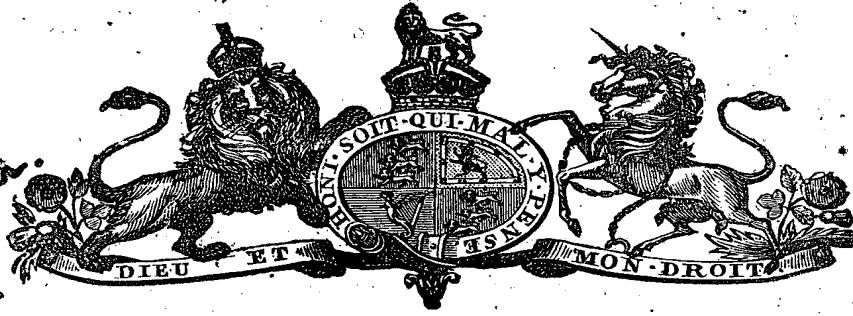


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PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated September 6, 1873, this Island was divided for revenue and administration purposes into seven Provinces including among others the Eastern Province:

And whereas it is expedient to alter and subdivide for revenue and administration purposes the subdivisions of Akkaraipattu, Sammanturai, Eruvil-Porativu, Manmunai South, and Nadu Kadu pattu, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby proclaim and appoint that from and after November 4, 1921, the said subdivisions of Akkaraipattu, Sammanturai, Eruvil-Porativu, Manmunai South, and Nadu Kadu pattu shall be altered and re-defined as set forth in the schedule hereto, the Proclamation dated November 3, 1921, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,223 of November 4, 1921, being revoked.

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

By His Excellency’s command,

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Manmunai South and Eruvil-Porativu, which henceforth shall form one Subdivision.

North.—(1) Batticaloa lake; (2) the southern boundary of the village of Kirankulam from Batticaloa lake to sea.

East.—Sea.

South.—(1) The Kallar causeway; (2) the Batticaloa lake as far as Tampelawatte; (3) the southern boundary of Tampelawatte village and the road from Tampelawatte to Namala-oya as far as Kunchigoda-ela.

West.—Boundary of the Neweragala proposed forest reserve up to Divulana tank; (2) western edge of Divulana tank; (3) cart track from Divulana tank to Talaiadimadu, and thence along the existing boundary of Porativu pattu and Manmunai pattu south as far as the boundary of Manmunai pattu north; (4) the boundary of Manmunai pattu north north-westwards as far as the Batticaloa lake.

Sammanturai Pattu.

North.—The road from Namala-oya to Tampelawatte to the village of Tampelawatte; (2) the southern boundary of Tampelawatte as far as the Batticaloa lake.

East.—The Batticaloa lake and the boundary of Karavaku pattu.

South.—The boundary of Akkaraipattu past the southern extremity of Irakkamam tank to Gal-oya.

West.—(1) Cart track from Kondavattavan to Chadayantalawa; (2) cart track from Chadayantalawa to Kunchigoda-ela.

Akkaraipattu.

North.—The Gala-oya.

East.—The sea.

South.—The boundary of Panama pattu.

West.—(1) Boundary of Uva Province as far as the Pannella-oya; (2) The Pannella-oya; (3) the cart track from Sagamam tank as far as Irakkamam tank and thence the boundary of Sammanturai pattu as far as north as the Gal-oya.

Nadu Kadu Pattu.

North.—The existing boundary between Porativu pattu and Manmunai South.

East.—(1) Cart track from Talaiadimadu to Divulana tank; (2) the western edge of Divulana tank; (3) the boundary of the Neweragala proposed reserve as far as Andella-oya; (4) the cart track from Andella-oya to Chadayantalawa tank; (5) western boundary of Chadayantalawa tank; (6) cart road from Chadayantalawa tank to Kondavattavan; (7) existing boundary of Akkaraipattu and Sammanturai pattu as far as the south-eastern corner of Irakkamam tank; (8) the cart track from Irakkamam tank to Sagamam tank.

South.—The Pannella-oya.

West.—Boundary of Uva Province and the boundary of Bintenna pattu.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 85 of 1922.

WITH reference to the Letters Patent dated September 11, 1920, published by Proclamation dated June 7, 1921, it is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, in pursuance of clause 2 of His Majesty's Instructions dated September 11, 1920, to appoint WILFRID WENTWORTH WOODS, Esq., to be provisionally, subject to disallowance by HIS MAJESTY THE KING, a Member of the Executive Council, vice the Hon. Mr. BERNARD SENIOR, C.M.G., I.S.O., resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 2, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 86 of 1922.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under clauses 4 (II.) and 6 and 9 of "The Ceylon (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1920," to appoint provisionally, subject to confirmation or disallowance by HIS MAJESTY THE KING, Mr. LACHLAN MACRAE, a person holding public office under the Crown in the Island, to be a Nominated Official Member of the Legislative Council of the Island, vice Mr. E. EVANS.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 24, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 87 of 1922.

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

To be a Temporary Extra Aide-de-Camp.

Captain H. L. PERCY, Ceylon Engineers.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 88 of 1922.

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

The Hon. Mr. F. BOWES, C.M.G., to be, in addition to his own duties, Food Controller of the Island, with effect from February 27, 1922.

Mr. H. A. BURDEN to act, in addition to his own duties, in the office of Principal Collector of Customs, Superintendent of Wrecks for the Island, Receiver of Wrecks for the Western Province, and an Examiner under section 3 (2) of Ordinance No. 3 of 1888 for the purpose of issuing certificates of competency as Masters or Mates of coastwise ships registered in the Island; Chairman of the Colombo Port Commission and of the Plague Committee; and to be a Director of the Ceylon

Savings Bank and a Manager of the Association of Public Officers of the Crown in Ceylon for the purposes of Mutual Guarantee, with effect from February 23, 1922, until the resumption of duties by Mr. F. BOWES, C.M.G., or until further orders.

Mr. F. MARSHALL to be Custodian of Enemy Property, Ceylon; Controller, Clearing Office (German) Enemy Debts, Ceylon; and Administrator, Clearing Office (Austrian) Enemy Debts, Ceylon, with effect from February 27, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. S. H. WADIA to be Additional Assistant Controller of Revenue; Additional Custodian of Enemy Property, Ceylon; Additional Controller, Clearing Office (German) Enemy Debts, Ceylon; and Additional Administrator, Clearing Office (Austrian) Enemy Debts, Ceylon, with effect from February 24, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. L. L. HUNTER to be Additional Assistant Government Agent, Colombo, and Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from February 23, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. C. SENARATNE to be Office Assistant to the Assistant Government Agent, Matale, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matale and Dumbara, with effect from February 23, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. R. M. DAVIES to be, in addition to his own duties, Assistant Superintendent of Kegalla Prison, with effect from January 30, 1922, *vice* Mr. MERVYN JOSEPH, resigned.

Mr. V. S. WICKREMANAYAKA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, and Superintendent of the Tangalla Prison, from March 3, 1922, until the assumption of duties by Mr. N. M. BHARUCHA.

Mr. WALDO SANSONI to act as Police Magistrate, Additional District Judge, and Additional Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, from March 1 to 14, 1922, during the absence of Mr. N. J. LUBDINGTON, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadura, for March 2, 1922, during the absence of Mr. V. COOMARASWAMY, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. T. G. SIM to act as a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the District of Badulla, Province of Uva, during the absence of Mr. F. FOWLER, from the Island.

Mr. KARUNADIPATHI WASALA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE KALU BANDA to be an Inquirer, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, for the Chief Headman's division of Matale South, *vice* Mr. L. B. WARAPITIYA, deceased.

Mr. MADDUMA BANDA WETTEWE, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to be an Inquirer for the Wewgam pattu of the Batticaloa District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, March 3, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 89 of 1922.

IT is hereby notified that the Hon. Mr. F. BOWES, C.M.G., having returned from leave, has resumed duties as Principal Collector of Customs, Superintendent of Wrecks for the Island, Receiver of Wrecks for the Western Province, and an Examiner under section 3 (2) of Ordinance No. 3 of 1888 for the purpose of issuing certificates of competency as Masters or Mates of coastwise ships registered in this Island; Chairman of

the Colombo Port Commission and of the Plague Committee; and to be a Director of the Ceylon Savings Bank and a Manager of the Association of Public Officers of the Crown in Ceylon for the purposes of Mutual Guarantee, with effect from February 27, 1922.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, March 3, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 90 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 103 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, to nominate Mr. F. G. MORLEY to act as Auditor of the accounts of the Municipalities of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle, with effect from March 1, 1922, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 24, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 91 of 1922.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, on instructions received from the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Monsieur P. STAAL as Consul-General of the Netherlands at Calcutta, with jurisdiction in Ceylon.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, March 2, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 92 of 1922.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Messrs. N. W. BENTLEY BUCKLE and F. B. CARTER, having returned to the Island, have resumed duties as Justices of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, March 1, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 93 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Unofficial Visitors to the hospitals noted against their names:—

Mr. F. FOWLER, Lunugala Hospital.
Mr. A. W. BISSETT, Passara Hospital.
Mr. H. J. D. STOKES, Buttala and Moneragala Hospitals.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 25, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 94 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Inquirers, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, for the divisions noted against their names:—

Mr. Dunstan Edwin Wijesekera, Colombo Mudaliyar's Division.
Mr. Louis Arthur Dasanayaka, Hapitigam korale.
Mr. George William de Fonseka, Salpiti korale.
Mr. Timothy Fonseka Abeykoon, Alutkuru korale south.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 28, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 95 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. RICHARD JACOB RUPESINGHE, at present practising as a Notary Public at Biyanwila in Colombo District, to be a Notary Public throughout Wellaboda pattu of Galle District, with residence and office at Weragoda, and an additional office at Ambalanga, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 22, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 96 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. LEKAMWASAN JOBANIMUS SIRIWARDANA, at present practising as a Notary Public at Weragoda in Galle District, to be a Notary Public throughout Hambantota District, with residence and office at Beliatta, and an additional office at Nakulugamuwa, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 22, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 97 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GAMLATH GANEGODA APPUHAMILLAGE DON WILLIAM SAMARASUNDARA SENEVIRATNE, at present practising as a Notary Public at Beliatta in Hambantota District, to be a Notary Public throughout Adikari pattu of Siyane korale of Colombo District, with residence and office at Biyanwila, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 22, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

No. 98 of 1922.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation from the office of Notary Public tendered by Mr. K. C. L. P. EKANAYAKA, who was practising throughout Adikari pattu in Siyane korale of the Colombo District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, March 2, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

JOHN ARCHIBALD MULHALL as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from February 21, 1922, *vice* KANDIAH SOMASUNTHARAM, transferred.

JOHN COYDEEN ANGHIE as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, with effect from February 20, 1922, *vice* EDWARD WILLIAM PERERA JAYASURIYA, transferred. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary, Kandy.

ROBERT WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKA provisionally as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, with effect from March 1, 1922, *vice* D. H. DE S. SIRIWARDANA, retired. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Bengamuwa.

K. C. BRITHU to be Additional Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Lunugala town division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from March 1, 1922, *vice* L. F. FERNANDO, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Lunugala.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 23, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

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

VAYITTIYANATAR MARUTAIYINAR as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Analaitivu division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

VELAYUTAR KUMARASAMY as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

SANGARAPPILLAI TILLAINATAR as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttur division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

PONNAMPALAM TAMPU as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Punakary division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, GRAEME THOMSON,
Colombo, February 27, 1922. Colonial Secretary.

THE following appointments made under section 2 of Ordinance No. 22 of 1921 are hereby notified:—

C. SARAVANAMUTTU to act as Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for two days from February 24, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, J. S. DE S. JAYAWARDENA, on other duty.

C. SARAVANAMUTTU to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for eight days from February 27, 1922.

S. VRASPILLAI to act as Registrar of Lands, Mannar, for thirty days from March 1, 1922.

D. M. P. WEERARATNE to act as Registrar of Lands, Chilaw; for February 6, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. PEIRIS, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office, G. F. FORREST,
Colombo, February 27, 1922. 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, Colombo District, has appointed Dr. D. P. KETULGODA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Colombo Municipality, No. 3 division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on February 22, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. A. C. FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at 229, Dematagoda road, Maradana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed ABEYASINGHE KALUARATCHIGE DHARMA GUNAWARDANA act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godakaha palata division, and of Marriages (General) of

Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from February 14, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, RANASINGHE ARATCHIGE DON THOMAS RANASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Kahatagahawatta in Welan-gana; and station at Kongahawatta *alias* Delgahawatta in Kelapitimulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON MARTINUS WIJESINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waga division, and of Marriages (General) of Medapattu of Hewagam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for five days from February 27, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ARON PATHMAFERUMA, on leave. His office will be at Bogahawatta in Galagedara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed WEERASURIYA JAYAWARDENA SEMBUKUTTI-PATABENDIGE HENRY FRANCIS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Alutgambadda and Malewanbadda division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for six days from February 23, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, W. J. B. DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Palliyawatta in Alutgama East.

The Provincial Registrar, Central Province, has appointed WIJEKONMUDIYANSELE UKKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Tumpane No. 1 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for two weeks from February 25, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, CHARLES PARANAGAMA, on leave. His office will be at Bebilipitiya in Walpola.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed PUNCHI BANDA HALANGODA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kohonsiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for two days from February 21, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, M. B. A. NIYAREPOLA, on leave. His office will be at Nikawellewalawwa in Udupihilla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed NANAYAKKARA SIKADUWE PALLIYA SATTAMBIGE ALLIS SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ahangama division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from February 14, 1922, *vice* Registrar, J. A. W. GUNAWARDANA, deceased. His office will be at Galladuwehene-watta *alias* Arachchigewatta in Ahangama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed MARTHENIS WEERASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yatalamatta division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from February 15, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. WEERASEKERE, on leave. His office will be at Gankandewatta in Keppitiyagoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed DON DADIRIS DE SILVA WIJESIRI GUNAWARDENE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bataduwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Four Gravets of Galle and Akmi-mana division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from February 22, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, G. D. W. GUNAWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at Harmanisgewatta *alias* Suriyagahawatta in Bataduwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed ROBERT WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for twenty-three days from February 20, 1922, *vice* Registrar, D. H. DE S. SIRIWARDANA, retired. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Bengamuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed ANDRAYAS DIAS RATNATUNGA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahawatta Lower division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from February 26, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, G. D. RATNATUNGA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed ARYATTURAI PONNUSAMY to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for three days from February 20, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, V. M. MUTTUKUMARU, on leave. His office will be at Hemakuda in Nallur.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna District, has appointed MAYILVAGANAM CHELLATTURAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kaddaiveli division, and of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for two weeks from February 22, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, M. TAMOTARAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Elumpansima in Tunnalai South; station: Koddaiyadi in Karaveddi North.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed VAYITTIYANATAR KANAPATHIPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Delft division, and of Marriages (General) of Delft division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for twenty-five days from March 1, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, P. J. RAJAH, on leave. His office will be at Star of the Sea in Delft.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed LAURENCE KASPARU LAMBERT to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar island No. 3 division, and of Marriages (General) of Mannar island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for fourteen days from March 1, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, S. B. ALPHONSO, on sick leave. His office will be at the Registrarvalavu in Talaimannar.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed MEERANEINA MOHAMMADUKKASIN to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Musaly North division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for nine days from March 2, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, A. M. ASANEYNA, on leave. His office will be at Udayarvalavu in Periyapillaichipotkeni.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed KANDAR KANAPATHIPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Melpattu east division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for three days from February 23, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, P. CHANGARAPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Mamadu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed NAVARATNA TILAKAWASALA PANDITAMUDIYANSE-LAGE PUNCHI BANDA NAVARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Madure korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for two weeks from February 20, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, R. B. BOYAGODA, on sick leave. His office will be at Paragoda.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed DON LEWIS ATAPATTU APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Palle pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Kukuluk korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twenty-one days from February 24, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, N. G. PODIAPPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office at Hingalagoda.

Registrar-General's Office, G. F. FORREST,
Colombo, February 28, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that R. A. MALHAME, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Marapona division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Nawadun korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will, with effect from February 25, 1922, hold his office at Udahinwatta in Marapona, instead of at Udahawatta in Marapona, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 5,699 of June 29, 1900.

Registrar-General's Office, G. F. FORREST,
Colombo, February 25, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the regulations dated June 2, 1903, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to Lieutenant-Colonel L. Bayly of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 25, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the regulations dated June 2, 1903, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to Trooper W. H. Cooke of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles Reserve.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 25, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, as required by the provisions of clause 21 (1) of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Governor that Mr. P. F. A. T. La Brooy, Notary Public of Nuwara Eliya, in the District of Nuwara Eliya, has so conducted himself by repeated breaches of the rules framed under the Notaries Ordinance that he ought not to be any longer entrusted with the performance of the duties of a Notary, His Excellency, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in terms of clause 20 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, cancelled the warrant of the said Notary.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 21, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

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

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. F. Marshall . .	Officer in Class III. of the Ceylon Civil Service	Custodian of Enemy Property, Ceylon; Controller, Clearing Office (German) Enemy Debts, Ceylon; and Administrator, Clearing Office (Austrian) Enemy Debts, Ceylon.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 27, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

CODE FOR ASSISTED ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

THE following amendments to the Code of Regulations for Assisted English Schools, which have been made by the Board of Education, are hereby published for general information, in accordance with section 10 (2) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 20, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

Clause 20.—Insert after 2nd paragraph:—

“The age limit for admission to the special classes will be lowered year by year during the course of three years, from 15 years in 1922 to 14 in 1923 and 13 in 1924.”

Clause 53.—Alter as follows:—

“English schools in which provision is made in the time table for systematic instruction in a vernacular language and literature will be allowed to present pupils above the Lower Division of the Infant Department for vernacular passes in Reading, Writing, and Grammar as prescribed for Standard I. to VIII. of Schedule A of the Code for Assisted Vernacular Schools. No grant will be paid for a pupil in any standard in which he has already earned grant in a vernacular school.”

" THE VEHICLES ORDINANCE, No. 4 OF 1916."

SPECIAL by-laws, for the whole of Ceylon, made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, under section 22 of "The Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916," as amended by "The Vehicles (Amendment) Ordinances, No. 13 of 1920 and No. 29 of 1921," for regulating and controlling the use of mechanically propelled vehicles, and for protecting persons and property from danger or damage from the use of such vehicles, and generally for carrying out the purposes and objects of the said Ordinance, in substitution for all special by-laws previously made and published under the said section of the said Ordinance, save those published for Galle in *Government Gazette* No. 7,233 of December 16, 1921, which are hereby revoked.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 20, 1922.

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

**By-laws to regulate the use of Motor Cars, Motor Lorries,
and Motor Cycles (Section 22 of Ordinance
No. 4 of 1916).**

1. Except when the contrary intention appears in these by-laws—

- (1) The expression "motor car" includes motor lorries and motor cycles.
- (2) The expression "lorry" means a mechanically propelled vehicle principally used for transporting goods laden in or on such vehicle. Provided, however, that the expression "lorry" shall also include any mechanically propelled vehicle more than 3 tons in weight when fully loaded and equipped, whether such mechanically propelled vehicle is used principally for transporting goods or for carrying passengers.
- (3) The expression "tractor" means a mechanically propelled carriage principally used for drawing one or more vehicles used for the conveyance of goods.
- (4) The expression "trailer" means any vehicle used for transporting goods drawn by a tractor.
- (5) The expression "headlight" means any gas or electric lamp constructed to be carried on the front of the car for the purpose of throwing a light on the road.
- (6) The expression "sidelight" means a lamp constructed and placed on either side of a motor car for the purpose of showing the width of the car.
- (7) The expression "motor cycle" includes motor bicycles, motor tricycles, and motor bicycles with side car attached, but shall not include motor vehicles running on three wheels fitted with a permanent body with a seating capacity of two or more, or any motor vehicle running on more than three wheels.

Definitions.

2. For the purpose of these by-laws the Inspector-General of Police shall be the registering authority (hereinafter called "the Registrar") of motor cars for the Island of Ceylon. The business connected with the registration of motor cars, drivers, &c., shall be carried out at the Office of the Superintendent of Police, Colombo (Fort), to which address all communications to the Registrar should be sent. The Superintendent of Police, Colombo, shall have all the powers of the Registrar under these by-laws, except the power of the Registrar under by-law 17.

The Registrar
of Motor Cars.

3. Every motor car used on a public thoroughfare, street, or road shall be registered at the office of the Registrar.

Every motor car
to be registered.

4. The Registrar shall keep a register for the registration of motor cars in the form set out in Schedule I.

Register of
motor cars.

5. The owner of a motor car not already registered in Ceylon, who desires to register such motor car, shall apply to the Registrar, and shall furnish him with the particulars set out in Schedule II. A stamp duty of Rs. 10 in the case of a motor car or motor lorry, and of Rs. 2.50 in the case of a motor cycle, shall be paid before the motor car, lorry, or cycle can be registered.

Application for
the registration
of motor cars.

Provided, however, that no duty shall be payable in the case of motor cars, motor lorries, or motor cycles which are owned by the Crown or the Ceylon Government.

6. (1) The Registrar on receipt of such application and the particulars and stamp duty above referred to shall, if he sees no objection, assign an identification mark to the motor car, and register it by making the required entries in the register of motor cars, and shall on the registration of a motor car forthwith furnish the owner thereof with a copy of the entries in the register of motor cars relating to such motor car.

Registration of
motor cars and
assignment of
identification
marks.

(2) On the application of any manufacturer or dealer in motor cars, on the form prescribed in Schedule XI., and on payment by such manufacturer or dealer of an annual stamp duty of Rs. 10, the Registrar may assign to such manufacturer or dealer a general identification mark, which may be used for any car on trial after completion or on trial by an intending purchaser, and no person shall be liable to a penalty for using an unregistered car

while so using such motor car, if the general identification mark so assigned is fixed upon such motor car in accordance with the provisions set forth in Schedule III.

Dealers to keep record of use of general identification mark.

7. On every occasion when a general identification mark assigned under by-law 6 (2) is used on a motor car, the manufacturer or dealer shall keep, in the form prescribed in Schedule V., a record of the distinguishing number placed on or annexed to the identification mark on that occasion, and of the name and address of the person driving the motor car on that occasion, and that record shall be open to inspection by an officer of police not below the rank of sergeant. If the same general identification mark is used at the same time on more than one motor car, the distinguishing numbers placed thereon or annexed thereto must be different on each motor car.

The Registrar shall keep, in the form prescribed in Schedule IV., a register of every general identification mark assigned by him, which shall contain the following particulars:—

- (a) The name of the manufacturer or dealer to whom the general identification mark is assigned;
- (b) The place of business of the manufacturer or dealer; and
- (c) A description of the general identification mark assigned to him.

Change of ownership and owner leaving the Island.

8. If the ownership of a motor car is changed, notice of the change shall forthwith be given to the Registrar by the old owner, who, until such notice has been given, shall remain liable for any breach of the provisions of these by-laws, for which as owner he would have been liable if the ownership had not been changed. On such notice being received by the Registrar the registration of the motor car shall become void, but if the new owner within seven days applies, on the form prescribed in Schedule XII., to have the registration continued in his name, on payment of a stamp duty of Rs. 5 in the case of a motor car or lorry, or of Re. 1 in the case of a motor cycle, the Registrar may renew the registration in such new owner's name, and shall furnish him with a copy of the altered entries in the register of motor cars.

Any notice may be given, or application or alteration made, under this by-law before the date of the actual change of ownership, so as to take effect from that date.

The registration of a motor car shall become void if, when the ownership thereof is changed, the provisions of this by-law as to notice and application are not complied with, or if the owner of the motor car leaves the Island of Ceylon. In the latter case the registration shall, on his return to the Island, be considered again in force.

If the owner of a motor car or motor cycle leaves the Island, and the care and use of the motor car or motor cycle is temporarily entrusted to another, the owner of the car or motor cycle shall, before leaving the Island, notify the Registrar of the name and address of the person in charge of the motor car or motor cycle in the form prescribed in Schedule II. (a), and the Registrar shall temporarily register the car or motor cycle in the name of such other person.

Change in description of car or postal address of owner to be reported.

9. If any circumstances other than a change of ownership dealt with in the preceding by-law occur in relation to any motor car or the postal address of the usual residence of the owner which effect the accuracy of any particulars entered as respects that motor car or the postal address of the owner in the register of motor cars, the owner of the motor car shall forthwith inform the Registrar, and on receipt of such information the Registrar shall forthwith cause the entries respecting that motor car or the postal address of the owner in the register of motor cars to be amended accordingly, and shall furnish the owner with a copy of the entries as so amended. No stamp duty shall be charged by the Registrar in respect of any amendment of entries or transmission of a copy of such entries under this by-law.

(1) Every person who owns a motor car shall, when called upon by the Registrar furnish him forthwith with such information as may be required affecting the accuracy of any particulars entered in respect of that motor car in the register of motor cars.

Destruction or removal from the Island of motor cars.

10. If the Registrar is satisfied that a motor car which has been registered is destroyed, broken up, or permanently removed from the Island of Ceylon, or if the owner of a registered motor car by application in writing requests the Registrar to cancel the registration thereof (except where, in the case of a change of ownership, there is an application to continue the existing registration), he shall cause the entries in the register of motor cars with respect to the motor car to be cancelled, and may, if he thinks fit, assign the identification mark of the motor car to any other motor car whether belonging to the same or any other owner.

11. The identification marks referred to in by-law 6, subsections (1) and (2), shall conform as to lettering, numbering, and otherwise with the provisions set forth in Schedule III., and shall be illuminated and fixed on the motor car in accordance with the provisions set forth in that schedule.

Identification marks to be fixed to motor car.

12. No person shall drive a motor car unless he is in possession of a license, or unless he is under examination for issue of license, or under the immediate instruction of and accompanied by a duly licensed driver for the purpose of qualifying for examination for issue of a license.

Driver to obtain a license.

A license shall remain in force for twelve calendar months from January 1 in each year, but shall be renewable, and the same provisions shall apply with respect to the renewal of the license as apply with respect to the grant of a license.

Duration of license.

Any person under the age of seventeen shall be disqualified from obtaining license.

13. A person who desires to obtain the grant or renewal of a license to drive a motor car, or of a license limited to driving motor cycles under these by-laws, shall apply to the Registrar, and furnish him with particulars set forth in Form A or Form B of Schedule VI. of these by-laws, as the case requires.

Grant or renewal of license.

A stamp duty of Rs. 5 in the case of an application for a license to drive a motor car, or Rs. 2.50 in the case of an application for a license limited to driving a motor cycle, shall be paid to the Registrar before the applicant is entitled to receive the license or renewal.

Applications for the grant or renewal of a license shall be received and dealt with at any time within one month before the date on which the grant or renewal of the license is to take effect, provided that applications for the renewal of licenses issued under the previous regulations shall be made within one month after the date on which these by-laws became law.

The Registrar on receipt of such application and the particulars and stamp duty above referred to may, if he sees no objection, grant a license to the applicant in the form set out for the purpose in Schedule VII. of these by-laws, or in a form to the like effect.

Before granting a new license the Registrar shall demand that the applicant shall satisfy him that he is a fit and competent person to drive a motor car or motor cycle, and may impose any test which he thinks fit for the purpose.

14. The Registrar shall establish and keep a register of licenses in the form set out in Schedule VIII. of these by-laws, or in a form to the like effect.

15. A person in possession of a license to drive or ride a motor vehicle shall carry such license when driving or riding a motor vehicle.

License to drive to be carried on the motor vehicle.

16. If a person to whom a license has been granted satisfies the Registrar that his license or the renewal of it has been lost or defaced, the Registrar shall, on payment of a stamp duty of Re. 1 affixed to the form prescribed in Schedule XIII., issue to him a duplicate license or renewal (including, in the case of a duplicate license, any particulars endorsed or entered upon the original license under these rules), and the duplicate so issued shall have the same effect as the original license or renewal, as the case may be. The Registrar shall keep a register of all duplicate licenses issued in the form prescribed in Schedule XIII.

Lost or defaced license.

17. The Registrar may in his discretion cancel, suspend, or refuse to renew any license the holder of which has been convicted of a breach of any of the following by-laws, viz., sections 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32, or on conviction under section 11 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1865, section 60 (2) of Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, or under sections Nos. 272, 276, 298, 327, 328, 329, and 386 of the Ceylon Penal Code, if the offence is committed in connection with a motor car, upon being satisfied that a continuance or renewal of such license would constitute a danger to the public safety. Every order of cancellation or suspension of license passed by the Registrar shall be appealable to the Governor.

Cancellation, suspension, and endorsement of license.

Any court before which a person is so convicted may call upon the person so convicted to produce his license, and such person shall forthwith produce the same for the conviction to be endorsed on the license. Such court, when the holder is convicted under any of the following by-laws, viz., sections 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32, or is convicted under section 11 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1865, section 60 (2) of Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, or sections Nos. 272, 276, 298, 327, 328, 329, and 386 of the Ceylon Penal Code of an offence committed in connection with a motor car, may suspend such license for such period as it thinks fit, or may cancel such

license and may impound the same, and may declare any such person disqualified from obtaining a license for such further time after the expiration of such license as such court thinks fit, and shall forward a copy of such order of suspension, cancellation, or disqualification, together with any license impounded under this by-law, to the Registrar.

The Registrar shall keep a record of all such orders made in the form prescribed in Schedule IX.

Construction of motor cars.

18. No motor car shall be used on any public thoroughfare unless the conditions hereinafter set forth are satisfied, and if any motor car is so used, the owner and driver of such motor car shall be guilty of an offence under these by-laws :—

Size of motor car.

(1) The motor car if it exceeds in weight unladen 5 cwt. shall be capable of being so worked that it may travel either forwards or backwards.

Tyres.

(2) The motor car shall not exceed 6 feet 6 inches in width, such width being measured from its extreme projecting points.

Weight of motor car.

(3) The wheels of every motor car shall be fitted with rubber tyres.

Type of horn.

(4) The gross weight of a motor car, other than a motor lorry, when loaded and fully equipped shall not exceed 3 tons, and the maximum load on any axle of a motor car when loaded and fully equipped shall not exceed $1\frac{1}{2}$ tons. Provided that motor cars not complying with the above conditions may be used on special permission being obtained from the Colonial Secretary, or, if their proposed use is within the limits of any Municipality, from the Chairman of the Municipal Council having jurisdiction within such limits.

To turn within a circle of 42 feet in diameter.

(5) The motor car shall carry a horn of a type approved by the Registrar, capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of the approach or position of the car.

Condition of fittings.

(6) Every motor car shall be so constructed as to be capable of being turned within a circle of 42 feet in diameter.

Lighting and construction of lamps.

(7) The motor car and all fittings thereof shall be in such a condition as not to cause, or not to be likely to cause, danger to any person on the motor car or on the thoroughfare, street, or road.

(8) During the period between quarter of an hour after sunset and quarter of an hour before sunrise a motor car shall have attached thereto a lamp or lamps lighted and so constructed and placed as to exhibit light in accordance with the following provisions, namely :—

(a) The lamps shall be so constructed and placed on each side of the motor car as to exhibit a white light visible within a reasonable distance in the direction towards which the motor car is proceeding or is intended to proceed, and a red light in the reverse direction. An additional lamp shall be carried at the back of the car, and shall show a red light in the reverse direction. The lamps shall be placed in such a position as to be free from all obstruction to the light, and nothing shall be carried on any part of the car which will in any way obstruct the light of any of the lamps: Provided further, that in the case of a motor cycle it shall be sufficient if a lamp is so placed as to exhibit a white light in the direction in which the motor cycle is proceeding or intended to proceed. In the case of a motor car it shall not be permissible to have one light in the centre of the front of the car. A motor cycle with side car attachment shall be considered to be a motor car for the purpose of by-law 18 (8) (a).

(b) Every lamp carried by a motor car when in use on a public thoroughfare, street, or road at any time during the period hereinbefore mentioned shall be so constructed, fitted, and attached as to prevent independent movement.

(c) No headlight shall be used within the limits of the Municipality of Colombo, except on the following conditions :—

(i.) In the case of electric headlights, a dim bulb shall be used or the whole of the upper half of the front glass of headlight obscured by an opaque substance, *e.g.*, cartridge paper.

(ii.) In the case of gas headlights, the whole of the lower half of the reflector at the back of the light shall be completely cut off by the interposition, between the light and the reflector, of a shield or some other device or contrivance with a blackened surface.

(d) (i.) No lamp constructed to be used as a headlight shall be used as a sidelight within the Municipal limits of Colombo.

(ii.) In the case of sidelights, either oil lamps shall be used or electric lamps not exceeding 6 candle power.

- (9) Every motor car shall be so constructed as to enable the driver when the motor car is stationary, otherwise than through an enforced stoppage owing to the necessities of traffic, to stop the action of any machinery attached to or forming part of the car as far as may be necessary for the prevention of noise, and the driver shall on every such occasion make prompt and effective use of all such means as in pursuance of this by-law are provided for the prevention of noise as above mentioned. Provided that this shall not apply so as to prevent the examination or working of the machinery attached to or forming part of a motor car where any such operation is rendered necessary by any failure or derangement of the said machinery.
- (10) The motor car shall have two independent brakes in good working order and of such efficiency that the application of either shall cause two of its wheels on the same axle to be so held that the wheels shall be effectually prevented from revolving, or shall have the same effect in stopping the motor car as if such wheels were so held. Provided that in the case of a motor car having less than four wheels, this condition shall apply as if, instead of two wheels on the same axle, one wheel were therein referred to.
- (11) Smoke or visible vapour shall not be emitted in such quantity as to be a nuisance or cause annoyance or damage to the public.
- (12) A motor car used as a motor omnibus for carrying passengers shall be provided with a looking glass so that the driver can see vehicles coming behind him.
- (13) In every motor car used as a motor omnibus for carrying passengers the driver's seat shall be divided off from that of a person sitting beside the driver by an arm or division.
- (14) No cut-out shall be used on any motor car within the limits of any town.
19. In addition to the conditions attached to by-law 18, the following conditions shall apply to the use of lorries:—
- (1) A lorry shall be used only on such roads as the Governor, by notification in the *Government Gazette*, shall declare are suitable for use by lorries.
- (2) The extreme width of the lorry shall not exceed 6 feet 6 inches.
 "Provided further, that His Excellency the Governor may issue a license authorizing the use of a lorry of larger dimensions on any road, and subject to such conditions as His Excellency may prescribe."
- (3) A lorry shall be painted with the weight unladen in one or more straight lines in some conspicuous part of the right or off side of the lorry and the speed limit on the left or near side of body of the lorry. The print shall be in large legible letters in white upon black or black upon white, not less than 1 inch in height.
- (4) The load on any one axle shall not exceed 4 tons.
- (5) The weight of the lorry and load shall not exceed 6 tons.
- (6) No lorry shall be driven at a speed exceeding 8 miles an hour.
- (7) The diameter of the wheels measured over the tyres shall not be less than 32 inches.
- (8) Every lorry shall be so constructed as to be capable of being turned entirely within a circle of 45 feet in diameter.
- (9) A lorry shall not be used without a silencer.
- (10) Every lorry shall be provided with a looking glass so that the driver can see vehicles coming behind him.
- (11) No mechanically propelled vehicle principally used for transporting goods shall be converted into a mechanically propelled vehicle principally used for carrying passengers without the sanction of the registering authority.
20. Where the Governor in declaring any road to be suitable for use by lorries has prescribed with regard to such road any modification of the conditions in the two preceding by-laws, lorries may be used thereon subject to such modified conditions.
21. The use of tractors and trailers on any road in Ceylon is prohibited, except in such cases as the Governor has given, or may hereafter give, special permission for the purpose, and in such case the conditions, subject to which the use of tractors and trailers is allowed, shall be published in the *Government Gazette*.
22. (1) By-laws 19, 20, and 21 shall not be applicable within the Municipal limits of Colombo or Kandy. Within any such Municipal limits a motor lorry not exceeding 6 feet 6 inches in width (measured between its extreme projecting points) may be driven, subject, however, to the by-laws in force within such Municipal limits. Provided that His Excellency the Governor may issue special licenses authorizing the use of lorries exceeding

Brakes.

Smoke not to be emitted.

Motor omnibus to carry looking glass.

Driver's seat in motor bus.

Cut-out not to be used.

Use of lorries.

Tractors and trailers.

6 feet 6 inches in width on the following routes situated within the limits of the Colombo Municipality :—

Route 1.—St. John's road, Seabeach road, Kochchikade, Korte-boam street, Skinner's road north, Armour street, Barber street, Wolfendahl.

Route 2.—Wolfendahl, Barber street, Armour street, Skinner's road, Skinner's road south, Railway road, Norris road, Gasworks street.

Route 3.—York street, Main street, Lotus road, Lower Chatham street.

Route 4.—Grandpass, St. Joseph's street, Victoria bridge road, Layard's Broadway, Bloemendahl road.

Route 5.—Parson's road, Kew road, Vauxhall street, Union place, Ward place, North and South Baseline road, Urugodawatta road.

Route 6.—Alexandra place, Torrington place, Buller's road, Kanatta road.

Route 7.—Wolfendahl, Barber street, Armour street, Skinner's road, Panchikawatta, Sutherland road, Darley road.

(2) Every lorry specially licensed shall have painted in some conspicuous part on the right hand (off) side the words "To be used on special routes within Colombo Municipal limits only." The letters shall be in white and one inch in height.

(3) Provided that any lorry used within the Municipal limits of Colombo or Kandy shall be provided with a looking glass so that the driver can see vehicles coming behind him.

Duties of driver.

23. Every person driving or in charge of a motor car when used on any public thoroughfare, street, or road shall comply with the by-laws hereinafter set forth.

Not to drive backwards.

24. He shall not cause the motor car to travel backwards for a greater distance or time than may be requisite for the safety or convenience of the occupants of the car and of passengers and other traffic on the thoroughfare, street, or road.

Not to cause obstruction.

25. He shall not when on the motor car be in such a position that he cannot have control over the same, or that he cannot obtain a full view of the thoroughfare, street, or road and traffic ahead of the motor car, or quit the motor car without having taken due precautions against its being started in his absence, or allow the motor car to stand on such thoroughfare, street, or road so as to cause, or be likely to cause, any unnecessary obstruction thereof.

To drive on near side of road.

26. He shall, when meeting any carriage, horse, or cattle, keep the motor car on the left or near side of the road, and when passing any vehicle, horse, or cattle proceeding in the same direction keep the motor car on the right or off side of the road.

Not to hinder traffic.

27. (1) He shall not negligently or wilfully prevent, hinder, or interrupt the free passage of any person, vehicle, horse, or cattle on any public thoroughfare, street, or road, and shall keep the motor car on the left or near side of the road for the purpose of allowing such passage.

(2) When two motor cars are proceeding in opposite directions and have to pass another vehicle, the motor car which is going in the same direction as the other vehicle shall be required to give way to the other motor car, if the road is not wide enough for three vehicles abreast.

(3) When two motor cars are approaching each other on a narrow thoroughfare, both motor cars shall slow down for the purpose of allowing safe passage.

To sound horn.

28. He shall, whenever necessary, by sounding a horn or other instrument give audible and sufficient warning of the approach or position of the motor car. Within the limits of any town such horn or instrument shall not be used so as to cause unnecessary noise, and no whistle or horn other than a horn sounding a single note shall be used within the limits of any town.

To stop motor car on request.

29. He shall on request of any police officer in uniform or of any person having charge of a horse, or if any such police officer or person shall put up his hand as a signal for that purpose, cause the motor car to stop and to remain stationary so long as may be reasonably necessary.

To stop motor car in case of accident.

30. He shall in the event of any accident occurring to any person, animal, or vehicle owing to the presence of the motor car cause the motor car to stop.

To give name and address.

31. He shall on the request of any police officer in uniform, or on the occurrence of an accident due to the presence of the motor car, truly state his name and address and the name and place of abode or business of the owner, and shall produce his license to drive a motor vehicle.

Rash or negligent driving.

32. A motor car shall not be driven on any public thoroughfare, street, or road recklessly or negligently, or at a speed or in a manner which is likely to endanger human life, or to cause hurt or

injury to any person or animal, or damage to any vehicle or to goods or persons carried therein, or which would be otherwise than reasonable and proper having regard to all the circumstances of the case, including the nature and use of public thoroughfare, street, or road, and to the amount of traffic which is actually on it at the time or which may reasonably be expected to be on it, and if any motor car is so driven the owner and driver shall be guilty of an offence under these by-laws. Provided always that under no circumstances shall a motor car be driven at a greater rate of speed than 15 miles an hour within the limits of any town or village, or at a greater rate of speed than 25 miles an hour on any public thoroughfare, street, or road outside the limits of any town or village. Provided also that the Governor in Executive Council may, by notification in the *Government Gazette*, prescribe any other speed limit for any special area. Provided also that no motor car exceeding when loaded 1½ tons in weight shall proceed over any bridge at a greater speed than a footpace, and no motor car shall attempt to pass any other vehicle in motion on any bridge of a less width than 18 feet. Provided also that a motor car used as a motor omnibus for the conveyance of passengers and goods shall not be driven on any public thoroughfare, street, or road at a greater rate of speed than 15 miles an hour, which rate of speed shall be reduced to 4 miles an hour when crossing timber bridges.

Speed limit 12 miles an hour for the area in the town of Colombo included within the following boundaries :—

The south side of Ward place from Union place to Kynsey road, the east side of Kynsey road, the south and south-east side of Norris Canal road, the north-east side of Kynsey road, and the north-west side of Regent street.

32 A. When a motor car is coming out of a side road or from any private road or place on to a main thoroughfare, the driver of such motor car shall approach the main thoroughfare slowly, and shall give way to vehicles travelling on the main thoroughfare, if necessary pulling up to enable a vehicle on the main thoroughfare to pass.

Motor car entering main thoroughfare from side road to proceed slowly.

32 B. The person in charge of a motor car on a road shall give notice by signal to approaching vehicles of his intention to stop, slow down, turn, or pass. (All signals to be given in ample time to be of use.) The signal to be given shall be as follows :—

Signals to prevent accidents.

- (a) (1) Stop
(2) Slow down
(3) Turn to right } Right arm held out to the right.
- (b) Turn to left.—Left arm held out to the left.
- (c) Pass.—Right arm waved low from rear to front.

32 c. In addition to signalling to other vehicles as prescribed in the foregoing by-law, the person in charge of a motor car will assist the Police on duty at a junction of roads by signalling in which direction he desires to proceed. The signal to be given shall be as follows :—

- (a) Vehicle going straight on.—Arm held straight ahead.
(b) Vehicle turning to right.—Arm held out to the right.
(c) Vehicle turning to left.—Arm held out to the left.

N.B.—These by-laws shall not be in force except within the limits of all Municipalities and Local Board and Sanitary Board towns.

33. The provisions of these by-laws shall apply in the case of a roadway to which the public are granted access in the same manner as they apply in the case of a public thoroughfare, street, or road.

34. Every person convicted of a breach of these by-laws shall be liable on summary conviction, in the case of a first offence, to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50, and an additional fine not exceeding Rs. 5 a day for a continuing offence, and in default of payment to a term of imprisonment, simple or rigorous, not exceeding one month; and in the case of a second or subsequent offence to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100, and an additional fine of Rs. 10 a day for a continuing offence, and in default of payment to a term of imprisonment, simple or rigorous, not exceeding one month, or to a term of imprisonment, rigorous or simple, without the option of a fine, not exceeding three months.

Penalties.

35. In the event of a motor car being used on a public thoroughfare, street, or road when it has not been registered, or when the registration of such car is void, cancelled, or suspended, or when the identification mark is not fixed as required by by-law 11, the owner and the driver shall severally be guilty of an offence under these by-laws.

36. It shall be the duty of the owner and the driver of any motor vehicle to report immediately to the nearest police station any accident involving serious injury to any person.

Accident to be reported to nearest police station.

SCHEDULE I.
(By-law No. 4.)
Register of Motor Cars.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Index Mark and No. of Identification Plates.	Full Name of Owner and Postal Address of his usual Residence.	Full Name and Postal Address of usual Residence of Transferee.	Full Name and Postal Address of usual Residence of subsequent Transferee.	Date of Registration.	If Transferred, Date of Transfer.	Date of subsequent Transfer.	Description or Type of Car, Type and Colour of Body of Car.
9	10				11	12	13
Weight Unladen.	Whether intended for:				The Car is ordinarily used or to be used in the (Province, District, or Town*) of	Date of Cancellation.	Remarks.
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)			
	Private use—Conveyance of Persons.	Private use—Conveyance of Goods.	Conveyance of Passengers for Hire.	Conveyance of Goods for Hire.			

* Strike out whatever is not applicable.

SCHEDULE II.
(By-law No. 5.)

Form of Particulars to be given by Applicant for Registration of a Motor Car.

- (1) Full name of owner: _____
 - (2) Postal address and usual address of owner: _____
 - (3) The vehicle is ordinarily used or to be used in the (Province, District, or Town*) of _____
 - (4) Description or type of car†: _____
 - (5) Type‡ and colour of body of car§: _____
 - (6) Weight unladen||: _____
 - (7) Whether intended for—
 - (a) Private use—Conveyance of persons: _____
 - (b) Private use—Conveyance of goods: _____
 - (c) Conveyance of passengers for hire: _____
 - (d) Conveyance of goods for hire: _____
 - (8) Particulars as to the position on the car in which it is proposed to place the identification marks: _____
- Date of Application: _____

Revenue Stamp of Rs. 10 in the case of a Motor Car or Lorry; (or Rs. 2-50 in the case of a Motor Cycle) to be affixed by Applicant.

Signature of Owner or Person applying on his behalf.

* Strike out whatever is not applicable.

† *E.g.*—A 12 h.p. car or steam lorry or electric brougham or motor cycle, with the addition in each case of the name of the maker, or name by which the type is ordinarily known.

‡ In case of a motor cycle, particulars under this head need not be given.

§ *E.g.*—Tonneau body painted yellow, or dog cart painted black picked out with red, or van body painted blue with the name of the firm upon it.

|| Except in the case of a motor cycle, the entry shall be supported by a certificate signed by the manager of the manufacturing firm or by their agents in Ceylon, or by the manager or agents of the shipping company by which the motor car was imported, stating its weight; or by a certificate from an officer of the Public Works Department, or from a manager of a firm of engineers in Ceylon stating that he has weighed the motor car, and specifying the weight so ascertained.

Note.—If this form, with stamps affixed, is sent by post, it should be sent registered.

SCHEDULE II. (a).

(By-law No. 8.)

Application by Owner leaving the Island.

I, _____ (name), of _____ (address), being the owner of motor _____, Registered Number _____, am leaving the Island on _____ (date), and am placing the motor _____ above referred to in the temporary charge of _____ (name), of _____ (address), who will be responsible for the motor _____ during my absence from the Island. The probable date of my return to the Island is _____ (date).

Signed _____
Owner of Motor _____

I, _____ (name), of _____ (address), hereby declare that I shall have the temporary charge of motor _____, Registered Number _____, during the absence of _____ (name), of _____ (address).

I will hold myself responsible that the Motor By-laws, so far as motor _____, Registered Number _____, is concerned, shall be complied with by me from _____ (date) until the return of _____ (name of owner) to the Island.

(Signed) _____

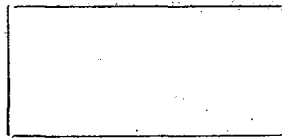
SCHEDULE III.

(By-law No. 6.)

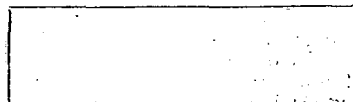
(1) An identification mark assigned under by-law 6 (1) and (2) shall consist of two plates. Provided that designs painted or otherwise shown upon the motor car may, if it is desired, be used instead of plates, and any reference to plates in this schedule or in these by-laws shall be construed to include a reference to such designs, and any reference to the fixing of plates to include a reference to the painting or other delineation of the designs.

(2) Each plate must be rectangular, and must bear upon it such letters and figures as are assigned by the Registrar, such letters and figures being arranged in conformity with the arrangement of letters and figures on one or other of the alternative diagrams:—

Alternative Diagram No. 1.



Alternative Diagram No. 2.



(3) The two plates may at the option of the owner be of either of the two shapes shown in the alternative diagrams, or one of one shape and one of the other.

(4) The ground of the plate must be black, the letters and figures must be white, and must at all times be so kept as to be easily legible. In the case of a car licensed to ply for hire the ground of the plate shall be white and the letters red.

(5) All letters and figures must be $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches high, every part of every letter and figure must be five-eighths of an inch broad, and the total width of the space taken by every letter or figure, except in the case of the figure 1, must be $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches.

(6) The space between adjoining letters and between adjoining figures must be half an inch, and there must be a margin between the nearest part of any letter or figure and the top and bottom of the plate of at least half an inch, and between the nearest part of any letter or figure and the sides of the plate of at least one inch.

(7) In the case of the plates for a motor cycle of a weight unladen not exceeding 3 cwt., each of the dimensions mentioned above may be halved, and the shape of the plate need not be rectangular, so long as the minimum margin between any letter or figure and the top, bottom, and sides of the plate is preserved.

(8) The plates forming the identification mark shall at all times be clearly legible, and shall be fixed one on the front of and the other on the back of the motor car in an upright position, so that every letter or figure on the plate is upright and easily distinguishable—in the case of the plate placed on the front of the motor car from in front of the car, and in the case of the plate placed on the back of the car from behind the car.

Shape.

Colour.

Size.

Position.

In the case of motor cycles of a weight unladen not exceeding 3 cwt., the plate fixed on the front of the cycle may, if it has duplicate faces, be fixed so that from whichever side the cycle is viewed the letters or figures on one or other face of the plate are easily distinguishable, though they may not be distinguishable from the front of the cycle.

Subject to the provisions of this by-law, the plates fixing the identification mark shall be fixed on the motor car in the position indicated in the particulars given in the application for the registration of the motor car or subsequently furnished to the Registrar, or if the Registrar is not satisfied with the position so indicated, in such a position as he may direct, so long as the general provisions of this schedule are complied with.

Nothing shall be carried on any part of the car that will in any way obstruct the view of the numbers on the plates.

(9) When another vehicle is attached to a motor car, either in front or behind, the plate required to be fixed on the front or on the back of the motor car, or a duplicate of such plate, shall be fixed on the front or on the back of the other vehicle attached, as the case requires, in the same manner as the plate is required to be fixed upon the motor car.

Illumination.

(10) Whenever during the period between quarter of an hour after sunset and quarter of an hour before sunrise a motor car is used on any public thoroughfare, street, or road, a lamp shall be kept burning on the motor car so contrived as to illuminate, by means of reflection, transparency, or otherwise, and render easily distinguishable, every letter or figure on the identification plate fixed on the back of the motor car or of any vehicle attached to the back of the motor car, as the case may be.

In the case of a motor cycle of a weight unladen not exceeding 3 cwt., the plate fixed on the front of the cycle may, if desired, be substituted for the plate fixed on the back of the cycle.

(11) A general identification mark assigned under by-law 6 (2) shall be such as the Registrar may direct in each case, provided that—

- (a) It shall as far as possible be similar to those assigned under by-law 6 (1), and on every occasion on which it is used on a motor car the manufacturer or dealer shall annex thereto a distinguishable number.
- (b) The provisions which relate to the fixing and illumination of identification marks assigned under by-law 6 (1) shall apply to identification marks assigned under by-law 6-(2).

SCHEDULE IV.

(By-law No. 7.)

Register of the General Identification Mark.

The Name of the Manufacturer or Dealer.	The Place of Business of the Manufacturer or Dealer.	The Description of the General Identification Mark.	Remarks.

SCHEDULE V.

(By-law No. 7.)

Record of Motor Vehicles carrying a Dealer's General Identification Mark.

N.B.—On every occasion when a general identification mark is used an entry must be made in this record.

1 General Identification Mark.	2 Distinguishing Mark placed on Vehicle used.	3 Date and Time of Vehicle leaving Garage.	4 Name and Address of Person driving the Vehicle.	5 Date and Time of return of Vehicle to Garage.	6 Remarks.

SCHEDULE VI.
(By-law No. 13.)

Form A.—Particulars to be given by Applicant for
License to drive Motor Vehicles.

- (1) Full name of applicant : _____
- (2) Postal address of residence of applicant : _____
- (3) Whether application is for license to drive a motor car or for license limited to driving motor cycles : _____
- (4) Whether applicant is less than seventeen years of age : _____
- (5) Whether applicant is the holder of a license or has at any time previously been the holder of a license : _____
- (6) Particulars of any license which the applicant holds or which he has previously held : _____
- (7) Particulars of any endorsement on any license which the applicant holds or which he has previously held : _____
- (8) Whether applicant has at any time been convicted for a breach of any of the by-laws regulating the registration, construction, or use of motor cars, lorries, or cycles, and the licensing of the drivers of same, giving particulars of such conviction or convictions : _____
- Date of Application : _____

Signature of Applicant.

Note.—Every applicant for a license to drive a motor car or motor cycle resident in or near Colombo will attend the Office of the Registrar of Motor Cars (Fort) with the car or cycle he intends to drive.

In the case of an applicant resident outside Colombo, he should forward to the Registrar a certificate signed by an approved examiner of drivers stating his competency in driving a motor car or motor cycle.

Order of Registrar.

Signature of Registrar.

Revenue Stamp
of Rs. 5 for
Motor Car
or Lorry
(or Rs. 2.50
in case of Motor
Cycle) to be
affixed by
Applicant.

A List of Examiners of Drivers may be obtained
at any Kachcheri, Police Office, or Police
Station.

Note.—If this form, with stamps affixed, is sent by post, it should be sent registered.

Form B.—Particulars to be given by Applicant for
Renewal of License.

- Province (or District) of : _____
1. Number of the license : _____
2. Full name of applicant : _____
3. Postal address of residence of applicant : _____
4. Whether the applicant has since date of last grant or renewal of license been convicted for a breach of any of the rules regulating the registration, construction, or use of motor cars, lorries, or cycles, and the licensing of drivers of the same, giving particulars of such conviction or convictions : _____
5. Has the applicant since the last issue of his license suffered from any physical disability likely to interfere with his driving capacity : _____
- Date of Application : _____

Signature of Applicant.

Note.—The original license issued must be sent with this application for renewal.

Revenue Stamp
of Rs. 5 for
Motor Car
or Lorry
(or Rs. 2.50
in the case of
Motor Cycle) to
be affixed by
Applicant.

Note.—If this form, with stamps affixed, is sent by post, it should be sent registered.

SCHEDULE IX.

(By-law No. 17.)

Record of Persons whose Licenses have been cancelled,
suspended, or not renewed by order of Court or
the Registrar.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Name.	Residence.	Number of License.	Date of Order.	Offence Committed.	Section of Ordinance or By-law.	Order passed.	By whom Order made.

SCHEDULE X.

Index Marks.

Western Province.

Colombo District	..	..	A
Kalutara District	..	..	B
Colombo Municipality	..	..	C

Central Province.

Kandy District	..	..	D
Matale District	..	..	E
Nuwara Eliya District	..	..	F
Kandy Municipality	..	..	G

Northern Province.

Jaffna District	..	..	H
Mullaittivu District	..	..	I
Mannar District	..	..	J

Southern Province.

Galle District	..	..	K
Matara District	..	..	L
Hambantota District	..	..	M
Galle Municipality	..	..	N

Eastern Province.

Batticaloa District	..	..	O
Trincomalee District	..	..	P

North-Western Province.

Kurunegala District	..	..	Q
Puttalam District	R
Chilaw District	S

North-Central Province.

Anuradhapura District	T
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Province of Uva.

Badulla District	U
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Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Ratnapura District	V
Kegalla District	W

SCHEDULE XI.

(By-law 6 (2).)

Particulars to be given by Applicant for General
Identification Mark.

1. District of : _____
2. Name of the manufacturer or dealer : _____
3. Place of business of the manufacturer or dealer : _____

Date of Application : _____, 191—

Revenue Stamp
of Rs. 10
to be affixed by
Applicant.

Signature of Applicant.

Order of Registrar : _____

Signature.

General identification mark assigned : _____

Note.—If this form, with stamps affixed, is sent by post it
should be sent registered.

SCHEDULE XII.

(By-law No. 8.)

Form of Particulars to be given by Applicant to have the Registration of a Transferred Motor Car continued.

1. Index mark and No. of identification plates of the motor car : _____
2. Name of transferor : _____
3. Date of transfer : _____, 191—.
4. Full name of transferee : _____
5. Postal address of residence of transferee : _____
6. Car is ordinarily used or to be used in the (Province, District, or Town*) of _____
7. Description of type of car† : _____
8. Type‡ and colour of body of car§ : _____
9. Whether intended for—
 - (a) Private use—Conveyance of persons : _____
 - (b) Private use—Conveyance of goods : _____
 - (c) Conveyance of passengers for hire : _____
 - (d) Conveyance of goods for hire : _____

Revenue Stamp
of Rs. 5 in the
case of a Motor
Car or Lorry
(or Re. 1 in the
case of a Motor
Cycle)
to be affixed by
Applicant.

Date of Application : _____, 191—.

Signature of Transferee or Person
applying on his behalf.

* Strike out whatever is not applicable.

† *E.g.*—A 12 h.p. car or steam lorry or electric brougham or motor cycle, with addition in each case of the name of the maker, or name by which the type is ordinarily known.

‡ In case of a motor cycle, particulars under this head need not be given.

§ *E.g.*—Tonneau body painted yellow; or dog cart painted black picked out with red; or van body painted blue with the name of the firm upon it.

Note.—If this form, with stamps affixed, is sent by post, it should be sent registered.

SCHEDULE XIII.

Form A.

(By-law No. 16.)

Particulars to be given by Applicant for Issue of Duplicate Driving License.

1. Province or district of : _____
2. Full name of applicant : _____
3. Postal address of residence of applicant : _____
4. Number of the original license : _____
5. When and under what circumstances the original license was lost : _____
6. Whether applicant has since date of last grant or renewal of license been convicted for a breach of any of the rules regulating the registration, construction, or use of motor cars, lorries, or cycles, and the licensing of drivers of the same, giving particulars of such conviction or convictions : _____

Date of Application : _____, 191—.

Revenue Stamp
of Re. 1.
to be affixed by
Applicant.

Order of Registrar : _____

Signature of Applicant.

Signature.

Note.—If this form, with stamps affixed, is sent by post, it should be sent registered.

Form B.

(By-law No. 16.)

Register of Issue of Duplicate Licenses for Driving Mechanically propelled Vehicles.

1. No. of the original license : _____
2. No. of the duplicate license : _____
3. Date of issue of duplicate license : _____
4. Name : _____
5. Postal address and residence : _____
6. Particulars of any endorsement on the license : _____

"THE POISONS ORDINANCE, 1901."

THE following list of persons licensed to sell poisons, under Ordinance No. 11 of 1901, for the year 1922 is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 28, 1922.

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

LIST REFERRED TO.

Western Province.

Name.	Residence.
Ahamadu, M. M.	35, Gabo's lane, Pettah, Colombo
Asirvatham, J.	Kandalama, Mirigama
Bastamiar, S. U.	142, 2nd Division, Maradana, Colombo
Messrs. Cargills, Ltd.	York street, Fort, Colombo
Do.	Alexandra place, Colombo
Do.	Galle Face Pharmacy
Do.	Canal Row, Fort, Colombo
Colombo Drug Co., The	11, Rifle street, Slave Island
De Mel, V. S.	The City Dispensary, Pettah, Colombo
De Pinto, G. B.	The I "C" Drug Store, Bambalapitiya
De Silva, J. E.	The City Dispensary, Union place, Slave Island
De Silva, Dr. K. J.	Sylvanhurst, Moratuwa
De Silva, W. P.	201 A, Colpetty
Fernando, F. N.	88, Main street, Koohchikade
Fernando, M. J.	Rawatawatta, Moratuwa
Fernando, S. C.	Bernie Cottage, Wellawatta
Gomesz, G.	The British Pharmacy, Colombo
Gonsal, N. G.	31 & 32, Chatham street, Colombo
Jayasuriya, H. P.	Siyambalagahawatta, Paiyagala North
Madasamy Pillay, R. E.	32, Silversmith lane, Colombo
Meetoo, A. G.	Kurunewatta, Pamunugama
Miller & Co.	York street, Fort, Colombo
Mohamadu Ali, T. S.	4, 2nd Gabo's lane, Pettah
Mutusamy Panditar, Shona	35, Wolfendahl street, Colombo
Perera, H. B.	29, St. Joseph's street, Negombo
Perera, J. H. J.	The Central Medical Stores, Pettah.
Perera, K. W.	Kaduwala
Perera, R. L.	62, Galle road, Colpetty
Pinto, C. X.	1 B, Chatham street, Colombo
Pinto, J. B.	Chatham street, Colombo
Pronk, P. P.	Bogahawatta, Paddawala
Raux, Dr. J. C.	Nugegoda
Wijewardene, M. S. P. S.	Bankshall street, Pettah
Zainudeen, M. L.	11, Gabo's lane, Pettah

Central Province.

Apothecaries' & Co.	Nuwara Eliya
Central Medical Stores	Kandy
Cargills, Ltd.	Kandy
Dhammaratana Unnanse	Welimada
Grand Oriental Stores	Nuwara Eliya
Jorden & Co., W.	Talawakele
Miller & Co., Ltd.	Kandy
Miller & Co., Ltd.	Nuwara Eliya
Mohammadu, M.	Gampole
Moss, A. Don	Matale
Sabarshal, T. S.	Kandy

Southern Province.

Ephraums, A. R.	22, Middle street, Fort, Galle
Perera, K. C.	Kahabiliyakandawatta, Bentota
Samaraweera, H. W.	492, Main street, Weligama

Northern Province.

Achudan, J. M.	Main street, Jaffna
Cader Mohideen Meera Mohideen	Vannarponnai West
Candiah, M.	Nunavil East
Nallatamby, K.	Vannarponnai East
Ponniah, C.	Vannarponnai East
Ponnusamy, S.	Jaffna town
Sabaratham, S.	Jaffna town

Eastern Province.

Flemmons, Sister Constance	Weslyan Mission Dispensary, Trincomalee
Meeralevvai Uthumalevvai Paragari	Division No. 1, Kattankuddy

North-Western Province.

Name.	Residence.
Fonseka, H. A. . .	.. Kurunegala
Illagasinha, U. B. . .	.. Kurunegala
Koelmeyer, George . . .	.. Wennappuwa
Martinez, V. H. . .	.. Kurunegala
Mohammado Usuppu, M. M. . .	.. Chilaw
Weerasingha, V. M. . .	.. Kurunegala

North-Central Province.

Nil.

Province of Uva.

Miller & Co. . . . .	.. 13, Bandarawela
Walker & Greig . . . . .	.. Store, Badulla
Walker & Greig . . . . .	.. 76, Haputale town

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Carolis, A. H. . . . .	.. Premises No. 13, Cross road, Ratnapura
Gomis, T. H. . . . .	.. House No. 10, on the land called Muttettulanda at Anguruwella, Kegalla District
Oliveux, J. M. . . . .	.. House near Dumuwata ferry at Ratnapura
Salih Marikkar, A. H. M. . . . .	.. 190, Main street, Ratnapura
Tomlinson, J. H. . . . .	.. Hapugastenna estate Dispensary.

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the regulations of December 17, 1920, for gentlemen in the Civil Service will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, May 1, 1922, at 10 A.M., and following days, namely:—

Monday, May 1 . . . . .	.. Sinhalese	Thursday, May 4 . . . . .	.. Law and Accounts
Tuesday, May 2 . . . . .	.. Sinhalese and Law	Friday, May 5 . . . . .	.. Tamil
Wednesday, May 3 . . . . .	.. Law	Saturday, May 6 . . . . .	.. Tamil

If necessary, the examination in Tamil will be extended to Monday, May 8, 1922.

The examination for officers in the Police Department and the Forest Department, and the *viva voce* examination in the native languages for officers in the Public Works Department, the Irrigation Department, the Railway Department, and the Harbour Engineer's Department, will be held at the same time and place.

Candidates are required to send in their names so as to reach this office not later than April 3, 1922.

Gentlemen in the Civil Service should state in their applications whether they are presenting themselves for the first or second examination, and whether they intend taking up Sinhalese or Tamil.

The hours of examination will be from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. and from 1.30 P.M. to 4.30 P.M., exclusive of the *viva voce* examinations, which will be specially arranged for.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 10, 1922.

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

"THE FIREARMS ORDINANCE, NO. 33 OF 1916."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in the 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, 1922:—

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, Karaiyeddi, Vilavaddavan, Magilavaddavan, Naripultotam, Sinnatotam, Kalkudah, Illupadichenai, Kottiapulai, Kandian-ar, Thalankudah, Puthukudyiruppu, Kirankulam, and Unichehai.
4. Karavaku pattu : The whole pattu.
5. Sammanturai pattu : All villages, except Sammanturai.
6. Akkarai pattu : Villages of Akkarai pattu Vanam.
7. Panawa pattu : Hulanuge, Buckmitiyawe, Mirahala, Morana, and Lahugala.
8. Koddidiar pattu : Illakandai, Madapukalai, Malaimuntal, Iiantaiturai, Upporal, and Valaitotam.
9. Kaddukulam West : Adampane, Bakkinakadawa, Panguragaswewa, Kimpulpityawe, and Haragawe.
10. Naduoadu pattu : The whole pattu.

Northern Province.

The Karachohi and Punakari divisions of the Jaffna District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 11, 1922.

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

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned supplies of firewood to the Railway Department and the Nuwara Eliya Depôt, from the Central Division. The work is to commence on April 15, 1922, and to continue till March 31, 1927, each year's operations being completed before March 31. If the contract has been carried out in a satisfactory manner, the contractor will have the option of an extension till March 31, 1932. Details of the work and areas to be exploited are given in the schedule below.

2. A separate tender should be submitted for each service in the schedule.

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

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Firewood Supplies, Central Division, 1922-27" for services A, B, or C, as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue, not later than midday on Tuesday, March 28, 1922.

6. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Nuwara Eliya. 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.

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

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

9. The contractor may not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the list of defaulting contractors authorizing him to carry on this contract.

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

11. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information can be obtained upon application at the office referred to in section 6. 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.

12. Tenderers are required to initial a draft copy of the contract in the office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya, before tendering, and to state in writing that they have inspected the demarcated areas concerned to be felled.

13. A penalty of 25 cents for every cubic yard of firewood not felled or stacked or delivered at the monthly rates specified in the schedule below will be exacted from the contractor.

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

15. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and accepting any portion of a tender for five years' supply or for one year's supply.

16. Separate rates per cubic yard of firewood delivered should be quoted, written both in words and figures, for the different distances of transport in each service from $\frac{1}{4}$ mile

to 2 miles, viz., Service A up to $\frac{1}{4}$ mile transport, Re. 1 per cubic yard; up to $\frac{1}{2}$ mile transport, Re. 1.25 per cubic yard, &c.: the contract being decided on the lowest average tender for all the $\frac{1}{4}$ mile sections, and the contract rate for each year being governed by the measured distance of transport from each felling coupe to the point of delivery.

17. For any further information application should be made to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Central Division, Nuwara Eliya.

SCHEDULE.

Service A.—Section extending from Pattipola, Ambawela, Long Bridges, and 133rd Mile to Conical Hill.

(Reforestation Area.)

(a) To fell all trees, unless otherwise required, standing in demarcated blocks near the centres mentioned above, to a total area of approximately 186 acres annually.

(b) Excepting enumerated trees, all felled trees, together with every other fallen tree whatsoever, to be split and converted into firewood so as to yield 42,000 cubic yards annually (more or less). Each piece of wood to be 3 feet in length and of 2 inches minimum diameter. Billets over 9 inches diameter should be split. All wood over 12 inches in girth to be billeted in 3 feet lengths by hand saw or crosscut saw only. All felling and splitting of logs to be completed by February 15.

(c) All firewood immediately after conversion to be stacked alongside the railway at the minimum rate of 3,600 cubic yards per month. This work to be completed by February 28. Distance of transport up to 2 miles.

(d) Firewood to be delivered to special trains between Pattipola and Nanu-oya as directed at the rate of 3,600 cubic yards per month.

(e) All enumerated trees after felling to be cut into sizes 9 inches longer than standard Public Works Department lengths, and these logs to be removed outside the block to a place to be pointed out by a Forest Officer. Any remaining wood from these enumerated trees to be converted into firewood.

(f) The different felling areas in this service are to be worked simultaneously and not consecutively, unless otherwise required by the Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Service B.—Kandapola Section.

(Reforestation area.)

(a) To fell all trees, unless otherwise required, standing in one demarcated block, in extent approximately 30 acres annually.

(b) Excepting enumerated trees, all felled trees, together with every other fallen trees whatsoever, to be split and converted into firewood so as to yield 16,000 cubic yards annually (more or less). Each piece of wood to be 3 feet in length and of 2 inches minimum diameter. Billets over 9 inches diameter should be split. All wood over 12 inches in girth to be billeted in 3 feet lengths by hand saw or crosscut saw only. All felling and splitting of logs to be completed by February 28.

(c) All firewood to be delivered to Nuwara Eliya Depôt in monthly consignments of not less than 1,200 cubic yards. Distance of transport up to 2 miles in the forest and $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles by cart road.

Special Conditions.

(i) Carts shall, after loading, not leave the new service road, Kandapola, without a removal permit or cart note accompanying each such cart, and issued by the Plantation Overseer, Kandapola. Permits will be issued between the hours of 4.30 and 5.30 p.m., for transport the following

morning, and again between 12 noon and 1 P.M., for transport the same afternoon. No carts are to enter the depôt at Nuwara Eliya after 5 P.M., without written permission from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya.

(ii.) A list of carts employed with their numbers and the names of the carters is to be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya, the Forest Ranger, Nuwara Eliya, and the Plantation Overseer, Kandapola.

(iii.) All wood is to be unloaded by the contractor and stacked by the depôt coolies, measured by the Depôt-keeper, and paid for accordingly. Any difficulty or dispute should be at once reported in writing to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya.

Service C.—Kandapola Section, Uda Pussellawa Railway.

(Reforestation Area.)

(a) To fell all trees, unless otherwise required, standing in one demarcated block, in extent approximately 15 acres annually.

(b) Excepting enumerated trees, all felled trees, together with every other fallen tree whatsoever, to be split and converted into firewood so as to yield 7,200 cubic yards annually (more or less). Each piece of wood to be 2 feet in length and of 12 inches minimum diameter. Billets over 9 inches diameter should be split. All wood over 12 inches in girth to be billeted in 2 feet lengths by hand saw or crosscut saw only. All felling and all splitting of logs to be completed by February 15.

(c) All firewood immediately after conversion to be stacked alongside the railway at the minimum rate of 600 cubic yards per month, unless otherwise required. Final delivery to be made on the last Sunday in March. Distance of transport up to 2 miles.

(d) All enumerated trees after felling to be cut into sizes 9 inches longer than standard Public Works Department lengths, and these logs to be removed outside the block to a place to be pointed out by a Forest Officer. Any remaining wood from these enumerated trees to be converted into firewood.

Services A, B, and C.—To cut all nellu, bamboo, thorns, and undergrowth: to heap the same, together with all wood refuse, in continuous lines half a chain in breadth and separated from each other and adjoining forest by properly cleared lines half a chain in breadth. This work to be completed by March 10 in each year.

To burn off the refuse thus heaped by March 20. To root out and completely clear of green growth, all patches not cleared by firing, and to leave the area in a complete state of fitness throughout for planting by March 31, in each year.

The areas to be felled will be pointed out on application:—

Service A.

By the Plantation Overseer, Pattipola.
By the Fuel Overseer, Nanu-oya.
By the Fuel Overseer, Ambawela.

Services B and C.

By the Plantation Overseer, Kandapola.

Fellings are to be regulated by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Central Division, Nuwara Eliya.

J. D. SARGENT,

Acting Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, February 28, 1922.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting 3,000 cwt. of salt from the Batticaloa Salt Stores to the Salt Store at Kalmunai.

2. The tenderers must state the rate of hire for each cwt., including the cost of weighing and storing.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Transporting Salt to Kalmunai" on the left-hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Government Agent, Eastern Province, not later than midday on Tuesday, March 14, 1922.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made at the Batticaloa Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within seven days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, 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.

6. 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.

7. Cash security for Rs. 500 from the successful tenderer will be required. If, however, landed property is to be hypothecated, the tenderer must produce with the title deeds a certificate from the Crown Proctor as to the validity of the title of the property and a certificate from the Registrar of Lands that the property is unencumbered, also a report from the Vanniya as to the value of the property.

8. A copy of each tender should be forwarded by the tenderer to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue by post at the same time the original tender is forwarded to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

9. The contractor has to pay for any excess wastage in transport at Rs. 4.50 per cwt.

10. All other necessary information can be ascertained at the Batticaloa Kachcheri.

11. No tender will be considered, unless, in respect of it, all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Batticaloa Kachcheri,
February 22, 1922.

P. O. FERNANDO,
for Government Agent.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

THE under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Audit Office, Colombo, on Monday, March 20, 1922, at 2.30 P.M.:—

2 call bells

5 sweeping brooms

4 chairs

Audit Office,
Colombo, February 22, 1922.

W. A. GENTLE,
Acting Colonial Auditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the productions shown in the list appended below will be sold by public auction on Monday, March 6, 1922, at 1.30 P.M., at this Court:—

List above referred to.

No. of Case.	Description of Property.	No. of Case.	Description of Property.
67,273..	2 pieces of doors	68,931..	1 hand bag
67,337..	2 crowbars	69,108..	1 bag with 9 coconuts
67,376..	1 black coat	69,159..	1 jar
67,436..	5 coconuts	69,240..	1 cardboard, iron cup, 1 plate
67,491..	¼ cwt. barbed wire, 3 posts	69,352..	2 cups, 2 plates, 4 chatties, 1 katty, 1 spoon, 1 big chatty, 5 chatties, and 1 coconut scraper
67,557..	2 mat bags	69,356..	2 bags of copra, iron bar, and a lantern
67,504..	41 coconuts	69,365..	1 handkerchief
67,696..	1 sarong cloth, 1 chintz cloth	69,862..	1 kitchen knife
67,740..	1 shirt, 1 curtain, and 1 gown	69,425..	1 table knife
67,804..	1 jacket	69,414..	2 coconuts
67,814..	1 shirt, 2 banians, 1 coat	69,364..	1 small saw
67,731..	1 towel with handy work	69,415..	1 clasp knife
67,830..	13 coconuts, 1 ring	69,468..	1 candle
67,722..	1 tin	69,429..	1 screw nail
67,878..	1 bottle lamp	69,501..	1 handkerchief
67,895..	1 red camboy	69,602..	1 white cloth and a banian
67,788..	Some barbed wire	69,634..	3 coconuts
67,793..	1 wooden box	69,665..	A bundle of barbed wire, a pointed knife, hammer
68,002..	1 white jacket and 2 beads	69,715..	Table knife and bottle lamp
68,081..	4 coconuts	69,754..	1 padlock and a rope
68,100..	4 pieces of wood and 1 slipper	69,792..	1 pot and a silk handkerchief
68,139..	1 table knife	69,800..	1 white banian, pieces of a candle, and a match box
68,111..	8 chairs, 2 tables, 4 small benches, 6 pots, 2 inkstands, 1 betel stand, 2 betel trays, 2 pens	69,825..	6 plates and 7 small plates
68,230..	2 coconuts	69,921..	2 coconuts
68,249..	2 bunches of arecanuts and some arecanuts	69,988..	1 rice pounder
68,419..	1 coconut	70,071..	1 mamoty
—	38 sheets of rubber, 3 biscuits of rubber	70,123..	2 knives, 18 coconuts, gunny bag, lantern
68,567..	2 banians	70,141..	1 cloth
68,674..	1 old tweed cloth	70,166..	1 knife and 4 coconuts
68,677..	1 bottle lamp	70,214..	2 chintz cloths
68,692..	1 white cloth and a red sarong	70,270..	1 white coat, 1 chintz cloth
68,541..	3 coconuts	70,293..	1 handkerchief
68,850..	1 jacket	70,323..	1 penknife
68,866..	4 coconuts	70,340..	1 mat
68,972..	1 banian	70,354..	1 rope with a block
68,975..	1 piece of cloth	70,303..	1 piece of rope, 1 white cloth
68,984..	1 wooden box, 1 tin lamp, 1 match box		
68,989..	2 coconuts		
68,990..	1 sickle		

No. of Case.	Description of Property.	No. of Case.	Description of Property.
70,366..	1 manna knife, 1 rice pounder, 1 katty, 1 grass cutting knife, 1 white female jacket, 1 grass cutting knife, 1 white banian	71,457..	18 coconuts
70,482..	3 coconuts	71,878..	5 pieces of rope
70,529..	1 table knife	71,624..	1 mat, purse
70,593..	1 tin lamp, 1 mat	71,898..	23 coconuts
70,624..	5 coconuts	71,953..	1 penknife
70,578..	1 piece of a rope	72,006..	4 coconuts
70,669..	2 bottle lamps, 2 mats	72,082..	1 piece of rope
70,699..	3 coconuts, 1 bag	72,103..	1 plank
70,700..	1 crow bar	72,161..	1 sovereign
70,713..	1 gunny bag	72,116..	1 wooden box, 70 cigars
70,778..	6 coconuts, 1 gunny bag	72,266..	1 white banian
70,920..	1 axe	72,440..	1 Cannanore cloth, 1 gunny bag, 1 mat betel bag
70,773..	1 forceps	72,462..	3 coconuts, 1 handkerchief
70,774..	Some barbed wire	72,457..	1 shawl
70,992..	1 iron nail, 1 piece of a brass lock, 1 wooden box	72,475..	1 piece of rope
71,051..	3 coconuts	72,613..	1 rice pounder, 1 white jacket, 1 white cloth, 1 crowbar
71,083..	1 clasp knife	72,647..	2 betel pouches, 1 small bag containing betel, 2 mats
71,113..	1 scythe	72,694..	1 handkerchief
71,128..	1 gunny bag	72,807..	6 coconuts, 1 basket, 1 gunny bag, 1 coconut
71,099..	1 rope, 1 gunny bag	72,813..	3 coconuts
71,184..	1 piece of rope	72,984..	1 bundle of ekels, 1 piece of plank
71,193..	1 bottle lamp	73,048..	2 rubber sheets
71,189..	1 silk handkerchief	72,988..	1 sarong, 1 spanner, 1 padlock, 1 piece of iron hook
71,197..	1 bundle of cinnamon	73,280..	1 katty, 1 bangle
—	1 walking stick	65,823..	2 dishes, 5 plates, 4 small plates, 3 saucers, 2 brass lamps, 1 spittoon
71,293..	1 piece of rope	66,133..	3 jars
71,618..	1 bottle	65,346..	1 deer horn
71,623..	2 pieces of rope, 1 piece of hide	66,795..	A watch
71,621..	Some pieces of rope		
71,702..	1 mat, 2 chintz cloths, 1 jacket, 1 bodice, 1 pillow-case		
71,719..	1 blue vaity cloth		

Police Court,
Panadure, February 22, 1922.

V. COOMARASWAMY,
Police Magistrate.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unclaimed effects will be sold by public auction at the District Court, Trincomalee, on Saturday, March 25, 1922, at 10 A.M.:—

1 nose ring, gold
7 earrings, gold
3 waist strings, silver
3 keys, iron
2 studs, silver
2 chembus, brass

1 bowl, alms
1 knife, small
1 tin cigarettes, empty
1 string beads, rutherfordcham
1 string beads, prayer

District Court,
Trincomalee, February 20, 1922.

R. M. M. WORSLEY,
District Judge.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended February 18, 1922.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 151 (3 Europeans, 4 Burghers, 97 Sinhalese, 16 Tamils, 22 Moors, 7 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1922, viz., 246,410) was 32.0, as against 32.6 in the preceding week, 26.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32.8 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 165 (6 Burghers, 86 Sinhalese, 36 Tamils, 24 Moors, 3 Malays, and 10 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 34.9, as against 38.1 in the previous week, 35.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30.5 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 165 total deaths, 32 were of infants under one year of age, as against 42 in the preceding week, 43 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 14.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Twenty-seven deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 13 in the hospitals (including 7 deaths of non-residents), 4 in New Bazaar, 2 each in Maradana South and Slave Island, and 1 each in Pettah, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, Kollupitiya, Wellawatta North, and Wellawatta South, as against 19 in the previous week and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Nine deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 2 each in New Bazaar and Wellawatta South, and 1 each in Pettah, St. Paul's, Kotahena South, Slave Island, and Kollupitiya, as against 13 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Four deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 2 each in New Bazaar and the hospital (including 1 death of a non-resident), as against 9 in the previous week.

2. Fifteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 10 in the hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena South, New Bazaar, Slave Island, and Kollupitiya, same as in the previous week. The weekly average for last year was 14.

3. Four deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered in the hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents, same as in the previous week. The weekly average for last year was also 4.

4. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered, 1 each in St. Paul's and the hospital, same as in the previous week. The weekly average for last year was 3.

5. Fourteen deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 10 from *Debility*, 6 from *Diarrhœa*, 4 from *Enteritis*, 2 each from *Dysentery* and *Worms*, and 1 from *Tetanus*, and 65 from *Other Causes*.

6. Fourteen cases of *Chickenpox*, 5 of *Enteric Fever*, 4 of *Plague*, and 3 of *Measles* were reported during the week, as against 19, 8, 4, and 1, respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 80·1°, against 80·4° in the preceding week and 79·6° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·888 in., against 29·896 in. in the preceding week and 29·975 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·64 in., against nil in the preceding week and nil in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 21, 1922.

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

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended February 25, 1922.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 123 (1 European, 9 Burghers, 72 Sinhalese, 16 Tamils, 20 Moors, 4 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1922, viz., 246,410) was 26·0, as against 32·0 in the preceding week, 18·8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32·8 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 168 (7 Burghers, 86 Sinhalese, 37 Tamils, 26 Moors, 6 Malays, and 6 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 35·6, as against 34·9 in the previous week, 35·4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30·5 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 168 total deaths, 41 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 40 the average for last year.

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

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Twenty-two deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 12 in the hospitals (including 5 deaths of non-residents), 4 in New Bazaar, 2 each in San Sebastian and Maradana North, and 1 each in St. Paul's and Maradana South, as against 27 in the previous week and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Eleven deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 3 in Slave Island, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, the hospital, Maradana North, and Wellawatta North, as against 9 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Nine deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 4 in the hospitals (of non-residents), and 1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, New Bazaar and Slave Island, as against 4 in the previous week.

2. Fifteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 7 in the hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Kotahena South, 2 each in Maradana North and Slave Island and 1 in St. Paul's, same as in the previous week. The weekly average for last year was 14.

3. Five deaths from *Enteric fever* were registered, 1 each in Kotahena South, the hospital (of a non-resident), Slave Island, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta North, as against 4 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

4. One death from *Plague* was registered at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, as against 2 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year.

5. Eighteen deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 16 from *Debility*, 8 from *Enteritis*, 7 from *Dysentery*, 4 from *Diarrhœa*, 2 from *Tetanus*, 1 from *Worms*, and 49 from *Other Causes*.

6. Twenty-three cases of *Chickenpox*, 3 of *Enteric Fever*, 1 of *Plague*, and 1 of *Measles* were reported during the week, as against 14, 5, 4, and 3, respectively, of the preceding week. One case of *Smallpox* was reported from the Harbour.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 79·5°, against 80·1° in the preceding week and 77·2° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·893 in., against 29·888 in. in the preceding week and 29·999 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was nil, against 0·64 in. in the preceding week and nil in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 28, 1922.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Acting Registrar-General.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE MAYOW RUBBER SOLE FACTORY COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE MAYOW RUBBER SOLE FACTORY 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 take on lease the Oaklands factory erected on the Oaklands estate, situated in Yatiyantota, and to purchase from the present owners thereof the plant, machinery, and tools, including a Suction gas engine required, for the manufacture of rubber soles, heels, and sandals, and rubber goods generally, and to acquire the patent rights of J. H. Wynell Mayow under his patent for a process for the manufacture of soles, heels, plates, and the like for boots, shoes, slippers, and footwear generally, from scrap or crude or waste rubber in India and Ceylon.
 - (b) To carry on in Ceylon and elsewhere the business of making rubber soles and heels and sandals and other goods, articles, and things which can be made wholly or in part of rubber, and to purchase and acquire from the proprietors thereof any business now carried on for the manufacture of rubber soles and heels and sandals and other goods made wholly or in part of rubber, and for the purchase and curing and preparation of leather or other things used in conjunction with rubber in the manufacture of goods partly or wholly made of rubber.
 - (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 or children of any such.
 - (e) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof with rubber or any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce coconuts, tea, coffee, rubber, cinchona, cacao, cardamons, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
 - (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 persons.
 - (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 rubber, tea, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
 - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market rubber, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, tea, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such rubber, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, tea, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places, and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
 - (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in rubber, coconuts, tea, coffee, and other plants and seed and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
 - (l) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere stores, shops, and places for the sale of rubber, chocolate, cocoa, coconuts, tea, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
 - (m) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
 - (n) 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 un-called capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
 - (o) 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.
 - (p) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promisory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.

- (g) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests, or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise, and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (r) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (s) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any part of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere, which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (t) 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.
- (u) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (v) 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, promisory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all.
- (w) 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.
- (x) 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.
- (y) 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) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable and moveable, 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 1) 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 2) 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 Four hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 400,000), divided into Forty thousand (40,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
W. SUTHERLAND ROSS, Colombo	One
G. C. SLATER, Colombo	One
PERCY W. WEEKES, Colombo	One
G. P. KELLY, Colombo	One
C. L. CARSON PARKER, Colombo	One
H. CREASY, Colombo	One
E. R. WILLIAMS, Colombo	One
Total shares taken	Seven

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this Ninteenth day of January, 1922:

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

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE MAYOW RUBBER SOLE FACTORY 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 "The Mayow Rubber Sole Factory 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" 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 cases where by these Articles proxies are allowed) 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 Oaklands Factory, 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 Four hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 400,000) divided into Forty thousand shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

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

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

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

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

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

Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the

offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

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

13. Shares may be registered in the name of a firm or partnership and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies in respect of shares registered in the name of the firm.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CALLS.

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

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

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

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

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of 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 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

36. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon 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.

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 36 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall within twelve calendar months after such death be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses, and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

49. Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such share.

PREFERENCE SHARES.

50. Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right or preference, whether in respect of dividend or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or at such a premium, or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued or then about to be issued, or subject

to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may from time to time by special resolution determine.

51. If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes, then the holders of any class of shares may by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or to the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares; and such resolution shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

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

BORROWING POWERS.

53. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sums or sums of money for the purpose 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 and Fifty thousand (Rs. 150,000).

54. With the sanction of a General Meeting, the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. 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.

55. 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.

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

57. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

62. Any requisition so made shall express the object of the Meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company.

Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

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

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

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

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

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

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

69. If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of Shareholders shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such

adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

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

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

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

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

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

74. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some Shareholder, or in the case of a special resolution by three Shareholders 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 proposition 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 duly appointed in that behalf.

75. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present, his proxy or attorney or in the case of a special resolution, by three Shareholders their proxies or attorneys 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Mayow Rubber Sole Factory 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 _____.

85. No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such 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.

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

DIRECTORS.

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

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

88. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Three thousand Rupees (Rs. 3,000) annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall

not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. The first Directors shall be J. E. B. Baillie Hamilton, F. J. Poyntz Roberts, W. Sutherland Ross, R. C. Scott, and J. H. Wynell Mayow (of whom Messrs. Baillie Hamilton, Poyntz Roberts, and Wynell Mayow will join the Board after allotment) who shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

90. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director 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 confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be conferred on any Manager of the Company.

If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

103. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary under the Company.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he resigns his office under the provisions of clause 99.
- (f) If he ceases to reside in Ceylon.

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 from being agent, or secretary, or solicitor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall 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.

104. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the said Oaklands Factory, land, and shares thereof.

105. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the

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

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

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

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

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

110. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of 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.

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

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the awards.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents, with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees, without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of, and in the substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

119. The acts of the Board 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.

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

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

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

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

ACCOUNTS.

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

124. The Directors shall from time to time determine whether, and to what extent, and at what times and places, and under what conditions or regulations, the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholders 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

AUDIT.

131. No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but it shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he be a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during the continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

132. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration. He or they shall hold office till the second General Meeting of the Company. All subsequent appointments shall, except as is hereinafter mentioned, be made at the Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and the Auditor or Auditors appointed at such Meeting shall hold office only until the first Ordinary General Meeting after his or their appointment or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

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

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

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

140. The Directors may, before recommending any dividend or bonus, set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund and may invest the same in such securities as they may select, or place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks, and may from time to time deal with and vary such 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.

141. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICES.

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

149. Every Shareholder shall give an address in Ceylon which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

ARBITRATION.

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

EVIDENCE.

155. On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought or instituted by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover and 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.

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

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

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

W. SUTHERLAND ROSS.
G. C. SLATER.
PERCY W. WEEKES.
G. P. KELLY.
C. L. CARSON PARKER.
H. CREASY.
E. R. WILLIAMS.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this Nineteenth day of January, 1922 :

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

[Third Publication.]

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE HATTON TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company is "THE HATTON TEA COMPANY, LIMITED."

The place of the Company is to be established in Colombo.

The places which the Company is to be established are—

These places are from the proprietors thereof the Hatton and Poolbank estate's situate in the District of Dickoya, Ceylon.

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 or children 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 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 livestock, 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 of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects, wholly or in part, similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise, and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (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 Eight hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 800,000), divided into Eighty thousand (80,000) 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.
C. S. BURNS, Colombo	One
C. E. A. DIAS, Colombo	One
A. P. WALDOCK, Colombo	One
J. M. PETTENDRIGH, Colombo	One
J. WILSON, Colombo	One
P. J. PARSONS, Colombo	One
ARTHUR BOYS, Colombo	One
Total shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this 13th day of February, 1922 :

C. D. GOMESZ, Clerk,
12, Queen street, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE HATTON TEA 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 "The Hatton Tea 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" 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, incorporated or unincorporated 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 cases where by these Articles proxies are allowed) 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 Hatton and Poolbank estates, 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 Eight hundred thousand (Rs. 800,000) divided into 80,000 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. 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.

13. Shares may be registered in the name of a firm or partnership, and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies in respect of shares registered in the name of the firm.

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

15. Any one of the joint holders of a share 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

CALLS.

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

23. If any Shareholder fail to pay the amount of any call due by him on or before the day appointed for payment thereof, he shall be liable to pay interest 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.

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

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

26. The Directors may at their discretion receive from any of the Shareholders willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the moneys 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.

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

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

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

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

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of 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 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

36. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder; or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon 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.

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 36 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall within twelve calendar months after such death be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such 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.

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

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

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

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

40. Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall notwithstanding be liable to pay and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, 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.

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

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

43. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of 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 shares be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

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

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

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

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

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

49. Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such share.

PREFERENCE SHARES.

50. Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right or preference, whether in respect of dividend or of 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.

51. If at any time by the issue of preference shares or otherwise the capital is divided into shares of different classes, then the holders of any class of shares may by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or to the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares; and such resolution shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

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

BORROWING POWERS.

53. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting exceed Rupees Fifty thousand (Rs. 50,000).

54. With the sanction of a General Meeting, the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. 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.

55. 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 credit, 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.

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

57. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

62. Any requisition so made shall express the object of the Meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company.

Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within 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.

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

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

65. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the object and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. 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 2nd meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the 1st meeting. The accidental omission to give any such notice shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

74. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some 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 duly appointed in that behalf.

75. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present, his proxy or attorney, 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.

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

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

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

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

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

81. No Shareholder shall be entitled to be present or to vote either personally or by proxy or attorney at any meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares have been paid, and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee

of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder shall be entitled to be present or to vote at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company in respect of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote at least three months previous to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

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

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

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

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

The Hatton Tea 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 _____.

85. No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such 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.

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

DIRECTORS.

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

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

88. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding One 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.

89. The first Directors shall be Martin Lewis Wilkins, Arthur Plyer Waldoek, and Charles Stewart Burns. 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.

90. 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 confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be conferred on any Manager of the Company.

If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

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

92. The Director to retire from office at the second 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.

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

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

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

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

97. The Company may from time to time by special resolution increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also determine in what rotation such increase or reduced number is to go out of office.

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

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

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

101. Every Director or officer of the Company, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him in or about the discharge of his duties, except such as happen from his respective wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer shall, nor shall the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, be liable for the acts or defaults of any other Director or officer, or for any loss or 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.

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

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

103. The office of 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 ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he resigns his office under the provisions of clause 99.
- (f) If he ceases to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months.

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.

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

105. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

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

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

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

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

110. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of 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.

111. It shall be lawful for the Directors from time to time in the course of the conduct of the Company's business to sell, let, lease, or otherwise dispose of or deal with any part or parts of the Company's estates, lands, houses, and buildings upon such terms and conditions as they may think fit, and in particular to sell, let, lease, or otherwise dispose of blocks of land for building or similar purposes and to enter into any arrangement or contracts for building thereon, also to purchase or take on lease any lands or buildings for any of the purposes of the Company and to sell, let, lease, dispose of, or deal with the same, or any part or parts thereof. Further and without prejudice to the powers of sale or leasing above given (which may be exercised without the sanction of any General Meeting in any case where the land proposed to be sold or leased does not exceed 20 acres in extent) 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 whole of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as

the Directors shall think fit, and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

112. In furtherance and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in 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, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents, with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees, without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or Company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of, and in the substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

119. The acts of the Board 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.

120. 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.

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

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

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

ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

127. A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at, or posted to, the registered address of every Shareholder.

128. 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.

129. 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 the continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

130. 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.

131. 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.

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

133. 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.

134. 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.

135. 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.

136. 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.

137. 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.

138. 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.

139. 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.

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

141. 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.

142. 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.

143. 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.

144. 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.

145. 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.

146. 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.

147. 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.

148. A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by being sent through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode, and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead,

unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company their own or some other address in Ceylon to which notices may be sent.

149. 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.

150. 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.

151. Any Shareholder who fails to give and register an address in Ceylon as provided in Article No. 147 shall not be entitled to be given any notices.

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

ARBITRATION.

152. 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.

153. 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.

154. 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.

155. 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 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 effected 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 an arbitration, as in the sub-section (6) of the said section provided, the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Ceylon Ordinance No. 2 of 1889 shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of section 192 of the aforesaid 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.

C. S. BURNS.

C. E. A. DIAS.

A. P. WALDOCK.

J. M. PITTENDRIGH.

J. WILSON.

P. J. PARSONS.

ARTHUR BOYS.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this 13th day of February, 1922:

C. D. GOMESZ, Clerk,

12, Queen Street, Colombo.

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The Good Hope (Selangor) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at Ambewatta House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Thursday, March 16, 1922, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts to December 31, 1921.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 9 to 18, 1922, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
CUMBERBATCH & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, March 1, 1922.

The Indo-Malay Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at Ambewatta House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Thursday, March 16, 1922, at 12.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts to December 31, 1921.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
4. To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 9 to 16, 1922, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
CUMBERBATCH & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, March 1, 1922.

The Solinda Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 11, 1922, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1921.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 4 to 11, 1922, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, February 28, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

The Horawala (Kalutara) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifteenth 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 Wednesday, March 15, 1922, at 12 noon.

By order of the Directors,
AITKEN, SPENCER & Co.,
Colombo, March 3, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

The Westward Ho Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

Report of the Directors for Presentation to the Tenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held on Saturday, March 11, 1922, at 10 A.M.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at "The Chalet," Hill Club, Nuwara Eliya, on Saturday, March 11, 1922, at 10 A.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1921.
- (2) To elect a Director.
- (3) To appoint Auditors for the current year.
- (4) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 28 to March 13, 1922, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Board,
SHAW WALLACE & Co.,
28, Chatham street,
Colombo, February 28, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

Kandy Rubber and Tea Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Kandy Rubber and Tea Estates, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 12, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 16, 1922, at 3 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year 1921.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 11 to 18, 1922, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
LEE, HEDGES & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, February 20, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

The "Kongsi" Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Hill Club, Nuwara Eliya, on Saturday, March 11, 1922, at 10 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors to October 31, 1921.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 4 to 11, 1922.

By order of the Directors,
N. W. DAVIES,
Kandapola, February 27, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Ceylon Planters' Transport Company, Limited
(in Liquidation)**

NOTICE is hereby given that in order to comply with section 107 (12) of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, a General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the office of the Liquidator, Gair's buildings, Fort, Colombo, on March 14, 1922, at 11 A.M., for the following purposes:—

(a) To receive the statement of the Liquidator's receipts and payments for the twelve months ending December 31, 1921.

(b) To appoint a Liquidator in the place of Mr. H. D. Thornton who will resign in consequence of his forthcoming departure from Ceylon.

Colombo, February 28, 1922. H. D. THORNTON,
Liquidator.

The Gamawella Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the office of the Company, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, March 17, 1922, at 2.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1921.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To elect an Auditor, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 7 to 20, 1922, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
BOSANQUET & Co., LTD.,
February 28, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

The Kirivaula Coconut Plantation Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office, No. 12, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 9, 1922, at 1 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1921.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 2 to 9, 1922, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
HENDERSON & Co.,
Colombo, February 28, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

The Holbrook Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office, No. 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 11, 1922, at 10 o'clock.

Business:

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1921.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,
GEORGE STEWART & Co.,
Colombo, February 28, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale of a Valuable House Property bearing Assessment No. 2,232/16B at Cemetery street, now Wasala road, Colombo.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 1,369/1920 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, March 25, 1922, at 4 P.M., at the spot—

All that allotment of land marked D, together with the buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 2,232/16B, situated at Cemetery street, now Wasala road, Colombo, containing in extent 1 rood and 5 perches.

For further particulars apply to P. M. de Senawiratne, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Ferry street, Colombo, or to me:

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Auctioneer and Broker.

No. 8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale of a Valuable Property at Malay street, Slave Island.

UNDER and by virtue of the mortgage decree entered in case No. 2,542/1921, D. C., Colombo, and commission issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Monday, March 27, 1922, at 4 P.M. at the spot—

All that portion of a garden, with the buildings standing thereon, now bearing assessment No. 122/66, situated at Slave Island, now called Malay street in Slave Island, within the Municipality of Colombo, containing in extent 1 65/100 square perch.

For further particulars apply to me:

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Auctioneer and Broker.

No. 8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale of Valuable House Property under Mortgage Decree.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 1,267 of 1921 of the District Court of Colombo, I will sell by public auction at the spot on Saturday, March 25, 1922, at 4 P.M.—

Millagahawatta, with tiled buildings thereon, situated in the villages Mahara, Karagahamuna, and Nugegoda, in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale, in extent 2 acres and 25 perches, ordered to be sold under the said decree for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,225.70, with interest and costs.

For particulars apply to M. R. Akbar, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Colombo, or to—

A. AMIT,
Auctioneer and Broker.

No. 109, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

UNDER partition decree of the C. R. Colombo, I shall sell by public auction, on Saturday, April 22, 1922, at the spot, at 3 P.M., the following—

All that allotment of land called Mawatabodawatta, with the house and plantations standing thereon, situated at Ratmalana, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in extent 5 52/100 perches.

The property will first be put for sale amongst the co-owners, and if not sold at the appraised amount, the property will be again put up for sale and sold to the highest bidder.

For further particulars apply to M. P. Wijeyesinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, The Old Crown, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

96, Dam street,
Colombo, February 27, 1922.

S. H. SELVAM JOSEPH,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Jayasriya Mahatelge Silvester Peiris of Kalaeliya. Plaintiff

No. 14,353

Vs.

- (1) Jayasinghe Aratchige Don Thegis, Vel-Vidana
 - (2) Jayasinghe Aratchige Don Thomas Appuhamy,
- both of Medamulla Defendants.

UNDER decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Monday, March 27, 1922, the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged by mortgage bond No. 8,123 dated September 11, 1916, attested by M. D. C. S. Gunasekara, Notary Public, as primary mortgage, to wit:—

At 4 P.M.

1. The land called Bulughawatukebella, situated at Medamulla, in Dasiya pattuwa of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, in extent about 1 acre and 2 roods, and all the plantations, the tiled house, and other buildings standing thereon.

At 4.15 P.M.

2. The ½ share of Bogahakumbura, situated at Medamulla aforesaid, in extent about 1 parrah of paddy culture.

At 4.30 P.M.

3. The portion of Heenagaredelgahakumbura, situated at Medamulla aforesaid, in extent about 1 parrah of paddy culture *alias* now the land planted with coconuts.

For further particulars apply to F. W. Gooneratne, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Negombo, or to me the undersigned:

K. L. PEREIRA,
of Messrs. K. L. PEREIRA & SON,
Negombo, February 27, 1922. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale of Properties at Dahayenpahuwa, Yapalana, and Ganegoda, in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 15,083, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Kana Nana Kana Kawanna Mana Narayana Pulle of Negombo, against the defendant Vitanage Marthelis Perera of Dahayenpahuwa, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,400, less Rs. 105, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from September 30, 1921, till payment in full and costs of suit, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties, mortgaged by bond No. 728 dated June 5, 1917, attested by P. D. F. de Croos, Notary, by public auction, at the respective spots, on Monday, March 27, 1922, viz.:—

At 10 A.M.

1. The land called Higgahawatta, situated at Ganegoda, in Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 2 roods and 7 perches.

At 11 A.M.

2. An undivided 5/7 share of the field called Millagahakumbura, situated at Yapalana, in Yatigaha pattu aforesaid, containing in extent about 2 kurunies of paddy sowing ground.

At 11.15 A.M.

3. The field called Mudadera, situated at Yapalana aforesaid, containing in extent about 8 kurunies of paddy sowing ground.

Commencing at 2 P.M.

4. The land called Marandagahawatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa, in Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale,

in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent 2 acres and 6 perches.

5. The land situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 1 rood.

6. The land called Marandagahapitiyewatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 2½ acres.

7. The land called Marandagahapitiyewatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 1 rood and 28 perches.

8. An undivided ¼ share of the land called Marandagahawatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 3 acres 1 rood and 36 perches, with the tiled house standing thereon.

9. The land called Divulgahawatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 1 kurunie of paddy sowing ground.

10. An undivided ¼ share of the field called Etambagahakumbura, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 5 kurunies of paddy sowing ground.

11. An undivided southern ½ share of the land called Divulgahawatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 2 kurunies of paddy sowing ground.

12. An undivided portion towards the west, in extent about 4 fathoms in breadth and 16 fathoms in length from and out of an undivided ½ share of a portion of land called Mahawatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about ¼ acre.

13. The field called Ambalamekumbura, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 2 parrahs of paddy sowing ground.

14. An undivided 11/36 share of the land called Madithiyagahawatta, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 1 parrah of paddy sowing ground.

15. An undivided ¾ share of the field called Mahakumbura, situated at Dahayenpahuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 10 kurunies of paddy sowing ground.

Further particulars from Messrs. de Croos & Fernando, Proctors and Notaries, Negombo, or from—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,

Negombo, February 28, 1922.

Auctioneers.

Auction Sale of Valuable Property at Welangana, in the District of Negombo.

DEED decree in case No. 14,490, entered in favour of plaintiff Jayakodi Arachchige Don Migel Appu-Balgalla, against the defendant Wijelatharatchige gho Appuhamy of Welangana, and by virtue of order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amount stated, less the sum of Rs. 820, we shall sell the under-mentioned property mortgaged by bond No. 17,253, dated October 2, 1916, and attested by J. W. P. Samarasakara, Notary, as a primary mortgage, by public auction, at the spot, at 4 p.m., on Friday, March 31, 1922, at the risk of Imiyakankanamalage Somaneris Appuhamy of Welangana, the purchaser of the under-mentioned property at the original sale held on July 2, 1921, who has failed to comply with the conditions of sale:—

The undivided 1/16 share of the land called Delgahawatta, situated at Welangana, in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, containing in extent about 20 acres.

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

M. P. KURERA & Co.,

Negombo, February 28, 1922.

Auctioneers.

Auction Sale under Partition Decree.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Ranawala Aratchchige Don Anthony Appuhamy of Kandywala Plaintiff.

No. 14,658.

Vs.

Sembukutti Aratchchige Hendrick Silva of Katana Defendant.
Madurawalage Don Pedrick Appuhamy of Otharawadiya Added Defendant.

UNDER decree of the above case and by virtue of the commission received, I shall sell the under-mentioned

property by public auction, at the spot, at 4 p.m. on Saturday, April 15, 1922, viz. :—

All that land called Daminnagahawatta, situated at Mulleyaya in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo; bounded on the north by land of W. Girigoris Appuhamy, east by the land of the heirs of Elaris Appuhamy and others, south by land of defendants, west by the land of J. Peli Appu and others as depicted in Mr. Surveyor P. P. Fernando's plan No. 353 of March 18, 1921; containing in extent 2 roods 25·5 perches.

The above land will first be sold among the co-owners thereof at the appraised value, and if not purchased by any one of them, will immediately thereafter be sold among the public to the highest bidder.

Further particulars from—

K. H. PERERA,

Negombo, February 24, 1922.

Commissioner.

Auction Sale Under Partition Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to me in the District Court of Katukurunda No. 8,342, I shall sell by public auction the following lands on Saturday, March 25, 1922, at the respective spots:—

The properties will be first put up for sale among the co-owners thereof at the appraised value, and if not bought by any one of them, they will be put up immediately thereafter for sale among the public.

At 2.30 p.m.

1. All that land called Delgahawatta *alias* Welabodagorakagahawatta, situated at Katukurunda in Kalutara badde; and bounded on the north by Madangahawatta, on the east by Dummalawela, and on the south and west by Madangahawatta; containing in extent 2 roods and 25½ perches, more particularly described in the figure of survey No. 587 of March 8, 1920, made by Mr. J. Weeraratne, Licensed Surveyor.

At 3 p.m.

2. The land called Binkottasaya, situated at Katukurunda aforesaid; and bounded on the north and east by Nambiagodakurunduwatta, on the south by the path, and on the west by ela; containing in extent 2 roods and 19½ perches, more particularly described in the plan No. 587 aforesaid.

At 4 p.m.

3. All that premises called Konteruparangiawatta, situated at Katukurunda aforesaid; and bounded on the north, south, and west by portions of the same land, Konteruparangiawatta, and on the west by Colombo-Galle road; containing in extent 5 perches, more particularly described in the figure of survey No. 587 aforesaid.

At 5 p.m.

4. The land called Dummalawela, situated at Katukurunda and bounded on the north by Thadigodakurunduwatta, on the east by Dummalawela, on the south by Uswatta, and on the west by ela; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 2 perches, more particularly described in the figure of survey No. 587 aforesaid.

Further particulars can be had from W. D. Martin, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court or—

Kalutara, February 22, 1922.

E. P. PERERA,

Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Matara.

Hamido Lebbe Marikkar Mohammed Abubaker of Kohunugamuwa Plaintiff.

No. 9,690. Against

Ibrahim Lebbe Muttunatchiya of Kohunugamuwa, widow of Omarulebbe Ibrahim Lebbe, late of Kohunugamuwa, deceased Defendant.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me and the decree entered in the above case to recover the sum of Rs. 587, with interest on Rs. 500 at 18 per cent. per annum from May 2, 1921, till September 20, 1921, and thereafter

with legal interest on the aggregate amount from the date of decree, till payment in full, and costs of this action, Rs. 104.95. I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on Saturday, March 25, 1922, commencing at 11 A.M., the following property, to wit:

The entire soil and plantations exclusive of the planter's $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the second plantation of the land called Paluwatta *alias* Indipelawatta, about $1\frac{1}{2}$ acre in extent, situate at Kohunugamuwa, in the Weligam korale, Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by the ditch of Digapata, east by the ditch of Pitakoratuwa, south by Pabilige Ammagewatta *alias* the ditch of Deweniguruge Pelawatta, and west by the ditch of Meedin Lebbe Padinchiwasiyawa.

For further particulars please apply to Mr. E. Y. D. Abeyagunawardana, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Matara, or to me.

The purchaser shall immediately after the sale pay one-fourth of the purchase amount and all the other expenses of sale.

A. P. KARUNARATNA,
Commissioner.

Matara, February 25, 1922.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 844 of the District Court of Trincomalee, I shall sell by public auction on the under-mentioned dates the following properties at the spot:

On Thursday, March 30, 1922, at 10 A.M.

(1) An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of a piece of field called Moddimalaichena, situate at Mutur in Koddidiyar pattu, in the District of Trincomalee, Eastern Province; boundaries of the whole land are east Palaya road (old) and channel, on the north the channel and the land of A. Assanalevvai, on the west the land of Mohamadu Neina, and on the south the land of M. Ahamadu Caseen and others; extent 30 acres 1 rood and 26 perches.

At 2 P.M.

(2) An undivided just $\frac{1}{2}$ share of a piece of field called Paddialavarai, situate at Mallikaitivu in Koddidiyar pattu, in the District of Trincomalee; boundaries of the whole land are: on the north the land mentioned in plan No. 30,535, on the east channel and land mentioned in plan No. 93,599, on the south land mentioned in plan No. 93,616, and on the west Crown land and channel; extent 20 acres 3 roods and 24 perches.

At 3 P.M.

(3) A piece of field called Maddathuvayal, situate at Mallikaitivu in Koddidiyar pattu of the Trincomalee District, in the Eastern Province; bounded on the east and west by the land of the heirs of the late P. Segu Madar, on the south by channel, and on the north by Crown land; extent 3 acres and 13 perches.

On Saturday, April 1, 1922, at 2 P.M.

(4) A piece of land called Kadatkaraivalavu, bearing Government assessment No. 14, coconut plants, palmyra trees, tamarind trees, and other plantations and well, and all rights and title relating thereto, situate at Division No. 4, Trincomalee, in the Trincomalee District, Eastern Province; bounded on the north-east by the land called Konappathoddam, now being used as the grave yard of the Roman Catholics, on the south-east and north-west by the land of the said Periyatamby Konappalai and others, and on the south-west by road; extent 21 roods 21 90/100 perches.

T. N. KANAKASUNDRA,
Trincomalee, February 22, 1922. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree entered in case No. 6,692 of October 14, 1921, of the District Court

of Chilaw, and commission issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, March 25, 1922, commencing at 1 P.M., at their respective spots:—

(1) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share, together with the coconut trees and all plantations towards the north of the divided western portion from and out of the contiguous land called Sendapallamawatta, in extent 301 coconut trees plantable soil, Sendapallamaidama, Sendapallama Dombagahawatta, and Ambagahawatta, situate at Kammala in Kammal pattu, Pitigal korale, Chilaw District, of the North-Western Province; which portion is bounded on the north by the field belonging to Migel Fernando, east by a portion out of the whole land divided and allotted to Elaris Fernando, south by a portion out of the land divided and allotted to Warnaculasuriya Silvestry Fernando and his children, and west by the field belonging to the defendant Warnaculasuriya Ambrose Fernando, Police Headman, and others, and the field belonging to Anthony Fernando and others; containing in extent 70 coconut trees plantable soil.

(2) The divided $\frac{1}{2}$ share out of 1/7 share from the contiguous field called Mattiodai Dalupothakumbura and Sendapallama Dalupothakumbura, situate at Kammala aforesaid, in extent 14 parrahs of paddy sowing soil; which share is bounded on the north by a portion of the whole land allotted to Pablina Thaverera, Francis Thaverera, and Ana Thaverera, on the east by the garden belonging to the debtor Ambrose Fernando, Police Headman, and others, on the south by a portion of the whole land allotted to Warnaculasuriya Silvestry Fernando and to his children, and on the west by Gin-oya; containing within these boundaries 2 parrahs paddy sowing soil.

(3) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of a divided portion towards the east from and out of the two contiguous lands called Thalghawatta, situate at Kammala aforesaid, containing in extent 118 coconut trees plantable soil; which share is bounded on the north by the garden formerly belonged to Gabriel Fernando and now belonging to Manuel Fernando and Elaris Fernando, on the east by the garden presently belonged to Paulu Thamel, now the property of Maria Obris and others, south by ela, and west by the remaining portion of the whole land allotted to Warnaculasuriya Gracianu Fernando; containing in extent 68 coconut trees plantable soil, together with the trees and all the plantations standing thereon.

(4) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share, together with the trees and all the plantations from and out of the land called Jambughawatta, situate at Kammala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the garden formerly belonged to Anthony Fernando and now the property of Bastian Fernando, east by land formerly belonged to Migel Fernando and now the property of Thobias Fernando, south by dewata road separating the land belonging to Siman Kurera, and west by the land formerly belonged to Manuel Fernando and now the property of Bastian Fernando; containing in extent 4 seers of kurakkan sowing soil or 10 coconut trees plantable soil.

(5) The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share out of the 1/60 share, together with the trees and all plantations standing on the land called Katuwelakumbura, situate at Kammala aforesaid; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Lusa Lowe and others, east by the field belonging to Jeronis Annavirala, south by the field belonging to Manuel Fernando, Vel-Vidane, and others, and west by Gin-oya; containing in extent 6 parrahs paddy sowing soil within these boundaries.

(6) The land called Kosgahawatta *alias* Divulgahawatta, situate at Iahala Katuneriya in Meda palata, Pitigal Korale Central, of the District of Chilaw; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Anthony Daberera and others, east by the fence of the owita belonging to Kammal Fernando, Muppurala, south by garden belonging to Anthony Daberera, and west by the garden belonging to Gabriel Obris; containing in extent $1\frac{1}{2}$ acre within these boundaries, with the trees and all plantations standing within these boundaries.

For further particulars apply to C. V. M. Pandittesekare, Esq., Proctor, Chilaw, or to me:

S. P. ABÉYAKOON,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale of Lease.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

(Lunacy Proceedings No. 2.)

W. Plus Fernando of Angampitiya, Manager of the Estates Plaintiff.

Vs.

(1) Mrs. F. A. Wijeysekera, and (2) F. A. Wijeysekera of Waikal Respondents.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to us in the above case, we shall sell by public auction, on Saturday, March 11, 1922, at 2.30 p.m., at the spot, the lease of the under-mentioned property for a term of 8 years.

All that land called Mohottimulla estate, situate at Mohottimulla and Bujjampola, in Otara palata of the Pitigal korale south, in the District of Chilaw, containing in extent 82 acres 2 roods and 14 perches; and bounded on the north by lands belonging to Rajapakse Mudaliyar and others, east and south by fields belonging to Baronchy Appuhamy and others, and west by lands belonging to F. Joseph Pulle and others.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Corea & Anderson, Proctors, or to—

THE CHILAW AGENCY,
Auctioneers.

Chilaw, February 7, 1922.

Application for Enrolment as Proctor of the Supreme Court.

SIX weeks hence, I, Allen Staniforth Cuylenberg van Cuylenburg, Proctor of the District Court of Colombo, shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Honourable Court.

STANIFORTH VAN CUYLENBERG,
Proctor of the District Court of Colombo.

37, Hulftsdorp street,
Colombo, February 28, 1922.

Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.

I, SAMUEL MENDIS WICKRAMASINGHE, of Colombo, do hereby give notice, in terms of rule (2) of Schedule I. B to the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practice in the English language in the District of Colombo.

Colombo, October 20, 1921. S. M. WICKRAMASINGHE.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Change of Site—Arrack Tavern.**

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to remove the existing arrack tavern No. 9, Pellandeniya, in the Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, to a fresh site, further from the Buddhist Vernacular School, at Pellandeniya, for 1922-23. The Government Agent of the North-Western Province will be prepared to receive any representation up to Saturday, April 8, 1922. He will also be prepared to hear any verbal representation regarding the proposal on that day, between 12 noon and 2 p.m., at the Kurunegala Kachcheri.

Kurunegala Kachcheri,
February 18, 1922.

F. G. TYRRELL,
Government Agent.

Change of Site—Toddy Tavern.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to remove the existing toddy tavern No. 13, Indulgodakanda, in the Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in

the North-Western Province, to a fresh site, further from the Buddhist Vernacular School at Indulgodakanda, for 1922-23. The Government Agent of the North-Western Province will be prepared to receive any representation up to Saturday, April 8, 1922. He will also be prepared to hear any verbal representation regarding the proposal on that day, between 12 noon and 2 p.m., at the Kurunegala Kachcheri.

Kurunegala Kachcheri,
February 18, 1922.

F. G. TYRRELL,
Government Agent.

Extension of Time for Abolition of Arrack Tavern.

WITH reference to notification published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,241 of February 3, 1922, it is hereby notified that the time for receipt of objections to the abolition of Arrack Tavern No. 3 at Suruwila is extended to 2 p.m. on March 27, 1922.

Puttalam Kachcheri,
February 23, 1922.

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

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.**SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1922.****NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.**

Weather: wet days unusually few, but just sufficed to save the chena crops which were nearly withering away.

Rainfall: 1.94 in.

Health of people: satisfactory. Only a few cases of measles in Kalagam palata.

Health of cattle: satisfactory. No epidemics.

Agriculture—paddy: maha harvest crops in good condition, and Medakanna cultivation started on a considerable scale.

Kurakkan: crops shortly to be reaped, and in good condition now.

Gingelly: nil.

Coconuts: fairly good crops gathered.

Tanks: almost all working tanks full and spilling. A few breached.

Prices of foodstuffs: paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.75 per bushel; rice, Rs. 6 to Rs. 6.50 per bushel; chillies, cents 22 to cents 25 per pound; coconuts, Rs. 8 per 100; salt, cents 15 to cents 16 per measure.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.**MULLAITTIVU DISTRICT.**

Paddy harvest: kalapokam cultivation. Early sowing is in ears. Late sowing is in blossom. Idaipokam cultivation is in progress.

Dry grains: a few acres of kurakkan sown is being harvested.

Other products: flowering and prospects of coconuts are satisfactory. Tobacco, ploughing and manuring are going on. In some places the plants are being transplanted.

Prices of staple products: paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; rice, Rs. 5.60 to Rs. 7 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.75 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 8 to Rs. 10 per 100 nuts.

Rainfall: good showers of rain fell during the early part of the month. There was very heavy rain on 12th instant, flooding the railway and breaching a number of tanks.

Harvest prospects generally: satisfactory.

Health of the inhabitants: fair; malarial fever prevailed to some extent in the villages and a few cases of influenza and pneumonia due to dew and exposure. Quinine being freely distributed.

Health of cattle: good; pasture good, except in Maritime pattus. No disease.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left at Messrs. The Ceylon Wharfage Company's premises beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that, unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on Thursday, April 20, 1922. Goods must be cleared on or before Monday, April 24, 1922 :—

B I WAREHOUSE.							
Entry No.	Date of Entry. 1921.	Date of Steamer. 1921.	Steamer.	From	Marks and Numbers.	Number and Description of Packages.	
F 1,626	.. June 25	.. June 4	.. ss. Nirwana	.. Calcutta	.. 463 in a triangle upon V B or 465 in a triangle upon V B	.. 1 case	
F 402	.. July 6	.. June 18	.. ss. Rajah	.. Java	.. The Consignee, 753 bags superior brand sugar	.. 1 case	
F 1,442	.. August 27	.. July 28	.. ss. Clan Mactavish	Liverpool	.. Brasier Creagh	.. 1 package	
F 1,512	.. October 25	.. October 10	.. ss. Indus	.. Christiania	.. AT upon F in a diamond and 100 outside	.. 1 case	
F 1,586	.. October 26	..	.. ss. Kaga Maru	..	.. H M C upon LLD 478	1 case	
CASK WAREHOUSE.							
—	..	..	.. Unknown	..	.. Nil	.. 4 coils hoop iron	
—	..	..	.. do.	..	.. Nil	.. 29 fire bricks	
—	..	..	.. do.	..	.. Nil	.. 8 bars round iron	
—	..	..	.. do.	..	.. Nil	.. 10 bundles round iron (loose)	
—	..	.. August 14	.. ss. Clan Macbride	..	.. Nil	.. 17 do.	

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 23, 1922.

A. N. STRONG,
for Principal Collector.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left at Maradana Indian Goods Shed beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that, unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, April 25, 1922, at 1 P.M. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, April 28, 1922 :—

Date of Arrival. 1921.	Waybill No.	Serial No.	Station.	Name of Consignee.	Number and Description of Packages.
October 17	.. 1.98	.. 2,413	.. Quilon	.. Harrison's & Crosfield, Ltd.	.. 1 case rubber samples
October 24	.. 4.79	.. 2,503	.. Mandapam	.. E. Maynet	.. 2 bags (seamen's)
October 29	.. 1.25	.. 2,569	.. Azhikkal	.. O. S. Sahool Hameed	.. 1 bundle cloth

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 23, 1922.

A. N. STRONG,
for Principal Collector.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left in Baggage Office beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that, unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, May 2, 1922. Goods must be cleared on or before Saturday, May 6, 1922 :—

Date. 1921.	Nos.	Name.	Vessel or Train.	Number and Description of Packages.
December 9	.. 6,658/6,659	.. Chinaman	.. Outside	.. 2 bottles Brandy
December 9	.. 6,660	.. Sub-Collector	.. Talaimannar	.. 1 parcel tobacco
December 10	.. 6,735	.. Nil A2,219	.. ss. Yorkshire	.. 1 fishing rod
December 17	.. 6,821	.. G. Marshall	.. ss. Lancashire	.. 1 box
December 20	.. 6,881/6,882	.. Mr. C. J. M. Evans	.. ss. Mantua	.. 2 packages gun case and box

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 23, 1922.

A. N. STRONG,
for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importations of Rice into the different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended February 18, 1922.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	.. Calcutta	.. 12
Do.	.. Nagapatam	.. 230
Do.	.. Rangoon	.. 47,491
Do.	.. Tuticorin	.. 2
Do.	.. Dhanushkodi	.. 82

Shipped during the week, 1,662 b. gs.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 22, 1922.

R. O. DE SARAM,
for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importations of Rice into the different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended February 25, 1922.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	.. Calcutta	.. 124
Do.	.. Rangoon	.. 113,592
Do.	.. Tuticorin	.. 280
Do.	.. Dhanushkodi	.. 1,381
Kankasanturai	.. Rangoon	.. 1,400
Do.	.. Akyab	.. 210

Shipped during the week, 1,260 bags.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 28, 1922.

A. N. STRONG,
for Principal Collector.

Lease of Crown Land with Building.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Western Province will receive tenders for the purchase of the lease of the under-mentioned Crown land, with the building standing thereon, for a period of two years from April 1, 1922.

The tenders, which must be in sealed envelope, will be received at the Colombo Kachcheri, until 12 noon, on Wednesday, March 15, 1922, when they will be opened. All persons making the tenders will be required to be present or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agent that the tender is made *bona fide*.

Conditions of Sale.

1. The highest tenderer shall be declared the purchaser if the Government Agent considers desirable.
2. One-twelfth of the purchase amount shall be deposited in cash as security on the day of sale, and the rent shall be paid by the lessee in equal monthly instalments in advance.
3. The purchaser will be entitled to occupy the land and building, or to let them out on monthly tenancy.
4. The purchaser shall not cut down any trees or interfere with any existing fence, boundary, or building.
5. The purchaser shall keep the land and building clean, pay all rates and taxes, and comply with Sanitary Board regulations. Further, he shall effect all necessary repairs and keep the land and building in good order and condition to the satisfaction of the Government Agent, Western Province, or of a deputy acting under his orders.
6. The Government Agent or any one acting under his authority will be entitled to re-enter into occupation at any time on giving two months' notice to the lessee.
7. The purchaser shall not assign or transfer the lease of the premises without the written permission of the Government Agent, Western Province, so to do.
8. The purchaser shall be liable for all damage done to by the occupants.
9. If the whole or any portion of the premises is required by Government before the expiry of the lease, such whole or portion thereof shall be surrendered on two months' notice being given, in which case a proportionate reduction in the rental will be made for the unexpired period of the lease.
10. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions, the Government Agent shall have the power to resume possession of the premises and eject the purchaser therefrom without compensation.
11. The purchaser shall, at the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, deliver up the leased premises, with the building thereon, in good condition and repair to the Government Agent, Western Province, or to a deputy appointed by him.
12. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, February 21, 1922.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Government Agent.

Land referred to.

Municipal land at Egoda Kolonnawa (house and premises now on lease to Sadiris Perera).

Sale of the Materials of the Buildings standing on Government Model Farm Land.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Western Province will sell by auction on the spot on Thursday, March 16, at 10.30 A.M., the materials of the buildings standing on the Government Model Farm land at Kanatta.

CONDITIONS.

1. The purchaser shall demolish the buildings and remove the materials thereof within one month from the day of sale.
2. The purchase amount shall be paid in full on the day of sale.

3. The purchaser shall be held responsible for any damage done to the land.

4. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right to reject any or all bids.

The Kachcheri, C. J. DANE LANKTREE,
Colombo, February 25, 1922. for Government Agent.

Notice under "The Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 34 of 1921."**Restriction of the use of the word "Co-operative."**

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 40 of Ordinance No. 34 of 1921 which came into force from September 22, 1921:—

(1) No person other than a (Co-operative) Society registered under this Ordinance shall trade or carry on business under any name or title of which the word "Co-operative" is part without the sanction of the Governor in Executive Council.

Provided that nothing in this section shall apply to the use by any person or his successor in interest in any name or title under which he traded or carried on business at the date on which this Ordinance comes into operation.

(2) Whoever contravenes the provisions of this section shall be punishable on summary conviction before a Police Magistrate with fines which may extend to fifty rupees, and in the case of a continuing offence, with further fine of five rupees for each day on which the offence is continued after conviction therefor.

Any person or persons who were carrying on a trade or business with the word "Co-operative" as part of the name or title of such business or trade excepting the—

- (1) Jaffna Co-operative Stores, Ltd., Mahamandapa, Hospital street, Vannarponnai West, Jaffna;
- (2) A. R. Ephraums, Co-operative Company, Ltd., premises No. 37, Pedlar street, Fort, Galle;
- (3) Hindusthan Co-operative Insurance Society, Ltd., 13, First Cross street, Colombo;

and the Co-operative Credit Societies registered prior to September 22, 1921, under Ordinance No. 7 of 1911, are requested to communicate with the Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Department of Agriculture, Peradeniya.

F. A. STOCKDALE,
Registrar, Co-operative Societies.

Department of Agriculture,
Peradeniya, February 21, 1922.

Examination for Teachers, Certificate in Drawing, 1921.**Supplementary List of Successful Candidates:**

Index No.	Name.	Address.	Recommended by.
37A	de Silva, Alexander	204, China Gardens, Galle	T. Amarasuriya, Esq.

Education Office, EDWIN EVANS,
Colombo, February 20, 1922. for Director of Education.

London Intermediate Examinations in Arts, Science, and Science (Agriculture).

IT is notified that the special syllabus in Botany for the London Intermediate Examinations in Arts, Science, and Science (Agriculture) held in Ceylon has been amended by the substitution of "Algæ (Oedogonium and Pleurococcus)" for "Coleochaete and Ophioctyum."

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, February 22, 1922. Director of Education.

R/Kitulgala Girls' Vernacular School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. Father J. B. de Geradon, Galle, for a grant in aid of his Kitulgala Girls' Vernacular School, which is situated in Dehigampal korale, Ratnapura, District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than March 24, 1922.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, February 22, 1922. Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that F. G. Pearce, Esq., has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. D. Dhammissara :—

School referred to,

Piyaratna High School, Dodanduwa.

Education Office,
Colombo, February 23, 1922.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

University of London—B. A. Examination.

THE External Registrar of the University of London has intimated to me that the Senate of the University have acceded to my request that candidates may be permitted to offer Geography as a subject for the B. A. Examination to be held in Ceylon in and after 1922.

Education Office,
Colombo, February 28, 1922.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Commercial Certificate Examination, December, 1921.

THE following candidates have passed the examination for Commercial Certificates held in December, 1921, and are granted the certificate of the Ceylon Chamber of Commerce against their names :—

Index No.	Name.	School.	Certificates gained.
31	Fonseka, H. P. C.	St. Aloysius's College, Galle	Mercantile Clerks'
34	Jansz, E.	do.	Shorthand Typists' and Mercantile Clerks'
36	Anthony, M. W.	St. Benedict's College, Colombo	Shorthand Typists'
37	Boeks, J. C.	do.	Shorthand Typists' and Mercantile Clerks'
49	Perera, B. S.	do.	Mercantile Clerks'

Education Office,
Colombo, February 21, 1922.

EDWIN EVANS,
for Director of Education.

Commercial Certificate Examination, December, 1921.

THE following are the results of the candidates who failed to secure the certificates. "P" denotes pass, horizontal line "—" failure, and "a" absence :—

Index No.	English Composition.	Writing.	Commercial Terms.	Shorthand.	Typewriting.	Arithmetic.	Bookkeeping.	Commercial Geography.	Index No.	English Composition.	Writing.	Commercial Terms.	Shorthand.	Typewriting.	Arithmetic.	Bookkeeping.	Commercial Geography.	Index No.	English Composition.	Writing.	Commercial Terms.	Shorthand.	Typewriting.	Arithmetic.	Bookkeeping.	Commercial Geography.
1	—	p	p	—	—	p	p	p	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	52	p	—	p	—	—	—	p	p
2	—	p	p	—	—	p	p	p	25	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p	53	—	—	p	—	—	—	p	p
3	—	—	p	—	—	—	p	p	26	—	—	p	—	p	—	p	p	54	—	—	p	—	p	—	p	p
4	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	55	—	p	p	—	—	p	p	p
5	—	—	—	—	p	—	p	p	28	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	—	56	—	p	—	—	—	p	p	p
6	Absent.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p	57	—	—	p	—	p	p	p	p
7	—	—	—	—	p	—	p	—	30	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p	58	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	p
8	—	—	—	—	p	—	p	—	32	p	p	p	—	p	—	—	—	59	—	p	p	—	—	p	p	p
9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	33	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p	60	—	p	p	—	—	—	—	p
10	Absent.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35	—	—	p	—	p	p	p	p	61	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p
11	—	p	p	p	p	p	p	p	38	—	—	p	—	p	p	p	p	62	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	p
12	Absent.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	—	—	p	a	a	p	p	p	63	—	—	p	—	—	—	—	p
13	Absent.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40	—	—	p	—	p	p	p	p	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	p
14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	41	—	—	p	—	p	p	p	p	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p	42	—	—	p	—	—	—	p	p	66	—	—	p	—	—	p	p	p
16	—	—	p	p	p	p	p	p	43	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	67	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	—	—	—	—	p	—	—	p	44	p	p	—	—	—	p	—	p	68	—	—	p	—	—	—	—	p
18	—	—	—	—	—	p	—	p	45	—	p	p	—	—	p	—	p	69	—	—	—	—	—	p	p	p
19	—	—	—	—	p	—	p	—	46	—	—	p	a	a	p	p	p	70	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	p
20	—	—	p	—	p	p	p	p	47	—	—	—	—	—	p	—	p	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	p
21	—	—	p	—	—	p	—	—	48	—	p	p	—	—	p	p	p	72	—	—	p	—	p	—	—	a
22	—	—	p	—	—	p	—	—	50	—	p	p	—	—	p	p	p	73	—	—	a	—	p	a	a	p
23	—	—	—	—	—	—	p	—	51	—	—	p	p	p	p	p	p	74	p	—	p	—	—	—	p	p

Education Office,
Colombo, February 21, 1922.

EDWIN EVANS,
for Director of Education.

Railway Clerical Service.

AN examination for admission of candidates to Class II., Grade II, of the Railway Clerical Service will be held on April 24, 25, and 26, 1922, and candidates desirous of presenting themselves for same should apply to me for forms on or before March 22, 1922.

Applications from candidates who are under 17 or over 23 years of age on April 24, 1922, and/or who are not of good physique or have not passed one of the following examinations :—

Elementary School-leaving Certificate Examination ;

Cambridge Junior or Senior Local Examination ;

Cambridge Junior or Senior School Examination ;

will not be considered.

Applications for forms must be in candidates' own handwriting, the date of birth and educational qualification to be stated therein.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, February 23, 1922.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated February 14, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,244 of February 17, 1922, the premises bearing assessment No. 60, situated at Wellawatta, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas 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 February 22, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, February 23, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated February 9, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,244 of February 17, 1922, the premises known as Padmagiri, Regent 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 February 22, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, February 24, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 22, 1921, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,231 of December 2, 1921, Bovitia in Ampitiya village of Kolonwinne Arachchi's wasama of Buttala-Wedirata korale of Buttala division of the Province of Uva was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said areas, it is hereby declared that the said areas specified in the said proclamation is free from disease and is no longer infected.

Badulla Kachcheri, G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
February 24, 1922. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 22, 1921, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,231 of December 2, 1921, Wedikumbura in Kolonwinne Arachchi's wasama of Buttala-Wedirata korale of Buttala division of the Province of Uva was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby declared that the said areas specified in the said proclamation is free from disease and is no longer infected.

Badulla Kachcheri, G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
February 24, 1922. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 27, 1921, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,232 of December 9, 1921, Badalkumbura in Kandukara korale of Buttala division of the Province of Uva was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is

hereby declared that the said areas specified in the said proclamation is free from disease and is no longer infected.

Badulla Kachcheri,
February 24, 1922.

G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 27, 1921, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,232 of December 9, 1921, Alupota in Kandukara korale of Buttala division of the Province of Uva was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby declared that the said area specified in the said proclamation is free from disease and is no longer infected.

Badulla Kachcheri,
February 24, 1922.

G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 27, 1921, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,232 of December 9, 1921, Talawatta in Kandukara korale of Buttala division of the Province of Uva was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said areas, it is hereby declared that the said areas specified in the said proclamation is free from disease and is no longer infected.

Badulla Kachcheri,
February 24, 1922.

G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated November 27, 1921, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,232 of December 9, 1921, Batugammuna in Buttala-Wedirata korale of Buttala division of the Province of Uva was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby declared that the said areas specified in the said proclamation is free from disease and is no longer infected.

Badulla Kachcheri,
February 24, 1922.

G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 64, situated at Wasala road, Kotahena, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909 to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from February 24, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, February 27, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Ellagawa, in the Meda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, Ratnapura District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area, bounded on the north by Ellakanda, south by Kalu-ganga, east by dola, near Government dispensary, west by Ketakada-ela, is infected in terms of section 5 (1), (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from February 28, 1922.

Ratnapura Kachcheri,
February 28, 1922.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Government Agent.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Kuttapitiya, in the Uda pattu of Nawadun korale, Ratnapura District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area, bounded on the north by Kuttapitiya rubber estate, south by Dewalewelyaya, east by Pansalewatta, west by Naran-goda-ela, is infected in terms of section 5 (1), (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from February 28, 1922.

Ratnapura Kachcheri,
February 28, 1922.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Government Agent.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Mahara in Panawal korale west of Three Korales, in the Kegalla District: 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, west, and south by Eheliya-goda village, and on the north by Asgangula village.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

Kegalla Kachcheri,
February 27, 1922.

A. G. RANASINHA,
for Assistant Government Agent.

Hoof Disease.

WHEREAS hoof disease has broken out in the village Mahara, in Panawal korale west of Three Korales, in the Kegalla District: 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, west, and south by Eheliyagoda village, and on the north by Asgangula village.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

Kegalla Kachcheri,
February 27, 1922.

A. G. RANASINHA,
for Assistant Government Agent.

Abstract of Cooly Labourers on Estates in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended September 30, 1921.

District.	Number of Estates.	Number of Immigrant Labourers.			Number of Births.	Number of Deaths.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
<i>Western Province.</i>						
Colombo ..	97	7,607	6,466	14,073	179	74
Kalutara ..	127	14,368	12,413	26,781	375	126
<i>Central Province.</i>						
Kandy ..	644	67,655	68,886	136,541	1,717	1,005
Nuwara Eliya ..	210	40,306	40,958	81,264	1,090	566
Matale ..	135	14,124	12,912	27,036	333	238
<i>Southern Province.</i>						
Galle ..	43	3,600	2,862	6,462	121	47
Matara ..	27	2,919	2,657	5,576	70	28
<i>North-Western Province.</i>						
Kurunegala ..	82	4,076	3,003	7,084	70	95
Puttalam ..	6	26	19	45	—	1
Chilaw ..	13	204	93	297	3	3
<i>Province of Uva.</i>						
Badulla ..	204	34,443	33,635	68,078	816	539
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>						
Ratnapura ..	114	19,884	17,644	37,528	471	273
Kegalla ..	146	18,859	17,384	36,243	490	211

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 18, 1922.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Goods Traffic for the Month of December, 1921.

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended	Month ended	Increase in 1921.	Decrease in 1921.	Nett Increase or Decrease from October 1, 1920, to December 31, 1921.	
	December 31, 1920.	December 31, 1921.			Increase in 1920 to 1921.	Decrease in 1920 to 1921.
	Tons.	Tons.			Tons.	Tons.
Kerosine oil ..	436	650	214	—	404	—
Rubber ..	3,646	4,079	433	—	766	—
Rice ..	14,348	15,660	1,312	—	2,773	—
Tea ..	7,950	7,175	—	775	1,329	—
Cacao ..	164	526	362	—	841	—
Coconut produce ..	6,782	8,457	1,675	—	407	—
Fruit and vegetables ..	1,565	1,672	107	—	—	637
Tea and rubber packing ..	859	1,373	514	—	877	—
Plumbago ..	154	55	—	99	—	409
Bulk petroleum ..	678	684	6	—	21	—
Liquid fuel ..	973	1,163	190	—	328	—
Manure ..	1,732	11,063	9,331	—	18,737	—
Other goods ..	23,734	25,124	1,390	—	—	1,625
Railway material (open line) ..	10,282	10,079	—	203	173	—
Railway material (extensions) ..	711	526	—	185	—	709
Breakwater material ..	1,333	984	—	349	—	466
Foreign traffic ..	2,299	10,436	8,137	—	12,084	—
Special Traffic (other Government Departments) ..	—	3,499	3,499	—	8,052	—
Total ..	77,646	103,205	27,170	1,611	46,792	3,846

Colombo, February 16, 1922.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo, on March 1, 1922.

	Wholesale.		Retail.		Wholesale.	Per	Retail.	
	Per	Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.				Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.
Paddy, Country	.. Bushel	.. —	.. Measure	.. —	Sugar, Brown	.. —	.. lb.	.. —
Paddy, Imported	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. —	Salt	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 12
Rice, Country	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. —	Salt	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 6
Rice, Kara	.. do.	.. 6 12	.. do.	.. 0 20	Dried Chillies	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 38
Rice, Kallunda	.. do.	.. 5 75	.. do.	.. 0 19	Coriander	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 24
Rice, Sulai	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. —	Pepper	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 44
Rice, Muttusamba	.. do.	.. 8 25	.. do.	.. 0 26	Garlic	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 24
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	.. do.	.. 5 75	.. do.	.. —	Mustard	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 36
Raw Rice (Singapore)	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. —	Turmeric	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 23
Raw Rice (Batavia)	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. —	Fenugreek	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 20
Dhall (Tuvarai)	.. do.	.. —	.. Seer	.. 0 38	Cummin	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 44
Dhall (Mussouri)	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 26	Aniseed	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 32
Green Peas	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 22	Tamarind	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 11
Ulundu	.. do.	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 26	Jaggery	.. —	.. Bundle	.. 0 36
Gram	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 27	Gingelly	.. —	.. Seer	.. 0 28
Wheat Flour	.. —	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 16	Gingelly Oil	.. —	.. Bottle	.. 1 25
American Flour	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 15	Coconut Oil	.. —	.. Measure	.. 0 60
Ghee, Cow	.. —	.. —	.. Seer	.. 5 50	Kerosine Oil, Daylight	.. —	.. Bottle	.. 0 26
Ghee, Buffalo	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 3 0	Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 24
Milk	.. —	.. —	.. Bottle	.. 0 40	Matches, Three Stars	.. —	.. Packet of	.. 0 24
Potatoes (Indian)	.. —	.. —	.. lb.	.. —			12 boxes	.. 0 21
Potatoes (Bangalore)	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 10	Matches (Japanese)	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 35
Onions (Bombay)	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 7	Beef	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 80
Onions, Red	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 8	Mutton	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 60
Bread	.. —	.. —	.. 1-lb. loaf	.. 0 18	Pork	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 75
Tea	.. —	.. —	.. lb.	.. 1 12	Chickens	.. —	.. Each	.. 0 6
Coffee	.. —	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 44	Eggs	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 25
Limes	.. —	.. —	.. Dozen	.. 0 8	Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 75
Coconuts	.. —	.. —	.. Each	.. 0 9	messan)	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 25
Sugar, Soft	.. —	.. —	.. lb.	.. 0 22	Dry Fish (Maldive)	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 75
Sugar, Crepe	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 20				
Sugar (Ceylon)	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. —				
Sugar Candy	.. —	.. —	.. do.	.. 0 32				

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
The Municipal Office, Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
Colombo, March 1, 1922. Municipal Council.

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on January 21, 1922, at 8 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated January 17, 1922.

Present :—The Hon. Mr. C. S. Vaughan, Chairman ; J. C. Ratwatte ; Mr. L. H. S. Pieris ; Dr. J. W. S. Attygalle ; Mr. G. E. de Silva ; Dr. C. de Vos ; Mr. A. Vallipuram ; and Dr. G. P. Hay.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on December 17, 1921, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted :—(a) Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1920 to December 31, 1921, on account of the Municipal Fund ; (b) Progress report of works brought up to the same date ; (c) Health Officer's report for December ; (d) Statements of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of December ; (e) the reservoir readings for December.

Resolved that the statement (a), together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, as required by section 83 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, be forwarded to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, sandpipes, and house service taps inspected during December.

4. Correspondence :—

(1) Letter No. 1 of January 5, 1922, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary forwarding copy of letter from the Commandant, Royal Engineers, re proposed road from Asgiriya to Kandy.—Resolved that tenders be called for for the construction of the road for work other than consolidation.

(2) Letter No. 2 of January 9, 1922, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary sanctioning the levy during 1922 of a water-rate of 6 per cent. on the annual value of houses and buildings and lands and tenements in the water-served area of the town.—Read.

(3) Letter of January 9, 1922, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary nominating Mr. W. W. Woods to be Auditor of the accounts of the Municipality of Kandy for the year 1922—for the information of the Chairman.—Read.

(4) Letter No. 292 of December 20, 1921, from the Government Agent, Central Province, forwarding claim for Rs. 49.43 for survey of land at Katugastota for the Municipal Grain Shed.—Resolved that the amount be paid.

(5) Letter No. 72,091 of January 7, 1922, from the Postmaster-General forwarding an application from the Uniform Staff of the Kandy Post Office for the use of the model dwellings erected at Katukelle.—Resolved that applications be invited from persons desiring to rent out the dwellings, and that the terms of tenancy be as follows :—(i.) The rent of each

dwelling house to be Rs. 10 a month, payable in advance on or before the 10th of each month for which the rent is due ; (ii.) a month's rent (Rs. 10) to be deposited with the Council as security before occupation ; (iii.) the houses not to be sub-let.

The Standing Committee on General Subjects to be asked to report on the applications to the Council.

(6) Letter of January 9, 1922, from the Superintendent of Works applying for the following re-votes :—

	Rs.	c.
Estimate 23, side drains, Peradeniya road	170	20
Estimate 28/20, play ground, Katugastota road	332	41
Afforestation	299	75
Estimate 26, repairs to main sewer	1,174	60
Estimate 31, building a granary, Railway approach road	10,031	54
Estimate 35, building drain, Hantane road	350	0
Clearing rank vegetation	196	69
Building a platform to place the gun	180	0

Resolved that the re-votes be taken. The Colonial Auditor to be consulted as to whether the procedure now followed in regard to re-votes is in order.

(7) Letter No. 9 of January 11, 1922, from the Treasurer *re* loan for Kandy town improvements.—Read.

5. Report of the Superintendent of Works on the suggested level crossing opposite the Kandy Police Station.—Resolved that the General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway, be consulted on the matter.

6. Papers *re* proposed house allowance of Rs. 100 a month to the Chief Executive Engineer of the Board of Improvement Commissioners, Kandy. Dr. Attygalle proposed that the allowance be granted. Dr. Hay seconded.

The motion was put to the Meeting and carried by 5 to 3.

Ayes.—Dr. Attygalle, Dr. Hay, Dr. de Vos, Mr. Vallipuram, and the Chairman.

Noes.—Mr. de Silva, Mr. Ratwatte, Mr. Pieris.

Mr. de Silva gave notice that he would send in his written dissent.

7. Estimate for Rs. 4,200 for four additional retail grain sheds on the market grounds.—The Chairman proposed that the site be approved, and that the estimate be passed. Dr. Attygalle seconded.—The motion was carried. Mr. de Silva dissenting.

8. Supplemental Budget No. 2 of 1921.—Resolved that the Budget be adopted.

9. Draft address of welcome to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. On the Chairman's motion the Council went into Committee, and it was agreed that the text of the address, as drafted by the Chairman, be approved. The Council resumed, and it was resolved that the draft address be adopted.

10. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

Finance and Assessment.

(1) That the employment of a substitute at 50 cents a day for Peon Sadiris, who has been on sick leave from November 21, 1921, be sanctioned.

(2) That the Medical Officer of Health be paid 50 cents a mile as car mileage for inspection of dairies outside Municipal limits.

Municipal Works.

(3) That the estimate of Rs. 35·90 for wiring of an additional lamp over the Shroff's table be passed.

(4) That the following applications for water service be allowed on usual terms :—(i.) 133, Peradeniya road, D. G. Weerasinghe ; (ii.) 24 and 25, King street, K. Ibrahim Lebbe.

(5) That the estimate of Rs. 1,446 for repairs to steam roller be passed.—Resolved that the recommendations be adopted.

11. To sanction leave in excess of 30 days granted during 1921 to the following :—Accountant, 2½ days ; Sanitary Inspector (Mr. G. B. de Silva), 1 day ; Assistant Supervisor of Conservancy, 26 days ; Assistant Superintendent of Works, 3 days ; Peon Sadiris, 26 days.

12. To re-appoint the following Special Committees :—

(i.) Special Committee appointed to investigate into the causes of the high rate of infant mortality in Kandy, and to suggest what measures the Council should adopt to reduce the numbers of such deaths. (Dr. de Vos, Dr. Hay, Dr. Attygalle, and the Chairman).

(ii.) Special Committee appointed to submit a report on the necessity or otherwise for legislation on the lines of the Rents Restriction Act of 1920. (Messrs. Ratwatte, Pieris, Bingham, Dr. Attygalle, and the Chairman).

(iii.) Special Committee appointed to inquire generally into the working of the various departments, with a view to re-organization of the same as will ensure retrenchment coupled with greater efficiency. (Dr. Attygalle, Mr. Pieris, Dr. Hay, Mr. Bingham, Mr. de Silva, and the Chairman).

Mr. de Silva moved that the Special Committees be re-appointed with the addition of Mr. Ratwatte to Committee (iii.).

Mr. Pieris seconded.—Carried.

13. To elect the Standing Committees for the year 1922. The election resulted as follows :—

Law and General Subjects.—Messrs. L. H. S. Pieris, G. E. de Silva, and A. Vallipuram.

Finance and Assessment.—Mr. J. C. Ratwatte, Dr. J. W. S. Attygalle, and Dr. G. P. Hay.

Markets and Sanitation.—Dr. J. W. S. Attygalle, Dr. C. de Vos, and Dr. G. P. Hay.

Municipal Works.—Messrs. J. C. Ratwatte, L. H. S. Pieris, and P. M. Bingham.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements, January 1 to 31, 1922.

REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1922.		Actual Receipts January, 1922.		EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1922.		Actual Disbursements, January, 1922.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Consolidated rate	121,800	0	10,217	63	Secretariat	38,958	31	2,411	61
Taxes	26,705	0	2,342	0	Health Department	88,357	18	1,792	92
Tolls	26,660	0	—	—	Works Department	88,875	30	4,146	97
Licenses and stamp duties—					Public market	5,886	0	459	53
(a) Licenses	4,500	0	856	69	Slaughter-house	2,620	0	197	32
(b) Stamp duties	12,005	0	—	—	Cemetery	1,510	0	111	36
Public market rents	44,650	0	2,255	50	Municipal Court	1,645	57	135	50
Slaughter-house fees	9,461	0	774	50	Municipal school	2,178	0	151	50
Conservancy fees	23,600	0	1,547	70	Government loans	15,311	50	—	—
Judicial fines	3,500	0	175	88	Pensions	1,823	38	164	0
Water service	14,475	0	475	27	Miscellaneous services—				
Miscellaneous receipts	50,650	0	1,333	57	(a) Police	30,000	0	—	—
Total Revenue	338,006	0	19,978	74	(b) Street lighting	28,700	0	2,320	65
					(c) Miscellaneous	31,950	0	2,377	35
Deposits	—	—	28	85	Total Expenditure	337,815	24	14,268	71
Advances	—	—	200	20	Deposits	—	—	130	90
Stall rent securities	—	—	25	0	Advances	—	—	2,005	90
Sundry securities	—	—	603	0	Stall rent securities	—	—	30	0
Municipal Court fines, awards	—	—	175	50	Municipal Court fines, awards	—	—	118	50
Lettering vehicles, fees	—	—	43	50	Lettering vehicles, fees	—	—	11	0
Cheques returned by bank, uncashed	—	—	244	0	Cheques returned by bank, uncashed	—	—	384	0
Municipal stores	—	—	1,101	42	Municipal stores	—	—	152	46
Library deposits	—	—	14	10	Petty cash imprest	—	—	500	0
Loan for model dwellings	—	—	75,000	0	Loan for model dwellings	—	—	17,169	65
Total Receipts			97,414	31	Total Disbursements			34,771	12
Cash balance on January 1, 1922			77,301	76	Cash balance on January 31, 1922			139,944	95
Grand Total			174,716	7	Grand Total			174,716	7

Kandy, February 15, 1922.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

Balance Sheet, January 31, 1922.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Deposits on account of—						Cash in Mercantile Bank—					
Stall rent securities	3,348	0				Fixed deposit	35,000	0			
Sundry securities	4,066	43				Current account	84,944	95			
Library deposits	209	7							119,944	95	
Miscellaneous deposits	1,074	94				Cash in National Bank—					
						Fixed deposit	20,000	0			
Suspense account	—	—								139,944	95
Loan for model dwellings	75,000	0				Advances on account of—					
Less expenditure incurred	17,169	65				Wages of coolies	1,609	50			
						Supply of rice	78	46			
Surplus :—						Miscellaneous	254	84			1,942
Surplus from 1921	73,324	14									80
Add revenue, January 1 to 31, 1922	19,978	74				Investment in Ceylon War Loan					
						Bonds—					
Less expenditure, January 1 to 31, 1922	14,268	71				Petty cash imprest	—	—		500	0
						Municipal stores	—	—		5,447	26
						Cheques returned by bank, uncashed	—	—		140	0
Total			147,975	1		Total			147,975	1	

Kandy, February 15, 1922.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

List of Licensed Auctioneers and Brokers.

LIST of persons to whom licenses have been granted, under the Ordinance No. 15 of 1889, to practise as auctioneers and brokers within the limits of the Galle Municipality during the year 1922 :—

Auctioneers.

- | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. M. I. Mohamed Zain | 6. J. D. S. Munasinghe |
| 2. M. A. Samado | 7. K. J. Gabriel |
| 3. J. E. Goonewardene | 8. K. G. Bennet de Silva |
| 4. W. Kodikara | 9. W. H. L. de Silva |
| 5. K. P. Henry de Silva | 10. R. L. Ephraums |

Brokers.

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|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. O. L. M. Mohamado | 3. Okanda Hewage John |
| 2. M. A. Samado | 4. J. E. Goonewardene |

By order,

The Municipal Office,
Galle, February 25, 1922.ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

Application for Leave to amend a Specification.

NOTICE is hereby given that any person or persons intending to oppose the under-mentioned application must leave at the Patent Office within three months from the date of this *Gazette*, notice on Form I of his or their objections thereto.

N.B.—The paging referred to is that of the duplicate fair copy of the Specification at the Patent Office. Office copies can be supplied at a charge of Rs. 7.50 each.

No. 1,740.—L'AIR LIQUIDE SOCIETE ANONYME POUR L'ETUDE ET L'EXPLOITATION DES PROCÉDES GEORGES CLAUDE, of 48, Rue St. Lazare, Paris, in the Republic of France, seek leave to amend the Specification of Letters Patent numbered as above and granted to them for "Process of effecting exothermic chemical syntheses taking place under pressure and at a high temperature" alleging as the reason:—"That we are advised that the Specification is too wide, and consequently we desire to limit the scope and to make certain passages clearer."

The proposed amendments are as follows:—

On page 1.

Title.—To alter to capitals the initial letters of the words effecting, exothermic, chemical, syntheses, pressure, high, temperature.

Line 1.—To place acute accents over each E in the word "SOCIETE".

On page 3.

Line 8.—To insert "(and even" between the words "atmospheres" and "comparable".

Line 9.—To insert ")" after "artillery" and the word "herein" between "are" and "called".

Line 20.—Delete.

Line 21.—Delete the words "present application" and "which".

Line 22.—Delete.

On page 4.

Line 15.—Substitute the word "In" for the word "If".

Line 16.—Delete the words "is taken as an example, at the same time observing".

Line 17.—Delete.

On page 4.

Line 18.—Delete the word "reactions".

On page 8.

Line 28.—Delete.

On page 9.

Line 4.—Delete the words "the case, taken by way of example of".

On page 11.

Line 4.—Delete the words "exothermic chemical syn-".

Line 5.—Delete.

Line 6.—Delete the words "and in particular for carrying out".

Line 12.—Delete the words "gaseous exothermic".

Line 13.—Insert the word "the" before the word "chemical" substitute the word "synthesis" for the word "syntheses" and insert the words "of ammonia" between the words "synthesis" and "substantially".

February 20, 1922.

W. N. RAE,
Registrar of Patents.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Alawatugoda-Aneoombra Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held on Tuesday, March 14, 1922, at Ancoombra bungalow, at 9 A.M.

Business.

The Local Committee to determine and make report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

(1) The lengths of the sections of the road used by the estates interested.

(2) The estates which, in their opinion, are interested in and will use each section of the road or of any part thereof.

(3) The acreage or reputed acreage of the land belonging to each estate.

(4) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents.

(5) To frame an estimate for maintenance for 1922.

(6) To pass and approve of the expenditure and accounts for 1921.

The Committee Meeting to be followed by a General Meeting of the estates' representatives for the election of a Local Committee for the above road for 1922-23.

N.B.—At the General Meeting there should be present proprietors or resident managers to represent not less than one-third of the acreage in the district.

Ancoombra Group,
Matale, February 14, 1922.

H. OORLOFF COMBE,
Chairman.

Wanarajah Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Wednesday, March 15, 1922, at Castlereagh Bridge, at 11 A.M.

Business.

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

(a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road.

(b) The sections of the road used by these estates.

(c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of the estates—

for the assessment of the moiety of cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1922.

Lethenty group, E. H. B. NORRISH,
Hatton, February 27, 1922. Chairman, Local Committee.

Talatuoya-Kirimetiya Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, a meeting of the estate representatives interested in the above road will be held on Tuesday, March 14, 1922, at Bellwood Factory, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to serve for two years.

This meeting should consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than $\frac{1}{3}$ of the acreage.

The number of members to be elected should be not less than two and not more than five.

Immediately after the election the Local Committee will hold a meeting to consider the following business, viz. :—

To consider and frame an estimate for maintenance of road for the year commencing October 1, 1921.

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

(a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road.

(b) The sections of the road used by these estates.

(c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,
Kandy, February 28, 1922. Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

BOARD OF IMPROVEMENT, NUWARA ELIYA.
Abstract of Accounts for 1921.

Revenue.		Amount.	Expenditure.		Amount.
		Rs. c.			Rs. c.
Taxes	..	54,884 30	Cost of administration	..	18,550 44
Licenses	..	10,464 18	Maintenance of public works	..	24,333 58
Rents	..	15,884 98	Interest and sinking fund on loans	..	14,632 46
Fines	..	513 25	Miscellaneous (sanitary charges, &c.)	..	41,983 27
Miscellaneous (conservancy fees, &c.)	..	18,740 69	New works	..	7,369 40
Other receipts	..	20,317 51	Other payments	..	22,079 65
Balance brought forward from preceding year	..	33,445 72	Balance on December 31, 1921	..	25,301 83
Total	..	154,250 63	Total	..	154,250 63

Statement of Loan and Grant received from Government in 1920.

Rs. c.		Rs. c.			
Amount received on account grant	..	28,500 0	Amounts spent on account grant	..	26,250 0
Amount received on account loan	..	28,500 0	Amounts spent on account loan	..	7,330 9
Total	..	57,000 0	Total	..	33,580 9

Statement of Debt for 1921.
Particulars.

Particulars.		Amount.
		Rs. c.
Balance debt on December 31, 1921, on account of consolidated loans	..	114,588 8
Balance debt on December 31, 1921, on account of loan for building concrete drains, beef and fish stalls	..	19,500 0
Balance debt on December 31, 1921, on account of loan for Sanitary Inspector's quarters, park, cooly lines, new model dwellings, improvements to model dwellings, bathing places, and removal of slaughter-house	..	25,650 0
Total	..	159,738 8

Statement of Liabilities and Assets on December 31, 1921.

Liabilities.		Rs. c.	Assets.		Rs. c.
Deposit account	..	1,317 86	In fixed deposit	..	25,000 0
Rice profits	..	3,523 9	In Bank	..	23,721 74
Unexpended balance on account loan of Rs. 28,500	..	21,169 91			
Unexpended balance on account grant of Rs. 28,500	..	2,250 0			
Balance surplus	..	20,460 88			
Total	..	48,721 74	Total	..	48,721 74

Board of Improvement Office,
Nuwara Eliya, February 27, 1922.E. T. DYSON,
Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD, BADULLA.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for 1921.

Revenue.		Rs. c.	Expenditure.		Rs. c.
Taxes	..	17,874 34	Interest and sinking fund on loan	..	5,361 62
Licenses	..	2,419 98	Establishment	..	5,166 45
Rents	..	2,574 74	Office contingencies	..	675 6
Fines	..	687 35	Revenue services	..	1,091 15
Miscellaneous	..	11,910 37	Sanitation	..	4,954 75
Loan from Government for improvement of water supply	..	20,000 0	Conservancy scheme	..	5,094 11
Advance account	..	300 0	Mosquito brigade	..	171 93
Deposit account	..	618 27	Street lighting	..	2,696 62
			Police charges	..	31 0
			Public works	..	7,662 48
			Public work extraordinary	..	8,341 9
			Miscellaneous	..	677 20
			Advance account	..	3,300 0
			Deposit account	..	508 84
Balance on December 31, 1920	..	56,385 5			
Total	..	65,588 6	Total	..	65,588 6

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on December 31, 1921.

Assets.		Rs. c.	Liabilities.		Rs. c.
Cash at Kachcheri	..	19,857 76	Balance	..	19,857 76
Total	..	19,857 76	Total	..	19,857 76

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure for 1922.

Revenue.		Rs. c.	Expenditure		Rs. c.
Taxes	..	17,813 24	Interest and sinking fund on loan	..	4,841 62
Licenses	..	4,265 0	Establishment	..	5,344 45
Rents	..	2,595 32	Office contingencies	..	680 0
Fines	..	500 0	Revenue services	..	1,286 86
Miscellaneous	..	12,511 17	Sanitation	..	5,171 56
			Conservancy scheme	..	4,743 25
			Mosquito brigade	..	146 0
			Street lighting	..	3,466 70
			Police charges	..	50 0
			Public works	..	10,308 48
			Public works extraordinary	..	3,130 44
			Miscellaneous	..	551 2
Anticipated balance on December 31, 1921	..	37,684 73	Anticipated balance on December 31, 1922	..	39,720 61
Total	..	44,336 97	Total	..	44,336 97

Local Board,
Badulla, February 20, 1922.R. A. G. FESTING,
Chairman.LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND IMPROVEMENT,
KEGALLA.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1921.

Revenue.		Rs. c.	Expenditure.		Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1920	..	399 14	Interest and sinking fund on loans	..	1,020 0
Taxes	..	7,456 54	Cost of administration	..	2,593 89
Licenses	..	2,722 47	Education, Towns Schools	..	
Rents	..	1,806 74	Ordinance	..	82 50
Fines	..	211 25	Sanitation	..	2,374 71
Miscellaneous	..	40 93	Lighting	..	1,242 54
Deposit	..	632 97	Police	..	8 0
Refund of advances	..	60 15	Public works	..	2,024 55
			Miscellaneous	..	732 99
			Advances	..	517 50
			Deposit	..	324 0
			Balance	..	10,920 68
Total	..	13,330 19	Total	..	13,330 19

Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

Liabilities.		Rs. c.	Assets.		Rs. c.
Balance surplus	..	2,409 51	Cash in Kachcheri	..	2,409 51
Total	..	2,409 51	Total	..	2,409 51

February 23, 1922.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chairman.

RESULTS OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS

STATIONS	OBSERVER.	Height above Sea Level.	RAINFALL.				No. of Days on which Registered.	Mean Daily Horizontal Movement of Air.	The Resultant Direction of the Wind. N = 0° E = 90° S = 180° W = 270°	BAROMETRIC PRESSURE.	
			Total No. of Inches.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours.						Mean Reading.	
						Date.				At 9 ^h A.M.	At 3 ^h P.M.
1 Colombo	Mr. F. A. P. Pullenayegum	24	2.12	0.76	9th—10th	9	143	10	29.909	29.786	
2 Puttalam	" H. M. C. Muttukistna	27	3.89	2.42	9th—10th	5	143	30	29.927	29.806	
3 Mannar	" A. Chelliah	12	2.73	1.56	9th—10th	6	191	35	29.945	29.832	
4 Jaffna	" T. K. Toussaint	14	2.68	0.80	7th—8th	7	123	55	29.950	29.841	
5 Trincomalee	" K. Karunakaram	99	2.44	0.85	8th—9th	8	196	40	29.927	29.825	
6 Batticaloa	" S. V. Duraiappah	26	11.34	4.25	7th—8th	13	231	25	29.918	29.835	
7 Hambantota	" S. R. Andreas	64	1.13	0.25	26th—27th	7	322	55	29.890	29.772	
8 Galle	" S. de S. Samarasingho	13	0.88	0.44	10th—11th	8	110	320	29.899	29.796	
9 Ratnapura	" C. A. Jansz	113	5.81	1.71	1st—2nd	12	..	..	29.905	29.765
10 Anuradhapura	" C. Alexander	295	1.21	0.49	31—1st Feb.	7	..	..	..	..
11 Kurunegala	" M. J. Salay	381	1.80	0.56	9th—10th	6	..	..	29.911	29.783
12 Kandy	" H. M. T. Premaratna	1654	3.24	1.40	1st—2nd	9	..	..	28.306	28.195
13 Badulla	" H. M. P. Gunatilaka	2225	..	1.37	5th—6th	16	..	..	27.806	27.711
14 Diyatalawa (Survey)	" H. R. Fernando	4129	4.25	0.80	5th—6th	12	124	..	..	..
15 Hakgala, Nuwara Eliya	" P. B. Kiridene	5581	5.70	1.32	5th—6th	0	..	..	..	..
16 Nuwara Eliya	" R. B. Kulugammena	6188	3.13	0.90	5th—6th	10	..	..	24.116	24.055

STATION.	NAME OF SENDER.	Height above Sea Level.	RAINFALL.			
			Total No. of Inches.	No. of Days on which Registered.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours.	Date.
17 Alagalla Railway Station	Telegraph Master, C. G. R.	1062	2.02	6	0.05	
18 Allai Tank, Toppur	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, Trincomalee	20	2.13	7	1.09	
19 Alutnuwara Field Hospital	Medical Officer, Alutnuwara, Badulla	300	9.58	7	4.15	
20 Ambalantota	Divisional Agricultural Officer, S. D., Galle	..	0.64	4	0.38	
21 Ambanpitiya	District Engineer, Kegalla	729	1.88	8	0.98	
22 Ampare Tank	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	118	9.59	9	2.69	
23 Anamadua Dispensary	Apothecary, Anamadua	..	..	..	..
24 Andankulam Tank, Trincomalee	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, Trincomalee	40	3.90	9	1.00	
25 Annfield Estate, Dikoya	Mr. H. B. Daniell	4300	1.83	8	0.82	
26 Anningkanda Estate, Deniyaya	Mr. E. C. Anderson	1400	6.66	12	1.63	
27 Arachchi Amuna	Subdivisional Officer, Tangalla, S. D., Weraketiya	135	2.40	8	1.08	
28 Aranayaka Dispensary	Apothecary, Aranayaka	1000	0.27	3	0.10	
29 Atarugiriya Estate, Homagama	Mr. George de Saram	100	1.98	3	1.20	
30 Avissawella	District Engineer, Avissawella	105	5.01	7	1.08	
31 Avissawella Estate, Puwakpitiya	Mr. R. St. G. Jackson	250	3.78	4	2.28	
32 Baddegama Estate, Baddegama	Mr. E. D. Bowman	50	4.05	10	1.9	
33 Badulluwella Dispensary	Apothecary, Badulluwella, Monaragala	450	7.78	9	2.0	
34 Bandaragama	Divisional Agricultural Officer, S. D., Galle	..	5.08	3	5.1	
35 Bandarawela	Dr. G. S. Van Rooyen	4036	..	..	..
36 Batalagodawewa Tank	Subdivisional Officer, Deduru-oya Subdivision, Ibbagamuwa	..	..	..	..
37 Battulu-oya Resthouse	R. O. <i>via</i> Kurunegala	422	2.36	6	0.9	
38 Beausejour Estate, Nakiyadeniya R. O.	Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam	..	..	..	..
39 Berna Estate, Narammulla, Kurunegala	Mr. R. N. Rowbotham	500	9.14	10	2.4	
40 Bible Dispensary	Mr. C. H. Beven	246	5.31	4	2.3	
41 Blackwater Estate, Nawalapitiya	Apothecary, Bible	680	8.04	9	2.5	
42 Blair Athol Estate, Dikoya	Mr. H. Wallace	2800	1.87	7	0.84	
43 Bulugahapitiya	Mr. R. D. Kershaw	3738	3.57	6	1.0	
44 Buttala Hospital	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, C. D., Haldummulla	..	6.09	17	1.5	
45 Caledonia Estate, Lindula	Medical Officer, Buttala	500	3.53	9	1.2	
46 Champion Estate, Bogawantalawa	Mr. P. M. Murray	4273	2.29	7	0.6	
47 Carney Estate, Ratnapura	J. L. Innes Lillingston	4500	3.57	11	0.9	
48 Chadiyantawala	Mr. S. W. Smyth	..	4.96	12	1.1	
49 Chavakachcheri	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	63	17.00	12	4.26	
50 Chilaw Public Works Department	Medical Officer, Chavakachcheri	16	3.20	5	1.1	
51 Coldstream Estate, Hatton	District Engineer, Chilaw	..	4.14	6	2.1	
52 Crystal Hill Estate, Matale	Mr. H. C. Bryott	3600	3.23	9	1.0	
53 Dambulla Hospital	Mr. R. van Starrex	1400	3.92	8	1.1	
54 Dandagamuwa	Medical Officer, Dambulla	400	5.42	8	1.1	
55 Dandenya Tank	District Engineer, Dandagamuwa	..	6.93	7	3.0	
56 Delft	Subdivisional Officer, Matara Subdivision	157	0.92	3	0.6	
57 Deltota Hospital	Maniagar of Delft	..	1.49	7	0.7	
58 Delwita Estate, Kurunegala	Medical Officer, Deltota	3600	5.07	8	1.7	
59 Denagama Tank	Mr. J. S. Patterson	490	4.30	10	1.1	
60 Detanagalla Estate, Pinnawela R. O. <i>via</i>	Subdivisional Officer, Matara Subdivision	286	2.85	6	0.9	
61 Devilana Tank	Mr. E. E. Megget	3600	11.08	11	One	
62 Digalla Estate, Dehiowita	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	136	11.08	12	..	
63 Dimbulla	Mr. W. Harley	400	5.98	9	..	
64 Diwela Estate, Karandupona, Kegalla	Distr. Engineer, Dimbulla	..	1.56	3	..	
65 Diyatalawa, Public Works Department	Mr. J. G. Craib	800	1.84	4	..	
66 Dooroomadella Estate, Gammaduwa	District Engineer, Diyatalawa	4700	4.25	9	..	
67 Doragalla Estate, Pussellawa	Mr. Douglas Westland	2880	15.74	15	..	
68 Duckwari Estate, Rangalla	Mr. A. Tait	4400	3.64	10	..	
	Mr. B. B. Benison	3300	5.63	1	..	

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STATION.	NAME OF SENDER.	Height above Sea Level.	RAINFALL.			
			Total No. of Inches.	No. of Days on which Registered.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours.	
		Feet.	In.		In.	Date.
Way Station	Station Master, C. G. R.	5820	6.52	10	1.49	27th—28th
Ma Estate, Madulkele	Mr. J. D. Thomson	3500	4.91	11	1.63	4th—5th
Ma Estate, Ragama	Superintendent	50	3.61	6	1.96	10th—11th
Ma Estate, Gampola	Mr. R. B. Taylor	1800	3.51	8	1.93	1st—2nd
	District Engineer, Dikoya, Norwood	1600	5.55	6	2.40	30th—31st
	District Engineer, Pallai	24	2.35	5	1.31	10th—11th
Ma Estate, Chilaw	Mr. Rolf Smerdon	—	3.06	7	1.22	1st—2nd
Ma Estate, Deniyaya	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	—	9.50	8	2.45	27th—28th
	Mr. C. J. Hay	1900	6.87	18	2.76	30th—31st
	Irrigation Engineer, Hambantota Subdivision, Tissa	92	2.22	6	1.35	27th—28th
Railway Station	Station Master, C. G. R.	25	1.98	7	0.58	30th—31st
Hospital	Medical Officer, Passara	2800	5.78	7	1.53	6th—7th
Ma Estate, Potuhera	Mr. C. O'D Carey	550	1.98	5	1.08	8th—9th
Ma Estate, Deltota	Mr. L. A. Ewart	3500	4.22	8	1.17	26th—27th
Railway Station	Station Master, C. G. R.	6201	1.77	3	1.07	26th—27th
Gardens	District Engineer, Pelmadulla	480	5.28	12	1.28	17th—18th
	Mr. T. H. Parsons	1540	1.21	5	0.62	5th—6th
	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, Trincomalee	50	2.02	8	0.60	31st—1st Feb.
Civil Hospital	Medical Officer, Point Pedro	24	5.23	4	1.73	6th—7th
Resthouse	Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam	—	0.20	1	0.20	30th—31st
Ma Estate, Galaha	Mr. P. E. Warne	4100	6.20	8	2.05	5th—6th
Dispensary	Apothecary, Pottuvil	10	—	—	—	—
Ma Resthouse	Resthouse-keeper, Puliyankulam	—	1.30	3	0.69	9th—10th
	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	—	9.50	10	2.12	6th—7th
	District Engineer, Pussellawa	3000	1.83	5	0.82	5th—6th
	District Engineer, Vavuniya	—	0.00	0	—	—
	Assistant Superintendent, Ragama Camp	9	3.69	6	1.51	10th—11th
Ma Estate, Teldeniya	Mr. J. P. Blackmore	1500	2.78	7	0.87	4th—5th
Ma Estate, Balangoda	Mr. George Brown	1750	5.43	12	2.32	8th—9th
Ma Estate, Padukka	Mr. W. M. Newton	300	10.41	10	3.90	31st—1st Feb.
Ma Tank	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	30	11.88	10	3.24	7th—8th
	Irrigation Engineer, Rugam, S. D., Unichchai	77	10.87	11	2.23	7th—8th
Resthouse	Chairman, District Road Committee, Kegalla	180	9.9	8	3.83	1st—2nd
Ma Estate, Gammaduwa, vid	Mr. A. van Starrex	1400	9.63	13	2.44	5th—6th
Ma Tank	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	42	12.17	12	3.88	5th—6th
Ma Estate, Agrapatana	Mr. P. Byrde	5250	2.22	8	0.59	8th—9th
Ma arawa	Irrigation Engineer, Anuradhapura Subdivision	277	2.59	5	0.76	7th—8th
Ma house	Resthouse-keeper, Sigiriya	654	4.50	8	2.11	31st—1st Feb.
Ma Estate, Matugama	Mr. Chas. de Alwis	546	7.07	12	1.80	8th—9th
Ma Estate, Pussellawa	Mr. Gilbert S. T. Fenning	3500	3.27	7	1.05	31st—1st Feb.
Ma Estate, Dikoya	Mr. A. E. Curtiois	3700	3.94	9	2.17	8th—9th
School, Nawalapitiya	Headmaster	1915	2.02	10	0.51	5th—6th
Ma Estate, Rangalla	Mr. C. S. Ellis	3600	27.18	22	4.45	5th—6th
Ma Estate, Dodangaslanda,						
Kurunegala	Mr. L. A. S. Kalenberg	—	2.42	6	0.89	2nd—3rd
Ma Estate, Demodara	Superintendent	2800	5.27	9	2.11	8th—9th
Ma Estate, Eheliyagoda	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, C. D., Haldummulla	608	2.32	11	0.78	1st—2nd
	Mr. A. G. Huntley	—	3.52	8	1.65	7th—8th
	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, Tabbowa, Puttalam	68	2.53	4	1.45	8th—9th
	District Engineer, Mannar	—	0.34	1	0.34	8th—9th
Dispensary	Apothecary, Taldena	1100	8.95	7	2.70	27th—28th
Ma Estate, Badulla	Mr. C. F. Lushington	2150	—	—	—	—
Dispensary	Apothecary, Tanamalwila	550	2.61	4	1.00	27th—28th
	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, Tangalla, S. D.	70	1.79	6	1.15	8th—9th
Ma Tank	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	—	13.41	12	3.50	31st—1st Feb.
Ma ewa	Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam	8	2.48	2	2.27	1st—2nd
Ma house	Irrigation Engineer, Hambantota Subdivision, Tissa	75	2.31	7	1.07	27th—28th
Ma uradhapura	Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam	—	5.35	8	3.42	9th—10th
Ma p, Kandy	Apothecary	200	10.80	8	6.50	31st—1st Feb.
Ma Estate, Bandarawela	Mr. John A. Coombe	1750	—	—	—	—
	Subdivisional Officer, Tangalla, S. D. Weraketiya	4500	9.12	12	2.27	8th—9th
	Subdivisional Officer, Godakawela	156	3.09	6	0.97	30th—31st
	Irrigation Engineer, Rugam, S. D., Unichchai	—	9.51	7	5.60	1st—2nd
Ma Estate, Ohiya	Mr. G. I. Anderson	120	9.06	15	2.43	6th—7th
	Subdivisional Officer, Tangalla, S. D., Weraketiya	6000	7.36	16	1.05	30th—31st
	Divisional Irrigation Engineer, N. D., Anuradhapura	1079	1.02	3	0.72	2nd—3rd
	Irrigation Engineer, Rugam, S. D., Unichchai	—	4.75	6	1.80	7th—8th
	District Engineer, Mannar	120	9.49	8	3.50	6th—7th
	District Engineer, Vavuniya	179	0.21	4	0.11	7th—8th
	District Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	318	2.27	6	1.28	7th—8th
Ma e, Matale	Irrigation Engineer, Kalmunai, S. D.	99	16.33	11	4.53	7th—8th
Ma Monaragala	Mr. W. A. Soysa	3250	3.39	6	1.11	1st—2nd
Resthouse	Mr. L. B. Gourlay	2000	—	—	—	—
Ma Estate, Madulkele	Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam	—	1.45	3	0.90	9th—10th
Ma Estate, Matale	Mr. A. Eric Ames	2000	3.54	10	1.09	5th—6th
Ma ay Station	Mr. J. A. M. Bond	1200	3.06	6	0.98	1st—2nd
Ma ay Station	Station Master, C. G. R.	4402	1.18	5	0.40	5th—6th
	Do.	3259	2.97	7	0.90	10th—11th
	Divisional Agricultural Officer, S. D., Galle	—	6.90	7	2.40	9th—10th
Ma Badulla	District Engineer, Diyatalawa	3300	2.92	6	0.93	27th—28th
Ma Uragalla	Mr. C. F. Way	3000	7.08	13	1.81	6th—7th
Ma ussellawa	Mr. P. C. MacMahon	3000	8.10	17	1.97	6th—7th
Ma Undugoda	Mr. E. R. Brereton	3500	2.21	5	0.87	26th—27th
Ma house	Mr. W. W. Birtill	800	0.81	6	0.20	5—6 & 9—10
	Chairman, District Road Committee, Kegalla	—	14.25	9	5.29	1st—2nd