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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

For the Midland Circuit, three times at least at Kandy, and such other places in such Circuit as the Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges, shall appoint; such Sessions commencing at Kandy on March 10, on August 1, and on December 1, in each year:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient to order a Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court should be holden on the day hereinafter mentioned at Kurunegala, a place within the said Midland Circuit:

Now, therefore, know Ye that We, the said Governor, for sufficient reasons to Us appearing, and after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do order and appoint that a Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden at Kurunegala, in the said Midland Circuit, on or about Monday, June 19, 1922.

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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

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WHEREAS by the 22nd section of the Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette* to discontinue a Police Force in any Rural District on the demand for its withdrawal having been adopted by the proprietors of two-thirds of the acreage of estates in such district :

And whereas the Government Agent of the Province of Sabaragamuwa has notified to the Governor that the required majority in the Rakwana and Balangoda Districts, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, is in favour of the withdrawal of the Police Force :

Now, therefore, We, the said Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim and appoint that from and after the date of this Proclamation the Rural Police Force shall be discontinued in the Districts of Rakwana and Balangoda, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, within the limits enumerated in Schedule A hereto annexed.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Sixteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-two.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

Rakwana.

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| 1. Rangeweletenna estate | | 13. Fernlee estate |
| 2. Hatherleigh estate | | 14. Allington estate |
| 3. Stubton estate | | 15. Morningside estate |
| 4. Springwood, including Bara and Bulutota estates | | 16. Gongalla estate |
| 5. Aigburth estate | | 17. Dalveen estate |
| 6. Palamcotta estate | | 18. Orangefield estate |
| 7. Nahaveena estate | | 19. Trewardena estate |
| 8. Elchico estate | | 20. Allerton estate |
| 9. Gilgarron estate | | 21. Melvilla or Horamulla estate |
| 10. Nagaspola, below Bara | | 22. Bulatakanda estate |
| 11. Lauderdale, including Dolahena and Rew | | 23. Madampe estate |
| 12. Depdene estate | | 24. Rawreith, including Oakhampton |
| | | 25. Aberfoyle estate |
| | | 26. Lanark estate |

Balangoda.

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| 1. Agar's Land estate | 18. Walaboda estate |
| 2. Denegama estate | 19. Selwawatta, including Welikarawana |
| 3. Dikmikalana estate | 20. Balangoda group |
| 4. Hiralouvah estate | 21. Alpha, including Clarendon |
| 5. Keenagahaella estate | 22. Bungay estate |
| 6. Morahela estate | 23. Keppoch estate |
| 7. Wallawe estate | 24. Rye estate |
| 8. Wewelwatta estate | 25. Solway estate |
| 9. Meddekande estate | 26. Atlanta estate |
| 10. Hopewell estate | 27. Pettiyagala estate |
| 11. Masenna estate | 28. Lankabarana estate |
| 12. Non Pariel estate | 29. Bethel Hill estate |
| 13. Ferndale estate | 30. Karawketiya estate |
| 14. Hopewell New estate | 31. Bombuwatta estate |
| 15. Rasagalla estate | 32. Upper Balangoda |
| 16. Welawelamukalana | 33. St. Joseph estate |
| 17. Medahinna estate | |

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W. H. MANNING.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power in Us vested by section 3 of "The Plant Pests Ordinance, 1907," and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby revoke the Proclamation dated September 30, 1921, and published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* dated September 30, 1921, and declare

the insect named in the first column of the schedule appended hereto to be a pest for the purposes of the above-named Ordinance. And We do further declare that the measures which it shall be within the power of any Board constituted under the said Ordinance to require to be taken for the eradication of the said insect shall be the measures specified in the second column of the said schedule.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-two.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Column 1.	Column 2.
The black-headed coconut caterpillar (<i>Nephantis serinopa</i>).	It shall be the duty of the owner or occupier of any coconut cultivation on which any state of the coconut caterpillar (<i>Nephantis serinopa</i>) is present to cut all affected leaves or portions of leaves, and to burn them with fire within 12 hours of cutting.

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W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated September 6, 1873, this Island was divided for revenue and administration purposes into seven Provinces, including amongst others the Eastern Province, containing within its limits several districts, one of which, viz., the District of Batticaloa, was, by Proclamation dated November 3, 1921, itself subdivided into the subdivisions of Akkaraipattu, Sammanturai, Eruvil-Porativu, Manmunai South, and Nadukadu pattu, as defined in the schedule to the said Proclamation :

And whereas it is expedient to alter and re-name the above-mentioned subdivision of Nadukadu pattu :

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby proclaim and appoint that from and after the First day of June, 1922, the said Nadukadu pattu shall be called and known as "Wewgam pattu," and its divisions or korales as Udapalata, Medapalata, and Yatipalata, as described in the schedule hereto.

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Udapalata Korale.

- North.*—Existing boundary of Manmunai South and Eruvil-Porativu.
- South.*—Dambela and Andella-oya.
- East.*—Cart track from Thaliadumadu, the eastern boundary of the proposed Nuwagala reserve as far as Andella-oya.
- West.*—Existing boundary of Bintenna pattu and Province of Uva.

Medapalata Korale.

- North.*—Udapalata korale boundary, Dambela, and Andella-oya.
- South.*—Gal-oya.
- East.*—Cart track from Andella-oya to Chadiantalawa, western boundary of Chadiantalawa tank, cart road from Chadiantalawa to Kondavatavana, and existing boundary of Sammanturai.
- West.*—Boundary of Province of Uva.

Yatipalata Korale.

- North.*—Medapalata korale boundary, Gal-oya.
- South.*—Pannala-oya.
- East.*—Existing boundary of Sammanturai and cart track from Irakkamam to Sagamam tank.
- West.*—Boundary of Province of Uva.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 180 of 1922.

WITH reference to the Notification dated March 2, 1922, published in the *Government Gazette* of March 3, 1922, it is hereby notified that HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased to confirm the provisional appointment of the Hon. Mr. WILFRID WENTWORTH WOODS as 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, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 12, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 181 of 1922.

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

Mr. G. W. DODDS to act as Harbour Engineer, with effect from May 16, 1922, during the absence on leave of Mr. A. D. PROUSE, or until further orders.

Mr. H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE to act in the office of Assistant Government Agent, Kandy, and Additional Police Magistrate for the judicial divisions of Kandy, Gampola, Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, and Dumbara, with effect from May 16, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. C. C. WOOLLEY to act in the office of Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Central Province, with effect from May 16, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. A. DE ABREW to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, during the absence of Mr. W. H. B. CARBERY, from May 18, 1922, until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. A. MARTIN to act as District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate for the Districts of Chilaw and Puttalam, during the absence of Mr. C. COOMARASWAMY, on May 18 and 19, 1922, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. D. NILES to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, during the absence of Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE, from May 15 to 19, 1922, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. N. DANIELS to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, and Additional District Judge, Kegalla, during the absence of Mr. E. T. MILLINGTON, from May 15 to 17, 1922, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. CYRIL JOSEPH to act as Additional District Judge and Police Magistrate, Colombo, during the absence of Mr. N. J. LUDDINGTON, on May 6 and 7, 1922.

Notification No. 173, published in the *Gazette* of May 12, 1922, is cancelled in so far as it affects the appointment of Mr. E. M. C. JOSEPH.

Mr. D. G. GOONEWARDENA to act as Additional District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Municipal Magistrate, Galle, during the absence of Mr. A. H. EGAN, from May 15 to 17, 1922, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. G. P. KEUNEMAN to be Additional District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Matara, during the absence of Mr. E. H. DAVIES, on May 20, 1922, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. T. G. WILLET to the office of Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, with effect from May 17, 1922, until further orders.

Mr. ÆLIAN ONDAATJE to be Police Magistrate, Kegalla, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH from the station, on May 19, 1922.

Mr. E. M. C. JOSEPH to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, for May 14, 1922.

Mr. T. M. FERNANDO to be Additional Police Magistrate, Chilaw and Marawila, for May 18 and 19, 1922.

Mr. D. B. SENEVIRATNA to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, until further orders.

Mr. J. DEHERAGODA, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Police, Western Province, to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Western Province.

Mr. W. K. S. HUGHES to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the District of Colombo.

Mr. A. W. METZELING to act as Secretary, Ceylon Savings Bank, for one month from May 15, 1922, during the absence on leave of Mr. B. V. CASPERSZ, or until further orders.

Rev. A. LOCKWOOD, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to be a Member of the District School Committee of the Jaffna District, until further orders, in place of Rev. J. A. BARKER, transferred.

Rev. Father S. G. HILLERY, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to be a Member of the District School Committee, Anuradhapura, in place of Mr. D. N. IRA GOULD.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 18, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 182 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of section 4 of Ordinance No. 37 of 1921, the following additional Members to the Board of Agriculture for the period ending December 31, 1923:—

The Hon. Mr. J. GRAEME SINCLAIR.
The CHAIRMAN, Low-country Products Association.
Mr. K. BANDARA BEDDEWELA.
Mr. G. G. AUCHINLECK, Divisional Agricultural Officer.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 12, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 183 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in pursuance of the powers in him vested by section 372 of "The Civil Procedure Code, 1889," has been pleased to appoint Mr. A. B. W. JAYASEKERA, Chena Surveyor Muhandiram, Morawak korale, to administer the oaths or affirmations which are necessary to the making of the affidavits mentioned in section 371 of the said Code for the Morawak korale.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 18, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 184 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. SARAVANAMUTTU APPADURAI, of No. 13, Campbell place, Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 15, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 185 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ERNEST ALBERT DE SILVA, of Merlyn, Dehiwala, to be a Notary Public at Colombo

and throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 16, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 186 of 1922.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. PANAMBEREGE DON ANDREW FONSEKA SENEVIRATNE, of Amandoluwa, Siduwa, to be a Notary Public throughout Alutkuru korale south of Colombo District, with residence and office at Wattala, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 16, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

MERENNAGE CHARLES FERNANDO, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Kandy, to be Additional Registrar of Lands, Kandy District, with effect from May 11, 1922, *vice* A. SAMARATUNGA transferred.

TELIKADAPALLIYE GURUNNANSELAGE JOHN PETER NAYAKKARA as Additional Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, with effect from May 11, 1922, *vice* D. P. P. ABEYSEKARA. His office will be at the Kandy Kachcheri.

NANAYAKKARA SIPKADUWE PALLIYE SATTAMBIGE ALLIS SILVA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ahangama division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, with effect from May 16, 1922, *vice* Registrar, J. A. W. GOONEWARDENA, deceased. His office will be at Galladuwehenewatta *alias* Arachchigewatta in Ahangama.

JOHN RICHARD WEERASEKERA, Registrar of Marriages (General) of Four Gravets, Galle, and Akrimana division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, with effect from May 31, 1922, *vice* H. L. A. DE SILVA, transferred. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Galle.

KIRISHNAPILLAI VAYIRAMUTTU provisionally as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Changanai division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, with effect from June 1, 1922, *vice* the Registrar, S. VELUPPILLAI, deceased. His office will be at Kumpancluvai in Changanai.

MIHINDUKULASURIYA WILFRED KURERA as Additional Registrar of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, with effect from May 15, 1922, *vice* J. T. CECIL DE SILVA, transferred. His office will be at the Kurunegala Kachcheri.

GEORGE PATRICK DE SILVA to be Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, with effect from May 25, 1922, *vice* Dr. L. D. F. J. PAUL, transferred. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary, Kalpitiya.

GERALD LARCOM DEAN DAVIDSON to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from May 15, 1922, *vice* C. SUNTHARALINGAM, resigned. His office will be at the Badulla Kachcheri.

KATUWE BADDEGAMAGE MUDALIHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kongala Bintenna division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Wellawaya division,

in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for six weeks, with effect from June 15, 1922, *vice* S. PIYARATANA-HAMI, on leave. His office will be at Alutwewa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 16, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

MAILVAGANA MUDALIYAR CUTTYTAMBY in his appointment as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Melpattu East, South, and Udaiyavur South division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province.

KATIRAVELU CHINNIAM in his appointment as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Melpattu East, South, and Udaiyavur South division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province.

TENNAKON MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA, in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gandahe korale division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

TENNAKON MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA TENNAKON in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mahagalboda Egoda korale division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Hiriyala hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, B. HORSBURGH,
Colombo, May 16, 1922. Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed EDEPPULI ARACHCHIGE DON THEODORE GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hendala division, and of Marriages (General) of Ragam pattuwa of Alutkuru korale south division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from May 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, THEWARAPERUMA ARACHCHIGE DON NICHOLAS, on sick leave. His office will be at Ehetugahawatta in Weliketiya, and station at Appusinnogehena in Hendala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed ALBORUGE SIMON DABARE SENANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Palle pattuwa of Salpitiya korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for seven days from May 10, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, KORUWAGE TEPANIS

FERNANDO WIJAYAWARDANA, on sick leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Karagampitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DEGURUNHELAGA ABRAHAM PERERA ABAYASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kelaniya division, and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu of Siyane korale west division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for May 16, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, JULIUS PERERA SUNDERASEKERA SAMARASINGHA, on leave. His office will be at Kōngaliawatta in Talawatuhenpita South.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed CHARLES SOLOMON RANAWAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Welgama division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for three weeks from May 4, 1922, *vice* D. E. RANAWAKA-ACHCHI, resigned. His offices will be at Egalaiyawatta in Bulatsinhala and Delpawatta in Mahagama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed ANDARAWASPATABENDIGE ELIAS VAS GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on May 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, A. P. M. VAS GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Hunumullewatta in Beruwala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON DAVID WIJAYARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Migahatenna division, and of Marriages (General) of Maha pattu south division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on May 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, B. D. D. JAYAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Migahatenna.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed UNDUGODAGE BABBUSINNO RODRIGO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Haltota division, and of Marriages (General) of Munwattebage pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on May 13, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, U. C. RODRIGO, on leave. His office will be at Alubogahawatta in Raddegoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed PETEKIRI ARACHCHIGE HENRY PETER GUNATILLEKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kumbuke division, and of Marriages (General) of Kumbuke pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for three days from May 17, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. P. DASSANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Kahatagahawatta in Kumbuke.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed GAMAGEDERA PUNCHIRALA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ramboda division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion included in gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for nine days from May 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, B. M. MENIKRALA, on leave. His office will be at Godahapitiyegederawatta in Rambodagama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed RAJAPAKSA WASALAMUDIYANSERATA-HAMELLEGE HALANGODA UDAWALAWWE 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 May 15, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, M. B. A. NIYAREPOLA, on leave. His office will be at Nikawellewalawwewatta in Udupihilla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed GABRIEL DE RODRIGO JAYATIKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Balapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for seventeen days from May 15, 1922, *vice* Registrar, A. W. M. SENANAYAKA, dismissed. His office will be at Kadurewelawatta in Balapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON ALLIS RANAWERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara

District of the Southern Province, for May 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. A. DE S. JAYASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Talagahawatta in Balukawala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON SAMEL PERERA WIJEDORU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for two days from May 12, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, P. P. WIJEDORU, on leave. His office will be at Kalegewatta in Gandara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed JOHN FREDRICK DISSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nakulugamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for May 15, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. DISSANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Nakulugamuwa.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed KIRISHNAPILLAI VAYIRAMUTTU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Changanai division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for twenty-two days from May 10, 1922, *vice* the Registrar, S. VELUPPILLAI, deceased. His office will be at Kumpaneluvai in Changanai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaitivu, has appointed KANTHAR KANATHIPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Melpattu East division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for three days from May 13, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, P. CHANGARAPPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Mamadu.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed SANTAKAHAMY PUNCHI MAHATMAYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panawa pattu west division, and of Marriages (General) of Panawa pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from May 2, 1922, *vice* the Registrar, J. S. D. M. SANTAKAHAMY, deceased. His office will be at Lahugala; stations: Kinanaï and Panawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed JACCO ISTAKKI COREIRA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koddigar North division, and of Marriages (General) of Koddigar pattu division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from May 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, K. A. ROCHA DE VAS, on leave. His office will be at Matur; and station, Sampur.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed NAVARATNA TILAKAWASALA PANDITAMUDIYANSELAGE 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 twelve days from May 6, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, R. B. BOYAGODA, on sick leave. His office will be at Paragoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed TUAN SADDIKKIN ARIFIN MOONDOO LEBBE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalpitiya and town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from April 9, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, J. SOOSEPILLAI, resigned. His office will be at Malay street, Kalpitiya town.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed DUNSTAN MAURICE PERERA WEERARATNA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from May 3, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. PEIRIS, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Chilaw.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed TUAN SADDIKKIN ARIFIN MOONDOO LEBBE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalpitiya and town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from May 9, 1922, *vice* Registrar, J. SOOSEPILLAI, resigned. His office will be at his residence in Malay street, Kalpitiya town.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed MAPAWIJESINGHA KARANIS APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapalata East division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for fifteen days from May 11, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, M. P. APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's residence at Tabbowa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed DISSANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kende korale west division, and of Marriages (General) of Nuwara-gam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for twelve days from May 14, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. MUDALIHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Meegahawatta in Dunna-bindunuwewa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed TIKIRIWANNIUNNEHELAGE APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mahawedirata division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from June 1, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, T. W. U. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Kandaudapanguwa.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed H. D. SENEVIRATNE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twelve days from May 6, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, B. S. P. MENDIS, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Ratnapura.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.

M. S. SRESHTA,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Pension Minute dated December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified that the holder of the post specified below is entitled to pension:—

Board of Immigration and Quarantine.

Supervisor, Disinfecting Station.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 12, 1922.

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

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

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service,
Mr. K. J. de Abrew ..	Clerk in Class II., Grade II., of the Clerical Service	in the Railway Extensions Department
Mr. K. Coomarasamy ..	Apothecary in Class III.	do.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.

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

"THE DEFENCE FORCE ORDINANCE, 1910."

WITH reference to the Notification dated December 6, 1921, and published in the *Government Gazette* of January 13, 1922, the following amendment to paragraph 3 of the rules and regulations relating to the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps made by the Colonel Commandant Troops, Ceylon, under sections 9 and 12 of "The Defence Force Ordinance, 1910," and approved by His Excellency the Governor, is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 12, 1922.

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

AMENDMENT REFERRED TO.

Delete paragraph 3 and substitute the following:—

3. The strength of the Corps shall be twelve Officers and one hundred and twenty-five men, apportioned as follows:—

Headquarters: Major Commanding 1; Adjutant 1; Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster (Lieutenant or Captain) 1; Supply Officer (Lieutenant or Captain) 1.

Colombo Area: Area Commander (Captain) 1; Area Officers (Second Lieutenants or Lieutenants) 2; Non-commissioned Officers and men 40.

Kandy Area: Area Commander (Captain) 1; Area Officers (Second Lieutenants or Lieutenants) 2; Non-commissioned Officers and men 40.

Sabaragamuwa Area: Area Commander (Lieutenant or Captain) 1; Non-commissioned Officers and men 25.

Uva Area: Area Commander (Lieutenant or Captain) 1; Non-commissioned Officers and men 20.

"THE VOLUNTEER ORDINANCE, 1910."

THE following additions to the rules and regulations relating to the Ceylon Defence Force made by the Colonel Commandant Troops, Ceylon, under the provisions of sections 9 and 12 of "The Volunteer Ordinance, 1910," and approved by His Excellency the Governor, are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 12, 1922.

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

ADDITIONS REFERRED TO.

At end of paragraphs I., II., and III., Appendix C, Examinations, add the following:—

I.—For the Rank of Lieutenant.

- (a) Duties of a Section Commander.
- (b) General knowledge of ammunition, stores, &c.
- (c) Duties on guard.
- (d) Musketry and range practices.
- (e) Regimental rules and regulations.
- (f) Duties in connection with martial law.
- (g) Examination in the handling of a convoy and in the packing of transport vehicles.
- (h) Supply and transport.

One hundred marks are allotted to each sub-head, a written paper will be set in (b), (d), and (f).

II.—For the Rank of Captain.

- (a) Practical map reading (practical).
- (b) Duties of an Area Commander (practical).
- (c) Duties in connection with martial law (written).
- (d) Army Service Corps Manual (written).
- (e) Supply and transport (practical).
- (f) Rules and regulations relating to the Defence Force and the Defence Force Ordinance (written).

One hundred marks are allotted to each sub-head.

III.—For the Rank of Major.

- (a) An Officer will be required to command the Supply and Transport Corps in a tactical exercise, or a staff ride with other troops.

"THE STAMP ORDINANCE, 1909."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by virtue of the powers by section 5, sub-section (1) (c), of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," on him conferred, authorized the following Joint Stock Company, incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, to compound for the payment of stamp duty on share certificates, specified in Schedule B of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," as set forth in section 2 of "The Stamp (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 10 of 1919," on the conditions set out in section 5 aforesaid, sub-sections (1) (c) (ii.), (iii.), and (iv.).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 15, 1922.

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

COMPANY REFERRED TO.

The Uva Highlands Tea Company, Limited.

"THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, No. 9 OF 1899."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 34 of the above-named Ordinance, and on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Government Agent of the Western Province, has been pleased to approve of the allotment of land set out in the schedule hereto being provided and used as a burial ground for Pamunugama.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 6, 1922.

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

SCHEDULE.

Two allotments of land called Duwewatta, situated at Pamunugama, in Talpiti-badda of Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara of the Western Province, and described in preliminary plan 15,238; and bounded as follows: on the north and east by Duwewattapaula-owita claimed by Hewage Samuel Perera and others, Delgahawatta chena claimed by Hewage Joronis Rodrigo and others, on the south by Kirimetiyevela belonging to Hewage Penis Perera and others, on the west by Duwewattakattiya chena claimed by Hewage Suaris Rodrigo and others, Duwewattakattiya garden claimed by Pelpolage Nonohamy; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 13.37 perches.

"THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, No. 9 OF 1899."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 34 of the above-named Ordinance, and on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Government Agent of the Western Province, has been pleased to approve of the allotment of land set out in the schedule hereto being provided and used as a burial ground for Delduwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, May 6, 1922.

B. HORSBURGH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Three allotments of land called Kuttiyawatta, Delgahakuruduwatta *alias* Kuttiyawatta, and Delgahakurunduwatta, situated at Delduwa, in Waskadubadda of Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara of the Western Province, and described in preliminary plan 15,664; and bounded as follows: on the north by Kudawaskaduwa-Bandaragama road, on the east by Delgahakurunduwatta belonging to D. J. Fernando, on the south by Delgahakurunduwatta belonging to U. Siyris Silva and others, Kuttiyawatta belonging to M. Anthony Moras and others, on the west by Kudawaskaduwa-Bandaragama road and Kuttiyawatta belonging to M. Anthony Moras and others; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 27·12 perches.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE COLONY OF CEYLON ON
DECEMBER 31, 1921.

<i>Deposits.</i>		<i>LIABILITIES.</i>	Amount.	Total.
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund ..	..	..	10,329,687 38	
Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association ..	..	..	13,308 91	
Public Service Mutual Provident Association ..	..	..	6,661 38	
Branch Roads Assessment Account ..	..	..	51,930 53	
Land Settlement Account ..	..	..	59,447 34	
Ceylon Savings Bank Account ..	..	..	11,823 84	
Local Loans and Development Fund ..	..	..	144,459 28	
Prize Court Account (Registrar, Supreme Court) ..	..	..	482,633 41½	
Do. (Marshal) ..	..	..	320,822 5	
Passage Account ..	..	..	57,807 90	
Pilots' Night Fees Account ..	..	..	1,820 0	
Wrecks Account ..	..	..	95 39	
Postmaster General's Account ..	..	..	236,880 87	
New Currency Account ..	..	..	408,292 17	
Rice Account ..	..	..	15,166 99	
Treasurer { Suitsors ..	Rs. 66,350·22½	}	4,717,536 83½	
{ Miscellaneous ..	Rs. 990,145·10½			
{ Security Deposits ..	Rs. 3,661,041·50			
Local Kachcheries ..	..	..	3,412,557 72½	
			20,270,932 0½	
<i>Drafts Unpaid.</i>				
Treasury and Local Kachcheries ..	..	..	176,291 0	
Family remittances ..	..	..	471 66	
			176,762 66	
<i>Due to Governments and Agencies.</i>				
Government of India ..	..	..	2,051,531 54	
Agents, Bombay ..	..	..	301 74	
Agents, Calcutta ..	..	..	229 17	
			2,052,062 45	
Ceylon 5 per cent. War Loan (due to subscribers) ..	..	..	45,050 0	
Sinking Fund (Local Loans) ..	..	..	347,553 8	
Sinking Fund (Loan to Colombo Municipal Council Drainage Works) ..	..	..	1,407,760 19	
Sinking Fund (Loan to Colombo Municipal Council Water-works) ..	..	..	277,093 22	
Public Works Loan Account ..	Rs. 26,598,969 16	}	34,429,634 79	
Public Works Loan (Exchange Account) ..	Rs. 7,830,665 63			
Surplus ..	..	..	10,825,513 91½	
			69,832,362 31	

	<i>Cash.</i>	<i>ASSETS.</i>		<i>Total.</i>	
		Amount. Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Treasurer	---	6,850,383	16		
Government Agents and their Assistants	---	1,862,848	6		
Imperial Bank of India, Madras (Current Account)	---	22,267	68		
Crown Agents' Current Account	---	188,693	0		
do. Deposit Account	---	15,760,000	0		
Imperial Bank of India, Madras (Fixed Deposits)	---	6,000,000	0		
National Bank (Fixed Deposits)	---	750,000	0		
Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank (Fixed Deposits)	---	250,000	0		
Chartered Bank (Fixed Deposits)	---	1,250,000	0		
				32,934,191	90
<i>Investments.</i>					
Ceylon 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock	---	782,848	94		
British 5 per cent. War Loan	---	1,425	0		
Treasury Bills	---	9,500,000	0		
National War Bonds	---	1,295,718	46		
				11,579,992	40
Temporary Loans to Crown Agents	---	---	---	5,618,060	0
<i>Loans to Local Bodies.</i>					
Kandy Industrial School	---	11,695	38		
Kandy Municipal Council	---	105,402	98		
Galle Municipal Council	---	265,532	66		
Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	---	179,617	54		
Board of Health, Central Province	---	26,786	0		
Do. Province of Sabaragamuwa	---	8,300	0		
Do. Province of Uva	---	4,000	0		
Do. Ambalangoda	---	6,000	0		
Do. Talawakele	---	12,500	0		
Do. Passara	---	8,800	0		
Local Board, Badulla	---	42,745	84		
Do. Bandarawela	---	59,112	5		
Do. Gampola	---	26,840	0		
Do. Hatton	---	14,900	0		
Do. Kegalla	---	16,000	0		
Do. Matale	---	13,050	0		
Do. Nawalapitiya	---	16,179	6		
Do. Puttalam	---	25,250	0		
Do. Trincomalee	---	24,500	0		
Do. Moratuwa	---	35,000	0		
Sanitary Board, Kandy	---	4,000	0		
Do. Matara District	---	20,000	0		
Do. Galle	---	8,000	0		
				934,211	51
Colombo Municipal Council Drainage Works Loan (No. 2 Account)	---	---	---	103,041	82
<i>Due by Governments and Agencies.</i>					
Straits Government	---	590	88		
Federated Malay States Government	---	19,231	71		
				19,822	59
<i>Advances.</i>					
Public Officers	---	165,924	7		
Heads of Departments	---	2,612,183	28		
				2,778,107	35
Remittances in transit to Local Kachcheries	---	---	---	234,269	90
Value of Stores in hand	---	---	---	9,436,479	54
Local Loans Sinking Fund Investment Account	---	---	---	338,730	64
Colombo Municipal Council Drainage Works Loan Sinking Fund Investment Account	---	---	---	1,329,796	50
Colombo Municipal Council Waterworks Loan Sinking Fund Investment Account	---	---	---	267,812	22
Trustees, Colombo Municipal Council Drainage Works Sinking Fund Account	---	---	---	14,864	37
Trustees, Colombo Municipal Council Waterworks Sinking Fund Account	---	---	---	3,983	79
Security Deposits and Investment Account	---	---	---	3,661,041	50
Exchange Account (General)	---	---	---	574,359	10
Suspense Account	---	---	---	3,657	18
				69,832,362	31

Comparative Statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon
for the Quarter ended December 31, 1921.

REVENUE.

	Estimated (as per printed Estimates).		Actual.		Surplus.		Shortfall.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs ..	6,060,000	0	5,149,387	50	—	—	910,612	50
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues ..	881,500	0	615,159	54	—	—	266,340	46
3. Licenses, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified ..	5,101,762	0	5,099,210	79	—	—	2,551	21
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid ..	635,000	0	641,530	24	6,530	24	—	—
5. Post and Telegraph ..	351,250	0	155,815	60	—	—	195,434	40
6. Government Railways ..	4,750,000	0	4,249,799	46	—	—	500,200	54
7. Interest ..	330,000	0	474,121	62	144,121	62	—	—
8. Miscellaneous Receipts ..	335,250	0	267,787	47	—	—	67,462	53
9. Land Revenue ..	276,500	0	290,757	85	14,257	85	—	—
Total, exclusive of Land Sales ..	18,721,262	0	16,943,570	7	—	—	—	—
10. Land Sales ..	255,000	0	191,851	36	—	—	63,148	64
Grand Total ..	18,976,262	0	17,135,421	43	164,909	71	2,005,750	28
					Deduct Surplus ..		164,909	71
					Nett Shortfall ..		1,840,840	57

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated (as per printed Estimates).		Actual.		Excess.		Saving.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Personal Emoluments ..	5,713,233	0	5,149,710	86	—	—	563,522	14
2. Other Charges ..	5,478,879	0	4,316,077	67	—	—	1,162,801	33
3. Railway Works Extraordinary ..	135,838	0	122,418	87	—	—	13,419	13
4. Irrigation Works Annually Recurrent ..	58,450	0	26,460	18	—	—	31,989	82
5. Irrigation Works Extraordinary ..	118,924	0	18,650	34	—	—	100,273	66
6. Public Works Annually Recurrent ..	1,266,625	0	1,039,580	42	—	—	227,044	58
7. Public Works Extraordinary ..	389,644	0	318,223	52	—	—	71,420	48
8. Military Expenditure ..	478,320	0	158,642	13	—	—	317,677	87
9. Public Debt ..	1,844,126	0	1,239,631	83	—	—	604,494	17
10. Pensions ..	478,875	0	505,823	47	26,948	47	—	—
11. Exchange ..	4,650	0	288	99	—	—	4,361	1
12. Miscellaneous Services ..	3,156,567	0	4,930,750	16	1,774,183	16	—	—
Grand Total ..	19,122,131	0	17,826,258	44	1,801,131	63	3,097,004	19
					Deduct Excess ..		1,801,131	63
					Nett Saving ..		1,295,872	56

General Treasury,
Colombo, May 3, 1922.

W. W. Woods,
Colonial Treasurer.

Comparative Statement of the Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the
Quarter ended December 31, 1920, and 1921.

REVENUE.

	1920.		1921.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs ...	5,326,054	89	5,149,387	50	—		176,667	39
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues ...	674,215	35	615,159	54	—		59,055	81
3. Licenses, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified ...	4,473,127	0	5,099,210	79	626,083	79	—	
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid ...	634,087	83	641,530	24	7,442	41	—	
5. Post and Telegraph ...	195,535	15	155,815	60	—		39,719	55
6. Government Railways ...	3,579,735	36	4,249,799	46	670,064	10	—	
7. Interest ...	267,722	40	474,121	62	206,399	22	—	
8. Miscellaneous Receipts ...	830,415	16	267,787	47	—		562,627	69
9. Land Revenue ...	263,177	97	290,757	85	27,579	88	—	
Total exclusive of Land Sales ...	16,244,071	11	16,943,570	7	—		—	
10. Land Sales ...	276,525	17	191,851	36	—		84,673	81
Grand Total ...	16,520,596	28	17,135,421	43	1,537,569	40	922,744	25
					Deduct Decrease ..	922,744	25	
					Nett Increase ..	614,825	15	

EXPENDITURE.

	1920.		1921.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Personal Emoluments ...	4,958,033	45	5,149,710	86	191,677	41	—	
2. Other Charges ...	4,466,887	46	4,316,077	67	—		150,809	79
3. Railway Works Extraordinary ...	103,341	66	122,418	87	19,077	21	—	
4. Irrigation Works Annually Recurrent ...	2,905	83	26,460	18	23,554	35	—	
5. Irrigation Works Extraordinary ...	10,252	67	18,650	34	8,397	67	—	
6. Public Works Annually Recurrent ...	1,119,430	65	1,039,580	42	—		79,850	23
7. Public Works Extraordinary ...	759,353	51	318,223	52	—		441,129	99
8. Military Expenditure ...	501,456	95	158,642	13	—		342,814	82
9. Public Debt ...	1,240,237	9	1,239,631	83	—		605	26
10. Pensions ...	475,449	40	505,823	47	30,374	7	—	
11. Exchange ...	1,068	2	288	99	—		779	3
12. Miscellaneous Services ...	4,843,104	48	4,930,750	16	87,645	68	—	
Grand Total ...	18,481,521	17	17,826,258	44	360,726	39	1,015,989	12
					Deduct Increase ..	360,726	39	
					Nett Decrease ..	655,262	73	

General Treasury,
Colombo, May 3, 1922.

W. W. Woods,
Colonial Treasurer.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of firewood during 1921-22, to be completed as specified in the note under the schedule annexed below. The area to be exploited for the supplies and further details are given in the schedule.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Firewood from private sources, 1921-22, Western Division" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 6, 1922.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachechi 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.

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

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

9. A rate per cubic yard of firewood must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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

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

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

A.—To supply 5,000 cubic yards (more or less) of jungle or rubber firewood at approved places and in approved manner alongside the Railway line between Avissawella and Kosgama stations from private lands. The following species should not be delivered:—Etdemata, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, kaju, walkaduru, kottan, erabadu, dadap, kekuna, amba, gedumba, pulun, and imbul.

B.—To supply 5,000 cubic yards (more or less) jungle or rubber firewood at approved places and in approved manner alongside the Railway line between Kosgama and Padukka Railway Station from private lands. The following species should not be delivered:—Etdemata, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, kaju, walkaduru, kottan, erabadu, dadap, kekuna, amba, gedumba, pulun, and imbul.

2. Each piece of firewood shall be 2 ft. in length, not less than 9 in. in girth and not more than 27 in. in girth at the big end. All billets over 9 in. in diameter shall be split.

3. Firewood is to be stacked at the minimum rate of one-third of the total quantity per month alongside the Railway line, and delivered to specials unless otherwise required. All firewood shall be closely stacked in minimum length of 4½ ft. as to contain a minimum solid wood volume of 20 cubic ft. per cubic yard of firewood. Every face of the stack must be correct, and there must be no internal hollows. Final delivery is to be made on or before September 20, 1922.

4. The contractor shall pay as penalty the sum of 25 cents per every cubic yard of firewood which shall remain unstacked out of the total quantity, which under this agreement should have been stacked at the end of every month.

5. The contractor shall receive from the Assistant Conservator of Forests payment for firewood supplied and accepted on production of formal receipts signed by the Locomotive Foreman, Colombo, specifying the quantity supplied, and shall accept the decision of the Assistant Conservator of Forests and the said Locomotive Foreman as to measurement of wood delivered.

Office of the Conservator of Forests, J. D. SARGENT,
Kandy, May 15, 1922. Acting Conservator of Forests.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

THE following confiscated and unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction at this court on May 31, 1922, at 11 A.M. :—

Case No.	Description of Articles.
24,128	.. 1 cover of a machine (sewing)
24,303	.. 1 ola leaf box
24,746	.. 1 knife and 1 mamoty
24,779	.. 1 camboy and 1 white cloth
24,961	.. 4 mamoties
24,980	.. 1 box
24,995	.. 4 pinchbeck studs
25,085	.. 1 knife
25,291	.. 1 axe and 1 katty

Case No.	Description of Articles.
25,362	.. 1 iron chain
25,747	.. 14 lb. of plumbago, 1 mamoty, 1 iron bar
25,906	.. 1 knife
22,312	.. 2 towels, 1 white cloth, 2 white banians, 1 sarong, 1 jacket, 1 white handkerchief
23,228	.. 1 jakwood box
23,965	.. 1 katty
24,770	.. 1 small wooden box and a cloth purse
23,495	.. 1 lantern

Police Court, E. W. KANNANGARA,
Henaratgoda, May 16, 1922. Itinerating Police Magistrate.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended May 6, 1922.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 135 (7 Burghers, 88 Sinhalese, 16 Tamils, 19 Moors, 3 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1922, viz., 246,273) was 28·6, as against 23·9 in the preceding week, 32·3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32·8 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 123 (1 European, 4 Burghers, 68 Sinhalese, 26 Tamils, 20 Moors, 3 Malays, and 1 Other). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 26·0, as against 21·6 in the previous week, 25·2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30·5 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 123 total deaths, 27 were of infants under one year of age, as against 22 in the preceding week, 33 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 13.

1. (a) **Principal Causes of Death.**—Twenty-seven deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 15 in the Hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 4 in Kotahena South, 2 each in New-Bazaar, Slave Island, and Wellawatta North, and 1 each in Maradana North and Maradana South, as against 17 in the previous week and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Four deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 1 each in Pettah, St. Paul's, San Sebastian, and Maradana South, as against 3 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Two deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 1 each in Kotahena South and Maradana North, as against nil in the previous week.

2. Nine deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 3 in Kollupitiya, 2 in Wellawatta North, and 1 each in Kotahena North, Kotahena South, the Hospital, and Slave Island, as against 6 in the previous week and 14 the weekly average for last year.

3. Three deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 1 each in Kotahena North, the Hospital (of a non-resident), and Wellawatta North, as against 4 in the previous week and 4 the weekly average for last year.

4. Eight deaths were registered from *Debility*, 7 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 5 from *Enteritis*, 4 from *Dysentery*, 3 each from *Worms* and *Tetanus*, 1 each from *Diarrhœa* and *Puerperal Septicœmia*, and 46 from *Other Causes*.

5. Sixteen cases of *Chickenpox*, 7 of *Measles*, 5 of *Enteric Fever*, and 1 of *Plague* were reported during the week as against 20, 1, 8, and nil, respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 84·6°, against 83·4° in the preceding week and 82·9° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·907 in., against 29·872 in. in the preceding week and 29·902 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·03 in., against 0·68 in. in the preceding week and 3·35 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 9, 1922.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended May 13, 1922.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 103 (3 Europeans, 7 Burghers, 59 Sinhalese, 17 Tamils, 14 Moors, 2 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1922, viz., 246,273) was 21·8, as against 28·6 in the preceding week, 29·2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32·8 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 122 (5 Burghers, 69 Sinhalese, 21 Tamils, 17 Moors, 5 Malays, and 5 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 25·8, as against 26·0 in the previous week, 31·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30·5 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 122 total deaths, 31 were of infants under one year of age, as against 27 in the preceding week, 48 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 10.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Eighteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 10 in the hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), 2 in Wellawatta South, and 1 each in Kotahena North, New Bazaar, Maradana North, Maradana South, Slave Island, and Wellawatta North, as against 27 in the previous week, and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Four deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 2 in St. Paul's, and 1 each in New Bazaar and Wellawatta South, same as in the previous week, the weekly average for last year was 5.

(c) Three deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 2 in Slave Island and 1 in St. Paul's, as against 2 in the previous week.

2. (a) Seven deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 3 in the hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 2 in Maradana North and 1 each in San Sebastian, and Maradana South, as against 9 in the previous week, and 14 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Seven deaths of residents of Colombo town occurred at the Ragama Hospital from *Phthisis* during the week.

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

4. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellawatta, as against nil in the previous week, and 3 the weekly average for last year.

5. Twelve deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 10 from *Debility*, 5 from *Enteritis*, 4 from *Diarrhœa*, 3 from *Dysentery*, 2 from *Worms*, 1 from *Tetanus*, and 49 from *Other Causes*.

6. Sixteen cases of *Chickenpox*, 7 of *Measles*, 3 of *Enteric Fever*, and 1 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 16, 7, 5, and 1 respectively of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 80·3°, against 84·6° in the preceding week, and 85·3° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·865 in. against 29·907 in. in the preceding week, and 29·848 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 15·58 in. against 0·03 in. in the preceding week, and 0·13 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.

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

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GONA ADIKA TEA AND RUBBER ESTATES, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE GONA ADIKA TEA AND RUBBER ESTATES, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (a) To purchase from the Proprietors thereof the Gona Adika Estate and the Massicombra Tea Factory, situate in the District of Kadugannawa, Ceylon.
 - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in tea, rubber, and other Ceylon produce, estate, land, and house owners, builders, and dealers in lands, houses, and buildings of every description.
 - (c) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business, and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
 - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow 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 and rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work tea and rubber factories, cocoa, 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 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 tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
 - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cocoa, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cocoa, 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, cocoa, 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, cocoa, chocolate, coconuts, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company or as Agents for others and on commission or otherwise.
 - (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
 - (n) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cocoa, 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 un-called 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.

- (f) 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, promisory 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 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 4) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z 5) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "person" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Fifty thousand (50,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
W. COOMBE, Colombo	One
M. L. HOPKINS, Colombo	One
R. A. SHARROCKS, Colombo	One
R. N. GREGOR, Colombo	One
A. N. BRUCE, Colombo	One
A. PELLY FRY, Colombo	One
T. CUMING, Colombo	One
Total Shares taken	Seven

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this Twenty-third day of March, 1922:

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

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GONA ADIKA TEA AND RUBBER ESTATES, 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 Gona Adika Tea and Rubber Estates, 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 Gona Adika Estate and Massicombra Tea 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 Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Fifty thousand shares (50,000) 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 assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

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

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

12. The Company may pay to any person a commission at a rate not exceeding ten per cent. or of an amount not exceeding such rate in consideration of his subscribing or agreeing to subscribe, whether absolutely or conditionally, for any shares in the Company, or procuring or agreeing to procure subscriptions, whether absolute or conditional, for any shares in the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CALLS.

24. The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the Shareholders in respect of all moneys unpaid on their shares, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times, provided that 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.

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

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

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

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

32. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise; or 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.

33. 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 32, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

55. The Directors shall have power 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 sum 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 Two hundred thousand (Rs. 200,000).

56. With the sanction of a General Meeting, the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. A certificate under the hands of one Director and the Secretary, or of two Directors, to the effect that in taking any loan the Directors are not exceeding their borrowing powers, shall be sufficient and binding on the Company and all concerned, and shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors.

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

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

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

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

67. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given by 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 second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting. The accidental omission to give any such notice shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.

68. Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends,

and to elect Directors and Auditors in place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever of which special mention shall have been made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

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

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

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

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

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

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

75. Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of 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.

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

77. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

83. No Shareholder shall be entitled to be present or to vote, either personally or by proxy or attorney, at any meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares have been paid, and no Shareholder, other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, shall be entitled to be present or to vote at any meeting held after the expiration of 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.

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

85. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written and shall be signed by the 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.

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

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

The Gona Adika Tea and Rubber Estates, Limited.

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

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

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

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

DIRECTORS.

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

90. 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.

91. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Two thousand Five hundred Rupees (Rs. 2,500) annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

92. The first Directors shall be Robert Foster, Edgar Rogers Waldoek, Sidney James Ramme'l, and the Hon. Mr. James Lochore. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

93. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company, or Superintendents of any of the estates, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents, or Superintendents.

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

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

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

94. At the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office, and at the first Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 95.

95. The Directors 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.

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

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

98. 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.

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

100. 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 increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

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

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

103. The Company may, by a special resolution, remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and may, by an ordinary resolution, appoint another person in his stead. The 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.

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

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

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

106. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit under the Company other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, Secretary, Agent or Trustee for Debenture holders.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he 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 102.
- (f) If he ceases to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months.

107. No Director shall be disqualified from holding office by reason of entering into any contract with or doing any work for the Company or by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company, or by reason of his being agent, or secretary, or solicitor, or being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall disclose to the Directors his interest in any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested, and shall not vote in respect of any matters connected with any such contract, work, or business.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

110. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they 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, artizans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods and with such remuneration and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable and without assigning any cause for so doing.

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

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

112. The 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.

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

114. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of 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.

115. 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, 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.

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the awards.
- (c) To make and give receipts, 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

126. 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.

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

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

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

130. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which the Directors 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.

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

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

AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ARBITRATION.

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

EVIDENCE.

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

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

160. If the Company shall be wound up, whether voluntarily or otherwise, the liquidator or liquidators may with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator or liquidators with the like sanction shall think fit, and the liquidator or liquidators shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company in consideration of or in exchange for shares, ordinary, fully paid, part paid, or preference, in the purchasing company, but in case any sale shall be made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company, either ordinary, fully paid, or part paid, or preference, any contributory who would be affected thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such resolution were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of 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.

W. COOMBE.
M. L. HOPKINS.
R. A. SHARROCKS.
R. N. GREGOR.
A. N. BRUCE.
A. PELLY FRY.
T. CUMING.

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this Twenty-third day of March, 1922. :

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

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MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE STRATHSPEY TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE STRATHSPEY TEA COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (a) To purchase from the proprietors thereof the Strathspey, Minna, and Annandale estates, situate in the District of Maskeliya, Ceylon.
 - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in tea, rubber, and other Ceylon produce, estate, land, and house owners, builders, and dealers in lands, houses, and buildings of every description.
 - (c) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark, or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business, and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
 - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
 - (e) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said properties or any portion thereof, and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof, as a tea and rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work tea and rubber factories, cacao, coconut, and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, houses, shops, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
 - (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
 - (h) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company, or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon, or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company, and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
 - (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory, erected or leased, as provided in (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.

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- (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
- (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice, and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
- (l) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits, and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cacao, chocolate, coconuts, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company, or as Agents for others, and on commission or otherwise.
- (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
- (n) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, and any other goods, wares, and merchandise, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
- (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
- (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, houses, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
- (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purpose of the Company upon the security of cash credit bonds, or of hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
- (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights, or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits 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 One million Rupees (Rs. 1,000,000), divided into One hundred thousand (100,000) 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.
TOM VILLIERS, Colombo	One
JAMES J. PARK, Colombo	One
W. H. MILES, Colombo	One
ROY WILLIAMS, Colombo	One
J. J. COON, Colombo	One
J. M. GLASSE, Colombo	One
HARVEY CLIVE FOWELL, Colombo	One
Total Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this Twenty-second day of April, 1922:—

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

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE STRATHSPEY 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 Strathspey 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, 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 Strathspey, Minna, and Annandale 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 One million Rupees (Rs. 1,000,000), divided into 100,000 shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

5. The Directors may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, increase the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares of such amounts per share and in the aggregate and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto as such resolution shall direct.

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

7. The Directors may also, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company, reduce the capital or subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company.

SHARES.

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

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

10. The shares, except when otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they consider proper. Provided that such unissued shares, except when otherwise provided, shall first be offered by the Directors to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, or as remuneration for work done for or services rendered to the Company, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall (subject to the provisions of Article 5) be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company shall direct, and, if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of the assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

12. The Company may pay to any person a commission at a rate not exceeding ten per cent. or of an amount not exceeding such rate in consideration of his subscribing or agreeing to subscribe, whether absolutely or conditionally, for any shares in the Company or procuring or agreeing to procure subscriptions, whether absolute or conditional, for any shares in the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CALLS.

24. The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the Shareholders in respect of all moneys unpaid on their shares, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times, provided that three

months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made to the persons and at the time and place appointed by the Directors.

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

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

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

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

32. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise; or 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 declination shall be absolute.

33. 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 32, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

55. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Rupees One hundred and Fifty thousand (Rs. 150,000).

56. With the sanction of a General Meeting the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. A certificate under the hands of one Director and the Secretary, or of two Directors, to the effect that in taking any loan the Directors are not exceeding their borrowing powers, shall be sufficient and binding on the Company and all concerned, and shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors.

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

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

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

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

67. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

75. Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as 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.

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

77. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

85. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written and shall be signed by the 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.

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

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

The Strathspey 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 _____.

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

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

DIRECTORS.

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

90. 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.

91. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding One thousand Five hundred Rupees annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

92. The first Directors shall be Ronald Alford, Frank Ronald Alford, Douglas Finch Noyes, and Thomas Lister Villiers. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

93. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director, or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company, or Superintendents of any of the estates for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director, or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents or Superintendents.

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

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

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

94. At the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office, and at the first Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 95.

95. The Director to retire from office at the second Ordinary General Meeting shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

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

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

98. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

106. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit under the Company, other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, Secretary, Agent or Trustee for Debenture Holders.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he 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 102.
- (f) If he ceases to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of six consecutive months.

107. No Director shall be disqualified from holding office by reason of entering into any contract with or doing any work for the Company or by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company, or by reason of his being agent, or secretary, or solicitor, or being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall disclose to the Directors his interest in any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested, and shall not vote in respect of any matters connected with any such contract, work, or business.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

112. The 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.

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

114. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of 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.

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

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the awards.
- (c) To make and give receipts, 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

126. 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

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

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

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

130. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company and as to the amount which the Directors 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.

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

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

AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ARBITRATION.

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

EVIDENCE.

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

PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

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

160. If the Company shall be wound up, whether voluntarily or otherwise, the liquidator or liquidators may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator or liquidators with the like sanction shall think fit, and the liquidator or liquidators shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company, in consideration of or in exchange for shares, ordinary, fully paid, part paid, or preference in the purchasing company, but in case any sale shall be made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company, either ordinary, fully paid, or part paid, or preference, any contributory who would be affected thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such resolution were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of 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.

TOM VILLIERS.

JAMES J. PARK.

W. H. MILES.

ROY WILLIAMS.

J. J. COON.

J. M. GLASSE.

HARVEY CLIVE FOWELL.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this Twenty-second day of April, 1922:

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

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF TANGANA (CEYLON) PRODUCTS, LIMITED.

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THE name of the Company is "TANGANA (CEYLON) PRODUCTS, LIMITED."

2. The registered office of the Company will be situate in the Arcade, Fort, Colombo.

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

- (a) To purchase or otherwise acquire from R. C. Vernon and R. S. Beling their business of tea buying, blending, and packetting, and their goodwill, as also their agencies established in all parts of the world.
- (b) To purchase or otherwise acquire from A. S. Main his import and export business and agencies and goodwill.
- (c) To plant, grow, cultivate, manufacture, render marketable, blend, import and export, and in any way deal in tea, coffee, cocoa, rubber, cinchona, cinnamon, coconuts, and other Eastern and Colonial products, and to carry on business as planters, merchants, brokers, traders, importers and exporters, manufacturers and miners, contractors, timber merchants and dealers in the aforesaid and other products and wares of all kinds, commission agents and warehousemen, to buy, sell, barter, exchange, import, export, pledge, make advances upon or otherwise deal in all articles of any kind commonly dealt in by persons carrying on any of the business aforesaid, and for such purposes to stock or carry on any shops or stores.
- (d) To undertake, construct, purchase, take on lease or otherwise acquire and carry on and develop undertakings, enterprises, works, and agencies of all kinds.
- (e) To apply for, purchase or otherwise acquire, to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of any patents, *brevets d'invention*, monopolies, licenses, inventions, concession, rights, interests, privileges or information which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company or the acquisition or sale of which may seem calculated to directly or indirectly benefit the Company, and to exercise, use, carry or develop, grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, or inventions acquired.
- (f) To buy, lease, exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire, and to hold, cultivate, improve, lease, sell, exchange, mortgage, let or deal with, either on commission or otherwise, any goods, wares, merchandise, lands, mines, minerals, buildings, plants, machinery, stock-in-trade, or other movable or immovable property or rights, or choses in action in Ceylon or elsewhere.
- (g) To purchase or otherwise acquire all or any part of the business, property, assets, liabilities of any company, society, partnership or person, and to conduct and carry on or liquidate and wind up any such business.
- (h) To negotiate loans, draw, accept, make, indorse, negotiate, purchase, lend money upon discount, invest in, hold and dispose of promissory notes, bills of lading or any token of produce or merchandise, whether foreign or colonial, or mortgages, bonds, debentures, shares, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (i) To enter into partnership or into agreement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, joint adventure, reciprocal concession or otherwise with any person, society, company, or partnership carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which the Company is authorized to carry on or engage in any business or transaction capable of being so conducted as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company, and to lend money, to purchase or otherwise acquire all or any part of the business properties, assets and liabilities, and to guarantee the contracts of or otherwise assist, to take or otherwise acquire, share any securities of any such company, society, or partnership or person, and to sell, hold, re-issue, or otherwise deal with the same.
- (j) To borrow or raise money by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, bonds, mortgages, or other securities founded or based upon all or any of the property and rights of the Company, including the capital, or without any such security upon such terms of priority or otherwise as to the Company shall seem fit.
- (k) To sell, improve, manage, develop, exchange, lease, mortgage, enfranchise, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any of the property, undertakings, rights of the Company.
- (l) To assign to any shareholders, or class of shareholders any preferentials, special, or qualified rights or privileges for or as compared with any other shareholders.
- (m) To issue or guarantee the issue of or the payment of interest on the shares, debentures, debenture stock, or other securities or obligations of any Company, partnership, or association, and to pay and provide for brokerage and commission in respect of such issue.
- (n) To acquire by subscription, purchase, or otherwise, and to accept and take, hold, or sell shares or stock in any Company, society, or undertaking, the object of which may be likely to promote or advance the interest of this Company.
- (o) To distribute any specie or otherwise that may be resolved in the assets of the Company among its shareholders, and particularly the shares, debentures, or other securities of any other company formed to take over the whole or any part of the assets or liabilities of this Company.
- (p) To carry on any other business, whether manufacturing or otherwise, which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with any other business of the said Company.
- (g) To do all such things that are identical or conducive to the attainment of the above objects.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The capital of the Company is Rs. 200,000 divided into 20,000 shares of Rs. 10 each, whereof 19,970 are to be called Ordinary shares, and 30, to be numbered 11,971 to 12,000 inclusive, are to be called Founders' shares, and are to confer on the holders thereof rateably and in proportion to the number of Founders' shares held by them respectively the right to half the surplus profits of the Company of each year, which shall remain after paying or providing for the payment out of such profits of a dividend to the close of such year at a rate not exceeding 100 per cent. per annum on the capital paid up on all shares, and of a dividend to the close of such year at such rate (not exceeding 100 per cent.) as may be attached to any further shares whether in the original or any increased capital hereafter issued, and after making such provision for reserve as may seem expedient.

Any of the shares in the capital, original or increased, may be issued with any preferential, special, or qualified rights or conditions as regards dividends, capital, voting, or otherwise attached thereto, but so that the rights hereby attached to the Founders' shares shall not be infringed.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
A. S. MAIN, Colombo	One
C. M. YOUNG, Colombo	One
Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this 6th day of April, 1922 : P. D. A. MACK, Proctor, Supreme Court.	
R. S. BELING, Namunukula	One
Witness to the above signature, at Namunukula, this 25th day of April, 1922 : C. A. GUNASEKERA, Clerk, Kandahena estate, Namunukula.	
L. ST. GEORGE CAREY, Namunukula	One
Witness to the above signature, at Namunukula, this 25th day of April, 1922 : N. F. SPURR, Kandahena estate, Namunukula.	
CAMPBELL DUDLEY, Namunukula	One
Witness to the above signature, at Namunukula, this 25th day of April, 1922 : T. K. MUTALIPH, Clerk, Cannavarella estate.	
KEITH ROLLO, Nuwara Eliya	One
Witness to above signature, at Oakley, Nuwara Eliya, this 29th day of April, 1922 : M. R. CASSIE, Nuwara Eliya.	
E. G. SIMPSON, Wattegama	One
Witness to above signature, at Nuwara Eliya, this 29th day of April, 1922 : N. C. ROLT, Ramboda.	
Total ..	Seven

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF TANGANA (CEYLON) PRODUCTS, LIMITED.

It is agreed that:—

1. *Table C not to apply; Company to be governed by these Articles.*—The regulations contained in Table C in the Schedule annexed to “The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861,” shall not apply to this Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.
2. *Power to alter Regulations.*—The Company, by special resolution, may 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.

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

The word “Company” means “Tangana (Ceylon) Products, Limited,” incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

“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 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.

BUSINESS.

4. The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its Capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and 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.

5. The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents. The Company being established to carry out the several objects set out in the Memorandum, 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 shareholder of the Company, present or future, shall be deemed to have joined the Company on this basis.

CAPITAL.

6. The capital of the Company is Rs. 200,000 divided into 20,000 shares of Rs. 10 each, whereof 19,970 are to be called ordinary shares, and 30, to be numbered 11,971 to 12,000 inclusive, are to be called Founders' shares, and are to confer on the holders thereof rateably and in proportion to the number of Founders' shares held by them respectively the right to half the surplus profits of the Company of each year, which shall remain after paying or providing for the payment out of such profits of a dividend to the close of such year at a rate not exceeding 100 per cent. per annum on the capital paid up on all shares, and of a dividend to the close of such year at such rate (not exceeding 100 per cent.) as may be attached to any further shares, whether in the original or any increased capital hereafter issued, and after making such provision for reserve as may seem expedient.

Any of the shares in the capital, original or increased, may be issued with any preferential, special, or qualified rights or conditions as regards dividends, capital, voting, or otherwise attached thereto, but so that the rights hereby attached to the Founders' shares shall not be infringed.

SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

13. *One of Joint Holders other than a Firm may give Receipts; only one of Joint Holders resident in Ceylon entitled to vote.*—Any one of the joint holders of a share, other than a firm, may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable 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.

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

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

16. *Trusts or any Interest in Share other than that of registered Holder or of any Person under Clause 37 not recognized.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under Clause 37 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

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

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

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

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

REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

21. *Reduction of Capital and Subdivision or Consolidation of Shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may by special resolution reduce the capital in such manner as such special resolution shall direct, and may by special resolution subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company or any of them.

SHARE CERTIFICATES.

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

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

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

25. *Certificate to be delivered to the First-named of Joint Holders not a Firm.*—The certificate of shares registered in the names of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first-named on the register.

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

28. *No Transfer to Minor or Person of Unsound Mind.*—No transfer of shares shall be made to a minor or person of unsound mind.

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

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

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

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

33. *Registration of Transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Re. 1, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 31, 32, and 34, shall register the transferee as Shareholder and retain the instruments of transfer.

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

35. *Directors not bound to inquire as to the Validity of Transfer.*—In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles, and, whether they abstain from so inquiring or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share.

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

38. *Registration of Persons entitled to Shares otherwise than by Transfer.*—Any curator of any minor Shareholder, any Manager 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 Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Rs. 2.50; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

39. *Failing such Registration, Shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 38 shall not, from any cause whatsoever, within two years 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 two years after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; the net proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER, LIEN, AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

45. *Surrendered or forfeited Shares to be the Property of the Company, and may be sold.*—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.

46. *Effect of Surrender or Forfeiture.*—The surrender or forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all the 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, save only such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly excepted.

47. *Certificate of Surrender or Forfeiture.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors or of one of the Directors and 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, such purchaser thereupon shall be deemed the holder of such share discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

48. *Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may, in their discretion, remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date of such forfeiture upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 45 hereof shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

49. *Company's Lien on Shares.*—The Company shall have a first charge or lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint holders or otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls, resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one, the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. The Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

50. *Lien how made Available.*—Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the assignee in his bankruptcy, or manager of a lunatic, or curator of a minor 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, ninety days' notice shall be allowed him.

51. *Proceeds how applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 45 and 50 hereof shall be applied in or towards the satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to such Shareholder or his representative.

52. *Certificate of Sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors or of one of the Directors and the Secretary that the power of sale given by Clause 50 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of such facts.

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

55. *Modification of Rights and Consent.*—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 that 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 that class of shares; and such resolution shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of that 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.

56. *Meetings affecting a particular Class of Shares.*—Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no Shareholder, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat,

unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be affected by the resolution, and that no vote shall be given except in respect of a share of that class, and that at any such meeting a poll may be demanded in writing by any Shareholders personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

CALLS.

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

58. *Calls, Time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Clause 117.

59. *Extension of Time for Payment of Call.*—The Directors shall have power, in their 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.

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

62. The Directors shall have the power to procure from time to time such temporary advances or loans as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of carrying out the objects of the Company and extending the business of the Company in keeping with the objects as set out in these presents on condition that they shall, under no circumstances whatsoever, unless sanctioned by a General Meeting, raise money at a higher rate of interest than 12 per cent. per annum; also from time to time, at the discretion of the Directors, to borrow or raise at a rate of interest not exceeding the rate aforesaid from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of such moneys borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the paid up capital of the Company. With the sanction of a General Meeting, the Directors shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rates of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the re-payment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights and assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided also that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures, or create any debenture stock, they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intention to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged, as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's Seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed to by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Secretary, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall, as regards the creditors, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

MEETINGS.

63. *General Meetings.*—The First General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time not being more than six months from the date of incorporation of the Company and at such place as the Directors may determine.

64. *When subsequent General Meetings to be held.*—Other General Meetings shall be held once in every year, at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is prescribed, then at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

65. *Distinction between Ordinary, General, and Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The General Meetings referred to in the last preceding clause shall be called Ordinary General Meetings, all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

66. *When Extraordinary General Meeting to be called. Requisition.*—The Directors may, whenever they think fit, and they shall, on the written requisition of the holders of not less than one-tenth part of the shares of the Company for the time being subscribed for, forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and in the case of such requisition the following provisions shall have effect:—

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

67. *Notice of Meeting.*—Seven clear days' notice to the Shareholders specifying the place, day, and hour of meeting, and, in case of such special business, the general nature of such business, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* or by notice sent by post or otherwise served as hereinafter provided for.

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

69. *As to Omission to give Notice.*—The accidental omission to give any such notice to any of the Shareholders shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.

PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL MEETING.

70. *Business of Ordinary Meeting. Special Business.*—The business of an Ordinary Meeting other than the first one shall be to receive and consider the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, and the Reports of the Directors and of the Auditors, to elect Directors and other officers in the place of those retiring by rotation, to declare dividends, and to transact any other business which, under these presents, ought to be transacted at an Ordinary Meeting. All other business transacted at an Ordinary Meeting and all business transacted at an Extraordinary Meeting shall be deemed special.

71. *Quorum.*—Three Shareholders personally present shall be a quorum for a General Meeting for the choice of Chairman, the declaration of a dividend, and the adjournment of the meeting. For all other purposes the quorum for a General Meeting shall be Shareholders personally present, not being less than five in number, and holding or representing by proxy or power of attorney not less than one-tenth part of the shares of the Company for the time being subscribed for.

72. *Quorum to be Present when Business commenced.*—No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting unless the quorum requisite shall be present at the commencement of the business.

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

74. *When, if Quorum not Present, Meeting to be dissolved, and when to be adjourned.*—If within one hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting, if convened upon such requisition as aforesaid, shall be dissolved; but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week, at the same time and place, and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

75. *How Questions to be decided at Meetings. Casting Vote.*—Every question submitted to a meeting shall be decided, in the first instance, by a show of hands, and in the case of an equality of votes the Chairman shall, both on a show of hands and at the poll, have a casting vote in addition to the vote or votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder.

76. *What is to be Evidence of the Passing of a Resolution.*—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.

77. *Poll.*—If a poll is demanded by some Shareholder or his proxy or attorney, it shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman of the meeting directs, and either at once or after an interval or adjournment or otherwise, and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall be taken shall be entitled 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 the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of a poll may be withdrawn.

78. *Power to adjourn General Meeting.*—The Chairman of a General Meeting may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn the same from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place.

79. *In what Cases Poll taken without Adjournment.*—Any poll duly demanded on the election of a Chairman of a meeting or on any question of adjournment shall be taken at the meeting and without adjournment.

80. *Business may proceed notwithstanding Demand of a Poll.*—The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

VOTES OF SHAREHOLDERS.

81. *Votes of Shareholders.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote, and upon a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or by attorney shall have one vote for every share held by him. Where a corporation being a Shareholder is present by a proxy or by attorney who is not a Shareholder, such proxy or attorney shall be entitled to vote for such corporation on a show of hands.

82. *Votes in Respect of Shares of Deceased and Bankrupt Shareholders.*—Any Shareholder entitled under the transmission clause (*supra* Clause 38) to transfer any shares may vote at any General Meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty-eight hours at least before the time of holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote he shall satisfy the Directors of his right to transfer such shares, or the Directors shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof.

83. *Joint Holders.*—Where there are joint registered holders of any share, any one of such Shareholders may vote at any meeting, either personally or by proxy or by attorney, in respect of such share as if he were solely entitled thereto; and if more than one of such joint holders be present at any meeting, personally or by proxy or by attorney, that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof or those so present shall respectively be entitled to an equal part of the votes conferred by the joint holding. Several administrators or executors of a deceased Shareholder in whose name any share stands shall for the purposes of this clause be deemed joint holder thereof.

84. *Voting in Person or by Proxy or by Attorney.*—Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney.

85. *Instrument appointing Proxy to be in Writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing, under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney, or, if such appointor is a corporation, under its common seal or the hand of its attorney. No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company and qualified to vote, save that a corporation being a Shareholder of the Company may appoint as its proxy one of its officers, though not a Shareholder of the Company.

86. *And to be deposited at Office.*—The instrument appointing a proxy (and the power of attorney, if any, under which it is signed) shall be deposited at the office not less than forty-eight hours before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote, but no instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve months from the date of its execution.

87. *Holders of Share Warrants not to vote by Proxy. Form of Proxy.*—Every instrument of proxy, whether for a specified meeting or otherwise, shall, as nearly as circumstances will admit, be in the form or to the effect following :—

Tangana (Ceylon) Products, Limited.

I, the undersigned, _____, of _____, being a Shareholder of Tangana (Ceylon) Products, Limited, hereby appoint _____, of _____, or failing him _____, of _____, or failing him _____, as my proxy, to vote for me and on my behalf at the (Ordinary or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the _____ day of _____, and at any adjournment thereof.

As witness my hand this _____ day of _____.

Signed by the said _____ in the presence of _____.

88. *No Shareholders entitled to Vote, &c., while Call due to Company.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to be present, or to vote on any question, either personally or by proxy or by attorney or as proxy for another Shareholder, at any General Meeting, or upon a poll, or be reckoned in a quorum, whilst any call or other sum shall be due and payable to the Company in respect of any of the shares of such Shareholder.

DIRECTORS.

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

90. *First Directors.*—The persons hereinafter named shall be the first Directors, that is to say :—

- A.—T. G. Elliott, of Nuwara Eliya, Ceylon.
- B.—A. S. Main, of Arcade Buildings, Fort, Colombo, Ceylon.
- C.—A. H. S. Clarke, of Madulkelle, Ceylon.
- D.—R. S. Beling Planter, of Namunukula, Ceylon.
- E.—C. M. Young, of Colombo, Ceylon.

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

92. *Qualification of Directors.*—The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of 100 shares in the Company of the nominal value of Rs. 1,000.

93. *First Directors—Qualification as to.*—A first Director may act before acquiring his qualification, but shall in any case acquire the same within one month from his appointment ; and unless he shall do so, he shall be deemed to have agreed to take the said shares from the Company, and the same shall be forthwith allotted to him accordingly.

94. *Power of Director to Retire.*—A Director may retire from his office upon giving one month's notice in writing to the Company of his intention so to do, and such resignation shall take effect upon the expiration of such notice or its earlier acceptance.

95. *Remuneration of Directors.*—The Directors shall be paid out of the funds of the Company by way of remuneration for their services at the rate of Rs. 1,500 per annum and such further sums as the Company in General Meeting may from time to time determine, and such remuneration shall be divided among them in such proportions and manner as the Directors may determine, and in default of such determination within the year equally.

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

97. *When Office of Director to be vacated.*—The office of a Director shall *ipso facto* be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any other office or place of profit under the Company, except that of Managing Director, Manager, or Departmental Manager, or Superintendent, or Secretary, or Treasurer. But the position of trustee of a deed for securing debentures or debenture stock of the Company, or of solicitor, or banker is not to be considered an office or place of profit.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or suspends payment or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If he is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required amount of shares or stock to qualify him for office or do not acquire the same within two months after election or appointment.
- (e) If he is concerned or interested in or participates in the profits of any contract with or work done for the Company ; but no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any Company which has entered into contracts with or done any work for this Company, or which is concerned in or participates in the profits of any contract with the Company. Nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract in which he is so interested.
- (f) If by notice in writing to the Company he resigns.
- (g) If he is requested in writing by all his Co-Directors to resign.

98. *Directors may contract with Company.*—No Director shall be disqualified by his office from contracting with the Company either as vendor, purchaser, or otherwise, nor shall any such contract, or any contract or arrangements entered into by or on behalf of the Company in which any Director shall be in any way interested, be avoided, nor shall any Director so contracting or being so interested be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding that office or the fiduciary relation thereby established, but it is declared that the nature of his interest must be disclosed by him at the meeting of the Directors at which the contract or arrangement is determined on, if his interest then exists, or in any other case at the first meeting of the Directors after the acquisition of his interest, and that no Director shall as a Director vote in respect of any contract or arrangement in which he is so interested as aforesaid.

99. *Directors may become Directors of other Companies promoted by this Company.*—A Director of this Company may be or become a Director of any company promoted by this Company, or in which it may be interested as a vendor, Shareholder, or otherwise, and no such Director shall be accountable for any benefits received as Director or Shareholder of such Company.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

100. *Rotation and Retirement of Directors.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting to be held in the year 1923 and at every succeeding Ordinary General Meeting, one-third of the Directors, or if their number is not a multiple of three, then the number nearest to, but not exceeding one-third, shall retire from the office.

101. *Which Directors to Retire.*—The one-third, or other nearest number, to retire at the Ordinary Meeting to be held in the year 1923 shall, unless the Directors agree among themselves, be determined by lot; in every subsequent year the one-third, or other nearest number who have been longest in office, shall retire. As between two or more who have been in office an equal length of time the Director to retire shall, in default of agreement between them, be determined by lot. The length of time a Director has been in office shall be computed from his last election or appointment where he has previously vacated office. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election.

102. *Meeting to fill up Vacancies.*—The Company at any General Meeting at which any Directors retire in manner aforesaid shall fill up the vacated offices by electing a like number of persons to be Directors and without notice in that behalf may fill up any other vacancies.

103. *Retiring Directors to remain in Office till Successors appointed.*—If at any General Meeting at which an election of Directors ought to take place, the places of the retiring Directors are not filled up, the retiring Directors, or such of them as have not had their places filled up, shall, if willing, continue in office until the Ordinary Meeting in the next year, and so on from year to year until their places are filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting to reduce the number of Directors.

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

105. *When Candidate for Office of Director must give Notice.*—No person, not being a retiring Director, shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he, or some other Shareholder intending to propose him, has, at least seven clear days before the meeting, left at the office a notice in writing duly signed, signifying his candidature for the office, or the intention such of Shareholder to propose him.

MANAGING DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

111. *A Director may summon Meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

112. *Who is to preside at Meetings of Board.*—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.

113. *Questions at Meetings how decided.*—Any questions 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.

114. *Board may appoint Committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit, and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such committee, either wholly or in part, and either as to persons or purposes, but every committee so formed shall, in exercise of the power 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.

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

116. *Regulations of Proceedings of Committees.*—The meetings and proceedings of such committees shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceeding 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 regulations imposed by the Board.

117. *Resolution in Writing by all the Directors as Valid as if passed at a Meeting of Directors.*—A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors for the time being resident in Ceylon shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted, provided that no fewer than two Directors shall sign it.

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

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

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

COMPANY'S SEAL.

120. *Custody of the Seal.*—The Directors shall provide for the safe custody of the seal, and the seal shall never be used except by the authority of the Directors, or a committee of the Directors, previously given, and in the presence of two Directors at least, who shall sign every instrument to which the seal is affixed, and every such instrument shall be countersigned by the Secretary or some other person appointed by the Directors.

ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS AND RESERVE FUND.

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

127. *Interim Dividend.*—The Directors may also, if they think fit, from time to time and at any time, without the sanction of a General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid to the Shareholders.

128. *Reserve Fund.*—The Directors may set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum or sums as they think proper as a reserve fund subject to the provision in paragraph 6 *supra*, and may invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

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

130. *Unpaid Interest or Dividend not to bear Interest.*—No unpaid interest or dividend shall ever bear interest against the Company.

131. *No Shareholder to receive Dividend while Debt due to Company.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend 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.

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

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

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

135. *Shares held by a Firm.*—Every dividend payable in respect of any shares 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.

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

AUDIT.

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

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

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

140. *Retiring Auditors eligible for Re-election.*—Retiring auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

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

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

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

144. *Company's Accounts to be open to Auditors for Audit.*—All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all time be open to the auditors for the purpose of audit.

NOTICES.

145. *Notice how authenticated.*—Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of one or more of the Directors or Secretary, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

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

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

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

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

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

ARBITRATION.

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

EVIDENCE.

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

PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

153. *Purchase of Company's Property by Shareholders.*—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.

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

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

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names at the various places and on the different dates as hereunder set out :—

A. S. MAIN, Colombo.
C. M. YOUNG, Colombo.

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this 6th day of April, 1922 :

P. D. A. MACK,
Proctor, Supreme Court.

R. S. BELING, Namunukula.

Witness to above signature, at Namunukula this 25th day of April, 1922 :

C. A. GUNASEKERA,
Clerk, Kandahena estate.

L. ST. GEORGE CAREY, Namunukula.

Witness to above signature, at Namunukula, this 25th day of April, 1922 :

N. F. SPURE,
Kandahena estate, Namunukula.

CAMPBELL DUPLEY, Namunukula.

Witness to above signature, at Namunukula, this 25th day of April, 1922 :

T. K. MUTALIPH,
Clerk, Cannavarella estate.

KEITH ROLLO, Nuwara Eliya.

Witness to above signature, at Oakley, Nuwara Eliya, the 29th day of April, 1922 :

M. R. CASSIE,
Nuwara Eliya.

E. G. SIMPSON, Wattegama.

Witness to above signature, at Nuwara Eliya, the 29th day of April, 1922 :

N. C. ROLT,
Ramboda.

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The Beverlac (Selanger) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, the National Mutual Buildings, Chalmers Street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, May 26, 1922, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts to December 31, 1921.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor 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 May 20 to 26, both days inclusive.)

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

Colombo, May 19, 1922

The Grand Central Stores, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office, No. 10, Norris road, Pettah, Colombo, on Saturday, May 27, 1922 at 4.30 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 Directors.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any of the competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Board,
K. PAULUS PERERA,
Secretary.

**Penang Estate Company of Ceylon, Limited
(in Liquidation).**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company held at the registered office of the Company, No. 12, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, May 11, 1922, at 12 noon, the accounts of the Company made up to September

10, 1921, and Liquidator's report were presented and passed, and the following resolution was then carried :—

“That the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.”

Confirmed :

A. P. WALDOCK,
Chairman.

J. C. ROBINSON,
Liquidator.

May 11, 1922.

The Clyde Tea Estates Company, Limited (in Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the Final General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company held at 12 noon on Monday, May 15, 1922, the following resolution was passed :—

“That in the opinion of the meeting the affairs of Clyde Tea Estates Co., Ltd. (in liquidation), have been fairly and fully wound up.”

Lloyd's Buildings, Prince street, Colombo, May 16, 1922. W. R. DONALDSON,
by his Attorney A. DUNCAN,
Liquidator.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of a Building used as a Shop, in the Shop Area Dam street, adjoining St. Paul's Church, Pettah, and Two Houses in the best Residential Locality in Messenger street, Colombo.

By virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 4,838, District Court, Colombo, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Friday, June 16, 1922, for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree in the said action No. 4,838, the following property declared specially bound and executable under the said decree, viz :—

At 3 P.M., at the spot.

All that divided $\frac{1}{2}$ part of a garden shaded pink and marked letter “A” in the plan thereof, with the buildings thereon, out of the premises bearing assessment No. 636/100, situated at Messenger street, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; which said divided $\frac{1}{2}$ part is bounded on the north by Messenger street, on the east by the other divided $\frac{1}{2}$ part of the same land marked letter “B” in the plan, on the south by a new road, and on the west by the property belonging to the estate of the late Samsy Lebbe Marikar; containing in extent $10\frac{1}{4}$ perches.

At 3.30 P.M., at the spot.

All that eastern just $\frac{1}{2}$ part marked "B" and uncoloured in the plan dated October 21, 1898, made by Frederick Bartholomeusz, Surveyor, together with the buildings thereon, from and out of the premises bearing assessment No. 636/100, situated at Messenger street aforesaid, which said eastern just $\frac{1}{2}$ part is bounded on the north by Messenger street aforesaid, on the east by premises bearing assessment No. 99, on the south by a new road, and on the west by the western $\frac{1}{2}$ part of the said premises devised to Kadiya Umma, deceased; containing in extent $10\frac{1}{2}$ perches more or less.

At 4.30 P.M., at the spot.

All that property and premises, with the building thereon, bearing assessment No. 8, situated at Dam street, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by premises bearing assessment No. 6 of Jainambu Natchia, on the east by premises bearing assessment No. 9 late of the estate of S. L. Ahamado Lebbe, on the south by Dam street, and on the west by premises bearing assessment No. 7 and a passage three feet wide; containing in extent $1\frac{71}{100}$ perches.

For title deeds and further particulars please apply to Messrs. T. D. & E. L. Mack, Proctors and Notaries, or to—

A. C. KOELMEYER,
Commissioner, Auctioneer, and Broker.

No. 58, Belmont street,
Hulftsdorp, May 17, 1922.

Auction Sale of Valuable Property in Maradana.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me by the District Court of Colombo in mortgage case No. 4,667, I shall sell on Saturday, June 17, 1922, at 4 P.M., premises No. 190, situated at 2nd Division, Maradana.

This property is situated close to the Maradana railway station, Police station, and in close proximity to all places of importance.

For further particulars apply to F. Rustomjee, Esq., Proctor and Notary, No. 23, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

S. H. SELVAM JOSEPH,
Auctioneer.

Colombo, May 14, 1922.

Auction Sale of Valuable Property in Dam Street.

(Under Partition Decree.)

BY virtue of a commission issued to me by the District Court of Colombo in partition case No. 537/1921, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, July 1, 1922, at 4 P.M., premises No. 88, situated at Dam street, in Colombo, in extent $5\frac{1}{2}$ acre square perches.

This property is situated close to the courts, and is at present used as a lawyer's office.

Further particulars from J. H. R. Joseph, Esq.; Proctor, Supreme Court, 96, Dam street, Colombo.

S. H. SELVAM JOSEPH,
Commissioner.

Colombo, May 16, 1922.

Auction Sale.

Under Mortgage Decree of Coconut and Rubber Lands in Kegalla District, within One Mile from the Kegalla Resthouse—Crown Title.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 2,877/1921 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, June 10, 1922, the following premises mortgaged as primary and secondary mortgages and ordered to be sold under the decree in the said case for the realization of the sum of Rs. 6,919.33, with further interest, and costs of suit, to wit:—

At 2 P.M., at the spot.

(1) An allotment of land called Mudunehena, situated in the village Nandawala, in Diyaladahamuna pattu of Kinigoda korale in the District of Kegalla, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded on the north by Mederihena claimed by Punchirala, Peelagederahena claimed by Ranhamy and Dumbuluwagawahena claimed by Mudiense, on the north-east by Peelagederahena claimed by Ranhamy,

Dumbuluwagawahena claimed by Mudiense and Andagollahena and Batapandurehena claimed by Kapurala, on the south-east by Batapandurehena claimed by Kapurala and land described in plan No. 52,692, and Miyanapalawakumbura claimed by B. Appuhamy and others, on the south by land described in plans Nos. 25,692 and 12,050, and a water-course, on the south-west by Miyanapalawelanda and Miyanapalawekumbura claimed by B. Appuhamy and others, Pillewa claimed by Kapurala, and land described in plan No. 129,050, on the west by land described in plan No. 129,050 and Delgahamulahena claimed by Mr. Fernando, and on the north-west by land described in plan No. 144,457; containing in extent 10 acres and 19 perches. (2) An allotment of land called Kurunduhena, situated in the village Nilwaka, in Diyaladahamuna pattu of Kinigoda korale aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land claimed by Ukkuhamy and others and Ukkuhamy, on the north-east by land claimed by Ukkuhamy, on the east and south-east by land claimed by Kapurala, on the south by land described in plan No. 52,692, and on the west by land said to belong to the Temple; containing in extent 5 acres 2 roods and 38 perches. (3) An allotment of land called Ambalamagawahena, situated in the village Nandawala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Ambalamagawahena claimed by B. Punchirala, on the north-east by Mawatahena claimed by M. Kirihamy and Kongahamulla claimed by Punchirala, on the east by Pahatuwagamahena claimed by Ranhamy and Kongahamulla claimed by Punchirala, on the south-east by land described in plan No. 144,547, on the south by Hittinawatta claimed by Jotihamy, on the south-east by Hittinawatta claimed by Jotihamy and Gamayakumbura claimed by Ranhamy and others, on the west by Gamayakumbura claimed by Ranhamy and others, and on the north-west by Ambalamagawahena claimed by Kirihamy and B. Punchirala; containing in extent exclusive of the road passing through the land, 4 acres 2 roods and 27 perches. (4) An allotment of land called Mudunehena, situated in the village Nandawala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Kongahamulla claimed by Punchirala, on the north-east by Mederihena claimed by Punchirala, on the south-east by plan described in plan No. 144,476, on the south by Delgahamulahena claimed by Mr. Fernando, on the south-west and west by Hittinawatta claimed by Jotihamy, on the north-west by Hittinawatta claimed by Jotihamy, land described in plan No. 14,456, and Kongahamulla claimed by Punchirala; containing in extent 3 acres 9 perches. (5) All that just undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ part of the land called Paranawatta, and of the trees thereon, situated at Nandawala aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the ditch and by the line of trees, on the south and west by the ditch and by the line of trees, and on the north by the bank of the field (Weleiwera); containing in extent 2 pelas of paddy sowing; which said allotments of land, estate, and plantations being contiguous to each other now form one property called and known as Nilwaka estate; containing in extent 27 acres 3 roods and 26 perches (more or less) as per figure of survey No. 266,842 dated November, 1905, and made by N. W. Cooray, Licensed Surveyor.

At 2.30 P.M., at the spot.

(a) An allotment of land called Nabirittamukalana, situated in Nandawala in Diyaladahamuna pattu aforesaid; and bounded on the north by lot 5,881 in P. P. 8,107, on the east by T. P. 120,950, on the south by T. P. 52,692, and on the west by lot 4,867 in P. P. 1,797 and T. P. 266,084; containing in extent 2 roods and 24 perches as per figure of survey No. 268,183, dated March 2, 1910, and authenticated by P. D. Warren, Esq., Surveyor-General

At 2.45 P.M., at the spot.

(b) An allotment of land called Nabirittamukalana, situated in Nandawala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by T. P. 266,984, on the east by lot 4,868 in P. P. 1,797, on the south by T. P. 52,692, and on the west by T. P. 249,756; and containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 30 perches according to the figure of survey No. 268,842, dated April 11, 1910, and authenticated by P. D. Warren, Esq., Surveyor-General.

Further particulars can be had from S. R. Ameresekera, Esq., Proctor for the plaintiffs, or from

G. EMANUEL DABERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

No. 83, Dam street.

95.4/
Sale by Public Auction.

1660A
 Under Insolvency, D. C., Colombo, Case No. 3,090/1922.

I AM instructed by the assignee, K. S. S. R. M. Ramen Chetty, of 71, Sea street, Colombo, to sell at Seaholme, Retreat road, Bambalapitiya, on Friday, May 26, 1922, at 7.30 A.M.—

All that valuable and well-kept household furniture, &c., of H. N. H. Mohideen, consisting of 1 cabinet, 2 small jak almiraes, 1 teak wardrobe, almiraeh with mirror, 1 nadun toilet table, 1 brass ornamented bed, 1 small iron cot, 3 rattan mattings, 1 iron safe (single door), 1 teak wardrobe with mirror, 1 iron double bed, 1 brass ornamented sofa, 1 nadun dressing table, 1 marble table with toilet sets, 1 teak mirror wardrobe, 6 bentwood chairs, 1 teapoy, 1 musical box, 1 carved teapoy, 1 ebony teapoy, 1 teapoy, 2 upholstered chairs, 2 flower stands, 1 upholstered settee, 2 upholstered armchairs, 1 rattan matting, 6 frames with pictures, 2 pieces China matting, 4 brass bowls, 5 brass bowls, 1 dinner waggon, 1 dining table in 3 pieces, 1 glass almiraeh, 1 glass almiraeh, 4 bentwood chairs, 1 Seth Thomas clock, 1 electric table fan, 3 frames with pictures, 2 rattan matting, 1 writing table, 1 Empire typewriter, 1 copying press, 3 bentwood chairs, 1 book stand, 2 whatnots, 1 rattan matting, 1 deer horn, 1 waste paper basket, 1 iron gas stove, 1 hatstand, 2 nadun lounges, 1 long deck folding chair, 1 hanging lamp, 2 G. O. H. chairs, 5 nadun armchairs, 2 rattan chairs, 2 flower stands, 2 small flower stands, 4 frames with pictures, 3 bead curtains, and 1 iron safe.

Terms cash, payment and delivery immediately after the sale.

Pettah Auction Room, A. C. ABDUL HAMEED,
 Nos. 8 and 9, Sea street, Court Auctioneer, &c.
 (Opposite Colombo Municipality):
 Tel. "Enemyasee."
 Phone 221, Estd.: 1907.
 March 16, 1922.

95.4/
Auction Sale.

1660B
 Valuable Property at Chekku Street, Pettah, Colombo, under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Colombo, Case No. 4,129.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in this case and commission issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Monday, June 12, 1922, at 5 P.M., at the spot—

(1) All the right, title, and interest of the mortgagor in all that house and ground bearing assessment No. 75, situated at Chekku street, Pettah, Colombo; containing in extent about 12 31/100 square perches, registered in in A 32/183.

(2) All the right, title, and interest of the mortgagor in all that house and ground bearing assessment No. 76, situated at Chekku street aforesaid; containing in extent 7 29/100 square perches, registered in A 28/301.

Further particulars from M. N. M. Salahudeen, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

Auction Rooms, 41, Darley road, R. C. McHEYZER,
 Phone 1681. Auctioneer and Broker.

95.4/
Auction Sale.

1660C
 Valuable Property at Peliyagoda under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Colombo, Case No. 2,059/1921.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in this case and commission issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Friday, June 9, 1922, at 5 P.M., at the spot—

(1) All that land called Ambagahawatta, together with the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Peliyagoda aforesaid; containing in extent about 6 bushels of paddy sowing extent.

(2) An undivided 1/4 part or share of all that allotment of land called Ambagahawatta and of the trees and plantations, and an undivided 3/4 and 1/4 part of the tiled house standing on the western side of the said land, situated at

Peliyagoda as aforesaid; containing in extent 1 bushel of paddy sowing.

Further particulars from J. L. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

Auction Rooms, 41, Darley road. R. C. McHEYZER,
 Phone 1681. Auctioneer and Broker.

95.4/
Auction Sale.

1660D
 An exceptionally good Coconut Land in the Negombo District, Convenient Situation, 6 Miles from the Town.

DAGONNA Group, in extent 56 acres, with rich soil and trees in heavy bearing, situated at Dagonna bordering the Negombo-Kimbulpitiya road, will be sold by public auction, under instructions from the assignee of the insolvent estate of Mr. Walter Benjamin Rajapaksa, at the spot, at 4 P.M., on Saturday, June 10, 1922.

The above extent includes a pretty little field of about 1 acre, and a young plantation of about 8 acres.

Further particulars can be had from Mr. C. Emmanuel of Negombo, the assignee in insolvency case No. 146, D. C., Negombo, or—

M. P. KUREBA & Co.,
 Negombo, May 16, 1922. Auctioneers.

95.4/
Auction Sale of Valuable Properties at Gorakapola in Panadure, and Tambarawila and Malagane in Kurunegala District.

UNDER instructions received from the administratrix of the intestate estate of the late Tewaratantrige Solomon Fernando of Wattalpola, and with the leave of the District Court of Kalutara in testamentary proceedings in case No. 1,315, I shall sell by public auction at the office of Messrs. Fernando & Fernando, Proctors and Notaries, Panadure, the following property, on Friday, June 2, 1922, commencing at 2 P.M., viz.:—

1. The undivided 101/2520 shares of the land called Mumpitiyawatta (excluding the planters' 1/2 share of the 1st plantation), together with the thatched house standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola in the Panadurebadde of the Panadure totamune in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, containing in extent 1 acre and 1 rood more or less.

2. The undivided 1/20 share of the portion of the land called Mumpitiyawatte (excluding the planters' 1/2 share of the 1st plantation) standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 1 acre more or less.

3. The undivided 1/15 share of a portion of the land called Pattiyatotawatta (excluding the planters' 1/2 share of the 1st and 2nd plantations) standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 1 rood more or less.

4. The undivided 73/240 shares of the portion of the land called Pattiyatotawatta (excluding the planters' 1/2 share of the 1st and 2nd plantations), together with the undivided 1/10 share of the tiled house and 1/2 share of 12 coconut trees and of breadfruit tree planted by the father of Bemina-hennedige Silvestry Peiris standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 3 roods more or less.

5. The undivided 1/2 share of 2 coconut trees of the 1st plantation standing on the portion of the land called Ambagahawatta, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 1 acre more or less.

6. The undivided 1/2 share of the portion of the land called Pattiyatotawatta (excluding the planters' 1/2 share of the trees and plantations), situated at Gorakapola aforesaid, containing in extent 1 rood more or less.

7. The undivided 2/3 shares of a portion of Pattiyatotawatta, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 20 perches.

On Monday, June 5, 1922, commencing at 9 A.M.

8. The undivided 2/3 shares of the southern 1/2 of the portion of the land called Ambagahawatta, and 1/2 share of the trees and plantations (excluding 1/2 share of an old jak tree and a coconut tree of the 2nd plantation and 2 coconut trees of the 3rd plantation) standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent the land sufficient to plant about 50 coconut plants.

9. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ shares of the northern $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Ambagahawatta and of all the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 acres.

10. The undivided $\frac{3}{12}$ shares of the land called Ambagahawatta, together with the trees and plantations and the tiled house standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent about 1 rood.

11. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the southern $\frac{1}{2}$ portion of the land called Ambagahawatta, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 39 perches.

12. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Ambagahawatteowitibinkattiya alias Ambagahawattapaulabinkattiya and of the trees and plantations standing thereon, situated at Gorakapola aforesaid; containing in extent 3 roods and $11 \frac{76}{100}$ perches.

13. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Timbirigahamulawatta and of all things thereon, situated at Tambarawa in Dewamedikorale of Dewamedihatpattuwa, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, containing in extent about 3 lahas of kurakkan sowing.

14. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Hitinawatta and of all the trees, plantations, and buildings thereon, situated at Tambarawa aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing.

15. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Aswed-dunkumbura of the extent of about 1 amunam of paddy sowing, and the adjoining residing land of the extent of about 1 laha of kurakkan sowing, situated at Tambarawa aforesaid.

16. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ part of the land called Meegahamulawatta of the sowing extent of about 2 kurunies of kurakkan, and the adjoining pillawa of 1 laha of kurakkan, situated at Tambarawa aforesaid.

17. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Meegahamulawatta, situated at Tambarawa aforesaid; containing in extent about 4 seers of kurakkan sowing.

18. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Kumbuk-gahamulapillewa presently watta, situated at Malagane in Dewamedikorale aforesaid, containing in extent about 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing.

19. The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ of $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the field called Meeghakumbura, situated at Malagane aforesaid; containing in extent about 6 amunams of paddy sowing.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. Fernando & Fernando, Proctors and Notaries, Panadure, or to me :

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,
Panadure, May 16, 1922. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Testamentary in the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the Jurisdiction. late Katabowilage Edwin Perera of No. 1,322, Weedagama, deceased.

UNDER instructions from the administrator in the above case, and with the leave of the District Court of Kalutara, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 3.30 P.M., the following property, to wit :—

The undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the soil and of all the trees and plantations standing thereon of the land called Alubogahanda, situated at Bolabotuwa, in the Adikari pattuwa of the Rayigam korale, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province; and bounded on the north by wela, east by wela and Crown jungle, south by the cart road, and west by the ditch separating the Crown jungle; containing in extent about 10 acres.

Further particulars from D. E. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, or from me :

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,
Panadure, May 15, 1922. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale of Valuable Lands and Fields, situate at Kobbewela in Gampola.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. 29,543 entered in favour of the plaintiff R. S. Northway of Gampola, against the defendant A. R. S. W. I. W. M. R. Tikiri Banda, Registrar, also known as

Amgammana Udahawalaawe Tikiri Bandara of Kobbewela, I shall sell by public auction at the office of Mr. A. V. Vanlangenburg, Proctor, Gampola, at 1 P.M., on Saturday, June 10, 1922, the following lands and fields, to wit :—

1. All that exact $\frac{1}{2}$ share towards the east and north, in extent about 2 pelas and $2 \frac{1}{2}$ lahas of paddy sowing out of Mahakumbura.

2. Weliangekumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent.

3. Honda Appugekumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing extent.

4. All those contiguous lands called Iddaladeniyakumbura of 1 pela paddy sowing, Iddaladeniyekumbura of 8 lahas paddy sowing, and Yatipitiyakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing, all adjoining each other of 3 pelas and 8 lahas paddy sowing extent.

5. One undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the eastern portion in extent 1 pela paddy sowing of Yatipitiyakumbura.

6. All those contiguous lands called Kobbewelawalauwawatta in extent 1 yelamuna paddy sowing, Musingedera-watta 2 pelas paddy sowing, and Galpoththe-ehelena 3 pelas paddy sowing, all adjoining each other of 11 pelas paddy sowing extent.

7. All those contiguous lands called Yatipitiyehena of 2 pelas paddy sowing, Arambewatta of 2 pelas paddy sowing, Polwatta of 2 amunams paddy sowing, Yatipitiyewatta of 3 pelas paddy sowing, and Watagodahena of 3 amunams paddy sowing, all adjoining each other of 6 amunams and 3 pelas paddy sowing extent.

All the above-mentioned lands and fields are situated at Kobbewela in Kandukara Ihala korale, Udalapata, Kandy District.

For further particulars apply to F. L. Goonewardene, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Kandy, or to me :

A. R. WICKREMESAHERA,
No. 9, Malabar street, Kandy. Auctioneer.

Public Auction.

In the District Court of Galle.

William Mendis Kappina, Veda Arachchi, of Godagedera in Welitara, Plaintiff.

No. 18,851.

Vs.

Tenahandi Guneris de Silva of Pategama in Welitara, Defendant.

BY virtue of the commission under mortgage decree for recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,000, with interest on Rs. 2,000 at 15 per cent. per annum from July 14, 1921, till date of decree, thereafter with legal interest on the aggregate amount from date of decree, till payment in full and costs of suit, issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 2 P.M., at the spot, the following property, to wit :—

The entire soil and trees, together with the buildings standing thereon, of the land called Kimbulwatta, containing in extent 1 rood and 33.33 perches, situated at Pategama in Welitara; and bounded on the north by Porawagoda, Aisohamypadinchiwatta and Dingihamigewatta, east by Anthonanappuhamypadinchiwaunwatta, south by Kappinawalawwata-aitikumbulwatta, and west by the high road.

For further particulars please apply to H. J. M. Wickramaratne, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, of Ambalangoda or to me :

K. E. HENRY DE SILVA,
Galle, May 15, 1922. Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to me in partition case No. 17,459 of the District Court of Galle, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on July 1, 1922, commencing at 2.30 P.M., the following property :—

The eastern and western lots separated by the path of the divided $\frac{1}{2}$ portion of Adderabandawatta, situate at Patabendimulla in Ambalangoda; containing in extent 1 rood and 4.78 perches and 34.4 perches respectively.

The said 2 lots will be put up for sale separately, firstly among the co-owners thereof commencing with the upset price for which the same has been appraised, to wit,

Rs. 2,278 and Rs. 1,833, respectively, but if no offer be made by the co-owners in advance of the said prices then the same will be put up for sale among the public.

Galle, May 16, 1922. CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

Talgahabene Mestrige Nicholas of Kumbalwella (dead),
(2) Kodagoda Serranndera Habbia of Kumbalwella,
(3) Talgahabene Mestrige Salpina of Kumbalwella,
appearing by their next friend the 2nd plaintiff
substituted in place of deceased Plaintiffs.

No. 16,693.

Vs.

Cassim Lebbe Markar Mohammedo Lebbe Markar of
Gintota for himself and as the duly appointed
person to represent the estate of Uduma Lebbe
Markar Mohammedo Mawlankandu, late of Gintota,
deceased Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree and the order to
sell issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by
public auction, at the spot, on June 10, 1922, at 2.30 P.M.,
the following property bound and executable for the
recovery of the amount due on the said decree, viz. :—

All the soil and trees of the 3 defined contiguous lots
marked No. 3 of the land Agalemerenchigewatta, situate
at Ukwatta, within the Four Gravets of Galle, in extent
1 acre 1 rood and 22 81 perches.

Galle, May 16, 1922. CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a mortgage
decree entered in case No. 9,754, D. C., Matara,
against Matara Happhenmedige Misi Nona of Nupe, I, the
undersigned, will sell by public auction upon orders of the
said court on June 5, 1922, at 2 P.M., at the office of
Mr. D. T. Kulatilaka, Proctor, Fort, Matara, the
following properties

(1) An undivided 1/2 of the soil and coconut trees and
citronella of Mirihankodahena, bearing No. 6,322, in extent
4 acres 2 roods 23 perches, which is situated at Hewuwita,
in Morawak korale.

(2) An undivided 1/2 of the soil and coconut trees and
citronella, and 1 of all the buildings and the citronella
boiler, and the impliments of and in Mirihankanda, bearing
No. 5,259, in extent 33 acres and 1 rood, which is situated
at ditto.

Matara, May 10, 1922. B. A. K. WIJAYANAYAKA,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale of Four Valuable Lands.

Under a Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Matara.

Metaramba Bala Arachchige Bartholamews de Silva
of Nadugala Plaintiff,
Nos. 9,764.

(1) Raigam Koralege, Banna de Silva, (2) Raigam
Koralege Maris de Silva alias Malis de Silva, both
of Ahangama Defendants.

By virtue of a commission issued to me and the decree
entered in the above case to recover the sum of
Rs. 6,793.75, with interest on Rs. 5,000 at 15 per cent. per
annum from July 1, 1921, till date of decree, and thereafter
with legal interest on the aggregate amount from the date
of decree till payment in full, and costs of this action
Rs. 250.45, I shall sell by public auction at the office of
Messrs. G. E. & G. P. Keuneman, Proctors, of the Fort
of Matara, on Saturday, June 17, 1922, commencing at 2
P.M., the following property, to wit :—

1. All that undivided 71/72 parts of all the fruit trees
and of soil of the divided portion of Thanigahawatta

bearing assessment No. 46, situate at Gabadaweediya
(near Gabadaweediya junction and opposite the walawwa
of Kachcheri Mudaliyar Amarasekara, Esq.), in the Local
Board of Matara District, Southern Province; and which
said portion is bounded on the north and south by two
portions of Thanigahawatta, east by high road, and west
by Disawagewatta; and containing in extent about 1 acre
and 1 rood.

2. All the fruit trees and soil of Bogahagodella, situate
at Weliwe (near Morawaka market place), of Morawaka
korale in Matara District; and bounded on the north by
allotment of land No. 6 described in plan No. 10, east by
Nilwala-ganga, south by allotments of land Nos. 11, 10 and
12 described in plan No. 10, west by high road; containing
in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 5 perches.

3. All the fruit trees and soil, including citronella, of the
land Kadabiyamullahena, in extent 9 acres 3 roods and
10 perches, situate at Morawaka in Morawak korale
aforesaid; and bounded on the north and north-east by
Crown land, south-east by Crown land and a road, on the
south by high road, on the west and north-west by lands
belonging to A. Gunaratne and others, and Haikaradeniya
belonging to Andirise and others.

4. All the fruit trees and soil, including citronella, of the
land called Ambagahakumburagawa alias Galagawahena,
in extent 2 acres and 12 perches, situate at Morawaka
aforesaid; and bounded on the north by high road and the
land belonging to Gamage Balappu and others, on the east
by the land belonging to Gamage Balappu and others, and
the land called Galagawaokanda, south-east and
south by Weluwa-ganga, west by lands belonging to Gamage
Balappu and others and D. M. Wijeguru Jayawardane,
and on the north-west by land belonging to A. Gunaratne
and others.

The conditions of sale will be read and explained before
the sale.

The purchaser shall immediately after the sale pay
one-fourth of the purchase amount and all the expenses of
sale in cash

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. G. E. &
G. P. Keuneman, Proctors, Matara, or to me:

Matara, May 15, 1922. A. P. KARUNARATNE,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me
in case No. 18,112 of the District Court of Galle, I
shall sell by public auction on Saturday, July 1, 1922, at
2 P.M., at the spot, five divided portions, A, B, C, D, and E,
of the land called Kumbalduwewatta, with houses and
plantations therein, situated at Godahena, in Wellaboda
pattu, Galle District, Southern Province.

Lot A of Kumbalduwewatta; bounded on the north by
Madampe river and paddy fields, east by lots B and C of the
same land, south by paddy fields, west by Madampe river,
containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 26 5 perches, as shown
in my plan No. 551 filed in record.

Lot B of Kumbalduwewatta; bounded on the north by
lot C of the same land, east by lot D of the same land, south
by paddy fields, west by lot A; containing in extent 3 roods
37 125 perches, as shown in my plan No. 551 filed in record.

Lot C of Kumbalduwewatta; bounded on the north by
paddy fields, east by lots D and E of the same land, south by
lot B, west by lot A; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods
and 37 5 perches, as shown in my plan No. 551 filed in
record.

Lot D of Kumbalduwewatta; bounded on the north by
lot E of the same land, east and south by paddy fields, west
by lots B and C of the same land; containing in extent
2 acres, as shown in my plan No. 551 filed in record.

Lot E of Kumbalduwewatta; bounded on the north by
paddy fields, east by paddy fields, south by lot D of the
same land, west by lot C of the same land; containing in
extent 1 acre 3 roods and 25 perches, as shown in my plan
No. 551 filed in record.

Above five allotments of land will be put up for sale first among the co-owners thereof, commencing from the appraised value, and if the co-owners fail to purchase it in advance, I shall immediately put up for sale among the public.

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

Hikkaduwa, May 6, 1922.

S. WARUSEVITANE,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

S. T. M. A. Murugappa Chetty of Vannarponnai
Plaintiff.
No. 16,395. Vs.

(1) Sinnachchy, widow of Velauther Arunasalam and
(2) Arunasalam Selliah, both of Vannarponnai
East Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and commission issued to me, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 10 A.M., at the spot, the following property declared bound and executable under the said decree for the recovery of the amount therein stated, viz:—

Land situated at Vannarponnai East called Kaddutharai, containing or reputed to contain in extent 3 lachams varagu culture, with well, plantations, and share of the stone-built house contained therein; and bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by the property of Sinnatamby Ramalinga Mudliyar and shareholders, on the north by the property of Sinnatamby Ramalinga Mudliyar and shareholders and the property of Sithamparam Ampalavanaswami temple, on the west by road, and on the south by the property of the defendants above named. The whole hereof.

Jaffna, May 15, 1922.

R. KANTAIYAH,
Commissioner.

Sale by Auction under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Pana Lana Nena Thenappa Chetty of Puttalam
Plaintiff.
No. 3,497. Vs.

V. Saravanamuttu, Secretary of the District Court of Puttalam, representative of the estate of the deceased mortgagor Sinna Wappoo Mohamado Cassim. Defendant.

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

May 24, 1922, at 3 P.M.

(a) Out of the land called Veetaditotum or Pallicondavayel-totam, situated at the village Pallicondavayel, in Akkarai pattu south in Puttalam pattu division, in Puttalam District, North-Western Province, and containing in extent about 1½ acre, a divided portion on the northern side in extent about 1 acre; boundaries of the said divided portion are on the north by land belonging to Pattampillai Mudalalipillai and others, on the east by land belonging to Santiago Abraham Fernando and others, on the south by the adjoining portion of this belonging to the heirs of Mariambu, wife of Mapilatamby, and on the west by reservation called Maniakaranvonn; the entirety within these boundaries.

May 24, 1922, at 2.30 P.M.

(b) The coconut garden called Thatantharaimoolaikany, situate at the village Kanamoolai, in the aforesaid pattu, containing in extent 3 acres and 2 perches; and bounded on the north by garden belonging to Ahamado Naina, on the east by river Upparu, on the south by

garden belonging to Pitche Tangatchy, wife of Segotamby, and on the west by high path known as Kanakkan Peruveli; the entirety within these boundaries, and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendant, in, to, upon, or out of the said several premises mortgaged by the defendant.

For further particulars apply to W. S. Strong, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Puttalam, or to the undersigned.

P. M. M. KADER SAIBO MARKAR,
Puttalam, May 11, 1922. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C., Chilaw, testamentary case No. 1515, I shall offer for sale by public auction at the spot—

On Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 10 A.M.

All that portion of land called Kaddutharai, situate at Kandawela in Negombo District.

Further particulars from C. V. M. Pandittesekere, Proctor, Supreme Court, Chilaw, or—

S. P. ABEYAKOON,
Chilaw, May 16, 1922. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me by the District Court of Chilaw in partition case No. 6,727, I shall put up for sale by public auction, on Saturday, July 1, 1922, at 3 P.M., at the spot, all that land called Kaddutharai, situated at Marawila in Pitigal Korale, Chilaw District; in extent 27 acres and 29 perches.

The said property will be put up for sale among the co-owners at the price at which the same has been valued, and if there will be no bidders among the co-owners, the same will be immediately thereafter be put up for sale to the highest bidder among the public.

Chilaw, May 15, 1922.

C. RAJARATNAM,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

No. 23. In the Matter of insolvent estate of Meevana Insolvency Muna Mohideen Abdul Cader of Madampe.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me by the District Court of Chilaw in the above case, I shall put up for sale by public auction the under-mentioned property, at the spot, on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 9 A.M.

The land called Nakelalangahenyaya, situated at Karawe in Yagampattu Korale in Kurunegala District; containing in extent 25 acres.

Chilaw, May 15, 1922.

C. RAJARATNAM,
Auctioneer.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, R. M. S. Kumaraswamy Pillai, have retired as from April 30, 1922, from the business carried on by us, the undersigned, under the names, styles, and firms or vilasams of "Ravanna Mana Koonna" and "Ravanna Mana Sana" at Colombo, and under the name, style, and firm or vilasam of "Ravanna Mana Layana" at Madampe.

The said business shall be henceforth carried on by me, the undersigned, R. M. S. Gopalakrishnapillai alone.

R. M. S. KUMARASWAMY PILLAI,

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(R. M. S. GOPALAKRISHNAPILLAI.)

Colombo, May 8, 1922.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned packages lying at the Indian Goods Shed, Maradana, 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, June 6, 1922. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, June 9, 1922.

Date of Arrival.	Waybill No.	Serial No.	Station.	Name of Consignee.	Number and Description of Packages.
November 17, 1921	‡	2,712	Jaliparamba road	Manager, Kallisherry Weaving Establishment	1 bundle C goods
January 23, 1922	55/23	246	M. Beach	The Madras Engineering Works	1 crate chaise

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, May 9, 1922.

E. A. VANDER STRAATEN,
for Principal Collector.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned packages having been left in No. 15 Warehouse, beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that, unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, June 13, 1922. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, June 16, 1922.

Serial No.	Vessel.	Date of Landing.	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
17	ss. Waronga	September 21, 1921	W A	20 bundles bar steel
38	ss. Tana	January 9, 1922	Walker in a square upon S D in a triangle	1 coil hoop iron
72	ss. Gloucestershire	February 21, 1922	Nil	2 bags rice sweepings
78	ss. Dogra	February 16, 1922	Various	11 parcels sugar samples
84	ss. Wartenfels	February 16, 1922	Nil	11 bundles steel, loose
85	ss. Wakasa Maru	February 20, 1922	H D	1 wheel
86	ss. Hogland	February 25, 1922	Walkers in a square upon S D in a triangle	112 jars acid, broken
91	ss. Garbeta	February 19, 1922	692 in a triangle and J B outside	1 case merchandise, empty
			N U R B	1 bag dates
			Miss Rogerson	1 case merchandise, empty
96	ss. Baron Androsan	March 3, 1922	H D H	6 bags rice
			Nil	7 bags rice
97	ss. Goentoer	February 24, 1921	J. R. A.	5 cases gin
99	ss. Purnea	February 26, 1922	Nil	3 bags poonac
13	ss. Franenfels	February 9, 1922	E & Co.	1 case
			Nil	13 bars iron
17	ss. Clan Cumming	March 8, 1922	229 in a diamond and A A L M W outside	5 cart bushes
			M L T D in a triangle and A W outside	2 cart bushes
21	ss. Hogland	February 25, 1922	Nil	25 coils hoop iron
24	ss. Kedderkirk	February 22, 1922	A H G upon 6569 upon Ritsa	1 case merchandise
31	ss. Dorsetshire	September 28, 1920	—	32 bundles iron
31	ss. Clan MacBride	August 14, 1920	—	17 bundles iron

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, May 12, 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, June 6, 1922, at 1 P. M. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, June 9, 1922 :—

Vessel.	Invoice No. and Date.	Consignee.	Number and Description of Goods
ss. Elgin, March 1, 1922	89 of February 11, 1922	P. C. Kuni	2 cases biscuits

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, May 15, 1922.

R. O. DE SARAM,
for Principal Collector.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned package 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, it will be sold by public auction on June 13, 1922, at 1 P. M. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, June 16, 1922 :—

Entry No.	Date of Entry.	Date of Steamer.	Steamer.	From	Marks and Numbers.	Number and Description of Packages.
F 1,586	October 26	—	ss. Kaga Maru.	—	H M C upon L L D 478 in a side	1 case merchandise

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, May 15, 1922.

R. O. DE SARAM,
for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importations of Rice into the several Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended May 6, 1922.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Akyab	18,399
Do.	Calcutta	7,437
Do.	Karikal	3,293
Do.	Puri	2,999
Do.	Rangoon	35,251
Do.	Tirunelvasal	2,007
Do.	Tuticorin	215
Do.	Dhanushkodi	4,796
Talaimannar	do.	136
Kayts	Akyab	34
Do.	Negapatam	50
Valvettiturai	Akyab	333

(2,027 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs, Colombo, May 9, 1922. A. N. STRONG, for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importations of Rice into the several Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended May 13, 1922.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Calcutta	1,999
Do.	Tuticorin	611
Do.	Dhanushkodi	8,105
Valvettiturai	Akyab	10

(1,691 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs, Colombo, May 16, 1922. R. O. DE SARAM, for Principal Collector.

Closure of Area for Application Surveys in Province of Uva.

NOTICE is hereby given that surveys in connection with applications for the purchase or lease of Crown land will in future be undertaken in the Province of Uva in rotation according to areas.

2. The Province is divided into—

Area No. 1, which includes Wiyaluwa, Yatikinda, and Udukinda divisions, and Kandapalla korale in Wellawaya division.

Area No. 2, which includes Wellawaya, Kongala, Bintenna, and Sittaramapalata korales in Wellawaya division, Kandukara and Buttala korales in Buttala division.

Area No. 3, which includes Bintenna and Wellassa divisions, and Buttala-Wedirata korale in Buttala division.

3. Area No. 1 will be closed on June 1, 1922, and no applications received within this area after that date will be forwarded to the Surveyor-General for survey until this area is again reopened. This, however, will not preclude applicants from submitting to me for registration, applications for land within this area with a view of ascertaining whether there are any objections to the sale or lease.

4. The next area to be closed for survey will be area No. 2, followed in due course by area No. 3. Applications for the purchase or lease of Crown land in these two areas should be forwarded to me as early as possible.

5. The date of closure of No. 2 area will be shortly published, and will represent the date of completion of all work in area No. 1.

May 3, 1922.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Government Agent.

Registration of a Building for Solemnization of Marriages.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Registration of Marriages, other than the Marriages of Kandyans or of Muhammadans," I, Maurice Salvador Sreshta, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned building, used as a place of public Christian worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein:—

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
363	May 9, 1922	Church of "Our Lady of Good Health"	Polgaha-agara, Katugampola South, Katugampola hatpattu, Kurunegala	Most Rev. Dr. A. Coudert, O.M.I., Archbishop of Colombo, Proprietor	Roman Catholic

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 9, 1922.

M. S. SRESHTA,
Registrar-General.

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No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
364	May 9, 1922	St. James Church	Chankanai Valikamam West, Jaffna	Rev. V. Deslandes, O.M.I., Minister	Roman Catholic

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 9, 1922.

M. S. SRESHTA,
Registrar-General.

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No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
365	May 13, 1922	Church of St. Gerard	Dodangoda, Iddagoda pattuwa, Pasdun korale west, Kalutara District	Most Rev. Dr. A. Coudert, O.M.I., Archbishop of Colombo, Proprietor	Roman Catholic

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 13, 1922.

M. S. SRESHTA,
Registrar-General.

Licensed Surveyor and Leveller.

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

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
May 11, 1922	334	A 774	Peiris, T. M.	Ceylon Government Railway, Colombo

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.

A. J. WICKWAR,
for Surveyor-General.

Ceylon Government Railway.

THE Railway Level Crossing at Bridge street, Slave Island, will be closed for repairs from 6 P.M. on Saturday, May 27, to 2 P.M. on Sunday, May 28.

No traffic of any kind will be permitted to use the level crossing during this period.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, May 17, 1922.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Matale, from January 1 to December 31, 1921.

Revenue.		Expenditure.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Government contribution for 1921-22	2,632	Salaries	1,088 81
Gansabhawa contribution	357	Repairs to buildings	1,383 48
School fines	1,396 50	Making and repairing fences, school gardens, &c.	1,071 51
Lease of fruit trees in school gardens	12 50	Furniture and school apparatus	29 77
Miscellaneous	134 0	Garden implements	100 0
		Erection of new buildings and extension of existing buildings	7,615 20
		Miscellaneous	937 38
			12,726 15
Balance on December 31, 1920	14,035 75	Balance on December 31, 1921	5,841 77
Total	18,567 92	Total	18,567 92

The Kachcheri,
Matale, May 4, 1922.

C. HARRISON-JONES,
Chairman.

Annual Accounts of the District School Committee, Mannar, for 1921.

Receipts.		Payments.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1920	6,173 52	Repairs to buildings	175 46
Government contributions	887 25	Erection of new buildings and extension of existing buildings	149 3
School fines	449 75	Making and repairing fences, school gardens, walls, and play grounds	93 75
		Garden implements	50 0
		Miscellaneous	258 40
		Balance on December 31, 1921	6,783 88
Total	7,510 52	Total	7,510 52

Mannar Kachcheri,
May 4, 1922.

F. C. GIMSON,
Chairman.

Summary of Accounts of the District School Committee, Puttalam, for 1921.

(Section 12 of the Rural Schools Ordinance, No. 8 of 1907.)

Receipts.		Payments.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1921	1,869 4	Salaries	37 73
Government contribution	6,100 33	Repairs to buildings	1,864 34
Village contribution	150 0	Making fences, &c.	377 0
School fines	294 0	Garden implements	50 0
Miscellaneous	2,215 25	Erection of new buildings	6,603 33
		Miscellaneous	90 17
			9,072 57
		Balance on December 31, 1921	1,556 5
Total	10,628 62	Total	10,628 62

Probable Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Puttalam, for 1922.

Revenue.		Expenditure.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1922	1,556 5	Salaries	90 8
Government contribution (probable)	1,000 0	Repairs to schools	1,452 87
Village Committee contribution (probable)	150 0	Making and repairing fences, &c.	211 69
School fines (probable)	250 0	Garden implements	50 0
Government grant for latrine	160 0	Miscellaneous	921 33
			2,725 97
		Balance on December 31, 1922	390 8
Total	3,116 5	Total	3,116 5

Puttalam Kachcheri,
May 12, 1922.

J. A. MULHALL,
for Assistant Government Agent.

Summary of Accounts of the District School Committee, Chilaw, for 1921.

(Section 12 of the Rural Schools Ordinance, No. 8 of 1907.)

Receipts.		Payments.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1921	18,972 95	Salaries	175 47
Government contribution	3,047 0	Repairs to buildings	1,715 1
Village Committee contribution	1,500 0	Making and repairing fences, &c.	769 42
School fines	964 75	Garden implements	100 0
Miscellaneous	503 0	Erection of new buildings, &c.	6,714 27
		Miscellaneous	462 37
			9,936 54
		Balance on December 31, 1921	15,051 16
Total	24,987 70	Total	24,987 70

Probable Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Chilaw, for 1922.

Revenue.		Expenditure.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1922	15,051 16	Salaries	177 73
Government contribution (probable)	3,000 0	Repairs to school buildings	881 11
Village Committee contribution	1,500 0	Making and repairing fences of school gardens, walls, &c.	709 88
School fines (probable)	700 0	Garden implements	100 0
Miscellaneous (probable)	400 0	Erection of new buildings	15,091 68
		Miscellaneous	360 4
			17,320 44
		Balance on December 31, 1922	3,330 72
Total	20,651 16	Total	20,651 16

Puttalam Kachcheri,
May 11, 1922.

J. A. MULHALL,
for Assistant Government Agent.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the District School Committee, Anuradhapura, for 1921.

Revenue.		Expenditure.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1921	17,799 35	Salaries	2,283 82
Government contribution	6,568 75	Repairs to buildings	3,113 14
School fines	1,518 10	Making and repairs to fences	115 85
Miscellaneous (Village Committee Funds: Rs. 130 40)	142 28	Erection of new buildings	1,712 10
		Miscellaneous	349 3
			7,573 94
		Balance on January 1, 1922	18,454 54
Total	26,028 48	Total	26,028 48

The Kachcheri,
Anuradhapura, May 11, 1922.

J. N. ARUMUGAM,
for Chairman.

Summary of the Accounts of the District School Committee, Kegalla, for 1921.

(Section 12 of the Rural Schools Ordinance, No. 8 of 1907.)

Revenue.		Expenditure.	
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on January 1, 1921	29,512 25	Erection of new buildings and extensions to existing buildings	17,649 59
Government contributions	8,968 0	Repairs to buildings	5,638 57
Village Committee contributions	3,050 0	Making and repairing fences, school gardens, wells, and play grounds	2,603 77
School fines under Ordinance No. 8 of 1907	3,673 5	Compensation for lands acquired	2,551 88
Miscellaneous	208 30	Garden implements	100 0
		Furniture and school apparatus	50 0
		Salaries	1,407 75
		Miscellaneous	389 11
			30,450 67
		Balance	14,980 88
Total	45,411 60	Total	45,411 60

District School Committee,
Kegalla, May 8, 1922.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chairman.

Government Technical Schools, Colombo.

PRACTICAL MATHEMATICS EXAMINATION,
MARCH, 1922.

PASS LIST.

First Class.

Mr. J. V. Joshua | Mr. C. W. Ferdinands

Second Class.

Mr. D. de Jonk | Mr. T. Sebastampillai
Mr. E. J. BerengerEducation Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Government Technical Schools, Colombo.

PASS LIST OF THE MOTOR ENGINEERING EXAMINATION
HELD ON MARCH 27, 1922.

First Class.

1. Mr. J. E. Fernando | 2. Mr. A. E. T. Neydorf

Second Class.

3. Mr. H. R. Peiris | 6. Mr. W. M. Ranawickrama
4. Mr. E. V. B. de Silva | 7. Mr. K. B. L. Perera
5. Mr. R. W. Lenora | 8. Mr. A. WeeramantryEducation Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Government Technical Schools, Colombo.

PASS LIST OF THE CARPENTERS' DRAWING CLASS
EXAMINATION HELD ON MARCH 30, 1922.

First Class.

1. Mr. T. W. H. Peiris | 2. Mr. K. Chas. Dias
3. Mr. A. C. Fernando

Second Class.

4. Mr. E. A. Perera | 6. Mr. E. George Silva
5. Mr. W. J. I. Fernando | 7. Mr. H. J. FonsekaEducation Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Government Technical Schools, Colombo.

SANITARY ENGINEERING EXAMINATION, MARCH 27, 1922.

PASS LIST.

First Class.

Mr. M. R. Dharmasiriwardhana.

Second Class.

Mr. C. John Peiris | Mr. W. A. Perera
Mr. D. MeurlingEducation Office,
Colombo, May 16, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Government Technical Schools, Colombo.

PASS LIST OF THE ENGINEERING WORKSHOP PRACTICE
EXAMINATION HELD ON MARCH 28, 29, AND
30, 1922.

Pattern Making.

Messrs. T. Francis, C. A. Tranchell, K. B. L. Perera, D. D.
Alichandra, D. M. Wijesoma.

Machine Shop.

Messrs. J. W. E. Arontissa, A. V. Peiris, N. A. Hamer,
K. P. Aiyappan, W. J. Perera, A. V. Silva, C. D. Moraes,
M. A. Gunaratne, C. E. Swan, and K. S. Fernando.

Fitting Shop.

Messrs. M. John Singho, H. C. Peiris, W. G. Redlich,
S. Kandiah, M. A. W. Perera, N. M. Bowen, G. Don Paul,
K. G. Sangadassa, W. E. Rodrigo, W. B. Silva, W. E. G. de
Soyssa, and K. P. Kristnan.Education Office,
Colombo, May 17, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Government Technical Schools, Colombo.

PASS LIST OF THE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION EXAMINATION
HELD ON MARCH 31 AND APRIL 1, 1922.

Stage I.—Building Construction.

Messrs. D. J. Leo, W. J. Fonseka, H. S. Fernando,
K. Charles Dias, Peter Walpola, B. L. Berenger, P. V.
Thuraiyah, A. V. Fruightniet, S. J. Fernando, K. Muttulingam,
W. D. W. Joseph, C. F. Anthonisz, P. T. de Silva,
D. D. Fernando, A. D. Adaham, A. R. M. Sahid, E. P. H. W.
Peiris, and P. D. de Silva.

Draughtsmanship.

Messrs. C. F. Anthony, H. S. Fernando, E. P. H. W.
Peiris, P. V. Thuraiyah D. J. Leo, Peter Walpola, K. Charles
Dias, B. L. Berenger, A. V. Fruightniet, S. J. Fernando,
K. Muttulingam, W. D. W. Joseph, P. T. de Silva, A. D.
Adaham, W. J. Fonseka, P. D. de Silva, and D. F. Ponweera.

Stage II.—Building Construction.

First Class.

Messrs. S. J. Rupesinghe, M. A. Seenivasagam, K. Siva-
kadadsam, T. S. Mohammed, C. N. Fernandopulle, A. R. M.
Ajvaud, and S. M. Calideen.

Second Class.

Messrs. W. E. Rodrigo, M. D. Gabriel, M. Jayasinghe,
C. J. O. Anthony, D. D. Fernando, C. A. M. S. Silva,
K. D. Ulrich, G. D. S. Samarasinghe, and K. M. Fernando.

Quantities.

First Class.

Messrs. S. M. Calideen, M. Poothathamby, S. J. Rupe-
singhe, D. C. B. Rajapakse, C. N. Fernandopulle, and
M. A. Seenivasagam.

Second Class.

Messrs. K. Sivakadadsam, T. S. Mohammed, W. E.
Rodrigo, H. J. Perera, D. D. Fernando, C. A. M. S. Silva,
K. D. Ulrich, J. D. S. Samarasinghe, A. R. M. Ajvaud,
A. Ernest, and A. Mailvaganam.Education Office,
Colombo, May 17, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. G. C. Dias, Mudaliyar,
of Bope, Galle, has been appointed Manager of the
school mentioned below, in place of the late Mr. D. A.
Wickremasekera.

School referred to.

G/Mahamodara Buddhist (Sangamitta) Vernacular
Mixed School.Education Office,
Colombo, May 4, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Rev. H. R. Cornish has
been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned
below, in place of the Rev. A. S. Beaty, Wesleyan Mission,
Kalutara.

Schools referred to.

KL/Kalutara South m.	KL/Clyde Estate m.
KL/Kalutara North m.	KL/Culloden Estate m.
KL/Heenatiyangala m.	KL/Gikiyanakanda m.
KL/Magalkanda m.	KL/Neboda m.
KL/Batagoda m.	G/Maha Ambalangoda m.
KL/Indigastuduwa b.	G/Watugedera m.

Education Office,
Colombo, May 6, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. A. P. Maldeniya has
been appointed Manager of the school mentioned
below, in place of Mr. E. C. Bakmiwewa.

School referred to.

C/Borella Free Night School (S. S. L.).

Education Office,
Colombo, May 11, 1922.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

New Peacock Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Superintendent, New Peacock estate for a grant in aid of his New Peacock Estate Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Gampola District of the Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than June 11, 1922.

Education Office, Colombo, May 8, 1922. L. MACRAE, Director of Education.

Elementary School-Leaving Certificate Examination, March, 1922.

THE following candidates have passed the above examination held on March 14, 1922, and the following days in the compulsory subjects—Reading, Writing, English Composition, and Arithmetic—and in those additional subjects under which "p" is placed. Horizontal line "—" denotes failure and "a" absence:—

Christ Church Girls' School, Baddegama.

Index No.	Name.	English Language	English Literature	Geography	History	Bookkeeping	Shorthand	Mathematics	Sinhalese	Tamil	Needlework	Drawing
6.	Jalatge, J. P.	p	p	p	p							
7.	Wijesinghe, A. F.	p	p	p	p							
C. M. S. Elementary English School, Dodanduwa.												
8.	Mendis, D. A.	p	p	p	p							
Dharmasoka College, Ambalangoda.												
9.	Abaysundera, A. K. S.	p										p
12.	de Silva, R. M. H.		p									p
16.	de Silva, G. T.		p									p
17.	de Silva, H. D.		p									p
20.	de Silva, U. P. S.	p	p	p								p
21.	Francis, A. G. M.		p	p								p
23.	Gurusinghe, A. D. S.	p	p	p								p
24.	Jayatilake, T. H.		p									p
25.	Jayatilake, A. L. de Z.	p	p									p
28.	Piyasena, O. N.	p	p	p	p							p
30.	Saddhasena, M. H.	p	p	p								p
31.	Silva, J. S.	p	p									p
33.	William, N.	p	p	p								p
Government English School, Godauda.												
35.	Amadoru, F. G.	p	p	p	p							p
37.	Mendis, G. M.	p	p	p	p							p
Mahinda College, Galle.												
41.	David, K. G.	p										p
43.	Jinadasa, K. L.	p	p	p								p
6341.	de Silva, T. P.	p										p
634H.	Cæsar, P. L. E.	p										p
Government English School, Mirissa.												
47.	Jinadasa, K.		p									p
48.	Silva, A. H. T. E.		p									p
51.	Singho Appu, G.		p									p
53.	Weerasuriya, G. P. de S. P.		p									p
Richmond College, Galle.												
56.	Boucher, E. B.	p	p									p
59.	Fernando, H. V.	p	p	p								p
62.	Navaratnam, K.		p									p
63.	Poulier, H. M.		p									p
66.	Suriya-arachi, E.		p									p
Siddhartha College, Balapitiya.												
67.	de Silva, G. O. T.	p		p								p
St. Aloysius College, Galle.												
70.	Francis, N. V.	p	p	p	p							p
72.	Jayasekera, M. E. de S. P.	p	p	p	p							p
74.	Serapanthy, W. A.	p	p	p	p							p
76.	Wickremasinghe, L.	p	p	p	p							p
St. Thomas's Boys' School, Matara.												
82A.	Wijetillake, K. K. G. A.	p	p	p								p
W. M. Boys' English School, Alutgama.												
83.	Amerasinghe, A. D.	p	p	p	p							p
93.	Munasinghe, A.	p	p	p								p
Private Study.												
106.	Rajapakse, S. H. Nupe.		p	p	p							p
Matara												
109.	William Singho, P. Bogahawatta, Ambalangoda		p	p	p							p
Badulla Girls' English School.												
115.	Bartholomeusz, Mary		p	p								p
117.	Thorpe, Molly		p	p								p
Buddhist High School, Badulla.												
119.	Buddhakumbure, M. P.	p	p	p	p							p
120.	Dharmaratne, K. V. J.	p	p	p	p							p
121.	Egodawela, J. B.	p	p	p								p
123.	Henry, S. T. D.	p	p	p								p
125.	Perera, J. W.	p	p	p								p
Private Study.												
127.	Ratnayake, L. M.		p	p	p							p
Badulla												
128.	Ukku Banda, V.	p	p	p	p							p
Badulla												
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SALES OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.

Toll Rents, Western Province.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent for the Western Province will receive tenders at the Colombo Kachcheri at 12 noon on Monday, June 19, 1922, for the purchase of the under-mentioned Toll Rents of the Western Province from October 1, 1922, to September 30, 1923.

Separate tenders should be made for the several rents as shown below.

The successful tenderer will be required to deposit forthwith one-tenth of the purchase amount for twelve months in cash, and, should the offer be accepted by His Excellency the Governor, to furnish approved security for one-half of the purchase amount for twelve months, or in cash for one-third of such amount, within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer.

He will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Proctors for examining and giving their opinion of the title deeds of properties tendered by him as security and for examining and settling the security bond, and the fees charged by the Crown Proctors for examining documents and drawing the security bond, the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond, and the stamp duty on the bonds under the Ordinance No. 22 of 1909.

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

Further information can be obtained on application to the Government Agent.

TOLLS ON TRUNK ROADS.

Municipal Tolls.

1. (a) Toll at the ferry at Pasbatal (Wattala).
(b) Toll at the canal at the drawbridge at Grandpass.
2. Toll at the ferry, Mutwal.

TOLLS OTHER THAN THOSE ON THE TRUNK ROADS.

A.—Colombo District.

1. Tolls on the Hendala canal at Hendala and at Pamunugama. Tolls on the Hendala canal at Gorakaghatotupola and at a point on the western bank of the old Negombo canal at Pamunugama, 642 yards north of the canal, called Joseph's canal.

2. Toll on the Kittanpahuwa canal.

B.—Negombo District.

Toll on the Negombo canal at Pallansena bridge; toll on the Negombo canal at the bridge of the entrance of the canal on the Custom-house road. Payment at one clears the other.

C.—Kalutara District.

(a) Tolls on the old Kalutara canal at Kepu-ela Modara and at Galtude. Payment at one clears the other.

(b) Tolls on the new Kalutara canal at Etanamada and at Hataramodara. Payment at one clears the other.

Government Agent's Office,
Colombo, May 8, 1922.

J. G. FRASER,
Government Agent.

Toll Rents, Western Province.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, May 29, 1922, at 12 noon, will be put up for re-sale at the Colombo Kachcheri, at the risk of the original purchasers, for the period mentioned below, the under-mentioned Toll and Ferry Rents of the Western Province, the original

purchasers of which may have failed to pay on or before that date the instalment for the month of April, 1922, or any part thereof that may be due and owing on that date.

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

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

From June 1, 1922, to September 30, 1922.

Ferry.	Canals.
Mutwal.	1. Negombo.
	2. Kalutara.
	3. Grandpass.
Colombo Kachcheri, May 12, 1922.	J. G. FRASER, Government Agent.

Halpatota Ferry Rent, 1922-23.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent for the Southern Province will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the under-mentioned Toll Rent of the Southern Province from October 1, 1922, to September 30, 1923.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for Toll Rents," will be received at the Galle Kachcheri until 2 p.m. on Thursday, June 22, 1922, when they will be opened, and all persons making tender will be required to be present, or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is *bona fide*. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders, and of selling the rent by public auction on the same day if no satisfactory tender is received.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue will be required to deposit at once one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash; and, should the tender be accepted by the Controller of Revenue, to furnish approved security for one-half of the whole purchase amount, or in cash for one-third of the whole purchase amount, within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the acceptance of his offer.

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

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

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

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

GOVERNMENT TOLL.

Galle District.—The ferry toll at Halpatota.

Galle Kachcheri,
May 15, 1922.

T. W. GOONEWARDENE,
for Government Agent.

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1922.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

COLOMBO DISTRICT.

Paddy: (a) prospects of the coming crop (yala) are not quite satisfactory owing to the drought, but with the rains expected in May the plants may improve and bring in a fair yield; (b) estimated crop just harvested. In almost all the korales the yield was about $\frac{1}{3}$ less than in the previous year; (c) general remarks, the poor yield is attributable to drought.

Dry grains: there is no extensive cultivation of dry grains in the Colombo District. Kurakkan is being cultivated in Siyane korale east and Siyane korale west.

Coconuts: (a) prospect of the coming crop is fair; (b) probable yield is about 2,980,000 nuts or more; (c) estimated crop just harvested, 71,970,416 nuts; (d) general remarks: owing to the drought tender coconuts have fallen off the trees in some cases.

Other products: (a) prospect of coming crop, good; (b) probable yield, nil; (c) estimated crop just harvested, nil; (d) general remarks, nil.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice, Rs. 5 to Rs. 6.50 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3.50 per bushel; imported rice, Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 6 to Rs. 7.50 per 100 nuts; salt, 12 cents to 14 cents per measure.

Any other prices of interest: nil.

Health of inhabitants: fair, except for a few cases of chickenpox, dysentery, enteric fever, and measles.

Health of cattle: good; except for a few cases of hoof-and-mouth disease during the month.

Condition of tanks or fisheries: good.

Weather: the rainfall was 8.30 inches in 16 days at the Colombo Observatory.

Harvest prospect: fair.

General: nil.

KALUTARA DISTRICT.

Paddy: fields have been cultivated for the yala season.

Dry grain: nil.

Coconuts: the month's crop is estimated at 2,093,000 nuts.

Other products: vegetables were scarce in the Pasdun korales.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice is generally not available in the market; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6 to Rs. 8 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 3.25 per bushel. This is available in Rayigam korale only; maize, nil; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 9 per 100 nuts; salt, 10 cents to 12 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: there were a few cases of fever, dysentery, &c.; otherwise the general health of inhabitants was good.

Health of cattle: good.

Remarks applicable to particular districts: fish was scarce.

Weather: there was a fair amount of rain, but the heat continued unabated throughout the month.

Harvest prospects generally: too early to pronounce any opinion.

General: nil.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

KANDY DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospect of yala crop not very hopeful, owing to the unusual drought.

Dry grain: chenas being cleared for kurakkan cultivation. **Coconuts:** flowering fair. Crop is poor owing to the drought.

Other products: plantain trees are rapidly dying owing to a disease. The Department of Agriculture should look into this matter.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice, Rs. 5.60 to Rs. 7 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2.25 to Rs. 3 per bushel; imported rice, Rs. 6 to Rs. 8 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 per 100 nuts; salt, 16 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: good. Influenza, sore-eyes, and chickenpox prevail in the villages.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Weather: very dry throughout the month, except for a few showers.

Harvest prospects generally: the scarcity of water has hindered the cultivation of fields for the yala.

General: the snails are a nuisance and are destroying the vegetables in the villages.

NUWARA ELIYA DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospects of coming maha crop satisfactory. The probable yield is estimated at 149,923 bushels.

Dry grain: already harvested. Crop satisfactory.

Coconuts: 8,837 estimated crop.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 6.50 to Rs. 8.84 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3.50 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6 to Rs. 9.50 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; maize, Re. 1.25 to Rs. 3 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 8 to Rs. 15 per 100 nuts; salt, 14 cents to 18 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: good, except for some cases of influenza in certain villages and two cases of smallpox at Kotagala.

Health of cattle: good.

Weather: the weather during the month was hot and dry with rain at intervals.

Harvest prospects generally: good.

MATALE DISTRICT.

Paddy prospects of coming crop, &c.: in Matale east many fields have been ploughed for yala cultivation. In some parts of Matale north crops are budding. Prospects unsatisfactory owing to drought. Ploughing delayed in Matale south.

Dry grain: nil.

Coconuts: 5,500,000 nuts estimated crop.

Other products: nil.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 6 to Rs. 6.50 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2.25 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6.50 to Rs. 8 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2.50 to Rs. 2.75 per bushel; maize, nil; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 6.50 per 100 nuts; salt, 16 cents per measure; chillies, 30 cents to 40 cents per pound; peas, Re. 1.50 per bushel; undu, Re. 1.50 per bushel.

Health of inhabitants: chickenpox, measles, and sore-eyes prevailed in some parts, otherwise good.

Health of cattle: good.

Remarks applicable to particular district, e.g., condition of tanks or fisheries, &c.: tanks still contain some water, but diminishing rapidly.

Weather: dry. Rainfall: Matale, 3.46 in.; Dambulla, 2.11 in.

Harvest prospects generally: unsatisfactory owing to drought.

General: nil.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

GALLE DISTRICT.

Paddy : the prospects of the coming crop are not bright. Owing to the severe drought the cultivation of a considerable extent of paddy land had to be abandoned. No fair estimate of the probable yield of the coming crop can be given. Last crop estimated at 181,769 bushels.

Dry grain : the dry grain cultivation is not yet carried on in the district to any appreciable extent.

Coconuts : the coming crop may be estimated to yield not less than 65,264,030 nuts. Last crop estimated at 40,578,675 nuts.

Other products : tea, rubber, cinnamon, arecanuts, and vegetables are the principal products. No estimate of their yield can be given with any degree of accuracy.

Prices of foodstuffs : rice (country), Rs. 6 to Rs. 8 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 per bushel ; rice (imported), Rs. 5 to Rs. 9.60 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 7 per bushel ; maize, Rs. 3.36 to Rs. 5 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 4 to Rs. 8 per 100 nuts ; salt, 10 to 12 cents per measure.

Any other prices of interest : jak, 10 to 15 cents per fruit ; breadfruit, 8 to 12 cents per fruit ; sweet potato, 2 cents per lb. ; chillies, 30 to 32 cents per lb. ; tea, 40 cents per lb. ; sugar, 20 cents per lb. ; Maldive fish, 72 cents per lb.

Health of inhabitants : the health of people was on the whole satisfactory, but a few cases of measles, chickenpox, dysentery, enteric fever, sore-eyes, and influenza were reported from some parts of the district.

Health of cattle : good.

Conditions of tanks or fisheries : water in village tanks insufficient for cultivation. Fisheries satisfactory.

Weather : the weather was dry with occasional showers of rain.

Harvest prospects generally : not good.

General : no appreciable improvement in the condition of people can be recorded.

Grave crime is undoubtedly on the decrease, but the same cannot be said of petty crime, which is the result of lack of employment among the masses of people, who find it difficult to make ends meet.

MATARA DISTRICT.

Paddy : prospects of coming crop, giving if possible estimate of probable yield, estimate of crop just harvested : sowing for yala over. Cultivation carried on as far as possible under difficulties arising from prolonged drought. No estimate of the probable yield of next crop can be formed owing to prevailing wet conditions. According to huwandiram list the gross produce for maha was 23,522 bushels.

Dry grain : chenas cleared and sown for yala. No estimate of probable yield can be made.

Coconuts : fair in spite of the drought.

Other products : rubber and cinnamon. Prices not very satisfactory. Price of citronella, fair.

Prices of foodstuffs : rice (country), Rs. 4 to Rs. 6 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 per bushel ; rice (imported), Rs. 6 to Rs. 8 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2.80 per bushel ; maize, Rs. 6.75 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 6 per 100 ; salt, 15 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants : satisfactory.

Health of cattle : satisfactory, except in Kandaboda pattu where there were a few cases of hæmorrhagic septicaemia.

Remarks applicable to particular district, e.g., condition of tanks and fisheries : tanks in Wellaboda pattu and Kandaboda pattu ran dry, and cultivation was severely hampered, there being no rivers in these divisions. Fishing conducted under the supervision of headmen.

Weather : generally dry.

Harvest prospects : too early to form an estimate.

HAMBANTOTA DISTRICT.

Paddy : yala cultivation in progress. Prospects, good. Last crop (maha) estimated at 449,240 bushels.

Dry grain : last crop (maha) harvested in March. Yield poor. Clearing for next crop (maha) commences in July.

Coconuts : about 224,600 coconuts were picked during the month. Flowering unsatisfactory owing to drought.

Other products : vegetables scarce.

Prices of foodstuffs : rice (country), Rs. 4.80 to Rs. 7 per bushel ; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel ; rice (imported), Rs. 6 to Rs. 7.25 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.40 per bushel ; maize, Rs. 3.50 to Rs. 5 per bushel ; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 8 per 100 nuts ; salt, 3½ to 5 cents per pound.

Any other prices of interest : nil.

Health of inhabitants : satisfactory.

Health of cattle : good.

Condition of tanks or fisheries : water in village tanks insufficient for cultivation. Fisheries, satisfactory.

Weather : maximum temperature, 92.1° ; minimum temperature, 72.9° ; rainfall, 6.89 in.

Harvest prospects : generally good.

General : nil.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

JAFFNA DISTRICT.

Paddy : nil.

Dry grains : pairu harvests in progress, ellu is in plants.

Coconuts : conditions of flowers and nuts, moderate price Rs. 8 per 100 nuts.

Prices of foodstuffs : paddy (country), Rs. 3 per bushel ; rice (country), Rs. 5.25 per bushel ; rice (imported), Rs. 5.75 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2.50 per bushel ; salt, 12 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants : fever, measles, and chickenpox was prevalent in some parts of the district.

Health of cattle : satisfactory.

Weather : wind south-west, there were slight showers of rain during the middle part of the month.

MANNAR DISTRICT.

Paddy : Kalapokam crop has not been thrashed yet. It is not possible to give any estimate of the yield. Preparations are being made for the sowing of sirupokam.

Dry grain : Nil.

Coconuts : condition satisfactory, the trees have completely recovered from the effects of the drought of last year, the number of nuts plucked is estimated at 83,000.

Tobacco : the leaves are being cut and cured.

Palmyra : in tender fruit.

Other products : condition of betel creepers satisfactory, caju trees in fruit, crop average. Mango season is a failure. The output of the tamarind trees is disappointing.

Prices of foodstuffs : country rice, Rs. 6 to Rs. 7 per bushel ; country paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.37½ per bushel ; imported rice (available in Mannar Island only), Rs. 6 to Rs. 8 per bushel ; kurakkan, Rs. 2 per bushel (available in Musali division only) ; maize, nil ; coconuts, Rs. 6 to Rs. 15 per 100 nuts ; salt, 8 to 12½ cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants : good, but a recrudescence of malarial fever has occurred in the Mannar island after the heavy rains of February. Many cases of a typho-malarial nature were observed.

Health of cattle : good.

Condition of tanks or fisheries, &c. : in most of the tanks there is little water, fishing was generally poor, but good hauls of keluru fish were taken at Pesalai.

Weather : some good showers fell during the middle of the month.

MULLAITTIVU DISTRICT.

Paddy: kalapokam crop has been reaped. Idaipokam cultivation is in plants.

Dry grains: nil.

Coconuts: flowering and prospects, satisfactory. Several acres are being cleared in Maritime pattus for planting with coconuts for the next wet season.

Other products: tobacco is being cut and cured. Vegetable gardens at Vavuniya are in satisfactory condition.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 5 to Rs. 6.50 per bushel; paddy, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2.25 per bushel; rice (imported), nil; kurakkan Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2.75 per bushel; maize, nil; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 per 100; salt, 10 to 16 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: fairly good. Malarial fever was prevailing in some places to some extent.

Health of cattle: good; pasture: good, except in Maritime pattus; no disease.

There is sufficient water in tanks for the coming crop. Fishers in Maritime pattus have started fishing. Some have not arrived yet. Prospects not yet satisfactory. On account of the unfavourable weather, fishing is not yet regular.

Weather: days very hot. South-west monsoon not started yet. A few showers of rain during the middle part of the month.

Harvest prospects generally: satisfactory.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

BATTICALOA DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospects of munamari crops are good. Sowing of pinmari is over and an estimate of its probable yield cannot just now be given. On the whole the young plants thrive well. Crops on pinamari lands sown early have been reaped.

Dry grain: no crops to be had except on lands cleared for residential purposes.

Coconuts: trees thrive well owing to recent rains. An estimate of the number of coconuts plucked during the month cannot be given as the information is not available.

Other products: nil.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice, Rs. 2.50 to Rs. 7.80 per bushel; paddy, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2.25 per bushel; imported muttusamba, Rs. 8.40 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 to Re. 1.82 per bushel; maize, Re. 1.44 to Re. 1.50 per bushel; salt, 30 cents per measure; salt, 3 to 5 cents per (lb. Any other prices of interest: country dried chillies, 40 cents per lb.

Health of inhabitants: satisfactory, except in a few places where malaria, measles, and even pneumonia have broken out.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Conditions of tanks: good, except in Wewgam pattu where the tanks require repairs and restoration.

Condition of fisheries: sea fishing and lake fishing are going on.

Weather: dry weather prevailed with a few showers during the middle part of the month.

Harvest prospects: generally good.

General: parangi patients are being treated by a special Medical Officer.

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT.

Paddy—prospect of coming crop: satisfactory. Probable yield: not available. Estimated crop harvested: town and gravets, 5,290 bushels; Koddigar, not available; Tamblegam, 31,556 bushels; Kaddukku'am East, 20,000 bushels; Kaddukkulam West, 799 bushels.

Dry grain—prospects of coming crop: nil. Probable yield: nil. Estimated crop harvested: town and gravets, Koddigar, Tamblegam, Kaddukkulam East, and Kaddukku'am West: nil.

Coconuts—prospect of coming crop: satisfactory. Probable yield: not available. Estimated crop harvested: town and gravets, 48,700 nuts; Koddigar and Tamblegam, not available; Kaddukkulam East, 86,000; Kaddukkulam West, 300.

Other products—prospect of coming crop: nil. Probable yield: nil. Estimated crop harvested: town and gravets, Koddigar, Tamblegam, Kaddukkulam East, and Kaddukkulam West, nil.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 5.04 to Rs. 5.60 per bushel; paddy, Re. 1.75 to Rs. 2.24 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 10.08 per bushel; kurakkan, nil; maize, nil; coconuts, Rs. 5.50 to Rs. 7 per 100 nuts; salt, 8 to 15 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: satisfactory. Few cases of fever in town, Kaddukku'am East, and Kaddukkulam West.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Condition of tanks: good.

Condition of fisheries: good.

Weather: very hot.

Harvest prospects generally: good.

General remarks: nil.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.

KURUNEGALA DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospects are poor for want of rain. Field are being sown in some parts of the district.

Dry grain: chenas have been sown for the yala, the prospects are poor.

Coconuts: prospects are good.

Other products—prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 5.60 to Rs. 8 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2.50 to Rs. 4 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6.75 to Rs. 9.25 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.75 to Rs. 4 per bushel; maize, nil; coconuts, Rs. 4 to Rs. 5 per 100 nuts; salt, 12 to 16 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: fair; ordinary cases of fever and parangi exist.

Health of cattle: fair.

Condition of tanks: tanks are generally in good order, but dry.

Weather: hot. There have been few showers during the month.

Harvest prospects generally: nil.

PUTTALAM AND CHILAW DISTRICTS.

Paddy: maha crop harvested. Preparations are being made for yala cultivation.

Dry grain: chenas are being sown.

Coconuts: prospects of coming crop, satisfactory. Estimated crop just harvested, 20,489,910 nuts.

Other products: galas are being prepared for tobacco cultivation in some places, in others they are being planted. Supply of fruit and vegetables not satisfactory. Jak is to be found in abundance. Supply of cassava good.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 7 to Rs. 8 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6.40 to Rs. 8.50 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 3 to Rs. 7 per 100 nuts; salt, 8 to 9 cents per measure; cassava, 1½ to 3 cents per lb.

Health of inhabitants: satisfactory on the whole, but there is still fever and influenza in some villages.

Health of cattle: good.

Tanks: in order. Sea fishing stopped after south-west monsoon began.

Weather: sultry.

Harvest prospects generally: unsatisfactory.

Rainfall: Puttalam, 5.20 in.; Chilaw, 5.85 in.

NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.

ANURADHAPURA DISTRICT.

Paddy: probable yield of extent now sown in Tamankaduwa, 55,000 bushels. An extent of about 50 acres sown with paddy in Tamankaduwa, destroyed by worms. About 60,000 bushels has just been gathered in Kalagam palata. Figures of Nuwaragam and Hurulu palatas not ready yet.

Dry grains: gingelly chenas of Nuwaragam, Hurulu, and Kalagam palatas not thriving owing to want of rain.

Coconuts: good crops gathered.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 4.50 to Rs. 7.50 per bushel; paddy, Re. 1.75 to Rs. 3.25 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6.50 to Rs. 7 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 to Re. 1.85 per bushel; maize, Rs. 2.50 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 8 to Rs. 13 per 100 nuts; salt, 15 cents to 20 cents per measure; chillies, 45 cents to 60 cents per lb.; sugar, 24 cents to 36 cents per lb.

Health of inhabitants: satisfactory. Fever prevailing to some extent and measles in a few villages.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Tanks: almost full.

Weather: generally dry and warm. A few showers fell at long intervals.

Harvest prospects: satisfactory.

General: except towards the Northern Province boundary the usual rains of April have failed. So far only the gingelly crop is likely to suffer, as practically all paddy cultivation for this season is on land irrigated from tanks.

PROVINCE OF UVA.

BADULLA DISTRICT.

Paddy: plants are thriving well and a good crop is expected. The harvested crop was on the whole good, a few of the malan fields did not give a good crop owing to the drought.

Dry grain: kurakkan and Indian corn. Chena cultivation has not commenced yet. The last crop was good.

Coconuts: flowering and prospects, good. Last crop is estimated at 87,750 nuts.

Other products: gingelly and peas are sown on a small scale. Vegetable cultivation is carried on extensively in Udukinda division. The prospects are good.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 7.50 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2.50 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 8 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 per bushel; maize, Re. 1.50 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 8 per 100 nuts; salt, 17 cents per measure; mun peas, 20 cents per measure.

Health of inhabitants: good, except for a few cases of measles and chickenpox in Wiyaluwa korale, and a few cases of influenza and malarial fever.

Health of cattle: satisfactory, except for a few cases of hoof-and-mouth disease in Wellawaya division.

Condition of tanks, &c.: there are only a few tanks in the Province and they hold sufficient water for cultivation.

Weather: generally dry, except for a few occasional showers.

Harvest prospects generally: prospects of the harvest are generally good.

General: nil.

PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.

RATNAPURA DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospects of maha crop harvested are fair. Yala fields have been sown.

Dry grain: hill paddy chenas in Nawadun korale and kurakkan chenas in Meda and Kadawata korales have been reaped, and yield satisfactory. In Atakalan korale, cultivators are looking forward for rain to commence sowing operations in their chenas.

Coconuts: flowering and prospects are good.

Other products: prospects of sweet potatoes, cassavas, vegetables are satisfactory.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 6 to Rs. 8 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 6.50 to Rs. 8.75 per bushel; kurakkan, Re. 1.50 to Rs. 2.25 per bushel; maize, Re. 1 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 5 to Rs. 12 per 100 nuts; salt, 10 cents to 16 cents per measure; Indian corn, 50 cents per 100; chillies, 32 cents per lb.

Health of people: satisfactory, except in some parts of Atakalan and Kadawata and Meda korales, where fever and sore-eyes prevail.

Health of cattle: satisfactory, though in a few villages in Kuruwiti and Kukulu korales, there have been several cases of hoof-and-mouth disease of a mild type.

Weather: it was very dry. There was very little rain.

Harvest prospects: fair.

General: nil.

KEGALLA DISTRICT.

Paddy: yala cultivation has been abandoned owing to the failure of March rain.

Dry grain: chenas are being prepared for cultivation of el-wi.

Coconuts: flowering and prospects of coconuts are satisfactory.

Other products: no vegetable gardens were started during the month.

Prices of foodstuffs: rice (country), Rs. 6.50 to Rs. 7 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 3 per bushel; rice (imported), Rs. 7 to Rs. 9 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 5 per 100 nuts; salt, 14 cents per measure.

Any other prices of interest: papaw Rs. 4.50 per lb.

Health of inhabitants: generally satisfactory.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Weather: there was very little rain during the month; the rainfall for the year to date is 10 in., short of the average.

Harvest prospects generally: nil.

General: nil.

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

Closing of a Toddy Tavern.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to close the Toddy Tavern at Alampil, with effect from July 1, 1923.

I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to June 30, 1922, and on that date at Mullaittivu between the hours of 10 A.M. to 12 noon. I shall be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me for or against the proposal.

Mullaittivu Kachcheri,
May 9, 1922.

J. R. WALTERS,
Assistant Government Agent.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

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

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, May 11, 1922.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Financial Assistant to the Chairman, Municipal Council.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Monday, June 12, 1922.

Premises No.	Street.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale A.M.
1837-7/1-3	Alexandra place	2nd quarter, 1920, to 4th quarter, 1921	7
1837A-7/4	Do.	1st quarter, 1920, to 4th quarter, 1920	7.10

Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo, on May 17, 1922.

	Per	Wholesale.		Per	Retail.		Per	Wholesale.		Per	Retail.	
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.					Rs. c.	Rs. c.			
Paddy, Country	.. Bushel	.. 2 25	.. Measure	..	..	Sugar, Brown	..	..	.. lb.	..	..	..
Paddy, Imported	.. do.	.. 2 50	.. do.	..	..	Salt	..	..	.. Measure	..	..	0 12
Rice, Country	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	..	Salt	..	..	.. lb.	..	..	0 6
Rice, Kara	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	..	Dried Chillies	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 30
Rice, Kallunda	.. do.	.. 6 0	.. do.	..	0 19	Coriander	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 25
Rice, Sulai	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	..	Pepper	..	..	.. Measure	..	..	0 50
Rice, Muttusamba	.. do.	.. 8 0	.. do.	..	0 26	Garlic	..	..	.. lb.	..	..	0 36
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	.. do.	.. 6 50	.. do.	..	..	Mustard	..	..	.. Measure	..	..	0 40
Raw Rice (Singapore)	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	..	Turmeric	..	..	.. lb.	..	..	0 22
Raw Rice (Batavia)	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	..	Fenugreek	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 18
Dhall (Tuvarai)	.. do.	..	.. Seer	..	0 38	Cumin	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 50
Dhall (Mussouri)	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	0 24	Aniseed	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 40
Green Peas	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	0 22	Tamarind	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 10
Ulundu	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	0 28	Jaggery	..	..	.. Bundle	..	..	0 30
Gram	..	..	.. do.	..	0 20	Gingelly	..	..	.. Seer	..	..	0 28
Wheat Flour	..	..	.. lb.	..	0 18	Gingelly Oil	..	..	.. Bottle	..	..	1 0
American Flour	..	..	.. do.	..	0 15	Coconut Oil	..	..	.. Measure	..	..	0 60
Ghee, Cow	..	..	.. Seer	..	5 0	Kerosine Oil, Daylight	..	..	.. Bottle	..	..	0 26
Ghee, Buffalo	..	..	.. do.	..	1 50	Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 24
Milk	..	..	.. Bottle	..	0 40	Matches, Three Stars	..	..	.. Packet of	..	..	0 22
Potatoes (Indian)	..	..	.. lb.	..	0 14				12 boxes	..	..	0 22
Potatoes (Bangalore)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 14	Matches (Japanese)	..	..	.. do.	..	..	..
Onions (Bombay)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 8	Beef	..	..	.. lb.	..	..	0 35
Onions, Red	..	..	.. do.	..	0 8	Mutton	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 80
Bread	..	..	.. 1-lb. loaf	..	0 20	Pork	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 60
Tea	..	..	.. lb.	..	1 0	Chickens	..	..	.. Each	..	..	0 75
Coffee	..	..	.. do.	..	0 60	Eggs	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 5
Limes	..	..	.. Dozen	..	0 8	Dry Fish, Netti (Hal-messan)	..	..	.. lb.	..	..	0 30
Coconuts	..	..	.. Each	..	0 10	Dry Fish (Maldiv)	..	..	.. do.	..	..	0 60
Sugar, Soft	..	..	.. lb.	..	0 25							
Sugar, Crepe	..	..	.. do.	..	0 22							
Sugar (Ceylon)	..	..	.. do.	..	..					
Sugar Candy	..	..	.. do.	..	0 30							

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
The Municipal Office, Financial Assistant to the Chairman,
Colombo, May 17, 1922. Municipal Council.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specifications have been accepted :—

No. 1,893 of January 6, 1922 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, January 25, 1921.)

Thomas Gaskell Allen.

"Improvements in or relating to systems of raising liquids."

Abstract.—The applicant describes a system of raising liquids which can be operated wherever a head of water is available. Water flowing from the higher level into a closed chamber raises the air pressure in this chamber and in a vertical air pipe which extends to another second closed chamber situated above the high water level—the increased air pressure in this second chamber forces the water which it contains to a still higher level. Automatically operated valves close and open the inlet pipe to the lower or first closed chamber, and when the latter is filled the water syphons over, closing the valve on the inlet pipe and creating a reduction of pressure in the first chamber, the air pipe, and the second closed chamber; this reduction of pressure sucks up water from the high level into the second closed chamber; when the first chamber is empty the inlet valve is opened and the process repeated. Modifications and extensions of this process are also described.

The claims are :—

1. A system of raising liquids by means of static pressure obtained from a river, canal, or other body of water, a portion of which is either naturally situated or is artificially maintained, at a higher level than the rest, characterized by the provision of a tank or other closed operating chamber which is alternately filled with water and emptied under the influence of static pressure resulting from the head of water due to the difference in water levels, and which is connected by a conduit containing a column of air or other gaseous medium to a container arranged above the level of the liquid to be raised, the said container having a downwardly extending conduit which communicates with the said liquid, and through which liquid is sucked into the container during the emptying of the operating chamber, and the said container, also having an upwardly extending conduit through which the liquid is forced from the container during the filling of the said operating chamber, substantially as described.

2. A system of raising liquids as in claim 1, wherein an indirect communication between the container and a reservoir takes place through one or more further containers communicating with the air conduit leading to the operating chamber, and through one or more intermediate open vessels, substantially as described.

3. A system of raising liquids as in either of the preceding claims, wherein the various conduits which convey the liquid to the reservoir are constructed to form liquid seals or traps, substantially as and for the purpose specified.

4. A system of raising liquids as in claim 1, wherein the conduit by which water enters the operating chamber is constructed to form a water seal or trap, substantially as and for the purpose specified.

5. A system of raising liquids as in claim 1, wherein the conduit by which water leaves the operating chamber is constructed to form a water seal or trap, substantially as and for the purpose specified.

6. A system of raising liquids as in claim 1, wherein the entry of water to the operating chamber is controlled by a valve or its equivalent, which is automatically closed by the flow of water from the said chamber and is automatically opened when this flow ceases, substantially as described.

7. A system of raising liquids as in claim 1, wherein two operating chambers interconnected with the air conduit are provided, one of these chambers being situated near the surface of the high level water, and the other near the surface of the low level water, substantially as described.

8. A system of raising liquids, carried out substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to the accompanying drawings.

One sheet of drawings.

No. 1,894 of January 12, 1922 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, February 5, 1921).

Frederick George Maguire, Alfred Agar, and Hugh Taylor Coulter, executors of the late Sir Samuel Cleland Davidson, K.B.E.

"Improvements in and relating to the treatment of raw rubber and the like plastic substances."

Abstract.—The applicant describes a method of dehydrating rubber in which the latter, while still under the pressure of massage rollers, is wound with a bandage, of, for example, strongly woven cotton tape or webbing, which is practically inextensible and is an absorbent of moisture; for this purpose the end of the bandage is provided with a buckle which fastens it to the rubber as the rollers rotate and the strip is fed in—when the rubber has been covered with the strip, the pressure is relieved and the roll of rubber being up—moisture is absorbed by the strip, and is lost to the atmosphere, while the rubber cannot alter its shape and so remains under pressure; when the bandage is quite dry it can be removed and used again.

The claims are :—

1. The method of mechanically dehydrating raw rubber and the like plastic substances, which consists in rolling and elongating under pressure the mass to be treated, to the limit, or not, of the elongation permitted by the rolling apparatus, tightly enveloping the rolled mass, while still under pressure, with a wrapping of a textile material practically inextensible under any ordinary tensile stress, but adapted readily to absorb moisture securing the wrapping when complete, and then leaving the mass thus compressed in its wrapping for any desired length of time, preferably in a dry atmosphere, free to further elongate under the gradual transfer of water therefrom into the wrapping, which on drying contracts and further compresses the mass, whereby the dehydrating treatment is continuously maintained until the wrapper itself is dry when the contained roll of rubber is then quite denuded of all of its free water, substantially as described.

2. For carrying out the method according to claim 1, the employment of a wrapping strip made of a suitable textile material not easily extensible under ordinary tensile stresses, but adapted readily to absorb moisture, one end of which is provided with a buckle or the like adapted under the action of rolling apparatus, to automatically attach itself to the roll of the substance under treatment, and thus to facilitate the completion of the wrapping by means of the continued operation of the massaging or the like machine, substantially as described.

3. In combination with a wrapping strip according to claim 2, a buckle or any similar device designed to be secured to, or to form, one end of the strip to enable the said end to be attached to the roll of rubber or the like under treatment, substantially as described.

4. A buckle according to claim 3, constructed, applied, and operating substantially as described and as illustrated in the accompanying drawings.

Two sheets of drawings.

No. 1,895 of January 12, 1922 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, February 16, 1921).

Frederick George Maguire, Alfred Agar, and Hugh Taylor Coulter, executors of the late Sir Samuel Cleland Davidson, K.B.E.

"Improved coagulant for rubber latex."

Abstract.—The applicants state that in the ordinary method of coagulating latex by the use of a dilute solution of a strong acid, it is sometimes considered unsafe for untrained operatives to handle strong acid; and to overcome this objection, they describe the manufacture and use of a solid concentrated coagulant which is not a strong acid, and which can be compressed into blocks and packed into lead-lined boxes. This material is acid sodium sulphate with or without the addition of small quantities of other salts.

The claims are :—

1. The process of manufacture in solid form of a coagulant for the treatment of rubber latex, which consists in reducing acid sulphate of soda to a powdered condition, and then pressing the powder into blocks.

2. The process of manufacture in solid form of a coagulant for the treatment of rubber latex, which consists in reducing acid sulphate of soda to a powdered condition, adding thereto and thoroughly mixing therewith a proportion of another crystallized and soluble salt having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, and pressing the mixture into blocks.

3. The process of preparation of rubber from rubber bearing latex, which consists in treating the latex freshly tapped from the trees with an alkaliized phenol, subsequently adding to the preservatively treated latex a coagulant in the form of an aqueous solution of acid sulphate of soda, and then subjecting the coagulum thus obtained to any further treatment designed to bring the coagulum into a marketable form of raw rubber.

4. The process of preparation of rubber from rubber bearing latex, which consists in treating the latex when freshly tapped from the trees with an alkaliized phenol, subsequently adding to the preservatively treated latex a coagulant in the form of an aqueous solution of a mixture of acid sulphate of soda with another crystallized and soluble salt having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, and then subjecting the coagulum thus obtained to any further treatment designed to bring the coagulum into a marketable form of raw rubber.

5. The process of manufacture in solid form of a coagulant for the treatment of rubber latex, which consists in reducing acid sulphate of soda to a powdered condition, adding thereto a proportion of sulphate of alumina, and pressing the mixture into blocks.

6. The process of manufacture in solid form of a coagulant for the treatment of rubber latex, which consists in reducing acid sulphate of soda to a powdered condition, adding thereto a proportion of sulphate of zinc, and pressing the mixture into blocks.

7. The process of manufacture in solid form of a coagulant for the treatment of rubber latex, which consists in reducing acid sulphate of soda to a powdered condition, adding thereto a proportion of sulphate of magnesia, and pressing the mixture into blocks.

8. A portable block for producing therefrom an aqueous solution having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, consisting of compressed acid sulphate of soda.

9. A portable block for producing therefrom an aqueous solution having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, consisting of a compressed mixture of acid sulphate of soda with another crystallized and soluble salt having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex.

10. A portable block for producing therefrom an aqueous solution having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, consisting of a compressed mixture of acid sulphate of soda with sulphate of alumina.

11. A portable block for producing therefrom an aqueous solution having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, consisting of a compressed mixture of acid sulphate of soda with sulphate of zinc.

12. A portable block for producing therefrom an aqueous solution having a coagulating effect upon rubber latex, consisting of a compressed mixture of acid of sulphate of soda with sulphate of magnesia.

No drawings.

W. N. RAE,
Registrar of Patents.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Dotale Branch Road.

(Reconstruction of Bridge.)

(Between Wattegama near Railway Bridge and Elkaduwa.)

Estimate No. 257 of June 25, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the reconstruction of bridge on 12th mile of the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contribution at the rate of 95207c. per acre. Total acreage, 5,383.

Government moiety	Rs. 5,000.00
Private contributions	Rs. 5,125.00

Proprietor or Agent.	Estates.	Acreage.	1st Instal-		2nd Instal-		Total.	
			ment.		ment.		Rs.	c.
Mackwood & Co.	Inchestelly	110	52	36	52	37	104	73
E. G. Simson	Mandolgirikanda	220	104	72	104	73	209	45
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. (C. C. du Pre Moore)	Hunasgiriya	1,426	678	82	678	83	1,357	65
A. M. Wright (C. C. du Pre Moore)	Merrig	100	47	60	47	60	95	20
Ukuwela Estates Co. (H. L. Anley)	Talingamadde	75	35	70	35	70	71	40
Bosanquet & Co. (D. A. Miles)	Elkaduwa Group	1,810	861	62	861	63	1,723	25
Skeen & Co. (C. A. Evans)	Hunugalla Group	686	326	56	326	56	653	12
E. G. Beilby	Weygalla	357	169	95	169	95	339	90
H. L. Anley	Mahatenna	384	182	80	182	80	365	60
Geo. Setuart & Co. (H. D. Graham)	Galgawatta	215	102	35	102	35	204	70

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before June 19, 1922.

Interest at the rate of 4 per centum per annum will be charged on the balance due after the payment of the first instalment.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 9, 1922.

C. S. VAUGHAN,
Chairman.

Duckwari-Cottaganga Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Wednesday, June 7, 1922, at Cottaganga bungalow, at 4 P.M.

Business.

1. To elect a member for the Committee in place of Mr. Woods, who has left the district.
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.

The maintenance estimate for the year ending September 30, 1922, amounts to Rs. 854.25.

Girindi Ella, Rangalla, May 13, 1922. E. RUSSELL COX, Chairman, Local Committee.

Wanarajah Branch Road (between Wanarajah Bridge and Claverton Store).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety .. Rs. 1,466.25
Private contributions .. Rs. 1,480.91

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Ltd. . .	Wanarajah	345

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
South Wanarajah Tea Co. . .	South Wanarajah	250

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Ceylon Proprietary Company	Summerville	239
K. D. Kershaw	Blair Athol	306
Executors of M. V. Aranasalam		
Retty Cangany	Carfax	298
K. Rollo and Mrs. Mercer	Gorthie	308
Whittall & Co. . .	Dunkeld	237
Castlereagh Estate Company	Castlereagh	511
Whittall & Co. . .	Bauff	211
Do. . .	Elstree	167
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (E. H. B. Norrish)	Lethenty and Essex	320
Do. . .	Marlborough	258
Do. . .	Blairgowrie	114

1st to 6th section, 4.50 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (E. H. B. Norrish)	Claverton	198
Uplands Tea Estates of Ceylon	Osborne	441
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (E. H. B. Norrish)	Broad Oak	306

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY, Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Talatuoya-Kirimettiya Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, June 10,

1922, at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the contribution of Rs. 1,400 on the estimate amounting to Rs. 1,600 for the upkeep of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922.

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
A. Govindasampillai	Narankaduwa	50
Ramalingampillai	do.	44
A. P. S. T. Sellambranpillai	do.	43
A. Salumburum Kangany	do.	21

1st to 4th section, 3½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
H. V. Greer	Kirimettiya	693
A. F. Howie	Old Meddagama	248
A. M. G. Trotter	Bellwood and Moragala	751
M. D. Attygalle	Agallawatta	93

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY, Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Nugatenna-Deanstone Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety .. Rs. 1,241.00
Private contributions .. Rs. 1,253.41

1st to 5th section, 2½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (R. G. Johnston)	Nugagalla	222

1st to 8th section, 3½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
S. Moorhouse (E. S. Wilson)	Nawanagalla	295

1st to 10th section, 4.77 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Whittall & Co. (E. S. Wilson)	Meemunagalla	535
Do.	Deanstone	576
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston)	Hare Park	454
Whittall & Co. (E. S. Wilson)	Kobonella	718
Kana Luna Meeya Pulle	Fincham's Land No. 1	96
Puncha Vidane Duraya	Fincham's Land No. 2	31½
Whittall & Co. (E. S. Wilson)	Ensalwatta	264
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston)	Dehigolla	475
Do.	Looloowatte	309
S. P. Santhiveeran and M. Aiyasamy	Seeacumbura	22
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston)	Yahangalla	80

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY, Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, May 16, 1922.

St. Margarets-Kirklees Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896,"

will, on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 3,400·00
Private contributions	..	Rs. 3,434·00

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Lanka Plantations Company, Ltd. (Geo. F. Cornish)	.. Rappahannock	481

1st to 6th section, 5·50 miles.

Estates Company of Uva, Ltd. (J. Slingsby)	.. Gampaha	.. 866
Kirklees Estates Co., Ltd. (George Steuart & Co., R. Lindsay White)	Kirklees	.. 1,085
Mrs. Fanny Patterson (C. J. Patterson)	.. Alagolla	.. 439
The Lucky Land Tea Estate Co., Ltd. (F. C. Charnaud)	.. Lucky Land	.. 410

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Madulkele-Kabragalla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 1,330·25
Private contributions	..	Rs. 1,343·55

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Anglo-Ceylon & General Estates Co., Ltd. (E. H. Hitchcock)	.. Ellerton	.. 72
Do.	.. Nillomally	.. 1,005
H. A. Clarke, C. J. Scott, and C. W. Wood	.. Kallebokka	.. 668

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Skrine & Co. (H. Ford)	.. Galheria	.. 607
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1st to 4th section, 3½ miles.

Thos. Barlow & Brother (J. Greig)	.. Bræ and Dell, Hatan- walla, Marnagala	.. 1,723
H. A. Clarke	.. Deyanilla	.. 449
Gordon Frazer & Co.	.. Relugas	.. 368
H. A. Clarke and H. W. Kennedy	.. Cabaragalla	.. 386
The Earl of Glasgow (G. W. Hunter Blair)	.. Poengalla, Hoolankande, and Kirigalpottakande	1,170

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Padlapelella-Ellamulla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will

on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 1,700·00
Private contributions	..	Rs. 1,717·00

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Central Tea Co. of Ceylon (R. A. Shaw)	.. Kabragala	.. 563

1st to 5th section, 4·89 miles.

Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. (A. N. Paine)	.. Galella	.. 273
The Anglo-American Danish Tea Trading Co., Ltd. (G. H. Baird)	Mandaranewera	.. 470
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., (A. N. Paine)	.. Ellamulla Group	363

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Barnagala-Pen-y-lan Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," will on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 600
Private contributions	..	Rs. 900

1st to 3rd section, 2 miles 12 chains.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
H. F. C. Philips	.. Pen-y-lan	.. 981
H. W. Malcomson	.. Kellie Group	.. 2,244
W. F. Carter	.. Tamaravelly	.. 1,401
C. A. Laing	.. Malgolla	.. 488
C. A. Johnson	.. Cattarem	.. 578
H. F. C. Philips	.. Doteloya	.. 1,744
George Steuart & Co.	.. Parragalla	.. 770

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Dotale Branch Road.

(Between Wattagama near Railway Bridge and Elkaduwa.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	..	Rs. 2,800
Private contributions	..	Rs. 2,828

1st to 3rd section, 2·53 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Mackwood & Co.	.. Inchestelly	.. 110

1st to 7th section, 6·53 miles.

E. G. Simson	.. Mandolgirikanda	.. 220
Colombo Commercial Company, Limited (C. C. du Pre Moore)	.. Hunasgiriya	.. 1,426

1st to 8th section, 7.53 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.
A. M. Wright (C. C. du Pre Moore)	Merrig	100
Ukuwela Estates Company (H. L. Anley)	Talingamadde	75

1st to 9th section, 8.18 miles.

Bosanquet & Co. (F. Price)	Elkaduwa Group	1,810
Skeen & Co. (C. A. Evans)	Hunugalla Group	686
E. G. Beilby	Weygalla	357
H. L. Anley	Mahatenna	384
Geo. Steuart & Co. (C. G. Graham)	Galgawatta	255

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Alawatugoda-Ancoombra Estate Cart Road.

(Maintenance, 1922.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the report of the Local Committee having been received, and an estimate amounting to Rs. 7,148 having been approved for the maintenance of the above road for the year 1922, the Provincial Road Committee, in accordance with the provisions of sections 24 and 19 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, will on Saturday, June 10, 1922, at 11.30 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the proportion due by each of the following estates to make up the contribution:—

1st section, 26 chains.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.
Heirs of A. Stevenson (Mackwood & Co., Agents; W. D. Stevenson, Superintendent)	Craingilt	323

1st and 2nd sections, 87 chains.

Syston Estate Co. (George Steuart & Co., Agents; C. E. Hamilton, Superintendent)	Syston	169
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1st and 3rd sections, 106 chains, or 1 mile and 26 chains.

J. A. MacAllister (Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Barton	85
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1st to 4th section, 146 chains, or 1 mile and 66 chains.

Syston Estate Company (George Steuart & Co., Agents; R. de V. Godfrey, Superintendent)	Syston	173
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1st to 5th section, 186 chains, or 2 miles and 26 chains.

H. L. Cameron, Mrs. E. D. Jacob and R. R. Jenkyns (George Steuart & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Velana	187
R. R. Jenkyns and Mrs. E. D. Jacob (George Steuart & Co., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Wallsend	83

1st to 9th section, 470 chains, or 5 miles and 70 chains.

Kandyan Hills Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Ltd., Agents; J. Taylor, Superintendent)	Pansalatenna	234
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1st to 10th section, 548 chains, or 6 miles and 68 chains.

Kandy Rubber and Tea Estates, Ltd. (Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co., Ltd., Colombo, Agents; H. Orloff Combe, Superintendent)	Ancoombra Group	816
Doolgalla (Ceylon) Rubber Estates, Ltd. (Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents; A. C. Morgan, Superintendent)	Parawatta	345
The Kegallia Rubber Estates, Ltd., A. C. Morgan (Agents, Harrison & Crosfield, Ltd., Colombo)	Nargolla	169
W. H. Wijenaik of Lindula	Hapugolla	110

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, May 16, 1922.

Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road Extension.

(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for clearing earth, boulders, &c., on the 9th mile, Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch road extension, caused by land slips and for rebuilding a length of retaining wall displaced by the slips, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

ELLEARAWA-PINNAWALA BRANCH ROAD EXTENSION.

(Estimate No. 81 of February 13, 1922.)

Government moiety	Rs. 1,000
Private contributions	Rs. 1,035

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Assessment.
			Rs. c.
The Uplands Tea Company, Limited (Whittall & Company, (Agents)	Balangoda Group— Maratenna Detanagala Cecilton Pambagolla Pinnawala	2,484	914 92

M. Cornelis Perera, Sisira, Panadura	Waleboda, cultivated	256	94 29
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S. T. de Silva, Pine Hill estate, Kalutara	Pelpola, Ferndale and Sherwood, cultivated	70	25 79
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Total .. 1,035 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

R. H. BASSETT,
for Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Ratnapura, April 29, 1922.

Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

ELLEARAWA-PINNAWALA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 387 of November 23, 1921.)

Government moiety	Rs. c.
	5,397 50
Private contributions	5,505 45
Less unexpended balance of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura	639 6
Balance to be recovered from estates	4,872 39

1st to 2nd section, 2 miles.			
Total acreage, 3,234—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,025·37— Rate per acre, 31·7059c.—Total rate, 31·7059c.			
Assessment.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
W. E. Sparling, A. C. Hayley, and S. P. Hayley (Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., Agents)	Rye Rubber Division	122	38 68
P. L. Palawasan Pillai	Udapolwatta	52	16 48
1st to 5th section, 4½ miles.			
Total acreage, 3,060—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,538·80— Rate per acre, 50·2875c.—Total rate, 81·9934c.			
Skrine & Company	Keppoch, cultivated	250	204 98
1st to 10th section, 9½ miles.			
Total acreage, 2,810—Moiety of cost, Rs. 2,308·22— Rate per acre, 82·1430—Total rate, 164·1364c.			
The Uplands Tea Company, Ltd. (Whittall & Co., Agents)	Balangoda Group :—		
	Maratenna	2,484	4,077 16
	Detanagala		
	Cecilton		
	Pambagolla		
	Pinnawala		
M. C. Perera, Sisira, Panadure	Waleboda, cultivated	256	420 20
S. T. de Silva, Pine Hill Estate, Pelpola, Kalutara	Ferndale and Sherwood, cultivated	70	114 89
Total			4,872 39

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. R. H. BASSETT, for Chairman.

Balangoda-Chetnole Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

BALANGODA-CHETNOLE BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. 388 of November 23, 1921.)

Government moiety	1,190	0
Private contributions	1,213	80
Less unexpended balance of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura	346	18
Balance to be recovered from estates	867	62

1st to 4th section.

Total acreage, 1,091—Moiety of cost, Rs. 556·17—
Rate per acre, 16·2670c.—Total rate, 16·2670c.

Assessment.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
S. Welu Pillai and W. Supramaniam	Ladysmith and Alpha	92	14 97
M. Sinnatamby	Wewawatta	95	15 46
H. and N. Worship	Morahela	521	84 76
F. S. Hill and heirs of H. M. Seel	Walawe	383	62 31

1st to 7th section.

Total acreage, 2,328.—Moiety of cost, Rs. 311·45—
Rate per acre, 13·3763c.—Total rate, 29·6433c.

Assessment.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
The Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Co., Ltd.	Maddekande	685	203 6
Do.	Rassagala	1,547	458 59
P. L. Palawasam Pillai	Selvawatta	96	28 47
Total			867 62

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. R. H. BASSETT, for Chairman.

Parakaduwa-Hemmingford Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

PARAKADUWA-HEMMINGFORD BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 397 of November 23, 1921.)

	Rs.	c.
Government moiety	620	50
Private contributions	632	91
Less unexpended balance of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura	167	06
Balance to be recovered from estates	465	85

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 3,111—Moiety of cost, Rs. 310·51—
Sectional rate, 9·9810c.—Total rate, 9·9810c.

Assessment.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
Mr. Michael J. de Jong	De Jong Group	46	4 59
The Grand Central Rubber Co.	Meegastenna	132	13 17

1st to 2nd section, 1·48 mile.

Total acreage, 2,933—Moiety of cost, Rs. 155·34—
Sectional rate, 5·2962c.—Total rate, 15·2772c.

Assessment.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
The General Tea Estates, Ltd.	Hemmingford Group	1,135	173 45
Mr. G. A. Talbot	Digowa	489	74 70
Manikkande Rubber Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Agents)	Manikkanda	446	68 13
Mr. A. J. R. de Soysa, No. 3, De Soysa Buildings, Slave Island, Colombo	Tatuwalakanda	346	52 85
Mr. A. H. T. de Soysa, Lynn Grove, Moratuwa	Hillington	84	12 83
Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeyaratne, Caffoor Building, Fort, Colombo	Pannila	185	28 26
Mrs. N. E. Wijesekera, care of Messrs. D. D. Pedris, Pettah, Colombo	Donrill	130	19 86

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
Dona Engeltina Welikala Don Charles Wijewardena, and Dona Caroline Wijewardena, care of Mr. D. L. Welikala ..	Pathberiya ..	67 ..	10 23
Mr. C. C. Wijetunge, Union House, Bambalapitiya ..	Gangaturaya ..	30 ..	4 58
W. S. Kadigawa ..	Kirigalla ..	21 ..	3 20
Total ..			465 85

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. H. BASSETT,
Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. for Chairman.

Dehiowita-Algoda Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1886," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, as follows:—

DEHIOWITA-ALGODA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 407 of October 29, 1921.)

	Rs.	c.
Government moiety ..	510	0
Private contributions ..	520	0
Less unexpended balance of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with the Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee ..	148	23
Balance to be recovered from estates ..	371	67

Total acreage, 6,079—Moiety of cost, Rs. 371·67—
Rate per acre, 6·1139c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
Rajawela Produce Company, Ltd. (Gordon Fraser & Co., Agents) ..	Densworth ..	552 ..	33 74
Panawala Tea Company, Ltd. (Bosanquet & Co., Agents) ..	Ernan and Glassel ..	1,344 ..	82 20
Nahalma Tea Estates Company (Bosanquet & Co., Agents) ..	Nahalma ..	681 ..	41·63
Woodend Tea and Rubber Company, Ltd. (Lewis, Brown & Co., Agents) ..	Woodend ..	992 ..	60 74
Sitawaka Tea and Rubber Company (Carson & Co., Agents) ..	Maldeniya ..	618 ..	37 38
Panawatta Tea and Rubber Company (Whittall & Co., Agents) ..	Yogama ..	1,621 ..	99 13
A. J. Symons, Colombo	Loolpola and clearings ..	52 ..	3 17

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
Nallo Kankany of Degalassa ..	Maliyadda ..	100 ..	6 11
Abubakkar Lebbe Abdul Rahiman ..	Ambagampola ..	39 ..	2 38
A. A. Thabrew, Dehiowita ..	Puhuwalagawa alias Deegala ..	80 ..	4 89
Total ..			371 67

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. H. BASSETT,
Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. for Chairman.

Glenella-Havilland Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

GLENELLA-HAVILLAND BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 408 of October 29, 1921.)

	Rs.	c.
Government moiety ..	1,785	0
Private contributions ..	1,820	70
Less unexpended balances of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura ..	0	99
Balance to be recovered from estates ..	1,819	71

1st section.

Total acreage, 3,134—Moiety of cost, Rs. 519·87—
Rate per acre, 16·5880c.—Total rate, 16·5880c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreeage.	Assessment. Rs. c.
Darley, Butler & Company ..	Glenella ..	246 ..	40 80

1st to 3rd section.

Total acreage, 2,888—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,040·07—
Rate per acre, 36·0135—Total rate, 52·0615c.

George Stewart & Company ..	Wahareka ..	565 ..	297 19
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1st to 4th section.

Total acreage, 2,323—Moiety of cost, Rs. 259·77—
Rate per acre, 11·1825—Total rate, 63·7840c.

Darley, Butler & Company ..	Havilland ..	525 ..	334 86
Punchirala Arachchi, heir of Adikari Rallaye Appuhamy ..	Pitakele ..	44 ..	28 6
W. J. R. Hamilton, Gouravilla, Noorwood ..	Dedugolla ..	382 ..	243 65
Darley, Butler & Company ..	Gangwarily ..	425 ..	271 8
T. A. Periasamy Pillai ..	Kelvin ..	744 ..	474 60
George Hunter ..	Oonankande ..	153 ..	97 58
Do. ..	Uduwa ..	50 ..	31 89
Total ..			1,819 71

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates is hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. H. BASSETT,
Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. for Chairman.

Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

RATNAPURA-MALWALA FERRY BRANCH ROAD.
(Estimate No. D 396 of November 23, 1921.)

	Rs. c.
Government moiety	3,570 0
Private contributions	3,641 40
Less unexpended balance of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura	829 47
Balance to be recovered from estates	2,811 93

1st section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 10,608—Moiety of cost, Rs. 562.39—
Sectional rate, 5.3015—Total rate, 5.3015c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.	Rs. c.
The Mahawala Tea Estates Company, Ltd.	Mahawala	1,551	82	23

2nd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 9,057—Moiety of cost, Rs. 2,249.54—
Sectional rate, 24.8375c.—Total rate, 30.1390c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.	Rs. c.
Saffragam Tea and Rubber Company, Ltd.	Carnay	530	159	74
Lansdowne Rubber Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Agents)	Lansdowne	721	217	31
N. D. S. Silva, Winyatt's Gregory's road, Colombo	Silvaland	406	122	37
Mrs. N. D. B. Silva, Guildford House, Cinnamon Gardens, Colombo	Agarsland	469	141	35
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Company, Ltd.	Galboda	742	223	63
Do.	Hapugastenna Group	3,493	1,052	76
Do.	Alupolla	2,496	752	27
M. G. Gomez	Dikmukalana	200	60	27
Total			2,811	93

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. H. BASSETT,
Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. for Chairman.

Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Malwala ferry bridge, on the Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch road, during 1921 and 1922, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

BRIDGE ACROSS MALWALA FERRY.

(Estimate No. D 514 of November 29, 1914.)

Government moiety	Rs. 100.00
Private contributions	Rs. 102.00
Less unexpended balance of private contributions, as per statement forwarded with Colonial Treasurer's letter No. 17/45 of January 30, 1922, to Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura	Rs. 71.96
Balance to be recovered from estates	Rs. 30.04

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Assessment.	Rs. c.
Lansdowne Rubber Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Agents)	Lansdowne	721	2	54
N. D. S. Silva, Winyatt's Gregory's road, Colombo	Silvaland	406	1	43
Mrs. N. D. B. Silva, Guildford House, Cinnamon Gardens, Colombo	Agarsland	469	1	65
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Co., Ltd.	Galboda	742	2	61
Do.	Hapugastenna Group	3,493	12	32
Do.	Alupolla	2,496	8	79
M. G. Gomez	Dikmukalana	200	0	70
Total			30	4

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, on or before June 20, 1922.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, R. H. BASSETT,
Ratnapura, April 29, 1922. for Chairman.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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

(1) Application No. 2,629.

(2) Date of Receipt: February 24, 1922.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): LYSOL, LIMITED (a British Company duly incorporated under the Company laws of Great Britain), Kingston road, Raynes Park, London, S. W. 20, England; and 9 and 10, St. Mary-at-Hill, London, E. C. 3, England; Manufacturing Chemists.

(4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class: Two.

(6) Goods: Chemical substances used for agricultural, horticultural, veterinary, and sanitary purposes.

(7) Mark:



Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, May 17, 1922.

M. S. SRESHTA,
Registrar-General.