Ritigahamulawatta, Kanaturuwelewatta, and Kanaturuwelewatta, now forming one property, in extent 9 acres and 35 perches, situate at Galbodagama in Udupola Otota korale.

4. Diyaballanweleassedduma of 12 lahas paddy sowing extent and its adjoining Kamarangahamulahena of 6 seers kurakkan sowing extent, containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 21 perches, situate at Midelladeniya in Dambadeni Udukaha korale east.

5. Diyaballanwalakumbura of 5 lahas paddy sowing extent, situate at Morugama aforesaid, all in Dambadeni hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala.

Further particulars from Messrs. F. N. & E. Daniels, Proctors and Notaries, Kurunegala, or—

S. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,  
 Kurunegala, January 5, 1923. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Katupitiye Chandrasekara Wasala Mudiyanse Rajahamillage Pinchi Bandars of Ranawana ..... Plaintiff.

No. 9,040. Vs.

Herat Mudiyanse Dingiri Amma of Morottawa in Mahagalboda Megoda korale ..... Defendant.

*234*  
 UNDER and by virtue of decree entered in the above case and by virtue of order issued to me for the recovery of the amount stated therein, I shall sell by public auction the following property herein below declared bound and executable under the said decree, on Monday, February 5, 1923, commencing at 4 P.M., on the first land herein below:—

1. An undivided 6/8 shares of Hatmpaladagamulawatta of 7 lahas kurakkan sowing extent.

2. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  shares of Ehalagahakumbura of 1 amunam paddy sowing extent.
3. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of Etumalekumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent.
4. Kumbukgahamulakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent, all situate at Mohottawa in Mahagalboda Megoda korale.

Further particulars from me :

Kurunegala, January 8, 1923.

T. B. AMUNUGAMA,  
Auctioneer.

### Auction Sale

UNDER the decree in case No. 936, D. C., Anuradhapura, and by virtue of commission issued to me by the said court to sell, I shall sell by public auction at the spot the property mentioned in the schedule at 1 P.M., on Saturday, February 17, 1923.

### Schedule.

1. All that allotment of land forming the divided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of land lot No. 1286, situated at Malwatu-oya in Anuradhapura town; which divided share is bounded on the north by reservation along the high road, on the east by Malwatu-oya, on the south by land belonging to Ukku Banda Senanayake, and on the west by the field now belonging to Ukku Banda Senanayake, containing in extent 6 acres, together with all the buildings and the plantations standing thereon.
2. All that undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or portion of land lot No. 1287, situated on the road to Mihintale under the low level sluice of Tissawewa in Anuradhapura aforesaid; and bounded on the north by road to Jaffna, on the east by land now belonging to Ukku Banda Senanayake and C. V. Corea, on the south by the land of Kannate, and on the west by Crown land, containing in extent 9 acres 2 roods and 30 perches, together with all the buildings and plantations standing thereon.
3. All that allotment forming the divided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of land lot No. 1,287, situated on the road to Mihintale aforesaid; which said divided share is bounded on the north by road to Jaffna, on the east by land now belonging to Ukku Banda

Senanayake and C. V. Corea, on the south by land of Kannate, and on the west by the divided share of lot 1287, containing in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 33.7 perches, together with all buildings and plantations thereon.

For further particulars apply to Mr. V. Ramasamy, Proctor, and Notary Public, Anuradhapura.

Sittampalam road,  
Anuradhapura, January 9, 1923.

S. N. SITTAMPALAM,  
Auctioneer.

### Church of the Holy Trinity, Colombo.

Annual Election of Trustees, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of Seat-holders of the above Church will be held at the Choir Vestry on Sunday, January 14, 1923, after Matins, to appoint officers for the year 1923.

W. S. SENIOR,  
for Incumbent.

### St. Paul's Church, Kandy.

A MEETING of the Seat-holders of St. Paul's Church, Kandy, will be held on Monday, January 29, 1923, at 5.30 P.M., for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year 1923.

JNO. W. S. ATTYGALLE,  
Hon. Secretary to the Board of Trustees.  
Kandy, January 4, 1923.

### Christ Church, Jaffna.

I HEREBY give notice that, in accordance with the provisions of section 11 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, there will be a Meeting of the Congregation of this church on Sunday, January 28, 1923, at 7 P.M., for the purpose of electing Trustees for this church for the year ending December 31, 1923.

Christ Church Vicarage,  
Jaffna, January 9, 1923.

C. H. VAN DENBERG,  
Incumbent.

### Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Goods Traffic for the Month of October, 1922.

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended	Month ended	Increase in	Decrease in
	October 31, 1921.	October 31, 1922.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Salt .. .. .	*	781	781	—
Kerosine oil .. .. .	500	614	114	—
Rubber .. .. .	3,465	4,867	1,402	—
Rice .. .. .	14,971	15,712	741	—
Tea .. .. .	7,593	5,701	—	1,892
Cacao .. .. .	185	118	—	67
Coconut produce .. .. .	7,783	10,628	2,845	—
Fruit and vegetables .. .. .	1,626	1,464	—	162
Tea and Rubber Packing .. .. .	1,248	1,405	157	—
Plumbago .. .. .	60	184	124	—
Bulk petroleum .. .. .	652	622	—	30
Liquid Fuel .. .. .	1,009	1,001	—	8
Manure .. .. .	5,248	7,865	2,617	—
Other goods .. .. .	27,654	25,370	—	2,284
Railway material (open line) .. .. .	10,100	8,925	—	1,175
Railway material (extensions) .. .. .	256	577	321	—
Breakwater material .. .. .	1,727	—	—	1,727
Foreign traffic .. .. .	2,692	4,301	1,609	—
Special traffic (other Government Departments) .. .. .	—	3,662	3,662	—
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>86,769</b>	<b>93,797</b>	<b>14,373</b>	<b>7,345</b>

\* Tonnage in October, 1921, shown under "Other Goods."

Colombo, December 21, 1922.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages which have been lying at Indian Goods Shed, Maradana, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, February 6, 1923, at 1 P.M. unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, February 9, 1923 :—

Waybill No. and Date.	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
1/18 of May 16, 1922	.. E. K. Ram & Co.	.. 1 case spoons
28/55 of June 19, 1922	.. K. T. F.	.. 1 parcel types
Nil	.. —	.. 1 lot manure sweepings
10 of October 11, 1922	.. V. K. A.	.. 1 case beedies
108 of August 23, 1922	.. Ex ss. Elgin of September 1, 1922	.. 1 case beedies
67/98 of September 19, 1922	.. I. L. H. Usoof	.. 1 case books

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923.

A. N. STRONG,  
for Principal Collector.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages which have been lying at the Baggage Office beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, February 13, 1923, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, February 16, 1923 :—

Date. 1922.	S. R. No.	Name.	Vessel.	Number of Packages and Description.
August 14	.. 3358	.. G. P. Egan	.. ss. Orvieto	.. 1 revolver
August 31	.. 3789	.. Menan	.. ss. Gloucestershire	.. 1 case
September 18	.. 4083	.. Nebster	.. T. M. Train	.. 1 brass pipe
September 27	.. 4391	.. Kneale	.. ss. Lancashire	.. 1 chair

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923.

A. N. STRONG,  
for Principal Collector.

## Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended December 30, 1922.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Galle	.. Karachi	.. 850
Kayts	.. Adirampatam	.. 1,782
Do.	.. Masulipatam	.. 1,700
Jaffna	.. Coconada	.. 2,000
Colombo	.. Calcutta	.. 10,500
Do.	.. Rangoon	.. 102,755
Dc.	.. Tuticorin	.. 25
Do.	.. Dhanushkodi	.. 5,013

(766 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923.

A. N. STRONG,  
for Principal Collector.

## Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended January 6, 1923.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	.. Akyab	.. 10,740
Do.	.. Bombay	.. 105
Do.	.. Calcutta	.. 6,288
Do.	.. Dhanushkodi	.. 6,046
Jaffna	.. Akyab	.. 40
Do.	.. Chittagong	.. 40
Galle	.. Karachi	.. 2,840
Kayts	.. Adirampatam	.. 184

(4,324 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923.

A. N. STRONG,  
for Principal Collector.

## Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. J. B. Radley has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. J. A. Ewing :—

School referred to.

Madampe English Mixed School.

Education Office,  
Colombo, January 5, 1923.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dr. C. N. Hewavitarne has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Mr. N. Hewavitarne :—

School referred to.

Maha Bodhi College, Colombo.

Education Office,  
Colombo, January 5, 1923.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. W. C. Fleming has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Mr. J. C. Jansz :—

School referred to.

Dehiwala Presbyterian Girls' English School.

Education Office,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## Kg/Talduwa Vernacular Boys' School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. Harry de Mel for conversion of his Talduwa Vernacular Boys' School, which is situated in the Three Korales, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, into a mixed school.

Observations will be received not later than February 9, 1923.

Education Office,  
Colombo, January 6, 1923.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## G/Ankokkawala Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ankokkawala Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Galle District of the Southern Province, under the management of Rev. H. S. Sri Sumangala, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.



**The Motor Boat Company, Limited.**

In the matter of The Motor Boat Company, Limited; and in the matter of "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," and Ordinance No. 22 of 1866.

WHEREAS there is reason to believe that The Motor Boat Company, Limited, which was incorporated on March 14, 1922, under the provisions of "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," is not carrying on business or in operation, and is not capable of being formally wound up:

Now know Ye that I, Nicholas Wilfred Morgappah, Acting Registrar of Companies, do, in terms of the provisions of the Ordinance No. 22 of 1866 and section 242 (5) of "The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908," and in pursuance of the notification dated October 4, 1922, in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,287 of October 6, 1922, hereby declare that the name of The Motor Boat Company, Limited, has been struck off the Register of Joint Stock Companies kept in this Office, and the Company is hereby dissolved.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Acting Registrar of Companies.

**Government Training College.****AWARD OF CERTIFICATES, ENGLISH TEACHERS' COURSE, DECEMBER, 1922.**

THE following students completed their course of training in December, 1922, and were classified as follows, each list in order of merit:—

**MEN STUDENTS.***Second Class.*

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|---|--|
| 1. { A. F. de Saa Bandaranaike<br>W. E. Gunawardana | 9. { H. D. Joseph<br>S. Peter              |
| 3. M. Joseph  | 11. { L. A. Joseph<br>H. D. D. Gunawardana |
| 4. C. B. Paulickpulle                               | 13. C. W. F. Perera                        |
| 5. { D. J. G. Ranasinghe<br>S. K. Rasiah            | 14. C. F. C. Jayatilleke                   |
| 7. { J. W. S. R. Senaratne<br>V. de Silva           | 15. { E. O. Fernando<br>J. E. Rogers       |
| 17. J. B. L. Rodrigo                                |  |

*Anglo-Vernacular, Second Class.*

K. P. Perera

**WOMEN STUDENTS.***Second Class.*

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|--|-------------------|
| 1. { S. E. M. Perera<br>T. T. Wijesiri | 6. F. T. Williams |
| 3. { L. M. Buultjens<br>M. W. de Vos   | 7. B. Henley      |
| 5. C. M. Young                         | 8. I. A. Moreira  |
|  | 9. S. Canagasaby  |

H. V. M. Fernando\*

\* Ægrotat.

**INFANT STUDENTS.***Second Class.*

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|---|------------------------|
| 1. E. H. de Kretser                       | 7. K. R. de Silva      |
| 2. { D. L. Greve<br>E. M. de Zilva        | 8. E. B. Juriansz      |
| 4. N. M. Fernando                         | 9. C. Beven            |
| 5. { C. B. de Alwis<br>E. F. C. Gunaratna | 10. A. E. M. Ludovici* |

\* Provisional for one year.

**DOMESTIC SCIENCE STUDENTS.***Second Class.*

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|-------------------|---|
| 1. Linda Orloff   | } 3. { E. G. Van Cuylenburg<br>A. E. Direckze |
| 2. E. C. Belleth  |   |
| 5. F. C. Clarence |   |

**Notification by the Chairman of the Board of Improvement Commissioners, Kandy.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 49 (1) of "The Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915," the Board of Improvement Commissioners, Kandy have by a resolution passed at the meeting of the said Board held on December 15, 1922, adopted a Back Lane Scheme for the proper conservancy of a specific area of the

town of Kandy; bounded on the north by Colombo street on the south by Ward street, on the east by Trincomalee street, and on the west by Castle Hill street.

Particulars of this scheme which is estimated to cost Rs. 15,000, a map of the area comprised therein, and a statement specifying the properties proposed to be acquired thereunder, may be seen at the Office of the Board of Improvement Commissioners in the Town Hall, Kandy, between the hours of 2 P.M. and 4.30 P.M. daily, except on Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays.

Town Hall,  
Kandy, January 9, 1923.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman.

**Notification under Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916.**

BY virtue of powers vested in me under rule 1 of the rules regarding mechanically-propelled vehicles made by the proper authority of every province, district, or town within the Island under the provisions of "The Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916," and appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,104 of May 21, 1920, it is hereby notified that Mr. G. Gilchrist, District Engineer, Vavuniya, has been nominated by me as Examiner of mechanically-propelled vehicles for the Mullaitivu District from January 1, 1923, until further orders.

Mullaitivu Kacheheri,  
January 4, 1923.

J. R. WALTERS,  
Assistant Government Agent.

**School of Tropical Agriculture, Peradeniya Farm School.**

THE two-years' course, 1923-25, will commence in May next. Full particulars and admission forms can be obtained from the Farm School Officer, Peradeniya, to whom applications should be forwarded before the end of February.

F. A. STOCKDALE,  
Director of Agriculture.

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

Declaration under Clause 3 of Regulations dated December 7, 1916, and published in the "Government Gazette" No. 6,839.

WHEREAS Shot-hole Borer (*Xyleborus formicatus*, Eich.) is present on the following plantations, that is to say:—

**Tea Estates.****SOUTHERN PROVINCE.***Galle District.*

Alikahene estate, Elpitiya.  
Florida group, Batapola.  
Walpita estate, Poddala.

Under clause 3 of the regulations published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,839 of December 8, 1916, the said plantations are hereby declared to be infested areas.

Department of Agriculture,  
Peradeniya, January 3, 1923.

F. A. STOCKDALE,  
Director of Agriculture.

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

Declaration under Clause 3 of Regulations dated December 7, 1916, and published in the “Government Gazette” No. 6,839.”

WHEREAS Shot-hole Borer (*Xyleborus formicatus* Eich.) is present on the following plantations, that is to say:—

Tea Estates.

PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

District: Balangoda.

Estate.	Post Town.
Algahawela ..	Balangoda
Alpha ..	do.
Atlanta ..	Belihul-oya R. O.
Bethel Hill ..	Balangoda
Delgahawatta ..	do.
Karawaketiya ..	do.
Kendagastenna ..	do.
Lankabarana ..	do.
Nawalahena ..	do.
New Hopewell ..	do.
Wewawatta ..	do.
St. Joseph ..	do.
Udakande ..	do.

Tea Gardens.

PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

District: Balangoda. Village: Tumbagoda.

Garden.	Extent.		Owner.
	A.	R. P.	
Cooray's garden ..	4	0 0	P. M. Cooray
Hettigearawegodawatta ..	1	0 0	T. E. Perera
Paragaha-arawegodahena ..	3	0 0	D. L. J. Fernando
Paragaha-arawegodatewatta ..	2	0 0	T. Anthony Perera

Village: Kirimetitenna.

Delgahawattahena ..	15	0 0	M. Sivakolundu (lessee)
Etambagahagodella ..	2	0 0	C. P. Mallikaratna
Tenneawatta ..	12	0 0	Punchimerika
Tennehenewatta ..	12	0 0	Corneliahamy

Balangoda Town.

Kahatagahatenna ..	4	0 0	Sellachi
Kottikudella ..	17	0 0	The Town Arachchi and others
Mukunumalai ..	16	0 0	M. Sivakolundu (lessee)
Weliarawegodahena ..	3	2 0	B. S. J. Perera

Village: Seeloogama.

Gilmewatta ..	4	0 0	H. A. John Silva
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Village: Alutnuwara.

Bibilewatta ..	2	0 0	M. Fernando
Meligagodella ..	3	2 0	do.

Village: Amupitiya.

Amupitiyewatta ..	1	0 0	Ranmenika
Kaltota-arawewatta ..	1	2 0	Horatalahamy

Village: Ellearawa.

Gonnagahawatta ..	1	0 0	Kirisandahamy
Tanawatta ..	1	0 0	Rattaranhamy

Under clause 3 of the regulations published in the Government Gazette No. 6,839 of December 8, 1916, the said plantations are hereby declared to be infested areas.

R. ALUWIHARE,

Department of Agriculture, for Director of Agriculture.  
Peradeniya, January 10, 1923.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Watanapaha, in Alutkuru korale north of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infested in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz:—

The area bounded on the north by Dambuwewatta belonging to Mr. Soysa, east by field called Alubogahakumbura, south by land belonging to Ablinu Appuhamy, and west by land belonging to Marthelis Appuhamy.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in garden No. 539, Kirillapone, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infested in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz:—

The area bounded on the north by dewata road to canal, east by dewata road to Polhengoda, south by garden No. 558, and west by canal.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the land called Nugagahawatta at Galkissa, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infested in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz:—

The area bounded on the north by land belonging to Mr. Kelaart and others, east by land belonging to M. S. Fernando and others, south by land belonging to Marthelis Fernando, and west by footpath.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Bendiyamulla, in Siyane korale west of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infested in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz:—

The area bounded on the north by Yakkala road, east by dewata road, south by Miriswatta road, and west by dewata road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Boragodawatta, in Alutkuru korale north of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infested in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz:—

The area bounded on the north by land belonging to C. T. A. Rajapakse, east by land belonging to Pedru Fonseka, south and west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.



**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Galedanda, in Siyane korale west 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 Pamunuwila footpath, east by Galedanda footpath, south by Gonawala footpath, and west by Galedanda cart road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in garden No. 37, Kirillapone, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 garden No. 45, east by dewata road to Balapokuna temple, south by Pamanakada high road, and west by garden No. 28.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in garden No. 255, Welikada, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 Rajagriya high road, west by ela, south by high road to Cotta, and east by fields.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the land called Parangiyawatta at Nawala, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 dewata road leading from high road to Galpotta, east and south by high road, and west by Heenella.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Etul Kotte, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 dewata road to burial ground, east by fields, south by dewata road to Kajuwattamulla, and west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the land called Etambagahawatta at Polwatta, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 Village Committee road, east by Kelekurunduwatta, south and west by fields.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Gangodawila, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 Pengriwatta, east by Udahamulla village boundaries, south by Village Committee road from Gangodawila to Udahamulla, and west by dewata road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Maharagama, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by fields, east and south by dewata road, and west by footpath.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Wellampitiya, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 and east by Kittanpahuwala, south by Public Works Department road to Avissawella, and west by G. James Appuhamy's land.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the land called Alubogahalanda at Navinna, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 dewata, east by high road, south and west by railway line.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the garden Pelengahawatta at Nawala, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 dewata road from high road to Galpotta, east and south by high road, and west by Heen-ela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the garden Hikgahaowita at Gangodawila, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 Gorakagahawatta, east by dewata road, south by road to Mirihana, and west by road to Kesbewa.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Kadawala, in Alutkuru korale north 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 high road, east by tract of fields known as Monaragalagara, south by Kolainkumbura, and west by Kolainkumbura and Kahata-gahawatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the garden called Maduwewatta at Narahenpita, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 Government grass land, east by Samaranayaka's land, south by dewata road, and west by Muduwewatta belonging to G. Dabare.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the land called Kiripellagahawatta at Udahamulla, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:-

The area bounded on the north by fields, east by Baknigahaowita, south by Alubogahawatta, and west by Delgahawatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 8, 1922, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,301 of December 15, 1922, the village known as Pahala Karagahamuna, in Siyane korale west of the Western Province, was proclaimed as an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas hoof disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby notified and declared that it is free from hoof disease and no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Gangodawila, in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division 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 dewata road, east by Mirihana-Dehiwala high road, south by road to Kolu-pathirage people's houses and fields, and west by fields.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Yakkala, in Siyane korale west 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 Hansagriya estate, east by Village Committee road, south by dewata road, and west by Miriswatta road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Balagalla, in Hapitigam 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 Naranapitiya-Balagalla road, east by tract of paddy fields, south by Muguru-gampola-Negombo road, and west by korale boundary.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Kadurugahawatta at Nagoda, 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, east, and south by Aniyakanda estate and west by land belonging to J. P. A. A. Siriwardana, Muhandiram.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Weliveriya east, in Siyane korale west 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 dewata road, east by Biyagama road, south and west by field.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Batagama north, 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 village cart road, east by land belonging to Abilina Tissera, south by Village Committee road, and west by land belonging to Manuel Ramanayaka.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Kandalama, in Hapitigam 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 Pasyala-Giriulla road, east by Walbotale village, south by Crown land called Kandalankanda, and west by Mirigama village.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the estate called Katukenda estate at Petigoda, in Alutkuru korale north 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 Katukenda estate belonging to Mr. Soysa and the high road, east by Katukenda estate belonging to Mr. Ratnasabapathi, south by tract of fields, and west by village boundary of Kehelella and Village Committee road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Batagama south, 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 Welepita-ela, east by Gorakagahawatta, south by land belonging to Joranis Fernando, and west by land belonging to Anthoni Fernando.

This declaration is to take effect from this date:

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Alubogahawatta at Nedimale, in Colombo Mudaliyar's division 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 lands belonging to Podihamy Baas and Juwanis Baas, south by Delgahawatta belonging to W. Martin Fernando and John Vidane's land, east by Ambagahawatta belonging to J. S. P. Abayasekara, and west by Nedimale-Kalubowila road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Randenipallewela, in Hapitigam 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 Bokalagama village boundary, east by land belonging to Livinisa and others, south by footpath, and west by rail road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Gorakagahawatta at Nedurupitiya, 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 land belonging to M. D. Selestian Appu, east by land belonging to K. Girigoris Appu, south by land belonging to Gabriel Silva, and west by field belonging to Nicholas Perera.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Delgahawatta at Batuwatta, 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 land belonging to Dionis Saram, east and west by Delgahawatta, and south by land belonging to Suwaris Saram.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, Colombo, January 3, 1923. K. SOMASUNTHARAM, for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the villages Maduruwita and Lokilangamuwa, in Alutkuru korale north 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 District Road Committee road running across the village Lokilangomuwa, east by the

village boundary of Siyambalapitiya separating Maduruwita and Lokilangomuwa, south by tract of fields at Maduruwita, and west by village boundary of Kotugoda separating Lokilangomuwa.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Yakkala, in Siyane korale west of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by fields, east by fields, south by Henpitamulla village, and west by Kandy road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the villages of Badalgama and Akurangaha, in Alutkuru korale north 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 Maha-oya, east by Badalgama estate and high road, south by tract of fields, and west by Kuda-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 3, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the Niesford estate at Giriulla, in Hapitigam 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 and east by Maha oya, south by Kotadeniyawa-Giriulla road, and west by land called Pansalwatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Halgahawatta at Niwandama, 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 Delgahawatta, east by land belonging to A. Girigoris Appu, south by land belonging to A. Girigoris Appu and Dina Ranasinghe Hamine, and west by cart road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Indigollawatta at Talahena, in Hapitigam 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 and east by Maha-oya, south by Kurunduwatta, and west by Pasyala-Giriulla road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Delgahaowita at Niwandama, 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 land belonging to N. Carlinahami, east by cart road, south by land belonging to Rimanis Perera, and west by land belonging to M. Pioris Appu.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Millagahawatta at Elapitiwela, 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 Hettiyawatta, east by land belonging to G. D. William Ratnasekera, south by cart road, and west by land belonging to M. D. Sai Appu.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Katana east, in Alutkuru korale north 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 Maha-oya, east by dewata path, south by road running to Marthelis Appuhamy's house, and west by District Road Committee road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Withanamulla, in Alutkuru korale north 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 land belonging to Mr. Wandersmac, east by District Road Committee road, south by land belonging to Mr. Wandersmac, and west by field.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Withanamulla, in Alutkuru korale north 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 a portion of Kurundumullewatta, east by land belonging to Mr. Wandersmac, south by cartroad, and west by a portion of Kurundumullewatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Gampaha-Alutgama, in Siyane korale west 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 Morupola village, east by Indigolla estate, south by Henaratgoda-Yakkala road and west by land of Charlis Appuhamy.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Bolagala, in Alutkuru korale north 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 cart road, east by the junction near Bolagala temple, south by field, and west by the junction near the boutique at Otarawadiya.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Makkaniyoda, in Hapitigam 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 Hapitigama village boundary, east by tract of paddy fields, south and west by Kaleliya-Bateliya road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Katane, in Alutkuru korale north 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 high road, east by village boundary of Welihinda, south by village boundary of Heeralagedera, and west by cart road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 6, 1922, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,301 of December 15, 1922, the village known as Kaleliya-Udawela, in Hapitigam korale 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 hoof-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby notified and declared that it is free from hoof-and-mouth disease and no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 6, 1922, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,301 of December 15, 1922, the village known as Botale Pahalgama, in Hapitigam korale 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 hoof-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby notified and declared that it is free from hoof-and-mouth disease and no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 24, 1922, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,299 of December 1, 1922, the estate known as Higgolle estate at Utuwanbogahawatta, in Siyane korale west of the Western Province, was proclaimed as an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas hoof-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby notified and declared that it is free from hoof-and-mouth disease and no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Katana west, in Alutkuru korale north 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 Maha-oya, east by Maha-oya and dewata road, south by land belonging to the estate of William Silva and others, and west by land belonging to the estate of S. Juse Silva.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Wewagedera, in Alutkuru korale north 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, east by land belonging to Sabonaide, south by land belonging to Punchisingho Appuhamy and others, and west by field.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Wewagedera, in Alutkuru korale north 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 high road, south by land belonging to Subaseris Appuhamy, east and west by field.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Kongodamulla, in Alutkuru korale north 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 high road running from Negombo to Giriulla, east by dewata road, south by Diganebemma, and west by the dewata road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Yakkala, in Siyane korale west 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 land belonging to Heralis Cooray, east by fields, south by Henaratgoda-Minuwangoda road, and west by Alutgama-Gampaha road

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Dadagamuwa, in Siyane korale west 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 Erumekumbura and Welikumbura, east by land of Juwanis Appu, south by land of Siyadorisa, and west by land of Telenis Appu.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Bulugahawatta at Polpitimukalana, 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 land belonging to Odiris Fernando, west by land belonging to Piyadasa, south

by land belonging to Daniel Fernando, and east by Bollate Village Committee road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Dematahetta, in Hapitigam 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 tract of paddy fields, east by Kandalama village, south by Hakurukumbura village, and west by tract of paddy fields.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Kandalama, in Hapitigam 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 Minioruwa village, east by Pasyala-Giriulla road, south by Mirigama village, and west by Dematahetta village.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in Ududeniya Wasama in Pata Hewaheta in the District of Kandy, in the Central Province: It is hereby declared that the area—boundaries of which are specified below—is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from the date hereof.

Kandy Kachcheri, H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE,  
January 8, 1923. for Government Agent.

*Boundaries referred to.*

North: Dangamuwa and Hindagoda.  
West: Bopitiya.  
South: Nilawela.  
East: Palle Ma-oya.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Mahagastota and Bambrakele within the limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya: It is hereby declared that the area situated within the limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

Proclamation dated January 1, 1923, is hereby cancelled.

This proclamation is to take effect from January 9, 1923.

E. R. SUDBURY,  
for Assistant Government Agent.  
The Kachcheri,  
Nuwara Eliya, January 8, 1923.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Nambadaluwa, in Siyane korale east 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 east by Kandy road, south by Negombo road, north and west by paddy field.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Eluwapitiya, in Siyane korale west 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 fields of Eluwapitiya, east by the fields of Eluwapitiya, south by Negombo-Veyangoda road, and west by the road leading to quarry.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the estate called Kumbaloluwa estate at Kumbaloluwa, in Siyane korale west 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 villages Kaleliya and Weragoda, south by Tanawala and Kumbaloluwa, east by Kaleliya; and west by Kumbaloluwa.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. SOMASUNTHARAM,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. for Government Agent.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 12, 1922, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, page 2,809, Part I., Bisowela village, in Kandupita pattu north of Beligal korale, Kegalla District, 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby declared to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from January 3, 1923.

Kegalla Kachcheri, G. S. WODEMAN,  
January 5, 1923. Assistant Government Agent.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 18, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. 168, 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises,

it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from December 21, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 18, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. 31, situated at Bloemendahl road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from December 21, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 13, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. 90, situated at Reservoir road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from December 22, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 14, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. 34, situated at Ferguson'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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from December 23, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 14, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. —, situated at Harbour Works, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from December 23, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 4, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.



**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in Moragaswewa tulana in Sinhala pattu of the Tamankaduwa District, in the North-Central Province: I, George Frederick Reginald Browning, Government Agent, North-Central Province, do hereby declare, under section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said tulana is an infected area.

*Boundaries.*—The boundaries of the revenue division of Moragaswewa tulana.

January 4, 1923.

G. F. R. BROWNING,  
Government Agent.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 139, situated at Dematagoda, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 4, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 6, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 18, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,302 of December 22, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. 53, situated at 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 5, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 6, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 22, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,303 of January 5, 1923, the premises known as Selva Mahal, Hill 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 4, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

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

This declaration shall take effect from January 3, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 4, situated at Havelock road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 4, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 93, situated at Daniel's road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 2, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 178, situated at Daniel's road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 2, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment Nos. 1 and 2, situated at Kadirana road, Matakuliya, 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 December 24, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, January 9, 1923. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**SALES OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.****Re-sale of Mannar Ferry Toll Rent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, January 16, 1923, at 12 noon, will be put up for sale at the Mannar Kachechi, at the risk of the original purchaser, for the period mentioned below, the under-mentioned toll rent of the Northern Province, the original purchaser of which may have failed to pay on or before that date the instalments for the months of November and December, 1922, or any part thereof that may be due and owing on that date.

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

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

Period from February 1 to September 30, 1923.

*Ferry—Mannar.*

Mannar, January 4, 1923. F. C. GIMSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.



## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Prices of Foodstuffs, &amp;c., in Colombo, on January 10, 1923.

		Wholesale.		Retail.		Wholesale.		Retail.	
		Per	Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.
Paddy, Country	.. Bushel	.. 2	75	.. Measure	.. —	Sugar, Brown	.. —	.. lb.	.. —
Paddy, Imported	.. do.	.. 3	25	.. do.	.. —	Salt ..	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 12
Rice, Country	.. do.	.. —	—	.. do.	.. —	Salt ..	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 6
Rice, Kara	.. do.	.. 5	50	.. do.	.. 0 17	Dried Chillies	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 28
Rice, Kallunda	.. do.	.. 5	25	.. do.	.. 0 16½	Coriander	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 18
Rice, Sulai	.. do.	.. 5	75	.. do.	.. 0 18	Pepper	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 38
Rice, Muttusamba	.. do.	.. 8	25	.. do.	.. 0 26	Garlic ..	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 40
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	.. do.	.. 5	50	.. do.	.. —	Mustard	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 34
Raw Rice (Singapore)	.. do.	.. —	—	.. do.	.. —	Turmeric	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 30
Raw Rice (Batavia)	.. do.	.. —	—	.. do.	.. —	Fenugreek	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 18
Dhall (Tuvarai)	.. —	.. —	—	.. Seer	.. 0 28	Cummin	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 50
Dhall (Mussouri)	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 18	Aniseed	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 40
Green Peas	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 21	Tamarind	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 17
Ulundu	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 20	Jaggery	.. —	.. Bundle	.. 30-36
Gram ..	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 18	Gingelly	.. —	.. Seer	.. 0 35
Wheat Flour	.. —	.. —	—	.. lb.	.. 0 12	Gingelly Oil	.. —	.. Bottle	.. 1 25
American Flour	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 13	Coconut Oil	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 60
Ghee, Cow	.. —	.. —	—	.. Seer	.. 5 0	Kerosine Oil, Daylight	.. —	.. Bottle	.. 0 26
Ghee, Buffalo	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 3 75	Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 24
Milk ..	.. —	.. —	—	.. Bottle	.. 0 40	Bulk oil, Rising Sun	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 19
Potatoes (Indian)	.. —	.. —	—	.. lb.	.. 0 12	Matches, Three Stars	.. —	.. Packet of	.. 12 boxes
Potatoes (Bangalore)	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 11	Matches (Japanese)	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 18
Onions (Bombay)	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 9	Beef ..	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 35
Onions, Red	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 6	Mutton	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 80
Bread ..	.. —	.. —	—	.. 1-lb. loaf	.. 0 18	Pork ..	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 60
Tea ..	.. —	.. —	—	.. lb.	.. 0 75	Chicken	.. —	.. Each	.. 50-75
Coffee ..	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 50	Eggs ..	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 6
Limes ..	.. —	.. —	—	.. Dozen	.. 0 12	Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 30
Coconuts	.. —	.. —	—	.. Each	.. 0 10	messan)	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 90
Sugar, Soft	.. —	.. —	—	.. lb.	.. 0 21	Dry Fish (Maldivo)	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 90
Sugar, Crepe	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 19				
Sugar, Ceylon	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. —				
Sugar Candy	.. —	.. —	—	.. do.	.. 0 27				

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
The Municipal Office, Financial Assistant to the Chairman,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923. Municipal Council.

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

## Bye-election.

NOTICE is hereby given that the election for Division or Ward No. 2 of the Kandy Municipality for the unexpired term of three years ending December 31, 1923, will be held on Saturday, January 27, 1923.

The polling will be at the Town Hall, Kandy.

The poll will open at 9 A.M., and close at 5 P.M. of the same day.

Kandy, January 6, 1923.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

NOTICE.—In the following Lists the numbers in the second column denote the number of the "Ceylon Government Gazette" in which the Trade Mark was advertised:—

## Trade Marks registered during the Month of December, 1922.

Applica- tion No.	Gazette No.	Date of Gazette.	Proprietors.	Class.	Registra- tion No.
2,707	7,284	September 29, 1922	Eandulladin Kundanam Purattu Aboobackor & Bros., carrying on business as "Empire Aerated Water Manufactory."	44	2,707
2,712	7,284	September 29, 1922	Tangana (Ceylon) Products, Limited	40 & 42	2,712
2,723	7,284	September 29, 1922	Daimler-Motoren Gesselschaft	7	2,723
2,685	7,288	October 13, 1922	John Harte Hope & Reginald John Hooton Hope, trading as Hope Hartope & Company	1	2,685
2,728	7,288	October 13, 1922	J. N. Paiva	3	2,728
2,736	7,291	October 20, 1922	Ardath Tobacco Company, Limited	45	2,736

## Subsequent Proprietors registered during the Month of December, 1922.

N.B.—The name in italics is that of the former proprietor.

1,343	6,937	April 12, 1918	Meyer Bridgens & Co., Ltd., of 20/22, Castle street, Cape Town, South Africa, Merchants; <i>Lipton, Limited</i>	42	1,893
1,340	6,941	May 10, 1918	do.	42	1,902

## Trade Marks Action in regard to the renewal of which has been suspended during the Month of December, 1922.

Applica- tion No.	Gazette. No.	Date of Gazette.	Proprietors.	Class.	Registra- tion No.
307	6,292	February 5, 1909	Hermann Heye ..	15	1,043
336	6,303	April 2, 1909	Freudenberg & Company ..	47	1,054
344	6,303	April 2, 1909	do. ..	17	1,058

## Trade Marks renewed during the Month of December, 1922.

315	6,289	January 29, 1909	Winchester Repeating Arms Company ..	19	1,035
316	6,289	January 29, 1909	do. ..	19	1,036
317	6,289	January 29, 1909	do. ..	19	1,037
326	6,298	March 5, 1909	Tarrant & Company ..	42	1,046
343	6,303	April 2, 1909	K. M. Meeran Saibo, trading as K. M. Meeran Saibo & Company ..	42	1,057

## Trade Marks to be removed from the Register for Non-payment of the Renewal Fees.

302	6,283	December 18, 1908	La Societe Anonyme "Le Ferment" ..	3	1,022
303	6,283	December 18, 1908	do. ..	42	1,023

## Trade Marks removed from the Register during the Month of December, 1922, for Non-payment of renewal Fees.

285	6,262	September 25, 1908	Pommery Fils & Cie. ..	43	999
286	6,262	September 25, 1908	do. ..	43	1,000
288	6,262	September 25, 1908	Darley Butler & Co. ..	13 & 15	1,001
284	6,267	October 16, 1908	Pommery Fils & Cie. ..	43	1,008

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Acting Registrar-General.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," the following application for registration of a Trade Mark is advertised:—

- (1) Application No. 2,768.
- (2) Date of Receipt: November 10, 1922.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): HAROLD EDWARD WATSON, 23, White street, Moorefields, London, England; Merchant.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class: Thirteen.

(6) Goods: Lamps made of metal.

(7) Mark:

**RAJAH**

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, January 10, 1923. Acting Registrar-General.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

## Dodangoda Passenger Ferry.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman of the District Road Committee of Galle will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the passenger ferry toll at Dodangoda, in the Galle District, from February 1 to December 31, 1923.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for Dodangoda Toll Rent," will be received at the Galle Kachcheri until 2 P.M. on Monday, January 29, 1923, when they will be opened, and all persons making tender will be required to be present, or to satisfy the Chairman by some duly accredited agents that the tender is *bona fide*. The Chairman reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders, and of selling the rent by public auction on the same day if no satisfactory tender is received.

3. The person whose tender is approved by the Chairman will be required to deposit at once one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash; and furnish approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount, or in cash for one-third of the whole purchase amount, within thirty days of the date of the acceptance of his offer.

4. If security be given in cash, the amount deposited on the day of the sale shall be allowed to count as part of the four months' rent which the purchaser has to deposit as security. If, however, security be given in land, the cash deposit shall be retained as security additional to the landed property mortgaged with the Chairman, and shall be hypothecated with it.

5. He will further be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Counsel for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of the properties tendered by him as security, and for examining and settling the security bond, and the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond.

6. He will be further required to exhibit a red light on both sides of the toll bar visible at a distance of 100 yards.

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

District Road Committee's Office, F. BARTLETT,  
Galle, January 6, 1923. Chairman.

## Mallawapitiya-Rambadagalla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," section 18, that a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at the Kurunegala Resthouse, on Saturday, January 27, 1923, at 11 A.M.

## Business.

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

1. The sections into which the road is to be divided for upkeep and maintenance assessment.
2. The estates which in their opinion, are interested in and will use each section of the road or any part thereof.
3. The acreage of the land belonging to each estate.
4. The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

## Estimate.

Estimate No. D 294 for the maintenance of the road during 1922-23.

December 22, 1922. J. S. PATTERSON,  
Chairman, Local Committee.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

**Commutation Tax, Sanitary Board, Matale District.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the Sanitary Board town of Aluvihare, in Matale District, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 32 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, has resolved that on account of the year 1923, a tax payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all the persons residing within the limits of the said town, who, if this section had not been passed, would have been liable under "The Roads Ordinance, 1861," to the performance of labour for the maintenance of roads or other public means of communication by land or by water.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Rs. 2 on or before March 31, 1923.

Matale Kachcheri,  
January 8, 1923.

C. HARRISON-JONES,  
Chairman.

**Assessment Tax, Local Board, Kegalla.**

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Kegalla, in terms of section 30 of "The Local Boards Ordinance, 1898," as amended by section 2 (2) of Ordinance No. 19 of 1905, has made and assessed for the year 1923 a rate of 5 per cent. on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the Local Board of Kegalla, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section.

Local Board Office,  
Kegalla, January 5, 1923.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Chairman.

**Commutation Tax, Local Board, Kegalla.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Kegalla, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 35 of "The Local Boards Ordinance, 1898," has resolved that, on account of the year

1923, a tax, payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all persons residing within the said Board, who, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed, would have been liable, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour for the maintenance of roads or other public means of communication by land or water.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Rs. 2 on or before March 31, 1923.

Local Board Office,  
Kegalla, January 5, 1923.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Chairman.

**Vehicle and Animal Tax, Local Board, Kegalla.**

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons residing within the limits of the Local Board, Kegalla, that the Board, acting under the provisions of sections 35 and 36 of "The Local Boards Ordinance, 1898," has resolved that an annual tax be imposed for the year 1923 on all carriages, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, bullocks, asses, bicycles, and rickshaws kept or used within the town for which such Board is constituted, and which are not (as respects carts, carriages, bicycles, and rickshaws) referred to in section 29 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, at the rates specified in the schedule hereto annexed:—

	Rs. c.
Carriages, each ..	5 0
Rickshaw ..	2 0
Double bullock cart ..	4 0
Single bullock cart ..	2 50
Horse, pony, or mule ..	2 50
Bullock or ass ..	0 50
Bicycle ..	1 0

Local Board Office,  
Kegalla, January 5, 1923.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Chairman.

**NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."**

THE following specifications have been accepted:—

*No. 1,959 of November 18, 1922.*

*Charles Northway.*

"Improvements in Tapping Knives for Rubber Trees and the like."

*Abstract.*—The applicant describes a form of rubber tapping knife characterized by having a double-ended steel detachable and adjustable blade with a cutting edge at each end—when one edge is blunted, the blade can be reversed and the other edge used.

The claims are:—

1. An improved tapping knife with two cutting edges, essentially as described.
  2. An improved tapping knife with no adjusting screws or nuts, essentially as described.
- One sheet of drawings.

*No. 1,962 of December 14, 1922.*

*Roy Blair Gibson.*

"Improvements in the manufacture of rubber tubes for pneumatic tyres of vehicles and the like."

*Abstract.*—The applicant describes a process for making an inner tube from rolled raw rubber sheet without the addition of any adulterant and without vulcanization. The tube is reinforced on its inner side and near the valve.

The claims are:—

1. In the manufacture of rubber tubes for pneumatic tyres of vehicles and the like, a process comprising rolling fresh coagulated latex into a thin strip, trimming the edges and the ends of the said strip to the desired width and length after it has been dried to the desired degree, folding it and lapping its longitudinal edges and cementing them with fresh latex diluted with petrol, so as to form a flattened tube with open ends and with a longitudinal cemented seam reinforcing the said flattened tube by cementing to it with fresh latex diluted with petrol a strip of woven fabric impregnated with fresh latex, the parallel edges of the said impregnated strip of woven fabric having been previously provided each with a strip of the afore described freshly rolled and dried coagulated rubber latex, cemented to it with fresh latex diluted with petrol, and the said reinforcement covering the afore described longitudinal seam; reinforcing with washers formed from one or more layers of the afore described impregnated woven fabric sandwiched with one or more layers of the afore described thin sheet rubber, cemented together as well as to the inside and outside of the afore described flattened tube, with latex diluted

with petrol, at the place where the valve stem is to be attached, and near one of the open ends of the said flattened tube; and finally joining and lapping the open ends of the flattened tube and the ends of the reinforcement, and cementing them with fresh latex diluted with petrol, so as to form an endless annular tube with the afore described impregnated woven reinforcement at the inner annular circumference of it, and with the afore described washers at the place where the air valve stem is to be attached.

2. In the manufacture of rubber tubes for pneumatic tyres of vehicles and the like, reinforcing the inner annular circumference of the endless rubber tube manufactured directly from rolled coagulated latex as described in claim 1, with a woven fabric, preferably the cotton cloth known as Pepperill Drill or the like, impregnated with fresh latex and cemented to the rubber tube with fresh latex diluted with petrol.

3. In the manufacture of rubber tubes for pneumatic tyres of vehicles and the like, providing the strip of the impregnated woven fabric for reinforcing the inner annular circumference of the endless tube manufactured by the process claimed in claim 1, with a strip of thin raw rubber sheet at each of the parallel edges of that strip and cemented to it with fresh latex diluted with petrol.

4. In the manufacture of rubber tubes for pneumatic tyres of vehicles and the like, reinforcing the part of the tube manufactured by the process described in claim 1 where the air valve stem is attached, with washers of woven fabric, preferably the cotton cloth known as Pepperill Drill or the like, impregnated with fresh latex and sandwiched with thin rubber sheet and cemented to the rubber tube inside it and to the annular reinforcement outside it with fresh latex diluted with petrol.

5. In the manufacture of rubber tubes for pneumatic tyres of vehicles and the like, the endless rubber reinforced tube manufactured by the process described in claim 1 and in accordance with claims 2, 3, and 4.

One sheet of drawings.

W. N. RAE,  
Registrar of Patents.